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Guide to the

**Friedrich von Lethmate patent**

1698

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## Summary

**Creator:** Lethmate, Friedrich von

**Title:** Friedrich von Lethmate patent

**Date:** 1698

**Size:** .15 linear feet (1 v.)

**Abstract:** Friedrich von Lethmate was granted a patent of nobility by King Leopold I of the Holy Roman Empire in 1698. Patent consists of eleven leaves of parchment and contains a painted page with the Lethmate coat-of-arms and a portrait of Leopold I.

**Access:** Advance notice required.

**Preferred citation:** Friedrich von Lethmate patent, Manuscripts and Archives Division, The New York Public Library

**Language of the Material:** Patent is written in German

## Creator History

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## Scope and Content Note

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## Key Terms

**Subjects**

Titles of honor and nobility

**Names**

Lethmate, Friedrich von

Leopold I, Holy Roman Emperor, 1640-1705