
Select Bibliography

This bibliography has been substantially pruned since the first edition of this work in order to take account of at least some of the more recent literature without growing totally out of proportion. Certain older works have been retained, either because they remain important or because they are referred to in the text as illustrative of a particular approach or issue. Some English and German works have been annotated, to assist in selection for particular purposes.

Those English-language texts which might form particularly useful components of a short bibliography for teaching purposes have been marked with an asterisk; these generally also contain suggestions for further reading. The bibliography remains highly selective, even with respect to more recent works, where frequently only one or two significant or typical works have been listed for a topic where a great deal more has been published. In particular there has been an explosion of literature on the GDR since unification. Much of the most interesting recent research is in German, only a small selection of which could be included; again the references in these will guide the reader further. This is thus intended as a purely introductory, rather than comprehensive, bibliography.

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