

# Marriage contract Nr. 268: Mecklenburg-Güstrow - Schleswig-Holstein-Gottorf

- **Date of contract conclusion:** 1654-11-27
- **Place of contract conclusion:** Gottorf

## Groom

- **Name:** Gustav Adolf von Mecklenburg-Güstrow
- **GND:** [101250797](#)
- **Year of Birth:** 1633
- **Year of Death:** 1695
- **Dynasty:** Mecklenburg-Güstrow
- **Confession:** lutherisch

## Bride

- **Name:** Magdalena Sibylla von Schleswig-Holstein-Gottorf
- **GND:** [123282667](#)
- **Year of Birth:** 1631
- **Year of Death:** 1719
- **Dynasty:** Oldenburg (Schleswig-Holstein-Gottorf)
- **Confession:** lutherisch

## Actors for Groom

- **Name:** Gustav Adolf von Mecklenburg-Güstrow
- **GND:** [101250797](#)
- **Dynasty:** Mecklenburg-Güstrow
- **Relationship:** /

## Actors for Bride

- **Name:** Friedrich III. von Schleswig-Holstein-Gottorf
- **GND:** [11870320X](#)
- **Dynasty:** Oldenburg (Schleswig-Holstein-Gottorf)
- **Relationship:** Vater

# Mecklenburg-Güstrow

1654-11-27

## Contract content

- 1 – Dowry of 20,000 Reichstalers
- 2 – Morning gift of 4,000 Reichstalers or 300 Reichstalers annually
- 3 – donatio propter nuptias of 20,000 Reichstalers; investment in the county of Dargun; life estate of 12,300 Reichstalers; in case of insufficiency, the life estate is supplemented from neighboring counties, particularly Stavenhagen
- 4 – Provisions regarding the usufruct of the life estate and the sovereign's superiority in legal matters
- 5 – Provisions regarding the dowry and morning gift upon the death of a spouse; regulations governing the bride's remarriage

## Commentary

The information in the register is based on data from the Schleswig-Holstein State Archives on Arcinsys Schleswig-Holstein.

## References

- **Archive copy:** LASH, Urk.-Abt. 7, Nr. 100

## Recommended citation

*Dynastische Eheverträge der frühen Neuzeit*. Contract No. 268. Philipps University of Marburg. Available online at <https://dynastische-ehevertraege.online.uni-marburg.de/en/vertraege/268.html>.

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