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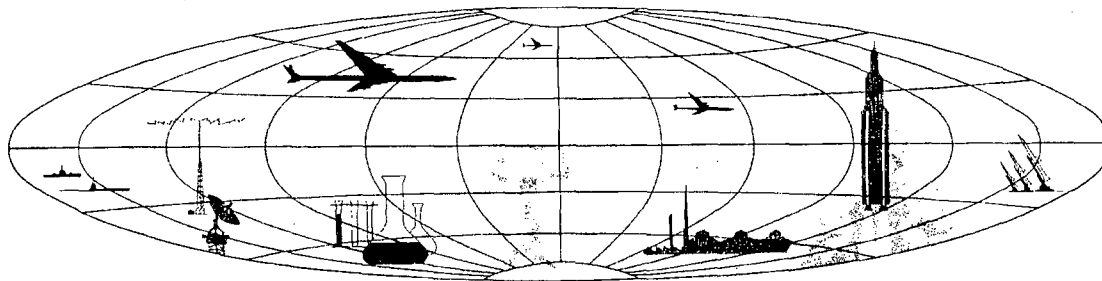
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PREFACE

This report is one in a series on Soviet Ground Force and Logistic installations being prepared for a DIA/CIA Panel. The series is being coordinated, published and disseminated by NPIC. The photographic analysis is being performed by the NPIC Photographic Analysis Group, the CIA Photographic Intelligence Division (NPIC), and the Production Center 1P1c (DIA). The photographic analysis for this particular report was performed by the Production Center 1P1c.

In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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STORAGE AREA
(55-53N 026-32E)
DAUGAVPILS, LATVIYSKAYA SSR, USSR
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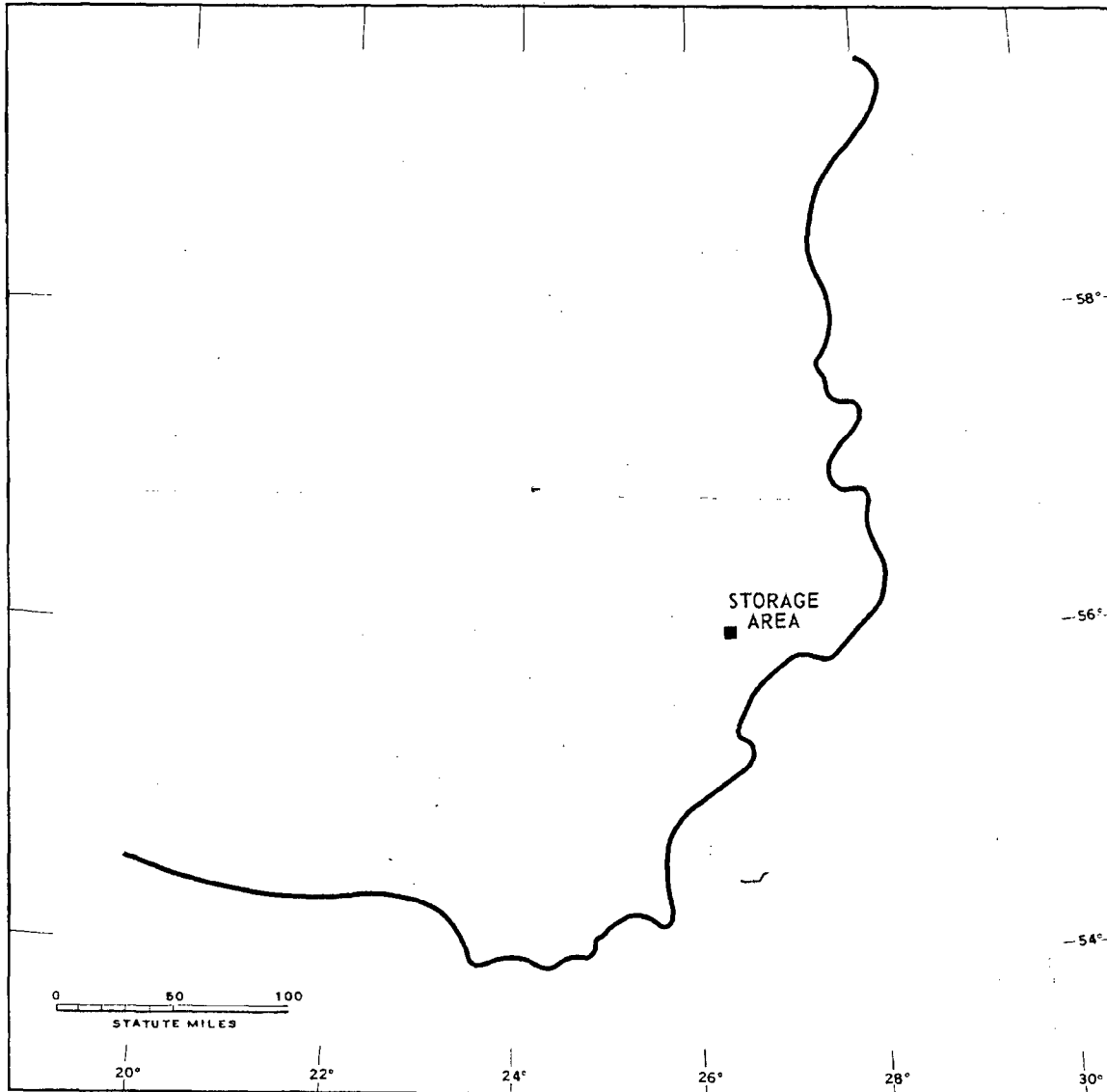


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF STORAGE AREA.

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FIGURE 2. STORAGE AREA, DAUGAVPILS, USSR, JUNE 1964.

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SUMMARY

This installation, located in the northern part of Daugavpils (Figure 1), is partially secured by a single fence and contains a large, double-fenced storage area.

The installation covers approximately 250 acres and contains 7 administration buildings, 9 barracks, 90 storage buildings, and 19 support buildings (Figures 2 and 3).

Seven missions of good quality photography, from July 1956 to June 1964, were used in this report. Comparative analysis reveals the area

is active year round. Between July 1956 and December 1961, 16 buildings were razed and 23 constructed; between December 1961 and July 1963, 14 buildings were razed and 8 constructed; and between July 1963 and June 1964, 5 buildings were razed and 6 constructed.

This does not appear to be a barracks area, as indicated in the TDI under [redacted]. It probably should be carried as a storage facility with an associated housing area.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The installation is adjacent to the Daugavpils North and Central railroad yards.

Road Service

A hard-surfaced road connects the area to Daugavpils.

Administrative and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains one administration build-

ing, 9 multistory barracks, 7 storage buildings, and 3 support buildings.

General Storage Areas

Area E1 contains 5 multistory administration buildings, 66 storage buildings, and 12 support buildings.

Area E2 contains one administration building, 17 storage buildings, and 4 support buildings.

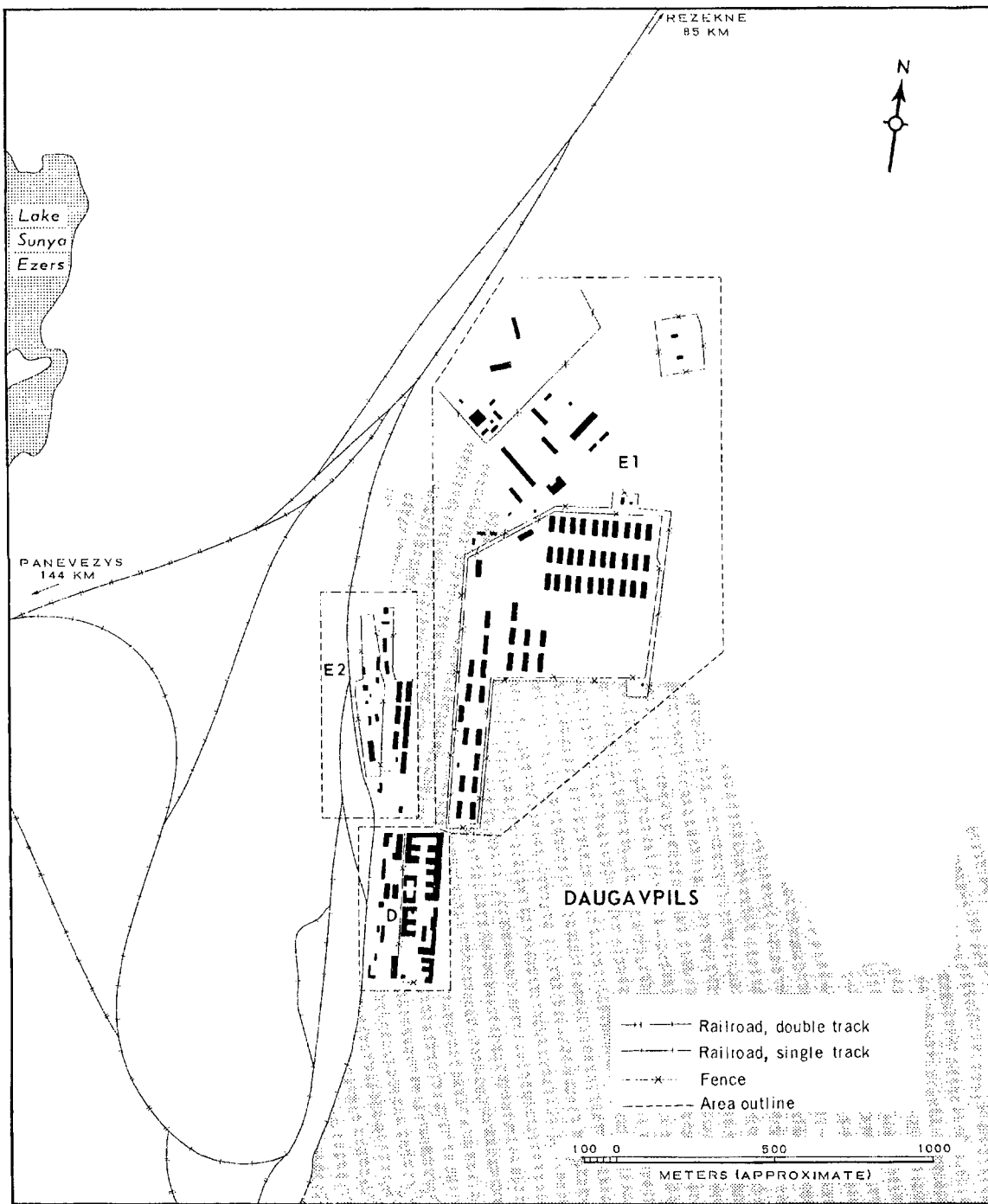


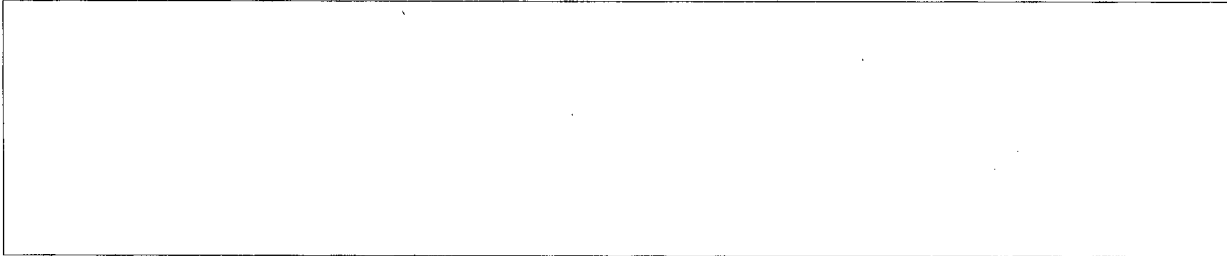
FIGURE 3. STORAGE AREA. Sketch compiled from [] June 1964.

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