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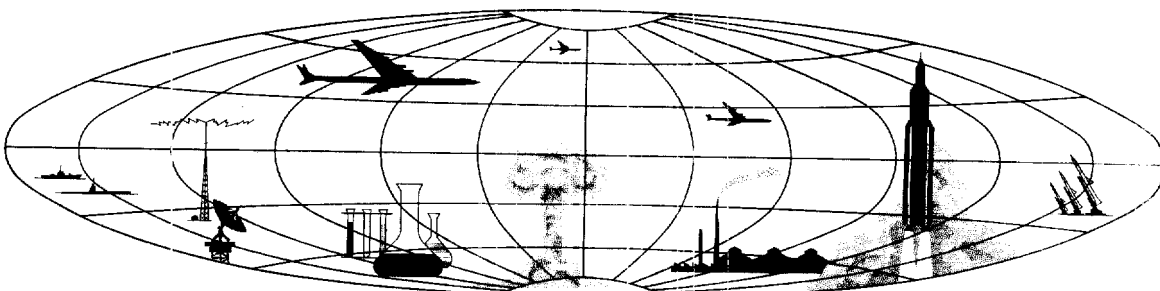


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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3327 DATED 28 DECEMBER 1962. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1A

BARTOLOME (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY 2226N 07934W

NO MISSILE-RELATED ACTIVITY NOTED IN CLEAR PORTIONS.

25X1D

25X1A

SALAMANCA (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY 2227N 07940W

NO MISSILES OR MISSILE-RELATED ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

25X1D

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SENADO SAM SITE 2136N 07733W

SAM SITE APPEARS ABANDONED. LAUNCHERS, GUIDANCE EQUIPMENT AND SUPPORT FACILITIES HAVE BEEN REMOVED.

25X1D

25X1A

CIEGO DE AVILA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2152N 07844W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE TWENTY-THREE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 13 WITH CANVAS-COVERED MISSILES, OBSERVED.

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-AIRFIELDS-

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CAMILO CIENFUEGOS (SANTA CLARA) AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W

AIRCRAFT -- SIX FAGOT/FRESCO AND 25 FISHBED VISIBLE.
SCATTERED CLOUDS AND POOR IMAGE QUALITY PRECLUDE
FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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25X1A

CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N 07751W

AIRCRAFT -- TOTAL OF 7 INCLUDING 3 FAGOT, 2 COACH/
CRATE, ONE LIAISON-TYPE, AND ONE SINGLE-ENGINE.
RUNWAYS SERVICEABLE.

25X1D

25X1A

HOLGUIN AIRFIELD 2048N 07618W

NO AIRCRAFT VISIBLE.
SCATTERED CLOUDS AND HAZE PRECLUDE DETAILED
INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

25X1A

LOS CANOS AIRFIELD 2004N 07509W

AIRCRAFT -- NONE.
RUNWAY SERVICEABLE.

25X1D

-PORTS-

25X1A

BANES PORT 2055N 07542W

VESSELS -- ONE PC, 4 KOMAR-CLASS PGMG OBSERVED. NO
LARGE VESSELS IN PORT.

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PUNTA ALEGRE PORT 2223N 07847W

NO LARGE VESSELS IN PORT.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT NOTED.

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25X1A

MOA BAY PORT 2039N 07454W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE VESSEL IN PORT. HAZE PRECLUDES
DETAILED INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

25X1A

NUEVITAS PORT 2132N 07716W

VESSELS -- TWO LARGE FREIGHTERS.
NO MILITARY ACTIVITY NOTED IN AREA. INCOMPLETE
INFORMATION DUE TO SCATTERED CLOUDS.

25X1D

25X1A

LA ISABELA PORT 2256N 08001W

VESSELS -- NO LARGE VESSELS NOTED, BUT SEVERAL SMALL
CRAFT AND BARGES OBSERVED.
NO MILITARY ACTIVITY NOTED.

25X1D

25X1A

CAIBARIEN PORT 2232N 07928W

VESSELS -- NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED, BUT NUMEROUS
SMALL CRAFT NOTED.
NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

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HOLGUIN AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2053N 07614W

TANK AND VEHICLE COUNT REMAIN UNCHANGED SINCE

25X1D

25X1A

REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2227N 07934W

VEHICLES -- FORTY CANVAS-COVERED TANKS, 175 VEHICLES.
BARRACKS CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES.

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25X1A

VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2054N 07655W

VEHICLES -- SIX TRUCKS. INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

25X1D

VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS AREA, TANK CONVOY 2103N 07649W

10 NM NE OF VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS.
THREE TANKS AND ESCORT VEHICLE MOVING FROM VICTORIA DE
LAS TUNAS IN THE GENERAL DIRECTION OF PUERTO PADRE.

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THERE WERE NO TARGETS COVERED WEST OF 80
DEGREES 30 MINUTES WEST LONGITUDE ON
MISSION 3327.

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO CHANGE SINCE
LAST COVERAGE --

SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 2	2239N 07951W
REMEDIOS IRBM SITE	2225N 07935W
CAIBARIEN SAM SITE	2228N 07929W
MANATI SAM SITE	2113N 07702W
CHAMBAS SAM SITE	2213N 07853W
ESMERALDA SAM SITE	2155N 07813W
VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2104N 07700W
MALDONADO SAM SITE	2012N 07528W
CAMAGUEY AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION NO 1	2121N 07750W
EL JUCARO, MILITARY AREA	2051N 07543W
CAMAGUEY AREA, SMALL MILITARY CAMP	2126N 07753W

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT
NOT INTERPRETED --

SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 1	2243N 08001W
SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE	2251N 08005W
CHAPARRA SAM SITE	2107N 07626W
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE	1959N 07551W
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2003N 07553W
CIEGO DE AVILA SAM SITE	2142N 07850W
BANES CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2058N 07538W
ANTONIO MACED AIRFIELD	1958N 07550W
BARACOA PORT	2021N 07430W
SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT	2001N 07550W
PUERTO PADRE PORT	2113N 07632W
SIBONEY AREA, LANDING BEACH	1957N 07542W
PLAYA YATERITAS, LANDING BEACH	1959N 07458W
MAR VERDE, LANDING BEACH	1957N 07557W
GUANTANAMO AREA 1	2005N 07523W

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS WERE NOT COVERED OR
WERE NOT OBSERVED BECAUSE OF ADVERSE WEATHER
OR OTHER CONDITIONS --

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SANTA BARBARA, SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY	2012N 07634W
PEPU (PEPUS), SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY	2016N 07620W
CASILDA, MISSILE EQUIPMENT AREA	2146N 07958W
CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE	2202N 08024W
SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE	2147N 07929W
LOS ANGELES SAM SITE	2100N 07541W
JIGUANI SAM SITE	2021N 07620W
MANZANILLO SAM SITE	2018N 07706W
CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2236N 08005W
LA SIERRA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2156N 08019W
JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD	2209N 08025W
BAYAMO EAST AIRFIELD	2023N 07638W
TRINIDAD AIRFIELD	2147N 07959W
CIENFUEGOS PORT	2209N 08027W
MANZANILLO PORT	2021N 07707W
CASILDA PORT	2145N 07959W
CIENFUEGOS, BEACH	2202N 08026W
NICARO, LANDING BEACH	2042N 07533W
LAS VILLAS AREA OF SPECIAL INTEREST	2146N 07959W
MANZANILLO AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2017N 07706W
SAN GERMAN AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2029N 07559W
SAN GERMAN, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2025N 07602W
SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2221N 07957W

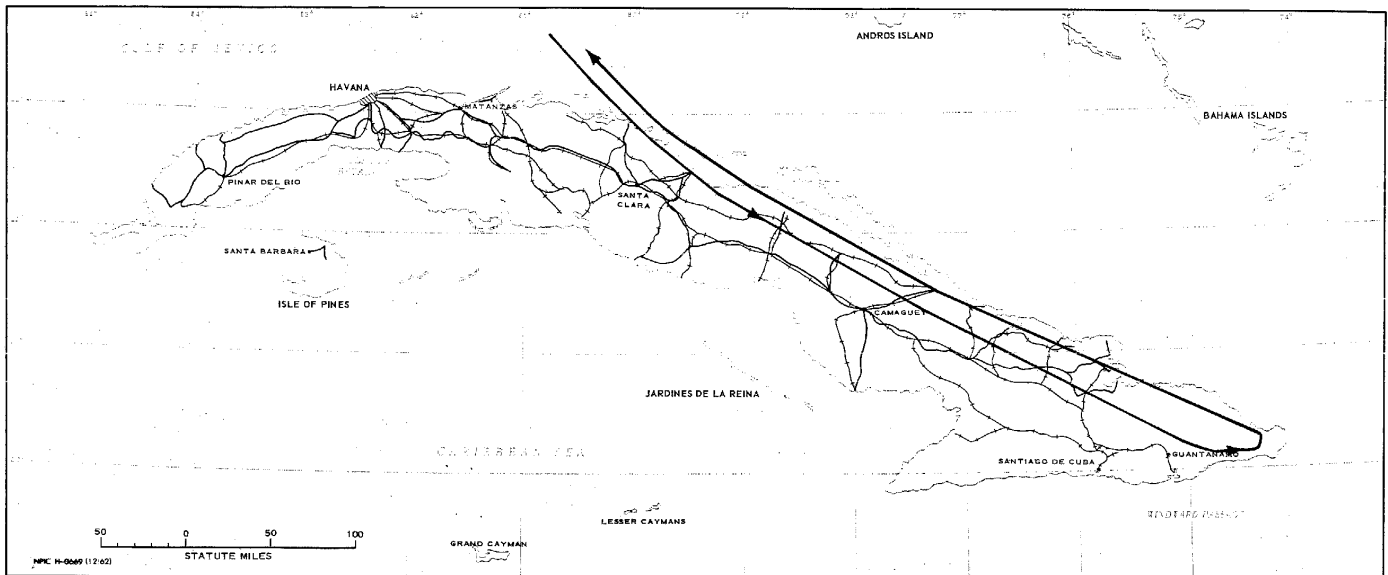
MAYARI ARRIBA, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2029N 07530W
LA ROSITA AREA, STORAGE INSTALLATION	2208N 08004W

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