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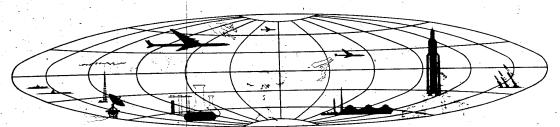


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PREFACE

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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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RIGA ARMY AMMUNITIONS DEPOT CEKULI PUG

(56-56N 024-25E)

RIGA, LATVIYSKAYA SSR, USSR

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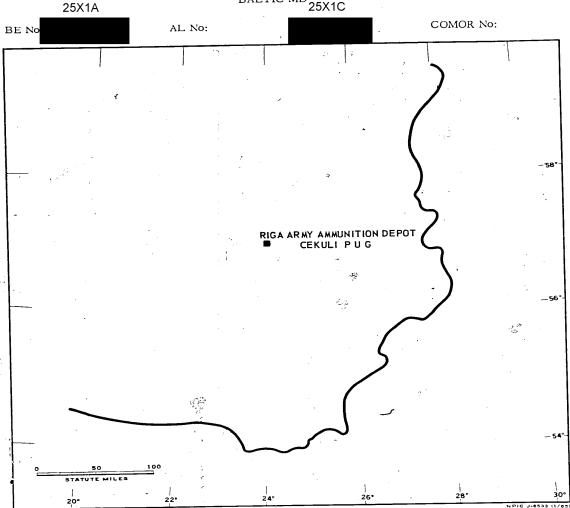


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF RIGA ARMY AMMUNITION DEPOT CEKULÎ PUG.

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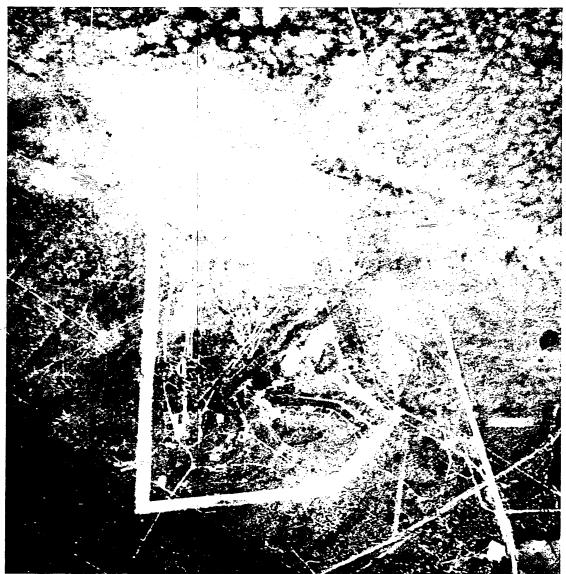


FIGURE 2. RIGA ARMY AMMUNITION DEPOT CEKULI PUG, RIGA, USSR

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SUMMARY

A double-secured ammunition storage depot covering approximately 500 acres is located 15 kilometers (km) east of Riga, immediately north of the Riga-Madona rail line (Figure 1). The depot probably stores ammunition and explosives for the numerous army units in the city of Riga and for the Riga Army Training Area Ropazi North, located 20 km north.

The depot contains 2 barracks, 2 administration buildings, 31 ammunition storage build-

ings (6 built into the side of a hill), 24 support buildings, 1 bunker, 8 possible bunkers, (Figures 2 and 3). The natural terrain provides blast protection.

The area was covered by TALENT and KEYHOLE missions between

Comparative analysis reveals the expansion of the area from 36 to 500 acres and from 17 to 73 buildings during this time.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

Area contains 2 rail spurs (A1 and A2). A1 has 3 trackside docks and A2 has 1 trackside dock.

Road Service

The depot has a good interior road net and good all-weather roads connect it to Riga, Ogre, and Ropazi.

Administrative and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 2 multistory barracks, 2 administration buildings, and 9 support buildings.

Ammunition Storage Area

Area F contains 31 ammunition storage buildings (6 sheltered by a hill), 1 bunker, 8 possible bunkers, 15 support buildings

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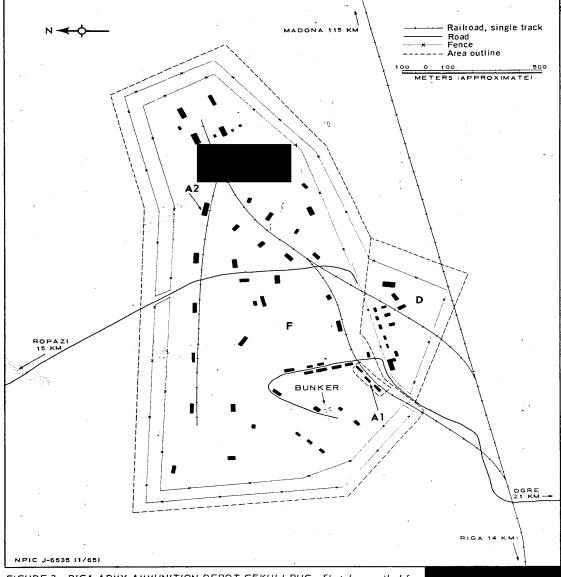


FIGURE 3. RIGA ARMY AMMUNITION DEPOT CEKULI PUG. Sketch compiled from

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