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The following trains were observed traveling between Nyiregyháza (N) and Záhony (Z) on the Hungarian-USSR border:

Date	Time	Observed:	From:	To:	
1954					25X1
19 July	0940	19 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 8 flat cars with steel poles of various kinds and dimensions; 6 open cars loaded with coal .	N	Z	
	1115	8 box cars; 15 flat cars loaded with self-propelled SU-122; 7 open cars covered by tarpaulins; 5 box cars occupied by Soviet soldiers with black and red collar patches	Z	N	25X1
	1250	18 tank cars; 11 box cars; 6 cars of coal	Z	N	25X1
	1530	16 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 9 open cars covered with canvas; 10 Czechoslovak box cars	N	Z	25X1
20 July	0630	32 tank cars; 4 open cars covered by tarpaulins	N	Z	
	0805	14 flat cars loaded with logs; 17 tank cars; 3 refrigerator cars	Z	N	
	0945	9 Czechoslovak box cars; 12 flat cars loaded with 5-ton trucks; 13 metal cars loaded with uranium ore	N	Z	
	1120	22 tank cars; 9 box cars; 5 cars loaded with steel scrap	Z	N	

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Date	Time:	Observed:	From:	To:
1954				
20 July	1255	9 box cars; 15 flat cars loaded with JS-1 tanks; 6 open cars covered by tarpaulins; 1 passenger car occupied by Hungarian AVH guards	Z	N
21 July	1300	14 box cars occupied by Soviet soldiers with purple branch insignia; 9 box cars; 8 open cars loaded with military motor vehicles and field kitchens; 1 passenger car occupied by officers	Z	N
	1535	8 Czechoslovak box cars; 15 flat cars each loaded with a long - barrelled 280-mm. gun; 10 flat cars loaded with Skoda tractors; 2 box cars occupied by Soviet soldiers with black branch insignia	N	Z
	1710	16 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 8 flat cars loaded with Skoda tractors; 9 Czechoslovak box cars	N	Z
	1905	12 open cars covered with canvas under which a few fuselages were visible; 11 box cars; 13 tank cars; 2 passenger cars occupied by Soviet officers and NCO-s wearing blue branch insignia	Z	N
22 July	0630	29 tank cars; 5 refrigerator cars	N	Z
	0810	17 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 15 tank cars; 4 box cars	Z	N
	0940	9 box cars; 13 flat cars loaded with steel bands and steel blocks of various sizes; 10 open cars loaded with coke	N	Z
	1125	16 box cars; 8 open cars loaded with logs; 11 tank cars	Z	N
23 July	0950	10 box cars; 5 flat cars loaded with 601 M locomotives; 5 open cars loaded with axles and wheels; 6 flat cars loaded with structural steel; 6 tank cars	N	Z
	1130	21 tank cars; 14 box cars	Z	N
	1305	15 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 18 box cars; 3 open cars covered with tarpaulins ..	Z	N
	1530	18 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 12 box cars; 5 cars of coal	N	Z
	1710	14 box cars; 13 open cars loaded with Csepel-Diesel trucks; 14 flat cars loaded with buses; 3 open cars loaded with tank trucks	N	Z
24 July	1255	15 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 13 open cars loaded with logs and lumber; 6 box cars ..	Z	N
	1535	12 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 10 cars loaded with Skoda and Tatraplan automobiles; 13 Czechoslovak box cars	N	Z
	1715	8 flat cars loaded with steel pipes of about 35-40 cm. in diameter; 17 box cars; 8 cars of coal	N	Z

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Date:	Time:	Observed:	From:	To:
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24 July	1910	15 box cars; 14 open cars covered by canvas and loaded with airplane parts; 1 passenger car occupied by Soviet soldiers wearing blue branch insignia	Z	N
	0630	31 tank cars; 4 box cars	N	Z
	0815	23 boxcars; 5 gondolas covered with canvas; 6 gondolas loaded with logs	Z	N
	0945	19 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 6 refrigerator cars; 10 boxcars	N	Z
	1120	20 tank cars; 5 gondolas covered with canvas; 8 boxcars	Z	N
26 July	0950	17 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 9 open cars covered with canvas and loaded with large machine parts; 8 Czechoslovak boxcars.	N	Z
	1125	18 tank cars; 10 flat cars loaded with logs; 7 boxcars	Z	N
	1300	16 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 13 tank cars; 6 boxcars	Z	N
	1535	9 flat cars loaded with metal tanks; 5 gondolas loaded with axles and wheels; 18 boxcars	N	Z
	1720	28 boxcars; 6 refrigerator cars	N	Z
27 July	1300	17 boxcars; 10 gondolas loaded with flat trucks on which Vanyusha multiple rocket-launchers were mounted; 6 gondolas loaded with cases; 1 passenger car occupied by Hungarian AVH personnel	Z	N
	1535	15 cars of coal; 6 flat cars loaded with steel for bridge-building; 12 boxcars	N	Z
	1710	33 tank cars	N	Z
	1900	10 boxcars; 12 flat cars each loaded with two anti-aircraft guns of 122 mm; 7 gondolas covered with canvas; 1 passenger car occupied by Hungarian AVH personnel	Z	N
28 July	0630	18 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 10 boxcars; 5 refrigerator cars	N	Z
	0810	19 tank cars; 8 boxcars; 8 flat cars loaded with logs	Z	N
	0945	7 passenger cars occupied by Soviet personnel wearing various branch insignia; 6 boxcars; 4 cars protected by canvas	N	Z
	1120	18 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 17 tank cars	Z	N
29 July	0940	15 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 17 Czechoslovak boxcars	N	Z
	1120	21 tank cars; 8 boxcars; 6 gondolas loaded with steel scrap	Z	N
	1255	16 gondolas loaded with unassembled aircraft parts; 13 boxcars; 1 passenger car and 2 passenger cars occupied by Soviet soldiers wearing blue branch insignia	Z	N

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Date	Time:	Observed:	From:	To:
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29 July	1540	3 passenger cars occupied by Soviet soldiers of various branches; 12 gondolas loaded with civilian cars of various types and without licence plates; 7 gondolas covered with tarpaulins; 9 box cars	N	Z
	1720	31 tank cars	N	Z
30 July	0630	19 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 8 box cars; 5 refrigerator cars	N	Z
	0810	25 flat cars loaded with JS-1 tanks; 6 gondolas covered with tarpaulins; 2 passenger cars occupied by Hungarian AVH personnel	Z	N
	1945	11 flat cars loaded with railroad switches; 15 box cars; 6 gondolas covered with tarpaulins .	N	Z
	1125	18 box cars; 17 tank cars	Z	N
	1300	10 box cars; 15 gondolas with unassembled aircraft; 1 passenger car occupied by Soviet officers wearing blue branch insignia	Z	N
2 August	0635	33 tank cars	N	Z
	0815	21 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 10 gondolas loaded with logs and lumber; 3 box cars	Z	N
	0950	16 box cars; 8 flat cars loaded with steel plates and blocks; 10 cars of coal	N	Z
	1125	4 passenger cars and 6 box cars occupied by Hungarian airmen returning from a training course in the USSR; 3 box cars	Z	N
	1305	18 tank cars; 11 box cars; 5 gondolas covered with canvas	Z	N
3 August	1310	1 passenger car and 5 passenger cars occupied by Soviet soldiers wearing blue collar patches; 4 gondolas covered with canvas	Z	N
	1540	16 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 18 Czechoslovak box cars; 3 gondolas covered with canvas	N	Z
	1715	16 box cars; 9 gondolas loaded with multiple rocket-launcher prime movers; 6 gondolas covered with canvas; 4 cars loaded with tank trucks	N	Z
	1910	13 box cars; 16 tank cars; 7 flat cars loaded with logs	Z	N
4 August	0940	31 tank cars; 4 box cars	N	Z
	1120	12 box cars; 19 tank cars; 3 gondolas covered with tarpaulins	Z	N
	1255	9 flat cars each loaded with 2 field howitzers of 152 mm. caliber; 12 box cars; 7 gondolas covered with canvas; 1 passenger car occupied by Hungarian AVH personnel	Z	N
	1535	18 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 11 box cars; 4 refrigerator cars	N	Z

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5 August	1250	18 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 7 box cars; 5 flat cars loaded with logs; 4 gondolas covered with canvas	Z	N
	1530	14 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 12 flat cars loaded with Skoda tractors; 7 Czechoslovak box cars	N	Z
	1715	7 flat cars loaded with type 303 T locomotives; 5 gondolas loaded with axles and wheels; 13 box cars; 7 cars covered with canvas	N	Z
6 August	0630	29 tank cars; 5 box cars	N	Z
	0805	19 box cars; 7 refrigerator cars; 6 cars of coal	Z	N
	0945	16 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 8 box cars; 11 gondolas loaded with coal and coke	N	Z
	1130	18 tank cars; 13 box cars; 4 gondolas covered with canvas	Z	N
	1310	21 box cars; 13 gondolas loaded with logs and lumber	Z	N
7 August	0940	12 flat cars loaded with metal tanks; 7 gondolas loaded with axles and wheels; 9 box cars; 6 cars of coal	N	Z
	1115	17 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 18 tank cars	Z	N
	1255	16 box cars; 15 gondolas loaded with aircraft parts; 2 passenger cars occupied by Soviet soldiers wearing blue branch insignia	Z	N
	1530	9 flat cars loaded with hulls; 10 gondolas covered with canvas; 14 box cars	N	Z
	1710	6 passenger cars occupied by Soviet soldiers and Soviet civilians; 8 box cars; 4 gondolas covered by tarpaulins	N	Z
8 August	1300	18 SS. flat cars loaded with self-propelled SU-122; 9 cars covered with canvas; 5 passenger cars occupied by Soviet soldiers wearing red and black branch insignia	Z	N
	1535	19 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 13 cars of coal; 3 box cars	N	Z
	1715	26 box cars; 7 cars of coal	N	Z
	1915	11 flat cars loaded with logs; 18 tank cars; 6 box cars	Z	N
9 August	0630	32 tank cars; 3 box cars	N	Z
	0810	2 passenger cars and 5 box cars occupied by Soviet soldiers wearing blue branch insignia; 3 box cars	Z	N
	0950	13 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 12 flat cars loaded with Skoda tractors; 6 box cars; 3 gondolas covered with canvas	N	Z

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16 August	0640	8 flat cars loaded with steel plates and blocks; 6 SS. flat cars loaded with 303/T-type locomotives; 5 gondolas loaded with wheels and axles; 10 boxcars	N	Z
	0805	15 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 16 tank cars; 4 boxcars	Z	N
	0945	25 boxcars; 8 coal cars	N	Z
	1120	15 flat cars loaded with SU-24s; 7 gondolas covered with tarpaulins; 9 boxcars; 1 passenger car occupied by AVH guard personnel	Z	N
17 August	1530	18 gondolas loaded with Csepel diesel trucks; 10 boxcars; 5 gondolas covered with tarpaulins	N	Z
	1715	33 tank cars	N	Z
	1910	19 box cars; 6 refrigerator cars; 7 gondolas covered with tarpaulins	Z	N
18 August	0945	18 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 15 boxcars ...	N	Z
	1120	14 boxcars; 15 gondolas covered with tarpaulins under which airplane parts could be recognized; 3 passenger cars occupied by Soviet military personnel wearing blue branch insignia	Z	N
	1255	8 SS. flat cars each loaded with 2 J8-1 tanks; 9 boxcars; 8 gondolas covered with tarpaulins; 4 passenger cars occupied by Soviet troops wearing black branch insignia	Z	N
	1530	12 gondolas loaded with Skoda trucks; 10 Czechoslovak boxcars; 13 metal cars loaded with uranium ore	N	Z
19 August	0630	32 tank cars	N	Z
	0810	16 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 18 tank cars	Z	N
	0940	15 boxcars; 12 gondolas loaded with tractors and farm machinery; 6 gondolas covered with tarpaulin	N	Z
	1115	21 tank cars; 13 boxcars	Z	N
20 August	1250	16 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 5 cars loaded with scrap iron; 12 boxcars	Z	N
	1540	16 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 17 Czechoslovak boxcars	N	Z
	1715	8 flat cars loaded with steel pontoons; 9 SS. flat cars loaded with steel blocks; 15 boxcars ..	N	Z
	1910	14 flat cars loaded with tree trunks; 3 boxcars; 16 tank cars	Z	N
21 August	0635	33 tank cars	N	Z
	0805	31 boxcars	Z	N
	0945	6 flat cars loaded with buses; 8 gondolas loaded with Csepel diesel trucks; 6 gondolas loaded with tank trucks; 11 boxcars	N	Z
	1115	9 SS. flat cars each loaded with two 122-mm, anti- aircraft guns; 12 gondolas covered with tarpaulins; 9 cars and 1 passenger car occupied by AVH guard personnel.....	Z	N

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22 August	0945	16 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 7 15 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 7 gondolas loaded with machine parts; 10 Czechoslovak boxcars	N	Z
	1120	13 boxcars; 21 tank cars	Z	N
	1255	17 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 15 boxcars	Z	N
	1545	15 coal cars; 18 boxcars; 3 coal cars ..	N	Z
23 August	1245	13 flat cars loaded with tree trunks; 15 boxcars; 5 coal cars	Z	N
	1530	10 boxcars; 15 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 15 coal cars	N	Z
	1705	10 cars; 3 passenger cars occupied by Soviet military personnel wearing various branch insignia; 9 boxcars; 6 gondolas covered with tarpaulins	N	Z
	1910	24 tank cars; 7 gondolas loaded with scrap iron	N	Z
24 August	0635	32 tank cars; 3 boxcars	N	Z
	0810	16 gondolas loaded with airplane fuselages; 8 gondolas covered with tarpaulin; 7 boxcars; 2 passenger cars occupied by Soviet Airforce personnel	Z	N
	0950	22 boxcars; 12 coal cars	Z	N
	1125	18 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 15 tank cars	Z	N
25 August	0940	16 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 15 Czechoslovak boxcars; 4 gondolas loaded with machine parts	N	Z
	1120	19 tank cars; 17 boxcars	Z	N
	1250	15 SS. flat cars each loaded with SU-24s; 8 gondolas covered with tarpaulin; 6 boxcars; 2 passenger cars occupied by Soviet military personnel wearing black branch insignia	Z	N
	1530	34 tank cars	N	
26 August	1255	25 tank cars; 7 boxcars	Z	N
	1530	15 gondolas loaded with Stalinets tractors; 6 cars loaded with tank trucks; 9 boxcars ..	N	Z
	1705	18 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 15 boxcars	N	Z
	1910	14 flat cars loaded with round timber; 6 box- cars; 14 tank cars	Z	N
27 August	0630	33 tank cars	N	Z
	0810	19 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 15 boxcars	Z	N
	0945	12 flat cars loaded with 40-ton storage tanks; 7 gondolas loaded with axles and wheels; 13 boxcars	N	Z
	1200	21 tank cars; 11 cars loaded with round timber; 4 boxcars	Z	N

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1954				
28 August	0940	8 flat cars loaded with pullman cars; 7 gondolas loaded with axles and wheels; 4 flat cars loaded with 303/T-type locomotives; 12 boxcars	N	Z
	1115	18 tank cars; 10 boxcars; 5 flat cars loaded with tree trunks	Z	N
	1255	22 boxcars; 14 tank cars	Z	N
	1530	15 metal cars loaded with uranium ore; 18 Czechoslovak boxcars	N	Z
29 August	1300	14 gondolas loaded with airplane fuselages; 9 gondolas covered with tarpaulins; 5 boxcars	Z	N
	1535	10 flat cars loaded with steel plates and blocks; 8 flat cars loaded with steel strips; 9 gondolas covered with tarpaulins; 5 boxcars	N	Z
	1710	32 tank cars; 3 boxcars	N	Z
	1900	18 boxcars; 16 tank cars	Z	N
5 September	0635	16 cars loaded with uranium ore; 15 Czechoslovak boxcars	N	Z
	0810	12 gondolas loaded with airplane fuselages; 7 gondolas covered with tarpaulin; 10 boxcars; 2 passenger cars occupied by Soviet personnel wearing blue branch insignia	Z	N
	0945	18 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 15 boxcars	N	Z
	1120	19 tank cars; 15 boxcars	Z	N
6 September	0940	12 flat cars loaded with iron transoms and steel strips; 9 boxcars	N	Z
	1120	15 flat cars loaded with JS-I tanks; 9 boxcars; 1 passenger car occupied by AVH personnel	Z	N
	1530	33 tank cars	N	Z
7 September	0640	34 tank cars	N	Z
	0810	14 cars loaded with iron ore; 17 tank cars; 3 boxcars	Z	N
8 September	1235	16 cars loaded with airplane fuselages; 7 cars covered with tarpaulin; 8 boxcars; 1 passenger car occupied by Soviet aviators	Z	N
	1535	8 boxcars; 3 passenger cars occupied by Soviet military personnel wearing various branch insignia; 5 gondolas covered with tarpaulins; 9 boxcars	N	Z
	1710	14 cars loaded with uranium ore; 6 flat cars; 8 gondolas loaded with Skoda automobiles	N	Z
	1905	18 tank cars; 10 boxcars; 5 gondolas loaded with scrap iron	Z	N
9 September	0630	32 tank cars	N	Z

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9 September	0810	17 cars loaded with iron ore; 16 boxcars;	Z	N
	0950	19 boxcars; 16 metal cars loaded with bauxite	N	Z
	1120	12 flat cars loaded with tree trunks; 12 tank cars	Z	N
10 September	0630	33 tank cars	N	Z
	0805	16 metal cars loaded with iron ore; 9 boxcars; 10 tank cars	N Z	N
	0940	19 metal cars loaded with bauxite; 13 boxcars	N	Z
11 September	1115	12 flat cars each loaded with two 85-mm. anti-aircraft guns; 9 boxcars; 1 passenger car occupied by AVH personnel	Z	N
	1110	19 boxcars; 15 tank cars	Z	N
	1250	16 boxcars; 18 tank cars	Z	N
	1540	24 coal cars; 11 boxcars	N	Z
	1710	5 passenger cars; 6 boxcars occupied by Soviet military personnel wearing various branch insignia; 6 gondolas covered with tarpaulins; 10 boxcars	N	Z

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