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COUNTRY	East Germany	REPORT	
TOPIC	Military Shipments at Satzkorn and Magdeburg		25X1
EVALUATION		PLACE OBTAINED	25X1
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DATE OBTAINED		DATE PREPARED	26 May 1955 25X1
REFERENCES			
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1. On 3 and 4 May 1944, the following shipments were loaded at Satzkorn:

For Altengrabow:

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3 May. At 2130, a shipment of 2 x 152-mm gun howitzers, 3 tractors, 3 repair shop trucks, 5 tank trucks and 16 trucks [redacted] 25X1
[redacted] 2 field kitchens, 18 boxcarloads of equipment and 6 boxcarloads of soldiers [redacted] 25X1

4 May. At 0130, a shipment of 5 x 152-mm gun howitzers, 10 tractors, 25 trucks [redacted] 1 radio truck, 3 field kitchens, 8 boxcarloads of equipment and 11 boxcarloads of soldiers [redacted] 25X1
[redacted] 1 25X1

At 1530, a shipment of 12 x 152-mm gun howitzers, 2 x 76-mm field guns, 15 tractors, 25 trucks [redacted] 1 repair shop truck, 2 field kitchens, 8 boxcarloads of equipment and 9 boxcarloads of soldiers [redacted] 25X1

At 2400, a shipment of 9 x 152-mm gun howitzers, 9 tractors, 22 trucks [redacted] 4 field kitchens, 7 boxcarloads of equipment and 8 boxcarloads of soldiers [redacted] 25X1

For Mahlwinkel:

4 May, At 0845, a shipment of 18 pontoons, 3 armored personnel carriers, 1 crane truck, 1 amphibious vehicle, 1 motorboat, 35 trucks, [redacted] 25X1
[redacted] 1 field kitchen, 2 boxcarloads of equipment and 12 boxcarloads of soldiers [redacted] 25X1

At 2100 on 5 May, a shipment of 11 T-54 tanks, 1 boxcarload of equipment and an escorting detail, which arrived from Brest Litovsk [redacted] 25X1
[redacted] was unloaded at Satzkorn.³ 25X1

2. At 1345 on 5 May, a train with empty cars, several boxcars occupied by soldiers and an undetermined number of flatcars carrying 4 heavy guns and 4 prime movers [redacted] passed through the Magdeburg-Biederitz railroad station en route toward the west. At 1400, a train carrying 12 heavy guns, 12 prime movers [redacted] some 30 trucks [redacted] and 2 x 76-mm field guns was seen at the Burg railroad station. The train was headed westward.⁴ 25X1

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1. Comment. Artillery units of the 34th Arty Div were entrained in Satzkorn as had previously been announced. . 25X1
The 8 trains mentioned in this and the reference report carried the 148th Gun Arty Brig and the U/i Gun Arty Brig of the division which, with at least 46 x 152-mm gun howitzers, transferred to Altengrabow. Although it is noted that no 122-mm field guns were observed with the shipments, it cannot yet be determined that the division is equipped exclusively with 152-mm gun howitzers.
2. Comment. is 25X1
believed to have carried units of the 131st Gds Engr Bn of the 10th Gds Tank Div which transferred to the Elbe River for exercises.
3. Comment. According to a previous report, the train carried 22 25X1
T-54 tanks from Brest Litovsk for the 10th Gds Tank Div.
4. Comment. The trains were identical with those mentioned in 25X1
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