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(4) Scientific

Atomic - Reasonable as to stockpiles

of fissionable weapons -

Little on Thermo-Nuclear -

Major tests detectable - why none

Biological & Chemical Warfare - very limited

Electronics & Electro-magnetic (gaining) - good

(Knowledge of air defense improving)

Guided missiles - poor

General scientific capabilities - up grade

in manpower - we are down grade

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(5) ECONOMIC

(a) Basic industries - primarily metals, fuel and power, transportation, etc. reasonably good - here official Soviet announcements believed fairly accurate.

[Their published statistics generally check - believe evidence on major industries accurate within 10% and on critical items such as steel, oil, electric power within 5%.]

(b) For minor industries and agriculture - estimates fragmentary. *Crop weather analysis (Farmers chart)*

(c) In addition to published statistics

General →

techniques used include

[REDACTED]

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plant

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studies based on POW and defectors, returned scientists and techniques.

~~(d) For agriculture - crop weather analyses.~~

(e) Annual growth rate believed accurate within 1% - estimated growth 6% with margin of error of 5 - 7.

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(f) Apart from USSR - information on East Germany most complete - fairly good for Czechoslovakia and Poland - worst for China.

(g) Information on strategic stockpiling and working inventories fragmentary.

(6) MILITARY

(a) Tactical - O. K. Korea

Inadequate - Manchuria

Order of battle - good in contact areas - spotty elsewhere.

Navy - Fairly good

Air - Fair - particularly on jet fighters and medium bomber - (Watching change to longrange bomber)

Strategic - Longrange - (non-existent)

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Warning of attack

- (1) Surprise air attack - none
- (2) Ground attack in force (after mobilization) - good
- (3) Ground attack with forces in being - European or Middle East. Little

Indicators - [hard to past experience]

Parade of outside consultants

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