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TOPIC Parchim Airfield

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REMARKS

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25X1A 1.  the Parchim (M 54/T 74) airfield was occupied by 31 jet fighters with swept wings of the type previously observed. There was also one jet fighter with fuselage step, which was covered with tarpaulins, four single-engine, low-wing monoplanes with radial engines, and one biplane. (1) Six of the jet fighters with swept wings were parked on the eastern edge of the field. The numbers 25, 26, 28, 33, and 35 were observed on five of the planes. (2)

2. There was no flying on the days of observation. No flights were made during the preceding weeks, except  25X1A

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4. The radio installation on the southern edge of the landing field was still there. (4) The landing lights and spotlights were not in operation. No AA gun emplacements were seen.

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(1) The type and number of aircraft indicate that the occupation of the airfield has not changed. One fighter regiment is still believed to be stationed in Parchim. The jet aircraft are Mig-15s and type 16 planes.

(2) To date, eleven aircraft numbers have been observed on Mig-15s in Parchim.

(3) It is not known why the houses were evacuated. For location sketch of evacuated buildings, see Annex.

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1 Annex: Sketch on ditto

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