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report listing 22 trains which passed through the Frankfurt/Oder area during the period of 19 August to 3 September 1956.

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SOVIET MILITARY TRANSPORTS THROUGH FRANKFURT/ODER

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(19 Aug - 3 Sept 56)

Serial	Date	No. of wagons	Load	From	To	Remarks
1.	20.8 (1110 hrs)	6 x G 20 x Ro	Troops 20 half tracks & 20 x 100 mm A/Tk guns	GUBEN	RBD GREIFSWALD	
2.	21.8 (1420 hrs)	1 x M 30 x G 20 x F	Guard troops Ammunition Protection wagons	BREST	TORGAU	
3.	21.8 (1710 hrs)	6 x G 15/20 x SSY	Troops Mixed T.34 & JS tanks	LIEBEROSE	Direction of FURSTENWALDE	
4.	21.8 (1742 hrs)	12 x G 30/32 x F	Troops	Direction of EBERSWALDE	Direction of COTTBUS	25X1
5.	22.8 (1030 hrs)	1 x M 26 x G	Guard troops Ammunition	BREST	Direction of EBERSWALDE	25X1
6.	22.8 (1410 hrs)	18 x cistern	Petrol	MERSEBURG	Direction of EBERSWALDE	
7.	22.8 (1450 hrs)	4 x G 14 x SSY	Troops 10 T.34s 4 JS tanks	LIEBEROSE	BAD SAAROW/ PIESKOW	25X1
8.	23.8 (0740 hrs)	6 x G 20 x SSY	Troops 20 x T.34 (2 without turrets)	Direction of EBERSWALDE	Direction of COTTBUS	

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Serial	Date	No. of wagons	Load	From	To	Remarks
9.	23.8 (1410 hrs)	50 x M	Troops	Direction of EBERSWALDE	Direction of COTTBUS	
10.	23.8 (1620 hrs)	2 x M 20 x SSY	Troops 20 x JS III	BREST	Direction of EBERSWALDE	
11.	24.8 (1710 hrs)	18 x cistern (4-axled)	Petrol	BREST	Direction of COTTBUS	
12.	24.8 (1735 hrs)	1 x M 35 x G	? Uranium	Direction of COTTBUS	BREST	A telephone cable ran the length of the train.
13.	28.8 (1520 hrs)	12 x G 35 x F	126 Trps 12 AA guns, 1j SLs,	" FURSTENWALDE	Direction of COTTBUS	
14.	28.8 (1510 hrs)	2 x M 20 x SSL	Guard troops Each with large case carrying (?) aeroplane parts.	BREST	Direction of EBERSWALDE	25X1 25X1 25X1
15.	29.8 (1725 hrs)	18 x cistern	Petrol	MERSEBURG	Direction of EBERSWALDE	Each cistern wagon On the Wagenzettel: Bln 6.
16.	29.8 (1410 hrs)	1 x M 50 x F	Guard troops	Direction of EBERSWALDE	BREST	25X1
17.	30.8 (1010 hrs)	8 x G 24 x SSY	Troops 24 x T.34s	Direction of EBERSWALDE	Direction of GUBEN	25X1
18.	30.8 (1335 hrs)	2 x M 35 x F	Guard troops 35 half-tracked prime movers	BREST	Direction of EBERSWALDE	

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Serial	Date	No. of wagons	Load	From	To	Remarks
19.	31.8 (0920 hrs)	12 x G 35 x F	Troops 15/18 AA guns (no muzzle brake) covered with tarpaulins.	Direction of EBERSWALDE	Direction of COTTBUS	25X1 25X1
20.	1.9 (1220 hrs)	1 x M 40 x cistern	Guard troops Crude oil	BREST	Direction of GREIFSWALD Gwd 6	
21.	2.9 (1535 hrs)	12 x G 32 x F	Troops 2 bowzers, 18 LAA guns	Direction of EBERSWALDE	Direction of COTTBUS	
22.	2.9 (1650 hrs)	16 x M 34 x F	Troops 24 x AA guns & approx	BREST	Direction of COTTBUS	

2. (a) Between 2300 - 0100 hrs 3/4 September a large convoy passed through FRANKFURT/ODER from the direction of KUSTRIN in the direction of MULLROSE. The following equipments were observed: 25X1

- (i) 24 x T.34/85
- (ii) [redacted]
- (iii) 4 bowzers
- (iv) [redacted]
- (v) [redacted]
- (vi) [redacted]
- (vii) 2 x T.34s (turretless)

(b) This same convoy was later seen proceeding from MULLROSE to GRUNOW. 25X1

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