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2 PART GRAPHIC**AIR DEFENSE ACTIVITY**
SYRIA

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1. (SWN) SIGNIFICANCE: ADDITIONAL SA-5 EQUIPMENT HAS ARRIVED AT DAMASCUS, THREE SA-6 SITES ARE NEWLY IDENTIFIED NEAR HIMS SA-5 COMPLEX, AND FITTER AIRCRAFT ARE OBSERVED AT TABQA AIRFIELD.

2. (SWN) REMARKS: AT LEAST 34 SA-5 SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILE (SAM) CANISTERS WITH FIN CRATES HAVE ARRIVED AT DAMASCUS SAM SUPPORT FACILITY 13 [REDACTED] (GRAPHIC 2). 25X1
IN ADDITION, NUMEROUS CANVAS-COVERED PROBABLE SA-5 BOOSTER CRATES ARE NEWLY IDENTIFIED AT THE EAST EDGE OF THE FACILITY. OTHER SA-5-RELATED EQUIPMENT INCLUDES AT LEAST SEVEN SA-5 CANISTER TRANSPORTERS. TWO TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANES, AND 21 TRUCKS/SUPPORT VEHICLES. TEN SA-5 CANISTER TRANSPORTERS WERE PRESENT [REDACTED] AT LEAST TWO BMP ARMORED 25X1
PERSONNEL CARRIERS CONTINUE TO PROVIDE INSTALLATION SECURITY.

(SWN) DAMASCUS IS IN WESTERN SYRIA APPROXIMATELY 13 NM EAST OF THE LEBANON-SYRIA BORDER.

(SWN) THREE ADDITIONAL SA-6 SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILE SITES ARE NEWLY IDENTIFIED SOUTHEAST OF HIMS SA-5 COMPLEX

[REDACTED] ALL THREE OF THE OCCUPIED AND OPERATIONAL 25X1
SITES APPEAR TO HAVE BEEN RECENTLY CONSTRUCTED.

(SWN) HIMS SA-6 SITE 393 [REDACTED] IS APPROXIMATELY 25X1
2.5 NM SOUTHEAST OF THE SA-5 COMPLEX AT 34-36-00N 036-43-01E. AT LEAST TWO OCCUPIED LAUNCH POSITIONS ARE DISCERNIBLE IN THE CLOUD-FREE AREAS AT THIS LOCATION.

(SWN) HIMS SA-6 SITE 394 [REDACTED] IS APPROXIMATELY 6 NM 25X1
SOUTHEAST OF THE SA-5 COMPLEX AT 34-34-35N 036-46-27E. THIS SITE IS COMPLETE AND IS FULLY OCCUPIED AND OPERATIONAL.

(SWN) HIMS SA-6 SITE 395 [REDACTED] IS APPROXIMATELY 5 NM 25X1
SOUTHEAST OF THE SA-5 COMPLEX AT 34-36-08N 036-51-22E. AT LEAST TWO OCCUPIED LAUNCH POSITIONS ARE DISCERNIBLE IN THE CLOUD-FREE AREAS; CONSTRUCTION APPEARS TO BE CONTINUING ON THIS SITE.

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(SWN) FIVE SA-6 SITES AND ONE PROBABLE SA-6 BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS ARE NOW SOUTHEAST OF THE HIMS SA-5 COMPLEX (GRAPHIC 1). ANOTHER RECENTLY DEPLOYED BRIGADE (NOT ANNOTATED) IS APPROXIMATELY 10 NM SOUTH IN THE VICINITY OF SHAYRAT AIRFIELD [REDACTED] HIMS IS APPROXIMATELY 75 NM NORTH-NORTHEAST OF DAMASCUS.

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(SWN) AT TABQA AIRFIELD [REDACTED] (NOT ON GRAPHICS) SEVEN FITTER AND ONE CANDID ARE OBSERVED IN THE CLOUD-FREE AREAS. THE FITTER AND CANDID ARE ON TWO PARKING APRONS AT THE WEST END OF THE AIRFIELD. THE FITTER PROBABLY DEPLOYED FROM TIYAS AIRFIELD [REDACTED] WHERE FIGHTER AIR ORDER-OF-BATTLE (AOB) HAS BEEN LOW DUE TO RUNWAY RESURFACING ACTIVITY SINCE [REDACTED] TIYAS AIRFIELD SUPPORTS A MAJOR SYRIAN FIGHTER/FIGHTER-BOMBER BASE APPROXIMATELY 90 NM SOUTHWEST OF TABQA. OTHER AOB AND ACTIVITY APPEAR TO BE NORMAL.

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(SWN) NO SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY IS OBSERVED IN THE CLOUD-FREE AREAS OF TARTUS PORT FACILITIES [REDACTED] AL LADIQIYAH PORT FACILITIES [REDACTED] DUMAYR SA-5 COMPLEX [REDACTED] AND DUMAYR AIRFIELD [REDACTED]

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3. BE N/A, COORDINATES N/A

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