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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Milton Kwitner  
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Room 7638  
Department of State

SUBJECT : Communist Countries' Mutual Economic Assistance

1. In response to your request of 4 May 1967, attached are the following tables for transmittal to \_\_\_\_\_, Assistant Director in Charge, Centrally Planned Economics Branch, United Nations:

- a. Communist Countries' Mutual Economic Assistance, 1966.
- b. Communist Countries' Mutual Economic Assistance, 1965.
- c. Soviet Extensions of Economic Credits and Grants to the Communist Countries, by Recipient, 1954-66.

2. I know you will make sure there is no attribution to CIA.

Attachments:  
As stated

Communist Countries' Mutual Economic Assistance  
1966

Table 1

Recipient	Total Communist Countries		USSR		Communist Countries		Eastern European Communist Countries		Bulgaria		Czechoslovakia		East Germany		Hungary		Poland		Rumania		Yugoslavia	
	Total Communist Countries	USSR	Communist Countries	Eastern European Communist Countries	Bulgaria	Czechoslovakia	East Germany	Hungary	Poland	Rumania	Yugoslavia											
Total	659,389.3 B/	219.0 B/	N.A. b/	210,3510.3 B/	—	300.0-500.0 B/	—	10.0	0.2	0.1												
USSR	300.0-500.0 B/	—	—	300.0-500.0 B/	—	300.0-500.0 B/	—	—	—	—												
Eastern European Communist Countries	e/	e/	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—												
Bulgaria	e/	e/	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—												
Hungary	e/	e/	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—												
Far Eastern Communist Countries	N.A.	N.A.	H.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.												
North Korea	e/	e/	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—												
North Vietnam d/	H.A.	N.A.	N.A.	H.A.	H.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.												
Other Communist Countries	259.3	219.0 B/H.A.	—	10.3	—	—	—	10.0	0.2	0.1												
Albania	N.A.	—	N.A.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—												
Cuba	219.0	219.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—												
Mongolia	10.3	N.A.	—	10.3	—	—	—	10.0	0.2	0.1												
Kyrgyzia	130.0	130.0 B/	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—												

a. Preliminary estimate.  
 b. NA indicates that a credit or grant was oriented but the value is unknown.  
 c. Assistance provided but it is not known whether credits are involved.  
 d. North Korea and Mongolia provided aid of an unknown value.

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Table 2  
Communist Countries' Mutual Economic Assistance  
1965

Recipient	Million \$US									
	Total Communist Countries	USSR	Communist Countries	Eastern European Communist Countries	Bulgaria	Czechoslovakia	East Germany	Hungary	Poland	Romania
Total	864.5	744.5	N.A. E/	120.0	N.A.	110.0 E/	N.A.	N.A.	10.0	N.A.
Far Eastern Communist Countries	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	--	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
North Vietnam	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	--	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Other Communist Countries	864.5	744.5	N.A.	120.0	N.A.	110.0	--	--	10.0	--
Algeria	N.A.	--	N.A.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cuba	142.3	122.3	--	10.0	--	--	--	--	--	--
Kongolia	572.2	572.2	--	N.A.	--	--	--	--	10.0	--
Yugoslavia	150.0	40.0	--	110.0 E/	N.A.	110.0 E/	--	--	--	--

a. NA indicates that a credit or grant was extended but the value is unknown.  
b. Extended in 1965 or 1966.

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Table 3  
Soviet Extensions of Economic Credits and Grants to the Communist Countries by Recipient  
1955-66

	Recipient											Total 1955-66		
	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964		1965	1966
Total	285.0	106.5	254.0	218.0	334.7	98.9	968.8	859.3	223.5	507.6	659.6	744.5	349.0	6,509.4
Eastern European Communist Countries	255.0	6.5	548.0	698.4	314.0	--	162.5	475.0	--	144.3	666.0	--	6/	2,179.2
Bulgaria	--	--	92.5	72.1	44.0	--	162.5	--	--	144.3	582.2	--	6/	1,103.6
Czechoslovakia	--	--	--	13.5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	13.5
East Germany	180.0	--	20.0	260.0	235.0	--	--	475.0	--	--	--	--	--	1,170.0
Hungary	25.0	6.5	40.5	262.8	35.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6/	369.8
Poland	--	--	300.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	77.8	--	--	377.8
Romania	50.0	--	95.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	145.0
Far Eastern Communist Countries	130.0	100.0	125.0	11.8	20.7	20.0	520.0	48.9	N.A.	--	--	N.A.	N.A.	976.4
Communist China	130.0	--	--	--	--	--	320.0	45.0	--	--	--	--	--	495.0
North Korea P/	--	100.0	117.5	--	--	--	200.0	N.A.	--	--	--	--	--	117.5
North Vietnam	--	--	7.5	11.8	20.7	20.0	200.0	3.9	6/	--	--	N.A.	N.A.	363.9
Other Communist Countries	--	--	81.0	97.8	--	78.9	286.3	235.4	223.5	263.3	193.6	744.5	249.0	2,753.3
Albania	6/	6/	--	47.8	--	17.6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	65.4
Cuba	6/	6/	--	--	--	--	100.0	200.0	223.5	287.0	158.6	132.3	219.0	1,320.4
Mongolia	6/	6/	8.8	50.0	--	61.3	186.3	135.4	--	10.0	35.0	572.2	N.A.	1,059.0
Yugoslavia	--	--	72.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	66.3	--	40.0	130.0	308.5

a. Assistance provided but it is not known whether credits are involved.  
 b. Excludes \$280 million in credits extended during the period 1949-50 for which the date of extension is unknown.  
 c. NA indicates that the value of the credit or grant is unknown.  
 d. Excluding \$106 million in credits extended during the period 1944-55 for which the date of extension is unknown.  
 e. Excluding \$216 million in credits extended during the period 1947-55 for which the date of extension is unknown.