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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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CO M, 3/6 (EX "BARFROST") AT GOTHENBURG, SWEDEN.

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LANFORMED 2-65

BLT 2/2 & DET H&MS-26
(8/UH-34D) AT
MESSINIA, SICILY.

MEDITERRANEAN

VMF(AW)-451 (13/F8D)
ABD FORRESTAL AT NAPLES

VMA-311

ROTA, SPAIN. ETD 10CT.
ETA BEAUFORT, 40CT.

GTMO AUGMENTATION

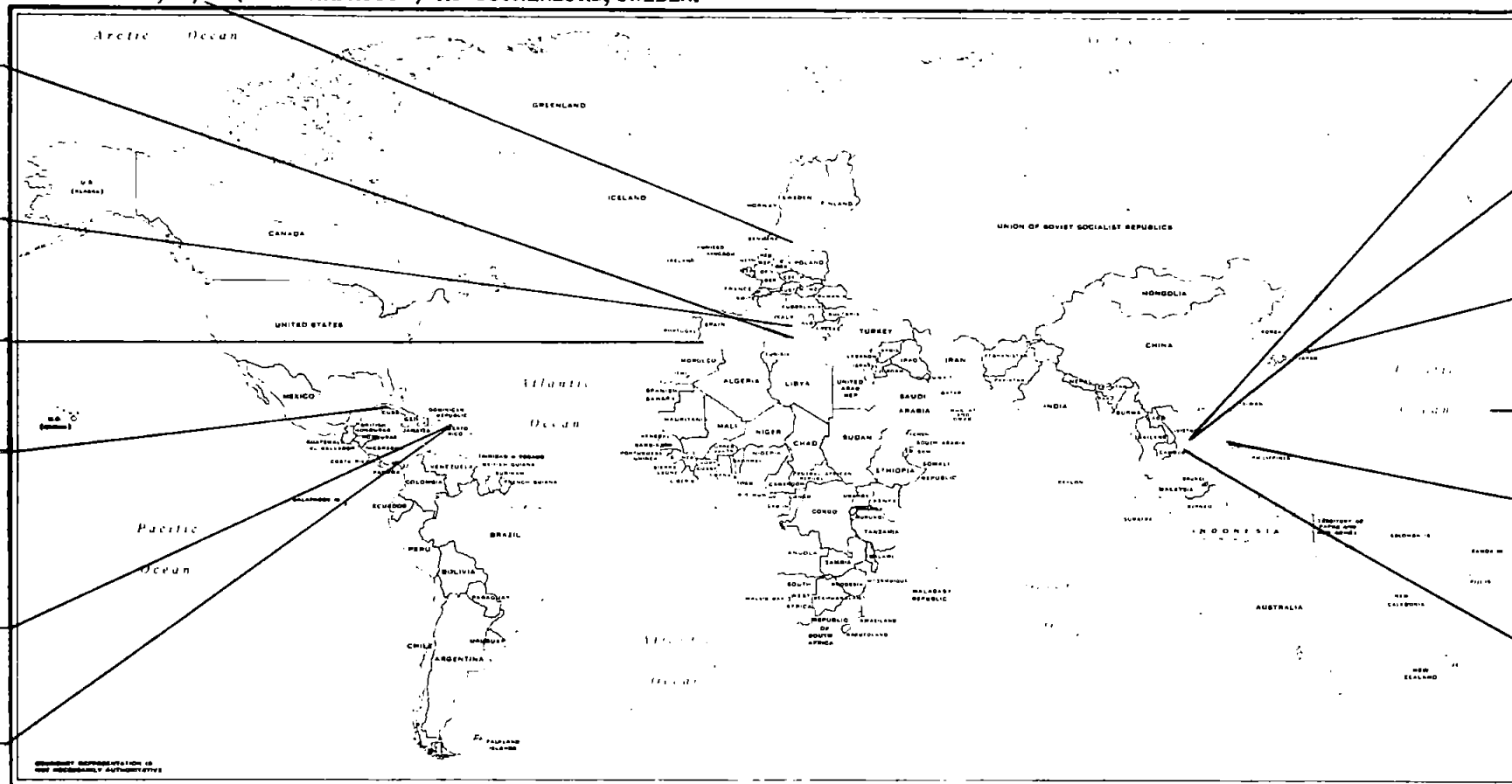
CO C (REIN), 1/2
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PLAT 2D 155MM GUN BTRY

CARIB READY FORCE

BLT 1/2 & HMH-461
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ROOSEVELT ROADS

VMFA-251 (13/F4B)



SLF

BLT 2/1 & HMM-163
OFF CHU LAI

HQ(-), 3D MAB
(ESTES) OPERATING
WITH SLF.

USS HORNET (CVS-12)
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AT YOKOSUKA.

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ENR CONUS. ETA 7OCT.

WESTPAC

VMF(AW)-212(12/F8B)
DET, VMCJ-1(2/RF-8A)
ABD ORISKANY AT SUBIC

III MAF
RVN

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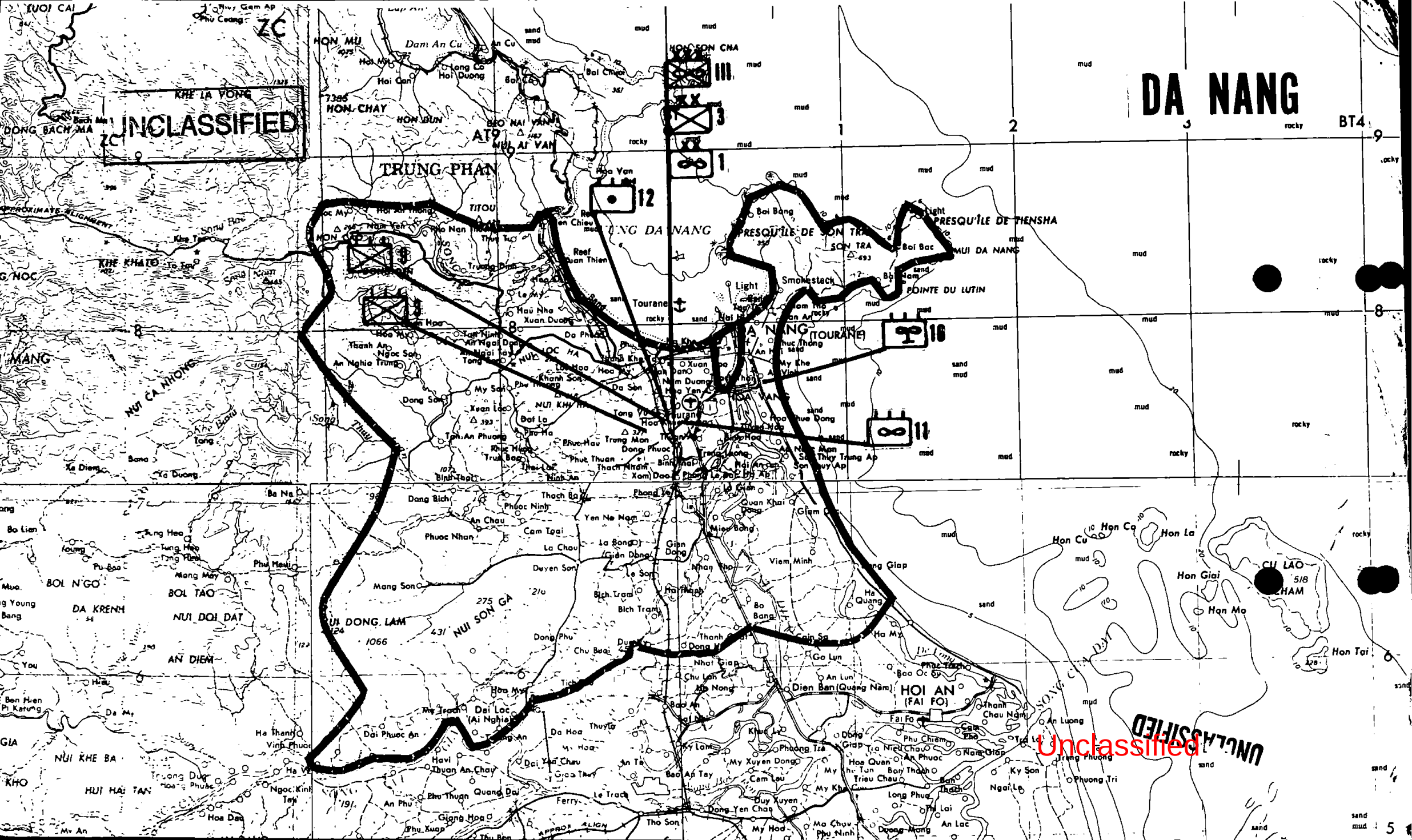
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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
1ST MAW	IWAKUNI								
<u>MWSG-17</u> MAMS-17	IWAKUNI			1/C-54 3/C-117 2/C-45 2/CH-19 7/TF9J 1/UH-34D					
VMGR-152	FUTEMA				7/KC-130F	2/KC-130F			
<u>MAG-12</u> HRMS-12	IWAKUNI						1/C-117		
VMA-311	IWAKUNI						19/A4E		
VMA-225	IWAKUNI						19/A4C		
VMA-214	IWAKUNI						18/A4C		
<u>MAG-11</u> HRMS-11	ATSUGI					1/C-117			
VMFA-513	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMFA-542	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMCJ-1	IWAKUNI			2/EF-10B		6/EF-10B 1/RF-8A			2/RF-8A ABD ORISKANY OFF RVN
<u>MAG-13</u> HRMS-13	IWAKUNI			2/C-54 4/TF-9J					
VMA-211	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-115	IWAKUNI			13/F4B					
VMF(AW)-312	IWAKUNI			18/F8E					
VMA-223	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-314	IWAKUNI			17/F4B					

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OTHER

UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
<u>MAG-16</u>									
* <u>HMS-16</u>	FUTEMA			4/UH-34D 1/C-117		1/C-117 6/CH-37			
* <u>VMO-2</u>	FUTEMA					7/O-1B 21/UH-1E			
<u>HMM-161</u>	FUTEMA							24/UH-34D	
<u>VM-163</u>	FUTEMA								22/UH-34D(SLF) (IWO JIMA)
* <u>MM-261</u>	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
* <u>HMM-361</u>	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
<u>HMM-263</u>	FUTEMA				25/UH-34D				
<u>MAG-36</u>									
<u>HMS-36</u>	SANTA ANA								
* <u>VMO-6</u>	CAMP PENDLETON					6 /UH-1E	12/UH-1E		
<u>HMM-362</u>	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
<u>HMM-363</u>	SANTA ANA								24/UH-34D AT QUI NHON
<u>HMM-364</u>	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
<u>1ST MAW</u>									
TOTAL FIXED WING AIRCRAFT				110	7	48	57		2
TOTAL HELICOPTERS				7	25	81	60	24	46

* MARBLE MOUNTAIN (DANANG EAST)

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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT (CONTINUED)

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
3D MAW	EL TORO								
<u>MWSG-37</u> MAMS-37	EL TORO	1/C-54;4/T-1A 4/C-117 1/C-47J							
VMGR-352	EL TORO	8/KC-130F			4/KC-130F in support of 1st MAW				
HMM-164	SANTA ANA	33/CH-46A							
HMM-165	SANTA ANA								
HMH-462	SANTA ANA	5/CH-37C 5/UH-34D							
<u>MAG-15</u> H8MS-15	EL TORO	1/C-47J 3/T-1A;5/A4C							4/A4C ABD HORNET
VMA-121	EL TORO	16/A4E							
<u>MAG-33</u> RMS-33	EL TORO	1/C-47H;3/T1A							
VMF-334	EL TORO	15/F8C							
VMFA-122	EL TORO	6/F4B;1/F8E							
VMCJ-3	EL TORO	7/EF-10B 6/RF-8A;4/F8B 4/RF-4B							
<u>3D MAW</u> TOTAL FIXED WING AIRCRAFT		90			4				4
TOTAL HELICOPTERS		43							

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
1ST MARBRIG	KANEOHE								
VMF(AW)-212	KANEOHE								12/F8E DEPLOYED 5APR-1DEC65 ABOARD ORISKANEY
VMF(AW)-232	KANEOHE		3/TF-9J 17/F8D						
1ST MARBRIG									
TOTAL FIXED WING AIRCRAFT			20						12
TOTAL HELICOPTERS									

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

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MARINE CORPS

VIET CONG

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION
152	912	

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
1,704	284	562	1,031

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(8/UH-34D) ENROUTE
MESSINIA. ETA 30SEP.

MEDITERRANEAN

VM(AW)-451 (13/F8D)
ABD FORRESTAL AT NAPLES.

VMA-331 (GREECE)

EX "DEEP FURROW".

GIMO AUGMENTATION

CO C (REIN), 1/2
BTRY M, 4/10
DET H&MS-26 (2/UH-34D)
PLAT 2D 155MM GUN BTRY.

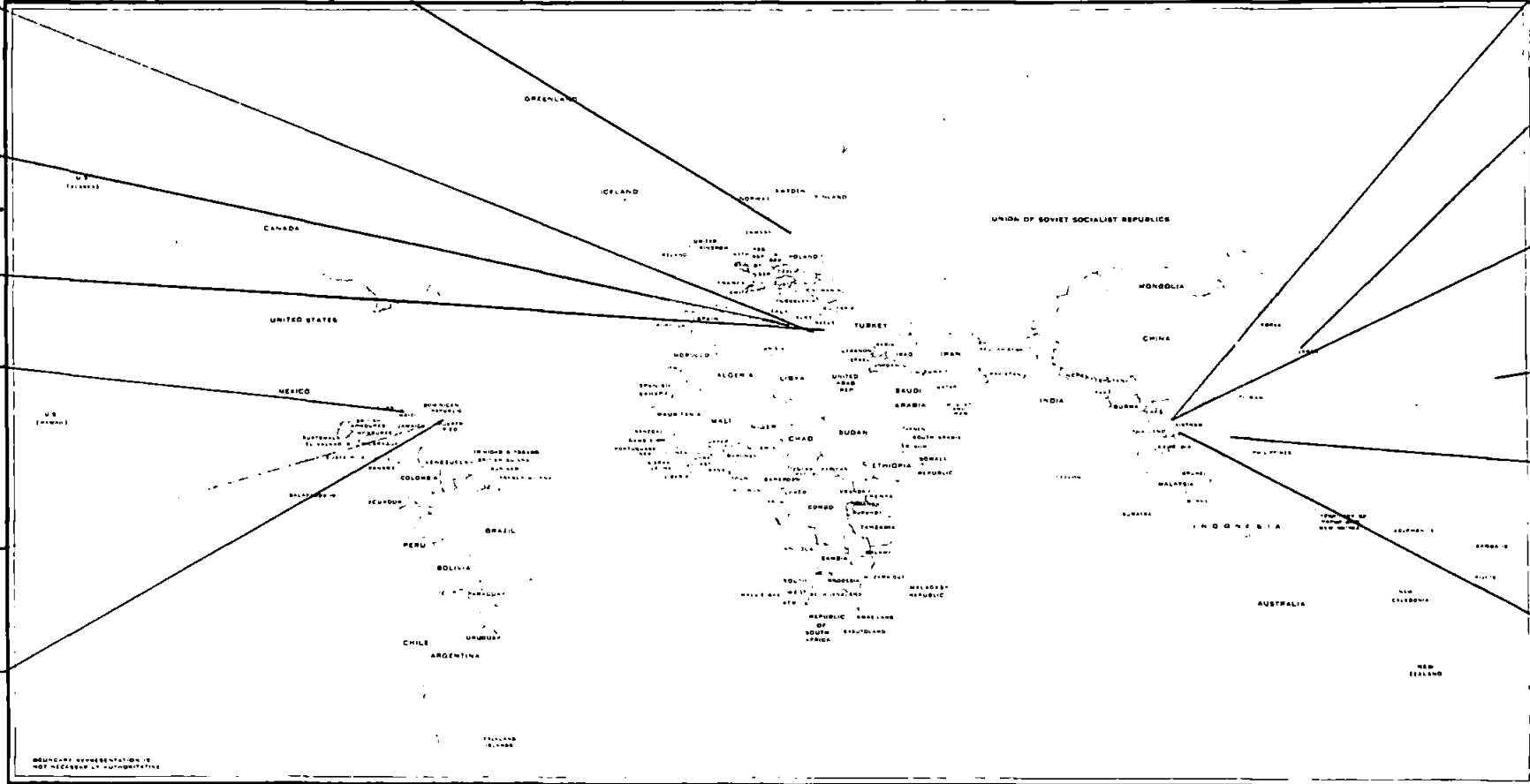
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BLT 1/2 & HMH-461 AT
VIFQUES.

ROOSEVELT ROADS

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SLF

BLT 2/1 & HMM-163
OFF CHU LAI.

USS HORNET (CVS-12)

H&MS-15 (4/A4C) AT
YOKOSUKA.

HQ (-), 3D MAB

(ESTES) OPERATING WIT:
SLF.

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WEST PAC

VMF(AW)-212 (12/F8B)
DET VMCJ-1 (2/RF-8A)
ABD ORISKANY AT SUBIC

III MAF

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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, SEVENTHFLT

AS OF 29 SEPTEMBER 1965

S L F TASK FORCE 78.5	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
HMM-163 (LTCOL N. G. EWERS)	53	170	1	2	OFF CHU LAI.	LPH IWO JIMA LSD PT. DEFIANCE APA TALLEDEGA	<u>WEAPONS</u> 6 105MM HOW 6 107MM HOWTARS 5 90MM GUN TKS 5 M50A1 ONTOS 8 81MM MORTARS 8 106MM RECOIL RIFLES 97 M60, MACHINE GUNS 34 3.5 ROCKET LAUNCHERS 6 .50 CAL. MACHINE GUNS <u>VEHICLES</u> 11 LVTP-5 48 M422, MIGHTY MITE 33 M274, 1/2 TON Tk 31 M35, 2 1/2 TON Tk 9 M37, 3/4 TON Tk 1 M51, 5 TON DUMP Tk 1 M60, CRANE		
LT 2/1 (LTCOL R. T. HANIFIN)	67	1543	7	92					
2D BN 1STMAR	39	1044	3	52					
BTRY "B", 1/11	9	132	1	2					
HOWTAR BTRY 1/11	4	79		2					
PLAT CO "B", 3D AMTRACBN.	7	38							
PLAT CO "A" 1ST TKBN	1	28							
PLAT CO "A", 1ST ATBN	1	19							
PLAT CO "A" 1ST RECON BN	1	23							
DET, 1ST FOR RECON	1	14							
PLAT CO "A" 1ST ENGR BN	1	47							
PLAT CO "A" 1ST MTBN	1	27							
DET, CO "A" 1ST SPBN	1	54		2					
DET, CO "A" 1ST MEDBN		1		7					
DET, HQBN 1STMARDIV	1	6							
DET, 3D FSR		33							
DET, BMU-1			3	27					
TOTAL	120	1715	8	94					

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21 UH-34D

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SEASIA

AS OF: 29 SEPTEMBER 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
PHU BAI					
220 AVN CO FW	146				
DANANG					
I CORPS AVN CO (PROV)	UNKNOWN	6/O-1F;2/U-6A		311 ACS ;	12 /C-123
6TH AIRLIFT PLAT	53	10/UH-1B		DET, 13 TBS	22 /B-57
7TH AIRLIFT PLAT	171	10/UH-1B		DET, 509 FIS	6/F-102
* CO C, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	95			DET, 38 ARS	1/HH-43B;3/HH-43F
				DET, 33 ARES & 31 ARES	4/HU-16
				20 TASS	23/O-1E
				DET, 436 TFS	18/F104C
PLEIKU					
HQ & HQ DET, 52 AVN BN	312	20/UH-1B;6/O-1F;1/U-6A		21 TASS	34/O-1E
119 AVN CO	172	25/UH-1B;3/O-1F			
219 AVN CO FW	151				
* CO B, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	283				
AN KHE (ARMY ONLY)					
227 AVN BN		20/UH-1D			
1/9 CV		30/OH-13;38/UH-1B;20/UH-1D			
17 AVN CO		18/CV-2B			
#1ST CAV DIV (AIR MOBILE) &	18,616	100/OH-13;64/UH-1B;67/UH-1D;			
QMBT SPT ELM		32/CH-47;1/CH-54			

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U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

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U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
QUI NHON					
92 AVN CO	184	16/CV-2B			
117 AVN CO	174	16/UH-1B;9/UH-1D;3/O-1F			
84th ENGR BN	912				
864th ENGR BN	893				
BAN ME THOUT					
CO A, 1 AVN BN	161	9/UH-1B;16/UH-1D			
KHANH KOA (ARMY ONLY)			BINH THUY		
* HQ 5th SPL FOR GRP	475		22 TASS		22/O-1E
NHA TRANG					
145 AVN FLAT	UNKNOWN	10/UH-1D	310 ACS		14/C-123
14 AVN BN	117	2/U-6A;8/O-1F			
18 AVN CO	200	24/U-1A			
BIEN HOA					
173d ABN BDE	4,000	2/U-6A;2/UH-1D	602 ACS		24/A-1E
1/503 INF			19 TASS		27/O-1F & 20/O-1E
2/503 INF			DET, 38 ARS		3/HH-43F
3/319 ARTY			307 TFS		18/F-100
E/17 CAV			1 ACS		23/A-1E;4/U-10B;7/C-47D;5/A-1G
D/16 ARM			429 TFS		19 /F-100
173d ENGR CO					
118 AVN CO	188	25/UH-1B;3/O-1F			
CO A, 501 AVN BN	192	16/UH-1B;3/O-1F;9/UH-1D			

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<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
<u>BIEN HOA (CONT'D)</u>					
CO A, 5TH SPL FOR GRP.	257				
2D BDE(-), 1st INF DIV	3,092	6/OH-23G			
2d BN, 18th INF					
2d BN, 16th INF					
<u>VUNG TAU</u>					
61st AVN CO	171	16/CV-2B			
CO A, 82D AVN BN	169	16/UH-1D; 9/JH-1B			
73 AVN CO		6/OV-1A; 2/OV-1B; 4/OV-1C			
<u>CAM RANH BAY (ARMY ONLY)</u>					
1st BN, 18TH INF	818				
1st BDE(REIN), 101 ABN DIV	3,859				
62ND ENG BN	839				
87TH ENGR BN	894				
<u>TAN SON NHUT</u>					
USASCV	1,462			DET, 509 FIS 7/F102	DET, 45 TRS 13/RF-101
HQ & HQ DET, 145 AVN BN	132	9/O-1F; 1/U-6A		DET, 8 TBS 1/B-57	
74th AVN CO	112	32/O-1F		481 TFS 18/F-100	DET, 405 FW 3 /RB-57
120 AVN CO	177	25/UH-1B; 3/O-1F		19 & 309 ACS 28/C-123	DET, 552 AEW CW 2/EC-121
197 AVN CO	184	25/UH-1B			DET, 522 TFS 2/F-100D
<u>VINH LONG</u>					
114 AVN CO	189	25/UH-1B; 3/O-1F			
CO A, 502d AVN BN	191	25/UH-1B			

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<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
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CAN THO

221 AVN CO	135				
CO D, 5th SPL FOR GRP	252				
13 AVN BN	194				

SOC TRANG

121 AVN CO

182

16/UH-1B; 9/UH-1D
9/UH-1B:16/UH-1D

CO A, 101 AVN BN

167

TAKHLI

562 TFS
334 TFS
DET, 441 TFW
DET, 363 TRW
DET, 38 ARS
DET, 41 ADV18/F-105
18/F-105
23/F-105
7/RB-66
2/HH-43B
21/F-105

KORAT

DET, 18 TFW & DET 357 TFS
DET, 38 ARS23/F-105
2/HH-43B

UDORN

DET, 38 ARS
DET, 363 TRW
DET, 15 TRS
36 ARS
DET, 79 ARS4/HH-43B
6/RF-101C
8/RF-101C
3/HC-54D
2/HC-54D

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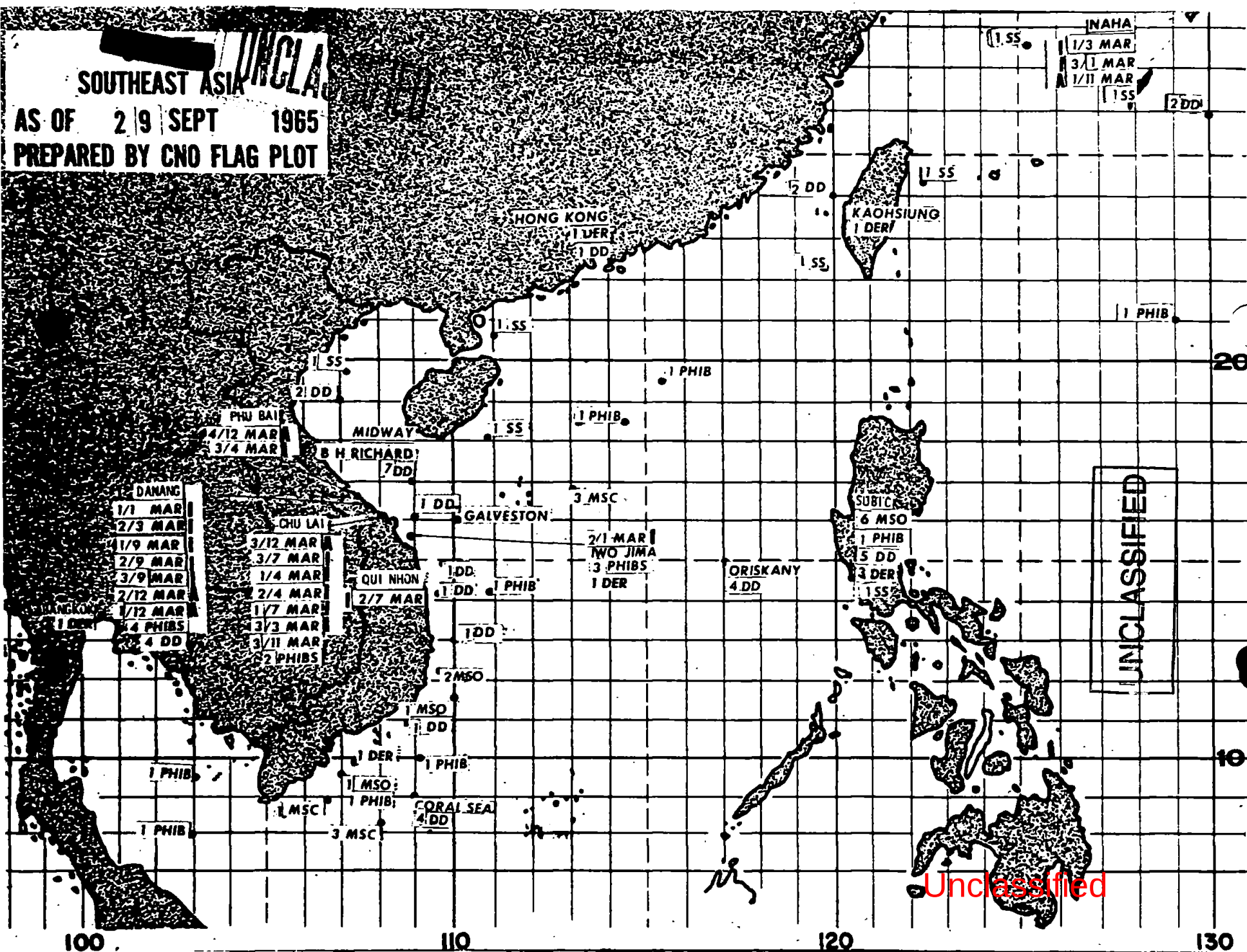
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<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIR CRAFT</u>
<u>UBON</u>					
				47 TFS DET, 38 ARS	18/F-4C 2/HH-43B
<u>DON MUANG</u>					
				DET, 509 FIS VTBD TF	4/F-102A 4/KC-135A

TOTAL A/C BY TYPE	ARMY IN RVN	AIR FORCE IN RVN	AIR FORCE IN THAILAND	TOTAL BY TYPE IN SEASIA
In addition, there are	349 UH-1B	47 A-1E 6 HH-43F	18 F-4C 4 F-102A	47 A-1E 11 HH-43B
various non-tactical units	194 UH-1D	5 A-1G 1 HH-43B	103 F-105 7 RB-66	5 A-1G 6 HH-43F
in RVN possessing 52	79 O-1F	23 B-57 4 HU-16	14 RF-101C	23 B-57 4 HU-16
assorted utility A/C.	130 OH-13	7 C-47D 99 O-1E	10 HH-43B	7 C-47D 2 HC-54D
	6 OV-1A	54 C-123 27 O-1F	5 HC-54D	54 C-123 99 O-1E
	2 OV-1B	2 EC-121 3 RB-57	4 KC-135A	2 EC-121 27 O-1F
	4 OV-1C	57 F-100		18 F-4C 3 RB-57
	8 U-6A	9 F-102 13 RF-101		57 F-100 7 RB-66
	24 U-1A	18 F-104 4 U-10B		9 F-102 13 RF-101
	50 CV-2B			4 F-102A 14 RF-101C
	32 CH-47			18 F-104 4 U-10B
	1 CH-54			103 F-105 4 KC-135A
TOTAL ARMY TACTICAL UNITS	40,979			
TOTAL MISC UNITS NOW SHOWN	33,880			
TOTAL U.S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN	74,859			

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INIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS ROADS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOMREP	OTHER
HQ FMFLANT	NORFOLK, VA.	LTGEN A. L. BOWSER	856	856							
H&S BN	NORFOLK, VA.	COL D. L. MALLORY	(785)	(785)							
HQ SQ, FMFLANT	NORFOLK, VA.	MAJ J. F. JONES	(71)	(71)							
FORCE TROOPS	CAMP LEJEUNE	BGEN F. R. BOUKER	8,306	7,396	117	161		149	416		77
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT G.W. GEYER	374	363		1			9		
2D FSR	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL H. WALLACE	2,560	2,302	49	29		45	135		
H&S BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.J. PEABODY	(771)	(706)	(13)	(2)		(10)	(40)		
SUP BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.A. SALSER	(810)	(693)	(32)	(9)		(23)	(53)		
MAINT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J.V. MANIS, JR.	(979)	(903)	(4)	(18)		(12)	(42)		
2D TANK BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.H. LEWIS	698	602	24	40		25	3		4
2D FORCE RECON CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J.H. CAROTHERS, JR.	144	144							
2D ANGLICO	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.A. NELSON	345	254		57			16		18
2D TOPO CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ O.G. CANDLER, JR.	108	84							24
2D BRIDGE CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT T.J. DALZELL	185	179					6		
2D SEP SURGICAL CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	LT J.R. RENARD (USN)	11	11							
2D RADIO BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J. R. O'MARA	320	296							24
8TH ENGR BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL	1,064	861					203		
2D AMTRAC BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ W. C. BARRETT	727	636	44			44	3		
8TH COMM BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL B. E. HORNER	747	721					26		
2D FIELD ARTY GRP	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL W. E. MAGON	533	496		34			3		
8TH MT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL E.S. BAKER JR.	351	308				35	8		
4TH DENT CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT C.G. VENO (USN)	40	34					2		4
2D ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT F. J. LENNARTZ	12	12							
4TH ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT D.G. EIRCH	15	15							
6TH ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	1STLT O. SAENZ	14	12					1		1
2D CI TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT W. R. GENTRY	13	12					1		
2D HOSP CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J.D. CUNNINGHAM (USN)	45	44							1

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UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS ROADS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOMREP	OTHER
2D MARDIV	CAMP LEJEUNE	BGEN O. R. SIMPSON	17,453	14,135	1,261	346		1,462	13	1	235
HQBN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL H.T. PITTMAN	1,462	1,423	16			16	4	1	2
2D MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL C.H. BRUSH, JR.	3,420	1,271	896	168		1,084	1		
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J.W. HENRY	(247)	(237)	(7)			(2)	(1)		
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.E. HARREL	(1,057)	(0)	(889)	(168)					
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.W. DONNEL	(1,082)	(0)				(1,082)			
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL B.F. MEYERS	(1,034)	(1,034)							
6TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL J.N. MCLAUGHLIN	3,274	3,054							220
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT G.B. SPERRY	(198)	(197)							(1)
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL W.F. DOEHLER	(907)	(907)							
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.D. BOHN	(1,049)	(1,049)							
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.L. MICHAEL JR.	(1,120)	(901)							(219)
8TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL G.F. RUSSELL	3,446	3,442					4		
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT K. N. JONES	(219)	(219)							
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P.A. DAVIS	(1,126)	(1,124)					(2)		
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.L. SILVERTHORN	(1,043)	(1,042)					(1)		
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. M. LUCY	(1,058)	(1,057)					(1)		
10TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL H. POGGEMEYER, JR.	2,292	1,861	117	177		136	1		
HQ BTRY	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT W.L. HAMMACK	(240)	(239)	(1)						
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL L.M. PHELPS, JR.	(520)	(481)		(39)					
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ K.C. WILLIAMS	(499)	(496)		(2)			(1)		
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ W.R. GRUBAUGH	(618)	(344)	(116)	(22)		(136)			
4TH BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.E. YOUNG	(415)	(301)		(114)					
2D SERV BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL R.R. WEIR	998	900	48	1		49			
2D AT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.O. DILLOW	364	319	23			22			
2D MT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL E.K. VICKERS	272	237	30				1		4
2D RECON BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. WESTERMAN	396	346	25			25			
2D ENGR BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL F.R. DENORMANDIE	695	587	47			50			9
2D SP BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.D. MIZE	500	395	56			49			
2D MED BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LCDR N.E. WENGER (USN)	263	235	1			27			
2D DENT CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT R.L. JOSEPH (USN)	71	65	2			4			

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2D MAW		MGEN G.S. BOWMAN, JR.	12,846	12,251	205	10	188	115			77
MWHG-2	CHERRY POINT	COL H. HANSEN, JR.	1,589	1,589							
MWSG-27	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL F.H. SIMONDS	1,910	1,910							
MAG-14	CHERRY POINT	COL A.D. SIMPSON	1,374	1,374							
MAG-24	CHERRY POINT	COL H.J. FINN	1,452	1,452							
VMT-1	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. DAWSON	203	203							
VMCJ-2	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. MURPHREE	324	324							
12TH FOR DENT CO	CHERRY POINT	CAPT L. YOUNG, DC(USN)	59	59							
MACS-5	NEW RIVER	MAJ J. A. REAMES	257	257							
* MACS-6	BEAUFORT	MAJ F. I. DELANEY	349	349							
MAG-26	NEW RIVER	COL F. C. LANG	2,212	1,882	205	10		115			
MAG-31	BEAUFORT	LTCOL D. H. FISHER	1,514	1,437							77
MAG-32	BEAUFORT	COL F. C. THOMAS	1,603	1,415			188				
TOTAL			39,461	34,628	1,583	517	188	1,726	429	1	389

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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65 TG 45.9	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
CARIB READY FORCE (LTCOL J.E.HARRELL)					AT VIEQUES.	LPH GUADACANAL LST YORK CTY LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK AKA CAPIRCORNUS	5 MG, Cal .30	47	I
BLT 1/2 (minus Co "C"(Rein) at GTMO)	50	1,250	9	127			28 MG, Cal .50	30	II & II(A)
1stBn, 2d MARINES (-)	31	784	4	30			55 MG, M-60	8	III(BULK)
Btry "G", 3/10	9	107	0	1			8 106mm RR	4	III(DRUM & PK)
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	49	0	0			25 3.5 Rocket Launchers		
Plat, Co A, 2d AmTracBn	1	43	0	0			5 90mm Gun Tanks	28	III(A)(BULK)
Plat, Co B, 2d AT Bn	1	21	0	0			5 M-50 Ontos	30	IV(Non-Veh)
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	22	0	1			8 81mm Mortar	30	V
Plat, Co A, 2d Recon Bn	1	23	0	1			6 105mm Howitzer		
Det, 2d Force ReconCo	1	10	0	0			6 Flame Throwers		
SHORE PARTY TEAM							AIRCRAFT		
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	54	0	2			12 CH-37C		
Det, 2d FSR	0	49	0	0			2 UH-1E		
Det, 2d Service Bn	1	39	0	0			VEHICLES		
Plat, Co A, 2d MT Bn	1	29	0	0			36 M422 (Mighty Mite)		
Det, 2d Med Bn	0	1	0	4			7 M37 (3/4T Truck)		
Det, 2d Dental Co	0	0	1	1			33 M35 (2 1/2T Truck)		
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	19	0	0			11 LVTP-5A		
Det, NBG-2	0	0	4	87			34 M274 CLIW (Mule)		
HQH-461(-)(Rein) (Major HAWLEY)	31	171	1	2			2 M170(Ambulance)		
							2 M54 (5T Truck, Cargo)		
							1 Mat Layer		
							1 M543 (5T Wrecker)		
							1 M49 (2 1/2T Tanker)		
							1 M52 (5T Tractor)		
							1 M52 (5T Tractor)		
							2 M127(Semi-Trailer)		
							7 M38 (Truck, Utility)		
TOTAL CARIB 4-65	81	1,421	10	129					

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMFPAC TACTICAL UNITS

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PARENT UNIT	WEST COAST	HAWAII	DANANG	CHU LAI	QUI NHON	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	OTHER
1ST MARINES			1/1				3/1		2/1 (SLF)
3D MARINES			2/3	3/3			1/3		
4TH MARINES				1/4, 2/4		3/4			
5TH MARINES	2/5,	1/5							3/5 Loading OKI for CONUS
7TH MARINES				1/7, 3/7	2/7				
91. MARINES			1/9, 2/9, 3/9						
MAG-11			VMCJ-1 VMFA-513 VMFA-542						
MAG-12				VMA-214 VMA-225 VMA-311					
MAG-13								VMFA-314 VMA-211 VMA-223 VMFA-115 VMF(AW) - 312	
MAG-15									
MAG-16			HMM-261* HMM-361* VMO-2, *DET OF			HMM-161	HMM-263		HMM-163(SLF)
MAG-33	VMF - 334 VMA-121 VMFA-122 VMCJ-3		H&MS-16* (6/CH-37)						
MAG-36				HMM-362 VMO-6(12/ UH-1E) * VMO-6(6/UH1E) HMM-364	HMM-363				
MWSG-37	HMM-164 HMM-165 HMH-462								
1ST MARBRIG AVN		VMF(AW)-232							VMF(AW)-212 ABD ORISKANY IN WEST PAC

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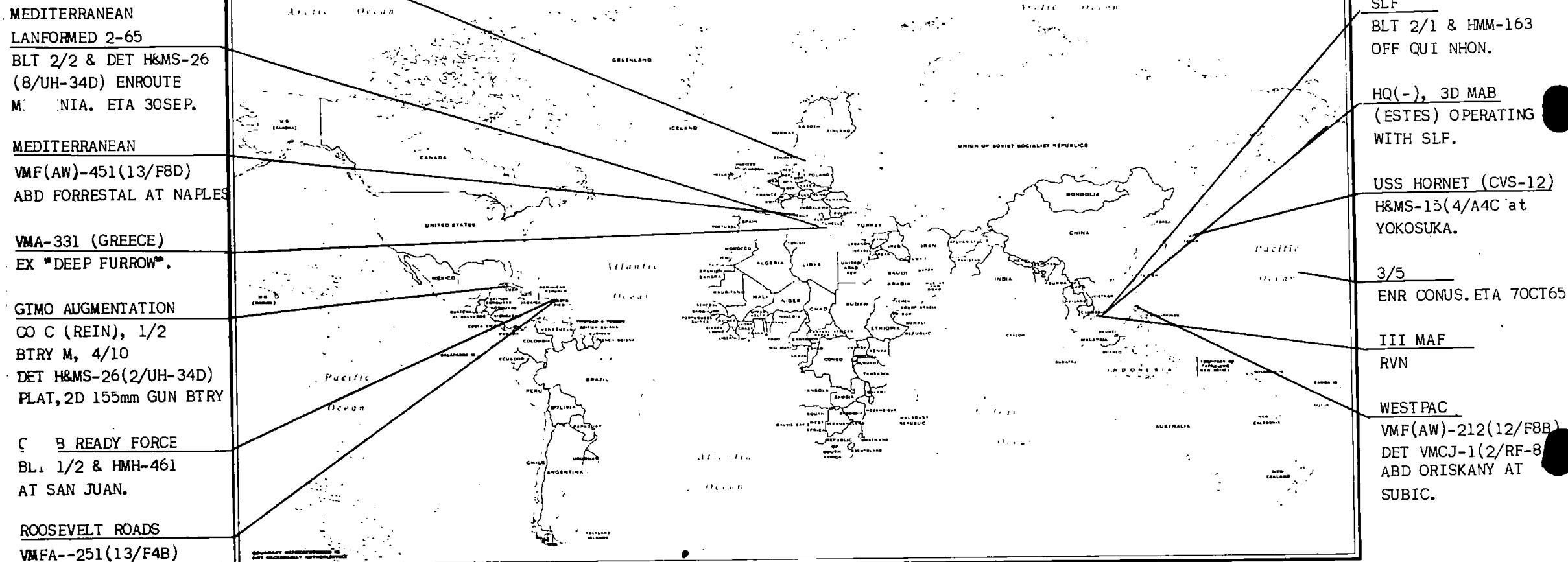
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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

AS OF 28 SEPTEMBER 1965

CO M, 3/6 (EX "BARFROST") AT GOTHENBURG, SWEDEN.



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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

AS OF 28 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
III MAF (-)	MGEN WALT					
HQ CO (REIN), III MAF						
HQCO		136				
DET 3D CI TEAM	CAPT D.R. KNEPP	7	4	2		
COMM SPT CO	MAJ HART	298				
COMM CO 7TH COMM BN		89				
DET, 1ST ANGLICO	MAJ ROMINE					65
DET, "J" 1ST RADIO BN	CAPT COLESCOTT	58				
3D MARDIV (-), (REIN)	MGEN WALT					
HQ BN (-)	MAJ WATSON	1,330				
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)	COL NICKERSON					
HQCO	CAPT NICHOLS	204				
1STBN 1ST MARINES	LTCOL MCCLOSKEY	1,163				
2D BN, 3D MARINES	LTCOL CLEMENT	1,080				
3D BN (REIN), 4TH MARINES	LTCOL TAYLOR					
3D BN, 4TH MARINES				1,061		
4TH BN(-)(REIN), 12THMAR	LTCOL E.M. RUDZIS			430		
DET, 3D MED BN				51		
DET, 3D TK BN				25		
DET, 3D AT BN				20		
DET, 3D MT BN				48		
DET, 3D SERV BN				150		
DET, 3D ENGR BN				33		
9TH MARINES (-)	COL GORMAN					
HQCO	CAPT PROCTOR	175				
1ST BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL LUDWIG	1,171				
2D BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL DONAHUE	1,137				
3D BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL TUNNELL	1,074				
4TH MARINES(-)(REIN)	COL MCCLANAHAN					
HQ CO (REIN)	CAPT BAER		276			

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN (CONT'D)

UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER	28 Sep 1965
4TH MARINES (CONT'D)							
1ST BN, 4TH MARINES	LTCOL PERRICH		1,000				
2D BN, 4TH MARINES	LTCOL FISHER		976				
3D BN, 3D MARINES			1,019				
3D BN, (-)(REIN), 12TH MAR	LTCOL PAGE		720				
3D BN (-), 12TH MAR							
BTRY "K", 4/12							
BTRY "C", 1/12							
PLAT, 1ST 8" HOW BTRY							
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP)	MAJ GUNLIFFE		144				
DET, 3D TK BN			130				
DET, 3D AT BN			92				
CO "A"(-)(REIN)1STAMTRACBN			215				
CO "B"(-)(REIN)3D ENGR BN			148				
CO "C"(-)(REIN), 3D MT BN			67				
DET, 3D MED BN			98				
DET, 3D SERV BN			404				
DET, 3D SP BN			111				
DET, BMU			17				
DET, 9TH MT BN			97				
7TH MARINES (-) (REIN)	COL PEATROSS						
HQ CO	CAPT THOMAS		298				
1ST BN, 7TH MARINES	LTCOL KELLY		1,121				
3D BN, 7TH MARINES	LTCOL BODLEY		1,148				
3D BN(-)(REIN), 11TH MAR	LTCOL PECK		555				
CO B(-), 1ST TK BN			158				
CO A(-), 1ST AT BN			64				
CO A(-), 3RD AMTRAC BN			185				
CO C(-), 1ST ENGR BN			130				
CO C(-), 1ST MT BN			51				
DET, CO A, 7TH MT BN			70				

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN (CONT'D)

UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER	28 Sep 1965
7TH MARINES (CONT'D)							
CO "C"(-), 1ST SP BN			157				
CO "C"(-), 1ST MED BN			50				
DET, 3D FSR			522				
2D BN(REIN), 7TH MARINES	LTCOL UTTER				1,140		2/7(REIN), OPCON USATFA 5AUG.
BTRY "H", 3DBN, 11TH MAR					138		
DET, HQ BTRY, 3DBN, 11TH MAR					13		
DET, CO "C", 1ST MED BN					34		
PLAT, CO "C", 1ST MT BN					34		
PLAT, CO "C", 1ST AT BN					20		
DET, CO "A", 3D AMTRAC BN					43		
DET, 3D ENGR BN					46		
PLAT, CO "B", 1ST TK BN					30		
DET, 3D FSR					45		
3D RECON BN (-)	LTCOL R. VAN CLEVE	294	91	90			
CO C (-), 1ST RECON BN			79		23		
DET, 1ST FOR RECON CO	MAJ GAFFEN	61					
12TH MARINES (-)(REIN)	COL CALLENDER						
HQ BTRY (-)	CAPT CONNOR	222					
1ST BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL MC CAIN	447					
2D BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL KNOCKE	349					
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (-)	MAJOR WILSON	143					
BTRY "L", 4/12		101					
FOR LOG SPT GRP	LTCOL PADALINA						
3D SERV BN (-)		1,168					
3D SP BN (-)	MAJ DEAN	293					
DET, 3D FSR		169					
DET, 3D DENT CO (REIN)		47	12	4	4		
DET, BMU		19					
3D MT BN (-)	COL COOK	247					

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UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER	28 Sep 1965
9TH MT BN (-)(REIN)	MAJOR FINNEY	304					
1ST AMTRAC BN(-)(REIN)	LTCOL POMEROY	366					
3D MED BN (-)	CMDR WILSON(USN)	153					
3D TK BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL RAPHAEL	390					
3D AT BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL HEFLIN	205					
DET, CO "A", 1ST AT BN		19					
3D ENGR BN(-)(REIN)	LTCOL DENNIS						
3D ENGR BN (-)		526					
7TH ENGR BN (-)	LTCOL MEEKER	868					
1ST BRIDGE CO		103					
1ST MAW(-)(ADV)	BGEN MC CUTCHEON						
MWHG-1(-)(REIN)	LTCOL LUPTON						
H&HS-1(-)	MAJOR LIDDLE	687					
MASS-2	MAJ CUNNINGHAM	117	35			38 (PLEIKU)	
2D LAAM BN	MAJ PENICO		540				
1ST LAAM BN	MAJ LONG	517					
MACS-7	LTCOL MILLER		199	20			
MAG-11 (-)	COL CONLEY						
H&MS-11	LTCOL BORTZ	381					
MABS-11	LTCOL PEARCY	418					
VMFA-513(15/F4B)	LTCOL STEWART	286					
VMFA-542(15/F4B)	LTCOL SAVAGE	314					
VMCJ-1(-)(6/EF-10B)(2/RF8A)	LTCOL GORMAN	126					

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN (CONT'D)

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	#COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
MAG-12 (-)	COL L. BROWN					
H&MS-12	LTCOL KIRKLAND		356			
MABS-12	LTCOL WILSON		413			
VMA-214(-)(18/A4C)	LTCOL O'KEEFE		200			
VMA-225(19/A4C)	LTCOL BAKER		185			
VMA-311(19/A4E)	LTCOL STENDER		257			
MATOU-67	CAPT KEANE		50			
MAG-16 (-)	COL O'CONNOR					
* H&MS-16(-)(REIN) (6/CH-37)	LTCOL GOEBEL	391				
* H&MS-16(-)(REIN)	LTCOL VERNON	273		6		4
H&MS-161(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MORRISON			232		
* HMM-261(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL PORTER	239				
* HMM-361(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL CHILDERS	241				
* VMO-2 (7/O1B; 21/UH-1E)	LTCOL BAUMAN	185				
MAG-36	COL JOHNSON					
H&MS-36	LTCOL MOONEY		318			
MABS-36	MAJOR KENNEDY		346			
HMM-362 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL ALDWORTH		189			
HMM-363 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL KEW				203	
HMM-364 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL LUCAS		198			
VMO-6 (18/UH-1E)	LTCOL ZITNIK		176			
FOR ENGR GRP						
H NCR	CAPT LIBERTY (USN)					
HQ, 30TH NCR		19				
NMCB-3	CMDR RUMBLE	559				
NMCB-9	CMDR ANDERSON	642				
NMCB-10	CMDR BANNISTER		617			
DET, NBG-1		47				

TOTALS

19,908

14,218

2,172

1,773

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AGGREGATE

38,178

* MARBLE MOUNTAIN (DANANG EAST)

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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT

AS OF: 28 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
1ST MAW	IWAKUNI								
MWSG-17 MAMS-17	IWAKUNI			1/C-54 3/C-117 2/C-45 2/CH-19 7/TF9J 1/UH-34D					
VMGR-152	FUTEMA				7/KC-130F	2/KC-130F			
MAG-12									
HRMS-12	IWAKUNI						1/C-117		
VMA-311	IWAKUNI						19/A4E		
VMA-225	IWAKUNI						19/A4C		
VMA-214	IWAKUNI						18/A4C		
MAG-11									
HRMS-11	ATSUGI					1/C-117			
VMFA-513	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMFA-542	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMCJ-1	IWAKUNI			2/EF-10B		6/EF-10B 1/RF-8A			2/RF-8A ABD ORISKANY OFF RVN
MAG-13									
HRMS-13	IWAKUNI			2/C-54 4/TF-9J					
VMA-211	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-115	IWAKUNI			13/F4B					
VMF(AW)-312	IWAKUNI			18/F8E					
VMA-223	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-314	IWAKUNI			17/F4B					

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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT (CONTINUED)

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
<u>MAG-16</u>									
* <u>HBMS-16</u>	FUTEMA			4/UH-34D 1/C-117		1/C-117 6/CH-37			
* <u>VMO-2</u>	FUTEMA					7/O-1B 21/UH-1E			
<u>HMM-161</u>	FUTEMA							24/UH-34D	
<u>M-163</u>	FUTEMA								22/UH-34D(SLF) (IWO JIMA)
* <u>HMM-261</u>	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
* <u>HMM-361</u>	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
<u>HMM-263</u>	FUTEMA				25/UH-34D				
<u>MAG-36</u>									
<u>HBMS-36</u>	SANTA ANA								
* <u>VMO-6</u>	CAMP PENDLETON					6 /UH-1E	12/UH-1E		
<u>HMM-362</u>	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
<u>HMM-363</u>	SANTA ANA								24/UH-34D AT QUI NHON
<u>HMM-364</u>	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
<u>1ST MAW</u>									
TOTAL FIXED WING AIRCRAFT				110	7	48	57		2
TOTAL HELICOPTERS				7	25	81	60	24	46

* MARBLE MOUNTAIN (DANANG EAST)

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

AS OF: 28 September 1965

MARINE CORPS

VIET CONG

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION
150	903	

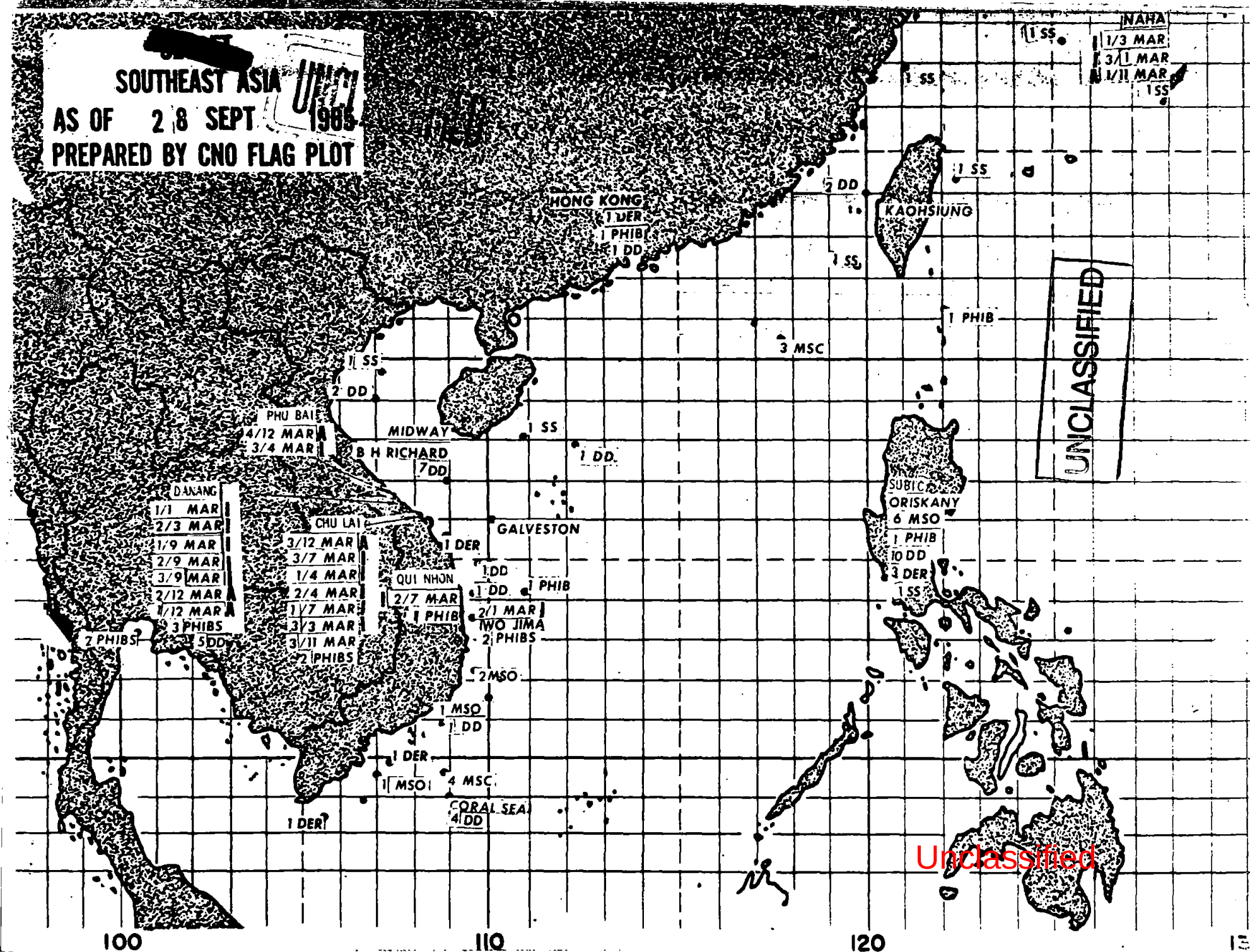
KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
1,699	284	560	990

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AS OF 27 SEPTEMBER 1965

CO M, 3/6(EX "BARFROST") ENR GOTHENBURG SWEDEN ETA 27SEP65

MEDITERRANEAN
LANFORMED 2-65

BLT 2/2 & DET H&MS-26
(8/ 34D) ENROUTE
MES. IA. ETA 30SEP.

MEDITERRANEAN
VMF(AW)-451(13/F8D)
ABD FORRESTAL AT NAPLES

VMA-331 (GREECE)
EX "DEEP FURROW"

GTMO AUGMENTATION
CO C, (REIN), 1/2
BTRY M, 4/10
DET H&MS-26(2/UH-34D)
PLAT 2D 155MM GUN BTRY

CARIB READY FORCE
BLT 1/2 & HMM-461 AT
SAN JUAN

ROOSEVELT ROADS
VMFA-251(13/F4B)

SLF

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OFF QUI NHON.

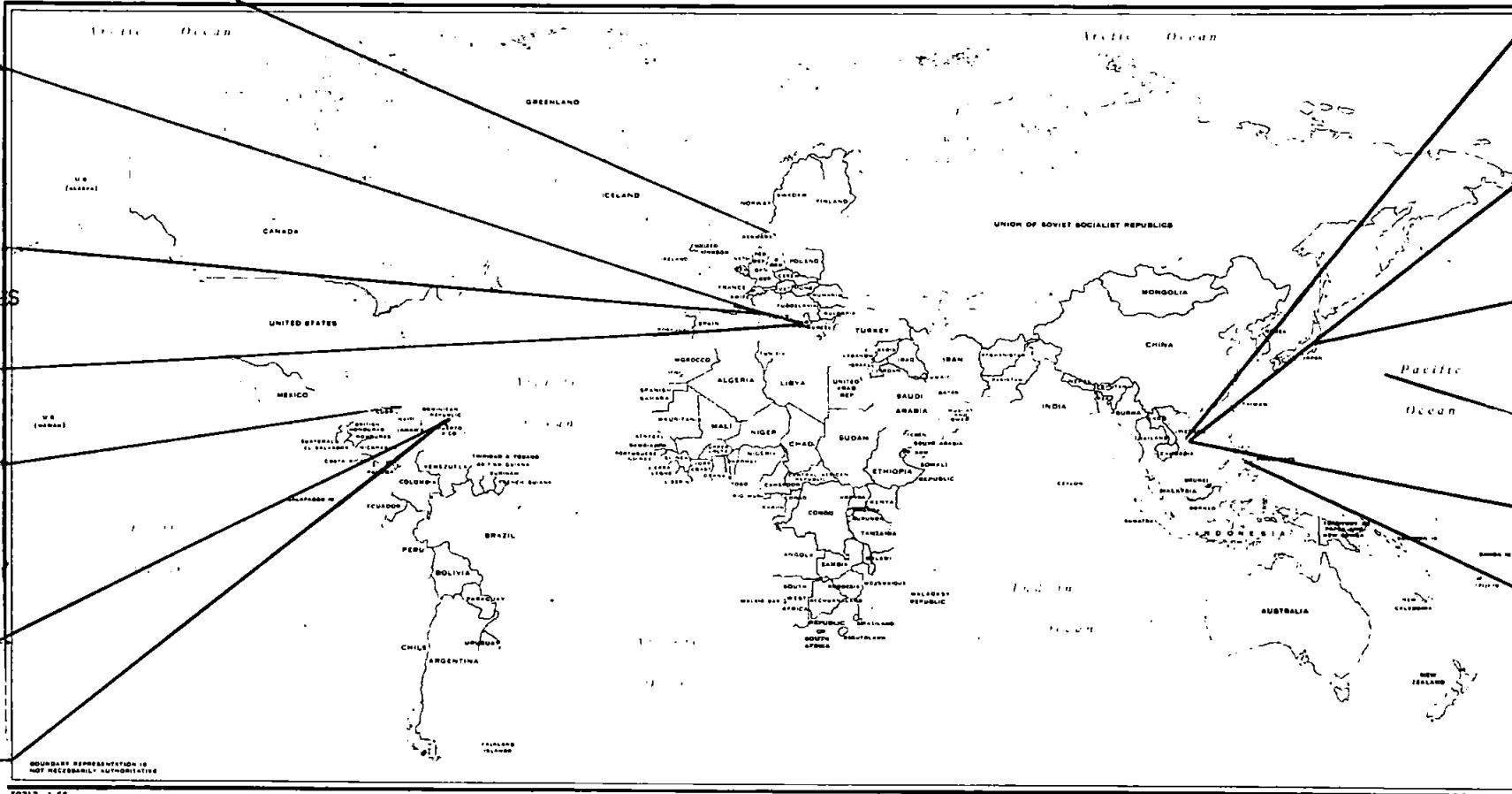
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SLF

USS HORNET (CVS-12)
H&MS-15(4/A4C) AT
YOKOSUKA

3/5
ENR CONUS. ETA 7OCT65

III MAF
RVN

WESTPAC
VMF(AW)-212(12/F8B)
DET. VM CJ-1(2/RF-8A)
ABD ORISKANY AT SUBIC



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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, SEVENTHFLT

AS OF 27 SEPTEMBER 1965

S L F TASK FORCE 78.5

S L F	TASK FORCE 78.5	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES	
		USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
		OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
HMM-163 (LTCOL N. G. EWERS)		53	170	1	2	OFF QUI NHON.	LPH IWO JIMA LSD PT. DEFIANCE APA TALLEDEGA	<u>WEAPONS</u> 6 105MM HOW 6 107MM HOWTARS 5 90MM GUN TKS 5 M50A1 ONTOS 8 81MM MORTARS 8 106MM RECOIL RIFLES 97 M60, MACHINE GUNS 34 3.5 ROCKET LAUNCHERS 6 .50 CAL. MACHINE GUNS <u>VEHICLES</u> 11 LVTP-5 48 M422, MIGHTY MITE 33 M274, 1/2 TON Tk 31 M35, 2 1/2 TON Tk 9 M37, 3/4 TON Tk 1 M51, 5 TON DUMP Tk 1 M60, CRANE		
BLT 2/1 (LTCOL R. T. HANIFIN)		67	1545	7	92					
2 BN 1STMAR		39	1044	3	52					
BTRY "B", 1/11		9	132	1	2					
HOWTAR BTRY 1/11		4	79		2					
PLAT CO "B", 3D AMTRACBN.		7	38							
PLAT CO "A" 1ST TKBN		1	28							
PLAT CO "A", 1ST ATBN		1	19							
PLAT CO "A" 1ST RECON BN		1	23							
DET, 1ST FOR RECON		1	14							
PLAT CO "A" 1ST ENGR BN		1	47							
PLAT CO "A" 1ST MTBN		1	27							
DET, CO "A" 1ST SPBN		1	54		2					
DET, CO "A" 1ST MEDBN			1		7					
DET, HQBN 1STMARDIV		1	6							
DET, 3D FSR			33							
BMU-1				3	27					
TOTAL		120	1715	8	94					

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

AS OF: 27 September 1965

MARINE CORPS

VIET CONG

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION
148	893	

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
1,698	284	527	974

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NUMBER OF CASUALTIES INCURRED BY U.S. MILITARY PERSONNEL IN VIET-NAM

Cumulative from January 1, 1961 through September 27, 1965

	Army	Navy	Marine Corps	Air Force	Total
A. CASUALTIES RESULTING FROM ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
1. Killed	299	33	162	32	526
2. Wounded or Injured					
a. Died of wounds	15	3	11	5	34
b. Nonfatal wounds	2,530	80	1,034	276	3,920
3. Missing					
a. Died while missing	88	14	-	55	157
b. Returned to control	7	1	-	2	10
c. Current Missing	8	17	5	35	65
4. Detained					
a. Died while detained	1	-	-	1	2
b. Returned to control	1	-	-	-	1
c. Current detained	14	-	-	6	20
5. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	21	31	1	84	137
Helicopter	123	3	15	1	142
b. From ground action	259	16	157	8	440
TOTAL DEATHS <u>a/</u>	403*	50	173	93	719
B. CASUALTIES NOT THE RESULT OF ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
6. Current Missing	4	-	1	1	6
7. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	7	5	-	35	47
Helicopter	36	3	18	-	57
b. From other causes	96	14	57	45	212
TOTAL DEATHS	139	22	75	80	316

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* Includes 61 Special Forces personnel.

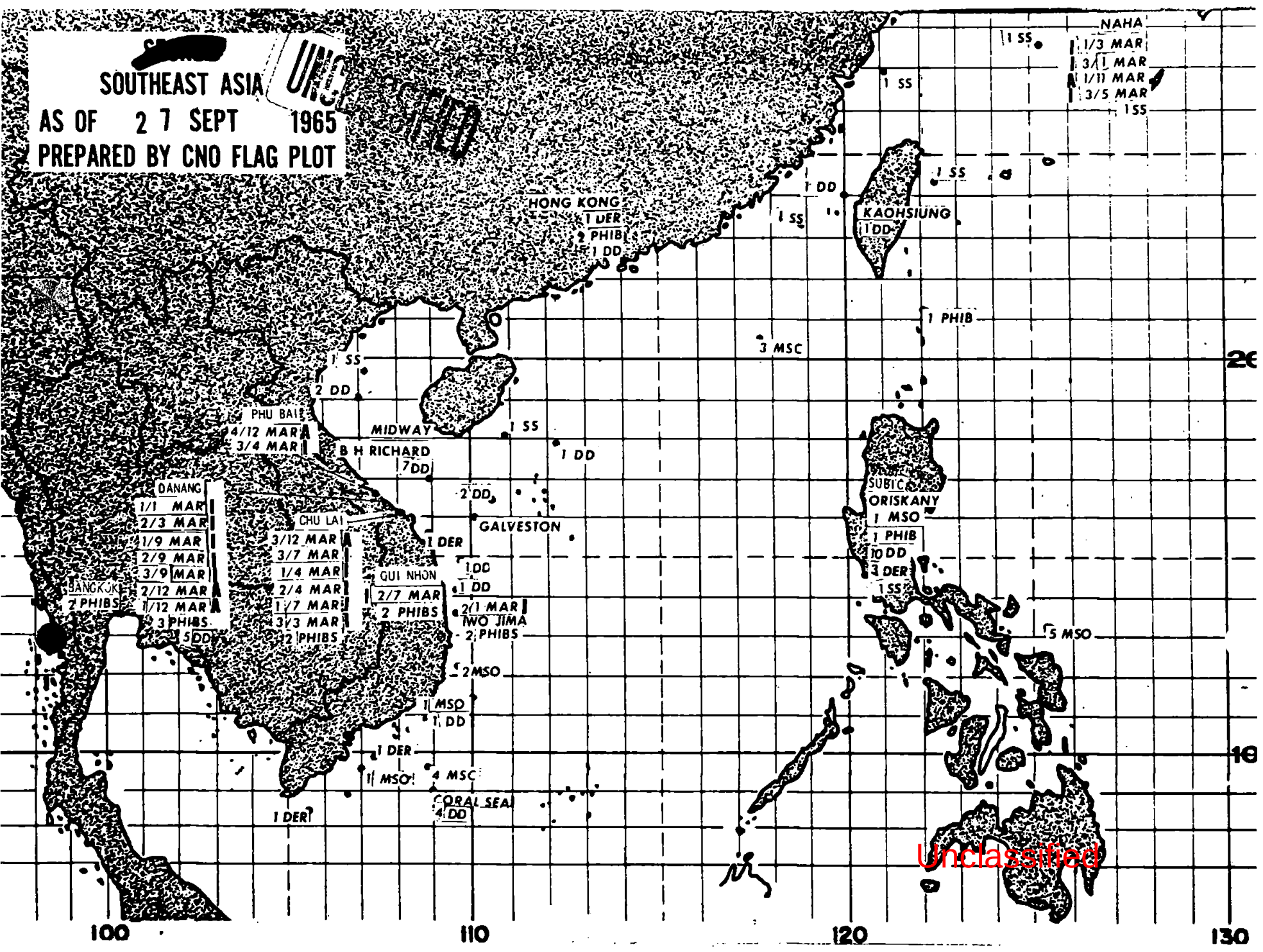
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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN

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SOURCE: NMCC OPSUM & DOD SEASIA
STATSUM OF 27 SEP 1965

COUNTRY/FORCES	TYPE UNIT (3D COUNTRY ONLY)	STRENGTH	
RVN			
ARMY		249,500	
NAVY		13,500	
AIR FORCE		12,700	
MARINE CORPS		6,700	
		<u>282,400</u>	TOTAL RVN
U. S.			
ARMY		73,431	
*NAVY		5,116	
AIR FORCE		13,074	
*MARINE CORPS		36,025	
		<u>127,646</u>	TOTAL U.S.
3D COUNTRY			
ROK	INF BN; ENGR'S; TRK CO; HOSP UNIT; MISC	2,566	
AUSTRALIA	INF BN; ADVISORS	1,110	
FRANCE	TECHNICAL; MED	482	
NEW ZEALAND	ARTY BTRY; SURGICAL TEAM; MISC	182	
CHINA	PSY WARFARE; MISC	85	
JAPAN	TECHNICAL; MED	80	
PHILIPPINES	PSY WARFARE; MED	34	
THAILAND	ADVISORS	17	
GERMANY	TECHNICAL; MED	12	
ITALY	SURGICAL TEAM	9	
U. K.	POLICE ADVISORS	7	
		<u>4,584</u>	TOTAL 3D COUNTRY
		<u>514,630</u>	TOTAL FORCES IN RVN

* NAVY PERSONNEL ATTACHED TO III MAF
ARE INCLUDED WITH NAVY STRENGTH.

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FM FLANT

27 SEPTEMBER 1965

AIRCRAFT DISTRIBUTION

UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
2D MAW		COMBAT 225 TRANS PORT 23 TRANS HELO 132 OBSERVATION 24	CHERRY POINT						
MW 27 MHMS-27	199	4/T1A;2/C54;3/C117	CHERRY POINT	3/C54;2/C117;4/T1A					
VMCJ-2	324	9/EA6A;9/RF8A	CHERRY POINT	9 /RF8A;8 /EF10					
VMGR-252	294	12/KC130	CHERRY POINT	12 /KC130					
MAG-14									
H&MS-14	410	1/C117;2/T1A	CHERRY POINT	1/C117;2/T1A;7/A4C					
VMA(AW)-242	299	12/A6A	CHERRY POINT	12/A6A					
* VMA-224	211	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT						
VMA-332	183	20/A4E	CHERRY POINT	22 /A4E					
MAG-24									
H&MS-24	388	1/C117;3/T1A	CHERRY POINT	2 /T1A;1/C47;1/C117					
VMFA-323	393	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	20 /F4B					
VMFA-531	164	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	11 /F4B					
VMA(AW)-533	249	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	17 /A4C					
MA 5 H&MS-26	682	1/C117	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/C117; 4/UH-34D		3/UH-34D		2/UH-34D	
VMO-1	164	8/01B;16/UH1E	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/01B;4/01C;12/UH1E			2/UH1E		
HMM-162	178	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	23/UH34D					
HMM-262	203	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	4 /UH34D;10/CH-46A					
HMM-365	108	6/CH46A;18/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/UH34D					
HMM-264	175	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	22 /UH34D					
HMM-265	173	24/CH46A	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/CH-46A;2/UH-1E					
HMH-461	161	12/CH37	MCAF NEW RIVER				12/CH-37C		

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FMFLANT

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UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
<u>MAG-31</u>									
H&MS-31	461	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C47;1/C117;2/T1A					
VMA-331	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	8/A4E					12/A4E(GREECE)
VMF(AW)-235	199	15/F8E	BEAUFORT	16/F8E					
VMF(AW)-451	179	15/F8D	BEAUFORT			13/F8D (ABD FORRESTAL)			
<u>MA 2</u>									
H&MS-32	426	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C117;2/T1A;1/C47H					
VMA-324	210	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	21/A4E					
VMFA-251	270	15/F4B	BEAUFORT	1/F4B	13/F4B				
VMF-333	175	20/F8C	BEAUFORT	16/F8C					

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LANFORMED 2-65

AS OF: 27 SEPTEMBER 1965.

	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIP	SUPPLIES	
	USMC OFF	ENL	USN OFF	ENL				DAYS	CLASS
LANFORMED TF-62					ENROUTE MESSINIA. ETA 30SEP.	PHIBRON-4	<u>WEAPONS</u>	73	I
LTCOL J. W. DONNELL								75	II
BLT 2/2						APA FREMONT	47 M60 Machine Gun	15	II(A)
2dBn 2dMar	42	1018	4	33		APA ROCKBRIDGE	37 3.5 Rkt Lncr	15	III (BULK)
Btry I, 3/10	8	126	1	1		LSD ASHLAND	8 81mm Mortar	10	III (DRUM-PKG)
SU#2, H&MS-26	20	93	0	2		LSD FT. MANDAN	9 .50 cal MG	30	IIIA
MAJOR NELSON						LST GRAHAM CTY	36 M79 Grnd Lncr	15	IV
Plat Co D, 2dRecon	1	23	0	1		AKA MULIPHEN	8 106mm RR	29	V
Plat Co B, 2dAmTracBn	1	42	0	1			8 Flame Thrower	NONE	VA
Plat Co A, 2dTkBn	1	24	0	0			6 105mm How		
Plat Co B, 2dATBn	1	22	0	0			6 M50 Ontos		
Plat Co A, 2dEngrBn	3	24	0	0			5 M48, 90mm Tank		
Plat, 8thMTBn	1	34	0	0			<u>VEHICLES</u>		
Det, 2dServBn	1	45	0	0			32 M422, Mighty Mite		
Det, 2dSPBn	1	47	0	1			8 M37 3/4T Truck		
Det, 2dFSR	1	44	0	0			11 M274 1/2T Truck		
Det, 2dMED BN	0	9	0	17			(Mule)		
Det, HqBn, 2dMarDiv	1	19	0	0			2 M51, 5T Dump		
Det, 2dDentCo, FMP	0	0	2	2			Truck		
Det, ACB-2	0	0	1	38			3 M43, 3/4T Amb		
Det, MSL	0	0	0	17			9 M35 2 1/2T Trk		
Det, NBG-2	0	0	3	51			11 LVTP-5		
Det, HqBn, MCB	1	19	0	0			2 M543, 5T Wrecker		
Det, UDT	0	0	3	16			3 M52, 5T Trk Trac		
							1 M54, 5T Trk		
TOTAL	83	1589	14	180			<u>AIRCRAFT</u>		
							8 UH-34D		

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MEDITERRANEAN

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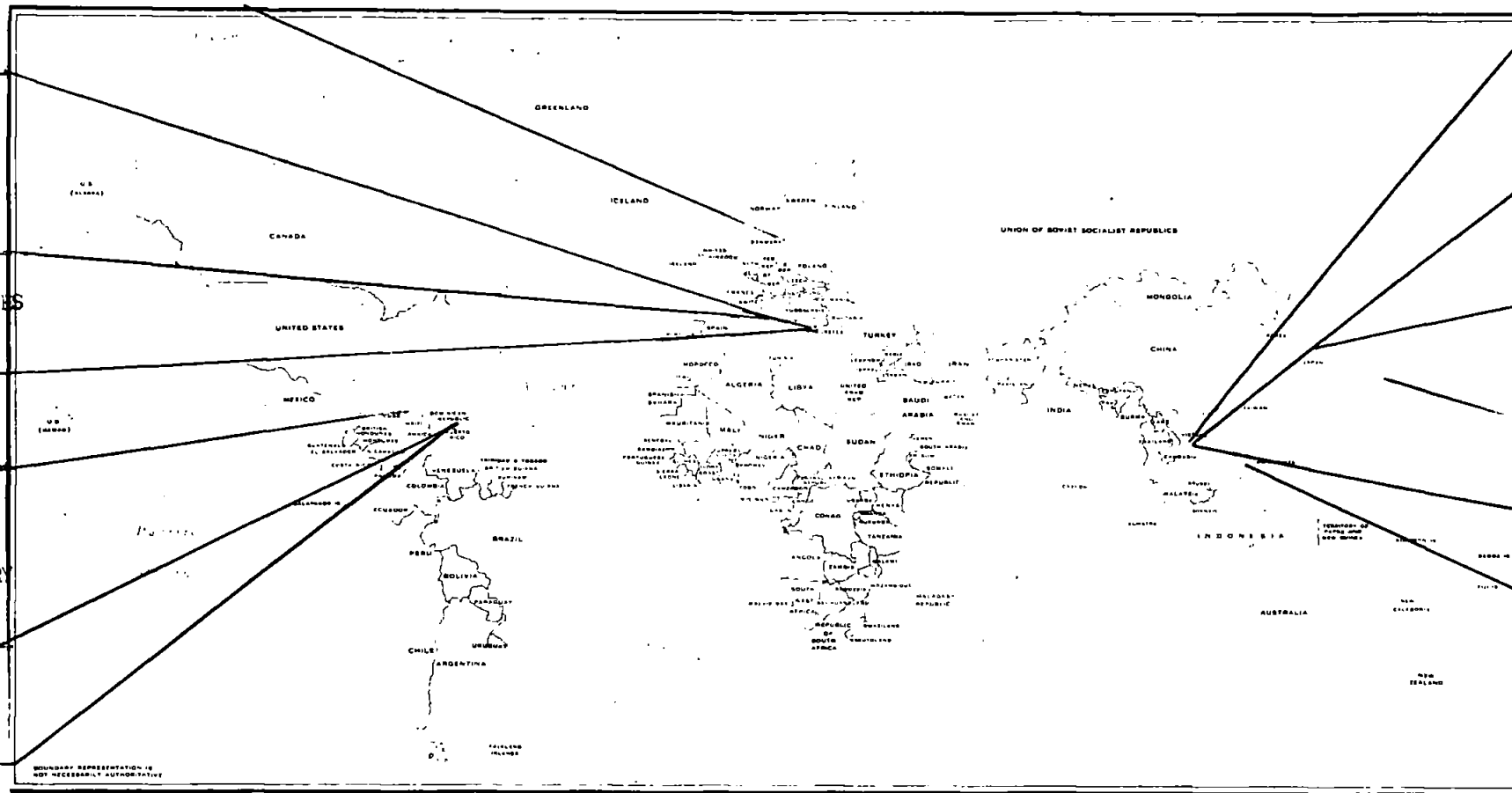
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PLAT 2D 155MM GUN BTRY

CARIB READY FORCE

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SAN JUAN

ROOSEVELT ROADS

VMFA-251(13/F4B)



SLF

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YOKOSUKA

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ENR CONUS. ETA 7OCT65

III MAF

RVN

WEST PAC

VMF(AW)-212(12/F8B)
DET VM CJ-1(2/RF)
ABD ORISKANY AT

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC

AS OF: 25 September 1965

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
HQ FMFPAC										
			HQ FMFPAC							
HQ FMFPAC	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	LTCEN V. H. KRULAK	2,406	189	1,615	479		123		
H&S BN (REIN)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	COL A. D. CERECHINO	1,543		1,075	468				
H&S BN	CAMP SMITH HAWAII		(1,514)		(1,046)	(468)				
** HQ FMFPAC/I MAC(FWD)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	MGEN S. S. WADE	((468))			((468))				
1ST ITT TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT R. D. DASCH	(15)		(15)					
5TH CI TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT E. B. BURLESON	(14)		(14)					
HQ SQ, FMFPAC	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ T. G. BUNCE	77		77					
VMT-2	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL W. E. DANIEL	189	189						
1ST ANGLICO (-)	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL MOREL	344		279			65		
1ST RADIO BN	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ STEWART	253		184	11		58		
1ST MARINE BRIGADE										
1ST MARBRIG	MCAS KANEOHE	COL R. H. SPANJER	2,401		2,211				190	
GROUND UNITS										
HQ CO	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ W. K. HUTCHINGS	131		131					
1ST BN(REIN), 5TH MAR	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL H. L. COFFMAN	1,498		1,498					
SERV CO	PEARL CITY	CAPT G. H. TAYLOR	42		42					
DET, 5TH DENT CO	MCAS KANEOHE	LCDR J. J. KEENE (USN)	84		84					
BRIG MED SEC	MCAS KANEOHE	LCDR D. C. BIELER (USN)	45		45					
AIR UNITS										
VMF(AW)-212	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C. H. LUDDEN	190						190(ABD ORISKANY)	
VMF(AW)-232	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL N. M. TRAPNELL	194		194					
MACS-2	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C. E. TUCKER	176		176					
MATCU-62	MCAS KANEOHE	CAPT J. N. BACON	41		41					

** SU #2, HQ CO., COMMANDER, LTCOL W. D. HALL

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST- PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY ENR TO AREA INDICATED
1ST MARDIV(-)(REIN)	CAMP PENDLETON	MGENT FIELDS, CG, 1ST MARDIV(-)(REIN)(OKI)- BGEN HURST, CG, 1ST MARDIV(REAR)(CAMPEN)	17,409	4,228		4,346		6,222	1,559	FORWARD CP ESTAB. AT CP COURTNEY, OKI. 1,054 ENR CONUS ETA 7OCT65
HQ BN	CAMP PENDLETON	COL J. P. TREADWELL	1,719	785		927			7(SLF)	
1ST MARINES	CAMP PENDLETON	COL B. B. MITCHELL	3,552	36		1,215		1,163	1,138	
HQ CO	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT MURPHY	(256)	(36)		(220)				
1ST BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL D. V. MCCLOSKEY	(1,163)	(0)				(1,163)		
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. T. HANIFIN, JR.	(1,138)	(0)					(1138 SLF)	
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J. R. YOUNG	(995)	(0)		(995)				
5TH MARINES	CAMP PENDLETON	COL V. J. CROIZAT	2,449	1,395						1,054 ENR CONUS ETA 7OCT
HQ CO	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT B. E. TOWNSEND	(246)	(246)						
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ J. R. CATT	(990)	(990)						
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. R. DICKEY, III	(1,213)	(159)						(1054) ENR CONUS ETA 7OCT
7TH MARINES	CAMP PENDLETON	COL O. F. PEATROSS	3,707	0				3,707		
HQ CO	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT D. E. THOMAS	(298)	(0)				(298)		
1ST BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J. P. KELLY	(1121)	(0)				(1121)		
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL L. UTTER	(1140)	(0)				(1140)		
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL C. H. BODLEY	(1148)	(0)				(1148)		
11TH MARINES (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	COL P. H. HAHN	2,394	782		694		689	229	
HQ BTRY	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT W. W. RUBRECHT	(238)	(73)		(165)				
1ST BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL W. C. OLSEN	(646)	(0)		(417)			(229SLF)	
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J. B. STRIBLING	(470)	(470)						
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL W. H. PECK	(555)	(0)				(555)		
4TH BN	29 PALMS	LTCOL J. F. CROWLEY	(485)	(239)		(112)		(134)		
1ST SERV BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	COL M. O. SADLER	839	(354)		485				
1ST SP BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. T. TAYLOR, JR.	543	143		186		157	57(SLF)	
1ST MED BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	CMR R. H. MITCHELL(USN)	335	191		52		84	8(SLF)	
1ST ENGR BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL L. W. HETRICK	761	153		429		131	48(SLF)	
1ST MT BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ R. L. DOERING	296	62		121		85	28(SLF)	
1ST RECON BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL A. J. SULLIVAN	398	99		173		102	24(SLF)	
1ST AT BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ R. E. HARRIS	416	228		64		104	20(SLF)	

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST- PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY/ ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
3D MARDIV	OKINAWA	MGEN L. W. WALT	19,345	0		1,988	92	17,261	4	
HQ BN	CAMP COURTNEY	MAJ J. E. WATSON	2343	0		959		1380	4 (PHILIPPINES)	
3D MARINES		COL N. R. NICKERSON	3,432	0		1,029		2,403		
HQ CO	CAMP SCHWAB	CAPT D. L. NICHOLS	(304)	(0)				(304)		
1ST BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL W. L. LANAGAN	(1029)	(0)		(1,029)				
2D BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL D. A. CLEMENT	(1080)	(0)				(1080)		
3D BN	CAMP SCHWAB		(1019)	(0)				(1019)		
4TH MARINES		COL J. F. MCCLANAHAN	3313	0				3313		
HQ CO	CAMP SCHWAB	CAPT C. H. BAER	(276)	(0)				(276)		
1ST BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL R. J. PERRICH	(1000)	(0)				(1000)		
2D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL J. R. FISHER	(976)	(0)				(976)		
3D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL W. W. TAYLOR	(1061)	(0)				(1061)		
9TH MARINES		COL J. E. GORMAN	3557	(0)				3557		
HQ CO	CAMP HANSEN	CAPT R. D. PROCTOR	(175)	(0)				(175)		
1ST BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL V. E. LUDWIG	(1171)	(0)				(1171)		
2D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL W. F. DONAHUE	(1137)	(0)				(1137)		
3D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL R. J. TUNNELL	(1074)	(0)				(1074)		
12TH MARINES		COL J. M. CALLENDER	2299	0				2229		
HQ BTRY	CAMP SUKIRAN	CAPT B. K. CONNOR	(222)	(0)				(222)		
1ST BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL W. E. MCCAIN	(447)	(0)				(447)		
2D BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL J. K. KNOCKE	(349)	(0)				(349)		
3D BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL L. L. PAGE	(720)	(0)				(720)		
4TH BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL E. M. RUDZIS	(491)	(0)				(491)		
3D RECON BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL R. VAN CLEVE	475	0				475		
3D AT BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL B. A. HEFLIN	363	0				363		
3D ENGR BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL N. V. DENNIS	753	0				753		
3D MT BN	CAMP SCHWAB	COL E. COOK	362	0				362		
3D SP BN	CAMP HAUGE	MAJ J. M. DEAN	402	0				402		
3D SERV BN	CAMP MCTUREOUS	COL M. J. PADALINO	1814	0			92	1722		
3D MED BN	CAMP HANSEN	LCDR A. C. WILSON(USN)	302	0				302		

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLO /ENR TO AREA INDICATED
1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING										
1ST MAW	IWAKUNI	MGEN K.B. MCCUTCHEON	8,994	0		993	2,362	5,624	15	427 RVN
MWHG-1	IWAKUNI	LTCOL LUPTON	1,445	0		390		1,055		
MMSG-17	IWAKUNI	COL McDANIEL	1,634	0		368	1,266			
MAG-11	ATSUGI	COL R.F. CONLEY	1,609	0			57	1,537	15 (ORISKANY)	
MAG-12	IWAKUNI	COL L. BROWN	1,461	0				1,461		
MAG-13	IWAKUNI	LTCOL O.E. HOWE	1,039	0			1,039			427 RVN
MAG-16	FUTEMA	COL O'CONNOR	1,806	0		235		1,571		

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

3D MAW		MGEN F.E. LEEK	9,286	6,440	19	64	1,024	1,452	278	9 RVN
MWHG-3	MCAS EL TORO	COL E.E. SHIFFLETT	1,146	1,115				22		9(MASS-3)ETA DANANG 30C
MAG-15	MCAS EL TORO	COL C. KIMAK	1,645	571			1,024		50(HORNET)	
MAG-33	MCAS EL TORO	COL C.H. DAVIS, JR.	1,474	1,474						
MAG-36	MCAF SANTA ANA	COL W.G. JOHNSON	1,890	408				1,254	228(SLF)	
MMSG-37	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL A.W. CAMPBELL	1,769	1,686	19	64				
SU #1, MMSG-37	MCAS EL TORO	MAJ C.M. HAYES	667	667						
VMO-6	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R.J. ZITNIK	210	34				176		
MACS-1	MCAS YUMA	LTCOL C.E. SHOWALTER	243	243						
MATCU-65	MCAS YUMA	CAPT T.L. SIMS	56	56						
MARTSAT-3	MCAS YUMA	MAJ P. J. JANNSEN	65	65						
FMF AUG (YUMA)	MCAS YUMA	MAJ W.F. TAYLOR	121	121						
LAAM BATTALIONS			1,146	89				1,057		
1ST LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ G. C. LONG	517	0				517		
2D LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ E.F. PENICO	540	0						
4TH LAAM BN(CADRE)	MCB 29 PALMS	CAPT D.F. KELLER	89	89						

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST- PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY /ENR TO AREA INDICATED
			FORCE TROOP UNITS - EASTPAC							
FORCE TROOPS EASTPAC	CAMPEN/29 PALMS	BGEN W.K. JONES	7,652	3,535		2,355		1,673	89	
1ST FSR	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J.E. GARNER	2,506	1,094		1,412				
1ST TANK BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL A.W. SNELL	677	196		264		188	29(SLF)	
3D AMTRAC BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL L.C. HARRIS	724	278		173		228	45(SLF)	
7TH MT BN	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ L.A. BONIN	333	181		82		70		
7TH ENGR BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL E.L. MEEKER	914	116				798		
1ST FORCE RECON CO(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ M.C. GAFFEN	131	7		85		24	15(SLF)	
1ST DENTAL CO	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT A.T. SMITH(USN)	90	59		22		9		
1ST BRIDGE CO(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT G.P. WUERCH	82	10				72		
1ST CIT	CAMP PENDLETON	1STLT D.D. SCOTT	15	15						
2D SSC	CAMP PENDLETON	1STLT W.H. KERR	6			6				
5TH-ITT	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT R.J. OBRIEN	13	13						
HQ CO	29 PALMS	MAJ K.W. TOWNSEND	221	221						
1ST FAG (-)	29 PALMS	LTCOL A. B. CLARK	616	421				195		
HQ BTRY	29 PALMS	CAPT R.A. AYERS	(121)	(121)						
1ST 155mm GUN BTRY(SP)	29 PALMS	CAPT D.S. DRUM	(129)	(129)						
3D 8" GUN BTRY(SP)	29 PALMS	CAPT J.D. RUANE	(222)	(171)				(51)		
3D 155mm GUN BTRY(SP)	29 PALMS	MAJ B.F. CUNLIFFE	(144)					(144)		
SUPPORT BN	29 PALMS	LTCOL D.W. SHARON	470	450		20				
5TH NOP(-)	29 PALMS	1STLT W.C. CLIMO	(51)	(31)		(20)				
7TH COMM BN	29 PALMS	MAJ T.W. HOPKINS	768	388		291		89		
1ST HOSP CO	29 PALMS	LT D.L. BOOHER(USN)	72	72						
5TH DENTAL CO (-)	29 PALMS	LCDR F. RULLIFFSON(USN)	14	14						

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY ENR TO AREA INDICATED	
FORCE TRPS WESTPAC			FORCE TROOP UNITS WESTPAC								
			5,619			2,682	22	2,882	33		
HQ III MAF	CAMP HAUGE	MGEN L. W. WALT	136					136			
3D FSR	CAMP SUKIRAN	COL H. F. STEVENSON	3,218			2,614		571	33(SLF)		
3D TANK BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL M. L. RAPHAEL	545					545			
1ST AMTRAC BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL W. D. POMEROY	579					579			
9TH MT BN	CAMP HANSEN	MAJ H. F. FINNEY	401					401			
COMM SUPPORT CO	CAMP HAUGE	MAJ E. B. HART	298					298			
CO "C", 7TH ENGR BN	CAMP HANSEN	CAPT J. G. CELLI	70					70			
3D DENTAL CO	CAMP COURTNEY	CAPT E. J. LOFGREEN(USN)	93			35		58			
11TH DENTAL CO	IWAKUNI	CAPT W. C. BRANDON(USN)	22				22				
PLAT, 1ST FOR RECON CO	CAMP SCHWAB	CAPT D. WHITTINGHAM	37					37			
PLAT, 1ST BRIDGE CO	CAMP HANSEN	2DLT R. R. TEALL	31					31			
1ST 8" HOW BTRY(SP)	CAMP SUKIRAN	MAJ P. E. WILSON	143					143			
HQ, TF-79	CAMP COURTNEY	BGEN M. D. HENDERSON	24			24					
3D CIT	CAMP COURTNEY	CAPT D. R. KNEPP	22			9		13			

** IN ADDITION TO 3D FSR STRENGTH REFLECTED ABOVE THERE ARE 578 3D FSR PERSONNEL ON THE ROLLS OF 3D SERVICE BATTALION AND ARE REFLECTED IN THE STRENGTH FOR THAT ORGANIZATION

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	RECAPITULATION						TOTAL DEPLOYED FROM HOME BASE	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY, ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
			EAST PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	R/VN	OTHER		
TOTAL HQ FMFPAC	HAWAII	2,406	189	1,615	479	.	123		791	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE BRIGADE	HAWAII	2,401		2,211				190	190	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE DIVISION	EAST PAC	17,409	4,228		4,346		6,222	1,559	12,127	1054 (TRANSFACING)
TOTAL 3RD MARINE DIVISION	OKINAWA	19,345			1,988	92	17,261	4	17,357	
TOTAL FOR TRPS EASTPAC	EASTPAC	7,652	3,535		2,355		1,673	89	4,117	
TOTAL FOR TRPS WESTPAC	OKINAWA	3,835			898	22	2,882	33	2,937	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE AIR WING	JAPAN/OKINAWA	8,994			993	2,362	5,624	15	5,639	427 RVN
TOTAL 3RD MARINE AIR WING	EASTPAC	9,286	6,440	19	64	1,024	1,452	278	2,837	9 RVN
TOTAL LAAM BATTALIONS	EASTPAC/RVN	1,146	89				1,057		1,057	
TOTAL ATTACHED NAVY UNITS		1,913			29		1,884		1,913	
GRAND TOTAL		76,171	14,481	3,845	12,936	3,500	33,178	2,168	48,965	436 RVN; 1054 (TRANSFACING)

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

AS OF: 25 September 1965

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KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION
147	884	

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
1,690	284	517	950

NOTE 1: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY III MAF SINCE 8 MARCH 1965 ARE EXTRACTED FROM SITREPS DAILY AND ARE REFLECTED ON THIS SHEET.

NOTE 2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY ALL USMC UNITS AND ADVISORS SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON THE ADJOINING SHEET PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK AND DUE TO THE APPARENT TIME LAG, DOES NOT REFLECT ALL III MAF CASUALTIES SHOWN ABOVE.

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AS OF: 25 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS ROADS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOMREP	OTHER
HQ FMFLANT	NORFOLK, VA.	LTCEN A. L. BOWSER	856	856							
H&S BN	NORFOLK, VA.	COL D. L. MALLORY	(785)	(785)							
HQ SQ, FMFLANT	NORFOLK, VA.	MAJ J. F. JONES	(71)	(71)							
FORCE TROOPS	CAMP LEJEUNE	BGEN F. R. BOUKER	8,306	7,386	117	161		149	416		77
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT G.W. GEYER	374	363		1			9		1
2D FSR	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL H. WALLACE	2,560	2,302	49	29		45	135		
H&S BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.J. PEABODY	(771)	(706)	(13)	(2)		(10)	(40)		
SUP BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.A. SALSER	(810)	(693)	(32)	(9)		(23)	(53)		
MAINT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J.V. MANIS, JR.	(979)	(903)	(4)	(18)		(12)	(42)		
2D TANK BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.H. LEWIS	698	602	24	40		25	3		4
2D FORCE RECON CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J.H. CAROTHERS, JR.	144	144							
2D ANGLICO	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.A. NELSON	345	254		57			16		18
2D TOPO CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ O.G. CANDLER, JR.	108	84							24
2D BRIDGE CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J.J. DALZELL	185	179					6		
2D SEP SURGICAL CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	LT J.R. RENARD (USN)	11	11							
2D RADIO BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J. R. O'MARA	320	296							24
8TH ENGR BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL	1,064	861					203		
2D AMTRAC BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ W. C. BARRETT	727	636	44			44	3		
8TH COMM BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL B. E. HORNER	747	721					26		
2D FIELD ARTY GRP	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL W. E. MAGON	533	496		34			3		
8TH MT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL E.S. BAKER JR.	351	308				35	8		
4TH DENT CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT C.G. VENO (USN)	40	34					2		4
2D ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT F. J. LENNARTZ	12	12							
4TH ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT D.G. EIRCH	15	15							
6TH ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	1STLT O. SAENZ	14	12					1		1
2D CI TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT W. R. GENTRY	13	12					1		
2D HOSP CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J.D. CUNNINGHAM (USN)	45	44							1

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UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS ROADS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOMREP	OTHER
2D MARDIV	CAMP LEJEUNE	BGEN O. R. SIMPSON	17,554	14,550	1,217	298		1,480	8	1	
HQBN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL H.T. PITTMAN	1,489	1,446	20			16	6	1	
2D MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL C.H. BRUSH, JR.	3,450	1,346	849	168		1,087			
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J.W. HENRY	(283)	(281)				(2)			
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.E. HARREL	(1,048)	(31)	(849)	(168)					
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.W. DONNEL	(1,085)	(0)				(1,085)			
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL B.F. MEYERS	(1,034)	(1,034)							
6TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL J.N. MCLAUGHLIN	3,209	3,209							
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT G.B. SPERRY	(199)	(199)							
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL W.F. DOEHLER	(921)	(921)							
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.D. BOHN	(1,063)	(1063)							
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P.F. PEDERSEN	(1,026)	(1,026)							
8TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL G.F. RUSSELL	3,477	3,477							
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT K. N. JONES	(205)	(205)							
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P.A. DAVIS	(1,201)	(1201)							
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.B. ORD, JR.	(963)	(963)							
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. M. LUCY	(1,108)	(1,108)							
10TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL H. FOGGEMEYER, JR.	2,258	1,851	117	130		158	2		
HQ BTRY	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT W.L. HAMMACK	(237)	(236)					(1)		
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL L.M. PHELPS, JR.	(519)	(503)		(16)					
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ K.C. WILLIAMS	(456)	(455)					(1)		
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ W.R. GRUBAUGH	(613)	(338)	(117)			(158)			
4TH BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.E. YOUNG	(433)	(319)		(114)					
2D SERV BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL R.R. WEIR	1,065	982	40			43			
2D AT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.O. DILLOW	380	336	22			22			
2D MT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL E.K. VICKERS	289	259	30						
2D RECON BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. WESTERMAN	381	331	25			25			
2D ENGR BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL F.R. DENORMANDIE	712	612	50			50			
2D SP BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.D. MIZE	499	393	57			49			
2D MED BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LCDR N.E. WENGER(USN)	275	244	5						
2D DENT CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT R.L. JOSEPH(USN)	70	64	2						

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL, FMFLANT

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UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS RDS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOM REP	OTHER
2D MAW		MGEN G.S. BOWMAN, JR.	12,846	12,251	205	10	188	115			77
MWHG-2	CHERRY POINT	COL H. HANSEN, JR.	1,589	1,589							
MVSG-27	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL F.H. SIMONDS	1,910	1,910							
MAG-14	CHERRY POINT	COL A.D. SIMPSON	1,374	1,374							
MAG-24	CHERRY POINT	COL H.J. FINN	1,452	1,452							
VMT-1	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. DAWSON	203	203							
VMCJ-2	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. MURPHREE	324	324							
12TH FOR DENT CO	CHERRY POINT	CAPT L. YOUNG, DC(USN)	59	59							
MACS-5	NEW RIVER	MAJ J. A. REAMES	257	257							
MACS-6	BEAUFORT	MAJ F. I. DELANEY	349	349							
MAG-26	NEW RIVER	COL F. C. LANG	2,212	1,882	205	10		115			
MAG-31	BEAUFORT	LTCOL D. H. FISHER	1,514	1,437							77
MAG-32	BEAUFORT	COL F. C. THOMAS	1,603	1,415			188				
TOTAL			39,562	35,043	1,539	459	188	1,744	424	1	154

* DEPLOYING 10CT TO RELIEVE MACS-9.

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FMFLANT

25 SEPTEMBER 1965

AIRCRAFT DISTRIBUTION

UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
2D MAW		COMBAT 225 TRANSPORT 23 TRANS HELO 132 OBSERVATION 24	CHERRY POINT						
MWSG-27									
MAMS-27	199	4/T1A;2/C54;3/C117	CHERRY POINT	3/C54;2/C117;4/T1A					
VMCJ-2	324	9/EA6A;9/RF8A	CHERRY POINT	9 /RF8A;8/EF10					
VMGR-252	294	12/KC130	CHERRY POINT	12 /KC130F					
MAG-14									
H&MS-14	410	1/C117;2/T1A	CHERRY POINT	1/C117;2/T1A;7/A4C					
VMA(AW)-242	299	12/A6A	CHERRY POINT	12/A6A					
* VMA-224	211	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT						
VMA-332	183	20/A4E	CHERRY POINT	22 /A4E					
MAG-24									
H&MS-24	388	1/C117;3/T1A	CHERRY POINT	2 /T1A;1/C47;1/C117					
VMFA-323	393	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	20 /F4B					
VMFA-531	164	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	11 /F4B					
VMA(AW)-533	249	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	17 /A4C					
MAG-26									
H&MS-26	682	1/C117	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/C117; 4/UH-34D		3/UH-34D		2/UH-34D	
VMO-1	164	8/O1B;16/UH1E	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/O1B;4/O1C;12/UH1E			2/UH1E		
HMM-162	178	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	23/UH34D					
HMM-262	203	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	4 /UH34D;10/CH-46A					
HMM-365	108	6/CH46A;18/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/UH34D					
HMM-264	175	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	22 /UH34D					
HMM-265	173	24/CH46A	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/CH-46A;2/UH-1E					
HMH-461	161	12/CH37	MCAF NEW RIVER						

* TRANSPLACING RELIEVES VMA-225- 1 OCT

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FMFLANT

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UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
<u>MAG-31</u>									
H&MS-31	461	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C47;1/C117;2/T1A					
VMA-331	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	8/A4E					12/A4E(GREECE)
VMF(AW)-235	199	15/F8E	BEAUFORT	16/F8E					
VMF(AW)-451	179	15/F8D	BEAUFORT			13/F8D			
<u>MAG-32</u>						(ABD FORRESTAL)			
H&MS-32	404	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C117;2/T1A;1/C47H					
VMA-324	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	21/A4E					
VMFA-251	270	15/F4B	BEAUFORT	1/F4B	13/F4B				
VMF-333	164	20/F8C	BEAUFORT	16/F8C					

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND WEAPONS, FMFLANT

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<u>WEAPON</u>	<u>HOME BASE</u>	<u>AUTH ALLOW</u>	<u>HOME BASE</u>	<u>LANFORMED</u> 2-65	<u>GTMO</u>	<u>CARIBBEAN</u> READY FORCE 4-65	
106MM RECOILESS RIFLE	CAMP LEJEUNE	72	56	8		8	
81MM MORTAR	CAMP LEJEUNE	72	56	8		8	
107MM HOWTAR	CAMP LEJEUNE	18	18				
105MM HOWITZER	CAMP LEJEUNE	54	38	6	4	6	
155MM HOWITZER (TOW)	CAMP LEJEUNE	6			6		
155MM GUN (SP)	CAMP LEJEUNE	6	4		2		
155MM HOWITZER (SP)	CAMP LEJEUNE	18	18				
8" HOWITZER (SP)	CAMP LEJEUNE	6	6				
90MM GUN TANK	CAMP LEJEUNE	36	21	5	5	5	
120MM GUN TANK	CAMP LEJEUNE	17	17				
FLAME TANK	CAMP LEJEUNE	9	7		2		
HAWK LAUNCHER	CHERRY POINT	18	18				
ONTOS	CAMP LEJEUNE	43	35	5		5	
LVTP-5	CAMP LEJEUNE	115	93	11		11	

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LANFORMED 2-65

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UNCLASSIFIED	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIP	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
LANFORMED TF-62 LTCOL J. W. DONNELL BLT 2/2 2dBn 2dMar Btry I, 3/10 SU#2, H&MS-26 MAJOR NELSON Plat Co D, 2dRecon Plat Co B, 2dAmTracBn Plat Co A, 2dTkBn Plat Co B, 2dATBn Plat Co A, 2dEngrBn Plat, 8thMTBn Det, 2dServBn Det, 2dSPBn Det, 2dFSR Det, 2dMED BN Det, HqBn, 2dMarDiv Det, 2dDentCo, FMF Det, ACB-2 Det, MSL Det, NBG-2 Det, HqBn, MCB Det, UDT TOTAL	42 8 20 1 1 1 1 3 1 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	1018 126 93 23 42 24 22 24 34 45 47 44 9 19 0 0 0 0 19 0	4 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 3 3	33 1 2 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 17 0 2 38 17 51 0 16	TSAEHESI BAY, GREECE FOR EXER "DEEP FURROW".	PHIBRON-4 APA FREMONT APA ROCKBRIDGE LSD ASHLAND LSD FT. MANDAN LST GRAHAM CTY AKA MULIPHEN	WEAPONS 47 M60 Machine Gun 37 3.5 Rkt Lnchr 8 81mm Mortar 9 .50 cal MG 36 M79 Grnd Lnchr 8 106mm RR 8 Flame Thrower 6 105mm How 6 M50 Ontos 5 M48,90mm Tank VEHICLES 32 M422,Mighty Mite 8 M37 3/4T Truck 11 M274 1/2T Truck (Mule) 2 M51, 5T Dump Truck 3 M43,3/4T Amb 9 M35 2 1/2T Trk 11 LVTP-5 2 M543,5T Wrecker 3 M52,5T Trk Trac 1 M54, 5T Trk AIRCRAFT 8 UH-34D	73 75 15 15 10 30 15 29 NONE <	

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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65 TG 45.9	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
CARIB READY FORCE (LTCOL J.E.HARRELL)					AT SAN JUAN	LPH GUADACANAL LST YORK CTY LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK AKA CAPIRCORNUS	5 MG, Cal .30	47	I
BLT 1/2 (minus Co "C"(Rein) at GTMO)	50	1,250	9	127			28 MG, Cal .50	30	II & II(A)
1stBn, 2d MARINES (-)	31	784	4	30			55 MG, M-60	8	III(BULK)
Btry "G", 3/10	9	107	0	1			8 106mm RR	4	III(DRUM & RKG)
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	49	0	0			25 3.5 Rocket Launchers		
Plat, Co A, 2d AmTracBn	1	43	0	0			5 90mm Gun Tanks	28	III(A)(K)
Plat, Co B, 2d AT Bn	1	21	0	0			5 M-50 Ontos	30	IV(Non-Veh)
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	22	0	1			8 81mm Mortar	30	V
Plat, Co A, 2d Recon Bn	1	23	0	1			6 105mm Howitzer		
Det, 2d Force ReconCo	1	10	0	0			6 Flame Throwers		
SHORE PARTY TEAM							AIRCRAFT		
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	54	0	2			12 CH-37C		
Det, 2d FSR	0	49	0	0			2 UH-1E		
Det, 2d Service Bn	1	39	0	0			VEHICLES		
Plat, Co A, 2d MT Bn	1	29	0	0			36 M422 (Mighty Mite)		
Det, 2d Med Bn	0	1	0	4			7 M37 (3/4T Truck)		
Det, 2d Dental Co	0	0	1	1			33 M35 (2 1/2T Truck)		
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	19	0	0			11 LVTP-5A		
Det, NRG-2	0	0	4	87			34 M274 CLIW (Mule)		
HMH-461(-)(Rein) (Major HAWLEY)	31	171	1	2			2 M170(Ambulance)		
TOTAL CARIB 4-65	81	1,421	10	129			2 M54 (5T Truck, Cargo)		
					1 Mat Layer				
					1 M543 (5T Wrecker)				
					1 M49 (2 1/2T Tanker)				
					1 M52 (5T Tractor)				
					1 M62 (5T Wrecker)				
					2 M127 (Semi-Trailer)				
					7 M38 (Truck, Utility)				

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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

AS OF 24 SEPTEMBER 1965

MEDITERRANEAN

LANFORMED 2-65(32D ME)

BLT 2/2 & DET H&MS-26
(8/UH-34D) GREECE FOR
("DEEP FURROW".

MEDITERRANEAN

VMF(AW)-451(13/F8D)
ABD FORRESTAL AT NAPLES

VMA-331 (GREECE)
EX "DEEP FURROW"

GTMO AUGMENTATION

CO C, (REIN), 1/2
BTRY M, 4/10
DET H&MS-26(2/UH-34D)
FLAT 2D 155MM GUN BTRY

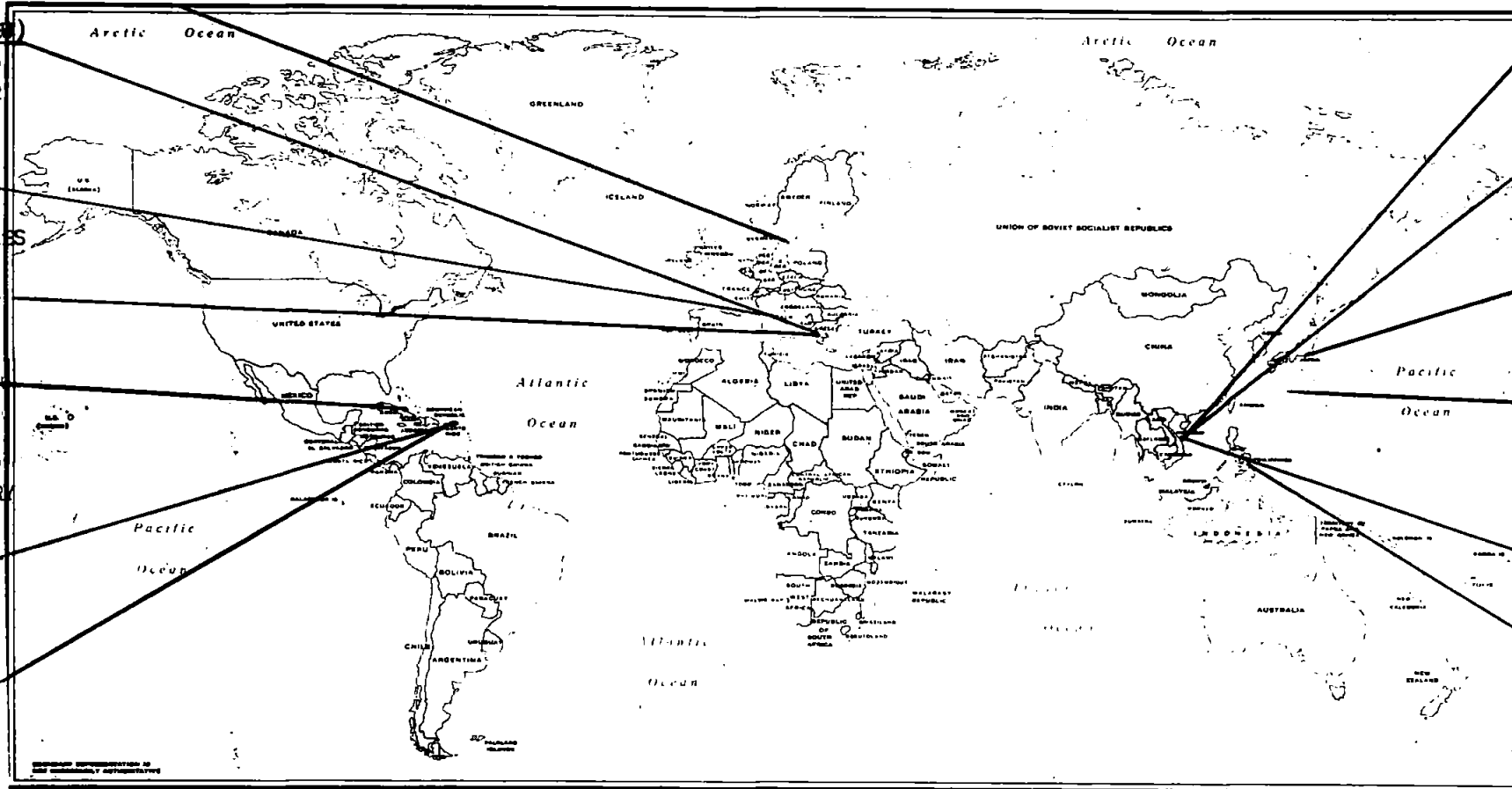
CARIB READY FORCE

1/2 & HMH-461 AT
SAN JUAN

ROOSEVELT ROADS

VMFA-251(13/F4B)

CO M, 3/6(EX "BARFROST") ENR GOTHENBURG SWEDEN ETA 27SEP65



SLF

BLT 2/1 & HMM-163 OFF
CHU LAI

HQ (-), 3D MAB

(ESTES) OFF CHU LAI
WITH SLF

USS HORNET (CVS-12)

H&MS-15 (4/A4C) AT
YOKOSUKA

3/5

LOADING AT OKI FOR
TRANSPACEMENT TO CONUS
ETA 7OCT65

III MAF

RVN

WEST PAC

VMF(AW)-212(12/F8B)
DET VMCJ-1(2/RF-8A)
ABD ORISKANY AT SUBIC

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

AS OF

24 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT

COMMANDER

DANANG

CHU LAI

PHU BAI

QUI NHON

OTHER

III MAF (-)

MGEN WALT

HQ CO (REIN), III MAF

HQCO

DET 3D CI TEAM

CAPT D.R. KNEPP

COMM SPT CO

MAJ HART

COMM CO 7TH COMM BN

DET, 1ST ANGLICO

MAJ ROMINE

DET, "J" 1ST RADIO BN

CAPT COLESCOTT

3D MARDIV (-), (REIN)

MGEN WALT

HQ BN (-)

MAJ WATSON

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)

COL NICKERSON

HQCO

CAPT NICHOLS

1STBN 1ST MARINES

LTCOL MCCLOSKEY

2D BN, 3D MARINES

LTCOL CLEMENT

3D BN (REIN), 4TH MARINES

LTCOL TAYLOR

3D BN, 4TH MARINES

4TH BN(-)(REIN), 12THMAR

LTCOL E.M. RUDZIS

DET, 3D MED BN

DET, 3D TK BN

DET, 3D AT BN

DET, 3D MT BN

DET, 3D SERV BN

DET, 3D ENGR BN

9TH MARINES (-)

COL GORMAN

HQCO

CAPT PROCTOR

1ST BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL LUDWIG

2D BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL DONAHUE

3D BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL TUNNELL

4TH MARINES(-)(REIN)

COL MCCLANAHAN

HQ CO (REIN)

CAPT BAER

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN (CONT'D)

24 Sep 1965

UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
9TH MT BN (-)(REIN)	MAJOR FINNEY	304				
1ST AMTRAC BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL POMEROY	366				
3D MED BN (-)	CMDR WILSON(USN)	153				
3D TK BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL RAPHAEL	390				
3D AT BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL HEFLIN	205				
DET, CO "A", 1ST AT BN		19				
3D ENGR BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL DENNIS					
3D ENGR BN (-)		526				
7TH ENGR BN (-)	LTCOL MEEKER	868				
1ST BRIDGE CO		103				
1ST MAW(-)(ADV)	BGEN MC CUTCHEON					
MWHG-1(-)(REIN)	LTCOL LUPTON					
H&HS-1(-)	MAJOR LIDDLE	687				
MASS-2	MAJ CUNNINGHAM	117	35			38 (PLEIKU)
2D LAAM BN	MAJ PENICO		540			
1ST LAAM BN	MAJ LONG	517				
MACS-7	LTCOL MILLER		199	20		
MAG-11 (-)	COL CONLEY					
H&MS-11	LTCOL BORTZ	381				
MABS-11	LTCOL PEARCY	418				
VMFA-513(15/F4B)	LTCOL STEWART	286				
VMFA-542(15/F4B)	LTCOL SAVAGE	314				
VMCJ-1(-)(6/EF-10B)(2/RF8A)	LTCOL GORMAN	126				

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN (CONT'D)

24 Sep 1965

	#COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
MAG-12 (-)	COL L. BROWN					
H&MS-12	LTCOL KIRKLAND		356			
MABS-12	LTCOL WILSON		413			
VMA-214(-)(18/A4C)	LTCOL O'KEEFE		200			
VMA-225(19/A4C)	LTCOL BAKER		185			
VMA-311(19/A4E)	LTCOL STENDER		257			
MATOU-67	CAPT KEANE		50			
MAG-16 (-)	COL O'CONNOR					
* H&MS-16(-)(REIN) (6/CH-37)	LTCOL GOEBEL	391				
* MAB-16(-)(REIN)	LTCOL VERNON	273		6		4
HMM-161(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MORRISON			184	48	
* HMM-261(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL PORTER	239				
* HMM-361(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL CHILDERS	241				
* VMO-2 (7/O1B; 21/UH-1E)	LTCOL BAUMAN	185				
MAG-36	COL JOHNSON					
H&MS-36	LTCOL MOONEY		318			
MABS-36	MAJOR KENNEDY		346			
HMM-362 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL ALDWORTH		189			
HMM-363 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL KEW	203				
HMM-364 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL LUCAS		198			
VMO-6 (18/UH-1E)	LTCOL ZITNIK		176			
FOR ENGR GRP						
30TH NCR	CAPT LIBERTY (USN)					
HQ, 30TH NCR		19				
NMCB-3	CMDR RUMBLE	559				
NMCB-9	CMDR ANDERSON	642				
NMCB-10	CMDR BANNISTER		617			
DET, NRG-1		47				

TOTALS

20,111

14,218

2,124

1,618

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38,178

* MARBLE MOUNTAIN (DANANG EAST)

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC

AS OF: 24 September 1965

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST- PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY, ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
HQ FMFPAC										
			HQ FMFPAC							
HQ FMFPAC	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	LTGEN V.H. KRULAK	2,406	189	1,615	479		123		
3 BN (REIN)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	COL A.D. CEREGHINO	1,543		1,075	468				
H&S BN	CAMP SMITH HAWAII		(1,514)		(1,046)	(468)				
** HQ FMFPAC/I MAC(FWD)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	MGEN S.S. WADE	((468))			((468))				
1ST ITT TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT R.D. DASCH	(15)		(15)					
5TH CI TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT E.B. BURLESON	(14)		(14)					
HQ SQ, FMFPAC	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ T. G. BUNCE	77		77					
VMT-2	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL W.E. DANIEL	189	189						
1ST ANGLICO (-)	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL MOREL	344		279			65		
1ST RADIO BN	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ STEWART	253		184	11		58		
1ST MARINE BRIGADE										
1ST MARBRIG	MCAS KANEOHE	COL R.H. SPANJER	2,401		2,211				190	
GROUND UNITS										
2 CO	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ W.K. HUTCHINGS	131		131					
1ST BN(REIN), 5TH MAR	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL H.L. COFFMAN	1,498		1,498					
SERV CO	PEARL CITY	CAPT G.H. TAYLOR	42		42					
DET, 5TH DENT CO	MCAS KANEOHE	LCDR J.J. KEENE (USN)	84		84					
BRIG MED SEC	MCAS KANEOHE	LCDR D.C. BIELER (USN)	45		45					
AIR UNITS										
VMF(AW)-212	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C.H. LUDDEN	190						190(ABD ORISKANY)	
VMF(AW)-232	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL N.M. TRAPNELL	194		194					
MACS-2	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C.E. TUCKER	176		176					
MATCU-62	MCAS KANEOHE	CAPT J.N. BACON	41		41					

** SU #2, HQ CO., COMMANDER, LTCOL W.D. HALL

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST- PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY ENR TO AREA INDICATED
1ST MARDIV(-)(REIN)	CAMP PENDLETON	MGEN FIELDS, CG, 1ST MARDIV(-)(REIN)(OKI) BGEN HURST, CG, 1ST MARDIV(REAR)(CAMPEN)	17,311	4,130		4,346		6,222	1,559	FORWARD CP ESTAB. AT CP COURTNEY, OKI. 1,054 OKI(TRANPLACING)
HQ BN	CAMP PENDLETON	COL J. P. TREADWELL	1,719	785		927			7(SLF)	
1ST MARINES	CAMP PENDLETON	COL B. B. MITCHELL	3,552	36		1,215		1,163	1,138	
HQ CO	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT MURPHY	(256)	(36)		(220)				
1ST BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL D. V. MCCLOSKEY	(1,163)	(0)				(1,163)		
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. T. HANIFIN, JR.	(1,138)	(0)					(1138 SLF)	
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J. R. YOUNG	(995)	(0)		(995)				
5TH MARINES	CAMP PENDLETON	COL V. J. CROIZAT	2,449	1,395						1,054
HQ CO	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT B. E. TOWNSEND	(246)	(246)						
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ J. R. CATT	(990)	(990)						
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. R. DICKEY, III	(1,213)	(159)						(1054) LOADING OKI TRANSPLACE
11TH MARINES	CAMP PENDLETON	COL O. F. PEATROSS	3,707	0				3,707		
HQ CO	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT D. E. THOMAS	(298)	(0)				(298)		
1ST BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J. P. KELLY	(1121)	(0)				(1121)		
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL L. UTTER	(1140)	(0)				(1140)		
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL C. H. BODLEY	(1148)	(0)				(1148)		
11TH MARINES (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	COL P. H. HAHN	2,296	684		694		689	229	
HQ BTRY	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT W. W. RUBRECHT	(238)	(73)		(165)				
1ST BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL W. C. OLSEN	(646)	(0)		(417)			(229SLF)	
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J. B. STRIBLING	(470)	(470)						
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL W. H. PECK	(555)	(0)				(555)		
4TH BN	29 PALMS	LTCOL J. F. CROWLEY	(387)	(141)		(112)		(134)		
1ST SERV BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	COL M. O. SADLER	839	354		485				
1ST SP BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. T. TAYLOR, JR.	543	143		186		157	57(SLF)	
1ST MED BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	OMDR R. H. MITCHELL (USN)	335	191		52		84	8 (SLF)	
1ST ENGR BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL L. W. HETRICK	761	153		429		131	48(SLF)	
1ST MT BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ R. L. DOERING	296	62		121		8	28(SLF)	
1ST RECON BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL A. J. SULLIVAN	398	99		173		102	24(SLF)	
1ST AT BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ R. E. HARRIS	416	228		64		104	20(SLF)	

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY/ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
			3D MARINE DIVISION							
3D MARDIV	OKINAWA	MGEN L.W. WALT	19,345	0		1,988	92	17,261	4	
HQ BN	CAMP COURTNEY	MAJ J.E. WATSON	2343	0		959		1380	4 (PHILIPPINES)	
3D MARINES		COL N.R. NICKERSON	3,432	0		1,029		2,403		
HQ CO	CAMP SCHWAB	CAPT D.L. NICHOLS	(304)	(0)				(304)		
1ST BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL W.L. LANAGAN	(1029)	(0)		(1,029)				
2D BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL D.A. CLEMENT	(1080)	(0)				(1080)		
3D BN	CAMP SCHWAB		(1019)	(0)				(1019)		
4TH MARINES		COL J.F. MCCLANAHAN	3313	0				3313		
HQ CO	CAMP SCHWAB	CAPT C.H. BAER	(276)	(0)				(276)		
1ST BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL R.J. PERRICH	(1000)	(0)				(1000)		
2D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL J.R. FISHER	(976)	(0)				(976)		
3D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL W.W. TAYLOR	(1061)	(0)				(1061)		
9TH MARINES		COL J. E. GORMAN	3557	(0)				3557		
HQ CO	CAMP HANSEN	CAPT R.D. PROCTOR	(175)	(0)				(175)		
1ST BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL V.E. LUDWIG	(1171)	(0)				(1171)		
2D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL W.F. DONAHUE	(1137)	(0)				(1137)		
3D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL R.J. TUNNELL	(1074)	(0)				(1074)		
12TH MARINES		COL J.M. CALLENDER	2292	0				2229		
HQ BTRY	CAMP SUKIRAN	CAPT B.K. CONNOR	(222)	(0)				(222)		
1ST BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL W.E. MCCAIN	(447)	(0)				(447)		
2D BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL J.K. KNOCKE	(349)	(0)				(349)		
3D BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL L.L. PAGE	(720)	(0)				(720)		
4TH BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL E.M. RUDZIS	(491)	(0)				(491)		
3D RECON BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL R. VAN CLEVE	475	0				475		
3D AT BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL B.A. HEFLIN	363	0				363		
3D ENGR BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL N.V. DENNIS	753	0				753		
3D MT BN	CAMP SCHWAB	COL E. COOK	362	0				362		
3D SP BN	CAMP HAUGE	MAJ J. M. DEAN	402	0				402		
3D SERV BN	CAMP MCTUREOUS	COL M.J. PADALINO	1814	0			92	1722		
3D MED BN	CAMP HANSEN	LCDR A.C. WILSON(USN)	302	0				302		

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLO /ENR TO AREA INDICATED
1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING										
1ST MAW	IWAKUNI	BGEN K. B. MCCUTCHEON	8,994	0		993	2,362	5,624	15	427 RVN
MWHG-1	IWAKUNI	LTCOL LUPTON	1,445	0		390		1,055		
MWSG-17	IWAKUNI	COL McDANIEL	1,634	0		368	1,266			
MAG-11	ATSUGI	COL R. F. CONLEY	1,609	0			57	1,537	15 (ORISKANY)	
MAG-12	IWAKUNI	COL L. BROWN	1,461	0				1,461		
MAG-13	IWAKUNI	LTCOL O. E. HOWE	1,039	0			1,039			427 RVN
MAG-16	FUTEMA	COL O'CONNOR	1,806	0		235		1,571		

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

3D MAW		MGEN F. E. LEEK	9,286	6,440	19	64	1,024	1,452	278	9 RVN
MWHG-3	MCAS EL TORO	COL E. E. SHIFFLETT	1,146	1,115				22		9(MASS-3)ETA DANANG 30C
MAG-15	MCAS EL TORO	COL C. KIMAK	1,645	571			1,024		50(HORNET)	
MAG-33	MCAS EL TORO	COL C. H. DAVIS, JR.	1,474	1,474						
MAG-36	MCAF SANTA ANA	COL W. G. JOHNSON	1,890	408				1,254	228(SLF)	
MWSG-37	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL A. W. CAMPBELL	1,769	1,686	19	64				
SU #1, MWSG-37	MCAS EL TORO	MAJ C. M. HAYES	667	667						
VMO-6	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. J. ZITNIK	210	34				176		
MACS-1	MCAS YUMA	LTCOL C. E. SHOWALTER	243	243						
MATCU-65	MCAS YUMA	CAPT T. L. SIMS	56	56						
MARTSAT-3	MCAS YUMA	MAJ P. J. JANNSSEN	65	65						
RMF AUG (YUMA)	MCAS YUMA	MAJ W. F. TAYLOR	121	121						
LAAM BATTALIONS			1,146	89				1,057		
1ST LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ G. C. LONG	517	0				517		
2D LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ E. F. PENICO	540	0						
4TH LAAM BN(CADRE)	MCB 29 PALMS	CAPT D. F. KELLER	89	89						

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST- PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY /ENR TO AREA INDICATED
FORCE TROOPS EASTPAC			FORCE TROOP UNITS - EASTPAC							
	CAMP PEN/29 PALMS	BGEN W.K. JONES	7,588	3,471		2,355		1,673	89	
1ST FSR	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J.E. GARNER	2,506	1,094		1,412				
1ST TANK BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL A.W. SNELL	677	196		264		188	29(SLF)	
3D AMTRAC BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL L.C. HARRIS	724	278		173		228	45(SLF)	
7TH MT BN	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ L.A. BONIN	333	181		82		70		
7TH ENGR BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL E.L. MEEKER	914	116				798		
1ST FORCE RECON CO(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ M.C. GAFFEN	131	7		85		24	15(SLF)	
1ST DENTAL CO	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT A.T. SMITH(USN)	90	59		22		9		
1ST BRIDGE CO(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT G.P. WUERCH	82	10				72		
1ST CIT	CAMP PENDLETON	1STLT D.D. SCOTT	15	15						
2D SSC	CAMP PENDLETON	1STLT W.H. KERR	6			6				
5TH-ITT	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT R.J. OBRIEN	13	13						
HQ CO	29 PALMS	MAJ K.W. TOWNSEND	229	229						
1ST FAG (-)	29 PALMS	LTCOL A.B. CLARK	612	417				195		
HQ BTRY	29 PALMS	CAPT R.A. AYERS	(125)	(125)						
1ST 155mm GUN BTRY(SP)	29 PALMS	CAPT D.S. DRUM	(129)	(129)						
3D 8" GUN BTRY(SP)	29 PALMS	CAPT J.D. RUANE	(214)	(163)				(51)		
3D 155mm GUN BTRY(SP)	29 PALMS	MAJ B.F. OUNLIFFE	(144)					(144)		
SUPPORT BN	29 PALMS	LTCOL D.W. SHARON	478	458		20				
5TH NOP(-)	29 PALMS	1STLT W.C. CLIMO	(50)	(30)		(20)				
7TH COMM BN	29 PALMS	MAJ T.W. HOPKINS	691	311		291		89		
1ST HOSP CO	29 PALMS	LT D.L. BOOHER(USN)	76	76						
5TH DENTAL CO (-)	29 PALMS	LCDR F. RULLIFFSON(USN)	11	11						

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			DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL								
UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY ENR TO AREA INDICATED	
			FORCE TROOP UNITS WESTPAC								
FORCE TRPS WESTPAC			3,835			898	22	2,882	33		
HQ III MAF	CAMP HAUGE	MGEN L. W. WALT	136					136			
3D FSR	CAMP SUKIRAN	COL H. F. STEVENSON	1,434			830		571	33(SLF)		
3D TANK BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL M. L. RAPHAEL	545					545			
1ST AMTRAC BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL W. D. POMEROY	579					579			
9TH MT BN	CAMP HANSEN	MAJ H. F. FINNEY	401					401			
COMM SUPPORT CO	CAMP HAUGE	MAJ E. B. HART	298					298			
CO "C", 7TH ENGR BN	CAMP HANSEN	CAPT J. G. CELLI	70					70			
3D DENTAL CO	CAMP COURTNEY	CAPT E. J. LOFGREEN(USN)	93			35		58			
11TH DENTAL CO	IWAKUNI	CAPT W. C. BRANDON(USN)	22				22				
PLAT, 1ST FOR RECON CO	CAMP SCHWAB	CAPT D. WHITTINGHAM	37					37			
PLAT, 1ST BRIDGE CO	CAMP HANSEN	2DLT R. R. TEALL	31					31			
1ST 8" HOW BTRY(SP)	CAMP SUKIRAN	MAJ P. E. WILSON	143					143			
HQ, TF-79	CAMP COURTNEY	BGEN M. D. HENDERSON	24			24					
3D CIT	CAMP COURTNEY	CAPT D. R. KNEPP	22			9		13			

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	RECAPITULATION						TOTAL DEPLOYED FROM HOME BASE	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY/ ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
			EAST PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER		
TOTAL HQ FMFPAC	HAWAII	2,406	189	1,615	479	.	123		791	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE BRIGADE	HAWAII	2,401		2,211				190	190	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE DIVISION	EAST PAC	17,311	4,130		4,346		6,222	1,559	12,127	1054 (TRANSFACING)
TOTAL 3RD MARINE DIVISION	OKINAWA	19,345			1,988	92	17,261	4	17,357	
TOTAL FOR TRPS EAST PAC	EAST PAC	7,411	2,941		2,708		1,673	89	4,470	
TOTAL FOR TRPS WEST PAC	OKINAWA	3,842			898	29	2,882	33	2,944	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE AIR WING	JAPAN/OKINAWA	8,994			993	2,362	5,624	15	5,639	427 RVN
TOTAL 3RD MARINE AIR WING	EAST PAC	9,286	6,440	19	64	1,024	1,452	278	2,837	9 RVN
TOTAL LAAM BATTALIONS	EAST PAC/RVN	1,146	89				1,057		1,057	
TOTAL ATTACHED NAVY UNITS		1,913			29		1,884		1,913	
GRAND TOTAL		74,055	13,789	3,845	11,505	3,507	33,178	2,168	49,325	436 RVN; 1054 (TRANSFACING)

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND WEAPONS, FMFPAC

AS OF: 24 SEPTEMBER 1965

WEAPON	AUTH ALLOW	EASTPAC	OKINAWA	HAWAII	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	AFLOAT	QUI NHON	
106mm RR	144	16	16	8	40	40	8	8	8	
81mm MORTAR	144	16	16	8	40	40	8	8	8	
107mm HOWTAR	36	6			6	12	6	6		
105mm HOWITZER	108	12	12	6	30	30	6	6	6	
155mm HOWITZER(TOW)	24				6	12	6			
155mm HOWITZER(SP)	36	6	12		6	6	6			
8" HOWITZER (SP)	12	6			4	2				
90mm GUN TANK	92	4	10		36	27	5	5	5	
FLAME TANK	21	1	8		8	4				
HAWK LAUNCHERS	37				19	18				
ONTOS	90	10	10	5	25	25	5	5	5	
LVTP-5/1C	252	43	39		86	77		11	11	
155mm GUN BTRY(SP)	12	6				6				

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

AS OF: 24 SEPTEMBER 1965

EMBASSY GUARDS	OFF	ENL 30	SUB TOTAL
ADVISORS	24	26	80
MACV STAFF	27	27	134
NAVAL ADVISORY GROUP	24	6	164
COMPANY "L", MARINE SUPPORT BATTALION	1	58	223
* III MAF	2,313	32,773	35,309
TOTAL	2,389	32,920	35,309
* DOES NOT INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING USN PERSONNEL	251	3,309	3,560

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

AS OF: 24 September 1965

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KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION
146	877	

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
1,681	284	516	950

NOTE 1: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY III MAF SINCE 8 MARCH 1965 ARE EXTRACTED FROM SITREPS DAILY AND ARE REFLECTED ON THIS SHEET.

NOTE 2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY ALL USMC UNITS AND ADVISORS SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON THE ADJOINING SHEET PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK AND DUE TO THE APPARENT TIME LAG, DOES NOT REFLECT ALL III MAF CASUALTIES SHOWN ABOVE.

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KAHSIUNG

1 DD

1 PHIB

INDEPENDENCE

2 DD

1 PHIB

HONG KONG

BOER

1 UER

2 PHIB

2 DD

1 SS

1 SS

2 DD

PHU BAIE

14/12 MAR

3/4 MAR

B H RICHARD

3 DD

1 SS

1 DD

1 SS

DANANG

1/1 MAR

2/3 MAR

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2/9 MAR

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CHU LAI

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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

AS OF: 24 SEPTEMBER 1965

CARIB READY FORCE 4-65 TG 45.9	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
CARIB READY FORCE (LTCOL J.E.HARRELL)					AT SAN JUAN	LPH GUADACANAL LST YORK CTY LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK AKA CAPIRCORNUS	5 MG, Cal .30	47	I
BLT 1/2 (minus Co "C"(Rein) at GTMO)	50	1,250	9	127			28 MG, Cal .50	30	II & II(A)
1stBn, 2d MARINES (-)	31	784	4	30			55 MG, M-60	8	III(BULK)
Btry "G", 3/10	9	107	0	1			8 106mm RR	4	III(DRUM & PKG)
at, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	49	0	0			25 3.5 Rocket Launchers		
Plat, Co A, 2d AmTracBn	1	43	0	0			5 90mm Gun Tanks	28	III(A)(BULK)
Plat, Co B, 2d AT Bn	1	21	0	0			5 M-50 Ontos	30	IV(Non-Veh)
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	22	0	1			8 81mm Mortar	30	V
Plat, Co A, 2d Recon Bn	1	23	0	1			6 105mm Howitzer		
Det, 2d Force ReconCo	1	10	0	0			6 Flame Throwers		
SHORE PARTY TEAM							AIRCRAFT		
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	54	0	2			12 CH-37C		
Det, 2d FSR	0	49	0	0			2 UH-1E		
Det, 2d Service Bn	1	39	0	0			VEHICLES		
Plat, Co A, 2d MT Bn	1	29	0	0			36 M422 (Mighty Mite)		
Det, 2d Med Bn	0	1	0	4			7 M37 (3/4T Truck)		
Det, 2d Dental Co	0	0	1	1			33 M35 (2 1/2T Truck)		
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	19	0	0			11 LVTP-5A		
Det, NBG-2	0	0	4	87			34 M274 CLIW (Mule)		
HMH-461(-)(Rein) (Major HAWLEY)	32	210	1	2			2 M170(Ambulance)		
							2 M54 (5T Truck, Cargo)		
							1 Mat Layer		
							1 M543 (5T Wrecker)		
							1 M49 (2 1/2T Tanker)		
							1 M52 (5T Tractor)		
							1 M62 (5T Wrecker)		
							2 M127(Semi-Trailer)		
							7 M38 (Truck, Utility)		
TOTAL CARIB 4-65	82	1,460	10	129					

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LANFORMED 2-65 (32D MEU)

BLT 2/2 & DET H&MS-26
(8/UH-34D) GREECE FOR
"DEEP FURROW".

CO M, 3/6 - NORWAY FOR EX "BARFROST".

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ABD FORRESTAL AT NAPLES.

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EX "DEEP FURROW".

CARIB READY FORCE

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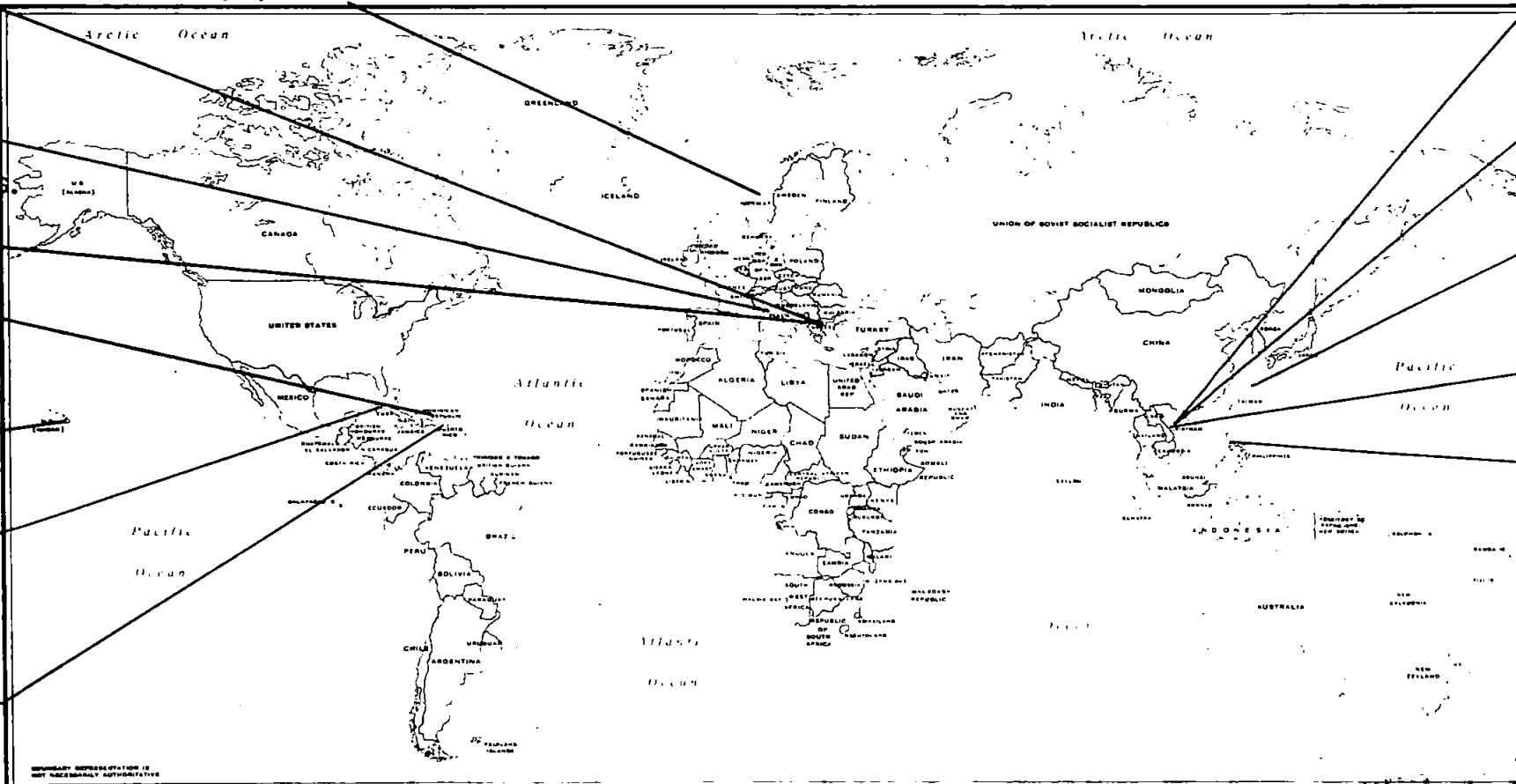
USS HORNET (CVS-12)
H&MS-15 (4/A4C) AT
PEARL HARBOR.

GTMO AUGMENTATION

3 C, (REIN), 1/2
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SLF

BLT 2/1 & HMM-163 OFF
CHU LAI.

HQ (-), 3D MAB
(ESTES) OFF CHU LAI
WITH SLF.

3/5

LOADING AT OKI FOR
TRANSPACEMENT TO CONUS.

III MAF

RVN

WESTPAC

VMF(AW)-212(12/F8B);
DET VMJ-1(2/RF-8A) ABD
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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

AS OF 23 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT

COMMANDER

DANANG

CHU LAI

PHU BAI

QUI NHON

OTHER

III MAF (-)

MGEN WALT

HQ CO (REIN), III MAF

HQCO

136

DET 3D CI TEAM

CAPT D.R. KNEPP

7

4

2

COMM SPT CO

MAJ HART

298

COMM CO 7TH COMM BN

89

DET, 1ST ANGLICO

MAJ ROMINE

65

DET, "J" 1ST RADIO BN

CAPT COLESCOTT

58

3D MARDIV (-), (REIN)

MGEN WALT

HQ BN (-)

MAJ WATSON

1,330

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)

COL NICKERSON

HQCO

CAPT NICHOLS

204

1STBN 1ST MARINES

LTCOL MCCLOSKEY

1,163

2D BN, 3D MARINES

LTCOL CLEMENT

1,080

3D BN (REIN), 4TH MARINES

LTCOL TAYLOR

3D BN, 4TH MARINES

1,061

4TH BN(-)(REIN), 12THMAR

LTCOL E.M. RUDZIS

430

DET, 3D MED BN

51

DET, 3D TK BN

25

DET, 3D AT BN

20

DET, 3D MT BN

48

DET, 3D SERV BN

150

DET, 3D ENGR BN

33

9TH MARINES (-)

COL GORMAN

HQCO

CAPT PROCTOR

175

1ST BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL LUDWIG

1,171

2D BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL DONAHUE

1,137

3D BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL TUNNELL

1,074

4TH MARINES(-)(REIN)

COL MCCLANAHAN

HQ CO (REIN)

CAPT BAER

276

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23 Sep 1965

UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
4TH MARINES (CONT'D)						
1ST BN, 4TH MARINES	LTCOL PERRICH		1,000			
2D BN, 4TH MARINES	LTCOL FISHER		976			
3D BN, 3D MARINES			1,019			
3D BN, (-)(REIN), 12TH MAR	LTCOL PAGE		720			
3D BN (-), 12TH MAR						
BTRY "K", 4/12						
BTRY "C", 1/12						
PLAT, 1ST 8" HOW BTRY						
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP)	MAJ GUNLIFFE		144			
DET, 3D TK BN			130			
DET, 3D AT BN			92			
CO "A"(-)(REIN)1STAMTRACBN			215			
CO"B"(-)(REIN)3D ENGR BN			148			
CO "C"(-)(REIN), 3D MT BN			67			
DET, 3D MED BN			98			
DET, 3D SERV BN			404			
DET, 3D SP BN			111			
DET, BMU			17			
DET, 9TH MT BN			97			
7TH MARINES (-) (REIN)	COL PEATROSS					
HQ CO	CAPT THOMAS		298			
1ST BN, 7TH MARINES	LTCOL KELLY		1,121			
3D BN, 7TH MARINES	LTCOL BODLEY		1,148			
3D BN(-)(REIN), 11TH MAR	LTCOL PECK		555			
CO B(-), 1ST TK BN			158			
CO A(-), 1ST AT BN			64			
CO A(-), 3RD AMTRAC BN			185			
CO C(-), 1ST ENGR BN			130			
CO C(-), 1ST MT BN			51			
DET, CO A, 7TH MT BN			70			

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN (CONT'D)

23 Sep 1965

UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
7TH MARINES (CONT'D)						
CO "C"(-), 1ST SP BN			157			
CO "C"(-), 1ST MED BN			50			
DET, 3D FSR			522			
2D BN(REIN), 7TH MARINES	LTCOL UTTER				1,140	2/7(REIN), OPCON USATFA SAUG.
BTRY "H", 3DBN, 11TH MAR					138	
DET, HQ BTRY, 3DBN, 11TH MAR					13	
DET, CO "C", 1ST MED BN					34	
PLAT, CO "C", 1ST MT BN					34	
PLAT, CO "C", 1ST AT BN					20	
DET, CO "A", 3D AMTRAC BN					43	
DET, 3D ENGR BN					46	
PLAT, CO "B", 1ST TK BN					30	
DET, 3D FSR					45	
3D RECON BN (-)	LTCOL R. VAN CLEVE	294	91	90		
CO C (-), 1ST RECON BN			79		23	
DET, 1ST FOR RECON CO	MAJ GAFFEN	61				
12TH MARINES (-)(REIN)	COL CALLENDER					
HQ BTRY (-)	CAPT CONNOR	222				
1ST BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL MC CAIN	447				
2D BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL KNOCKE	349				
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (-)	MAJOR WILSON	143				
BTRY "L", 4/12		101				
FOR LOG SPT GRP	LTCOL PADALINA					
3D SERV BN (-)		1,168				
3D SP BN (-)	MAJ DEAN	293				
DET, 3D FSR		169				
DET, 3D DENT CO (REIN)		47	12	4	4	
DET, BMU		19				
3D MT BN (-)	COL COOK	247				

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23 Sep 1965

	#COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
MAG-12 (-)	COL L. BROWN					
H&MS-12	LTCOL KIRKLAND		428			
MABS-12	LTCOL WILSON		452			
VMA-214(-)(18/A4C)	LTCOL O'KEEFE		199			
VMA-225(19/A4C)	LTCOL BAKER		189			
VMA-311(19/A4E)	LTCOL STENDER		204			
MATCU-67	CAPT KEANE		56			
MAG-16 (-)	COL O'CONNOR					
* H&MS-16(-)(REIN) (6/CH-37)	MAJOR MC MASTERS	280				
* MAB-16(-)(REIN)	LTCOL VERNON	229		6		4
HMM-161(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MORRISON			174	46	
* HMM-261(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL PORTER	240				
* HMM-361(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL CHILDERS	239				
* VMO-2 (7/O1B; 21/UH-1E)	LTCOL BAUMAN	154				
MAG-36	COL JOHNSON					
H&MS-36	LTCOL MOONEY	50	320			
MABS-36	MAJOR KENNEDY		315			
HMM-362 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL ALDWORTH		180			
HMM-363 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MC GOUGH	196				
HMM-364 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL LUCAS		137			
VMO-6 (18/UH-1E)	LTCOL ZITNIK	62	200			
MATCU-68		46				
FOR ENGR GRP						
30TH NCR	CAPT LIBERTY (USN)					
HQ, 30TH NCR		19				
NMCB-3	CMDR RUMBLE	559				
NMCB-9	CMDR ANDERSON	642				
NMCB-10	CMDR BANNISTER		617			
DET, NRG-1		47				
TOTALS		19,868	14,249	2,114	1,616	91
AGGREGATE		37,938				
* MARBLE MOUNTAIN (DANANG EAST)						

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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, SEVENTHFLT

AS OF 23 SEPTEMBER 1965

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STRENGTH

USMC

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OFF

ENL

OFF

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LOCATION

ASSIGNED SHIPPING

MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT

SUPPLIES

DAYS

CLASS

HMM-163 (LTCOL N. G. EWERS)	53	170	1	2
BLT 2/1 (LTCOL R. T. HANIFIN)	67	1545	7	92
2D BN 1ST MAR	39	1044	3	52
1 "B", 1/11	9	132	1	2
HOWTAR BTRY 1/11	4	79		2
PLAT CO "B", 3D AMTRACBN.	7	38		
PLAT CO "A" 1ST TKBN	1	28		
PLAT CO "A", 1ST ATBN	1	19		
PLAT CO "A" 1ST RECON BN	1	23		
DET, 1ST FOR RECON	1	14		
PLAT CO "A" 1ST ENGR BN	1	47		
PLAT CO "A" 1ST MTBN	1	27		
DET, CO "A" 1ST SPBN	1	54		2
DET, CO "A" 1ST MEDBN		1		7
DET, HQBN 1STMARDIV	1	6		
DET, 3D FSR		33		
DET, BMU-1			3	27
TOTAL	120	1715	8	94

OFF CHU LAI

LPH IWO JIMA
LSD PT. DEFIANCE
APA TALLEDEGA

WEAPONS

6 105MM HOW
6 107MM HOWTARS
5 90MM GUN TKS
5 M50A1 ONTOS
8 81MM MORTARS
8 106MM RECOIL RIFLES
97 M60, MACHINE GUNS
34 3.5 ROCKET LAUNCHERS
6 .50 CAL. MACHINE GUNS

VEHICLES

11 LVTP-5
48 M422, MIGHTY MITE
33 M274, 1/2 TON Tk
31 M35, 2 1/2 TON Tk
9 M37, 3/4 TON Tk
1 M51, 5 TON DUMP Tk
1 M60, CRANE

AIRCRAFT

21 UH-34D

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC

AS OF: 23 September 1965

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY/ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
HQ FMFPAC										
			HQ FMFPAC							
HQ FMFPAC	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	LTGEN V.H. KRULAK	2,406	189	1,615	479		123		-
H&S BN (REIN)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	COL A.D. CEREGHINO	1,543		1,075	468				
H&S BN	CAMP SMITH HAWAII		(1,514)		(1,046)	(468)				
** FMFPAC/I MAC(FWD)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	MGEN S.S. WADE	((468))			((468))				
1ST ITT TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT R.D. DASCH	(15)		(15)					
5TH CI TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT E.B. BURLESON	(14)		(14)					
HQ SQ, FMFPAC	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ T. G. BUNCE	77		77					
VMT-2	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL W.E. DANIEL	189	189						
1ST ANGLICO (-)	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL MOREL	344		279			65		
1ST RADIO BN	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ STEWART	253		184	11		58		
1ST MARINE BRIGADE										
1ST MARBRIG	MCAS KANEOHE	COL R.H. SPANJER	2,401		2,211				190	
GROUND UNITS										
HQ CO	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ W.K. HUTCHINGS	131		131					
1ST BN(REIN), 5TH MAR	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL H.L. COFFMAN	1,498		1,498					
V CO	PEARL CITY	CAPT G.H. TAYLOR	42		42					
DET, 5TH DENT CO	MCAS KANEOHE	LCDR J.J. KEENE (USN)	84		84					
BRIG MED SEC	MCAS KANEOHE	LCDR D.C. BIELER (USN)	45		45					
AIR UNITS										
VMF(AW)-212	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C.H. LUDDEN	190						190(ABD ORISKANY)	
VMF(AW)-232	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL N.M. TRAPNELL	194		194					
MACS-2	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C.E. TUCKER	176		176					
MATCU-62	MCAS KANEOHE	CAPT J.N. BACON	41		41					

** SU #2, HQ CO., COMMANDER, LTCOL W.D. HALL

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Missing 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC (CONTINUED)

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST- PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLO /ENR TO AREA INDICATED
1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING										
1ST MAW	IWAKUNI	MGEN K.B. MCCUTCHEON	8,483	0		1,003	2,147	5,318	15	427 RVN
MAW-1	IWAKUNI	LTCOL LUPTON	1,132	0		210		922		
MAW-17	IWAKUNI	COL McDANIEL	1,362	0		289	1,073			
MAG-11	ATSUGI	COL R.F. CONLEY	1,572	0			61	1,496	15 (ORISKANY)	
MAG-12	IWAKUNI	COL L. BROWN	1,528	0				1,528		
MAG-13	IWAKUNI	LTCOL O.E. HOWE	1,013	0			1,013			427 RVN
MAG-16	FUTEMA	COL O'CONNOR	1,876	0		504		1,372		

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

3D MAW		MGEN F.E. LEEK	11,822	6,629	19	64	1,024	1,548	273	
MWHG-3	MCAS EL TORO	COL E.E. SHIFFLETT	1,146	1,124				22		
MAG-15	MCAS EL TORO	COL C. KIMAK	1,595	571			1,024		50 (HORNET)	
MAG-33	MCAS EL TORO	COL C.H. DAVIS, JR.	1,474	1,474						
MAG-36	MCAF SANTA ANA	COL W.G. JOHNSON	1,878	408				1,244	223 (SLF)	
MAG-37	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL A.W. CAMPBELL	2,017	1,686	19	64				
Sc #1, MWSG-37	MCAS EL TORO	MAJ C.M. HAYES	667	667						
VMO-6	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R.J. ZITNIK	296	34				262		
MACS-1	MCAS YUMA	LTCOL C.E. SHOWALTER	243	243						
MATCU-65	MCAS YUMA	CAPT T.L. SIMS	56	56						
MARTSAT-3	MCAS YUMA	MAJ P. J. JANNSEN	65	65						
FMF AUG (YUMA)	MCAS YUMA	MAJ W.F. TAYLOR	121	121						
LAAM BATTALIONS			1,132	89				1,043		
1ST LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ G. C. LONG	509	0				509		
2D LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ E.F. PENICO	534	0				534		
4TH LAAM BN (CADRE)	MCB 29 PALMS	CAPT D.F. KELLER	89	89						

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC (CONT'D)

23 Sep 1965

RECAPITULATION

TOTAL
DEPLOYEDALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY,
ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	FROM HOME BASE	
TOTAL HQ FMFPAC	HAWAII	2,406	189	1,615	479	.	123		791	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE BRIGADE	HAWAII	2,401		2,211				190	190	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE DIVISION	EAST PAC	17,222	4,064		4,323		6,222	1,559	13,158	1,054 OKI
TOTAL 3RD MARINE DIVISION	OKINAWA	19,345			1,988	92	17,261	4	17,357	
TOTAL FOR TRPS EAST PAC	EAST PAC	7,411	2,941		2,708		1,673	89	4,470	
TOTAL FOR TRPS WEST PAC	OKINAWA	3,842			898	29	2,882	33	2,944	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE AIR WING	JAPAN/OKINAWA	8,483			1,003	2,147	5,318	15	5,325	427 RVN
TOTAL 3RD MARINE AIR WING	EAST PAC	11,822	6,629	19	64	1,024	1,548	273	2,928	
TOTAL LAAM BATTALIONS	EAST PAC/RVN	1,132	89				1,043		1,043	
TOTAL ATTACHED NAVY UNITS		1,913			29		1,884		1,913	
GRAND TOTAL		75,977	14,039	3,718	11,492	3,292	37,954	2,163	50,249	427 RVN; 1,054 OKI

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

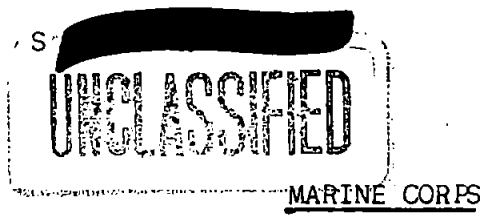
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EMBASSY GUARDS	OFF	ENL	SUB TOTAL
		30	
ADVISORS	24	26	80
MACV STAFF	27	27	134
NAVAL ADVISORY GROUP	24	6	164
COMPANY "L", MARINE SUPPORT BATTALION	1	58	223
* III MAF	2,307	32,545	35,075
	2,383	32,692	35,075
TOTAL			
* DOES NOT INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING USN PERSONNEL	204	2882	3086

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

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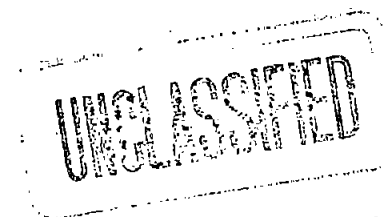
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KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION
146	873	

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
1,676	284	512	949

NOTE 1: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY III MAF SINCE 8 MARCH 1965 ARE EXTRACTED FROM SITREPS DAILY AND ARE REFLECTED ON THIS SHEET.

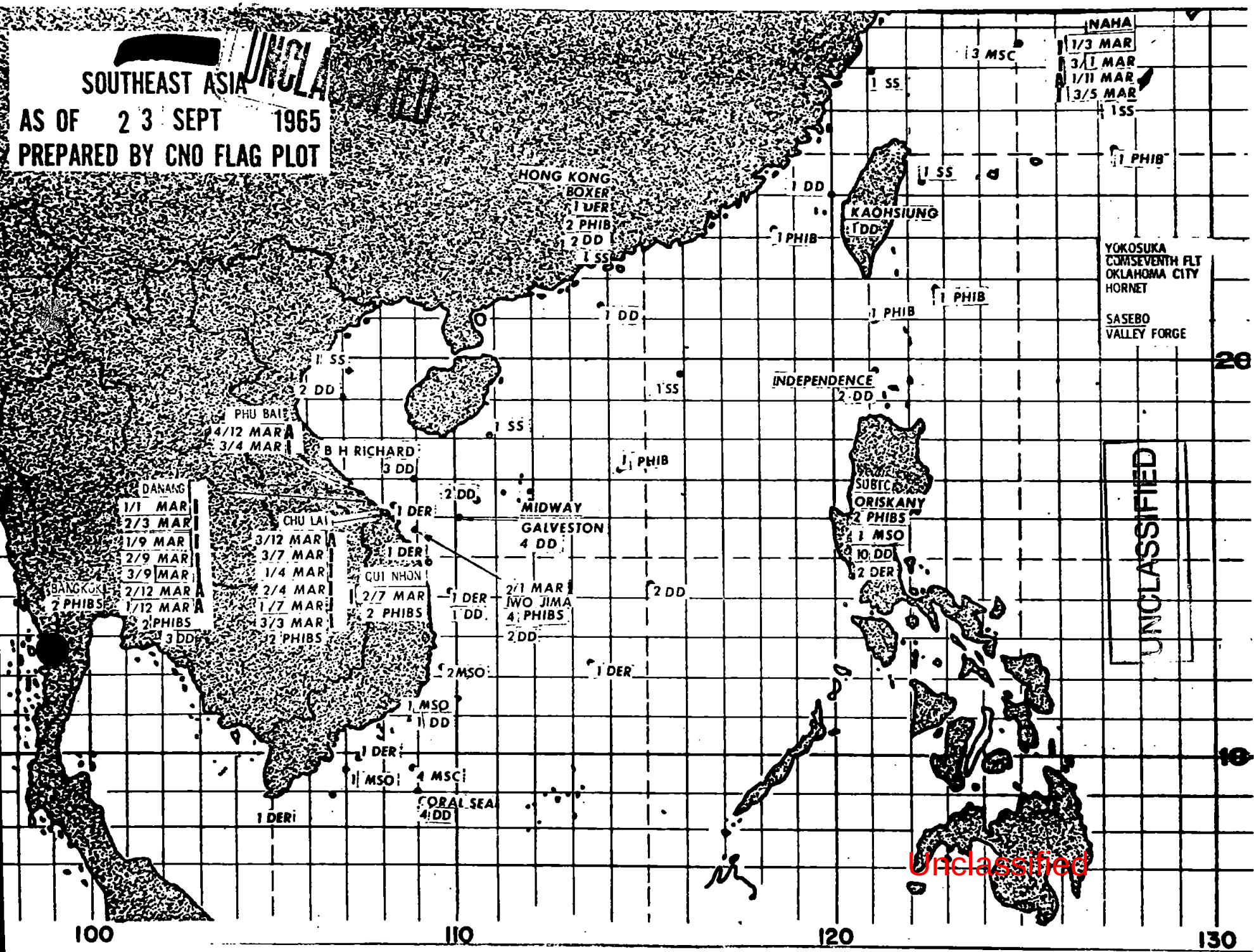
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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

AS OF: 23 SEPTEMBER 1965

CARIB READY FORCE 4-65 TG 45.9	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES		
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS	
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL						
CARIB READY FORCE (LTCOL J.E.HARRELL)					ETA SAN JUAN, P.R. 23Sep65	LPH GUADACANAL LST YORK CTY LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK AKA CAPIRCORNUS	5	MG, Cal .30	47	I
BLT 1/2 (minus Co "C"(Rein) at GTMO)	50	1,250	9	127			28	MG, Cal .50	30	II & II(A)
1stBn, 2d MARINES (-)	31	784	4	30			55	MG, M-60	8	III(BULK)
Btry "G", 3/10	9	107	0	1			8	106mm RR	4	III(DRUM & PKG)
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	49	0	0			25	3.5 Rocket Launchers		
at, Co A, 2d AmTracBn	1	43	0	0			5	90mm Gun Tanks	28	III(A)(BULK)
Plat, Co B, 2d AT Bn	1	21	0	0			5	M-50 Ontos	30	IV(Non-Veh)
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	22	0	1			8	81mm Mortar	30	V
Plat, Co A, 2d Recon Bn	1	23	0	1			6	105mm Howitzer		
Det, 2d Force ReconCo	1	10	0	0			6	Flame Throwers		
SHORE PARTY TEAM								AIRCRAFT		
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	54	0	2			12	CH-37C		
Det, 2d FSR	0	49	0	0			2	UH-1E		
Det, 2d Service Bn	1	39	0	0				VEHICLES		
Plat, Co A, 2d MT Bn	1	29	0	0			36	M422 (Mighty Mite)		
Det, 2d Med Bn	0	1	0	4			7	M37 (3/4T Truck)		
Det, 2d Dental Co	0	0	1	1			33	M35 (2 1/2T Truck)		
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	19	0	0			11	LVTP-5A		
Det, NBG-2	0	0	4	87			34	M274 CLIW (Mule)		
H-461(-)(Rein) (Major HAWLEY)	32	210	1	2			2	M170(Ambulance)		
							2	M54 (5T Truck, Cargo)		
TOTAL CARIB 4-65	82	1,460	10	129			1	Mat Layer		
							1	M543 (5T Wrecker)		
							1	M49 (2 1/2T Tanker)		
							1	M52 (5T Tractor)		
							1	M62 (5T Wrecker)		
							2	M127(Semi-Trailer)		
							7	M38 (Truck, Utility)		

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMEPAC TACTICAL UNITS

AS OF: 22 SEPTEMBER 1965

PARENT UNIT	WEST COAST	HAWAII	DANANG	CHU LAI	QUI NHON	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	OTHER
1ST MARINES			1/1				3/1		2/1 (SLF)
3D MARINES			2/3	3/3			1/3		
4TH MARINES				1/4, 2/4		3/4			
5TH MARINES	2/5,	1/5							3/5 Loading OKI for CONUS
7TH MARINES				1/7, 3/7	2/7				
9TH MARINES			1/9, 2/9, 3/9						
MAG-11			VMCJ-1 VMFA-513 VMFA-542						
MAG-12				VMA-214 VMA-225 VMA-311					
MAG-13								VMFA-314 VMA-211 VMA-223 VMFA-115 VMF(AW) - 312	
MAG-15									
MAG-16			HMM-261* HMM-361* VMO-2, *DET OF		DET, HMM-161	HMM-161(-)	HMM-263		HMM-163(SLF)
MAG-33	VMF - 334 VMA-121 VMFA-122 VMCJ-3		H&MS-16* (6/CH-37)						
MAG-36			HMM-363 VMO-6(6/UH1E)	HMM-362 VMO-6(12/ UH-1E) HMM-364					
MWSG-37	HMM-164 HMM-165 HMM-462								
1ST MARBRIG AVN		VMF(AW)-232							VMF(AW)-212 ABD ORISKANY IN WEST PAC

*MARBLE MOUNTAIN(DANANG, EAST)

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BUILD-UP OF USMC UNITS IN RVN

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>CUMULATIVE TOTAL</u>
3 AUG	III MAF	27,819	27,819
5 AUG	3D 155mm GUN BTRY (SP)	143	27,962
8 AUG	CO "A", 7TH ENGR BN	216	28,178
15 AUG	7TH MARINES (-) (REIN)	5,343	33,521
30 AUG	7TH ENGR BN (-) & 1ST BRIDGE CO (-)	618	34,139
1 SEP	MAG-36	1,699	35,838
1 SEP	BLT 3/7	1,375	37,213
10 SEP	2D LAAM BN	534	37,747
11 SEP	COMM SPT CO, 7TH COMM BN	89	37,836
11 SEP	MAG-16 (REAR)	72	37,908

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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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MEDITERRANEAN	CO M, 3/6 - NORWAY FOR EXERCISE "BARFROST".	SLF
LANFORMED 2-65(32D MEU)		BLT 2/1 & HMM-163
BLT 2/2 & DET, H&MS-26		OFF QUI NHON.
(8/UH-34D) GREECE FOR		
EX "DEEP FURROW".		
MEDITERRANEAN		HQ(-), 3D MAB
VMF(AW)-451(13/F8D)ABD		(ESTES) OFF QUI NHON-
FORRESTAL AT NAPLES.		WITH SLF
VMA-331 (GREECE)		III MAF
EX "DEEP FURROW".		RVN
CARIB READY FORCE 4-65		3/5
BLT 1/2 & HMM-461 ENR		LOADING AT OKINAWA FOR
VIEQUES. ETA 23SEP.		TRANSPACEMENT TO
USS HORNET (CVS-12)		CONUS.
H&MS-15 (4/A4C) AT		WEST PAC
PEARL HARBOR.		VMF(AW)-212(12/F8B);
GTMO AUGMENTATION		DET, VMCJ-1(2/RF-8A)
CC, (REIN), 1/2		ABD ORISKANY AT SUBIC.
M, 4/10		
DET, H&MS-26(2/UH-34D)		
FLAT, 2D 155mm GUN BTRY.		
ROOSEVELT ROADS		
VMFA-251 (13/F4B)		

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

AS OF 22 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT

COMMANDER

DANANG

CHU LAI

PHU BAI

QUI NHON

OTHER

III MAF (-)

MGEN WALT

HQ CO (REIN), III MAF

HQCO

DET 3D CI TEAM

CAPT D.R. KNEPP

136

4

2

COMM SPT CO

MAJ HART

298

COMM CO 7TH COMM BN

89

66

*DET, 1ST ANGLICO

LT. WASCO (USN)

DET, "J" & "K" 1ST RADIO BN

59

3D MARDIV (-), (REIN)

MGEN WALT

HQ BN (-)

MAJ WATSON

1,330

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)

COL NICKERSON

HQCO

CAPT NICHOLS

204

1STBN 1ST MARINES

LTCOL MCCLOSKEY

1,163

2D BN, 3D MARINES

LTCOL CLEMENT

1,080

3D BN (REIN), 4TH MARINES

LTCOL TAYLOR

3D BN, 4TH MARINES

1,061

4TH BN(-)(REIN), 12TH MAR

LTCOL E.M. RUDZIS

430

CO "C", 3D RECON

90

DET, 3D MED BN

51

DET, 3D TK BN

25

DET, 3D AT BN

20

DET, 3D MT BN

48

DET, 3D SERV BN

150

DET, 3D ENGR BN

33

9TH MARINES (-)

COL GORMAN

HQCO

CAPT PROCTOR

175

1ST BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL LUDWIG

1,171

2D BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL DONAHUE

1,137

3D BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL TUNNELL

1,074

4TH MARINES(-)(REIN)

COL MCCLANAHAN

HQ CO (REIN)

CAPT BAER

276

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN (CONT'D)

22 Sep 1965

	#COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
MAG-12 (-)	COL L. BROWN					
H&MS-12	LTCOL KIRKLAND		428			
MABS-12	LTCOL WILSON		452			
VMA-214(-)(18/A4C)	LTCOL O'KEEFE		199			
VMA-225(19/A4C)	LTCOL BAKER		189			
VMA-311(19/A4E)	LTCOL STENDER		204			
MATCU-67	CAPT KEANE		56			
MAG-16 (-)	COL O'CONNOR					
* H&MS-16(-)(REIN) (6/CH-37)	MAJOR MC MASTERS	280				
1AB-16(-)(REIN)	LTCOL VERNON	229		6		4
HMM-161(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MORRISON			174	46	
* HMM-261(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL PORTER	240				
* HMM-361(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL CHILDERS	239				
* VMO-2 (7/O1B; 21/UH-1E)	LTCOL BAUMAN	154				
MAG-36	COL JOHNSON					
H&MS-36	LTCOL MOONEY	50	320			
MABS-36	MAJOR KENNEDY		315			
HMM-362 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL ALDWORTH		180			
HMM-363 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MC GOUGH	196				
HMM-364 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL LUCAS		137			
VMO-6 (18/UH-1E)	LTCOL ZITNIK	62	200			
MATCU-68		46				
FOR ENGR GRP						
30TH NCR	CAPT LIBERTY (USN)					
HQ, 30TH NCR		19				
NMCB-3	CMDR RUMBLE	559				
NMCB-9	CMDR ANDERSON	642				
NMCB-10	CMDR BANNISTER		617			
DET, NBG-1		47				
TOTALS		19,869	14,249	2,114	1,616	92
AGGREGATE		37,940				
* MARBLE MOUNTAIN (DANANG EAST)						

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC

AS OF: 22 September 1965

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST- PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY/ ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
			<u>HQ FMFPAC</u>							
HQ FMFPAC	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	LTGEN V.H. KRULAK	1,912	189	1,552	31		140		
H&S BN (REIN)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	COL A.D. CERECHINO	1,034		1,013	21				
H&S BN	CAMP SMITH HAWAII		(1,001)		(980)	(21)				
HQ FMFPAC/I MAC(FWD)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	MGEN S.S. WADE	((21))			((21))				
1ST ITT TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT R.D. DASCH	(21)		(21)					
5TH CI TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT E.B. BURLESON	(12)		(12)					
HQ SQ, FMFPAC	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ T. G. BUNCE	75		75					
VMT-2	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL W.E. DANIEL	189	189						
1ST ANGLICO (-)	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL ALBERS	345		279			66		
1ST RADIO BN	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ SMITH	269		185	10		74		
			<u>1ST MARINE BRIGADE</u>							
1ST MARBRIG	MCAS KANEOHE	COL R.H. SPANJER	2,401	2,211					190	
<u>GROUND UNITS</u>										
HQ CO	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ W.K. HUTCHINGS	131	131						
1ST BN(REIN), 5TH MAR	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL COFFMAN	1,498	1,498						
SERV CO	PEARL CITY	CAPT G.H. TAYLOR	42	42						
DET, 3D DENT CO	MCAS KANEOHE	LCDR J.J. KEENE (USN)	84	84						
BRIG MED SEC	MCAS KANEOHE	LCDR D.C. BIELER (USN)	45	45						
<u>AIR UNITS</u>										
VMF(AW)-212	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C.H. LUDDEN	190						190(ABD ORISKANY)	
VMF(AW)-232	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL N.M. TRAPNELL	194		194					
MACS-2	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C.E. TUCKER	176		176					
MATCU-62	MCAS KANEOHE	1STLT J.N. BACON	41		41					

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMF PAC (CONTINUED)

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

22 Sep 1965

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY ENR TO AREA INDICATED
1ST MARDIV(-)(REIN)	CAMP PENDLETON	MGEN FIELDS, OG, 1ST MARDIV(-)(REIN)(OKI)- BGEN HURST, OG, 1ST MARDIV(REAL)(CAMPEN)	17,222	4,064		4,323		6,222	1,559	FORWARD CP ESTAB. AT CP COURTNEY, OKI. 1,054 OKI
HQ BN	CAMP PENDLETON	COL J. P. TREADWELL	1,422	642		773			7(SLF)	
1ST MARINES	CAMP PENDLETON	COL B. B. MITCHELL	3,685	(0)		1,384		1,163	1,138	
HQ CO	CAMP PENDLETON	1STLT J. P. JENNINGS	(192)	(0)		(192)				
3T BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL D. V. MCCLOSKEY	(1,163)	(0)				(1,163)		
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. T. HANIFIN, JR.	(1,138)	(0)					(1138 SLF)	
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J. R. YOUNG	(1,192)	(0)		(1,192)				
5TH MARINES	CAMP PENDLETON	COL V. J. CROIZAT	2,449	1,395						1,054
HQ CO	CAMP PENDLETON	1STLT J. T. OWENS, JR.	(199)	(199)						
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL C. E. MCPARTLIN	(1,196)	(1,196)						
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. R. DICKEY, III	(1,054)	(0)						LOADING OKI (TRANSPLACE)
7TH MARINES	CAMP PENDLETON	COL O. F. PEATROSS	3,707	0				3,707		
HQ CO	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT D. E. THOMAS	(298)	(0)				(298)		
1ST BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J. P. KELLY	(1121)	(0)				(1121)		
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL L. UTTER	(1140)	(0)				(1140)		
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL C. H. BODLEY	(1,148)	(0)				(1148)		
11TH MARINES (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	COL P. H. HAHN	2,500	868		714		689	229	
HQ BTRY	CAMP PENDLETON	CAPT W. W. RUBRECHT	(248)	(248)						
1ST BN	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ B. C. MARKS	(715)	(0)		(486)			(229SLF)	
2D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL J. B. STRIBLING	(479)	(479)						
3D BN	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL W. H. PECK	(555)	(0)				(555)		
4TH BN	29 PALMS	LTCOL J. F. CROWLEY	(503)	(141)		(228)		(134)		
1ST SERV BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	COL M. O. SADLER	965	354		611				
1ST SP BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. T. TAYLOR, JR.	431	65		152		157	57(SLF)	
1ST MED BN(-)	CAMP PENDLETON	CMR R. H. MITCHELL(USN)	337	165		80		84	8(SLF)	
1ST ENGR BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL L. W. HETRICK	634	113		342		131	48(SLF)	
1ST MT BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ R. L. DOERING	242	7		122		85	28(SLF)	
1ST RECON BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL A. J. SULLIVAN	408	204		78		102	21(SLF)	
1ST AT BN (-)	CAMP PENDLETON	MAJ A. J. EAGAN	442	251		67		104	20(SLF)	

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC (CONTINUED)

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLO /ENR TO AREA INDICATED
1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING										
1st MAW	IWAKUNI	BGEN K. B. MCCUTCHEON	8,483	0		1,003	2,147	5,318	15	427 RVN
MAG-1	IWAKUNI	LTCOL LUPTON	1,132	0		210		922		
MWSG-17	IWAKUNI	COL McDANIEL	1,362	0		289	1,073			
MAG-11	ATSUGI	COL R. F. CONLEY	1,572	0			61	1,496	15 (ORISKANY)	
MAG-12	IWAKUNI	COL L. BROWN	1,528	0				1,528		
MAG-13	IWAKUNI	LTCOL O. E. HOWE	1,013	0			1,013			427 RVN
MAG-16	FUTEMA	COL O'CONNOR	1,876	0		504		1,372		

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

3D MAW		MGEN F. E. LEEK	11,822	6,629	19	64	1,024	1,548	273	
MWHG-3	MCAS EL TORO	COL E. E. SHIFFLETT	1,146	1,146				22		
MAG-15	MCAS EL TORO	COL C. KIMAK	1,595	571			1,024		50 (HORNET)	
MAG-33	MCAS EL TORO	COL C. H. DAVIS, JR.	1,474	1,474						
MAG-36	MCAF SANTA ANA	COL W. G. JOHNSON	1,878	408				1,244	223 (SLF)	
MWSG-37	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL A. W. CAMPBELL	2,017	1,686	19	64				
SU #1, MWSG-37	MCAS EL TORO	MAJ C. M. HAYES	667	667						
VMO-6	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. J. ZITNIK	296	34				262		
MACS-1	MCAS YUMA	LTCOL C. E. SHOWALTER	243	243						
MATCU-65	MCAS YUMA	CAPT T. L. SIMS	56	56						
MARTSAT-3	MCAS YUMA	MAJ P. J. JANNSEN	65	65						
FMF AUG (YUMA)	MCAS YUMA	MAJ W. F. TAYLOR	121	121						
LAAM BATTALIONS			1,132	89				1,043		
1ST LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ G. C. LONG	509	0				509		
2D LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ E. F. PENICO	534	0				534		
4TH LAAM BN (CADRE)	MCB 29 PALMS	CAPT D. F. KELLER	89	89						

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC (CONT'D)

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	RECAPITULATION						TOTAL DEPLOYED FROM HOME BASE	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY/ ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
			EAST PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER		
TOTAL HQ FMFPAC	HAWAII	1,912	189	1,552	31	.	140		360	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE BRIGADE	HAWAII	2,401		2,211				190	190	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE DIVISION	EAST PAC	17,222	4,064		4,323		6,222	1,559	13,158	
TOTAL 3RD MARINE DIVISION	OKINAWA	19,345			1,988	92	17,261	4	17,357	
TOTAL FOR TRPS EAST PAC	EAST PAC	7,411	2,941		2,708		1,673	89	4,470	
TOTAL FOR TRPS WEST PAC	OKINAWA	3,842			898	29	2,882	33	2,944	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE AIR WING	JAPAN/OKINAWA	8,483			1,003	2,147	5,313	15	5,325	427 RVN
TOTAL 3RD MARINE AIR WING	EAST PAC	11,822	6,629	19	64	1,024	1,548	273	2,928	
TOTAL LAAM BATTALIONS	EAST PAC/RVN	1,132	89				1,043		1,043	
TOTAL ATTACHED NAVY UNITS		1,913			29		1,884		1,913	
GRAND TOTAL		75,483	14,039	3,655	11,044	3,292	37,971	2,163	49,818	427 RVN;

* UNITS ALERTED IN EXCESS OF ASSIGNED STRENGTHS. HOWEVER, FMFPAC HAS REQUESTED SUFFICIENT PERSONNEL TO BRING THESE UNITS UP TO INDICATED DEPLOYMENT STRENGTHS.

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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT

AS OF: 22 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
1ST MAW	IWAKUNI								
MWSG-17 MAMS-17	IWAKUNI			1/C-54 3/C-117 2/C-45 2/CH-19 7/TF9J 1/UH-34D					
VMGR-152	FUTEMA				7/KC-130F	2/KC-130F			
MAG-12									
H&MS-12	IWAKUNI						1/C-117		
VMA-311	IWAKUNI						19/A4E		
VMA-225	IWAKUNI						19/A4C		
VMA-214	IWAKUNI						18/A4C		
MAG-11									
H&MS-11	ATSUGI					1/C-117			
VMFA-513	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMFA-542	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMCJ-1	IWAKUNI			2/EF-10B		6/EF-10B 1/RF-8A			2/RF-8A ABD ORISKANY OFF RVN
MAG-13									
H&MS-13	IWAKUNI			2/C-54 4/TF-9J					
VMA-211	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-115	IWAKUNI			13/F4B					
VMF(AW)-312	IWAKUNI			18/F8E					
VMA-223	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-314	IWAKUNI			17/F4B					

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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT (CONTINUED)

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
<u>MAG-16</u>									
* H&MS-16	FUTEMA			4/UH-34D 1/C-117		1/C-117 6/CH-37			
* VMO-2	FUTEMA					7/O-1B 21/UH-1E			
HMM-161	FUTEMA							14/UH-34D	10/UH-34D AT QUI NHON
HMM-163	FUTEMA								22/UH-34D(SLF)(IWO JIMA)
HMM-261	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
* HMM-361	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-263	FUTEMA				25/UH-34D				
<u>MAG-36</u>									
H&MS-36	SANTA ANA								
VMO-6	CAMP PENDLETON					6/UH-1E	12/UH-1E		
HMM-362	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
HMM-363	SANTA ANA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-364	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
<u>1ST MAW</u>									
TOTAL FIXED WING AIRCRAFT				110	7	48	57		2
TOTAL HELICOPTERS				7	25	105	60	14	32

* MARBLE MOUNTAIN (DANANG EAST)

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

AS OF: 22 September 1965

MARINE CORPS

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KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION
146	871	

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
1,672	281	511	937

NOTE 1: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY III MAF SINCE 8 MARCH 1965 ARE EXTRACTED FROM SITREPS DAILY AND ARE REFLECTED ON THIS SHEET.

NOTE 2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY ALL USMC UNITS AND ADVISORS SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON THE ADJOINING SHEET PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK AND DUE TO THE APPARENT TIME LAG, DOES NOT REFLECT ALL III MAF CASUALTIES SHOWN ABOVE.

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SEASIA

AS OF: 22 SEPTEMBER 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
PHU BAI					
220 AVN CO FW	146				
DANANG					
I CORPS AVN CO (PROV)	UNKNOWN	6/O-1F;2/U-6A		311 ACS ;	12 /C-123
6TH AIRLIFT PLAT	53	10/UH-1B		DET, 13 TBS	22 /B-57
7TH AIRLIFT PLAT	171	10/UH-1B		DET, 509 FIS	6/F-102
CO C, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	95			DET, 38 ARS	1/HH-43B;3/HH-43F
				DET, 33 ARES & 31 ARES	4/HU-16
				20 TASS	23/O-1E
				DET, 436 TFS	18/F104C
FLEIKU					
HQ & HQ DET, 52 AVN BN	312	20/UH-1B;6/O-1F;1/U-6A		21 TASS	34/O-1E
119 AVN CO	172	25/UH-1B;3/O-1F			
219 AVN CO FW	151				
CO B, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	281				
AN KHE (ARMY ONLY)					
227 AVN BN		20/UH-1D			
1/9 CV		30/OH-13;38/UH-1B;20/UH-1D			
17 AVN CO		18/CV-2B			
#1ST CAV DIV (AIR MOBILE) &	18,616	100/OH-13;64/UH-1B;67/UH-1D;			
CMBT SPT ELM		32/CH-47;1/CH-54			

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

22 Sep 1965

U. S. ARMY

U. S. AIR FORCE

UNIT	STRENGTH	AIRCRAFT	LOCATION	UNIT	AIRCRAFT
QUI NHON					
92 AVN CO	182	16/CV-2B			
117 AVN CO	174	16/UH-1B;9/UH-1D;3/O-1F			
84th ENGR BN	898				
864th ENGR BN	893				
BAN ME THOUT					
CO A, 1 AVN BN	161	9/UH-1B;16/UH-1D			
KHANH KOA (ARMY ONLY)			BINH THUY		
* HQ 5th SPL FOR GRP	475		22 TASS		22/O-1E
NHA TRANG					
145 AVN PLAT	UNKNOWN	10/UH-1D	310 ACS		14/C-123
14 AVN BN	157	2/U-6A;8/O-1F			
18 AVN CO	205	24/U-1A			
BIEN HOA					
173d ABN BDE	4,057	2/U-6A;2/UH-1D	602 ACS		24/A-1E
1/503 INF			19 TASS		27/O-1F & 20/O-1E
2/503 INF			DET, 38 ARS		3/HH-43F
3/319 ARTY			307 TFS		18/F-100
E/17 CAV			1 ACS		23/A-1E;4/U-10B;7/C-47D;5/A-1G
D/16 ARM			429 TFS		19/F-100
173d ENGR CO					
118 AVN CO	187	25/UH-1B;3/O-1F			
CO A, 501 AVN BN	182	16/UH-1B;3/O-1F;9/UH-1D			

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U.S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

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U. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
<u>BIEN HOA (CONT'D)</u>					
CO A, 5TH SPL FOR GRP 2D BDE(-), 1st INF DIV 2d BN, 18th INF 2d BN, 16th INF	256 3,092	6/OH-23G			
<u>VUNG TAU</u>					
61st AVN CO CO A, 82D AVN BN 73 AVN CO	175 164	16/CV-2B 16/UH-1D; 9/UH-1B 6/OV-1A; 2/OV-1B; 4/OV-1C			
<u>CAM RANH BAY (ARMY ONLY)</u>					
1st BN, 18TH INF 1st BDE(REIN), 101 ABN DIV 62ND ENG BN 87TH ENGR BN	818 3,862 839 896				
<u>TAN SON NHUT</u>					
USASCV HQ & HQ DET, 145 AVN BN 74th AVN CO 120 AVN CO 197 AVN CO	1,206 132 108 173 179	9/O-1F; 1/U-6A 32/O-1F 25/UH-1B; 3/O-1F 25/UH-1B	DET, 509 FIS 7/F102 DET, 8 TBS 1/B-57 481 TFS 18/F-100 19 & 309 ACS 28/C-123	DET, 45 TRS 13/RF-101 DET, 405 FW 3/RB-57 DET, 552 AEW CW 2/EC-121 DET, 522 TFS 2/F-100D	
<u>VINH LONG</u>					
114 AVN CO CO A, 502d AVN BN	191 196	25/UH-1B; 3/O-1F 25/UH-1B			

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<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
CAN THO					
221 AVN CO	135				
CO D, 5th SPL FOR GRP	247				
13 AVN BN	179				
SOC TRANG					
121 AVN CO	182	16/UH-1B; 9/UH-1D			
CO A, 101 AVN BN	166	9/UH-1B:16/UH-1D			
TAKHLI					
			562 TFS	18/F-105	
			334 TFS	18/F-105	
			DET, 441 TFW	23/F-105	
			DET, 363 TRW	7/RB-66	
			DET, 38 ARS	2/HH-43B	
			DET, 41 ADV	21/F-105	
KORAT					
			DET, 18 TFW & DET 357 TFS	23/F-105	
			DET, 38 ARS	2/HH-43B	
UDORN					
			DET, 38 ARS	4/HH-43B	
			DET, 363 TRW	6/RF-101C	
			DET, 15 TRS	8/RF-101C	
			36 ARES	3/HC-54D	
			DET, 79 ARES	2/HC-54D	

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<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIR CRAFT</u>		
UBON							
				47 TFS DET, 38 ARS	18/F-4C 2/HH-43B		
DON MUANG							
				DET, 509 FIS VTBD TF	4/F-102A 4/KC-135A		
TOTAL A/C BY TYPE	ARMY IN RVN	AIR FORCE IN RVN		AIR FORCE IN THAILAND		TOTAL BY TYPE IN SEASIA	
In addition, there are	349 UH-1B	47 A-1E	6 HH-43F	18 F-4C	4 F-102A	47 A-1E	11 HH-43B
various non-tactical units	194 UH-1D	5 A-1G	1 HH-43B	103 F-105	7 RB-66	5 A-1G	6 HH-43F
in RVN possessing 52	79 O-1F	23 B-57	4 HU-16	14 RF-101C		23 B-57	4 HU-16
assorted utility A/C.	130 OH-13	7 C-47D	99 O-1E	10 HH-43B		7 C-47D	2 HC-54D
	6 OV-1A	54 C-123	27 O-1F	5 HC-54D		54 C-123	99 O-1E
	2 OV-1B	2 EC-121	3 RB-57	4 KC-135A		2 EC-121	27 O-1F
	4 OV-1C	57 F-100				18 F-4C	3 RB-57
	8 U-6A	9 F-102	13 RF-101			57 F-100	7 RB-66
	24 U-1A	18 F-104	4 U-10B			9 F-102	13 RF-101
	50 CV-2B					4 F-102A	14 RF-101C
	32 CH-47					18 F-104	4 U-10B
	1 CH-54					103 F-105	4 KC-135A
TOTAL ARMY TACTICAL UNITS	40,764						
TOTAL MISC UNITS NOW SHOWN	32,327						
TOTAL U.S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN	73,091						

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3 MAR
3 1 MAR
1 11 MAR
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1 SS

HONG KONG
BOXER
3 PHIB
2 DD
1 SS

PHU BAI
4 12 MAR
3 4 MAR

B H RICHARD
3 DD

INDEPENDENCE
2 DD

DANANG
1 1 MAR
2 3 MAR
1 9 MAR
2 9 MAR
3 9 MAR
2 12 MAR
1 12 MAR
3 PHIBS

CHU LAI
3 12 MAR
3 7 MAR
1 4 MAR
2 4 MAR
1 7 MAR
3 3 MAR
2 PHIBS

1 DER
1 DER
2 7 MAR
2 PHIBS

GALVESTON
MIDWAY
4 DD

2 1 MAR
IWO JIMA
4 PHIBS

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1 PHIB
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1 2 DD
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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT II MEF

22 SEPTEMBER 1965

AIRCRAFT DISTRIBUTION

UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
2D MAW		COMBAT 225 TRANSPORT 23 TRANS HELO 132 OBSERVATION 24	CHERRY POINT						
MWSG-27									
MAMS-27	199	4/T1A;2/C54;3/C117	CHERRY POINT	3/C54;2/C117;4/T1A					
VMCJ-2	324	9/EA6A;9/RF8A	CHERRY POINT	9/RF8A;8/EF10					
VMGR-252	294	12/KC130	CHERRY POINT	12/KC130F					
MAG-14									
H&MS-14	410	1/C117;2/T1A	CHERRY POINT	1/C117;2/T1A;7/A4C					
VMA(AW)-242	299	12/A6A	CHERRY POINT	12/A6A					
* VMA-224	211	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT						
VMA-332	183	20/A4E	CHERRY POINT	22/A4E					
MAG-24									
H&MS-24	388	1/C117;3/T1A	CHERRY POINT	2/T1A;1/C47;1/C117					
VMFA-323	393	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	20/F4B					
VMFA-531	164	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	11/F4B					
VMA(AW)-533	249	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	17/A4C					
MAG-26									
H&MS-26	682	1/C117	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/C117; 4/UH-34D		8/UH-34D		2/UH-34D	
VMO-1	164	8/O1B;16/UH1E	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/O1B;4/O1C;12/UH1E			2/UH1E		
HMM-162	178	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	23/UH34D					
HMM-262	203	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	4 /UH34D;10/CH-46A					
HMM-365	108	6/CH46A;18/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/UH34D					
HMM-264	175	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	22 /UH34D					
HMM-265	173	24/CH46A	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/CH-46A;2/UH-1E					
HMH-461	161	12/CH37	MCAF NEW RIVER				12/CH-37C		

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT II MEF

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22 Sep 65

UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
<u>MAG-31</u>									
H&MS-31	461	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C47;1/C117;2/T1A					
VMA-331	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	8/A4E					12/A4E(GREECE)
VMF(AW)-235	199	15/F8E	BEAUFORT	16/F8E					
VMF(AW)-451	179	15/F8D	BEAUFORT			13/F8D			
<u>M 32</u>						(ABD FORRESTAL)			
H&MS-32	404	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C117;2/T1A;1/C47H					
VMA-324	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	21/A4E					
VMFA-251	270	15/F4B	BEAUFORT	1/F4B	13/F4B				
VMF-333	164	20/F8C	BEAUFORT	16/F8C					

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMFPAC TACTICAL UNITS

AS OF 21 SEPTEMBER 1965

PARENT UNIT	WEST COAST	HAWAII	DANANG	CHU LAI	QUI NHON	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	OTHER
1ST MARINES			1/1				3/1		2/1 (SLF)
3D MARINES			2/3	3/3			1/3		
4TH MARINES				1/4, 2/4		3/4			
5TH MARINES	2/5,	1/5							3/5 ENR OKI-RELIEF OF 1/3
7TH MARINES				1/7, 3/7	2/7				
9 MARINES			1/9, 2/9, 3/9						
MAG-11			VMCJ-1 VMFA-513 VMFA-542						
MAG-12				VMA-214 VMA-225 VMA-311					
MAG-13								VMFA-314 VMA-211 VMA-223 VMFA-115 VMF(AW)-312	
MAG-15									
MAG-16			HMM-261* HMM-361 VMO-2, DET OF		DET, HMM-161	HMM-161(-)	HMM-263		HMM-163(SLF)
MAG-33	VMF-334 VMA-121 VMFA-122 VMCJ-3		H&MS-36 (6/CH-37)						
MAG-36			HMM-363 VMO-6(6/UH1E)	HMM-362 VMO-6(12/ UH-1E) HMM-364					
MWSG-37	HMM-164 HMM-165 HMM-462								
1ST MARBRIG AVN		VMF(AW)-232							VMF(AW)-212 ABD ORISKANY IN WESTPAC

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*MARBLE MOUNTAIN(DANANG EAST)

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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

AS OF 21 SEPTEMBER 1965

MEDITERRANEAN

LANFORMED 2-65(32D MEU)

CO M, 3/6 - NORWAY FOR EX "BARFROST".

BLT 2/2 & DET, H&MS-26
(8/UH-34D) GREECE FOR
EX "DEEP FURROW".

MED TERRANEAN

VMF(AW)-451(13/F8D) ABD
FORRESTAL AT NAPLES.

VMA-331 (GREECE)
EX "DEEP FURROW".

CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

BLT 1/2 & HMM-461 ENR
VIEQUES. ETA 23SEP.

USS HORNET (CVS-12)
H&MS-15 (4/A4C) AT
PEARL HARBOR.

GIMO AUGMENTATION

CO C, (REIN), 1/2
BTR, 4/10
DE. H&MS-26(2/UH-34D)
PLAT, 2D 155MM GUN BTRY.

ROOSEVELT ROADS

VMFA-251 (13/F4B)

SLF

BLT 2/1 & HMM-163
OFF QUI NHON.

3/5

ENR OKI. ETA 22SEP.
(TRANSPACEMENT).

III MAF

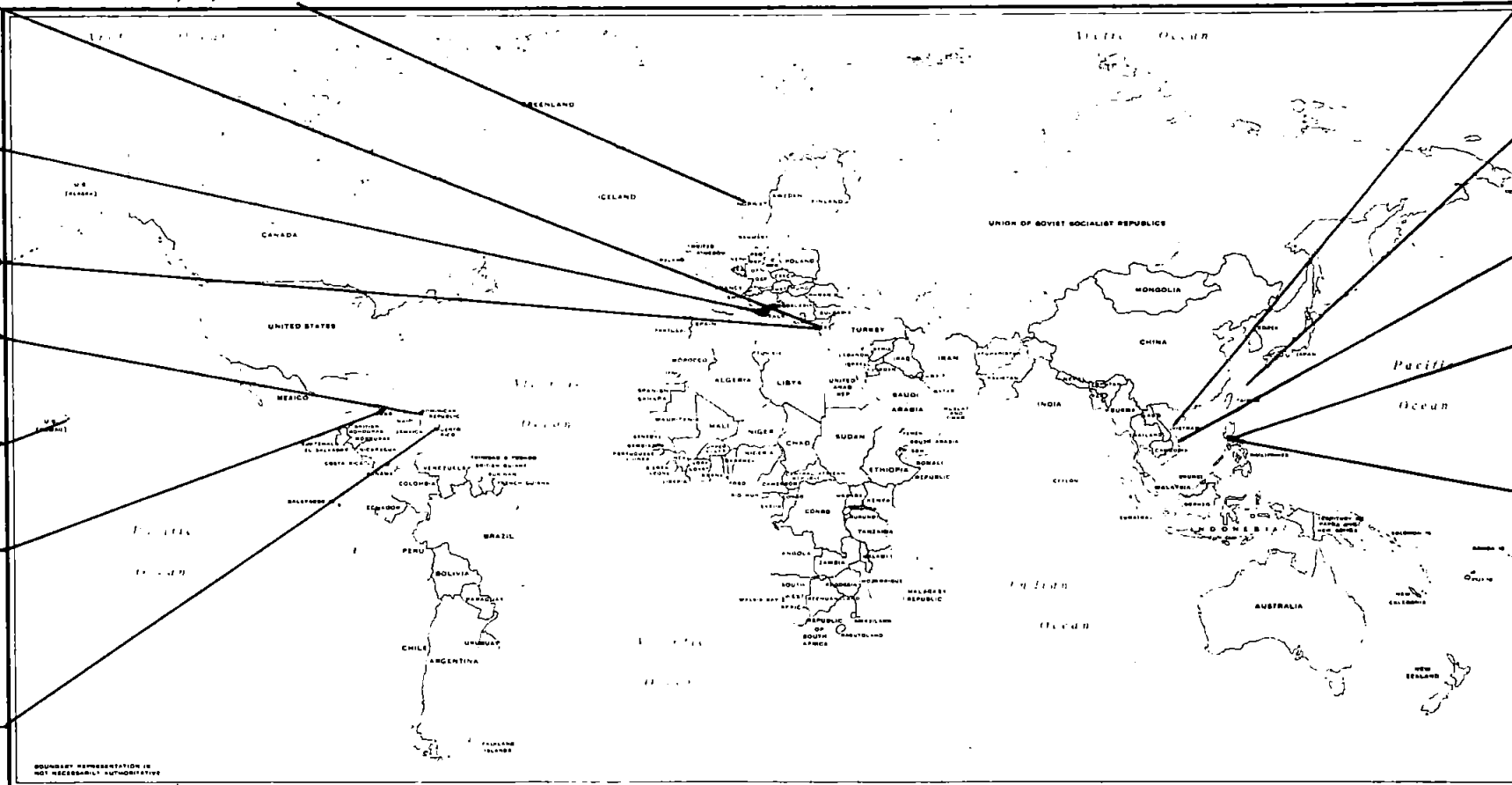
RVN

WEST PAC

VMF(AW)-212(12/F8B);
DET, VM CJ-1(2/RF-8A)
ABD ORISKANY AT SUBIC.

HQ (-), 3D MAB

(ESTES) SUBIC.



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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

AS OF 21 September 1965

	BATTALIONS	VMFA	VMF	VMF(AW)	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM/HMH	VMO	VMGR	OTHER
WEST PAC	15	4		2	5		1	8	2	1	
RVN	(12)	(2)			(3)		(1(-))	(6)	(2)		
AFLOAT	(1)			(1)*			(DET)	(1)			
OKINAWA/JAPAN	(2)	(2)		(1)	(2)			(1)		(1)	
PAC	1			1							
HAWAII	(1)			(1)							
EAST PAC	2	1	1		1		1	3		1	
WEST COAST	(1)	(1)	(1)		(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)	
AFLOAT	(1)										
ATLANTIC	8	3	1	1	4	2	1	6	1	1	
EAST COAST	(7)	(2)	(1)	(1)	(3)	(2)	(1)	(5)	(1)	(1)	
CARIBBEAN	(1)	(1)			(1)			(1)			
SOPE	1			1				1 DET			
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)			(1)				(1 DET)			
GRAND TOTAL	27	8	2	5	10	2	3	17	3	3	

* FROM MIDPAC ABOARD ORISKANY FOR EXTENDED WESTPAC DEPLOYMENT.

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

AS OF 21 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
III MAF (-)	MGEN WALT					
HQ CO (REIN), III MAF						
HQCO		136				
DET 3D CI TEAM	CAPT D.R. KNEPP	7	4	2		
COMM SPT CO	MAJ HART	298				
COMM CO 7TH COMM BN		89				66
*DET, 1ST ANGLICO	LT. WASCO (USN)					
DET, "J" & "K" 1ST RADIO BN		59				
3D MARDIV (-), (REIN)	MGEN WALT					
HQ BN (-)	MAJ WATSON	1,330				
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)	COL NICKERSON					
HQCO	CAPT NICHOLS	204				
1STBN 1ST MARINES	LTCOL MCCLOSKEY	1,163				
2D BN, 3D MARINES	LTCOL CLEMENT	1,080				
3D BN (REIN), 4TH MARINES	LTCOL TAYLOR					
3D BN, 4TH MARINES				1,061		
4TH BN(-)(REIN), 12TH MAR	LTCOL E.M. RUDZIS			430		
CO "C", 3D RECON				90		
DET, 3D MED BN				51		
DET, 3D TK BN				25		
DET, 3D AT BN				20		
DET, 3D MT BN				48		
DET, 3D SERV BN				150		
DET, 3D ENGR BN				33		
9TH MARINES (-)	COL GORMAN					
HQCO	CAPT PROCTOR	175				
1ST BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL LUDWIG	1,171				
2D BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL DONAHUE	1,137				
3D BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL TUNNELL	1,074				
4TH MARINES(-)(REIN)	COL MCCLANAHAN					
HQ CO (REIN)	CAPT BAER		276			

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN (CONT'D)

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UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
4TH MARINES (CONT'D)						
1ST BN, 4TH MARINES	LTCOL PERRICH		1,000			
2D BN, 4TH MARINES	LTCOL FISHER		976			
3D BN, 3D MARINES			1,019			
3D BN, (-)(REIN), 12TH MAR	LTCOL PAGE		720			
3D BN (-), 12TH MAR						
BTRY "K", 4/12						
BTRY "C", 1/12						
PLAT, 1ST 8" HOW BTRY						
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP)	MAJ GUNLIFFE		144			
CO "B", 3D RECON BN			91			
DET, 3D TK BN			130			
DET, 3D AT BN			92			
CO "A"(-)(REIN) 1ST AMTRAC BN			215			
CO "B"(-)(REIN) 3D ENGR BN			148			
CO "C"(-)(REIN), 3D MT BN			67			
DET, 3D MED BN			98			
DET, 3D SERV BN			404			
DET, 3D SP BN			111			
DET, BMU			17			
DET, 9TH MT BN			97			
7TH MARINES (-) (REIN)	COL PEATROSS					
HQ CO	CAPT THOMAS		298			
1ST BN, 7TH MARINES	LTCOL KELLY		1,121			
3D BN, 7TH MARINES	LTCOL BODLEY		1,148			
3D BN(-)(REIN), 11TH MAR	LTCOL PECK		555			
CO C(-), 1ST RECON BN			79			
CO B(-), 1ST TK BN			158			
CO A(-), 1ST AT BN			64			
CO A(-), 3RD AMTRAC BN			185			
CO C(-), 1ST ENGR BN			130			
CO C(-), 1ST MT BN			51			
DET, CO A, 7TH MT BN			70			

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OTHER

	#COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
MAG-12 (-)	COL NOBLE					
H&MS-12	LTCOL KIRKLAND		428			
MABS-12	LTCOL WILSON		452			
VMA-214(-)(18/A4C)	LTCOL O'KEEFE		199			
VMA-225(19/A4C)	LTCOL BAKER		189			
VMA-311(19/A4E)	LTCOL STENDER		204			
MATCU-67	CAPT KEANE		56			
MAG-16 (-)	COL O'CONNOR					
H&MS-16(-)(REIN) (6/CH-37)	MAJOR MC MASTERS	280				
MAB-16(-)(REIN)	LTCOL VERNON	229		6		4
HMM-161(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MORRISON			174	46	
HMM-261(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL PORTER	240				
HMM-361(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL CHILDERS	239				
VMO-2 (7/O1B; 21/UH-1E)	LTCOL BAUMAN	154				
MAG-36	COL JOHNSON					
H&MS-36	LTCOL MOONEY	50	320			
MABS-36	MAJOR KENNEDY		315			
HMM-362 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL ALDWORTH		180			
HMM-363 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MC GOUGH	196				
HMM-364 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL LUCAS		137			
VMO-6 (18/UH-1E)	LTCOL ZITNIK	62	200			
MATCU-68		46				
FOR ENGR GRP						
30TH NCR	CAPT LIBERTY (USN)					
HQ, 30TH NCR		19				
NMCB-3	CMDR RUMBLE	559				
NMCB-9	CMDR ANDERSON	642				
NMCB-10	CMDR BANNISTER		617			
DET, NRG-1		47				
TOTALS		19,869	14,249	2,114	1,616	92
AGGREGATE		37,940				

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC

AS OF: 21 SEPTEMBER 1965

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY/ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
<u>HQ FMFPAC</u>										
HQ FMFPAC	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	LTGEN V.H. KRULAK	1,912	189	1,552	31		140		
H&S BN (REIN)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	COL A.D. CEREGHINO	1,034		1,013	21				
BN	CAMP SMITH HAWAII		(1,001)		(980)	(21)				
FMFPAC/I MAC(FWD)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	MGEN S.S. WADE	((21))			((21))				
1ST ITT TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT R.D. DASCH	(21)		(21)					
5TH CI TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT E.B. BURLESON	(12)		(12)					
HQ SQ, FMFPAC	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ T. G. BUNCE	75		75					
VMT-2	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL W.E. DANIEL	189	189						
1ST ANGLICO (-)	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL ALBERS	345		279			66		
1ST RADIO BN	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ SMITH	269		185	10		74		
<u>1ST MARINE BRIGADE</u>										
1ST MARBRIG	MCAS KANEOHE	COL R.H. SPANJER	2,257		2,084				173	
<u>GROUND UNITS</u>										
HQ CO	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL W.H. MACKLIN	147		147					
1ST BN(REIN), 5TH MAR	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL COFFMAN	1,412		1,412					
V CO	PEARL CITY	CAPT G.H. TAYLOR	43		43					
DET, 3D DENT CO	MCAS KANEOHE	CAPT A.L. TIETEL (USN)	12		12					
BRIG MED SEC	MCAS KANEOHE	LCDR E.T. STEWART (USN)	37		37					
<u>AIR UNITS</u>										
VMF(AW)-212	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C.H. LUDDEN	173	0					173 (ABD ORISKANY)	
VMF(AW)-232	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL N.M. TRAPNELL	210		210					
MACS-2	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C.E. TUCKER	180		180					
MATCU-62	MCAS KANEOHE	1STLT BACON	43		43					

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY/ ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
3D MARDIV	OKINAWA	MGEN L.W. WALT	19,345	0		1,988	92	17,261	4	
HQ BN	CAMP COURTNEY	MAJ J.E. WATSON	2343	0		959		1380	4	(PHILIPPINES)
3D MARINES		COL N.R. NICKERSON	3432	0		1,029		3432		
HQ CO	CAMP SCHWAB	CAPT D.L. NICHOLS	(204)	(0)				(204)		
1ST BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL W.L. LANAGAN	(1029)	(0)		(1,029)				
BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL D.A. CLEMENT	(1080)	(0)				(1080)		
3D BN	CAMP SCHWAB		(1019)	(0)				(1019)		
4TH MARINES		COL J.F. MCCLANAHAN	3313	0				3313		
HQ CO	CAMP SCHWAB	CAPT C.H. BAER	(276)	(0)				(276)		
1ST BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL R.J. PERRICH	(1000)	(0)				(1000)		
2D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL J.R. FISHER	(976)	(0)				(976)		
3D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL W.W. TAYLOR	(1061)	(0)				(1061)		
9TH MARINES		COL J. E. GORMAN	3557	(0)				3557		
HQ CO	CAMP HANSEN	CAPT R.D. PROCTOR	(175)	(0)				(175)		
1ST BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL V.E. LUDWIG	(1171)	(0)				(1171)		
2D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL W.F. DONAHUE	(1137)	(0)				(1137)		
3D BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL R.J. TUNNELL	(1074)	(0)				(1074)		
12TH MARINES		COL J.M. CALLENDER	2299	0				2299		
BTRY	CAMP SUKIRAN	CAPT B.K. CONNOR	(222)	(0)				(222)		
1ST BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL W.E. MCCAIN	(447)	(0)				(447)		
2D BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL J.K. KNOCKE	(349)	(0)				(349)		
3D BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL L.L. PAGE	(720)	(0)				(720)		
4TH BN	CAMP SUKIRAN	LTCOL E.M. RUDZIS	(491)	(0)				(491)		
3D RECON BN	CAMP SCHWAB	LTCOL R. VAN CLEVE	475	0				475		
3D AT BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL B.A. HEFLIN	363	0				363		
3D ENGR BN	CAMP HANSEN	LTCOL N.V. DENNIS	753	0				753		
3D MT BN	CAMP SCHWAB	COL E. COOK	362	0				362		
3D SP BN	CAMP HAUGE	MAJ J. M. DEAN	402	0				402		
3D SERV BN	CAMP MCTUREOUS	COL M.J. PADALINO	1814	0			92	1722		
3D MED BN	CAMP HANSEN	LCDR A.C. WILSON(USN)	302	0				302		

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST- PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLO /ENR TO AREA INDICATED
1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING										
1ST MAW	IWAKUNI	MGEN K. B. MCCUTCHEON	8,483	0		1,003	2,147	5,318	15	427 RVN
I -1	IWAKUNI	LTCOL LUPTON	1,132	0		210		922		
MWSG-17	IWAKUNI	COL McDANIEL	1,362	0		289	1,073			
MAG-11	ATSUGI	COL R. F. CONLEY	1,572	0			61	1,496	15 (ORISKANY)	
MAG-12	IWAKUNI	COL J. B. NOBLE	1,528	0				1,528		
MAG-13	IWAKUNI	LTCOL O. E. HOWE	1,013	0			1,013			427 RVN
MAG-16	FUTEMA	COL O'CONNOR	1,876	0		504		1,372		

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

3D MAW		MGEN F. E. LEEK	9,459	6,553	22	63	1,024	1,528		
MWHG-3	MCAS EL TORO	COL H. G. DALTON	1,373	1,351				22		
MAG-15	MCAS EL TORO	COL C. KIMAK	1,641	564			1,024		53 (HORNET)	
MAG-33	MCAS EL TORO	COL C. H. DAVIS, JR.	1,385	1,385						
MAG-36	MCAF SANTA ANA	COL W. G. JOHNSON	1,878	408				1,244	223 (SLF)	
I -37	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL A. W. CAMPBELL	1,771	1,686	22	63				
SU #1, MWSG-37	MCAS EL TORO	MAJ R. W. STARK	640	640						
VMO-6	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. J. ZITNIK	296	34				262		
MACS-1	MCAS YUMA	LTCOL C. E. SHOWALTER	243	243						
MATCU-65	MCAS YUMA	CAPT T. L. SIMS	56	56						
MARTSAT-3	MCAS YUMA	MAJ P. J. JANNSEN	65	65						
FMF AUG (YUMA)	MCAS YUMA	MAJ W. F. TAYLOR	121	121						
LAAM BATTALIONS			1,132	89				1,043		
1ST LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ G. C. LONG	509	0				509		
2D LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ E. F. PENICO	534	0				534		
4TH LAAM BN (CADRE)	MCB 29 PALMS	CAPT D. F. KELLER	89	89						

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
1ST MAW	IWAKUNI								
MWSG-17 MAMS-17	IWAKUNI			1/C-54 3/C-117 2/C-45 2/CH-19 7/TF9J 1/UH-34D					
VMGR-152	FUTEMA			9/KC-130		2/KC-130			
MAG-12									
H&MS-12	IWAKUNI						1/C-117		
VMA-311	IWAKUNI						19/A4E		
VMA-225	IWAKUNI						19/A4C		
VMA-214	IWAKUNI						18/A4C		
MAG-11									
H&MS-11	ATSUGI					1/C-117			
VMFA-513	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMFA-542	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMCJ-1	IWAKUNI			2/EF-10B		6/EF-10B 1/RF-8A			2/RF-8A ABD ORISKANY OFF RVN
M 13 H&MS-13	IWAKUNI			2/C-54 4/TF-9J					
VMA-211	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-115	IWAKUNI			13/F4B					
VMF(AW)-312	IWAKUNI			18/F8E					
VMA-223	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-314	IWAKUNI			17/F4B					

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
<u>MAG-16</u> H&MS-16	FUTEMA			4/UH-34D 1/C-117		1/C-117 6/CH-37			
VMO-2	FUTEMA					7/O-1B 21/UH-1E			
HMM-161	FUTEMA							14/UH-34D	10/UH-34D AT QUI NHON
HMM-163	FUTEMA								22/UH-34D(SLF) (IWO JIMA)
HMM-261	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-361	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-263	FUTEMA				25/UH-34D				
<u>MAG-36</u> H&MS-36	SANTA ANA								
VMO-6	CAMP PENDLETON					6 /UH-1E	12/UH-1E		
HMM-362	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
HMM-363	SANTA ANA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-364	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
<u>1ST MAW</u> TOTAL FIXED WING AIRCRAFT				119		48	57		2
TOTAL HELICOPTERS				7	25	105	60	14	32

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WEAPON	AUTH ALLOW	EASTPAC	OKINAWA	HAWAII	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	AFLOAT	QUI NHON
106mm RR	144	16	16	8	40	40	8	8	8
81mm MORTAR	144	16	16	8	40	40	8	8	8
107mm HOWTAR	36	6			6	12	6	6	
105mm HOWITZER	108	12	12	6	30	30	6	6	6
155mm HOWITZER(TOW)	24				6	12	6		
155mm HOWITZER(SP)	36	6	12		6	6	6		
8" HOWITZER (SP)	12	6			4	2			
90mm GUN TANK	92	4	10		36	27	5	5	5
FLAME TANK	21	1	8		8	4			
HAWK LAUNCHERS	37	18			19				
ONTOS	90	10	10	5	25	25	5	5	5
LVTP-5/1C	252	43	39		86	77		11	11
155mm GUN BTRY(SP)	12	6				6			

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

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KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION
146	867	

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
1,671	281	510	932

NOTE 1: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY III MAF SINCE 8 MARCH 1965 ARE EXTRACTED FROM SITREPS DAILY AND ARE REFLECTED ON THIS SHEET.

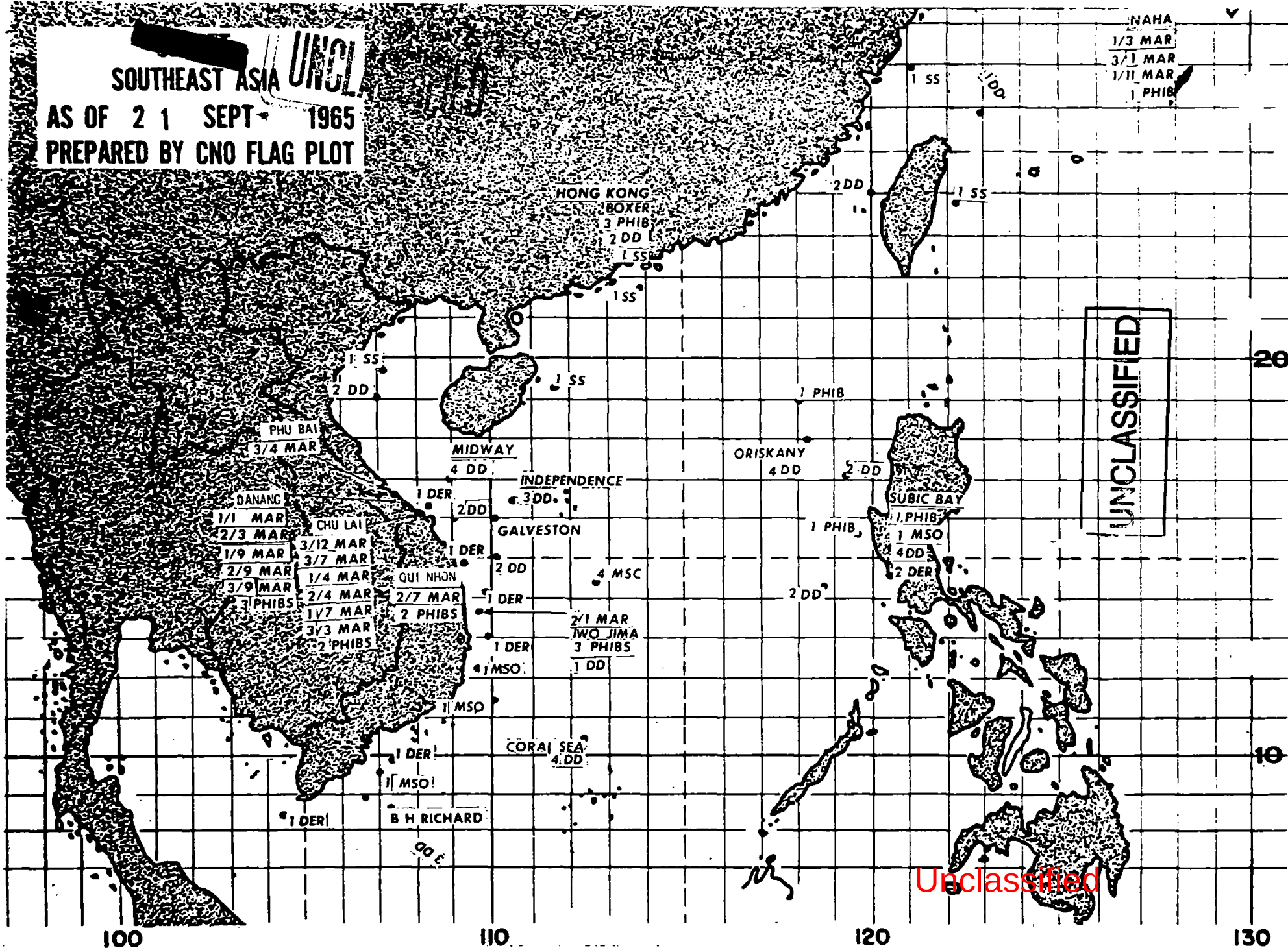
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UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS ROADS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOMREP	OTHER
2D MARDIV	CAMP LEJEUNE	BGEN O. R. SIMPSON	17,554	14,550	1,217	298		1,480	8	1	
HQBN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL H. T. PITTMAN	1,489	1,446	20			16	6	1	
2D MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL C. H. BRUSH, JR.	3,450		849	168		1,087			
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J. W. HENRY	(283)	(281)				(2)			
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. E. HARREL	(1,048)	(31)	(849)	(168)					
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. W. DONNEL	(1,085)	(0)				(1,085)			
D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL B. F. MEYERS	(1,034)	(1,034)							
61H MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL J. N. MCLAUGHLIN	3,209	3,209							
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT G. B. SPERRY	(199)	(199)							
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL W. F. DOEHLER	(921)	(921)							
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. D. BOHN	(1,063)	(1063)							
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P. F. PEDERSEN	(1,026)	(1,026)							
8TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL G. F. RUSSELL	3,477	3,477							
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT K. N. JONES	(205)	(205)							
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P. A. DAVIS	(1,201)	(1201)							
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. B. ORD, JR.	(963)	(963)							
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. M. LUCY	(1,108)	(1,108)							
10TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL H. POGGEMEYER, JR.	2,258	1,851	117	130		158	2		
HQ BTRY	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT W. L. HAMMACK	(237)	(236)					(1)		
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL L. M. PHELPS, JR.	(519)	(503)		(16)					
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ K. C. WILLIAMS	(456)	(455)					(1)		
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ W. R. GRUBAUGH	(613)	(338)	(117)			(158)			
4TH BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. E. YOUNG	(433)	(319)		(114)					
2D SERV BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL R. R. WEIR	1,065	982	40			43			
2D AT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. O. DILLOW	380	336	22			22			
2D MT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL E. K. VICKERS	289	259	30						
2D RECON BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. WESTERMAN	381	331	25			25			
2D ENGR BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL F. R. DENORMANDIE	712	612	50			50			

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UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS RDS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOM REP	OTHER
2D MAW		MGEN G.S. BOWMAN, JR.	12,950	11,483	245	10	188	116			77
MWHG-2	CHERRY POINT	COL H. HANSEN, JR.	1,589	1,589							
MWSG-27	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL F.H. SIMONDS	1,910	1,910							
MAG-14	CHERRY POINT	COL A.D. SIMPSON	1,374	1,374							
MAG-24	CHERRY POINT	COL H.J. FINN	1,452	1,452							
VMT-1	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. DAWSON	203	203							
VMCJ-2	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. MURPHREE	324	324							
12TH FOR DENT CO	CHERRY POINT	CAPT L. YOUNG, DC(USN)	59	59							
ACS-5	NEW RIVER	MAJ J. A. REAMES	257	257							
* MACS-6	BEAUFORT	MAJ F. I. DELANEY	349	349							
MAG-26	NEW RIVER	COL F. C. LANG	2,316	1,945	245	10		116			
MAG-31	BEAUFORT	LTCOL D. H. FISHER	1,514	1,437							77
MAG-32	BEAUFORT	COL F. C. THOMAS	1,603	1,415			188				
TOTAL			38,799	33,768	1,579	459	188	1,745	424	1	154

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UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
2D MAW		COMBAT 225 TRANSPORT 23 TRANS HELO 132 OBSERVATION 24	CHERRY POINT						
MWSG-27									
AMS-27	199	4/T1A;2/C54;3/C117	CHERRY POINT	3/C54;2/C117;4/T1A					
VMCJ-2	324	9/EA6A;9/RF8A	CHERRY POINT	9/RF8A;8/EF10					
VMGR-252	294	12/KC130	CHERRY POINT	9/KC130F					
MAG-14									
H&MS-14	410	1/C117;2/T1A	CHERRY POINT	1/C117;2/T1A;7/A4C					
VMA(AW)-242	299	12/A6A	CHERRY POINT	12/A6A					
* VMA-224	211	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	22/A4C					
VMA-332	183	20/A4E	CHERRY POINT	22/A4E					
MAG-24									
H&MS-24	388	1/C117;3/T1A	CHERRY POINT	2/T1A;1/C47;1/C117					
VMFA-323	393	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	20/F4B					
VMFA-531	164	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	11/F4B					
VMA(AW)-533	249	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	17/A4C					
MAG-26									
RMS-26	682	1/C117	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/C117;12/UH-34D		8/UH-34D		2/UH-34D	
VMO-1	164	8/O1B;16/UH1E	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/O1B;4/O1C;13/UH1E			2/UH1E		
HMM-162	178	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	9/UH34D					
HMM-262	203	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	13/UH34D;8/CH-46A					
HMM-365	108	6/CH46A;18/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/UH34D					
HMM-264	175	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	22/UH34D					
HMM-265	173	24/CH46A	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/CH-46A;2/UH-1E					
HMH-461	161	12/CH37	MCAF NEW RIVER						

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UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
<u>MAG-31</u>									
H&MS-31	461	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C47;1/C117;2/T1A					
VMA-331	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	8/A4E					12/A4E(GREECE)
VMF(AW)-235	199	15/F8E	BEAUFORT	16/F8E					
VMF(AW)-451	179	15/F8D	BEAUFORT			13/F8D			
<u>MAG-32</u>						(ABD FORRESTAL)			
S-32	404	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C117;2/T1A;1/C47H					
VMA-324	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	22 /A4E					
VMFA-251	270	15/F4B	BEAUFORT	1 /F4B	13/F4B				
VMF-333	164	20/F8C	BEAUFORT	18/F8C					

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	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIP	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL						
LANFORMED TF-62									
LTCOL J. W. DONNELL									
BLT 2/2									
2dBn 2dMar	42	1018	4	33		PHIBRON-4	WEAPONS	73	I
Btry I, 3/10	8	126	1	1		APA FREMONT	47 M60 Machine Gun	75	II
SU#2, H&MS-26	20	94	0	2		APA ROCKBRIDGE	37 3.5 Rkt Inchr	15	II(A)
CAPTAIN NELSON						LSD ASHLAND	8 81mm Mortar	15	III (BULK)
Plat Co D, 2dRecon	1	23	0	1	TSAEHESI	LSD FT. MANDAN	9 .50 cal MG	10	III (DRUM&PKG)
Plat Co B, 2dAmTracBn	1	42	0	1	BAY, GREECE	LST GRAHAM CTY	36 M79 Grnd Inchr	30	IIIA
Plat Co A, 2dTkBn	1	24	0	0	FOR EXER	AKA MULIPHEN	8 106mm RR	15	IV
Plat Co B, 2dATBn	1	22	0	0	"DEEP		8 Flame Thrower	29	V
Plat Co A, 2dEngrBn	3	24	0	0	FURROW".		6 105mm How	NONE	VA
Plat, 8thMTBn	1	34	0	0			6 M50 Ontos		
Det, 2dServBn	1	45	0	0			5 M48, 90mm Tank		
Det, 2dSPBn	1	47	0	1			VEHICLES		
Det, 2dFSR	1	44	0	0			32 M422, Mighty Mite		
Det, 2dMED BN	0	9	0	17			8 M37 3/4T Truck		
Det, HqBn, 2dMarDiv	1	19	0	0			11 M274 1/2T Truck		
Det, 2dDentCo, FMF	0	0	2	2			(Mule)		
Det, ACB-2	0	0	1	38			2 M51, 5T Dump		
Det, MSL	0	0	0	17			Truck		
Det, NBG-2	0	0	3	51			3 M43, 3/4T Amb		
Det, HqBn, MCB	1	19	0	0			9 M35 2 1/2T Trk		
Det, UDT	0	0	3	16			11 LVTP-5		
							2 M543, 5T Wrecker		
							3 M52, 5T Trk Trac		
							1 M54, 5T Trk		
							AIRCRAFT		
							8 UH-34D		
TOTAL	83	1590	14	180					

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL HEADQUARTERS FMFLANT

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UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	#COMMANDER	ASSIGNED	HOME BASE	RVN	OKINAWA	JAPAN	OTHER
			STRENGTH					
HQ FMFLANT	NORFOLK, VA.	LTGEN A. L. BOWSER	868	868				
H&S BN	NORFOLK, VA	COL D. L. MALLORY	(796)	(796)				
HQ SQ, FMFLANT	NORFOLK, VA	MAJ J. F. JONES	(72)	(72)				

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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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MEDITERRANEAN
LANFORMED 2-65(32D MEU)
BLT 2/2 & DET, H&MS-26
(8/UH-34D) GREECE FOR
EX DEEP FURROW

MEDITERRANEAN
VM. N)-451(6/F8D) ABD
FORRESTAL AT NAPLES

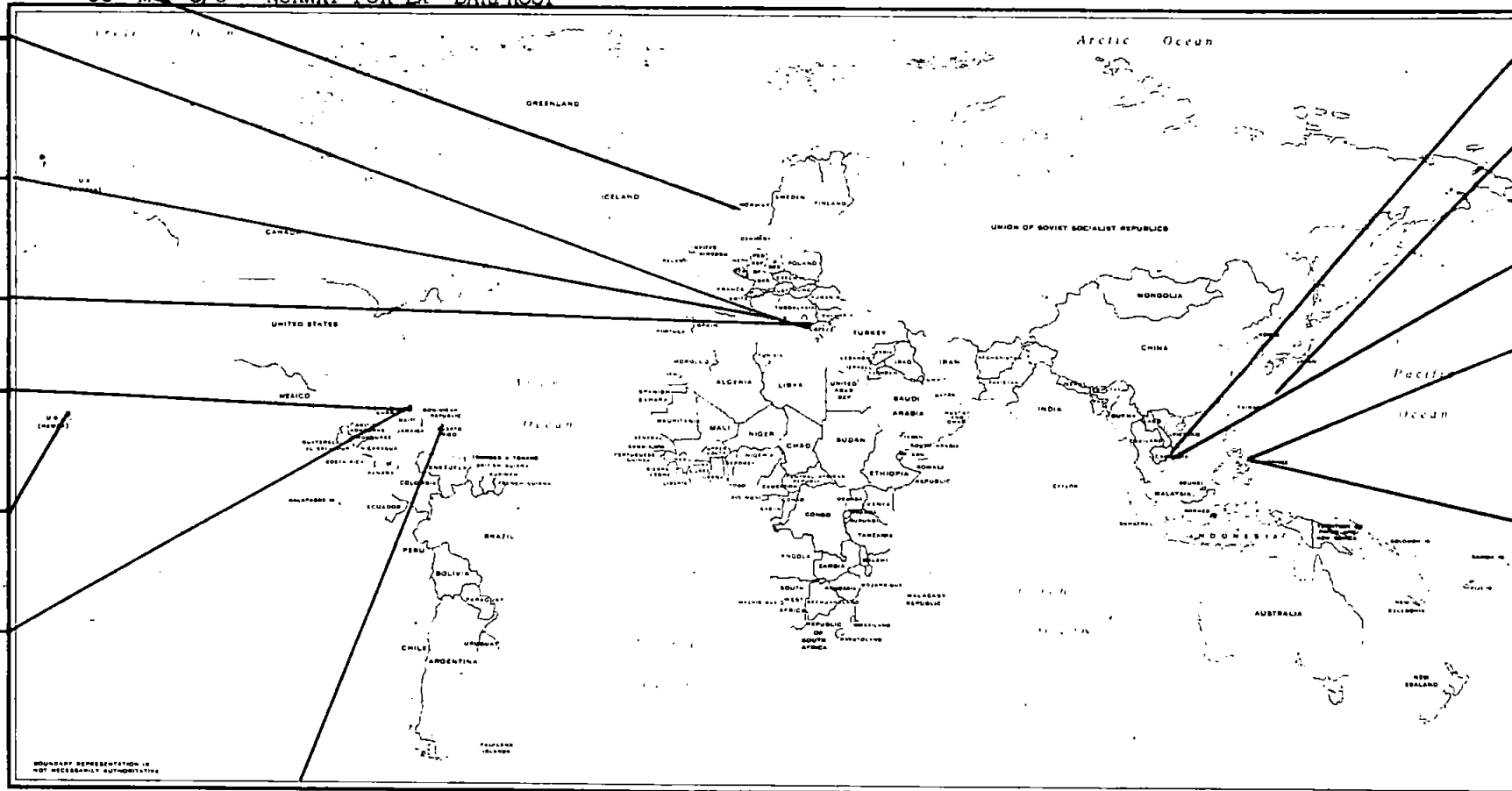
VMA-331 GREECE
EX DEEP FURROW

CARIB READY FORCE 4-65
BLT 1/2 & HMM-451 GTMO
ETA VIEQUES 23SEP

USS HORNET (CVS-12)
H&MS-15 (4/A4C) AT
PEARL HARBOR

GTMO AUGMENTATION
CC (REIN), 1/2
BTRY M, 4/10
DET, H&MS-26(2/UH-34D)
PLAT 2D 155MM GUN BTRY

CO "M", 3/6 - NORWAY FOR EX "BAREROST"



50717 1-65

ROOS ROADS - VMF(AW)-235 (10/F8E)

SLF

BLT 2/1 & HMM-163
OFF QUI NHON

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ENR OKI. ETA 22SEP
(TRANSPLACEMENT).

III MAF

RVN

WEST PAC

VMF(AW)-212(12/F8B)
ABD ORISKANY;DET, VM CJ-
(2/RF-8A) ABD CORAL SE
AT SUBIC

HQ (-), 3D MAB
(ESTES) SUBIC.

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

AS OF 20 September 1965

	BATTALIONS	VMFA	VMF	VMF(AW)	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM/HMH	VMO	VMGR	OTHER
WEST PAC	15	4		2	5		1	8	2	1	
RVN	(12)	(2)			(3)		(1(-))	(6)	(2)		
AFLOAT	(1)			(1)*			(DET)	(1)			
OKINAWA/JAPAN	(2)	(2)		(1)	(2)			(1)		(1)	
MID PAC	1			1							
HAWAII	(1)			(1)							
EAST PAC	2	1	1		1		1	3		1	
WEST COAST	(1)	(1)	(1)		(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)	
AFLOAT	(1)										
ATLANTIC	8	3	1	1	4	2	1	6	1	1	
EAST COAST	(7)	(3)	(1)		(3)	(2)	(1)	(5)	(1)	(1)	
CARIBBEAN	(1)			(1)	(1)			(1)			
EUROPE	1			1				1 DET			
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)			(1)				(1 DET)			
GRAND TOTAL	27	8	2	5	10	2	3	17	3	3	

* FROM MIDPAC ABOARD ORISKANY FOR EXTENDED WESTPAC DEPLOYMENT.

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

AS OF: 20 SEPTEMBER 1965

MARINE CORPS

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KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION
143	861	

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
1,669	281	509	914

NOTE 1: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY III MAF SINCE 8 MARCH 1965 ARE EXTRACTED FROM SITREPS DAILY AND ARE REFLECTED ON THIS SHEET.

NOTE 2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY ALL USMC UNITS AND ADVISORS SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON THE ADJOINING SHEET PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK AND DUE TO THE APPARENT TIME LAG, DOES NOT REFLECT ALL III MAF CASUALTIES SHOWN ABOVE.

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NUMBER OF CASUALTIES INCURRED BY U.S. MILITARY PERSONNEL IN VIET-NAM

Cumulative from January 1, 1961 through September 20, 1965

	Army	Navy	Marine Corps	Air Force	Total
A. CASUALTIES RESULTING FROM ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
1. Killed	290	31	155	32	508
2. Wounded or Injured					
a. Died of wounds	15	3	11	5	34
b. Nonfatal wounds	2,450	76	978	275	3,779
3. Missing					
a. Died while missing	87	14	-	55	156
b. Returned to control	7	1	-	2	10
c. Current Missing	8	17	5	31	61
4. Detained					
a. Died while detained	1	-	-	-	1
b. Returned to control	1	-	-	-	1
c. Current detained	14	-	-	6	20
5. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	21	29	1	83	134
Helicopter	122	3	15	1	141
b. From ground action	250	16	150	8	424
TOTAL DEATHS <u>a/</u>	393*	48	166	92	699
B. CASUALTIES NOT THE RESULT OF ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
6. Current Missing	4	-	-	4	8
7. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	7	5	-	32	44
Helicopter	36	3	18	-	57
b. From other causes	93	14	56	45	208
TOTAL DEATHS	136	22	74	77	309

a/ Sum of lines 1, 2a, 3a and 4a.

* Includes 60 Special Forces personnel.

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DISTRIBUTION OF II MEF PERSONNEL

AS OF: 20 September 1965

UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS ROADS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOMREP	OTHER
2D MARDIV	CAMP LEJEUNE	BGEN O. R. SIMPSON	17,554	14,550	1,217	298		1,480	8	1	
HQBN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL H. T. PITTMAN	1,489	1,446	20			16	6	1	
2D MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL C. H. BRUSH, JR.	3,450		849	168		1,087			
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J. W. HENRY	(283)	(281)				(2)			
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. E. HARREL	(1,048)	(31)	(849)	(168)					
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. W. DONNEL	(1,085)	(0)				(1,085)			
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL B. F. MEYERS	(1,034)	(1,034)							
6TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL J. N. MCLAUGHLIN	3,209	3,209							
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT G. B. SPERRY	(199)	(199)							
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL W. F. DOEHLER	(921)	(921)							
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. D. BOHN	(1,063)	(1063)							
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P. F. PEDERSEN	(1,026)	(1,026)							
8TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL G. F. RUSSELL	3,477	3,477							
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT K. N. JONES	(205)	(205)							
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P. A. DAVIS	(1,201)	(1201)							
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. B. ORD, JR.	(963)	(963)							
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. M. LUCY	(1,108)	(1,108)							
10TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL H. POGGEMEYER, JR.	2,258	1,851	117	130		158	2		
HQ BTRY	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT W. L. HAMMACK	(237)	(236)					(1)		
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL L. M. PHELPS, JR.	(519)	(503)		(16)					
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ K. C. WILLIAMS	(456)	(455)					(1)		
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ W. R. GRUBAUGH	(613)	(338)	(117)			(158)			
4TH BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. E. YOUNG	(433)	(319)		(114)					
2D SERV BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL R. R. WEIR	1,065	982	40			43			
2D AT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. O. DILLOW	380	336	22			22			
2D MT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL E. K. VICKERS	289	259	30						
2D RECON BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. WESTERMAN	381	331	25			25			
2D ENGR BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL F. R. DENORMANDIE	712	612	50			50			

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UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS ROADS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOMREP	OTHER
2D MARDIV (CONT'D)											
2D SP BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.D. MIZE	499	393	57			49			
2D MED BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LCDR N.E. WENGER(USN)	275	244	5			26			
2D DENT CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT R.L. JOSEPH (USN)	70	64	2			4			
FORCE TROOPS	CAMP LEJEUNE	BGEN F. R. BOUKER	8,295	7,375	117	161		149	416		77
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT G.W. GEYER	374	363		1			9		1
2D FSR	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL H. WALLACE	2,547	2,289	49	29		45	135		
H&S BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.J. PEARODY	(769)	(706)	(13)	(2)		(10)	(40)		
SUP BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.A. SALSER	(800)	(693)	(30)	(9)		(23)	(53)		
MAINT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J.V. MANIS, JR.	(978)	(903)	(4)	(18)		(12)	(42)		
2D TANK BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.H. LEWIS	698	602	24	40		25	3		4
2D FORCE RECON CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J.H. CAROTHERS, JR.	144	144							
2D ANGLICO	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.A. NELSON	345	254		57			16		18
2D TOPO CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ O.G. CANDLER, JR.	108	84							24
2D BRIDGE CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT T.J. DALZELL	185	179					6		
2D SEP SURGICAL CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	LT J.R. RENARD (USN)	11	11							
2D RADIO BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J. R. O'MARA	320	296							24
8TH ENGR BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL	1,064	861					203		
2D AMTRAC BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ W. C. BARRETT	729	636	44			44	3		
8TH COMM BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL B. E. HORNER	747	721					26		
2D FIELD ARTY GRP	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL W. E. MAGON	533	496		34			3		
8TH MT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL E.S. BAKER JR.	351	308				35	8		
4TH DENT CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT C.G. VENO (USN)	40	34					2		4
2D ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT F. J. LENNARTZ	12	12							
4TH ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT D.G. EIRCH	15	15							
6TH ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	1STLT O. SAENZ	14	12					1		1
2D CI TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT W. R. GENTRY	13	12					1		
2D HOSP CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J.D. CUNNINGHAM (USN)	45	44							1

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UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS RDS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOM REP	OTHER
2D MAW		MGEN G.S. BOWMAN, JR.	12,950	12,192	245	10	122	116			265
MWHG-2	CHERRY POINT	COL H. HANSEN, JR.	1,589	1,589							
MWSG-27	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL F.H. SIMONDS	1,910	1,910							
MAG-14	CHERRY POINT	COL A.D. SIMPSON	1,374	1,374							
MAG-24	CHERRY POINT	COL H.J. FINN	1,452	1,452							
VMT-1	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. DAWSON	203	203							
VMCJ-2	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. MURPHREE	324	324							
12TH FOR DENT CO	CHERRY POINT	CAPT L. YOUNG, DC(USN)	59	59							
MACS-5	NEW RIVER	MAJ J. A. REAMES	257	257							
MACS-6	BEAUFORT	MAJ F. I. DELANEY	349	349							
MAG-26	NEW RIVER	COL F. C. LANG	2,316	1,945	245	10		116			
MAG-31	BEAUFORT	LTCOL D. H. FISHER	1,514	1,315			122				77
MAG-32	BEAUFORT	COL F. C. THOMAS	1,603	1,415							188***
TOTAL			38,799	34,117	1,579	459	122	1,745	424	1	342

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT II MEF

20 SEPTEMBER 1965

AIRCRAFT DISTRIBUTION

UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
2D MAW		COMBAT 225 TRANSPORT 23 TRANS HELO 132 OBSERVATION 24	CHERRY POINT						
MWSG-27									
MAMS-27	199	4/T1A;2/C54;3/C117	CHERRY POINT	3/C54;2/C117;4/T1A					
VMCJ-2	324	9/EA6A;9/RF8A	CHERRY POINT	9 /RF8A;8 /EF10					
VMGR-252	294	12/KC130	CHERRY POINT	9 /KC130F					
MAG-14									
H&MS-14	410	1/C117;2/T1A	CHERRY POINT	1/C117;2/T1A;7/A4C					
VMA(AW)-242	299	12/A6A	CHERRY POINT	12/A6A					
* VMA-224	211	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	22/A4C					
VMA-332	183	20/A4E	CHERRY POINT	22 /A4E					
MAG-24									
H&MS-24	388	1/C117;3/T1A	CHERRY POINT	2 /T1A;1/C47;1/C117					
VMFA-323	393	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	20 /F4B					
VMFA-531	164	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	11 /F4B					
VMA(AW)-533	249	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	17 /A4C					
MAG-26									
H&MS-26	682	1/C117	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/C117;12/UH-34D		3/UH-34D		2/UH-34D	
VMO-1	164	8/O1B;16/UH1E	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/O1B;4/O1C;13/UH1E			2/UH1E		
HMM-162	178	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	9 /UH34D					
HMM-262	203	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	13 /UH34D;8 /CH-46A					
HMM-365	108	6/CH46A;18/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/UH34D					
HMM-264	175	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	22 /UH34D					
HMM-265	173	24/CH46A	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/CH-46A					
HMH-461	161	12/CH37	MCAF NEW RIVER						

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UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
<u>MAG-31</u>									
H&MS-31	461	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C47;1/C117;2/T1A					
VMA-331	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	8/A4E					12/A4E(GREECE)
VMF(AW)-235	199	15/F8E	BEAUFORT	6/F8E	10/F8E				
VMF(AW)-451	179	15/F8D	BEAUFORT			13/F8D			
<u>MAG-32</u>						(ABD FORRESTAL)			
H&MS-32	404	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C117;2/T1A;1/C47H					
VMA-324	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	22 /A4E					
VMFA-251	270	15/F4B	BEAUFORT	14/F4B					
VMF-333	164	20/F8C	BEAUFORT	18/F8C					

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II MEF DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND WEAPONS

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<u>WEAPON</u>	<u>HOME BASE</u>	<u>AUTH ALLOW</u>	<u>HOME BASE</u>	<u>LANFORMED</u> 2-65	<u>GTMO</u>	<u>CARIBBEAN</u> READY FORCE 4-65	
106MM RECOILESS RIFLE	CAMP LEJEUNE	72	56	8		8	
81MM MORTAR	CAMP LEJEUNE	72	56	8		8	
107MM HOWTAR	CAMP LEJEUNE	18	18				
105MM HOWITZER	CAMP LEJEUNE	54	38	6	4	6	
155MM HOWITZER(TOW)	CAMP LEJEUNE	6			6		
155MM GUN (SP)	CAMP LEJEUNE	6	4		2		
155MM HOWITZER(SP)	CAMP LEJEUNE	18	18				
8" HOWITZER(SP)	CAMP LEJEUNE	6	6				
90MM GUN TANK	CAMP LEJEUNE	36	21	5	5	5	
120MM GUN TANK	CAMP LEJEUNE	17	17				
FLAME TANK	CAMP LEJEUNE	9	7		2		
HAWK LAUNCHER	CHERRY POINT	18	18				
ONTOS	CAMP LEJEUNE	43	35	5		5	
LVTP-5	CAMP LEJEUNE	115	93	11		11	

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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

AS OF: 20 SEPTEMBER 1965

CARIB READY FORCE 4-65 TG 45.9	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
CARIB READY FORCE (LTCOL J.E.HARRELL)					AT GTMO ETD GTMO 21SEP. ETA VIEQUES 23SEP	LPH GUADACANAL LST YORK CTY LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK AKA CAPIRCORNUS	5 MG, Cal .30	47	I
BLT 1/2 (minus Co "C"(Rein) at GTMO)	50	1,250	9	127			28 MG, Cal .50	30	II & II(A)
1stBn, 2d MARINES (-)	31	784	4	30			55 MG, M-60	8	III(BULK)
Btry "G", 3/10	9	107	0	1			8 106mm RR	4	III(DRUM & P)
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	49	0	0			25 3.5 Rocket Launchers		
Plat, Co A, 2d AmTracBn	1	43	0	0			5 90mm Gun Tanks	28	III(A) BULK
Plat, Co B, 2d AT Bn	1	21	0	0			5 M-50 Ontos	30	VI(Non-Veh)
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	22	0	1			8 81mm Mortar	30	V
Plat, Co A, 2d Recon Bn	1	23	0	1			6 105mm Howitzer		
Det, 2d Force ReconCo	1	10	0	0			6 Flame Throwers		
SHORE PARTY TEAM							AIRCRAFT		
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	54	0	2			12 CH-37C		
Det, 2d FSR	0	49	0	0			2 UH-1E		
Det, 2d Service Bn	1	39	0	0			VEHICLES		
Plat, Co A, 2d MT Bn	1	29	0	0			36 M422 (Mighty Mite)		
Det, 2d Med Bn	0	1	0	4			7 M37 (3/4T Truck)		
Det, 2d Dental Co	0	0	1	1			33 M35 (2 1/2T Truck)		
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	19	0	0			11 LVTP-5A		
Det, NBG-2	0	0	4	87			34 M274 CLIW (Mule)		
HMH-461(-)(Rein) (Major HAWLEY)	32	210	1	2			2 M170(Ambulance)		
TOTAL CARIB 4-65	82	1,460	10	129			2 M54 (5T Truck, Cargo)		
					1 Mat Layer				
					1 M543 (5T Wrecker)				
					1 M49 (2 1/2T Tanker)				
					1 M52 (5T Tractor)				
					1 M52 (5T Wrecker)				
					2 M127(Semi-Trailer)				
					7 M38 (Truck,Utility)				

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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN

SOURCE: NMCC OPSUM & DOD SEASIA
STATSUM OF 20 SEP 1965

COUNTRY/FORCES	TYPE UNIT (3D COUNTRY ONLY)	STRENGTH	
<u>RVN</u>			
ARMY		249,500	
NAVY		13,500	
AIR FORCE		12,700	
MARINE CORPS		6,700	
		<u>282,400</u>	TOTAL RVN
<u>U. S.</u>			
ARMY		69,551	
*NAVY		5,392	
AIR FORCE		12,921	
*MARINE CORPS		35,259	
		<u>123,123</u>	TOTAL U.S.
<u>3D COUNTRY</u>			
ROK	INF BN; ENGR'S; TRK CO; HOSP UNIT; MISC	2,566	
AUSTRALIA	INF BN; ADVISORS	1,110	
FRANCE	TECHNICAL; MED	482	
NEW ZEALAND	ARTY BTRY; SURGICAL TEAM; MISC	182	
CHINA	PSY WARFARE; MISC	85	
JAPAN	TECHNICAL; MED	80	
PHILIPPINES	PSY WARFARE; MED	34	
THAILAND	ADVISORS	17	
GERMANY	TECHNICAL; MED	12	
ITALY	SURGICAL TEAM	9	
U. K.	POLICE ADVISORS	7	
		<u>4,584</u>	TOTAL 3D COUNTRY
		<u>410,107</u>	TOTAL FORCES IN RVN

* NAVY PERSONNEL ATTACHED TO III MAF
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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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MEDITERRANEAN
LANFORMED 2-65

BLT 2/2 & DET H&MS-26
(8/UH-34D) ENR GREECE.

MEDITERRANEAN

VM1)-451(6/F8D) ABD
FORRESTAL AT NAPLES.

HIGH BOY VIII

VMA-331 ENR GREECE.

CARIB READY FORCE 3-65
2/6 & HMM-165 ENR MORE-
HEAD CITY FOR RELIEF.

CARIB READY FORCE 4-65
BLT 1/2 & HMM-461 ENR
GTMO.

USS HORNET (CVS-12)
H&MS-15 (4/A4C) AT
PEAP HARBOR.

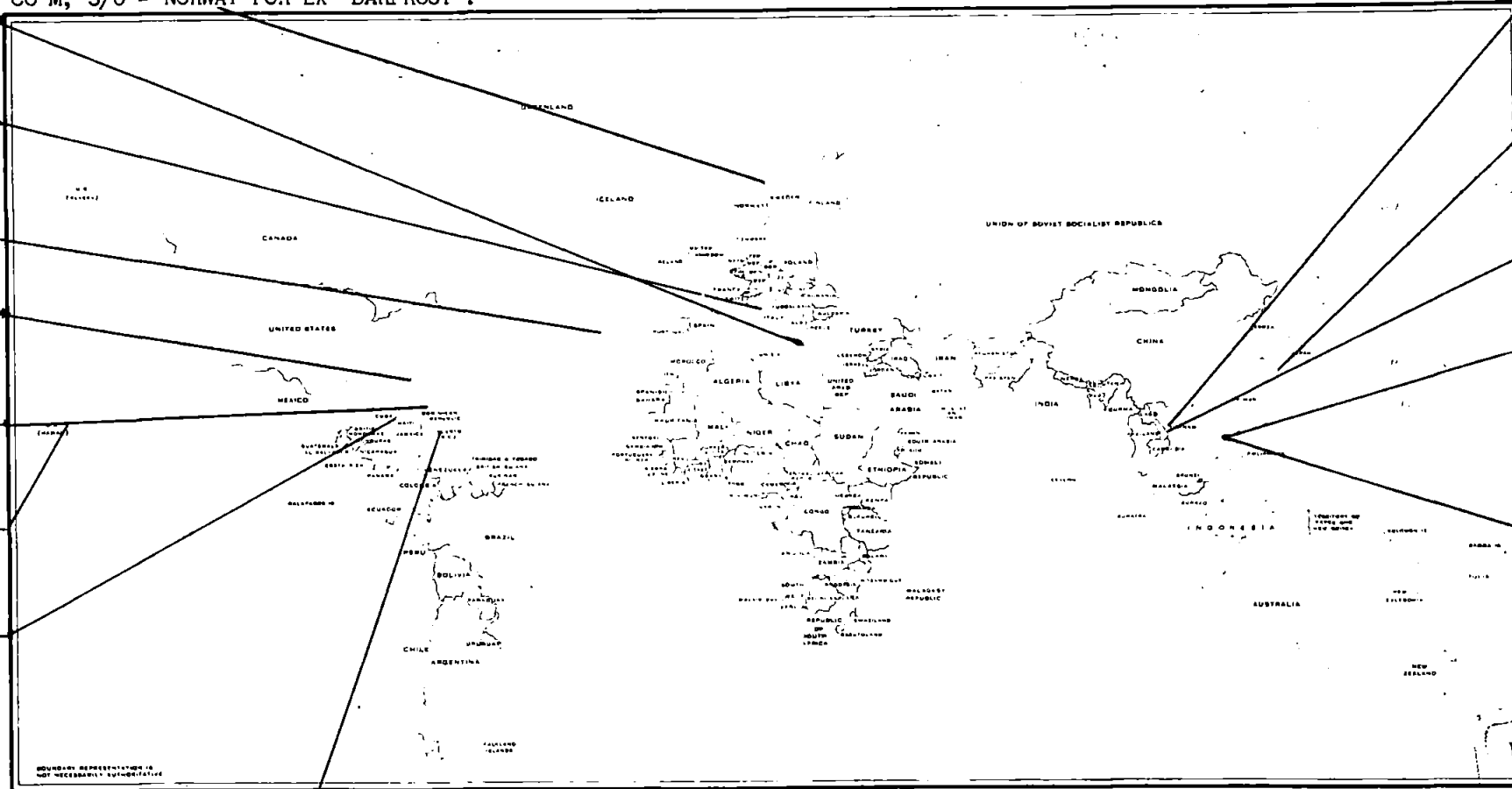
GTMO AUGMENTATION

CO E (REIN), 2/6

BTRY M, 4/10

DET H&MS-26 (2/UH-34D)
PLAT 2D 155MM GUN BTRY

CO M, 3/6 - NORWAY FOR EX "BARFROST".



SLF

BLT 2/1 & HMM-163
OFF QUI NHON.

3/5

ENR OKI. ETA 22SEP.
(TRANSPACEMENT).

III MAF

RVN

WESTPAC

VMF(AW)-212 (12/F8B)
ABD ORISKANY; DET,
VMCJ-1 (2/RF-8A) ABD
CORAL SEA AT SUBIC.

HQ (-), 3RD MAB

(ESTES) SUBIC.

50717 1-65

ROOS ROADS - VMF(AW)-235 (10/F8E)

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

AS OF 18 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT

COMMANDER

DANANG

CHU LAI

PHU BAI

QUI NHON

OTHER

III MAF (-)

MGEN WALT

HQ CO (REIN), III MAF

HQCO

DET 3D CI TEAM

CAPT D.R. KNEPP

COMM SPT CO

MAJ HART

COMM CO 7TH COMM BN

*DET, 1ST ANGLICO

LT. WASCO (USN)

DET, "J" & "K" 1ST RADIO BN

3D MARDIV (-), (REIN)

MGEN WALT

HQ BN (-)

MAJ WATSON

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)

COL NICKERSON

HQCO

CAPT NICHOLS

1STBN 1ST MARINES

LTCOL MCCLOSKEY

2D BN, 3D MARINES

LTCOL CLEMENT

3D BN (REIN), 4TH MARINES

LTCOL TAYLOR

3D BN, 4TH MARINES

4TH BN(-)(REIN), 12THMAR

LTCOL E.M. RUDZIS

CO "C", 3D RECON

DET, 3D MED BN

DET, 3D TK BN

DET, 3D AT BN

DET, 3D MT BN

DET, 3D SERV BN

DET, 3D ENGR BN

9TH MARINES (-)

COL GORMAN

HQCO

CAPT PROCTOR

1ST BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL LUDWIG

2D BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL DONAHUE

3D BN, 9TH MARINES

LTCOL TUNNELL

4TH MARINES(-)(REIN)

COL MCCLANAHAN

HQ CO (REIN)

CAPT BAER

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Missing 2,3405

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN (CONT'D)

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	#COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
MAG-12 (-)	COL NOBLE					
H&MS-12	LTCOL KIRKLAND		428			
MABS-12	LTCOL WILSON		452			
VMA-214(-)(18/A4C)	LTCOL O'KEEFE		199			
VMA-225(19/A4C)	LTCOL BAKER		189			
VMA-311(19/A4E)	LTCOL STENDER		204			
MATCU-67	CAPT KEANE		56			
MAG-16 (-)	COL O'CONNOR					
H&MS-16(-)(REIN) (6/CH-37)	MAJOR MC MASTERS	280				
B-16(-)(REIN)	LTCOL VERNON	229		6		4
HMM-161(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MORRISON			174	46	
HMM-261(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL PORTER	240				
HMM-361(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL CHILDERS	239				
VMO-2 (7/O1B; 21/UH-1E)	LTCOL BAUMAN	154				
MAG-36	COL JOHNSON					
H&MS-36	LTCOL MOONEY	50	320			
MABS-36	MAJOR KENNEDY		315			
HMM-362 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL ALDWORTH		180			
HMM-363 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MC GOUGH	196				
HMM-364 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL LUCAS		137			
VMO-6 (18/UH-1E)	LTCOL ZITNIK	262				
MATCU-68		46				
FOR ENGR GRP						
30TH NCR	CAPT LIBERTY (USN)					
HQ, 30TH NCR		19				
NMCB-3	CMDR RUMBLE	559				
NMCB-9	CMDR ANDERSON	642				
NMCB-10	CMDR BANNISTER		617			
DET, NBG-1		47				
TOTALS		20,069	14,049	2,114	1,616	92
AGGREGATE		37,940				

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SEASIA

AS OF: 18 SEPTEMBER 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
PHU BAI					
220 AVN CO FW	146				
DANANG					
I CORPS AVN CO (PROV)	UNKNOWN	6/0-1F;2/U-6A		311 ACS ;	12 /C-123
6TH AIRLIFT PLAT	53	10/UH-1B		DET, 13 TBS	22 /B-57
7TH AIRLIFT PLAT	171	10/UH-1B		DET, 509 FIS	6/F-102
* CO C, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	103			DET, 38 ARS	1/HH-43B;3/HH-43F
				DET, 33 APES & 31 ARES	4/HU-16
				20 TASS	23/0-1E
				DET, 436 TFS	18/F104C
PLEIKU					
HQ & HQ DET, 52 AVN BN	312	20/UH-1B;6/0-1F;1/U-6A		21 TASS	34/0-1E
119 AVN CO	171	25/UH-1B;3/0-1F			
219 AVN CO FW	151				
* CO B, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	287				
AN KHE (ARMY ONLY)					
207 AVN BN		20/UH-1D			
1 CV		30/OH-13;38/UH-1B;20/UH-1D			
17 AVN CO		18/CV-2B			
#1ST CAV DIV (AIR MOBILE) & CMBT SPT ELM	(18,616)				

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U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

18 Sep 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIR CRAFT</u>
<u>UBON</u>					
				47 TFS DET, 38 ARS	18/F-4C 2/HH-43B
<u>DON MUANG</u>					
				DET, 509 FIS VTBD TF	4/F-102A 4/KC-135A

TOTAL A/C BY TYPE	ARMY IN RVN	AIR FORCE IN RVN	AIR FORCE IN THAILAND	TOTAL BY TYPE IN SEASIA
In addition, there are	285 UH-1B	47 A-1E 6 HH-43F	18 F-4C 4 F-102A	47 A-1E 11 HH-43B
various non-tactical units	127 UH-1D	5 A-1G 1 HH-43B	103 F-105 7 RB-66	5 A-1G 6 HH-43F
in RVN possessing 52	79 O-1F	23 B-57 4 HU-16	14 RF-101C	23 B-57 4 HU-16
assorted utility A/C.	30 OH-13	7 C-47D 99 O-1E	10 HH-43B	7 C-47D 2 HC-54D
	6 OV-1A	54 C-123 27 O-1F	5 HC-54D	54 C-123 99 O-1E
	2 OV-1B	2 EC-121 3 RB-57	4 KC-135A	2 EC-121 27 O-1F
	4 OV-1C	57 F-100		18 F-4C 3 RB-57
	8 U-6A	9 F-102 13 RF-101		57 F-100 7 RB-66
	24 U-1A	18 F-104 4 U-10B		9 F-102 13 RF-101
	50 CV-2B			4 F-102A 14 RF-101C
				18 F-104 4 U-10B
				103 F-105 4 KC-135A

TOTAL ARMY TACTICAL UNITS 20,985
TOTAL MISC UNITS NOW SHOWN 31,817
TOTAL U.S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN 52,803

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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

AS OF: 18 SEPTEMBER 1965

CARIB READY FORCE 4-65 TG 45.9	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
CARIB READY FORCE (LTCOL J.E.HARRELL)					ENR GTMO. ETA 19 SEP. ETD GTMO 21SEP. ETA VIEQUES 24SEP.	LPH GUADACANAL LST YORK CTY LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK AKA CAPIRCORNUS	5 MG, Cal .30	47	I
BLT 1/2 (minus Co "C"(Rein) at GTMO)	50	1,250	9	127			28 MG, Cal .50	30	II & II(A)
1stBn, 2d MARINES (-)	31	784	4	30			55 MG, M-60	8	III(BULK)
Btry "G", 3/10	9	107	0	1			8 106mm RR	4	III(DRUM & PKG)
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	49	0	0			25 3.5 Rocket Launchers		
Plat, Co A, 2d AmTracBn	1	43	0	0			5 90mm Gun Tanks	28	III(A)(BULK)
Plat, Co B, 2d AT Bn	1	21	0	0			5 M-50 Ontos	30	VI(Non-Veh)
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	22	0	1			8 81mm Mortar	30	V
Plat, Co A, 2d Recon Bn	1	23	0	1			6 105mm Howitzer		
Det, 2d Force ReconCo	1	10	0	0			6 Flame Throwers		
SHORE PARTY TEAM							AIRCRAFT		
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	54	0	2			12 CH-37C		
Det, 2d FSR	0	49	0	0			2 UH-1E		
Det, 2d Service Bn	1	39	0	0			VEHICLES		
Plat, Co A, 2d MT Bn	1	29	0	0			36 M422 (Mighty Mite)		
Det, 2d Med Bn	0	1	0	4			7 M37 (3/4T Truck)		
Det, 2d Dental Co	0	0	1	1			33 M35 (2 1/2T Truck)		
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	19	0	0			11 LVTP-5A		
Det, NBG-2	0	0	4	87			34 M274 CLIW (Mule)		
RMH-461(-)(Rein) (Major HAWLEY)	32	210	1	2			2 M170(Ambulance)		
TOTAL CARIB 4-65	82	1,460	10	129			2 M54 (5T Truck,Cargo)		
					1 Mat Layer				
					1 M543 (5T Wrecker)				
					1 M49 (2 1/2T Tanker)				
					1 M52 (5T Tractor)				
					1 M62 (5T Wrecker)				
					2 M127(Semi-Trailer)				
					7 M38 (Truck,Utility)				

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMFPAC TACTICAL UNITS

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PARENT UNIT	WEST COAST	HAWAII	DANANG	CHU LAI	QUI NHON	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	OTHER
1ST MARINES			1/1				3/1		2/1 (SLF)
3D MARINES			2/3	3/3			1/3		
4TH MARINES				1/4, 2/4		3/4			
5TH MARINES	2/5,	1/5							3/5 ENR OKI-RELIEF OF 1/3
TH MARINES				1/7, 3/7	2/7				
9TH MARINES			1/9, 2/9, 3/9						
MAG-11			VMCJ-1 VMFA-513 VMFA-542						
MAG-12				VMA-214 VMA-225 VMA-311					
MAG-13								VMFA-314 VMA-211 VMA-223 VMFA-115 VMF(AW) - 312	
MAG-15									
MAG-16			HMM-261* HMM-361 VMO-2, DET OF		DET, HMM-161	HMM-161(-)	HMM-263		HMM-163(SLF)
MAG-33	VMF - 334 VMA-121 VMFA-122 VMCJ-3		H&MS-36 (6/CH-37)						
MAG-36				HMM-362					
			HMM-363 VMO-6	HMM-364					
MWSG-37	HMM-164 HMM-165 HMMI-462								
1ST MARBRIG AVN		VMF(AW)-232							VMF(AW)-212 ABD ORISKANY IN WEST PAC

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*MARBLE MOUNTAIN(DANANG EAST)

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FMMF DEPLOYMENTS

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CO M, 3/6 - NORWAY FOR EX "BARFROST".

MEDITERRANEAN
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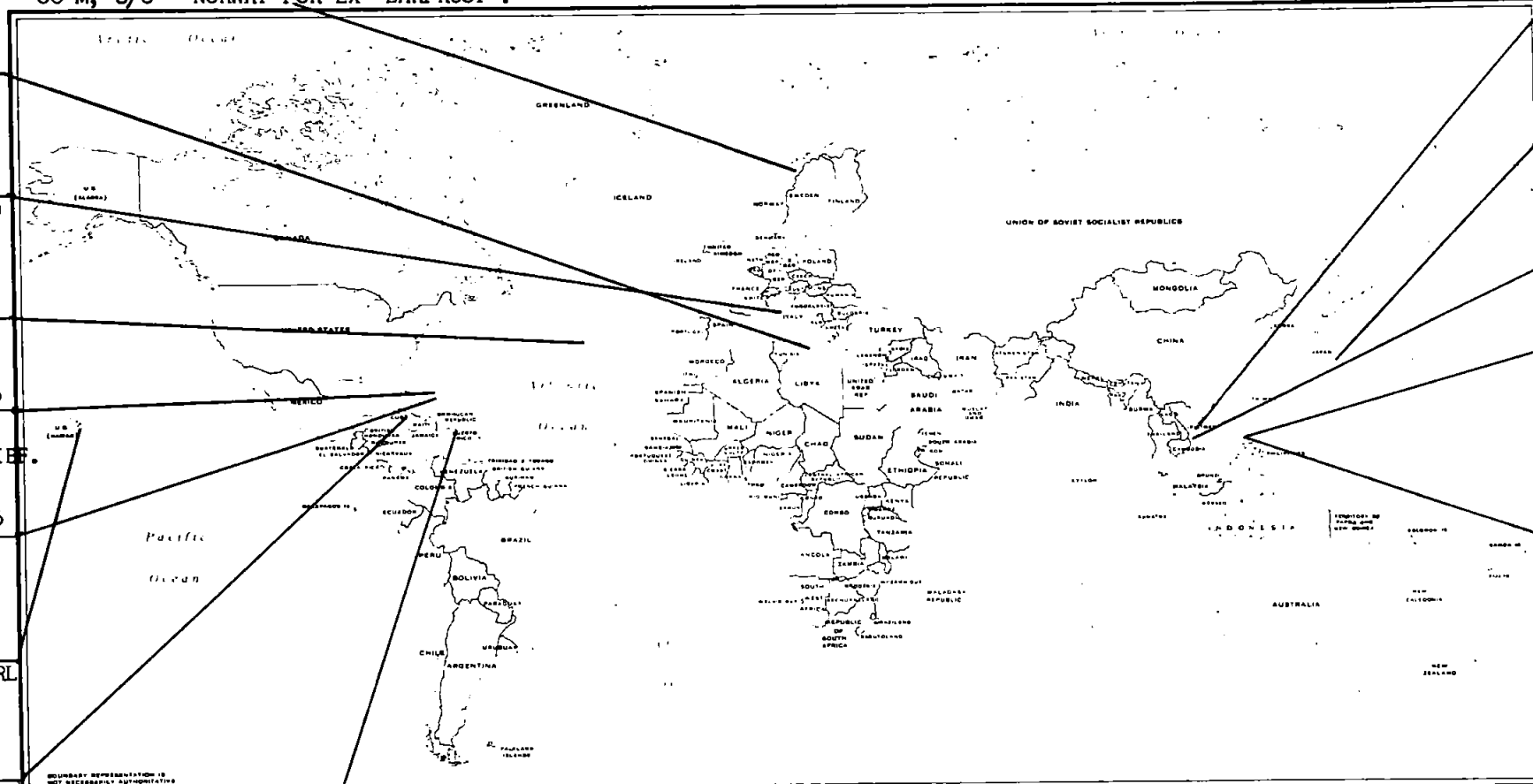
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SLF

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III MAF

RVN

WESTPAC

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CORAL SEA AT SUBIC.

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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
1ST MAW	IWAKUNI								
<u>MWSG-17</u> MAMS-17	IWAKUNI			1/C-54 3/C-117 2/C-45 2/CH-19 7/TF9J 1/UH-34D					
VMGR-152	FUTEMA			9/KC-130		1/KC-130			
<u>MAG-12</u> H&MS-12	IWAKUNI						1/C-117		
VMA-311	IWAKUNI						19/A4E		
VMA-225	IWAKUNI						19/A4C		
VMA-214	IWAKUNI						18/A4C		
<u>MAG-11</u> H&MS-11	ATSUGI					1/C-117			
VMFA-513	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMFA-542	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMCJ-1	IWAKUNI			2/EF-10B		6/EF-10B 1/RF-8A			2/RF-8A ABD CORAL SEA OFF RVN
<u>MAG-13</u> H&MS-13	IWAKUNI			2/C-54 4/TF-9J					
VMA-211	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-115	IWAKUNI			13/F4B					
VMF(AW)-312	IWAKUNI			18/F8E					
VMA-223	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-314	IWAKUNI			17/F4B					

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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT (CONTINUED)

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
<u>MAG-16</u> HMS-16	FUTEMA			4/UH-34D 1/C-117		1/C-117 6/CH-37			
VMO-2	FUTEMA					7/O-1B 21/UH-1E			
HMM-161	FUTEMA							14/UH-34D	10/UH-34D AT QUI NHON
HMM-163	FUTEMA								22/UH-34D(SLF)(IWO JIMA)
HMM-261	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-361	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-263	FUTEMA				25/UH-34D				
<u>MAG-36</u> HMS-36	SANTA ANA								
VMO-6	CAMP PENDLETON					18/UH-1E			
HMM-362	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
HMM-363	SANTA ANA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-364	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
<u>1ST MAW</u> TOTAL FIXED WING AIRCRAFT				119		47	57		2
TOTAL HELICOPTERS				7	25	117	48	14	32

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U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SEASIA

AS OF: 17 SEPTEMBER 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

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U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

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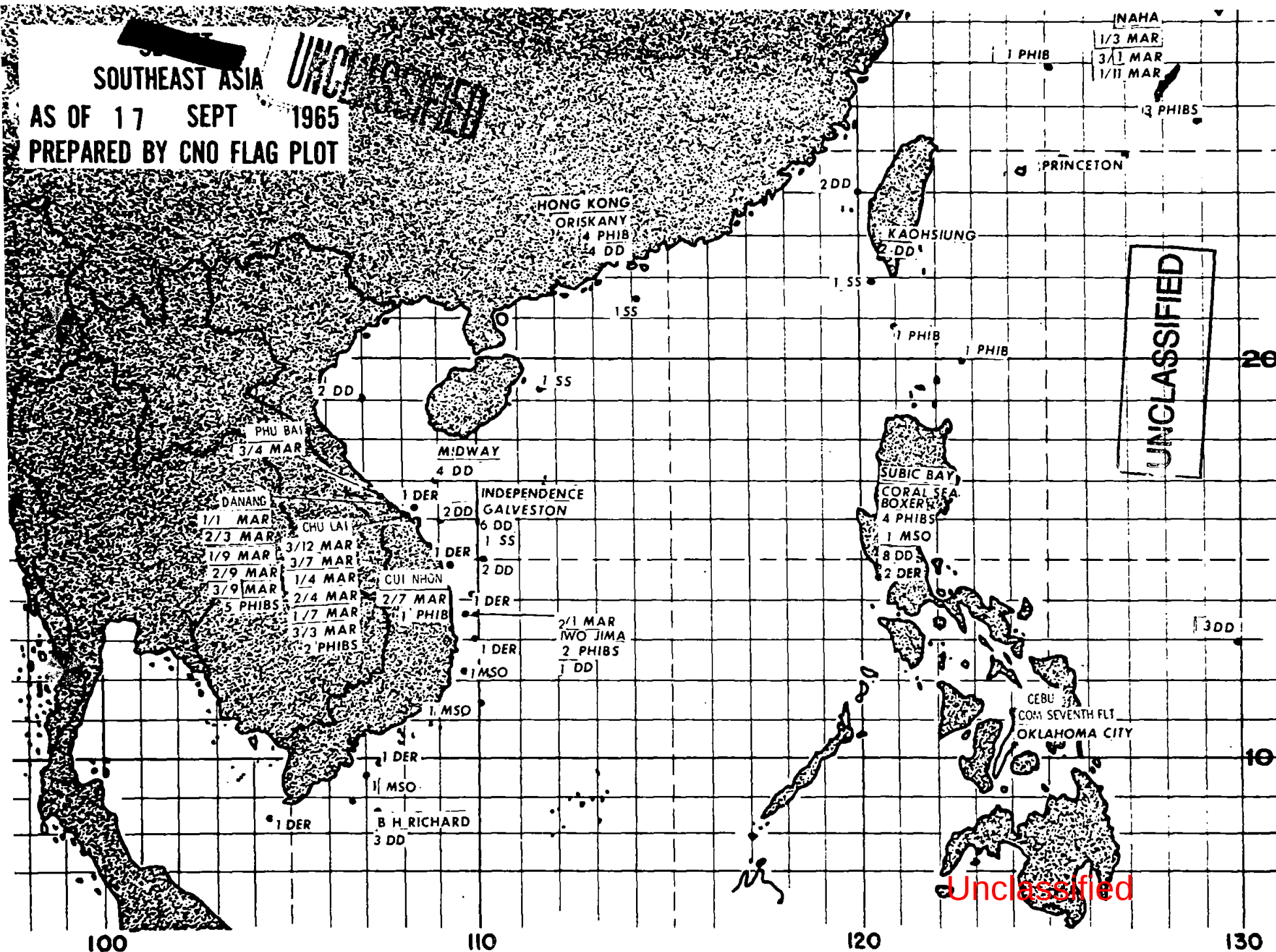
<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
QUI NHON					
92 AVN CO	182	16/CV-2B			
117 AVN CO	176	16/UH-1B; 9/UH-1D; 3/O-1F			
84th ENGR BN	878				
864th ENGR BN	888				
BAN ME THOUT					
CO A, 1 AVN BN	163	9/UH-1B; 16/UH-1D			
KHANH KOA (ARMY ONLY)			BINH THUY		
* HQ 5th SPL FOR GRP	517		22 TASS		22/O-1E
NHA TRANG					
145 AVN PLAT	UNKNOWN	10/UH-1D	310 ACS		14/C-123
14 AVN BN	156	2/U-6A; 8/O-1F			
18 AVN CO	205	24/U-1A			
BIEN HOA					
173d ABN BDE	4,048	2/U-6A; 2/UH-1D	602 ACS		24/A-1E
1/503 INF			19 TASS		27/O-1F & 20/O-1E
2/503 INF			DET, 38 ARS		3/HH-43F
3/319 ARTY			307 TFS		18/F-100
E/17 CAV			1 ACS		23/A-1E; 4/U-10B; 7/C-47D; 5/A-1G
D/16 ARM			429 TFS		19/F-100
173d ENGR CO					
118 AVN CO	188	25/UH-1B; 3/O-1F			
CO A, 501 AVN BN	179	16/UH-1B; 3/O-1F; 9/UH-1D			

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DISTRIBUTION OF II MEF PERSONNEL

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UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS ROADS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOMREP	OTHER
2D MARDIV	CAMP LEJEUNE	BGEN O.R. SIMPSON	17,554	12,968	1,204	322		1,480	8	1	1,571
HQBN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL H.T. PITTMAN	1,489	1,417	29			16	6	1	20*
2D MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL C.H. BRUSH, JR.	3,450	1,346				1,087			1,017
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J.W. HENRY	(283)	(281)				(2)			
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.E. HARREL	(1,048)	(31)							(849/168)
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.W. DONNEL	(1,085)	(0)				(1,085)			
# 3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL B.F. MEYERS	(1,034)	(1,034)							
6TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL J.N. MCLAUGHLIN	3,209	2,200	817	192					
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT G.B. SPERRY	(199)	(199)							
# 1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL W.F. DOEHLER	(921)	(921)							
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.D. BOHN	(1,063)	(54)	(817)	(192)					
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P.F. PEDERSEN	(1,026)	(1,026)							
8TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL G.F. RUSSELL	3,477	3,291							186
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT K. N. JONES	(205)	(205)							
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P.A. DAVIS	(1,201)	(1,015)							(186)
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.B. ORD, JR.	(963)	(963)							
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. M. LUCY	(1,108)	(1,108)							
10TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL H. POGGEMEYER, JR.	2,258	1,727	124	130		158	2		117
HQ BTRY	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT W.L. HAMMACK	(237)	(235)	(1)				(1)		
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL L.M. PHELPS, JR.	(519)	(503)		(16)					
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ K.C. WILLIAMS	(456)	(332)	(123)				(1)		
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ W.R. GRUBAUGH	(613)	(338)				(158)			(117)*
4TH BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.E. YOUNG	(433)	(319)		(114)					
2D SERV BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL R.R. WEIR	1,065	934	48			43			40*
2D AT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.O. DILLOW	380	314	22			22			22*
2D MT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL E.K. VICKERS	289	225	34						30*
2D RECON BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. WESTERMAN	381	307	24			25			25*
2D ENGR BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL F.R. DENORMANDIE	712	562	50			50			50*

#NOMINATED BY CG FMFLANT AS REPLACEMENT BNs FOR 2D & 3D BNs,
5TH MARINES, FOR POSSIBLE WESTPAC DEPLOYMENT.

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UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS RDS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOM REP	OTHER
2D MAW		MGEN G.S. BOWMAN, JR.	12,950	12,034	228	10	122	116			440
MWHG-2	CHERRY POINT	COL H. HANSEN, JR.	1,589	1,589							
MWSG-27	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL F.H. SIMONDS	1,910	1,910							
MAG-14	CHERRY POINT	COL A.D. SIMPSON	1,374	1,374							
MAG-24	CHERRY POINT	COL H.J. FINN	1,452	1,452							
VMT-1	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. DAWSON	203	203							
VMCJ-2	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. MURPHREE	324	324							
12TH FOR DENT CO	CHERRY POINT	CAPT L. YOUNG, DC(USN)	59	59							
MACS-5	NEW RIVER	MAJ J. A. REAMES	257	257							
MACS-6	BEAUFORT	MAJ F. I. DELANEY	349	349							
MAG-26	NEW RIVER	COL F. C. LANG	2,316	1,717	228	10		116			245*
MAG-31	BEAUFORT	LTCOL D. H. FISHER	1,514	1,315			122				77
MAG-32	BEAUFORT	COL F. C. THOMAS	1,603	1,485							188***
TOTAL			38,799	32,263	1,546	493	122	1,745	424	1	2,205

* CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

** ENROUTE GTMO TO RELIEVE CO "M", 2/6

*** ENROUTE ROOS ROADS

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT II MEF

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AIRCRAFT DISTRIBUTION

UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
2D MAW		COMBAT 225 TRANSPORT 23 TRANS HELO 132 OBSERVATION 24	CHERRY POINT						
MWSG-27									
MAMS-27	199	4/T1A;2/C54;3/C117	CHERRY POINT	3/C54;2/C117;4/T1A					
VMCJ-2	324	9/EA6A;9/RF8A	CHERRY POINT	9 /RF8A;8/EF10					
VMGR-252	294	12/KC130	CHERRY POINT	9 /KC130F					
MAG-14									
H&MS-14	410	1/C117;2/T1A	CHERRY POINT	1/C117;2/T1A;7/A4C					
VMA(AW)-242	299	12/A6A	CHERRY POINT	12/A6A					
* VMA-224	211	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	22/A4C					
VMA-332	183	20/A4E	CHERRY POINT	22 /A4E					
MAG-24									
H&MS-24	388	1/C117;3/T1A	CHERRY POINT	2 /T1A;1/C47;1/C117					
VMFA-323	393	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	20 /F4B					
VMFA-531	164	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	11 /F4B					
VMA(AW)-533	249	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	17 /A4C					
MAG-26									
H&MS-26	682	1/C117	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/C117;12/UH-34D		3/UH-34D		2/UH-34D	
VMO-1	164	8/O1B;16/UH1E	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/O1B;4/O1C;11/UH1E			2/UH1E		2/UH-1E
HMM-162	178	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	9 /UH34D					
HMM-262	203	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	13 /UH34D;8/CH-46A					
HMM-365	108	6/CH46A;18/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/UH34D					
HMM-264	175	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	22 /UH34D					
HMM-265	173	24/CH46A	MCAF NEW RIVER				20/CH46A		
HMH-461	161	12/CH37	MCAF NEW RIVER						**12/CH-37C

* TRANSPLACING RELIEVES VMA-225- 1 OCT

** CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

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LANFORMED 2-65

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	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIP	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
LANFORMED TF-62									
LTCOL J. W. DONNELL									
BLT 2/2									
2dBn 2dMar	42	1018	4	33	ENR OPERATION "DEEP FURROW"	PHIBRON-4	WEAPONS	73	I
Btry I, 3/10	8	126	1	1		APA FREMONT	47 M60 Machine Gun	75	II
SU#2, H&MS-26	20	94	0	2	ETA	APA ROCKBRIDGE	37 3.5 Rkt Inchr	15	II(A)
CAPTAIN NELSON					TSAEHESI	LSD ASHLAND	8 81mm Mortar	10	III(BULK)
Plat Co D, 2dRecon	1	23	0	1	BAY, GREECE 21 SEP.	LSD FT. MANDAN	9 .50 cal MG	30	III(DRUM&PKG)
Plat Co B, 2dAmTracBn	1	42	0	1		LST GRAHAM CTY	36 M79 Grnd Inchr	15	IIIA
Plat Co A, 2dTkBn	1	24	0	0		AKA MULIPHEN	8 106mm RR	29	IV
Plat Co B, 2dATBn	1	22	0	0			8 Flame Thrower	NONE	V
Plat Co A, 2dEngrBn	3	24	0	0			6 105mm How		VA
Plat, 8thMTBn	1	34	0	0			6 M50 Ontos		
Det, 2dServBn	1	45	0	0			5 M48,90mm Tank		
Det, 2dSPBn	1	47	0	1			VEHICLES		
Det, 2dFSR	1	44	0	0			32 M422,Mighty Mite		
Det, 2dMED BN	0	9	0	17			8 M37 3/4T Truck		
Det, HqBn, 2dMarDiv	1	19	0	0		11 M274 1/2T Truck			
Det, 2dDentCo, FMP	0	0	2	2		(Mule)			
Det, ACB-2	0	0	1	38		2 M51, 5T Dump			
Det, MSL	0	0	0	17		Truck			
Det, NBG-2	0	0	3	51		3 M43,3/4T Amb			
Det, HqBn, MCB	1	19	0	0		9 M35 2 1/2T Trk			
Det, UDT	0	0	3	16		11 LVTP-5			
						2 M543,5T Wrecker			
						3 M52,5T Trk Trac			
						1 M54, 5T Trk			
						AIRCRAFT			
						8 UH-34D			
TOTAL	83	1590	14	180					

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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65 TG 45.9	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES		
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS	
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL						
CARIB READY FORCE (LTCOL J.E.HARRELL)					ENR GTMO. ETA 19 SEP.	LPH GUADACANAL LST YORK CTY LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK AKA CAPIRCORNUS	5	MG, Cal .30	47	I
BLT 1/2 (minus Co "C"(Rein) at GTMO)	50	1,250	9	127			28	MG, Cal .50	30	II & II(A)
1stBn, 2d MARINES (-)	31	784	4	30			55	MG, M-60	8	III(BULK)
Btry "G", 3/10	9	107	0	1			8	106mm RR	4	III(DRUM & RK)
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	49	0	0			25	3.5 Rocket Launchers		
Plat, Co A, 2d AmTracBn	1	43	0	0			5	90mm Gun Tanks	28	III(A) BULK
Plat, Co B, 2d AT Bn	1	21	0	0			5	M-50 Ontos	30	VI(Non-Veh)
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	22	0	1			8	81mm Mortar	30	V
Plat, Co A, 2d Recon Bn	1	23	0	1			6	105mm Howitzer		
Det, 2d Force ReconCo	1	10	0	0			6	Flame Throwers		
SHORE PARTY TEAM								AIRCRAFT		
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	54	0	2			12	CH-37C		
Det, 2d FSR	0	49	0	0			2	UH-1E		
Det, 2d Service Bn	1	39	0	0				VEHICLES		
Plat, Co A, 2d MT Bn	1	29	0	0			36	M422 (Mighty Mite)		
Det, 2d Med Bn	0	1	0	4			7	M37 (3/4T Truck)		
Det, 2d Dental Co	0	0	1	1			33	M35 (2 1/2T Truck)		
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	19	0	0			11	LVTP-5A		
Det, NBG-2	0	0	4	87			34	M274 CLIW (Mule)		
HMH-461(-)(Rein) (Major HAWLEY)	32	210	1	2			2	M170(Ambulance)		
TOTAL CARIB 4-65	82	1,460	10	129			2	M54 (5T Truck, Cargo)		
					1	Mat Layer				
					1	M543 (5T Wrecker)				
					1	M49 (2 1/2T Tanker)				
					1	M52 (5T Tractor)				
					1	M62 (5T Wrecker)				
					2	M127(Semi-Trailer)				
					7	M38 (Truck,Utility)				

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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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CO M, 3/6 - NORWAY FOR EX "BARFROST"

MEDITERRANEAN
LANFORMED 2-65
BLT 2/2 & DET, H&MS-26
(8/UH/34D AT MALTA

MEDITERRANEAN
VMF (AW)-451 (6F8D)
AB 3S FORRESTAL. AT
NAPLES, ITALY

HIGH BOY VIII
VMA-331 ENR GREECE

CARIB READY FORCE 4-65
BLT 1/2 & HMM451 ENR
GTMO

CARIB READY FORCE 3-65
BLT 2/6 & HMM-165
ENR MOREHEAD CITY. ETA
20SEP, FOR RELIEF

USS HORNET (CVS-12)
H&MS-15 (4/A4C) AT
PF HARBOR

GTMO AUGMENTATION

CO E (REIN), 2/6
BTRY M, 4/10
DET, H&MS-26 (2/UH-34D)
PLAT, 2D 155MM GUN BTRY

ROOS ROADS - VMF (AW)-235 (10/F8E).

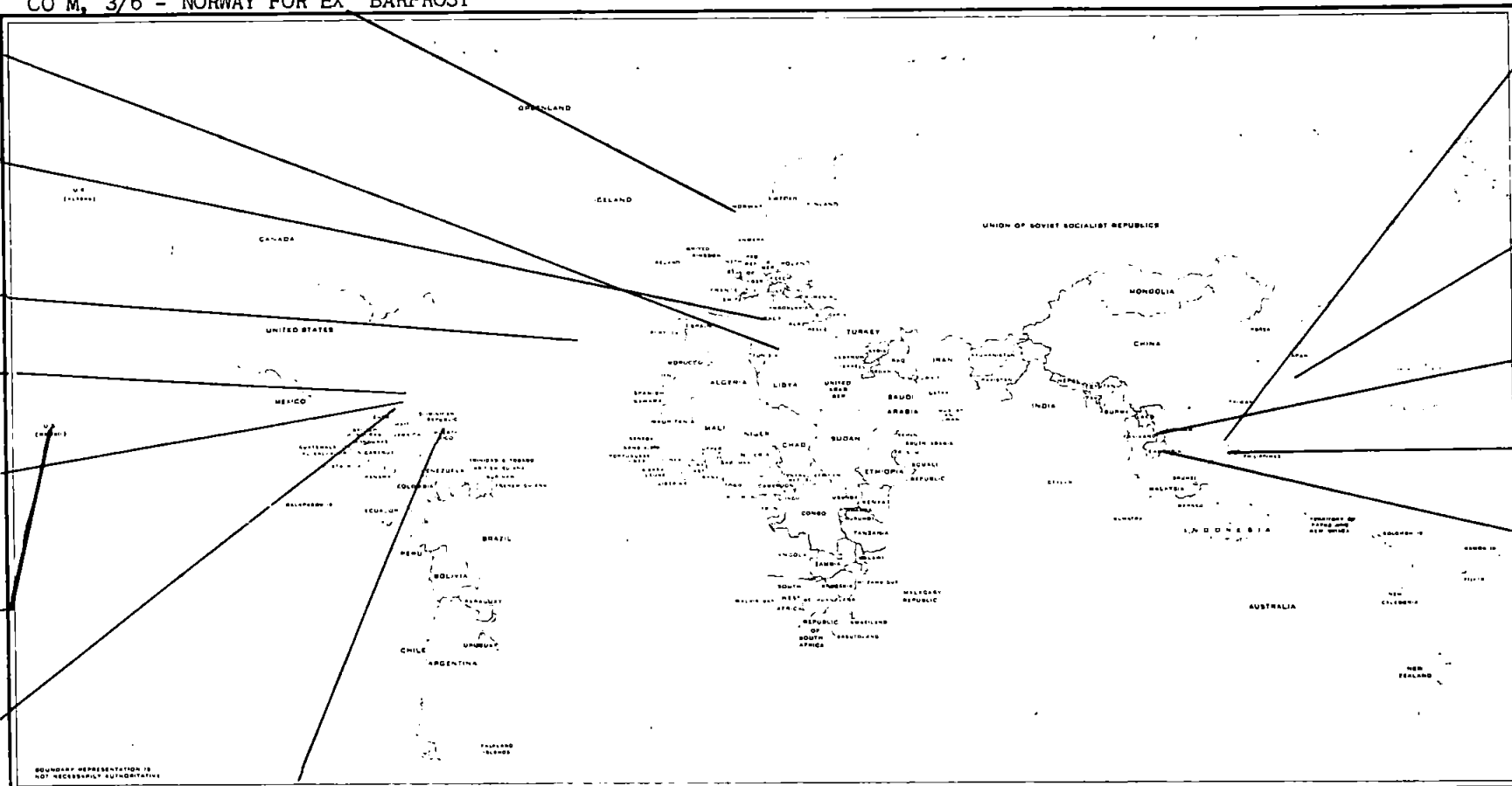
WESTPAC
VMF (AW)-212 (12/F8B)
ABD ORISKANY; DET
VMCJ-1 (2/RF-8A) ABD
CORAL SEA AT SUBIC

3/5
ENR OKI. ETA 22SEP
(TRANSPLACEMENT)

III MAF
RVN

HQ (-), 3D MAB
(ESTES) SUBIC

SLF
BLT 2/1 & HMM-163
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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

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	BATTALIONS	VMFA	VMF	VMF(AW)	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM/HMH	VMO	VMGR	OTHER
WEST PAC	15	4		2	5		1	8	2	1	
RVN	(12)	(2)			(3)		(1(-))	(6)	(2)		
AFLOAT	(1)			(1)*			(DET)	(1)			
OKINAWA/JAPAN	(2)	(2)		(1)	(2)			(1)		(1)	
MID PAC	1			1							
HAWAII	(1)			(1)							
EAST PAC	2	1	1		1		1	3		1	
WEST COAST	(1)	(1)	(1)		(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)	
AFLOAT	(1)										
ATLANTIC	8	3	1	1	4	2	1	6	1	1	
EAST COAST	(6)	(3)	(1)		(3)	(2)	(1)	(4)	(1)	(1)	
CARIBBEAN	(2)			(1)	(1)			(2)			
EUROPE	1			1				1 DET			
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)			(1)				(1 DET)			
GRAND TOTAL	27	8	2	5	10	2	3	17	3	3	

* FROM MIDPAC ABOARD ORISKANY FOR EXTENDED WESTPAC DEPLOYMENT.

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

AS OF 16 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
III MAF (-)	MGEN WALT					
HQ CO (REIN), III MAF						
HQCO		136				
DET 3D CI TEAM	CAPT D.R. KNEPP	7	4	2		
COMM SPT CO	MAJ HART	298				
COMM CO 7TH COMM BN		89				66
*DET, 1ST ANGLICO	LT. WASCO (USN)					
DET, "J" & "K" 1ST RADIO BN		59				
3D MARDIV (-), (REIN)	MGEN WALT					
HQ BN (-)	MAJ WATSON	1,330				
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)	COL NICKERSON					
HQCO	CAPT NICHOLS	204				
1STBN 1ST MARINES	LTCOL MCCLOSKEY	1,163				
2D BN, 3D MARINES	LTCOL CLEMENT	1,080				
3D BN (REIN), 4TH MARINES	LTCOL TAYLOR					
3D BN, 4TH MARINES				1,061		
4TH BN(-)(REIN), 12THMAR	LTCOL E.M. RUDZIS			430		
CO "C", 3D RECON				90		
DET, 3D MED BN				51		
DET, 3D TK BN				25		
DET, 3D AT BN				20		
DET, 3D MT BN				48		
DET, 3D SERV BN				150		
DET, 3D ENGR BN				33		
9TH MARINES (-)	COL GORMAN					
HQCO	CAPT PROCTOR	175				
1ST BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL LUDWIG	1,171				
2D BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL DONAHUE	1,137				
3D BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL TUNNELL	1,074				
4TH MARINES(-)(REIN)	COL MCCLANAHAN					
HQ CO (REIN)	CAPT BAER		276			

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND WEAPONS, FMFPAC

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WEAPON	AUTH ALLOW	EASTPAC	OKINAWA	HAWAII	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	AFLOAT	QUI NHON	
106mm RR	144	16	16	8	40	40	8	8	8	
81mm MORTAR	144	16	16	8	40	40	8	8	8	
107mm HOWTAR	36	6			6	12	6	6		
105mm HOWITZER	108	12	12	6	30	30	6	6	6	
155mm HOWITZER(TOW)	24				6	12	6			
155mm HOWITZER(SP)	36	6	12		12	6				
8" HOWITZER (SP)	12	6			4	2				
90mm GUN TANK	92	4	10		36	27	5	5	5	
FLAME TANK	21	1	8		8	4				
HAWK LAUNCHERS	37	18			19					
ONTOS	90	10	10	5	25	25	5	5	5	
LVTP-5/1C	252	43	39		86	77		11	11	
155mm GUN BTRY(SP)	12	6				6				

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

AS OF: 16 SEPTEMBER 1965

	OFF	ENL	SUB TOTAL
EMBASSY GUARDS		30	
ADVISORS	24	26	80
MACV STAFF	27	27	134
NAVAL ADVISORY GROUP	24	6	164
COMPANY "L", MARINE SUPPORT BATTALION	1	58	223
DETACHMENT "A", 1ST RADIO BATTALION	1	14	238
* III MAF	2,307	32,547	35,092
	2,384	32,708	35,092
TOTAL			
	204	2882	3086

* DOES NOT INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING USN PERSONNEL

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

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MARINE CORPS

VIET CONG

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION
141	854	

KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
1,658	277	508	904

NOTE 1: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY III MAF SINCE 8 MARCH 1965 ARE EXTRACTED FROM SITREPS DAILY AND ARE REFLECTED ON THIS SHEET.

NOTE 2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY ALL USMC UNITS AND ADVISORS SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON THE ADJOINING SHEET PULLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK AND DUE TO THE APPARENT TIME LAG, DOES NOT REFLECT ALL III MAF CASUALTIES SHOWN ABOVE.

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SEASIA

AS OF: 16 SEPTEMBER 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCELOCATION

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
PHU BAI				
220 AVN CO FW	146			
DANANG				
I CORPS AVN CO (PROV)	UNKNOWN	6/0-1F;2/U-6A	311 ACS ;	12 /C-123
6TH AIRLIFT PLAT	53	10/UH-1B	DET, 13 TBS	22 /B-57
7TH AIRLIFT PLAT	171	10/UH-1B	DET, 509 FIS	6/F-102
* CO C, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	103		DET, 38 ARS	1/HH-43B;3/HH-43F
			DET, 33 ARES & 31 ARES	4/HU-16
			20 TASS	23/O-1E
			DET, 436 TFS	18/F104C
PLEIKU				
HQ & HQ DET, 52 AVN BN	312	20/UH-1B;6/0-1F;1/U-6A	21 TASS	34/0-1E
119 AVN CO	171	25/UH-1B;3/0-1F		
219 AVN CO FW	151			
* CO B, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	287			
AN KHE (ARMY ONLY)				
227 AVN BN		20/UH-1D		
1/9 CV		30/OH-13;38/UH-1B;20/UH-1D		
17 AVN CO		18/CV-2B		
#1ST CAV DIV (AIR MOBILE) & CMBT SPT ELM	(18,616			

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA(CONT'D)

16 Sep 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
QUI NHON					
92 AVN CO	182	16/CV-2B			
117 AVN CO	176	16/UH-1B;9/UH-1D;3/O-1F			
84th ENGR BN	878				
864th ENGR BN	888				
BAN ME THOUT					
CO A, 1 AVN BN	163	9/UH-1B;16/UH-1D			
KHANH KOA (ARMY ONLY)			BINH THUY		
* HQ 5th SPL FOR GRP	517			22 TASS	22/O-1E
NHA TRANG					
145 AVN PLAT	UNKNOWN	10/UH-1D		310 ACS	14/C-123
14 AVN BN	156	2/U-6A;8/O-1F			
18 AVN CO	205	24/U-1A			
BIEN HOA					
173d ABN BDE	4,048	2/U-6A;2/UH-1D		602 ACS	24/A-1E
1/503 INF				19 TASS	27/O-1F & 20/O-1E
2/503 INF				DET, 38 ARS	2/HH-43F
3/319 ARTY				307 TFS	18/F-100
E/17 CAV				1 ACS	23/A-1E;4/U-10B;7/C-47D;5/A-1G
D/16 ARM				429 TFS	19 /F-100
173d ENGR CO					
118 AVN CO	188	25/UH-1B;3/O-1F			
CO A, 501 AVN BN	179	16/UH-1B;3/O-1F;9/UH-1D			

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U.S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

16 Sep 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
<u>BIEN HOA (CONT'D)</u>					
CO A, 5TH SPL FOR GRP 2D BDE(-), 1st INF DIV 2d BN, 18th INF 2d BN, 16th INF	255 2,856	6/OH-23G			
<u>VUNG TAU</u>					
61st AVN CO CO A, 82D AVN BN 73 AVN CO	172 170	16/CV-2B 16/UH-1D; 9/UH-1B 6/OV-1A; 2/OV-1B; 4/OV-1C			
<u>CAM RANH BAY (ARMY ONLY)</u>					
1st BN, 18TH INF 1st BDE(REIN), 101 ABN DIV 62ND ENG BN	824 3,863 781				
<u>TAN SON NHUT</u>					
USASCV HQ & HQ DET, 145 AVN BN 74th AVN CO 120 AVN CO 197 AVN CO	1,196 130 104 177 178	9/O-1F; 1/U-6A 32/O-1F 25/UH-1B; 3/O-1F 25/UH-1B		DET, 509 FIS 7/F102 DET, 8 TBS 1/B-57 481 TFS 18/F-100 19 & 309 ACS 28/C-123	DET, 45 TRS 13/RF-101 DET, 405 FW 3/RB-57 DET, 552 AEWCW 2/EC-121 DET, 522 TFS 2/F-100D
<u>VINH LONG</u>					
114 AVN CO CO A, 502d AVN BN	191 192	25/UH-1B; 3/O-1F 25/UH-1B			

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U.S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

16 Sep 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
CAN THO					
221 AVN CO	134				
CO D, 5th SPL FOR GRP	246				
13 AVN BN	209				
SOC TRANG					
121 AVN CO	180	16/UH-1B; 9/UH-1D			
CO A. 101 AVN BN	164	9/UH-1B; 16/UH-1D			
TAKHLI					
				562 TFS	18/F-105
				334 TFS	18/F-105
				DET, 441 TFGWG	23/F-105
				DET, 363 TRW	7/RB-66
				DET, 38 ARS	2/HH-43B
				DET, 41 ADV	21/F-105
KORAT					
				DET, 18 TFW & DET 357 TFS	23/F-105
				DET, 38 ARS	2/HH-43B
UDORN					
				DET, 38 ARS	4/HH-43B
				DET, 363 TRW	6/RF-101C
				DET, 15 TRS	8/RF-101C
				36 ARES	3/HC-54D
				DET, 79 ARES	2/HC-54D

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

16 Sep 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIR CRAFT</u>
UBON					
				47 TFS DET, 38 ARS	18/F-4C 2/HH-43B
DON MUANG					
				DET, 509 FIS VTBD TF	4/F-102A 4/KC-135A

TOTAL A/C BY TYPE	ARMY IN RVN	AIR FORCE IN RVN	AIR FORCE IN THAILAND	TOTAL BY TYPE IN SEASIA
In addition, there are	285 UH-1B	47 A-1E 6 HH-43F	18 F-4C 4 F-102A	47 A-1E 11 HH-43B
various non-tactical units	127 UH-1D	5 A-1G 1 HH-43B	103 F-105 7 RB-66	5 A-1G 6 HH-43F
in RVN possessing 52	79 O-1F	23 B-57 4 HU-16	14 RF-101C	23 B-57 4 HU-16
assorted utility A/C.	30 OH-13	7 C-47D 99 O-1E	10 HH-43B	7 C-47D 2 HC-54D
	6 OV-1A	54 C-123 27 O-1F	5 HC-54D	54 C-123 99 O-1E
	2 OV-1B	2 EC-121 3 RB-57	4 KC-135A	2 EC-121 27 O-1F
	4 OV-1C	57 F-100		18 F-4C 3 RB-57
	8 U-6A	9 F-102 13 RF-101		57 F-100 7 RB-66
	24 U-1A	18 F-104 4 U-10B		9 F-102 13 RF-101
	50 CV-2B			4 F-102A 14 RF-101C
				18 F-104 4 U-10B
				103 F-105 4 KC-135A

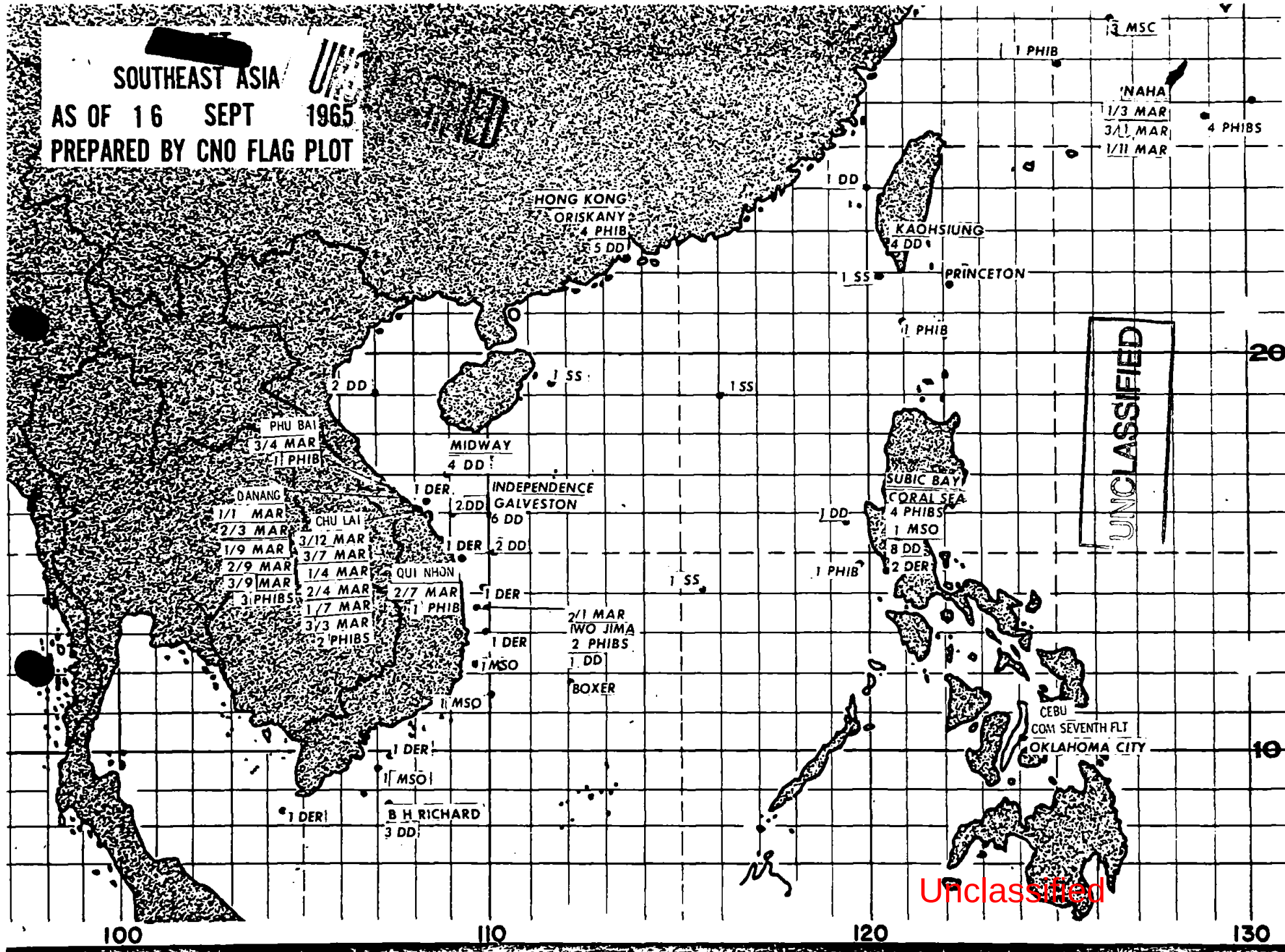
TOTAL ARMY TACTICAL UNITS 20,986
TOTAL MISC UNITS NOW SHOWN 30,821
TOTAL U.S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN 51,807

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DISTRIBUTION OF II MEF PERSONNEL

AS OF: 16 September 1965

UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS ROADS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOMREP	OTHER
2D MARDIV	CAMP LEJEUNE	BGEN O.R. SIMPSON	17,554	12,968	1,204	322		1,480	8	1	1,571
HQBN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL H.T. PITTMAN	1,489	1,417	29			16	6	1	20*
2D MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL C.H. BRUSH, JR.	3,450	1,346				1,087			1,017
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J.W. HENRY	(283)	(281)				(2)			
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.E. HARREL	(1,048)	(31)							(849/168)
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.W. DONNEL	(1,085)	(0)				(1,085)			
# 3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL B.F. MEYERS	(1,034)	(1,034)							
6TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL J.N. MCLAUGHLIN	3,209	2,200	817	192					
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT G.B. SPERRY	(199)	(199)							
# 1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL W.F. DOEHLER	(921)	(921)							
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.D. BOHN	(1,063)	(54)	(817)	(192)					
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P.F. PEDERSEN	(1,026)	(1,026)							
8TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL G.F. RUSSELL	3,477	3,291							186
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT K. N. JONES	(205)	(205)							
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL P.A. DAVIS	(1,201)	(1,015)							(186)
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.B. ORD, JR.	(963)	(963)							
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R. M. LUCY	(1,108)	(1,108)							
10TH MARINES	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL H. POGGEMEYER, JR.	2,258	1,727	124	130		158	2		117
HQ BTRY	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT W.L. HAMMACK	(237)	(235)	(1)				(1)		
1ST BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL L.M. PHELPS, JR.	(519)	(503)		(16)					
2D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ K.C. WILLIAMS	(456)	(332)	(123)				(1)		
3D BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ W.R. GRUBAUGH	(613)	(338)				(158)			(117)*
4TH BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.E. YOUNG	(433)	(319)		(114)					
2D SERV BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL R.R. WEIR	1,065	934	48			43			40*
2D AT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.O. DILLOW	380	314	22			22			22*
2D MT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL E.K. VICKERS	289	225	34						30*
2D RECON BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J. WESTERMAN	381	307	24			25			25*
2D ENGR BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL F.R. DENORMANDIE	712	562	50			50			50*

#NOMINATED BY CG FMFLANT AS REPLACEMENT BNs FOR 2D & 3D BNs,
5TH MARINES, FOR POSSIBLE WESTPAC DEPLOYMENT.

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DISTRIBUTION OF II MEF PERSONNEL (CONTINUED)

16 Sep 1965

UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS ROADS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOMREP	OTHER
2D MARDIV (CONT'D)											
2D SP BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.D. MIZE	499	344	49			49			57*
2D MED BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LCDR N.E. WENGER(USN)	275	239	5			26			5*
2D DENT CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT R.L. JOSEPH (USN)	70	62	2			4			2*
FORCE TROOPS	CAMP LEJEUNE	BGEN F. R. BOUKER	8,295	7,261	114	161		149	416		194
HQCO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT G.W. GEYER	374	363		1			9		1
2D FSR	CAMP LEJEUNE	COL H. WALLACE	2,547	2,253	36	29		45	135		
H&S BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.J. PEARODY	(769)	(706)	(11)	(2)		(10)	(40)		
SUP BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL C.A. SALSER	(800)	(693)	(22)	(9)		(23)	(53)		
MAINT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J.V. MANIS, JR.	(978)	(903)	(3)	(18)		(12)	(42)		
2D TANK BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL R.H. LEWIS	698	570	32	40		25	3		24*/4
2D FORCE RECON CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J.H. CAROTHERS, JR.	144	144							
2D ANGLICO	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL J.A. NELSON	345	254		57			16		18
2D TOPO CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ O.G. CANDLER, JR.	108	84							24
2D BRIDGE CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT T.J. DALZELL	185	179					6		
2D SEP SURGICAL CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	LT J.R. RENARD (USN)	11	11							
2D RADIO BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ J. R. O'MARA	320	296							24
8TH ENGR BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL	1,064	861					203		
2D AMTRAC BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	MAJ W. C. BARRETT	729	592	46			44	3		44*
8TH COMM BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL B. E. HORNER	747	721					26		
2D FIELD ARTY GRP	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL W. E. MAGON	533	496		34			3		
8TH MT BN	CAMP LEJEUNE	LTCOL E.S. BAKER JR.	351	308				35	8		
4TH DENT CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT C.G. VENO (USN)	40	34					2		4
2D ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT F. J. LENNARTZ	12	12							
4TH ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT D.G. EIRCH	15	15							
6TH ITT TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	1STLT O. SAENZ	14	12					1		1
2D CI TEAM	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT W. R. GENTRY	13	12					1		
2D HOSP CO	CAMP LEJEUNE	CAPT J.D. CUNNINGHAM (USN)	45	44							1

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DISTRIBUTION OF II MEF PERSONNEL (CONTD)

16 Sep 1965

UNIT	HOME BASE	COMMANDER	STRENGTH	HOME BASE	CARIB READY FORCE	GTMO REIN	ROOS RDS	LANFORMED 2-65	CAMP DET VIEQUES	DOM REP	OTHER
2D MAW		MGEN G.S. BOWMAN, JR.	12,950	12,152	228	10	122	116			322
MWHG-2	CHERRY POINT	COL H. HANSEN, JR.	1,589	1,589							
MWSG-27	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL F.H. SIMONDS	1,910	1,910							
MAG-14	CHERRY POINT	COL A.D. SIMPSON	1,374	1,374							
MAG-24	CHERRY POINT	COL H.J. FINN	1,452	1,452							
VMT-1	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. DAWSON	203	203							
VMCJ-2	CHERRY POINT	LTCOL T.E. MURPHREE	324	324							
12TH FOR DENT CO	CHERRY POINT	CAPT L.YOUNG, DC(USN)	59	59							
MACS-5	NEW RIVER	MAJ J. A. REAMES	257	257							
MACS-6	BEAUFORT	MAJ F. I. DELANEY	349	349							
MAG-26	NEW RIVER	COL F. C. LANG	2,316	1,717	228	10		116			245*
MAG-31	BEAUFORT	LTCOL D. H. FISHER	1,514	1,315			122				77
MAG-32	BEAUFORT	COL F. C. THOMAS	1,603	1,603							
TOTAL			38,799	32,381	1,546	493	122	1,745	424	1	2,087

* CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

** ENROUTE GTMO TO RELIEVE CO "M", 2/6

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT II MEF

16 SEPTEMBER 1965

AIRCRAFT DISTRIBUTION

UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
2D MAW		COMBAT 225 TRANSPORT 23 TRANS HELO 132 OBSERVATION 24	CHERRY POINT						
WSG-27									
MAMS-27	199	4/T1A;2/C54;3/C117	CHERRY POINT	3/C54;2/C117;4/T1A					
VMCJ-2	324	9/EA6A;9/RF8A	CHERRY POINT	9 /RF8A;8/EF10					
VMGR-252	294	12/KC130	CHERRY POINT	9 /KC130F					
MAG-14									
H&MS-14	410	1/C117;2/T1A	CHERRY POINT	1/C117;2/T1A;7/A4C					
VMA(AW)-242	299	12/A6A	CHERRY POINT	12/A6A					
VMA-224	211	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	22/A4C					
VMA-332	183	20/A4E	CHERRY POINT	22 /A4E					
MAG-24									
H&MS-24	388	1/C117;3/T1A	CHERRY POINT	2 /T1A;1/C47;1/C117					
VMFA-323	393	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	20 /F4B					
VMFA-531	164	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	11 /F4B					
VMA(AW)-533	249	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	17 /A4C					
AG-26									
H&MS-26	682	1/C117	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/C117;12/UH-34D		8/UH-34D		2/UH-34D	
VMO-1	164	8/O1B;16/UH1E	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/O1B;4/O1C;11/UH1E			2/UH1E		2/UH-1E
HMM-162	178	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	9 /UH34D					
HMM-262	203	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	13 /UH34D;8/CH-46A					
HMM-365	108	6/CH46A;18/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/UH34D					
HMM-264	175	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	22 /UH34D					
HMM-265	173	24/CH46A	MCAF NEW RIVER				20/CH46A (OKINAWA)		
HMH-451	161	12/CH37	MCAF NEW RIVER						**12/CH-37C

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* CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT II MEF

(CONTINUED)

16 Sep 1965

UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
<u>MAG-31</u>									
H&MS-31	461	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C47;1/C117;2/T1A					
VMA-331	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	8/A4E					12/A4 ENR GREGG
VMF(AW)-235	199	15/F8E	BEAUFORT	6/F8E	10/F8E				
VMF(AW)-451	179	15/F8D	BEAUFORT			13/F8D			
<u>AG-32</u>						(ABD FORRESTAL)			
H&MS-32	404	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C117;2/T1A;1/C47H					
VMA-324	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	22/A4E					
VMFA-251	270	15/F4B	BEAUFORT	14/F4B					
VMF-333	164	20/F8C	BEAUFORT	18/F8C					

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II MEF DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND WEAPONS

AS OF: 16 SEPTEMBER 1965

<u>WEAPON</u>	<u>HOME BASE</u>	<u>AUTH ALLOW</u>	<u>HOME BASE</u>	<u>CARIBBEAN READY FORCE 3-65</u>	<u>GTMO</u>	<u>CARIBBEAN READY FORCE 4-65</u>	<u>LANFORMED 2-65</u>
106MM RECOILESS RIFLE	CAMP LEJEUNE	72	48	8		8	8
81MM MORTAR	CAMP LEJEUNE	72	48	8		8	8
107MM HOWTAR	CAMP LEJEUNE	18	18				
105MM HOWITZER	CAMP LEJEUNE	54	32	6	4	6	6
155MM HOWITZER(TOW)	CAMP LEJEUNE	6			6		
155MM GUN (SP)	CAMP LEJEUNE	6	4		2		
155MM HOWITZER(SP)	CAMP LEJEUNE	18	18				
8" HOWITZER(SP)	CAMP LEJEUNE	6	6				
90MM GUN TANK	CAMP LEJEUNE	36	21		5	5	5
120MM GUN TANK	CAMP LEJEUNE	17	12	5			
FLAME TANK	CAMP LEJEUNE	9	7		2		
HAWK LAUNCHER	CHERRY POINT	18	18				
ONTOS	CAMP LEJEUNE	45	30	5		5	5
LVTP-5	CAMP LEJEUNE	115	82	11		11	11

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CARIB READY FORCE 4-65

AS OF: 16 SEPTEMBER 1965

CARIB READY FORCE 4-65 TG 45.9	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGNED SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
CARIB READY FORCE (LTCOL J.E.HARRELL)					GTMO	LPH GUADACANAL LST YORK CTY LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK AKA CAPIRCORNUS	5 MG, Cal .30	47	I
BLT 1/2 (minus Co "C"(Rein) at GTMO)	50	1,250	9	127			28 MG, Cal .50	30	II & II(A)
1stBn, 2d MARINES (-)	31	784	4	30			55 MG, M-60	8	III(BULK)
Btry "G", 3/10	9	107	0	1			8 106mm RR	4	III(DRUM & PK)
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	49	0	0			25 3.5 Rocket Launchers		
Plat, Co A, 2d AmTracBn	1	43	0	0			5 90mm Gun Tanks	28	III(A) BULK
Plat, Co B, 2d AT Bn	1	21	0	0			5 M-50 Ontos	30	VI(Non-Veh)
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	22	0	1			8 81mm Mortar	30	V
Plat, Co A, 2d Recon Bn	1	23	0	1			6 105mm Howitzer		
Det, 2d Force ReconCo	1	10	0	0			6 Flame Throwers		
SHORE PARTY TEAM							AIRCRAFT		
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	54	0	2			12 CH-37C		
Det, 2d FSR	0	49	0	0			2 UH-1E		
Det, 2d Service Bn	1	39	0	0			VEHICLES		
Plat, Co A, 2d MT Bn	1	29	0	0			36 M422 (Mighty Mite)		
Det, 2d Med Bn	0	1	0	4			7 M37 (3/4T Truck)		
Det, 2d Dental Co	0	0	1	1			33 M35 (2 1/2T Truck)		
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	19	0	0			11 LVTP-5A		
Det, NBG-2	0	0	4	87			34 M274 CLIW (Mule)		
HMH-461(-)(Rein) (Major HAWLEY)	32	210	1	2			2 M170(Ambulance)		
TOTAL CARIB 4-65	82	1,460	10	129			2 M54 (5T Truck, Cargo)		
					1 Mat Layer				
					1 M543 (5T Wrecker)				
					1 M49 (2 1/2T Tanker)				
					1 M52 (5T Tractor)				
					1 M62 (5T Wrecker)				
					2 M127(Semi-Trailer)				
					7 M38 (Truck,Utility)				

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RECAPITULATION OF FMF UNITS
ALERTED/ORDERED/DEPLOYING

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UNIT	STRENGTH	STATUS	ETD	ETA	DESTINATION
VMA-211	221	ORDERED TO DEPLOY	WHEN FACILITIES ARE AVAILABLE		RVN
VMF(AW)-312	206	ORDERED TO DEPLOY	WHEN FACILITIES ARE AVAILABLE		RVN
TOTAL	427				

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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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MEDITERRANEAN
LANFORMED 2-65
BLT 2/2 & DET H&MS-26
(8/UH-34D) AT MALTA.

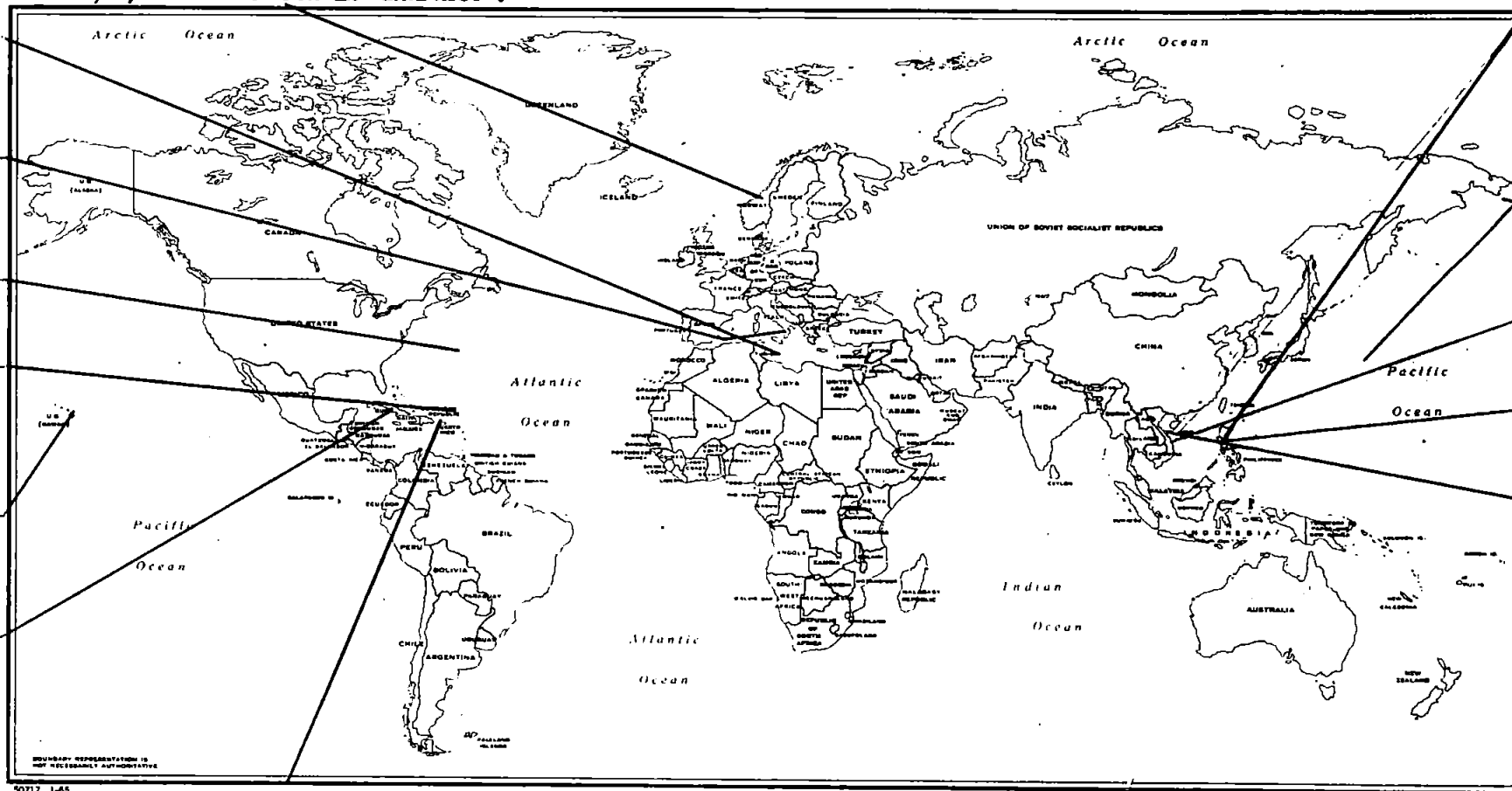
MEDITERRANEAN
VMF(AW)-451 (6/F8D)
ABD USS FORRESTAL. AT
NAPLES, ITALY.
HIGH BOY VIII
VMA-331 ENR GREECE.

CARIB READY FORCE 3-65
BLT 2/6 & HMM-165
ENR MOREHEAD CITY, ETA
20 SEP, FOR RELIEF.

USS HORNET (CVS-12)
H&MS-15 (4/A4C) AT
PEARL HARBOR.

G. AUGMENTATION
CO E (REIN), 2/6
BTRY M, 4/10
DET, H&MS-26 (2/UH-34D)
PLAT, 2D 155MM GUN BTRY

CO M, 3/6 - NORWAY FOR EX "BARFROST".



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ROOS ROADS - VMF(AW)-235 (10/F8E).

WEST PAC
VMF(AW)-212 (12/F8B)
ABD ORISKANY; DET,
VMCJ-1 (2/RF-8A) ABD
CORAL SEA. AT SUBIC
3/5
ENR OKI. ETA 22SEP.
(TRANSPACEMENT)
III MAF
RVN
HQ (-), 3D MAB
(ESTES) SUBIC.
SLF
BLT 2/1 AND HMM-163
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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

AS OF 15 SEPTEMBER 1965

UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
III MAF (-)	MGEN WALT					
HQ CO (REIN), III MAF						
HQCO		136				
DET 3D CI TEAM	CAPT D.R.KNEPP	7	4	2		
COMM SPT CO	MAJ HART	298				
COMM CO 7TH COMM BN		89				66
*DET, 1ST ANGLICO	LT. WASCO (USN)					
DET, "J" & "K" 1ST RADIO BN		59				
3D MARDIV (-), (REIN)	MGEN WALT					
HQ BN (-)	MAJ WATSON	1,330				
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)	COL NICKERSON					
HQCO	CAPT NICHOLS	204				
1STBN 1ST MARINES	LTCOL MCCLOSKEY	1,163				
2D BN, 3D MARINES	LTCOL CLEMENT	1,080				
3D BN (REIN), 4TH MARINES	LTCOL TAYLOR					
3D BN, 4TH MARINES				1,061		
4TH BN(-)(REIN), 12THMAR	LTCOL E.M. RUDZIS			430		
CO "C", 3D RECON				90		
DET, 3D MED BN				51		
DET, 3D TK BN				25		
DET, 3D AT BN				20		
DET, 3D MT BN				48		
DET, 3D SERV BN				150		
DET, 3D ENGR BN				33		
9TH MARINES (-)	COL GORMAN					
HQCO	CAPT PROCTOR	175				
1ST BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL LUDWIG	1,171				
2D BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL SCHARNBERG	1,137				
3D BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL TUNNELL	1,074				
4TH MARINES(-)(REIN)	COL MCCLANAHAN					
HQ CO (REIN)	CAPT BAER		276			

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UNIT COMMANDER DANANG CHU LAI PHU BAI QUI NHON OTHER

4TH MARINES (CONT'D)

1ST BN, 4TH MARINES	LTCOL PERRICH		1,000			
2D BN, 4TH MARINES	LTCOL FISHER		976			
3D BN, 3D MARINES	LTCOL MUIR		1,019			
3D BN, (-)(REIN), 12TH MAR	LTCOL PAGE		720			
3D BN (-), 12TH MAR						
BTRY "K", 4/12						
BTRY "C", 1/12						
PLAT, 1ST 8" HOW BTRY						
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP)	MAJ GUNLIFFE		144			
CO "B", 3D RECON BN			91			
DET, 3D TK BN			130			
DET, 3D AT BN			92			
CO "A"(-)(REIN) 1ST AMTRAC BN			215			
CO "B"(-)(REIN) 3D ENGR BN			148			
CO "C"(-)(REIN), 3D MT BN			67			
DET, 3D MED BN			98			
DET, 3D SERV BN			404			
DET, 3D SP BN			111			
DET, BMJ			17			
DET, 9TH MT BN			97			
7TH MARINES (-) (REIN)	COL PEATROSS					
HQ CO	CAPT THOMAS		298			
1ST BN, 7TH MARINES	LTCOL KELLY		1,121			
3D BN, 7TH MARINES	LTCOL BODLEY		1,148			
3D BN(-)(REIN), 11TH MAR	LTCOL PECK		555			
CO C(-), 1ST RECON BN			79			
CO B(-), 1ST TK BN			158			
CO A(-), 1ST AT BN			64			
CO A(-), 3RD AMTRAC BN			185			
CO C(-), 1ST ENGR BN			130			
CO C(-), 1ST MT BN			51			
DET, CO A, 7TH MT BN			70			

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III MAF TASK ORGANIZATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL IN RVN (CONT'D)

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UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
7TH MARINES (CONT'D)						
CO "C"(-), 1ST SP BN			157			
CO "C"(-), 1ST MED BN			50			
DET, 3D FSR			522			
2D BN(REIN), 7TH MARINES	LTCOL UTTER				1,140	2/7(REIN), OPCON USATFA 5AUG.
BTRY "H", 3DBN, 11TH MAR					138	
DET, HQ BTRY, 3DBN, 11TH MAR					13	
DET, CO "C", 1ST MED BN					34	
PLAT, CO "C", 1ST MT BN					34	
PLAT, CO "C", 1ST AT BN					20	
DET, CO "A", 3D AMTRAC BN					43	
DET, 3D ENGR BN					46	
PLAT, CO "B", 1ST TK BN					30	
DET, CO "C", 1ST RECON BN					23	
DET, 3D FSR					45	
3D RECON BN (-)	LTCOL R VAN CLEVE	294				
DET, 1ST FOR RECON CO	MAJ GAFFEN	61				
12TH MARINES (-)(REIN)	COL CALLENDER					
HQ BTRY (-)	CAPT CONNOR	222				
1ST BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL MC CAIN	447				
2D BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL KNOCKE	349				
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (-)	MAJOR WILSON	143				
BTRY "L", 4/12		101				
FOR LOG SPT GRP	LTCOL PADALINA					
3D SERV BN (-)		1,168				
3D SP BN (-)	MAJ DEAN	293				
DET, 3D FSR		169				
DET, 3D DENT CO (REIN)		47	12	4	4	
DET, BMU		19				
3D MT BN (-)	COL COOK	247				

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UNIT	COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
9TH MT BN (-)(REIN)	MAJOR FINNEY	304				
1ST AMTRAC BN(-)(REIN)	LTCOL POMEROY	366				
3D MED BN (-)	CMDR WILSON(USN)	153				
3D TK BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL RAPHAEL	390				
3D AT BN (-)(REIN)	LTCOL HEFLIN	205				
DET, CO "A", 1ST AT BN		19				
3D ENGR BN(-)(REIN)	LTCOL DENNIS					
3D ENGR BN (-)		526				
7TH ENGR BN (-)	LTCOL MEEKER	868				
1ST BRIDGE CO		103				
1ST MAW(-)(ADV)	BGEN MC CUTCHEON					
MWHG-1(-)(REIN)	LTCOL LUPTON					
H&HS-1(-)	MAJOR LIDDLE	533				
MASS-2	MAJ CUNNINGHAM	151	21			22 (PLEIKU)
2D LAAM BN	MAJ PENICO		534			
1ST LAAM BN	MAJ LONG	509				
MACS-7	LTCOL MILLER		138	20		
MAG-11 (-)	COL CONLEY					
H&MS-11	LTCOL BORTZ	391				
MABS-11	LTCOL PEARCY	375				
VMFA-513(15/F4B)	LTCOL STEWART	291				
VMFA-542(15/F4B)	LTCOL SAVAGE	314				
VMCJ-1(-)(6/EF-10B)(2/RF8A)	LTCOL GORMAN	125				

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	#COMMANDER	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	QUI NHON	OTHER
MAG-12 (-)	COL NOBLE					
H&MS-12	LTCOL KIRKLAND		428			
MABS-12	LTCOL WILSON		452			
VMA-214(-)(22/A4C)	LTCOL O'KEEFE		199			
VMA-225(23/A4C)	LTCOL BAKER		189			
VMA-311(20/A4E)	LTCOL STENDER		204			
MATCU-67	CAPT KEANE		56			
MAG-16 (-)	COL O'CONNOR					
H&MS-16(-)(REIN) (6/CH-37)	MAJOR MC MASTERS	280				
MAB-16(-)(REIN)	LTCOL VERNON	229		6		4
IM-161(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MORRISON			174	46	
HMM-261(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL PORTER	240				
HMM-361(24/UH-34D)	LTCOL CHILDERS	239				
VMO-2 (7/01B; 12/UH-1E)	LTCOL BAUMAN	154				
MAG-36	COL JOHNSON					
H&MS-36	LTCOL MOONEY	50	320			
MABS-36	MAJOR KENNEDY		315			
HMM-362 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL ALDWORTH		180			
HMM-363 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL MC GOUGH	196				
HMM-364 (24/UH-34D)	LTCOL LUCAS		137			
VMO-6 (27/UH-1E)	LTCOL ZITNIK	262				
MATCU-68		46				
FOR ENGR GRP						
30TH NCR	CAPT LIBERTY (USN)					
30TH NCR		19				
NMCB-3	CMDR RUMBLE	559				
NMCB-9	CMDR ANDERSON	642				
NMCB-10	CMDR BANNISTER		617			
DET, NRG-1		47				
TOTALS		20,069	14,049	2,114	1,616	92
AGGREGATE		37,940				

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC

AS OF: 15 SEPTEMBER 1965

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST-PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY/ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
HQ FMFPAC										
HQ FMFPAC										
HQ FMFPAC	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	LTGEN V.H. KRULAK	1,912	189	1,552	31		140		
H&S BN (REIN)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	COL A.D. CEREGHINO	1,034		1,013	21				
3S BN	CAMP SMITH HAWAII		(1,001)		(980)	(21)				
HQ FMFPAC/I MAC(FWD)	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	MGEN S.S. WADE	((21))			((21))				
1ST ITT TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT R.D. DASCH	(21)		(21)					
5TH CI TEAM	CAMP SMITH HAWAII	CAPT E.B. BURLESON	(12)		(12)					
HQ SQ, FMFPAC	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ T. G. BUNCE	75		75					
VMF-2	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL W.E. DANIEL	189	189						
1ST ANGLICO (-)	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL ALBERS	345		279			66		
1ST RADIO BN	MCAS KANEOHE	MAJ SMITH	269		185	10		74		
1ST MARINE BRIGADE										
1ST MARBRIG	MCAS KANEOHE	COL R.H. SPANJER	2,257		2,084				173	
GROUND UNITS										
HQ CO	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL W.H. MACKLIN	147		147					
1ST BN(REIN), 5TH MAR	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL COFFMAN	1,412		1,412					
SERV CO	PEARL CITY	CAPT G.H. TAYLOR	43		43					
DET, 3D DENT CO	MCAS KANEOHE	CAPT A.L. TIETEL(USN)	12		12					
BRIG MED SEC	MCAS KANEOHE	LCDR E.T. STEWART(USN)	37		37					
AIR UNITS										
VMF(AW)-212	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C.H. LUDDEN	173	0					173	(ABD ORISKANY).
VMF(AW)-232	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL N.M. TRAPNELL	210		210					
MACS-2	MCAS KANEOHE	LTCOL C.E. TUCKER	180		180					
MATCU-62	MCAS KANEOHE	1STLT BACON	43		43					

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL RMFPAC (CONTINUED)

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST- PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	ALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLO /ENR TO AREA INDICATED
1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING										
MAW	IWAKUNI	BGEN K. B. MCCUTCHEON	8,483	0		1,003	2,147	5,318	15	427 RVN
MWHG-1	IWAKUNI	LTCOL LUPTON	1,132	0		210		922		
MWSG-17	IWAKUNI	COL McDANIEL	1,362	0		289	1,073			
MAG-11	ATSUGI	COL R. F. CONLEY	1,572	0			61	1,496	15 (CORAL SEA)	
MAG-12	IWAKUNI	COL J. B. NOBLE	1,528	0				1,528		
MAG-13	IWAKUNI	LTCOL O. E. HOWE	1,013	0			1,013			427 RVN
MAG-16	FUTEMA	COL O'CONNOR	1,876	0		504		1,372		

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

3D MAW		MGEN F. E. LEEK	9,459	6,553	22	63	1,024	1,528		
MWHG-3	MCAS EL TORO	COL H. G. DALTON	1,373	1,351				22		
MAG-15	MCAS EL TORO	COL C. KIMAK	1,641	564			1,024		53 (HORNET)	
MAG-33	MCAS EL TORO	COL C. H. DAVIS, JR.	1,385	1,385						
MAG-36	MCAF SANTA ANA	COL W. G. JOHNSON	1,878	408				1,244	223 (SLF)	
MWSG-37	MCAS EL TORO	LTCOL A. W. CAMPBELL	1,771	1,686	22	63				
SU #1, MWSG-37	MCAS EL TORO	MAJ R. W. STARK	640	640						
VMO-6	CAMP PENDLETON	LTCOL R. J. ZITNIK	296	34				262		
MACS-1	MCAS YUMA	LTCOL C. E. SHOWALTER	243	243						
MATCU-65	MCAS YUMA	CAPT T. L. SIMS	56	56						
MARTSAT-3	MCAS YUMA	MAJ P. J. JANNSEN	65	65						
RMF AUG (YUMA)	MCAS YUMA	MAJ W. F. TAYLOR	121	121						
LAAM BATTALIONS			1,132	89				1,043		
1ST LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ G. C. LONG	509	0				509		
2D LAAM BN	MCB 29 PALMS	MAJ E. F. PENICO	534	0				534		
4TH LAAM BN (CADRE)	MCB 29 PALMS	CAPT D. F. KELLER	89	89						

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL FMFPAC (CONT'D)

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RECAPITULATION

TOTAL
DEPLOYED
FROMALERTED/ORDERED TO DEPLOY/
ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED

UNIT	HOME BASE LOCATION	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	EAST PAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	JAPAN	RVN	OTHER	HOME BASE	ENROUTE TO AREA INDICATED
TOTAL HQ FMFPAC	HAWAII	1,912	189	1,552	31	.	140		360	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE BRIGADE	HAWAII	2,257		2,084				173	173	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE DIVISION	EAST PAC	17,222	4,064		4,323		6,222	1,559	13,158	
TOTAL 3RD MARINE DIVISION	OKINAWA	19,345			1,988	92	17,261	4	17,357	
TOTAL FOR TRPS EAST PAC	EAST PAC	7,411	2,941		2,708		1,673	89	4,470	
TOTAL FOR TRPS WEST PAC	OKINAWA	3,842			898	29	2,882	33	2,944	
TOTAL 1ST MARINE AIR WING	JAPAN/OKINAWA	8,483			1,003	2,147	5,318	15	5,325	427 RVN
TOTAL 3RD MARINE AIR WING	EAST PAC	9,459	6,553	22	63	1,024	1,528	279	2,916	
TOTAL LAAM BATTALIONS	EAST PAC/RVN	1,132	89				1,043		1,043	
TOTAL ATTACHED NAVY UNITS		1,913			29		1,884		1,913	
GRAND TOTAL		72,986	13,836	3,658	11,043	3,292	37,951	2,152	49,789	427 RVN;

* UNITS ALERTED IN EXCESS OF ASSIGNED STRENGTHS. HOWEVER, FMFPAC HAS REQUESTED SUFFICIENT PERSONNEL TO BRING THESE UNITS UP TO INDICATED DEPLOYMENT STRENGTHS.

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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
1ST MAW	IWAKUNI								
MWSG-17 MAMS-17	IWAKUNI			1/C-54 3/C-117 2/C-45 2/CH-19 7/TF9J 1/UH-34D					
VMGR-152	FUTEMA			9/KC-130		1/KC-130			
MAG-12									
H&MS-12	IWAKUNI						1/C-117		
VMA-311	IWAKUNI						20/A4E		
VMA-225	IWAKUNI						23/A4C		
VMA-214	IWAKUNI						18/A4C		
MAG-11									
H&MS-11	ATSUGI					1/C-117			
VMFA-513	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMFA-542	ATSUGI					15/F4B			
VMCJ-1	IWAKUNI			2/EF-10B		6/EF-10B 1/RF-8A			2/RF-8A ABD CORAL SEA OFF RVN
MAG-13									
H&MS-13	IWAKUNI			2/C-54 4/TF-9J					
VMA-211	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-115	IWAKUNI			13/F4B					
VMF(AW)-312	IWAKUNI			18/F8E					
VMA-223	IWAKUNI			20/A4E					
VMFA-314	IWAKUNI			17/F4B					

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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT (CONTINUED)

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EAST PAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
<u>MAG-16</u>									
H&MS-16	FUTEMA			4/UH-34D 1/C-117		1/C-117 6/CH-37			
VMO-2	FUTEMA					7/O-1B 12/UH-1E			
HMM-161	FUTEMA							14/UH-34D	10/UH-34D AT QUI NHON
HMM-163	FUTEMA								22/UH-34D(SLF)(IWO JIMA)
HMM-261	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-361	FUTEMA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-263	FUTEMA				25/UH-34D				
<u>MAG-36</u>									
H&MS-36	SANTA ANA								
VMO-6	CAMP PENDLETON					27/UH-1E			
HMM-362	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
HMM-363	SANTA ANA					24/UH-34D			
HMM-364	SANTA ANA						24/UH-34D		
<u>1ST MAW</u>									
TOTAL FIXED WING AIRCRAFT				124		50	66		2
TOTAL HELICOPTERS				7	25	121	48	14	32

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DISTRIBUTION OF FMFPAC AIRCRAFT (CONTINUED)

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UNIT	HOME BASE	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
3D MAW	EL TORO								
MWSG-37 MAMS-37	EL TORO	1/C-54;4/T-1A 4/C-117 1/C-47J							
VMGR-352	EL TORO	8/KC-130F			4/KC-130F in support of 1st MAW				
HMM-164	SANTA ANA	33/CH-46A							
HMM-165	SANTA ANA								
HMH-462	SANTA ANA	5/CH-37C 5/UH-34D							
MAG-15 H&MS-15	EL TORO	1/C-47J 3/T-1A;5/A4C							4/A4C ABD HORNET
MAG-33									
H&MS-33	EL TORO	1/C-47H;3/T1A							
VMF-334	EL TORO	15/F8C							
VMA-121	EL TORO	16/A4E							
VMFA-122	EL TORO	6/F4B;1/F8E							
VMCJ-3	EL TORO	7/EF-10B 6/RF-8A;4/F8B 4/RF-4B							
3D MAW									
TOTAL FIXED WING AIRCRAFT		90			4				
TOTAL HELICOPTERS		43							

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

AS OF : 15 SEPTEMBER 1965

	OFF	ENL 30	SUB TOTAL
EMBASSY GUARDS			
ADVISORS	24	26	80
MACV STAFF	27	27	134
NAVAL ADVISORY GROUP	24	6	164
COMPANY "L", MARINE SUPPORT BATTALION	1	58	223
DETACHMENT "A", 1ST RADIO BATTALION	1	14	238
* III MAF	2,307	32,547	35,092
TOTAL	2,384	32,708	35,902
* DOES NOT INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING USN PERSONNEL	204	2882	3086

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RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

AS OF: 15 September 1965

MARINE CORPS

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KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	MISSING IN ACTION	KILLED IN ACTION	WOUNDED IN ACTION	PRISONER OF WAR	SUSPECTS
141	854		1,657	277	507	862

NOTE 1: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY III MAF SINCE 8 MARCH 1965 ARE EXTRACTED FROM SITREPS DAILY AND ARE REFLECTED ON THIS SHEET.

NOTE 2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY ALL USMC UNITS AND ADVISORS SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON THE ADJOINING SHEET PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK AND DUE TO THE APPARENT TIME LAG, DOES NOT REFLECT ALL III MAF CASUALTIES SHOWN ABOVE.

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SEASIA

AS OF: 15 SEPTEMBER 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
PHU BAI					
220 AVN CO FW	146				
DANANG					
I CORPS AVN CO (PROV)	UNKNOWN	6/O-1F;2/U-6A		311 ACS ;	13/C-123
6TH AIRLIFT PLAT	53	10/UH-1B		DET, 13 TBS	20/B-57
7TH AIRLIFT PLAT	171	10/UH-1B		DET, 509 FIS	8/F-102
* CO C, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	103			DET, 38 ARS	1/HH-43B;3/HH-43F
				DET, 33 ARES & 31 ARES	4/HU-16
				20 TASS	23/O-1E
				DET, 436 TFS	17/F104C
PLEIKU					
HQ & HQ DET, 52 AVN BN	312	20/UH-1B;6/O-1F;1/U-6A		21 TASS	34/O-1E
119 AVN CO	171	25/UH-1B;3/O-1F			
219 AVN CO FW	151				
* CO B, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	287				
AN KHE (ARMY ONLY)					
227 AVN BN		20/UH-1D			
1/9 CV		30/OH-13;38/UH-1B;20/UH-1D			
17 AVN CO		18/CV-2B			
#1ST CAV DIV (AIR MOBILE) & CMBT SPT ELM	(18,616				

#COMMENCED UNLOADING AT QUI NHON 11 SEP65 STRENGTH NOT SHOWN IN TOTALS.

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

15 Sep 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
QUI NHON					
92 AVN CO	182	16/CV-2B			
117 AVN CO	176	16/UH-1B;9/UH-1D;3/O-1F			
84th ENGR BN	878				
864th ENGR BN	888				
BAN ME THOUT					
CO A, 1 AVN BN	163	9/UH-1B;16/UH-1D			
KHANH KOA (ARMY ONLY)			BINH THUY		
* HQ 5th SPL FOR GRP	517		22 TASS		22/O-1E
NHA TRANG					
145 AVN PLAT	UNKNOWN	10/UH-1D	310 ACS		11/C-123
14 AVN BN	156	2/U-6A;8/O-1F			
18 AVN CO	205	24/U-1A			
BIEN HOA					
173d ABN BDE	4,048	2/U-6A;2/UH-1D	602 ACS		26/A-1E
1/503 INF			19 TASS		22 /O-1F & 23 /O-1E
2/503 INF			DET, 38 ARS		1/HH-43B & 2/HH-43F
3/319 ARTY			307 TFS		20 /F-100
E/17 CAV			1 ACS		21/A-1E;4/U-10B;7/C-47D;5/A-1G
D/16 ARM			429 TFS		19 /F-100
173d ENGR CO					
118 AVN CO	188	25/UH-1B;3/O-1F			
CO A, 501 AVN BN	179	16/UH-1B;3/O-1F;9/UH-1D			

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U.S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

15 Sep 1965

U. S. ARMY

U. S. AIR FORCE

UNIT	STRENGTH	AIRCRAFT	LOCATION	UNIT	AIRCRAFT
BIEN HOA (CONT'D)					
CO A, 5TH SPL FOR GRP	255				
2D BDE(-), 1st INF DIV	2,856	6/OH-23G			
2d BN, 18th INF					
2d BN, 16th INF					
VUNG TAU					
61st AVN CO	172	16/CV-2B			
CO A, 82D AVN BN	170	16/UH-1D; 9/UH-1B			
73 AVN CO		6/OV-1A; 2/OV-1B; 4/OV-1C			
CAM RANH BAY (ARMY ONLY)					
1st BN, 18TH INF	824				
1st BDE(REIN), 101 ABN DIV	3,863				
62ND ENG BN	781				
TAN SON NHUT					
USASCV	1,196		DET, 509 FIS 8/F102	DET, 45 TRS	13/RF-101
HQ & HQ DET, 145 AVN BN	130	9/O-1F; 1/U-6A	DET, 8 TBS 3/B-57	DET, 363 TRW	4/RB-66
74th AVN CO	104	32/O-1F	481 TFS 18/F-100	DET, 405 FW	2/RB-57
120 AVN CO	177	25/UH-1B; 3/O-1F	19 & 309 ACS 27/C-123	DET, 552 AEWCW	2/EC-121
197 AVN CO	178	25/UH-1B		DET, 522 TFS	2/F-100D
VINH LONG					
114 AVN CO	191	25/UH-1B; 3/O-1F			
CO A, 502d AVN BN	192	25/UH-1B			

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U.S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA(CONT'D)

15 Sep 1965

U. S. ARMYU. S. AIR FORCE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT</u>
CAN THO					
221 AVN CO	134				
CO D, 5th SPL FOR GRP	246				
13 AVN BN	209	2/U6-A; 9/O-1F			
SOC TRANG					
121 AVN CO	180	16/UH-1B; 9/UH-1D			
CO A. 101 AVN BN	164	9/UH-1B; 16/UH-1D			
TAKHLI					
			562 TFS	18/F-105	
			334 TFS	18/F-105	
			DET, 441 TFGWG	23/F-105	
			DET, 363 TRW	4/RB-66	
			DET, 38 ARS	2/HH-43B	
			DET, 41 ADV	21/F-105	
KORAT					
			DET, 18 TFW & DET 357 TFS	41/F-105	
			DET, 38 ARS	2/HH-43B	
UDORN					
			DET, 38 ARS	4/HH-43B	
			DET, 363 TRW	8/RF-101C	
			DET, 15 TRS	7/RF-101C	
			36 ARS	2/HC-54D	

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U. S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN
U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN SE ASIA (CONT'D)

15 Sep 1965

U. S. ARMY

U. S. AIR FORCE

UNIT	STRENGTH	AIRCRAFT	LOCATION	UNIT	AIR CRAFT
UBON					
				47 TFS DET, 38 ARS	18/F-4C 2/HH-43B
DON MUANG					
				DET, 509 FIS VTBD TF	4/F-102A 4/KC-135A

TOTAL A/C BY TYPE	ARMY IN RVN	AIR FORCE IN RVN	AIR FORCE IN THAILAND	TOTAL BY TYPE IN SEASIA
In addition, there are various non-tactical units in RVN possessing 52 assorted utility A/C.	285 UH-1B 127 UH-1D 88 O-1F 30 OH-13 6 OV-1A 2 OV-1B 4 OV-1C 10 U-6A 24 U-1A 50 CV-2B	47 A-1E 5 A-1G 23 B-57 7 C-47D 51 C-123 2 EC-121 59 F-100 16 F-102 17 F-104 5 HH-43F 2 HH-43B 4 HU-16 102 O-1E 22 O-1F 2 RB-57 4 RB-66 13 RF-101 4 U-10B	18 F-4C 121 F-105 15 RF-101C 10 HH-43B 2 HC-54D 4 KC-135A	47 A-1E 5 A-1G 23 B-57 7 C-47D 51 C-123 2 EC-121 18 F-4C 59 F-100 16 F-102 4 F-102A 17 F-104 121 F-105 12 HH-43B 5 HH-43F 4 HU-16 2 HC-54D 102 O-1E 22 O-1F 2 RB-57 8 RB-66 13 RF-101 15 RF-101C 4 U-10B 4 KC-135A

TOTAL ARMY TACTICAL UNITS 20,986
TOTAL MISC UNITS NOW SHOWN 30,821
TOTAL U.S. ARMY UNITS IN RVN 51,807

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT II MEF

AS OF: 15 September 1965

AIRCRAFT DISTRIBUTION

UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
2D MAW		COMBAT 225 TRANSPORT 23 TRANS HELO 132 OBSERVATION 24	CHERRY POINT						
<u>MWSG-27</u>									
MS-27	199	4/T1A;2/C54;3/C117	CHERRY POINT	3/C54;2/C117;4/T1A					
MCJ-2	324	9/EA6A;9/RF8A	CHERRY POINT	9 /RF8A;8/EF10					
VMGR-252	294	12/KC130	CHERRY POINT	9 /KC130F					
<u>MAG-14</u>									
H8MS-14	410	1/C117;2/T1A	CHERRY POINT	1/C117;2/T1A;7/A4C					
VMA(AW)-242	299	12/A6A	CHERRY POINT	12/A6A					
* VMA-224	211	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	22/A4C					
VMA-332	183	20/A4E	CHERRY POINT	22 /A4E					
<u>MAG-24</u>									
H8MS-24	388	1/C117;3/T1A	CHERRY POINT	2 /T1A;1/C47;1/C117					
VMFA-323	393	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	20 /F4B					
VMFA-531	164	15/F4B	CHERRY POINT	11 /F4B					
VMA(AW)-533	249	20/A4C	CHERRY POINT	17 /A4C					
<u>MAG-26</u>									
MS-26	682	1/C117	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/C117;12/UH-34D		9/UH-34D		2/UH-34D	
VMO-1	164	8/01B;16/UH1E	MCAF NEW RIVER	1/01B;4/01C;11/UH1E			2/UH1E		
HMM-162	178	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	9 /UH34D					
HMM-262	203	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	13 /UH34D;8/CH-46A					
HMM-365	108	6/CH46A;18/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	20/UH34D					
HMM-264	175	24/UH34D	MCAF NEW RIVER	22 /UH34D					
HMM-265	173	24/CH46A	MCAF NEW RIVER				20/CH46A (OKINAWA)		
HMH-461	161	12/CH37	MCAF NEW RIVER	12/CH37					

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT II MEF

(CONTINUED) 15 Sep 1965

UNIT	STRENGTH	OP ALLOWANCE	HOME BASE	HOME	ROOS RDS	MED	CARIB	GTMO	OTHER
MAG-31									
HMS-31	461	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C47;1/C117;2/T1A					
VMA-331	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	8/A4E					12/A4 ENR GREECE
VMF(AW)-235	199	15/F8E	BEAUFORT		10/F8E				6/F8E KEY WEST
VMF(AW)-451	179	15/F8D	BEAUFORT			6/F8D			
MAG-32						(ABD FORRESTAL)			
HMS-32	404	1/C47;2/T1A	BEAUFORT	1/C117;2/T1A;1/C47H					
A-324	193	20/A4E	BEAUFORT	22/A4E					
VMFA-251	270	15/F4B	BEAUFORT	14/F4B					
VMF-333	164	20/F8C	BEAUFORT	18/F8C					

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CARIB READY FORCE 3-65

AS OF: 15 SEPTEMBER 1965

29 Jan - 15 Sep 65

CARIB READY FORCE 3-65 TG 45.9	STRENGTH				LOCATION	ASSIGN SHIPPING	MAJOR ARMS/EQUIPMENT	SUPPLIES	
	USMC		USN					DAYS	CLASS
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL					
CARIB READY FORCE (LTCOL R. D. BOHN)					ENR MOREHEAD CITY.	LPH OKINAWA	5 MGun, Cal 30	47	I
BLT 2/6 (minus CoE (Rein) AT GTMO)	100	1390	15	145	ETA 20 SEPT.	LSD HERMITAGE	28 MGun, Cal 50	30	II & II (A)
2dBn, 6th Marines	34	730	4	30	FOR RELIEF AS CARIB	LPD LASALLE	55 MGun, M-60	8	III (BULK)
Btry "D", 2/10	8	123	0	1	3-65	AKA OGLETHORPE	8 106mm RR	4	III (DRUM
Plat, CoB, 2d Engr Bn	1	48	0	0		LST WAHIAKUM CTY	25 3.5 Rocket Launchers		& PKG)
Plat, CoB, 2d AmTrac Bn	2	44	0	0			5 120MM Gun Tanks	28	III (A)
Plat, CoA, 2d AT Bn	1	20	0	0			5 M-50 Ontos		(BULK)
Plat, CoC, 2d Tank Bn	1	29	0	1			8 81mm Mortar	30	VI (Non-
Plat, CoB, 2d Recon Bn	1	23	0	1			6 105mm How		Veh)
SHORE PARTY TEAM							6 Flame Throwers	30	V
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	47	0	2					
Det, 2d FSR	1	38	0	0			AIRCRAFT		
Det, 2d Serv Bn	1	46	0	0			20 CH-46A		
Plat, CoC, 2d MT Bn	1	33	0	0			2 UH-1E		
Det, 2d Med Bn	0	1	0	4					
Det, 2d Dent Co	0	0	1	1			VEHICLES		
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	2	29	0	0			36 M422 (Mighty Mite)		
Det, NBG-2	0	0	7	85			7 M37 (3/4T Truck)		
Det, UDT	0	0	2	18			33 M35 (2 1/2T Truck)		
							11 LVTP-5A		
							34 M274 CLIW (Mule)		
							2 M170 (Ambulance)		
							2 M54 (5T Truck, Cargo)		
							1 Mat Layer		
							1 M543 (5T Wrecker)		
							1 M49 (2 1/2T Tanker)		
							1 M52 (5T Trac)		
							1 M62 (5T Wrecker)		
							2 M127 (Semi-Trailer)		
							7 M38 Tk. Utility)		
							2 MSI (TRUCK, DUMP)		
HMM-265 (-)(Rein) (MAJOR G. A. CORLIS)	46	179	1	2					

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