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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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LANFORMED 2-66
(BLT 2/6)
AT TARANTO, ITALY

VMA-324 (14/A4E)
ABD USS INDEPENDENCE
AT VALLETA, MALTA

STMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN (-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

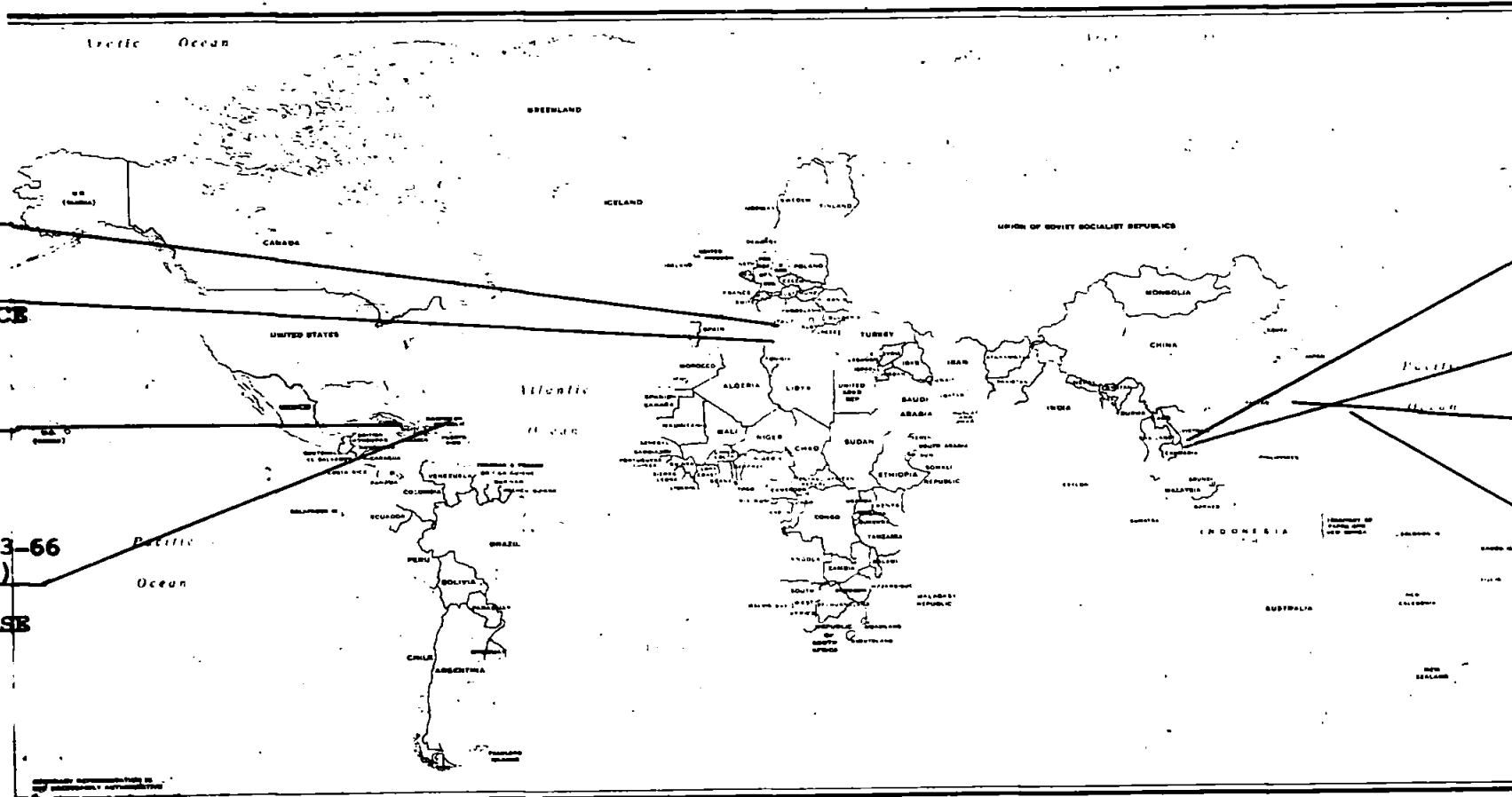
CARIB READY FORCE 3-66
(BLT 3/2 & HMM-365)
ENR OPEN SEA ON
PRM EVASION COURSE

HMM-165
OFF RVN. ETA KY HA
10CT66

III MAF
RVN

SLF
ARG WITH HMM-362
ENR OKI ETA 10CT66

BLT 1/9
ENR OKI ETA 30CT66



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MAJOR NAVAL UNITS IN I CTZ

UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	
		USN	USN	USN	USN	
NAVSA, DANANG	CAPT WESCHLER (USN)	7,321	7,321			
HQ, 30TH NCB	CAPT ANDERSON (USN)	51	51			
NMCB-1	CMDR HARDY (USN)	753	753			
NMCB-3	CMDR POLEY (USN)	729		729		
NMCB-6	CMDR TOMBARI (USN)	557	557			
NMCB-7	CMDR ACUFF (USN)	690			690	
NMCB-9	CMDR ANDERSON (USN)	907	907			
NMCB-10	CMDR WILLIAMS (USN)	794	794			
NMCB-11	CMDR BARRON (USN)	766	766			
NMCB-40	CMDR WALLS (USN)	611		611		
NAVY UNIT TOTALS		13,179	11,149	1,340	690	

MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

AS OF: 30 SEPTEMBER 1966

	OFFICERS	ENLISTED	TOTAL
EMBASSY GUARDS	1	67	68
ADVISORS	20	22	42
MACV STAFF (INCLUDES SOG, JRATA, AFRTV AND CONST DIR)	99	95	194
NAVAL ADVISORY GROUP	40	12	52
COMPANY "L", MARINE SUPPORT BATTALION (PHU BAI)	3	65	68
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO	12	134	146
III MAF	3,697	50,721	54,418
TOTAL USMC IN RVN	3,872	51,116	54,988

U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF	311	2,089	2,400
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL IN I CORPS NOT ATTACHED/ORGANIC TO III MAF	505	13,762	14,267

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATION

DA NANG

III MAF

USMC	28,528
USN	1,245

H&S COMPANY
SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPICO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)

1/1
2/1
3/1

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)

1/3
2/3
2/26

9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)

1/26
3/9

12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)

1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF

1/11
1/12
2/12

4/12 (-)

3D AT BN

3D ENGR BN

3D MED BN

3D DENTAL CO FMF

3D MT BN

3D RECON BN

3D SP BN

3D TANK BN

1ST AMTRAC BN FMF

PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

	USMC	USN
RVN	54,988	2,545
III MAF	54,418	2,539
DA NANG	(28,528)	(1,245)
CHU LAI	(20,362)	(974)
PHU BAI	(5,528)	(320)
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	194	
NAVADVP	52	
CO L, MARSPTBN	68	
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO	146	6
OKINAWA	10,358	468
SLF	223	1
JAPAN	2,451	28
TOTALS	68,020	3,048

OKINAWA

USMC	10,358
USN	468

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/26
3/3
1/13 (-)
MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

CHU LAI

USMC	20,362
USN	974

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES

1/5
2/5
3/5

7TH MARINES

1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7

11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)

3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) (-) (REIN) FMF

2/11 (-)
3/11

4/11 (-) (REIN)

3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF

CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD

DET 2/7

3 CO'S

1ST AT BN (-)

1ST ENGR BN (-)

1ST MED BN (-)

1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF

1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF

1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)

1ST TANK BN (-)

1ST MT BN (-)

7TH MT BN (-) FMF

1ST SP BN (-)

7TH COMM BN (-) FMF

3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-363
HMM-364
VMO-6
MAG-13

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

HQ, SLF	USMC	USN
HMM-362(ARG w/HMM-362 ENR OKI.ETA 10CT)	223	1

JAPAN

USMC	2,451
USN	28

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

	NMCB	NavSA
DANANG	3,827	7,321
HQ, 30TH NCB		
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9, NMCB-10, NMCB-11		
CHU LAI	1,340	
NMCB-3, NMCB-40		
PHU BAI	690	
NMCB-7		
TOTALS	5,857	7,321

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 17OCT, ETA CHU LAI 24OCT
BLT 1/9 RVN-OKI ETA OKI 3 OCT

HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN.

OFF RVN ETA KY HA 10CT66

DET, 15 ARM AMPHIP CO CONUS-PEARL-GUAM-
DANANG ETA DANANG 10CT

PHU BAI

USMC	5,528
USN	320

4TH MARINES (REIN)

1/4
2/4
3/4

2/4

3/12 (REIN)

1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF

MTR BTRY 1/11

M BTRY, 4/12

HMM-161
FLSU-2

AS OF: 30 SEP 1966

USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>KIA & DOW</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
1,656	9,846	32

NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>DEAD</u>	<u>INJURED</u>	<u>MISSING</u>
231	536	1

VC/NVA

<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>POW</u>	<u>SUSPECTS</u>
11,271	491	1,311	7,918

NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 29 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE:2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

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GENERAL OFFICERS AND COMMANDERS OF MAJOR UNITS AND MANEUVER BATTALIONS
AND DIVISION CHIEFS OF STAFF

■ Indicates new or changed data

U. S. ARMY, VIETNAM		1st Cavalry Div (AM)	
Dep CG, USARV	LTG Jean E. Engler	Asst Div Commander	MG John Norton
Asst to Dep CG & CofS	BG Richard J. Seitz	Asst Div Commander	■ BG George S. Blanchard
Dep CofS, Plans & Ops	BG Frank D. Miller	Chief of Staff	BG W. A. Becker
Dep CofS, Pers & Admin	COL Earl P. Cole	Div Arty Commander	COL Hubert E. Wolff
Provost Marshal	BG Harley L. Moore, Jr.	Spt Comd Commander	COL W. F. Brand
			COL J. R. Burton
CG, 1st Avn Bde	BG George P. Seneff, Jr.	1st Brigade (Abn)	COL A. R. Hyle
CG, USA Spt Comd, Qui Nhon	BG Charles R. Meyer	1st Bn, (Abn), 8th Cav	LTC William C. Louisell, Jr.
CG, Hq Area Comd	BG Robert L. Ashworth	2d Bn, (Abn), 8th Cav	LTC John A. Mcphill
		1st Bn, (Abn), 12th Cav	LTC James T. Root
CG, USA Spt Comd, Nha Trang	Unknown	2d Brigade	COL Marvin Berenzweig
CG, 1st Log Comd	MG Charles W. Eifler	1st Bn, 5th Cav	LTC William B. Ray
DCG, 1st Log Comd	BG Shelton E. Lollie	2d Bn, 5th Cav	■ LTC Reginald T. Lombard
CG, 18th Engr Bde	BG Robert R. Ploger	2d Bn, 12th Cav	Unknown
CG, 1st Sig Bde, USASCC	BG Robert D. Tegry	3d Brigade	COL C. D. Daniel
		1st Bn, 7th Cav	■ LTC Edward M. Markham, III
		2d Bn, 7th Cav	Unknown
		5th Bn, 7th Cav	LTC T. W. Swett, Jr.
		1st Bn, 9th Cav	LTC James C. Smith
		25th Inf Div	MG Frederick C. Weyand
HQ, FLD FORCE I, VIETNAM	LTC Stanley R. Larsen	Hq 25th Inf Div	■ BG George G. O'Connor
Commanding General	■ COL Donnelly P. Bolton	Asst Div Commander	■ BG Edward M. deSassure
Chief of Staff	■ COL Linton S. Bostwright	Asst Div Commander	BG Glenn D. Walker
Arty Commander		Chief of Staff	COL Thomas W. Mellen
		Div Arty Commander	COL D. B. Williams
		Spt Comd Commander	COL Herbert S. Lowe
HQ, FLD FORCE II, VIETNAM	LTG Jonathan O. Seaman	1st Brigade	COL William B. Sandlin
Commanding General	BG Richard T. Knowles	2d Bn, 14th Inf	LTC John M. Shultz
Chief of Staff	COL George R. Allin, Jr.	4th Bn, 9th Inf	LTC Shepard A. Booth, Jr.
Arty Commander		4th Bn, 23d Inf	LTC Michael Barszcz
1st Inf Div	MG William E. DePuy	2d Brigade	COL T. M. Tarpley
Asst Div Commander	BG James F. Hollingsworth	1st Bn, 27th Inf	MAJ Guy S. Meloy, III
Asst Div Commander	BG John R. Deane, Jr.	1st Bn, 27th Inf	LTC Harley F. Mooney
Chief of Staff	COL Edward B. Kitchens, Jr.	1st Bn, 5th Inf	LTC Thomas U. Greer
Div Arty Commander	COL L. M. Caruthers		
Spt Comd Commander	COL F. W. Gramling	3d Brigade	Unknown
		1st Bn, 14th Inf	LTC Gilbert Procter, Jr.
1st Brigade	COL Sidney B. Berry	1st Bn, 35th Inf	Unknown
1st Bn, 16th Inf	LTC George M. Wallace	2d Bn, 35th Inf	LTC Philip R. Feir
1st Bn, 28th Inf	Unknown	3d Sqdn, 4th Cav	LTC John R. Hendry
2d Bn, 28th Inf	■ LTC Elmer H. Pendleton	1st Bn, 69th Arm	LTC Clyde O. Clark
2d Brigade	COL S. M. Marks	173d Airborne Brigade	BG Paul F. Smith
2d Bn, 16th Inf	LTC William S. Hathaway	Deputy Commander	■ COL R. C. Shaw
1st Bn, 18th Inf	LTC Warner S. Goodwin, Jr.	1st Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Lewis H. Goad
2d Bn, 18th Inf	LTC Lewis R. Bauman	2d Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC John J. Walsh, Jr.
3d Brigade	LTC Samuel S. Walker	4th Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Michael D. Healy
1st Bn, 2d Inf	LTC Richard L. Prillaman		
2d Bn, 2d Inf	Unknown	1st Bde, 101st Abn Div	BG Willard Pearson
1st Bn, 26th Inf	Unknown	Deputy Commander	■ COL C. B. McCoid
1st Sqdn, 4th Cav	LTC Leonard L. Kovane	1st Bn, 327th Abn Inf	Unknown
4th Inf Div	■ MG Arthur S. Collins, Jr.	2d Bn, 327th Abn Inf	LTC Joseph Wasco, Jr.
Asst Div Commander	BG David O. Byars	2d Bn, 502d Abn Inf	LTC Frank L. Dietrich
2d Bde, 4th Inf Div	COL J. F. Miller	196th Light Inf Bde	■ COL Francis Conaty
1st Bn, 12th Inf	LTC James R. Lay	Deputy Commander	■ COL C. P. Murray
1st Bn, 22d Inf	LTC Leonard A. Morley	2d Bn, 1st Inf	LTC Charles E. Weddler
2d Bn, 8th Inf	LTC Kenneth E. Weber	3d Bn, 21st Inf	LTC Charles K. Nulsen, Jr.
		4th Bn, 31st Inf	LTC Hugh J. Lynch
2d Bn, 34th Arm	LTC Raymond L. Stalley	11th Armd Cav Regt	COL William W. Cobb
		1st Sqdn	LTC Martin D. Howell
		2d Sqdn	LTC Kibbey M. Horne
		3d Sqdn	LTC Palmer A. Peterson

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UNITS IN VIETNAM

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UNIT
DIVISIONS:
<u>1st Inf Div</u> (DI An)
<u>1st Bde</u> (Phuoc Vinh)
1/16 Inf Bn
1/28 Inf Bn
2/28 Inf Bn
<u>2d Bde</u> (Bien Hoa)
2/16 Inf Bn
1/18 Inf Bn
2/18 Inf Bn
<u>3d Bde</u> (Lai Khe)
1/26 Inf Bn
1/2 Inf Bn
2/2 Inf Bn
1/4 Cav Sqdn 1/
1/5 FA Bn 105 T
8/6 FA Bn 155/8" T
1/7 FA Bn 105 T
2/33 FA Bn 105 T
1 Engr Bn
121 Sig Bn
173 Avn Co (AML) (Atchd)
1 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)
<u>1st Cav Div (AM)</u> (An Khe)
<u>1st Bde</u> (An Khe)
1/8 Cav Bn (Abn)
2/8 Cav Bn (Abn)
1/12 Cav Bn (Abn)
<u>2d Bde</u> (An Khe)
1/5 Cav Bn
2/5 Cav Bn
2/12 Cav Bn
<u>3d Bde</u> (An Khe)
1/7 Cav Bn
2/7 Cav Bn
5/7 Cav Bn
1/9 Air Cav Sqdn
2/19 FA Bn 105 T
2/20 FA Bn AER RKT 1/
1/21 FA Bn 105 T
1/77 FA Bn 105 T
82 Arty Btry (Avn) 1/
8th Engr Bn
13th Sig Bn
11 Avn Co CS
478 Avn Co (Hv Hel) (Atchd)
17 Avn Co (FWT) (Atchd)
227 Avn Bn (4 Avn Cos)
228 Avn Bn (3 Avn Cos)
229 Avn Bn (4 Avn Cos)
<u>25th Inf Div</u> (Cu Chi)
<u>1st Bde</u>
2/14 Inf Bn
4/9 Inf Bn
4/23 Inf Bn
<u>2d Bde</u> (Cu Chi)
1/5 Inf Bn (Mech)
1/27 Inf Bn
2/27 Inf Bn
3/13 Arty Bn
1/8 Arty Bn
7/11 Arty Bn
65 Engr Bn
125 Sig Bn
25 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)
3/4 Cav Sqdn 1/
<u>3d Bde</u> (Pleiku)
1/14 Inf Bn
1/35 Inf Bn
2/35 Inf Bn
2/9 Arty Bn
1/69 Arm Bn
<u>4th Inf Div (-)</u>
4 Engr Bn (-)
2/34 Arm Bn

UNIT
DIVISIONS (Contd)
<u>2d Bde</u> (Pleiku)
1/12 Inf Bn
1/22 Inf Bn
2/8 Inf Bn
4/42 Arty Bn 105 T
BRIGADES:
<u>173d Abn Bde</u> (Bien Hoa)
1/503 Abn Inf Bn
2/503 Abn Inf Bn
3/319 FA Bn 105 T
4/503 Abn Inf Bn
<u>1st Bde, 101st Abn Div</u> (Phan Rang)
1/327 Abn Inf Bn
2/327 Abn Inf Bn
2/502 Abn Inf Bn
2/320 FA Bn 105 T
<u>196th Lt Inf Bde</u> (Tay Ninh)
2/1 Inf Bn
3/21 Inf Bn
3/41 Inf Bn
3/82 FA Bn 105 T
<u>11th ARVN CAV REGT</u> (Bien Hoa)
SPECIAL FORCES GROUPS:
<u>Sch SF Co</u> (Nha Trang)
COMBAT SUPPORT UNITS:
<u>Field Artillery</u>
1 Field Force Arty VN (Nha Trang)
1/30 FA Bn 155 T
2/17 FA Bn 105 T
3/18 FA Bn 8" SP
5/27 BA Bn 105 T
6/14 FA Bn 175 SP
11 Field Force Arty VI (Bien Hoa)
2/13 FA Bn 105 T
2/32 FA Bn 175 SP
6/27 FA Bn 8" SP
2/35 FA Bn 155 SP
3/6 Arty Bn 105 SP
<u>Air Defense Artillery</u>
6/56 Arty (HAWK)
6/71 Arty (HAWK)
<u>Engineers</u>
18 Engr Bde (Tan Son Nhut)
35th Engr Gp (Const) (Cam Ranh)
62 Engr Bn Const
87 Engr Bn Const
864 Engr Bn Const
45th Engr Gp (Const) (Hong Binh)
20 Engr Bn Cbt
39 Engr Bn Cbt
299 Engr Bn Cbt
11 577 Engr Bn Const
79th Engr Gp (Const) (Long Bien)
168 Engr Bn Cbt
588 Engr Bn Cbt
159th Engr Gp (Const) (Long Bien)
46 Engr Bn Const
169 Engr Bn Const
937th Engr Gp (Cbt) (Qui Nhon)
19 Engr Bn Cbt
70 Engr Bn Cbt
84 Engr Bn Const
<u>Signal</u>
1st Sig Bde (USASIRATCOM) (SE Asia)
(Tan Son Nhut)
2d Sig Gp USAF
39 Sig Bn
41 40 Sig Bn Const
69 Sig Bn
1121 Sig Gp USARV
11 41 Sig Bn
11 73 Sig Bn
54 Sig Bn - I FV
53 Sig Bn - II FV

UNIT
<u>1st Avn Bde</u> 1/ 2/ (Tan Son Nhut)
<u>12th Avn Gp</u> (Long Binh)
11th Avn Bn
116 Avn Co (AML)
128 Avn Co (AML)
162 Avn Co (AML)
178 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)
13th Avn Bn
336 Avn Co (AML)
114 Avn Co (AML)
121 Avn Co (AML)
134 Avn Co (FWT)
221 Avn Co (FWT)
175 Avn Co (AML)
145th Avn Bn
68 Avn Co (AML)
74 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
184 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
118 Avn Co (AML)
71 Avn Co (AML)
335 Avn Co (AML)
147 Avn Co (AML)
222d Avn Bn
54 Avn Co (FWT)
73 Avn Co (Surv)
Prov Avn Bn
57 Avn Co (FWT)
120 Avn Co (AML)
125 Avn Co (ATC)
334 Avn Co (AML)
Sep Company
61 Avn Co (FWT)
<u>17th Avn Gp</u> (Nha Trang)
10th Avn Bn
281 Avn Co (AML)
48 Avn Co (AML)
117 Avn Co (AML)
129 Avn Co (AML)
179 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)
14th Avn Bn
92 Avn Co (FWT)
135 Avn Co (FWT)
161 Avn Co (AML)
174 Avn Co (AML)
287 Avn Co (AML)
52d Avn Bn
119 Avn Co (AML)
155 Avn Co (AML)
170 Avn Co (AML)
I Corps Avn Bn (Prov)
131 Avn Co (Surv)
220 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
273 Avn Bn
18 Avn Co (FWT)
219 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
183 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
Sep Company
I Corps Avn Co (Prov)
AIRCRAFT MAINT COMPANIES:
50 Trans Acft DS Co
79 Trans Acft DS Co
310 Trans Acft DS Co
335 Trans Acft DS Co
339 Trans Acft DS Co
540 Trans Acft DS Co
601 Trans Acft DS Co
605 Trans Acft DS Co
611 Trans Acft DS Co

1/ See footnote 1/ on page 30.
 2/ FWT-Fixed Wing Transport AML-Air Mobile Landing, ITC-ATC-Air Traffic Control; Surv-Surveillance; O gatic Avn Cos are shown with major command.

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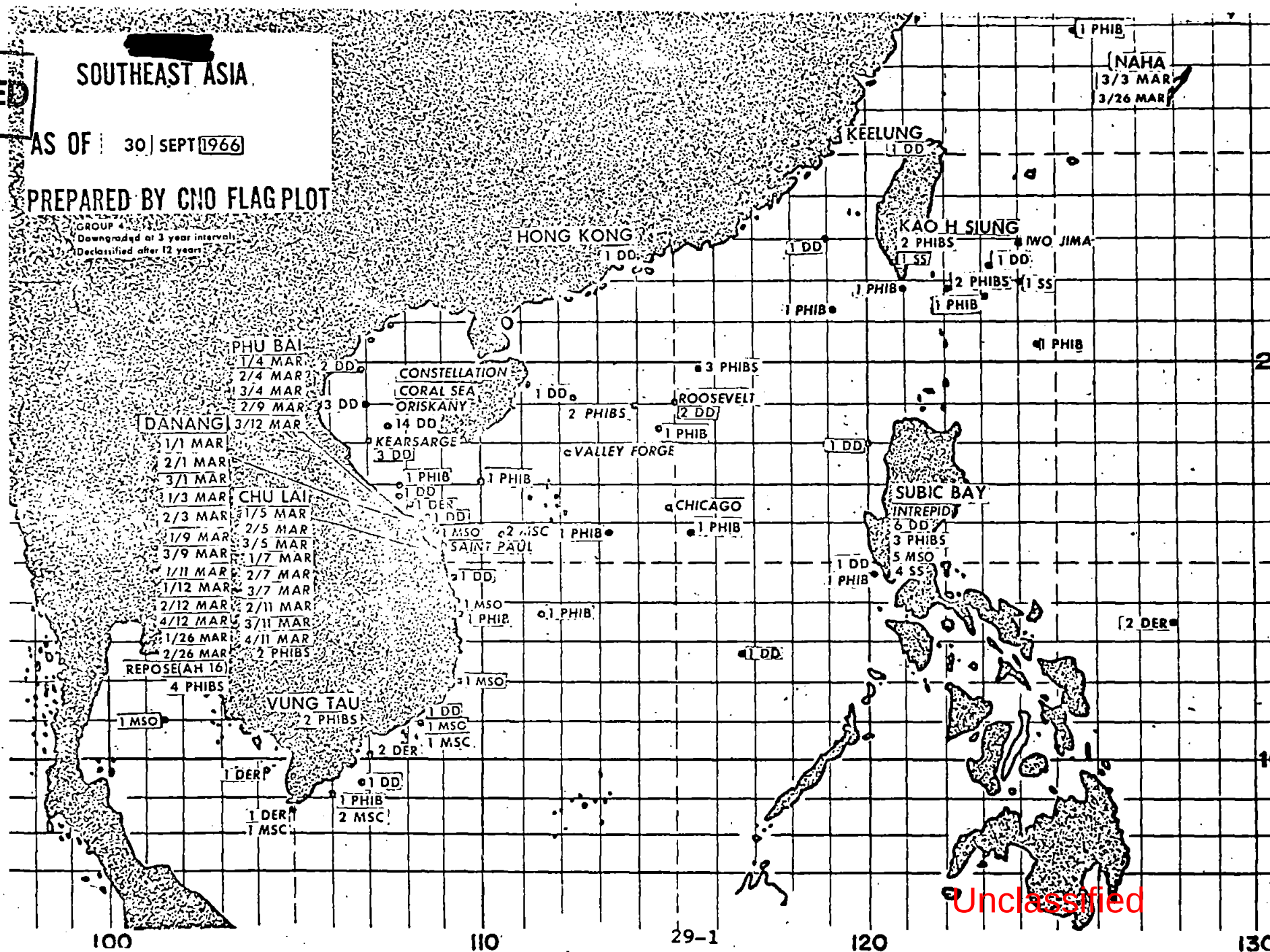
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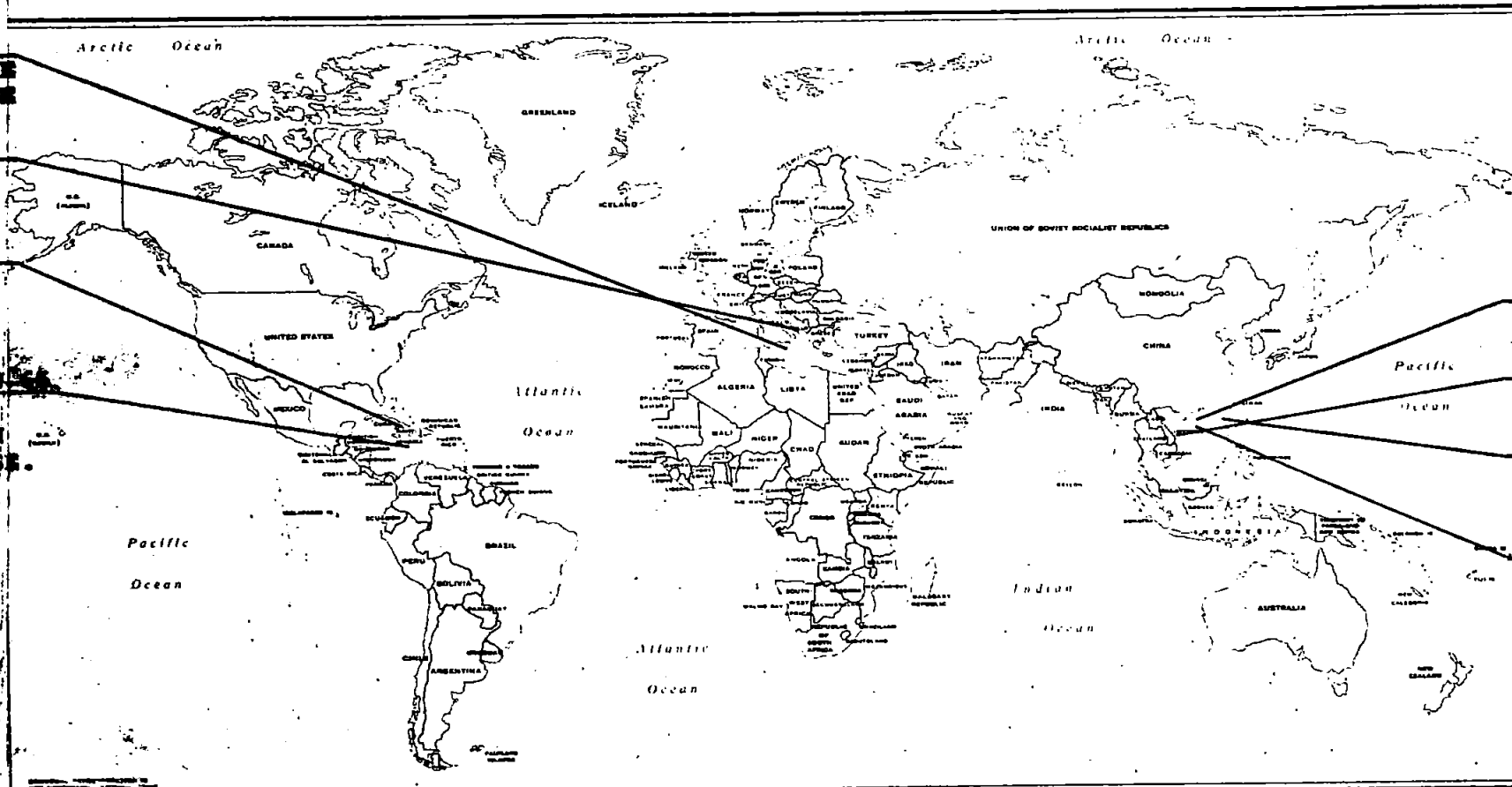
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**VMA-324 (14/44E)
AND USS INDEPENDENCE
AT VALLETTA, MALTA**

**INFORMED 2-66
(BLT 2/6)
AT TARANTO, ITALY.**

**GOOD AUGMENTATION
1ST BN(-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN**

**GALE REAR FORCE 3-66
(BLT 3/2 & HMM-365)
ENROUTE OPEN SEA ON
STORM EVASION COURSE.**



**HMM-165
ENR RVN. ETA 30SEP.**

**III MAF
RVN.**

**SLF
ARG WITH HMM-362 ENR
OKI - ETA 1OCT.**

**BLT 1/9
ENR OKI - ETA 4OCT**

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

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FLEET MARINE FORCE PACIFIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN V. H. KRULAK
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN A. R. KIER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. A. FEELEY
ACOS, G-1	COL H. S. HILL
ACOS, G-2	COL H. E. L. ZASTROW
ACOS, G-3	COL H. J. WOESSNER
ACOS, G-4	COL F. I. FENTON
ACOS, G-5	COL B. J. MATHESON

NINTH MARINE AMPHIBIOUS BRIGADE

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN M. P. RYAN
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL H. HANSEN, JR.
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL A. M. CUMMINGS
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL S. T. WATTS
ACOS, G-3	COL A. L. EMILS
ACOS, G-4	COL O. B. JOHNSON

TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. J. PADLEY
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL H. C. REIFEL
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL A. A. MONTI
3RD BN, 3RD MARINES	LTCOL E. R. DELONG
1ST BN, 9TH MARINES	LTCOL R. E. JONES
1ST BN, 13TH MAR	LTCOL J. M. LANEY

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-15

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. KIMAK
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL D. TAKLA
VMA-121	LTCOL D. R. STIVER
VMP(AW)-232	LTCOL N. M. TRAPNELL

FIRST MARINE BRIGADE

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. H. STAPP
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL M. G. HALLIDAY
ACOS, G-1	MAJ D. W. BOWAN
ACOS, G-2	MAJ R. W. CHAPIN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL C. E. TUCKER
ACOS, G-4	MAJ B. R. WILKINSON
1ST BN, 27TH MARINES	LTCOL E. A. WILCOX
VMP(AW)-212	LTCOL C. M. WALLACE

SLF 7th FLEET

COMMANDER	COL H. D. WORTMAN
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FORCE TROOPS, FMF PACIFIC

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL N. M. PACE
ASSISTANT COMMANDER	LTCOL W. C. PATTON
CHIEF OF STAFF	NONE ASSIGNED
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL W. E. ADAMS
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL A. M. ROEBUCK
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL H. D. CARRUBBA
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL J. F. BARR

FIRST FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. E. GARNER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL F. W. VAUGHT

THIRD FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. E. WERTMAN
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL J. H. REEDER

*FIFTH MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN R. E. CUSHMAN
ADC	NONE ASSIGNED
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL G. S. BAZE
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL W. C. SHERMAN
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL R. C. MCCUTCHAN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL M. J. DUNBAR
ACOS, G-4	COL W. R. HELMER

TWENTY-SEVENTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL A. J. POILLON
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	
# 2ND BATTALION	
# 3RD BATTALION	

* TWENTY-EIGHTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	
1ST BATTALION	
2ND BATTALION	
3RD BATTALION	

THIRTEENTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	MAJ R. J. PHILLIPS
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	

2ND BATTALION	
# 3RD BATTALION	
4TH BATTALION	

* 5th MAR DIV (-) UNDER MILCON CMC

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THIRD MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
ANC	BGEN J. P. COURSEY
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL H. G. DALTON
ACOS, G-1	COL W. B. HIGGINS
ACOS, G-2	COL V. D. OLSON
ACOS, G-3	COL J. E. JOHNSON
ACOS, G-4	COL A. W. CAMPBELL

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-33

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. L. LENGEL
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	COL E. A. WAILES
VMFA-122	MAJ J. I. HUDSON
VMP-334	MAJ J. W. DETROY

MARINE WING SERVICE GROUP-37

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. D. RICKABAUGH
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	COL G. J. ROSS
HMM-165	LTCOL W. ELDRIDGE
HMH-462	CAPT A. H. MAIER
HME-463	MAJ W. R. BEELER
VMJ-3	LTCOL W. B. FLEMING
VMGR-352	LTCOL R. M. WILLIAMS

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COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN L. W. WALT
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN L. B. ROBERTSHAW
CHIEF OF STAFF	BGEN J. M. PLATT
ACOS, G-1	COL J. L. MAHON
ACOS, G-2	COL R. H. THOMPSON
ACOS, G-3	COL J. R. CHAISSON
ACOS, G-4	COL J. F. QUILTY
ACOS, G-5	COL E. S. HOLMGRAIN

FIRST MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN L. J. FIELDS
ADC	BGEN W. A. STILES
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL S. J. ALTMAN
ACOS, G-1	COL C. C. CROSSFIELD, II
ACOS, G-2	COL J. J. O'DONNELL
ACOS, G-3	COL H. POGGEMEYER, Jr.
ACOS, G-4	LCOL W. E. BOND
ACOS, G-5	COL L. N. CASEY

FIRST MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. L. MALLORY
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	MAJ H. DONABEDIAN
1ST BATTALION	LCOL V. D. BELL, Jr.
2ND BATTALION	LCOL J. D. SPAULDING
3RD BATTALION	LCOL E. A. WALKER

FIFTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. F. WIDDECKE
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL W. C. AIRHEART
1ST BATTALION	LCOL E. R. WATSON
2ND BATTALION	MAJ L. E. WOOD
3RD BATTALION	LCOL E. J. BRONARS

SEVENTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL L. F. SNODDY JR.
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL D. E. ESSLINGER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL L. W. T. WALLER
2ND BATTALION	LCOL J. J. ROTHOFF
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. O'LEARY

ELEVENTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL G. E. NORRIS
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL J. B. STRIBLING
1ST BATTALION	MAJ L. C. REECE
2ND BATTALION	MAJ I. L. CARVER
3RD BATTALION	LCOL R. E. YOUNG
4TH BATTALION	LCOL G. R. LAMB

THIRD MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN W. B. KYLE
ADC	BGEN L. E. ENGLISH
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. B. SWEENEY
ACOS, G-1	COL J. P. LANIGAN
ACOS, G-2	COL T. M. HORNE
ACOS, G-3	COL W. F. DOEHLER
ACOS, G-4	COL R. M. RICHARDS
ACOS, G-5	COL E. R. MCCARTHY

THIRD MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. E. HAMMERBECK
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL L. C. SHEPHERD III
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. R. DICKEY
2ND BATTALION	LCOL V. OHANESIAN
2ND BN, 26TH MARINES	LTCOL J. J. WILSON

FOURTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. D. CEREGHINO
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL M. S. CAMPBELL
1ST BATTALION	LCOL J. WESTERMAN
2ND BATTALION	LCOL A. E. BENCH
3RD BATTALION	LCOL W. J. MASTERPOOL

NINTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. BARRETT
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL A. A. NELSON
1ST BN, 26TH MARINES	LTCOL J. J. MONTI
2ND BATTALION	LCOL J. J. HESS
3RD BATTALION	MAJ F. D. MACLEAN

TWELVTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL B. S. READ
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL J. W. LUTHER
1ST BATTALION	LCOL F. J. JOHNSTON
2ND BATTALION	LCOL J. R. GALLMAN
3RD BATTALION	LCOL C. S. KIRCHMAN
4TH BATTALION	LCOL D. G. JONES

FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN L. B. ROBERTSHAW
AWC	BGEN H. M. ELWOOD
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL E. J. DOYLE
ACOS, G-1	COL D. H. JOHNSON
ACOS, G-2	COL G. M. DODENHOFF
ACOS, G-3	COL A. A. LUND
ACOS, G-4	COL H. H. LONG
ACOS, G-5	LCOL E. J. BERGER

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-11

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL F. C. THOMAS
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL G. M. CLOUD
VMFA-115	MAJ L. R. VANDEUSEN
VMP(AW)-235	MAJ D. A. MICKLE
VMFA-314	LCOL D. E. BJORKLUND
VMFA-323	LCOL A. W. TALBERT, Jr.

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-12

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. W. HUBBARD
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL T. E. MULVIHILL
VMA-214	LCOL R. D. WALLACE
VMA-223	LCOL R. B. SINCLAIR
VMA-224	LCOL J. BROWNE
VMA-311	LCOL P. G. MCMAHON

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-13

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. A. HARPER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL J. J. MURPHY
*VMA-211	MAJ H. J. AYERS
*VMFA-542	MAJ P. S. FRAPPOLLO

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-16

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. M. HUNT
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL R. L. SIMMONS
HMM-161	LCOL S. F. MARTIN
HMM-263	LCOL J. L. GOEBEL
HMM-164	LCOL W. C. WATSON
HMM-265	LCOL H. E. MENDENHALL
VMO-2	LCOL A. W. BARDEN

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-36

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL V. A. ARMSTRONG
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL A. W. COSTELLO
HMM-361	LCOL F. D. TWEED
HMM-362	MAJ M. D. ARMSTRONG
HMM-364	LCOL D. A. SOMERVILLE
VMO-6	MAJ W. R. MALLONEY

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL G. C. AXTELL
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	COL W. H. COWPER

FLSG-A/1ST SERVICE BN	COL R. H. SHELBY
FLSG-B/3RD SERVICE BN	

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
INFANTRY UNITS																					
1ST MARINES		COL D.L.MALLORY																			
HQCO		CAPT J.E.LOCKE		204	4							204	4								
1STBN, 1STMAR		LTCOL V.D. BELL		879	50							879	50								
2DBN, 1STMAR		LTCOL J.D.SPAULDING		876	42							876	42								
3DBN, 1STMAR		LTCOL E.A.WALKER		906	51							906	51								
3L MARINES		COL E.E.HAMMERBECK																			
HQCO		CAPT C.E.TAYLOR		239	6							239	6								
1STBN, 3DMAR		LTCOL R.R.DICKEY		1060	55							1060	55								
2DBN, 3DMAR		LTCOL V.OHANESIAN		912	50							912	50								
3DBN, 3DMAR		LTCOL E.R.DELONG		893	50				893	50											
4TH MARINES		COL A.D.GEREGHINO																			
HQCO		CAPT R.FUETTERER		334	7											334	7				
1STBN, 4THMAR		LTCOL J.WESTERMAN		878	52											878	52				
2DBN, 4THMAR		LTCOL A.E.BENCH		848	52											848	52				
3DBN, 4THMAR		LTCOL W.J.MASTERFOOL		867	45											867	45				
5TH MARINES		COL C.F.WIDDECKE																			
HQCO		CAPT G.K.YOUNG		204	4									204	4						
1STBN, 5THMAR		LTCOL E.R. WATSON		993	45									993	45						
2DBN, 5THMAR		MAJ L.E.WOOD		912	44									912	44						
3DBN, 5THMAR		LTCOL E.J.BRONARS		1026	53									1026	53						
7TH MARINES		COL L.F.SNODDY JR.																			
HQCO		1STLT B.T.ANGELINI		234	5									234	5						
1STBN, 7THMAR		MAJ W.T.WALLER		964	47									964	47						
2DBN, 7THMAR		LTCOL J.J.ROOTHOFF		978	50									978	50						
3DBN, 7THMAR		MAJ R.J.O'LEARY		960	49									960	49						

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			USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
INFANTRY UNITS																						
9TH MARINES			COL D. BARRETT																			
HQCO			CAPT L.DERRYBERRY		194	3							194	3								
1STBN, 9THMAR			LTCOL R.E.JONES		876	51							876	51								
2DBN, 9THMAR			LTCOL J.J. HESS		986	54										986	54					
3DBN, 9THMAR			MAJ F.D.MACLEAN		946	59							946	59								
26TH MARINES			COL J.J.PADLEY																			
HQCO			CAPT W.D. GRIGGS		202	10			202	10												
1STBN, 26THMAR			LTCOL A.A.MONTI		1225	79												1225	79			
2DBN, 26THMAR			LTCOL J.J.WILSON		1121	56							1121	56								
3DBN, 26THMAR			LTCOL J.T.BEVERLY		1271	51			1271	51												
27TH MARINES																						
HQCO					70	2	70	2														
1STBN, 27THMAR			LTCOL E.A.WILCOX		144	2			144	2												
# 2DBN, 27THMAR																						
# 3DBN, 27THMAR																						
28TH MARINES																						
HQCO																						
1STBN, 28THMAR																						
2DBN, 28THMAR																						
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			USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
ARTILLERY UNITS																						
HQ BTRY, 1ST FAG			1STLT W.G.EVENS	11					11													
11TH MARINES			COL G.E.NORRIS																			
HQ BTRY			CAPT J.E.HARRIS	170	7										170	7						
1STBN, 11THMAR			MAJ L.C.REECE	566	12								566	12								
2DBN, 11THMAR			MAJ I.L.CARVER	518	17										518	17						
3DBN, 11THMAR			LTCOL R.E.YOUNG	537	14										537	14						
4THBN, 11THMAR			LTCOL G.R.LAMB	404	11										404	11						
12TH MARINES			COL B.S. READ																			
HQ BTRY			CAPT D.N.HARMON	190	8								190	8								
1STBN, 12THMAR			LTCOL T.J.JOHNSTON	528	12								528	12								
2DBN, 12THMAR			LTCOL J.R.GALLMAN	537	12								452	10					85	2		
3DBN, 12THMAR			LTCOL C.KIRCHMAN	527	12												527	12				
4THBN, 12THMAR			LTCOL D.G.JONES	409	7								409	7								
13TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY				63	2				63	2												
1STBN, 13THMAR			LTCOL J.M.LANEY	795	16				520	12			135	2					140	2		
2DBN, 13THMAR				19		19																
# 3DBN, 13THMAR																						
4THBN, 13THMAR				122	2				122	2												
1 155MM GUN BTRY			CAPT W.H.WANTLAND	108	2												108	2				
3D 155MM GUN BTRY			CAPT J.D.MCNAMARA	137	2										137	2						
5TH 155MM GUN BTRY				125	2	125	2															
1ST 8" HOW BTRY			MAJ L.J.CAVALLLO	179	3								179	3								
3D 8" HOW BTRY			CAPT F.X.CHAMBERS	175	4										175	4						
5TH 8" HOW BTRY																						

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RECON UNITS																					
1ST RECON BN	LTCOL D.N.MCKEON	447	27											429	27	18					
3D RECON BN	MAJ G. WILDER	414	22									269	14			108	6			4	37
5TH RECON BN		109	2					72	2			37									
1ST FOR RECON CO	MAJ D.A.COLBY	156	6									33								4	123
3D FOR RECON CO	CAPT FLOYD	118	3					118	3												
ANTI-TANK UNITS																					
1ST AT BN	MAJ R.E. HARRIS	343	6									61		282	6						
3D AT BN	LTCOL E.R.LARSON	337	8									257	7			80	1				
5TH AT BN		124	2					80	2			22						22			
TANK UNITS																					
1ST TANK BN	MAJ J.W.CLAYBORNE	542	11									87	2	455	9						
3D TANK BN	LTCOL G.R.CORSON	505	10									398	9			107	1				
5TH TANK BN		169	3					110	3			28						31			
AMTRAC UNITS																					
1ST AMTRAC BN	MAJ W.W.DAMEWOOD	569	14									536	14			33					
3D AMTRAC BN	MAJ W.J. DINSE	662	12											662	12						
5TH AMTRAC BN		246	4					166	2			39						41	1		
# 1ST ARM AMPHIB CO		274	4	163	2			41	1											70	1

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
ENGINEER UNITS																					
1ST ENGR BN	MAJ C.O. NEWTON	607	14									109	1	498	13						
3D ENGR BN	MAJ C.D. WOOD	573	15									466	13			107	2				
5TH ENGR BN		121	3					96	3			11				7					
7TH ENGR BN	LTCOL F.W.HARRIS	798	15									640	15			115				4	43
9TH ENGR BN	LTCOL R.W.CRISPEN	901	16									125	2	776	14						
* 1 ENGR BN		976	18	976	18																
* 13TH ENGR BN		22		22																	
1ST BRIDGE CO	CAPT G.P.WUERCH	139										133				6					
% 3D BRIDGE CO		178	2	178	2																
MT UNITS																					
1ST MT BN	LTCOL R.E.JOHNSON	252	7									67	1	185	6						
3D MT BN	MAJ P.F.ARMSTRONG	253	7									192	6			61	1				
5TH MT BN		105	1					44	1			30						31			
7TH MT BN	MAJ J.BATCHELOER	323	8											323	8						
9TH MT BN	MAJ D.R. TYPE	327	8									256	7			71	1				
* 11TH MT BN		102	7	102	7																
* 13TH MT BN		21	9	21	9																
C 4 UNITS																					
1ST RADIO BN	MAJ R.M.STEWART	461	3			292	3					114		52		3					
5TH COMM BN	LTCOL D.K.LEESBERG	630	6									630	6								
7TH COMM BN	MAJ J.A.BYRD JR.	630	11									174		456	11						
9TH COMM BN		193	2					190	2									3			
1ST ANGLICO	LTCOL O.J.MOREL	298	8			152	2													#146	6

* OPCON MCB, CAMPEN

% OPCON FORTRPS, FMFPAC

OPCON COMUSMACV (NOT INCLUDED IN III MAF STRENGTH)

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UNIT		COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
			USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
SERVICE UNITS																						
1ST FSR			COL J.E.GARNER																			
H&S BN			LTCOL R.A.BJORSON	356	35	356	35															
SUPPLY BN			LTCOL R.A.BJORSON	237	7	237	7															
MAINT BN			MAJ J.A. SIMMONS	500		500																
7TH SEP BK FL				213		213																
3L FSR			COL S.D. LOW																			
H&S BN			LTCOL C.M. SEE	902	42				894	42					8							
SUPPLY BN			LTCOL W.A. CAGNE	1363	27				1363	27												
MAINT BN			LTCOL J.F.MINICLI	892					892													
5TH FSR (-)																						
5TH SERV BN				688	15	688	15															
LSG-26				971	32	40	1		822	22			50	9					59			
HQ, FLC, III MAF			COL G.AXTELL JR.																			
H&S CO, FLC				213									213									
1ST SERV BN			COL R.H. SHELBY	2410	22										2410	22						
3D SERV BN			COL R.R. WEIR	3711	36								3022	34			689	2				
PROVSERVBN, 9THMAB			MAJ M.J. WILLIS	88	1				59	1					29							
NOP			LT A.N. HAFNER	53		33			20													
SERVCO, 1STMARBRIG			CAPT P.S.WEATHERS	90				90														
MP UNITS																						
1ST MP BN			LTCOL P.STAVRIDIS	816	23								816	23								
3D MP BN				51		51																

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
SP UNITS																					
1ST SP BN	LTCOL E.H. JONES	441	23									87		354	23						
3D SP BN	MAJ T.W. JONES	345	23									198	22			98	1			4	49
5TH SP BN		126	14					76	9									50	5		
IT T & CIT UNITS																					
1ST ITT	CAPT R.D.DASCH	15				15															
3D ITT		13										13									
5TH ITT	CAPT R.J.OBRIEN	10		10																	
7TH ITT	CAPT D.E.EIRCH	10														10					
9TH ITT	CAPT G.E.GAUMONT	11												11							
1ST IT	CWO L.B.SHERIDAN	5												5							
* 3D IT	1STLT R.J.KAPSCH	6										6									
5TH IT																					
7TH IT																					
9TH IT																					
11TH IT																					
1ST CIT	CAPT W.A.BURTSON	14														14					
* 3D CIT	CAPT D.R.KNEPP	12										12									
5 CIT	CAPT J.F.NARDO	10						10													
% 6TH CIT	CAPT W.R.BOWERS																				
7TH CIT		16								16											
* 9TH CIT		4		4																	
# 11TH CIT	2DLT GRIESON	5				5															
# 13TH CIT		2		2																	
# 15TH CIT		6		6																	

* ATTACHED TO HQBN, 3DMARDIV

% STRENGTH TOTALS FOR THESE UNITS ARE INCLUDED IN STRENGTH FOR H&HS-3, 3D MAW & HQBN, 1ST MARDIV

ATTACHED TO HQBN, 5TH MARDIV

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
SSCT UNITS																					
1ST SSCT		8										8									
2D SSCT	2DLT J.N.CORCORAN	7												7							
9TH SSCT		2		2																	
MEDICAL UNITS																					
1ST MED BN	CDR C.H.MITCHELL	114	226											114	226						
3D MED BN	CDR J.C.VINCENT	141	232									120	159			21	73				
5TH MED BN		23	52					16	49				2					7	1		
1ST HOSP CO	CDR F.F. ROBERTS	33	51											33	51						
1ST DENT CO	CAPT D.C. CONGLIS		70												70						
3D DENT CO	CAPT K.L. MORGAN		79					6					63			10					
5TH DENT CO	CDR F. RULIFFSON		34		23		11														
11TH DENT CO	CAPT C.E. KALLER		41										41								
13TH DENT CO	CAPT J.F. KING		31		31																
15TH DENT CO			10					10													
GROUND TOTALS	USMC	62,321		4,923		1,829		8,968		58		21,622		16,600		6,159		1,694		#	468
	USN	2,937		173		71		399		2		988		877		322		90		15	
	TOTALS	65,258		5,096		1,900		9,367		60		22,610		17,477		6,481		1,784		#	483

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-13	COL E.A.HARPER																				
H&MS-13	LTCOL K.FIEGNER	410												410							
MABS-13	MAJ W.E.CASLIN	385	21											385	21						
VMA-211	MAJ H.J.AYERS	201	3							201	3										
VMFA-542	LTCOL D.L. MAY	293	4							293	4										
MZ 15	COL C. KIMAK																				
H&MS-15	LTCOL J.MCDANIEL	418								418											
MABS-15	LTCOL G.H.ALBERS	449	11							449	11										
NBC WPNS SEC-1	MAJ R.W. COONEY	20								20											
MACS-6	LTCOL F.DELANEY	210						210													
MATCU-60	MAJ W.C.SERVICE	56								56											
MATCU-66	CAPT V.FULLADOSA	56						56													
VMGR-152	LTCOL J. URELL	475	11					475	11												
HMM-163	LTCOL C.A. HOUSE	210						210													
VMA-121	LTCOL D.R. STIVER	215	2							215	2										
VMF(AW)-232	LTCOL N.TRAPNELL	196	3							196	3										
H&HS FUTEMA		226	58					226	58												
MAG-16	COL R.M. HUNT																				
H&MS-16	MAJ L.DARBYSHIDE	330	1									330	1								
MABS-16	LTCOL R.MCKITRICK	454	3									454	3								
MACTU-68	CAPT K.BERCHIOLLI	84														84					
O-2	LTCOL A.W.BARDEN	143	4									143	4								
HMM-161	LTCOL S.F.MARTIN	201	5													201	5				
HMM-164	LTCOL W.C.WATSON	219	1									219	1								
HMM-263	LTCOL J.L. GOEBEL	219	3									219	3								
HMM-265	LTCOL MENDENHALL	233	5									233	5								

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-36	COL V.A. ARMSTRONG																				
H&MS-36	LTCOL T.G. MOONEY	311												311							
MABS-36	LTCOL W.C. CARLSON	467	23											467	23						
VMO-6	MAJ W.R. MALONEY	140	1											140	1						
HMM-361	MAJ F. D. TWEED	177	1											177	1						
HMM-362	MAJ M.D. ARMSTRONG	216	1											216	1						
AM-363	LTCOL J.D. MCGOUGH	223	1															223	1		
HMM-364	LTCOL D. SOMMERVILLE	102	2											102	2						
MWSG-17	COL O.S. TOSDAL																				
H&MS-17	LTCOL J.J. LEOGUE	410	13							160	3	250	10								
WERS-17	LTCOL L.P. HART	190										190									
MARSAT-1	MAJ D.D. PARRISH	17								17											
SU#1, H&HS-1	COL P.C. LONG	213						213													
H&HS, IWAKUNI	MAJ F.G. NEWCOMB	268								268											
3D MAW	MGEN C.J. QUILTER																				
AWC	BGEN J.P. COURSEY																				
MWHG-3	COL W.B. HIGGINS																				
H&HS-3	LTCOL W.D. HARRIS	989	7	989	7																
MASS-3	LTCOL J.E. DIXON	171	2	96																975	2
MACS-1	MAJ R.M. PROUDFOOT	255	2	255	2																
ICU-65	1STLT R.J. PUSKAR	34		34																	
MACS-3	MAJ J.C. DIPON	285		285																	
MARTSAT-3	MAJ P.G. JANSSEN	48		48																	
FMF AUG, YUMA	LTCOL E.S. MURPHY	103		103																	
MACS-4	LTCOL J.P. FLYNN	153	2	153	2																
VMT-103	LTCOL R.A. DEASY	232		232																	
VMO-3		37	2	37	2																
MASS-5	MAJ R.A. HUCKLE	120		120																	
5TH LAAM BN		15		15																	

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER			
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN		
MHTG-30	COL R.R.RILEY																						
H&MS-30	MAJ G.P.WARREN	303		303																			
HMMT-301	LTCOL W.R.DUNCAN	404	1	404	1																		
HMMT-302																							
HMMT-310		291		291																			
M -33	COL D.L.LENGEL																						
H&MS-33	MAJ R.A.FULLER	504		504																			
MABS-33	MAJ H.J.BOND	452	2	452	2																		
VMFA-122	LTCOL D.R.STIVER	307	1	307	1																		
VMF-334	MAJ J.W.DETROY	194	1	194	1																		
VMCJ-3	MAJ O.E.DONOVAN	411	1	405	1															*	6		
MWSG-37	COL D.D.RICKABAUGH																						
H&HS-37	LTCOL DEFENBAUGH	375		375																			
MABS-37	MAJ C.E.WILCOX	684	116	684	116																		
MAMS-37	MAJ A.H.MANHART	459		459																			
HMH-463	MAJ W.R.BEELER	129	1	129	1																		
HMM-165	LTCOL W.ELDRIDGE	274	4																	@274	4		
HMH-462	CAPT W.J.NEVINS	9		9																			
SU#1, MABS-37	MAJ C.M.HAYES	624		624																			
VMGR-352	LTCOL R.M.WILLIAMS	370	1	370	1																		
1 MARBRIG AIR																							
VMF(AW)-212	LTCOL C.M.WALLACE	179				179																	
MACS-2	MAJ J.R.DOPLER	213				213																	
H&MS. 1STMARBRIG	LTCOL L.F.BLASS	94				94																	
MATCU-62	CAPT J.N.BACON	55				55																	
AVIATION UNIT TOTALS		U S M C		23,954		8,149		613		1,390		2,393		5,812		4,707		338		223		355	
		U S N		452		137				69		26		117		91		5		1		6	
		TOTAL		24,406		8,286		613		1,459		2,419		5,929		4,798		343		224		361	

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	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
TOTAL FMFPAC MARCOR PERSONNEL	85,909		12,680		2,442		10,358		2,451		27,434		21,307		6,497		1,917		823	
TOTAL FMFPAC NAVY PERSONNEL	3,377		298		71		468		28		1,105		968		327		91		21	
TOTAL FMFPAC PERSONNEL	89,284		12,978		2,513		10,826		2,479		28,539		22,275		6,824		2,008		844	

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMFPAC TACTICAL UNITS

	EASTPAC	HAWAII	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	OTHER
1ST MARINES			1/1, 2/1, 3/1					
3D MARINES			1/3, 2/3			3/3		
4TH MARINES					1/4, 2/4, 3/4			
5TH MARINES				1/5, 2/5, 3/5				
7TH MARINES				1/7, 2/7, 3/7				
9TH MARINES			3/9		2/9			1/9 ENR OKI
26TH MARINES			1/26, 2/26			3/26		
27TH MARINES		1/27						
* 28TH MARINES								
MAG-11			VMF(AW)-235 VMFA-115 VMFA-314 VMCJ-1 VMFA-323					
MAG-12				VMA-224 VMA-223 VMA-214 VMA-311				
MAG-13								
MAG-15						HMM-163	VMA-121 VMF(AW)-232 VMA-211 VMFA-512	

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	EASTPAC	HAWAII	DANANG	CHULAI	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	OTHER
* MAG-16			HMM-263 HMM-164 HMM-265 VMO-2		HMM-161			
MAG-33	VMF(AW)-122 VMF-334 VMCJ-3							
** MAG-36				HMM-363 HMM-364 HMM-361 VMO-6				HMM-362 (SLF)
MWSG-37	HMH-462 HMH-463							HMM-165 ENR RVN
1ST MARBRIG		VMF(AW)-212						

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** BASED AT KY HA AIR FACILITY

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UNIT	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
<u>MAG-15</u>			2/TF-9J					
***H&MS-15			1/C-117D					
VMA-121			20/A4E					
VMF(AW)-232			13/F8E					
<u>MAG-16</u>					1/C-117D			
*H&MS-16					8/UH-34D			
					8/CH-37C			
					5/CH-46A			
HMM-161							22/UH-34D	
*HMM-164					24/CH-46A			
*HMM-263					19/UH-34D			
HMM-265					23/CH-46A			
*VMO-2					21/UH-1E			
					10/O-1C			
<u>MAG-36</u>						1/C-117D		
**H&MS-36						5/UH-34D		
**HMM-361						24/UH-34D		
**HMM-362								@23/UH-34D
HMM-363						24/UH-34D		
**VMO-6						16/UH-1E		
**HMM-364						23/UH-34D		
TOTAL FIXED WING ACFT			90	11	78	77		
TOTAL HELICOPTERS			2	23	108	92	22	23

② ABD LPH IWO JIMA (SLF)

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND WEAPONS, FMFPAC

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WEAPON	AUTH	EASTPAC	HAWAII	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	SLF *	AFLOAT	OTHER
106 RECOILESS RIFLE	176		8	16	56	48	32	8		8
81MM MORTAR	176		8	16	56	48	32	8		8
107MM HOWTAR	42				6	18	6	6		6
105MM HOWITZER	126			12	30	54	18	6		6
155MM HOWITZER (TOW)	24				12	6	6			
155MM HOWITZER (SP)	36				12	18	6			
155MM GUN (SP)	12					6	6			
8" HOWITZER (SP)	12				6	6				
90MM GUN TANK	117			10	41	34	22	5		5
FLAME TANK	38	17			10	11				
ATK LAUNCHERS	37				37					
ONTOS	100			10	15	45	20	5		5
LVTP-5/1C	252			46	66	97	21	11	3 1	10
LVTH 6A1	10				6				4	

* BLT 1/9 Transplacing to OKI
 @ Det, 1st Arm Amphib Co Enr RVN.

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III MAF

USMC 28,513

USN 1,245

H&S COMPANY
SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPICO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
2/26
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9
1/26
3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST ANTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

	USMC	USN
RVN	54,947	2,545
III MAF	54,377	2,539
DA NANG	(28,513)	(1,245)
CHU LAI	(20,345)	(974)
PHU BAI	(5,519)	(320)
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	194	
NAVADVGP	52	
CO L, MARSPTBN	68	
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO	146	6
OKINAWA	10,358	468
SLF	1,917	91
JAPAN	2,451	28
TOTALS	69,673	3,132

OKINAWA9th MAB (-)

USMC 10,358
USN 468

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/26
3/3
1/13 (-)
MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

CHU LAI

USMC 20,345

USN 974

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) (-) (REIN) FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
4/11 (-) (REIN)
3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
DET 2/7
3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D ANTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-363
HMM-364
VMO-6
MAG-13

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

HQ, SLF
HMM-362 (ARG w/HMM-
362 ENR OKI, ETA 10 OCT)

JAPAN

USMC 2,451
USN 28

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

DANANG
HQ, 30TH NCB
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9,
NMCB-10, NMCB-11
CHU LAI 1,340
NMCB-3, NMCB-40
PHU BAI 650
NMCB-7

TOTALS 5,857 7,321

PHU BAI

USMC 5,519

USN 320

4TH MARINES (REIN)
1/4
2/4
3/4
2/9
3/12 (REIN)
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12

HMM-161
FLSU-2

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 17 OCT, ETA CHU LAI 24 OCT
BLT 1/9 RVN-OKI ETA OKI 4 OCT

HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN.

ETA RVN JOSEP
DET, 1ST ARM AMPHIB CO, CONUS-PEARL GUAM

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USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>KIA & DOW</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
1,655	9,760	32

NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>DEAD</u>	<u>INJURED</u>	<u>MISSING</u>
231	536	1

VC/NVA

<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>POW</u>	<u>SUSPECTS</u>
11,208	491	1,310	7,916

NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 28 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE:2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

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Intelligence Estimate of the Situation in I Corps Zone (I CTZ),
Republic of Vietnam

1. General. This estimate has been prepared to bring the situation in the I Corps Zone, RVN up to date in order to facilitate preparation of a Commander's Estimate for Operations in the zone.
2. Terrain Analysis.
 - a. In general, the terrain in the I Corps Zone does not lend itself to large scale military operations due to the vast areas covered by steep, thickly forested mountains. It is bounded on the north by the DMZ and on the west by the poorly defined 227-mile border with Laos. The zone is divided into a populous and comparatively narrow coastal plain and a mountainous region which extends to the west, north and south outside the limits of the Corps Zone. Separating the two regions is a zone of piedmont three to five miles in width which is less densely settled than the plain and which supports dry farming. The western portion of the zone is an extremely rugged mountainous jungle with peaks rising to 6,000 feet. The jungle growth has three levels: (1) a closely matted growth covering the floor and restricting movement to a maximum of three miles a day cross country; (2) a tree layer rising to about 70 feet; and (3) another layer rising to about 170 feet. Both of the upper layers provide a canopy which restricts observation and permits unobserved movement on the ground.
 - b. The mountainous interior is the domain of the Viet Cong primarily by default. The highlands are inhabited by ethnic minorities. As an example of the sparsity of population, Quang Nam Province has a population of 555,000 of which less than 35,000 live in the western 3/5ths of the province.
 - c. Lines of communication point out the importance of the coastal zone. Particularly noteworthy is the present status of the routes leading inland from Route #1. Route #9, which generally parallels the DMZ, is completely closed. Bridges have been destroyed along the entire route which also has been dug up in many places. This normally serves the military post of Khe Sanh and the border station at Lao Bao. It also serves the only concentration of people in the western extremes of the I CTZ. Route #14 leads WSW toward Kontum Province from the junction with the coast highway near Danang. Trafficability is extremely poor during the rainy season, and the VC periodically interdict and isolate extensive portions of the route throughout the year. The most important remaining feeder road in the I CTZ is Route #5 which extends from Route #1 in Quang Ngai Province a distance of 99 miles to Kontum.
3. Friendly Situation. Under I Corps at the present time, are the 1st and 2d Vietnamese Infantry Divisions headquartered at Hue and Quang Ngai respectively. These divisions are augmented by a separate infantry regiment, a separate infantry battalion and three Ranger battalions which are permanently stationed in the CTZ. Their mission is to protect the

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strategic objectives within the five northern provinces and to furnish ARVN presence along the DMZ in the north. ARVN forces in I CTZ total 33,624. There are also 15,782 Regional Forces, 23,647 Popular Forces, and 3,112 CIDG personnel. Total RVN ground forces are approximately 78,661.

4. Enemy Situation.

- a. The most recent estimate of confirmed VC/NVA forces in these five provinces is 27,430 men in regular units and 27,450 guerrillas for a total of 54,880.
 - b. The control element for the VC in the zone is the HQ, VC Military Region V which encompasses the northernmost twelve provinces of the RVN - five in the I CTZ and seven in the II CTZ.
 - c. Directly subordinate to the MR V Hq, are four NVA division headquarters. Major combat elements in MR V include two confirmed VC regimental headquarters and 16 confirmed NVA regimental headquarters. Of these, one VC regiment and seven NVA regiments are located in the I CTZ.
5. Reinforcement Capability. Viet Cong/NVA strengths could be appreciably increased in the I CTZ over a relatively short time span in the form of an in-country re-allocation of VC/NVA elements from the II CTZ and/or contiguous areas of Laos. In addition to this, and of a more probable nature, is an increase in the infiltration rate from the NVN. Guerrilla strengths will probably remain constant.
6. Enumeration of Enemy Capabilities. Listed below are possible enemy capabilities in the order of probable adoption.
- a. Capability (1): Attack lines of communications and harass smaller installations while avoiding major battles. This is an ever present capability that will probably be exercised if the enemy is significantly out numbered.
 - b. Capability (2): Attack in I CTZ with up to one division. Exercising this capability with existing resources would provide the enemy with an opportunity to offset reverses recently suffered. It is, as well, a logical mission to be assigned by Hanoi to reduce the U.S. aircraft inventory.
 - c. Capability (3): Attack up to three dispersed installations simultaneously in regiment strength within 48 hours. With a demonstrated ability to simultaneously attack in dispersed locations, and for the same reasons as mentioned in paragraph 6.B., this is considered a capability probable of execution.
 - d. Capability (4): In conjunction with Capabilities (1), (2), or (3), reinforce with an infiltrated NVA division from outside RVN within 30 days. In the event the enemy so decides, he has only to repeat this proven capability.

NOTE: A comprehensive I Corps Intelligence Estimate is on file in the G-2 Division and is available to the Staff upon request.

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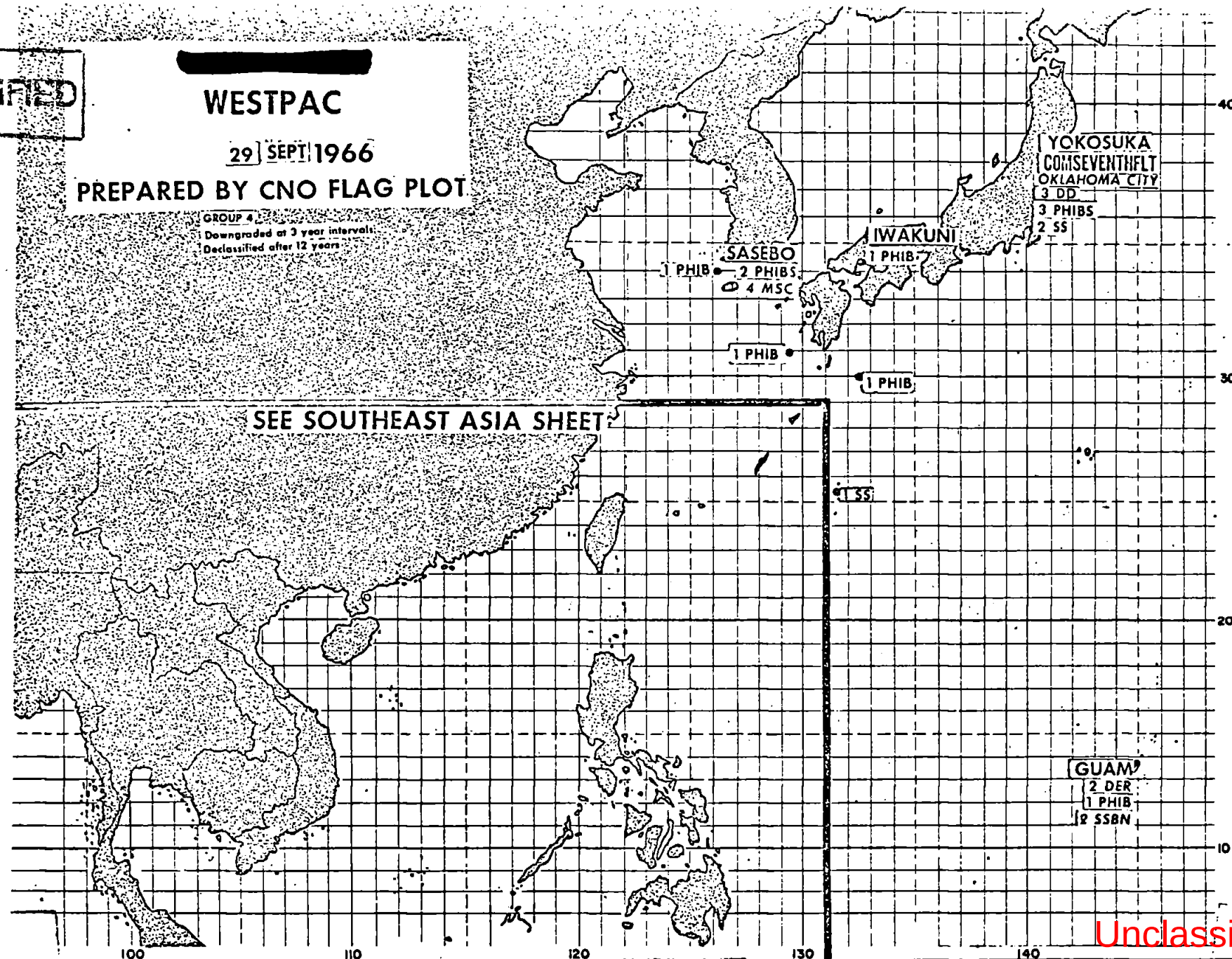
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CARIB READY FORCE 3-66

CARIB READY FORCE 3-66 CTG 44.9 CO: LTCOL C.V. JUDGE	<u>STRENGTH</u>				<u>ARMS/EQUIPMENT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
	USMC		USN			ENROUTE OPEN SEA ON STORM EVASION COURSE.
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL		
HMM-365 (MAJ K.W. ANDRUS)	49	173	1	3	35 M60 MG	<u>SHIPPING</u> LPH BOXER APD RUCHAMKIN AKA RANKIN LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK LST SUFFOLK COUNTY
BLT 3/2	48	1,578	6	65	17 3.5 RL	
3d Bn, 2d Mar (LTCOL JUDGE)	36	1,137	3	41	11 .30 CAL MG	
Btry I, 3d Bn, 10th Mar	4	134	1	1	8 81mm MORTAR	
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	25			6 106mm RR	
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	47			6 105 HOWITZER	
Plat, Co A, 2d AMTrac Bn	1	42			5 M48AE (TANK)	
Plat, Co B, 2d Recon Bn	1	20		1	5 M50A1 (ONTOS)	
Plat, Co A, 2d AT Bn	1	21			4 .50 CAL MG	
Plat Co B, 2d MT Bn	1	23			2 FLAME THROWERS	
					2 M274 (MULE) W/106mm RR	
					28 M422 MIGHTY MITE	
					28 M274 MULE	
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	49			11 LVTP-5	
Det, 2d FSR		23			7 M38A1 TRUCK	
Det, 2d Serv Bn		37			3 M51 DUMP TRUCK	
Det, 2d Med Bn				5	2 M37 CARGO TRUCK	
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	20			2 M170 AMBULANCE	
Det, 2d Dental					2 M422A1 TRUCK, ½ TON	
Det, HqCo, 2d Mar					1 M54 FUEL TRUCK	
Det, UDT-21			2	17	1 M54 CARGO TRUCK	
					17 M35 CARGO TRUCK	
TOTAL	97	1,751	7	68	AIRCRAFT 24 UH-34D; 2 UH-1E	

SUPPLIES

CLASS I 25 DAYS

CLASS II 15 DAYS

CLASS III 40 DAYS

CLASS IV 15 DAYS

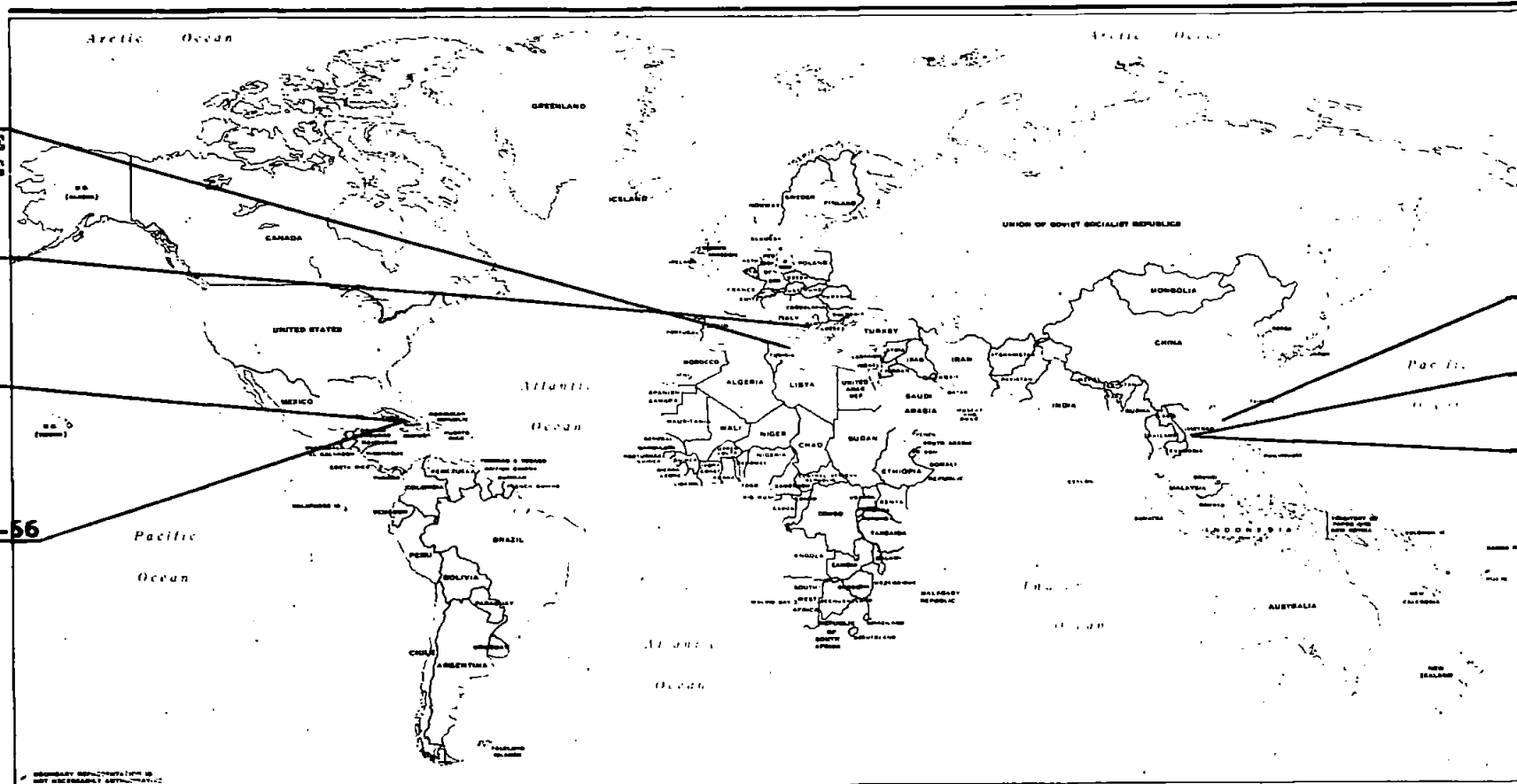
CLASS V 15 DAYS

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FME DEPLOYMENTS

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A-324(14/A4E)
USS INDEPENDENCE
AT VALLETTA, MALTESE

LANFORMED 2-66
(BLT (2/6)
AT TARANTO, ITALY

GTMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN(-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

CARIB READY FORCE 3-56
(BLT 3/2 & HMM-365)
2ND GTMO

HMM-165
ENR RVN. ETA 30SEP.

III MAF
RVN

SLF (BLT 1/26)
BLT 1/26 ASHORE RVN.
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	INFANTRY BATTALIONS	VMFA	VMF	VMF (AW)	VMA	VMA (AW)	VMCJ	HMM/HMH	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	4		2	6		1	9	2	1
RVN	(18)	(3)		(1)	(4)		(1)	(7)	(2)	
AFLOAT	(1)							(1)		
YNAWA/JAPAN	(2)	(1)		(1)	(2)			(1)		(1)
MDPAC	1			1						
HAWAII	(1)			(1)						
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC		1	1				1	3		1
WEST COAST		(1)	(1)				(1)	(2)		(1)
AFLOAT								** (1)		
ATLANTIC	8	4		2	2	3	1	6	1	1
EAST COAST	(6)	(3)		(2)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(5)	(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)	(1)						(1)		
EUROPE	1				*1					
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)				*(1)					
GRAND TOTAL	31	9	1	5	9	3	3	17	3	3

*VMA-324 ABD USS INDEPENDENCE

** ENR RVN

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THIRD MARINE AMPHIBIOUS FORCE

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN L. W. WALT
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ACOS, G-1	COL J. L. MAHON
ACOS, G-2	COL R. H. THOMPSON
ACOS, G-3	COL J. R. CHAISSON
ACOS, G-4	COL J. F. QUILTY
ACOS, G-5	COL E. S. HOLMGRAIN

FIRST MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN L. J. FIELDS
ADC	BGEN W. A. STILES
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL S. J. ALTMAN
ACOS, G-1	COL C. C. CROSSFIELD, II
ACOS, G-2	COL J. J. O'DONNELL
ACOS, G-3	COL H. POGGEMEYER, Jr.
ACOS, G-4	LCOL W. E. BOND
ACOS, G-5	COL L. N. CASEY

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COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. L. MALLORY
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1ST BATTALION	LCOL V. D. BELL, Jr.
2ND BATTALION	LCOL J. D. SPAULDING
3RD BATTALION	LCOL E. A. WALKER

FIFTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. F. WIDDECKE
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL W. C. AIRHEART
1ST BATTALION	LCOL E. R. WATSON
2ND BATTALION	MAJ L. E. WOOD
3RD BATTALION	LCOL E. J. BRONARS

SEVENTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL L. F. SNODDY JR.
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL D. E. ESSLINGER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL L. W. T. WALLER
2ND BATTALION	LCOL J. J. ROTHOFF
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. O'LEARY

ELEVENTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL G. E. NORRIS
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL J. B. STRIBLING
1ST BATTALION	MAJ L. C. REECE
2ND BATTALION	MAJ I. L. CARVER
3RD BATTALION	LCOL R. E. YOUNG
4TH BATTALION	LCOL G. R. LAMB

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ACOS, G-2	COL T. M. HORNE
ACOS, G-3	COL W. F. DOEHLER
ACOS, G-4	COL R. M. RICHARDS
ACOS, G-5	COL E. R. MCCARTHY

THIRD MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. E. HAMMERBECK
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL L. C. SHEPHERD III
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. R. DICKEY
2ND BATTALION	LCOL V. OHANESIAN
2ND BN, 26TH MARINES	LTCOL J. J. WILSON

FOURTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. D. CEREGHINO
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL M. S. CAMPBELL
1ST BATTALION	LCOL J. WESTERMAN
2ND BATTALION	LCOL A. E. BENCH
3RD BATTALION	LCOL W. J. MASTERPOOL

NINTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. BARRETT
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL A. A. NELSON
1ST BATTALION	LCOL R. E. JONES
2ND BATTALION	LCOL J. J. HESS
3RD BATTALION	MAJ F. D. MACLEAN

TWELVTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL B. S. READ
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL J. W. LUTHER
1ST BATTALION	LCOL F. J. JOHNSTON
2ND BATTALION	LCOL J. R. GALLMAN
3RD BATTALION	LCOL C. S. KIRCHMAN
4TH BATTALION	LCOL D. G. JONES

FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN L. B. ROBERTSHAW
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CHIEF OF STAFF	COL E. J. DOYLE
ACOS, G-1	COL D. H. JOHNSON
ACOS, G-2	COL G. M. DODENHOFF
ACOS, G-3	COL A. A. LUND
ACOS, G-4	COL H. H. LONG
ACOS, G-5	LCOL E. J. BERGER

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-11

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL F. C. THOMAS
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL G. M. CLOUD
VMFA-115	MAJ L. R. VANDEUSEN
VMF(AW)-235	MAJ D. A. NICKLE
VMFA-314	LCOL D. E. BJORKLUND
VMFA-323	LCOL A. W. TALBERT, Jr.

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-12

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. W. HUBBARD
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL T. E. MULVIHILL
VMA-214	LCOL R. D. WALLACE
VMA-223	LCOL R. B. SINCLAIR
VMA-224	LCOL J. BROWNE
VMA-311	LCOL P. G. MCMAHON

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-13

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. A. HARPER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL J. J. MURPHY
*VMA-211	MAJ H. J. AYERS
*VMFA-542	MAJ P. S. FRAPPOLLO

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-16

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. M. HUNT
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL R. L. SIMMONS
HMM-161	LCOL S. F. MARTIN
HMM-263	LCOL J. L. GOEBEL
HMM-164	LCOL W. C. WATSON
HMM-265	LCOL H. E. MENDENHALL
VMO-2	LCOL A. W. BARDEN

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-36

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL V. A. ARMSTRONG
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL A. W. COSTELLO
HMM-361	LCOL F. D. TWEED
HMM-362	MAJ M. D. ARMSTRONG
HMM-364	LCOL D. A. SOMERVILLE
VMO-6	MAJ W. R. MALLONEY

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EXECUTIVE OFFICER	COL W. H. COWPER

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UNIT	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
1ST MAW								
<u>MWSG-17</u>								
H&MS-17			1/UC-45J 4/C-54 2/C-117D 7/TF-9J 2/CH-19E					
<u>MAG-11</u>								
H&MS-11					1/UC-45J 2/C-117D			
VMF(AW)-235					16/F8E			
VMFA-115					14/F4B			
VMFA-314					16/F4B			
VMCJ-1					6/RF8A 8/EF-10B			
VMFA-323					14/F4B			
<u>MAG-12</u>								
H&MS-12						1/C-117		
VMA-224						16/A4E		
VMA-223						20/A4E		
VMA-214						18/A4C		
VMA-311						20/A4E 1/A4C		
<u>MAG-13</u>								
H&MS-13			4/TF-9J 1/C-117D					
VMFA-542			16/F4B					
VMA-211			19/A4C					
VMGR-152				11/KC-130F				
HMM-163				23/UH-34D				

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UNCLASSIFIED	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
<u>MAG-15</u>			2/TF-9J 1/C-117D					
***H&MS-15								
VMA-121			20/A4E					
VMF(AW)-232			13/F8E					
<u>MAG-16</u>					1/C-117D 8/UH-34D 8/CH-37C 5/CH-46A			
***H&MS-16								
HMM-161							22/UH-34D	
*HMM-164					24/CH-46A			
*HMM-263					19/UH-34D			
HMM-265					23/CH-46A			
*VMO-2					21/UH-1E 10/O-1C			
<u>MAG-36</u>						1/C-117D 5/UH-34D		
**H&MS-36						24/UH-34D		
**HMM-361						23/UH-34D		
**HMM-362								22/UH-34D
HMM-363								
**VMO-6						16/UH-1E		
**HMM-364						23/UH-34D		
TOTAL FIXED WING ACFT			90	11	78	77		
TOTAL HELICOPTERS			2	23	108	91	22	22

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USMC 28,373
USN 1,262

H&S COMPANY
SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPICO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
2/26
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9
1/26
3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST AMTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

	USMC	USN
RVN	54,754	2,563
III MAF	54,184	2,557
DA NANG	(28,373)	(1,262)
CHU LAI	(20,277)	(875)
PHU BAI	(5,534)	(320)
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	194	
NAVADVP	52	
CO L MARSPTRN	68	
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO	146	6
OKINAWA	10,358	468
SLF	1,917	91
JAPAN	2,431	28
TOTALS	69,460	3,150

OKINAWA

USMC 10,358
USN 468

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/3
1/13 (-)

MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

CHU LAI

USMC 20,277
USN 875

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) (-) (REIN) FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
4/11 (-) (REIN)
3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
DET 2/7
3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-363
HMM-364
VMO-6
MAG-13

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

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FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

HQ, SLF
HMM-362 (ARG w/HMM-
362 ENR OKI. ETA 30SEI)

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	NMCCB	NavSA
DANANG	3,827	7,321
HQ, 30TH NCB		
NMCCB-1, NMCCB-6, NMCCB-9, NMCCB-10, NMCCB-11		
CHU LAI	1,340	
NMCCB-3, NMCCB-40		
PHU BAI	690	
NMCCB-7		
TOTALS	5,857	7,321

PHU BAI

USMC 5,534
USN 320

4TH MARINES (REIN)
1/4
2/4
3/4

2/9
3/12 (REIN)
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12

HMM-161
FLSU-2

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 1700CT, ETA CHU LAI 2400CT
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
AT OKI
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN.
ETA RVN 1 SEP
DET, 1ST AM TRAC BN CO CONUS, EARL-GUAM-
DANANG. ETA DANANG 5 NOV.

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*DOES NOT INCLUDE NON-FMF UNITS OTHER THAN THOSE IN RVN; INCLUDES ONLY NAVY PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO FMF

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USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

KIA & DOW

WIA

MIA

1,639

9,743

32

NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

DEAD

INJURED

MISSING

231

536

1

VC/NVA

KIA

WIA

POW

SUSPECTS

11,208

491

1,310

7,916

NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 27 SEPTEMBER 1966.

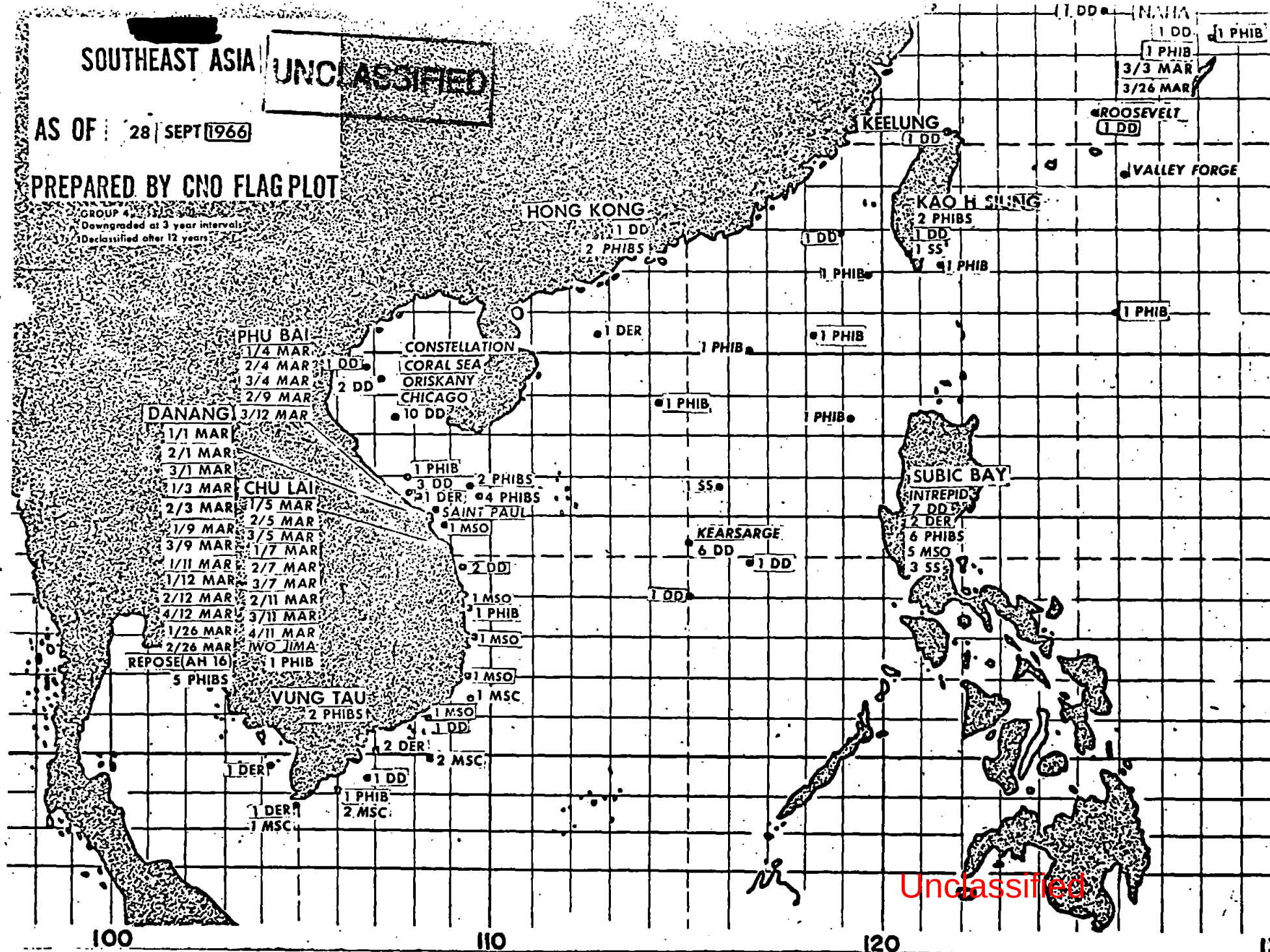
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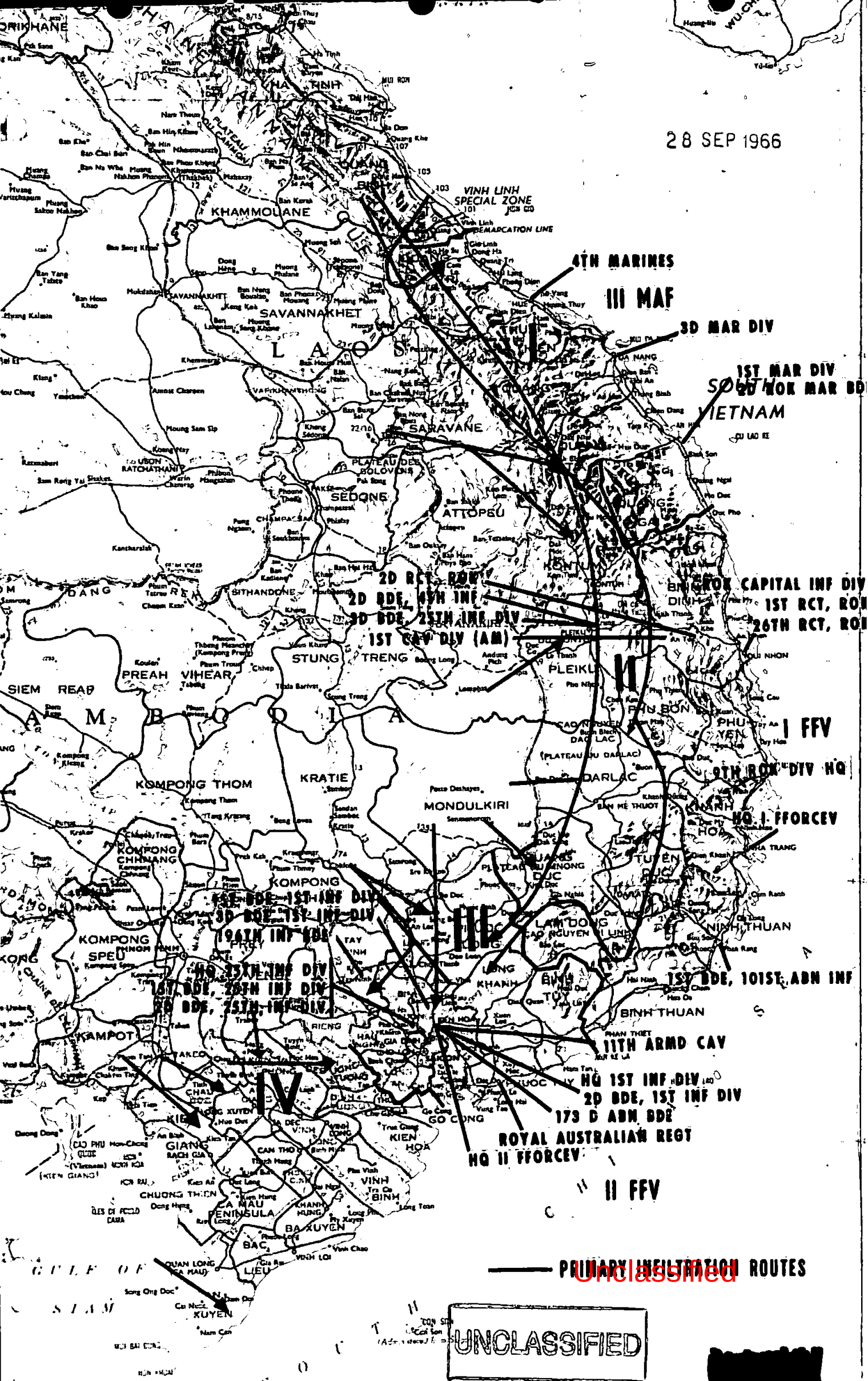
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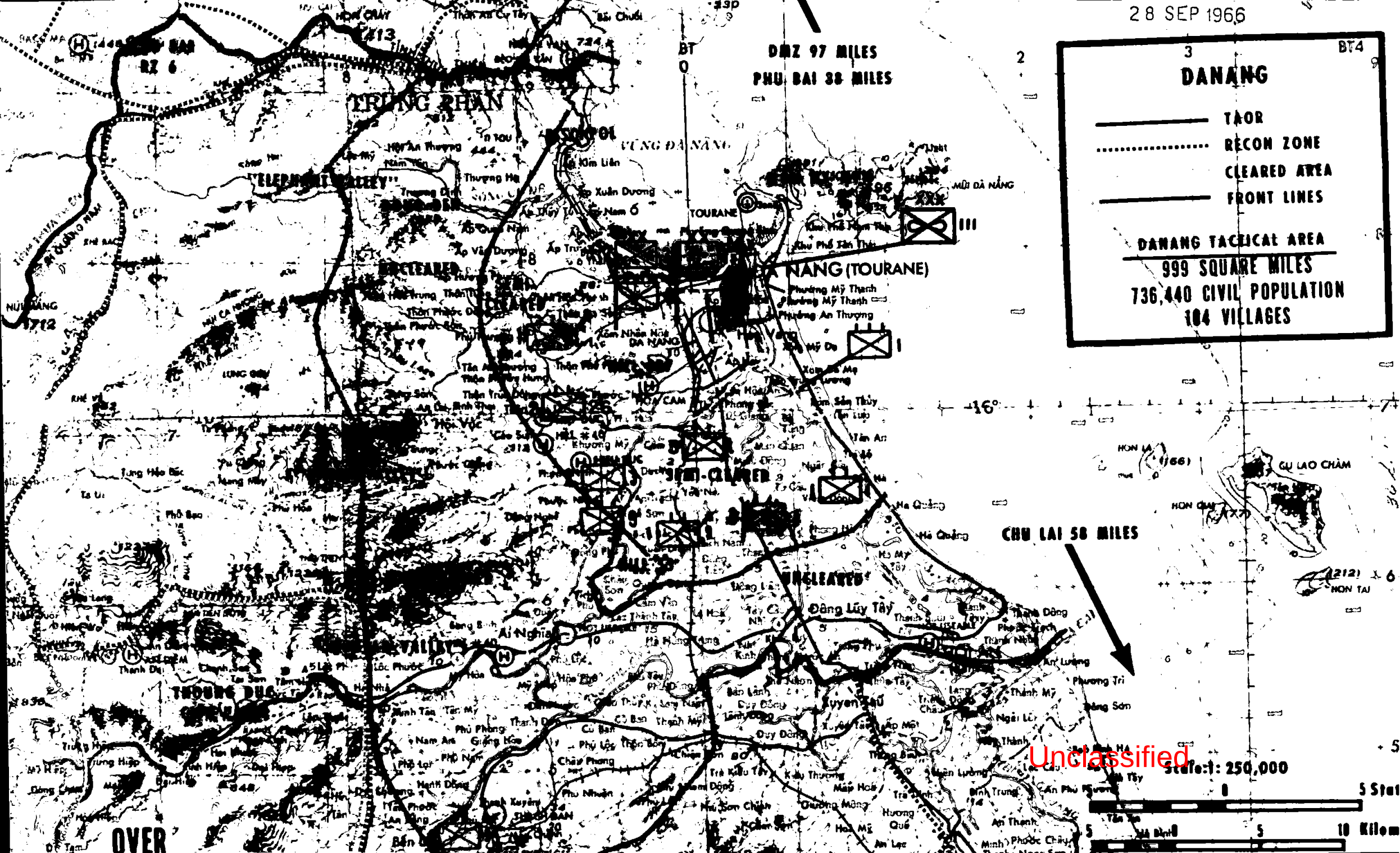


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S O U T

HCHU LAI

C H I

DANANG 58 MILES

USMC TAOR
USMC RECON ZONE
ROKMC TAOR
ROKMC RECON ZONE
CHU LAI USMC TACTICAL AREA

349 SQUARE MILES
133,009 CIVIL POPULATION
29 VILLAGES
ROKMC TACTICAL AREA
183 SQUARE MILES
112,804 CIVIL POPULATION
21 VILLAGES

QUANG NGAI 22 MILES

II CORPS BOUNDARY 65 MILES

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL, FLEET MARINE FORCE, ATLANTIC

AS OF: 28 SEPTEMBER 1966

UNIT	COMMANDER	STRENGTH		BASE		ROOS RDS		GTMO		CARIB 3-66		VIEQUES		MED 2-66		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-26	COL T.T. TULIPANE																
H&MS-26	MAJ D. DALRYMPLE	680		680													
MABS-26	MAJ W. W. WAMEL	770	35	770	35												
MATCU-64	CAPT G.N. ALLERTON	68		68													
HMM-162	MAJ D.M. WILSON	232		232													
HMM-261	MAJ R. H. NELSON	264		264													
HMM-262	LTCOL U.W. SHADRICK	268		268													
HMM-264	LTCOL H.F. MCCORMICK	188		188													
HMM-365	MAJ K. W. ANDRUS	222	4							222	4						
HMH-461	MAJ G.H. NORTFIELD	84		84													
VMO-1	LTCOL P.M. CROSSWALT	195		195													
MAG-31	COL J.C. VANCE																
H&MS-31	LTCOL COLE	405		405													
MABS-31	MAJ G.L. FENENGA	582	18	582	18												
MATCU-69	CAPT CORRERO	54		54													
** VMA-324	LTCOL T.G. ELDER	170	2													170	2
VMA-331	LTCOL E.K. JACKS	173	2	173	2												
VMF(AW)-451	LTCOL WESSEL	178		178													
MAG-32	COL L.H. STEMAN																
H&MS-32	MAJ J. V. PRICE	462		462													
MABS-32	MAJ D. Y. WESTLING	649	32	649	32												
MATCU-63	1STLT MEYER	46		46													
VMFA-251	LTCOL G. H. KELLER	273	1	273	1												
\$ VMFA-312	LTCOL P. A. LINDSAY	281	1													281	1
VMF(AW)-333	LTCOL R. L. PREIS	183	1	183	1												

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\$ AT MCAS YUMA (TRNG EXER 19SEP-4OCT66)

** ABD USS INDEPENDENCE

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UNIT	COMMANDER	STRENGTH		BASE		ROOS RDS		GTMO		CARIB 3-66		VIEQUES		MED 2-66		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
VMT-1	MAJ J. E. WEBER	173		173													
VMCJ-2	LTCOL T.E. MURPHREE	421		421													
MACS-5	MAJ G. G. LONG	210		210													
MACS-9	MAJ BAKER	201		201													
12TH DENTAL CO	CAPT L. YOUNG (USN)		55		55												

TOTAL FMFLANT USMC PERSONNEL	46,702	41,823		1,051	1,847	81	1,431	469
TOTAL FMFLANT USN PERSONNEL	1,119	976		26	55	1	57	4
TOTAL FMFLANT PERSONNEL	47,821	42,799		1,077	1,902	82	1,488	473

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UNIT	MCAS CHERRY PT	MCAS BEAUFORT	MCAF NEW RIVER	ROOSEVELT ROADS	MEDITER- RANEAN	CARIBBEAN READY FORCE	OTHER
<u>MAG-26</u>			8/CH-37A 1/UH-34D 1/C-117D 1/C-47				
H&MS-26							
VMO-1			15/UH-1E			2/UH-1E	
HMM-162			23/UH-34D				
HMM-261			17/CH-46A				
HMM-262			33/CH-46A				
HMM-264			23/UH-34D				
HMM-365						24/UH-34D	
HMH-461							
<u>MAG-31</u>		3/T-1A					
H&MS-31		1/C-117					
VMA-324					14/A-4E		ABD USS INDEPENDENCE
VMA-331		22/A4E					
VMF(AW)-451		12/F-8D					
<u>MAG-32</u>		3/T-1A 1/C-117 1/C-47J					
H&MS-32							
VMFA-251		11/F4B					
VMFA-312							10/F4B MCAS YUMA
VMF(AW)-333		9/F-8E 6/F-8D					
HQS SQDN, FMFLANT							*1/C-131F; 2/UC-45J; 2/T1A; 1/C54J; 1/VC-54P

* BASED AT NORFOLK, VA

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CARIB READY FORCE 3-66 CTG 44.9 CO: LTCOL C.V. JUDGE	STRENGTH				ARMS/EQUIPMENT	LOCATION
	USMC		USN			AT GTMO.
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL		
HMM-365 (MAJ K.W. ANDRUS)	49	173	1	3	35 M60 MG	LPH BOXER APD RUCHAMKIN AKA RANKIN LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK LST SUFFOLK COUNTY
BLT 3/2	48	1,578	6	65	17 3.5 RL	
3d Bn, 2d Mar (LTCOL JUDGE)	36	1,137	3	41	11 .30 CAL MG	
Btry I, 3d Bn, 10th Mar	4	134	1	1	8 81mm MORTAR	
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	25			6 106mm RR	
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	47			6 105 HOWITZER	
Plat, Co A, 2d AMTrac Bn	1	42			5 M48AE (TANK)	
Plat, Co B, 2d Recon Bn	1	20		1	5 M50A1 (ONTOS)	
Plat, Co A, 2d AT Bn	1	21			4 .50 CAL MG	
Plat Co B, 2d MT Bn	1	23			2 FLAME THROWERS	
					2 M274 (MULE) W/106mm RR	
					28 M422 MIGHTY MITE	
					28 M274 MULE	
					11 LVTP-5	
					7 M38A1 TRUCK	
					3 M51 DUMP TRUCK	
					2 M37 CARGO TRUCK	
					2 M170 AMBULANCE	
					2 M422A1 TRUCK, 1/4 TON	
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	49			1 M54 FUEL TRUCK	
Det, 2d FSR		23			1 M54 CARGO TRUCK	
Det, 2d Serv Bn		37			17 M35 CARGO TRUCK	
Det, 2d Med Bn				5		
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	20				
Det, 2d Dental						
Det, HqCo, 2d Mar						
Det, UDT-21			2	17		

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VMA-324 (14/A4E)
USS INDEPENDENCE
AT VALLENTA, MALTESE
ISL.

LANFORMED 2-66
(BLT 2/6)
AT TARANTO, ITALY

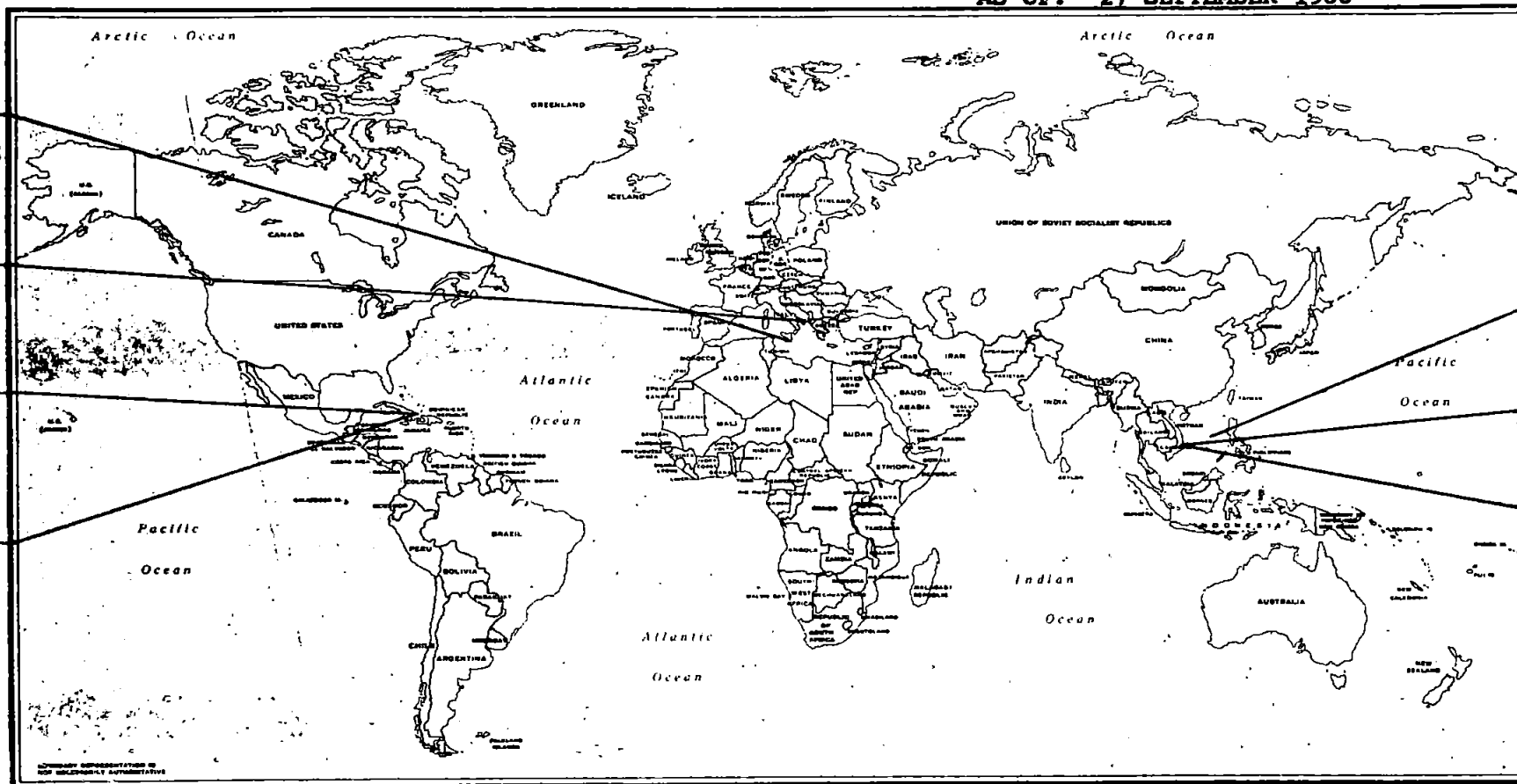
OTMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN(-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

CARIB RDY FORCE 3-66
(BLT 3/2 & HMM-365)
OTMO

HMM-165 ENR RVN
ETA 28SEP

III MAF
RVN

SLF (BLT 1/26 &
HMM-363)
BLT 1/26 AT
DANANG
HMM-363 UNLC **ING**
AT CHU LAI



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UNIT		COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
			USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
RECON UNITS																						
1ST RECON BN			LTCOL D.N.MCKEON	447	27										429	27	18					
3D RECON BN			MAJ G. WILDER	414	22								269	14			108	6			¢ 37	2
5TH RECON BN				109	2				72	2			37									
1ST FOR RECON BN			MAJ D.A.COLEY	156	6								33								¢123	6
3D FOR RECON BN			CAPT FLOYD	118	3				118	3												
ANTI-TANK UNITS																						
1ST AT BN			MAJ R.E. HARRIS	343	6								61		282	6						
3D AT BN			LTCOL E.R.LARSON	337	8								257	7			80	1				
5TH AT BN				124	2				80	2			22						22			
TANK UNITS																						
1ST TANK BN			MAJ J.W.CLAYBORNE	542	11								87	2	455	9						
3D TANK BN			LTCOL G.R.CORSON	505	10								398	9			107	1				
5TH TANK BN				169	3				110	3			28						31			
AMTRAC UNITS																						
1ST AMTRAC BN			MAJ W.W.DAMEWOOD	569	14								536	14			33					
3D AMTRAC BN			MAJ W.J. DINSE	662	12										662	12						
5TH AMTRAC BN				246	4				166	2			39	1					41	1		
# 1ST ARM AMPHIB CO				274	4	163	2		41	1											* 70	1

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* ENR RVN (DANANG)

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER		
SSCT UNITS		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	
1ST SSCT		8										8										
2D SSCT	2DLT J.N.CORCORAN	7												7								
9TH SSCT		2		2																		
MEDICAL UNITS																						
1ST MED BN	CDR C.H.MITCHELL	114	226											114	226							
3D MED BN	CDR J.C.VINCENT	141	232									120	159			21	73					
5TH MED BN		23	52					16	49				2					7	1			
1ST HOSP CO	CDR F.F. ROBERTS	33	51											33	51							
1ST DENT CO	CAPT D.C. CONGLIS		70												70							
3D DENT CO	CAPT K.L. MORGAN		79						6				63				10					
5TH DENT CO	CDR F. RULIFFSON		34		23		11															
11TH DENT CO	CAPT C.E. KALLER		41										41									
13TH DENT CO	CAPT J.F. KING		31		31																	
15TH DENT CO			10						10													
GROUND TOTALS		USMC		62,321		4,923		1,829		8,968		58		21,622		16,600		6,159		1,694		#
		USN		2,937		173		71		399		2		988		877		322		90		15
		TOTALS		65,258		5,096		1,900		9,367		60		22,610		17,477		6,481		1,784		#

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER			
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN		
MBTG-30	COL R.R.RILEY																						
H&MS-30	MAJ G.P.WARREN	303		303																			
HMMT-301	LTCOL W.R.DUNCAN	404	1	404	1																		
HMMT-302																							
HMMT-310		291		291																			
LAG-33	COL D.L.LENGEL																						
H&MS-33	MAJ R.A.FULLER	504		504																			
MABS-33	MAJ H.J.BOND	452	2	452	2																		
VMFA-122	LTCOL D.R.STIVER	307	1	307	1																		
VMF-334	MAJ J.W.DETROY	194	1	194	1																		
VMCJ-3	MAJ O.E.DONOVAN	411	1	405	1															*	6		
MWSG-37	COL D.D.RICKABAUGH																						
H&HS-37	LTCOL DEFENBAUGH	375		375																			
MABS-37	MAJ C.E.WILCOX	684	116	684	116																		
MAMS-37	MAJ A.H.MANHART	459		459																			
HMH-463	MAJ W.R.BEELER	129	1	129	1																		
HMM-165	LTCOL W.ELDRIDGE	274	4																	@274	4		
HMH-462	CAPT W.J.NEVINS	9		9																			
SU#1, MABS-37	MAJ C.M.HAYES	624		624																			
VMGR-352	LTCOL R.M.WILLIAMS	370	1	370	1																		
1ST MARBRIG AIR																							
VMF(AW)-212	LTCOL C.M.WALLACE	179				179																	
MACS-2	MAJ J.R.DOPLER	213				213																	
H&MS, 1ST MARBRIG	LTCOL L.F.BLASS	94				94																	
MATCU-62	CAPT J.N.BACON	55				55																	
AVIATION UNIT TOTALS		U S M C		23,934		8,123		613		1,390		2,373		5,812		4,707		338		223		355	
		U S N		450		135				69		26		117		91		5		1		6	
		TOTAL		24,384		8,258		613		1,459		2,399		5,929		4,798		343		224		361	

② ENR RVN (CHU LAI)

* ENR RVN (DANANG)

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	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
TOTAL FMFPAC MARCOR PERSONNEL	85,863		12,654		2,442		10,358		2,431		27,434		21,307		6,497		1,917		823	
TOTAL FMFPAC NAVY PERSONNEL	3,375		296		71		468		28		1,105		968		327		91		21	
TOTAL FMFPAC PERSONNEL	89,238		12,950		2,513		10,826		2,459		28,539		22,275		6,824		2,008		844	

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<u>WEAPON</u>	<u>AUTH</u>	<u>EASTPAC</u>	<u>HAWAII</u>	<u>OKINAWA</u>	<u>DANANG</u>	<u>CHU LAI</u>	<u>PHU BAI</u>	<u>SLF</u>	<u>AFLOAT</u>	<u>OTHER</u>
106 RECOILESS RIFLE	176		8	16	56	48	32	8		8
81MM MORTAR	176		8	16	56	48	32	8		8
107MM HOWTAR	42				6	18	6	6		6
105MM HOWITZER	126			12	30	54	18	6		6
155MM HOWITZER (TOW)	24				12	6	6			
155MM HOWITZER (SP)	36				12	18	6			
155MM GUN (SP)	12					6	6			
8" HOWITZER (SP)	12				6	6				
90MM GUN TANK	117			10	41	34	22	5		5
FLAME TANK	38	17			10	11				
HAWK LAUNCHERS	37				37					
ONTOS	100			10	15	45	20	5		5
LVTP-5/1C	252			46	66	97	21	11	1	10
LVTH 6A1	10				6				4	

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

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III MAF

USMC 28,372
USN 1,251H&S COMPANY
SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPTCO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
2/26
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9
3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST AMTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

	USMC	USN
RVN	54,755	2,557
III MAF	54,185	2,551
DA NANG	28,372	1,251
CHU LAI	20,278	980
PHU BAI	5,535	320
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	194	
NAVADVP	52	
CO L, MARSPBN	68	
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO	146	6
OKINAWA	10,358	468
SLF	1,917	91
JAPAN	2,431	28
TOTALS	69,461	3,144

OKINAWA

USMC 10,358
USN 468

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/3
1/13 (-)MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

CHU LAI

USMC 20,278
USN 980

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) (-) (REIN) FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
4/11 (-) (REIN)
3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
DET 2/7
3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-362
HMM-364
VMO-6
MAG-13

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
HQ, SLF		
BLT 1/26	1,917	91
HMM-363		

JAPAN

USMC 2,431
USN 28

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

	NMCB	NavSA
DANANG	3,827	7,321
HQ, 30TH NCB		
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9,		
NMCB-10, NMCB-11		
CHU LAI	1,340	
NMCB-3, NMCB-40		
PHU BAI	690	
NMCB-7		

TOTALS 5,857 7,321

PHU BAI

USMC 5,535
USN 3204TH MARINES (REIN)
1/4
2/4
3/4
2/9
3/12 (REIN)
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12HMM-161
FLSU-2

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 17OCT; ETA CHU LAI 24OCT
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
AT OKI
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN.
ETA RVN 28SEP
DET, 1ST ARM AMTB CO CONUS-PEARL-GUAM
DANANG. ETA DANANG 5NOV.

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*DOES NOT INCLUDE NON-FMF UNITS OTHER THAN THOSE IN RVN; INCLUDES ONLY NAVY PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO FMF

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USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

KIA & DOW

WIA

MIA

1,638	9,622	32
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NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

DEAD

INJURED

MISSING

231	525	1
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VC/NVA

KIA

WIA

POW

SUSPECTS

11,168	491	1,308	7,902
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NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 26 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE:2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN

AS OF: 27 SEP 1966

<u>COUNTRY/FORCES</u>	<u>STRENGTH</u>
<u>RVN (REGULAR)</u>	
ARMY	283,500
NAVY.....	16,500
AIR FORCE	14,000
MARINE CORPS	7,000
<u>TOTAL RVN (REGULAR)</u>	<u>321,000</u>
REGIONAL FORCES.....	<u>TOTAL REGIONAL FORCES</u>
	<u>143,500</u>
POPULAR FORCES.....	<u>TOTAL POPULAR FORCES</u>
	<u>140,000</u>
<u>TOTAL NATIONAL MILITARY FORCES</u>	<u>604,500</u>

UNITED STATES

** ARMY.....	193,119
* NAVY.....	21,180
AIR FORCE	45,208
* MARINE CORPS	55,808
COAST GUARD	442
<u>TOTAL U. S. FORCES</u>	<u>315,757</u>

FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES

REPUBLIC OF FOREA	1ST & 9TH ROK DIV; MAR BRIG; ENGRS; TRUCK CO; HOSPITAL UNIT.....	35,322
AUSTRALIA	BRIGADE (-); ADVISORS.....	4,451
NEW ZEALAND	ARTILLERY BTRY; SURGICAL TEAM.....	159
CHINA	PSY WARFARE.....	31
PHILIPPINES	PSY WARFARE; MEDICAL	928
THAILAND	ADVISORS.....	29
SPAIN		12
<u>TOTAL F W M A F</u>		<u>40,932</u>
<u>TOTAL FORCES IN RVN</u>		<u>961,189</u>

* NAVY PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF INCLUDED IN NAVY FIGURES.

** STRENGTH INCLUDES 7,675 PERSONNEL ASSIGNED AND NOT JOINED WHOSE EFFECTIVE DATE OF STRENGTH ACCOUNTABILITY (EDCSA) HAS PASSED

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U. S. AIR FORCE UNITS IN VIETNAM & VICINITYSOUTH VIETNAMBIEN HOA

5 SQ F-100	87 ACFT
1 SQ F-5	14 ACFT
1 SQ O-1	44 ACFT
1 DET HH-43	5 ACFT
*C-47	2 ACFT
*1 DET AC-47	6 ACFT

BINH THUY

1 SQ O-1	27 ACFT
1 DET HH-43	3 ACFT

CAM RANH BAY

4 SQ F-4	77 ACFT
1 DET HH-43	2 ACFT

DA NANG

1 SQ C-123	13 ACFT
1 SQ B-57	21 ACFT
1 SQ O-1	18 ACFT
2 SQ F-4	42 ACFT
1 DET HH-3	2 ACFT
*1 DET HU-16	2 ACFT
1 DET HH-43	5 ACFT
*1 DET AC-47	3 ACFT

NHA TRANG

1 SQ O-1	46 ACFT
1 SQ C-123	14 ACFT
1 SQ U-10	15 ACFT
HC-47	2 ACFT
1 SQ AC-47	5 ACFT
C-47	3 ACFT
*C-130	8 ACFT

PHAN RANG

4 SQ F-100	69 ACFT
1 SQ F-4	19 ACFT
1 DET HH-43	3 ACFT

PLEIKU

1 SQ A-1E	10 ACFT
1 DET O-1	20 ACFT
1 DET HH-43	2 ACFT
*C-47	1 ACFT
*1 DET AC-47	5 ACFT

TAN SON NHUT

2 SQ C-123	36 ACFT
*1 DET RF-101	16 ACFT
2 SQ RF-4	32 ACFT
1 SQ RC-47	6 ACFT
1 DET RB-57	3 ACFT
1 DET F-102	5 ACFT
1 SQ HH-43	2 ACFT
1 SQ CH-3	4 ACFT
*1 DET EC-121	4 ACFT
1 DET C-47	2 ACFT

SUMMARYHELICOPTERS

12 CH-3
10 HH-3
32 HH-43
15 UH-1

FIXED WING

24 A-1
34 B-52#
21 B-57
3 RB-57
18 EB-66
176 F-4
43 RF-4
14 F-5
156 F-100
39 RF-101
17 F-102
17 F-104
127 F-105
14 C-47
21 AC-47
2 HC-47
1 HC-54#
4 EC-121
65 C-123
80 C-130#
7 HC-130#
65 KC-135#
175 O-1
16 U-6
15 U-10
2 HU-16
8 A-26
6 RC-47
12 T-28

THAILANDDON MUANG

1 DET F-102	4 ACFT
1 DET KC-135	4 ACFT
*1 DET C-47	2 ACFT

KORAT

4 SQ F-105	72 ACFT
1 DET HH-43	2 ACFT
*C-47	2 ACFT

BAN UTAPHAO

1 SQ KC-135	15 ACFT
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TAKHLI

3 SQ F-105	55 ACFT
2 SQ EB-66	18 ACFT
1 SQ KC-135	10 ACFT
1 DET HH-43	3 ACFT

UBON

3 SQ F-4	38 ACFT
1 DET HH-43	3 ACFT
*1 DET AC-47	2 ACFT

UDORN

1 SQ F-104	17 ACFT
2 SQ(-)RF-101	23 ACFT
1 SQ A-1E	14 ACFT
1 SQ RF-4	11 ACFT
1 DET F-102	8 ACFT
1 DET HH-3	8 ACFT
*1 DET CH-3	8 ACFT
*C-47	2 ACFT
*HC-130	3 ACFT
1 DET HH-43	2 ACFT

NAKHON PHANOM

1 SQ U-6	16 ACFT
UH-1	15 ACFT
A-26	8 ACFT
T-28	12 ACFT
C-123	2 ACFT
1 SQ O-1	20 ACFT

TAIWAN

3 SQ C-130	46 ACFT
1 DET F-100	6 ACFT
1 DET EC-121	5 ACFT

* TEMPORARY DUTY FROM OTHER LOCATIONS.

COUNT INCLUDES ACFT IN SUPPORT OF SEA AT OTHER PACOM LOCATIONS.

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UNCLASSIFIED**U.S. AIR FORCE AIRCRAFT DESIGNATIONS**

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MODEL DESIGNATION	POPULAR NAME	FEATURES
<u>ATTACK</u>		
A-1	SKYRAIDER	Single recip engine Douglas multipurpose attack bomber. 2 crew.
<u>BOMBER/RECONNAISSANCE</u>		
B-57	CANBERRA	Twin jet mid-wing Martin bomber. 2 crew.
RB-57	CANBERRA	B-57 configured for photo recon.
RB-66	DESTROYER	Twin jet Douglas light tactical bomber configured for photo recon. 3 crew.
<u>FIGHTER/INTERCEPTOR</u>		
F-4	PHANTOM	Twin jet (AW) McDonnell supersonic missile armed fighter. 2 crew.
RF-4	PHANTOM	F-4 configured for photo recon.
F-5		Twin jet mid-wing Northrop gun nose fighter. 1 crew.
F-100	SUPER SABRE	Single jet low swept-wing supersonic North American fighter-bomber. 1 crew.
RF-101	VOO DOO	Twin jet swept mid-wing McDonnell supersonic fighter configured for long range photo recon. 1 crew.
F-102	DELTA DAGGER	Single jet (AW) delta-winged Convair interceptor. 1 crew.
F-104	STARFIGHTER	Single jet mid-wing lightweight Lockheed fighter. 1 crew.
F-105	THUNDERCHIEF	Single jet mid-wing Republic fighter-bomber. 1 crew.
<u>CARGO/TRANSPORT</u>		
C-47D	SKYTRAIN	Twin recip engine low wing Douglas transport. 27 pax/26 litters.
AC-47D	SKYTRAIN	C-47D configured for ground fire support. Equipped with side firing 7.62mm Mini guns.
HC-47D	SKYTRAIN	C-47D configured and equipped for search & rescue.
EC-121D	CONSTELLATION	Four recip engine low wing Lockheed transport equipped with radar for search missions.
C-123B	PROVIDER	Twin turbo-prop Fairchild transport. 60 pax/50 litters.
HC-130	HERCULES	Four turbo-prop Lockheed transport specially equipped for SAR missions. 5 crew.
KC-130	HERCULES	C-130 configured as tactical tanker transport.
KC-135	STRATO LIFTER	Four jet long range high performance Boeing aerial tanker. 80 pax.
<u>OBSERVATION/UTILITY</u>		
O-1	BIRD DOG	Single engine high wing Cessna observation aircraft. 2 crew.
U-10		Single recip engine helicopter short take-off utility aircraft. 2 pax.
HU-16B	ALBATROSS	Twin recip engine high wing Grumman amphibian SAR aircraft.
CH-3C	SEA KING	Twin turbine single rotor Sikorsky amphibious hulled helicopter. 25 pax.
HH-43		Single turbine engine twin rotor Kaman helicopter. 6 pax/2 litters.

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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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VMA-324 (14/A4E)
ABD USS INDEPENDENCE
AT VALLETTA, MALTESE, ISL

LANFORMED 2-66
(BLT 2/6)
AT TORONTO, ITALY

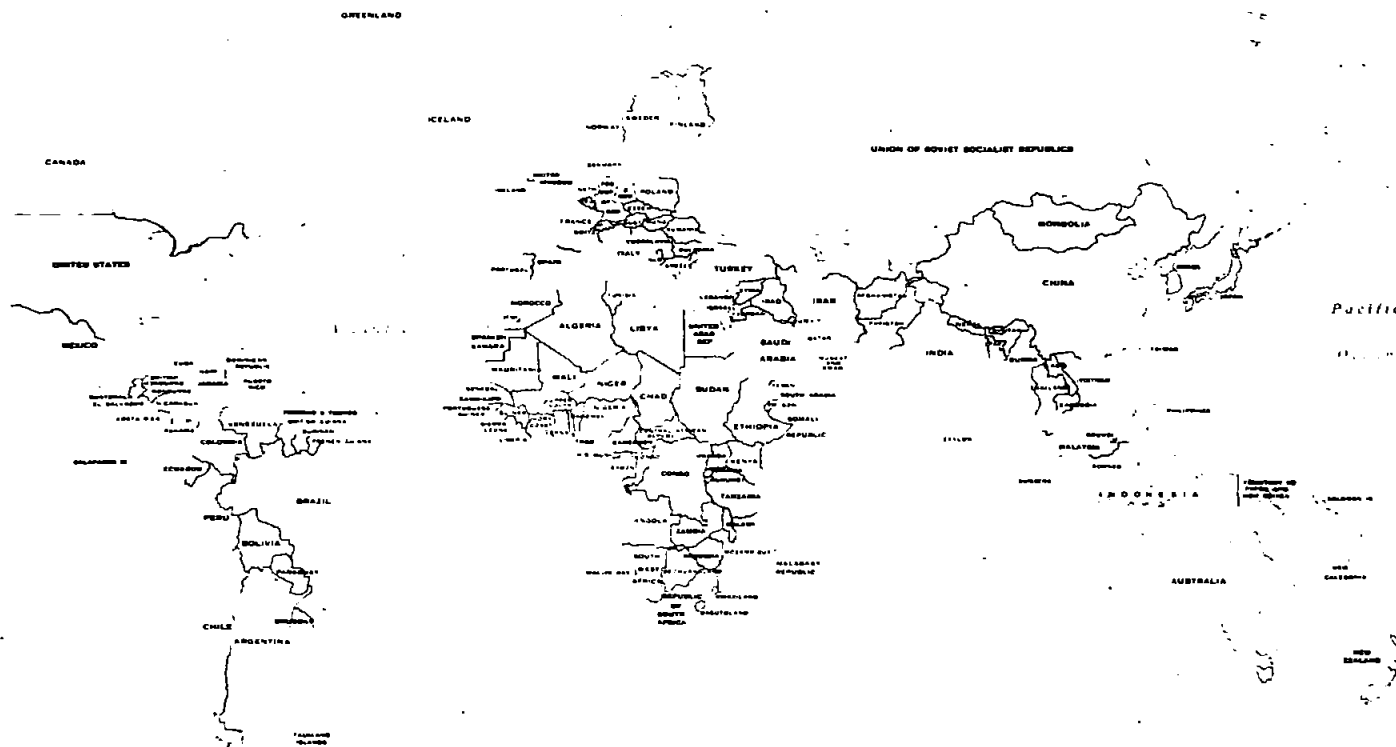
GTMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN(-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

(IB RDY FORCE 3-66
(BLT 3/2 & HMM 365)
ENR GTMO

BLT 3/26 & HMM-165
BLT 3/26 AT OKI
HMM-165 ENR RVN
ETA 28SEP

III MAF
RVN

SLF (BLT 1/26 &
HMM-363)
AT DANANG



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FLEET MARINE FORCE PACIFIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN V. H. KRULAK
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN A. R. KIER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. A. FEELEY
ACOS, G-1	COL H. S. HILL
ACOS, G-2	COL H. E. L. ZASTROW
ACOS, G-3	COL H. J. WOESSNER
ACOS, G-4	COL F. I. FENTON
ACOS, G-5	COL B. J. MATHESON

NINTH MARINE AMPHIBIOUS BRIGADE

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN M. P. RYAN
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL H. HANSEN, JR.
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL A. M. CUMMINGS
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL S. T. WATTS
ACOS, G-3	COL A. L. EMILS
ACOS, G-4	COL O. B. JOHNSON

TWENTY-SIXTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. J. PADLEY
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL H. C. REIFEL
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL A. A. MONTI
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. J. WILSON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL J. T. BEVERLY
1ST BN, 13TH MAR	LTCOL J. M. LANEY

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-15

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. KIMAK
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL D. TAKLA
VMA-121	LTCOL D. R. STIVER
VMP(AW)-232	LTCOL N. M. TRAPNELL

FIRST MARINE BRIGADE

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. H. STAPP
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL M. G. HALLIDAY
ACOS, G-1	MAJ D. W. BOWAN
ACOS, G-2	MAJ R. W. CHAPIN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL C. E. TUCKER
ACOS, G-4	MAJ B. R. WILKINSON
1ST BN, 27TH MARINES	LTCOL E. A. WILCOX
VMP(AW)-212	LTCOL C. M. WALLACE

SLF 7th FLEET

COMMANDER	COL R. A. BRENNERMAN
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FORCE TROOPS, FMF PACIFIC

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL N. M. PACE
ASSISTANT COMMANDER	LTCOL W. C. PATTON
CHIEF OF STAFF	NONE ASSIGNED
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL W. E. ADAMS
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL A. M. ROEBUCK
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL H. D. CARRUBBA
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL J. F. BARR

FIRST FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. E. GARNER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL F. W. VAUGHT

THIRD FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. E. WERTMAN
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL J. H. REEDER

***FIFTH MARINE DIVISION**

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN R. E. CUSHMAN
ADC	NONE ASSIGNED
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL G. S. BAZE
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL W. C. SHERMAN
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL R. C. MCCUTCHAN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL M. J. DUNBAR
ACOS, G-4	COL W. R. HELMER

TWENTY-SEVENTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL A. J. POILLON
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	
# 2ND BATTALION	
# 3RD BATTALION	

*** TWENTY-EIGHTH MARINES**

COMMANDING OFFICER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER
1ST BATTALION
2ND BATTALION
3RD BATTALION

THIRTEENTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	MAJ R. J. PHILLIPS
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	
2ND BATTALION	
# 3RD BATTALION	
4TH BATTALION	

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THIRD MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
AWC	BGEN J. P. COURSEY
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL H. G. DALTON
ACOS, G-1	COL W. B. HIGGINS
ACOS, G-2	COL V. D. OLSON
ACOS, G-3	COL J. E. JOHNSON
ACOS, G-4	COL A. W. CAMPBELL

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-33

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. L. LENGEL
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	COL E. A. WAILES
VMFA-122	MAJ J. I. HUDSON
VMP-334	MAJ J. W. DETROY

MARINE WING SERVICE GROUP-37

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. D. RICKABAUGH
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	COL G. O. ROSS
HMM-165	LTCOL W. ELDRIDGE
HMM-462	CAPT A. H. MAIER
HMM-463	MAJ W. R. BEELER
VMJ-3	LTCOL W. B. FLEMING
VMGR-352	LTCOL R. M. WILLIAMS

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHINA BAY		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
INFANTRY UNITS		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
9TH MARINES	COL D. BARRETT																				
HQCO	CAPT L.DERRYBERRY	194	3									194	3								
1STBN, 9THMAR	LTCOL R.E.JONES	876	51									876	51								
2DBN, 9THMAR	LTCOL J.J. HESS	986	54													986	54				
3DBN, 9THMAR	MAJ F.D.MACLEAN	946	59									946	59								
26TH MARINES	COL J.J.PADLEY																				
HQCO		202	10					202	10												
1STBN, 26THMAR	LTCOL A.A.MONTI	1225	79															1225	79		
2DBN, 26THMAR	LTCOL J.J.WILSON	1121	56									1121	56								
3DBN, 26THMAR	LTCOL J.T.BEVERLY	1271	51					1271	51												
27TH MARINES																					
HQCO		70	2	70	2																
1STBN, 27THMAR	LTCOL E.A.WILCOX	144	2			144	2														
# 2DBN, 27THMAR																					
# 3DBN, 27THMAR																					
28TH MARINES																					
HQCO																					
1STBN, 28THMAR																					
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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
ARTILLERY UNITS																					
HQ BTRY, 1ST FAG	1STLT W.G.EVENS	11						11													
11TH MARINES	COL G.E.NORRIS																				
HQ BTRY	CAPT J.E.HARRIS	170	7											170	7						
1STBN, 11THMAR	MAJ L.C.REECE	566	12									566	12								
2DBN, 11THMAR	MAJ I.L.CARVER	518	17											518	17						
3DBN, 11THMAR	LTCOL R.E.YOUNG	537	14											537	14						
4THBN, 11THMAR	LTCOL G.R.LAMB	404	11											404	11						
12TH MARINES	COL B.S. READ																				
HQ BTRY	CAPT D.N.HARMON	190	8									190	8								
1STBN, 12THMAR	LTCOL T.J.JOHNSTON	528	12									528	12								
2DBN, 12THMAR	LTCOL J.R.GALLMAN	537	12									452	10					85	2		
3DBN, 12THMAR	LTCOL C.KIRCHMAN	527	12													527	12				
4THBN, 12THMAR	LTCOL D.G.JONES	409	7									409	7								
13TH MARINES																					
* HQ BTRY		63	2					63	2												
1STBN, 13THMAR	LTCOL J.M.LANEY	795	16					520	12			135	2					140	2		
2DBN, 13THMAR		19		19																	
# 3DBN, 13THMAR																					
4THBN, 13THMAR		122	2					122	2												
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY	CAPT W.H.WANTLAND	108	2													108	2				
3D 155MM GUN BTRY	CAPT J.D.MCNAMEARA	137	2											137	2						
5TH 155MM GUN BTRY		125	2	125	2																
1ST 8" HOW BTRY	MAJ L.J.CAVALLLO	179	3									179	3								
3D 8" HOW BTRY	CAPT F.X.CHAMBERS	175	4											175	4						
5TH 8" HOW BTRY																					

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			USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
RECON UNITS																						
1ST RECON BN		LTCOL D.N.MCKEON	447	27											429	27	18					
3D RECON BN		MAJ G. WILDER	414	22									269	14			108	6			¢ 37	2
5TH RECON BN			109	2					72	2			37									
1ST FOR RECON BN		MAJ D.A.COLBY	156	6									33								¢123	6
3D FOR RECON BN		CAPT FLOYD	118	3					118	3												
ANTI-TANK UNITS																						
1ST AT BN		MAJ R.E. HARRIS	343	6									61		282	6						
3D AT BN		LTCOL E.R.LARSON	337	8									257	7			80	1				
5TH AT BN			124	2					80	2			22						22			
TANK UNITS																						
1ST TANK BN		MAJ J.W.CLAYBORNE	542	11									87	2	455	9						
3D TANK BN		LTCOL G.R.CORSON	505	10									398	9			107	1				
5TH TANK BN			169	3					110	3			28						31			
AMTRAC UNITS																						
1ST AMTRAC BN		MAJ W.W.DAMEWOOD	569	14									536	14			33					
3D AMTRAC BN		MAJ W.J. DINSE	662	12											662	12						
5TH AMTRAC BN			246	4					166	2			39	1					41	1		
# 1ST ARM AMPHIB CO			274	4	233	3			41	1												

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
ENGINEER UNITS																					
1ST ENGR BN	MAJ C.O. NEWTON	607	14									109	1	498	13						
3D ENGR BN	MAJ C.D. WOOD	573	15									466	13			107	2				
5TH ENGR BN		121	3					96	3			11				7					
7TH ENGR BN	LTCOL F.W.HARRIS	798	15									640	15			115				¢ 43	
9TH ENGR BN	LTCOL R.W.CRISPEN	901	16									125	2	776	14						
* 11TH ENGR BN		976	18	976	18																
* 13TH ENGR BN		22		22																	
1ST BRIDGE CO	CAPT G.P.WUERCH	139										133				6					
* 3D BRIDGE CO		178	2	178	2																
MT UNITS																					
1ST MT BN	LTCOL R.E.JOHNSON	252	7									67	1	185	6						
3D MT BN	MAJ P.F.ARMSTRONG	253	7									192	6			61	1				
5TH MT BN		105	1					44	1			30						31			
7TH MT BN	MAJ J.BATCHELOER	323	8											323	8						
9TH MT BN	MAJ D.R. TYPE	327	8									256	7			71	1				
* 11TH MT BN		102	7	102	7																
* 13TH MT BN		21	9	21	9																
COMM UNITS																					
1ST RADIO BN	MAJ R.M.STEWART	461	3			292	3					114		52		3					
5TH COMM BN	LTCOL D.K.LEESBERG	630	6									630	6								
7TH COMM BN	MAJ J.A.BYRD JR.	630	11									174		456	11						
* 9TH COMM BN		193	2					190	2									3			
1ST ANGLICO	LTCOL O.J.MOREL	298	8			152	2													#146	6

* OPCON MCB, CAMPEN

% OPCON FORTRPS, FMFPAC

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
SERVICE UNITS																					
1ST FSR	COL J.E.GARNER																				
H&S BN	LTCOL R.A.BJORSON	356	35	356	35																
SUPPLY BN	LTCOL R.A.BJORSON	237	7	237	7																
MAINT BN	MAJ J.A. SIMMONS	500		500																	
7TH SEP BK FL		213		213																	
3D FSR	COL S.D. LOW																				
H&S BN	LTCOL C.M. SEE	902	42					894	42					8							
SUPPLY BN	LTCOL W.A. CAGNE	1363	27					1363	27												
MAINT BN	LTCOL J.F.MINICLI	892						892													
5TH FSR (-)																					
5TH SERV BN		688	15	688	15																
LSG-26		971	32	40	1			822	22			50	9					59			
HQ, FLC, III MAF	COL G.AXTELL JR.																				
H&S CO, FLC		213										213									
1ST SERV BN	COL R.H.SHELLY	2410	22											2410	22						
3D SERV BN	COL R.R. WEIR	3711	36									3022	34			689	2				
PROVSERVBN, 9THMAF	MAJ M.J. WILLIS	88	1					59	1					29							
5TH NOP	LT A.N. HAFNER	53		33				20													
SERVCO, 1STMARBRIG	CAPT P.S.WEATHERS	90				90															
MP UNITS																					
1ST MP BN	LTCOL P.STAVRIDIS	816	23									816	23								
* 3D MP BN		51		51																	

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
SP UNITS																					
1ST SP BN	LTCOL E.H. JONES	441	23									87		354	23						
3D SP BN	MAJ T.W. JONES	345	23									198	22			98	1			49	
5TH SP BN		126	14					76	9									50	5		
ITT, IT & CIT UNITS																					
1ST ITT	CAPT R.D.DASCH	15				15															
3D ITT		13										13									
5TH ITT	CAPT R.J.OBRIEN	10		10																	
7TH ITT	CAPT D.E.EIRCH	10														10					
9TH ITT	CAPT G.E.GAUMONT	11												11							
1ST IT	CWO L.B.SHERIDAN	5												5							
* 3D IT	1STLT R.J.KAPSCH	6										6									
5TH IT																					
7TH IT																					
9TH IT																					
11TH IT																					
1ST CIT	CAPT W.A.BURTSON	14														14					
* 3D CIT	CAPT D.R.KNEPP	12										12									
5TH CIT	CAPT J.F.NARDO	10						10													
% 6TH CIT	CAPT W.R.BOWERS																				
7TH CIT		16									16										
* 9TH CIT		4		4																	
# 11TH CIT	2DLT GRIESON	5				5															
# 13TH CIT		2		2																	
# 15TH CIT		6		6																	

* ATTACHED TO HQBN, 3DMARDIV

% STRENGTH TOTALS FOR THESE UNITS ARE INCLUDED IN STRENGTH FOR H&HS-3, 3D MAW & HQBN, 1ST MARDIV

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SSCT UNITS																					
1ST SSCT		8										8									
2D SSCT	2DLT J.N.CORCORAN	7												7							
9TH SSCT		2		2																	
MEDICAL UNITS																					
1ST MED BN	CDR C.H.MITCHELL	114	226											114	226						
3D MED BN	CDR J.C.VINCENT	141	232									120	159			21	73				
5TH MED BN		23	52					16	49				2					7	1		
1ST HOSP CO	CDR F.F. ROBERTS	33	51											33	51						
1ST DENT CO	CAPT D.C. CONGLIS		70												70						
3D DENT CO	CAPT K.L. MORGAN		79						6				63				10				
5TH DENT CO	CDR F.RULIFFSON		34		23		11														
11TH DENT CO	CAPT C.E. KALLER		41										41								
13TH DENT CO	CAPT J.F. KING		31		31																
15TH DENT CO			10						10												
GROUND TOTALS	USMC	62,321	4,993	1,829	8,968	58	21,622	16,600	6,159	1,694	#	398									
	USN	2,937	174	71	399	2	988	877	322	90	14										
	TOTALS	65,258	5,167	1,900	9,367	60	22,610	17,477	6,481	1,784	#	412									

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MAG-13	COL E.A. HARPER																				
H&MS-13	LTCOL K. FIEGNER	410												410							
MABS-13	MAJ W.E. CASLIN	385	21											385	21						
VMA-211	MAJ H.J. AYERS	201	3							201	3										
VMFA-542	LTCOL D.L. MAY	293	4							293	4										
MAG-15	COL C. KIMAK																				
H&MS-15	LTCOL J. MCDANIEL	418								418											
MABS-15	LTCOL G.H. ALBERS	449	11							449	11										
NBC WPNS SEC-1																					
MACS-6	LTCOL F. DELANEY	210						210													
MATCU-60	MAJ W.C. SERVICE	56								56											
MATCU-66	CAPT V. FULLADOSA	56						56													
VMGR-152	LTCOL J. URELL	475	11					475	11												
HMM-163	LTCOL C.A. HOUSE	210						210													
VMA-121	LTCOL D.R. STIVER	215	2							215	2										
VMF(AW)-232	LTCOL N. TRAPNELL	196	3							196	3										
H&HS PUTEMA		226	58					226	58												
MAG-16	COL R.M. HUNT																				
H&MS-16	MAJ L. DARBYSHIDE	330	1									330	1								
MABS-16	LTCOL R. MCKITRICK	454	3									454	3								
MACTU-68	CAPT K. BERCHIOLLI	84														84					
VMO-2	LTCOL A.W. BARDEN	143	4									143	4								
HMM-161	LTCOL S.F. MARTIN	201	5													201	5				
HMM-164	LTCOL W.C. WATSON	219	1									219	1								
HMM-263	LTCOL J.L. GOEBEL	219	3									219	3								
HMM-265	LTCOL MENDENHALL	233	5									233	5								

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-36	COL A.J.ARMSTRONG																				
H&MS-36	LTCOL T.G.MOONEY	311												311							
MABS-36	LTCOL W.C.CARLSON	467	23											467	23						
VMO-6	MAJ W.J.GOODSELL	140	1											140	1						
HMM-361	MAJ F.D.TWEED	177	1											177	1						
HMM-362	MAJ M.D.ARMSTRONG	216	1											216	1						
HMM-363	LTCOL J.D.MCGOUGH	223	1															223	1		
HMM-364	LTCOL D.SOMMERVILLE	102	2											102	2						
MWSG-17	COL O.S.TOSDAL																				
H&MS-17	LTCOL J.J.LEGUE	410	13							160	3	250	10								
WERS-17	LTCOL L.P.HART	190										190									
MARSAT-1	MAJ D.D.PARRISH	17								17											
SU#1, H&HS-1	COL P.C.LONG	213						213													
H&HS, IWAKUNI	MAJ F.G.NEWCOMB	268								268											
3D MAW	MGEN C.J. QUILTER																				
AWC	BGEN J.P.COURSEY																				
MWHG-3	COL W.B.HIGGINS																				
H&HS-3	LTCOL W.D.HARRIS	989	7	989	7																
MASS-3	LTCOL J.E.DIXON	171	2	96																275	2
MACS-1	MAJ R.M.PROUDFOOT	255	2	255	2																
MATCU-65	1STLT R.J.PUSKAR	34		34																	
MACS-3	MAJ J.C.DIPON	285		285																	
MARTSAT-3	MAJ P.G.JANSSEN	48		48																	
FMF AUG, YUMA	LTCOL E.S.MURPHY	103		103																	
MACS-4	LTCOL J.P.FLYNN	153	2	153	2																
VMT-103	LTCOL R.A.DEASY	232		232																	
VMO-3		11		11																	
MASS-5	MAJ R.A.HUCKLE	120		120																	
5TH LAAM BN		15		15																	

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	
MHTG-30	COL R.R.RILEY																					
H&MS-30	MAJ G.P.WARREN	303		303																		
HMMT-301	LTCOL W.R.DUNCAN	404	1	404	1																	
HMMT-302																						
HMMT-310		291		291																		
MAG-33	COL D.L.LENGEL																					
H&MS-33	MAJ R.A.FULLER	504		504																		
MABS-33	MAJ H.J.BOND	452	2	452	2																	
VMFA-122	LTCOL D.R.STIVER	307	1	307	1																	
VMF-334	MAJ J.W.DETROY	194	1	194	1																	
VMCJ-3	MAJ O.E.DONOVAN	411	1	411	1																	
MMSG-37	COL D.D.RICKABAUGH																					
H&HS-37	LTCOL DEFENBAUGH	375		375																		
MABS-37	MAJ C.E.WILCOX	684	116	684	116																	
MAMS-37	MAJ A.H.MANHART	459		459																		
HMH-463	MAJ W.R.BEELER	129	1	129	1																	
HMM-165	LTCOL W.ELDRIDGE	274	4																	@274	4	
HMH-462	CAPT W.J.NEVINS	9		9																		
SU#1, MABS-37	MAJ C.M.HAYES	624		624																		
VMGR-352	LTCOL R.M.WILLIAMS	370	1	370	1																	
1ST MARBRIG AIR																						
VMF (AW)-212	LTCOL C.M.WALLACE	179				179																
MACS-2	MAJ J.R.DOPLER	213				213																
H&MS, 1ST MARBRIG	LTCOL L.F.BLASS	94				94																
MATCU-62	CAPT J.N.BACON	55				55																
AVIATION UNIT TOTALS		U S M C		23,934		8,129		613		1,390		2,373		5,812		4,707		338		223		349
		U S N		450		135				69		26		117		91		5		1		6
		TOTAL		24,384		8,264		613		1,459		2,399		5,929		4,798		343		224		355

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	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
TOTAL FMFPAC MARCOR PERSONNEL	85,863		12,730		2,442		10,358		2,431		27,434		21,307		6,497		1,917		747	
TOTAL FMFPAC NAVY PERSONNEL	3,375		297		71		468		28		1,105		968		327		91		20	
TOTAL FMFPAC PERSONNEL	89,238		13,027		2,513		10,826		2,459		28,539		22,275		6,824		2,008		767	

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<u>WEAPON</u>	<u>AUTH</u>	<u>EASTPAC</u>	<u>HAWAII</u>	<u>OKINAWA</u>	<u>DANANG</u>	<u>CHU LAI</u>	<u>PHU BAI</u>	<u>SLF</u>	<u>AFLOAT</u>	<u>OTHER</u>
106 RECOILESS RIFLE	176		8	16	56	48	32	8		8
81MM MORTAR	176		8	16	56	48	32	8		8
107MM HOWTAR	42				6	18	6	6		6
105MM HOWITZER	126			12	30	54	18	6		6
155MM HOWITZER (TOW)	24				12	6	6			
155MM HOWITZER (SP)	36				12	18	6			
155MM GUN (SP)	12					6	6			
8" HOWITZER (SP)	12				6	6				
90MM GUN TANK	117			10	41	34	22	5		5
FLAME TANK	38	17			10	11				
HAWK LAUNCHERS	37				37					
ONTOS	100			10	15	45	20	5		5
LVTP-5/1C	251			46	66	97	21	11		10
LVTH 6A1	6				6					

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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, SEVENTH FLEET

AS OF: 26 SEPTEMBER 1966

BLT 1/26 (TF 79.5)	STRENGTH				ARMS/EQUIPMENT	LOCATION
	USMC		USN			
CO SLF: COL R. A. BRENNERMAN	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL		
HMM-363 (LtCol J.D. MCGOUGH)	58	165		1	6 105MM HOWITZER	AT DANANG. SCHEDULED TO OFF-LOAD 1/26, AND LOAD 1/9
					5 90MM GUN TANKS	
BLT 1/26 (LtCol A.A. MONTI)					5 M50A1 ONTOS	SHIPPING
1st Bn. 26th Marines	46	1,179	7	72	8 81MM MORTARS	
Btry A. 1st Bn. 13th Marines	10	130		2	8 60MM MORTARS	LPH IWO JIMA LPD VANCOUVER LSD THOMASTON
Plat. Co A. 5th Engr Bn		7			8 106MM RR	
Plat. 3D FOR RECON					15 .50 CAL MG	SHIPPING
Plat. Co A. 5th SP Bn	1	49		5	5 .30 CAL MG	
Plat. Co A. 5th Med Bn		7	1		47 M60 MG	SHIPPING
Plat. Co A. 5th AT Bn		22			32 3.5 ROCKET LAUNCHERS	
Plat. Co A. 5th Tank Bn	1	30			8 FLAME THROWERS	LPH IWO JIMA LPD VANCOUVER LSD THOMASTON
Plat. Co A. 5th AmTrac Bn	1	40		1	6 107MM HOWTAR	
LSU #1, LSG-26	2	57			11 LVTP-5	SHIPPING
Det. HqCo. 26th Marines					27 M422 MIGHTY MITE	
Det. CommSptCo. 9th Comm Bn		3			1 M100 AMPHIB TRAILER	LPH IWO JIMA LPD VANCOUVER LSD THOMASTON
Det. Co A. 5th MT Bn	1	30			1 MRC-62 RADIO JEEP	
107 Mortar Btry, 2d Bn, 12thMar	3	82		2	30 M35 TRUCK, 2½ TON	SHIPPING
Plat. Co A. 5th Recon Bn					1 M54 TRUCK, 5 TON	
					5 M37 TRUCK, 3/4 TON	LPH IWO JIMA LPD VANCOUVER LSD THOMASTON
					5 M543 TRUCK, WRECKER	
					5 M38A1 TRUCK, ¼ TON	SHIPPING
					1 M51 DUMP TRUCK, 5 TON	
					33 M274 TRUCK, ½ TON	LPH IWO JIMA LPD VANCOUVER LSD THOMASTON
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UNCLASSIFIED**MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN****AS OF: 26 SEPTEMBER 1966**

	OFFICERS	ENLISTED	SUB TOTAL
EMBASSY GUARDS	1	67	68
ADVISORS	20	22	110
MACV STAFF (INCLUDES SOG, JRATA, AFRTV AND CONST DIR)	99	95	304
NAVAL ADVISORY GROUP	40	12	356
COMPANY "L", MARINE SUPPORT BATTALION (PHU BAI)	3	65	424
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO	12	134	570
III MAF	3,578	51,660	55,238
TOTAL USMC IN RVN	3,753	52,055	55,808
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF	311	2,089	2,400
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL IN I CORPS NOT ATTACHED/ORGANIC TO III MAF	505	13,762	14,267

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATION

DA NANG

UNCLASSIFIED MAF

USMC 27,434

USN 1,105

H&S COMPANY
SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPTCO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
3/20
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9
3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST AMTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

	USMC	USN
RVN	55,808	2,406
III MAF	55,238	2,400
DA NANG	(27,434)	(1,105)
CHU LAI	(21,307)	(968)
PHU BAI	(6,497)	(327)
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	154	
NAVADVGP	52	
CO L, MARSPTBN	68	
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO	146	6
OKINAWA	10,358	468
SLF	1,917	91
JAPAN	2,431	28
TOTALS	70,514	2,993

OKINAWA

USMC 10,358
USN 468

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/3
1/13 (-)

MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

CHU LAI

USMC 21,307

USN 968

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP)(-) (REIN)FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
4/11 (-) (REIN)
3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
DET 2/7
3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-362
HMM-364
VMO-6
MAG-13

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

HQ, SLF
BLT 1/26
HMM-363

USMC 1,917
USN 91

JAPAN

USMC 2,431
USN 28

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

DANANG
HQ, 30TH NCB
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9,
NMCB-10, NMCB-11
CHU LAI
NMCB-3, NMCB-40
PHU BAI
NMCB-7

NMCB 3,827
NavSA 7,321

1,340

690

TOTALS

5,857 7,321

PHU BAI

USMC 6,497

USN 327

4TH MARINES (REIN)

1/4
2/4
3/4

HMM-161
FLSU-2

2/9

3/12 (REIN)

1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 17OCT; ETA CHU LAI 24OCT
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
AT OKI
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN.
ETA RVN 28SEP

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AS OF: 26 SEP 1966

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USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

KIA & DOW

WIA

MIA

1,620	9,477	31
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NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

DEAD

INJURED

MISSING

230	520	1
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VC/NVA

KIA

WIA

POW

SUSPECTS

11,128	491	1,307	7,809
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NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 23 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE 2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

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CONFIRMED NVA/VC OB BY GVN TACTICAL ZONES

26 September 1966

NVA/VC MAIN FORCE AND LOCAL FORCE

Corps	Div Hq	Regt Hq	All Bn	Sep Co	Sep Plat	Strength	GUERRILLA	TOTAL
							STRENGTH	
I	(1) 2*	8*	48	41	-	27,430*	27,450	54,880
II	(2) 2**	10**	51**	55	31	36,010**	16,895	52,905
III	(3) 2#	12#	46#	30	27	26,199#	16,435	43,634
IV	(4) -	2	21	69	11	18,060	50,765	68,825
CMR	-	-	3	2	1	1,165	1,215	2,380
Total	6	32	169	197	70	109,864	112,760	222,624

POLITICAL CADRES/COMBAT SUPPORT

Total 56,978
279,602

- * Includes 2 NVA Div Hq, 7 NVA Regt Hq, 33 NVA Bn's 18,090
- ** Includes 2 NVA Div Hq, 9 NVA Regt Hq, 36 NVA Bn's 23,710
- # Includes 3 NVA Regt Hq, 9 NVA Bn's 4,500

Total NVA Personnel in RVN 46,300

- (1) 324B NVA Div (Quang Tri), 620th NVA Div (Quang Tin), 6th NVA Regt (Quang Tri), 90th NVA Regt (Quang Tri), 803d NVA Regt (Quang Tri), 812th NVA Regt (Quang Tri), 95B NVA Regt (Thua Thien), 3d NVA Regt (Quang Tin), 21st NVA Regt (Quang Tin), 1st VC Regt (Quang Ngai)
- (2) 610th NVA Div (Binh Dinh), 630th NVA Div (Pleiku), 12th NVA Regt (Binh Dinh), 22d NVA Regt (Binh Dinh), 33d NVA Regt (Pleiku), 66th NVA Regt (Pleiku), 32d NVA Regt (Pleiku), 18B NVA Regt (Phu Yen), 95th NVA Regt (Phu Yen), 24th NVA Regt (Kontum), 88th NVA Regt (Kontum), 2d VC Regt (Binh Dinh)
- (3) 5th VC Div (Phuoc Tuy), 9th VC Div (Binh Long), 141st NVA Regt (Phuoc Long), 250th NVA Regt (Phuoc Long), 101st NVA Regt (Phuoc Long), 271st VC Regt (Tay Ninh), 272d VC Regt (Tay Ninh), 273d VC Regt (Tay Ninh), 274th VC Regt (Long Khanh), 275th VC Regt (Phuoc Tuy), Dong Thap 2 VC Regt (Hau Nghia), 165A VC Regt (Hau Nghia), 70th VC Regt (Tay Ninh), U80th VC Arty Regt (Tay Ninh)
- (4) Dong Thap 1 VC Regt (Dinh Tuong), D2 VC Regt (Chuong Thien)

PROBABLE/POSSIBLE UNITS: Probable - 1 Division, Headquarters, 3 Battalions; Possible - 6 Battalions; Total Probable/Possible Personnel in RVN - 2,650

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UNCLASSIFIED MILITARY FORCES IN RVN

AS OF: 26 SEP 1966

COUNTRY/FORCES

STRENGTH

RVN (REGULAR)

ARMY	283,500
NAVY.....	16,500
AIR FORCE	14,000
MARINE CORPS.....	7,000

<u>TOTAL RVN (REGULAR)</u>	<u>321,000</u>
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REGIONAL FORCES.....	<u>TOTAL REGIONAL FORCES</u>	<u>143,500</u>
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POPULAR FORCES.....	<u>TOTAL POPULAR FORCES</u>	<u>140,000</u>
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<u>TOTAL NATIONAL MILITARY FORCES</u>	<u>604,500</u>
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UNITED STATES

ARMY.....	189,815
* NAVY.....	21,585
AIR FORCE	44,279
* MARINE CORPS	55,808
COAST GUARD	442

<u>TOTAL U. S. FORCES</u>	<u>311,929</u>
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FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES

REPUBLIC OF FOREA	1ST & 9TH ROK DIV; MAR BRIG; ENGRS; TRUCK CO; HOSPITAL UNIT.....	39,747
AUSTRALIA	BRIGADE (-); ADVISORS	4,378
NEW ZEALAND	ARTILLERY BTRY; SURGICAL TEAM.....	149
CHINA	PSY WARFARE	31
PHILIPPINES	PSY WARFARE; MEDICAL	199
THAILAND	ADVISORS	29
SPAIN		12

<u>TOTAL F W M A F</u>	<u>44,545</u>
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<u>TOTAL FORCES IN RVN</u>	<u>960,974</u>
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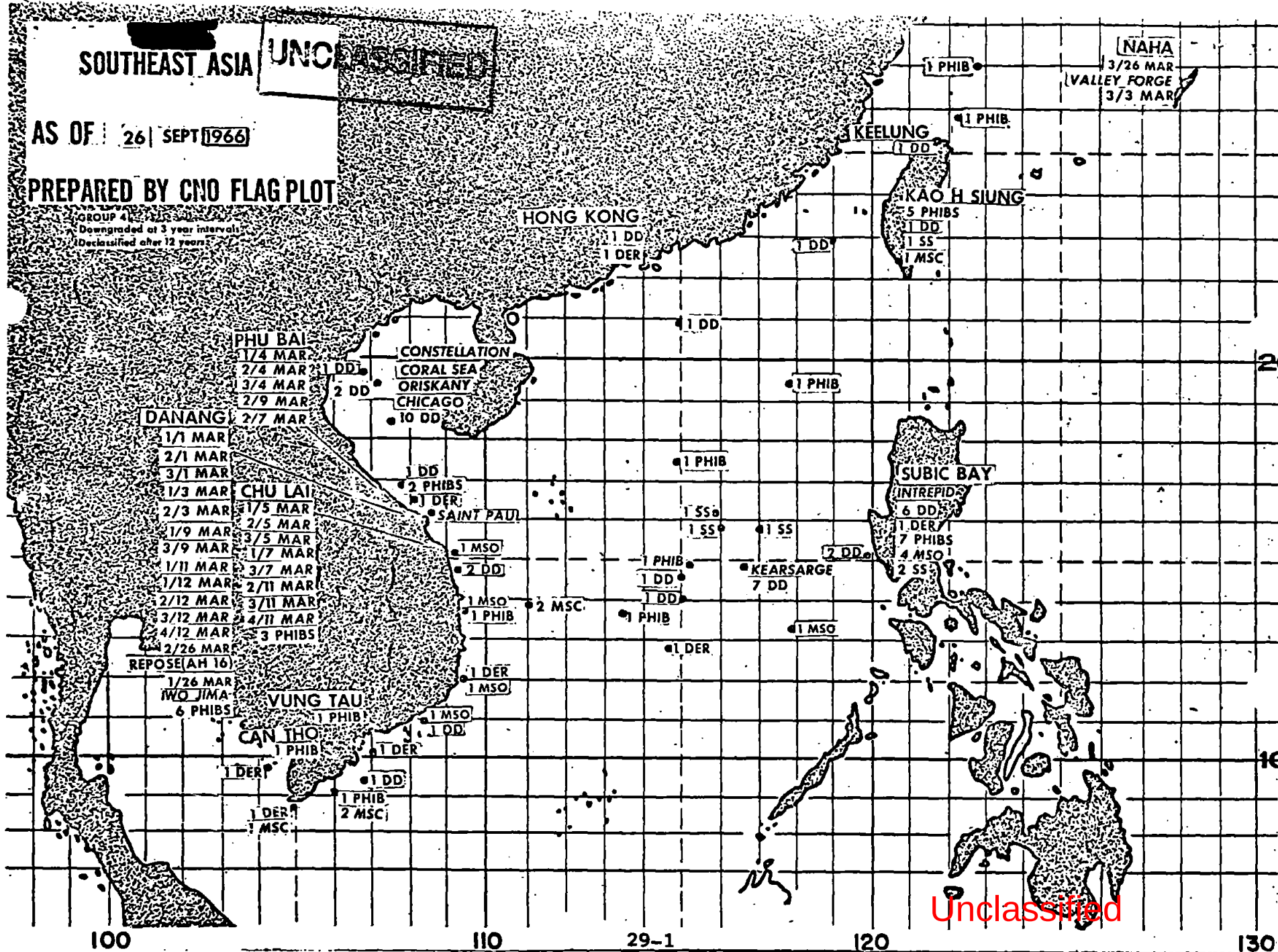
* NAVY PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF INCLUDED IN NAVY FIGURES.

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SASEBO

2 PHIBS

4 MSC

1 DD

IWAKUNI

1 PHIB

1 DD

ROOSEVELT

1 DD

YOKOSUKA

COMSEVENTHFLT

OKLAHOMA CITY

3 DD

3 PHIBS

3 SS

1 SS

SEE SOUTHEAST ASIA SHEET

1 PHIB

GUAM

2 DER

1 PHIB

SSBN

1 SS

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100

110

120

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CARIB READY FORCE 3-66

AS OF: 26 SEP 1966

CARIB READY FORCE 3-66 CTG 44.9 CO: LTCOL C.V. JUDGE	STRENGTH				ARMS/EQUIPMENT	LOCATION
	USMC		USN			ENR GTMO.
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL		
HMM-365 (MAJ K.W. ANDRUS)	49	173	1	3	35 M60 MG	
					17 3.5 RL	
					11 .30 CAL MG	
					8 81mm MORTAR	
					6 106mm RR	
					6 105 HOWITZER	
					5 M48AE (TANK)	
					5 M50A1 (ONTOS)	
					4 .50 CAL MG	
					2 FLAME THROWERS	
					2 M274 (MULE) W/106mm RR	
					28 M422 MIGHTY MITE	
					28 M274 MULE	
					11 LVTP-5	
					7 M38A1 TRUCK	
					3 M51 DUMP TRUCK	
					2 M37 CARGO TRUCK	
					2 M170 AMBULANCE	
					2 M422A1 TRUCK, 1/2 TON	
					1 M54 FUEL TRUCK	
					1 M54 CARGO TRUCK	
					17 M35 CARGO TRUCK	
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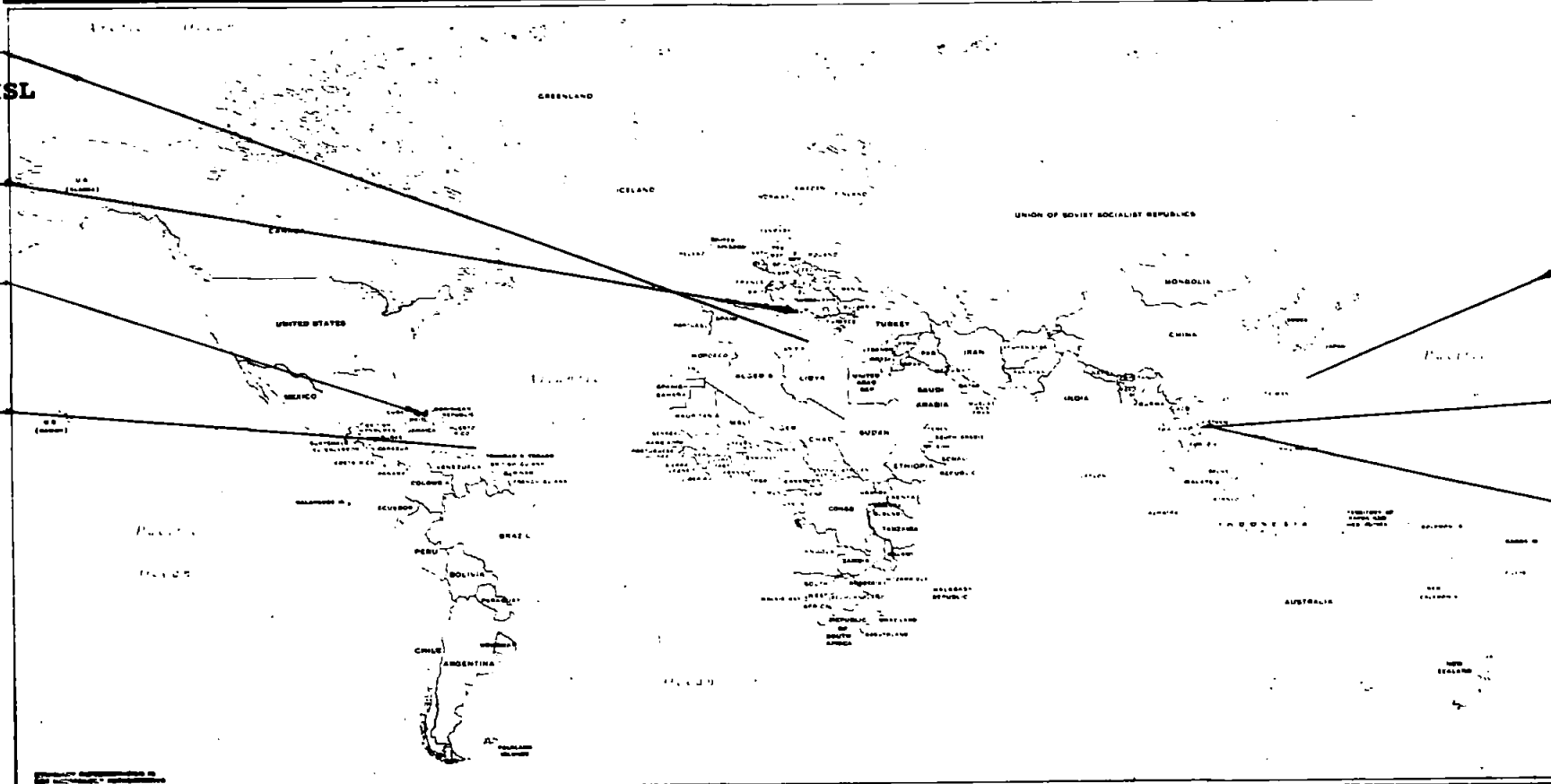
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VMA-324 (14/A4E)
ABD USS INDEPENDENCE
AT VALLETTA, MALTESE, ISL

ANFORMED 2-66
(BLT 2/6)
ENR TARANTO, ITALY
ETA 26SEP

GTMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN(-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

CARIB RDY FORCE 3-66
(BLT 3/2 & HMM-365)
AT ST. THOMAS



BLT 3/26 & HMM-165
BLT 3/26 AT OKI
HMM-165 ENR RVN
ETA 28SEP

III MAF
RVN

SLF (BLT 1/25 AND
HMM-363)
ASHORE RVN

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

AS OF: 24 SEPTEMBER 1966

	INFANTRY BATTALIONS	VMFA	VMF	VMF(AW)	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM/HMH	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	4		2	6		1	9	2	1
RVN	(18)	(3)		(1)	(4)		(1)	(7)	(2)	
AFLOAT	(1)							(1)		
OKINAWA/JAPAN	(2)	(1)		(1)	(2)			(1)		(1)
MIDPAC	1			1						
HAWAII	(1)			(1)						
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC		1	1				1	3		1
WEST COAST		(1)	(1)				(1)	(2)		(1)
AFLOAT								** (1)		
ATLANTIC	8	4		2	2	3	1	6	1	1
EAST COAST	(6)	(3)		(2)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(5)	(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)	(1)						(1)		
EUROPE	1				*1					
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)				*(1)					
GRAND TOTAL	31	9	1	5	9	3	3	17	3	3

*VMA-324 ABD USS INDEPENDENCE

** ENR RVN

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL, FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

AS OF: 24 SEPTEMBER 1966

UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		LANAN		CH. IAI		P. BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
SERVICE UNITS																					
1ST FSR	COL J.E.GARNER																				
H&S BN	LTCOL R.A.BJORSON	356	35	356	35																
SUPPLY BN	LTCOL R.A.BJORSON	237	7	237	7																
MAINT BN	MAJ J.A. SIMMONS	500		500																	
7TH SEP BK FL		10		10																	
3D FSR	COL S.D. LOW																				
H&S BN	LTCOL C.M. SEE	902	42					894	42					8							
SUPPLY BN	LTCOL W.A. CAGNE	1363	27					1363	27												
MAINT BN	LTCOL J.F.MINICLIER	892						892													
5TH FSR (-)																					
5TH SERV BN		688	15	688	15																
LSG-26		971	32	40	1			822	22			50	9					59			
HQ, FLC, III MAF	COL G.AXTELL JR.																				
H&S CO, FLC		213										213									
1ST SERV BN	COL R.H.SHELLY	2410	22											2410	22						
3D SERV BN	COL R.R. WEIR	3711	36									3022	34			689	2				
PROVSERVBN, 9TH MAB	MAJ M.J. WILLIS	88	1					59	1					29							
5TH NOP	LT A.N. HAFNER	53		33				20													
SERVCO, 1ST MAR BRIG	CAPT P.S.WEATHERS	90				90															
MP UNITS																					
1ST MP BN	LTCOL P.STAVRIDIS	816	23									816	23								
* 3D MP BN		51		51																	

* OPCON MCB, CAMPEN

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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, SEVENTH FLEET

AS OF: 24 SEPTEMBER 1966

	<u>STRENGTH</u>				<u>ARMS/EQUIPMENT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
	USMC		USN			Ashore RVN OPCON III MAF. PARTICIPATING IN OPN "PRAIRIE".
BLT 1/26 (TF 79.5)						
CO SLF: COL R. A. BRENNERMAN	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL		
HMM-363 (LtCol J.D. MCGOUGH)	58	165		1		
BLT 1/26 (LtCol A.A. MONTI)						
1st Bn. 26th Marines	46	1,179	7	72		
Btry A. 1st Bn. 13th Marines	10	130		2		
Plat. Co A. 5th Engr Bn		7				
Plat. 3D FOR RECON						
Plat. Co A. 5th SP Bn	1	49		5		
Plat. Co A. 5th Med Bn		7	1			
Plat. Co A. 5th AT Bn		22				
Plat. Co A. 5th Tank Bn	1	30				
Plat. Co A. 5th AmTrac Bn	1	40		1		
LSV #1. LSG-26	2	57				
Det. HqCo. 26th Marines						
Det. CommSptCo. 9th Comm Bn		3				
Det. Co A. 5th MT Bn	1	30				
107 Mortar Btry. 2d Bn. 12thMar	3	82		2		
Plat. Co A. 5th Recon Bn						
TOTAL	123	1,801	8	83		

SHIPPING

LPH IWO JIMA
LPD VANCOUVER
LSD THOMASTON

SUPPLIES

CLASS I 15 DAYS
CLASS II 30 DAYS
CLASS III 15 DAYS
CLASS IV 30 DAYS
CLASS V 15 DAYS

AIRCRAFT

22/UH-34D: 3HU1E

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STPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

DA NANG

UNCLASSIFIED
III MAFUSMC 27,434
USN 1,105H&S COMPANY
SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPCO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
2/26
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9
3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST AMTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
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FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

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JAPAN	2,431	28
TOTALS	68,525	2,879

OKINAWA

USMC 8,779
USN 327

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG.
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/3
1/13 (-)MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

CHU LAI

USMC 20,897
USN 968

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) (-) (REIN) FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
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3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
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3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-362
HMM-364
VMO-6
MAG-13

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
HQ, SLF		
BLT 1/26	1,917	91
HMM-363		

JAPAN

USMC 2,431
USN 28

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

	NMCB	NavSA
DANANG	3,827	7,321
HQ, 30TH NCB		
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9,		
NMCB-10, NMCB-11		
CHU LAI	1,340	
NMCB-3, NMCB-40		
PHU BAI	690	
NMCB-7		

TOTALS 5,857 7,321

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 17OCT; ETA CHU LAI 24OCT
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
AT OKI
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS- RVN.
ETA RVN 28SEP

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PHU BAI

USMC 6,497
USN 3274TH MARINES (REIN)
1/4
2/4
3/4
2/9
3/12 (REIN)
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12HMM-161
FLSU-2

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NUMBER OF CASUALTIES INCURRED BY U.S. MILITARY PERSONNEL
IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONFLICT IN VIET-NAM

Cumulative from January 1, 1961 through September 24, 1966

	Army	Navy **	Marine Corps	Air Force	Total
A. CASUALTIES RESULTING FROM ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
1. Killed	2,714	123	1,440	91	4,368
2. Wounded or Injured					
a. Died of wounds	280	17	189	8	494
b. Nonfatal wounds	18,540	760	9,578	699	29,577
3. Missing					
a. Died while missing	267	33	5	130	435
b. Returned to control	25	7	3	10	45
c. Current Missing	23	43	30	215	311
4. Captured or Interned					
a. Died while captured or interned	4	-	-	1	5
b. Returned to control	3	-	-	-	3
c. Current captured or interned	11	34	1	28	74
5. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	31	72	16	205	324
Helicopter	240	6	62	3	311
b. From ground action	2,994	95	1,556	22	4,667
TOTAL DEATHS <u>a/</u>	3,265*	173	1,634	230	5,302
B. CASUALTIES NOT THE RESULT OF ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
6. Current Missing	21	-	1	-	22
7. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	56	13	11	58	138
Helicopter	185	3	29	-	217
b. From other causes	462	49	190	67	768
TOTAL DEATHS	703	65	230	125	1,123

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

* Includes 128 Special Forces personnel.

** Navy figures include a small number of Coast Guard Casualties.

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Office of Secretary of Defense

September 28, 1966

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USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>KIA & DOW</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
1,620	9,477	31

NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>DEAD</u>	<u>INJURED</u>	<u>MISSING</u>
230	520	1

VC/NVA

<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>POW</u>	<u>SUSPECTS</u>
10,969	491	1,306	7,804

NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 23 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE:2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

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GENERAL OFFICERS AND COMMANDERS OF MAJOR UNITS AND MANEUVER BATTALIONS
AND DIVISION CHIEFS OF STAFF

■ Indicates new or changed data

U. S. ARMY, VIETNAM		
Dep CG, USARV	LTC Jean E. Engler	■ MG John Norton
Asst to Dep CG & CofS	■ BG Richard J. Seits	■ BG George S. Blanchard
Dep CofS, Plans & Ops	■ BG Frank D. Miller	■ BG W. A. Becker
Dep CofS, Pers & Admin	■ COL Earl F. Cole	■ COL Hubert E. Wolff
Provost Marshal	■ BG Harley L. Moore, Jr.	■ COL W. F. Brand
		■ COL J. R. Burton
CG, 1st Avn Bde	■ BG George P. Seneff, Jr.	
CG, USA Spt Comd, Qui Nhon	■ BG Charles R. Meyer	■ COL A. R. Hyle
CG, Hq Area Comd	■ BG Robert L. Ashworth	■ LTC William C. Louisell, Jr.
CG, USA Spt Comd, Wha Trang	Unknown	■ LTC John A. Hemphill
		■ LTC James T. Root
CG, 1st Log Comd	■ MG Charles W. Zifler	
DCG, 1st Log Comd	■ BG Shelton E. Lollis	■ COL Marvin Berenzweig
		■ LTC William B. Ray
CG, 18th Engr Bde	■ BG Robert R. Ploger	■ LTC Reginald T. Lombard
		Unknown
CG, 1st Sig Bde, USASCC	■ BG Robert D. Terry	
		■ COL C. D. Daniel
		■ LTC Edward M. Markham, III
		■ LTC T. W. Swett, Jr.
		■ LTC James C. Smith
HQ, FLD FORCE I, VIETNAM		
Commanding General	LTC Stanley R. Larsen	■ MG Frederick C. Weyand
Chief of Staff	■ COL Donnelly P. Bolton	■ BG George C. O'Connor
Arty Commander	■ COL Linton S. Bostwright	■ BG Edward H. deSessure
		■ BG Glenn D. Walker
		■ COL Thomas W. Melien
		■ COL D. B. Williams
		■ COL Herbert S. Love
HQ, FLD FORCE II, VIETNAM		
Commanding General	LTC Jonathan O. Seaman	
Chief of Staff	■ BG Richard T. Knowles	
Arty Commander	■ COL George R. Allin, Jr.	
1st Inf Div	■ MG William E. DePuy	
Asst Div Commander	■ BG James P. Hollingsworth	
Asst Div Commander	■ BG John R. Deane, Jr.	
Chief of Staff	■ COL Edward B. Kitchens, Jr.	
Div Arty Commander	■ COL L. M. Caruthers	
Spt Comd Commander	■ COL F. W. Grawling	
1st Brigade	■ COL Sidney B. Berry	
1st Bn, 16th Inf	■ LTC George M. Wallace	
1st Bn, 28th Inf	Unknown	
2d Bn, 28th Inf	■ LTC Elmer R. Pendleton	
2d Brigade	■ COL S. M. Marks	
2d Bn, 16th Inf	■ LTC William S. Hathaway	
1st Bn, 18th Inf	■ LTC Warner S. Goodwin, Jr.	
2d Bn, 18th Inf	■ LTC Lewis R. Bauman	
3d Brigade	■ LTC Samuel S. Walker	
1st Bn, 2d Inf	■ LTC Richard L. Prillaman	
2d Bn, 2d Inf	Unknown	
1st Bn, 26th Inf	Unknown	
1st Sqdn, 4th Cav	■ LTC Leonard L. Levane	
4th Inf Div	■ MG Arthur S. Collins, Jr.	
Asst Div Commander	■ BG David O. Byars	
2d Bde, 4th Inf Div	■ COL J. F. Miller	
1st Bn, 12th Inf	■ LTC James R. Lay	
1st Bn, 22d Inf	■ LTC Leonard A. Morley	
2d Bn, 8th Inf	■ LTC Kenneth E. Weber	
2d Bn, 34th Arm	■ LTC Raymond L. Stalley	
1st Cavalry Div (AM)		
Asst Div Commander		
Asst Div Commander		
Chief of Staff		
Div Arty Commander		
Spt Comd Commander		
1st Brigade (Abn)		
1st Bn, (Abn), 8th Cav		
2d Bn, (Abn), 8th Cav		
1st Bn, (Abn), 12th Cav		
2d Brigade		
1st Bn, 5th Cav		
2d Bn, 5th Cav		
2d Bn, 12th Cav		
3d Brigade		
1st Bn, 7th Cav		
2d Bn, 7th Cav		
5th Bn, 7th Cav		
1st Bn, 9th Cav		
25th Inf Div		
Hq 25th Inf Div		
Asst Div Commander		
Asst Div Commander		
Chief of Staff		
Div Arty Commander		
Spt Comd Commander		
1st Brigade		
2d Bn, 14th Inf		
4th Bn, 9th Inf		
4th Bn, 23d Inf		
2d Brigade		
1st Bn, 27th Inf		
1st Bn, 27th Inf		
1st Bn, 5th Inf		
3d Brigade		
1st Bn, 14th Inf		
1st Bn, 35th Inf		
2d Bn, 35th Inf		
3d Sqdn, 4th Cav		
1st Bn, 69th Arm		
173d Airborne Brigade		
Deputy Commander		
1st Bn, 503d Abn Inf		
2d Bn, 503d Abn Inf		
4th Bn, 503d Abn Inf		
1st Bde, 101st Abn Div		
Deputy Commander		
1st Bn, 327th Abn Inf		
2d Bn, 327th Abn Inf		
2d Bn, 502d Abn Inf		
196th Light Inf Bde		
Deputy Commander		
2d Bn, 1st Inf		
3d Bn, 21st Inf		
4th Bn, 31st Inf		
11th Arm Cav Regt		
1st Sqdn		
2d Sqdn		
3d Sqdn		

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UNIT
DIVISIONS:
<u>1st Inf Div</u> (Di An)
<u>1st Bde</u> (Phuoc Vinh)
1/16 Inf Bn
1/28 Inf Bn
2/28 Inf Bn
<u>2d Bde</u> (Bien Hoa)
2/16 Inf Bn
1/18 Inf Bn
2/18 Inf Bn
<u>3d Bde</u> (Lai Khe)
1/26 Inf Bn
1/2 Inf Bn
2/2 Inf Bn
1/4 Cav Sqdn 1/
1/5 FA Bn 105 T
8/6 FA Bn 155/8" T
1/7 FA Bn 105 T
2/33 FA Bn 105 T
1 Engr Bn
121 Sig Bn
173 Avn Co (AML) (Atchd)
1 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)
<u>1st Cav Div (AM)</u> (An Khe)
<u>1st Bde</u> (An Khe)
1/8 Cav Bn (Abn)
2/8 Cav Bn (Abn)
1/12 Cav Bn (Abn)
<u>2d Bde</u> (An Khe)
1/5 Cav Bn
2/5 Cav Bn
2/12 Cav Bn
<u>3d Bde</u> (An Khe)
1/7 Cav Bn
2/7 Cav Bn
3/7 Cav Bn
1/9 Air Cav Sqdn
2/19 FA Bn 105 T
2/20 FA Bn AER RKT 1/
1/21 FA Bn 105 T
1/77 FA Bn 105 T
82 Arty Btry (Avn) 1/
8th Engr Bn
13th Sig Bn
11 Avn Co GS
478 Avn Co (Hv Hel) (Atchd)
17 Avn Co (FMT) (Atchd)
227 Avn Bn (4 Avn Cos)
228 Avn Bn (3 Avn Cos)
229 Avn Bn (4 Avn Cos)
<u>25th Inf Div</u> (Cu Chi)
<u>1st Bde</u>
2/14 Inf Bn
4/9 Inf Bn
4/23 Inf Bn
<u>2d Bde</u> (Cu Chi)
1/5 Inf Bn (Mech)
1/27 Inf Bn
2/27 Inf Bn
3/13 Arty Bn
1/8 Arty Bn
7/11 Arty Bn
65 Engr Bn
125 Sig Bn
25 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)
3/4 Cav Sqdn 1/
<u>2d Bde</u> (Pleiku)
1/14 Inf Bn
1/35 Inf Bn
2/35 Inf Bn
2/9 Arty Bn
1/69 Arm Bn
<u>4th Inf Div</u> (-)
4 Engr Bn (-)
2/34 Arm Bn

UNIT
DIVISIONS (Contd)
<u>2d Bde</u> (Pleiku)
1/12 Inf Bn
1/22 Inf Bn
2/8 Inf Bn
4/42 Arty Bn 105 T
BRIGADES:
<u>173d Abn Bde</u> (Bien Hoa)
1/503 Abn Inf Bn
2/503 Abn Inf Bn
3/319 FA Bn 105 T
4/503 Abn Inf Bn
<u>1st Bde, 101st Abn Div</u> (Phan Rang)
1/327 Abn Inf Bn
2/327 Abn Inf Bn
2/502 Abn Inf Bn
2/320 FA Bn 105 T
<u>196th Lt Inf Bde</u> (Tay Ninh)
2/1 Inf Bn
3/21 Inf Bn
3/41 Inf Bn
3/82 FA Bn 105 T
<u>11th ARVN CAV REGT</u> (Bien Hoa)
SPECIAL FORCES GROUPS:
<u>5th SF Gp</u> (Nha Trang)
COMBAT SUPPORT UNITS:
<u>Field Artillery</u>
I Field Force Arty VN (Nha Trang)
1/30 FA Bn 155 T
2/17 FA Bn 105 T
3/18 FA Bn 8" SP
5/27 BA Bn 105 T
6/14 FA Bn 175 SP
II Field Force Arty VN (Bien Hoa)
2/13 FA Bn 105 T
2/32 FA Bn 175 SP
6/27 FA Bn 8" SP
2/35 FA Bn 155 SP
3/6 Arty Bn 105 SP
<u>Air Defense Artillery</u>
6/56 Arty (HAWK)
6/71 Arty (HAWK)
<u>Engineers</u>
18 Engr Bde (Tan Son Nhut)
35th Engr Gp (Const)(Cam Ranh)
62 Engr Bn Const
87 Engr Bn Const
864 Engr Bn Const
45th Engr Gp (Const)(Dong Ba Thin)
20 Engr Bn Cbt
39 Engr Bn Cbt
299 Engr Bn Cbt
577 Engr Bn Const
79th Engr Gp (Const)(Long Bien)
168 Engr Bn Cbt
588 Engr Bn Cbt
159th Engr Gp (Const)(Long Bien)
46 Engr Bn Const
169 Engr Bn Const
937th Engr Gp (Cbt) (Qui Nhon)
192 Engr Bn Cbt
70 Engr Bn Cbt
84 Engr Bn Const
<u>Signal</u>
1st Sig Bde (USASTRATCOM)(SE Asia)
(Tan Son Nhut)
2d Sig Gp USARV
39 Sig Bn
40 Sig Bn Const
69 Sig Bn
21 Sig Gp USARV
61 Sig Bn
73 Sig Bn
54 Sig Bn - I FFV
53 Sig Bn - II FFV

UNIT
<u>1st Avn Bde</u> 1/ 2/ (Tan Son Nhut)
<u>12th Avn Co</u> (Long Binh)
11th Avn Bn
116 Avn Co (AML)
128 Avn Co (AML)
162 Avn Co (AML)
178 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)
13th Avn Bn
336 Avn Co (AML)
114 Avn Co (AML)
121 Avn Co (AML)
134 Avn Co (FMT)
221 Avn Co (FMT)
175 Avn Co (AML)
143th Avn Bn
68 Avn Co (AML)
74 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
184 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
118 Avn Co (AML)
71 Avn Co (AML)
335 Avn Co (AML)
147 Avn Co (AML)
222d Avn Bn
54 Avn Co (FMT)
73 Avn Co (Surv)
Prov Avn Bn
57 Avn Co (FMT)
120 Avn Co (AML)
125 Avn Co (ATC)
334 Avn Co (AML)
Sep Company
61 Avn Co (FMT)
<u>17th Avn Co</u> (Nha Trang)
10th Avn Bn
281 Avn Co (AML)
48 Avn Co (AML)
117 Avn Co (AML)
129 Avn Co (AML)
1/4 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)
14th Avn Bn
92 Avn Co (FMT)
135 Avn Co (FMT)
161 Avn Co (AML)
174 Avn Co (AML)
282 Avn Co (AML)
52d Avn Bn
119 Avn Co (AML)
155 Avn Co (AML)
170 Avn Co (AML)
I Corps Avn Bn (Prov)
131 Avn Co (Surv)
220 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
223 Avn Bn
18 Avn Co (FMT)
219 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
183 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
Sep Company
I Corps Avn Co (Prov)
AIRCRAFT MAINT COMPANIES:
56 Trans Acft DS Co
79 Trans Acft DS Co
330 Trans Acft CS Co
335 Trans Acft DS Co
339 Trans Acft DS Co
540 Trans Acft CS Co
604 Trans Acft DS Co
605 Trans Acft DS Co
611 Trans Acft DS Co

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HQ, FMFLANT	LTGEN A. L. BOWSER	1,102	15	1,102	15												
H&S BN	LTCOL L. K. WIRTH	988	15	988	15												
HQ SQDN, FMFLANT	MAJ J. F. JONES	114		114													
FORCE TROOPS	BGEN F. R. BOUKER	9,942	178	9,543	173			117	2	92		81	1	91	1	18	
HQ CO	LTCOL DRAKE	454	8	454	8												
2D FSR	COL H. WALLACE	3,340	25	3,264	25			30		23				23			
H&S BN	LTCOL J. A. WACHTER																
SUP BN	LTCOL C. A. SALSER																
MAINT BN	LTCOL E. K. VICKERS																
2D FAG	LTCOL W.W.CROMPTON																
HQ BTRY	CAPT GRAY	158	3	158	3												
2D 155 GUN BTRY	MAJ ROWLANDS	241	1	241	1												
2D 8" HOW BTRY	CAPT THOMPSON	296	1	296	1												
2D TANK BN	LTCOL R. H. LEWIS	865	16	773	16			40		26				26			
2D AMTRAC BN	LTCOL R.R. MONTGOMERY	891	17	806	16					43				42	1		
2D FORCE RECON CO	COL J. E. GARNER	155	5	155	5												
8TH COMM BN	LTCOL E. B. HART	763	8	763	8												
2D RADIO BN	MAJ BEDWELL	384	2	384	2												
2D ANGLICO	LTCOL J. A. NILSON	284	11	237	9			47	2								
2D BRIDGE CO	CAPT R. A. CAPEK	176	2	176	2												
2D TOPO CO	2DLT OBUNTING	115	5	97	4											18	1
8TH MT BN	LTCOL C.A.ROSENFELD	420	4	420	4												
2D HOSPITAL CO	CMDR MACPHERSON (USN)	22	17	22	17												
2D SEP SURGICAL CO	LCMDR W. E. ROYALS (USN)	8	8	8	8												
4TH DENTAL CO	CAPT C. GARNER (USN)		34		34												
2D CI TEAM	CAPT W. R. GENTRY	11		11													
2D IT TEAM	CAPT F.J.LENNARTZ IV	11		11													
4TH IT TEAM	1STLT V MATAL JR.	8		8													
6TH IT TEAM	CAPT E.R.COLLINS JR.	19		19													
8TH ENGR BN	MAJ SCRUGGS	1,321	11	1,240	10							81	1				

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
2D MARINE DIVISION	MGEN O. R. SIMPSON	21097	672	17290	541			934	24	1533	51			1340	56		
HQBN	COL HARTE	1819	40	1779	40					21				19			
2D MARINES	COL W.R. BURGOYNE, JR.																
HQCO	CAPT FOWLER	294	6	294	6												
1ST BN	LTCOL J.A. MACDONALD	781	22					781	11								
2D BN	LTCOL F. W. TIEF	1037	46	1037	46												
3D BN	LTCOL C. V. JUDGE	1173	44							1173	44						
6TH MARINES	COL J. C. SHORT																
HQCO	CAPT G. B. SPERRY	240	14	240	14												
1ST BN	LTCOL D.M. EDWARDS	999	25	999	25												
2D BN	LTCOL O. WEILER	1299	56	337	20									962	36		
3D BN	LTCOL R.L. MICHAEL, JR.	1240	46	1240	46												
8TH MARINES	COL G.D. WEBSTER																
HQCO	CAPT D.L. ODOM	220	3	220	3												
1ST BN	LTCOL F.H. WALDROP	1425	28	1425	28												
2D BN	LTCOL C. G. COOPER	1456	19	1456	19												
3D BN	LTCOL R.L. NICHOLS	1142	22	1142	22												
10TH MARINES	COL C. E. WALKER																
HQ BTRY	2DLT D. R. RINGER	339	5	339	5												
1ST BN	MAJ R. C. HUGHES	791	9	791	9												
2D BN	LTCOL R. E. SANTEE	791	10	654	8									137	2		
3D BN	LTCOL D. E. HOWARD	778	8	641	6					137	2						
4TH BN	LTCOL S. B. MCCARTHY	631	10	478	8			153	2								
2D SERVICE BN	COL R. B. MCBROOM	1295	25	1215	25					37				43			
2D AT BN	MAJ LAINE	443	7	399	7					22				22			
2D MT BN	LTCOL R. W. TAYLOR	273	6	226	6					24				23			
2D RECON BN	LTCOL H. KISER	449	9	403	8					21				25	1		
2D ENGR BN	LTCOL VOMORDE	1224	10	1127	10					48				49			
2D SP BN	LTCOL E. J. MEGARR	789	13	688	11					50				51	2		
2D MEDICAL BN	LCDR N. E. WENGER (USN)	166	108	157	88						5			9	15		
2D DENTAL CO	LT(JG) D.A. DNALL (USN)	3	81	3	81												

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
2D MARINE AIR WING	MGEN N. J. ANDERSON	14561	254	13537	245	173	2			222	4					629	3
MWHG-2	LTCOL C.P. BLANKENSHIP																
H&HS-2	MAJ J. R. LAWS	802	27	802	27												
MASS-1	MAJ TAYLOR	158		158													
MACS-8	MAJ C. S. HUGHES	181		181													
3D LAAM BN	MAJ T. G. CSIK	786	7	786	7												
MWSG-27	COL G. C. KNAPP																
H&HS-27	MAJ J. A. TROUT	1175		1175													
MABS-27	MAJ A.M. ECHOLS III	679	14	679	14												
MAMS-27	MAJ H.A. BRUCE	179		179													
MARSAT-2	MAJ R. W. COONEY	52		52													
VMGR-252	LTCOL P.L. HITCHCOCK	283	6	283	6												
MAG-14	COL J. E. BONNER																
H&MS-14	MAJ L. H. ABRAMS	445		445													
MABS-14	MAJ M. T. HEFTY	300	19	300	19												
MATCU-61	CWO-4 J.A. LABRIE	31		31													
VMA(AW)-225	MAJ H.M. WALLACE	108	1	108	1												
VMA(AW)-242	LTCOL H. WOLF	295	5	295	5												
VMA(AW)-533	LTCOL W. P. BROWN	257	1	257	1												
MAG-24	COL R. L. LAMAR																
H&MS-24	LTCOL W.M. DWIGGINS	425		425													
MABS-24	MAJ TABER	247	19	247	19												
VMA-332	LTCOL J.D. JOHNSON	183	2	183	2												
VMFA-513	LTCOL R. E. CAREY	275	1	275	1												
VMFA-531	MAJ F.D. TOPLEY	268	1	268	1												

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UNIT	COMMANDER	STRENGTH		BASE		ROOS RDS		GTMO		CARIB 3-66		VIEQUES		MED 2-66		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-26	COL T.T. TULIPANE																
H&MS-26	MAJ D. DALRYMPLE	680		680													
MABS-26	MAJ W. W. WAMEL	770	35	770	35												
MATCU-64	CAPT G.N. ALLERTON	68		68													
HMM-162	MAJ D.M. WILSON	232		232													
HMM-261	MAJ R. H. NELSON	264		264													
HMM-262	LTCOL U.W. SHADRICK	268		268													
HMM-264	LTCOL H.F. MCCORMICK	188		188													
HMM-365	MAJ K. W. ANDRUS	222	4							222	4						
HMH-461	MAJ G.H. NORTFIELD	84		84													
VMO-1	LTCOL P.M. CROSSWALT	195		195													
MAG-31	COL J.C. VANCE																
H&MS-31	LTCOL COLE	405		405													
MABS-31	MAJ G.L. PENENGA	582	18	582	18												
MATCU-69	CAPT CORRERO	54		54													
* VMA-324	LTCOL T.G. ELDER	170	2													170	2
# VMA-331	LTCOL E.K. JACKS	173	2			173	2										
* VMF(AW)-451	LTCOL WESSEL	178														178	
MAG-32	COL L.H. STEMAN																
H&MS-32	MAJ J. V. PRICE	462		462													
MABS-32	MAJ D. Y. WESTLING	649	32	649	32												
MATCU-63	1STLT MEYER	46		46													
VMFA-251	LTCOL G. H. KELLER	273	1	273	1												
\$ VMFA-312	LTCOL P. A. LINDSAY	281	1													281	1
VMF(AW)-333	LTCOL R. L. PREIS	183	1	183	1												

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- * AT KEY WEST
 ** ABD USS INDEPENDENCE
 # AT ROOSEVELT ROADS (MEBLEX 1-66 7-30SEP66)

\$ AT MCAS YUMA (TRNG EXER 19SEP-4OCT66)

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL, FLEET MARINE FORCE, ATLANTIC

AS OF: 24 SEPTEMBER 1966

UNIT	COMMANDER	STRENGTH		BASE		ROOS RDS		GTMO		CARIB 3-66		VIEQUES		MED 2-66		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
VMT-1	MAJ J. E. WEBER	173		173													
VMCJ-2	LTCOL T.E. MURPHREE	421		421													
MACS-5	MAJ G. G. LONG	210		210													
MACS-9	MAJ BAKER	201		201													
12TH DENTAL CO	CAPT L. YOUNG (USN)		55		55												

TOTAL FMFLANT USMC PERSONNEL	46,702	41,472	173	1,051	1,847	81	1,431	647
TOTAL FMFLANT USN PERSONNEL	1,119	974	2	26	55	1	57	4
TOTAL FMFLANT PERSONNEL	47,821	42,446	175	1,077	1,902	82	1,488	651

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AIRCRAFT DISTRIBUTION, FMFLANT (Cond't)

AS OF: 24 SEPTEMBER 1966

UNIT	MCAS CHERRY PT	MCAS BEAUFORT	MACF NEW RIVER	ROOSEVELT ROADS	MEDITER- RANEAN	CARIBBEAN READY FORCE	OTHER
<u>MAG-26</u>			8/CH-37A 1/UH-34D 1/C-117D 1/C-47				
H&MS-26							
VMO-1			15/UH-1E			2/UH-1E	
HMM-162			23/UH-34D				
HMM-261			17/CH-46A				
HMM-262			33/CH-46A				
HMM-264			23/UH-34D				
HMM-365						24/UH-34D	
HMH-461							
<u>MAG-31</u>		3/T-1A					
H&MS-31		1/C-117					
VMA-324					14/A-4E		ABD USS INDEPENDENCE
VMA-331				22/A-4E			
VMF(AW)-451							12/F-8D KEY WEST
<u>MAG-32</u>		3/T-1A 1/C-117 1/C-47J					
H&MS-32							
VMFA-251		11/F4B					
VMFA-312							10/F4B MCAS YUMA
VMF(AW)-333		9/F-8E 6/F-8D					
HQS SQDN, FMFLANT							*1/C-131F; 2/UC-45J; 2/T1A; 1/C54J; 1/VC-54P

* BASED AT NORFOLK, VA

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND WEAPONS, FMFLANT 66

AS OF: 24 SEPTEMBER 1966

WEAPON	AUTH ALLOW	HOME BASE	GTMO	VIEQUES	CARIB RE	LANFORMED	OTHER
106MM RECOILESS RIFLE	72	48	8		8	8	
81MM MORTAR	72	48	8		8	8	
107MM HOWTAR	18	18					
105MM HOWITZER	54	38	4		6	6	
155MM HOWITZER (TOWED)	6		6				
155MM GUN (SP)	6	6					
155MM HOWITZER (SP)	18	18					
8" HOWITZER (SP)	6	6					
90MM GUN TANK	36	26			5	5	
120MM GUN TANK	17	12	5				
FLAME TANK	9	7	2				
HAWK LAUNCHER	18	18					
ONTOS	45	35			5	5	
LVTP-5	115	93			11	11	

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CARIB READY FORCE 3-66

AS OF: 24 SEP 1966

CARIB READY FORCE 3-66 CTG 44.9 CO: LTCOL C.V. JUDGE	STRENGTH				ARMS/EQUIPMENT	LOCATION
	USMC		USN			
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL		
HMM-365 (MAJ K.W. ANDRUS)	49	173	1	3	35 M60 MG	AT ST THOMAS, V.I.
BLT 3/2	48	1,578	6	65	17 3.5 RL	
3d Bn, 2d Mar (LTCOL JUDGE)	36	1,137	3	41	11 .30 CAL MG	<u>SHIPPING</u> LPH BOXER APD RUCHAMKIN AKA RANKIN LSD PLYMOUTH ROCK LST SUFFOLK COUNTY
Btry I, 3d Bn, 10th Mar	4	134	1	1	8 81mm MORTAR	
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	25			6 106mm RR	
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	47			6 105 HOWITZER	
Plat, Co A, 2d AMTrac Bn	1	42			5 M48AE (TANK)	
Plat, Co B, 2d Recon Bn	1	20		1	5 M50A1 (ONTOS)	
Plat, Co A, 2d AT Bn	1	21			4 .50 CAL MG	
Plat Co B, 2d MT Bn	1	23			2 FLAME THROWERS	
					2 M274 (MULE) W/106mm RR	
					28 M422 MIGHTY MITE	
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	49			28 M274 MULE	<u>SUPPLIES</u> CLASS I 25 DAYS CLASS II 15 DAYS CLASS III 40 DAYS CLASS IV 15 DAYS CLASS V 15 DAYS
Det, 2d FSR		23			11 LVTP-5	
Det, 2d Serv Bn		37			7 M38A1 TRUCK	
Det, 2d Med Bn				5	3 M51 DUMP TRUCK	
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	20			2 M37 CARGO TRUCK	
Det, 2d Dental					2 M170 AMBULANCE	
Det, HqCo, 2d Mar					2 M422A1 TRUCK, 1/2 TON	
Det, UDT-21			2	17	1 M54 FUEL TRUCK	
					1 M54 CARGO TRUCK	
					17 M35 CARGO TRUCK	
TOTAL	97	1,751	7	68	AIRCRAFT	
					24 UH-34D; 2 UH-1E	

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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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VMA-324 (14/A4E)
ABD INDEPENDENCE AT
VALLETTA

LANFORMED 2-66
BLT 2/6)

**T BOMBA, LIBYA FOR
PHIBLEX 2-67**

CARIB RDY FORCE
2-66 (BLT 3/6 AND
HMM-264)

ENR POSITION 50 MI
OFF MHNC. ETA 23SEP

GTMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN(-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

CARIB RDY FORCE
3-66 (BLT 3/2 AND
HMM-365)

AT ST. THOMAS

BLT 3/26 & HMM-165
BLT 3/26 ENR OKI
ETA 23SEP
HMM-165 ENR RVN
ETA 23SEP

III MAF
RVN

SLF (BLT 1/26 AND
HMM-363)
ASHORE RVN

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL, FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

AS OF: 23 SEPTEMBER 1966

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		KAWAII		CHU LAI		PFT BAI		SLF		OTHER			
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN		
MHTG-30	COL R.R.RILEY																						
H&MS-30	MAJ G.P.WARREN	303		303																			
HMMT-301	LTCOL W.R.DUNCAN	404	1	404	1																		
HMMT-302																							
HMMT-310		291		291																			
MAG-33	COL D.L.LENGEL																						
H&MS-33	MAJ R.A.FULLER	504		504																			
MABS-33	MAJ H.J.BOND	452	2	452	2																		
VMFA-122	LTCOL D.R.STIVER	307	1	307	1																		
VMF-334	MAJ J.W.DETROY	194	1	194	1																		
VMCJ-3	MAJ O.E.DONOVAN	411	1	411	1																		
MWSG-37	COL D.D.RICKABAUGH																						
H&HS-37	LTCOL DEFENBAUGH	375		375																			
MABS-37	MAJ C.E.WILCOX	684	116	684	116																		
MAMS-37	MAJ A.H.MANHART	459		459																			
HMH-463	MAJ W.R.BEELER	129	1	129	1																		
HMM-165	LTCOL W.ELDRIDGE	274	4																	@274	4		
HMH-462	CAPT W.J.NEVINS	9		9																			
SU#1, MABS-37	MAJ C.M.HAYES	624		624																			
VMGR-352	LTCOL R.M.WILLIAMS	370	1	370	1																		
1ST MARBRIG AIR																							
VMF(AW)-212	LTCOL C.M.WALLACE	179				179																	
MACS-2	MAJ J.R.DOPLER	213				213																	
H&MS, 1ST MARBRIG	LTCOL L.F.BLASS	94				94																	
MATCU-62	CAPT J.N.BACON	55				55																	
AVIATION UNIT TOTALS		U S M C		23,934		8,129		613		1,390		2,373		5,812		4,297		338		223		759	
		U S N		450		135				69		26		117		91		5		1		6	
		TOTAL		24,384		8,264		613		1,459		2,399		5,929		4,388		343		224		765	

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MAJOR NAVAL UNITS IN I CTZ

UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	
		USN	USN	USN	USN	
NAVSA, DANANG	CAPT WESCHLER (USN)	7,321	7,321			
HQ, 30TH NCB	CAPT ANDERSON (USN)	51	51			
NMCB-1	CMDR HARDY (USN)	753	753			
NMCB-3	CMDR FOLEY (USN)	729		729		
NMCB-6	CMDR TOMBARI (USN)	557	557			
NMCB-7	CMDR ACUFF (USN)	690			690	
NMCB-9	CMDR ANDERSON (USN)	906	906			
NMCB-10	CMDR WILLIAMS (USN)	794	794			
NMCB-11	CMDR BARRON (USN)	766	766			
NMCB-40	CMDR WALLS (USN)	611		611		
NAVY UNIT TOTALS		13,178	11,148	1,340	690	

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

AS OF: 23 SEPTEMBER 1966

	OFFICERS	ENLISTED	SUB TOTAL
EMBASSY GUARDS	1	67	68
ADVISORS	20	22	110
MACV STAFF (INCLUDES SOG, JRATA, AFRTV AND CONST DIR)	99	95	304
NAVAL ADVISORY GROUP	40	12	356
COMPANY "L", MARINE SUPPORT BATTALION (PHU BAI)	3	65	424
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO	12	134	570
III MAF	3,558	51,270	54,828
TOTAL USMC IN RVN	3,733	51,665	55,398
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF	311	2,089	2,400
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL IN I CORPS NOT ATTACHED/ORGANIC TO III MAF	505	13,762	14,267

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

DA NANG

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H&S COMPANY

SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)

USMC 27,434

USN 1,105

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPTCO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
2/26
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9

3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST AMTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

	USMC	USN
RVN	55,398	2,406
III MAF	54,828	2,400
DA NANG	(27,434)	(1,105)
CHU LAI	(20,897)	(968)
PHU BAI	(6,497)	(327)
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	194	
NAVADVGP	52	
CO L, MARSPBN	68	
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO	146	6
OKINAWA	8,779	354
SLF	1,917	91
JAPAN	2,431	28
TOTALS	68,525	2,879

OKINAWA

USMC 8,779 USN 327

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/3
1/13 (-)

MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

CHU LAI

USMC 20,897

USN 968

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) (-) (REIN) FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
4/11 (-) (REIN)
3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
DET 2/7
3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-362
HMM-364
VMO-6

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

HQ, SLF
BLT 1/26
HMM-363

USMC 1,917 USN 91

JAPAN

USMC 2,431 USN 28

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
MAG-13
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

NMCB 3,827 NavSA 7,321

DANANG
HQ, 30TH NCB
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9,
NMCB-10, NMCB-11
CHU LAI
NMCB-3, NMCB-40
PHU BAI
NMCB-7

TOTALS 5,357 7,321

PHU BAI

USMC 6,497

USN 327

4TH MARINES (REIN)
1/4
2/4
3/4

2/9
3/12 (REIN)
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12

HMM-161
FLSU-2

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 17OCT; ETA CHU LAI 24OCT
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
ETA OKI 23SEP
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN
ETA RVN 28SEP

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*DOES NOT INCLUDE NON-FMF UNITS OTHER THAN THOSE IN RVN; INCLUDES ONLY NAVY PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO FMF

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USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

KIA & DOW

WIA

MIA

1,613	9,454	31
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NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

DEAD

INJURED

MISSING

230	520	1
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VC/NVA *

KIA

WIA

POW

SUSPECTS

10,774	491	1,303	7,742
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NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 22 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE:2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

* CHANGES FROM PREVIOUS DAY TOTALS REFLECT RECONCILIATION WITH FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN VIETNAM FOR AUGUST 1966.

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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

AS OF: 22 SEPTEMBER 1966

VMA-324 (14/A4E)
ABD INDEPENDENCE AT
ISTANBUL, TURKEY

UNFORMED 2-66

BLT 2/6)

AT BOMBA, LIBYA FOR
PHIBLEX 2-67

CARIB RDY FORCE
2-66 (BLT 3/6 AND
HMM-264

ENR POSITION 50 MI
OFF MHNC. ETA 23SEP

CARIB RDY FORCE
3-66 (BLT 3/2 AND
HMM-365

AT ST. THOMAS

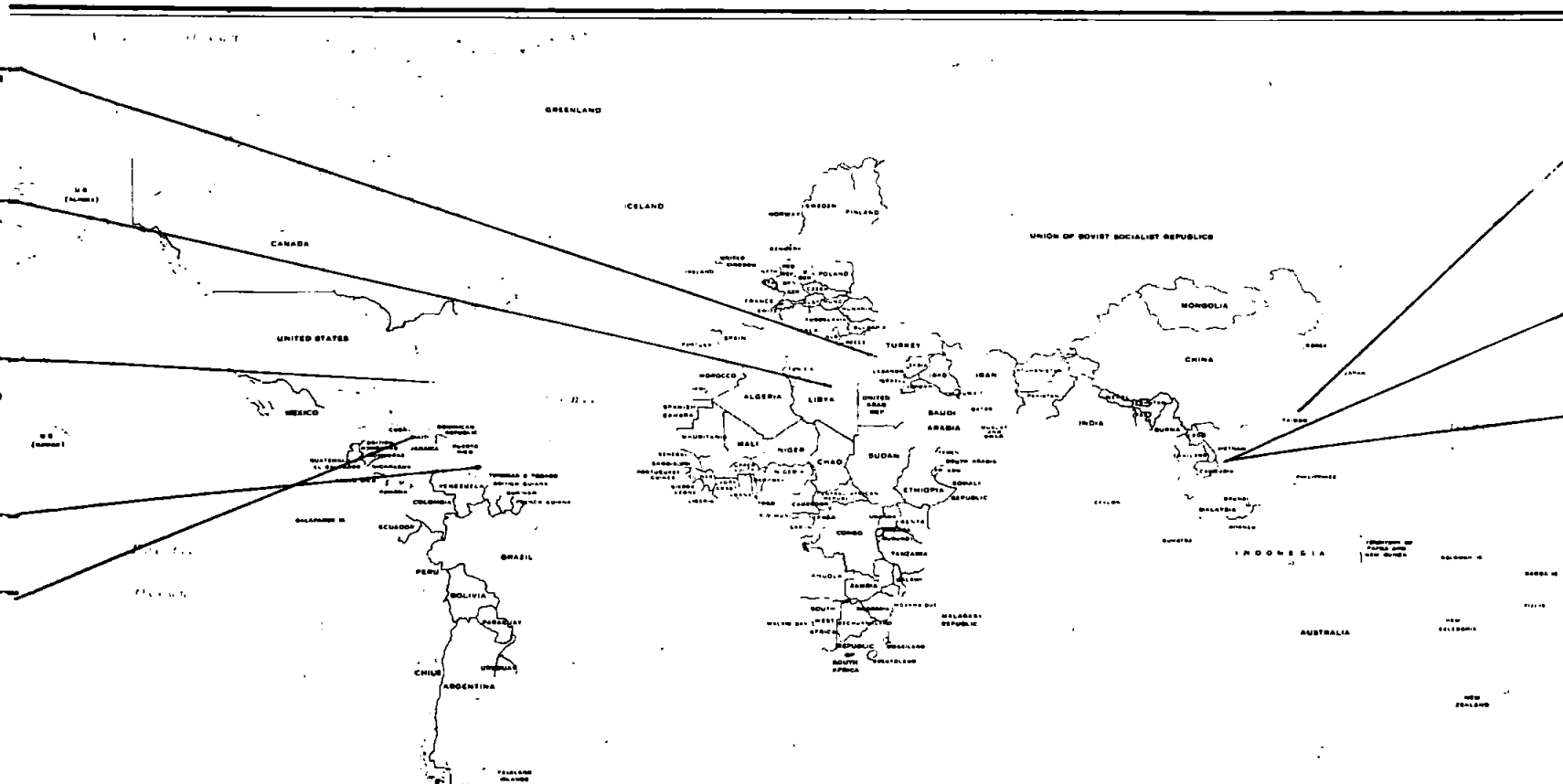
GTMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN(-), 2D MAR
RTY K, 4/10

AT, 2D TANK BN

BLT 3/26 & HMM-165
BLT 3/25 ENR OK
ETA 23SEP
HMM-165 ENR RVN
ETA 28SEP

III MAF
RVN

SLF (BLT 1/26 AND
HMM-363)
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DEPUTY COMMANDER
CHIEF OF STAFF
ACOS, G-1
ACOS, G-2
ACOS, G-3
ACOS, G-4
ACOS, G-5

LTGEN L. W. WALT
MGEN L. B. ROBERTSHAW
BGEN J. M. PLATT
COL J. L. MAHON
COL R. H. THOMPSON
COL J. R. CHAISSON
COL J. F. QUILTY
COL E. S. HOLMGRAIN

FIRST MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL
ADC
CHIEF OF STAFF
ACOS, G-1
ACOS, G-2
ACOS, G-3
ACOS, G-4
ACOS, G-5

MGEN L. J. FIELDS
BGEN W. A. STILES
COL G. H. WEST
COL C. C. CROSSFIELD, II
COL J. J. O'DONNELL
COL H. POGGEMEYER, Jr.
LCOL W. E. BOND
COL L. N. CASEY

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EXECUTIVE OFFICER
1ST BATTALION
2ND BATTALION
3RD BATTALION

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MAJ H. DONABEDIAN
LCOL V. D. BELL, Jr.
LCOL J. D. SPAULDING
LCOL E. A. WALKER

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EXECUTIVE OFFICER
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2ND BATTALION
3RD BATTALION

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LCOL E. J. BRONARS

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2ND BATTALION
3RD BATTALION

COL L. F. SNODDY
LCOL A. W. SNELL
MAJ W. T. WALL
LCOL J. J. ROTHOFF
MAJ R. J. O'LEARY

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EXECUTIVE OFFICER
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2ND BATTALION
3RD BATTALION
4TH BATTALION

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LCOL J. B. STRIBLING
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LCOL R. E. YOUNG
LCOL G. R. LAMB

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ACOS, G-3
ACOS, G-4
ACOS, G-5

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COL J. B. SWEENEY
COL J. P. LANIGAN
COL T. M. HORNE
COL W. F. DOEHLER
COL R. M. RICHARDS
COL E. R. MCCARTHY

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EXECUTIVE OFFICER
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2ND BATTALION
2ND BN, 26TH MARINES

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LTCOL L. C. SHEPPARD III
LCOL R. R. DICKEY
LCOL V. OHANESIAN
MAJ W. S. PULLAR JR.

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COMMANDING OFFICER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER
1ST BATTALION
2ND BATTALION
3RD BATTALION

COL A. D. CEREGHINO
LCOL M. S. CAMPBELL
LCOL J. WESTERMAN
LCOL A. E. BENCH
LCOL W. J. MASTERPOOL

NINTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER
1ST BATTALION
2ND BATTALION
3RD BATTALION

COL D. BARRETT
LCOL A. A. NELSON
LCOL R. E. JONES
LCOL J. J. HESS
MAJ F. D. MACLEAN

TWELVTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER
1ST BATTALION
2ND BATTALION
3RD BATTALION
4TH BATTALION

COL B. S. READ
LCOL J. W. LUTHER
LCOL F. J. JOHNSTON
LCOL J. R. GALLMAN
LCOL C. S. KIRCHMAN
LCOL D. G. JONES

FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL
AWC
CHIEF OF STAFF
ACOS, G-1
ACOS, G-2
ACOS, G-3
ACOS, G-4
ACOS, G-5

MGEN L. B. ROBERTSHAW
BGEN H. M. ELWOOD
COL E. J. DOYLE
COL D. H. JOHNSON
COL G. M. DODENHOFF
COL A. A. LUND
COL H. H. LONG
LCOL E. J. BERGER

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-11

COMMANDING OFFICER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER
VMFA-115
VMF(AW)-235
VMFA-314
VMFA-323

COL F. C. THOMAS
LCOL G. M. CLOUD
MAJ L. R. VANDEUSEN
MAJ D. A. MICKLE
LCOL D. E. BJORKLUND
LCOL A. W. TALBERT, Jr.

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-12

COMMANDING OFFICER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311

COL J. W. HUBBARD
LCOL T. E. MULVIHILL
LCOL R. D. WALLACE
LCOL R. B. SINCLAIR
LCOL J. BROWNE
LCOL P. G. MCMAHON

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-13 **

COMMANDING OFFICER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER
VMA-211
VMFA-542

COL E. A. HARPER
LCOL J. J. MURPHY
MAJ H. J. AYERS
MAJ P. S. FRAPPOLLO

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-16

COMMANDING OFFICER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER
HMM-161
HMM-263
HMM-164
HMM-265
VMO-2

COL R. M. HUNT
LCOL R. L. SIMMONS
LCOL S. F. MARTIN
LCOL J. L. GOEBEL
LCOL W. C. WATSON
LCOL H. E. MENDENHALL
LCOL A. W. BARDEN

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-36

COMMANDING OFFICER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER
HMM-361
HMM-362
HMM-364
VMO-6

COL A. J. ARMSTRONG
LCOL A. W. COSTELLO
LCOL F. D. TWEED
MAJ M. D. ARMSTRONG
LCOL D. A. SOMERVILLE
MAJ W. R. MALLONEY

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

COMMANDING OFFICER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER

COL G. C. AXTELL
COL W. H. COWPER

FLSG-A/1ST SERVICE BN
FLSG-B/3RD SERVICE BN

COL R. R. WEIR
COL R. H. SHELLY

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FLEET MARINE FORCE ATLANTIC**UNCLASSIFIED**

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN A. L. BOWSER
DEPUTY	MGEN G. S. BOWMAN, JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL C. J. BAILEY JR.
ACOS, G-1	COL R. F. FLAHERTY
ACOS, G-2	COL A. ARSENAULT
ACOS, G-3	COL J. B. MAAS JR.
ACOS, G-4	COL A. L. JONES

SECOND MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN O. R. SIMPSON
ADC	BGEN E. B. WHEELER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. N. MCLAUGHLIN
ACOS, G-1	COL C. D. MIZE
ACOS, G-2	COL R. E. BRANT
ACOS, G-3	COL R. B. SMITH
ACOS, G-4	COL M. T. MATHEWS

SECOND MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. R. BURGOWNE
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL R. W. YERKES
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. MACDONALD
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL F. W. TIEF
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL J. V. JUDGE

SIXTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. C. SHORT
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL A. L. MICHAUX
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL P. M. EDWARDS
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL P. WEILER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. MICHAEL

EIGHTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL G. D. WEBSTER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	COL P. F. PEDERSEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL F. H. WALDROP
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL C. G. COOPER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. NICHOLS

TENTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. E. WALKER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL J. C. PEABODY
1ST BATTALION	MAJ R. C. V. HUGHES
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. E. SANTEE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL D. E. HOWARD
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL F. D. MCCARTHY

SECOND MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN N. J. ANDERSON
AWC	NONE ASSIGNED
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL V. J. GOTTSCHALK
ACOS, G-1	COL E. H. FINLAYSON
ACOS, G-2	COL R. F. WARREN
ACOS, G-3	COL J. D. NOBLE
ACOS, G-4	COL G. J. COLLINS

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-14

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. E. BONNER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL A. E. MCCALES
VMA(AW)-225	MAJ H. M. WALLACE
VMA(AW)-242	LTCOL H. WOLF
VMA(AW)-533	LTCOL W. P. BROWN

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-24

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. L. LAMAR
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	COL L. R. JILLISKY
VMFA-513	LTCOL R. E. CAREY
VMFA-531	MAJ F. D. TOPLEY
VMA-332	LTCOL J. J. WALSH

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-26

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL T. T. TULIPANE
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL J. T. BRUCE
HMM-162	MAJ D. M. WILSON
HMM-261	MAJ R. H. NELSON
HMM-262	LTCOL U. W. SHADRICK
HMM-264	LTCOL H. F. MCCORMICK
HMM-365	MAJ K. W. ANDRUS
HMM-461	MAJ C. NORTHFIELD
VMO-1	LTCOL P. M. CROSSWAIT

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-31

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. C. VANCE JR.
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL E. I. MELIN
VMA-331	LTCOL E. K. JACKS
VMA-324	LTCOL T. G. ELDER
VMF(AW)-451	LTCOL O. W. WESSEL

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-32

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL L. H. STEMAN
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL E. B. CREW
VMFA-251	LTCOL C. N. KELLER
VMFA-312	LTCOL H. V. LUNDIN
VMF(AW)-333	LTCOL R. L. PREIS
VMCJ-2	LTCOL T. E. MURPHREE

FORCE TROOPS, FMF, ATLANTIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN F. R. BOUKER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL B. W. MCLEAN
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL R. W. GIDDENS
ACOS, G-2	MAJ J. D. BOLINE
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL W. W. CROMPTON
ACOS, G-4	MAJ T. A. TOWNSEND

SECOND FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. WALLACE
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL E. K. VICKERS

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHC LAM		PHU BAI		SIP		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HQ UNITS																					
HQ, FMFPAC	LTGEN V.H.KRULAK																				
Deputy	MGEN A.R.KIER																				
H&SBN, FMFPAC	COL C.S.ROBICHAUD	932	44			932	44														
HQ, FMFPAC (FWD)	BGEN R.VANSTOCKUM	541	74					493	72	42	2	6									
HQ, 9TH MAB	BGEN M.P.RYAN																				
HQCO, 9TH MAB	MAJ J.H.WEBB	324	15					324	15												
HQ, 1STMARBRIG	COL D.H.STAPP																				
HQCO, 1STMARBRIG	CAPT W.R.BARNARD	199	9			199	9														
HQ, FORTPS, FMFPAC	COL N.M. PACE																				
HQCO, FORTPS	MAJ K.W.TOWNSEND	844	13	844	13																
HQ, III MAF	LTGEN L.W. WALT																				
Deputy	MGEN L.ROBERTSHAW																				
Chief of Staff	BGEN J.M. PLATT																				
HQCO, III MAF		487	19									487	19								
1STMARDIV	MGEN L.J. FIELDS																				
ADC	BGEN W.A. STILES																				
HQBN, 1STMARDIV	COL W.A.LEITNER	1296	27											1296	27						
3DMARDIV	MGEN W.B. KYLE																				
ADC	BGEN L.E.ENGLISH																				
HQBN, 3DMARDIV	COL R.M.JENKINS	1264	37									1198	37	3		63					
5THMARDIV	MGEN R.E.CUSHMAN																				
ADC																					
HQBN, 5THMARDIV		261	6	261	6																

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		KORAE		CHINA		F. B. I.		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
INFANTRY UNITS																					
1ST MARINES		COL D.L.MALLORY																			
HQCO		CAPT J.E.LOCKE		204	4							204	4								
1STBN, 1STMAR		LTCOL V.D. BELL		879	50							879	50								
2DBN, 1STMAR		LTCOL J.D.SPAULDING		876	42							876	42								
3DBN, 1STMAR		LTCOL E.A.WALKER		906	51							906	51								
3D MARINES		COL E.E.HAMMERBECK																			
HQCO		CAPT C.E.TAYLOR		239	6							239	6								
1STBN, 3DMAR		LTCOL R.R.DICKEY		1060	55							1060	55								
2DBN, 3DMAR		LTCOL V.OHANESIAN		912	50							912	50								
3DBN, 3DMAR		LTCOL E.R.DELONG		893	50				893	50											
4TH MARINES		COL A.D.GEREGHINO																			
HQCO		CAPT R.FUETTERER		334	7											334	7				
1STBN, 4THMAR		LTCOL J.WESTERMAN		878	52											878	52				
2DBN, 4THMAR		LTCOL A.E.BENCH		848	52											848	52				
3DBN, 4THMAR		LTCOL W.J.MASTERFOOL		867	45											867	45				
5TH MARINES		COL C.F.WIDDECKE																			
HQCO		CAPT G.K.YOUNG		204	4									204	4						
1STBN, 5THMAR		LTCOL H.L.COFFMAN		993	45									993	45						
2DBN, 5THMAR		MAJ L.E.WOOD		912	44									912	44						
3DBN, 5THMAR		LTCOL E.J.BRONARS		1026	53									1026	53						
7TH MARINES		COL L.F.SNODDY																			
HQCO		1STLT B.T.ANGELINI		234	5									234	5						
1STBN, 7THMAR		MAJ W.T.WALL		964	47									964	47						
2DBN, 7THMAR		LTCOL J.J.ROOTHOFF		978	50									978	50						
3DBN, 7THMAR		MAJ R.J.O'LEARY		960	49									960	49						

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EAST PAC		HAWAII		KINAWA		JAPAN		SLF		ENR		
INFANTRY UNITS		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	
9TH MARINES	COL D. BARRETT															
HQCO	CAPT L.DERRYBERRY	194	3							194	3					
1STBN, 9THMAR	LTCOL R.E.JONES	876	51							876	51					
2DBN, 9THMAR	LTCOL J.J. HESS	986	54									986	54			
3DBN, 9THMAR	MAJ F.D.MACLEAN	946	59							946	59					
26TH MARINES	COL J.J.PADLEY															
HQCO		202	10					202	10							
1STBN, 26THMAR	LTCOL A.A.MONTI	1225	79										1225	79		
2DBN, 26THMAR	LTCOL J.J.WILSON	1121	56							1121	56					
3DBN, 26THMAR	LTCOL J.T.BEVERLY	1271	51											1271	51	
27TH MARINES																
HQCO		70	2	70	2											
1STBN, 27THMAR	LTCOL E.A.WILCOX	144	2			144	2									
# 2DBN, 27THMAR																
# 3DBN, 27THMAR																
# 28TH MARINES																
HQCO																
1STBN, 28THMAR																
2DBN, 28THMAR																
3DBN, 28THMAR																

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AS OF: 22 SEPTEMBER 1966																					
UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		MANAMA		THU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
ARTILLERY UNITS																					
HQ BTRY, 1ST FAG	1STLT W.G.EVENS	11						11													
11TH MARINES																					
HQ BTRY	CAPT J.E.HARRIS	170	7											170	7						
1STBN, 11THMAR	MAJ L.C.REECE	566	12									566	12								
2DBN, 11THMAR	MAJ I.L.CARVER	518	17											518	17						
3DBN, 11THMAR	LTCOL R.E.YOUNG	537	14											537	14						
4THBN, 11THMAR	LTCOL G.R.LAMB	404	11											404	11						
12TH MARINES																					
HQ BTRY	CAPT D.N.HARMON	190	8									190	8								
1STBN, 12THMAR	LTCOL T.J.JOHNSTON	528	12									528	12								
2DBN, 12THMAR	LTCOL J.R.GALLMAN	537	12									452	10					85	2		
3DBN, 12THMAR	LTCOL C.KIRCHMAN	527	12													527	12				
4THBN, 12THMAR	LTCOL D.G.JONES	409	7									409	7								
13TH MARINES																					
HQ BTRY		63	2					43	2											\$ 20	
1STBN, 13THMAR	LTCOL J.M.LANEY	795	16					223	4			135	2					140	2	\$297	8
2DBN, 13THMAR		19		19																	
3DBN, 13THMAR																					
4THBN, 13THMAR		122	2					122	2												
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY	CAPT W.H.WANTLAND	108	2													108	2				
3D 155MM GUN BTRY	CAPT J.D.MCNAMARA	137	2											137	2						
5TH 155MM GUN BTRY		45	1	45	1																
1ST 8" HOW BTRY	MAJ L.J.CAVALLO	179	3									179	3								
3D 8" HOW BTRY	CAPT F.X.CHAMBERS	175	4											175	4						
5TH 8" HOW BTRY																					

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		KOREA		VIETNAM		CHINA		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
RECON UNITS																					
1ST RECON BN	LTCOL D.N.MCKEON	447	27											429	27	18					
3D RECON BN	MAJ G. WILDER	414	22									269	14			108	6			¢ 37	2
5TH RECON BN		109	2					22				37								\$ 50	2
1ST FOR RECON BN	MAJ D.A.COLBY	156	6									33								¢123	6
3D FOR RECON BN	CAPT FLOYD	118	3					83	1											\$ 35	2
ANTI-TANK UNITS																					
1ST AT BN	MAJ R.E. HARRIS	343	6									61		282	6						
3D AT BN	LTCOL E.R.LARSON	337	8									257	7			80	1				
5TH AT BN		124	2					42	1			22						22		\$ 38	1
TANK UNITS																					
1ST TANK BN	MAJ J.W.CLAYBORNE	542	11									87	2	455	9						
3D TANK BN	LTCOL G.R.CORSON	505	10									398	9			107	1				
5TH TANK BN		169	3					76	3			28						31		\$ 34	
AMTRAC UNITS																					
1ST AMTRAC BN	MAJ W.W.DAMEWOOD	569	14									536	14			33					
3D AMTRAC BN	MAJ W.J. DINSE	662	12											662	12						
5TH AMTRAC BN		246	4					119	1			39	1					41	1	\$ 47	1
# 1ST ARM AMPHIB CO		274	4	233	3			41	1												

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		PHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
ENGINEER UNITS																					
1ST ENGR BN	MAJ C.O. NEWTON	607	14									109	1	498	13						
3D ENGR BN	MAJ C.D. WOOD	573	15									466	13			107	2				
5TH ENGR BN		121	3					51	3			11				7				\$ 45	
7TH ENGR BN	LTCOL F.W.HARRIS	798	15									640	15			115				¢ 43	
9TH ENGR BN	LTCOL R.W.CRISPEN	901	16									125	2	776	14						
11TH ENGR BN		882	11	882	11																
* 13TH ENGR BN		22		22																	
1ST BRIDGE CO	CAPT G.P.WUERCH	139										133				6					
% 3D BRIDGE CO		178	2	178	2																
MT UNITS																					
1ST MT BN	LTCOL R.E.JOHNSON	252	7									67	1	185	6						
3D MT BN	MAJ P.F.ARMSTRONG	253	7									192	6			61	1				
5TH MT BN		105	1					11	1			30						31		\$ 33	
7TH MT BN	MAJ J.BATCHELOER	323	8											323	8						
9TH MT BN	MAJ D.R. TYPE	327	8									256	7			71	1				
* 11TH MT BN		91	3	91	3																
* 13TH MT BN		21	9	21	9																
COMM UNITS																					
1ST RADIO BN	MAJ R.M.STEWART	461	3			292	3					114		52		3					
5TH COMM BN	LTCOL D.K.LEESBERG	630	6									630	6								
7TH COMM BN	MAJ J.A.BYRD JR.	630	11									174		456	11						
@ 9TH COMM BN		193	2					190	2									3			
1ST ANGLICO	LTCOL O.J.MOREL	298	8			152	2													#146	6

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
SERVICE UNITS																					
1ST FSR	COL J.E.GARNER																				
H&S BN	LTCOL R.A.BJORSON	356	35	356	35																
SUPPLY BN	LTCOL R.A.BJORSON	237	7	237	7																
MAINT BN	MAJ J.A. SIMMONS	500		500																	
7TH SEP BK FL		10		10																	
3D FSR	COL S.D. LOW																				
H&S BN	LTCOL C.M. SEE	902	42					894	42					8							
SUPPLY BN	LTCOL W.A. CAGNE	1363	27					1363	27												
MAINT BN	LTCOL J.F.MINICLI	892						892													
5TH FSR (-)																					
5TH SERV BN		747	15	688	15													59			
LSG-26		912	32	40	1			822	22			50	9								
HQ, FLC, III MAF	COL G.AXTELL JR.																				
H&S CO, FLC		213										213									
1ST SERV BN	COL R.H.SHELLY	2410	22											2410	22						
3D SERV BN	COL R.R. WEIR	3711	36									3022	34			689	2				
PROVSERVBN, 9THMAB	MAJ M.J. WILLIS	88	1					59	1					29							
5TH NOP	LT A.N. HAFNER	53		33				20													
SERVCO, 1STMARBRIG	CAPT P.S.WEATHERS	90				90															
MP UNITS																					
1ST MP BN	LTCOL P.STAVRIDIS	816	23									816	23								
* 3D MP BN		51		51																	

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		PANANG		CHU LAI		SHU BAI		SLF		CTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
SP UNITS																					
1ST SP BN	LTCOL E.H. JONES	441	23									87		354	23						
3D SP BN	MAJ T.W. JONES	345	23									198	22			98	1			¢ 49	
5TH SP BN		126	14					25	4									50	5	\$ 51	5
ITT, IT & CIT UNITS																					
1ST ITT	CAPT R.D.DASCH	15				15															
3D ITT		13										13									
5TH ITT	CAPT R.J.OBRIEN	10		10																	
7TH ITT	CAPT D.E.EIRCH	10														10					
9TH ITT	CAPT G.E.GAUMONT	11												11							
1ST IT	CWO L.B.SHERIDAN	5												5							
* 3D IT	1STLT R.J.KAPSCH	6										6									
5TH IT																					
7TH IT																					
9TH IT																					
11TH IT																					
1ST CIT	CAPT W.A.BURTSON	14														14					
3D CIT	CAPT D.R.KNEPP	12										12									
5TH CIT	CAPT J.F.NARDO	10						10													
% 6TH CIT	CAPT W.R.BOWERS																				
7TH CIT		16								16											
* 9TH CIT		3		3																	
# 11TH CIT	2DLT GRIESON	5				5															
# 13TH CIT		2		2																	
# 15TH CIT		4		4																	

* ATTACHED TO HQBN, 3DMARDIV

% STRENGTH TOTALS FOR THESE UNITS ARE INCLUDED IN STRENGTH FOR H&HS-3, 3D MAW & HQBN, 1ST MARDIV

ATTACHED TO HQBN, 5TH MARDIV

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		THU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
SSCT UNITS																					
1ST SSCT		8										8									
2D SSCT	2DLT J.N.CORCORAN	7												7							
9TH SSCT		1		1																	
MEDICAL UNITS																					
1ST MED BN	CDR C.H.MITCHELL	114	226											114	226						
3D MED BN	CDR J.C.VINCENT	141	232									120	159			21	73				
5TH MED BN		23	52					4	5				2					7	1	\$ 12	44
1ST HOSP CO	CDR F.F. ROBERTS	33	51											33	51						
1ST DENT CO	CAPT D.C.CONGLIS		70												70						
3D DENT CO	CAPT K.L.MORGAN		79						6				63				10				
5TH DENT CO	CDR F.RULIFFSON		34		23		11														
11TH DENT CO	CAPT C.E. KALLER		41										41								
13TH DENT CO	CAPT J.F. KING		31		31																
15TH DENT CO			10						10												
GROUND TOTALS		USMC		61,929	4,601	1,829	7,035	58	21,622	16,600	6,159	1,694	#	2,331							
		USN		2,925	162	71	285	2	988	877	322	90	128								
		TOTALS		64,854	4,763	1,900	7,320	60	22,610	17,477	6,481	1,784	#	2,459							

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHINA		P. BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
AIR UNITS																					
HQ SODN, FMFPAC	MAJ T.G. BUNCE	72				72															
1ST MAW	MGEN L. ROBERTSHAW																				
AWC	BGEN H.M. ELWOOD																				
MWEG-1	COL W.L. ATWATER																				
H&HS-1	MAJ C.C. FOSTER	1069	41									1069	41								
MASS-2	LTCOL H. HUNTER JR	252	3									175	3	42		35					
MACS-7	LTCOL C.E. SHOWALTER	211	3											193	3	18					
1ST LAAM BN	LTCOL C.L. EYER	575	16	130								445	16								
2D LAAM BN	LTCOL T.I. GUNNING	629	12	142										487	12						
MAG-11	COL F.C. THOMAS																				
H&MS-11	LTCOL F.C. OPEKA	390										390									
MABS-11	MAJ G.R. CAMPO	453	23									453	23								
VMCJ-1	MAJ R.W. TUCKER	231										231									
VMFA-115	MAJ L.R. VANDEUSEN	273	1									273	1								
VMFA-314	LTCOL D. BJORKLAND	269	4									269	4								
VMFA-323	LTCOL A.W. TALBERT	274	1									274	1								
VMF(AW)-235	MAJ D.A. MICKLE	195	1									195	1								
MAG-12	COL J.W. HUBBARD																				
H&MS-12	MAJ R.E. HAWES	410												410							
MABS-12	LTCOL W.G. MCCOOL	614	22											614	22						
MATCU-67	CAPT J.C. BEVER	74	1											74	1						
VMA-214	LTCOL D. WALLACE	173	1											173	1						
VMA-223	LTCOL R. SINCLAIR	168	1											168	1						
VMA-224	LTCOL J. BROWNE	167	1											167	1						
VMA-311	LTCOL P. MCMAHON	171	1											171	1						

BTRY "D" OF THE 1ST AND 2ND LAAM BN OPCON OF MARTD, MARTC, MCB 29 PALMS

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		KOREA		CHINA		PHILIPPINES		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-13	COL E.A.HARPER																				
H&MS-13	LTCOL K.FIEGNER	410																			
MABS-13	MAJ W.E.CASLIN	385	21																		
VMA-211	MAJ H.J.AYERS	201	3							201	3										
VMFA-542	LTCOL D.L. MAY	293	4							293	4										
MAG-15	COL C. KIMAK																				
H&MS-15	LTCOL J.MCDANIEL	418								418											
MABS-15	LTCOL G.H.ALBERS	449	11							449	11										
NBC WPNS SEC-1																					
MACS-6	LTCOL F.DELANEY	210						210													
MATCU-60	MAJ W.C.SERVICE	56								56											
MATCU-66	CAPT V.FULLADOSA	56						56													
VMGR-152	LTCOL J. URELL	475	11					475	11												
HMM-163	LTCOL C.A. HOUSE	210						210													
VMA-121	LTCOL D.R. STIVER	215	2							215	2										
VMF(AW)-232	LTCOL N.TRAPNELL	196	3							196	3										
H&HS FUTEMA		226	58					226	58												
MAG-16	COL R.M. HUNT																				
H&MS-16	MAJ L.DARBYSHIDE	330	1									330	1								
MABS-16	LTCOL R.MCKITRICK	454	3									454	3								
MACTU-68	CAPT K.BERCHIOLLI	84														84					
VMO-2	LTCOL A.W.BARDEN	143	4									143	4								
HMM-161	LTCOL S.F.MARTIN	201	5													201	5				
HMM-164	LTCOL W.C.WATSON	219	1									219	1								
HMM-263	LTCOL J.L. GOEBEL	219	3									219	3								
HMM-265	LTCOL MENDENHALL	233	5									233	5								

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-36	COL A.J.ARMSTRONG																				
H&MS-36	LTCOL T.G.MOONEY	311												311							
MABS-36	LTCOL W.C.CARLSON	467	23											467	23						
VMO-6	MAJ W.J.GOODSELL	140	1											140	1						
HMM-361	MAJ F.D.TWEED	177	1											177	1						
HMM-362	MAJ M.D.ARMSTRONG	216	1											216	1						
HMM-363	LTCOL J.D.MCGOUGH	223	1														223	1			
HMM-364	LTCOL D.SOMMERVILLE	102	2											102	2						
MWSG-17	COL O.S.TOSDAL																				
H&MS-17	LTCOL J.J.LEOGUE	410	13							160	3	250	10								
WERS-17	LTCOL L.P.HART	190										190									
MARSAT-1	MAJ D.D.PARRISH	17								17											
SU#1, H&HS-1	COL P.C.LONG	213						213													
H&HS, IWAKUNI	MAJ F.G.NEWCOMB	268								268											
3D MAW	MGEN F.E.LEEK																				
AWC	BGEN J.P.COURSEY																				
MWHG-3	COL W.B.HIGGINS																				
H&HS-3	LTCOL W.D.HARRIS	989	7	989	7																
MASS-3	LTCOL J.E.DIXON	171	2	96																75	2
MACS-1	MAJ R.M.PROUDFOOT	255	2	255	2																
MATCU-65	1STLT R.J.PUSKAR	34		34																	
MACS-3	MAJ J.C.DIPON	285		285																	
MARTSAT-3	MAJ P.G.JANSSEN	48		48																	
FMF AUG, YUMA	LTCOL E.S.MURPHY	103		103																	
MACS-4	LTCOL J.P.FLYNN	153	2	153	2																
VMT-103	LTCOL R.A.DEASY	232		232																	
VMO-3		11		11																	
MASS-5	MAJ R.A.FUCKLE	120		120																	
5TH LAAM BN		15		15																	

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		PHILIPPINES		THAILAND		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MHTG-30	COL R.R.RILEY																		
H&MS-30	MAJ G.P.WARREN	303		303															
HMMT-301	LTCOL W.R.DUNCAN	404	1	404	1														
HMMT-302																			
HMMT-310		291		291															
MAG-33	COL D.L.LENGEL																		
H&MS-33	MAJ R.A.FULLER	504		504															
MABS-33	MAJ H.J.BOND	452	2	452	2														
VMFA-122	LTCOL D.R.STIVER	307	1	307	1														
VMF-334	MAJ J.W.DETROY	194	1	194	1														
VMCJ-3	MAJ O.E.DONOVAN	411	1	411	1														
MWSG-37	COL D.D.RICKABAUGH																		
H&HS-37	LTCOL DEFENBAUGH	375		375															
MABS-37	MAJ C.E.WILCOX	684	116	684	116														
MAMS-37	MAJ A.H.MANHART	459		459															
HMH-463	MAJ W.R.BEELER	129	1	129	1														
HMM-165	LTCOL W.ELDRIDGE	274	4															@274	4
HMH-462	CAPT W.J.NEVINS	9		9															
SU#1, MABS-37	MAJ C.M.HAYES	624		624															
VMGR-352	LTCOL R.M.WILLIAMS	370	1	370	1														
1ST MARBRIG AIR																			
VMF(AW)-212	LTCOL C.M.WALLACE	179				179													
MACS-2	MAJ J.R.DOPLER	213				213													
H&MS, 1STMARBRIG	LTCOL L.F.BLASS	94				94													
MATCU-62	CAPT J.N.BACON	55				55													
AVIATION UNIT TOTALS		U S M C		23,934	8,129	613		1,390	2,373	5,812	4,297	338		223		759			
		U S N		450	135			69	26	117	91	5		1		6			
		TOTAL		24,384	8,264	613		1,459	2,399	5,929	4,388	343		334		765			

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	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
TOTAL FMFPAC MARCOR PERSONNEL	85,863		12,730		2,442		8,425		2,431		27,434		20,897		6,497		1,917		3,090	
TOTAL FMFPAC NAVY PERSONNEL	3,375		297		71		354		28		1,105		968		327		91		134	
TOTAL FMFPAC PERSONNEL	89,238		13,027		2,513		8,779		2,459		28,539		21,865		6,824		2,008		3,224	

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UNCLASSIFIED**MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN****AS OF: 22 SEPTEMBER 1966**

	OFFICERS	ENLISTED	SUB TOTAL
EMBASSY GUARDS	1	67	68
ADVISORS	20	22	110
MACV STAFF (INCLUDES SOG, JRATA, AFRTV AND CONST DIR)	99	95	304
NAVAL ADVISORY GROUP	40	12	356
COMPANY "L", MARINE SUPPORT BATTALION (PHU BAI)	3	65	424
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO	12	134	570
III MAF	3,558	51,270	54,828
TOTAL USMC IN RVN	3,733	51,665	55,398
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF	311	2,089	2,400
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL IN I CORPS NOT ATTACHED/ORGANIC TO III MAF	507	13,422	13,929

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

DA NANG

UNCLASSIFIED III MAF

USMC	27,434
USN	1,105

H&S COMPANY
SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPTCO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
2/26
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9
3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST AMTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

	USMC	USN
RVN	55,398	2,406
III MAF	54,828	2,406
DA NANG	(27,434)	(1,105)
CHU LAI	(20,897)	(968)
PHU BAI	(6,497)	(327)
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	194	
NAVADVGP	52	
CO L, MARSPBN	68	
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO	146	6
OKINAWA	8,779	354
SLF	1,917	91
JAPAN	2,431	22
TOTALS	68,525	2,879

OKINAWA

USMC	8,779
USN	327

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/3
1/13 (-)

MAG-15
VNGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

CHU LAI

USMC	20,897
USN	968

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) (-) (REIN) FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
4/11 (-) (REIN)
3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
DET 2/7
3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-362
HMM-364
VMO-6

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

USMC	1,917
USN	91

JAPAN

USMC	2,431
USN	28

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
MAG-13
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

	NMCB	NavSA
DANANG	3,671	7,148
HQ, 30TH NCR		
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9, NMCB-10, NMCB-11		
CHU LAI	1,332	
NMCB-3, NMCB-40		
PHU BAI	690	
NMCB-7		

TOTALS	5,693	7,148
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MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 17OCT; ETA CHU LAI 24OCT
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
ETA OKI 23SEP
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN.
ETA RVN 28SEP

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PHU BAI

USMC	6,497
USN	327

4TH MARINES (REIN)
1/4
2/4
3/4
2/9
3/12 (REIN)
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12

HMM-161
FLSU-2

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AS OF: 22 SEP 1966

USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>KIA & DOW</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
1,594	9,398	31

NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>DEAD</u>	<u>INJURED</u>	<u>MISSING</u>
230	519	1

VC/NVA

<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>POW</u>	<u>SUSPECTS</u>
11,598	452	1,319	7,895

NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 21 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE:2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN

AS OF: 22 SEP 1966

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COUNTRY/FORCES

COUNTRY FORCES

STRENGTH

RVN (REGULAR)

ARMY 283,500

Navy..... 16,500

AIR FORCE	14,000
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MARINE CORPS..... 7,000

TOTAL RVN (REGULAR)	321,000
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REGIONAL FORCES	TOTAL REGIONAL FORCES	143,500
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POPULAR FORCES.....	<u>TOTAL POPULAR FORCES</u>	<u>140,000</u>
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TOTAL NATIONAL MILITARY FORCES	604,500
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UNITED STATES

ARMY..... 189,815

* NAVY.....	21,585
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AIR FORCE	44,279
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* MARINE CORPS	55,398
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TOTAL U. S. FORCES	311,519
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FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES

REPUBLIC OF FOREA	1ST & 9TH ROK DIV; MAR BRIG; ENGRS; TRUCK CO; HOSPITAL UNIT.....	39,747
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AUSTRALIA	BRIGADE (-); ADVISORS	4,378
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NEW ZEALAND	ARTILLERY BTRY; SURGICAL TEAM.....	149
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CHINA	PSY WARFARE	31
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PHILIPPINES PSY WARFARE; MEDICAL 199

THAILAND	ADVISORS.....	29
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SPAIN		12
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TOTAL F W M A F	44,545
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TOTAL FORCES IN RVN	960,564
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* NAVY PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF INCLUDED IN NAVY FIGURES.

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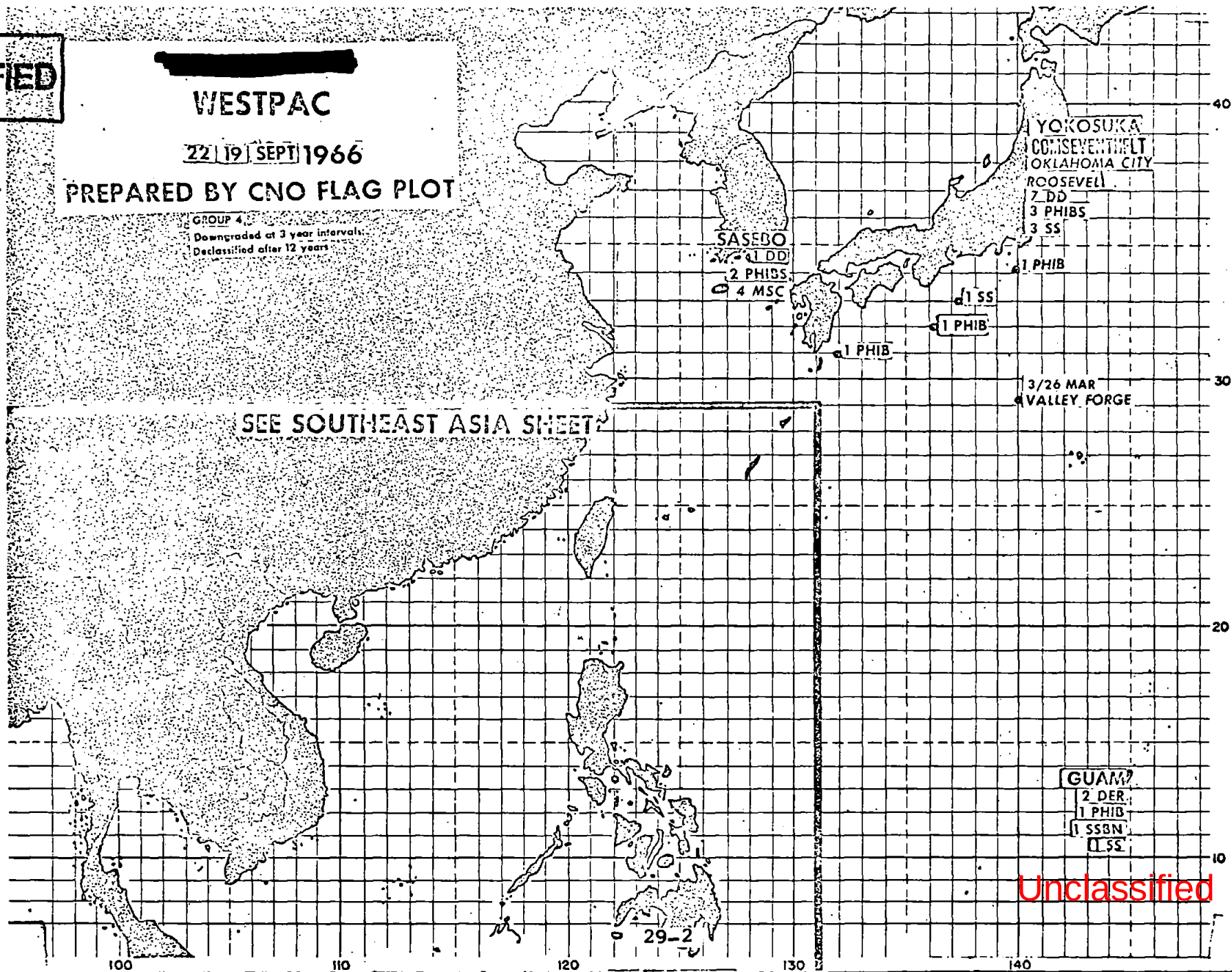
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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

AS OF: 21 SEPTEMBER 1966

VMA-324 (14/A4E)
ABD INDEPENDENCE AT
INSTANBUL, TURKEY

LANFORMED 2-66
(BLT 2/6)
BOMBA, LIBYA FOR
PHIBLEX 2-57

CARIB READY FORCE 2-66
(BLT 3/6 & HMM-264)
ENR POSITION 50 MI
OFF MHNC ETA 23SEP

CARIB READY FORCE 3-66
(BLT 3/2 & HMM-365)
AT ST. THOMAS

GTMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN (-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

BLT 3/26 & HMM-1
BLT 3/26 ENR OKI
ETA OKI 23SEP
HMM-165 ENR RVN
ETA 28SEP

III MAF
RVN

SLF (BLT 1/25 &
HMM-363)
ASHORE RVN

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UNIT	EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
1ST MAW								
<u>MWSG-17</u>								
H&MS-17			1/UC-45J 4/C-54 2/C-117D 7/TF-9J 2/CH-19E					
<u>MAG-11</u>								
H&MS-11					1/UC-45J 2/C-117D			
VMF(AW)-235					16/F8E			
VMFA-115					14/F4B			
VMFA-314					16/F4B			
VMCJ-1					6/RF8A 8/EF-10B			
VMFA-323					14/F4B			
<u>MAG-12</u>								
H&MS-12						1/C-117		
VMA-224						16/A4E		
VMA-223						20/A4E		
VMA-214						13/A4C		
VMA-311						20/A4E 1/A4C		
<u>MAG-13</u>								
H&MS-13			4/TF-9J 1/C-117D					
VMFA-542			14/F4B					
VMA-211			19/A4C					
VMGR-152				11/KC-130F				
HMM-163				23/UH-34D				

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UNCLASSIFIED		EASTPAC	HAWAII	JAPAN	OKINAWA	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OTHER
<u>MAG-15</u>				2/TF-9J 1/C-117D					
***H&MS-15									
VMA-121				20/A4E					
VMF(AW)-232				13/F8E					
<u>MAG-16</u>						1/C-117D 8/UH-34D 8/CH-37C 5/CH-46A			
*H&MS-16									
HMM-161								22/UH-34D	
*HMM-164						24/CH-46A			
*HMM-263						19/UH-34D			
HMM-265						23/CH-46A			
*VMO-2						21/UH-1E 10/O-1C			
<u>MAG-36</u>							1/C-117D 5/UH-34D		
**H&MS-36							24/UH-34D		
**HMM-361							23/UH-34D		
**HMM-362									
HMM-363									@22/UH-34D
**VMO-6							16/UH-1E		
**HMM-364							23/UH-34D		
TOTAL FIXED WING ACFT				88	11	78	77		
TOTAL HELICOPTERS				2	23	108	91	22	22

) ABD LPH IWO JIMA (SLF)

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** BASED AT KY HA AIR FACILITY

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OSTPAC UNIT LOCATION**DA NANG****III MAF**

USMC 28,485

USN 1,136

H&S COMPANY
SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPTCO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
2/26
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9

3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST AMTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

	USMC	USN
RVN	56,948	2,459
III MAF	56,378	2,453
DA NANG	(28,485)	(1,136)
CHU LAI	(21,179)	(570)
PHU BAI	(6,714)	(347)
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	194	
NAVADVGP	52	
CO L, MARSPTBN	68	
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO	146	6
OKINAWA	8,779	325
SLF	1,924	91
JAPAN	2,801	41
TOTALS	76,452	2,916

OKINAWA

USMC 8,779 USN 325

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/3
1/13 (-)

MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR**CHU LAI**

USMC 21,179

USN 970

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP)(-) (REIN)FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
4/11 (-) (REIN)
3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
DET 2/7
3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-362
HMM-364
VMO-6

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

USMC 1,924 USN 91

JAPAN

USMC 2,801 USN 41

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
MAG-13
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

DANANG NMCB 3,671 NavSA 7,148
HQ, 30TH NCR
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9,
NMCB-10, NMCB-11
CHU LAI 1,332
NMCB-3, NMCB-40
PHU BAI 690
NMCB-7

TOTALS 5,693 7,148

PHU BAI

USMC 6,714

USN 347

4TH MARINES (REIN)
1/4
2/4
3/4

2/9
3/12 (REIN)
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12

HMM-161
FLSU-2

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 17OCT; ETA CHU LAI 24OCT
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
ETA OKI 23SEP
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN.
ETA RVN 28SEP

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*DOES NOT INCLUDE NON-FMF UNITS OTHER THAN THOSE IN RVN; INCLUDES ONLY NAVY PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO FMF

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USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

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RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>KIA & DOW</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
1,586	9,370	31

NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>DEAD</u>	<u>INJURED</u>	<u>MISSING</u>
230	518	1

VC/NVA

<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>POW</u>	<u>SUSPECTS</u>
11,539	452	1,318	7,878

NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 20 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE:2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

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UNIT	COMMANDER	STRENGTH		BASE		ROOS RDS		GTMO		CARIB 2-66		VIEQUES		MED 2-66		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HQ, FMFLANT	LTGEN A. L. BOWSER	1,102	15	1,102	15												
H&S BN	LTCOL L. K. WIRTH	988	15	988	15												
HQ SQDN, FMFLANT	MAJ J. F. JONES	114		114													
FORCE TROOPS	BGEN F. R. BOUKER	9,692	167	9,212	163			120	2	90		81	1	91	1	@ 98	
HQ CO	LTCOL DRAKE	461	8	461	8												
2D FSR	COL H. WALLACE	3,264	25	3,165	25			30		23				23		@ 23	
H&S BN	LTCOL J. A. WACHTER																
SUP BN	LTCOL C. A. SALSER																
MAINT BN	LTCOL E. K. VICKERS																
2D TANK BN	LTCOL R. H. LEWIS	853	16	733	16			42		26				26		@ 26	
2D FORCE RECON	MAJ NORRIS	157	5	157	5												
2D ANGLICO	LTCOL J. A. NILSON	280	11	232	9			48	2								
2D TOPO CO	CAPT M. E. SCHARWZ	102	4	94	4											8	
2D BRIDGE CO	CAPT R. A. CAPEK	179	2	179	2												
2D SEP SERGICAL CO	LCMDR W. E. ROYALS (USN)	8	3	8	3												
2D RADIO BN	MAJ BEDWELL	291	3	291	3												
8TH ENGR BN	MAJ SCRUGGS	1,353	11	1,272	10							81	1				
2D AMTRAC BN	LTCOL R.R. MONTGOMERY	868	11	744	10					41				42	1	@ 41	
8TH COMM BN	LTCOL E. B. HART	739	7	739	7												
2D FLD ARTY GRP	LTCOL W. W. CROMPTON	643	4	643	4												
8TH MT BN	LTCOL C.A. ROSENFELD	423	5	423	5												
4TH DENTAL CO	CAPT C. GARNER (USN)		34		34												
2D HOSPITAL CO	CMDR B.K.SLEMMONS (USN)	22	18	22	18												
2D CI TEAM	CAPT W. R. GENTRY	11		11													
2D ITT TEAM	CAPT F.J.LENNARTZ IV	11		11													
4TH ITT TEAM	1STLT V. MATAL JR.	8		8													
6TH ITT TEAM	CAPT E.R.COLLINS JR.	19		19													

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UNIT	COMMANDER	STRENGTH		BASE		ROOS RDS		GTMO		CARIB 2-66		VIEQUES		MED 2-66		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
2D MARINE DIVISION	MGEN O. R. SIMPSON	21518	691	16430	523			934	24	1,154	39			1,341	56	1,659	49
HQBN	COL HARTE	1819	40	1758	39					21	1			19		@ 21	
2D MARINES	COL W.R.BURGOYNE, JR.																
HQCO	CAPT FOWLER	266	7	266	7												
1ST BN	LTCOL J.A.MACDONALD	781	22					781	22								
2D BN	LTCOL F.W. TIEF	1037	46	1037	46												
3D BN	LTCOL C. V. JUDGE	1299	42													@ 1,299	42
6TH MARINES	COL J. C. SHORT																
HQCO	CAPT G.B. SPERRY	244	14	244	14												
1ST BN	LTCOL D.M. EDWARDS	993	21	993	21												
2D BN	LTCOL O. WEILER	1300	56	338	20									962	36		
3D BN	LTCOL R.L.MICHAEL, JR	1348	46	514	16					834	30						
8TH MARINES	COL G.D. WEBSTER																
HQCO	CAPT D. L. ODOM	220	3	220	3												
1ST BN	LTCOL F.H.WALDROP	1385	25	1385	25												
2D BN	LTCOL C. G. COOPER	1690	20	1690	20												
3D BN	LTCOL R.L. NICHOLS	1192	22	1192	22												
10TH MARINES	COL C. E. WALKER																
HQ BTRY	2DLT D.R. RINGER	352	25	352	25												
1ST BN	MAJ R.C. HUGHES	768	8	768	8												
2D BN	LTCOL R.E. SANTEE	749	10	474	6					137	2			138	2		
3D BN	LTCOL D. E. HOWARD	776	7	639	5											@ 137	2
4TH BN	LTCOL S.B. MCCARTHY	611	10	458	8			153	2								
2D SERVICE BN	COL R.B. MCBROOM	1388	23	1281	23					27				43		@ 37	
2D AT BN	MAJ LAINE	431	7	365	7					22				22		@ 22	
2D MT BN	LTCOL R. W. TAYLOR	273	6	202	6					24				23		@ 24	
2D RECON BN	LTCOL H. KISER	465	10	398	8					21	1			25	1	@ 21	
2D ENGR BN	LTCOL VOMORDE	1192	10	1048	10					47				49		@ 48	
2D SP BN	LTCOL E. J. MEGARR	769	15	647	13					21				51	2	@ 50	
2D MEDICAL BN	LCDR N.E.WENGER (USN)	167	111	158	86						5			9	15	@	5
2D DENTAL CO	LT(JG) D.A.DNALL(USN)	3	85	3	85												

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-26	COL T.T. TULIPANE																
H&MS-26	MAJ D. DALRYMPLE	648		648													
MABS-26	MAJ W.W. WAMEL	761	35	723	32					38	3						
MATCU-64	CAPT G.N. ALLERTON	66		66													
HMM-162	MAJ D.M. WILSON	238		238													
HMM-261	MAJ R.H. NELSON	264		264													
HMM-262	LTCOL U.W. SHADRICK	269		269													
HMM-264	LTCOL H.F. MCCORMICK	190		2						188							
HMM-265	MAJ K.W. ANDRUS	235														@235	
HMH-461	MAJ G.H. NORTHFIELD	40		40													
VMO-1	LTCOL P.M. CROSSWAIT	191		181						10							
MAG-31	COL J.C. VANCE																
H&MS-31	LTCOL W.W. BRYANT	416		416													
MABS-31	MAJ G.L. FENENGA	571	18	571	18												
MATCU-69	2DLT J.E. WALKER	54		54													
** VMA-324	LTCOL T.G. ELDER	170	2													170	2
# VMA-331	LTCOL E.K. JACKS	174	2	174	2												
VMF(AW)-451	LTCOL WESSEL	178		178													
MAG-32	COL L.H. STEMAN																
H&MS-32	MAJ J.V. PRICE	459		459													
MABS-32	MAJ D.Y. WESTLING	654	30	654	30												
MATCU-63	MAJ D.Y. WESTLING	44		44													
VMAF-251	LTCOL G.H. KELLER	271	1	271	1												
\$ VMFA-312	LTCOL P.A. LINDSAY	277	1	277	1												
VMF(AW)-333	LTCOL R.L. PREIS	179	1	179	1												

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** ABD USS INDEPENDENCE

AT ROOSEVELT ROADS (MEBLEX 1-66 7-30SEP)

@ CARIB 3-66 AT ST THOMAS, V.I.

\$ AT MCAS YUMA (TRNG EXER 19SEP-4OCT66)

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CARIB READY FORCE 3-66

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CARIB READY FORCE 3-66 CTG 44.9 CO: LTCOL C.V. JUDGE	STRENGTH				ARMS/EQUIPMENT	LOCATION
	USMC		USN			AT ST THOMAS, V.I.
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL		
HMM-365 (MAJ K.W. ANDRUS)	47	177			35 M60 MG	
					17 3.5 RL	
					11 .30 CAL MG	
					8 81mm MORTAR	
					6 106mm RR	
BLT 3/2	58	1,589	10	59	6 105 HOWITZER	
3d Bn, 2d Mar (LTCOL JUDGE)	46	1,151	7	35	5 M48AE (TANK)	
Btry I, 3d Bn, 10th Mar	4	134	1	1	5 M50A1 (ONTOS)	
Plat, Co B, 2d Tank Bn	1	24			4 .50 CAL MG	
Plat, Co A, 2d Engr Bn	1	47			2 FLAME THROWERS	
Plat, Co A, 2d AMTrac Bn	1	40			2 M274 (MULE) W/106mm RR	
Plat, Co B, 2d Recon Bn	1	20		1		
Plat, Co A, 2d AT Bn	1	21			28 M422 MIGHTY MITE	
Plat Co B, 2d MT Bn	1	23			28 M274 MULE	
					11 LVTP-5	
					7 M38A1 TRUCK	
Det, 2d SP Bn	1	49			3 M51 DUMP TRUCK	
Det, 2d FSR		23			2 M37 CARGO TRUCK	
Det, 2d Serv Bn		37			2 M170 AMBULANCE	
Det, 2d Med Bn				5	2 M422A1 TRUCK, 1/2 TON	
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	20			1 M54 FUEL TRUCK	
Det, 2d Dental					1 M54 CARGO TRUCK	
Det, HqCo, 2d Mar					17 M35 CARGO TRUCK	
Det, UDT-21			2	17		
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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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CARIB RDY FORCE 2-66
(BLT 3/6 & HMM-264)
AFLOAT CARIB

CARIB RDY FORCE 3-66
(BLT 3/2 & HMM-365)
AFLOAT CARIB

MEBLEX 1-66 (12-25SEP)
12TH MEB
CARIB 2-66
CARIB 3-66
VMA-331
AT VIEQUES

GTMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN(-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

VMA-324 (14/A4E)
ABD INDEPENDENCE AT
ISTANBUL, TURKEY

LANFORMED 2-66
(BLT 2/6)
AT BOMBA, LIBYA FOR
PHIBLEX 2-67

BLT 3/26 & HMM-165
BLT 3/26 ENR OKI
ETA OKI 23SEP
HMM-165 ENR RVN
ETA 28SEP

III, MAF
RVN

SLF (BLT 1/26 &
HMM-363)
ASHORE RVN

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COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN A. L. BOWSER
DEPUTY	MGEN G. S. BOWMAN, JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL C. J. BAILEY JR.
ACOS, G-1	COL R. F. FLAHERTY
ACOS, G-2	COL A. ARSENAULT
ACOS, G-3	COL J. B. MAAS JR.
ACOS, G-4	COL A. L. JONES

SECOND MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN O. R. SIMPSON
ADC	BGEN E. B. WHEELER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. N. MCLAUGHLIN
ACOS, G-1	COL C. D. MIZE
ACOS, G-2	COL R. E. BRANT
ACOS, G-3	COL R. B. SMITH
ACOS, G-4	COL M. T. MATHEWS

SECOND MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. R. BURGOYNE
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL R. W. YERKES
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. MACDONALD
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL F. W. TIEF
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL J. V. JUDGE

SIXTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. C. SHORT
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL A. L. MICHAUX
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL P. M. EDWARDS
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL P. WEILER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. MICHAEL

EIGHTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL G. D. WEBSTER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL C. JAMES
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL F. H. WALDROP
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL C. G. COOPER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. NICHOLS

TENTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. E. WALKER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL J. C. PEABODY
1ST BATTALION	MAJ R. C. V. HUGHES
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. E. SANTEE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL D. E. HOWARD
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL F. D. MCCARTHY

SECOND MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN N. J. ANDERSON
AWC	NONE ASSIGNED
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL V. J. GOTTSCHALK
ACOS, G-1	COL E. H. FINLAYSON
ACOS, G-2	COL R. F. WARREN
ACOS, G-3	COL J. D. NOBLE
ACOS, G-4	COL G. J. COLLINS

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-14

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. E. BONNER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL A. E. MCCAULEY
VMA(AW)-225	MAJ H. M. WALLACE
VMA(AW)-242	LTCOL H. WOLF
VMA(AW)-533	LTCOL W. P. BROWN

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-24

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. L. LAMAR
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL L. R. JILLISKY
VMFA-513	LTCOL D. W. LINDLEY
VMFA-531	MAJ F. D. TOPLEY
VMA-332	LTCOL J. D. JOHNSON

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-26

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL T. T. TULIPANE
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL J. T. BRUCE
HMM-162	MAJ D. M. WILSON
HMM-261	MAJ R. H. NELSON
HMM-262	LTCOL U. W. SHADRICK
HMM-264	LTCOL H. F. MCCORMICK
HMM-365	MAJ K. W. ANDRUS
HMM-461	MAJ C. NORTHFIELD
VMO-1	LTCOL P. M. CROSSWAIT

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-31

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. C. VANCE JR.
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL E. I. MELIN
VMA-331	LTCOL E. K. JACKS
VMA-324	LTCOL T. G. ELDER
VMF(AW)-451	LTCOL O. W. WESSEL

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-32

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL L. H. STEMAN
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL E. B. CREW
VMFA-251	LTCOL C. N. KELLER
VMFA-312	LTCOL H. V. LUNDIN
VMF(AW)-333	LTCOL R. L. PREIS
VMCJ-2	LTCOL T. E. MURPHREE

FORCE TROOPS, FMF, ATLANTIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN F. R. BOUKER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL B. W. MCLEAN
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL R. W. GIDDENS
ACOS, G-2	MAJ J. D. BOLINE
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL W. W. CROMPTON
ACOS, G-4	MAJ T. A. TOWNSEND

SECOND FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. WALLACE
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL E. K. VICKERS

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
MT UNITS		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
1ST MT BN	MAJ R.L.DOERING	262	7									73	1	189	6						
3D MT BN	LTCOL E.W.KILLIAN	275	8					34				171	7			70	1				
5TH MT BN		105	1					11	1			30						31		\$ 33	
7TH MT BN	MAJ A.C.STEPHENS	240	8											240	8						
9TH MT BN	MAJ E.R.HALEY	354	12									281	12			73					
*11 MT BN		91	3	91	3																
*13TH MT BN		21	9	21	9																
COMM UNITS																					
1ST RADIO BN	MAJ R.M.STEWART	453	3			284	3					114		52		3					
5TH COMM BN	LTCOL J. NASTASI	604	9									604	9								
7TH COMM BN	MAJ J.A.BYRD JR	669	10									93		576	10						
9TH COMM BN		189	2					186	2									3			
1ST ANGLICO	LTCOL O.J.MOREL	320	10			174	4													#146	6
SHORE PARTY UNITS																					
1ST SP BN	MAJ G. ROBERTS	446	26									110		336	26						
3D SP BN	MAJ T. W. JONES	355	25									238	20			117	5				
5TH SP BN		126	14					25	4									50	5	\$ 51	5
MP UNITS																					
1ST MP BN	LTCOL P. STAVRIDIS	808	27									808	27								
*3D MP BN		51		51																	

*OPCON MCB, CAMPEN

@OPCON MCB, 29 PALMS

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OPCON COMUSMACV (NOT INCLUDED IN III MAF STRENGTH)

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146 USMC AND 6 USN FROM
1ST ANGLICO OPCON COMUSMACV

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL, FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-33	COL D. L. LENGEL																				
H&MS-33	MAJ R.A. FULLER	498		498																	
MABS-33	MAJ H.J. BOND	501	1	501	1																
VMFA-122	MAJ J.I. HUDSON	280	1	280	1																
VMF-334	MAJ J.W. DETROY	189	1	189	1																
VMCJ-3	LTCOL W.B. FLEMING	379	1	379	1																
SG-37	COL D.D. RICKABAUGH																				
H&HS-37	LTCOL DEFENBAUGH	388		388																	
MABS-37	MAJ C.E. WILCOX	706	115	706	115																
MAMS-37	MAJ A.H. MANHART	432		432																	
HMH-463	MAJ W.R. BEELER	92		92																	
HMM-165	LTCOL W. ELDRIDGE	274																		@274	
HMH-462	CAPT A. H. MAIER	7		7																	
SU#1, MABS-37	MAJ C. M. HAYES	674		674																	
VMGR-352	LTCOL R.M. WILLIAMS	366	1	366	1																
1ST BRIG AVIATION																					
VMF(AW)-212	LTCOL C.M. WALLACE	157				157															
MACS-2	MAJ J.R. DOPLER	206				206															
H&MS, 1ST MAR BRIG	LTCOL L.F. BLASS	63				63															
ATCU-62	CAPT J. N. BACON	52				52															
AVIATION UNIT TOTALS		U S M C		24,119	8,103	550		1,402		2,743		5,785		4,615		349		223		349	
		U S N		399	130			20		39		101		101		5		1		2	
		TOTAL		24,518	8,233	550		1,422		2,782		5,886		4,716		354		224		351	
TOTAL FMFPAC MARCOR PERSONNEL		87,328	12,677	2,341	8,779	2,801	28,485	21,179	6,714	1,924	2,428										
TOTAL FMFPAC NAVY PERSONNEL		3,407	295	80	325	41	1,136	979	347	91	122										
TOTAL FMFPAC PERSONNEL		90,735	12,972	2,421	9,104	2,842	29,621	22,149	7,061	2,015	2,550										

• ENR RVN (CHU LAI).

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

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	OFFICERS	ENLISTED	SUB TOTAL
EMBASSY GUARDS	1	67	68
ADVISORS	20	22	110
MACV STAFF (INCLUDES SOG, JRATA, AFRTV AND CONST DIR)	99	95	304
NAVAL ADVISORY GROUP	40	12	356
COMPANY "L", MARINE SUPPORT BATTALION (PHU BAI)	3	65	424
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO	12	134	570
III MAF	3,708	52,670	56,378
TOTAL USMC IN RVN	3,883	53,065	56,948
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF	311	2,141	2,453
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL IN I CORPS NOT ATTACHED/ORGANIC TO III MAF	507	13,422	13,929

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

DA NANG

UNCLASSIFIED MAF

USMC 28,485

USN 1,136

H&S COMPANY

SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPTCO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
2/26
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9
3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST AMTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

	USMC	USN
RVN	56,948	2,459
III MAF	56,378	2,453
DA NANG	(28,485)	(1,136)
CHU LAI	(21,179)	()
PHU BAI	(6,714)	(347)
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	194	
NAVADVGP	52	
CO L, MARSPTBN	68	
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO	146	6
OKINAWA	8,779	325
SLF	1,924	91
JAPAN	2,801	41
TOTALS	70,452	2,916

OKINAWA

USMC 8,779
USN 325

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/3
1/13 (-)

MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

CHU LAI

USMC 21,179

USN 970

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) (-) (REIN) FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
4/11 (-) (REIN)
3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
DET 2/7
3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-362
HMM-364
VMO-6

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

USMC 1,924
USN 91

JAPAN

USMC 2,801
USN 41

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
MAG-13
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

DANANG
HQ, 30TH NCR
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9,
NMCB-10, NMCB-11
CHU LAI
NMCB-3, NMCB-40
PHU BAI
NMCB-7

TOTALS 5,693 7,148

PHU BAI

USMC 6,714

USN 347

4TH MARINES (REIN)
1/4
2/4
3/4
2/9
3/12 (REIN)
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12

HMM-161
FLSU-2

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 17OCT; ETA CHU LAI 24OCT
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
ETA OKI 23SEP
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - BAY
ETA RVN 28SEP

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USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>KIA & DOW</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
1,559	9,237	32

NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>DEAD</u>	<u>INJURED</u>	<u>MISSING</u>
228	516	1

VC/NVA

<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>POW</u>	<u>SUSPECTS</u>
11,531	452	1,318	7,878

NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 19 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE:2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

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CONFIRMED NVA/VC OB BY GVN TACTICAL ZONES

20 September 1966

NVA/VC MAIN FORCE AND LOCAL FORCE

Corps	Div Hq	Regt Hq	All Bn	Sep Co	Sep Plat	Strength	GUERRILLA	TOTAL
							STRENGTH	
I	(1) 2*	8*	48	41	-	27,430*	27,450	54,880
II	(2) 2**	10**	51**	55	31	36,010**	16,895	52,905
III	(3) 2#	12#	45#	30	27	26,799#	16,435	43,234
IV	(4) -	2	21	69	11	18,060	50,765	68,825
CMR	-	-	3	2	1	1,165	1,215	2,380
Total	6	32	168	197	70	109,464	112,760	222,224

POLITICAL CADRES/COMBAT SUPPORT

Total 56,978
279,202

* Includes 2 NVA Div Hq, 7 NVA Regt Hq, 33 NVA Bn's 18,090
 ** Includes 2 NVA Div Hq, 9 NVA Regt Hq, 36 NVA Bn's 23,710
 # Includes 3 NVA Regt Hq, 9 NVA Bn's 4,500
 Total NVA Personnel in RVN 46,300

- (1) 324B NVA Div (Quang Tri), 620th NVA Div (Quang Tin), 6th NVA Regt (Quang Tri), 90th NVA Regt (Quang Tri), 803d NVA Regt (Quang Tri), 812th NVA Regt (Quang Tri), 95B NVA Regt (Thua Thien), 3d NVA Regt (Quang Tin), 21st NVA Regt (Quang Tin), 1st VC Regt (Quang Ngai)
- (2) 610th NVA Div (Binh Dinh), 630th NVA Div (Pleiku), 12th NVA Regt (Binh Dinh), 22d NVA Regt (Binh Dinh), 33d NVA Regt (Pleiku), 66th NVA Regt (Pleiku), 32d NVA Regt (Pleiku), 18B NVA Regt (Phu Yen), 95th NVA Regt (Phu Yen), 24th NVA Regt (Kontum), 88th NVA Regt (Kontum), 2d VC Regt (Binh Dinh)
- (3) 5th VC Div (Phuoc Tuy), 9th VC Div (Binh Long), 141st NVA Regt (Phuoc Long), 250th NVA Regt (Phuoc Long), 101st NVA Regt (Phuoc Long), 271st VC Regt (Tay Ninh), 272d VC Regt (Tay Ninh), 273d VC Regt (Tay Ninh), 274th VC Regt (Long Khanh), 275th VC Regt (Phuoc Tuy), Dong Thap 2 VC Regt (Hau Nghia), 165A VC Regt (Hau Nghia), 70th VC Regt (Tay Ninh), U80th VC Arty Regt (Tay Ninh)
- (4) Dong Thap 1 VC Regt (Dinh Tuong), D2 VC Regt (Chuong Thien)

PROBABLE/POSSIBLE UNITS: Probable - 1 Divisional Headquarters, 3 Battalions; Possible - 7 Battalions;
 Total Probable/Possible Personnel in RVN - 3,056

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CONFIRMED VC OB IN IV CORPS

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VC MAIN FORCE & LOCAL FORCE

GUERRILLA TOTAL
STRENGTH

Province	Div Hq	Regt Hq	All Bn	Sep Co	Sep Plat	Strength		
Go Cong	-	-	-	-	-	270	3,830	4,100
Kien Tuong	-	-	-	-	-	190	505	695
Kien Phong	-	-	2	-	-	1,160	2,720	3,880
Dinh Tuong (1)	-	1	3	-	-	2,665	6,780	9,445
Kien Hoa	-	-	2	-	-	1,900	3,650	5,550
An Giang	-	-	-	-	-	295	2,090	2,385
Chau Doc	-	-	1	-	-	920	1,630	2,550
Vinh Long	-	-	1	-	-	835	5,670	6,505
Vinh Binh	-	-	2	-	-	1,820	2,570	4,390
Phong Dinh	-	-	1	-	-	1,015	2,000	3,015
Kien Giang	-	-	1	-	-	990	3,350	4,340
Chuong Thien(2)	-	1	4	-	-	2,315	3,190	5,505
Ba Xuyen	-	-	2	-	-	1,735	1,270	3,005
An Xuyen	-	-	1	-	-	1,030	9,620	10,650
Bac Lieu	-	-	1	-	-	920	1,890	2,810
Total	-	2	21	69*	11*	18,060	50,765	68,825

(1) Dong Thap 1 VC Regt

(2) D2 VC Regt

* Separate company and platoon locations by province not available.

NOTE: There are no confirmed NVA units in IV Corps.
The D1 VC Regt is in a Lost Contact status.

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CONFIRMED NVA/VC OR IN I CORPS

20 September 1966

NVA/VC MAIN FORCE & LOCAL FORCE

GUERRILLA TOTAL
STRENGTH

Province	Div Hq	Regt Hq	All Bn	Sep Co	Sep Plat	Strength		
Quang Tri (1)	1*	4*	18*	10	-	11,440	3,200	14,640
Thua Thien(2)	-	1**	7**	8	-	3,900**	10,010	13,910
Quang Nam	-	-	4	6	-	2,050	7,790	9,840
Quang Tin (3)	1#	2#	14#	8	-	6,490#	2,590	9,080
Quang Ngai(4)	-	1	5	9	-	3,550	3,860	7,410
Total	2	8	48	41	0	27,430	27,450	54,880

* Includes 1 NVA Div Hq, 4 NVA Regt Hq, 18 NVA Bn's 10,740
 ** Includes 1 NVA Regt Hq, 4 NVA Bn's 2,300
 # Includes 1 NVA Div Hq, 2 NVA Regt Hq, 11 NVA Bn's 5,050
 Total NVA Personnel 17,090

- (1) 324B NVA Div Hq, 6th NVA Regt, 90th NVA Regt, 803d NVA Regt
 812th NVA Regt
 (2) 95B NVA Regt
 (3) 620th NVA Div Hq, 21st NVA Regt, 3d NVA Regt
 (4) 1st VC Regt

ENEMY CAPABILITIES IN PROBABLE ORDER OF ADOPTION (INTENTIONS)

1. Attack lines of communication and harass smaller installations while avoiding major battles.
2. Attack in I Corps with up to one division.
3. Attack up to three dispersed installations simultaneously in regiment strength within 48 hours.
4. In conjunction with Capabilities (1), (2), or (3), reinforce with a NVA regiment infiltrated from outside RVN within 30 days.
5. In conjunction with Capabilities (1), (2), (3), or (4), reinforce with a regiment (NVA or VC) from II Corps within 10 days.

PROBABLE/POSSIBLE UNITS: Probable - None; Possible - 1 NVA Battalion,
 Total Probable/Possible Strength - 400

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- 324B NVA Div
- 90th NVA Regt, 324B
 - 7th Bn, 90th
 - 8th Bn, 90th
 - 9th Bn, 90th
- 803d NVA Regt, 324B
 - 1st Bn, 803d
 - 2d Bn, 803d
 - 3d Bn, 803d
- 812th NVA Regt, 324B
 - 4th Bn, 812th
 - 5th Bn, 812th
 - 6th Bn, 812th
- 13th NVA Arty Bn, 324B
- 14th AAA Bn, 324B
- 15th Engr Bn, 324B
- 16th Sig Bn, 324B
- 19th Med Bn, 324B
- 6th NVA Regt
 - 806th Bn, 6th
 - 812th Bn, 6th
- 808th VC Bn
- 814th NVA Bn

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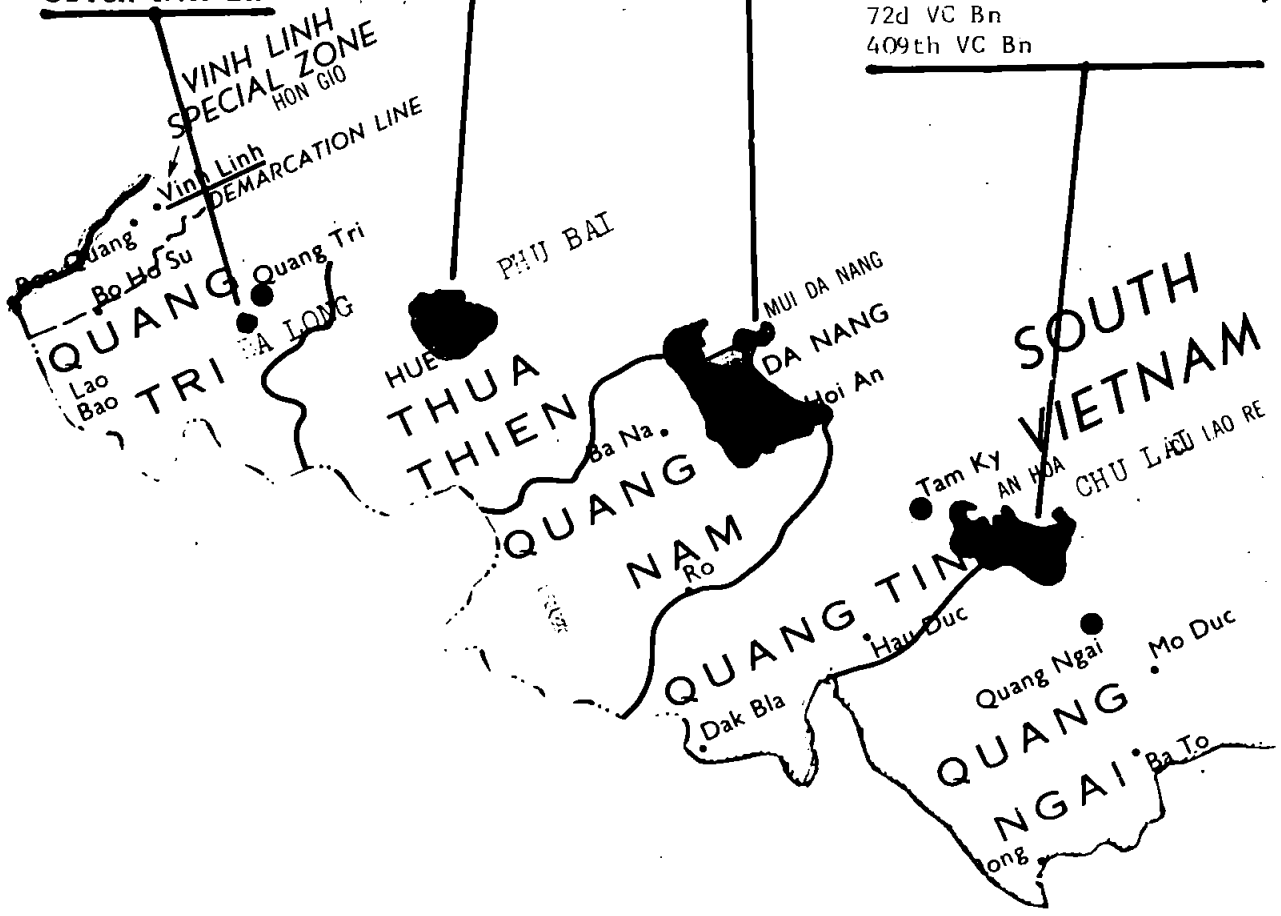
- 95B NVA Regt
 - 4th Bn, 95B
 - 5th Bn, 95B
 - 6th Bn, 95B
- 802 VC Bn
- 804th VC Bn
- 810th VC Bn
- 800th VC Bn, 6th Regt

DANANG

- 70th VC Bn
- R20th VC Bn
- 402d VC Bn
- V25 VC (LF) Bn

CHU LAI

- HQ MR V
- 620th NVA Div Hq
 - 1st VC Regt, 620th
 - 40th Bn, 1st Regt
 - 60th Bn, 1st Regt
 - 90th Bn, 1st Regt
 - 3d NVA Regt, 620th
 - 1st Bn, 3d Regt
 - 2d Bn, 3d Regt
 - 3d Bn, 3d Regt
 - 21st NVA Regt, 620th
 - 1st Bn, 21st Regt
 - 2d Bn, 21st Regt
 - 3d Bn, 21st Regt
 - RQ-20 NVA Sig Bn, 620th
 - RQ-21 NVA AAA Bn, 620th
 - RQ-22 NVA 75mm RR Bn, 620th
 - RQ-23 NVA 120mm Mort Bn, 620th
 - RQ-24 NVA Engr Bn, 620th
- 38th VC Bn
- 48th VC Bn
- 303d VC Bn
- 72d VC Bn
- 409th VC Bn



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Intelligence Estimate of the Situation in I Corps Zone (I CTZ),
Republic of Vietnam

1. General. This estimate has been prepared to bring the situation in the I Corps Zone, RVN, up to date in order to facilitate preparation of a Commander's Estimate for operations in the zone.
2. Terrain Analysis
 - a. In general, the terrain in the I Corps Zone does not lend itself to large scale military operations due to the vast areas covered by steep, thickly forested mountains. It is bounded on the north by the DMZ and on the west by the poorly defined 227-mile border with Laos. The Zone is divided into a populous and comparatively narrow coastal plain and a mountainous region which extends to the west, north and south outside the limits of the Corps Zone. Separating the two regions is a zone of piedmont three to five miles in width which is less densely settled than the plain and which supports dry farming. The western portion of the Zone is an extremely rugged mountainous jungle with peaks rising to 6,000 feet. The jungle growth has three levels: (1) a closely matted growth covering the floor and restricting movement to a maximum of three miles a day cross country; (2) a tree layer rising to about 70 feet; and (3) another layer rising to about 170 feet. Both of the upper layers provide a canopy which restricts observation and permits unobserved movement on the ground.
 - b. The mountainous interior is the domain of the Viet Cong primarily by default. The highlands are inhabited by ethnic minorities. As an example of the sparsity of population, Quang Nam Province has a population of 555,000 of which less than 35,000 live in the western 3/5ths of the province.
 - c. Lines of communication point out the importance of the coastal zone. Particularly noteworthy is the present status of the routes leading inland from Route #1. Route #9, which generally parallels the DMZ, is completely closed. Bridges have been destroyed along the entire route which also has been dug up in many places. This normally serves the military post of Khe Sanh and the border station at Lao Bao. It also serves the only concentration of people in the western extremes of the I CTZ. Route #14 leads WSW toward Kontum Province from the junction with the coast highway near Danang. Trafficability is extremely poor during the rainy season, and the VC periodically interdict and isolate extensive portions of the route throughout the year. The most important remaining feeder road in the I CTZ is Route #5 which extends from Route #1 in Quang Ngai Province a distance of 99 miles to Kontum.
3. Friendly Situation. Under I Corps at the present time, are the 1st and 2d Vietnamese Infantry Divisions headquartered at Hue and Quang Ngai respectively. These divisions are augmented by a separate infantry regiment, a separate infantry battalion and three Ranger battalions which are permanently

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stationed in the CTZ. Their mission is to protect the strategic objectives within the five northern provinces and to furnish ARVN presence along the DMZ in the north. ARVN forces in I CTZ total 32,782. There are also 18,225 Regional Forces, 23,025 Popular Forces, and 2,418 CIDG personnel. Total RVN ground forces are approximately 76,450.

Enemy Situation

- a. The most recent estimate of confirmed VC/NVA forces in these five provinces is 27,430 men in regular units and 27,450 guerrillas for a total of 54,880.
 - b. The control element for the VC in the Zone is the HQ, VC Military Region V which encompasses the northernmost twelve provinces of the RVN - five in the I CTZ and seven in the II CTZ.
 - c. Directly subordinate to the MR V Hq, are four NVA division headquarters. Major combat elements in MR V include two confirmed VC regimental headquarters and 16 confirmed NVA regimental headquarters. Of these, one VC regiment and seven NVA regiments are located in the I CTZ.
5. Reinforcement Capability. Viet Cong/NVA strengths could be appreciably increased in the I CTZ over a relatively short time span in the form of an in-country re-allocation of VC/NVA elements from the II CTZ and/or contiguous areas of Laos. In addition to this, and of a more probable nature, is an increase in the infiltration rate from the NVN. Guerrilla strengths will probably remain constant.
6. Enumeration of Enemy Capabilities. Listed below are possible enemy capabilities in the order of probable adoption.
- a. Capability (1): Attack lines of communication and harass smaller installations while avoiding major battles. This is an ever present capability that will probably be exercised if the enemy is significantly out numbered.
 - b. Capability (2): Attack in I CTZ with up to one division. Exercising this capability with existing resources would provide the enemy with an opportunity to offset reverses recently suffered. It is, as well, a logical mission to be assigned by Hanoi to reduce the U.S. aircraft inventory.
 - c. Capability (3): Attack up to three dispersed installations simultaneously in regiment strength within 48 hours. With a demonstrated ability to simultaneously attack in dispersed locations, and for the same reasons as mentioned in paragraph 6.b., this is considered a capability probable of execution.
 - d. Capability (4): In conjunction with Capabilities (1), (2), or (3), reinforce with an infiltrated NVA regiment from outside RVN within 30 days. In the event the enemy so decides, he has only to repeat this proven capability.

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- e. Capability (5): In conjunction with Capabilities (1), (2), (3), or (4), reinforce with a regiment (NVA or VC) from II Corps within 10 days. Because the enemy has exercised this capability once, and because of his retained interest in the Central Highlands, it is considered unlikely that this capability will be adopted.

NOTE: A comprehensive I Corps Intelligence Estimate is on file in the G-2 Division and is available to the Staff upon request.

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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN

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COUNTRY/FORCES		STRENGTH
RVN (REGULAR)		
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ARMY		283,500
NAVY		16,500
AIR FORCE		14,000
MARINE CORPS		7,000
	<u>TOTAL RVN (REGULAR)</u>	<u>321,000</u>
REGIONAL FORCES	<u>TOTAL REGIONAL FORCES</u>	<u>143,500</u>
POPULAR FORCES	<u>TOTAL POPULAR FORCES</u>	<u>140,000</u>
	<u>TOTAL NATIONAL MILITARY FORCES</u>	<u>604,500</u>
UNITED STATES		
ARMY		189,815
* NAVY		21,585
AIR FORCE		44,279
* MARINE CORPS		56,948
COAST GUARD		442
	<u>TOTAL U. S. FORCES</u>	<u>313,069</u>
FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES		
REPUBLIC OF FOREA	1ST & 9TH ROK DIV; MAR BRIG; ENGRS; TRUCK CO; HOSPITAL UNIT	39,747
AUSTRALIA	BRIGADE (-); ADVISORS	4,378
NEW ZEALAND	ARTILLERY BTRY; SURGICAL TEAM	149
CHINA	PSY WARFARE	31
PHILIPPINES	PSY WARFARE; MEDICAL	199
THAILAND	ADVISORS	29
SPAIN		12
	<u>TOTAL F W M A F</u>	<u>44,545</u>
	<u>TOTAL FORCES IN RVN</u>	<u>962,114</u>

* NAVY PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF INCLUDED IN NAVY FIGURES.

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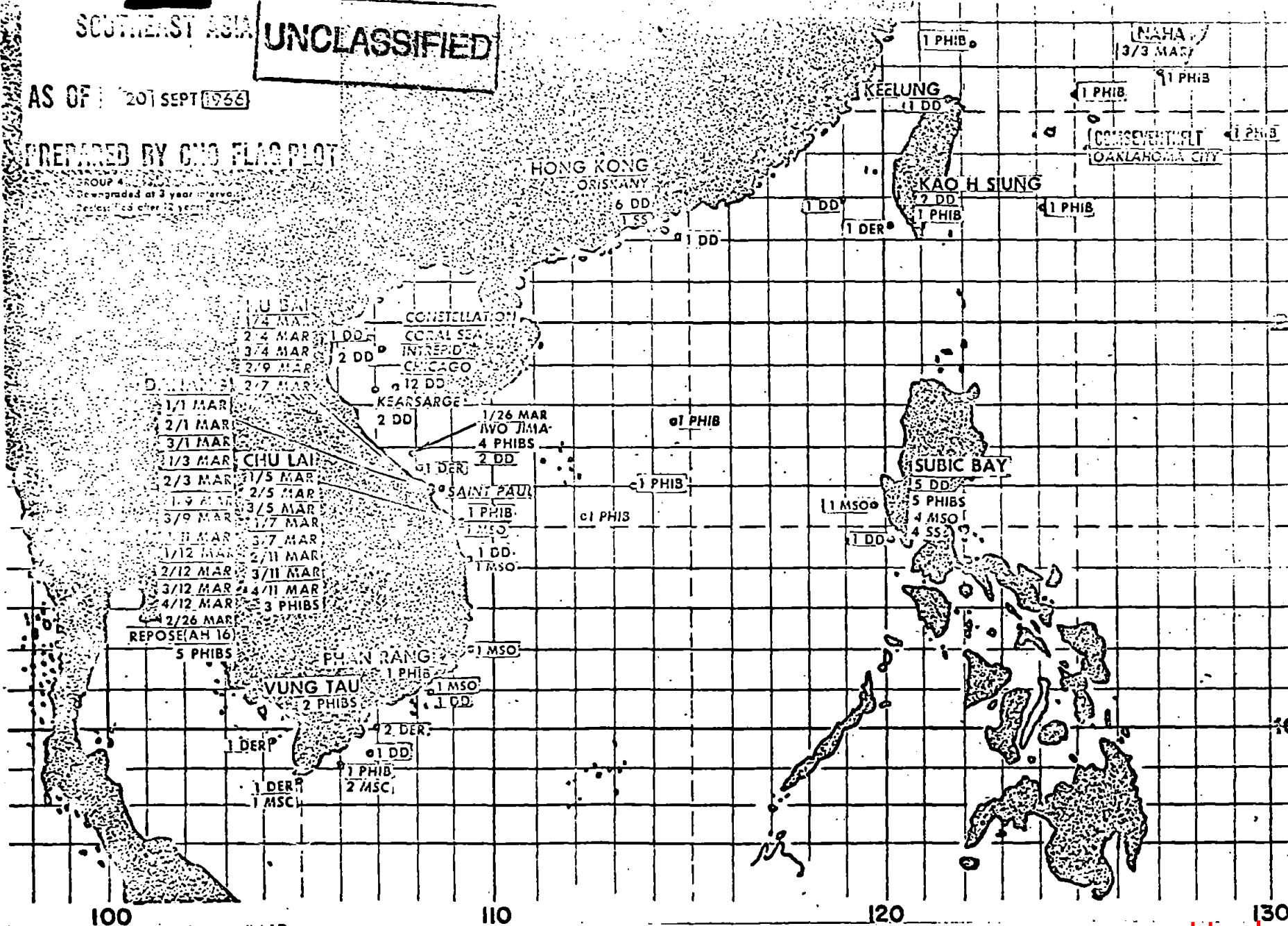
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FMF DEPLOYMENTS

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CARIB RDY FORCE 2-66
(BLT 3/5 & HMM-264)
AFLOAT CARIB.

CARIB RDY FORCE 3-66
(BLT 3/2 & HMM-365)
AFLOAT CARIB.

MEBLEX 1-66 (12-25SEP)
12TH MEB
CARIB 2-66
CARIB 3-66
VMA-331
AT VIEQUES.

GTMO AUGMENTATION
1STBN(-), 2DMAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

VMA-324 (14/A4E)
ABD INDEPENDENCE AT
ISTANBUL, TURKEY.

LANFORMED 2-66
(BLT 2/5)
AT BOMBA, LIBYA
PHIBLEX 2-67.

BLT 3/26 &
HMM-165
BLT 3/26 ENR OKI.
ETA OKI 23SEP.
HMM-165 ENR RVN.
ETA RVN 29SEP.

III MAF
RVN.

SLF (BLT 1/26 &
HMM-363)
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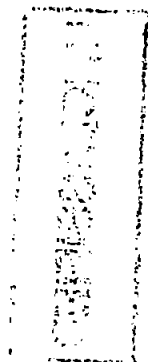
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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

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	INFANTRY BATTALIONS	VMFA	VMF	VMF (AW)	VMA	VMA (AW)	VMCJ	HMM/HMH	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	20	4		2	6		1	9	2	1
RVN	(18)	(3)		(1)	(4)		(1)	(7)	(2)	
AFLOAT	(1)							(1)		
OKINAWA/JAPAN	(1)	(1)		(1)	(2)			(1)		(1)
MIDPAC	2			1						
HAWAII	(1)			(1)						
AFLOAT	#(1)									
EASTPAC		1	1				1	3		1
WEST COAST		(1)	(1)				(1)	(2)		(1)
AFLOAT								** (1)		
ATLANTIC	8	4		2	2	3	1	6	1	1
EAST COAST	(5)	(3)		(2)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(5)	(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(3)	(1)						(1)		
EUROPE	1				*1					
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)				*(1)					
GRAND TOTAL	31	9	1	5	9	3	3			3

*VMA-324 ABD USS INDEPENDENCE

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLP		OTHER	
INFANTRY UNITS		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
1ST MARINES	COL D. L. MALLORY																				
HQCO	CAPT J.R.MURPHY	238	4									238	4								
1ST BN, 1ST MAR	LTCOL V.D. BELL	922	52									922	52								
2D BN, 1ST MAR	LTCOL J.D.SPAULDING	922	52									922	52								
3 rd BN, 1ST MAR	LTCOL E.A.WALKER	926	54									926	54								
3D MARINES	COL E.E.HAMMERBECK																				
HQCO	CAPT C.E.TAYLOR	262	5					3				259	5								
1ST BN, 3D MAR	LTCOL R.R.DICKEY	1164	53									1164	53								
2D BN, 3D MAR	LTCOL V.OHANESIAN	900	52									900	52								
3D BN, 3D MAR	LTCOL E.R.DELONG	893	50					893	50												
4TH MARINES	COL A.D.GEREGHINO																				
HQCO	CAPT R.FUETTERER	268	6													268	6				
1ST BN, 4TH MAR	LTCOL J.WESTERMAN	836	47													836	47				
2D BN, 4TH MAR	LTCOL A.E.BENCH	877	51													877	51				
3D BN, 4TH MAR	LTCOL W.J.MASTERPOD	936	54													936	54				
5TH MARINES	COL C.F.WIDDECKE																				
HQCO	CAPT G.K.YOUNG	225	4											225	4						
1ST BN, 5TH MAR	LTCOL H.L.COFFMAN	953	45											953	45						
2D BN, 5TH MAR	LTCOL W. MOORE	985	51											985	51						
3D BN, 5TH MAR	LTCOL E.J.BRONARS	1026	51											1026	51						

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
INFANTRY UNITS																					
8TH MARINES																					
HQCO																					
1ST BN, 28TH MAR																					
2D BN, 28TH MAR																					
3I V, 28TH MAR																					
ARTILLERY UNITS																					
10 BTRY, 1ST FAG	1STLT W.G.EVENS	13						13													
11TH MARINES	LTCOL J.B.SULLIVAN																				
HQ BTRY	CAPT M.N. WALL	184	9											184	9						
1ST BN, 11TH MAR	MAJ L.C.REECE	565	15									565	15								
2D BN, 11TH MAR	MAJ I.L.CARVER	577	16											577	16						
3D BN, 11TH MAR	LTCOL R.E.YOUNG	566	15											566	15						
4TH BN, 11TH MAR	LTCOL G.R.LAMB	443	11											443	11						
12TH MARINES	COL B. S. READ																				
HQ BTRY	CAPT D.N. HARMON	196	7									196	7								
1ST BN, 12TH MAR	LTCOL F.J.JOHNSTON	507	12					154	2			353	10								
2D BN, 12TH MAR	LTCOL J.R.GALLMAN	439	12									354	10					85	2		
3D BN, 12TH MAR	LTCOL C.KIRCHMAN	757	15									757	15								
4TH BN, 12TH MAR	LTCOL D.G.JONES	311	14									311	14								

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SELF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
SERVICE UNITS																					
1ST FSR	COL J.E.GARNER																				
H&S BN	LTCOL R.A.BJORSON	356	35	356	35																
SUPPLY BN	LTCOL R.A.BJORSON	237	7	237	7																
MAINT BN	MAJ J.A.SIMMONS	500		500																	
7TH SEPBULK FUEL		10		10																	
3D FSR	COL H.E.WERTMAN																				
H&S BN	LTCOL J.E. CONDRA	903	41					895	41					8							
SUPPLY BN	LTCOL W.A.CAGNE	1342	25					1342	15												
MAINT BN	LTCOL D.J. BURGER	936						936													
PROVSERVBN, 9THMAB	MAJ M.J.WILLIS	92						63						29							
HQ, FLC, III MAF	COL G. AXTELL JR																				
H&SCO, FLC		213										213									
1ST SERV BN	COL R.H.SHELLY	2410	22											2410	22						
3D SERV BN	COL R.R. WEIR	3711	36									3022	34			689	2				
5TH FSR (-)																					
5TH SERV BN		747	15	688	15													59			
LSG-26		861	21	40	1			771	11			50	9								
5TH AOP	LT A.N. HAFNER	53		33				20													
SERV CO, 1STMARBRIG	CAPT P.S.WEATHERS	90				90															

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER			
MEDICAL UNITS		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN		
1ST MED BN	CDR R.H.MITCHELL	112	231											112	231								
3D MED BN	CDR J.C.VINCENT	144	263					7	26			115	158			22	79						
5TH MED BN		26	56					7	9				2					7	1	12	44		
1ST HOSP CO	CDR F.F. ROBERTS	32	41											32	41								
1ST DENT CO	CAPT D.C.CONGLIS		68												68								
3D DENT CO	CAPT K.L.MORGAN		73						8				55				10						
5TH DENT CO	CDR F.RULIFFSON		35		23		12																
11TH DENT CO	CAPT C.E. KALLER		40										40										
13TH DENT CO	CAPT J.F. KING		31		31																		
15TH DENT CO			10						10														
GROUND TOTALS		U S M C		63,219		4,574		1,791		7,377		58		22,984		16,636		6,365		1,701		1,933	
		U S N		3,008		165		80		305		2		1,041		869		342		90		1,014	
		TOTALS		66,227		4,739		1,871		7,682		60		23,825		17,505		6,707		1,791		2,047	

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
AIR UNITS																					
HQ SODN, FMFPAC	MAJ T.G. BUNCE	72				72															
1ST MAW	MGEN L. ROBERTSHAW																				
AMC	BGEN H.M. ELWOOD																				
MWBG-1	COL W.L. ATWATER																				
H&HS-1	MAJ C.C. FOSTER	1070	41									1070	41								
MASS-2	LTCOL E.M. JONES	248	2									154	2	59		35					
MACS-7	LTCOL C.E. SHOWALTER	218	3											199	3	19					
1ST LAAM BN	LTCOL C.L. EYER	599	15	130								469	15								
2D LAAM BN	LTCOL T.I. GUNNING	651	15	142										509	15						
NAG-11	COL F.C. THOMAS																				
H&MS-11	LTCOL F.C. OPEKA	384										384									
MABS-11	MAJ G.R. CAMPO	478	20									478	20								
VMCJ-1	MAJ R.W. TUCKER	235										235									
VMFA-115	MAJ L.R. VANDEUSEN	271	1									271	1								
FA-314	LTCOL D. BJORKLAND	279										279									
FA-323	LTCOL A.W. TALBERT	266	1									266	1								
VMF(AW)-235	MAJ D.A. MICKLE	201	1									201	1								

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		OTHER RVN		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-12	COL J. W. HUBBARD																				
H&MS-12	MAJ R. E. HAWES	430												430							
MABS-12	LTCOL W.G. MCCOOL	613	25											613	25						
MATCU-67	CAPT J.C. BEVER	71												71							
VMA-214	LTCOL D. WALLACE	186	1											186	1						
VMA-223	LTCOL R. SINCLAIR	189	1											189	1						
VMA-224	LTCOL J. BROWNE	197	1											197	1						
VMA-311	LTCOL P. MCMAHON	183	1											183	1						
MAG-13	COL E. A. HARPER																				
H&MS-13	LTCOL K. FIEGNER	351								351											
MABS-13	MAJ W.E. CASLIN	385	21											385	21						
VMA-211	MAJ H. J. AYERS	223	2							223	2										
VMFA-542	MAJ P. FRAPPOLLO	306	2							306	2										
MAG-15	COL C. KIMAK																				
H&MS-15	LTCOL J. MCDANIEL	315	3							315	3										
MABS-15	LTCOL G.H. ALBERS	449	11							449	11										
NBC WPNS SEC-1																					
MACS-6	LTCOL F. DEBANEY	185	3					185	3												
MATCU-60	MAJ W.C. SERVICE	53								53											
MATCU-66	CAPT V. FULLADOSA	47						47													
VMGR-152	LTCOL J. URELL	497	12					497	12												
HMM-163	LTCOL C.A. HOUSE	234	5					234	5												
VMA-121	LTCOL D.R. STIVER	215	2							215	2										
VMF(AW)-232	LTCOL N. TRAPNELL	216	1							216	1										
H&HS FUTEMA		226						226													

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-16	COL R. M. HUNT																				
H&MS-16	MAJ L. DAREYSHIDE	381	1									381	1								
MABS-16	LTCOL R. MCKITRICK	435	5									435	5								
MACTU-68	CAPT K. BERCHIOLLI	87														87					
VMO-2	LTCOL A.W. BARDEN	184	5									184	5								
H&MS-161	LTCOL S.F. MARTIN	208	5													208	5				
HMM-164	LTCOL W.C. WATSON	227	1									227	1								
HMM-263	LTCOL J.L. GOEBEL	225	4									225	4								
HMM-265	LTCOL MENDENHALL	240	4									240	4								
MAG-36	COL A.J. ARMSTRONG																				
H&MS-36	LTCOL T.G. MOONEY	344												344							
MABS-36	LTCOL W.C. CARLSON	479	29											479	29						
VMO-6	MAJ W.J. GOODSSELL	156	1											156	1						
HMM-361	LTCOL F. D. TWEED	215	1											215	1						
HMM-362	MAJ M.D. ARMSTRONG	218	1											218	1						
HMM-363	LTCOL J.D. MCGOUGH	223	1															223	1		
HMM-364	LTCOL D. SOMERVILLE	182	1											182	1						
MW-17	COL O. S. TOSDAL																				
H&MS-17	LTCOL J.J. LEAGUE	266								235		31									
WERS-17	LTCOL L. P. HART	350								95	18	255									
MARSAT-1	MAJ D.D. PARRISH	17								17											
SU#1, H&HS-1	COL P.C. LONG	213						213													
H&HS, IWAKUNI	MAJ F.G. NEWCOMB	268								268											

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-33	COL D. L. LENGEL																				
H&MS-33	MAJ R.A. FULLER	498		498																	
MABS-33	MAJ H.J. BOND	501	1	501	1																
VMFA-122	MAJ J.I. HUDSON	280	1	280	1																
VMF-334	MAJ J.W. DETROY	189	1	189	1																
V J-3	LTCOL W.B. FLEMING	379	1	379	1																
MWSG-37	COL D.D. RICKABAUSH																				
H&HS-37	LTCOL DEFENBAUGH	388		388																	
MABS-37	MAJ C.E. WILCOX	706	115	706	115																
MAMS-37	MAJ A.H. MANHART	432		432																	
HMH-463	MAJ W.R. BEELER	92		92																	
HMM-165	LTCOL W. ELDRIDGE	274																		@274	
HMH-462	CAPT A. H. MAIER	7		7																	
SU#1, MABS-37	MAJ C. M. HAYES	674		674																	
VMGR-352	LTCOL R.M. WILLIAMS	366	1	366	1																
1ST BRIG AVIATION																					
VMF(AW)-212	LTCOL C.M. WALLACE	157				157															
MACS-2	MAJ J.R. DOPLER	206				206															
IS, 1ST MAR BRIG	LTCOL I.F. BLASS	63				63															
MATCU-62	CAPT J. N. BACON	52				52															
AVIATION UNIT TOTALS		U S M C		24,119	8,103	550		1,402		2,743		5,785		4,615		349		223		349	
		U S N		399	130			20		39		101		101		5		1		2	
		TOTAL		24,518	8,233	550		1,422		2,782		5,886		4,716		354		224		351	
TOTAL FMFPAC MARCOR PERSONNEL		87,338	12,677	2,341	8,779	2,801	28,569	21,251	6,714	1,924	2,282										
TOTAL FMFPAC NAVY PERSONNEL		3,407	295	80	325	41	1,142	979	347	91	116										
TOTAL FMFPAC PERSONNEL		90,745	12,972	2,421	9,104	2,842	29,711	22,231	7,061	2,015	2,398										

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

AS OF: 19 SEPTEMBER 1966

	OFFICERS	ENLISTED	SUB TOTAL
EMBASSY GUARDS	1	67	68
ADVISORS	20	22	110
MACV STAFF (INCLUDES SOG, JRATA, AFRTV AND CONST DIR)	99	95	304
NAVAL ADVISORY GROUP	40	12	356
COMPANY "L", MARINE SUPPORT BATTALION (PHU BAI)	3	65	424
III MAF	3,720	52,814	56,534
TOTAL USMC IN RVN	3,833	53,125	56,958
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF	317	2,142	2,459
U. S. NAVAL PERSONNEL IN I CORPS NOT ATTACHED/ORGANIC TO III MAF	507	13,422	13,929

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATION

DA NANG

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III MAF

USMC	28,569
USN	1,142

H&S COMPANY

SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPTCO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
2/26
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9
3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST AMTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP *

	USMC	USN
RVN	56,958	2,459
III MAF	56,534	2,459
DA NANG	(28,569)	(1,142)
CHU LAI	(21,251)	(970)
PHU BAI	(6,714)	(347)
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	194	
NAVADVP	52	
CO L, MARSPTBN	68	
OKINAWA	8,779	325
SLF	1,924	91
JAPAN	2,801	41
TOTALS	70,462	2,916

OKINAWA

USMC	8779
USN	325

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/3
1/13 (-)

MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

CHU LAI

USMC	21,251
USN	970

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) (-) (REIN)FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
4/11 (-) (REIN)
3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
DET 2/7
3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-362
HMM-364
VMO-6

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

SLF 7th FLEET

USMC	1,924
USN	91

JAPAN

USMC	2,801
USN	41

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
MAG-13
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

	NMCB	NavSA
DANANG	3,671	7,148
HQ, 30TH NCR		
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9,		
NMCB-10, NMCB-11		
CHU LAI	1,332	
NMCB-3, NMCB-40		
PHU BAI	690	
NMCB-7		

TOTALS	5,693	7,148
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PHU BAI

USMC	6,714
USN	347

4TH MARINES (REIN)
1/4
2/4
3/4
2/9
3/12 (REIN)
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12

HMM-161
FLSU-2

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA OKI 17OCT; ETA CHU LAI 24OCT
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
ETA OKI 23SEP
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN.
ETA RVN 28SEP

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USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>KIA & DOW</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
1,533	9,190	31

NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>DEAD</u>	<u>INJURED</u>	<u>MISSING</u>
226	514	1

VC/NVA

<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>POW</u>	<u>SUSPECTS</u>
11,307	452	1,317	7,877

NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 16 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE:2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN

AS OF: 19 SEP 1966

COUNTRY/FORCES

STRENGTH

RVN (REGULAR)

ARMY	280,400
NAVY.....	16,200
AIR FORCE	13,900
MARINE CORPS	6,900
<u>TOTAL RVN (REGULAR)</u>	<u>317,400</u>
REGIONAL FORCES	<u>TOTAL REGIONAL FORCES</u>
	<u>141,300</u>
POPULAR FORCES	<u>TOTAL POPULAR FORCES</u>
	<u>138,700</u>
<u>TOTAL NATIONAL MILITARY FORCES</u>	<u>597,400</u>

UNITED STATES

ARMY.....	188,237
* NAVY.....	20,775
AIR FORCE	43,676
* MARINE CORPS	56,958
COAST GUARD	441
<u>TOTAL U. S. FORCES</u>	<u>310,087</u>

FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES

REPUBLIC OF FOREA	1ST & 9TH ROK DIV; MAR BRIG; ENGRS; TRUCK CO; HOSPITAL UNIT.....	35,447
AUSTRALIA	BRIGADE (-); ADVISORS	4,415
NEW ZEALAND	ARTILLERY BTRY; SURGICAL TEAM.....	150
CHINA	PSY WARFARE	31
PHILIPPINES	PSY WARFARE; MEDICAL	126
THAILAND	ADVISORS	29
SPAIN		12

TOTAL F W M A F 40,210

TOTAL FORCES IN RVN 947,697

* NAVY PERSONNEL ORGANIC TO III MAF INCLUDED IN NAVY FIGURES.

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GENERAL OFFICERS AND COMMANDERS OF MAJOR UNITS AND MANEUVER BATTALIONS AND DIVISION CHIEFS OF STAFF

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U. S. ARMY, VIETNAM

Dep CG, USARV
Asst to Dep CG & CofS
Dep CofS, Plans & Ops
Dep CofS, Pers & Admin
Provost Marshal

LTG Jean E. Engler
BG Richard J. Seitz
BG Frank D. Miller
COL Earl F. Cole
BG Harley L. Moore, Jr.

CG, 1st Avn Bde BG George P. Seneff, Jr.

CG, USA Spt Comd, Qui Nhon BG Charles R. Meyer

CG, Hq Area Comd BG Robert L. Ashworth

CG, USA Spt Comd, Nha Trang BG Arthur L. Friedman

CG, 1st Log Comd MC Charles W. Eifler
DCG, 1st Log Comd BG Shelton E. Lollis

CG, 18th Engr Bde BG Robert R. Ploger

CG, 1st Sig Bde, USASCC BG Robert D. Terry

HQ, FLD FORCE I, VIETNAM

Commanding General LTG Stanley R. Larsen
Chief of Staff Unknown
Arty Commander Unknown

HQ, FLD FORCE II, VIETNAM

Commanding General LTG Jonathan O. Seaman
Chief of Staff BG Richard T. Knowles
Arty Commander BG Willis D. Crittenger, Jr.

1st Inf Div MC William E. DePuy
Asst Div Commander BG James F. Hollingsworth
Asst Div Commander BG John R. Deane, Jr.
Chief of Staff COL Edward B. Kitchens, Jr.
Div Arty Commander ■ COL L. M. Caruthers
Spt Comd Commander COL F. W. Gramling

1st Brigade COL Sidney B. Berry
1st Bn, 16th Inf LTC George M. Wallace
1st Bn, 28th Inf LTC Robert Haldane
2d Bn, 28th Inf LTC Thomas H. Jones, Jr.

2d Brigade COL S. M. Marks
2d Bn, 16th Inf LTC William S. Hathaway
1st Bn, 18th Inf ■ LTC Warner S. Goodwin, Jr.
2d Bn, 18th Inf Unknown

3d Brigade LTC Samuel S. Walker
1st Bn, 2d Inf LTC Richard L. Prillaman
2d Bn, 2d Inf Unknown
1st Bn, 26th Inf Unknown

1st Sqdn, 4th Cav LTC Leonard L. Lewane

4th Inf Div
Asst Div Commander BG David O. Byars

2d Bde, 4th Inf Div COL J. F. Miller
1st Bn, 12th Inf LTC James R. Lay
1st Bn, 22d Inf LTC Leonard A. Morley
2d Bn, 8th Inf LTC Kenneth E. Weber

■ 2d Bn, 34th Arm LTC Raymond L. Stalley
(En route)

1st Cavalry Div (AM)

Asst Div Commander
Asst Div Commander
Chief of Staff
Div Arty Commander
Spt Comd Commander

MC John Norton
■ COL George S. Blanchard
BG W. A. Becker
COL Hubert E. Wolff
COL W. F. Brand
COL J. R. Burton

1st Brigade (Abn)

1st Bn, (Abn), 8th Cav ■ LTC William C. Louisell, Jr.
2d Bn, (Abn), 8th Cav LTC John A. Hemphill
1st Bn, (Abn), 12th Cav LTC James T. Root

2d Brigade

1st Bn, 5th Cav COL Marvin Berenzweig
2d Bn, 5th Cav LTC William B. Ray
2d Bn, 12th Cav Unknown
Unknown

3d Brigade

1st Bn, 7th Cav COL C. D. Daniel
2d Bn, 7th Cav Unknown
5th Bn, 7th Cav ■ LTC Robert D. Stevenson
1st Bn, 9th Cav LTC T. W. Swett, Jr.
LTC James C. Smith

25th Inf Div

Asst Div Commander
Asst Div Commander
Chief of Staff
Div Arty Commander
Spt Comd Commander

MC Frederick C. Weyand
Unknown
BG Glenn D. Walker
COL Thomas W. Mellon
COL D. B. Williams
COL Herbert S. Lowe

1st Brigade

2d Bn, 14th Inf COL William B. Sandlin
4th Bn, 9th Inf LTC John M. Shultz
4th Bn, 23d Inf LTC Shepherd A. Booth, Jr.
LTC Michael Barszcz

2d Brigade

1st Bn, 27th Inf COL T. M. Tarpley
2d Bn, 27th Inf ■ MAJ Guy S. Meloy, III
1st Bn, 5th Inf LTC Harley F. Mooney
LTC Thomas U. Greer

3d Brigade

1st Bn, 14th Inf COL D. P. Bolton
1st Bn, 35th Inf LTC Gilbert Procter, Jr.
2d Bn, 35th Inf Unknown
LTC Philip R. Feir

3d Sqdn, 4th Cav

LTC John R. Hendry

1st Bn, 69th Arm

■ LTC Clyde O. Clark

173d Airborne Brigade

1st Bn, 503d Abn Inf BG Paul F. Smith
2d Bn, 503d Abn Inf LTC Lewis H. Goad
4th Bn, 503d Abn Inf LTC John J. Walsh, Jr.
LTC Michael D. Healy

1st Bde, 101st Abn Div

1st Bn, 327th Abn Inf BG Willard Pearson
2d Bn, 327th Abn Inf Unknown
2d Bn, 502d Abn Inf LTC Joseph Wasco, Jr.
LTC Henry E. Emerson

196th Light Inf Bde

2d Bn, 1st Inf ■ BG Edward H. deSaussure
3d Bn, 21st Inf LTC Charles E. Weddler
4th Bn, 31st Inf LTC Charles K. Nulsen, Jr.
LTC Hugh J. Lynch

11th Arm Cav Regt ■

1st Sqdn COL William W. Cobb
2d Sqdn LTC Martin D. Howell
3d Sqdn LTC Kibbey M. Horne
LTC Palmer A. Peterson

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UNITS IN VIETNAM

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UNIT
DIVISIONS:
<u>1st Inf Div</u> (Dl. An)
<u>1st Bde</u> (Phuoc Vinh)
1/16 Inf Bn
1/28 Inf Bn
2/28 Inf Bn
<u>2d Bde</u> (Bien Hoa)
2/16 Inf Bn
1/18 Inf Bn
2/18 Inf Bn
<u>3d Bde</u> (Lai Khe)
1/26 Inf Bn
1/2 Inf Bn
2/2 Inf Bn
1/4 Cav Sqdn 1/
1/5 FA Bn 105 T
8/6 FA Bn 155/8" T
1/7 FA Bn 105 T
2/33 FA Bn 105 T
1 Engr Bn
121 Sig Bn
173 Avn Co (AML) (Atchd)
1 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)
<u>1st Cav Div</u> (AM) (An Khe)
<u>1st Bde</u> (An Khe)
1/8 Cav Bn (Abn)
2/8 Cav Bn (Abn)
1/12 Cav Bn (Abn)
<u>2d Bde</u> (An Khe)
1/5 Cav Bn
2/5 Cav Bn
2/12 Cav Bn
<u>3d Bde</u> (An Khe)
1/7 Cav Bn
2/7 Cav Bn
5/7 Cav Bn
1/9 Air Cav Sqdn
2/19 FA Bn 105 T
2/20 FA Bn AER RKT 1/
1/21 FA Bn 105 T
1/77 FA Bn 105 T
82 Arty Btry (Avn) 1/
8th Engr Bn
13th Sig Bn
11 Avn Co GS
478 Avn Co (Hv Hel) (Atchd)
17 Avn Co (FWT) (Atchd)
227 Avn Bn (4 Avn Cos)
228 Avn Bn (3 Avn Cos)
229 Avn Bn (4 Avn Cos)
<u>25th Inf Div</u> (Cu Chi)
<u>1st Bde</u>
2/14 Inf Bn
4/9 Inf Bn
4/23 Inf Bn
<u>2d Bde</u> (Cu Chi)
1/5 Inf Bn (Mech)
1/27 Inf Bn
2/27 Inf Bn
3/13 Arty Bn
1/8 Arty Bn
7/11 Arty Bn
65 Engr Bn
125 Sig Bn
25 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)
3/4 Cav Sqdn 1/
<u>3d Bde</u> (Pleiku)
1/14 Inf Bn
1/35 Inf Bn
2/35 Inf Bn
2/9 Arty Bn
1/69 Arm Bn
<u>4th Inf Div</u> (-)
4 Engr Bn (-)

UNIT
DIVISIONS (Contd)
<u>2d Bde</u> (Pleiku)
1/12 Inf Bn
1/22 Inf Bn
2/8 Inf Bn
4/42 Arty Bn 105 T
BRIGADES:
<u>173d Abn Bde</u> (Bien Hoa)
1/503 Abn Inf Bn
2/503 Abn Inf Bn
3/319 FA Bn 105 T
4/503 Abn Inf Bn
<u>1st Bde, 101st Abn Div</u> (Phan Rang)
1/327 Abn Inf Bn
2/327 Abn Inf Bn
2/502 Abn Inf Bn
2/320 FA Bn 105 T
<u>196th Lt Inf Bde</u> (Tay Ninh)
2/1 Inf Bn
3/21 Inf Bn
3/41 Inf Bn
3/82 FA Bn 105 T
ARMED CAV REGT: ■
1st Sqdn, 11th Arm Cav Regt
SPECIAL FORCES GROUPS:
5th SF Gp (Nha Trang)
COMBAT SUPPORT UNITS:
<u>Field Artillery</u>
I Field Force Arty VN (Nha Trang)
1/30 FA Bn 155 T
2/17 FA Bn 105 T
3/18 FA Bn 8" SP
5/27 9A Bn 105 T
6/14 FA Bn 175 SP
II Field Force Arty VN (Bien Hoa)
2/13 FA Bn 105 T
2/32 FA Bn 175 SP
6/27 FA Bn 8" SP
2/35 FA Bn 155 SP
3/6 Arty Bn 105 SP
<u>Air Defense Artillery</u>
6/56 Arty (HAWK)
6/71 Arty (HAWK)
<u>Engineers</u>
18 Engr Bde (Tan Son Nhut)
35th Engr Gp (Const) (Cam Ranh)
62 Engr Bn Const
87 Engr Bn Const
577 Engr Bn Const
864 Engr Bn Const
45th Engr Gp (Const) (Pleiku)
20 Engr Bn Cbt
39 Engr Bn Cbt
299 Engr Bn Cbt
79th Engr Gp (Const) (Phan Rang)
168 Engr Bn Cbt
588 Engr Bn Cbt
159th Engr Gp (Const) (Long Bien)
46 Engr Bn Const
169 Engr Bn Const
937th Engr Gp (Cbt) (Qui Nhon)
19 Engr Bn Cbt
70 Engr Bn Cbt
84 Engr Bn Const
<u>Signal</u>
1st Sig Bde (USASTRATCOM) (SE ASIA)
(Tan Son Nhut)
40 Sig Bn Const
2d Sig Gp USARV
39 Sig Bn
41 Sig Bn
69 Sig Bn
54 Sig Bn - I FFV
53 Sig Bn - II FFV

UNIT
<u>1st Avn Bde</u> 1/ 2/ (Tan Son Nhut)
<u>12th Avn Gp</u> (Long Binh)
11th Avn Bn
116 Avn Co (AML)
128 Avn Co (AML)
162 Avn Co (AML)
178 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)
13th Avn Bn
336 Avn Co (AML) (was A/101)
114 Avn Co (AML)
121 Avn Co (AML)
134 Avn Co (FWT)
221 Avn Co (FWT)
175 Avn Co (AML) (was A/502)
145th Avn Bn
68 Avn Co (AML)
74 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
184 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
118 Avn Co (AML)
71 Avn Co (AML) (was A/501)
335 Avn Co (AML) (was A/82)
147 Avn Co (AML)
222d Avn Bn
54 Avn Co (FWT)
73 Avn Co (Surv)
Prov Avn Bn
57 Avn Co (FWT)
120 Avn Co (AML)
125 Avn Co (ATC)
334 Avn Co (AML) (was 137)
Sep Company
61 Avn Co (FWT)
<u>17th Avn Gp</u> (Nha Trang)
10th Avn Bn
281 Avn Co (AML)
48 Avn Co (AML)
117 Avn Co (AML)
129 Avn Co (AML)
179 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)
14th Avn Bn
92 Avn Co (FWT)
135 Avn Co (FWT)
161 Avn Co (AML)
174 Avn Co (AML)
282 Avn Co (AML)
52d Avn Bn
119 Avn Co (AML)
155 Avn Co (AML)
170 Avn Co (AML)
I Corps Avn Bn (Prov)
131 Avn Co (Surv)
220 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
223 Avn Bn
18 Avn Co (FWT)
219 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
183 Avn Co (Surv Lt)
Sep Company
I Corps Avn Co (Prov)
AIRCRAFT MAINT COMPANIES:
56 TC Co (Acft DS)
79 TC Co (Acft DS)
330 TC Co (Acft GS)
335 TC Co (Acft DS)
339 TC Co (Acft DS)
540 TC Co (Acft GS)
604 TC Co (Acft DS)
605 TC Co (Acft DS)
611 TC Co (Acft DS)

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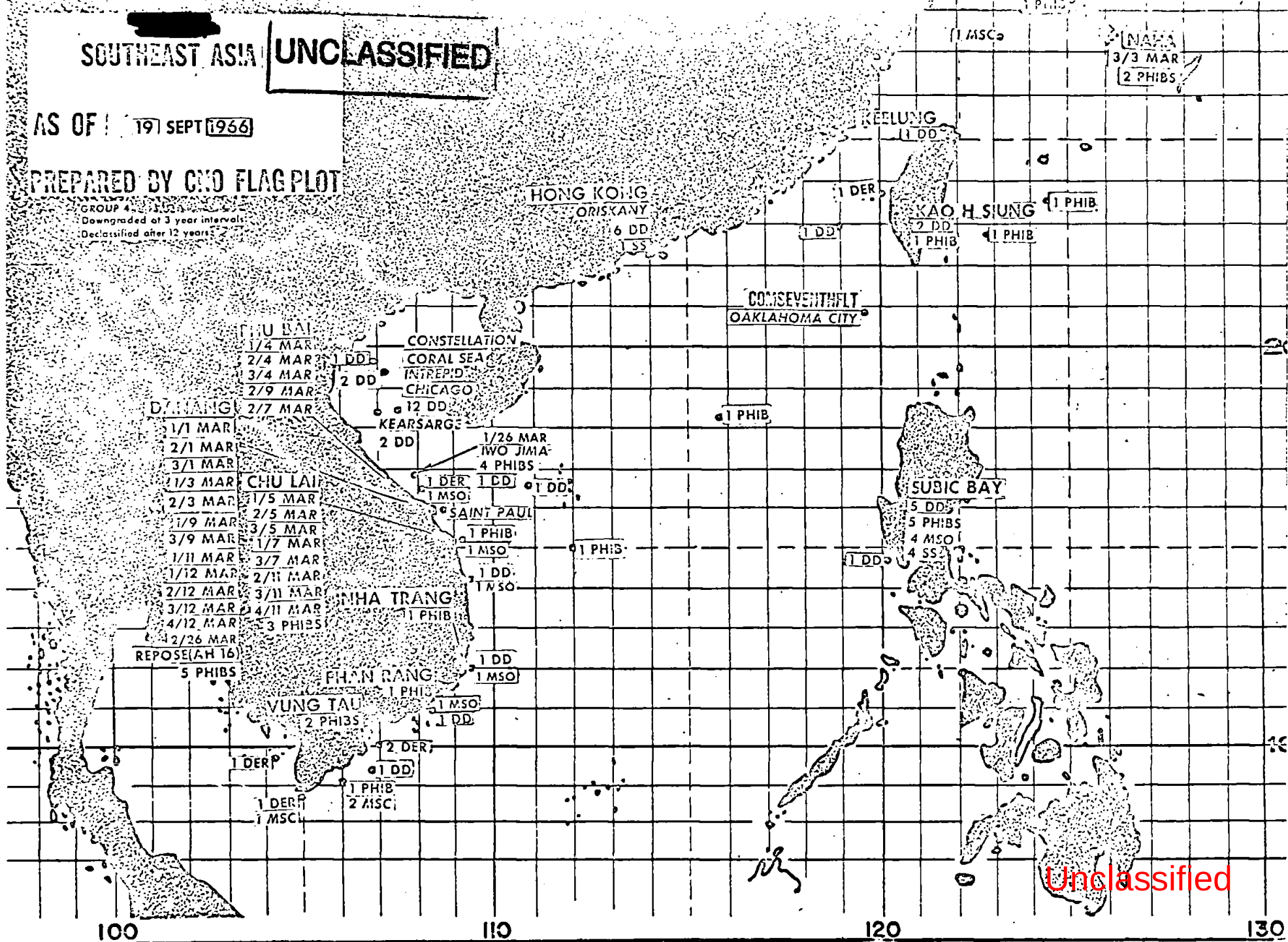
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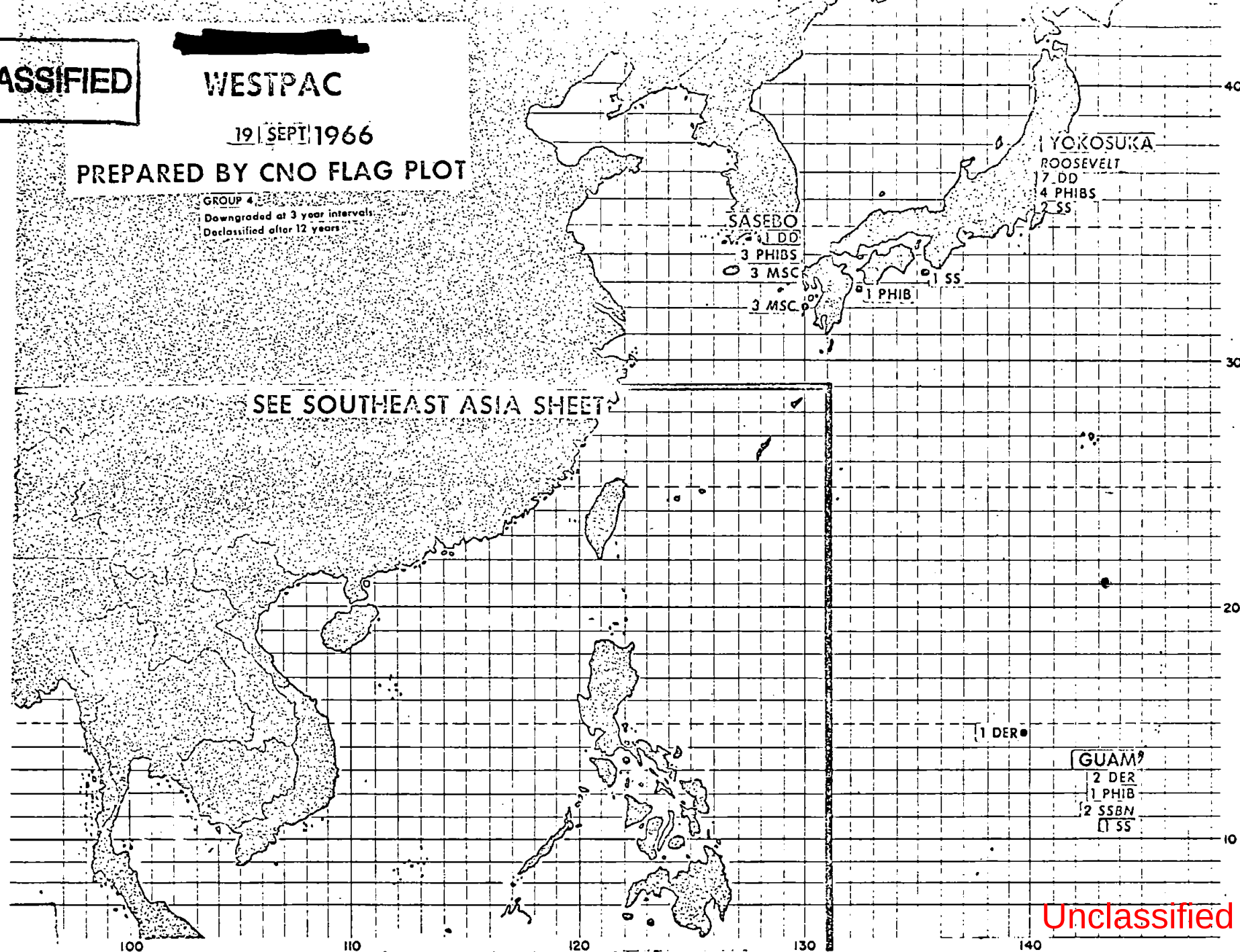
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UNIT	MCAS CHERRY PT	MCAS BEAUFORT	MCAF NEW RIVER	ROOSEVELT ROADS	MEDITER- RANEAN	CARIBBEAN READY FORCE	OTHER
<u>MAG-26</u>			8/CH-37A				
H&MS-26			1/UH-34D				
			1/C-117D				
			1/C-47				
VMO-1			13/UH-1E			2/UH-1E	# 2/UH-1E
HMM-162			23/UH-34D				
HMM-261			17/CH-46A				
HMM-262			33/CH-46A				
HMM-264						23/UH-34D	
HMM-365							# 24/UH-34D
HMH-461							
<u>MAG-31</u>		3/T-1A					
H&MS-31		1/C-117					
VMA-324					14/A-4E		ABD USS INDEPENDENCE
VMA-331		22/A-4E					
VMF(AW)-451		12/F-8D					
<u>MAG-32</u>		3/T-1A					
H&MS-32		1/C-117					
		1/C-47J					
VMFA-251		11/F4B					
VMFA-312							10/F4B MCAS YUMA
VMF(AW)-333		9/F-8E					
		6/F-8D					
HQS SQDN, FMFLANT							*1/C-131F; 2/UC-45J; 2/T1A; 1/C54J; 1/VC-54P

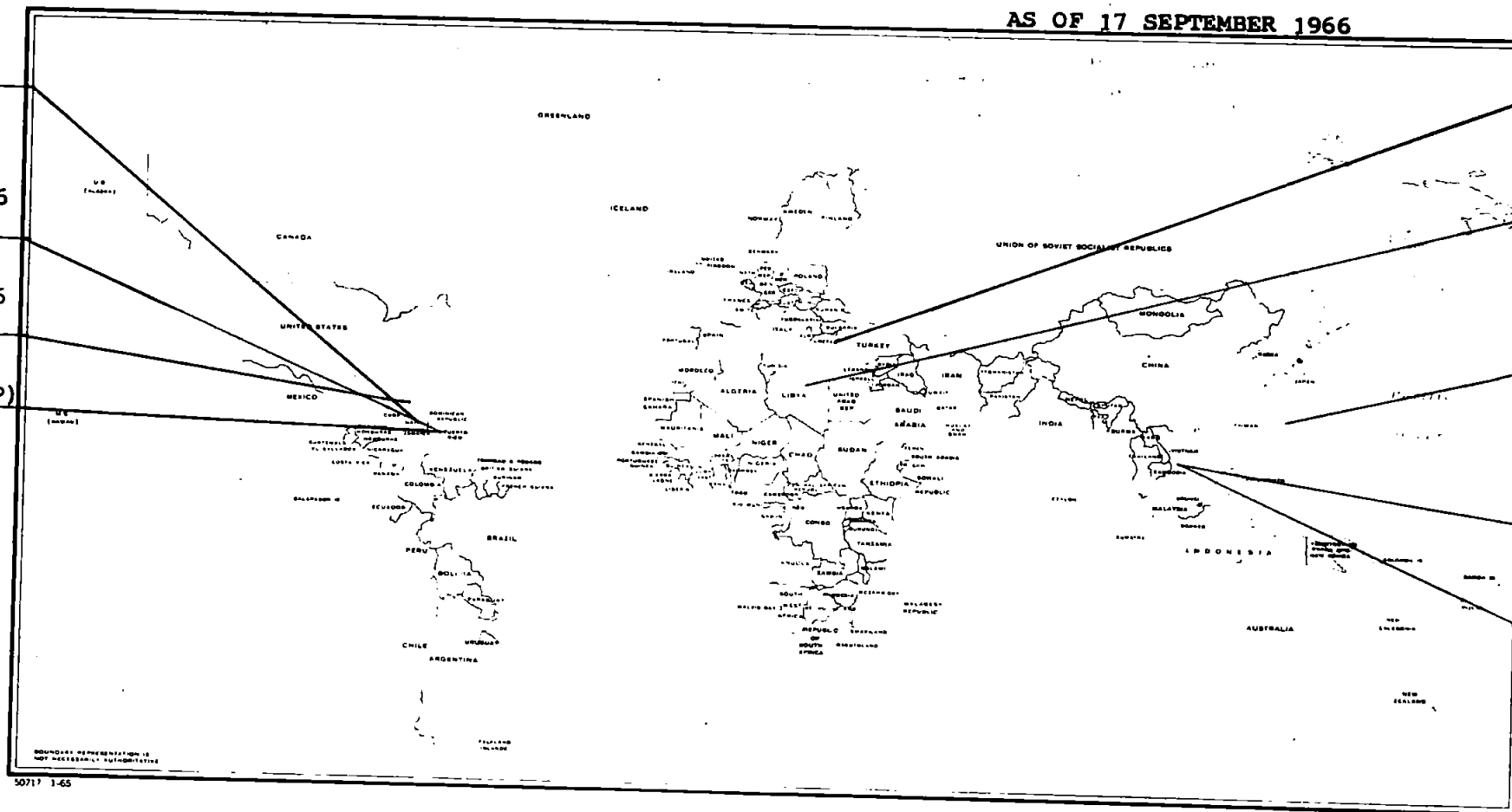
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BN(-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT 2D TANK BN

CARIB RDY FORCE 2-66
(BLT 3/6 & HMM-264)
AT SAN JUAN, P. R.

CARIB RDY FORCE 3-66
(BLT 3/2 & HMM-365)
ENR CARIB

MEBLEX 1-66(12-25SEP)
12TH MEB
CARIB 2-66
CARIB 3-66
VMA-331
AT VIEQUES

VMA-324 (14/A
ABD USS INDEPEN-
DENCE. AT
ISTANBUL, TURKEY

LANFORMED 2-66
(BLT 2/6)
AT BOMBA, LIBYA
FOR PHIBLEX 2-67

BLT 3/26 &
HMM-165
BLT 3/26 ENR OKI
ETA OKI 23SEP
HMM-165 ENR RVN
ETA RVN 28SEP

III MAF
RVN

SLF (BLT 1/25 &
HMM-363)
ASHORE RVN PAR-
TICIPATING IN OPN
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THIRD MARINE AMPHIBIOUS FORCE

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN L. W. WALT
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN L. B. ROBERTSHAW
CHIEF OF STAFF	BGEN J. M. PLATT
ACOS, G-1	COL J. L. MAHON
ACOS, G-2	COL R. H. THOMPSON
ACOS, G-3	COL J. R. CHAISSON
ACOS, G-4	COL J. F. QUILTY
ACOS, G-5	COL E. S. HOLMGRAIN

FIRST MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN L. J. FIELDS
ADC	BGEN W. A. STILES
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL G. H. WEST
ACOS, G-1	COL C. C. CROSSFIELD, II
ACOS, G-2	COL J. J. O'DONNELL
ACOS, G-3	COL H. POGGEMEYER, Jr.
ACOS, G-4	LCOL W. E. BOND
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COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. L. MALLORY
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	MAJ H. DONABEDIAN
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3RD BATTALION	LCOL R. E. YOUNG
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EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL J. P. ODENTHAL
1ST BATTALION	LCOL R. R. DICKEY
2ND BATTALION	LCOL V. OHANESIAN
2ND BN, 26TH MARINES	LCOL J. J. WILSON

FOURTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. D. CEREGHINO
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL M. S. CAMPBELL
1ST BATTALION	LCOL J. WESTERMAN
2ND BATTALION	LCOL A. E. BENCH
3RD BATTALION	LCOL W. J. MASTERPOOL

NINTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. BARRETT
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL A. A. NELSON
1ST BATTALION	LCOL R. E. JONES
2ND BATTALION	LCOL J. J. HESS
3RD BATTALION	MAJ F. D. MACLEAN

TWELVTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL B. S. READ
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL J. W. LUTHER
1ST BATTALION	LCOL F. J. JOHNSTON
2ND BATTALION	LCOL J. R. GALLMAN
3RD BATTALION	LCOL C. S. KIRCHMAN
4TH BATTALION	LCOL D. G. JONES

FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN L. B. ROBERTSHAW
AWC	BGEN H. M. ELWOOD
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL E. J. DOYLE
ACOS, G-1	COL D. H. JOHNSON
ACOS, G-2	COL G. M. DODENHOFF
ACOS, G-3	COL A. A. LUND
ACOS, G-4	COL H. H. LONG
ACOS, G-5	LCOL F. J. BERGER

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-11

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL F. C. THOMAS
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL G. M. CLOUD
VMFA-115	MAJ L. R. VANDEUSEN
VMP(AW)-235	MAJ D. A. MICKLE
VMFA-314	LCOL D. E. BJORKLUND
VMFA-323	LCOL A. W. TALBERT, Jr.

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-12

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. W. HUBBARD
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL T. E. MULVIHILL
VMA-214	LCOL R. D. WALLACE
VMA-223	LCOL R. B. SINCLAIR
VMA-224	LCOL J. BROWNE
VMA-311	LCOL P. G. MCMAHON

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-13 **

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. A. HARPER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL J. J. MURPHY
VMA-211	MAJ H. J. AYERS
VMFA-542	MAJ P. S. FRAPPOLLO

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-16

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. M. HUNT
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL R. L. SIMMONS
HMM-161	LCOL S. F. MARTIN
HMM-263	LCOL J. L. GOEBEL
HMM-164	LCOL W. C. WATSON
HMM-265	LCOL H. E. MENDENHALL
VMO-2	LCOL A. W. BARDEN

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-36

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. J. ARMSTRONG
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LCOL A. W. COSTELLO
HMM-361	LCOL F. D. TWEED
HMM-362	MAJ M. D. ARMSTRONG
HMM-364	LCOL D. A. SOMERVILLE
VMO-6	MAJ W. R. MALLONEY

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL G. C. AXTELL	FLSG-A/1ST SERVICE BN	COL R. R. WEIR
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	COL W. H. COWPER	FLSG-B/3RD SERVICE BN	COL R. M. SHELLEY

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UNIT	COMMANDER	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		EASTPAC		HAWAII		OKINAWA		JAPAN		DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		SLF		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
3D MAW	MGEN F.E. LEEK																				
AWC	BGEN J.P. COURSEY																				
MWHG-3	COL E.E. SHIFFLETT																				
H&HS-3	LTCOL W.D. HARRIS	1114	6	1114	6																
MASS-3	LTCOL J.E. DIXON	183	2	108																875	2
MACS-1	MAJ R.M. PROUDFOOT	255	2	255	2																
MACTU-65	1STLT R.J. PUSKAR	34		34																	
MACS-3	LTCOL E.A. BURNS	285		285																	
MARTSAT-3	MAJ P.G. JANSSEN	48		48																	
FMP AUG, YUMA	LTCOL E.S. MURPHY	103		103																	
MACS-4	LTCOL J.P. FLYNN, JR	153	2	153	2																
VMT-103	LTCOL R.A. DEASY	232		232																	
VMO-3		11		11																	
MASS-5		114		114																	
5TH LAAM BN		15		15																	
MHTG-30	COL R.R. RILEY																				
H&MS-30	MAJ G.P. WARREN	250		250																	
HMMT-301	LTCOL W.R. DUNCAN	306		306																	
HMMT-302																					
HMMT-310		291		291																	

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-33	COL D. L. LENGEL																				
H&MS-33	MAJ R.A. FULLER	498		498																	
MABS-33	MAJ H.J. BOND	501	1	501	1																
VMFA-122	MAJ J.I. HUDSON	280	1	280	1																
VMF-334	MAJ J.W. DETROY	189	1	189	1																
VMCJ-3	LTCOL W.B. FLEMING	379	1	379	1																
MWSG-37	COL D.D. RICKABAUGH																				
H&HS-37	LTCOL DEFENBAUGH	388		388																	
MABS-37	MAJ C.E. WILCOX	706	115	706	115																
MAMS-37	MAJ A.H. MANHART	432		432																	
HMH-463	MAJ W.R. BEELER	92		92																	
HMM-165	LTCOL W. ELDRIDGE	274																		274	
HMH-462	CAPT A. H. MAIER	7		7																	
SU#1, MABS-37	MAJ C. M. HAYES	674		674																	
VMGR-352	LTCOL R.M. WILLIAMS	366	1	366	1																
1ST BRIG AVIATION																					
VMF(AW)-212	LTCOL C.M. WALLACE	157				157															
MACS-2	MAJ J.R. DOPLER	206				206															
H&MS, 1ST MAR BRIG	LTCOL L.F. BLASS	63				63															
MATCU-62	CAPT J. N. BACON	52				52															
AVIATION UNIT TOTALS		24,119		8,103		550		1,402		2,743		5,785		4,615		349		223		349	
		399		130				20		39		101		101		5		1		2	
		24,518		8,233		550		1,422		2,782		5,886		4,716		354		224		351	
TOTAL FMFPAC MARCOR PERSONNEL		86,747		12,677		2,341		8,795		2,801		28,247		21,047		6,633		1,924		2,282	
TOTAL FMFPAC NAVY PERSONNEL		3,408		295		80		325		41		1,142		970		348		91		116	
TOTAL FMFPAC PERSONNEL		90,155		12,972		2,421		9,120		2,842		29,389		22,017		6,981		2,015		2,398	

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

DA NANG

III MAF

USMC 28,247

USN 1,142

H&S COMPANY
SU #1 1ST RADIO BN
1ST FORCE RECON CO
1ST MP BN (AB DEF BN)
SU #1 1ST ANGLICO

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPTCO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/1
2/1
3/1
3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/3
2/3
2/26
9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1/9
3/9
12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF
1/11
1/12
2/12
4/12 (-)
3D AT BN
3D ENGR BN
3D MED BN
3D DENTAL CO FMF
3D MT BN
3D RECON BN
3D SP BN
3D TANK BN
1ST AMTRAC BN FMF
PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1
1ST LAAM BN
MWSG-17
MAG-11
VMCJ-1
VMFA-115
VMFA-314
VMFA-323
VMF(AW)-235
MAG-16
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-263
HMM-265 (CH-46A)
VMO-2

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

FLSG-A/3D SVC BN

STRENGTH RECAP ★

	USMC	USN
RVN	56,351	2,460
III MAF	55,927	2,460
DA NANG	(28,247)	(1,142)
CHU LAI	(21,047)	(570)
PHU BAI	(6,633)	(348)
EMBASSY GUARDS	68	
ADVISORS	42	
MACV STAFF	194	
NAVADVP	52	
CO L, MARSPTBN	68	
OKINAWA	8,795	325
SLF	1,924	91
JAPAN	2,801	41
TOTALS	69,871	2,917

OKINAWA

9th MAB (-)

HQ CO
COMM SPT CO, 9TH COMM BN
PROV SERV BN/LSG
26TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3/3
1/13 (-)

MAG-15
VMGR-152
HMM-163

3D FSR

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
	1,924	91

JAPAN

9th MAB

MAG-15
VMA-121
VMF(AW)-232
MAG-13
VMA-211
VMFA-542

NMCB/NavSA

	NMCB	NavSA
DANANG	3,671	7,148
HQ, 30TH NCR		
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9, NMCB-10, NMCB-11		
CHU LAI	1,332	
NMCB-3, NMCB-40		
PHU BAI	690	
NMCB-7		
TOTALS	5,693	7,148

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA CHU LAI 24 OCT.
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
ETA OKI 23SEP
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN.
ETA RVN 28SEP

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CHU LAI

USMC 21,047

USN 970

1st MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

5TH MARINES
1/5
2/5
3/5
7TH MARINES
1/7
2/7 (-)
3/7
11TH MARINES (-) (REIN)
3D 155MM GUN BTRY (SP)(-) (REIN)FMF
2/11 (-)
3/11
4/11 (-) (REIN)
3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF
CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD
DET 2/1
3 CO'S
1ST AT BN (-)
1ST ENGR BN (-)
1ST MED BN (-)
1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF
1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF
1ST RECON BN (-) (REIN)
1ST TANK BN (-)
1ST MT BN (-)
7TH MT BN (-) FMF
1ST SP BN (-)
7TH COMM BN (-) FMF
3D AMTRAC BN (-) FMF

1st MAW

2D LAAM BN
MAG-12
VMA-214
VMA-223
VMA-224
VMA-311
MAG-36
HMM-361
HMM-362
HMM-364
VMO-6

III MAF

9TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
(2D ROKMC BDE)

FLC

FLSG-B/1ST SVC BN

PHU BAI

USMC 6,633

USN 348

4TH MARINES (REIN)
1/4
2/4
3/4
2/9
3/12 (REIN)
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY (SP) FMF
MTR BTRY 1/11
M BTRY, 4/12

HMM-161
FLSU-2

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NUMBER OF CASUALTIES INCURRED BY U.S. MILITARY PERSONNEL

IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONFLICT IN VIET-NAM

Cumulative from January 1, 1961 through September 17, 1966

	Army	Navy **	Marine Corps	Air Force	Total
A. CASUALTIES RESULTING FROM ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
1. Killed	2,676	115	1,359	89	4,239
2. Wounded or Injured					
a. Died of wounds	275	17	183	8	483
b. Nonfatal wounds	18,116	728	9,215	693	28,752
3. Missing					
a. Died while missing	267	33	5	128	433
b. Returned to control	25	7	3	10	45
c. Current Missing	23	39	31	215	308
4. Captured or Interned					
a. Died while captured or interned	4	-	-	1	5
b. Returned to control	3	-	-	-	3
c. Current captured or interned	11	34	1	28	74
5. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	30	71	15	201	317
Helicopter	240	6	62	3	311
b. From ground action	2,952	88	1,470	22	4,532
TOTAL DEATHS <u>a/</u>	3,222*	165	1,547	226	5,160
B. CASUALTIES NOT THE RESULT OF ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
6. Current Missing	18	-	1	-	19
7. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	56	13	11	58	138
Helicopter	185	3	29	-	217
b. From other causes	442	48	187	66	743
TOTAL DEATHS	683	64	227	124	1,098

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

* Includes 127 Special Forces personnel.

** Navy figures include a small number of Coast Guard Casualties.

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Office of Secretary of Defense

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USMC CASUALTIES IN RVN AND
RESULTS OF III MAF OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

MARINE CORPS

RESULTS OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>KIA & DOW</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
1,533	9,190	31

NOT RESULT OF ACTION BY HOSTILE FORCES

<u>DEAD</u>	<u>INJURED</u>	<u>MISSING</u>
226	514	1

VC/NVA

<u>KIA</u>	<u>WIA</u>	<u>POW</u>	<u>SUSPECTS</u>
11,211	452	1,315	7,859

NOTE 1: FIGURES CONCERNING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY USMC IN RVN ARE PROVIDED BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION AND ARE CURRENT AS OF 16 SEPTEMBER 1966.

NOTE:2: CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY SERVICES SINCE 1 JANUARY 1961 ARE REFLECTED ON ADJOINING SHEET, PUBLISHED BY DOD EACH WEEK.

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LANFORMED 2-66

AS OF: 17 SEPTEMBER 1966

LANFORMED 2-66 (TF-62)	STRENGTH			
	USMC		USN	
LTCOL P. WEILER BLT 2/6	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL
2d Bn, 6th Mar	35	929	3	33
Btry E, 2d Bn, 10th Mar	4	134	1	1
Det, HqBn, 2d MarDiv	1	18		
Det, 2d Dental Co			2	2
Plat, Co A, 2d AmTrac Bn	1	42		1
Plat, Co C, 2d Recon Bn	1	24		1
Plat, Co B, 2d AT Bn	1	21		
Plat, Co A, 2d Tank Bn	1	25		
Plat, Co B, 2d Engr Bn	1	48		
Plat, Co C, 2d MT Bn	1	21		
Plat, Co C, 2d SP Bn	1	50		2
Det, 2d FSR		23		
Det, 2d Med Bn		9		15
Det, 2d Serv Bn	1	21		
Det, BMU-2		29	1	32
Det, MSL				20
Det, UDT-2				22
Det, ACU-2				17
Det, ACB-2			2	28
TOTAL	47	1,416	9	174

ARMS/EQUIPMENT

- 25 M60, MG
- 29 3.5 ROCKET LAUNCHER
- 4 .50 CAL MG
- 8 81MM MORTAR
- 8 106MM RR
- 8 FLAME THROWERS
- 6 105MM HOWITZER
- 5 M50 ONTOS
- 5 M48 90MM TANK
- 27 M79 GERADE LAUNCHER
- 33 M422 MIGHTY MITE
- 26 M274 TRUCK, ½ TON
- 28 M35 TRUCK, 2½ TON
- 2 M54 TRUCK, 5 TON
- 11 LVTP-5
- 8 M37 TRUCK, ¾ TON
- 2 M43 AMBULANCE, ¾ TON
- 2 M51 DUMP TRUCK, 5 TON
- 2 M170 AMBULANCE
- 1 M52 TRUCK TRACTOR
- 5 M38 UTIL TRUCK, ¼ TON
- 1 TD15 TRACTOR
- 2 TD24 TRACTOR

AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

AT BOMBA, LIBYA FOR TRAINING ASHORE FOR PHIBLEX 2-67

SHIPPING

APA CHILTON
 APA MOUNTRAIL
 AKA THUBAN
 LST TRAVERSE CTY
 LSD DONNER
 LSD SAN MARCOS

SUPPLIES

CLASS I 90 DAYS
 CLASS II 75 DAYS
 CLASS III 30 DAYS
 CLASS IV 60 DAYS
 CLASS V 25 DAYS

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PMF DEPLOYMENTS

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CARIB RDY FORCE 3-66
(BLT 3/2 & HMM-365)
ENR CARIB (~~CHOP TO~~
~~COMSEVENTHFLT 20SEP~~)

GTMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN(-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

CARIB RDY FORCE 2-66
(BLT 3/6 & HMM-264)
AT SAN JUAN, P.R.

BLEX 1-66 (12-25SEP)
12TH MEB
CARIB 2-66
CARIB 3-66
VMA-331
AT VIEQUES

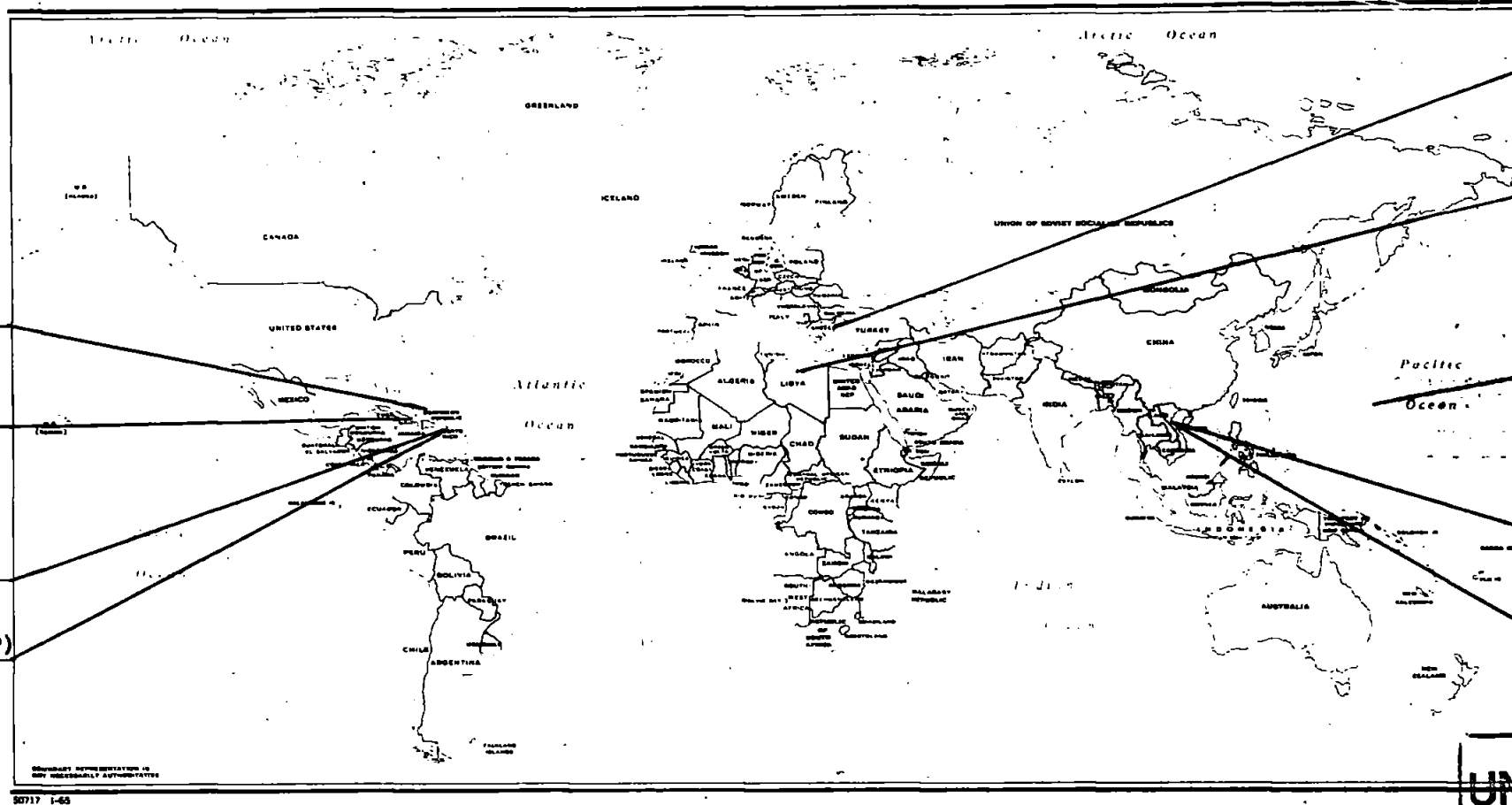
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ABD USS INDEPEN-
DENCE. AT ISTANBUL,
TURKEY

LANFORMED 2-66
(BLT 2/6)
ENR BOMBA, LIBYA
FOR PHIBLEX 2-67
ETA 16SEP

BLT 3/26 &
HMM-165
BLT 3/26 ENR OKI
HMM-165 ENR RVN
ETA OKI 23SEP
ETA RVN 28SEP

III MAF
RVN

SLF (BLT 1/26 &
HMM-363)
ASHORE RVN PAR-
TICIPATING IN ORN
"DECKHOUSE IV"



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NINTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. BARRETT
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL A.A. NELSON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. E. JONES
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. J. HESS
3RD BATTALION	MAJ F. D. MACLEAN

TWELVTH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL B. S. READ
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL J.W. LUTHER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL F. J. JOHNSTON
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. R. GALLMAN
3RD BATTALION	MAJ S. M. MORROW
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL D. G. JONES

FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN L.B. ROBERTSHAW
AWC	BGEN H.M. ELWOOD
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL H.W. TAYLOR
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL R.O. CARLOCK
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL B.H. BARBER
ACOS, G-3	
ACOS, G-4	COL F.J. FRAZER
ACOS, G-5	COL F.J. FRAZER

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-11

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL F.C. THOMAS
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL G.M. CLOUD
VMFA-115	MAJ L.R. VANDEUSEN
VMF(AW)-235	MAJ D.A. MICKLE
VMFA-542	MAJ P.S. FRAPPOLLO
VMFA-323	LTCOL A.W. TALGERT

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-12

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL L.E. BROWN
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL P.E. MULLIHILL
VMA-214	LTCOL D. WALLACE
VMA-223	LTCOL R.B. SINCLAIR
VMA-224	LTCOL J. BROWNE
VMA-311	LTCOL P.G. MCMAHON

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-13

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E.A. HARPER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL J.J. MURPHY
VMA-211	MAJ H.J. AYERS
VMFA-314	LTCOL D. BJORKLAND
HMM-263	LTCOL J.L. GOEBEL
HMM-363	LTCOL J.D. MCGOUGH
HMM-364	LTCOL D. SOMERVILLE
VMGR-152	LTCOL J. URELL

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-16

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R.M. HUNT
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL R.L. SIMMONS
HMM-161	LTCOL S.F. MARTIN
HMM-163	LTCOL C.A. HOUSE
HMM-164	LTCOL W.C. WATSON
HMM-265	LTCOL H.E. MENDENHALL
VMO-2	LTCOL A.W. BARDEN

MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP-36

COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL A.W. COSTELLO
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	LTCOL M.D. TWEED
HMM-361	LTCOL A. BARROTTO
HMM-362	LTCOL J.D. MCGOUGH
HMM-363	MAJ W.J. GOODSSELL
VMO-6	

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL G.C. AXTELL
EXECUTIVE OFFICER	COL W.H. COWPER

FLSG-A/3RD SERVICE BN	COL R. WEIR
FLSG-B/1ST SERVICE BN	

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DA NANG

UNCLASSIFIED III MAF

USMC 28,247

USN 1,142

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1ST FORCE RECON CO
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SU #1 1ST ANGLICO

5TH COMM BN (-) (REIN)
COMSPTCO 7TH COMM BN
7TH ENGR BN (-) (REIN)
1ST BRIDGE CO
A CO 9TH ENGR BN
9TH MT BN

3D MAR DIV (-) (REIN)

1ST MARINES (-) (REIN)

1/1

2/1

3/1

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)

1/3

2/3

2/26

9TH MARINES (-) (REIN)

1/9

3/9

12TH MARINES (-) (REIN)

1ST 8" HOW BTRY (SP) FMF

1/11

1/12

2/12

4/12 (-)

3D AT BN

3D ENGR BN

3D MED BN

3D DENTAL CO FMF

3D MT BN

3D RECON BN

3D SP BN

3D TANK BN

1ST AMTRAC BN FMF

PLAT LVTH

1st MAW

MWHG-1

1ST LAAM BN

MWSG-17

MAG-11

VMCJ-1

VMFA-115

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VMF(AW)-235

MAG-16

HMM-164 (CH-46A)

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OKINAWA

USMC 8,795 USN 325

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HQ CO
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USMC 21,047

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4/11 (-) (REIN)

3D 8" HOW BTRY (SP) (-) FMF

CHU LAI DEFENSE CMD

DET 2/7

3 CO'S

1ST AT BN (-)

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1ST HOSPITAL CO (-) FMF

1ST DENTAL CO (-) FMF

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7TH MT BN (-) FMF

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1st MAW

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DANANG
HQ, 30TH NCR
NMCB-1, NMCB-6, NMCB-9,
NMCB-10, NMCB-11
CHU LAI
NMCB-3, NMCB-40
PHU BAI
NMCB-7

TOTALS 5,693 7,148

MOVEMENTS

MASS-3 (-) CONUS-CHU LAI
ETA PEARL HARBOR 21SEP
3/26 CONUS-OKI-SLF
ETA OKI 23SEP
HMM-165 (CH-46A)
CONUS - RVN.
ETA RVN 28SEP

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PHU BAI

USMC 6,633

USN 348

4TH MARINES (REIN)

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VC/NVA

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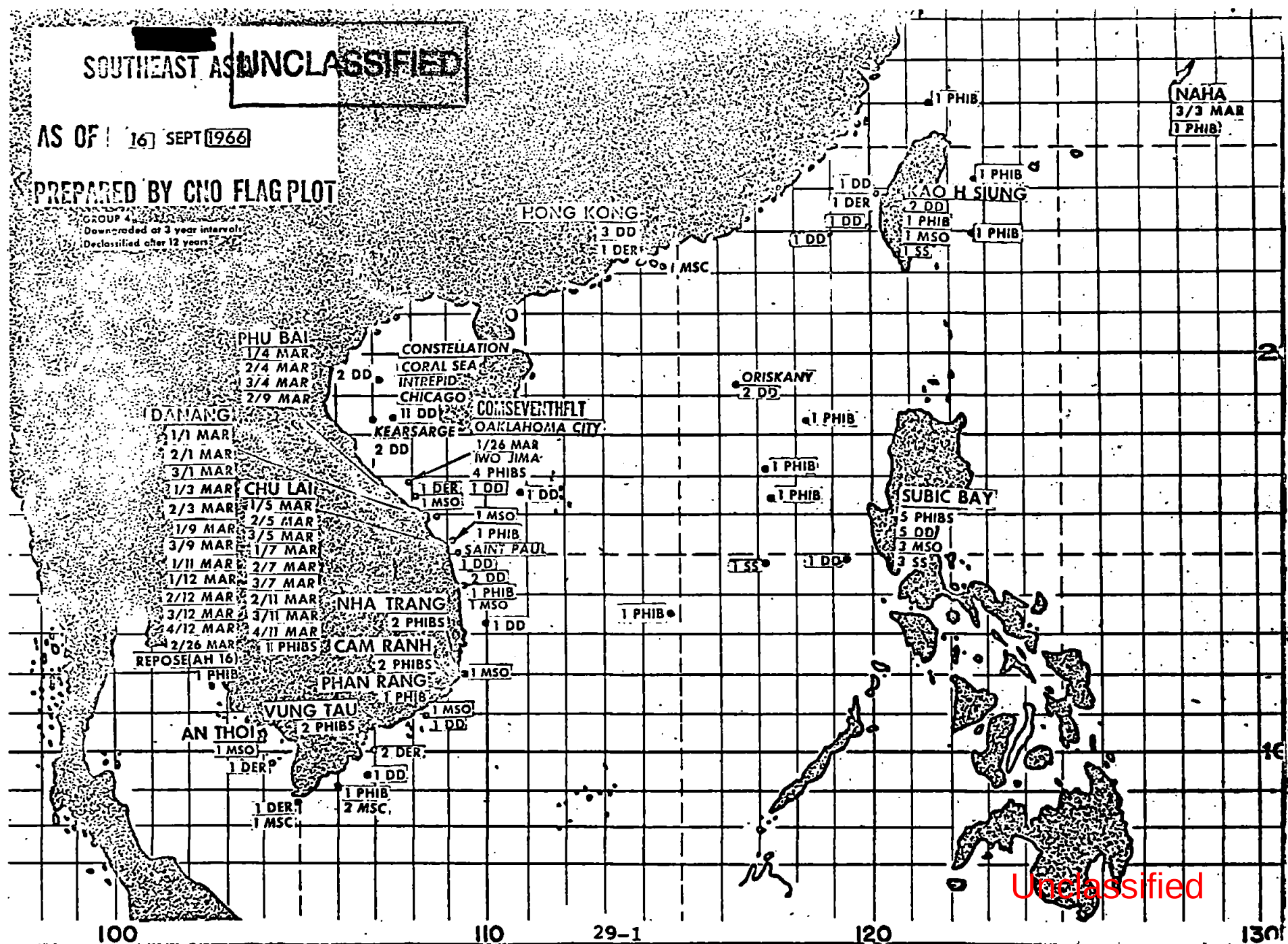
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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL, FLEET MARINE FORCE, ATLANTIC

AS OF: 16 SEPTEMBER 1966

UNIT	COMMANDER	STRENGTH		BASE		ROOS RDS		GTMO		CARIB 2-66		VIEQUES		MED 2-66		OTHER	
		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HQ FMFLANT	LTGEN A. L. BOWSER	1,102	15	1,102	15												
H&S BN	LTCOL L. K. WIRTH	988	15	988	15												
HQ SQDN, FMFLANT	MAJ J. F. JONES	114		114													
FORCE TROOPS	BGEN F. R. BOUKER	9,692	167	9,212	163			120	2	90		81	1	91	1	98	
HQ CO	LTCOL DRAKE	461	8	461	8												
2D FSR	COL H. WALLACE	3,264	25	3,165	25			30		23				23		23	
H&S BN	LTCOL J. A. WACHTER																
SUP BN	LTCOL C. A. SALSER																
MAINT BN	LTCOL E. K. VICKERS																
2D TANK BN	LTCOL R. H. LEWIS	853	16	733	16			42		26				26		26	
2D FORCE RECON	MAJ NORRIS	157	5	157	5												
2D ANGLICO	LTCOL J. A. NILSON	280	11	232	9			48	2								
2D TOPO CO	CAPT M. E. SCHARWZ	102	4	94	4											8	
2D BRIDGE CO	CAPT R. A. CAPEK	179	2	179	2												
2D SEP SERGICAL CO	LCMDR W. E. ROYALS (USN)	8	3	8	3												
2D RADIO BN	MAJ BEDWELL	291	3	291	3												
8TH ENGR BN	MAJ SCRUGGS	1,353	11	1,272	10							81	1				
2D AMTRAC BN	LTCOL R.R. MONTGOMERY	868	11	744	10					41				42	1	41	
8TH COMM BN	LTCOL E. B. HART	739	7	739	7												
2D FLD ARTY GRP	LTCOL W. W. CROMPTON	643	4	643	4												
8TH MT BN	LTCOL C.A. ROSENFELD	423	5	423	5												
4TH DENTAL CO	CAPT C. GARNER (USN)		34		34												
2D HOSPITAL CO	CMDR B.K.SLEMMONS (USN)	22	18	22	18												
2D CI TEAM	CAPT W. R. GENTRY	11		11													
2D ITT TEAM	CAPT F.J.LENNARTZ IV	11		11													
4TH ITT TEAM	1STLT V. MATAL JR.	8		8													
6TH ITT TEAM	CAPT E.R.COLLINS JR.	19		19													

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
2. MARINE DIVISION	MGEN O. R. SIMPSON	2,151	869	1,643	523			934	24	1,154	39			1,341	56	1,659	49
HQBN	COL HARTE	1,819	40	1,758	39					21	1			19		21	
2D MARINES	COL W.R. BURGOYNE, JR.																
HQCO	CAPT FOWLER	266	7	266	7												
1ST BN	LTCOL J.A. MACDONALD	781	22					781	22								
2D BN	LTCOL F.W. TIEF	1,037	46	1,037	46												
3D BN	LTCOL C. V. JUDGE	1,299	42													1,299	42
6TH MARINES	COL J. C. SHORT																
HQCO	CAPT G.B. SPERRY	244	14	244	14												
1ST BN	LTCOL D.M. EDWARDS	993	21	993	21												
2D BN	LTCOL O. WEILER	1,300	56	338	20									962	36		
3D BN	LTCOL R.L. MICHAEL, JR	1,348	46	514	16					834	30						
8TH MARINES	COL G.D. WEBSTER																
HQCO	CAPT D. L. ODOM	220	3	220	3												
1ST BN	LTCOL F.H. WALDROP	1,385	25	1,385	25												
2D BN	LTCOL C. G. COOPER	1,690	20	1,690	20												
3D BN	LTCOL R.L. NICHOLS	1,192	22	1,192	22												
10TH MARINES	COL C. E. WALKER																
HQ BTRY	2DLT D.R. RINGER	352	25	352	25												
1ST BN	MAJ R.C. HUGHES	768	8	768	8												
2D BN	LTCOL R.E. SANTEE	749	10	474	6					137	2			138	2		
3D BN	LTCOL D. E. HOWARD	776	7	639	5											137	2
4TH BN	LTCOL S.B. MCCARTHY	611	10	458	8			153	2								
2D SERVICE BN	COL R.B. MCBROOM	1,388	23	1,281	23					27				43		37	
2D AT BN	MAJ LAINE	431	7	365	7					22				22		22	
2D MT BN	LTCOL R. W. TAYLOR	273	6	202	6					24				23		24	
2D RECON BN	LTCOL H. KISER	465	10	398	8					21	1			25	1	21	
2D ENGR BN	LTCOL VOMORDE	1,192	10	1,048	10					47				49		48	
2D SP BN	LTCOL E. J. MEGARR	769	15	647	13					21				51	2	50	
2D MEDICAL BN	LCDR N.E. WENGER (USN)	167	111	158	86						5			9	15		5
2D DENTAL CO	LT(JG) D.A. DNALL (USN)	3	85	3	85												

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
VMT-1	MAJ J.E. WEBER	113		113													
VMCJ-2	LTCOL T.E. MURPHREE	418		418													
MACS-5	MAJ G.G. LONG	216		216													
MACS-9	LTCOL D.H. FISHER	207		207													
12TH DENTAL CO	CAPT L. YOUNG		55		55												

TOTAL FMFLANT USMC PERSONNEL	46,594	40,384		1,054	1,481	81	1,432	2,162
TOTAL FMFLANT USN PERSONNEL	1,121	944		26	42	1	57	51
TOTAL FMFLANT PERSONNEL	47,715	41,328		1,080	1,523	82	1,489	2,213

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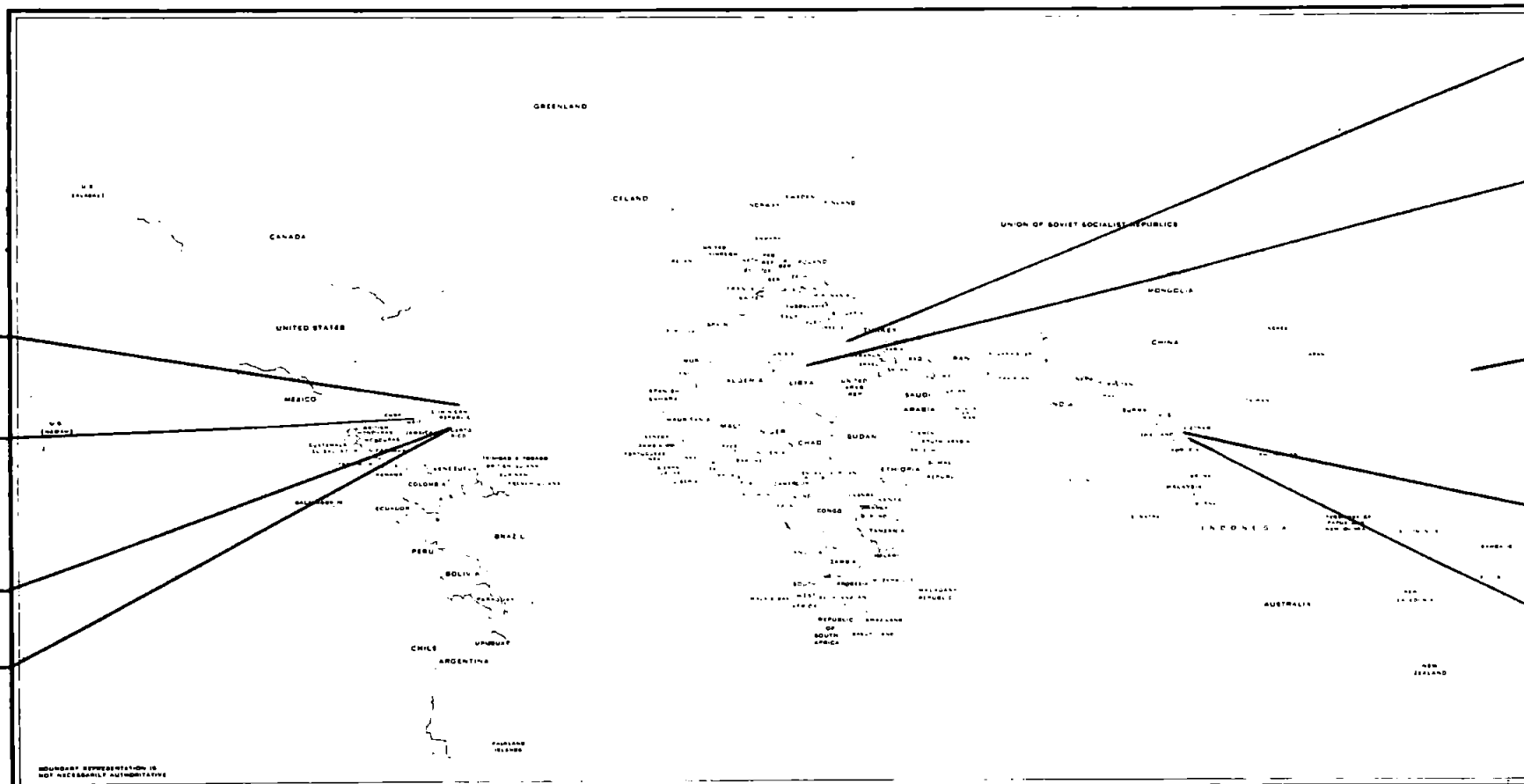
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CARIB RDY FORCE 3-66
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ENR CARIB (CHOP TO
COMSEVENTHFLT 20SEP)

GTMO AUGMENTATION
1ST BN(-), 2D MAR
BTRY K, 4/10
PLAT, 2D TANK BN

CARIB RDY FORCE 2-66
(BLT 3/6 & HMM-264)
AT SAN JUAN, P.R.

MEBLEX 1-66 (12-25SEP)
12TH MEB
CARIB 2-66
CARIB 3-66
VMA-331
AT VIEQUES



VMA-324 (14/A4E)
ABD USS INDEPEN-
DENCE. AT
ISTANBUL, TURKEY

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(BLT 2/6)
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NMCB NovSA

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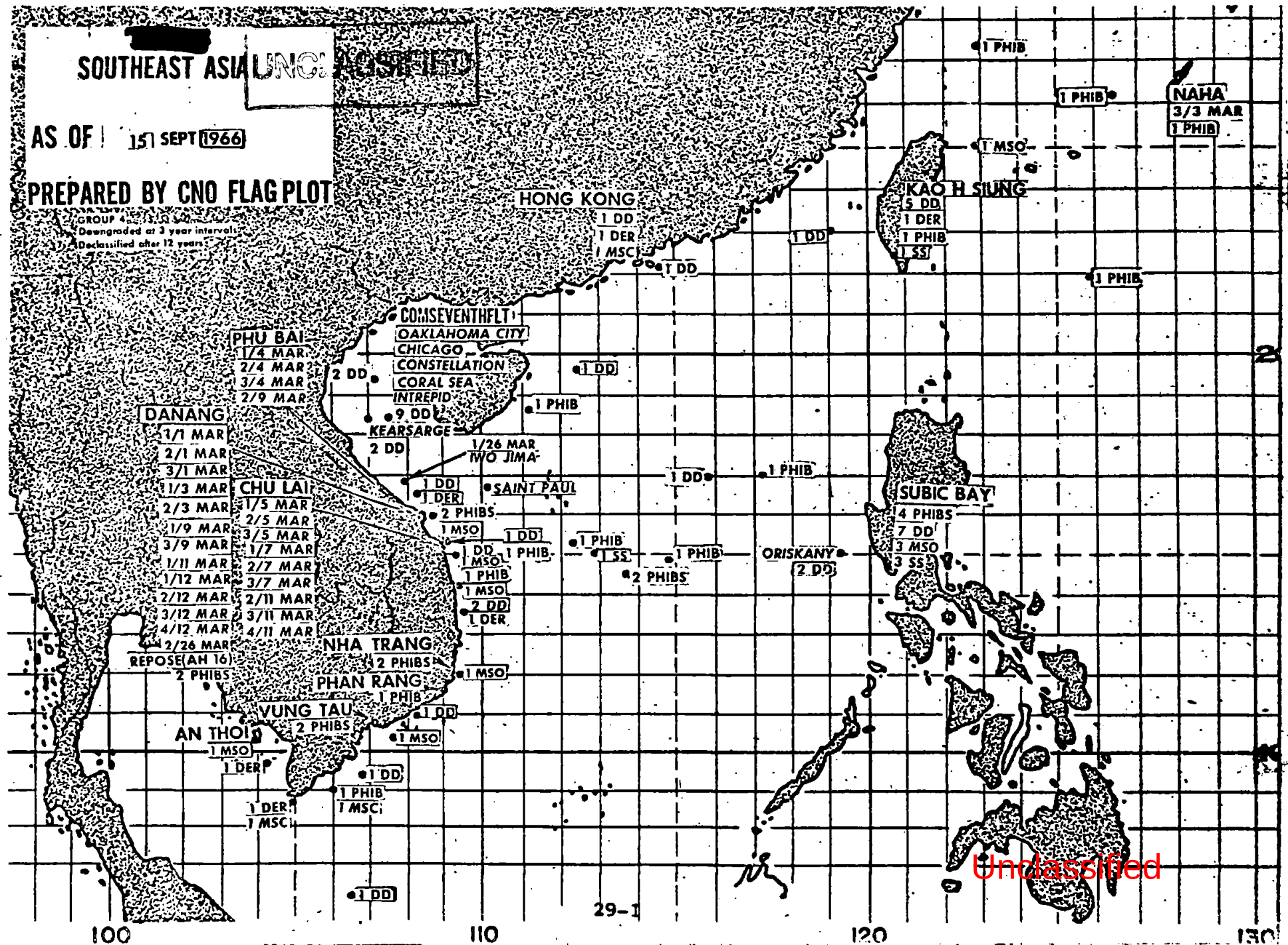
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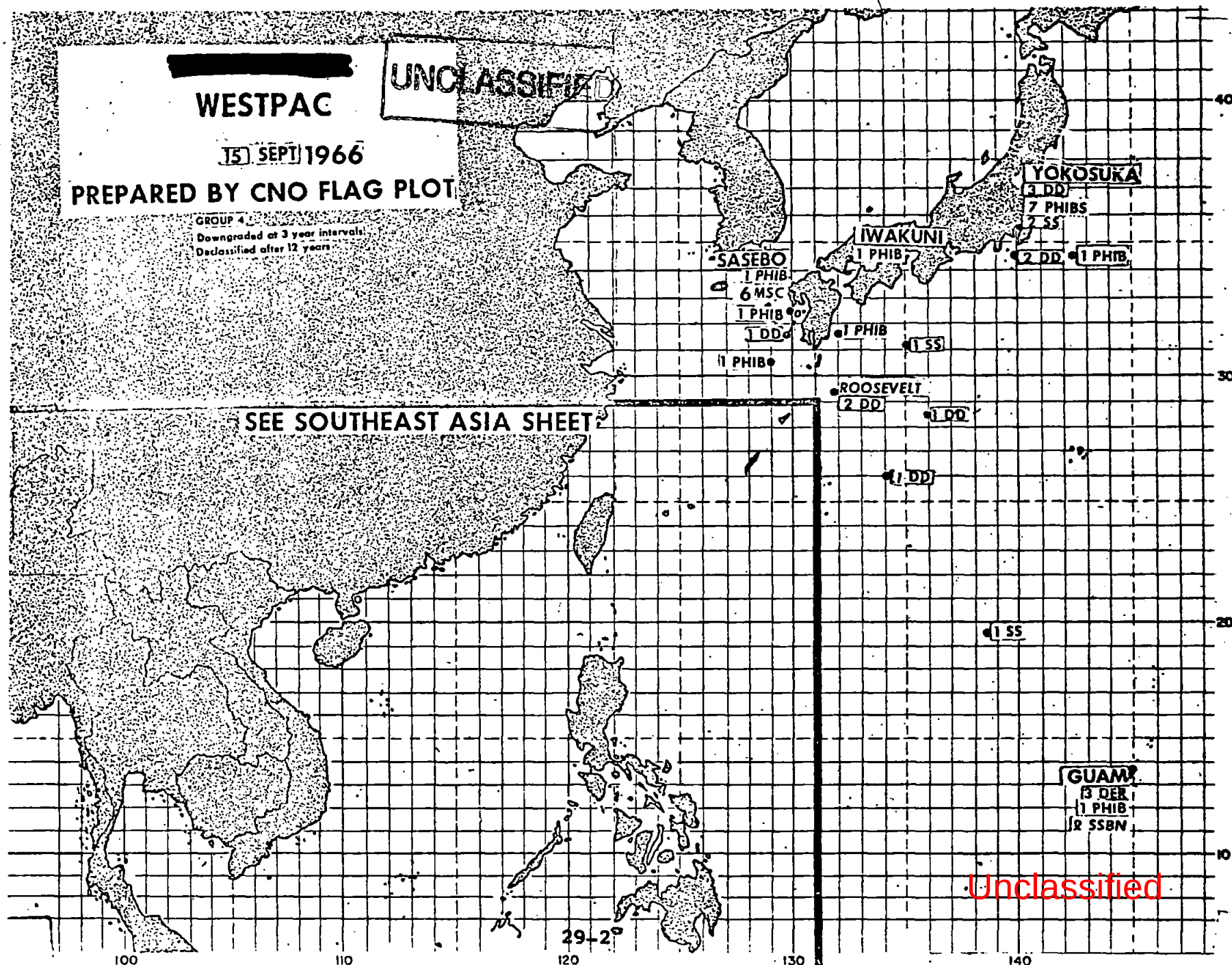
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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HQ. FMFLANT	LTGEN A. L. BOWSER	1,102	15	1,102	15												
H&S BN	LTCOL L. K. WIRTH	988	15	988	15												
HQ SQDN, FMFLANT	MAJ J. F. JONES	114		114													
FORCE TROOPS	BGEN F. R. BOUKER	9,692	167	9,212	163			120	2	90		81		91	1	@ 98	
HQ CO	LTCOL DRAKE	461	8	461	8												
2D FSR	COL H. WALLACE	3,264	25	3,165	25			30		23				23		@ 23	
H&S BN	LTCOL J. A. WACHTER																
SUP BN	LTCOL C. A. SALSER																
MAINT BN	LTCOL E. K. VICKERS																
2D TANK BN	LTCOL R. H. LEWIS	853	16	733	16			42		26				26		@ 26	
2D FORCE RECON	MAJ NORRIS	157	5	157	5												
2D ANGLICO	LTCOL J. A. NILSON	280	11	232	9			48	2								
2D TOPO CO	CAPT M. E. SCHARWZ	102	4	94	4											8	
2D BRIDGE CO	CAPT R. A. CAPEK	179	2	179	2												
2D SEP SERGICAL CO	LCMDR W. E. ROYALS (USN)	8	3	8	3												
2D RADIO BN	MAJ BEDWELL	291	3	291	3												
8TH ENGR BN	MAJ SCRUGGS	1,353	11	1,272	10							81	1				
2D AMTRAC BN	LTCOL R.R. MONTGOMERY	868	11	744	10					41				42	1	@ 41	
8TH COMM BN	LTCOL E. B. HART	739	7	739	7												
2D FLD ARTY GRP	LTCOL W. W. CROMPTON	643	4	643	4												
8TH MT BN	LTCOL C.A. ROSENFELD	423	5	423	5												
4TH DENTAL CO	CAPT C. GARNER (USN)		34		34												
2D HOSPITAL CO	CMDR B.K.SLEMMONS (USN)	22	18	22	18												
2D CI TEAM	CAPT W. R. GENTRY	11		11													
2D ITT TEAM	CAPT F.J.LENNARTZ IV	11		11													
4TH ITT TEAM	1STLT V. MATAL JR.	8		8													
6TH ITT TEAM	CAPT E.R.COLLINS JR.	19		19													

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2D MARINE DIVISION	MGEN O. R. SIMPSON	21518	691	16532	523			934	24	1,154	39			1,341	56	1,557	49
HQBN	COL HARTE	1819	40	1758	39					21	1			19		21	
2D MARINES	COL W.R.BURGOYNE, JR.																
HQCO	CAPT FOWLER	266	7	266	7												
1ST BN	LTCOL J.A.MACDONALD	781	22					781	22								
2D BN	LTCOL F.W. TIEF	1037	46	1037	46												
3D BN	LTCOL C. V. JUDGE	1299	42													1,299	42
6TH MARINES	COL J. C. SHORT																
HQCO	CAPT G.B. SPERRY	244	14	244	14												
1ST BN	LTCOL D.M. EDWARDS	993	21	993	21												
2D BN	LTCOL O. WEILER	1300	56	338	20									962	36		
3D BN	LTCOL R.L.MICHAEL, JR	1348	46	514	16					834	30						
8TH MARINES	COL G.D. WEBSTER																
HQCO	CAPT D. L. ODOM	220	3	220	3												
1ST BN	LTCOL F.H.WALDROP	1385	25	1385	25												
2D BN	LTCOL C. G. COOPER	1690	20	1690	20												
3D BN	LTCOL R.L. NICHOLS	1192	22	1192	22												
10TH MARINES	COL C. E. WALKER																
HQ BTRY	2DLT D.R. RINGER	352	25	352	25												
1ST BN	MAJ R.C. HUGHES	768	8	768	8												
2D BN	LTCOL R.E. SANTEE	749	10	474	6					137	2			138	2		
3D BN	LTCOL D. E. HOWARD	776	7	639	5											137	2
4TH BN	LTCOL S.B. MCCARTHY	611	10	458	8			153	2								
2D SERVICE BN	COL R.B. MCBROOM	1388	23	1281	23					27				43		37	
2D AT BN	MAJ LAINE	431	7	365	7					22				22		22	
2D MT BN	LTCOL R. W. TAYLOR	273	6	202						24				23		24	
2D RECON BN	LTCOL H. KISER	465	10	398	8					21	1			25	1	21	
2D ENGR BN	LTCOL VOMORDE	1192	10	1048	10					47				49		48	
2D SP BN	LTCOL E. J. MEGARR	769	15	647	12					21				51	2	50	
2D MEDICAL BN	LCDR N.E.WENGER (USN)	167	111	158	86						5			9	15		5
2D DENTAL CO	LT(JG) D.A.DNALL (USN)	3	85	3	85												

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
2D MARINE AIR WING	MGEN N.J. ANDERSON	14282	248	13640	243					237	3					405	2
MWHG-2	LTCOL C.P. BLANKENSHIP																
H&HS-2	LTCOL G.E. MCCLANE	794	27	794	27												
MASS-1	MAJ J. SHERLOCK	158		158													
MACS-8	MAJ C.S. HUGHES	181		181													
3D LAAM BN	MAJ T.G. CSIK	687	7	687	7												
MWSG-27	COL G.C. KNAPP																
H&HS-27	MAJ J.A. TROUT	1126		1126													
MABS-27	MAJ A.M. ECHOLS III	732	14	732	14												
MAMS-27	MAJ H.A. BRUCE	177		177													
MARSAT-2	MAJ R.W. COONEY	52		52													
VMGR-252	LTCOL P.L. HITCHCOCK	271	6	271	6												
MAG-14	COL J.E. BONNER																
H&MS-14	MAJ L.H. ABRAMS	435		435													
MABS-14	MAJ M.T. HEFTY	301	18	301	18												
MATCU-61	CWO-4 A.J. LABRIE	31		31													
VMA(AW)-225	MAJ H.M. WALLACE	110	1	110	1												
VMA(AW)-242	LTCOL H. WOLF	297	5	297	5												
VMA(AW)-533	LTCOL W.P. BROWN	244	1	244	1												
MAG-24	COL R.L. LAMAR																
H&MS-24	LTCOL W.M. DWIGGINS	418		418													
MABS-24	MAJ J.J. WALSH JR.	249	20	249	20												
VMA-332	LTCOL J.D. JOHNSON	183	2	183	2												
VMFA-513	LTCOL D.W. LINDLEY	271	1	271	1												
VMFA-531	MAJ F.D. TOPLEY	262	1	262	1												

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-26	COL T.T. TULIPANE																
H&MS-26	MAJ D. DALRYMPLE	648		648													
MABS-26	MAJ W.W. WAMEL	761	35	723	32					38	3						
MATCU-64	CAPT G.N. ALLERTON	66		66													
HMM-162	MAJ D.M. WILSON	238		238													
HMM-261	MAJ R.H. NELSON	264		264													
HMM-262	LTCOL U.W. SHADRICK	269		269													
HMM-264	LTCOL H.F. MCCORMICK	190		2						188							
HMM-265	MAJ K.W. ANDRUS	235														@235	
HMH-461	MAJ G.H. NORTHFIELD	40		40													
VMO-1	LTCOL P.M. CROSSWAIT	191		181						10							
MAG-31	COL J.C. VANCE																
H&MS-31	LTCOL W.W. BRYANT	416		416													
MABS-31	MAJ G.L. FENENGA	571	18	571	18												
MATCU-69	2DLT J.E. WALKER	54		54													
** VMA-324	LTCOL T.G. ELDER	170	2													170	2
# VMA-331	LTCOL E.K. JACKS	174	2	174	2												
VMF(AW)-451	LTCOL WESSEL	178		178													
MAG-32	COL L.H. STEMAN																
H&MS-32	MAJ J.V. PRICE	459		459													
MABS-32	MAJ D.Y. WESTLING	654	30	654	30												
MATCU-63	MAJ D.Y. WESTLING	44		44													
VMFA-251	LTCOL G.H. KELLER	271	1	271	1												
VMFA-312	LTCOL P.A. LINDSAY	277	1	277	1												
VMF(AW)-333	LTCOL R.L. PREIS	179	1	179	1												

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		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
VMT-1	MAJ J.E. WEBER	113		113													
VMCJ-2	LTCOL T.E. MURPHREE	418		418													
MACS-5	MAJ G.G. LONG	216		216													
MACS-9	LTCOL D.H. FISHER	207		207													
12TH DENTAL CO	CAPT L. YOUNG		55		55												

TOTAL FMFLANT USMC PERSONNEL	46,594	40,486		1,054	1,481	81	1,432	2,060
TOTAL FMFLANT USN PERSONNEL	1,121	944		26	42	1	57	51
TOTAL FMFLANT PERSONNEL	47,715	41,430		1,080	1,523	82	1,489	2,111

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UNIT	MCAS CHERRY PT	MCAS BEAUFORT	MCAF NEW RIVER	ROOSEVELT ROADS	MEDITER- RANEAN	CARIBBEAN READY FORCE	OTHER
<u>MAG-26</u>			8/CH-37A				
H&MS-26			1/UH-34D				
			1/C-117D				
			1/C-47				
VMO-1			13/UH-1E			2/UH-1E	# 2/UH-1E
HMM-162			23/UH-34D				
HMM-261			17/CH-46A				
HMM-262			33/CH-46A				
HMM-264						23/UH-34D	
HMM-365							# 24/UH-34D
HMH-461							
<u>MAG-31</u>		3/T-1A					
H&MS-31		1/C-117					
VMA-324					14/A-4E		ABD USS INDEPENDENCE
VMA-331		22/A-4E					
VMF(AW)-451		12/F-8D					
<u>MAG-32</u>		3/T-1A					
		1/C-117					
H&MS-32		1/C-47J					
VMFA-251		11/F4B					
VMFA-312		8/F-4B					
VMF(AW)-333		9/F-8E					
		6/F-8D					
HQS SQDN, FMFLANT							*1/C-131F; 2/UC-45J; 2/T1A; 1/C54J; 1/VC-54P

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