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SELECTED PERSONNEL AND AIRCRAFT DATA

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PERSONNEL

31 DECEMBER 1968

	STRENGTH	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTAL	308,367*	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	157,990	51.23	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	37,062*#	12.11	23.46	
FMF PACIFIC	120,928#	39.12	76.54	
VIETNAM	80,690	26.16	51.07	66.72

SOURCE: * MONTHLY USMC PERSONNEL ALLOCATION REPORT OF 13 DECEMBER 68.
WEEKLY MCCC UNIT REPORT OF 18 DECEMBER 1968.
*# WEEKLY MCCC UNIT REPORT OF 4 DECEMBER 1968.
@ FMFPAC SITREP OF 30 DECEMBER 1968.

AIRCRAFT

27 DECEMBER 1968

	FIXW	HELO	TOTAL	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTALS	1026	660	1686	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	736	593	1329	78.82	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	281	148	429	25.44	32.27	
FMF PACIFIC	455	445	900	53.38	67.73	
VIETNAM	258	270	528	31.31	39.72	58.66

SOURCE: USMC TOTALS, USMC AVN STATUS BD PHOTO OF 18 DECEMBER 1968.

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

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HEADQUARTERS III MARINE AMPHIBIOUS FORCE

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN R. E. CUSHMAN, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN C. A. YOUNGDALE
DEPUTY CG, AIR	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	MGEN E. E. ANDERSON
DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF	COL M. MOSTELLER
ACOS, G-1	COL M. ROSE
ACOS, G-2	COL R. N. JOENS
ACOS, G-3	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ACOS, G-4	COL L. C. NORTON
ACOS, G-5	COL H. A. WESTPALL
ACOS, G-6	COL B. E. HORNER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL D. J. FORD

DEPUTY COMMANDER (XXIV CORPS)	MGEN C. B. DRAKE
ACOS, CAP	COL E. F. DANOWITZ
COMMANDING OFFICER, 1ST CAG	LTCOL E. F. PIERSON, JR.
COMMANDING OFFICER, 2ND CAG	LTCOL E. L. LEWIS
COMMANDING OFFICER, 3RD CAG	LTCOL R. D. WHITESELL
COMMANDING OFFICER, 4TH CAG	LTCOL J. E. GREENWOOD
11TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL V. A. PERRY

1ST MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN O. R. SIMPSON
ADC	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ADC/TF YANKEE	BGEN R. T. DWYER, JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL S. A. HANNAH
ACOS, G-1	COL G. E. LAWRENCE
ACOS, G-2	COL A. J. SKOTNICKI
ACOS, G-3	COL A. G. SCHWENK
ACOS, G-4	COL J. E. WILSON, JR.
ACOS, G-5	COL H. F. PAINTER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL J. O. ALLISON
CEO	COL C. G. DAHL
1ST MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. G. LAUFFER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL A. A. LAPORTE, JR.
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. POINDEXTER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL T. G. BULGER
5TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. B. ORD, JR.
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. F. DALEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. STEMPLE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL H. E. ATKINSON
7TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. L. BECKINGTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. BETHEL
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. X. QUINN
11TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. E. DICKINSON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. HAMILTON
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. D. JAMESON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. P. JOHNSON
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR B. J. READY
HQS BATTALION	LTCOL W. S. FAGAN
1ST FAG	LTCOL R. B. INGRANDO
1ST AT BATTALION	
1ST ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. H. HILDEBRAND
1ST RECON BATTALION	LTCOL L. P. CHARON
1ST MT BATTALION	MAJ R. G. REILLY
1ST SP BATTALION	LTCOL D. L. ANDERSON
1ST MED BATTALION	CAPT (MC) J. V. SHARP
1ST TK BATTALION	LTCOL M. C. ASHLEY
3RD AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. HENNEGAN
7TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL T. T. ANNAS
7TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL C. L. BRADY
9TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. V. DAVIDSON
11TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. KINNIBURGH

3D MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN R. G. DAVIS
ADC	BGEN R. B. CARNEY, JR.
ADC/CG TF HOTEL	BGEN F. E. GARRETSON
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. R. MOTELEWSKI
CHIEF OF STAFF TF HOTEL	COL J. GILL
ACOS, G-1	COL L. R. DAZE
ACOS, G-2	COL T. P. O'CALLAHAN
ACOS, G-3	COL P. D. LAFOND
ACOS, G-4	COL W. F. GOGGIN
ACOS, G-5	COL W. E. KERRIGAN
ACOS, COMPT	MAJOR B. C. DAY
CEO	COL J. LEMAY
3RD MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. M. SPARK
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. B. TWOHEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. J. MCMONAGUE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. C. SCHULZE
4TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. SEXTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SARGENT
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL W. A. DONALD
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR R. I. BAKER
9TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. H. BARROW
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SMITH
2ND BATTALION	MAJOR P. G. COLLINS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. R. LAINE JR.
12TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL P. J. MULRONEY
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL E. L. WHISMAN
2ND BATTALION	MAJOR F. E. SISLEY
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. D. FOXWORTH, JR.
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL E. W. BAILEY
HQS BATTALION	COL M. A. WEBB
3RD AT BATTALION	
3RD ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. PERSAC
3RD RECON BATTALION	LTCOL A. H. PERRY
3RD MT BATTALION	MAJOR G. W. WARD
3RD SP BATTALION	LTCOL E. J. GODFREY
3RD MED BATTALION	CMDR B. R. SLEMMONS
3RD TK BATTALION	LTCOL G. E. HAYWARD
1ST AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL W. W. DAMEWOOD
9TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL L. J. TREMBLAY

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. A. FEELEY, JR.	FLSG-A/3RD SERV BN	COL H. E. ROEDER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL D. B. POND, JR.	FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN	COL H. L. PARSONS
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL D. K. GRAY	H&S BATTALION	LTCOL E. LUCAS
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL B. J. FOWLER	SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL E. G. USHER, JR.
ACOS, G-3	COL F. W. VAUGHT	MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL S. G. TRIBE, JR
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL A. W. BOWEN	5TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL J. D. HINES
ACOS, G-5	MAJOR J. D. CRAWFORD	7TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL W. W. CRITCHET
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL E. F. PATTILLO	1ST MP BATTALION	LTCOL J. O. BAILEY
CEO	LTCOL H. L. MORRIS, JR.	3RD MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. E. CHEATHAM

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

31 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,243	74,979	80,222	
DANANG	(3,020)	(44,078)	(47,098)	#
CHU LAI	(459)	(5,040)	(5,499)	
PHU BAI	(299)	(2,747)	(3,046)	
DONG HA	(1,381)	(22,146)	(23,527)	
AFLOAT	(84)	(968)	(1,052)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,411	75,278	80,690	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS 31 OCTOBER			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	458	3,048	3,506	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1295 EVENTS OF 27,28 & 29 DEC 68.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN *

RVN ARMED FORCES (RVNAF)

ARMY (ARVN)	384,794
NAVY (VNN)	17,489
AIR FORCE (VNAF)	18,090
MARINE CORPS (VNMC)	9,948
REGIONAL FORCES (RF)	217,923
POPULAR FORCES (PF)	173,662
TOTAL RVNAF	821,906

UNITED STATES FORCES

ARMY	374,175
NAVY	36,346
AIR FORCE	59,029
MARINE CORPS	80,792
COAST GUARD	443
TOTAL U.S.	550,785

FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES (FWMAF)

REPUBLIC OF KOREA	49,923
AUSTRALIA	7,668
PHILIPPINES	1,573
THAILAND	5,972
NEW ZEALAND	554
REPUBLIC OF CHINA	29
SPAIN	12
TOTAL FWMAF	65,731

TOTAL FORCES IN RVN 1,438,422

*SOURCE: RVNAF, MACV MONTHLY GVN FORCES STRENGTH DATA REPORT.
ALL OTHER, MACV WEEKLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF 26DEC68.

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

31 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 24,579
USN 1,210 *
USA 7,745

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

(TF BRAVO)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/4 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/9 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,046
USN 71 *
USA 24,842

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

USMC 47,098
USN 2,103 *
USA 2,169
ROKMC 6,745

HQS, III MAF

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/1
- 2/1
- 3/1

(TF YANKEE)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/7

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")
- 3/7

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

CTG 76.4
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A") (OPN VALIANT HUNT)

HQS 1ST MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,499
USN 122 *
USA 23,600

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/6 INF
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	80,690	3,506
III MAF	80,222	3,506 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(17)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	80,376
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	63,105
US NAVY		22,757
US AIRFORCE		7,574
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,745
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	99,923
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(44,321)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(27,717)
VNPF		(25,824)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	280,480

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
ALFA : BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO : BLT 2/7 (DANANG TAOR) HMM-164 (CH-46A) @	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT -26 (REAR)	7,681	253

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,645	42

MOVEMENTS

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* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

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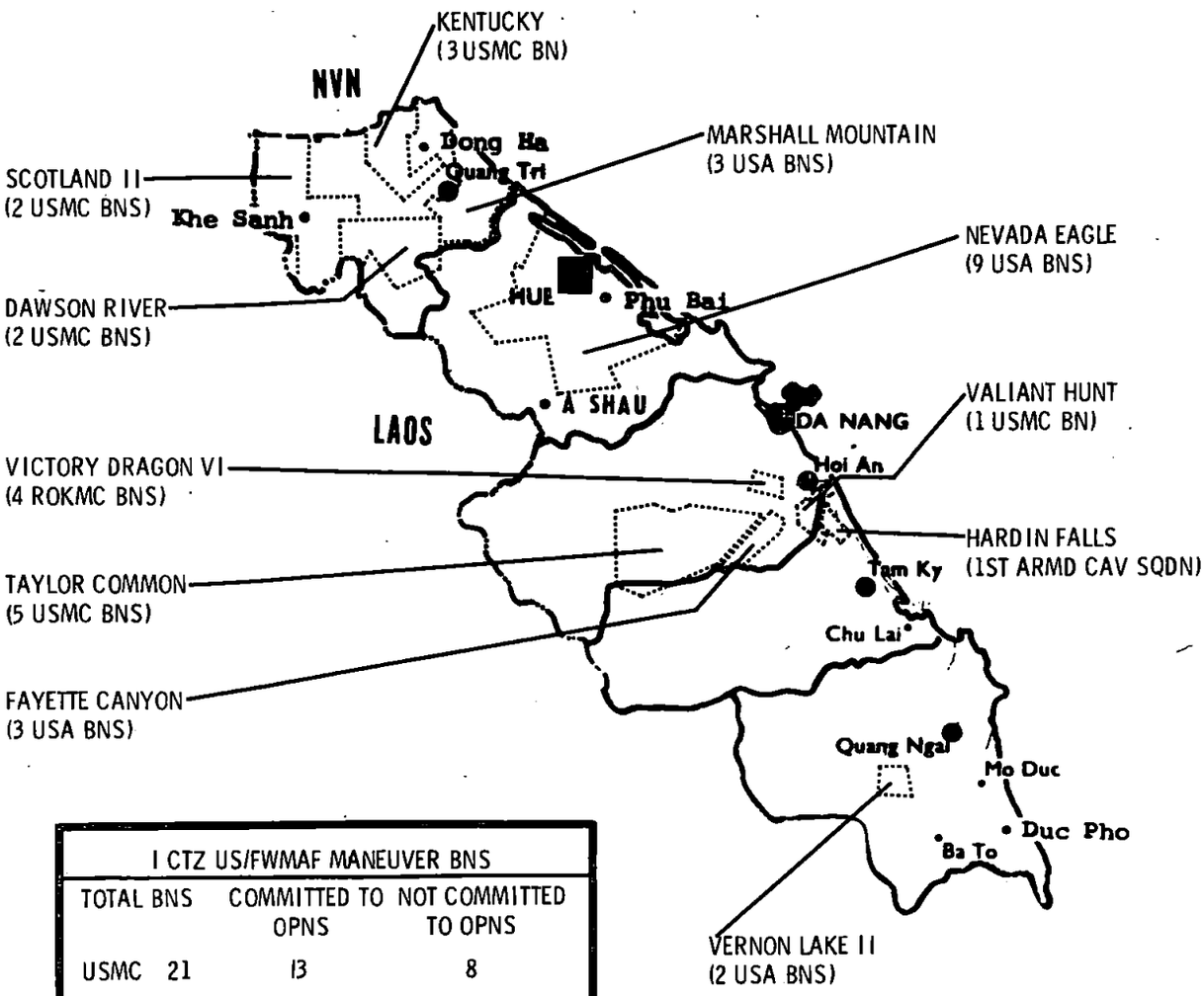
MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	13	8
USA	23	17	6
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	34	14

USMC - 8 BNS DANANG

USA - 6 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

31 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
10,096	38,342	28,754	81/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 30 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,041	1,330	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
61,382	3,355	12,066

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 44 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 56 — Admitted to hospital → 56
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 47 — Evacuated from SVN → 47
    - 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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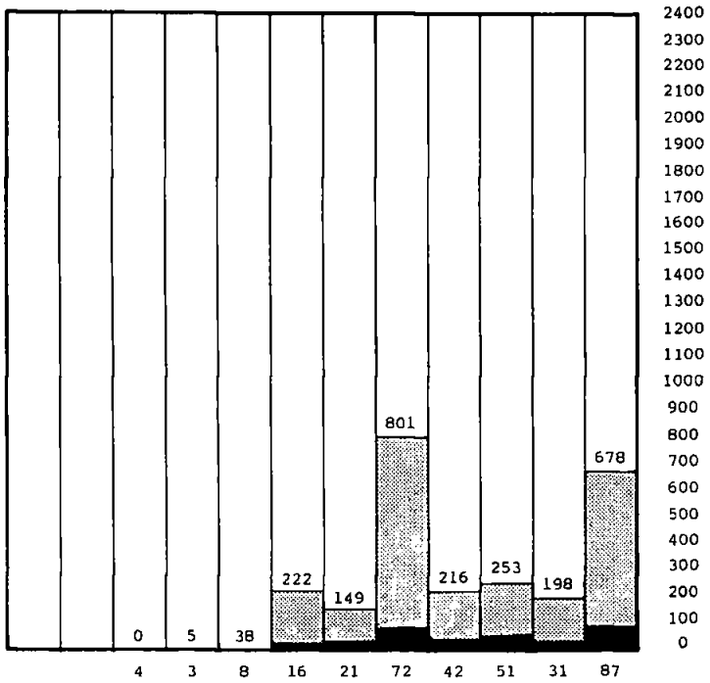
COMPARATIVE USMC/ENEMY KIA

31 DECEMBER 1968

1965



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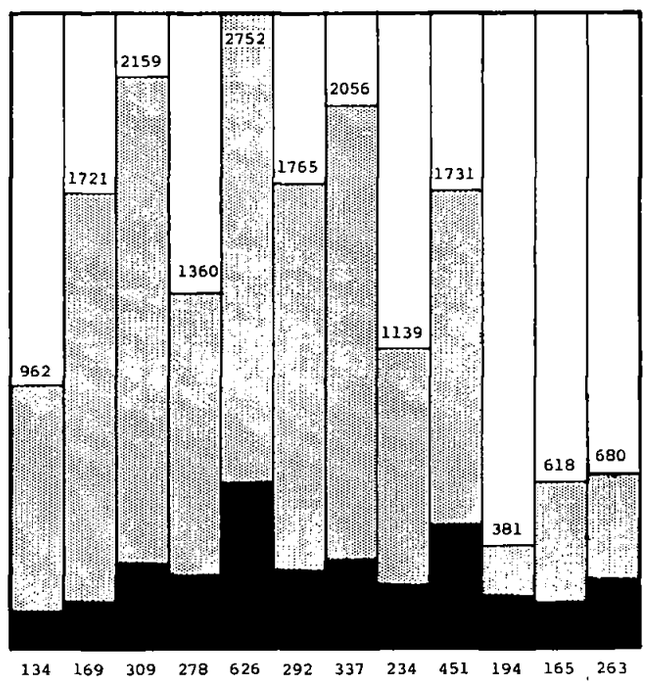

1965 USMC	1965 ENEMY		1966 USMC	1966 ENEMY
		JAN	58	332
		FEB	89	662
4	0	MAR	250	1262
3	5	APR	91	503
8	38	MAY	139	658
16	222	JUN	126	1021
21	149	JUL	207	1577
72	801	AUG	140	975
42	216	SEP	232	1789
51	253	OCT	117	777
31	198	NOV	89	443
87	678	DEC	139	628
335	2560	TOTAL	1677	10627

1967 USMC	1967 ENEMY		1968 USMC	1968 ENEMY
134	962	JAN	202	2126
169	1721	FEB	614	5255
309	2159	MAR	473	3118
278	1360	APR	374	1782
626	2752	MAY	751	6200
292	1765	JUN	452	2154
337	2056	JUL	330	2124
234	1139	AUG	362	1894
451	1731	SEP	307	2392
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165	618	NOV	152	1242
263	680	DEC		
3452	17324	TOTAL		

* PRELIMINARY

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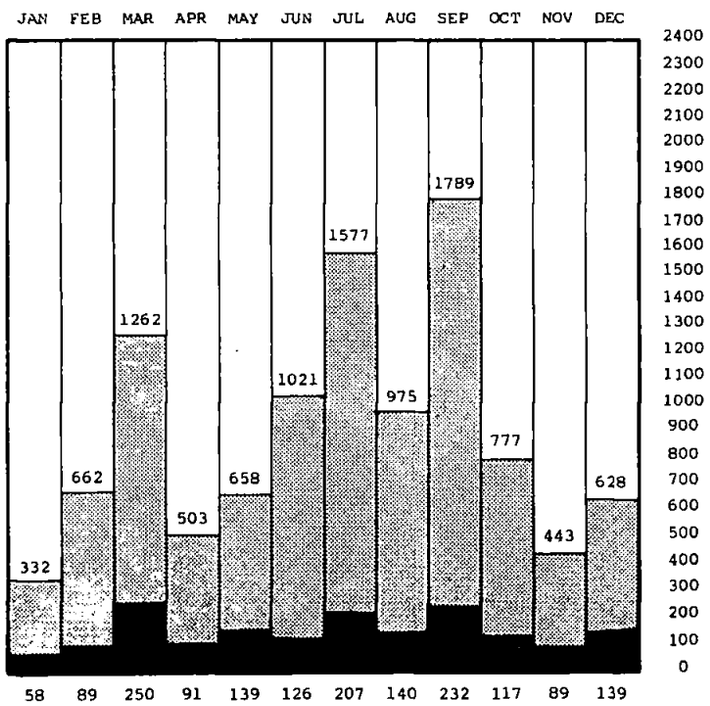

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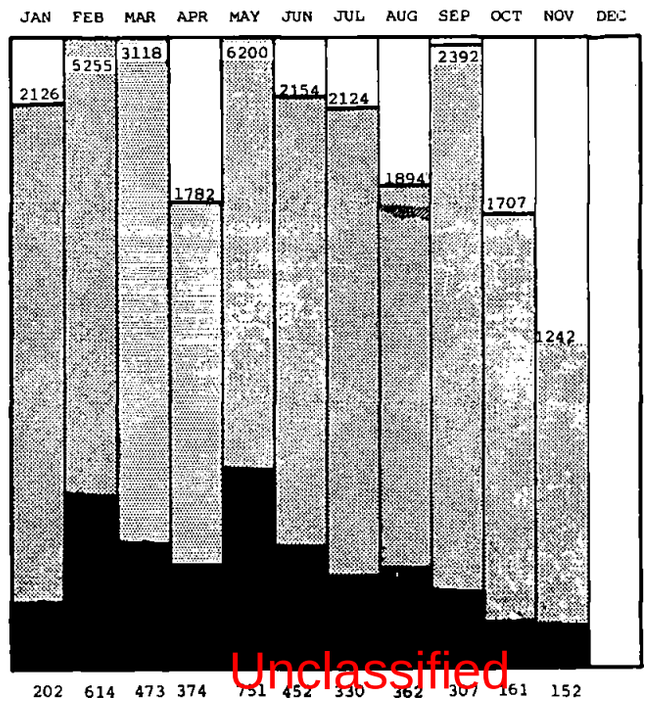

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VIETNAM REFERENCE DATA

VIETNAM GEOGRAPHIC DATA

31 DECEMBER 1968

	LENGTH (MI)	WIDTH (MI)	AREA (SQ MI)	POPULATION
NORTH VIETNAM	425*	44-389	63,000	18,297,000
DEMILITARIZED ZONE	44	MAX 6		
SOUTH VIETNAM	823*	30-130	66,700	17,420,900
I CORPS	220*	30-75	10,700	3,236,100
II CORPS	315*	45-130	31,300	3,894,900
III CORPS	90*	55-115	10,100	5,411,200
IV CORPS	195*	35-115	14,600	5,878,700

* Coastal Arc

I CORPS GEOGRAPHIC DATA

PROVINCES	AREA (SQ MI)	POPULATION	VILLAGES
QUANG TRI	1,820	303,300	84
THUA THIEN	1,900	540,700	95
QUANG NAM	2,500	843,500	141
QUANG TIN	1,890	409,600	70
QUANG NGAI	2,690	699,500	159
CITIES			
QUANG TRI		(12,382)	
HUE		150,000	
DANANG		289,600	
HOI AN		(16,586)	
TAM KY		(10,134)	
QUANG NGAI		(11,000)	

CITY POPULATIONS IN PARENS ( ) ARE INCLUDED IN APPROPRIATE PROVINCE TOTAL

I CORPS PACIFICATION DATA

NOVEMBER 1968

TAOR AREA	AREA (SQ MI)	TOTAL POPULATION	SECURE* POPULATION	% POP SECURE	TOTAL VILLAGES	SECURE* VILLAGES
DANANG TAOR	595	798,301	532,490	66%	102	46
CHU LAI TAOR	565	273,129	88,900	33%	57	17
PHU BAI TAOR	243	102,358	99,479	97%	15	14
NORTHERN I CTZ	220	76,310	52,696	70%	21	7
DUC PHO AREA	188	146,516	73,304	50%	22	9
TOTALS	1,811	1,396,614	846,869	61%	217	93

* 60% or more pacified in accordance with FMFPAC criteria

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12 FEBRUARY 1969

PACIFICATION STATUS I CTZ AS OF: 31 DECEMBER 1968

SECURE POPULATION:	69%
CONTESTED POPULATION:	16%
VC CONTROLLED POPULATION:	15%

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CITY POPULATIONS IN PARENS ( ) ARE INCLUDED IN APPROPRIATE PROVINCE TOTAL

5 MARCH 1969

PACIFICATION STATUS I CTZ AS OF: 31 DECEMBER 1968

SECURE POPULATION:	69.2 %
CONTESTED POPULATION:	15.2 %
VC CONTROLLED POPULATION:	15.6 %

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SELECTED PERSONNEL AND AIRCRAFT DATA

PERSONNEL

30 DECEMBER 1968

	STRENGTH	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTAL	308,367*	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	157,990	51.23	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	37,062*#	12.11	23.46	
FMF PACIFIC	120,928#	39.12	76.54	
VIETNAM	80,919	26.24	51.21	66.91

SOURCE: * MONTHLY USMC PERSONNEL ALLOCATION REPORT OF 13 DECEMBER 68.
WEEKLY MCCC UNIT REPORT OF 18 DECEMBER 1968.
*# WEEKLY MCCC UNIT REPORT OF 4 DECEMBER 1968.
@ FMFPAC SITREP OF 27 DECEMBER 1968.

AIRCRAFT

27 DECEMBER 1968

	FIXW	HELO	TOTAL	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTALS	1026	660	1686	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	736	593	1329	78.82	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	281	148	429	25.44	32.27	
FMF PACIFIC	455	445	900	53.38	67.73	
VIETNAM	258	270	528	31.31	39.72	58.66

SOURCE: USMC TOTALS, USMC AVN STATUS BD PHOTO OF 18 DECEMBER 1968.

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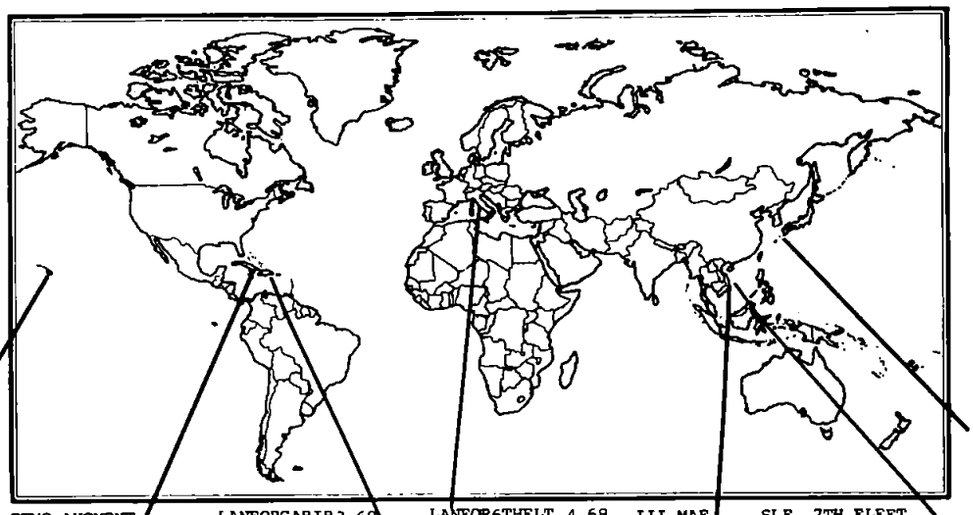
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

30 DECEMBER 1968



1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
BLT 1/2
AT NAPLES, ITALY

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET
SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN
(OPN VALIANT HUNT)

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(DANANG TAOR)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN	21	(5)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	(2)	
OKINAWA/JAPAN		(1)								(1)
AFLOAT						(1)				
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII	(1)	(2)								
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
AFLOAT										
ATLANTIC	8	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST	(6)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3)	(2)		(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)					(1)				
EUROPE	1									
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

30 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		No I CTZ		OKINAWA		JAPAN		HAWAII		EASTPAC		OTHER	
		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HEADQUARTERS																						
HQ, FMF, PAC																						
FMF, PAC (FWD)		74	1	24JUL68									74	1								
H&S BN, FMF, PAC	4	1624	50	18DEC68													1507	50			120	
CAMP S. D. BUTLER		866	137	28DEC68									866	137								
CASUAL		580		28DEC68									580									
HOSPITALIZED	7	955		28DEC68									472		483							
HQ, V MEF																						
1ST CIVAFFGRP		66	7	18DEC68															66	7		
HQ, 5TH MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 5TH MAR DIV	4	1408	37	18DEC68															1363	37	45	
HQ, FORTRPS, FMF, PAC																						
HQ CO, FORTRPS	4	438	22	18DEC68															194	22	244	
HQ, 1ST MAR BRIG																						
HQ CO, 1ST MAR BRIG		223	8	18DEC68													223	8				
HQ, 9TH MAB																						
HQ CO, 9TH MAB		508	19	18DEC68									508	19								
HQ, III MAF																						
H&S CO, III MAF	4	989	11	18DEC68	977	11															12	
1ST CAG		367	31	18DEC68			367	31														
2D CAG	2	781	42	18DEC68	761	42															20	
3D CAG		252	32	18DEC68					252	32												
4TH CAG		267	21	18DEC68							267	21										
HQ, 1ST MAR DIV																						
HQ BN, 1ST MAR DIV	4	1948	37	18DEC68	1902	37															46	
HQ, 3D MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 3D MAR DIV	4	1946	37	18DEC68							1930	37									16	
INFANTRY																						
1ST MARINES																						
HQ CO		245	8	18DEC68	245	8																
1ST BATTALION		1071	59	18DEC68	1071	59																
2D BATTALION		1098	53	18DEC68	1098	53																
3D BATTALION		1068	61	18DEC68	1068	61																
3D MARINES																						
HQ CO		230	6	18DEC68	230	6																
1ST BATTALION		1187	50	18DEC68	1187	50																
2D BATTALION		1168	58	18DEC68							1168	58										
3D BATTALION		1169	59	18DEC68	1169	59																
4TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		218	5	18DEC68							218	5										
1ST BATTALION		1118	49	18DEC68							1118	49										
2D BATTALION		1150	56	18DEC68							1150	56										
3D BATTALION		1170	52	18DEC68							1170	52										
5TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		245	7	18DEC68	245	7																
1ST BATTALION		1092	53	18DEC68	1092	53																
2D BATTALION		1121	53	18DEC68	1121	53																
3D BATTALION		1086	46	18DEC68	1086	46																
7TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		242	6	18DEC68	242	6																
1ST BATTALION		1057	56	18DEC68	1057	56																
2D BATTALION	1	1545	113	18DEC68	1545	113																
3D BATTALION		1084	56	18DEC68	1084	56																
9TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		233	6	18DEC68							233	6										
1ST BATTALION		1157	50	18DEC68							1157	50										
2D BATTALION		1150	52	18DEC68							1150	52										
3D BATTALION		1157	47	18DEC68							1157	47										
26TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		477	12	18DEC68	238	6							239	6								
1ST BATTALION		1097	57	18DEC68	1097	57																
2D BATTALION	1	1479	97	18DEC68																	1479	97
3D BATTALION		1229	66	18DEC68	1229	66																
27TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		235	7	18DEC68															235	7		
1ST BATTALION		756	88	18DEC68													756	88				
2D BATTALION		1097	32	18DEC68															1097	32		
3D BATTALION		1181	32	18DEC68															1181	32		
28TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		267	6	18DEC68															267	6		
1ST BATTALION		1176	46	18DEC68															1176	46		
2D BATTALION		1167	41	18DEC68															1167	41		
3D BATTALION		1334	41	18DEC68															1334	41		
ARTILLERY																						
11TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		309	9	18DEC68	309	9																
1ST BATTALION		632	18	18DEC68	632	18																
2D BATTALION		658	18	18DEC68	658	18																
3D BATTALION		413	12	18DEC68	413	12																
4TH BATTALION		518	12	18DEC68	518	12																
12TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		285	12	18DEC68	285	12																
1ST BATTALION		571	17	18DEC68	571	17																
2D BATTALION		1161	51	18DEC68	1161	51																
3D BATTALION		852	21	18DEC68	852	21																
4TH BATTALION		533	12	18DEC68	533	12																

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MEDICAL		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
1ST MED BN		148	264	18DEC68	148	264																
3D MED BN		133	349	18DEC68					133	349												
5TH MED BN		101	158	18DEC68															101	158		
1ST HOSP CO		43	72	18DEC68	43	72																
5TH HOSP CO		30	48	18DEC68															30	48		
1ST DENTAL CO			84	18DEC68		84																
3D DENTAL CO			88	18DEC68				88														
5TH DENTAL CO			14	18DEC68																14		
11TH DENTAL CO		3	71	18DEC68	3	71																
13TH DENTAL CO			36	18DEC68																36		
15TH DENTAL CO		3	42	18DEC68															3	42		
17TH DENTAL CO		3	61	18DEC68															3	61		
USMC		91,065			41,982		1,315		769		17,586		6,570		483		2,716		17,528		2,116	
USN		4,458			1,922		142		391		647		248				151		854		103	
GROUND TOTAL		95,523			43,904		1,457		1,160		18,233		6,818		483		2,867		18,382		2,219	

AVIATION UNITS

HQ SQDN FMFPAC		61		18DEC68													61					
1ST MAW																						
MWHG-1																						
H&HS-1		719	34	18DEC68	719	34																
MWFS-1		133		18DEC68	133																	
MWCS-1		289		18DEC68	289																	
MWSG-17																						
H&MS-17		664	22	18DEC68	664	22																
WERS-17		209		18DEC68	209																	
MACG-18																						
H&HS-18		246		18DEC68	246																	
MASS-2		254	3	18DEC68	254	3																
MASS-3		223	2	18DEC68			223	2														
MACS-4		347	3	18DEC68	347	3																
1ST LAAM BN		719	14	18DEC68	719	14																
MAG-11																						
H&MS-11		414		18DEC68	414																	
MABS-11		349	26	18DEC68	349	26																
VMCJ-1		394	1	18DEC68	394	1																
VMFA-542		312	1	18DEC68	312	1																
VMA(AW)-242		333		18DEC68	333																	
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MAG-12																						
H&MS-12		579	1	18DEC68			579	1														
MABS-12		508	32	18DEC68			508	32														
MATCU-67		86		18DEC68			86															
VMA-121		192	1	18DEC68			192	1														
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VMA-223		190	1	18DEC68			190	1														
VMA-311		189	1	18DEC68			189	1														
VMA(AW)-533		307	1	18DEC68			307	1														
MAG-13																						
H&MS-13		521		18DEC68			521															
MABS-13		480	26	18DEC68			480	26														
VMFA-115		280	2	18DEC68			280	2														
VMFA-314		277	1	18DEC68			277	1														
VMFA-323		280	1	18DEC68			280	1														
MAG-16																						
H&MS-16		570		18DEC68	570																	
MABS-16		725	27	18DEC68	725	27																
MATCU-62		82		18DEC68							82											
MATCU-68		79		18DEC68					79													
VMO-2		261	1	18DEC68	261	1																
HML-167		243		18DEC68	243																	
HMM-164		243		18DEC68	243																	
HMH-463		326	1	18DEC68	326	1																
HMM-165		208	4	18DEC68	208	4																
HMM-364		222	1	28DEC68	222	1																
MAG-36																						
HMM-265		235	1	18DEC68					235	1												
H&MS-36		490		18DEC68					310		180											
MABS-36		539	23	18DEC68					331	23	208											
MATCU-62 DET "A"		82		18DEC68							82											
HMH-462		203	1	18DEC68					203	1												
HMM-363		254	4	18DEC68					254	4												
HML-367		202	1	18DEC68					202	1												
PROVMAG-39/PROV H&MS-39		441	20	18DEC68							441	20										
VMO-6		250	1	18DEC68							250	1										
HMM-161		250	1	18DEC68							250	1										
HMM-262		238									238											
9TH MAB																						
MAG-15																						
H&MS-15		442		18DEC68									64		378							
MABS-15		294	25	18DEC68											294	25						
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HMM-362	1	255	1	18DEC68																	255	1
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VMGR-152		457	4	18DEC68									457	4								

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1ST BRIG		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-24																						
H&MS-24		454		18DEC68													454					
MABS-24		435	22	18DEC68													435	22				
MACS-2		223		18DEC68													223					
MATCU-70		67		18DEC68													67					
VMFA-212		254		18DEC68													254					
VMFA-235		248		18DEC68													248					
3D MAW																						
MWHG-3																						
H&HS-3	4	621	7	18DEC68															602	7	19	
MWFS-3		147		18DEC68															147			
MWCS-3		220		18DEC68															220			
VMT-103		345		18DEC68															345			
MHTG-30																						
H&MS-30		284		18DEC68															284			
HMHT-301		159	1	18DEC68															159	1		
HMMT-302		226		18DEC68															226			
MAG-33																						
H&MS-33		642		18DEC68															642			
MABS-33		529	2	18DEC68															529	2		
MATCU-65		87		18DEC68															87			
VMCJ-3		321		18DEC68															321			
VMFA-214		201	1	18DEC68															201	1		
VMFA-232		279	1	18DEC68															279	1		
VMFA-531		258	1	18DEC68															258	1		
MWSG-37																						
H&MS-37		597	3	18DEC68															597	3		
WERS-37		230	80	18DEC68															230	80		
VMGR-352		362	1	18DEC68															362	1		
MACG-38																						
H&HS-38		241	3	18DEC68															241	3		
MASS-5		198		18DEC68															198			
MACS-1		272		18DEC68															272			
MACS-3		251		18DEC68															251			
MACS-7		242	2	18DEC68															242	2		
5TH LAAM BN		512	10	18DEC68															512	10		
2D LAAM BN		235		18DEC68															235			
MAG-56																						
H&MS-56		352		18DEC68															352			
MABS-56		334	2	18DEC68															334	2		
MATCU-74		66		18DEC68															66			
HMM-163		240		18DEC68															240			
HMM-263		256		18DEC68															256			
HML-267		412	5	18DEC68															412	5		
HMM-561		259		18DEC68															259			
USMC		29,474			8,535		4,309		1,614		1,731		822		1,088		1,742		9,359		274	
USN		450			139		70		30		22		5		42		22		119		1	
AVIATION TOTAL		29,924			8,674		4,379		1,644		1,753		827		1,130		1,764		9,478		275	

RECAPITULATION OF FMFPAC PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION

		ASSIGNED STRENGTH	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	No I CTZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
GROUND TOTAL	USMC	91,065	41,982	1,315	769	17,586	6,570	483	2,716	17,528	2,116
	USN	4,458	1,922	142	391	647	248		151	854	103
AVIATION TOTAL	USMC	29,474	8,535	4,309	1,614	1,731	822	1,088	1,742	9,359	274
	USN	450	139	70	30	22	5	42	22	119	1
GRAND TOTAL	USMC	120,539	50,517	5,624	2,383	19,317	7,392	1,571	4,458	26,887	2,390
	USN	4,908	2,061	212	421	669	253	42	173	973	104

NOTES:

1. FIGURES IN "OTHER" ASSIGNED TO SLF's AND ARE BLT STRENGTHS.
2. FIGURES IN "OTHER" ASSIGNED TO VARIOUS RVN LOCATIONS.
3. AT VARIOUS I CTZ LOCATIONS.
4. PERSONNEL LISTED IN "OTHER" ARE ASSIGNED TO IT, ITT, SSC, CI TEAMS, RED EYE AND NUCLEAR ORDNANCE PLATOONS.
5. STRENGTHS INCLUDED IN 7TH AND 11TH ENGINEER BATTALIONS.
6. 1ST AND 3D ANTI-TANK PERSONNEL ARE INCLUDED IN 1ST AND 3D TANK BATTALIONS STRENGTHS.
7. HOSPITALIZED AT LOCATIONS OTHER THAN OKINAWA BUT CARRIED ON THE ROLLS OF CASUAL COMPANY, CAMP BUTLER.

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMFPAC TACTICAL UNITS

30 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
1ST MARINES		1/1, 2/1, 3/1							
3D MARINES		1/3, 3/3	2/3						
4TH MARINES			1/4, 2/4, 3/4						
5TH MARINES		1/5, 2/5 3/5							
7TH MARINES		1/7, 3/7						2/7	1
9TH MARINES			1/9, 2/9, 3/9						
26TH MARINES		1/26, 3/26						2/26	1
27TH MARINES						1/27	2/27, 3/27		
28TH MARINES							1/28, 2/28 3/28		
MAG-11		VMCJ-1 VMA(AW)-242 VMFA-542 VMFA-334							
MAG-12	VMA-121 VMA-211 VMA-223 VMA-311 VMA(AW)-533								
MAG-13	VMFA-115 VMFA-323 VMFA-314								
MAG-16		VMO-2 HML-167 HMH-463 HMM-164 HMM-165 HMM-364							
MAG-36			HMM-363 HMM-265 HML-367 HMH-462						
PROV MAG-39			VMO-6 HMM-262 HMM-161						
MAG-15					VMFA-122			HMM-362	1
MAG-24						VMFA-212 VMFA-235			
MAG-33							VMCJ-3 VMA-214 VMFA-232 VMFA-531		
MAG-56							HML-267 HMM-263 HMM-163 HMM-561		

NOTE 1: SLF

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND EQUIPMENT

EQUIPMENT	T/E AUTH	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
60mm MORTAR M19	328		120	108		12	48	12	1
81mm MORTAR M29	216		88	64		8	40	8	1
106mm RR M40A1C	216		88	64		8	40	8	1
107mm MORTAR M30	54		18	12		6	6	6	1
105mm HOW TD M101A1	162		66	48		6	30	6	1
155mm HOW TD M114A1	24		14	10					
155mm HOW SP M109	54		24	18			12		
155mm GUN SP M53	24		6	12			6		
8in HOW SP M110	18		4	10			4		
ONTOS M50A1	135		15	5	5		23	5	1
90mm TANK M48A3	159		60	53			36	5	1
120mm TANK M103A2	17						17		
FLAME TANK M67A2	27		12	9			6		
LVTH6	18		12	6					1
LVTP5	347		72	95			90	10	1
LVTE1	20		8	4			8		
HAWK LAUNCHERS	54		18				18		
HAWK MISSILES	252		110						

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NOTES: 1 UNITS/EQUIPMENT IN OTHER ASSIGNED TO SLF's.

MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

30 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,292	75,159	80,451	
DANANG	(3,016)	(43,249)	(46,265)	#
CHU LAI	(467)	(5,083)	(5,550)	
PHU BAI	(305)	(2,804)	(3,109)	
DONG HA	(1,386)	(22,154)	(23,540)	
AFLOAT	(118)	(1,869)	(1,987)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,461	75,458	80,919	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS 31 OCTOBER			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	458	3011	3,469	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1294 EVENTS OF 25 & 26 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

30 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

(TF BRAVO)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/4 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 1/9 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

USMC	23,540
USN	1,129 *
USA	7,258

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)

HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM).

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

USMC	3,109
USN	71 *
USA	24,982

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/1
- 2/1
- 3/1

(TF YANKEE)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/7

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")
- 3/7

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

HQS, III MAF

CTG 76.4
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A") (OPN VALIANT HUNT)

HQS 1ST MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)

USMC	48,252
USN	2,149 *
USA	2,171
ROKMC	6,745

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/6 INF
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC	5,550
USN	120 *
USA	23,583

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	80,919	3,469
III MAF	80,451	3,469 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(17)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	80,137
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	63,105
US NAVY		22,720
US AIRFORCE		7,574
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,745
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	99,923
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(44,321)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(27,717)
VNPF		(25,824)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	280,204

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
ALFA: BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO: BLT 2/7 (DANANG TAOR) HMM-164 (CH-46A) @	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT -26 (REAR)	7,681	253

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,645	42

MOVEMENTS

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* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

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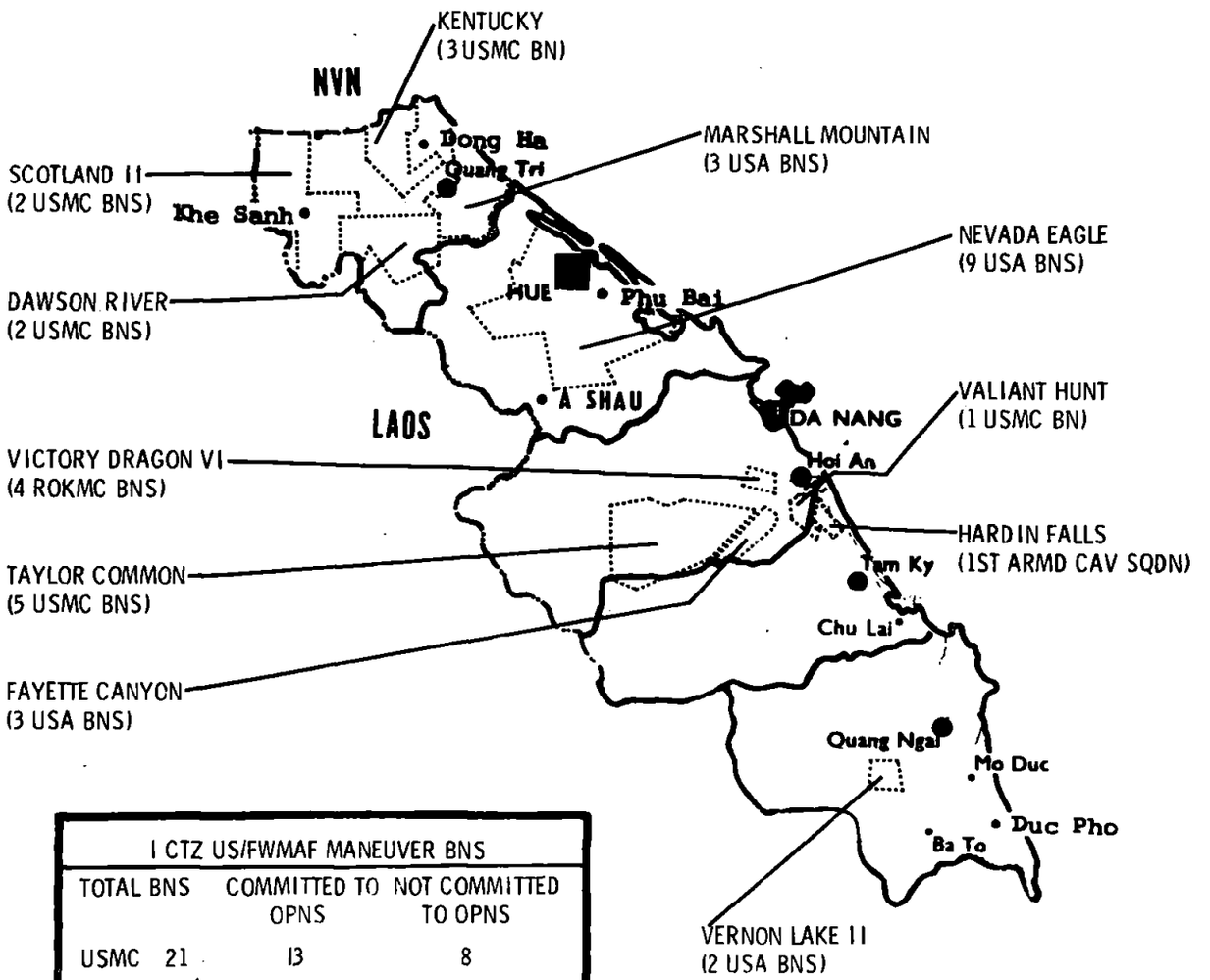
MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	13	8
USA	23	17	6
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	34	14

USMC - 8 BNS DANANG

USA - 6 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 302400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,226 157 USA	3,114
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3, 2/9 & 2/4	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,829
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	2 USA	24 USA	10
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	3	43	53
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	174 USA	1,573 USA	2,968
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5, 3/5, 1/3, & 3/3	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	24	198	300
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: SLF-A (BLT 2/26)	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	15	24
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	1 USA	46
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	2 USA	7 USA	238
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	10 USA	72 USA	195
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2ND ROKMC BDE WITH 4 BNS	HOI AN AREA	11 ROKMC	*30 ROKMC	*288

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

30 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
10,080	38,276	28,719	81/21

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 27 December 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,036	1,320	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
61,368	3,352	12,063

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 44 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 56 — Admitted to hospital → 56
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 47 — Evacuated from SVN → 47
    - 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA

30 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 79.4
CTG: COL J. F. MC MAHON

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
SLF HQS DET				
BLT 2/26				
(LTCOL W. F. SPARKS)				
2ND BN, 26TH MARINES	33	1022	5	60
MORT BTRY, 1/12	3	64		2
BTRY B, 1/13	10	99		2
PLAT, CO A, 5TH AT BN	1	21		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH AMTRAC BN	1	37		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH TANK BN	1	28		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH RECON BN	1	21		1
PLAT, CO C, 3D ENGR BN	1	38		1
PLAT, CO C, 3D MT BN	1	31		
PLAT, H&S CO, 3D SP BN	1	45		1
PLAT, CO D, 5TH MED BN		5	3	20
DET, HQBN, 3D MAR DIV	1	8		
DET, HQCO, 26TH MARINES		6		
DET, COMM SPT CO, 9TH MAB				
DET, 15TH DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-362	53	202	1	
LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP				
TOTALS	107	1,627	10	88

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

68 M60 MG
28 M20 3.5 RL
16 M2 MG
12 M10 60MM MORT
8 M20 81MM MORT
8 M40 106MM RR
6 M30 107MM MORT
6 M101A1 105MM HOW
5 M48 90MM TANK
5 M50 ONTOS
2 M2 FLAME THROWER

36 M35 2½T CARGO TRK
10 LVTP-5
1 LVTP-6
9 M422 ¼T MITE
8 M274 ½T MULE
5 M37 3/4T CARGO TRK
2 M49 TANK TRK
2 M54 CARGO TRK
1 M38 ¼T UTIL TRK
1 M170 AMBULANCE

AIRCRAFT

24/UH-34D

LOCATION

BLT 2/26
ASHORE RVN
(OPN VALIANT HUNT)

SEE MAP FOLLOWING PAGE

SHIPPING

USS OKINAWA (LPH-3)
USS FORT MARION (LSD-22)
USS DULUTH (LPD-7)
USS WINDHAM CTY (LST-1170)

SUPPLIES

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

SLF BRAVO

30 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 79.5
CTG: COL R. R. WILSON

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
SLF HQS DET				
BLT 2/7	61	1484	7	106
(LTCOL N. A. NELSON)				
2D BN, 7TH MARINES				
MORT BTRY 3/11				
BTRY "H", 3/11				
PLAT, CO B, 1ST TANK BN				
PLAT, CO A, 1ST AT BN				
PLAT, CO C, 1ST SP BN				
PLAT, CO B, 3D AMTRAC BN				
PLAT, CO C, 1ST ENGR BN				
PLAT, 1ST MT BN				
LSU, FLC, III MAF				
TOTALS	61	1,484	7	106

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

54 M60 MG
24 M24 3.5 RL
12 M10 60 MM MORT
8 M29 81 MM MORT
8 M40 106 MM RR
6 M30 107 MM MORT
6 M101A1 105 MM HOW
8 M2 FLAME THROWER
5 M48 90 MM TANK
5 M50 ONTOS

23 M35 2½T CARGO TRK
7 M37 3/4T CARGO TRK
7 M38 ¼T UTIL TRK
2 M170 AMBULANCE
11 LVTP5
3 CRANES
3 TD15 TRACTORS
1 M54 5T TRK
2 M543 5T WRECKERS
2 5T DUMPTRUCK

AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

BLT 2/7
(ASHORE RVN)
(DANANG TAOR)
HMM-164
(ASHORE RVN OPCON MAG-16)

SEE MAP FOLLOWING PAGE

SHIPPING

USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10)
USS OGDEN (LPD-5)
USS MONTICELLO (LSD-35)
USS SEMINOLE (LKA-104)

SUPPLIES

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

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

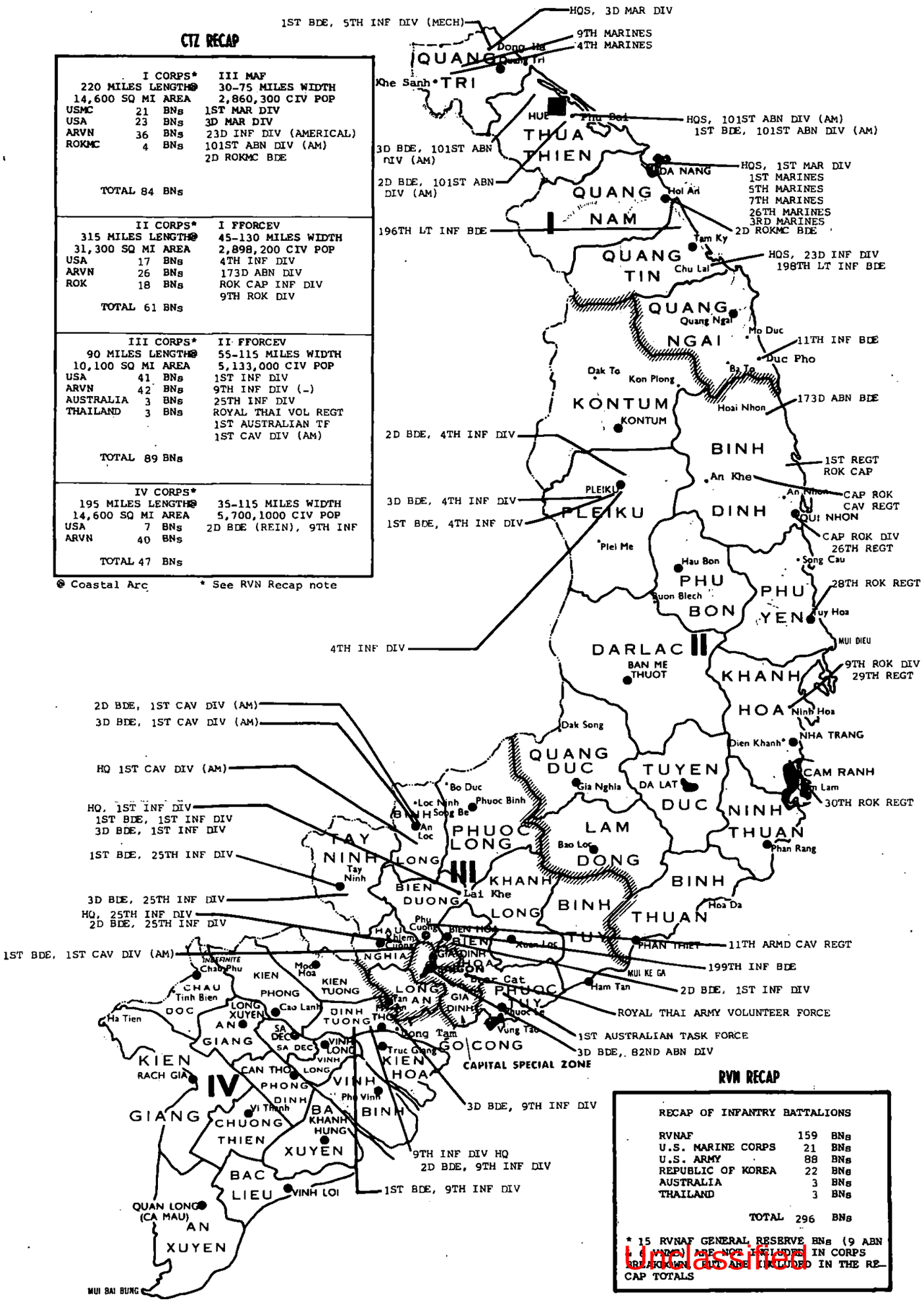
30 DECEMBER 1968

DISPOSITION OF MAJOR US & FWMAF UNITS IN RVN

CTZ RECAP

	I CORPS*	III MAF
	220 MILES LENGTH@	30-75 MILES WIDTH
	14,600 SQ MI AREA	2,860,300 CIV POP
USMC	21 BNs	1ST MAR DIV
USA	23 BNs	3D MAR DIV
ARVN	36 BNs	23D INF DIV (AMERICAL)
ROKMC	4 BNs	101ST ABN DIV (AM)
		2D ROKMC BDE
	TOTAL 84 BNs	
	II CORPS*	I FFORCEV
	315 MILES LENGTH@	45-130 MILES WIDTH
	31,300 SQ MI AREA	2,898,200 CIV POP
USA	17 BNs	4TH INF DIV
ARVN	26 BNs	173D ABN DIV
ROK	18 BNs	ROK CAP INF DIV
		9TH ROK DIV
	TOTAL 61 BNs	
	III CORPS*	II FFORCEV
	90 MILES LENGTH@	55-115 MILES WIDTH
	10,100 SQ MI AREA	5,133,000 CIV POP
USA	41 BNs	1ST INF DIV
ARVN	42 BNs	9TH INF DIV (-)
AUSTRALIA	3 BNs	25TH INF DIV
THAILAND	3 BNs	ROYAL THAI VOL REGT
		1ST AUSTRALIAN TF
		1ST CAV DIV (AM)
	TOTAL 89 BNs	
	IV CORPS*	
	195 MILES LENGTH@	35-115 MILES WIDTH
	14,600 SQ MI AREA	5,700,1000 CIV POP
USA	7 BNs	2D BDE (REIN), 9TH INF
ARVN	40 BNs	
	TOTAL 47 BNs	

@ Coastal Arc * See RVN Recap note



RVN RECAP

RECAP OF INFANTRY BATTALIONS

RVNAF	159	BNs
U.S. MARINE CORPS	21	BNs
U.S. ARMY	88	BNs
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	22	BNs
AUSTRALIA	3	BNs
THAILAND	3	BNs
TOTAL	296	BNs

* 15 RVNAF GENERAL RESERVE BNs (9 ABN & 6 RANGER) ARE NOT INCLUDED IN CORPS BREAKDOWN, BUT ARE INCLUDED IN THE RECAP TOTALS

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 292400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,226 157 USA	3,113
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3, 1/9 & 2/4	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,820
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	2 USA	24 USA	9
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	3	43	51
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,566 USA	2,965
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5, 3/5, 1/3, & 3/3	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	24	192	293
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: SLF-A (BLT 2/26)	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	13	22
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	1 USA	46
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	2 USA	7 USA	238
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	10 USA	67 USA	195
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2ND ROKMC BDE WITH 4 BNS	HOI AN AREA	10 ROKMC	28 ROKMC	268

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
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UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		No I CTZ		OKINAWA		JAPAN		HAWAII		EASTPAC		OTHER	
HEADQUARTERS		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HQ, FMF, PAC																						
FMF, PAC (FWD)		74	1	24JUL68									74	1								
H&S BN, FMF, PAC	4	1624	50	18DEC68													1507	50			120	
CAMP S. D. BUTLER		866	137	28DEC68									866	137								
CASUAL		580		28DEC68									580									
HOSPITALIZED	7	955		28DEC68									472		483							
HQ, V MEF																						
1ST CIVAFFGRP		66	7	18DEC68															66	7		
HQ, 5TH MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 5TH MAR DIV	4	1408	37	18DEC68															1363	37	45	
HQ, FORTRPS, FMF, PAC																						
HQ CO, FORTRPS	4	438	22	18DEC68															194	22	244	
HQ, 1ST MAR BRIG																						
HQ CO, 1ST MAR BRIG		223	8	18DEC68													223	8				
HQ, 9TH MAB																						
HQ CO, 9TH MAB		508	19	18DEC68									508	19								
HQ, III MAF																						
H&S CO, III MAF	4	989	11	18DEC68	977	11															12	
1ST CAG		367	31	18DEC68			367	31														
2D CAG	2	781	42	18DEC68	761	42															20	
3D CAG		252	32	18DEC68					252	32												
4TH CAG		267	21	18DEC68							267	21										
HQ, 1ST MAR DIV																						
HQ BN, 1ST MAR DIV	4	1948	37	18DEC68	1902	37															46	
HQ, 3D MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 3D MAR DIV	4	1946	37	18DEC68							1930	37									16	
INFANTRY																						
1ST MARINES																						
HQ CO		245	8	18DEC68	245	8																
1ST BATTALION		1071	59	18DEC68	1071	59																
2D BATTALION		1098	53	18DEC68	1098	53																
3D BATTALION		1068	61	18DEC68	1068	61																
3D MARINES																						
HQ CO		230	6	18DEC68	230	6																
1ST BATTALION		1187	50	18DEC68	1187	50																
2D BATTALION		1168	58	18DEC68							1168	58										
3D BATTALION		1169	59	18DEC68	1169	59																
4TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		218	5	18DEC68							218	5										
1ST BATTALION		1118	49	18DEC68							1118	49										
2D BATTALION		1150	56	18DEC68							1150	56										
3D BATTALION		1170	52	18DEC68							1170	52										
5TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		245	7	18DEC68	245	7																
1ST BATTALION		1092	53	18DEC68	1092	53																
2D BATTALION		1121	53	18DEC68	1121	53																
3D BATTALION		1086	46	18DEC68	1086	46																
7TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		242	6	18DEC68	242	6																
1ST BATTALION		1057	56	18DEC68	1057	56																
2D BATTALION	1	1545	113	18DEC68																	1545	113
3D BATTALION		1084	56	18DEC68	1084	56																
9TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		233	6	18DEC68							233	6										
1ST BATTALION		1157	50	18DEC68							1157	50										
2D BATTALION		1150	52	18DEC68							1150	52										
3D BATTALION		1157	47	18DEC68							1157	47										
26TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		477	12	18DEC68	238	6							239	6								
1ST BATTALION		1097	57	18DEC68	1097	57																
2D BATTALION	1	1479	97	18DEC68																	1479	97
3D BATTALION		1229	66	18DEC68	1229	66																
27TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		235	7	18DEC68															235	7		
1ST BATTALION		756	88	18DEC68													756	88				
2D BATTALION		1097	32	18DEC68															1097	32		
3D BATTALION		1181	32	18DEC68															1181	32		
28TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		267	6	18DEC68															267	6		
1ST BATTALION		1176	46	18DEC68															1176	46		
2D BATTALION		1167	41	18DEC68															1167	41		
3D BATTALION		1334	41	18DEC68															1334	41		
ARTILLERY																						
11TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		309	9	18DEC68	309	9																
1ST BATTALION		632	18	18DEC68	632	18																
2D BATTALION		658	18	18DEC68	658	18																
3D BATTALION		413	12	18DEC68	413	12																
4TH BATTALION		518	12	18DEC68	518	12																
12TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		285	12	18DEC68	285	12																
1ST BATTALION		571	17	18DEC68	571	17																
2D BATTALION		1161	51	18DEC68	1161	51																
3D BATTALION		852	21	18DEC68	852	21																
4TH BATTALION		533	12	18DEC68	533	12																

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MEDICAL		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
1ST MED BN		148	264	18DEC68	148	264																
3D MED BN		133	349	18DEC68					133	349												
5TH MED BN		101	158	18DEC68															101	158		
1ST HOSP CO		43	72	18DEC68	43	72																
5TH HOSP CO		30	48	18DEC68															30	48		
1ST DENTAL CO			84	18DEC68		84																
3D DENTAL CO			88	18DEC68				88														
5TH DENTAL CO			14	18DEC68																14		
11TH DENTAL CO		3	71	18DEC68	3	71																
13TH DENTAL CO			36	18DEC68																36		
15TH DENTAL CO		3	42	18DEC68															3	42		
17TH DENTAL CO		3	61	18DEC68															3	61		
USMC		91,065			40,437		1,315		769		17,586		6,570		483		2,716		17,528		3,661	
USN		4,458			1,809		142		391		647		248				151		854		216	
GROUND TOTAL		95,523			42,246		1,457		1,160		18,233		6,818		483		2,867		18,382		3,877	

AVIATION UNITS

HQ SQDN FMFPAC		61		18DEC68													61					
1ST MAW																						
MWHG-1																						
H&HS-1		719	34	18DEC68	719	34																
MWFS-1		133		18DEC68	133																	
MWCS-1		289		18DEC68	289																	
MWSG-17																						
H&MS-17		664	22	18DEC68	664	22																
WERS-17		209		18DEC68	209																	
MACG-18																						
H&HS-18		246		18DEC68	246																	
MASS-2		254	3	18DEC68	254	3																
MASS-3		223	2	18DEC68			223	2														
MACS-4		347	3	18DEC68	347	3																
1ST LAAM BN		719	14	18DEC68	719	14																
MAG-11																						
H&MS-11		414		18DEC68	414																	
MABS-11		349	26	18DEC68	349	26																
VMCJ-1		394	1	18DEC68	394	1																
VMFA-542		312	1	18DEC68	312	1																
VMA(AW)-242		333		18DEC68	333																	
VMFA-334		355	1	18DEC68	355	1																
MAG-12																						
H&MS-12		579	1	18DEC68			579	1														
MABS-12		508	32	18DEC68			508	32														
MATCU-67		86		18DEC68			86															
VMA-121		192	1	18DEC68			192	1														
VMA-211		197	1	18DEC68			197	1														
VMA-223		190	1	18DEC68			190	1														
VMA-311		189	1	18DEC68			189	1														
VMA(AW)-533		307	1	18DEC68			307	1														
MAG-13																						
H&MS-13		521		18DEC68			521															
MABS-13		480	26	18DEC68			480	26														
VMFA-115		280	2	18DEC68			280	2														
VMFA-314		277	1	18DEC68			277	1														
VMFA-323		280	1	18DEC68			280	1														
MAG-16																						
H&MS-16		570		18DEC68	570																	
MABS-16		725	27	18DEC68	725	27																
MATCU-62		82		18DEC68							82											
MATCU-68		79		18DEC68					79													
VMO-2		261	1	18DEC68	261	1																
HML-167		243		18DEC68	243																	
HMM-164		243		18DEC68	243																	
HMH-463		326	1	18DEC68	326	1																
HMM-165		208	4	18DEC68	208	4																
HMM-364		222	1	28DEC68	222	1																
MAG-36																						
HMM-265		235	1	18DEC68					235	1												
H&MS-36		490		18DEC68					310		180											
MABS-36		539	23	18DEC68					331	23	208											
MATCU-62 DET "A"		82		18DEC68							82											
HMH-462		203	1	18DEC68					203	1												
HMM-363		254	4	18DEC68					254	4												
HML-367		202	1	18DEC68					202	1												
PROVMAG-39/PROV H&MS-39		441	20	18DEC68							441	20										
VMO-6		250	1	18DEC68							250	1										
HMM-161		250	1	18DEC68							250	1										
HMM-262		238									238											
9TH MAB																						
MAG-15																						
H&MS-15		442		18DEC68									64		378							
MABS-15		294	25	18DEC68											294	25						
MACS-8		240	1	18DEC68									240	1								
VMFA-122		350	17	18DEC68											350	17						
HMM-362	1	255	1	18DEC68																	255	1
MATCU-60		66		18DEC68											66							
MATCU-66		61		18DEC68									61									
VMGR-152		457	4	18DEC68									457	4								

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1ST BRIG		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-24																						
H&MS-24		454		18DEC68													454					
MABS-24		435	22	18DEC68													435	22				
MACS-2		223		18DEC68													223					
MATCU-70		67		18DEC68													67					
VMFA-212		254		18DEC68													254					
VMFA-235		248		18DEC68													248					
3D MAW																						
MWHG-3																						
H&HS-3	4	621	7	18DEC68															602	7	19	
MWFS-3		147		18DEC68															147			
MWCS-3		220		18DEC68															220			
VMT-103		345		18DEC68															345			
MHTG-30																						
H&MS-30		284		18DEC68															284			
HMHT-301		159	1	18DEC68															159	1		
HMMT-302		226		18DEC68															226			
MAG-33																						
H&MS-33		642		18DEC68															642			
MABS-33		529	2	18DEC68															529	2		
MATCU-65		87		18DEC68															87			
VMCJ-3		321		18DEC68															321			
VMFA-214		201	1	18DEC68															201	1		
VMFA-232		279	1	18DEC68															279	1		
VMFA-531		258	1	18DEC68															258	1		
MWSG-37																						
H&MS-37		597	3	18DEC68															597	3		
WERS-37		230	80	18DEC68															230	80		
VMGR-352		362	1	18DEC68															362	1		
MACG-38																						
H&HS-38		241	3	18DEC68															241	3		
MASS-5		198		18DEC68															198			
MACS-1		272		18DEC68															272			
MACS-3		251		18DEC68															251			
MACS-7		242	2	18DEC68															242	2		
5TH LAAM BN		512	10	18DEC68															512	10		
2D LAAM BN		235		18DEC68															235			
MAG-56																						
H&MS-56		352		18DEC68															352			
MABS-56		334	2	18DEC68															334	2		
MATCU-74		66		18DEC68															66			
HMM-163		240		18DEC68															240			
HMM-263		256		18DEC68															256			
HML-267		412	5	18DEC68															412	5		
HMM-561		259		18DEC68															259			
USMC		29,474			8,535		4,309		1,614		1,731		822		1,088		1,742		9,359		274	
USN		450			139		70		30		22		5		42		22		119		1	
AVIATION TOTAL		29,924			8,674		4,379		1,644		1,753		827		1,130		1,764		9,478		275	

RECAPITULATION OF FMFPAC PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION

		ASSIGNED STRENGTH	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	No I CTZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
GROUND TOTAL	USMC	91,065	40,437	1,315	769	17,586	6,570	483	2,716	17,528	3,661
	USN	4,458	1,809	142	391	647	248		151	854	216
AVIATION TOTAL	USMC	29,474	8,535	4,309	1,614	1,731	822	1,088	1,742	9,359	274
	USN	450	139	70	30	22	5	42	22	119	1
GRAND TOTAL	USMC	120,539	48,972	5,624	2,383	19,317	7,392	1,571	4,458	26,887	3,935
	USN	4,908	1,948	212	421	669	253	42	173	973	217

NOTES:

1. FIGURES IN "OTHER" ASSIGNED TO SLF's AND ARE BLT STRENGTHS.
2. FIGURES IN "OTHER" ASSIGNED TO VARIOUS RVN LOCATIONS.
3. AT VARIOUS I CTZ LOCATIONS.
4. PERSONNEL LISTED IN "OTHER" ARE ASSIGNED TO IT, ITT, SSC, CI TEAMS, RED EYE AND NUCLEAR ORDNANCE PLATOONS.
5. STRENGTHS INCLUDED IN 7TH AND 11TH ENGINEER BATTALIONS.
6. 1ST AND 3D ANTI-TANK PERSONNEL ARE INCLUDED IN 1ST AND 3D TANK BATTALIONS STRENGTHS.
7. HOSPITALIZED AT LOCATIONS OTHER THAN OKINAWA BUT CARRIED ON THE ROLLS OF CASUAL COMPANY, CAMP BUTLER.

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

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HEADQUARTERS FLEET MARINE FORCE PACIFIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN H. W. BUSE, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN P. J. FONTANA
CG FMFPAC FWD	BGEN G. D. WEBSTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	BGEN L. H. WILSON
ACOS G-1	COL M. B. COOPER
ACOS G-2	COL L. C. SHEPHERD, III
ACOS G-3	COL R. M. HALL
ACOS G-4	COL R. C. DENNY
ACOS G-5	LTCOL E. L. HICKMAN

5TH MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN L. J. DULACKI
ADC	COL S. S. HUGHES
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL M. W. SCHMIDT
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL B. H. CURWEN, JR.
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL P. WEILER
ACOS, G-3	COL W. MOORE
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL

27TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL E. B. MEYER
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. SIMONIS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. G. HUNT, JR.

28TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. R. BREEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. T. BOWEN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. KNAPP
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. R. KOETHE

13TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. D. EZELL
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. B. CANTIENY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL M. P. FENNESSY
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR C. J. STANARO
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR W. H. STEWART JR

HQS BATTALION	COL D. H. SIMMONS
5TH AT BATTALION	LTCOL R. W. COULTER
5TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL J. P. KRAYNAK
5TH RECON BATTALION	LTCOL R. R. BURRITT
5TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL F. B. OKONSKY
5TH SP BATTALION	LTCOL A. F. ELIASON, JR.
5TH SERV BATTALION	COL W. W. STORM III
5TH MED BATTALION	LCDR D. H. LINDEMAN

1ST MARINE BRIGADE

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MCGRAW
S-1	LTCOL D. G. GEDDES
S-2	CWO P. B. MURPHY
S-3	LTCOL D. J. HUNTER
S-4	LTCOL A. E. SKAGERBERG
1ST BN, 27TH MARINES	LTCOL R. E. B. PALMER

MAG-24

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. WILSON
H&MS-24	LTCOL F. B. ELLIS
MABS-24	LTCOL J. R. HANSFORD
MACS-2	LTCOL E. L. CONROY
VMFA-212	LTCOL B. D. FRITSCH
VMFA-235	LTCOL W. A. TYKSINSKI

9TH MARINE AMPHIBIOUS BRIGADE

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. E. WILLIAMS
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. LOWMAN
ACOS, G-1	MAJOR W. H. GROESBECK
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL A. L. LUMPKIN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL G. C. KLIEFOTH
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL S. P. MCCARTY
ACOS, G-5	1STLT W. R. YOUNG

26TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. W. HUNTER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL C. H. KNOWLES
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. P. ROBERTSON

MAG-15

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. T. CORCORAN
H&MS-15	LTCOL K. M. SCOTT
MABS-15	LTCOL D. H. PEGUES
MACS-8	MAJOR D. C. BIERHAALDER
VMGR-152	LTCOL F. R. SMOKE
VMFA-122	LTCOL L. B. HANNAH

SLF ALPHA

COMMANDER	COL J. F. MCMAHON
BLT 2/26	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
HMM-362	LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP

SLF BRAVO

COMMANDER	COL R. R. WILSON
BLT 2/7	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
HMM-164	LTCOL R. T. TRUNDY

PROV SERV BATTALION

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. DOTY

FORCE TROOPS FMFPAC

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN R. FULLER
ASSISTANT COMMANDER	COL S. H. PRATT
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL T. L. COBB
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL J. P. KELLY
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL W. R. MILLER
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL M. E. FARRIS

3RD FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. PADALINO
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. E. ROURKE
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL H. J. LEVERT, JR.
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL L. I. FEIN

5TH FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. R. JONES
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. A. BJORSON
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL R. O. BARNES
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL J. N. HERMES
5TH TK BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. WILSON
5TH AMTRAC BATTALION	MAJOR J. R. TULL
5TH MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. THRELFALL
13TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL M. D. DRUMMOND
13TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL M. S. SHIMANOFF
2ND LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL D. E. GUNTHER
5TH LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL M. S. JOLLEY

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

28 DECEMBER 1968

1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
AWC	BGEN H. S. HILL/H. W. HISE
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL V. D. OLSON
ACOS, G-1	COL E. A. PARNELL
ACOS, G-2	COL H. R. BUMPAS
ACOS, G-3	COL E. H. FINLAYSON
ACOS, G-4	COL S. FURIMSKY, JR.
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL E. E. HAGEDORN
CEO	LTCOL R. S. HARTMAN
MWHG-1	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL T. H. NICHOLS, JR.
H&HS-1	LTCOL P. A. LINDSAY
MWFS-1	MAJOR W. O. GOLLER
MWCS-1	MAJOR D. J. OGDEN
MWSG-17	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. S. RASH
H&MS-17	LTCOL E. S. JOHN
WERS-17	LTCOL S. M. WILLIAMS
MACG-18	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. S. FRIS
H&HS-18	LTCOL J. R. DOPLER
MACS-4	LTCOL T. M. KAUFFMAN
MASS-2	MAJOR E. J. DALY, III
MASS-3	LTCOL W. L. SULLIVAN
MAG-11	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. D. SLAY
H&MS-11	LTCOL R. M. STOWERS
MABS-11	LTCOL P. P. MARQUES
VMCJ-1	LTCOL B. R. HALL
VMFA-334	MAJ J. R. SHERMAN
VMFA-542	LTCOL H. R. VITALI
VMA(AW)-242	LTCOL F. C. RILLING, JR.
MAG-12	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. A. DEASY
H&MS-12	LTCOL C. D. WARFIELD
MABS-12	MAJOR L. FURSTENBURG
VMA-311	LTCOL C. O. HIETT
VMA-121	MAJOR D. A. LERPS
VMA-211	LTCOL F. R. SALZMAN
VMA-223	MAJOR L. T. PRESTON, JR.
VMA(AW)-533	LTCOL P. K. GERMAN
MAG-13	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL N. W. GOURLEY
H&MS-13	MAJOR E. A. HOUSE
MABS-13	MAJOR C. V. SMILLIE, JR.
VMFA-115	LTCOL I. L. MORGAN
VMFA-314	LTCOL F. E. PETERSEN, JR.
VMFA-323	LTCOL R. R. NORTON
MAG-16	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MACQUARRIE
H&MS-16	LTCOL C. W. GOBAT
MABS-16	LTCOL E. C. CUNNINGHAM
VMO-2	LTCOL S. J. FULTON
HMM-165	LTCOL G. L. PATRICK
HMH-463	LTCOL R. W. PEARD, JR.
HML-167	LTCOL T. F. MILLER
HMM-364	LTCOL M. V. STATZER
MAG-36	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL B. J. MATHESON
H&MS-36	LTCOL J. D. BELL
MABS-36	LTCOL D. W. WRIGHT
HML-367	LTCOL R. L. ROBINSON
HMH-462	LTCOL R. E. NELSON
HMM-363	MAJOR J. L. HARRISON
HMM-265	LTCOL R. E. THUESEN
PROV MAG-39	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. SIENKO
H&MS-39	LTCOL B. R. WILKINSON
VMO-6	MAJOR H. A. ZANDER
HMM-161	LTCOL D. L. ELAM
HMM-262	LTCOL A. N. ALLEN
1ST LAAM BN	LTCOL J. W. DRURY

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN A. H. ADAMS
AWC	BGEN
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL S. V. TITTERUD
ACOS, G-1	COL O. B. JOHNSTON
ACOS, G-2	COL J. H. SCHERER
ACOS, G-3	COL R. L. REED
ACOS, G-4	COL R. W. TELLER
MWHG-3	
COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL F. E. WILSON
H&HS-3	MAJOR J. B. LAVELLE
MWFS-3	MAJOR C. A. BOYD
MWCS-3	MAJOR D. E. WILLIAMS
VMT-103	LTCOL M. T. GARRISON
MHTG-30	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. KOLER, JR.
H&MS-30	MAJOR W. W. ELDRIDGE JR.
HMHT-301	LTCOL C. A. BLOCK
HMMT-302	LTCOL K. D. VANEK
MAG-33	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. L. REED
H&MS-33	LTCOL W. R. SMITH
MABS-33	MAJOR R. J. REID
VMCJ-3	LTCOL B. R. HALL
VMA-214	LTCOL J. J. WENT
VMFA-232	LTCOL W. P. HUTCHINS
VMFA-531	LTCOL R. PEREZ
MWSG-37	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. L. BEACH
H&MS-37	LTCOL D. L. RICE
WERS-37	MAJOR A. H. MANHARD
VMGR-352	LTCOL W. D. HARRIS
MACG-38	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. J. BERGEC
H&HS-38	MAJOR J. E. KEHRLE
MASS-5	MAJOR D. V. STOWELL
MACS-1	LTCOL B. C. ROWE
MACS-3	
MACS-7	LTCOL P. E. SHEA
MAG-56	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL K. W. COSTELLO
H&MS-56	MAJOR H. F. MUTH
MABS-56	MAJOR G. A. STEPHENS
HMM-263	LTCOL R. E. HOFSTETTER
HML-267	LTCOL R. R. UPSHULTE
HMM-561	MAJOR A. S. PIPER
HMM-163	LTCOL L. I. BLANKENSHIP

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMFPAC TACTICAL UNITS

28 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
1ST MARINES		1/1, 2/1, 3/1							
3D MARINES		1/3, 3/3	2/3						
4TH MARINES			1/4, 2/4, 3/4						
5TH MARINES		1/5, 2/5 3/5							
7TH MARINES		1/7, 3/7						2/7	1
9TH MARINES			1/9, 2/9, 3/9						
26TH MARINES		1/26, 3/26						2/26	1
27TH MARINES						1/27	2/27, 3/27		
28TH MARINES							1/28, 2/28 3/28		
MAG-11		VMCJ-1 VMA(AW)-242 VMFA-542 VMFA-334							
MAG-12	VMA-121 VMA-211 VMA-223 VMA-311 VMA(AW)-533								
MAG-13	VMFA-115 VMFA-323 VMFA-314								
MAG-16		VMO-2 HML-167 HMH-463 HMM-164 HMM-165 HMM-364							
MAG-36			HMM-363 HMM-265 HML-367 HMH-462						
PROV MAG-39			VMO-6 HMM-262 HMM-161						
MAG-15					VMFA-122			HMM-362	1
MAG-24						VMFA-212 VMFA-235			
MAG-33							VMCJ-3 VMA-214 VMFA-232 VMFA-531		
MAG-56							HML-267 HMM-263 HMM-163 HMM-561		

NOTE 1: SLF

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND EQUIPMENT

EQUIPMENT	T/E AUTH	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
60mm MORTAR M19	328		120	108		12	48	24	1
81mm MORTAR M29	216		88	64		8	40	16	1
106mm RR M40A1C	216		88	64		8	40	16	1
107mm MORTAR M30	54		18	12		6	6	12	1
105mm HOW TD M101A1	162		66	48		6	30	12	1
155mm HOW TD M114A1	24		14	10					
155mm HOW SP M109	54		24	18			12		
155mm GUN SP M53	24		6	12			6		
8in HOW SP M110	18		4	10			4		
ONTOS M50A1	135		15	5	5		23	10	1
90mm TANK M48A3	159		60	53			36	10	1
120mm TANK M103A2	17						17		
FLAME TANK M67A2	27		12	9			6		
LVTH6	18		12	6					1
LVTP5	347		72	95			90	20	1
LVTE1	20		8	4			8		
HAWK LAUNCHERS	54		18				18		
HAWK MISSILES	252		110						

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NOTES: 1 UNITS/EQUIPMENT IN OTHER ASSIGNED TO SLF's.

DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FMFPAC

28 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
HQ SQDN, FMFPAC						2/T-1A 1/C-54 1/C-47 1/UC-45J		
VMT-103							19/TA-4F	
MAG-11 H&MS-11	6/TA-4F 1/C-117D							
VMCJ-1	8/RF-4B 9/EF-10B 5/EA-6A							
VMA(AW)-242	10/A-6A							
VMFA-542	15/F-4B							
VMFA-334	15/F-4J							
MAG-12 H&MS-12		4/TA-4F 1/C-117D						
VMA-121		23/A-4E						
VMA-211		20/A-4E						
VMA-223		19/A-4C						
VMA-311		19/A-4E						
VMA(AW)-533		11/A-6A						
MAG-13 H&MS-13		3/TF-9J 1/C-117D 1/TA-4F						
VMFA-115		11/F-4B						
VMFA-314		15/F-4B						
VMFA-323		15/F-4B						
MAG-15 H&MS-15				4/UH-34D	1/C-117D 2/TA-4F 3/C-54			
VMGR-152				13/KC-130F				
VMFA-122					19/F-4B			
HMM-362								24/UH-34D
MAG-16 H&MS-16	1/C-117D 6/UH-34D 1/CH-53A							
VMO-2	13/OV-10A 12/UH-1E							
HMM-364	23/CH-46D							
HMM-164	20/CH-46A							
HML-167	15/UH-1E							
HMH-463	21/CH-53A							
HMM-165	23/CH-46A							
MWSG-17 H&MS-17	1/UH-34D 4/US-2A/B 1/C-117D 2/C-1A							
MHTG-30 H&MS-30							5/CH-46D 1/CH-46F	
HMHT-301							15/CH-53A	
HMMT-302							19/CH-46D	
MAG-33 H&MS-33							2/F-4J 1/C-47J 1/C-47H 6/TA-4F	
VMCJ-3							4/RF-4B 8/EF-10B	
VMA-214							26/A-4C	
VMFA-232							10/F-4J	
VMFA-531							11/F-4B	
MAG-36 H&MS-36			1/CH-46D 1/C-117D 4/UH-34D					
HML-367			19/UH-1E					
HMM-363			23/UH-34D					
HMH-462			12/CH-53A					
HMM-265			17/CH-46A					
PROV MAG-39 # VMO-6			10/OV-10A 8 /O-1C/G 20 /UH-1E					
HMM-161			21 /CH-46D					
HMM-262			25/CH-46A					

NOTES:

QUANG TRI

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FMFPAC

28 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
MWSG-37								
H&MS-37							4/T-1A 1/C-54Q 1/C-54R 3/TA-4F 3/C-117D 2/C-47H	
VMGR-352							13/KC-130F	
MAG-56								
H&MS-56							3/CH-53A	
HML-267							27/OV-10A 18/UH-1E	
HMM-263							24/CH-46D	
HMM-163							14/CH-46D	
HMM-561							23/UH-34D	
1ST MARINE BRIGADE								
MAG-24								
H&MS-24						1/C-117D 3/UH-34D 1/T-1A 3/TA-4F		
VMFA-212						15/F-4J		
VMFA-235						15/F-4J		
TOTAL PAC AIRCRAFT								
FIXED WING (472)	90	143	19	13	25	40	142	
HELICOPTERS (417)	122		142	4		3	122	24

NOTES: * ASSIGNED TO SLF
QUANG TRI

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

28 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,292	75,159	80,451	
DANANG	(3,016)	(43,249)	(46,265)	#
CHU LAI	(466)	(5,046)	(5,512)	
PHU BAI	(305)	(2,804)	(3,109)	
DONG HA	(1,386)	(22,154)	(23,540)	
DUC PHO	(1)	(37)	(38)	
AFLOAT	(118)	(1,869)	(1,987)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,461	75,458	80,919	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS				
31 OCTOBER			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	458	3011	3,469	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1294 EVENTS OF 25 & 26 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

28 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 23,540
USN 1,129 *
USA 7,258

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

(TF BRAVO)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/4 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 3/9 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,109
USN 71 *
USA 24,982

HQ,XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

USMC 46,265
USN 2,016 *
USA 2,171
ROKMC 6,745

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/1
- 2/1
- 3/1

(TF YANKEE)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE

- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

HQS, III MAF

CTG 76.4
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A") (OPN VALIANT HUNT)

HQS 1ST MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,550 **
USN 120 *
USA 23,583

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/6 INF
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	80,919	3,469
III MAF	80,451	3,469 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(17)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	80,137
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	63,105
US NAVY		22,720
US AIRFORCE		7,574
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,745
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	99,923
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(44,321)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(27,717)
VNPF		(25,824)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	280,204

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
ALFA: BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO: BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-164 (CH-46A) @	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT -26 (REAR)	7,681	253

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,645	42

MOVEMENTS

Unclassified

* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units

**Includes 38 USMC at DucPho

\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.

@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

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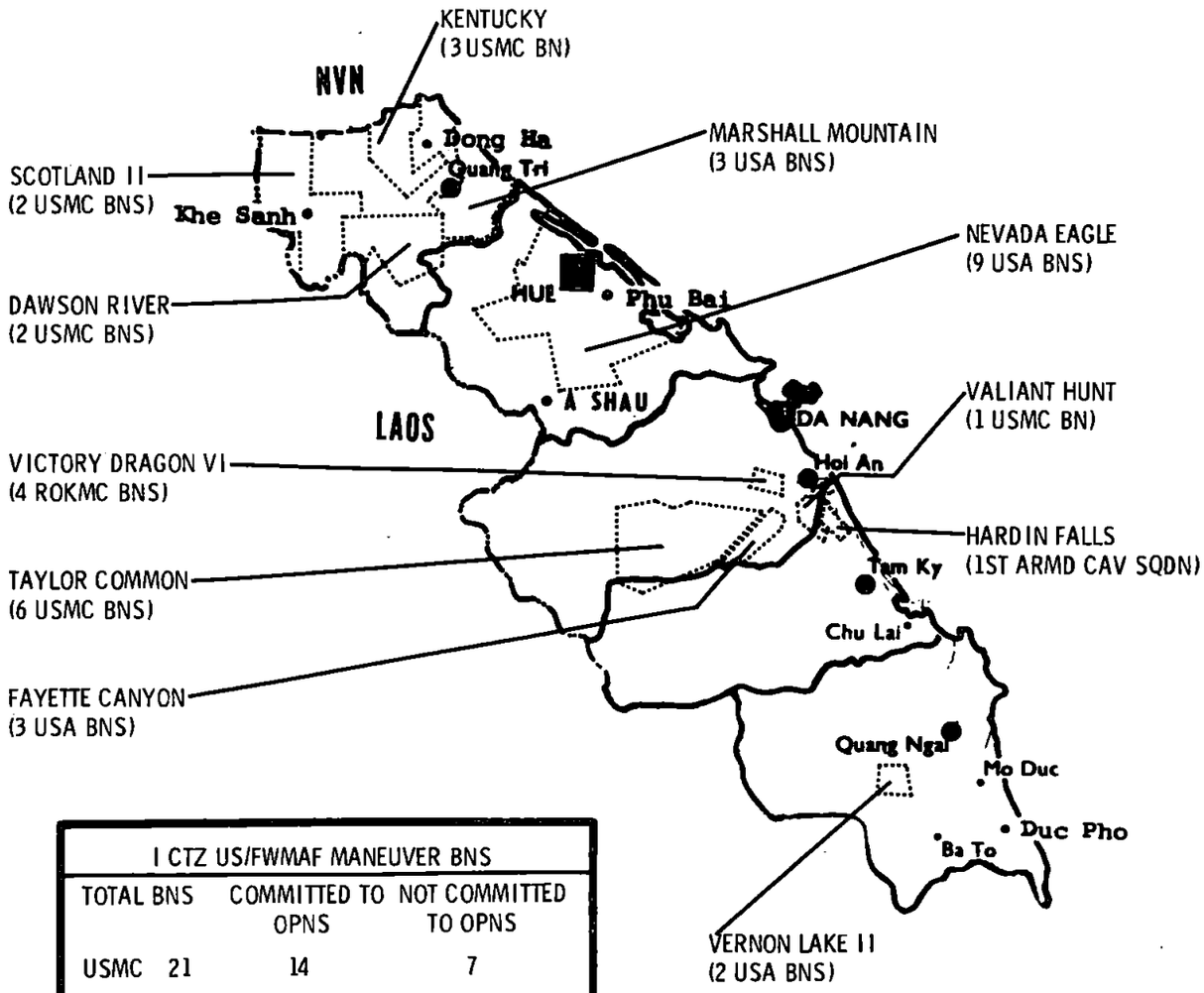
MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	14	7
USA	23	17	6
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	35	13

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 6 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

Unclassified

28 DECEMBER 1968

SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 272400H DEC 1968		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,226 157 USA	3,113
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3, 3/9 & 2/4	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,820
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	2 USA	24 USA	9
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9 & 2/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	3	41	50
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,555	2,949
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5, 3/5, 1/3, 3/3 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	24	169	278
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: SLF-A (BLT 2/26)	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	13	20
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	1 USA	46
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	2 USA	7 USA	234
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	10 USA	66 USA	191
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2ND ROKMC BDE WITH 4 BNS	HOI AN AREA	10 ROKMC	23 ROKMC	257

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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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 December 21, 1968

28 DECEMBER 1968

	Army	Navy **	Marine Corps	Air Force	Total
A. CASUALTIES RESULTING FROM ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
1. Killed	15,387	744	8,955	318	25,404
2. Wounded or Injured					
a. Died of wounds	1,997	92	1,093	27	3,209
b. Nonfatal wounds					
Hospital care required	58,053	2,464	38,185	512	99,214
Hospital care not required	58,042	3,713	28,641	1,696	92,092
3. Missing					
a. Died while missing	1,406	132	5	264	1,807
b. Returned to control	47	7	6	24	84
c. Current missing	176	118	83	540	917
4. Captured or Interned					
a. Died while captured or interned	9	-	-	1	10
b. Returned to control	22	1	4	5	32
c. Current captured or interned	35	133	19	139	326
5. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	58	138	108	481	785
Helicopter	919	40	283	19	1,261
b. From ground action	17,822	790	9,662	110	28,384
TOTAL DEATHS a/	18,799*	968	10,053	610	30,430
B. CASUALTIES NOT THE RESULT OF ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
6. Current Missing	71	-	2	2	75
7. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	191	84	29	192	496
Helicopter	786	21	160	7	974
b. From other causes	2,131	439	839	163	3,572
TOTAL DEATHS	3,108	544	1,028	362	5,042

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

*Includes 335 Special Forces personnel.

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

Directorate for Statistical Services
Office of the Secretary of Defense
December 24, 1968

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

28 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
10,080	38,276	28,719	81/21

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 27 December 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,036	1,320	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
61,320	3,348	12,048

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

44	Treated in field & returned to duty
56	Admitted to hospital

→ 56

9	Treated & returned to duty in SVN
47	Evacuated from SVN

→ 47

28	Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
19	Evacuated to CONUS hospital

→ 19

5	Treated & returned to full duty
7	Physical disability separation
1.5	Dies of wounds
5.5	Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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VIETNAM — AIR FORCE

AS OF 24 DEC 68

28 DECEMBER 1968

BIEN HOA

3 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	54
1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	62
	O-2	15
	OV-10	21
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	3
**1 STRAT RECON DET	WU-2	3
	DC-130	2
*2 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	5
	U-10	9
1 SPCL OPN SQ	UC-123	23
1 SPCL OPN SQ	A-37	20

BINH THUY

1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	38
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
*2 SPCL OPN SQ	AC-47	3
	U-10	6
	C-47	3

CAM RANH BAY

3 TAC FTR SQ	F-4	50
2 TAC ALFT SQ	C-7	30
*9 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	40
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2

DA NANG

1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	15
	O-2	51
3 TAC FTR SQ	F-4	52
*1 FTR INT DET	F-102	6
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	3
1 RESCUE SQ	HH-3	11
*1 TAC ALFT DET	C-7	3
*2 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	5
	A-1	2

NHA TRANG

1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	36
	O-2	13
4 SPCL OPN SQ	AC-47	8
	U-10	5
	C-47	3
	O-2	11
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
1 TAC EL WARF SQ	EC-47	16
*1 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	4
1 HELO SQ	UH-1	8

PHAN RANG

4 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	67
1 TAC BMBR SQ	B-57	15
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
3 SPCL OPN TRC SQ	C-123	34
*1 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	3

PHU CAT

4 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	67
2 TAC ALFT SQ	C-7	23
*1 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	4
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	1

PLEIKU

1 SPCL OPN SQ	A-1	19
*2 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	3
	O-2	5
	C-47	2
1 TAC EL WARF SQ	EC-47	11
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2

TAN SON NHUT

1 SPCL OPN TRC SQ	C-123	17
2 TAC RECON SQ	RF-4	30
1 TAC RECON DET	RB-57	2
1 TAC RECON DET	RF-101	15
1 TAC EL WARF SQ	EC-47	15
*4 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	27
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2

TUY HOA

5 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	79
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	3
1 RESCUE SQ	HC-130	9
*3 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	10

VUNG TAU

2 TAC ALFT SQ	C-7	27

BAN ME THOUT

*1 HELO DET	UH-1	9

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*TDY **ASSIGNED TO & UNDER OPCON OF SAC

VIETNAM REFERENCE DATA

VIETNAM GEOGRAPHIC DATA

28 DECEMBER 1968

	LENGTH (MI)	WIDTH (MI)	AREA (SQ MI)	POPULATION
NORTH VIETNAM	425*	44-389	63,000	18,297,000
DEMILITARIZED ZONE	44	MAX 6		
SOUTH VIETNAM	823*	30-130	66,700	17,420,900
I CORPS	220*	30-75	10,700	3,236,100
II CORPS	315*	45-130	31,300	2,894,900
III CORPS	90*	55-115	10,100	5,411,200
IV CORPS	195*	35-115	14,600	5,878,700

* Coastal Arc

I CORPS GEOGRAPHIC DATA

PROVINCES	AREA (SQ MI)	POPULATION	VILLAGES
QUANG TRI	1,820	303,300	84
THUA THIEN	1,900	540,700	95
QUANG NAM	2,500	843,500	141
QUANG TIN	1,890	409,600	70
QUANG NGAI	2,690	699,500	159
CITIES			
QUANG TRI		(12,382)	
HUE		150,000	
DANANG		289,600	
HOI AN		(16,586)	
TAM KY		(10,134)	
QUANG NGAI		(11,000)	

CITY POPULATIONS IN PARENS ( ) ARE INCLUDED IN APPROPRIATE PROVINCE TOTAL

I CORPS PACIFICATION DATA

OCTOBER 1968

TAOR AREA	AREA (SQ MI)	TOTAL POPULATION	SECURE* POPULATION	% POP SECURE	TOTAL VILLAGES	SECURE* VILLAGES
DANANG TAOR	599	799,951	534,140	67%	102	46
CHU LAI TAOR	565	273,129	88,900	33%	57	17
PHU BAI TAOR	249	93,418	90,539	98%	15	14
NORTHERN I CTZ	220	76,310	52,696	70%	21	7
DUC PHO AREA	188	146,516	73,304	50%	22	9
TOTALS	1,821	1,389,324	839,877	61%	217	93

* 60% or more pacified in accordance with FMFPAC criteria

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VIETNAM REFERENCE DATA

28 DECEMBER 1968

SELECTED ENEMY WEAPONS RANGES

		METERS	YARDS
CHICOM	60mm mortar	1566	1700
SOVIET	82mm mortar	3040	3320
SOVIET	120mm mortar	5700	6235
SOVIET	102mm rocket	5030	5500
SOVIET	122mm rocket	10100	12000
SOVIET	140mm rocket	8800	9750
SOVIET	200mm rocket	20300	22200
SOVIET	250mm rocket	55900	61000
SOVIET	76mm field gun	13300	14550
SOVIET	100mm field gun	21000	22900
U. S.	105mm howitzer	11000	12030
SOVIET	122mm gun/how	15300	16740
SOVIET	122mm field gun	21900	24000
SOVIET	130mm field gun	27000	29500
SOVIET	152mm gun/how	17200	18000

MARINE TOUR/EXTENSION IN RVN DATA*

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL
VOLUNTARY EXTENSIONS FOR 6 MONTHS OR LONGER SINCE JUNE 1966	552	28,327	28,879
SERVING ON SECOND TOUR OF DUTY IN RVN SINCE MARCH 1965			
VOLUNTARY	119	1,409	1,528
INVOLUNTARY	0	2	2

SOURCE: CG FMFPAC 152002ZDEC68 (AS OF 30NOV68)

COMBINED ACTION UNIT STATISTICS PERIOD 1 - 30 NOV 1968

FRIENDLY LOSSES:	KIA	WIA
USMC	8	36
USN		3
PF	10	53

ENEMY LOSSES:	KIA	PW/DET	RET	WPNS
	216	71/360	13	64

	USMC OFF	USMC ENL	USN	PF
STRENGTH:	36	1654	135	3199

TOTAL UNITS	CAG	CAC	CAP
	4	19	162

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL*

FLEET MARINE FORCE, ATLANTIC

28 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	NORFOLK		CAM LEJ/ NEW RIV		CHER PT		BEAUFORT		ROOS RDS		GTMO		LANFOR CARIB		LANFOR6TH FLT 4-68		OTHER	
		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HEADQUARTERS FMFLANT																						
H&S BN		696	17	24DEC68	696	17																
HQS SQDN		74		24DEC68	74																	
USMC		770			770																	
USN		17			17																	
HQS LANT TOTAL		787			787																	

FORCE TROOPS

HQS CO	3	425	1	24DEC68			346	1													79	
2D FSR																						
H&S BN		638	19	24DEC68			554	19							20		24		40			
SUP BN		630	11	24DEC68			630	11														
MAINT BN		891		24DEC68			891															
2D FAG																						
HQS BTRY		130	6	24DEC68			130	6														
2D 155MM GUN BTRY		102		24DEC68			102															
2D 8IN HOW BTRY		134		24DEC68			134															
2D TANK BN		572	8	24DEC68			528	8									22		22			
2D AMTRAC BN		713	13	24DEC68			616	13							29		43		25			
2D RADIO BN		425	4	24DEC68			425	4														
2D FORCE RECON CO		161	3	24DEC68			161	3														
2D ANGLICO		207	14	24DEC68			207	14														
2D BRIDGE CO		115	2	24DEC68			71	2							44							
2D TOPO CO	4	104	1	24DEC68			98	1													6	
2D HOSPITAL CO		20	20	24DEC68			20	20														
2D SEP SURGICAL CO		7	11	24DEC68			7	11														
4TH DENTAL CO		5	33	24DEC68			5	33														
8TH COMM BN		501	7	24DEC68			501	7														
8TH MT BN		240	3	24DEC68			240	3														
8TH ENGR BN	5	890	13	24DEC68			769	13													121	
USMC		6,910					6,435								93		89		87		206	
USN		169					169															
FORTRPS TOTAL		7,079					6,604								93		89		87		206	

2D MARINE DIVISION

HEADQUARTERS BN		1716	51	24DEC68			1680	51									16		20			
2D MARINES																						
HQS CO		292	14	24DEC68			284	14											8			
1ST BN		877	35	24DEC68															877	35		
2D BN		442	18	24DEC68			442	18														
3D BN		950	34	24DEC68			950	34														
6TH MARINES																						
HQS CO		209	14	24DEC68			201	14									8					
1ST BN		728	33	24DEC68			728	33														
2D BN		835	34	24DEC68													835	34				
3D BN		1048	24	24DEC68			1048	24														
8TH MARINES																						
HQS CO		224	4	24DEC68			224	4														
1ST BN		1138	35	24DEC68			1138	35														
2D BN		1047	33	24DEC68			191	8							856	25						
3D BN		536	30	24DEC68			536	30														
10TH MARINES																						
HQS BTRY		250	15	24DEC68			225	14									13		12	1		
1ST BN		541	10	24DEC68			541	10														
2D BN		584	13	24DEC68			451	13									133					
3D BN		575	12	24DEC68			436	12											139			
4TH BN		478	10	24DEC68			330	7							148	3						
2D SERVICE BN		1168	26	24DEC68			1093	26									37		38			
2D AT BN		357	5	24DEC68			310	5									25		22			
2D MT BN		267	7	24DEC68			248	7											19			
2D RECON BN		363	16	24DEC68			316	15									22		25	1		
2D ENGR BN		724	13	24DEC68			626	13									49		49			
2D SP BN		434	15	24DEC68			332	14									52		50	1		
2D MEDICAL BN		101	153	24DEC68			81	133									10	10	10	10		
2D DENTAL CO			69	24DEC68				63										2		4		
USMC		15,884					12,411								1,004		1,200		1,269			
USN		723					597								28		46		52			
2DMARDIV TOTAL		16,607					13,008								1,032		1,246		1,321			

2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

MWHG-2																						
H&HS-2		537	30	24DEC68					537	30												
MWFS-2		106		24DEC68					106													
MWCS-2		227		24DEC68					227													
12TH FORCE DENTAL CO			26	24DEC68						26												
MWSG-27																						
H&MS-27		659	13	24DEC68					659	13												
WERS-27		303		24DEC68					303													
VMGR-252		406	2	24DEC68					406	2												

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★ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, STRENGTHS AND LOCATIONS INDICATED ARE THOSE REPORTED BY UNIT PERSONNEL STATUS REPORTS AND DO NOT REFLECT DAY-TO-DAY ADJUSTMENTS BETWEEN REPORTING PERIODS.

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

FLEET MARINE FORCE. ATLANTIC

28 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	NORFOLK		CAM LEJ/ NEW RIV		CHER PT		BEAUFORT		ROOS RDS		GTMO		LANFOR CARIB		LANFOR6TH FLT 4-68		OTHER	
		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MWCG-28																						
H&HS-28		232	1	24DEC68					232	1												
MASS-1		182		24DEC68					182													
MACS-5		220		24DEC68					220													
MACS-6	1	206		24DEC68					206													
MACS-9		267		24DEC68					267													
3D LAAM BN		607	9	24DEC68					607	9												
MAG-14																						
H&MS-14		578		24DEC68					578													
MABS-14		357	14	24DEC68					357	14												
MATCU-61		73		24DEC68					73													
VMCJ-2		359	2	24DEC68					359	2												
VMA(AW)-224		268	2	24DEC68					268	2												
VMA(AW)-225		339	2	24DEC68					339	2												
VMA(AW)-332		261	2	24DEC68					261	2												
VMFA-513	2	271	2	24DEC68					271	2												
MWCRTG-20																						
H&MS-20		486		24DEC68					486													
VMFAT-201		347	2	24DEC68					347	2												
VMAT (AW)-202		295	2	24DEC68					295	2												
VMT-203		223	2	24DEC68					223	2												
MAG-26																						
H&MS-26		582		24DEC68			582															
MABS-26		497	29	24DEC68			497	29														
MATCU-64		92		24DEC68			92															
VMO-1		293		24DEC68			285										8					
HMH-461		239		24DEC68			239															
HMM-162		235		24DEC68			235															
HMM-261		260	3	24DEC68													260	3				
HMM-264		231		24DEC68			231															
HMM-365		213		24DEC68			213															
HMH-361	1	182		24DEC68			182															
MAG-31																						
H&MS-31		637		24DEC68							637											
MABS-31		508	20	24DEC68							508	20										
MATCU-69		108		24DEC68							108											
VMFA-331		237	1	24DEC68							237	1										
VMFA-333		269	1	24DEC68							269	1										
VMFA-451		302	1	24DEC68							302	1										
MAG-32																						
H&MS-32		581		24DEC68							581											
MABS-32		511	17	24DEC68							511	17										
MATCU-63		92		24DEC68							92											
VMFA-251		297	1	24DEC68							297	1										
VMFA-312		279	1	24DEC68							279	1										
VMA-324		273	1	24DEC68							273	1										
USMC		14,727					2,556		7,809		4,094						268					
USN		186					29		111		43						3					
2D MAW TOTAL		14,913					2,585		7,920		4,137						271					

RECAPITULATION OF FMFLANT PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION

		ASSIGNED STRENGTH	NORFOLK	CAM LEJ/ NEW RIV	CHER PT	BEAUFORT	ROOS RDS	GTMO	LANFOR CARIB	LANFOR6TH FLT 4-68	OTHER
HQS LANT TOTAL	USMC	770	770								
	USN	17	17								
FORTRPS TOTAL	USMC	6,910		6,435				93	89	87	206
	USN	169		169							
2DMARDIV TOTAL	USMC	15,884		12,411				1,004	1,200	1,269	
	USN	723		597				28	46	52	
2D MAW TOTAL	USMC	14,727		2,556	7,809	4,094			268		
	USN	186		29	111	43			3		
GRAND TOTAL	USMC	38,291	770	21,402	7,809	4,094		1,097	1,557	1,356	206
	USN	1,095	17	795	111	43		28	49	52	

NOTES:
1. IN CADRE STATUS.
2. AT YUMA FOR TRAINING. TOTAL PERSONNEL TRAINING NOT RECEIVED.
3. THE 79 PERSONNEL LISTED IN "OTHER" ARE ASSIGNED TO IT, ITT, SSC, AND ARE NOT ON THE ROLLS OF HDS COL.
4. THE PERSONNEL IN "OTHER" DEPLOYED TO RVN FOR I CTZ SURVEY.
5. AT CAMP GARCIA.

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

27 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS FLEET MARINE FORCE PACIFIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN H. W. BUSE, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN P. J. FONTANA
CG FMFPAC FWD	BGEN G. D. WEBSTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	BGEN L. H. WILSON
ACOS G-1	COL M. B. COOPER
ACOS G-2	COL L. C. SHEPHERD, III
ACOS G-3	COL R. M. HALL
ACOS G-4	COL R. C. DENNY
ACOS G-5	LTCOL E. L. HICKMAN

5TH MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN L. J. DULACKI
ADC	COL S. S. HUGHES
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL M. W. SCHMIDT
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL B. H. CURWEN, JR.
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL P. WEILER
ACOS, G-3	COL W. MOORE
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL

27TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL E. B. MEYER
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. SIMONIS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. G. HUNT, JR.

28TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. R. BREEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. T. BOWEN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. KNAPP
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. R. KOETHE

13TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. D. EZELL
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. B. CANTIENY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL M. P. FENNESSY
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR C. J. STANARO
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR W. H. STEWART JR

HQS BATTALION	COL D. H. SIMMONS
5TH AT BATTALION	LTCOL R. W. COULTER
5TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL J. P. KRAYNAK
5TH RECON BATTALION	LTCOL R. R. BURRITT
5TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL F. B. OKONSKY
5TH SP BATTALION	LTCOL A. F. ELIASON, JR.
5TH SERV BATTALION	COL W. W. STORM III
5TH MED BATTALION	LCDR D. H. LINDEMAN

1ST MARINE BRIGADE

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MCGRAW
S-1	LTCOL D. G. GEDDES
S-2	CWO P. B. MURPHY
S-3	LTCOL D. J. HUNTER
S-4	LTCOL A. E. SKAGERBERG
1ST BN, 27TH MARINES	LTCOL R. E. B. PALMER

MAG-24

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. WILSON
H&MS-24	LTCOL F. B. ELLIS
MABS-24	LTCOL J. R. HANSFORD
MACS-2	LTCOL E. L. CONROY
VMFA-212	LTCOL B. D. FRITSCH
VMFA-235	LTCOL W. A. TYKSINSKI

9TH MARINE AMPHIBIOUS BRIGADE

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. E. WILLIAMS
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. LOWMAN
ACOS, G-1	MAJOR W. H. GROESBECK
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL A. L. LUMPKIN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL G. C. KLIEFOTH
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL S. P. MCCARTY
ACOS, G-5	1STLT W. R. YOUNG

26TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. W. HUNTER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL C. H. KNOWLES
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. P. ROBERTSON

MAG-15

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. T. CORCORAN
H&MS-15	LTCOL K. M. SCOTT
MABS-15	LTCOL D. H. PEGUES
MACS-8	MAJOR D. C. BIERHAALDER
VMGR-152	LTCOL F. R. SMOKE
VMFA-122	LTCOL L. B. HANNAH

SLF ALPHA

COMMANDER	COL J. F. MCMAHON
BLT 2/26	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
HMM-362	LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP

SLF BRAVO

COMMANDER	COL R. R. WILSON
BLT 2/7	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
HMM-165	LTCOL R. E. ROMINE

PROV SERV BATTALION

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. DOTY

FORCE TROOPS FMFPAC

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN R. FULLER
ASSISTANT COMMANDER	COL S. H. PRATT
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL T. L. COBB
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL J. P. KELLY
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL W. R. MILLER
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL M. E. FARRIS

3RD FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. PADALINO
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. E. ROURKE
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL H. J. LEVERT, JR.
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL L. I. FEIN

5TH FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. R. JONES
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. A. BJORSON
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL R. O. BARNES
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL J. N. HERMES
5TH TK BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. WILSON
5TH AMTRAC BATTALION	MAJOR J. R. TULL
5TH MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. THRELFALL
13TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL M. D. DRUMMOND
13TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL M. S. SHIMANOFF
2ND LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL D. E. GUNTHER
5TH LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL M. S. JOLLEY

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

27 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS III MARINE AMPHIBIOUS FORCE

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN R. E. CUSHMAN, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN C. A. YOUNGDALE
DEPUTY CG, AIR	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	MGEN E. E. ANDERSON
DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF	COL M. MOSTELLER
ACOS, G-1	COL M. ROSE
ACOS, G-2	COL R. N. JOENS
ACOS, G-3	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ACOS, G-4	COL L. C. NORTON
ACOS, G-5	COL H. A. WESTPALL
ACOS, G-6	COL B. E. HORNER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL D. J. FORD

DEPUTY COMMANDER (XXIV CORPS)	MGEN C. B. DRAKE
ACOS, CAP	COL E. F. DANOWITZ
COMMANDING OFFICER, 1ST CAG	LTCOL E. F. PIERSON, JR.
COMMANDING OFFICER, 2ND CAG	LTCOL E. L. LEWIS
COMMANDING OFFICER, 3RD CAG	LTCOL R. D. WHITESELL
COMMANDING OFFICER, 4TH CAG	LTCOL J. E. GREENWOOD
11TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL V. A. PERRY

1ST MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN O. R. SIMPSON
ADC	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ADC/TF YANKEE	BGEN R. T. DWYER, JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL S. A. HANNAH
ACOS, G-1	COL G. E. LAWRENCE
ACOS, G-2	COL A. J. SKOTNICKI
ACOS, G-3	COL A. G. SCHWENK
ACOS, G-4	COL J. E. WILSON, JR.
ACOS, G-5	COL H. F. PAINTER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL J. O. ALLISON
CEO	COL C. G. DAHL
1ST MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. G. LAUFFER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL A. A. LAPORTE, JR.
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. POINDEXTER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL T. G. BULGER
5TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. B. ORD, JR.
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. F. DALEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. STEMPLE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL H. E. ATKINSON
7TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. L. BECKINGTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. BETHEL
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. X. QUINN
11TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. E. DICKINSON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. HAMILTON
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. D. JAMESON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. P. JOHNSON
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR B. J. READY
HQS BATTALION	LTCOL W. S. FAGAN
1ST FAG	LTCOL R. B. INGRANDO
1ST AT BATTALION	
1ST ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. H. HILDEBRAND
1ST RECON BATTALION	LTCOL L. P. CHARON
1ST MT BATTALION	MAJ R. G. REILLY
1ST SP BATTALION	LTCOL D. L. ANDERSON
1ST MED BATTALION	CAPT (MC) J. V. SHARP
1ST TK BATTALION	LTCOL M. C. ASHLEY
3RD AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. HENNEGAN
7TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL T. T. ANNAS
7TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL C. L. BRADY
9TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. V. DAVIDSON
11TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. KINNIBURGH

3D MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN R. G. DAVIS
ADC	BGEN R. B. CARNEY, JR.
ADC/CG TF HOTEL	BGEN F. E. GARRETSON
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. R. MOTELEWSKI
CHIEF OF STAFF TF HOTEL	COL J. GILL
ACOS, G-1	COL L. R. DAZE
ACOS, G-2	COL T. P. O'CALLAHAN
ACOS, G-3	COL P. D. LAFOND
ACOS, G-4	COL W. F. GOGGIN
ACOS, G-5	COL W. E. KERRIGAN
ACOS, COMPT	MAJOR B. C. DAY
CEO	COL J. LEMAY
3RD MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. M. SPARK
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. B. TWOHEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. J. MCMONAGUE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. C. SCHULZE
4TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. SEXTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SARGENT
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL W. A. DONALD
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR R. I. BAKER
9TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. H. BARROW
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SMITH
2ND BATTALION	MAJ F. E. SISLEY
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. R. LAINE JR.
12TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL P. J. MULRONEY
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL E. L. WHISMAN
2ND BATTALION	MAJOR F. E. SISLEY
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. D. FOXWORTH, JR.
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL E. W. BAILEY
HQS BATTALION	COL M. A. WEBB
3RD AT BATTALION	
3RD ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. PERSAC
3RD RECON BATTALION	LTCOL A. H. PERRY
3RD MT BATTALION	MAJOR G. W. WARD
3RD SP BATTALION	LTCOL E. J. GODFREY
3RD MED BATTALION	CMDR B. R. SLEMMONS
3RD TK BATTALION	LTCOL G. E. HAYWARD
1ST AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL W. W. DAMEWOOD
9TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL L. J. TREMBLAY

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. A. FEELEY, JR.	FLSG-A/3RD SERV BN	COL H. E. ROEDER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL D. B. POND, JR.	FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN	COL H. L. PARSONS
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL D. K. GRAY	H&S BATTALION	LTCOL E. LUCAS
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL B. J. FOWLER	SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL E. G. USHER, JR.
ACOS, G-3	COL F. W. VAUGHT	MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL S. G. TRIBE, JR
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL A. W. BOWEN	5TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL J. D. HINES
ACOS, G-5	MAJOR J. D. CRAWFORD	7TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL W. W. CRITCHET
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL E. F. PATTILLO	1ST MP BATTALION	LTCOL J. O. BAILEY
CEO	LTCOL H. L. MORRIS, JR.	3RD MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. E. CHEATHAM

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

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1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
AWC	BGEN H. S. HILL/H. W. HISE
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL V. D. OLSON
ACOS, G-1	COL E. A. PARNELL
ACOS, G-2	COL H. R. BUMPAS
ACOS, G-3	COL E. H. FINLAYSON
ACOS, G-4	COL S. FURIMSKY, JR.
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL E. E. HAGEDORN
CEO	LTCOL R. S. HARTMAN
MWHG-1	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL T. H. NICHOLS, JR.
H&HS-1	LTCOL P. A. LINDSAY
MWFS-1	MAJOR W. O. GOLLER
MWCS-1	MAJOR D. J. OGDEN
MWSG-17	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. S. RASH
H&MS-17	LTCOL E. S. JOHN
WERS-17	LTCOL S. M. WILLIAMS
MACG-18	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. S. FRIS
H&HS-18	LTCOL J. R. DOPLER
MACS-4	LTCOL T. M. KAUFFMAN
MASS-2	MAJOR E. J. DALY, III
MASS-3	LTCOL W. L. SULLIVAN
MAG-11	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. D. SLAY
H&MS-11	LTCOL R. M. STOWERS
MABS-11	LTCOL P. P. MARQUES
VMCJ-1	LTCOL B. R. HALL
VMFA-334	MAJ J. R. SHERMAN
VMFA-542	LTCOL H. R. VITALI
VMA(AW)-242	LTCOL F. C. RILLING, JR.
MAG-12	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. A. DEASY
H&MS-12	LTCOL C. D. WARFIELD
MABS-12	MAJOR L. FURSTENBURG
VMA-311	LTCOL C. O. HIETT
VMA-121	MAJOR D. A. LERPS
VMA-211	LTCOL F. R. SALZMAN
VMA-223	MAJOR L. T. PRESTON, JR.
VMA(AW)-533	LTCOL P. K. GERMAN
MAG-13	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL N. W. GOURLEY
H&MS-13	MAJOR E. A. HOUSE
MABS-13	MAJOR C. V. SMILLIE, JR.
VMFA-115	LTCOL I. L. MORGAN
VMFA-314	LTCOL F. E. PETERSEN, JR.
VMFA-323	LTCOL R. R. NORTON
MAG-16	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MACQUARRIE
H&MS-16	LTCOL C. W. GOBAT
MABS-16	LTCOL E. C. CUNNINGHAM
VMO-2	LTCOL S. J. FULTON
HMM-164	LTCOL R. T. TRUNDY
HMH-463	LTCOL R. W. PEARD, JR.
HML-167	LTCOL T. F. MILLER
MAG-36	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL B. J. MATHESON
H&MS-36	LTCOL J. D. BELL
MABS-36	LTCOL D. W. WRIGHT
HML-367	LTCOL R. L. ROBINSON
HMH-462	LTCOL R. E. NELSON
HMM-364	LTCOL M. V. STATZER
HMM-265	LTCOL R. E. THUESEN
HMM-363	MAJOR J. L. HARRISON
PROV MAG-39	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. SIENKO
H&MS-39	LTCOL B. R. WILKINSON
VMO-6	MAJOR H. A. ZANDER
HMM-161	LTCOL D. L. ELAM
HMM-262	LTCOL A. N. ALLEN
1ST LAAM BN	LTCOL J. W. DRURY

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN A. H. ADAMS
AWC	BGEN
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL S. V. TITTERUD
ACOS, G-1	COL O. B. JOHNSTON
ACOS, G-2	COL J. H. SCHERER
ACOS, G-3	COL R. L. REED
ACOS, G-4	COL R. W. TELLER
MWHG-3	
COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL F. E. WILSON
H&HS-3	MAJOR J. B. LAVELLE
MWFS-3	MAJOR C. A. BOYD
MWCS-3	MAJOR D. E. WILLIAMS
VMT-103	LTCOL M. T. GARRISON
MHTG-30	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. KOLER, JR.
H&MS-30	MAJOR W. W. ELDRIDGE JR.
HMHT-301	LTCOL C. A. BLOCK
HMMT-302	LTCOL K. D. VANEK
MAG-33	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. L. REED
H&MS-33	LTCOL W. R. SMITH
MABS-33	MAJOR R. J. REID
VMCJ-3	LTCOL B. R. HALL
VMA-214	LTCOL J. J. WENT
VMFA-232	LTCOL W. P. HUTCHINS
VMFA-531	LTCOL R. PEREZ
MWSG-37	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. L. BEACH
H&MS-37	LTCOL D. L. RICE
WERS-37	MAJOR A. H. MANHARD
VMGR-352	LTCOL W. D. HARRIS
MACG-38	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. J. BERGEC
H&HS-38	MAJOR J. E. KEHRLE
MASS-5	MAJOR D. V. STOWELL
MACS-1	LTCOL B. C. ROWE
MACS-3	
MACS-7	LTCOL P. E. SHEA
MAG-56	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL K. W. COSTELLO
H&MS-56	MAJOR H. F. MUTH
MABS-56	MAJOR G. A. STEPHENS
HMM-263	LTCOL R. E. HOFSTETTER
HML-267	LTCOL R. R. UPSHULTE
HMM-561	MAJOR A. S. PIPER
HMM-163	LTCOL L. I. BLANKENSHIP

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

27 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 23,482
USN 1,126 *
USA 7,271

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

(TF BRAVO)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/4 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 3/9 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,109
USN 71 *
USA 24,608

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

USMC 45,717
USN 1,984 *
USA 2,169
ROKMC 6,745

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/1
- 2/1
- 3/1

(TF YANKEE)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

HQS, III MAF

CTG 76.4
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A") (OPN VALIANT HUNT)

HQS 1ST MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,497
USN 120 *
USA 23,517

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/6 INF
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	80,690	3,463
III MAF	80,222	3,463 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(17)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	79,908
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	63,105
US NAVY		22,714
US AIRFORCE		7,574
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,745
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	99,923
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(44,321)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(27,717)
VNPF		(25,824)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	279,969

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
ALFA: BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO: BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A) @	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT -26 (REAR)	8,018	253

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

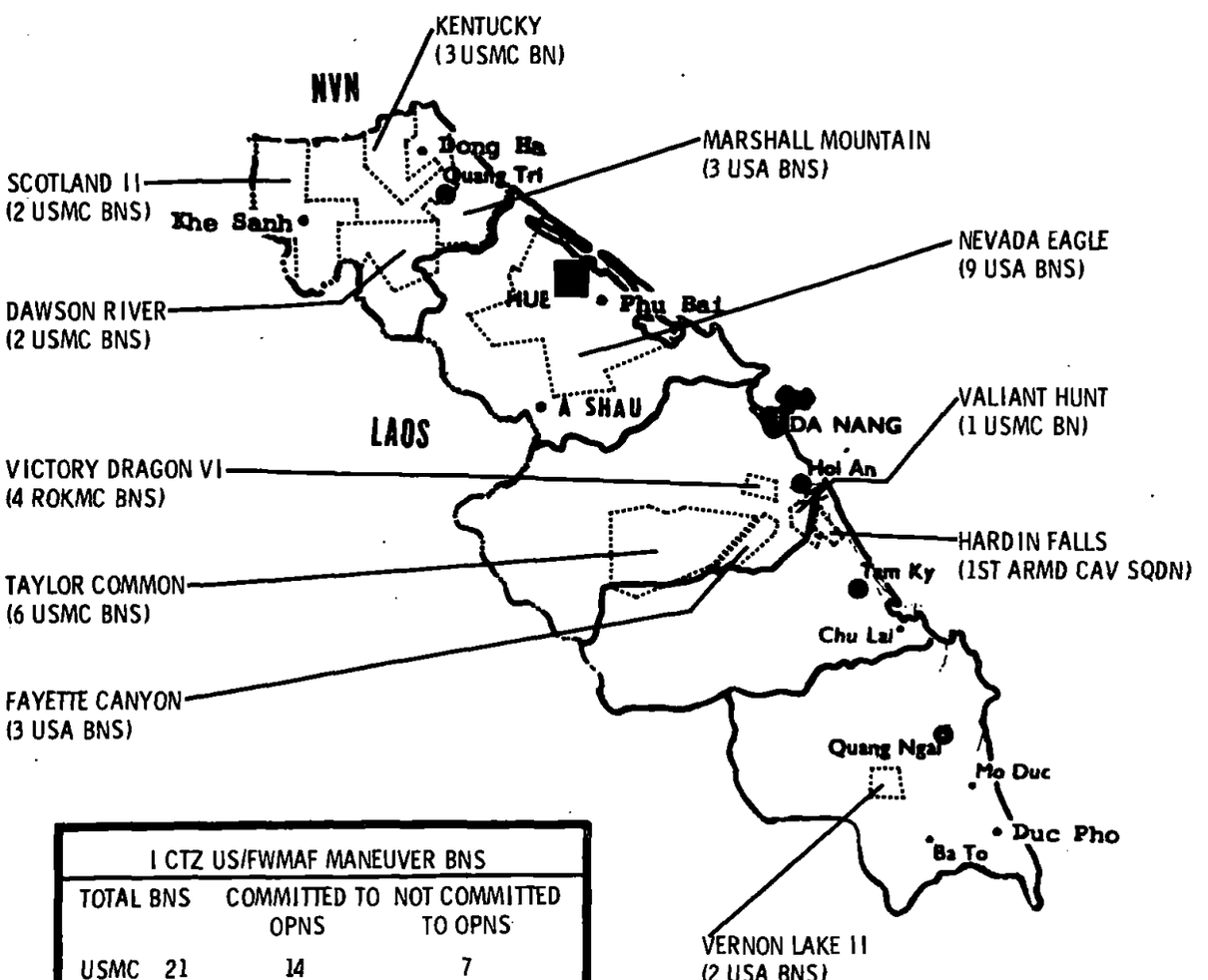
	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,823	42

MOVEMENTS

Unclassified

* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	14	7
USA	23	17	6
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	35	13

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 6 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

27 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
10,077	38,260	28,701	81/21

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 26 December 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,034	1,320	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
61,306	3,345	12,038

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

44	Treated in field & returned to duty
56	Admitted to hospital

→ 56

9	Treated & returned to duty in SVN
47	Evacuated from SVN

→ 47

28	Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
19	Evacuated to CONUS hospital

→ 19

5	Treated & returned to full duty
7	Physical disability separation
1.5	Dies of wounds
5.5	Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

26 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,249	74,973	80,222	
DANANG	(2,981)	(42,736)	(45,717)	#
CHU LAI	(462)	(5,035)	(5,497)	
PHU BAI	(306)	(2,803)	(3,109)	
DONG HA	(1,380)	(22,102)	(23,482)	
AFLOAT	(120)	(2,297)	(2,417)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,418	75,272	80,690	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS 31 OCTOBER			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	457	3,006	3,463	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1293 EVENTS OF 23 & 24 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

26 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 23,482
USN 1,126 *
USA 7,271

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

(TF BRAVO)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,109
USN 71 *
USA 24,608

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF

USMC 45,717
USN 1,984 *
USA 2,169
ROKMC 6,745

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/1
- 2/1
- 3/1

(TF YANKEE)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

CTG 76.4
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A") (OPN VALIANT HUNT)

HQS 1ST MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,497
USN 120 *
USA 23,517

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/6 INF
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	80,690	3,463
III MAF	80,222	3,463 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(17)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	79,908
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	63,105
US NAVY		22,714
US AIRFORCE		7,574
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,745
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	99,923
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(44,321)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(27,717)
VNPF		(25,824)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	279,969

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
ALFA: BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO: BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A) @	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT -26 (REAR)	8,018	253

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

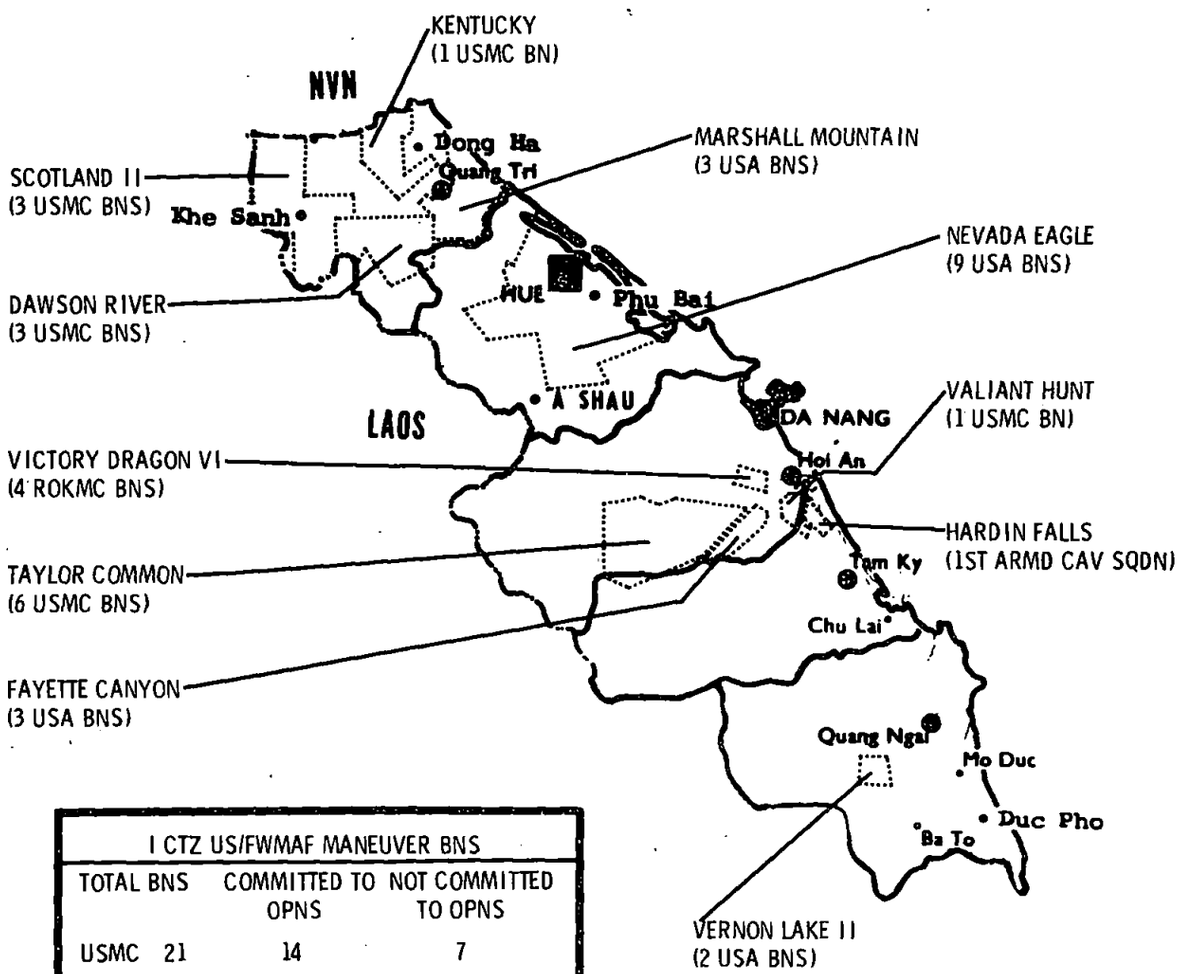
	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,823	42

MOVEMENTS

Unclassified

* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	14	7
USA	23	17	6
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	35	13

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 6 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 262400H DEC 1968		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,226 157 USA	3,113
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3, 3/9 & 2/4	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,820
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	2 USA	24 USA	9
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9 & 2/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	3	41	50
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,555	* 2,949
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5, 3/5, 1/3, 3/3 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	24	163	276
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: SLF-A (BLT 2/26)	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	13	20
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	1 USA	46
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	2 USA	7 USA	232
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	10 USA	66 USA	190
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2ND ROKMC BDE WITH 4 BNS	HOI AN AREA	10 ROKMC	23 ROKMC	257

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

26 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
10,067	38,233	28,673	83/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 24 December 1968

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,030	1,320	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
61,297	3,345	12,037

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 44 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 56 — Admitted to hospital → 56
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 47 — Evacuated from SVN → 47
    - 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA

26 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 79.4
CTG: COL J. F. MC MAHON

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
SLF HQS DET				
BLT 2/26				
(LTCOL W. F. SPARKS)				
2ND BN, 26TH MARINES	33	1022	5	60
MORT BTRY, 1/12	3	64		2
BTRY B, 1/13	10	99		2
PLAT, CO A, 5TH AT BN	1	21		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH AMTRAC BN	1	37		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH TANK BN	1	28		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH RECON BN	1	21		1
PLAT, CO C, 3D ENGR BN	1	38		1
PLAT, CO C, 3D MT BN	1	31		
PLAT, H&S CO, 3D SP BN	1	45		1
PLAT, CO D, 5TH MED BN		5	3	20
DET, HQBN, 3D MAR DIV	1	8		
DET, HQCO, 26TH MARINES		6		
DET, COMM SPT CO, 9TH MAB				
DET, 15TH DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-362	53	202	1	
LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP				
TOTALS	107	1,627	10	88

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

58 M60 MG
28 M20 3.5 RL
16 M2 MG
12 M10 60MM MORT
8 M20 81MM MORT
8 M40 106MM RR
6 M30 107MM MORT
6 M101A1 105MM HOW
5 M48 90MM TANK
5 M50 ONTOS
2 M2 FLAME THROWER

36 M35 2½T CARGO TRK
10 LVTP-5
1 LVTP-6
9 M422 ¾T MITE
8 M274 ½T MULE
5 M37 3/4T CARGO TRK
2 M49 TANK TRK
2 M54 CARGO TRK
1 M38 ½T UTIL TRK
1 M170 AMBULANCE

AIRCRAFT

24/UH-34D

LOCATION

BLT 2/26
ASHORE RVN
(OPN VALIANT HUNT)
2 INF COMPANIES AFLOAT

SEE MAP FOLLOWING PAGE

SHIPPING

USS OKINAWA (LPH-3)
USS FORT MARION (LSD-22)
USS DULUTH (LPD-7)
USS WINDHAM CTY (LST-1170)

SUPPLIES

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

SLF BRAVO

28 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 79.5
CTG: COL R. R. WILSON

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
SLF HQS DET				
BLT 2/7	61	1484	7	106
(LTCOL N. A. NELSON)				
2D BN, 7TH MARINES				
MORT BTRY 3/11				
BTRY "H", 3/11				
PLAT, CO B, 1ST TANK BN				
PLAT, CO A, 1ST AT BN				
PLAT, CO C, 1ST SP BN				
PLAT, CO B, 3D AMTRAC BN				
PLAT, CO C, 1ST ENGR BN				
PLAT, 1ST MT BN				
LSU, FLC, III MAF				
TOTALS	61	1,484	7	106

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

54 M60 MG
24 M24 3.5 RL
12 M10 60 MM MORT
8 M29 81 MM MORT
8 M40 106 MM RR
6 M30 107 MM MORT
6 M101A1 105 MM HOW
8 M2 FLAME THROWER
5 M48 90 MM TANK
5 M50 ONTOS

23 M35 2½T CARGO TRK
7 M37 3/4T CARGO TRK
7 M38 ¼T UTIL TRK
2 M170 AMBULANCE
11 LVTP5
3 CRANES
3 TD15 TRACTORS
1 M54 5T TRK
2 M543 5T WRECKERS
2 5T DUMPTRUCK

AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

BLT 2/7
(ASHORE RVN)
(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
HMM-164
(ASHORE RVN OPCON MAG-16)

SEE MAP FOLLOWING PAGE

SHIPPING

USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10)
USS OGDEN (LPD-5)
USS MONTICELLO (LSD-35)
USS SEMINOLE (LKA-104)

SUPPLIES

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

Unclassified

US NAVY UNITS IN I CTZ

26 DECEMBER 1968

	CHU LAI	DANANG	PHU BAI	QUANG TRI	DONG HA
NAVAL SUPPORT ACTIVITY		10,504	85*		500
3D NAV CONST BDE		251			
30TH NAV CONST REGT .		29			
MCB-1		760			
MCB-3		776			
MCB-12		639			
MCB-22		681			
MCB-71	331				
MCB-74	711				
32D NAV CONST REGT . .			36@		
MCB-7					694
MCB-10				740**	
MCB-11				760	
MCB-121			654@		
MCB-133			663		
OTHER UNITS & DETACHMENTS	106	331			
AREA TOTALS	1,148	13,971	1,438	1,500	1,194

SOURCE: BUPERS STRENGTH AND STATISTICAL BRANCH REPORT # 1W OF: 16 DECEMBER 1968.

* LOCATED AT HUE LAGOON.
** LOCATED AT CAMP EVANS.
@ LOCATED AT GIA LE.

I CTZ TOTAL: 19,251

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

DISPOSITION MISSIONS OF ARVN BNs IN I CTZ

(EXCLUDING 59TH RF BN ASSIGNED TO RD IN DANANG TAOR)

RECAP OF BATTALION MISSIONS

26 DECEMBER 1968

I CORPS ORGANIC BNs	TOTAL	REVOLUTIONARY DEVELOPMENT	SECURITY		CORPS RESERVE	TRAINING
1ST DIVISION	17	4	13		0	0
2ND DIVISION	12	6	6		0	0
51ST REGIMENT	4	4	0		0	0
1ST RANGER GROUP	3	0	0		3	0
TOTAL	36	14	19		3	0
GENERAL RESERVE BNs						
AIRBORNE	0					
VN MARINE CORPS	0					
TOTAL	0					
GRAND TOTAL	36					

RECAP OF BATTALION DISPOSITIONS*

	I CORPS ORGANIC BNs					GENERAL RESERVE BNs
	TRAINING	RD SUPPORT	SECURITY		CORPS RESERVE	
QUANG TRI PROVINCE						
GIO LINH			5			
CON THIEN						
DONG HA						
QUANG TRI CITY/LAVANG AREA		3	4			
CA LU/KHE SANH						
THUA THIEN PROVINCE						
PHO TRACH						
PK-17		1	3			
HUE CITY AREA			1			
PHU BAI						
A SHAU						
QUANG NAM PROVINCE						
DANANG TAOR		4			3	
QUANG TIN PROVINCE						
THANG BINH/TAM KY AREA		4	2			
QUANG NGAI PROVINCE						
QUANG NGAI CITY AREA		2	3			
MO DUC			1			
DUC PHO						
GRAND TOTAL		14	19		3	

* SOURCE: MACV DAILY & WEEKLY OPREP 4/5

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 252400H DEC 1968		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,226 157 USA	3,112
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,819
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	1 USA	23 USA	7
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	3	41	47
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,553 USA	2,937
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5, 3/5, 1/3, 3/3 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	24	158	276
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: SLF-A (BLT 2/26)	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	13	20
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	1 USA	45
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	2 USA	7 USA	222
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	10 USA	66 USA	186
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2ND ROKMC BDE WITH 4 BNS	HOI AN AREA	10 ROKMC	23 ROKMC	253

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* - ADJUSTED

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

ALLOCATION OF MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL

31 OCTOBER 1968

24 DECEMBER 1968

	GROUND		AVIATION		TOTAL		GRAND	
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	PERCENT
MARINE CORPS TOTAL	15427	222452	**9170	61318	24597	*#283770	308367	100.00
OPERATING FORCE TOTAL	6979	117933	4868	40377	11847	158310	170157	55.18
FLEET MARINE FORCES	6238	103894	4823	40338	11061	144232	155293	50.36
SECURITY FORCES	532	11949	-	-	532	11949	12481	4.05
NAVY DEPARTMENT	(458)	(10065)	(-)	(-)	(458)	(10065)	(10523)	(3.41)
STATE DEPARTMENT	(11)	(815)	(-)	(-)	(11)	(815)	(826)	(.27)
NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY	(14)	(359)	(-)	(-)	(14)	(359)	(373)	(.12)
SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	(49)	(710)	(-)	(-)	(49)	(710)	(759)	(.25)
MARINES AFLOAT	209	2090	45	39	254	2129	2383	.77
TRAINING BASE TOTAL	4236	63009	2705	11243	6941	74252	81193	26.33
RECRUITS	-	19349	-	-	-	19349	19349	6.28
STUDENTS	2218	30299	1787	7214	4005	37513	41518	13.46
INDIVIDUAL COMBAT TRAINEES	(-)	(10504)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(10504)	(10504)	(3.40)
REPLACEMENT TRAINEES	(80)	(4911)	(-)	(-)	(80)	(4911)	(4991)	(1.62)
BST/AVN TRAINEES	(12)	(6203)	(727)	(4103)	(739)	(10311)	(11050)	(3.58)
OTHER	(2126)	(8676)	(1060)	(3111)	(3186)	(11787)	(14973)	(4.86)
OVERHEAD	1672	11394	721	1733	2393	13127	15520	5.03
RECRUIT TRAINING	(439)	(4348)	(10)	(183)	(449)	(4531)	(4980)	(1.61)
STUDENTS	(1233)	(7046)	(711)	(1550)	(1944)	(8596)	(10540)	(3.42)
RESERVE TRAINING PROGRAM	346	1967	197	2296	543	4263	4806	1.56
SUPPORTING BASE TOTAL	2554	11492	969	4865	3523	16357	19880	6.45
SUPPLY ESTABLISHMENT	286	2280	-	-	286	2280	2566	.83
BASE SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION	1866	8883	800	4787	2666	13670	16336	5.30
JOINT AND LIAISON	402	329	169	78	571	407	978	.32
TRANSIENTS, PATIENTS and PRISONERS TOTAL	1658	30018	628	4833	2286	34851	37137	12.04
TRANSIENTS	1383	21944	548	3785	1931	25729	27660	8.97
PATIENTS	222	7808	80	1024	302	8832	9134	2.96
PRISONERS (INCLUDES MIA OR CAPTURED)	53	266	-	24	53 (53)	290 (53)	343 (106)	.11

* INCLUDES 21 OFFICERS AND 2 ENLISTED WITH OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES
*# EXCLUDES 680 RESERVES ON 3/6 MOS TRNG
** EXCLUDES AVIATION PERSONNEL PERFORMING DUTY WITH GROUND FUNCTIONS

	OFF	ENL
FMF	255	659
SEC	24	301
RCTG	-	214
ICT	-	702
TOTAL	279	1876

ESTIMATED STRENGTH 30 NOVEMBER 1968: 310,438

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SELECTED PERSONNEL AND AIRCRAFT DATA

PERSONNEL

24 DECEMBER 1968

	STRENGTH	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTAL	308,367*	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	157,990	51.23	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	37,062*#	12.11	23.46	
FMF PACIFIC	120,928#	39.12	76.54	
VIETNAM	80,036@	25.83	49.62	64.56

SOURCE: * MONTHLY USMC PERSONNEL ALLOCATION REPORT OF 13 DECEMBER 68.
WEEKLY MCCC UNIT REPORT OF 18 DECEMBER 1968.
*# WEEKLY MCCC UNIT REPORT OF 4 DECEMBER 1968.
@ FMFPAC SITREP OF 24 DECEMBER 1968.

AIRCRAFT

27 DECEMBER 1968

	FIXW	HELO	TOTAL	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTALS	1026	660	1686	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	736	593	1329	78.82	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	281	148	429	25.44	32.27	
FMF PACIFIC	455	445	900	53.38	67.73	
VIETNAM	258	270	528	31.31	39.72	58.66

SOURCE: USMC TOTALS, USMC AVN STATUS BD PHOTO OF 18 DECEMBER 1968.

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

24 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS FLEET MARINE FORCE PACIFIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN H. W. BUSE, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN P. J. FONTANA
CG FMFPAC FWD	BGEN G. D. WEBSTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	BGEN L. H. WILSON
ACOS G-1	COL M. B. COOPER
ACOS G-2	COL L. C. SHEPHERD, III
ACOS G-3	COL R. M. HALL
ACOS G-4	COL R. C. DENNY
ACOS G-5	LTCOL E. L. HICKMAN

5TH MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN L. J. DULACKI
ADC	COL S. S. HUGHES
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL M. W. SCHMIDT
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL B. H. CURWEN, JR.
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL P. WEILER
ACOS, G-3	COL W. MOORE
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL

27TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL E. B. MEYER
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. SIMONIS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. G. HUNT, JR.

28TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. R. BREEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. T. BOWEN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. KNAPP
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. R. KOETHE

13TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. D. EZELL
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. B. CANTIENY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL M. P. FENNESSY
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR C. J. STANARO
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR W. H. STEWART JR

HQS BATTALION	COL D. H. SIMMONS
5TH AT BATTALION	LTCOL R. W. COULTER
5TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL J. P. KRAYNAK
5TH RECON BATTALION	LTCOL R. R. BURRITT
5TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL F. B. OKONSKY
5TH SP BATTALION	LTCOL A. F. ELIASON, JR.
5TH SERV BATTALION	COL W. W. STORM III
5TH MED BATTALION	LCDR D. H. LINDEMAN

1ST MARINE BRIGADE

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MCGRAW
S-1	LTCOL D. G. GEDDES
S-2	CWO P. B. MURPHY
S-3	LTCOL D. J. HUNTER
S-4	LTCOL A. E. SKAGERBERG
1ST BN, 27TH MARINES	LTCOL R. E. B. PALMER

MAG-24

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. WILSON
H&MS-24	LTCOL F. B. ELLIS
MABS-24	LTCOL J. R. HANSFORD
MACS-2	LTCOL E. L. CONROY
VMFA-212	LTCOL B. D. FRITSCH
VMFA-235	LTCOL W. A. TYKSINSKI

9TH MARINE AMPHIBIOUS BRIGADE

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. E. WILLIAMS
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. LOWMAN
ACOS, G-1	MAJOR W. H. GROESBECK
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL A. L. LUMPKIN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL G. C. KLIEFOTH
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL S. P. MCCARTY
ACOS, G-5	1STLT W. R. YOUNG

26TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. W. HUNTER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL C. H. KNOWLES
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. P. ROBERTSON

MAG-15

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. T. CORCORAN
H&MS-15	LTCOL K. M. SCOTT
MABS-15	LTCOL D. H. PEGUES
MACS-8	MAJOR D. C. BIERHAALDER
VMGR-152	LTCOL F. R. SMOKE
VMFA-122	LTCOL L. J. WILLIS

SLF ALPHA

COMMANDER	COL J. F. MCMAHON
BLT 2/26	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
HMM-362	LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP

SLF BRAVO

COMMANDER	COL R. R. WILSON
BLT 2/7	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
HMM-165	LTCOL R. E. ROMINE

PROV SERV BATTALION

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. DOTY

FORCE TROOPS FMFPAC

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN R. FULLER
ASSISTANT COMMANDER	COL S. H. PRATT
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL T. L. COBB
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL J. P. KELLY
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL W. R. MILLER
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL M. E. FARRIS

3RD FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. PADALINO
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. E. ROURKE
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL H. J. LEVERT, JR.
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL L. I. FEIN

5TH FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. R. JONES
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. A. BJORSON
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL R. O. BARNES
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL J. N. HERMES
5TH TK BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. WILSON
5TH AMTRAC BATTALION	MAJOR J. R. TULL
5TH MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. THRELFALL
13TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL M. D. DRUMMOND
13TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL M. S. SHIMANOFF
2ND LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL D. E. GUNTHER
5TH LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL M. S. JOLLEY

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

24 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,164	74,404	79,568	
DANANG	(2,991)	(43,761)	(46,752)	#
CHU LAI	(462)	(4,976)	(5,438)	
PHU BAI	(307)	(2,792)	(3,099)	
DONG HA	(1,330)	(21,911)	(23,241)	
AFLOAT	(74)	(964)	(1,038)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,333	74,703	80,036	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS 31 OCTOBER			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	457	2,998	3,455	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1292 EVENTS OF 20,21 & 22 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

24 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 23,241
USN 1,126 *
USA 7,248

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

(TF BRAVO)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,099
USN 71 *
USA 24,645

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)

HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF

USMC 47,790
USN 2,138 *
USA 2,169
ROKMC 6,745

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/1
- 2/1
- 3/1

(TF YANKEE)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

CTG 76.4
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A") (OPN VALIANT HUNT)

HQS 1ST MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,438
USN 120 *
USA 23,558

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/6 INF
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	80,036	3,455
III MAF	79,568	3,455 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	79,254
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	63,105
US NAVY		22,843
US AIRFORCE		7,574
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,745
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	99,923
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(44,321)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(27,717)
VNPF		(25,824)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	279,444

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
ALFA: BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO: BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A) @	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT -26 (REAR)	8,018	253

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,823	42

MOVEMENTS

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* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

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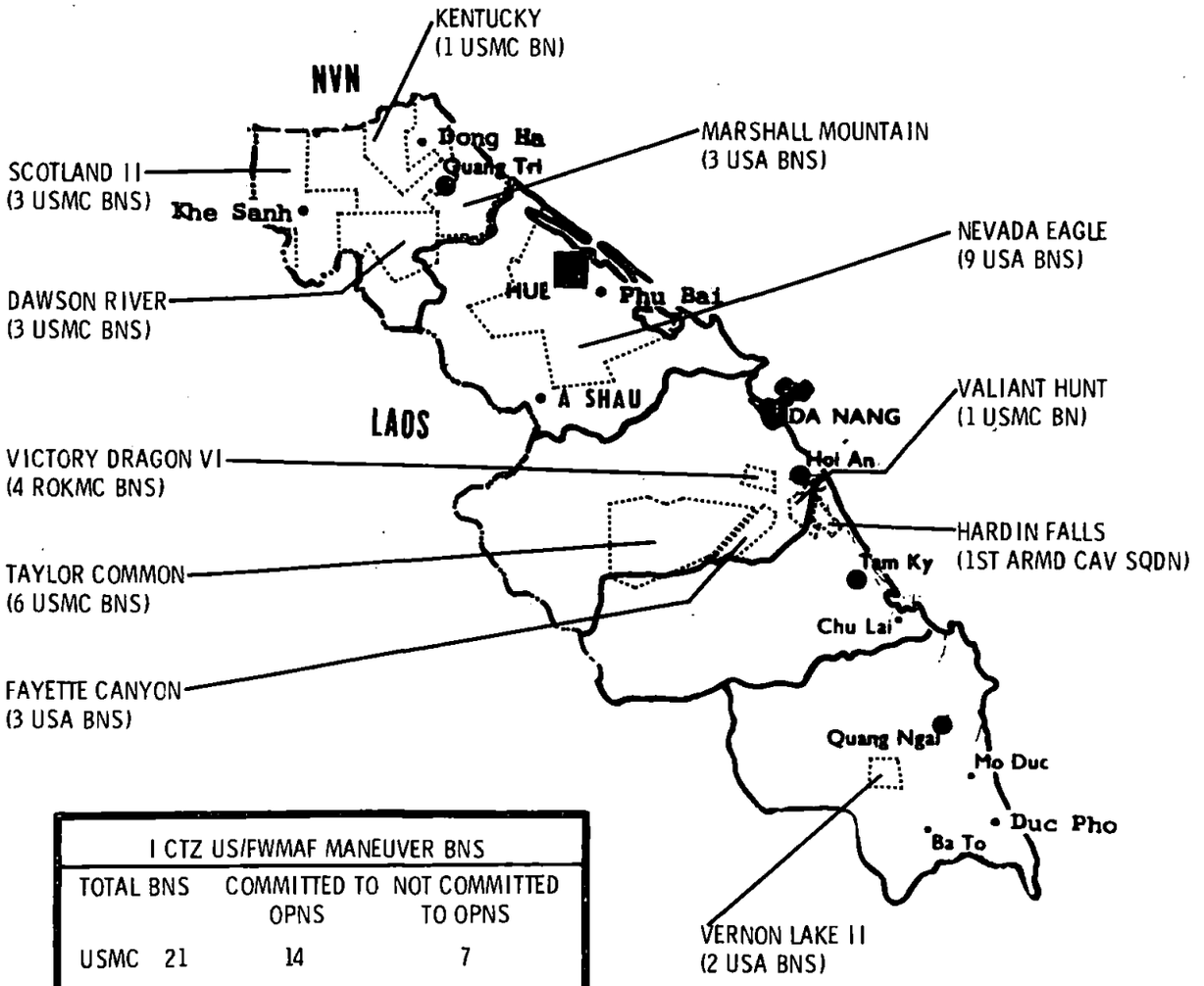
MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	14	7
USA	23	17	6
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	35	13

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 6 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

24 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
10,059	38,202	28,654	83/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 23 December 1968

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,028	1,318	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
61,249	3,340	12,019

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 44 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 56 — Admitted to hospital → 56
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 47 — Evacuated from SVN → 47
    - 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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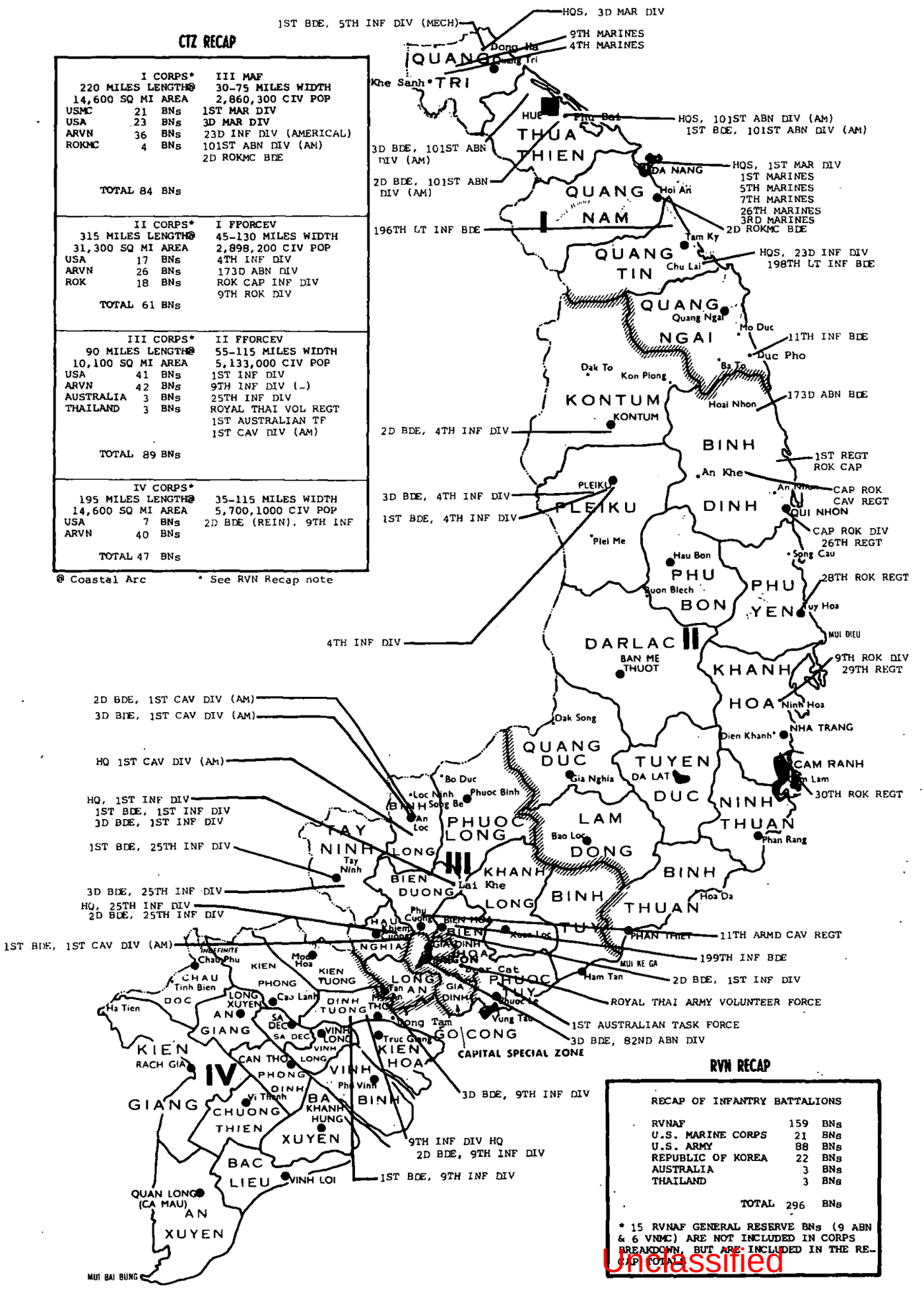
24 DECEMBER 1968

DISPOSITION OF MAJOR US & FWMAF UNITS IN RVN

CTZ RECAP

	I CORPS*	III MAF
	220 MILES LENGTH@	30-75 MILES WIDTH
	14,600 SQ MI AREA	2,860,300 CIV POP
USMC	21 BNs	1ST MAR DIV
USA	23 BNs	3D MAR DIV
ARVN	36 BNs	23D INF DIV (AMERICAL)
ROKMC	4 BNs	101ST ABN DIV (AM)
		2D ROKMC BDE
	TOTAL 84 BNs	
	II CORPS*	I FFORCEV
	315 MILES LENGTH@	45-130 MILES WIDTH
	31,300 SQ MI AREA	2,898,200 CIV POP
USA	17 BNs	4TH INF DIV
ARVN	26 BNs	173D ABN DIV
ROK	18 BNs	ROK CAP INF DIV
		9TH ROK DIV
	TOTAL 61 BNs	
	III CORPS*	II FFORCEV
	90 MILES LENGTH@	55-115 MILES WIDTH
	10,100 SQ MI AREA	5,133,000 CIV POP
USA	41 BNs	1ST INF DIV
ARVN	42 BNs	9TH INF DIV (-)
AUSTRALIA	3 BNs	25TH INF DIV
THAILAND	3 BNs	ROYAL THAI VOL REGT
		1ST AUSTRALIAN TF
		1ST CAV DIV (AM)
	TOTAL 89 BNs	
	IV CORPS*	
	195 MILES LENGTH@	35-115 MILES WIDTH
	14,600 SQ MI AREA	5,700,1000 CIV POP
USA	7 BNs	2D BDE (REIN), 9TH INF
ARVN	40 BNs	
	TOTAL 47 BNs	

@ Coastal Arc * See RVN Recap note



RVN RECAP

RECAP OF INFANTRY BATTALIONS

RVNAF	159	BNs
U.S. MARINE CORPS	21	BNs
U.S. ARMY	88	BNs
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	22	BNs
AUSTRALIA	3	BNs
THAILAND	3	BNs
TOTAL	296	BNs

* 15 RVNAF GENERAL RESERVE BNs (9 ABN & 6 VNMC) ARE NOT INCLUDED IN CORPS BREAKDOWN, BUT ARE INCLUDED IN THE RE-CAP TOTALS

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DEPLOYMENTS

LISTING OF SELECTED UNITS IN VIETNAM — 24 DECEMBER 1968

(INCLUDES INF, ARM, ARTY, AND AVIATION; AND UNITS OF BN OR LARGER SIZE OF ENGR, MP, AND SIG)

UNIT	ACTIV DATE	CLOSED IN VN
HQ FFV/CORPS		
I FFV (Nha Trang)	Nov 65	V
II FFV (Long Binh)	Jan 66	Mar 66
XXIV Corps (Phu Bai)	Aug 68**	V
DIVISIONS		
1st Inf Div (Lai Khe)	*	
1st Bde (Quan Loi/Lai Khe)		
1/2 Inf		Oct 65
1/26 Inf		Oct 65
1/28 Inf		Oct 65
2d Bde (Di An)		
2/16 Inf		Jul 65
1/18 Inf		Jul 65
2/18 Inf		Jul 65
3d Bde (Lai Khe)		
2/2 Inf (Mech)		Oct 65
1/16 Inf (Mech)	*	Oct 65
2/28 Inf		Oct 65
1/4 Cav		Oct 65
1/5 Arty (105 T)		Oct 65
8/6 Arty (155/8" T)		Oct 65
1/7 Arty (105 T)		Jul 65
2/33 Arty (105 T)		Oct 65
173 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)(Atchd)	Sep 65	Mar 66
1 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)		Oct 65
1 Engr Bn		Nov 65
121 Sig Bn		Oct 65
4th Inf Div (Pleiku)	*	
1st Bde (Pleiku/Dakto)		
1/8 Inf		Oct 66
3/8 Inf		Oct 66
3/12 Inf		Oct 66
2d Bde (Pleiku/Kontum)		
2/8 Inf (Mech)		Aug 66
1/12 Inf		Aug 66
1/22 Inf		Aug 66
3d Bde (Pleiku/Tuttle)		
1/14 Inf		Jan 65
1/35 Inf		Jan 66
2/35 Inf		Jan 66
1/10 Cav		Oct 66
1/69 Arm		Mar 66
2/9 Arty (105 T)		Jan 66
5/16 Arty (155/8" SP)		Oct 66
6/29 Arty (105 T)		Oct 66
4/42 Arty (105 T)		Aug 66
4 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)		Sep65/Jan67
4 Engr Bn		Jul 66
124 Sig Bn		Sep 66
9th Inf Div (Dong Tam)	Feb 66	Dec 66
1st Bde (Dong Tam/Cai Lay)		
6/31 Inf	Nov 67	Apr 68
2/39 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
2/47 Inf (Mech)	Feb 66	Jan 67
2d Bde (Dong Tam/Truc Giang)		
3/47 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
4/47 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
3/60 Inf	Feb 66	Dec 66
3d Bde (Tan An)		
3/39 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
4/39 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
2/60 Inf	Feb 66	Dec 66
5/60 Inf	Feb 66	Dec 66
3/5 Cav	Feb 66	Dec66/Jan67
2/4 Arty (105 T)	Feb 66	Jan 67
1/11 Arty (105 T)	Feb 66	Dec 66
3/34 Arty (105 T)	Feb 66	Dec 66
1/84 Arty (155/8" SP)	Feb 66	Jan 67
9 Avn Bn (w/2Avn Cos)	Feb 66	Jan 67
15 Engr Bn	Feb 66	Oct 66
9 Sig Bn	Feb 66	Dec 66
23d Inf Div (Chu Lai)	Sep 67	V
11th Inf Bde (Duc Pho)		
3/1 Inf	Jul 66	Dec 67
4/3 Inf	Jul 66	Dec 67
1/20 Inf	Jul 66	Dec 67
4/21 Inf	Nov 67	Apr 68
6/11 Arty (105 T)	Mar 67	Dec 67
E/1 Cav	Jul 66	Dec 67
196th Inf Bde (Chu Lai/Xuyen Tay)		
2/1 Inf	Sep 65	Aug 66
3/21 Inf	Sep 65	Aug 66
4/31 Inf	Sep 65	Aug 66
3/82 Arty (105 T)	Sep 65	Aug 66
F/17 Cav	Sep 65	Aug 66
198th Inf Bde (Chu Lai)		
1/6 Inf	*	Oct 67
1/46 Inf	*	Oct 67
5/46 Inf	Oct 67	Mar 68
1/52 Inf	*	Oct 67
1/14 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 67
H/17 Cav	May 67	Oct 67
1/82 Arty (155/8" SP)	Jan 68	Jul 68
3/16 Arty (155 T)	*	Jun 67
3/18 Arty (8" SP)	*	Oct 65
123 Avn Bn	Dec 67	V
26 Engr Bn	Dec 67	V
523 Sig Bn	Jan 68	V
F/8 Cav	Apr 68	V
25th Inf Div (Cu Chi)	*	
1st Bde (Tay Ninh)		
4/9 Inf		Apr 66
2/14 Inf		Apr 66
4/23 Inf (Mech)		Apr 66
2d Bde (Cu Chi)		
1/5 Inf (Mech)		Jan 66
1/27 Inf		Jan 66
2/27 Inf		Jan 66

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25th Inf Div (Cont)		
3d Bde (Dau Tieng)		
2/12 Inf	*	Oct 66
2/22 Inf (Mech)	*	Oct 66
3/22 Inf	Nov 65	Oct 66
3/4 Cav	*	Mar 66
2/34 Arm	*	Sep 66
1/8 Arty (105 T)	*	Jan 66
7/11 Arty (105 T)	*	May 66
3/13 Arty (155/8" T)	*	Apr 66
2/77 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 66
25 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)	*	Apr 66
65 Engr Bn	*	Jan 66
125 Sig Bn	*	Mar 66
1st Cav Div (Ambl) (An Khe/Phuoc Vinh)	*	
1st Bde (An Khe/Tay Ninh)		
2/5 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
1/8 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
1/12 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2d Bde (An Khe/An Loc)		
1/5 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2/7 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2/8 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
3d Bde (An Khe/An Loc)		
1/7 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
5/7 Cav (Ambl)	Apr 66	Aug 66
2/12 Cav (Ambl)	Jul 65	Sep 65
11th Avn Gp (An Khe/Phuoc Vinh)		
227 Avn Bn (Ambl) (4 Avn Cos)	*	Sep 65
228 Avn Bn (Ambl) (3 Avn Cos)	*	Sep 65
229 Avn Bn (Ambl) (4 Avn Cos)	*	Sep 65
11 Avn Co (GS) (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
E/82 Arty (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
478 Avn Co (Hvy Hel) (Atchd)	*	Sep 65
1/9 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2/19 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
2/20 Arty (Aer Rkt) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
1/21 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
1/77 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
1/30 Arty (155 T)	*	Nov 65
8 Engr Bn (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
13 Sig Bn (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
101st Abn Div (Ambl) (Bien Hoa/Phu Bai)	*	
1st Bde (Bien Hoa/Phu Bai)		
1/327 Inf (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
2/327 Inf (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
2/502 Inf (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
3/506 Inf (Ambl) (Op Con I FFV)	Apr 67	Oct 67
2d Bde (Bien Hoa/Van Xa)		
1/501 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/501 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
1/502 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
3d Bde (Bien Hoa/Phong Dien)		
3/187 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
1/506 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/506 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67

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101st Abn Div (Ambl) (Cont)		
2/17 Cav (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/319 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/320 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
1/321 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
326 Engr Bn (Ambl)	*	Nov 67
501 Sig Bn (Ambl) (-)	*	Dec 67
2/11 Arty (155 T)	*	Dec 66
160th Avn Gp (Bien Hoa/Phu Bai)	Jul 68	V
101 Avn Bn (Ambl) (3AvnCos, 1WpnCo)	Jul 68	V
159 Avn Bn (Ambl) (2 Avn Cos)	Jul 68	V
163 Avn Co (GS) (Ambl)	Jul 68	V
BRIGADES		
1st Bde 5th Inf Div (Mech) (Quang Tri)	*	
1/11 Inf		Jul 68
1/61 Inf (Mech)		Jul 68
1/77 Arm		Jul 68
5/4 Arty (155 SP)		Jul 68
A/7 Engr Bn		Jul 68
A/4/12 Armd Cav		Jul 68
199th Inf Bde (Long Binh/Saigon)		
2/3 Inf	Jun 66	Dec 66
3/7 Inf	Jun 66	Dec 66
4/12 Inf	Jun 66	Dec 66
5/12 Inf	Nov 67	Apr 68
2/40 Arty (105 T)	Jun 66	Dec 66
D/17 Cav	Jun 66	Dec 66
3d Bde 82d Abn Div (Phu Loi/Saigon)	*	
1/505 Inf		Feb 68
2/505 Inf		Feb 68
1/508 Inf		Feb 68
2/321 Arty (105 T)		Feb 68
B/1/17 Cav		Feb 68
173d Abn Bde (An Khe/Bong Son)		
1/503 Abn Inf	*	May 65
2/503 Abn Inf	*	May 65
3/503 Abn Inf	Apr 67	Oct 67
4/503 Abn Inf	Apr 66	Jun 66
3/319 Arty (105 T)	*	May 65
D/16 Arm	*	May 65
E/17 Cav	*	May 65
ARMORED CAVALRY REGIMENTS		
11th Armd Cav Regt (Xuan Loc/Bien Hoa)	*	
1st Recon Sqdn		Sep 66
2d Recon Sqdn		Sep 66
3d Recon Sqdn		Sep 66
SPECIAL FORCES GROUPS		
5th SF Gp, 1st SF (Nha Trang)	*	Apr 65
ARMORED CAVALRY SQUADRONS		
1/1 Cav (Da Nang) (Op Con 23d Inf Div)	*	Aug 67
2/1 Cav (Suoi Doi) (Op Con 4th Inf Div)	*	Aug 67
SEPARATE INFANTRY BATTALIONS		
1/50 Inf (Mech) (An Khe) (Op Con 173d Abn Bde)	*	Sep 67

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COMBAT SUPPORT UNITS:		
Field Artillery		
1 FFV Arty (Nha Trang)	Aug 65	Nov 65
41 Arty Gp (Phu Cat)	*	Apr 67
52 Arty Gp (Pleiku)	*	Jun 66
3/6 Arty (105 SP)	*	Jun 66
7/13 Arty (105 T)	Jun 66	Oct 66
6/14 Arty (175 SP)	*	Oct 65
7/15 Arty (8" SP)	*	Jul 67
2/17 Arty (105 T)	*	Sep 65
5/22 Arty (175 SP)	May 67	Dec 67
5/27 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 65
6/32 Arty (8" SP)	*	Mar 67
6/84 Arty (155 T)	Aug 67	Mar 68
1/92 Arty (155 T)	*	Mar 67
11 FFV Arty (Long Binh)	Jan 66	Mar 66
23 Arty Gp (Phu Loi)	*	Nov 65
54 Arty Gp (Bien Hoa)	*	Oct 66
7/8 Arty (8" SP)	*	Jun 67
7/9 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 66
2/13 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 65
6/15 Arty (105 T)	Nov 66	May 67
1/27 Arty (155 SP)	Oct 66	Apr 67
6/27 Arty (8" SP)	*	Nov 65
2/32 Arty (175 SP)	*	Nov 65
2/35 Arty (155 SP)	*	Jun 66
5/42 Arty (155 T)	Jan 67	Apr 68
6/77 Arty (105 T)	Oct 66	May 67
3/197 Arty (155 T)	R	Sep 68
F/16 Arty (155 T)	*	V
XXIV Corps Arty (Phu Bai)	Aug 68**	V
108 Arty Gp (Dong Ha)	May 67	Oct 67
8/4 Arty (175 SP)	Mar 67	Aug 67
1/40 Arty (105 SP)	Feb 66	Oct 66
1/44 Arty (40mm AWSP)	Mar 66	Nov 66
1/83 Arty (8" SP)	*	Nov 66
2/94 Arty (175 SP)	Jun 66	Oct 66
6/33 Arty (105 T)	Sep 67	Feb 68
Air Defense Artillery		
5/2 Arty (40mm AWSP)	Jun 66	Nov 66
6/56 Arty (Hawk)(Chu Lai)	*	Sep 65
4/60 Arty (40mm AWSP)	Jun 66	Mar 67
G/55 Arty (50 Cal MG)(Tan Son Nhut)	Aug 67	Feb 68
G/65 Arty (50 Cal MG)	Mar 66	Nov 66
Engineers		
18 Engr Bde (Dong Ba Thin)	Jul 65	Sep 65
35 Engr Gp (Const)(Cam Ranh Bay)	*	Jun 65
19 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Sep 65
84 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jun 65
87 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Aug 65
116 Engr Bn (Cbt)	R	Sep 68
577 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jul 66
589 Engr Bn (Const)	Jan 66	Apr 67
864 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jun 65
45 Engr Gp (Const)(Da Nang/Phu Bai)	Feb 66	Jun 66
14 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Oct 66
35 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Nov 66
39 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Jan 66
27 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Oct 66
937 Engr Gp (Cbt) (Pleiku)	*	Aug 65
20 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Jan 66
70 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Aug 65
299 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Oct 65
815 Engr Bn (Const)	Feb 66	Apr 67
20 Engr Bde (Bien Hoa)	May 67	Aug 67
34 Engr Gp (Const) (Vung Tau)	Sep 66	Mar 67
36 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	Sep 67
69 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	May 67
86 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Oct 66
93 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	Jun 67
79 Engr Gp (Const) (Long Binh)	Feb 66	Jul 66
34 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	May 67
168 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Nov 65
554 Engr Bn (Const)	Feb 66	Apr 67
588 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Nov 65
159 Engr Gp (Const) (Long Binh)	*	Oct 65
31 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Apr 68
46 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Sep 65
62 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Aug 65
92 Engr Bn (Const)	*	May 67
169 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jun 66
US Army Engr Const Agency VN(Prov) (Long Binh)	May 68	V
Signal		
1st Sig Bde (USASTRATCOM)(Long Binh)	Apr 66	V
2d Sig Gp (Long Binh)	*	Jun 65
36 Sig Bn (Cbt Area)	*	Nov 66
39 Sig Bn (Spt)	*	Mar 62
52 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
86 Sig Bn (Spt)	Jun 65	Sep 66
21 Sig Gp (Nha Trang)	*	Jun 66
37 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
41 Sig Bn (Cbt Area)	*	Jul 65
43 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
73 Sig Bn (Spt)	*	Jul 66
459 Sig Bn (Cbt Area)	*	Oct 65
63 Sig Bn (R&C)	Jul 67	Mar 68
160 Sig Gp (Long Binh)	*	May 67
40 Sig Bn (Const)	*	Sep 66
44 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
69 Sig Bn (Army)	*	Nov 65
Regional Comm Gp (Saigon)	Jul 65	V
Long Lines Bn - North	Aug 66	V
Long Lines Bn - South	Aug 66	V
USASTRATCOM Fac - Phu Lam	Nov 64	V
USASTRATCOM Fac - Da Nang	Aug 66	V
USASTRATCOM Fac - Nha Trang	Nov 65	V
53 Sig Bn (Long Binh)	*	Jun 66
54 Sig Bn (Nha Trang)	*	Sep 65
972 Sig Bn (Long Binh)	May 68	Oct 68
Military Police		
18th MP Bde (Long Binh)	May 66	Sep 66
16th MP Gp (Nha Trang)	May 66	Sep 66
93 MP Bn	Jun 66	Aug 66
97 MP Bn	Jul 66	Aug 66
504 MP Bn	*	Aug 65
8th MP Gp (CI)(Long Binh)	Aug 68	V

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R Reserve Component unit mobilized 13 May 68.

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Military Police (Cont)		
89 MP Gp (Long Binh)	Mar 66	V
92 MP Bn	*	Apr 66
95 MP Bn	Nov 65	Apr 66
716 MP Bn	*	Mar 65
720 MP Bn	*	Oct 66
AVIATION 1/ 2/		
1st Avn Bde (Long Binh)	May 66	May 66
58th Avn Gp (Flt Fac Hbl) (Long Binh)	*	Oct 68
16 Sig Co (DECCA)	Dec 67	V
125 Avn Co (ATC)	*	Jul 65
5 Avn Det	*	Oct 64
164th Avn Gp (Can Tho)	Dec 67	V
7/1 Cav (Ambl) (Vinh Long)	Apr 67	Feb 68
13th Avn Bn (Can Tho)	*	Sep 64
114 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	May 63
121 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	V
175 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	V
336 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	V
271 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Apr 67	Feb 68
307th Avn Bn (Soc Trang)	Dec 67	V
199 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Jul 67
221 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Mar 65	V
235 Avn Co (Escort)	Dec 66	Nov 67
244 Avn Co (Survl)	Sep 66	Jul 67
12th Avn Gp (Long Binh)	*	Aug 65
3/17 Cav (Ambl)(Di An)	Nov 66	Oct 67
11th Avn Bn (Phu Loi)	Aug 65	Nov 65
128 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
162 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Feb 66
173 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Mar 66
213 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Jun 66	Jan 67
145th Avn Bn (Bien Hoa)	Sep 63	V
68 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Nov 65
118 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	P
135 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Oct 67
190 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 66	Aug 67
334 Avn Co (Escort)	Nov 66	V
210th Avn Bn (Long Tanh)	Feb 67	Apr 67
25 Avn Co (Corps)	Mar 67	Oct 67
54 Avn Co (FWT)(U-1)	*	Sep 65
73 Avn Co (Survl)	*	May 63
74 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	*	Mar 65
120 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	Mar 65
184 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 66	Aug 66
214th Avn Bn (Dong Tam)	Feb 67	Apr 67
117 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	Jun 63
191 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Dec 66	May 67
195 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	Nov 67
240 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	May 67
222d Avn Bn (Bear Cat)	May 66	V
147 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Jul 65	Nov 65
205 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Nov 66	May 67
273 Avn Co (Hvy Hel)	Apr 67	Dec 67
269th Avn Bn (Cu Chi)	Jul 66	Jan 67
116 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
187 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 66	Mar 67
242 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Oct 66	Aug 67

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17th Avn Gp (Nha Trang)	Dec 65	V
7/17 Cav (Ambl)(Pleiku)	Nov 66	Oct 67
201 Avn Co (Corps)	Mar 67	Oct 67
58 Avn Det	May 67	May 67
10th Avn Bn (Dong Ba Thin)	Aug 65	Oct 65
48 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Nov 65
92 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Nov 67
155 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
192 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	Oct 67
243 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Dec 66	Oct 67
281 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Jun 66
52d Avn Bn (Pleiku)	*	Mar 63
57 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Oct 67
119 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	V
170 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Dec 65
179 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Dec 65	Jun 66
189 Avn Co (Ambl) (Lt)	Nov 66	May 67
355 Avn Co (Hvy Hel)	Jul 67	Jan 68
361 Avn Co (Escort) 3/	Nov 67	Apr 68
223d Avn Bn (Qui Nhon)	May 66	V
18 Avn Co (FWT)(U-1)	*	Feb 62
183 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 66	Jun 66
185 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 67	Jun 67
203 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Apr 67	Oct 67
219 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Mar 65	Jun 65
225 Avn Co (Survl)	Jul 66	May 67
268th Avn Bn (Phu Hiep)	Feb 67	May 67
61 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Nov 67
129 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
134 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Nov 67
180 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Mar 66	Oct 66
196 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Jul 65	Mar 67
335 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	Nov 66
16th Avn Gp (Da Nang)	Dec 67	V
14th Avn Bn (Chu Lai)	*	Oct 64
71 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	Sep 66
132 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Oct 67	May 68
174 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Apr 66
176 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Feb 67
178 Avn Co (Mdm Hel)	Sep 65	Mar 66
212th Avn Bn (Da Nang)	Mar 67	Jul 67
21 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 67	Jun 67
131 Avn Co (Survl)	Jul 65	V
220 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	*	Jul 65
245 Avn Co (Survl)	Sep 66	Oct 67
282 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Jun 66
Avn Co (Corps)(Prov)	Mar 68	V
Other Aviation Units		
224th Avn Bn (RR) (USASA)(Tan Son Nhut)	Jun 66	V
13d Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
144 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
145 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
156 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
1 ASA Co (Avn)	*	Jun 67

1/ In addition to the aviation companies listed, the following cavalry, artillery, and medical company-sized units are aircraft companies: 3 air cav troops of the 1/9 Cav, 1st Cav Div (Ambl); Trp D (Air Cav) of the 1/4 Cav, 1st Inf Div; Trp D (Air Cav) of the 3/4 Cav, 25th Inf Div; Trp D (Air Cav) of the 3/5 Cav, 9th Inf Div; Trp D of the 1/10 Cav, 4th Inf Div; Trp D (Air Cav), 1/1 Cav; Trp D (Air Cav), 2/1 Cav; 3 aerial rocket batteries of the 2/20 Arty (Aer Rkt) of the 1st Cav Div (Ambl); Air Cav Trp, 11th Armd Cav Regt; and two medical companies, Air Ambulance.

2/ FWT-Fixed Wing Trans; ATC-Air Traffic Control; Survl-Surveillance; RR-Radio Research (ASA). Organic aviation companies are shown with major command.

3/ Scheduled for possible TDY missions (Duffle Bag) in Thailand.

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44th Engr Gp	COL Kenneth M. Hatch
538th Engr Const Bn	LTC St. Claire Street, Jr.
809th Engr Const Bn	LTC Luke L. Callaway, Jr.
7th Maint Bn	LTC Phillip V. Whitley
29th Sig Gp (STRATCOM)	COL Victor B. Penuel, Jr.
499th Trans Bn (Tml)	LTC Thomas S. Berry
379th Sig Bn (Spt)	LTC Robert O. Rushing
519th Trans Bn (Trk)	LTC William H. Mantooth
133d Med Gp	COL Laurence V. Harris, Jr.
46th SF Co	LTC Robert H. Bartelt
501st Field Dep	COL Raymond A. Troxell
442d Sig Bn (Long Line)	LTC George A. Rizor, Jr.
558th S & S Bn	LTC Donald R. Eckles
93d PSYOP Co	LTC John W. Emerson

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

HQ USARV	
Commanding General	GEN Creighton W. Abrams
Deputy Commanding General	LTG Frank T. Mildren
Chief of Staff	BG Leo B. Jones (P)
Dep CofS, Plans & Opns	BG Elvy B. Roberts(P)
Dep CofS, Pers & Admin	BG Don R. Hickman
HQ XXIV CORPS	
Commanding General	LTG Richard G. Stilwell, USA
Deputy Commanding General	MG Clifford B. Drake, USMC
Chief of Staff	■BG A. R. Bolling, Jr., USA
Artillery Officer	BG Allan G. Pixton, USA
HQ I FIELD FORCE VIETNAM	
Commanding General	LTG William R. Peers
Deputy Commanding General	BG Harris W. Hollis(P)
Chief of Staff	BG James C. Kalergis
Artillery Officer	BG Richard A. Edwards
HQ II FIELD FORCE VIETNAM	
Commanding General	LTG Walter T. Kerwin, Jr.
Deputy Commanding General	MG Walter B. Richardson
Chief of Staff	BG Charles Cantrell
Artillery Officer	COL Henry J. Schroeder, Jr. (P)

1st Inf Div	MG Orwin C. Talbott
Asst Div Commander	BG Albert H. Smith, Jr.
Asst Div Commander	COL George G. Cantlay(P)
Chief of Staff	COL Archie R. Hyle
Div Arty Commander	COL R. W. Beasley
Spt Cond Commander	COL Robert Haldane
1st Brigade	COL Earl W. Fletcher
1st Bn, 2d Inf	LTC Thomas E. Fitzpatrick
1st Bn, 26th Inf	LTC James M. Hanson
1st Bn, 28th Inf	LTC Carman D. Negaard
2d Brigade	COL John T. Carley
2d Bn, 16th Inf	LTC Charles P. McLean
1st Bn, 18th Inf	LTC Ronald J. Gillis
2d Bn, 18th Inf	LTC James E. Crow
3d Brigade	COL William A. Patch
2d Bn (Mech), 2d Inf	LTC George D. Greer
1st Bn (Mech), 16th Inf	LTC Donald C. Shuffstall
2d Bn, 28th Inf	■LTC Leroy N. Suddath, Jr.
1st Sqdn, 4th Cav	LTC John C. Faith
1st Cav Div (Ambl)	MG George I. Forsythe
Asst Div Commander	BG Richard L. Irby
Asst Div Commander	BG William E. Shedd, III
Chief of Staff	COL Robert N. MacKinnon
Div Arty Commander	COL William R. Wolfe
Spt Cond Commander	COL William C. Dysinger
1st Brigade	COL Robert J. Baer
2d Bn(Ambl), 5th Cav	LTC Raymond Maladowitz
1st Bn(Ambl), 8th Cav	■LTC Todd P. Graham
1st Bn(Ambl), 12th Cav	LTC John B. Blount
2d Brigade	COL Conrad L. Stansberry
1st Bn(Ambl), 5th Cav	LTC Gregory L. Troutman
2d Bn(Ambl), 7th Cav	LTC George D. Hardesty
2d Bn(Ambl), 8th Cav	LTC Frank L. Henry
3d Brigade	COL Karl R. Morton
1st Bn(Ambl), 7th Cav	LTC William D. McMillan, IV
5th Bn(Ambl), 7th Cav	LTC John F. McGraw, Jr.
2d Bn(Ambl), 12th Cav	LTC James W. Dingeman
11th Avn Gp	COL Foy Rice
1st Sqdn (Ambl), 9th Cav	LTC William C. Rousse
4th Inf Div	MG Donn R. Pepke
Asst Div Commander	BG Robert C. McAlister
Asst Div Commander	BG Albin F. Iryzk
Chief of Staff	■COL Herbert J. McChrystal(28Dec)
Div Arty Commander	COL Virgil H. Williams
Spt Cond Commander	COL William C. Abernathy
1st Brigade	COL Hale H. Knight
1st Bn, 8th Inf	LTC William D. Old II
3d Bn, 8th Inf	LTC Pennell J. Hickey
3d Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Richard A. Larkin
2d Brigade	■COL Gordon J. Duquemin
2d Bn (Mech), 8th Inf	LTC Dale B. Thoreson
1st Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Joseph T. Palastra, Jr.
1st Bn, 22d Inf	LTC John L. Daniels
3d Brigade	COL Stan L. McClellan
1st Bn, 14th Inf	LTC Irving Monclova
1st Bn, 35th Inf	LTC Garrett D. Buckner
2d Bn, 35th Inf	LTC Joseph S. Sulenski
1st Sqdn, 10th Cav	LTC Robert W. Noce
1st Bn, 69th Arm	LTC Stan R. Sheridan

9th Inf Div	MG Julian J. Ewell
Asst Div Commander	■BG William R. Kraft, Jr.
Asst Div Commander	BG Frank L. Gunn (8Jan)
Chief of Staff	COL Ira A. Hunt
Div Arty Commander	COL Robert G. Gard
Spt Cond Commander	COL Arthur P. Hanket
1st Brigade	COL John P. Geraci
6th Bn, 31st Inf	LTC Jack R. Logan
2d Bn, 39th Inf	LTC Donald B. Schroeder
2d Bn (Mech), 47th Inf	LTC James L. Scovel
2d Brigade	COL George E. Bland
3d Bn, 47th Inf	LTC Ishmael Pack
4th Bn, 47th Inf	LTC William J. Ankley
3d Bn, 60th Inf	LTC George E. Marine
3d Brigade	COL John A. Hemphill
3d Bn, 39th Inf	LTC Thomas D. Ayers
4th Bn, 39th Inf	LTC Franklin A. Hart
2d Bn, 60th Inf	LTC Fred K. Mahaffey
5th Bn, 60th Inf	LTC Willard Latham
3d Sqdn, 5th Cav	LTC Angelo Grillis
23d Inf Div	MG Charles M. Gettys
Asst Div Commander	BG Howard H. Cooksey
Asst Div Commander	BG Wallace L. Clement
Chief of Staff	COL Jack L. Treadwell
Div Arty Commander	COL Lawrence M. Jones, Jr.
Spt Cond Commander	COL Lewis B. Tixier
11th Inf Bde	COL John W. Donaldson
3d Bn, 1st Inf	LTC Craig G. Coverdale
4th Bn, 3d Inf	LTC Albert L. Russell, Jr.
1st Bn, 20th Inf	LTC William D. Guinn
4th Bn, 21st Inf	LTC J. Godfrey Crowe
196th Inf Bde	COL Frederick J. Kroesen
2d Bn, 1st Inf	LTC Sinclair L. Melner
3d Bn, 21st Inf	LTC Richard M. Gecona
4th Bn, 31st Inf	LTC Robert L. Wetzel
198th Inf Bde	COL Robert B. Tully
1st Bn, 6th Inf	LTC Albert J. Dombrowsky
1st Bn, 46th Inf	LTC Frederick E. Garman
5th Bn, 46th Inf	LTC Ronald Richardson
1st Bn, 52d Inf	LTC William C. Stinson
25th Inf Div	MG Ellis W. Williamson
Asst Div Commander	BG Carleton Preer, Jr.
Asst Div Commander	■BG Edwin F. Black
Chief of Staff	COL Gordon Sumner, Jr.
Div Arty Commander	COL Lucius G. Hill
Spt Cond Commander	LTC James W. Atwell (P)
1st Brigade	COL Robert L. Fair
4th Bn, 9th Inf	LTC Leo L. Wilson
2d Bn, 14th Inf	LTC William J. Cummings
4th Bn (Mech), 23d Inf	LTC Albert C. Butler
2d Brigade	COL Eugene M. Lynch
1st Bn (Mech), 5th Inf	LTC William E. Klein
1st Bn, 27th Inf	LTC Mark L. Reese
2d Bn, 27th Inf	LTC Vincent J. Oddi, Jr.
3d Brigade	COL Louis J. Schelter
2d Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Thomas F. Dreisonstok
2d Bn (Mech), 22d Inf	LTC Ralph M. Cline, Jr.
3d Bn, 22d Inf	LTC Alexander H. Hunt
3d Sqdn, 4th Cav	LTC Robert S. McGowan
2d Bn, 34th Arm	LTC Theodore E. O'Connor

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101st Abn Div (Ambl)	MG Melvin Zais
Asst Div Commander	BG Allen M. Burdett, Jr.
Asst Div Commander	BG Richard J. Allen
Chief of Staff	COL Lawrence L. Mowery
Div Arty Commander	COL Lloyd J. Picou
Spt Cond Commander	COL Myron H. Murley
1st Brigade	COL Harold I. Hayward
1st Bn(Ambl), 327th Inf	LTC Raymond C. Smith
2d Bn(Ambl), 327th Inf	LTC Charles W. Dyke
2d Bn(Ambl), 502d Inf	LTC Herbert L. Frandsen
3d Bn(Ambl), 506th Inf	LTC Walter E. Price
2d Brigade	COL John A. Hoefling
1st Bn(Ambl), 501st Inf	LTC John E. Rogers
2d Bn(Ambl), 501st Inf	LTC Joseph C. Wilson
1st Bn(Ambl), 502d Inf	LTC Donald F. Davis
3d Brigade	COL Joseph B. Conny, Jr.
3d Bn(Ambl), 187th Inf	LTC George M. Scheets
1st Bn(Ambl), 506th Inf	LTC Charles J. Bauer
2d Bn(Ambl), 506th Inf	LTC John O. Childs
160th Avn Gp	COL Ted A. Crozier
2d Sqdn (Ambl), 17th Cav	LTC William W. De Loach
1st Bde 5th Inf Div (Mech)	COL James M. Gibson
1st Bn, 11th Inf	LTC Selby F. Little
1st Bn (Mech), 61st Inf	LTC Bernard D. Wheeler
1st Bn, 77th Arm	LTC Carmelo P. Milia
199th Inf Bde	BG Frederic E. Davison
Deputy Commander	COL J. G. Smith
2d Bn, 3d Inf	LTC Manuel J. Asensio, Jr.
3d Bn, 7th Inf	LTC Roy J. Herte, Jr.
4th Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Leon E. Lichtenwalter
5th Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Albert W. Malone
3d Bde 82d Abn Div	BG George W. Dickerson
Deputy Commander	COL George S. Jones
1st Bn, 505th Inf	LTC Grace G. Thomas, Jr.
2d Bn, 505th Inf	LTC James V. Irons
1st Bn, 508th Inf	LTC Roswell E. Round, Jr.
173d Abn Bde	BG John W. Barnes
Deputy Commander	COL Joseph R. Franklin
1st Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Frank A. Henning
2d Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC John W. Nicholson
3d Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Henry H. Berke, Jr.
4th Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Alexander M. Weyand
11th Armd Cav Regt	COL George S. Patton
1st Recon Sqdn	LTC Merritte W. Ireland
2d Recon Sqdn	LTC Lee E. Duke
3d Recon Sqdn	LTC John W. McEnery
5th Spec Forces Gp	COL Harold R. Aaron
1st Sqdn, 1st Cav	LTC Richard D. Lawrence
2d Sqdn, 1st Cav	LTC Donald W. Moreau
7th Sqdn, 1st Air Cav	LTC George R. Crook
3d Sqdn, 17th Air Cav	LTC John H. Phillips
7th Sqdn, 17th Air Cav	LTC Robert M. Reuter
1st Bn (Mech), 50th Inf	LTC John B. Carter

I FFV Arty	BG Richard A. Edwards
41st Arty Gp	COL Joseph C. Kiefe
52d Arty Gp	COL Rutledge P. Hazzard
II FFV Arty	COL H. J. Schroeder, Jr. (P)
23d Arty Gp	COL Harold G. De Arment
54th Arty Gp	COL Richard L. Powell
XXIV Corps Arty	BG Allan G. Pixton
108th Arty Gp	COL Robert V. Lee, Jr.
18th Engr Bde	COL John H. Elder, Jr. (P)
35th Engr Gp	COL William L. Barnes
45th Engr Gp	COL John G. Waggener
937th Engr Gp	COL Jesse L. Fishback
20th Engr Bde	COL Harold R. Parfitt (P)
34th Engr Gp	COL Ernest Graves, Jr.
79th Engr Gp	COL Richard L. West
159th Engr Gp	COL Bates C. Burnell
1st Avn Bde	MG Robert R. Williams
Deputy Commander	COL James C. Smith (P)
12th Avn Gp	COL Herb D. Prather
16th Avn Gp	COL William C. Tyrrell
17th Avn Gp	COL John A. Todd
164th Avn Gp	COL Jack V. Mackmull
58th Avn Gp	COL James G. McFadden
1st Sig Bde (USASTRATCOM)	BG William H. Van Harlingen
Deputy CG	BG Thomas M. Rienzi
2d Sig Gp	COL Russell Curington
21st Sig Gp	COL Daniel W. McElwee
160th Sig Gp	COL Richard W. Swenson
Reg Comm Gp	COL Peter J. Blumenthal
44th Med Bde	BG Spurgeon H. Neel, Jr.
43d Med Gp	COL Edward O'Shaughnessy
55th Med Gp	COL Darl E. Vander Ploeg
67th Med Gp	COL Wallace R. LeBourdais
68th Med Gp	COL Richard B. Austin
18th MP Bde	COL William Brandenburg
16th MP Gp	COL John W. Liddle
89th MP Gp	COL Keith L. Monroe
8th MP Gp	LTC Ferdinand Kelly
1st Log Cond	MG Joseph M. Heiser, Jr.
Dep Commander	MG Lloyd B. Ramsey (21Dec)
USA Spt Cond, Cam Ranh	COL Frank A. Gleason, Jr.
USA Spt Cond, Da Nang	COL James W. Gunn (P)
USA Spt Cond, Saigon	BG Arthur Hurow
USA Spt Cond, Qui Nhon	BG Darrie H. Richards
4th PSYOP Gp	LTC Taro Katagiri
34th Gen Spt Gp	COL Robert G. Shepherd
507th Trans Gp	COL James E. Coberley
509th Radio Rsch Gp	COL Allen J. Mauderly
525th MI Gp	COL Francis H. Dillon, Jr.

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I CTZ	COL Roland H. Renwanz **
Quang Nam	LTC Frank W. Dixon *
Quang Ngai	LTC George A. Swearengen
Quang Tin †	LTC George H. Isley, Jr.
Quang Tri †	LTC Harley F. Mooney, Jr. *
Thua Thien †	COL Thomas W. Bowen *
II CTZ	BG James S. Timothy **
Binh Dinh	LTC Gordon Green
Binh Thuan	LTC Robert D. Vincent
Darlac †	LTC Peter J. Hirsch
Khanh Hoa	LTC Eugene Hammonds
Kontum †	COL Thomas F. Whalen *
Lam Dong †	LTC Travis J. L. Stephens *
Ninh Thuan	LTC Henry E. Vincent
Phu Bon †	LTC George E. Palmer *
Phu Yen	LTC Ronald L. Baggett
Pleiku †	LTC Eugene R. Bauer
Quang Duc †	LTC Donald J. Metcalf
Tuyen Duc	LTC John W. Cooke, Jr.
III CTZ	BG Donald D. Dunlop **
Bien Hoa	LTC Robert J. Kirk
Binh Duong †	LTC Angus M. Mundy *
Binh Long	LTC Roland E. Peixotto
Binh Tuy †	LTC James A. Hemphill
Gia Dinh	LTC Lucian E. Rising
Hau Nghia †	LTC Carl F. Bernard *
Long An †	COL Asa P. Gray, Jr.
Long Khanh †	LTC Alvin C. Hutchins *
Phuoc Long †	LTC Raymond Suarez, Jr. *
Phuoc Tuy	LTC Edward H. Bertram
Tay Ninh	LTC Thomas F. O'Dea, Jr.
IV CTZ	MG George S. Eckhardt **
An Giang	LTC Thomas T. Brodin
An Xuyen †	LTC George M. Nagata
Ba Xuyen	LTC Richard M. Rodney
Bac Lieu	LTC David H. Souser
Chau Doc	LTC John W. Rasmussen
Chuong Thien †	LTC Philip W. Hamilton
Dinh Tuong †	COL Harry O. Amos, Jr.
Go Cong	LTC John D. Howard*
Kien Giang †	LTC Billy M. Stanberry *
Kien Hoa	LTC James E. Dunley
Kien Phong †	LTC Clement H. Will*
Kien Tuong †	LTC Wesley R. Herrlein
Phong Dinh †	COL Lester M. Conger *
Sa Dec	LTC John F. Taylor
Vinh Binh	LTC Raymond Devereaux
Vinh Long †	LTC Paul E. Suplizio
ARVN DIVISIONS	
1st Div	COL Harry H. Hiestand
2d Div	COL Dean E. Hutter
5th Div	COL James H. Leach
7th Div	COL Hubert E. Tansey
9th Div	COL Harry C. Smythe, Jr.
18th Div	COL Walter E. Coleman
21st Div	COL Gene A. Walters
22d Div	COL Frederick E. Tibbetts
23d Div	COL Winfred G. Skelton
25th Div	COL Albert H. Hislop
Abn Div	COL Dwight B. Dickson

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

24 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS FLEET MARINE FORCE ATLANTIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN	R. G. WEEDE
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN	N. J. ANDERSON
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	R. A. BRENNEMAN
ACOS G-1	COL	M. D. TWEED
ACOS G-2	COL	O. W. CORMAN
ACOS G-3	COL	R. H. JESCHKE, JR.
ACOS G-4	COL	W. R. NOWADNICK

2D MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN	E. B. WHEELER
ADC	BGEN	J. C. FEGAN JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	C. W. WALKER
ACOS G-1	COL	W. L. SMITH
ACOS G-2	COL	R. E. BRANT
ACOS G-3	COL	W. H. MULVEY
ACOS G-4	COL	W. H. SIGLER
2D MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. E. BARBER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	W. C. DRUMRIGHT
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	J. J. DONAHUE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	P. E. WOODRUFF
6TH MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. N. KERN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	W. A. DICUS
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	C. MOSHER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	R. E. JOHNSON
8TH MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. M. VANZUYEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	A. D. FRIEDMAN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	F. R. WARREN
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	J. A. SCOTT
10TH MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	T. J. HOLT
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	L. W. LARSON
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	R. D. JONES
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	J. A. BYRD
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL	D. E. GRAGAN
HQ BN, 2ND MARDIV	LTCOL	J. R. GREENSTONE
2ND SERVICE BATTALION	COL	J. R. SLOAN
2ND AT BATTALION	LTCOL	L. H. HARDEE
2ND MT BATTALION	MAJOR	R. L. PRATHER
2ND RECON BATTALION	LTCOL	J. T. SMITH
2ND ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL	G. B. CORNWALL
2ND SP BATTALION	LTCOL	S. H. BATCHELDER
2ND MED BATTALION	CAPT (MC)	F. W. ARMINGTON
LANFORCARIB 3-68	LTCOL	C. MOSHER
LANFOR6THFLT 4-68	LTCOL	W. C. DRUMRIGHT
GTMODEFOR	LTCOL	F. R. JARRELL

FORCE TROOPS FMFLANT

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN	F. C. LAHUE
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	E. L. HALE
ACOS G-1	LTCOL	R. L. DOERING
ACOS G-2	MAJOR	G. E. STRICKLAND
ACOS G-3	COL	T. C. SHANAHAN
ACOS G-4	COL	C. S. KIRCHMANN
2D FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	C. H. SCHMID
H&S BATTALION	MAJOR	W. H. DAY
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL	J. K. WEILAND
MAINT BATTALION	MAJOR	C. L. BOOTH
2D TANK BATTALION	LTCOL	J. L. SAUL
8TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL	W. H. STUETZER
8TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL	E. W. LIFSET
8TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL	G. N. WHALEN
2D RADIO BATTALION	LTCOL	D. L. MITCHELL
2D FLD ARTY GROUP	LTCOL	J. J. MARRON
2D AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL	H. W. HITE

2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN	M. E. CARL
AWC		
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	R. R. READ
ACOS G-1	COL	J. E. HANSEN
ACOS G-2	COL	B. E. SMITH
ACOS G-3	COL	W. W. HAZLETT
ACOS G-4	COL	C. H. LUDDEN
MWHG-2		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. M. WILLIAMS
H&HS-2	MAJOR	J. G. COWART
MWFS-2	MAJOR	D. C. FITZGERALD
MWCS-2	MAJOR	W. M. COUCH
MWSG-27		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	N. G. EWERS
H&MS-27	LTCOL	B. R. STANDLEY
WERS-27	LTCOL	A. J. KOHANOWICH
VMGR-252	LTCOL	C. C. CHISHOLM
MWCG-28		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. W. KERSEY
H&HS-28	MAJOR	J. C. DIXON
MASS-1	MAJOR	L. D. WOODY
MACS-5	MAJOR	H. M. FIX
MACS-6	MAJOR	W. K. HUTCHINGS
MACS-9	LTCOL	A. L. BLAIR
MAG-14		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. L. TRAYNOR
H&MS-14	MAJOR	O. E. DONOVAN
MABS-14	MAJOR	R. W. TUCKER, JR.
VMCJ-2	LTCOL	S. D. COX
VMA(AW)-224	LTCOL	F. G. DAWSON
VMA(AW)-225	LTCOL	R. L. TOWNSEND
VMA(AW)-332	LTCOL	R. R. VAN DALSEM
VMFA-513	LTCOL	J. RYAN, JR.
MCCRTG-20		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. D. WILCOX
H&MS-20	MAJOR	F. P. WILLIAMS, JR.
VMFAT-201	LTCOL	A. N. DRAGO
VMAT(AW)-202	MAJOR	A. R. EDENS
VMT-203	LTCOL	R. W. CHAPIN
MAG-26		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. R. QUINN
H&MS-26	MAJOR	D. F. KELLEY
MABS-26	MAJOR	R. M. GREGORY
VMO-1	LTCOL	R. M. COOKE
HMH-461	LTCOL	J. C. ROBINSON
HMM-162	LTCOL	R. A. PLAMONDON
HMM-261	LTCOL	V. J. GUINEE, JR.
HMM-264	LTCOL	B. B. SMITH, JR.
HMM-365	LTCOL	L. L. MILLS
HMH-361	LTCOL	K. W. ANDRUS
MAG-31		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	L. P. BAITES
H&MS-31	LTCOL	L. F. BLASS
MABS-31	LTCOL	F. B. ROGERS
VMA-331	LTCOL	T. C. D'ANDREA
VMFA-333	LTCOL	J. J. MITCHELL
VMFA-451	LTCOL	H. L. JACKSON, JR.
MAG-32		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. J. SCHRIVER
H&MS-32	MAJOR	J. L. PAPPAS
MABS-32	MAJOR	M. J. BURNS
VMFA-251	LTCOL	E. C. JOHNSON
VMFA-312	LTCOL	T. E. BRADLEY
VMA-324	LTCOL	P. G. JANSSEN
3D LAAM BN	LTCOL	F. M. NELSON

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

23 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,130	74,029	79,159	
DANANG	(3,001)	(44,141)	(47,142)	#
CHU LAI	(460)	(4,969)	(5,429)	
PHU BAI	(304)	(2,767)	(3,071)	
DONG HA	(1,306)	(21,821)	(23,127)	
AFLOAT	(59)	(331)	(390)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,299	74,328	79,627	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS 31 OCTOBER			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	459	2,955	3,414	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1291 EVENTS OF 18 & 19 DECEMBER 68.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS, STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

23 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 23,127
USN 1,126 *
USA 7,244

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

(TF BRAVO)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,071
USN 71 *
USA 22,995

HQ,XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

USMC 47,532
USN 2,100 *
USA 2,149
ROKMC 6,773

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/1
- 2/1
- 3/1

(TF YANKEE)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE

- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

HQS, III MAF

CTG 76.4
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A") (OPN VALIANT HUNT)

HQS 1ST MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,429
USN 117 *
USA 23,591

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/6 INF
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	79,627	3,414
III MAF	79,159	3,414 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	78,845
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	63,105
US NAVY		22,802
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	99,923
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(44,321)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(27,717)
VNPF		(25,824)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	279,057

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
ALFA: BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO: BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A) @	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT -26 (REAR)	8,018	253

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,823	42

MOVEMENTS

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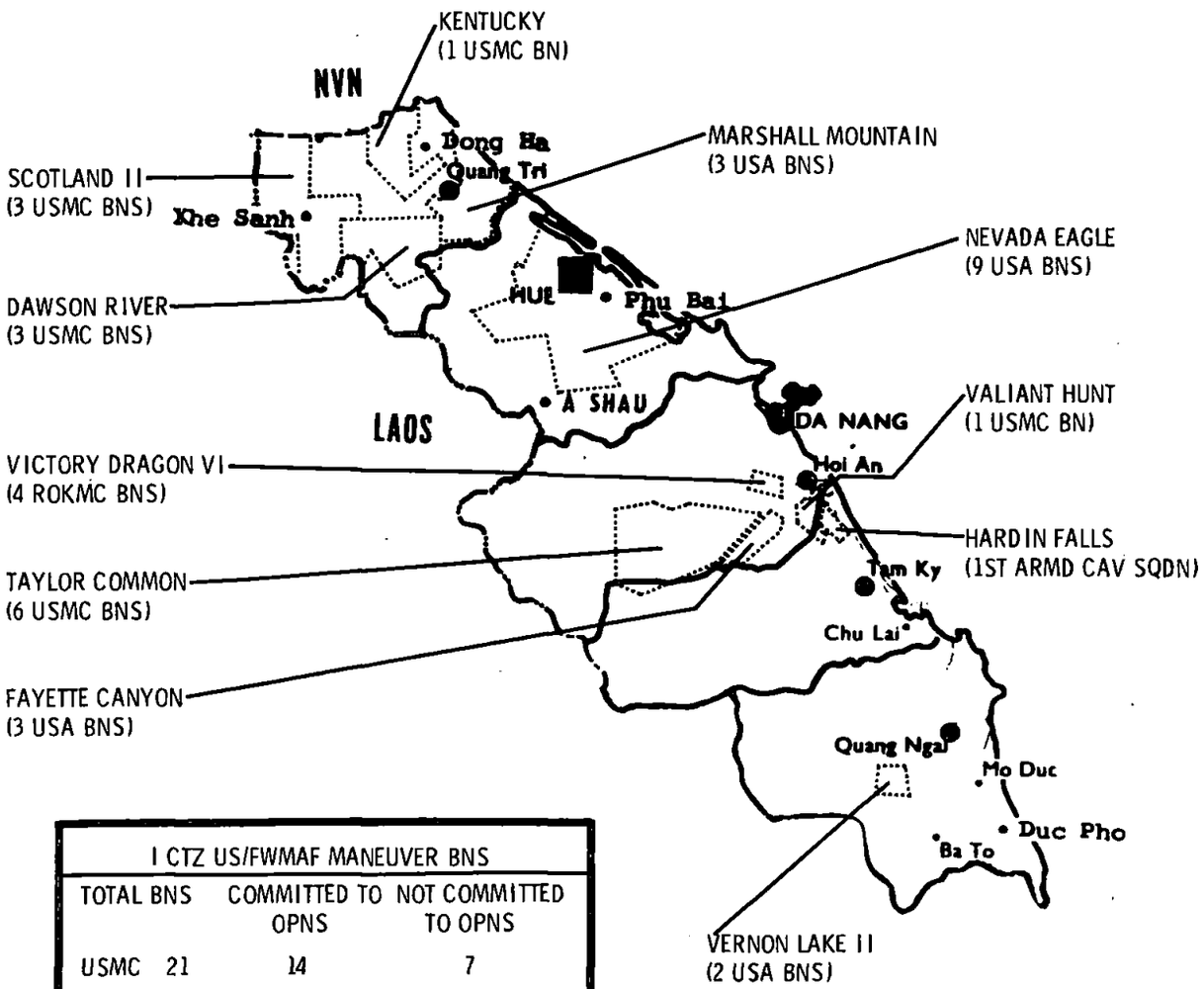
* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



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USMC	21	14	7
USA	23	17	6
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	35	13

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 6 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 232400H DEC 1968		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,226 157 USA	3,112
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,828
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	1 USA	23 USA	7
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	2	20	36
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,553 USA	2,935
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5, 3/5, 1/3, 3/3 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	23	143	264
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: SLF-A (BLT 2/26)	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	11	20
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	1 USA	43
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	2 USA	7 USA	222
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	10 USA	66 USA	182
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2ND ROKMC BDE WITH 4 BNS	HOI AN AREA	11 ROKMC	21 ROKMC	230

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

23 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
10,044	38,153	28,623	83/19

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USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,026	1,311	2

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USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
61,223	3,340	12,003

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TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

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→ 56

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→ 47

- 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
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- 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
- 7 — Physical disability separation
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*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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23 DECEMBER 1968

MILITARY FORCES IN RVN *

RVN ARMED FORCES (RVNAF)

ARMY (ARVN)	384,794
NAVY (VNN)	17,489
AIR FORCE (VNAF)	18,090
MARINE CORPS (VNMC)	9,948
REGIONAL FORCES (RF)	217,923
POPULAR FORCES (PF)	173,662
TOTAL RVNAF	821,906

UNITED STATES FORCES

ARMY	357,431
NAVY	36,579
AIR FORCE	59,580
MARINE CORPS	79,479
COAST GUARD	441
TOTAL U.S.	533,510

FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES (FWMAF)

REPUBLIC OF KOREA	49,797
AUSTRALIA	7,706
PHILIPPINES	1,672
THAILAND	5,980
NEW ZEALAND	564
REPUBLIC OF CHINA	29
SPAIN	12
TOTAL FWMAF	65,660

TOTAL FORCES IN RVN 1,421,076

*SOURCE: RVNAF, MACV MONTHLY GVN FORCES STRENGTH DATA REPORT.
ALL OTHER, MACV WEEKLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF 19DEC68.

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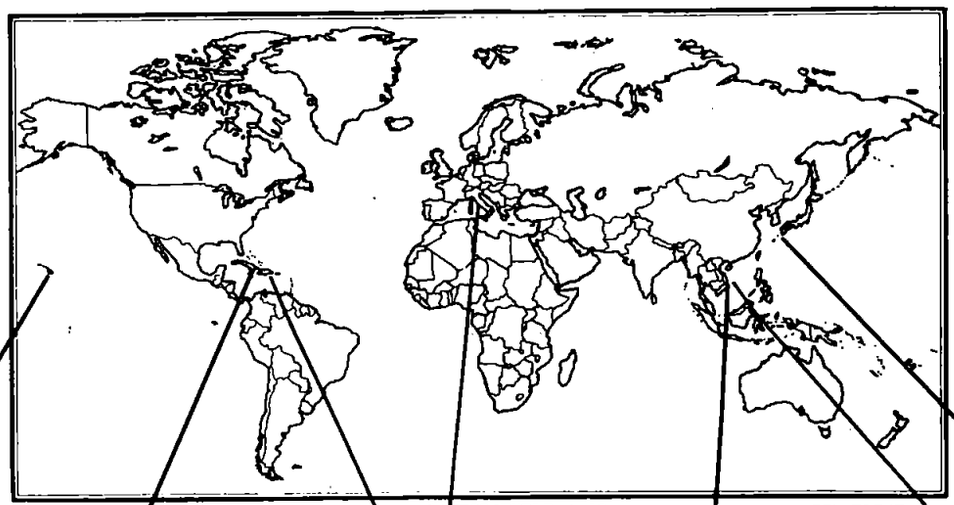
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

21 DECEMBER 1968



1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
BLT 1/2
AT NAPLES, ITALY

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET
SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN
(OPN VALIANT HUNT)

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN	21	(5)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	(2)	
OKINAWA/JAPAN		(1)								(1)
AFLOAT						(1)				
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII	(1)	(2)								
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
AFLOAT										
ATLANTIC	8	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST	(6)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3)	(2)		(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)					(1)				
EUROPE	1									
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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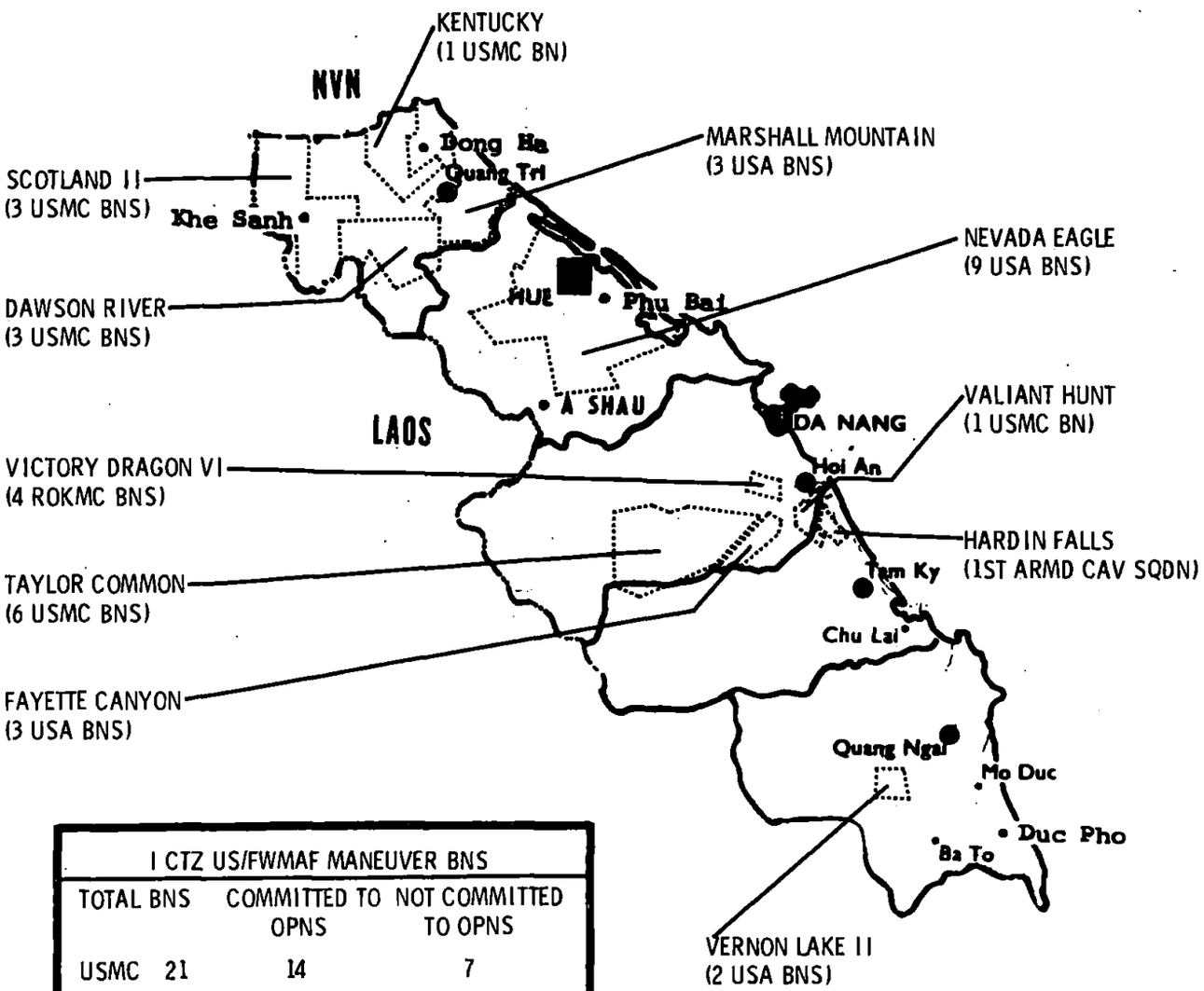

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NUMBER OF CASUALTIES INCURRED BY U. S. MILITARY PERSONNEL IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONFLICT IN VIET-NAM

Cumulative from January 1, 1961 through December 14, 1968

21 DECEMBER 1968

	Army	Navy **	Marine Corps	Air Force	Total
A. CASUALTIES RESULTING FROM ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
1. Killed	15,307	739	8,906	318	25,270
2. Wounded or Injured					
a. Died of wounds	1,984	91	1,091	27	3,193
b. Nonfatal wounds					
Hospital care required	57,805	2,447	38,048	511	98,811
Hospital care not required	57,702	3,688	28,572	1,695	91,657
3. Missing					
a. Died while missing	1,405	132	5	264	1,806
b. Returned to control	45	7	6	24	82
c. Current missing	174	115	87	538	914
4. Captured or Interned					
a. Died while captured or interned	9	-	-	1	10
b. Returned to control	11	1	4	5	21
c. Current captured or interned	46	133	19	139	337
5. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	58	138	108	481	785
Helicopter	918	40	279	19	1,256
b. From ground action	17,729	784	9,615	110	28,238
TOTAL DEATHS a/	18,705*	962	10,002	610	30,279
B. CASUALTIES NOT THE RESULT OF ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
6. Current Missing	73	0	2	2	77
7. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	182	84	28	188	482
Helicopter	780	21	160	7	968
b. From other causes	2,116	438	835	163	3,552
TOTAL DEATHS	3,078	543	1,023	358	5,002

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

*Includes 384 Special Forces personnel.

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

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US NAVY UNITS IN I CTZ

21 DECEMBER 1968

	CHU LAI	DANANG	PHU BAI	QUANG TRI	DONG HA
NAVAL SUPPORT ACTIVITY		10,511	79*		500
3D NAV CONST BDE		251			
30TH NAV CONST REGT .		29			
MCB-1		760			
MCB-3		776			
MCB-12		639			
MCB-22		681			
MCB-71	331				
MCB-74	711				
32D NAV CONST REGT . .			36@		
MCB-7					694
MCB-10				740**	
MCB-11				760	
MCB-121			654@		
MCB-133			663		
OTHER UNITS & DETACHMENTS	107	472			
AREA TOTALS	1,143	14,119	1,432	1,500	1,194

SOURCE: BUPERS STRENGTH AND STATISTICAL BRANCH REPORT # 1W OF: 9 DECEMBER 1968.

* LOCATED AT HUE LAGOON.
** LOCATED AT CAMP EVANS.
@ LOCATED AT GIA LE.

I CTZ TOTAL: 19,388

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LANDING FORCE SIXTH FLEET, 4-68

21 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 62.1
CTG: LTCOL W. C. DRUMRIGHT

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 1/2				
(LTCOL W. C. DRUMRIGHT)				
1ST BN, 2D MARINES	29	884	3	33
DET, HQ CO, 2D MARINES		8		
BTRY "G", 3/10	9	130		
DET, HQ BTRY, 3/10	1	11		1
PLT, "C" CO, 2D MT BN		19		
PLT, "C" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	24		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D TK BN	1	21		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D AT BN	1	21		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D ENGR BN		49		
PLT, "D" CO, 2D MED BN		10	1	9
PLT, "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	49		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		1
DET, HQBN, 2DMARDIV		20		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO				4
DET, 2D SERV BN		38		
DET, 2D FSR		40		
TOTALS	44	1348	4	48

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

31 7.62 MG
10 LVTP-5
6 105MM HOW
5 90MM GUN TANK
5 ONTOS
8 81MM MORTARS
8 FLAME THROWERS
8 106MM RR

21 MULES
32 MITES
29 2½ TON TRUCKS
8 JEEPS
3 5 TON CARGO TRUCKS
9 3/4 TON UTIL TRUCKS
4 AMBULANCES
4 CRANES

AIRCRAFT

NO AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

AT NAPLES, ITALY

SHIPPING

USS LASALLE (LPD-3)
USS MULIPHEN (LKA-61)
USS ASHLAND (LSD-1)
USS FREMONT (LPA-44)
USS GRANT COUNTY (LST 1174)

LANDING FORCE, CARIBBEAN 3-68

12 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 45.9
CTG: LTCOL C. M. MOSHER

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 2/6				
(LTCOL C. M. MOSHER)				
2D BN, 6TH MARINES	29	853	3	23
DET HQ CO, 6TH MARINES		8		
BTRY "E", 2/10	9	124		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D AT BN	1	24		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D ENGR BN	1	48		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		
PLAT "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	51		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D TANK BN	1	21		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	42		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D MT BN	1	16		
DET "B" CO, 2D MED BN		10		10
DET, HQ BN, 2D MARDIV		16		
DET, 2D FSR		24		
DET, SERV BN	1	36		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-261	39	229	1	1
(LTCOL V. J. GUINEE)				
(DET, VMO-1)				
TOTALS	86	1,538	5	35

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

6 105MM HOW TD
5 M48 90MM GUN TANK
5 ONTOS
31 7.62 MG
10 LVTP-5
8 81MM MORTAR
8 FLAME THROWER
6 106MM RR
24 3.5MM RL
12 M10 60MM MORTAR

AIRCRAFT

16/CH-46D
2/UH-1E

LOCATION

AT VIEQUES

SHIPPING

USS BOXER (LPH-4)
USS CAPRICORNUS (LKA-57)
USS PLYMOUTH ROCK (LSD-29)
USS YORK CTY (LST-1175)
USS WAHKIAKUM CTY (LST-1162)

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SELECTED PERSONNEL AND AIRCRAFT DATA

PERSONNEL

20 DECEMBER 1968

	STRENGTH	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTAL	308,138*	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	157,990	51.27	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	37,062*#	12.13	23.46	
FMF PACIFIC	120,928#	39.14	76.54	
VIETNAM	79,569@	25.82	49.61	64.55

SOURCE: *MONTHLY USMC PERSONNEL ALLOCATION REPORT OF 6 NOVEMBER 1968.
#WEEKLY MCCC UNIT REPORT OF 18 DECEMBER 1968.
*#WEEKLY MCCC UNIT REPORT OF 4 DECEMBER 1968.
@FMFPAC DAILY SITREP OF 17 DECEMBER 1968.

AIRCRAFT

9 DECEMBER 1968

	FIXW	HELO	TOTAL	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTALS	1043	657	1700	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	732	560	1292	75.88	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	260	143	403	23.70	31.73	
FMF PACIFIC	472	417	889	52.18	68.27	
VIETNAM	252	288	540	32.15	42.12	61.65

SOURCE: USMC TOTALS, USMC AVN STATUS BD PHOTO OF 19 NOVEMBER 1968.

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		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HEADQUARTERS																						
HQ, FMF, PAC																						
FMF, PAC (FWD)		74	1	24JUL68									74	1								
H&S BN, FMF, PAC	4	1624	50	18DEC68													1507	50			120	
CAMP S. D. BUTLER		998	137	4DEC68									998	137								
CASUAL		751		4DEC68									751									
HOSPITALIZED	7	1041		4DEC68									493		548							
HQ, V MEF																						
1ST CIVAFFGRP		66	7	18DEC68															66	7		
HQ, 5TH MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 5TH MAR DIV	4	1408	37	18DEC68															1363	37	45	
HQ, FORTRPS, FMF, PAC																						
HQ CO, FORTRPS	4	438	22	18DEC68															194	22	244	
HQ, 1ST MAR BRIG																						
HQ CO, 1ST MAR BRIG		223	8	18DEC68													223	8				
HQ, 9TH MAB																						
HQ CO, 9TH MAB		508	19	18DEC68									508	19								
HQ, III MAF																						
H&S CO, III MAF	4	989	11	18DEC68	977	11															12	
1ST CAG		367	31	18DEC68			367	31														
2D CAG	2	781	42	18DEC68	761	42															20	
3D CAG		252	32	18DEC68					252	32												
4TH CAG		267	21	18DEC68							267	21										
HQ, 1ST MAR DIV																						
HQ BN, 1ST MAR DIV	4	1948	37	18DEC68	1902	37															46	
HQ, 3D MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 3D MAR DIV	4	1946	37	18DEC68							1930	37									16	
INFANTRY																						
1ST MARINES																						
HQ CO		245	8	18DEC68	245	8																
1ST BATTALION		1071	59	18DEC68	1071	59																
2D BATTALION		1098	53	18DEC68	1098	53																
3D BATTALION		1068	61	18DEC68	1068	61																
3D MARINES																						
HQ CO		230	6	18DEC68	230	6																
1ST BATTALION		1187	50	18DEC68	1187	50																
2D BATTALION		1168	58	18DEC68							1168	58										
3D BATTALION		1169	59	18DEC68	1169	59																
4TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		218	5	18DEC68							218	5										
1ST BATTALION		1118	49	18DEC68							1118	49										
2D BATTALION		1150	56	18DEC68							1150	56										
3D BATTALION		1170	52	18DEC68							1170	52										
5TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		245	7	18DEC68	245	7																
1ST BATTALION		1092	53	18DEC68	1092	53																
2D BATTALION		1121	53	18DEC68	1121	53																
3D BATTALION		1086	46	18DEC68	1086	46																
7TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		242	6	18DEC68	242	6																
1ST BATTALION		1057	56	18DEC68	1057	56																
2D BATTALION	1	1545	113	18DEC68																	1545	113
3D BATTALION		1084	56	18DEC68	1084	56																
9TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		233	6	18DEC68							233	6										
1ST BATTALION		1157	50	18DEC68							1157	50										
2D BATTALION		1150	52	18DEC68							1150	52										
3D BATTALION		1157	47	18DEC68							1157	47										
26TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		477	12	18DEC68	238	6							239	6								
1ST BATTALION		1097	57	18DEC68	1097	57																
2D BATTALION	1	1479	97	18DEC68																	1479	97
3D BATTALION		1229	66	18DEC68	1229	66																
27TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		235	7	18DEC68															235	7		
1ST BATTALION		756	88	18DEC68													756	88				
2D BATTALION		1097	32	18DEC68															1097	32		
3D BATTALION		1181	32	18DEC68															1181	32		
28TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		267	6	18DEC68															267	6		
1ST BATTALION		1176	46	18DEC68															1176	46		
2D BATTALION		1167	41	18DEC68															1167	41		
3D BATTALION		1334	41	18DEC68															1334	41		
ARTILLERY																						
11TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		309	9	18DEC68	309	9																
1ST BATTALION		632	18	18DEC68	632	18																
2D BATTALION		658	18	18DEC68	658	18																
3D BATTALION		413	12	18DEC68	413	12																
4TH BATTALION		518	12	18DEC68	518	12																
12TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		285	12	18DEC68	285	12																
1ST BATTALION		571	17	18DEC68	571	17																
2D BATTALION		1161	51	18DEC68	1161	51																
3D BATTALION		852	21	18DEC68	852	21																
4TH BATTALION		533	12	18DEC68	533	12																

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		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
13TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		280	6	18DEC68															280	6		
1ST BATTALION		511	12	18DEC68	511	12																
2D BATTALION		407	8	18DEC68															407	8		
3D BATTALION		556	16	18DEC68															556	16		
4TH BATTALION		400	11	18DEC68															400	11		
HQ BTRY, 1ST FAG		124	2	18DEC68	124	2																
HQ BTRY, 5TH FAG		115	4	18DEC68															115	4		
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY		130	3	18DEC68	130	3																
3D 155MM GUN BTRY		145	3	18DEC68	145	3																
5TH 155MM GUN BTRY		186	8	18DEC68							186	8										
7TH 155MM GUN BTRY		104	2	18DEC68															104	2		
1ST 8" HOW BTRY		195	6	18DEC68							195	6										
3D 8" HOW BTRY		211	4	18DEC68	211	4																
5TH 8" HOW BTRY		126	2	18DEC68															126	2		
1ST SEARCH LIGHT BTRY		97	2	18DEC68							97	2										
RECONNAISSANCE																						
1ST RECON BN		773	48	18DEC68	773	48																
3D RECON BN		751	52	18DEC68							751	52										
5TH RECON BN		351	15	18DEC68	70								5						276	15		
1ST FORCE RECON CO		164	8	18DEC68	164	8																
3D FORCE RECON CO		142		18DEC68							142											
5TH FORCE RECON CO		134	2	18DEC68															134	2		
ANTI-TANK																						
1ST AT BN	6																					
3D AT BN	6																					
5TH AT BN		267	8	18DEC68									54	1					213	7		
TANK																						
1ST TANK BN		762	18	18DEC68	762	18																
3D TANK BN		763	19	18DEC68							763	19										
5TH TANK BN		625	13	18DEC68															625	13		
AMTRAC																						
1ST AMTRAC BN		715	30	18DEC68							715	30										
3D AMTRAC BN		633	15	18DEC68	633	15																
5TH AMTRAC BN		698	15	18DEC68									125	5					573	10		
1ST ARM AMPHIB CO		228	5	18DEC68	228	5																
ENGINEER																						
1ST ENGR BN		782	11	18DEC68	782	11																
3D ENGR BN		773	15	18DEC68							773	15										
5TH ENGR BN		548	12	18DEC68									33	1					515	11		
7TH ENGR BN		1009	25	18DEC68	1009	25																
9TH ENGR BN		948	23	18DEC68			948	23														
11TH ENGR BN		1184	30	18DEC68							1184	30										
13TH ENGR BN		844	15																844	15		
1ST BRIDGE CO	5																					
3D BRIDGE CO	5																					
5TH BRIDGE CO		149	2	18DEC68															149	2		
MOTOR TRANSPORT																						
1ST MT BN		322	7	18DEC68	322	7																
3D MT BN		334	9	18DEC68							334	9										
5TH MT BN		171	5	18DEC68															171	5		
7TH MT BN		398	3	18DEC68	398	3																
9TH MT BN		384	10	18DEC68					384	10												
11TH MT BN		451	11	18DEC68	451	11																
13TH MT BN		415	7	18DEC68															415	7		
COMMUNICATION																						
1ST RADIO BN		495	2	18DEC68	408	2											87					
5TH COMM BN		665	5	18DEC68	665	5																
7TH COMM BN		663	12	18DEC68	663	12																
9TH COMM BN		397	9	18DEC68															397	9		
1ST ANGLICO	3	277	11	18DEC68													143	5			134	6
SHORE PARTY																						
1ST SP BN		430	25	18DEC68	430	25																
3D SP BN		494	23	18DEC68							494	23										
5TH SP BN		282	24	18DEC68	90								5	6					187	18		
MILITARY POLICE																						
1ST MP BN		693	14	18DEC68	693	14																
3D MP BN		747	13	18DEC68	747	13																
5TH MP BN		469	5	18DEC68															469	5		
SERVICE/SUPPORT																						
FLC, III MAF																						
HQ, FLC/1ST FSR		1693	45	18DEC68	1693	45																
H&S BN		1621	25	18DEC68	1621	25																
SUPPLY BN																						
7TH SEP BK FUEL CO		1030	11	18DEC68	1030	11																
MAINT BN																						
FLSG-A/3D SERV BN		1234	20	18DEC68							1234	20										
FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN		1359	17	18DEC68	1359	17																
3D FSR																						
H&S BN		1102	34	18DEC68									1102	34								
SUPPLY BN		467	20	18DEC68									467	20								
MAINT BN		1093		18DEC68									1093									
5TH FSR																						
H&S BN		400	23	18DEC68															400	23		
SUPPLY BN		399	18	18DEC68															399	18		
MAINT BN		520		18DEC68															520			
5TH SERVICE BN		715	15	18DEC68															715	15		
PROV SERVICE BN, 9TH MAB		947	18	18DEC68									947	18								
9TH SEP BULK FUEL CO		321		18DEC68															321			

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MEDICAL		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
1ST MED BN		148	264	18DEC68	148	264																
3D MED BN		133	349	18DEC68					133	349												
5TH MED BN		101	158	18DEC68															101	158		
1ST HOSP CO		43	72	18DEC68	43	72																
5TH HOSP CO		30	48	18DEC68															30	48		
1ST DENTAL CO			84	18DEC68		84																
3D DENTAL CO			88	18DEC68				88														
5TH DENTAL CO			14	18DEC68																14		
11TH DENTAL CO		3	71	18DEC68	3	71																
13TH DENTAL CO			36	18DEC68																36		
15TH DENTAL CO		3	42	18DEC68															3	42		
17TH DENTAL CO		3	61	18DEC68															3	61		
USMC		91,454			40,437		1,315		769		17,586		6,894		548		2,716		17,528		3,661	
USN		4,458			1,809		142		391		647		248				151		854		216	
GROUND TOTAL		95,912			42,246		1,457		1,160		18,233		7,142		548		2,867		18,382		3,877	

AVIATION UNITS

HQ SQDN FMFPAC		61		18DEC68													61					
1ST MAW																						
MWHG-1																						
H&HS-1		719	34	18DEC68	719	34																
MWFS-1		133		18DEC68	133																	
MWCS-1		289		18DEC68	289																	
MWSG-17																						
H&MS-17		664	22	18DEC68	664	22																
WERS-17		209		18DEC68	209																	
MACG-18																						
H&HS-18		246		18DEC68	246																	
MASS-2		254	3	18DEC68	254	3																
MASS-3		223	2	18DEC68			223	2														
MACS-4		347	3	18DEC68	347	3																
1ST LAAM BN		719	14	18DEC68	719	14																
MAG-11																						
H&MS-11		414		18DEC68	414																	
MABS-11		349	26	18DEC68	349	26																
VMCJ-1		394	1	18DEC68	394	1																
VMFA-542		312	1	18DEC68	312	1																
VMA(AW)-242		333		18DEC68	333																	
VMFA-334		355	1	18DEC68	355	1																
MAG-12																						
H&MS-12		579	1	18DEC68			579	1														
MABS-12		508	32	18DEC68			508	32														
MATCU-67		86		18DEC68			86															
VMA-121		192	1	18DEC68			192	1														
VMA-211		197	1	18DEC68			197	1														
VMA-223		190	1	18DEC68			190	1														
VMA-311		189	1	18DEC68			189	1														
VMA(AW)-533		307	1	18DEC68			307	1														
MAG-13																						
H&MS-13		521		18DEC68			521															
MABS-13		480	26	18DEC68			480	26														
VMFA-115		280	2	18DEC68			280	2														
VMFA-314		277	1	18DEC68			277	1														
VMFA-323		280	1	18DEC68			280	1														
MAG-16																						
H&MS-16		570		18DEC68	570																	
MABS-16		725	27	18DEC68	725	27																
MATCU-62		82		18DEC68							82											
MATCU-68		79		18DEC68					79													
VMO-2		261	1	18DEC68	261	1																
HML-167		243		18DEC68	243																	
HMM-164		243		18DEC68	243																	
HMH-463		326	1	18DEC68	326	1																
HMM-165		208	4	18DEC68	208	4																
MAG-36																						
HMM-265		235	1	18DEC68					235	1												
H&MS-36		490		18DEC68					310		180											
MABS-36		539	23	18DEC68					331	23	208											
MATCU-62 DET "A"		82		18DEC68							82											
HMH-462		203	1	18DEC68					203	1												
HMM-364		222	1	18DEC68					222	1												
HMM-363		254	4	18DEC68					254	4												
HML-367		202	1	18DEC68					202	1												
PROVMAG-39/PROV H&MS-39		441	20	18DEC68							441	20										
VMO-6		250	1	18DEC68							250	1										
HMM-161		250	1	18DEC68							250	1										
HMM-262		238									238											
9TH MAB																						
MAG-15																						
H&MS-15		442		18DEC68									64		378							
MABS-15		294	25	18DEC68											294	25						
MACS-8		240	1	18DEC68									240	1								
VMFA-122		350	17	18DEC68											350	17						
HMM-362	1	255	1	18DEC68																	255	1
MATCU-60		66		18DEC68											66							
MATCU-66		61		18DEC68									61									
VMGR-152		457	4	18DEC68									457	4								

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		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
1ST BRIG																						
MAG-24																						
H&MS-24		454		18DEC68													454					
MABS-24		435	22	18DEC68													435	22				
MACS-2		223		18DEC68													223					
MATCU-70		67		18DEC68													67					
VMFA-212		254		18DEC68													254					
VMFA-235		248		18DEC68													248					
3D MAW																						
MWHG-3																						
H&HS-3	4	621	7	18DEC68															602	7	19	
MWFS-3		147		18DEC68															147			
MWCS-3		220		18DEC68															220			
VMT-103		345		18DEC68															345			
MHTG-30																						
H&MS-30		284		18DEC68															284			
HMHT-301		159	1	18DEC68															159	1		
HMMT-302		226		18DEC68															226			
MAG-33																						
H&MS-33		642		18DEC68															642			
MABS-33		529	2	18DEC68															529	2		
MATCU-65		87		18DEC68															87			
VMCJ-3		321		18DEC68															321			
VMFA-214		201	1	18DEC68															201	1		
VMFA-232		279	1	18DEC68															279	1		
VMFA-531		258	1	18DEC68															258	1		
MWSG-37																						
H&MS-37		597	3	18DEC68															597	3		
WERS-37		230	80	18DEC68															230	80		
VMGR-352		362	1	18DEC68															362	1		
MACG-38																						
H&HS-38		241	3	18DEC68															241	3		
MASS-5		198		18DEC68															198			
MACS-1		272		18DEC68															272			
MACS-3		251		18DEC68															251			
MACS-7		242	2	18DEC68															242	2		
5TH LAAM BN		512	10	18DEC68															512	10		
2D LAAM BN		235		18DEC68															235			
MAG-56																						
H&MS-56		352		18DEC68															352			
MABS-56		334	2	18DEC68															334	2		
MATCU-74		66		18DEC68															66			
HMM-163		240		18DEC68															240			
HMM-263		256		18DEC68															256			
HML-267		412	5	18DEC68															412	5		
HMM-561		259		18DEC68															259			
USMC		29,474			8,313		4,309		1,836		1,731		822		1,088		1,742		9,359		274	
USN		450			138		70		31		22		5		42		22		119		1	
AVIATION TOTAL		29,924			8,451		4,379		1,867		1,753		827		1,130		1,764		9,478		275	

RECAPITULATION OF FMFPAC PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION

		ASSIGNED STRENGTH	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	No I CTZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
GROUND TOTAL	USMC	91,454	40,437	1,315	769	17,586	6,894	548	2,716	17,528	3,661
	USN	4,458	1,809	142	391	647	248		151	854	216
AVIATION TOTAL	USMC	29,474	8,313	4,309	1,836	1,731	822	1,088	1,742	9,359	274
	USN	450	138	70	31	22	5	42	22	119	1
GRAND TOTAL	USMC	120,928	48,750	5,624	2,605	19,317	7,716	1,636	4,458	26,887	3,935
	USN	4,908	1,947	212	422	669	253	42	173	973	217

NOTES:

1. FIGURES IN "OTHER" ASSIGNED TO SLF's AND ARE BLT STRENGTHS.
2. FIGURES IN "OTHER" ASSIGNED TO VARIOUS RVN LOCATIONS.
3. AT VARIOUS I CTZ LOCATIONS.
4. PERSONNEL LISTED IN "OTHER" ARE ASSIGNED TO IT, ITT, SSC, CI TEAMS, RED EYE AND NUCLEAR ORDNANCE PLATOONS.
5. STRENGTHS INCLUDED IN 7TH AND 11TH ENGINEER BATTALIONS.
6. 1ST AND 3D ANTI-TANK PERSONNEL ARE INCLUDED IN 1ST AND 3D TANK BATTALIONS STRENGTHS.
7. HOSPITALIZED AT LOCATIONS OTHER THAN OKINAWA BUT CARRIED ON THE ROLLS OF CASUAL COMPANY, CAMP BUTLER.

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

20 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS III MARINE AMPHIBIOUS FORCE

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN R. E. CUSHMAN, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN C. A. YOUNGDALE
DEPUTY CG, AIR	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	MGEN E. E. ANDERSON
DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF	COL M. MOSTELLER
ACOS, G-1	COL M. ROSE
ACOS, G-2	COL R. N. JOENS
ACOS, G-3	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ACOS, G-4	COL L. C. NORTON
ACOS, G-5	COL H. A. WESTPALL
ACOS, G-6	COL B. E. HORNER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL D. J. FORD

DEPUTY COMMANDER (XXIV CORPS)	MGEN C. B. DRAKE
ACOS, CAP	COL E. F. DANOWITZ
COMMANDING OFFICER, 1ST CAG	LTCOL E. F. PIERSON, JR.
COMMANDING OFFICER, 2ND CAG	LTCOL E. LEWIS
COMMANDING OFFICER, 3RD CAG	LTCOL R. D. WHITESELL
COMMANDING OFFICER, 4TH CAG	LTCOL J. E. GREENWOOD
11TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL V. A. PERRY

1ST MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN O. R. SIMPSON
ADC	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ADC	BGEN R. T. DWYER, JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL S. A. HANNAH
ACOS, G-1	COL G. E. LAWRENCE
ACOS, G-2	COL A. T. SKOTNICKI
ACOS, G-3	COL A. J. SCHWENK
ACOS, G-4	COL J. E. WILSON, JR.
ACOS, G-5	COL H. F. PAINTER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL J. O. ALLISON
CEO	COL C. G. DAHL
1ST MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. G. LAUFFER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL A. A. LAPORTE, JR.
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. POINDEXTER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL T. G. BULGER
5TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. B. ORD, JR.
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. F. DALEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. STEMPLE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL H. E. ATKINSON
7TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. L. BECKINGTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. BETHEL
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. X. QUINN
11TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. E. DICKINSON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. HAMILTON
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. D. JAMESON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. P. JOHNSON
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR B. J. READY
HQS BATTALION	LTCOL W. S. FAGAN
1ST FAG	LTCOL R. B. INGRANDO
1ST AT BATTALION	
1ST ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. H. HILDEBRAND
1ST RECON BATTALION	LTCOL L. P. CHARON
1ST MT BATTALION	MAJ R. G. REILLY
1ST SP BATTALION	LTCOL D. L. ANDERSON
1ST MED BATTALION	CAPT (MC) J. V. SHARP
1ST TK BATTALION	LTCOL M. C. ASHLEY
3RD AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. HENNEGAN
7TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL T. T. ANNAS
7TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL C. L. BRADY
9TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. V. DAVIDSON
11TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. KINNIBURGH

3D MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN R. G. DAVIS
ADC	BGEN R. B. CARNEY, JR.
ADC/CG TF HOTEL	BGEN F. E. GARRETSON
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. R. MOTELEWSKI
CHIEF OF STAFF TF HOTEL	COL J. GILL
ACOS, G-1	COL L. R. DAZE
ACOS, G-2	COL T. P. O'CALLAHAN
ACOS, G-3	COL P. D. LAFOND
ACOS, G-4	COL W. F. GOGGIN
ACOS, G-5	COL W. E. KERRIGAN
ACOS, COMPT	MAJOR B. C. DAY
CEO	COL J. LEMAY
3RD MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. M. SPARK
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. B. TWOHEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL B. T. CHEN
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL W. H. BATES
4TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. SEXTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SARGENG
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. HOPKINS
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR R. I. BAKER
9TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. H. BARROW
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SMITH
2ND BATTALION	MAJ F. E. SISLEY
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. R. LAINE JR.
12TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL P. J. MULRONY
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL E. L. WHISMAN
2ND BATTALION	MAJOR F. E. SISLEY
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. D. FOXWORTH, JR.
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL E. W. BAILEY
HQS BATTALION	COL M. A. WEBB
3RD AT BATTALION	
3RD ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. PERSAC
3RD RECON BATTALION	LTCOL D. R. BERG
3RD MT BATTALION	MAJOR G. E. WARD
3RD SP BATTALION	LTCOL E. J. GODFREY
3RD MED BATTALION	CMDR B. R. SLEMMONS
3RD TK BATTALION	LTCOL G. E. HAYWARD
1ST AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL W. W. DAMEWOOD
9TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL L. J. TREMBLAY

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. A. FEELEY, JR.	FLSG-A/3RD SERV BN	COL H. E. ROEDER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL D. B. POND, JR.	FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN	COL H. L. PARSONS
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL D. K. GRAY	H&S BATTALION	LTCOL E. LUCAS
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL B. J. FOWLER	SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL E. G. USHER, JR.
ACOS, G-3	COL F. W. VAUGHT	MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL S. G. TRIBE, JR
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL A. W. BOWEN	5TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL J. D. HINES
ACOS, G-5	MAJOR J. D. CRAWFORD	7TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL W. W. CRITCHET
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL E. F. PATTILLO	1ST MP BATTALION	LTCOL B. G. BROWN
CEO	LTCOL H. L. MORRIS, JR.	3RD MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. E. CHEATHAM

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

20 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 23,768
USN 1,149 *
USA 7,244

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

(TF BRAVO)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,120
USN 71 *
USA 22,995

HQ, XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF

USMC 46,781
USN 2,078 *
USA 2,149
ROKMC 6,773

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/1
- 2/1
- 3/1

(TF YANKEE)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

CTG 76.4
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A") (OPN VALIANT HUNT)

HQS 1ST MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,432
USN 116 *
USA 23,591

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/6 INF
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	79,569	3,414
III MAF	79,101	3,414 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	78,787
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	63,105
US NAVY		23,525
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	284,461

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
ALFA: BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO: BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A) @	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT -26 (REAR)	8,018	253

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,823	42

MOVEMENTS

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* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

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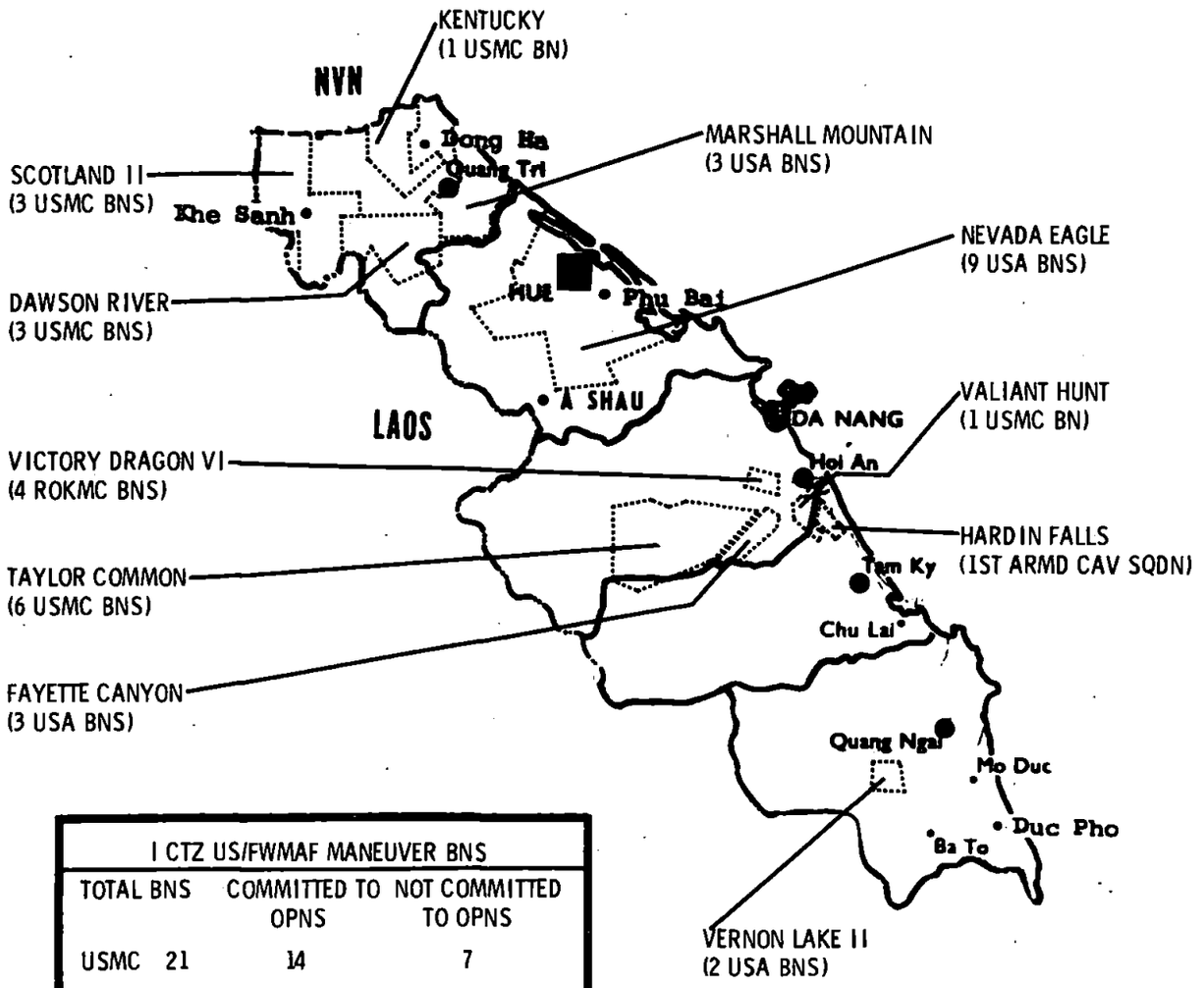
MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	14	7
USA	23	17	6
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	35	13

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 6 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 202400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,226 157 USA	3,110
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,806
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	NONE	9 USA	6
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	2	19	36
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,536 USA	2,897
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5, 3/5, 1/3, 3/3 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	18	93	211
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: SLF-A (BLT 2/26)	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	NONE	NONE
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	35
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	NONE	3 USA	*162
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	6 USA	55 USA	123
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE	HOI AN AREA	9 ROKMC	17 ROKMC	147

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

20 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
10,042	38,139	28,616	83/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 19 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,025	1,308	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
61,056	3,336	11,991

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 44 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 56 — Admitted to hospital → 56
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 47 — Evacuated from SVN → 47
    - 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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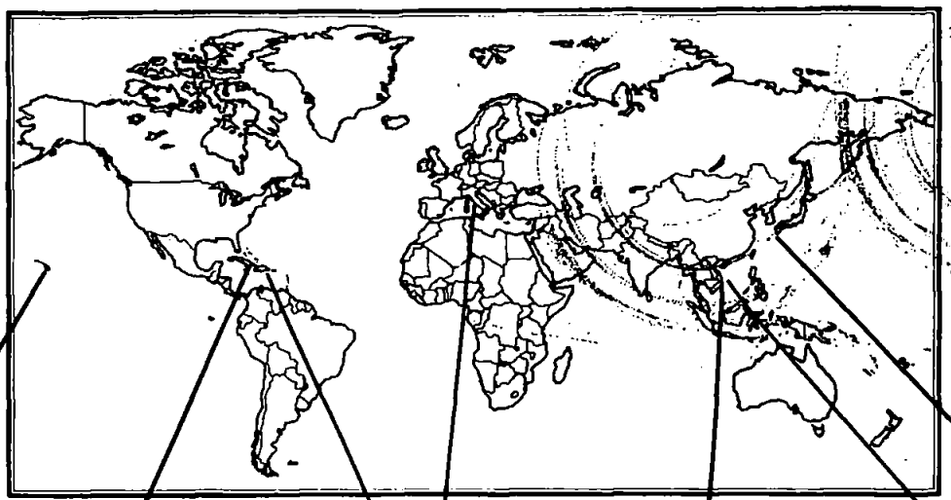
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

19 DECEMBER 1968



1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
BLT 1/2
ENR NAPLES, ITALY
ETA: 21DEC68

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN
(OPN VALIANT HUNT)

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMR	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN	21	(5)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	(2)	
OKINAWA/JAPAN		(1)								(1)
AFLOAT						(1)				
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII	(1)	(2)								
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
AFLOAT										
ATLANTIC	8	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST	(6)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3)	(2)		(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)					(1)				
EUROPE	1									
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

19 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS FLEET MARINE FORCE PACIFIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN H. W. BUSE, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN P. J. FONTANA
CG FMFPAC FWD	BGEN G. D. WEBSTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	BGEN L. H. WILSON
ACOS G-1	COL M. B. COOPER
ACOS G-2	COL L. C. SHEPHERD, III
ACOS G-3	COL R. M. HALL
ACOS G-4	COL R. C. DENNY
ACOS G-5	LTCOL E. L. HICKMAN

5TH MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN L. J. DULACKI
ADC	
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL A. J. CASTAGNA
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL B. H. CURWEN, JR.
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL P. WEILER
ACOS, G-3	COL W. MOORE
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL

27TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL E. B. MEYER
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. SIMONIS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. G. HUNT, JR.

28TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. R. BREEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. R. BOWEN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. KNAPP
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. R. KOETHE

13TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. D. EZELL
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. B. CANTIENY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL M. P. FENNESSY
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR C. W. STANARO
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR W. H. STEWART JR

HQS BATTALION	COL D. H. SIMMONS
5TH AT BATTALION	LTCOL R. W. COULTER
5TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL J. P. KRAYNAK
5TH RECON BATTALION	LTCOL R. R. BURRITT
5TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL F. B. OKONSKY
5TH SP BATTALION	LTCOL A. F. ELIASON, JR.
5TH SERV BATTALION	COL W. W. STORM III
5TH MED BATTALION	LCDR D. H. LINDEMAN

1ST MARINE BRIGADE

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MCGRAW
S-1	LTCOL D. G. GEDDES
S-2	
S-3	
S-4	MAJOR R. E. LEVA
1ST BN, 27TH MARINES	LTCOL R. E. B. PALMER

MAG-24

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. WILSON
H&MS-24	LTCOL F. B. ELLIS
MABS-24	LTCOL J. R. HANSFORD
MACS-2	MAJOR E. L. CONROY
VMFA-212	LTCOL B. D. FRITSCH
VMFA-235	LTCOL W. A. TYKSINSKI

9TH MARINE AMPHIBIOUS BRIGADE

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. E. WILLIAMS
CHIEF OF STAFF	
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL P. H. SIMPSON
ACOS, G-2	MAJOR A. L. LUMPKIN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL G. C. KLIEFOTH
ACOS, G-4	COL M. W. SCHMIDT
ACOS, G-5	2DLT S. E. COX

26TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. W. HUNTER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL C. H. KNOWLES
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. P. ROBERTSON

MAG-15

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. CORCORAN
H&MS-15	LTCOL K. M. SCOTT
MABS-15	LTCOL D. H. PEGUES
MACS-8	MAJOR D. C. BIERHAALDER
VMGR-152	LTCOL F. R. SMOKE
VMFA-122	LTCOL L. J. WILLIS

SLF ALPHA

COMMANDER	COL J. F. MCMAHON
BLT 2/26	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
HMM-362	LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP

SLF BRAVO

COMMANDER	COL R. R. WILSON
BLT 2/7	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
HMM-165	LTCOL G. L. PATRICK

PROV SERV BATTALION

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. DOTY

FORCE TROOPS FMFPAC

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN R. FULLER
ASSISTANT COMMANDER	COL S. H. PRATT
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL T. L. COBB
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL J. P. KELLY
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL W. H. BARKER
ACOS, G-4	MAJOR D. C. PEASE

3RD FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. PADALINO
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. E. ROURKE
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL H. J. LEVERT, JR.
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL L. I. FEIN

5TH FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. R. JONES
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. A. BJORSON
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL R. O. BARNES
MAINT BATTALION	MAJOR J. N. HERMES
5TH TK BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. WILSON
5TH AMTRAC BATTALION	MAJOR J. R. TULL
5TH MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. THRELFALL
13TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL M. D. DRUMMOND
13TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL M. S. SHIMANOFF
2ND LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL D. E. GUNTHER
5TH LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL H. S. JOLLEY

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

19 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS III MARINE AMPHIBIOUS FORCE

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN R. E. CUSHMAN, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	
DEPUTY CG, AIR	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	MGEN E. E. ANDERSON
DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF	COL M. MOSTELLER
ACOS, G-1	COL M. ROSE
ACOS, G-2	COL R. N. JOENS
ACOS, G-3	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ACOS, G-4	COL L. C. NORTON
ACOS, G-5	COL H. A. WESTPALL
ACOS, G-6	COL B. E. HORNER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL D. J. FORD

DEPUTY COMMANDER (XXIV CORPS)	MGEN C. B. DRAKE
ACOS, CAP	COL E. F. DANOWITZ
COMMANDING OFFICER, 1ST CAG	LTCOL E. F. PIERSON, JR.
COMMANDING OFFICER, 2ND CAG	LTCOL E. LEWIS
COMMANDING OFFICER, 3RD CAG	LTCOL R. D. WHITESELL
COMMANDING OFFICER, 4TH CAG	LTCOL J. E. GREENWOOD
11TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL V. A. PERRY

1ST MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN C. A. YOUNGDALE
ADC	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ADC	BGEN R. T. DWYER, JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL S. A. HANNAH
ACOS, G-1	COL G. E. LAWRENCE
ACOS, G-2	COL A. T. SKOTNICKI
ACOS, G-3	COL A. J. SCHWENK
ACOS, G-4	COL J. E. WILSON, JR.
ACOS, G-5	COL H. F. PAINTER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL J. O. ALLISON
CEO	COL C. G. DAHL
1ST MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. G. LAUFFER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL A. A. LAPORTE, JR.
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. POINDEXTER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL T. G. BULGER
5TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. B. ORD, JR.
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. F. DALEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. STEMPLE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL H. E. ATKINSON
7TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. L. BECKINGTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. BETHEL
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. X. QUINN
11TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. E. DICKINSON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. HAMILTON
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. D. JAMESON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. P. JOHNSON
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR B. J. READY
HQS BATTALION	LTCOL W. S. FAGAN
1ST FAG	LTCOL R. B. INGRANDO
1ST AT BATTALION	
1ST ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. H. HILDEBRAND
1ST RECON BATTALION	LTCOL L. P. CHARON
1ST MT BATTALION	MAJ R. G. REILLY
1ST SP BATTALION	LTCOL D. L. ANDERSON
1ST MED BATTALION	CAPT (MC) J. V. SHARP
1ST TK BATTALION	LTCOL M. C. ASHLEY
3RD AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. HENNEGAN
7TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL T. T. ANNAS
7TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL C. L. BRADY
9TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. V. DAVIDSON
11TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. KINNIBURGH

3D MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN R. G. DAVIS
ADC	BGEN R. B. CARNEY, JR.
ADC/CG TF HOTEL	BGEN F. E. GARRETSON
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. R. MOTELEWSKI
CHIEF OF STAFF TF HOTEL	COL J. GILL
ACOS, G-1	COL L. R. DAZE
ACOS, G-2	COL T. P. O'CALLAHAN
ACOS, G-3	COL P. D. LAFOND
ACOS, G-4	COL W. F. GOGGIN
ACOS, G-5	COL W. E. KERRIGAN
ACOS, COMPT	MAJOR B. C. DAY
CEO	COL J. LEMAY
3RD MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. M. SPARK
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. B. TWOHEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL B. T. CHEN
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL W. H. BATES
4TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. SEXTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SARGENG
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. HOPKINS
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR R. I. BAKER
9TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. H. BARROW
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SMITH
2ND BATTALION	MAJ F. E. SISLEY
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. R. LAINE JR.
12TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL P. J. MULRONY
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL E. L. WHISMAN
2ND BATTALION	MAJOR F. E. SISLEY
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. D. FOXWORTH, JR.
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL E. W. BAILEY
HQS BATTALION	COL M. A. WEBB
3RD AT BATTALION	
3RD ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. PERSAC
3RD RECON BATTALION	LTCOL D. R. BERG
3RD MT BATTALION	MAJOR G. E. WARD
3RD SP BATTALION	LTCOL E. J. GODFREY
3RD MED BATTALION	CMDR B. R. SLEMMONS
3RD TK BATTALION	LTCOL G. E. HAYWARD
1ST AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL W. W. DAMEWOOD
9TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL L. J. TREMBLAY

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. A. FEELEY, JR.	FLSG-A/3RD SERV BN	COL H. E. ROEDER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL D. B. POND, JR.	FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN	COL H. L. PARSONS
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL D. K. GRAY	H&S BATTALION	LTCOL E. LUCAS
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL B. J. FOWLER	SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL E. G. USHER, JR.
ACOS, G-3	COL F. W. VAUGHT	MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL S. G. TRIBE, JR
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL A. W. BOWEN	5TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL J. D. HINES
ACOS, G-5	MAJOR J. D. CRAWFORD	7TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL W. W. CRITCHET
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL E. F. PATTILLO	1ST MP BATTALION	LTCOL B. G. BROWN
CEO	LTCOL H. L. MORRIS, JR.	3RD MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. E. CHEATHAM

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

19 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,143	73,958	79,101	
DANANG	(2,967)	(43,424)	(46,391)	#
CHU LAI	(460)	(4,972)	(5,432)	
PHU BAI	(303)	(2,817)	(3,120)	
DONG HA	(1,354)	(22,414)	(23,768)	
AFLOAT	(59)	(331)	(390)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,312	74,257	79,569	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS 31 OCTOBER			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	458	2,956	3,414	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1290 EVENTS OF 16 & 17 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

19 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 23,768
USN 1,165 *
USA 7,244

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

(TF BRAVO)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,120
USN 71 *
USA 22,995

HQ,XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)

HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF:

USMC 46,391
USN 2,045 *
USA 2,149
ROKMC 6,773

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/1
- 2/1
- 3/1

(TF YANKEE)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

CTG 76.4
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A") (OPN VALIANT HUNT)

HQS 1ST MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,432
USN 116 *
USA 23,591

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/6 INF
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	79,569	3,414
III MAF	79,101	3,414 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	78,787
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	63,105
US NAVY		23,525
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	284,461

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
ALFA: BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO: BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A) @	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT -26 (REAR)	8,625	256

MAG-15
- VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,392	23

MOVEMENTS

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* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

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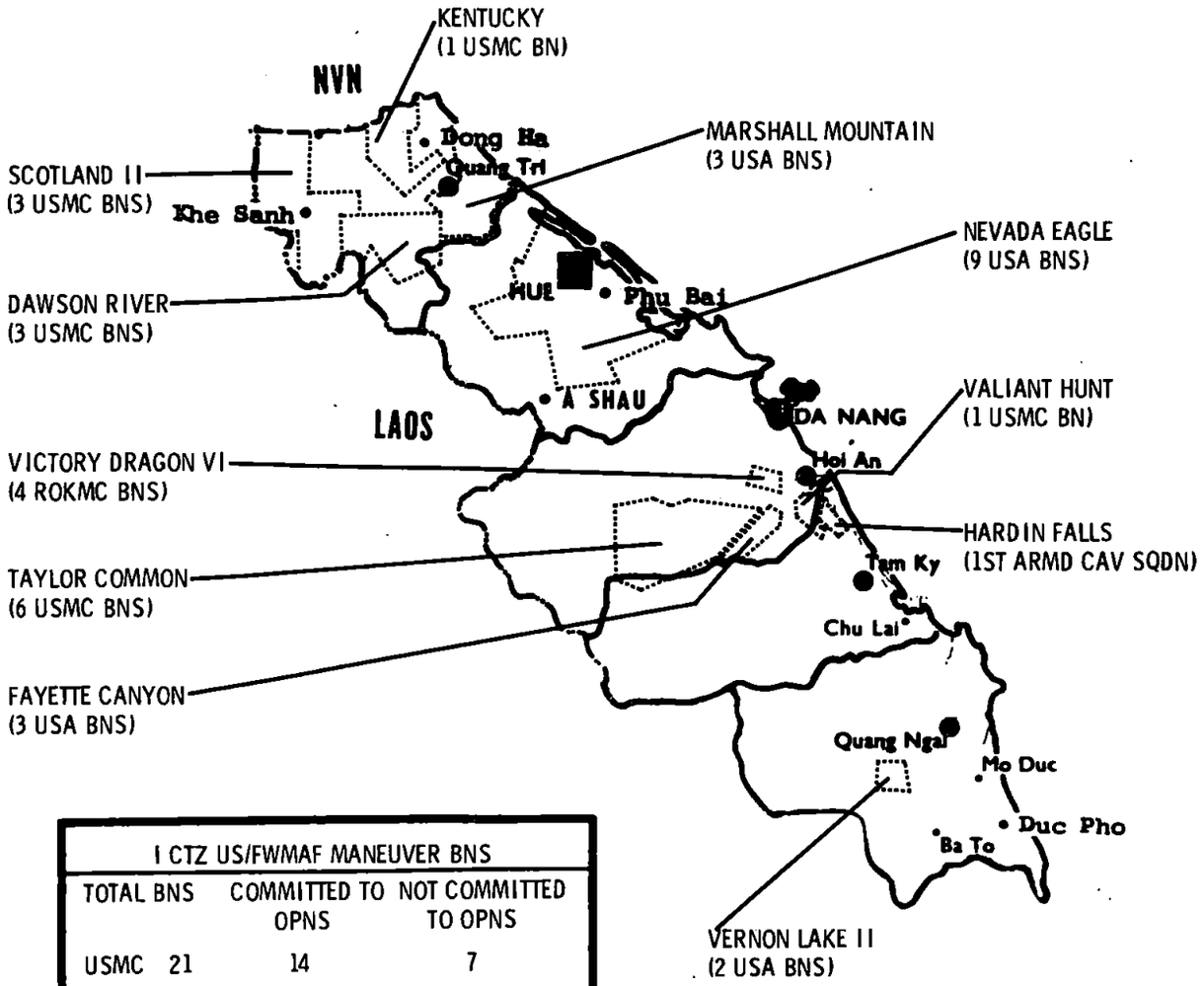
MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	14	7
USA	23	17	6
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	35	13

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 6 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 192400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,226 157 USA	3,109
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	*3,806
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	NONE	9 USA	6
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	2	19	36
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,536 USA	2,897
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5, 3/5, 1/3, 3/3 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	18	93	*171
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: SLF-A (BLT 2/26)	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	NONE	NONE
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	35
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	NONE	3 USA	*162
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	6 USA	55 USA	123
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE	HOI AN AREA	9 ROKMC	17 ROKMC	142

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

19 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
10,034	38,135	28,611	83/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 18 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,025	1,308	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
61,031	3,335	11,984

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 44 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 56 — Admitted to hospital → 56
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 47 — Evacuated from SVN → 47
    - 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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19 DECEMBER 1968

DISPOSITION OF MAJOR US & FWMAF UNITS IN RVN

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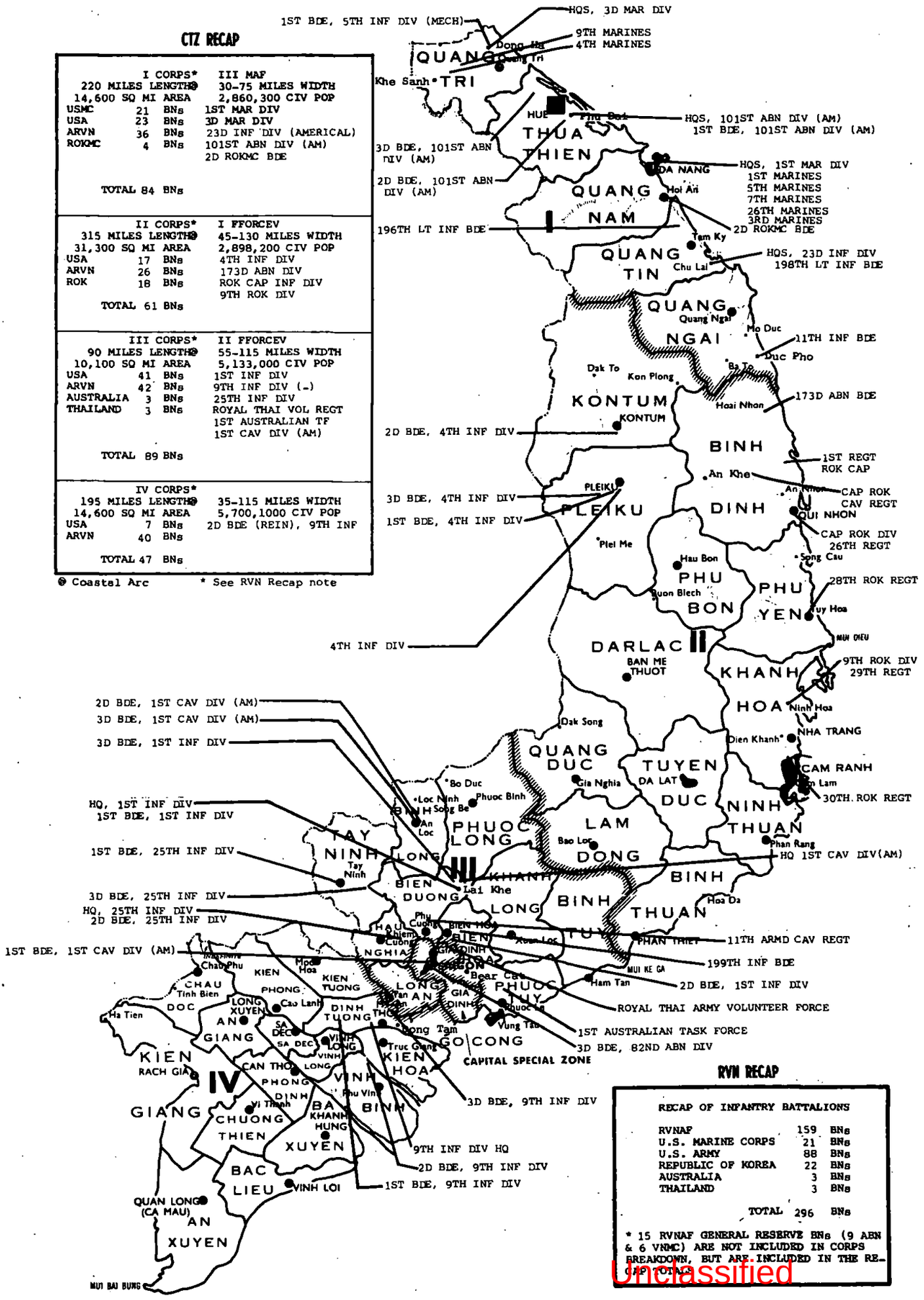
	I CORPS*	III MAF
	220 MILES LENGTH⊕	30-75 MILES WIDTH
	14,600 SQ MI AREA	2,860,300 CIV POP
USMC	21 BNs	1ST MAR DIV
USA	23 BNs	3D MAR DIV
ARVN	36 BNs	23D INF DIV (AMERICAL)
ROKMC	4 BNs	101ST ABN DIV (AM)
		2D ROKMC BDE
	TOTAL 84 BNs	
	II CORPS*	I FFORCEV
	315 MILES LENGTH⊕	45-130 MILES WIDTH
	31,300 SQ MI AREA	2,898,200 CIV POP
USA	17 BNs	4TH INF DIV
ARVN	26 BNs	173D ABN DIV
ROK	18 BNs	ROK CAP INF DIV
		9TH ROK DIV
	TOTAL 61 BNs	
	III CORPS*	II FFORCEV
	90 MILES LENGTH⊕	55-115 MILES WIDTH
	10,100 SQ MI AREA	5,133,000 CIV POP
USA	41 BNs	1ST INF DIV
ARVN	42 BNs	9TH INF DIV (-)
AUSTRALIA	3 BNs	25TH INF DIV
THAILAND	3 BNs	ROYAL THAI VOL REGT
		1ST AUSTRALIAN TF
		1ST CAV DIV (AM)
	TOTAL 89 BNs	
	IV CORPS*	
	195 MILES LENGTH⊕	35-115 MILES WIDTH
	14,600 SQ MI AREA	5,700,1000 CIV POP
USA	7 BNs	2D BDE (REIN), 9TH INF
ARVN	40 BNs	
	TOTAL 47 BNs	

⊕ Coastal Arc * See RVN Recap note



RVN RECAP

RECAP OF INFANTRY BATTALIONS

RVNAF	159	BNs
U.S. MARINE CORPS	21	BNs
U.S. ARMY	88	BNs
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	22	BNs
AUSTRALIA	3	BNs
THAILAND	3	BNs
TOTAL	296	BNs

* 15 RVNAF GENERAL RESERVE BNs (9 ABN & 6 VNMC) ARE NOT INCLUDED IN CORPS BREAKDOWN, BUT ARE INCLUDED IN THE RE-CAPITULATION.

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LANDING FORCE SIXTH FLEET, 4-68

19 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 62.1
CTG: LTCOL W. C. DRUMRIGHT

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 1/2				
(LTCOL W. C. DRUMRIGHT)				
1ST BN, 2D MARINES	29	884	3	33
DET, HQ CO, 2D MARINES		8		
BTRY "G", 3/10	9	130		
DET, HQ BTRY, 3/10	1	11		1
PLT, "C" CO, 2D MT BN		19		
PLT, "C" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	24		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D TK BN	1	21		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D AT BN	1	21		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D ENGR BN		49		
PLT, "D" CO, 2D MED BN		10	1	9
PLT, "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	49		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		1
DET, HQBN, 2DMARDIV		20		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO				4
DET, 2D SERV BN		38		
DET, 2D FSR		40		
TOTALS	44	1348	4	48

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

31 7.62 MG
10 LVTP-5
6 105MM HOW
5 90MM GUN TANK
5 ONTOS
8 81MM MORTARS
8 FLAME THROWERS
8 106MM RR

21 MULES
32 MITES
29 2½ TON TRUCKS
8 JEEPS
3 5 TON CARGO TRUCKS
9 3/4 TON UTIL TRUCKS
4 AMBULANCES
4 CRANES

AIRCRAFT

NO AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

ENR NAPLES, ITALY
ETA: 21DEC68

SHIPPING

USS LASALLE (LPD-3)
USS MULIPHEN (LKA-61)
USS ASHLAND (LSD-1)
USS FREMONT (LPA-44)
USS GRANT COUNTY (LST 1174)

LANDING FORCE, CARIBBEAN 3-68

12 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 45.9
CTG: LTCOL C. M. MOSHER

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 2/6				
(LTCOL C. M. MOSHER)				
2D BN, 6TH MARINES	29	853	3	23
DET HQ CO, 6TH MARINES		8		
BTRY "E", 2/10	9	124		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D AT BN	1	24		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D ENGR BN	1	48		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		
PLAT "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	51		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D TANK BN	1	21		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	42		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D MT BN	1	16		
DET "B" CO, 2D MED BN		10		10
DET, HQ BN, 2D MARDIV		16		
DET, 2D FSR		24		
DET, SERV BN	1	36		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-261	39	229	1	1
(LTCOL V. J. GUINEE)				
(DET, VMO-1)				
TOTALS	86	1,538	5	35

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

6 105MM HOW TD
5 M48 90MM GUN TANK
5 ONTOS
31 7.62 MG
10 LVTP-5
8 81MM MORTAR
8 FLAME THROWER
6 106MM RR
24 3.5MM RL
12 M10 60MM MORTAR

AIRCRAFT

16/CH-46D
2/UH-1E

LOCATION

AT VIEQUES

SHIPPING

USS BOXER (LPH-4)
USS CAPRICORNUS (LKA-57)
USS PLYMOUTH ROCK (LSD-29)
USS YORK CTY (LST-1175)
USS WAHKIAKUM CTY (LST-1162)

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 182400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,225 157 USA	3,109
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,797
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	NONE	9 USA	6
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	2	19	35
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,536 USA	2,897
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5, 3/5, 1/3, 3/3 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	18	*87	160
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: SLF-A (BLT 2/26)	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	NONE	NONE
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	32
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	NONE	NONE	40
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	6 USA	54 USA	114
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE	HOI AN AREA	8 ROKMC	16 ROKMC	*142

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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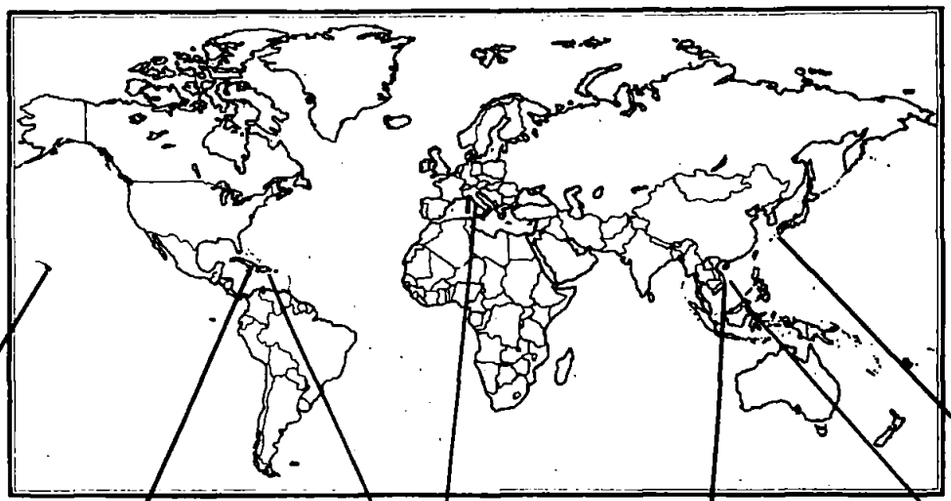
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

17 DECEMBER 1968



1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
AT LIVORNO, ITALY

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET
SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN
(OPN VALIANT HUNT)

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN	21	(5)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	(2)	
OKINAWA/JAPAN		(1)								(1)
AFLOAT						(1)				
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII	(1)	(2)								
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
AFLOAT										
ATLANTIC	8	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST	(6)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3)	(2)		(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)					(1)				
EUROPE	1									
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL*

FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

17 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		No I CTZ		OKINAWA		JAPAN		HAWAII		EASTPAC		OTHER	
HEADQUARTERS		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HQ, FMF, PAC																						
FMF, PAC (FWD)		74	1	24JUL68									74	1								
H&S BN, FMF, PAC		4251		13NOV68													4251					
CAMP S. D. BUTLER		998	137	4DEC68									998	137								
CASUAL		751		4DEC68									751									
HOSPITALIZED	7	1041		4DEC68									493		548							
HQ, V MEF																						
1ST CIVAFFGRP		68	7	4DEC68															68	7		
HQ, 5TH MARDIV																						
HQBN, 5TH MARDIV	4	1331	39	4DEC68															1300	39	31	
HQ, FORTRPS, FMF PAC																						
HQ CO, FOR TRPS	4	414	22	4DEC68															194	22	220	
HQ, 1ST MAR BRIG																						
HQ CO, 1ST MAR BRIG		220	8	4DEC68													220	8				
HQ, 9TH MAB																						
HQ CO, 9TH MAB		503	20	4DEC68									503	20								
HQ, III MAF																						
H&SCO, III MAF		977	11	4DEC68	977	11																
1ST CAG		367	31	4DEC68			367	31														
2D CAG	2	781	42	4DEC68	781	42																
3D CAG		525	32	4DEC68					525	32												
4TH CAG		267	21	4DEC68							267	21										
HQ, 1ST MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 1ST MAR DIV	4	1968	40	4DEC68	1968	40																
HQ, 3D MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 3D MAR DIV		1931	33	4DEC68							1931	33										
INFANTRY																						
1ST MARINES																						
HQ CO		245	7	4DEC68	245	7																
1ST BATTALION		1060	53	4DEC68	1060	53																
2D BATTALION		1050	52	4DEC68	1050	52																
3D BATTALION		1090	59	4DEC68	1090	59																
3D MARINES																						
HQ CO		212	7	4DEC68	212	7																
1ST BATTALION		1195	49	4DEC68	1195	49																
2D BATTALION		1224	52	4DEC68							1224	52										
3D BATTALION		1182	47	4DEC68	1182	47																
4TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		211	5	4DEC68							211	5										
1ST BATTALION		1246	50	4DEC68							1246	50										
2D BATTALION		1206	47	4DEC68							1206	47										
3D BATTALION		1210	54	4DEC68							1210	54										
5TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		245	7	4DEC68	245	7																
1ST BATTALION		1092	53	4DEC68	1092	53																
2D BATTALION		1121	53	4DEC68	1121	53																
3D BATTALION		1068	60	4DEC68	1068	60																
7TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		236	7	4DEC68	236	7																
1ST BATTALION		1091	52	4DEC68	1091	52																
2D BATTALION	1	1545	113	4DEC68																	1545	113
3D BATTALION		1097	57	4DEC68	1097	57																
9TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		231	6	4DEC68							231	6										
1ST BATTALION		1209	58	4DEC68							1209	58										
2D BATTALION		1209	49	4DEC68							1209	49										
3D BATTALION		1203	47	4DEC68							1203	47										
26TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		215	5	4DEC68	215	5																
1ST BATTALION		1119	55	4DEC68	1119	55																
2D BATTALION	1	1479	97	4DEC68																	1479	97
3D BATTALION		1308	60	4DEC68	1308	60																
27TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		241	7	4DEC68															241	7		
1ST BATTALION		626	88	4DEC68													626	88				
2D BATTALION		825	32	4Dec68															825	32		
3D BATTALION		826	32	4DEC68															826	32		
28TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		265	5	4DEC68															265	5		
1ST BATTALION		1067	46	4DEC68															1067	46		
2D BATTALION		1084	42	4DEC68															1084	42		
3D BATTALION		1035	43	4DEC68															1035	43		
ARTILLERY																						
11TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		300	9	4DEC68	300	9																
1ST BATTALION		662	18	4DEC68	662	18																
2D BATTALION		663	18	4DEC68	663	18																
3D BATTALION		437	12	4DEC68	437	12																
4TH BATTALION		548	13	4DEC68	548	13																
12TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		277	11	4DEC68							277	11										
1ST BATTALION		891	17	4DEC68							891	17										
2D BATTALION		641	17	4DEC68							641	17										
3D BATTALION		798	17	4DEC68							798	17										
4TH BATTALION		549	12	4DEC68							549	12										

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FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

17 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		No I CTZ		OKINAWA		JAPAN		HAWAII		EASTPAC		OTHER	
MEDICAL		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
1ST MED BN		152	322	4DEC68	152	322																
3D MED BN		136	304	4DEC68					136	304												
5TH MED BN		104	157	4DEC68															104	157		
1ST HOSP CO		39	74	4DEC68	39	74																
5TH HOSP CO		31	48	4DEC68															31	48		
1ST DENTAL CO			91	4DEC68		91																
3D DENTAL CO			77	4DEC68				77														
5TH DENTAL CO			14	4DEC68																14		
11TH DENTAL CO		3	71	4DEC68	3	71																
13TH DENTAL CO			38	4DEC68																38		
15TH DENTAL CO		3	42	4DEC68															3	42		
17TH DENTAL CO		4	61	4DEC68															4	61		
USMC		94,074			37,530		1,315		2,306		20,019		7,463		548		5,535		15,703		3,655	
USN		4,350			1,751		131		366		676		233				110		840		243	
GROUND TOTAL		98,424			39,281		1,446		2,672		20,695		7,696		548		5,645		16,543		3,898	

AVIATION UNITS

HQ SQDN FMFPAC		61		4DEC68													61					
1ST MAW																						
MWHG-1																						
H&HS-1		719	34	4DEC68	719	34																
MWFS-1		133		4DEC68	133																	
MWCS-1		289		4DEC68	289																	
MWSG-17																						
H&MS-17		664	22	4DEC68	664	22																
WERS-17		209		4DEC68	209																	
MACG-18																						
H&HS-18		246		4DEC68	246																	
MASS-2		254	3	4DEC68	254	3																
MASS-3		223	2	4DEC68			223	2														
MACS-4		347	3	4DEC68	347	3																
1ST LAAM BN		719	14	4DEC68	719	14																
MAG-11																						
H&MS-11		414		4DEC68	414																	
MABS-11		349	26	4DEC68	349	26																
VMCJ-1		394	1	4DEC68	394	1																
VMFA-542		312	1	4DEC68	312	1																
VMA(AW)-242		333		4DEC68	333																	
VMFA-334		355	1	4DEC68	355	1																
MAG-12																						
H&MS-12		579	1	4DEC68			579	1														
MABS-12		508	32	4DEC68			508	32														
MATCU-67		86		4DEC68			86															
VMA-121		192	1	4DEC68			192	1														
VMA-211		197	1	4DEC68			197	1														
VMA-223		190	1	4DEC68			190	1														
VMA-311		189	1	4DEC68			189	1														
VMA(AW)-533		307	1	4DEC68			307	1														
MAG-13																						
H&MS-13		521		4DEC68			521															
MABS-13		480	26	4DEC68			480	26														
VMFA-115		280	2	4DEC68			280	2														
VMFA-314		277	1	4DEC68			277	1														
VMFA-323		280	1	4DEC68			280	1														
MAG-16																						
H&MS-16		570		4DEC68	570																	
MABS-16		725	27	4DEC68	725	27																
MATCU-62		82		4DEC68							82											
MATCU-68		79		4DEC68					79													
VMO-2		261	1	4DEC68	261	1																
HML-167		243		4DEC68	243																	
HMM-164		243		4DEC68	243																	
HMH-463		326	1	4DEC68	326	1																
HMM-165		208	1	4DEC68	208	1																
MAG-36																						
H&MS-36		490		4DEC68					310		180											
MABS-36		539	23	4DEC68					331	23	208											
MATCU-62 DET "A"		82		4DEC68							82											
HMH-462		203	1	4DEC68					203	1												
HMM-364		222	1	4DEC68					222	1												
HMM-363		254	4	4DEC68					254	4												
HMM-265		235	1	4DEC68					235	1												
HML-367		202	1	4DEC68					202	1												
PROVMAG-39/PROV H&MS-39		441	20	4DEC68							441	20										
VMO-6		250	1	4DEC68							250	1										
HMM-161		250	1	4DEC68							250	1										
HMM-262		238		4DEC68							238											
9TH MAB																						
MAG-15																						
H&MS-15		503		4DEC68									44		459							
MABS-15		319	23	4DEC68											319	23						
MACS-8		242	1	4DEC68									242	1								
VMFA-122		350	17	4DEC68									350	17								
HMM-362	1	255	1	4DEC68																	255	1
MATCU-60		66		4DEC68											66							
MATCU-66		60		4DEC68									60									
VMGR-152		466	5	4DEC68									466	5								

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UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		No I CTZ		OKINAWA		JAPAN		HAWAII		EASTPAC		OTHER	
1ST BRIG		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-24																						
H&MS-24		437		4 DEC68													437					
MABS-24		438	22	4 DEC68													438	22				
MACS-2		219		4 DEC68													219					
MATCU-70		64		4 DEC68													64					
VMFA-212		234		4 DEC68													234					
VMFA-235		234		4 DEC68													234					
3D MAW																						
MWHG-3																						
H&HS-3		585	9	4 DEC68															585	9		
MWFS-3		134		4 DEC68															134			
MWCS-3		219		4 DEC68															219			
VMT-103		338		4 DEC68															338			
MHTG-30																						
H&MS-30		279		4 DEC68															279			
HMMT-301		145	1	4 DEC68															145	1		
HMMT-302		196		4 DEC68															196			
MAG-33																						
H&MS-33		685		4 DEC68															685			
MABS-33		488	2	4 DEC68															488	2		
MATCU-65		85		4 DEC68															85			
VMCJ-3		324	1	4 DEC68															324	1		
VMFA-214		227	1	4 DEC68															227	1		
VMFA-232		245	1	4 DEC68															245	1		
VMFA-531		221	1	4 DEC68															221	1		
MWSG-37																						
H&MS-37		541	3	4 DEC68															541	3		
WERS-37		213	89	4 DEC68															213	89		
VMGR-352		366	2	4 DEC68															366	2		
MACG-38																						
H&HS-38		242	3	4 DEC68															242	3		
MASS-5		200		4 DEC68															200			
MACS-1		269		4 DEC68															269			
MACS-3		269		4 DEC68															269			
MACS-7		260	2	4 DEC68															260	2		
5TH LAAM BN		520	12	4 DEC68															520	12		
2D LAAM BN		192		4 DEC68															192			
MAG-56																						
H&MS-56		307		4 DEC68															307			
MABS-56		291	1	4 DEC68															291	1		
MATCU-74		58		4 DEC68															58			
HMM-163		218		4 DEC68															218			
HMM-263		228		4 DEC68															228			
HML-267		412	5	4 DEC68															412	5		
HMM-561		269		4 DEC68															269			
USMC		29,163			8,313		4,309		1,836		1,731		1,162		844		1,687		9,026		255	
USN		460			135		70		31		22		23		23		22		133		1	
AVIATION TOTAL		29,623			8,448		4,379		1,867		1,753		1,185		867		1,709		9,159		256	

RECAPITULATION OF FMFPAC PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION

		ASSIGNED STRENGTH	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	No I CTZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
GROUND TOTAL	USMC	94,074	37,530	1,315	2,306	20,019	7,463	548	5,535	15,703	3,655
	USN	4,350	1,751	131	366	676	233		110	840	243
AVIATION TOTAL	USMC	29,163	8,313	4,309	1,836	1,731	1,162	844	1,687	9,026	255
	USN	460	135	70	31	22	23	23	22	133	1
GRAND TOTAL	USMC	123,237	45,843	5,624	4,142	21,750	8,625	1,392	7,222	24,729	3,910
	USN	4,810	1,886	201	397	698	256	23	132	973	244

NOTES:

1. FIGURES IN "OTHER" ASSIGNED TO SLF'S AND ARE BLT STRENGTHS.
2. FIGURES IN "OTHER" ASSIGNED TO VARIOUS RVN LOCATIONS.
3. AT VARIOUS I CTZ LOCATIONS.
4. PERSONNEL LISTED IN "OTHER" ARE ASSIGNED TO IT, ITT, SSC, CI TEAMS, RED EYE AND NUCLEAR ORDNANCE PLATOONS.
5. STRENGTHS INCLUDED IN 7TH AND 11TH ENGR BN'S.
6. 1ST AND 3D ANTI-TANK PERSONNEL ARE INCLUDED IN 1ST AND 3D TANK BN STRENGTHS.
7. HOSPITALIZED AT LOCATIONS OTHER THAN OKINAWA BUT CARRIED ON THE ROLLS OF CASUAL CO, CAMP BUTLER.

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

17 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS FLEET MARINE FORCE PACIFIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN H. W. BUSE, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN P. J. FONTANA
CG FMFPAC FWD	BGEN G. D. WEBSTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	BGEN L. H. WILSON
ACOS G-1	COL M. B. COOPER
ACOS G-2	COL L. C. SHEPHERD, III
ACOS G-3	COL R. M. HALL
ACOS G-4	COL R. C. DENNY
ACOS G-5	LTCOL E. L. HICKMAN

5TH MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN L. J. DULACKI
ADC	
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL A. J. CASTAGNA
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL B. H. CURWEN, JR.
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL P. WEILER
ACOS, G-3	COL W. MOORE
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL

27TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL E. B. MEYER
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. SIMONIS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. G. HUNT, JR.

28TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. R. BREEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. R. BOWEN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. KNAPP
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. R. KOETHE

13TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. D. EZELL
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. B. CANTIENY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL M. P. FENNESSY
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR C. W. STANARO
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR W. H. STEWART JR

HQS BATTALION	COL D. H. SIMMONS
5TH AT BATTALION	LTCOL R. W. COULTER
5TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL J. P. KRAYNAK
5TH RECON BATTALION	LTCOL R. R. BURRITT
5TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL F. B. OKONSKY
5TH SP BATTALION	LTCOL A. F. ELIASON, JR.
5TH SERV BATTALION	COL W. W. STORM III
5TH MED BATTALION	LCDR D. H. LINDEMAN

1ST MARINE BRIGADE

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MCGRAW
S-1	LTCOL D. G. GEDDES
S-2	
S-3	
S-4	MAJOR R. E. LEVA
1ST BN, 27TH MARINES	LTCOL R. E. B. PALMER

MAG-24

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. WILSON
H&MS-24	LTCOL F. B. ELLIS
MABS-24	LTCOL J. R. HANSFORD
MACS-2	MAJOR E. L. CONROY
VMFA-212	LTCOL B. D. FRITSCH
VMFA-235	LTCOL W. A. TYKSINSKI

9TH MARINE AMPHIBIOUS BRIGADE

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. E. WILLIAMS
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. A. ETHERIDGE
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL P. H. SIMPSON
ACOS, G-2	MAJOR A. L. LUMPKIN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL G. C. KLIEFOTH
ACOS, G-4	COL M. W. SCHMIDT
ACOS, G-5	2DLT S. E. COX

26TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. W. HUNTER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL C. H. KNOWLES
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. P. ROBERTSON

MAG-15

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. CORCORAN
H&MS-15	LTCOL D. P. GRAF
MABS-15	LTCOL D. H. PEGUES
MACS-8	MAJOR D. C. BIERHAALDER
VMGR-152	LTCOL F. R. SMOKE
VMFA-122	LTCOL L. J. WILLIS

SLF ALPHA

COMMANDER	COL J. F. MCMAHON
BLT 2/26	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
HMM-362	LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP

SLF BRAVO

COMMANDER	COL R. R. WILSON
BLT 2/7	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
HMM-165	LTCOL G. L. PATRICK

PROV SERV BATTALION

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. DOTY

FORCE TROOPS FMFPAC

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN R. FULLER
ASSISTANT COMMANDER	COL S. H. PRATT
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL T. L. COBB
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL J. P. KELLY
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL W. H. BARKER
ACOS, G-4	MAJOR D. C. PEASE

3RD FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. PADALINO
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. E. ROURKE
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL H. J. LEVERT, JR.
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL L. I. FEIN

5TH FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. R. JONES
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. A. BJORSON
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL R. O. BARNES
MAINT BATTALION	MAJOR J. N. HERMES
5TH TK BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. WILSON
5TH AMTRAC BATTALION	MAJOR J. R. TULL
5TH MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. THRELFALL
13TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL M. D. DRUMMOND
13TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL M. S. SHIMANOFF
2ND LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL D. E. GUNTHER
5TH LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL H. S. JOLLEY

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

17 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS III MARINE AMPHIBIOUS FORCE

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN R. E. CUSHMAN, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN R. McC TOMPKINS
DEPUTY CG, AIR	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	MGEN E. E. ANDERSON
DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF	COL M. MOSTELLER
ACOS, G-1	COL M. ROSE
ACOS, G-2	COL R. N. JOENS
ACOS, G-3	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ACOS, G-4	COL L. C. NORTON
ACOS, G-5	LTCOL E. W. SNELLING
ACOS, G-6	COL B. E. HORNER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL D. J. FORD

DEPUTY COMMANDER (XXIV CORPS)	MGEN C. B. DRAKE
ACOS, CAP	COL E. F. DANOWITZ
COMMANDING OFFICER, 1ST CAG	LTCOL E. F. PIERSON, JR.
COMMANDING OFFICER, 2ND CAG	LTCOL E. LEWIS
COMMANDING OFFICER, 3RD CAG	LTCOL R. D. WHITESELL
COMMANDING OFFICER, 4TH CAG	LTCOL J. E. GREENWOOD
11TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL V. A. PERRY

1ST MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN C. A. YOUNGDALE
ADC	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ADC	BGEN R. T. IWYER, JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL S. A. HANNAH
ACOS, G-1	COL G. E. LAWRENCE
ACOS, G-2	COL A. T. SKOTNICKI
ACOS, G-3	COL A. J. SCHWENK
ACOS, G-4	COL J. E. WILSON, JR.
ACOS, G-5	COL H. F. PAINTER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL J. O. ALLISON
CEO	COL C. G. DAHL
1ST MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. G. LAUFFER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL A. A. LAPORTE, JR.
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. POINDEXTER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL T. G. BULGER
5TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. B. ORD, JR.
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. F. DALEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. STEMPLE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL H. E. ATKINSON
7TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. L. BECKINGTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. BETHEL
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. X. QUINN
11TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. E. DICKINSON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. HAMILTON
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. D. JAMESON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. P. JOHNSON
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL J. M. COCKEY
HQS BATTALION	LTCOL W. S. FAGAN
1ST FAG	LTCOL R. B. INDRANDO
1ST AT BATTALION	
1ST ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. H. HILDEBRAND
1ST RECON BATTALION	LTCOL L. P. CHARON
1ST MT BATTALION	MAJ R. G. REILLY
1ST SP BATTALION	LTCOL D. L. ANDERSON
1ST MED BATTALION	CAPT (MC) J. V. SHARP
1ST TK BATTALION	LTCOL M. C. ASHLEY
3RD AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. HENNEGAN
7TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL T. T. ANNAS
7TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL C. L. BRADY
9TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. V. DAVIDSON
11TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. KINNIBURGH

3D MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN R. G. DAVIS
ADC	BGEN R. B. CARNEY, JR.
ADC/CG TF HOTEL	BGEN F. E. GARRETSON
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. R. MOTELEWSKI
CHIEF OF STAFF TF HOTEL	COL J. GILL
ACOS, G-1	COL L. R. DAZE
ACOS, G-2	COL T. P. O'CALLAHAN
ACOS, G-3	COL P. D. LAFOND
ACOS, G-4	COL W. F. GOGGIN
ACOS, G-5	COL W. E. KERRIGAN
ACOS, COMPT	MAJOR B. C. DAY
CEO	COL J. LEMAY
3RD MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. M. SPARK
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. B. TWOHEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL B. T. CHEN
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL W. H. BATES
4TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. SEXTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SARGENG
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. HOPKINS
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR R. I. BAKER
9TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. H. BARROW
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SMITH
2ND BATTALION	MAJ F. E. SISLEY
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. R. LAINE JR.
12TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL P. J. MULRONY
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL E. L. WHISMAN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. SCOPPA, JR.
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. D. FOXWORTH, JR.
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL E. W. BAILEY
HQS BATTALION	COL M. A. WEBB
3RD AT BATTALION	
3RD ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. PERSAC
3RD RECON BATTALION	LTCOL D. R. BERG
3RD MT BATTALION	MAJOR G. E. WARD
3RD SP BATTALION	LTCOL E. J. GODFREY
3RD MED BATTALION	CMDR B. R. SLEMMONS
3RD TK BATTALION	LTCOL G. E. HAYWARD
1ST AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL W. W. DAMEWOOD
9TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL L. J. TREMBLAY

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. A. FEELEY, JR.	FLSG-A/3RD SERV BN	COL H. E. ROEDER
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL D. B. POND, JR.	FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN	COL H. L. PARSONS
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL D. K. GRAY	H&S BATTALION	LTCOL E. LUCAS
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL B. J. FOWLER	SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL E. G. USHER, JR.
ACOS, G-3	COL F. W. VAUGHT	MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL S. G. TRIBE, JR
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL A. W. BOWEN	5TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL J. D. HINES
ACOS, G-5	MAJOR J. D. CRAWFORD	7TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL W. W. CRITCHET
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL E. F. PATTILLO	1ST MP BATTALION	LTCOL B. G. BROWN
CEO	LTCOL H. L. MORRIS, JR.	3RD MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. E. CHEATHAM

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

17 DECEMBER 1968

1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN	C. J. QUILTER
AWC	BGEN	H. S. HILL/H. W. HISE
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	V. D. OLSON
ACOS, G-1	COL	E. A. PARNELL
ACOS, G-2	COL	H. R. BUMPAS
ACOS, G-3	COL	E. H. FINLAYSON
ACOS, G-4	COL	S. FURIMSKY, JR.
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL	E. E. HAGEDORN
CEO	LTCOL	R. S. HARTMAN
MWHG-1		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	T. H. NICHOLS, JR.
H&HS-1	LTCOL	P. A. LINDSAY
MWFS-1	MAJOR	W. O. GOLLER
MWCS-1	MAJOR	D. J. OGDEN
MWSG-17		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. S. RASH
H&MS-17	LTCOL	E. S. JOHN
WERS-17	LTCOL	S. M. WILLIAMS
MACG-18		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	E. S. FRIS
H&HS-18	LTCOL	J. R. POPLER
MACS-4	LTCOL	T. M. KAUFFMAN
MASS-2	MAJOR	E. J. DALY, III
MASS-3	LTCOL	W. L. SULLIVAN
MAG-11		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. D. SLAY
H&MS-11	LTCOL	R. M. STOWERS
MABS-11	LTCOL	J. W. HASKELL
VMCJ-1	LTCOL	B. R. HALL
VMFA-334	MAJ	J. R. SHERMAN
VMFA-542	LTCOL	H. R. VITALI
VMA(AW)-242	LTCOL	F. C. RILLING, JR.
MAG-12		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. A. TEASY
H&MS-12	LTCOL	C. D. WARFIELD
MABS-12	MAJOR	L. FURSTENBURG
VMA-311	LTCOL	C. O. HIETT
VMA-121	MAJOR	D. A. LERPS
VMA-211	LTCOL	F. R. SALZMAN
VMA-223	MAJOR	L. T. PRESTON, JR.
VMA(AW)-533	LTCOL	P. K. GERMAN
MAG-13		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	N. W. GOURLEY
H&MS-13	MAJOR	E. A. HOUSE
MABS-13	MAJOR	C. V. SMILLIE, JR.
VMFA-115	LTCOL	R. R. HORTON
VMFA-314	LTCOL	F. E. PETERSEN, JR.
VMFA-323	LTCOL	D. J. SLEE
MAG-16		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. C. MACQUARRIE
H&MS-16	LTCOL	C. W. GOBAT
MABS-16	LTCOL	W. CUNNINGHAM
VMO-2	LTCOL	S. J. FULTON
HMH-463	LTCOL	R. W. PEARD, JR.
HML-167	LTCOL	T. F. MILLER
HMM-164	LTCOL	R. T. TRUNDY
MAG-36		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	B. J. MATHESON
H&MS-36	LTCOL	R. THUESEN
MABS-36	LTCOL	D. W. WRIGHT
HML-367	LTCOL	R. L. ROBINSON
HMH-462	LTCOL	R. E. NELSON
HMM-364	LTCOL	M. V. STATZER
HMM-265	LTCOL	R. L. YANKE
HMM-363	MAJOR	J. L. HARRISON
PROV MAG-39		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. SIENKO
H&MS-39	LTCOL	B. R. WILKINSON
VMO-6	MAJOR	H. A. ZANDER
HMM-161	LTCOL	P. W. NIESEN
HMM-262	LTCOL	A. N. ALLEN
1ST LAAM BN	LTCOL	J. W. DRURY

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN	A. H. ADAMS
AWC	BGEN	J. A. FEELEY
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	V. D. OLSON
ACOS, G-1	COL	O. B. JOHNSTON
ACOS, G-2	COL	J. H. SCHERER
ACOS, G-3	COL	R. L. REED
ACOS, G-4	COL	R. W. TELLER
MWHG-3		
COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL	F. E. WILSON
H&HS-3	MAJOR	J. B. LAVELLE
MWFS-3	MAJOR	C. A. BOYD
MWCS-3	MAJOR	D. E. WILLIAMS
VMT-103	COL	R. A. DEASY
MHTG-30		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	J. KOLER, JR.
H&MS-30	MAJOR	W. W. ELDRIDGE JR.
HMHT-301	LTCOL	C. A. BLOCK
HMMT-302	LTCOL	K. D. VANEK
MAG-33		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. L. REED
H&MS-33	LTCOL	J. R. SMITH
MABS-33	MAJOR	R. J. REID
VMCJ-3	LTCOL	B. R. HALL
VMA-214	LTCOL	J. J. WENT
VMFA-232	LTCOL	W. P. HUTCHINS
VMFA-531	LTCOL	R. PEREZ
MWSG-37		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. L. BEACH
H&MS-37	LTCOL	D. L. RICE
WERS-37	MAJOR	A. H. MANHARD
VMGR-352	LTCOL	W. D. HARRIS
MACG-38		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	E. J. BERGEC
H&HS-38	MAJOR	J. E. KEHRLE
MASS-5	MAJOR	D. V. STOWELL
MACS-1	LTCOL	B. C. ROWE
MACS-3		
MACS-7	LTCOL	P. E. SHEA
MAG-56		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	K. W. COSTELLO
H&MS-56	MAJOR	H. F. MUTH
MABS-56	MAJOR	G. A. STEPHENS
HMM-263	LTCOL	R. E. HOFSTETTER
HML-267	LTCOL	R. R. UPSHULTE
HMM-561	MAJOR	A. S. PIPER
HMM-163	LTCOL	L. I. BLANKENSHIP

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMFPAC TACTICAL UNITS

17 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
1ST MARINES		1/1, 2/1, 3/1							
3D MARINES		1/3, 3/3	2/3						
4TH MARINES			1/4, 2/4, 3/4						
5TH MARINES		1/5, 2/5 3/5							
7TH MARINES		1/7, 3/7						2/7	1
9TH MARINES			1/9, 2/9, 3/9						
26TH MARINES		1/26, 3/26						2/26	1
27TH MARINES						1/27	2/27, 3/27		
28TH MARINES							1/28, 2/28 3/28		
MAG-11		VMCJ-1 VMA(AW)-242 VMFA-542 VMFA-334							
MAG-12	VMA-121 VMA-211 VMA-223 VMA-311 VMA(AW)-533								
MAG-13	VMFA-115 VMFA-323 VMFA-314								
MAG-16		VMO-2 HML-167 HMH-463 HMM-164 HMM-165							
MAG-36			HMM-265 HMM-363 HMM-364 HML-367 HMH-462						
PROV MAG-39			VMO-6 HMM-262 HMM-161						
MAG-15					VMFA-122			HMM-362	1
MAG-24						VMFA-212 VMFA-235			
MAG-33							VMCJ-3 VMA-214 VMFA-232 VMFA-531		
MAG-56							HML-267 HMM-263 HMM-163 HMM-561		

NOTE 1: SLF

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND EQUIPMENT

EQUIPMENT	T/E AUTH	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
60mm MORTAR M19	328		120	108		12	48	24	1
81mm MORTAR M29	216		88	64		8	40	16	1
106mm RR M40A1C	216		88	64		8	40	16	1
107mm MORTAR M30	54		18	12		6	6	12	1
105mm HOW TD M101A1	162		66	48		6	30	12	1
155mm HOW TD M114A1	24		6	23					
155mm HOW SP M109	54		30	12			12		
155mm GUN SP M53	24		6	12			6		
8in HOW SP M110	18		4	10			4		
ONTOS M50A1	135		15	5	5		23	10	1
90mm TANK M48A3	159		60	53			36	10	1
120mm TANK M103A2	17						17		
FLAME TANK M67A2	27		12	9			6		
LVTH6	18		12	6					1
LVTP5	347		72	95			90	20	1
LVTE1	20		8	4			8		
HAWK LAUNCHERS	54		18				18		
HAWK MISSILES	252		110						

NOTES: 1 UNITS/EQUIPMENT IN OTHER ASSIGNED TO SLF's.

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

5TH MARINE DIVISION

READINESS SUMMARY

17 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT		STRENGTH		COMBAT READINESS							
				CURRENT						EXPECTED	
		USMC	USN	RATING	REASON	P	S	R	T	RATING	DATE
5TH MARINE DIVISION		14,185	743	C4	P	4	3	3	4	C3	1JAN69
HQS BN (-)(REIN)		1,331	39	C3	R	2	1	3	2	C2	1JAN69
27TH MARINES (-)		1,892	71	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
HQS CO		241	7	C4	T	1	4	4	4	C3	1JAN69
2nd BN		825	32	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
3rd BN		826	32	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
28TH MARINES		3,451	136	C3	P	3	2	2	2	C2	1JAN69
HQS CO		265	5	C1		1	1	1	1		
1st BN		1,067	46	C3	P	3	2	2	3	C2	1FEB69
2nd BN		1,084	42	C4	R	2	1	4	2	C3	1JAN69
3rd BN		1,035	43	C3	P	3	2	2	1	C1	31JAN69
13TH MARINES (-)		1,579	42	C4	X	4	3	3	4	C3	28FEB69
HQS BTRY		292	6	C2	P	2	2	2	2	C1	31JAN69
2nd BN (-)		361	9	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
3rd BN		546	16	C4	X	4	1	1	4	C3	28FEB69
4th BN (-)		380	11	C3	T	2	1	3	3	C2	1MAR69
5TH ANTI-TANK BN (-)		245	8	C4	T	2	1	2	4	C3	5APR69
5TH ENGINEER BN (-)		544	11	C2	P	2	1	1	2	C1	1MAY69
5TH MEDICAL BN (-)		104	157	C4	P	4	2	3	4	C3	1APR69
5TH MOTOR TRANS BN (-)		60	5	C3	T	2	1	2	3	C2	1FEB69
5TH RECON BN (-)		281	15	C3	T	2	3	3	3	C2	1MAR69
5TH SHORE PARTY BN (-)		285	25	C4	P	4	2	2	4	C3	1APR69
5TH SERVICE BN (-)		703	16	C3	P	3	2	2	2	C2	1MAY69
REINFORCING UNITS											
5TH TANK BN (-)		597	13	C4	X	4	3	4	4	C3	1APR69
5TH AMTRAC BN (-)		686	15	C2	T	1	1	2	2	C1	1MAY69
13TH ENGINEER BN		841	15	C4	X	4	2	2	4	C3	1JAN69
13TH MOTOR TRANS BN		446	7	C3	T	1	1	1	3	C2	1FEB69
5TH MILITARY POLICE BN		448	6	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C2	15APR69
5TH FORCE RECON CO		128	2	C3	T	2	2	2	3	C2	1MAR69
9TH SEP BULK FUEL CO		302		C4	T	3	1	1	4	C3	31JAN69
5TH BRIDGE CO		156	2	C4	X	3	2	2	4	C3	31JAN69
1ST CIV AFF GRP		68	7	C4	P	4	1	1	4	C3	1FEB69
5TH HOSPITAL CO		31	48	C4	P	4	1	1	4	C3	1MAR69
15TH DENTAL CO (-)		3	42	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C2	1JAN69
17TH DENTAL CO		4	61	C2	P	2	1	1	2	C1	1JAN69

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Strength Category Information extracted from MCCC Report of 11DEC68.

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

17 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,149	73,955	79,104	
DANANG	(2,880)	(41,012)	(43,892)	#
CHU LAI	(466)	(4,972)	(5,438)	
PHU BAI	(301)	(2,803)	(3,104)	
DONG HA	(1,385)	(23,329)	(24,714)	
AFLOAT	(117)	(1,839)	(1,956)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,318	74,254	79,572	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS 31 OCTOBER			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	459	2,956	3,415	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1289 EVENTS OF 13,14 & 15 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

17 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

HQS 3D MAR DIV

USMC	24,714
USN	1,240*
USA	7,259

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF BRAVO)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

USMC	3,104
USN	71*
USA	23,954

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF
HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

USMC	43,892
USN	1,858*
USA	2,149
ROKMC	6,773

(TF YANKEE)
5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/1
- 2/1
- 3/1

CTG 76.4
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A")(OPN VALIANT HUNT)

2d ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

7TH MARINES
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES
- 1/26
- 3/26

HQ 1st MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

USMC	5,438
USN	116*
USA	23,584

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF
- 1/6 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN*
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	79,572	3,415
III MAF	79,104	3,415 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	78,790
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,526
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	286,710

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A)@	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,625	256

MAG-15
- VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,392	23

MOVEMENTS

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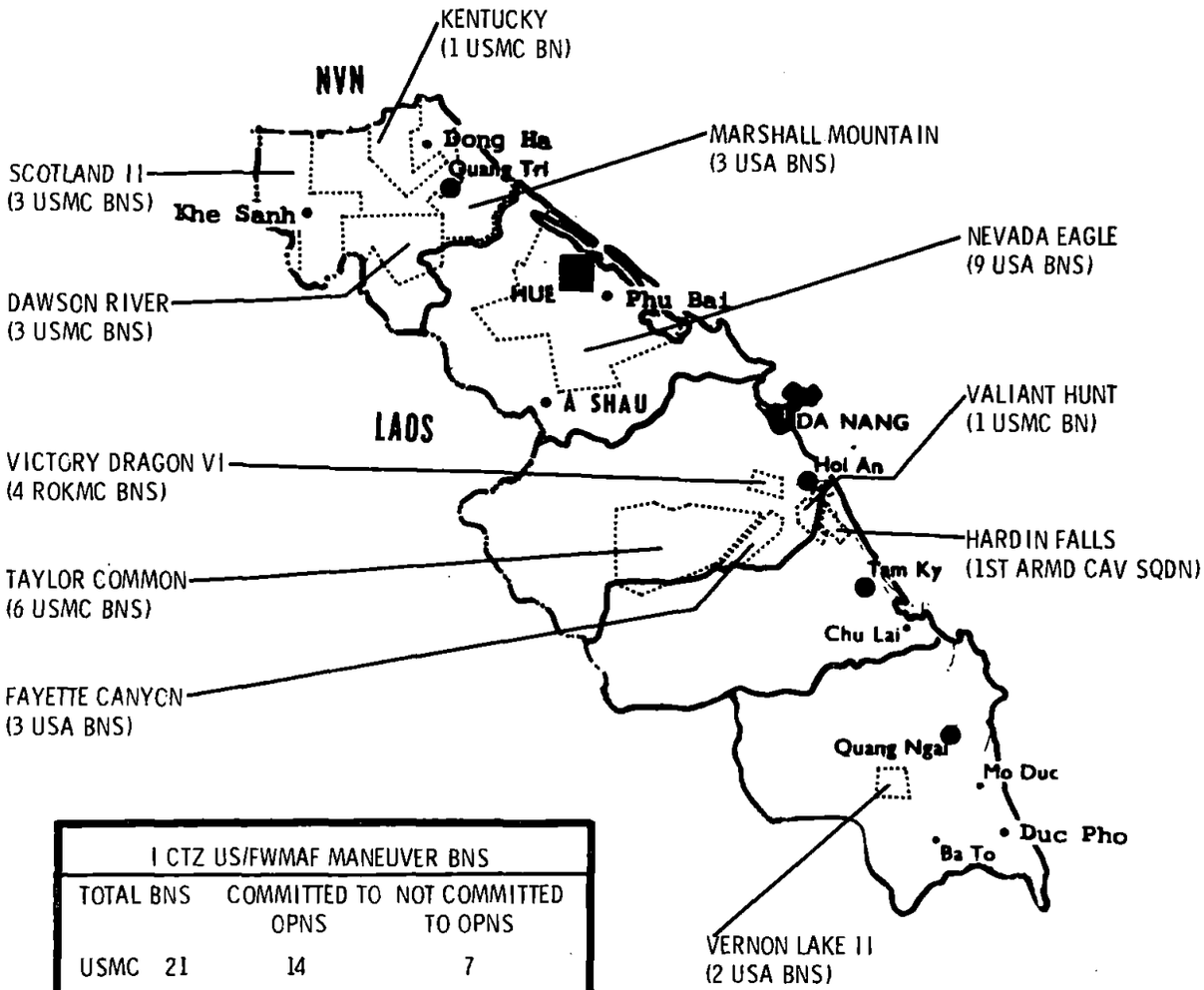
* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A" and "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	14	7
USA	23	17	6
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	35	13

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 6 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

17 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
10,018	38,071	28,583	83/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 16 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,024	1,303	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
60,972	3,333	11,969

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 44 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 56 — Admitted to hospital → 56
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 47 — Evacuated from SVN → 47
    - 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

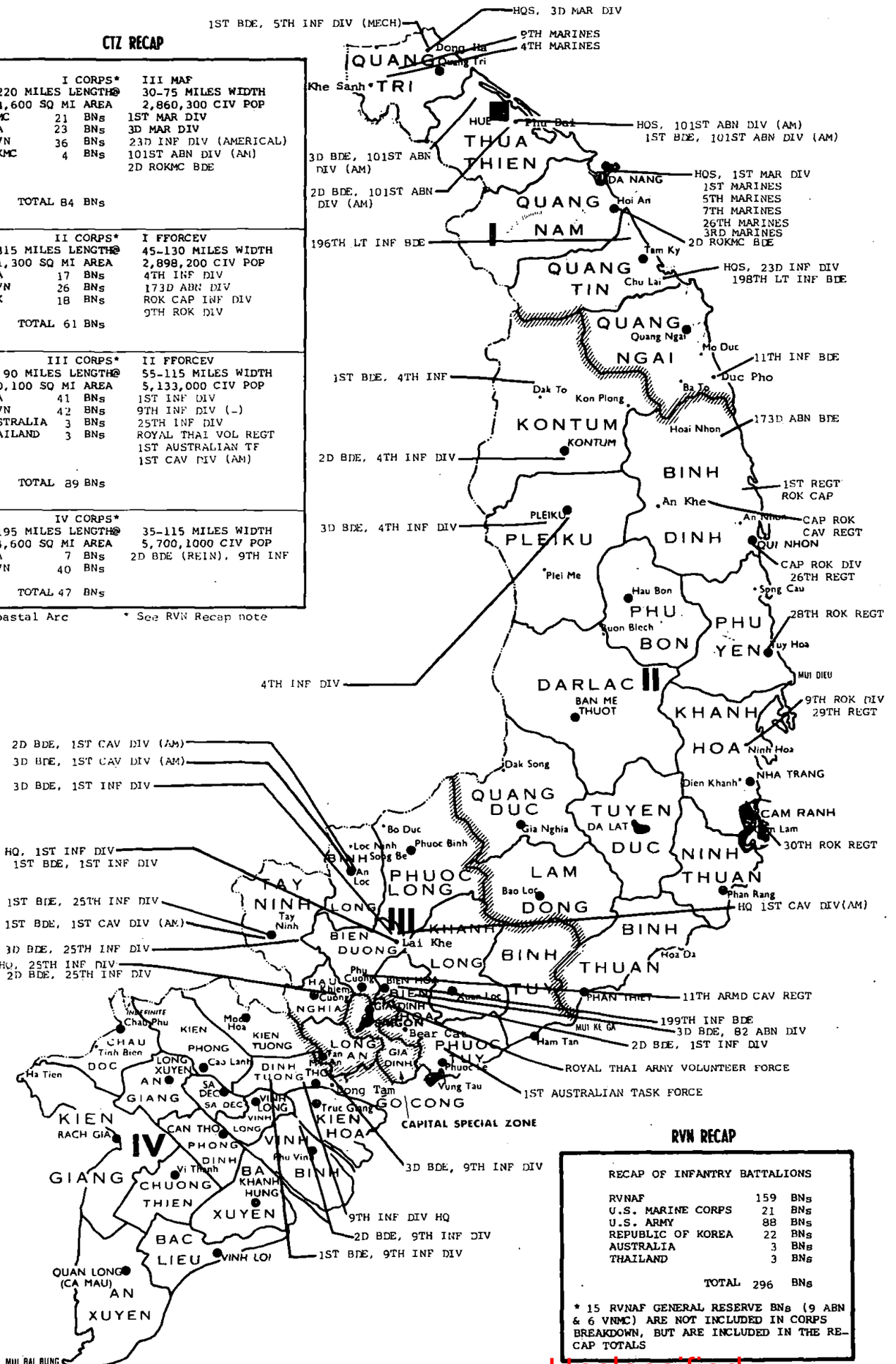
17 DECEMBER 1968

DISPOSITION OF MAJOR US & FWMAF UNITS IN RVN

CTZ RECAP

	I CORPS*	III MAF
	220 MILES LENGTH@	30-75 MILES WIDTH
	14,600 SQ MI AREA	2,860,300 CIV POP
USMC	21 BNs	1ST MAR DIV
USA	23 BNs	3D MAR DIV
ARVN	36 BNs	23D INF DIV (AMERICAL)
ROKMC	4 BNs	101ST ABN DIV (AM)
		2D ROKMC BDE
	TOTAL 84 BNs	
	II CORPS*	I FFORCEV
	315 MILES LENGTH@	45-130 MILES WIDTH
	31,300 SQ MI AREA	2,898,200 CIV POP
USA	17 BNs	4TH INF DIV
ARVN	26 BNs	173D ABN DIV
ROK	18 BNs	ROK CAP INF DIV
		9TH ROK DIV
	TOTAL 61 BNs	
	III CORPS*	II FFORCEV
	90 MILES LENGTH@	55-115 MILES WIDTH
	10,100 SQ MI AREA	5,133,000 CIV POP
USA	41 BNs	1ST INF DIV
ARVN	42 BNs	9TH INF DIV (-)
AUSTRALIA	3 BNs	25TH INF DIV
THAILAND	3 BNs	ROYAL THAI VOL REGT
		1ST AUSTRALIAN TF
		1ST CAV DIV (AM)
	TOTAL 89 BNs	
	IV CORPS*	
	195 MILES LENGTH@	35-115 MILES WIDTH
	14,600 SQ MI AREA	5,700,1000 CIV POP
USA	7 BNs	2D BDE (REIN), 9TH INF
ARVN	40 BNs	
	TOTAL 47 BNs	

@ Coastal Arc * See RVN Recap note



RVN RECAP

RECAP OF INFANTRY BATTALIONS

RVNAF	159	BNs
U.S. MARINE CORPS	21	BNs
U.S. ARMY	88	BNs
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	22	BNs
AUSTRALIA	3	BNs
THAILAND	3	BNs
TOTAL	296	BNs

* 15 RVNAF GENERAL RESERVE BNs (9 ABN & 6 VNMC) ARE NOT INCLUDED IN CORPS BREAKDOWN, BUT ARE INCLUDED IN THE RECAP TOTALS

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

FLEET MARINE FORCE ATLANTIC

READINESS SUMMARY

17 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	STRENGTH USMC	STRENGTH USN	COMBAT READINESS CURRENT RATING	CURRENT REASON	P	S	R	T	EXPECTED RATING	EXPECTED DATE
2D MARINE DIVISION			C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31MAR69
HEADQUARTERS BN	1,685	50	C2	T	2	1	2	2	C3	31MAR69
2D MARINES			C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	17APR69
1st Bn	913	36	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C1	17MAY69
2nd Bn	438	18	C4	P	4	1	2	4	C3	1FEB69
3rd Bn	853	34	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C1	
6TH MARINES			C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	2MAR69
1st Bn	778	33	C2	P	4	1	1	2	C3	31MAR69
2nd Bn	840	28	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C3	2APR69
3rd Bn	764	27	C4	P	4	1	1	3	C3	31DEC68
8TH MARINES			C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	30JUN69
1st Bn	983	30	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C2	12FEB69
2nd Bn	922	25	C2	P	2	1	1	2	C1	30JUN69
3rd Bn	567	21	C4	P	4	1	2	3	C3	31MAR69
10TH MARINES			C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31MAR69
1st Bn	493	9	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31MAR69
2nd Bn	508	13	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31MAR69
3rd Bn	498	10	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31MAR69
4th Bn	368	9	C4	P	4	1	1	3	C3	31MAR69
2D SERVICE BN	1,011	29	C3	P	3	3	3	2	C2	31MAR69
2D AT BN	361	5	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31MAR69
2D MT BN	270	7	C4	P	4	2	2	3	C3	17APR69
2D RECON BN	370	15	C3	P	3	3	3	3	C2	31MAR69
2D ENGR BN	680	10	C3	R	3	2	3	2	C2	31MAR69
2D SP BN	397	13	C4	P	4	3	4	3	C3	31MAR69
2D MEDICAL BN	105	152	C4	N	4	3	3	4		
2D DENTAL CO		67	C1		1	1	1	1	C2	31MAR69
FORCE TROOPS FMFLANT										
2D FSR	2,185	28	C4	P	4	2	2	2	C2	1APR69
2D FAG	168	4	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C1	15JAN69
2D 155 GUN BTRY	105		C4	P	4	1	1	4	C1	15JAN69
2D BTN HOW BTRY	138		C4	P	4	1	2	4	C1	15JAN69
2D TANK BN	428	5	C4	P	4	3	3	2	C3	1JAN69
2D AMTRAC BN	694	13	C4	P	4	4	4	3	C3	1JAN69
2D FORCE RECON CO	147	3	C3	T	2	1	1	3	C2	1FEB69
2D RADIO BN	426	4	C2	P	2	1	2	2	C1	1MAY69
2D ANGLICO	212	13	C4	P	4	3	3	2	C3	31DEC68
2D BRIDGE CO	118	2	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C1	1JUN69
2D TOPO CO	104	1	C1		1	1	1	1		
2D HOSPITAL CO	22	18	C4	N	4	1	1	4	C3	31DEC68
4TH DENTAL CO	5	34	C4	P	4	1	1	4	C3	29MAY69
8TH COMM BN	500	7	C4	P	4	1	3	2	C2	1MAR69
8TH MT BN	250	4	C4	P	4	1	2	2	C3	6JAN69
8TH ENGR BN	869	11	C2	P	2	2	2	1	C1	1JUN69
2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING			C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1MAR69
3D LAAM BN	590	9	C4	P	4	1	2	4	C3	1FEB69
MWSG-27			C4	T	3	3	4	4	C3	15MAR69
VMGR-252	404	2	C4	T	2	2	4	4	C3	1MAR69
MAG-14			C4	T	3	3	4	4	C3	1JAN69
VMA(AW)-224	251	2	C4	T	4	3	4	4	C3	20FEB69
VMA(AW)-225	347	2	C3	R	3	1	3	2	C2	
VMA(AW)-332	249	2	C4	T	4	4	4	4	C3	1JAN69
VMFA-513	264	2	C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1MAR69
VMCJ-2	351	2	C4	P	4	2	4	4	C3	1FEB69
MAG-26			C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1APR69
VMO-1	291		C4	P	4	1	3	4	C3	25DEC68
HMH-361	179		C4	P	4	2	3	4	C3	4JAN69
HMM-162	225		C4	T	4	1	4	4	C3	1MAR69
HMM-261	250	3	C4	P	4	2	3	4	C3	1APR69
HMM-264	210	1	C4	P	4	3	3	4	C3	15JAN69
HMM-365	204		C4	P	4	2	4	4	C3	30DEC68
HMH-461	236		C4	R	3	1	4	4	C3	15FEB69
MAG-31			C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1FEB69
VMFA-333	283	1	C4	R	4	1	4	4	C3	30MAY69
VMA-331	238	1	C4	T	4	3	3	4	C3	1JAN69
VMF(AW)-451	291	1	C4	P	4	3	4	4	C3	1JAN69
MAG-32			C4	T	2	3	3	4	C3	31DEC68
VMFA-251	291	1	C4	P	4	1	4	4	C3	15JAN69
VMFA-312	282	1	C4	P	4	2	4	4	C3	30APR69
VMA-324	285	1	C4	P	4	2	3	4	C3	31MAY69

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X Commanders Subjective Judgement-Elaborated by remarks
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S Supplies/Equipment on Hand
R Equipment Readiness
T Training Readiness
N Resource Allocation by Logistic Support Service does not permit a higher than C-Rating

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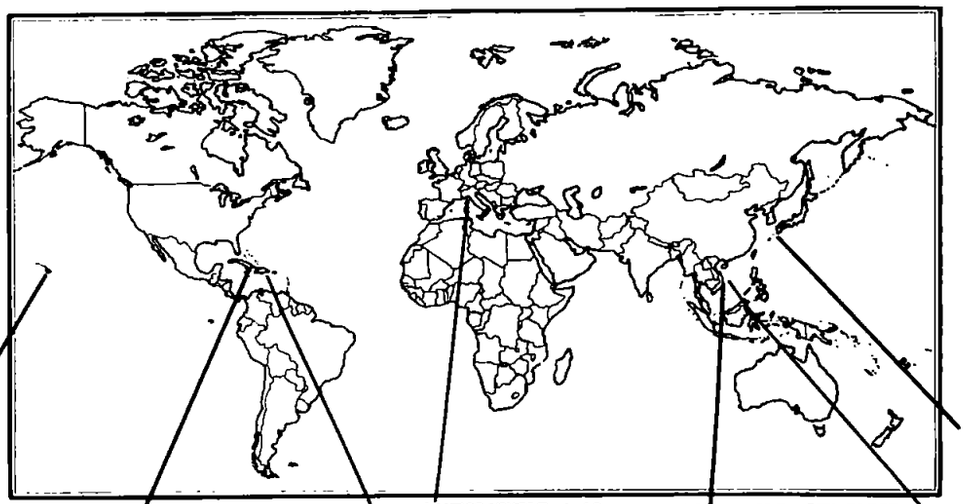
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

16 DECEMBER 1968



1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
~~AT LOVO SANTO,~~
~~CORSICA FOR PHIBLEX~~
~~7-69~~
AT, Livorno Italy

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET
SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN
(OPN VALIANT HUNT)
SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN	21	(5)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	(2)	
OKINAWA/JAPAN		(1)								(1)
AFLOAT						(1)				
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII	(1)	(2)								
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
AFLOAT										
ATLANTIC	8	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST	(6)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3)	(2)		(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)					(1)				
EUROPE	1									
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

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QUANG TRI

HQS 3D MAR DIV

USMC	25,725
USN	1,240*
USA	7,230

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF BRAVO)
- 3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
  - 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
  - 1ST AMTRAC BN

(TF HOTEL)
- 4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
  - 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
  - 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
  - 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

USMC	3,113
USN	68*
USA	24,098

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF
HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

USMC	42,894
USN	1,902*
USA	2,148
ROKMC	6,773

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/1
- 3/1
- 1/1

(TF YANKEE)
- 5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
  - 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
  - 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
  - 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
  - 1/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
  - 3/3 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

CTG 76.4
- BLT 2/26 (SLF "A")(OPN VALIANT HUNT)

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

7TH MARINES
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES
- 1/26
- 3/26

HQ 1st MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

USMC	5,451
USN	106*
USA	23,661

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)
- 1/46 INF (OPN FAYETTE CANYON)

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF
- 1/6 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN*
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	79,607	3,453
III MAF	79,139	3,453 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	78,825
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,564
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	286,783

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 (OPN VALIANT HUNT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A)@	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,625	256

MAG-15
- VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,392	23

MOVEMENTS

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* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A" and "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 162400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,225 157 USA	* 3,090
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	* 3,797
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	NONE	9 USA	1
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	2	19	33
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,529 USA	* 2,889
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5, 3/5, 1/3, 3/3 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	18	* 75	* 123
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: SLF-A (BLT 2/26)	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	NONE	NONE
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	32
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	NONE	NONE	19
VERNON LAKE II * (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	6 USA	54 USA	114
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE	13 KM SW	2 ROKMC	11 ROKMC	124

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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III MAF LARGE UNIT OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS

16 DECEMBER 1968

OPERATION NAME	DATES	UNITS#	CASUALTIES						
			USMC		OTHER		VC/NVA		
			KIA	WIA	KIA	WIA	KIA	PW	WPNS
ALLEN BROOK	4MAY-23AUG68	2 BN	172	1124			1017	2	154
CONCORDIA SQUARE	9-17MAY68	2 USA BNs			28	116	350	14	182
GOLDEN VALLEY	10-12MAY68	1 USA BN			12	103	345	0	0
JEB STUART III	17MAY- 3NOV68	9 USA, 1 CAV SQ			212	1512	2016	251	1204
★ NEVADA EAGLE	17MAY-	9 USA BN							
MAMELUKE THRUST	19MAY- 23OCT68	4 BNs	269	1730	1	9	2728	47	462
BRILLIANT DRAGON V	26MAY-1JUN68	2D ROKMC BDE				6	4		
DRAGON PALACE	2JUN-28JUN68	2D ROKMC BDE	1	13	21	82	165	3	33
@ NORFOLK VICTORY II	19JUN	1 USA BN							
VANCE CANYON	22JUN-2JUL68	1 USA BN			5	14	6		55
CHATTAHOOCHEE SWAMP	27-29JUN68	1 USA BN			2	18	25	0	17
DRAGON PALACE II	4-15JUL68	2D ROKMC BDE	1		8	2	30	2	10
POCAHONTAS FOREST	6JUL-4AUG68	3 USA BN			4	58	96		93
DRAGON PALACE III	15-18JUL68	2D ROKMC BDE		5	5	9	56	1	9
SOMERSET PLAIN	4-19AUG68	3 USA BN			13	95	80	0	35
DODGE VALLEY	12AUG-16AUG68	1 USMC BN		1			3		
VICTORY DRAGON I	12AUG-11SEP68	2 BNs ROKMC		5	14	10	110	15	28
SUSSEX BAY	29AUG-9SEP68	2 USMC BN	5	26	1		67	0	2
CHAMPAIGN GROVE	4SEP-24SEP68	3 USA BN			43	172	378	2	73
COMMANCHE FALLS	11SEP- 3NOV68	3 USA BN			20	56	98	8	159
VICTORY DRAGON II	11SEP- 10CT68	4 BNs ROKMC			5	24	131	5	46
OWEN MESA	26SEP- 14OCT68	1 USMC BN		13			4		
TALLADEGA CANYON	30SEP- 5OCT68	1 BN 2 ARVN BNs		16			0	0	5
VICTORY DRAGON III	2OCT- 31OCT68	4 BNs ROKMC			10	35	235	2	80
DUKES GLADE	2-9OCT68	1 USA BN			1	3	21		18
MEUI PEAK	6-19OCT68	2 BN 2 ARVN BNs	28	143			202	1	27
LOGAN FIELD	7OCT-12OCT68	1 USA BN			13	66	14		4
DALE COMMON	18-19OCT68	1 USA & 4 ARVN				3	23		3
HENDERSON HILL	23OCT-6DEC68	3 BNs	35	273		2	700	17	47
VERNON LAKE I	25OCT-2NOV68	2 USA BNs			1	7	96		24
GARRARD BAY	25OCT-16NOV68	1 USMC BN	7	50			19		6
SABINE DRAW	28OCT-1NOV68	1 USMC & 1 ARVN		2			9	0	0
VICTORY DRAGON V	1NOV-30NOV68	4 BNs ROKMC	2	8	13	20	224	8	85
★ VERNON LAKE II	2NOV-	2 USA BNs							
COMMANCHE FALLS III	2NOV-7NOV68	3 USA BNs			22	57	107	8	168
NICOLLET BAY	7NOV68-14NOV68	1 USMC BN	2	7			3	0	0
MEADE RIVER	20NOV-9DEC68	5 USMC BNs	107	522	1		841	172	179
★ DAWSON RIVER	28NOV-	3 USMC BNs							
★ VICTORY DRAGON VI	1DEC68-	4 ROKMC BNs							
★ HARDIN FALLS	2DEC68-	1 USA CAV SQDN							
★ TAYLOR COMMON	7DEC-	3 USMC BNs							
★ MARSHALL MOUNTAIN	10DEC-	3 USA BNs							
★ FAYETTE CANYON	15DEC-	3 USA BNs							

USMC UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED
★ OPERATION CURRENTLY IN PROGRESS (Casualties shown on Page 19-2).
@ OPERATION RENAMED CHATTAHOOCHEE SWAMP

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LARGE UNIT OPERATIONS SINCE 8 MARCH 1965

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USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

16 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,996	38,201	28,541	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 13 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,023	1,299	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
60,953	3,333	11,940

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 44 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 56 — Admitted to hospital → 56
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 47 — Evacuated from SVN → 47
    - 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA

16 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 79.4
CTG: COL J. F. MC MAHON

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
SLF HQS DET				
BLT 2/26				
(LTCOL W. F. SPARKS)				
2ND BN, 26TH MARINES	33	1022	5	60
MORT BTRY, 1/12	3	64		2
BTRY B, 1/13	10	99		2
PLAT, CO A, 5TH AT BN	1	21		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH AMTRAC BN	1	37		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH TANK BN	1	23		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH RECON BN	1	21		1
PLAT, CO C, 3D ENGR BN	1	38		1
PLAT, CO C, 3D MT BN	1	31		
PLAT, H&S CO, 3D SP BN	1	45		1
PLAT, CO D, 5TH MED BN		5	3	20
DET, HQBN, 3D MAR DIV	1	8		
DET, HQCO, 26TH MARINES		6		
DET, COMM SPT CO, 9TH MAB				
DET, 15TH DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-362	53	202	1	
LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP				
TOTALS	107	1,627	10	88

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

58 M60 MG
28 M20 3.5 RL
16 M2 MG
12 M10 60MM MORT
8 M20 81MM MORT
8 M40 106MM RR
6 M30 107MM MORT
6 M101A1 105MM HOW
5 M48 90MM TANK
5 M50 ONTOS
2 M2 FLAME THROWER

36 M35 2½T CARGO TRK
10 LVTP-5
1 LVTP-6
9 M422 ¼T MUTE
8 M274 ½T MULE
5 M37 3/4T CARGO TRK
2 M49 TANK TRK
2 M54 CARGO TRK
1 M38 ½T UTIL TRK
1 M170 AMBULANCE

AIRCRAFT

24/UH-34D

LOCATION

BLT 2/26
ASHORE RVN
(OPN VALIANT HUNT)

SEE MAP FOLLOWING PAGE

SHIPPING

USS OKINAWA (LPH-3)
USS FORT MARION (LSD-22)
USS DULUTH (LPD-7)
USS WINDHAM CTY (LST-1170)

SUPPLIES

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

SLF BRAVO

11 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 79.5
CTG: COL R. R. WILSON

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
SLF HQS DET				
BLT 2/7	61	1484	7	106
(LTCOL N. A. NELSON)				
2D BN, 7TH MARINES				
MORT BTRY 3/11				
BTRY "H", 3/11				
PLAT, CO B, 1ST TANK BN				
PLAT, CO A, 1ST AT BN				
PLAT, CO C, 1ST SP BN				
PLAT, CO B, 3D AMTRAC BN				
PLAT, CO C, 1ST ENGR BN				
PLAT, 1ST MT BN				
LSU, FLC, III MAF				
TOTALS	61	1,484	7	106

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

54 M60 MG
24 M24 3.5 RL
12 M10 60 MM MORT
8 M29 81 MM MORT
8 M40 106 MM RR
6 M30 107 MM MORT
6 M101A1 105 MM HOW
8 M2 FLAME THROWER
5 M48 90 MM TANK
5 M50 ONTOS

23 M35 2½T CARGO TRK
7 M37 3/4T CARGO TRK
7 M38 ½T UTIL TRK
2 M170 AMBULANCE
11 LVTP5
3 CRANES
3 TD15 TRACTORS
1 M54 5T TRK
2 M543 5T WRECKERS
2 5T DUMPTRUCK

AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

BLT 2/7
(ASHORE RVN)
(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
HMM-165
(ASHORE RVN OPCON MAG-16)

SEE MAP FOLLOWING PAGE

SHIPPING

USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10)
USS OGDEN (LPD-5)
USS MONTICELLO (LSD-35)
USS SEMINOLE (LKA-104)

SUPPLIES

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

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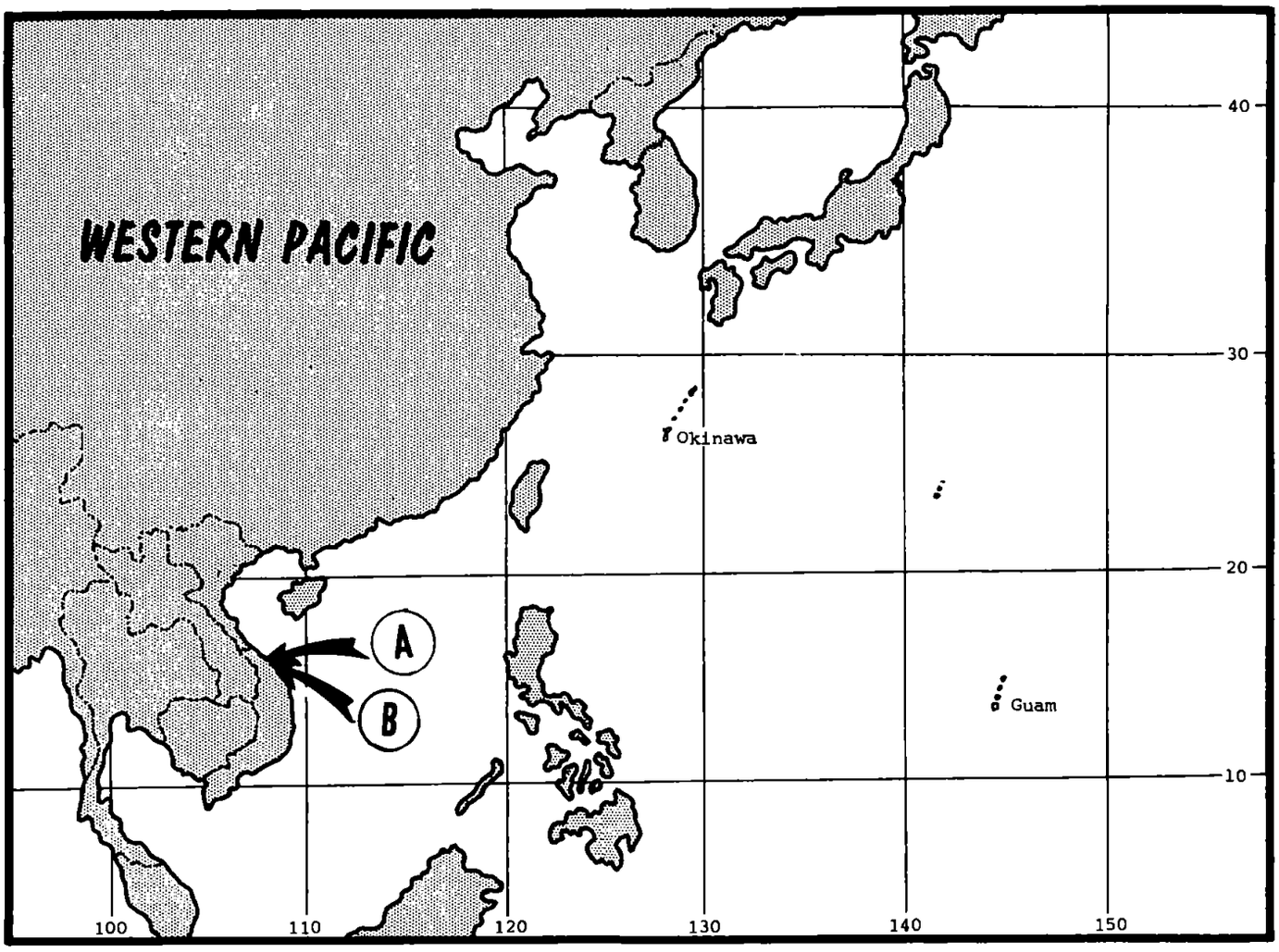
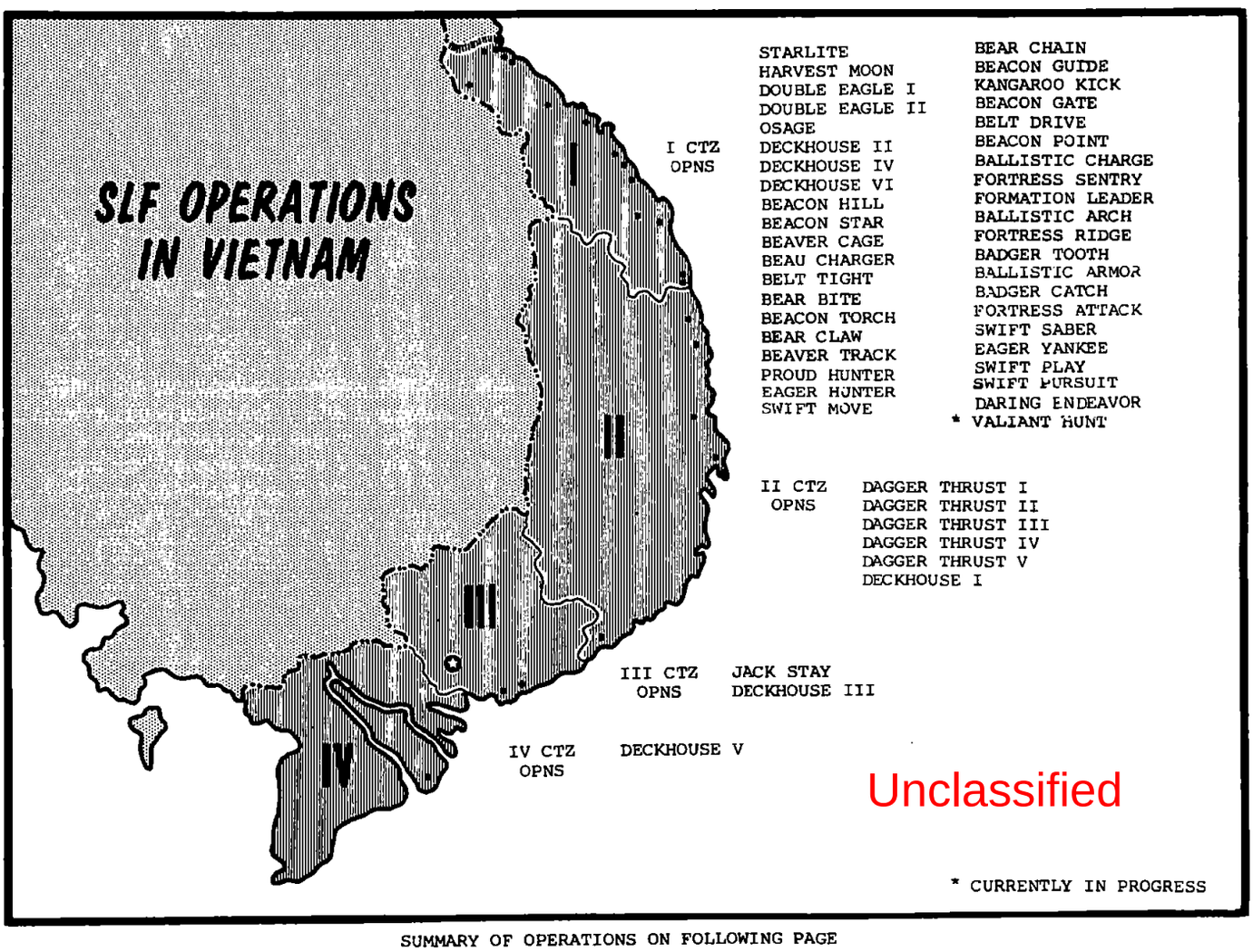
SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, 7TH FLEET

16 DECEMBER 1968





SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS ON FOLLOWING PAGE

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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, 7TH FLEET

SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS IN VIETNAM

16 DECEMBER 1968

OPERATION NAME	DATES	LOCATION	SLF UNITS	REMARKS	CASUALTIES				
					USMC		VC/NVA		
					KIA	WIA	KIA	PW	WPN
EAGER HUNTER	25OCT68	QUANG NAM PROV DANANG AREA	BLT 2/26 HMM-363	AMPHIBIOUS S&C SLF ONLY	0	0	0	0	0
DARING ENDEAVOR	10-17NOV68	QUANG NAM PROV HOI AN AREA	BLT 2/7 HMM-165	AMPHIBIOUS S&C SLF ONLY	1	35	33	30	0
SWIFT MOVE (MEADE RIVER)	20NOV-9DEC68	QUANG NAM PROV HOI AN AREA	BLT 2/7 HMM-165	HELO ASSAULT IN CONJUNCTION W/MULTI BN CORDON & S&C OP	107	522	841	172	179 ★
VALIANT HUNT	15DEC-	QUANG NAM PROV HOI AN AREA	BLT 2/26 HMM-362	AMPHIBIOUS S&C W/GVN FORCES					

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★ SLF CASUALTIES NOT DIFFERENTIATED, TOTALS SHOWN ARE FOR ALL UNITS INVOLVED AND ARE IDENTICAL TO THOSE INDICATED ON TAB-19 FOR THE NAMED MULTI-BN OPERATION.

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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN *

RVN ARMED FORCES (RVNAF)

ARMY (ARVN)	384,794
NAVY (VNN)	17,489
AIR FORCE (VNAF)	18,090
MARINE CORPS (VNMC)	9,948
REGIONAL FORCES (RF)	217,923
POPULAR FORCES (PF)	173,662
TOTAL RVNAF	821,906

UNITED STATES FORCES

ARMY	357,743
NAVY	36,584
AIR FORCE	59,655
MARINE CORPS	79,399
COAST GUARD	441
TOTAL U.S.	533,822

FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES (FWMAF)

REPUBLIC OF KOREA	49,920
AUSTRALIA	7,719
PHILIPPINES	1,572
THAILAND	5,993
NEW ZEALAND	561
REPUBLIC OF CHINA	29
SPAIN	12
TOTAL FWMAF	65,806

TOTAL FORCES IN RVN 1,421,534

*SOURCE: RVNAF, MACV MONTHLY GVN FORCES STRENGTH DATA REPORT.
ALL OTHER, MACV WEEKLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF 12DEC68.

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GVN OB

CONFIRMED NVA/VC

Corps	Div Hq	Regt Hq	Inf Bn	Combat Strength	Guerrilla Strength	Admin Strength	Total Strength
I	4	24	79	49,675	25,659	7,700	83,034
II	2	10	41	24,950	15,939	5,375	46,264
III	3	18	59	33,159	8,732	14,650	56,541
IV	-	3	29	17,675	27,641	7,500	52,816
Total	9	55	208	125,459	77,971	35,225	238,655

NVA BREAKDOWN BY CORPS

I	- 4 Div Hq, 20 Regt Hq, 63 Inf Bns	39,800
II	- 2 Div Hq, 10 Regt Hq, 29 Inf Bns	17,955
III	- 1 Div Hq, 10 Regt Hq, 26 Inf Bns	14,454
IV	- There are no known NVA units in IV Corps	
	Total NVA Personnel in RVN	72,209
POSSIBLE/PROBABLE		12,800
		251,455

Unclassified

I CORPS OB

CONFIRMED NVA/VC

Province	Div Hq	Regt Hq	Inf Bn	Spt Bn	Sep Co	Sep Plat	Total Strength
Quang Tri	2	10	31	7	4	-	21,075
Thua Thien	-	5	22	-	11	-	9,885
Quang Nam	-	3	11	4	5	-	6,395
Quang Tin	-	2	8	5	4	-	5,010
Quang Ngai	2	4	15	-	13	-	7,310
Total	4	24	87	16	37	-	49,675

GUERRILLAS	25,659
ADMIN SERVICES	7,700
Total	83,034

NVA PERSONNEL IN I CTZ

Quang Tri - 2 Div Hq, 8 Inf Regt, 31 Inf Bns	20,785
Thua Thien - 5 Inf Regt, 16 Inf Bns	7,895
Quang Nam - 2 Inf Regt, 8 Inf Bns	5,150
Quang Tin - 1 Inf Regt, 1 Inf Bn	2,100
Quang Ngai - 2 Div Hq, 4 Inf Regt, 7 Inf Bns	3,870
Total	39,800
POSSIBLE/PROBABLE	12,400
	95,434

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LANDING FORCE SIXTH FLEET, 4-68

16 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 62.1
CTG: LTCOL W. C. DRUMRIGHT

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 1/2				
(LTCOL W. C. DRUMRIGHT)				
1ST BN, 2D MARINES	29	884	3	33
DET, HQ CO, 2D MARINES		8		
BTRY "G", 3/10	9	130		
DET, HQ BTRY, 3/10	1	11		1
PLT, "C" CO, 2D MT BN		19		
PLT, "C" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	24		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D TK BN	1	21		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D AT BN	1	21		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D ENGR BN		49		
PLT, "D" CO, 2D MED BN		10	1	9
PLT, "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	49		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		1
DET, HQBN, 2DMARDIV		20		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO				4
DET, 2D SERV BN		38		
DET, 2D FSR		40		
TOTALS	44	1348	4	48

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

31	7.62 MG
10	LVTP-5
6	105MM HOW
5	90MM GUN TANK
5	ONTOS
8	81MM MORTARS
8	FLAME THROWERS
8	106MM RR
21	MULES
32	MITES
29	2½ TON TRUCKS
8	JEEPS
3	5 TON CARGO TRUCKS
9	3/4 TON UTIL TRUCKS
4	AMBULANCES
4	CRANES

AIRCRAFT

NO AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

AT LIVORNO, ITALY

SHIPPING

USS LASALLE (LPD-3)
USS MULIPHEN (LKA-61)
USS ASHLAND (LSD-1)
USS FREMONT (LPA-44)
USS GRANT COUNTY (LST 1174)

LANDING FORCE, CARIBBEAN 3-68

12 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 45.9
CTG: LTCOL C. M. MOSHER

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 2/6				
(LTCOL C. M. MOSHER)				
2D BN, 6TH MARINES	29	853	3	23
DET HQ CO, 6TH MARINES		8		
BTRY "E", 2/10	9	124		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D AT BN	1	24		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D ENGR BN	1	48		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		
PLAT "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	51		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D TANK BN	1	21		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	42		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D MT BN	1	16		
DET "B" CO, 2D MED BN		10		10
DET, HQ BN, 2D MARDIV		16		
DET, 2D FSR		24		
DET, SERV BN	1	36		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-261	39	229	1	1
(LTCOL V. J. GUINEE)				
(DET, VMO-1)				
TOTALS	86	1,538	5	35

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

6	105MM HOW TD
5	M48 90MM GUN TANK
5	ONTOS
31	7.62 MG
10	LVTP-5
8	81MM MORTAR
8	FLAME THROWER
6	106MM RR
24	3.5MM RL
12	M10 60MM MORTAR

AIRCRAFT

16/CH-46D
2/UH-1E

LOCATION

AT VIEQUES

SHIPPING

USS BOXER (LPH-4)
USS CAPRICORNUS (LKA-57)
USS PLYMOUTH ROCK (LSD-29)
USS YORK CTY (LST-1175)
USS WAHKIAKUM CTY (LST-1162)

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 152400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,225 157 USA	3,080
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 2/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,793
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	NONE	9 USA	1
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	2	19	32
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,524 USA	2,881
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 1/3 2/5, 3/5, 3/3 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	10	* 66	* 120
VALIANT HUNT (15DEC68)	CTG 76.4: BLT 2/26	4 KM SSE OF HOI AN	NONE	NONE	NONE
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	20
FAYETTE CANYON (15DEC68)	196TH LT INF BDE WITH 3 USA BNS	11 KM SSE OF AN HOA	NONE	NONE	19
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	6 USA	54 USA	114
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE	13 KM SW	2 ROKMC	10 ROKMC	119

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED
# - FINAL CUMULATIVE CASUALTIES

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

14 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,193	73,946	79,139	
DANANG	(2,862)	(40,032)	(42,894)	#
CHU LAI	(472)	(4,979)	(5,451)	
PHU BAI	(305)	(2,808)	(3,113)	
DONG HA	(1,437)	(24,288)	(25,725)	
AFLOAT	(117)	(1,839)	(1,956)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,362	74,245	79,607	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS				
31 OCTOBER 1968			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	462	2,991	3,453	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1288 EVENTS OF 11 & 12 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

14 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 25,725
USN 1,240*
USA 7,230

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF BRAVO)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 3/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 1ST AMTRAC BN

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW
PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,113
USN 68*
USA 24,098

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW
MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

USMC 42,894
USN 1,902*
USA 2,148
ROKMC 6,773

HQS, III MAF
HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/1
- 3/1
- 1/1

7TH MARINES
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

(TF YANKEE)
5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

HQ 1st MAW
MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,451
USN 106*
USA 23,661

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF
- 1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF
- 1/6 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW
MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	79,607	3,453
III MAF	79,139	3,453 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVAIDGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	78,825
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,564
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	286,783

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 (AFLOAT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A)@	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,625	256

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,392	23

MOVEMENTS

* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A" and "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

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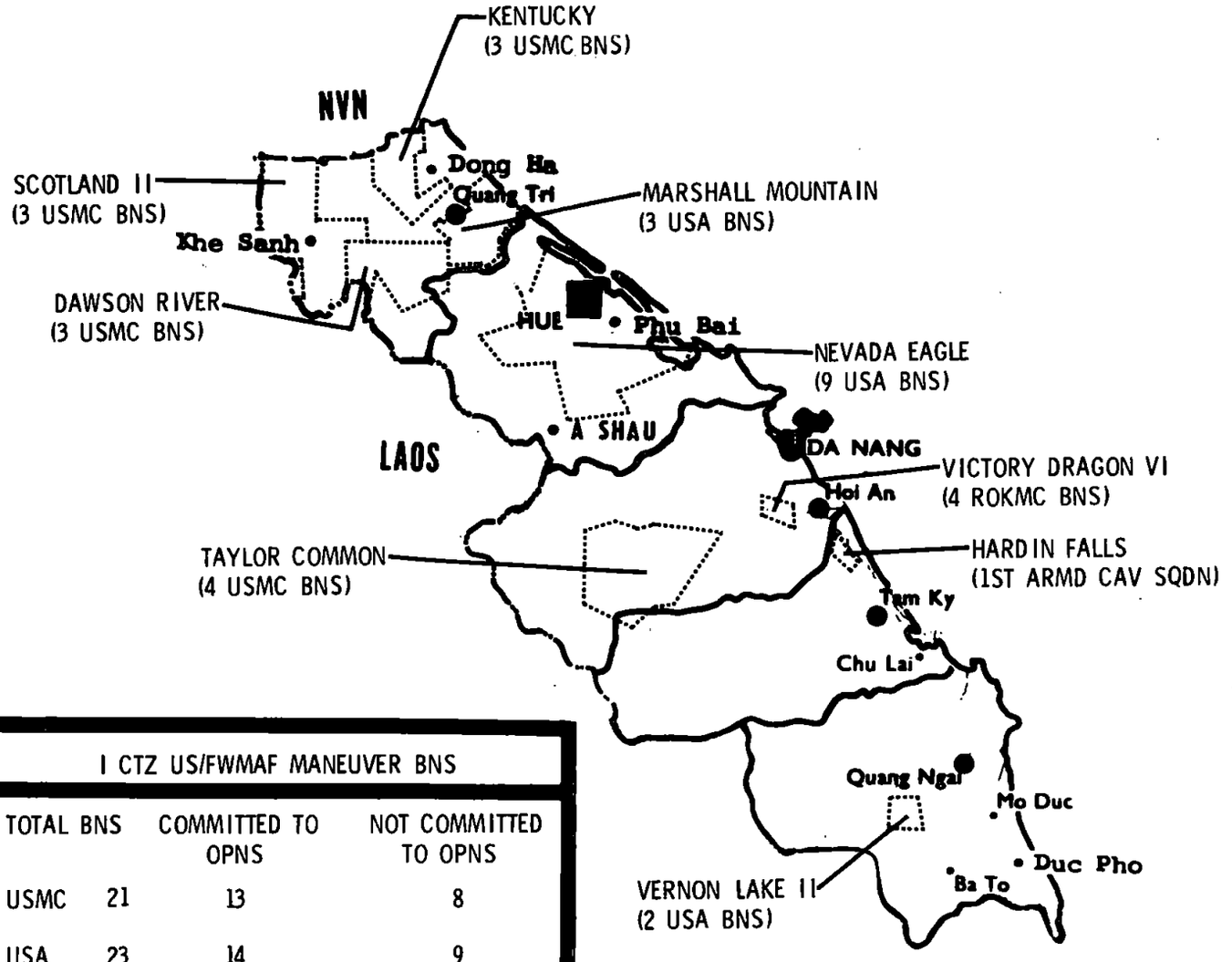
MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	13	8
USA	23	14	9
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	31	17

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 9 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

SLF - "A" (BLT 2/26) AFLOAT

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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 December 7, 1968

14 DECEMBER 1968

	Army	Navy **	Marine Corps	Air Force	Total
A. CASUALTIES RESULTING FROM ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
1. Killed	15,191	730	8,831	318	25,070
2. Wounded or Injured					
a. Died of wounds	1,972	91	1,086	27	3,176
b. Nonfatal wounds					
Hospital care required	57,515	2,414	37,850	509	98,288
Hospital care not required	57,183	3,662	28,445	1,691	90,981
3. Missing					
a. Died while missing	1,405	131	5	260	1,801
b. Returned to control	45	7	6	24	82
c. Current missing	175	115	87	529	906
4. Captured or Interned					
a. Died while captured or interned	9	-	-	1	10
b. Returned to control	11	1	4	5	21
c. Current captured or interned	46	133	19	139	337
5. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	58	138	107	477	780
Helicopter	913	39	279	19	1,250
b. From ground action	17,606	775	9,536	110	28,027
TOTAL DEATHS a/	18,577*	952	9,922	606	30,057
B. CASUALTIES NOT THE RESULT OF ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
6. Current Missing	73	3	2	2	80
7. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	181	84	28	188	481
Helicopter	780	21	160	7	968
b. From other causes	2,097	434	834	161	3,526
TOTAL DEATHS	3,058	539	1,022	356	4,975

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

*Includes 382 Special Forces personnel.

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

Directorate for Statistical Services
Office of the Secretary of Defense
December 11, 1968

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

14 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,996	38,201	28,541	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 13 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,023	1,299	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
60,868	3,332	11,860

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 44 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 56 — Admitted to hospital → 56
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 47 — Evacuated from SVN → 47
    - 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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U.S. MARINE CORPS AIRCRAFT LOSSES IN SEASIA

14 DECEMBER 1968

DATE	COMBAT	OPERATIONAL	REMARKS
9OCT68		1 CH-46A	AT967617. A/C unable to release external load; hit trees & crashed. 1 WIA. RVN.
10OCT68	1 CH-46A		ZC195665. A/C caught fire in LZ while unloading Recon Team & was destroyed by fire. 6 WIA. RVN.
11OCT68		1 CH-46A	AT791546. Mid-air collision with UH-34. 4 KIA. RVN.
		1 UH-34	AT791546. Mid-air collision with CH-46A. 8 KIA. RVN.
* 19AUG68	1 CH-46D		YD122772. Hit by arty round in LZ. 2 WIA. RVN.
17OCT68	1 CH-46D		YD042374. Crashed, cause unknown at this time. 6 KIA. RVN.
18OCT68	1 RF-4B		YD470670. Hit by ground fire during recon mission. No injuries. RVN
21OCT68		1 A-4E	Runway 32, Chu Lai. Crashed on approach. No injuries. RVN
22OCT68	1 OV-10A		AT9957. Hit by ground fire on TAO(A) mission. 2 KIA. RVN
* 30CT68	1 CH-46A		Hit tree in LZ. Destroyed by Friendlies. No injuries. RVN
* 17OCT68		1 CH-46D	A/C ran out of fuel and landed in enemy territory. Abandoned. RVN
25OCT68		1 CH-46D	Rolled to right during rotor engagement. No injuries. RVN
28OCT68		1 TA-4F	Lost while on TAC(A) mission. 2 MIA. RVN.
1NOV68	1 F-4J		YD204844. A/C hit by enemy ground fire while on CAS mission and crashed into the ocean. No casualties. RVN.
5NOV68		1 A4E	Engine failed, pilot ejected and A/C was lost at sea. No casualties. RVN.
7NOV68		1 UH-1E	XD9329. A/C Engine failure, made a hard force landing. 4 Crew WIA. RVN.
	1 CH-46D		XD66855. A/C Hit by enemy ground fire; crashed and burned. 4 Crew WIA. RVN.
7NOV68	1 CH-46D		XD670560. A/C hit by ground fire; landed & burned. 5 WIA. RVN.
9NOV68		1 F-4B	Chu Lai. On take-off A/C veered off runway & burned. 1 WIA. RVN.
17NOV68	1 F-4B		BS384636. A/C hit by automatic wpns fire while on napalm run and exploded in the air. 2 MIA. RVN.
	1 UH-34D		BT065590. A/C on med-evac mission, received heavy automatic weapons fire from three positions. A/C flamed to emergency landing 1000 meters from LZ. 1 KIA, 3 WIA. RVN.
11NOV68	1 A-4E		YD001389. A/C Hit by prob ground fire. A/C Dest upon impact w/ground. 1 KIA.
27NOV68		1 UH-1E	BT065730. Rotor control failure caused A/C to crash. 3 WIA. RVN.
2DEC68		1 UH-34D	YD770587. A/C struck trees on attempted wave-off. 6 WIA. RVN.
	1 O1-G		YD173247. Crashed on mission. Cause unknown. 2 KIA. RVN.
3DEC68	1 OV-10A		AT810697. Crashed on mission. Cause unknown. 2 KIA. RVN.
9DEC68	1 CH-46		YD005275. Hit by enemy ground fire; crew extracted. Destroyed byTACAIR

RECAPITULATION OF AIRCRAFT LOSSES

14 DECEMBER 1968

COMBAT

HELICOPTER 199	FIXED WING 126
78 UH-34D	43 A-4C/E
53 UH-1E	42 F-4B
62 CH-46A/D	14 F-8E
5 CH-53A	10 A-6A
1 CH-37C	4 EF-10B
	2 KC-130F
	2 RF-4B
	1 TF-9J
	2 TA-4
	2 O-1G
	3 OV-10A
	1 F-4J

OPERATIONAL

HELICOPTER 118	FIXED WING 62
71 UH-34D	25 A-4C/E
29 CH-46A/D	13 F-4B/J
15 UH-1E	8 F-8E
3 CH-53	5 O-1B/C
	4 A-6A
	1 C-117D
	1 KC-130F
	1 EF-10B
	2 TA-4F
	1 RF-4B
	1 RF-8A

* INDICATES LATE ENTRY

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VIETNAM — AIR FORCE

4 DEC 68

14 DECEMBER 1968

BIEN HOA

3 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	55
1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	67
	O-2	16
	OV-10	13
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
**1 STRAT RECON DET	WU-2	1
	DC-130	2
*3 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	5
	C-47	3
	U-10	11
1 SPCL OPN SQ	UC-123	21
1 SPCL OPN SQ	A-37	20

BINH THUY

1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	29
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
*2 SPCL OPN SQ	AC-47	3
	U-10	6
	C-47	1

CAM RANH BAY

3 TAC FTR SQ	F-4	43
2 TAC ALFT SQ	C-7	29
*9 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	40
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2

DA NANG

1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	15
	O-2	51
3 TAC FTR SQ	F-4	55
*1 FTR INT DET	F-102	6
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	3
1 RESCUE SQ	HH-3	11
*1 SPCL OPN DET	O-2	7
*1 TAC ALFT DET	C-7	5
*2 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	6
	A-1	2

NHA TRANG

1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	38
	O-2	25
4 SPCL OPN SQ	AC-47	8
	U-10	4
	C-47	4
1 HELO SQ	UH-1	8
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
1 TAC EL WARF SQ	EC-47	16
*1 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	4

PHAN RANG

4 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	66
1 TAC BMBR SQ	B-57	16
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
3 SPCL OPN TRC SQ	C-123	38
*1 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	3

PHU CAT

4 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	64
2 TAC ALFT SQ	C-7	21
*1 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	3
*1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	1

PLEIKU

*1 SPCL OPN SQ	A-1	16
*2 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	4
	O-2	5
	C-47	2
1 TAC EL WARF SQ	EC-47	12
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2

TAN SON NHUT

1 SPCL OPN TRC SQ	C-123	17
2 TAC RECON SQ	RF-4	30
1 TAC RECON DET	RB-57	2
1 TAC RECON DET	RF-101	14
1 TAC EL WARF SQ	EC-47	15
	C-47	1
*4 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	29
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2

TUY HOA

5 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	77
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	3
1 RESCUE SQ	HC-130	9
*3 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	10

VUNG TAU

2 TAC ALFT SQ	C-7	29

BAN ME THOUT

*1 HELO DET	UH-1	9

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*TDY **ASSIGNED TO & UNDER OPCON OF SAC

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SELECTED PERSONNEL AND AIRCRAFT DATA

PERSONNEL

13 DECEMBER 1968

	STRENGTH	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTAL	308,138*	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	160,299	52.02	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	37,062*#	12.02	23.12	
FMF PACIFIC	123,237 #	40.00	76.88	
VIETNAM	79,934	25.94	49.86	64.86

SOURCE: *MONTHLY USMC PERSONNEL ALLOCATION REPORT OF 6 NOVEMBER 1968.
#WEEKLY MCCC UNIT REPORT OF 4 DECEMBER 1968.
@FMFPAC DAILY SITREP OF 12 DECEMBER 1968.
*# WEEKLY MCCC UNIT REPORT OF 11 DECEMBER 1968.

AIRCRAFT

9 DECEMBER 1968

	FIXW	HELO	TOTAL	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTALS	1043	657	1700	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	732	560	1292	75.88	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	260	143	403	23.70	31.73	
FMF PACIFIC	472	417	889	52.18	68.27	
VIETNAM	252	288	540	32.15	42.12	61.65

SOURCE: USMC TOTALS, USMC AVN STATUS BD PHOTO OF 19 NOVEMBER 1968.

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5TH MARINE DIVISION

READINESS SUMMARY

13 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT		STRENGTH USMC	STRENGTH USN	COMBAT READINESS CURRENT RATING	CURRENT REASON	CURRENT P	CURRENT S	CURRENT R	CURRENT T	EXPECTED RATING	EXPECTED DATE
5TH MARINE DIVISION		14,185	743	C4	P	4	3	3	4	C3	1JAN69
HQS BN (-)(REIN)		1,331	39	C3	R	2	1	3	2	C2	1DEC68
27TH MARINES (-)		1,892	71	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
HQS CO		241	7	C4	T	1	4	4	4	C3	1JAN69
2nd BN		825	32	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
3rd BN		826	32	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
28TH MARINES		3,451	136	C3	P	3	2	2	2	C2	1JAN69
HQS CO		265	5	C1		1	1	1	1		
1st BN		1,067	46	C3	P	3	2	2	3	C2	1FEB69
2nd BN		1,084	42	C4	R	2	1	4	2	C3	1JAN69
3rd BN		1,035	43	C3	P	3	2	2	1	C1	31JAN69
13TH MARINES (-)		1,579	42	C4	X	4	3	3	4	C3	28FEB69
HQS BTRY		292	6	C2	P	2	2	2	2	C1	31JAN69
2nd BN (-)		361	9	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
3rd BN		546	16	C4	X	4	1	1	4	C3	28FEB69
4th BN (-)		380	11	C3	T	2	1	3	3	C2	1MAR69
5TH ANTI-TANK BN (-)		245	8	C4	T	2	1	2	4	C3	5APR69
5TH ENGINEER BN (-)		544	11	C2	P	2	1	1	2	C1	1MAY69
5TH MEDICAL BN (-)		104	157	C4	P	4	2	3	4	C3	1APR69
5TH MOTOR TRANS BN (-)		60	5	C3	T	2	1	2	3	C2	1FEB69
5TH RECON BN (-)		281	15	C3	T	2	3	3	3	C2	1MAR69
5TH SHORE PARTY BN (-)		285	25	C4	P	4	2	2	4	C3	1APR69
5TH SERVICE BN (-)		703	16	C3	P	3	2	2	2	C2	1MAY69
REINFORCING UNITS											
5TH TANK BN (-)		597	13	C4	X	4	3	4	4	C3	1APR69
5TH AMTRAC BN (-)		686	15	C2	T	1	1	2	2	C1	1MAY69
13TH ENGINEER BN		841	15	C4	X	4	2	2	4	C3	1JAN69
13TH MOTOR TRANS BN		446	7	C3	T	1	1	1	3	C2	1FEB69
5TH MILITARY POLICE BN		448	6	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C2	15APR69
5TH FORCE RECON CO		128	2	C3	T	2	2	2	3	C2	1MAR69
9TH SEP BULK FUEL CO		302		C4	T	3	1	1	4	C3	31JAN69
5TH BRIDGE CO		156	2	C4	X	3	2	2	4	C3	31JAN69
1ST CIV AFF GRP		68	7	C4	P	4	1	1	4	C3	1FEB69
5TH HOSPITAL CO		31	48	C4	P	4	1	1	4	C3	1MAR69
15TH DENTAL CO (-)		3	42	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C2	1JAN69
17TH DENTAL CO		4	61	C2	P	2	1	1	2	C1	1DEC68

READINESS CATEGORIES

C-1 Fully Combat Ready
C-2 Substantially Combat Ready
C-3 Marginally Combat Ready
C-4 Not Combat Ready

READINESS ABBREVIATIONS

P Personnel Readiness
S Supplies/Equipment on Hand
R Equipment Readiness
T Training Readiness
X Commanders Subjective Judgement-Elaborated by remarks

NOTE: Readiness Category Information extracted from NMCSS Report #SF024 dated 3DEC68.

Strength Category Information extracted from MCCC Report of 11DEC68.

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

13 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 25,791
USN 1,240*
USA 7,225

HQS 3D MAR DIV

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF BRAVO)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
1/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
1ST AMTRAC BN

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
3/3 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

1st MAW
PROV MAG-39
VMO-6 (UH-1E)
HMM-262 (CH-46A)
HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,381
USN 72*
USA 23,994

HQ,XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW
MAG-36
HML-367 (UH-1E)
HMM-363 (UH-34D)
HMH-462 (CH-53A)
HMM-364 (CH-46D)
HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

USMC 43,021
USN 1,923*
USA 2,148
ROKMC 6,773

HQS, III MAF
HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
2/1
3/1
1/1

7TH MARINES
1/7
3/7

26TH MARINES
1/26
3/26

2D ROKMC BDE
1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

(TF YANKEE)
5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

HQ 1st MAW
MAG-11
VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
VMFA-542 (F-4B)
VMFA-334 (F-4J)
VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
HML-167 (UH-1E)
HMH-463 (CH-53A)
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,488
USN 116*
USA 23,700

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
2/1 INF
3/21 INF
4/31 INF
1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
1/52 INF
5/46 INF
1/6 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
4/3 INF
3/1 INF

1st MAW
MAG-12
VMA-121 (A-4E)
VMA-211 (A-4E)
VMA-223 (A-4C)
VMA-311 (A-4E)
VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
VMFA-115 (F-4B)
VMFA-314 (F-4B)
VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN*
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	79,934	3,475
III MAF	79,954	3,475 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	79,152
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,586
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	287,132

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 (AFLOAT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A)@	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,668	234

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,812	26

MOVEMENTS

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* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A" and "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

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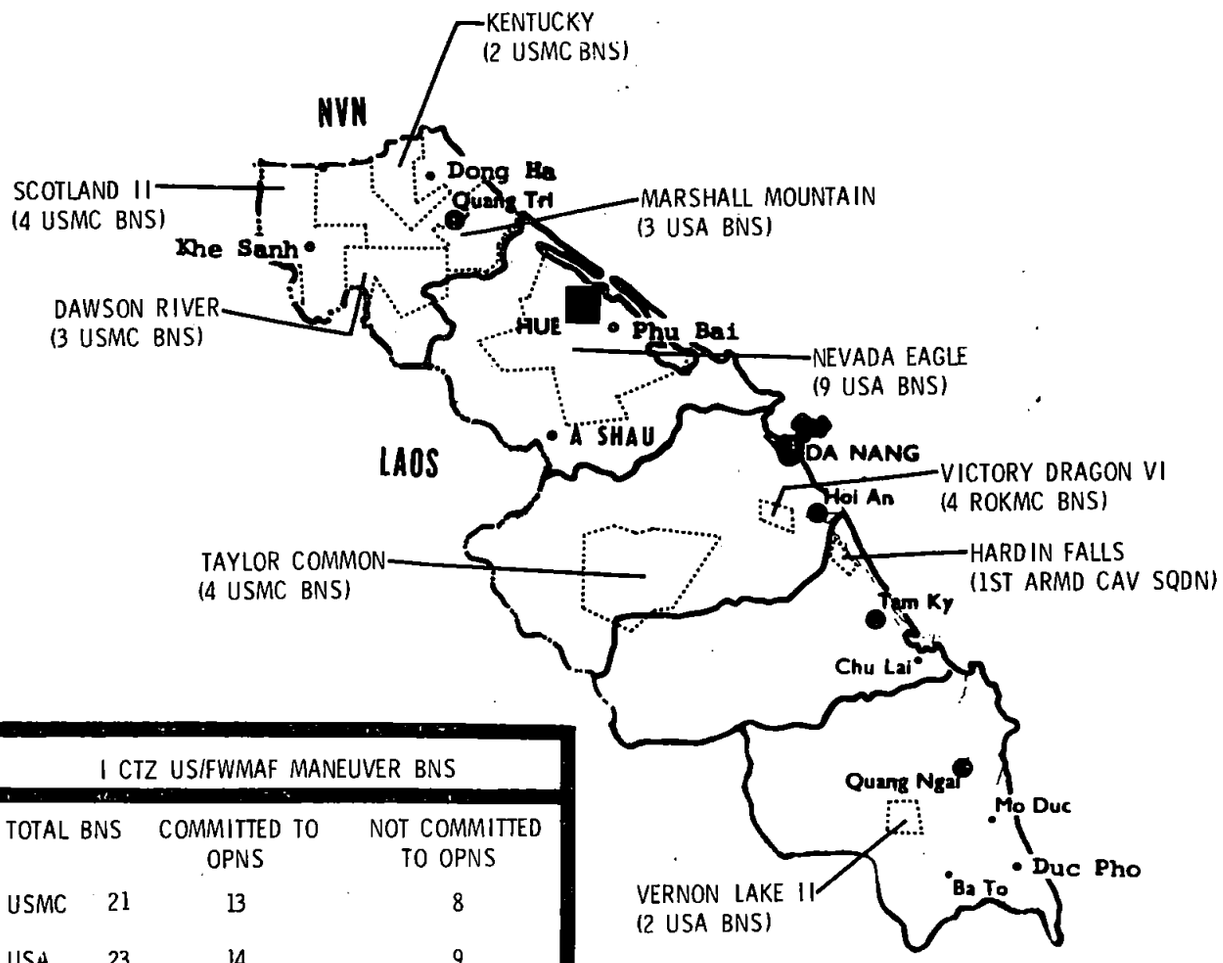
MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	13	8
USA	23	14	9
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	31	17

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 9 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

SLF - "A" (BLT 2/26) AFLOAT

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14 DECEMBER 1968

SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 132400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,225 157 USA	3,069
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 1/3, 2/3 & 3/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,793
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	NONE	9 USA	NONE
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	2	19	32
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,521 USA	2,862
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5 3/5 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	8	42	101
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	32
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	6 USA	54 USA	114
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	1 ROKMC	7 ROKMC	95

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

13 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,990	37,966	28,500	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 12 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,022	1,295	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
60,830	3,332	11,857

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 44 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 56 — Admitted to hospital → 56
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 47 — Evacuated from SVN → 47
    - 28 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*54,081 CASUALTIES, JAN67-DEC68.

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CHRONOLOGY OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

13 DECEMBER 1968

DATES	LOCATION	UNITS	REMARKS
13AUG-11SEP68	QUANG NGAI PROV	2 ROKMC BN	OPN VICTORY DRAGON I TERMINATED. FRD: 14 KIA, 15 WIA (5 USMC); ENEMY: 110 KIA, 15 PW'S & 28 WPNS CAPTURED.
15AUG68	PHU BAI		PROV CTZ RVN REDESIGNATED XXIV CTZ RVN.
22-24AUG68	31 MI SW OF BAN ME THUOT		SF CAMP AT DUC LAP ATTACKED BY ENEMY REGIMENT. FRD: 114 KIA (7 US), 262 WIA (22 US); ENEMY: 646 KIA AND 212 WPNS CAPTURED.
23AUG68	PHU BAI	HMH-462	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
23AUG68	15 KM NW OF DANANG	1 USMC BN	OPN ALLEN BROOK TERMINATED. FRD: 172 KIA, 1,124 WIA; ENEMY: 1,017 KIA AND 154 WPNS CAPTURED.
24-26AUG68	TAM KY	USA, ARVN	BN ATTACK ON TAM KY. FRD: 9 KIA, 41 WIA; ENEMY: 489 KIA AND 40 WPNS CAPTURED.
25AUG68	QUANG TRI	MATCU-66	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
29AUG-9SEP68	QUANG NAM PROV	2 USMC BNs & 3 ARVN BNs	OPN SUSSEX BAY TERMINATED. FRD: 32 KIA (6 USMC), 155 WIA (26 USMC); ENEMY: 293 KIA, 46 WPNS CAPTD.
31AUG68	CHU LAI	VMFA-122	DEPARTED RVN FOR JAPAN. RELIEVED BY VMFA-334.
1SEP68	DANANG	VMFA-334	ARRIVED RVN.
1-2SEP68	PHU BAI/MARBLE MOUNTAIN AIR FACILITY	HMM-165, HMM-363, HMM-265	HMM-165 WENT AFLOAT TO LPH-10, RELIEF FOR HMM-265. HMM-265 RETURNED TO PHU BAI, WENT AFLOAT TO LPH-5, RELIEF FOR HMM-362. HMM-362 RETURNED TO MARBLE MOUNTAIN AIR FACILITY.
3SEP68	MARBLE MT. AIR FACILITY	HMM-163	DEPARTED RVN FOR CONUS. TRANSITION TO CH-46.
4-24SEP68	QUANG NGAI	3 USA BNs	OPN CHAMPAIGN GROVE TERMINATED. USA: 43 KIA, 172 WIA; ENEMY: 378 KIA, 2 PW, 73 WPNS.
11SEP68	22 NM WSW OF DANANG	1 USMC BN	OPN HOUSTON TERMINATED. USMC: 121 KIA, 848 WIA; ENEMY: 702 KIA, 258 WPNS.
11SEP-10CT68	QUANG NAM	4 ROKMC BNs	OPN VICTORY DRAGON II TERMINATED. ROKMC: 5 KIA, 24 WIA; ENEMY: 131 KIA, 5 PW, 46 WPNS.
12SEP-16OCT68	DANANG	RLT-27	REDEPLOYMENT FROM RVN. 1/27 DEBARKED IN HAWAII TO JOIN THE 1ST MARINE BRIGADE. 2/27 AND 3/27 DEBARKED AND REJOINED THE 5TH MARINE DIVISION AT MCB, CAMP PENDLETON. LAST PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT ARRIVED CONUS VIA SURFACE TRANSPORT ON 16 OCTOBER 1968.
16SEP68	11 NM NNE OF KHE SANH	1 USMC CO	RECEIVED 150 RDS MORTAR FIRE FOLLOWED BY TWO ENEMY ATTACKS. USMC: 25 KIA, 126 WIA; ENEMY 27 KIA.
18-19SEP68	S OF THE DMZ		MARINES OPERATING IN THE DMZ AREA IN OPN LANCASTER II UNCOVERED A TOTAL OF EIGHT CACHE CONTAINING 345,983 ROUNDS OF SA AMMO, 4312 ROUNDS OF 60/81/82MM MORTAR ROUNDS, 2,900 POUNDS OF EXPLOSIVES, 1,280 DETONATORS, 453 INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS, 71 ROCKETS, 24 ROCKET ROUNDS, 8,400 POUNDS OF RICE, 553 MINES, 667 BLASTING CAPS, AND 589 B-40/B-41 ROUNDS.
20SEP68	THUA THIEN	1/506 ABN	ARRIVED IN I CTZ FROM III CTZ AND WAS ATTACHED TO THE 3D BRIGADE, 82ND AIRBORNE BATTALION. THE 1/505 ABN DEPARTED I CTZ FOR III CTZ.
21SEP68	MARBLE MT AIR FACILITY		RECEIVED 15 ROUNDS OF 82MM MORTAR. 18/CH-46, 11/UH-34, 9/CH-53, 7/UH-1E RECEIVED LIGHT DAMAGE.
21SEP68	CHU LAI AIR FIELD AND LZ		RECEIVED 82 ROUNDS OF MIXED MORTAR AND ROCKET FIRE. FRD: 1 KIA, 11 WIA, 8 TRUCKS AND 2/155MM HOWITZERS DAMAGED.
24SEP68	26 NM N OF TAY NINH	KATUM SF CAMP	RECEIVED ATTACK BY UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. FRD: 12 PF KIA, 16 WIA. ENEMY: 135 KIA, 39 WPNS, 4 FLAME THROWERS, 1000 POUNDS EXPLOSIVES CAPTURED.
26SEP68	20 NM NNW OF TAY NINH	SF CAMP	ATTACKED BY UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. FRD: 4 KIA, 13 WIA (4 US); ENEMY: 132 KIA.
28SEP68	CUA VIET PORT		FIRE FROM UNKNOWN CAUSE DESTROYED 3/PBR, 1/FUEL BARGE, 1/LCM, 2/5 FT OUTBOARDS. 6/LCM DAMAGED.
29SEP68	OFF-SHORE RVN		USS NEW JERSEY ARRIVED ON STATION. FIRED 1ST MISSION 29SEP68.AT 1930 EDT.
10CT68	7 NM SE OF DAU TIENG	2 USA CO's	FOUR CACHES WITH 86,400 ROUNDS OF 7.62; 300 CASES EXPLOSIVES; 200 ROUNDS 82MM MORTAR AND MISC INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS AND ASSORTED RR ROUNDS WERE CAPTURED.
10CT68	9 NM SW OF SAIGON	ELEMENT's USA	FOUND CACHE WITH 144,000 ROUNDS 7.62; 63 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS; 50 B-40 ROUNDS.
30CT68	17 NM NNW OF VUNG TAU	1st AUST TF	FOUND CACHE WITH 18 TONS OF RICE.

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL★

FLEET MARINE FORCE, ATLANTIC

13 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	NORFOLK		CAM LEJ/ NEW RIV		CHER PT		BEAUFORT		ROOS RDS		GTMO		LANFOR CARIB		LANFOR6TH FLT 4-68		OTHER	
		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HEADQUARTERS FMFLANT																						
H&S BN		667	16	11DEC68	667	16																
HQS SQDN		73		11DEC68	73																	
USMC		740			740																	
USN		16			16																	
HQS LANT TOTAL		756			756																	

FORCE TROOPS

HQS CO	3	434	1	11DEC68			355	1													79	
2D FSR																						
H&S BN		647	19	11DEC68			563	19							20		24		40			
SUP BN		650	9	11DEC68			650	9														
MAINT BN		888		11DEC68			888															
2D FAG																						
2DS BTRY		129	6	11DEC68			129	6														
2D 155MM GUN BTRY		105		11DEC68			105															
2D 8IN HOW BTRY		138		11DEC68			138															
2D TANK BN		428	5	11DEC68			384	5									22		22			
2D AMTRAC BN		694	13	11DEC68			597	13							29		43		25			
2D RADIO BN		426	4	11DEC68			426	4														
2D FORCE RECON CO		147	3	11DEC68			147	3														
2D ANGLICO		212	13	11DEC68			212	13														
2D BRIDGE CO		118	2	11DEC68			74	2							44							
2D TOPO CO	4	104	1	11DEC68			98	1													6	
2D HOSPITAL CO		22	18	11DEC68			22	18														
2D SEP SURGICAL CO		8	11	11DEC68			8	11														
4TH DENTAL CO		5	34	11DEC68			5	34														
8TH COMM BN		500	7	11DEC68			500	7														
8TH MT BN		250	4	11DEC68			250	4														
8TH ENGR BN	5	869	11	11DEC68			748	11													121	
USMC		6,774					6,299								93		89		87		206	
USN		161					161															
FORTRPS TOTAL		6,935					6,460								93		89		87		206	

2D MARINE DIVISION

HEADQUARTERS BN		1685	50	11DEC68			1649	50									16		20			
2D MARINES																						
HQS CO		277	14	11DEC68			269	14											8			
1ST BN		913	36	11DEC68															913	36		
2D BN		438	18	11DEC68			438	18														
3D BN		853	34	11DEC68			853	34														
6TH MARINES																						
HQS CO		225	13	11DEC68			217	13									8					
1ST BN		778	33	11DEC68			778	33														
2D BN		840	28	11DEC68													840	28				
3D BN		764	27	11DEC68			764	27														
8TH MARINES																						
HQS CO		191	4	11DEC68			191	4														
1ST BN		983	30	11DEC68			983	30														
2D BN		1124	31	11DEC68			202	6							922	25						
3D BN		567	21	11DEC68			567	21														
10TH MARINES																						
HQS BTRY		213	14	11DEC68			188	13									13		12	1		
1ST BN		493	9	11DEC68			493	9														
2D BN		508	13	11DEC68			375	13									133					
3D BN		498	10	11DEC68			359	10											139			
4TH BN		368	9	11DEC68			220	6							148	3						
2D SERVICE BN		1011	29	11DEC68			936	29									37		38			
2D AT BN		361	5	11DEC68			314	5									25		22			
2D MT BN		270	7	11DEC68			251	7											19			
2D RECON BN		370	15	11DEC68			323	14									22		25	1		
2D ENGR BN		680	10	11DEC68			582	10									49		49			
2D SP BN		397	13	11DEC68			295	12									52		50	1		
2D MEDICAL BN		105	152	11DEC68			85	132									10	10	10	10		
2D DENTAL CO			67	11DEC68				61										2		4		
USMC		14,912					11,332								1,070		1,205		1,305			
USN		692					571								28		40		53			
2DMARDIV TOTAL		15,604					11,903								1,098		1,245		1,358			

2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

MWHG-2																						
H&HS-2		540	35	11DEC68					540	35												
MWFS-2		102		11DEC68					102													
MWCS-2		216		11DEC68					216													
12TH FORCE DENTAL CO			28	11DEC68						28												
MWSG-27																						
H&MS-27		660	13	11DEC68					660	13												
WERS-27		291		11DEC68					291													
VMGR-252		404	2	11DEC68					404	2												

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FLEET MARINE FORCE, ATLANTIC

13 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	NORFOLK		CAM LEJ/ NEW RIV		CHER PT		BEAUFORT		ROOS RDS		GTMO		LANFOR CARIB		LANFOR6TH FLT 4-68		OTHER	
		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MWCG-28																						
H&HS-28		223	1	11DEC68					223	1												
MASS-1		176		11DEC68					176													
MACS-5		228		11DEC68					228													
MACS-6	1	200		11DEC68					200													
MACS-9		269		11DEC68					269													
3D LAAM BN		590	9	11DEC68					590	9												
MAG-14																						
H&MS-14		544		11DEC68					544													
MABS-14		551	15	11DEC68					551	15												
MATCU-61		75		11DEC68					75													
VMCJ-2		351	2	11DEC68					351	2												
VMA(AW)-224		251	2	11DEC68					251	2												
VMA(AW)-225		347	2	11DEC68					347	2												
VMA(AW)-332		249	2	11DEC68					249	2												
VMFA-513	2	264	2	11DEC68					264	2												
MCCRTG-20																						
H&MS-20		482	1	11DEC68					482	1												
VMFAT-201		327	2	11DEC68					327	2												
VMAT (AW)-202		275	2	11DEC68					275	2												
VMT-203		210	2	11DEC68					210	2												
MAG-26																						
H&MS-26		577		11DEC68			577															
MABS-26		446	28	11DEC68			446	28														
MATCU-64		89		11DEC68			89															
VMO-1		291		11DEC68			291															
HMH-461		236		11DEC68			236															
HMM-162		225		11DEC68			225															
HMM-261		250	3	11DEC68			250	3														
HMM-264		210	1	11DEC68													210	1				
HMM-365		204		11DEC68			204															
HMH-361	1	179		11DEC68			179															
MAG-31																						
H&MS-31		630		11DEC68							630											
MABS-31		518	16	11DEC68							518	16										
MATCU-69		110		11DEC68							110											
VMA-331		238	1	11DEC68							238	1										
VMFA-333		283	1	11DEC68							283	1										
VMFA-451		291	1	11DEC68							291	1										
MAG-32																						
H&MS-32		566		11DEC68							566											
MABS-32		518	16	11DEC68							518	16										
MATCU-63		91		11DEC68							91											
VMFA-251		292	1	11DEC68							292	1										
VMFA-312		282	1	11DEC68							282	1										
VMFA-324		285	1	11DEC68							285	1										
USMC		14,636					2,497		7,825		4,104						210					
USN		190					31		120		38						1					
2D MAW TOTAL		14,826					2,528		7,945		4,142						211					

RECAPITULATION OF FMFLANT PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION

		ASSIGNED STRENGTH	NORFOLK	CAM LEJ/ NEW RIV	CHER PT	BEAUFORT	ROOS RDS	GTMO	LANFOR CARIB	LANFOR6TH FLT 4-68	OTHER
HQS LANT TOTAL	USMC	740	740								
	USN	16	16								
FORTRPS TOTAL	USMC	6,774		6,299				93	89	87	206
	USN	161		161							
2DMARDIV TOTAL	USMC	14,912		11,332				1,070	1,205	1,305	
	USN	692		571				28	40	53	
2D MAW TOTAL	USMC	14,636		2,497	7,825	4,104			210		
	USN	190		31	120	38			1		
GRAND TOTAL	USMC	37,062	740	20,128	7,825	4,104		1,163	1,504	1,392	206
	USN	1,059	16	763	120	38		28	41	53	

NOTES:

1. IN CADRE STATUS.
2. AT YUMA FOR TRAINING. TOTAL PERSONNEL TRAINING NOT RECEIVED.
3. THE 79 PERSONNEL LISTED IN "OTHER" ARE ASSIGNED TO IT, ITT, SSC, AND ARE NOT ON THE ROLLS OF HQS CO.
4. THE PERSONNEL IN "OTHER" DEPLOYED TO RVN FOR I CTZ SURVEY.
5. AT CAMP GARCIA.

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FLEET MARINE FORCE ATLANTIC

READINESS SUMMARY

13 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	STRENGTH USMC	STRENGTH USN	COMBAT READINESS CURRENT RATING	CURRENT REASON	P	S	R	T	EXPECTED RATING	EXPECTED DATE
2D MARINE DIVISION			C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
HEADQUARTERS BN	1,685	50	C2	T	2	1	2	2	C3	31DEC68
2D MARINES			C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	17APR69
1st Bn	913	36	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C1	17MAY69
2nd Bn	438	18	C4	P	4	1	2	4	C3	1FEB69
3rd Bn	853	34	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C1	15DEC68
6TH MARINES			C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	2MAR69
1st Bn	778	33	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C3	5DEC68
2nd Bn	840	28	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C3	2APR69
3rd Bn	764	27	C4	P	4	1	1	3	C3	31DEC68
8TH MARINES			C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	30JUN69
1st Bn	983	30	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C2	13DEC68
2nd Bn	922	25	C2	P	2	1	1	2	C1	30JUN69
3rd Bn	567	21	C4	P	4	1	2	3	C3	31DEC68
10TH MARINES			C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
1st Bn	493	9	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
2nd Bn	508	13	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
3rd Bn	498	10	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
4th Bn	368	9	C4	P	4	1	1	3	C3	31DEC68
2D SERVICE BN	1,011	29	C3	P	3	3	3	2	C2	31DEC68
2D AT BN	361	5	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
2D MT BN	270	7	C4	P	4	2	2	3	C3	17APR69
2D RECON BN	370	15	C3	P	3	3	3	3	C2	31DEC68
2D ENGR BN	680	10	C3	R	3	2	3	2	C2	31DEC68
2D SP BN	397	13	C4	P	4	3	4	3	C3	31DEC68
2D MEDICAL BN	105	152	C4	N	4	3	3	4		
2D DENTAL CO		67	C1		1	1	1	1		
FORCE TROOPS FMFLANT										
2D FSR	2,185	28	C4	P	4	2	2	2	C2	1JAN69
2D FAG	168	4	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C1	15JAN69
2D 155 GUN BTRY	105		C4	P	4	1	1	4	C1	15JAN69
2D 8IN HOW BTRY	138		C4	P	4	1	2	4	C1	15JAN69
2D TANK BN	428	5	C4	P	4	3	3	2	C3	1JAN69
2D AMTRAC BN	694	13	C4	P	4	4	4	3	C3	1DEC68
2D FORCE RECON CO	147	3	C3	T	2	1	1	3	C2	1FEB69
2D RADIO BN	426	4	C2	P	2	1	2	2	C1	1MAY69
2D ANGLICO	212	13	C4	P	4	3	3	2	C3	31DEC68
2D BRIDGE CO	118	2	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C1	25NOV68
2D TOPO CO	104	1	C1		1	1	1	1		
2D HOSPITAL CO	22	18	C4	N	4	1	1	4	C3	31DEC68
4TH DENTAL CO	5	34	C4	P	4	1	1	4	C3	25NOV68
8TH COMM BN	500	7	C4	P	4	1	3	2	C2	1DEC68
8TH MT BN	250	4	C4	P	4	1	2	2	C3	6JAN69
8TH ENGR BN	869	11	C2	P	2	2	2	1	C1	1JUN69
2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING			C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1DEC68
3D LAAM BN	590	9	C4	P	4	1	2	4	C3	1FEB69
MWSG-27			C4	T	3	3	4	4	C3	1DEC68
VMGR-252	404	2	C4	T	2	3	4	4	C3	1DEC68
MAG-14			C4	T	3	3	4	4	C3	1JAN69
VMA(AW)-224	251	2	C4	T	4	3	4	4	C3	20FEB69
VMA(AW)-225	347	2	C3	R	3	1	3	2	C2	15DEC68
VMA(AW)-332	249	2	C4	T	4	4	4	4	C3	1JAN69
VMFA-513	264	2	C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1MAR69
VMCJ-2	351	2	C4	P	4	2	4	4	C3	1FEB69
MAG-26			C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1DEC68
VMO-1	291		C4	P	4	1	3	4	C3	25DEC68
HMH-361	179		C4	P	4	1	3	4	C3	4JAN69
HMM-162	225		C4	T	4	1	3	4	C3	15DEC68
HMM-261	250	3	C4	P	4	2	3	4	C3	1APR69
HMM-264	210	1	C4	P	4	3	3	4	C3	1DEC68
HMM-365	204		C4	P	4	2	4	4	C3	30DEC68
HMH-461	236		C4	R	3	1	4	4	C3	15FEB69
MAG-31			C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1FEB69
VMFA-333	283	1	C4	R	4	1	4	4	C3	30MAY69
VMA-331	238	1	C4	T	4	3	3	4	C3	1JAN69
VMF(AW)-451	291	1	C4	P	4	3	4	4	C3	1JAN69
MAG-32			C4	T	2	3	3	4	C3	31DEC68
VMFA-251	291	1	C4	P	4	1	4	4	C3	15JAN69
VMFA-312	282	1	C4	P	4	2	4	4	C3	30APR69
VMA-324	285	1	C4	P	4	2	3	4	C3	31MAR69

READINESS CATEGORIES

C-1 Fully Combat Ready
C-2 Substantially Combat Ready
C-3 Marginally Combat Ready
C-4 Not Combat Ready

READINESS ABBREVIATIONS

X Commanders Subjective Judgement-Elaborated by remarks
P Personnel Readiness
S Supplies/Equipment on Hand
R Equipment Readiness
T Training Readiness
N Resource Allocation by Cognizant Service does not permit a higher than C-Rating

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NOTE: Readiness Category Information extracted from MMCSS Report #SF024 dated 2DEC68.

Strength Category Information extracted from MCCC Report of 11DEC68.

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HEADQUARTERS		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HQ, FMF, PAC																						
FMF, PAC (FWD)		74	1	24JUL68									74	1								
H&S BN, FMF, PAC		4251		13NOV68													4251					
CAMP S. D. BUTLER		998	137	4DEC68									998	137								
CASUAL		751		4DEC68									751									
HOSPITALIZED	7	1041		4DEC68									493		548							
HQ, V MEF																						
1ST CIVAFFGRP		68	7	4DEC68															68	7		
HQ, 5TH MARDIV																						
HQBN, 5TH MARDIV	4	1331	39	4DEC68															1300	39	31	
HQ, FORTRPS, FMF PAC																						
HQ CO, FOR TRPS	4	414	22	4DEC68															194	22	220	
HQ, 1ST MAR BRIG																						
HQ CO, 1ST MAR BRIG		220	8	4DEC68													220	8				
HQ, 9TH MAB																						
HQ CO, 9TH MAB		503	20	4DEC68									503	20								
HQ, III MAF																						
H&SCO, III MAF		977	11	4DEC68	977	11																
1ST CAG		367	31	4DEC68			367	31														
2D CAG	2	781	42	4DEC68	781	42																
3D CAG		525	32	4DEC68					525	32												
4TH CAG		267	21	4DEC68							267	21										
HQ, 1ST MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 1ST MAR DIV	4	1968	40	4DEC68	1968	40																
HQ, 3D MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 3D MAR DIV		1931	33	4DEC68							1931	33										
INFANTRY																						
1ST MARINES																						
HQ CO		245	7	4DEC68	245	7																
1ST BATTALION		1060	53	4DEC68	1060	53																
2D BATTALION		1050	52	4DEC68	1050	52																
3D BATTALION		1090	59	4DEC68	1090	59																
3D MARINES																						
HQ CO		212	7	4DEC68							212	7										
1ST BATTALION		1195	49	4DEC68							1195	49										
2D BATTALION		1224	52	4DEC68							1224	52										
3D BATTALION		1182	47	4DEC68							1182	47										
4TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		211	5	4DEC68							211	5										
1ST BATTALION		1246	50	4DEC68							1246	50										
2D BATTALION		1206	47	4DEC68							1206	47										
3D BATTALION		1210	54	4DEC68							1210	54										
5TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		245	7	4DEC68	245	7																
1ST BATTALION		1092	53	4DEC68	1092	53																
2D BATTALION		1121	53	4DEC68	1121	53																
3D BATTALION		1068	60	4DEC68	1068	60																
7TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		236	7	4DEC68	236	7																
1ST BATTALION		1091	52	4DEC68	1091	52																
2D BATTALION	1	1545	113	4DEC68																	1545	113
3D BATTALION		1097	57	4DEC68	1097	57																
9TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		231	6	4DEC68							231	6										
1ST BATTALION		1209	58	4DEC68							1209	58										
2D BATTALION		1209	49	4DEC68							1209	49										
3D BATTALION		1203	47	4DEC68							1203	47										
26TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		215	5	4DEC68	215	5																
1ST BATTALION		1119	55	4DEC68	1119	55																
2D BATTALION	1	1479	97	4DEC68																	1479	97
3D BATTALION	[illegible]	1308	60	4DEC68	1308	60																
27TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		241	7	4DEC68															241	7		
1ST BATTALION		626	88	4DEC68													626	88				
2D BATTALION		825	32	4Dec68															825	32		
3D BATTALION		826	32	4DEC68															826	32		
28TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		265	5	4DEC68															265	5		
1ST BATTALION		1067	46	4DEC68															1067	46		
2D BATTALION		1084	42	4DEC68															1084	42		
3D BATTALION		1035	43	4DEC68															1035	43		
ARTILLERY																						
11TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		300	9	4DEC68	300	9																
1ST BATTALION		662	18	4DEC68	662	18																
2D BATTALION		663	18	4DEC68	663	18																
3D BATTALION		437	12	4DEC68	437	12																
4TH BATTALION		548	13	4DEC68	548	13																
12TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		277	11	4DEC68							277	11										
1ST BATTALION		891	17	4DEC68							891	17										
2D BATTALION		641	17	4DEC68							641	17										
3D BATTALION		798	17	4DEC68							798	17										
4TH BATTALION		549	12	4DEC68							549	12										

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12 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		No I CTZ		OKINAWA		JAPAN		HAWAII		EASTPAC		OTHER	
		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
13TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		292	6	4DEC68															292	6		
1ST BATTALION		526	14	4DEC68	526	14																
2D BATTALION		564	16	4DEC68													203	7	361	9		
3D BATTALION		546	16	4DEC68															546	16		
4TH BATTALION		380	11	4DEC68															380	11		
HQ BTRY, 1ST FAG		118	2	4DEC68	118	2																
HQ BTRY, 5TH FAG		115	4	4DEC68															115	4		
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY		140	5	4DEC68	140	5																
3D 155MM GUN BTRY		149	3	4DEC68	149	3																
5TH 155MM GUN BTRY		192	7	4DEC68							192	7										
7TH 155MM GUN BTRY		104	2	4DEC68															104	2		
1ST 8" HOW BTRY		199	6	4DEC68							199	6										
3D 8" HOW BTRY		211	4	4DEC68	211	4																
5TH 8" HOW BTRY		126	2	4DEC68															126	2		
1ST SEARCH LIGHT BTRY		104	2								104	2										
RECONNAISSANCE																						
1ST RECON BN		814	44	4DEC68	814	44																
3D RECON BN		678	47	4DEC68							678	47										
5TH RECON BN		281	15	4DEC68	70								5						206	15		
1ST FORCE RECON CO		151	8	4DEC68	151	8																
3D FORCE RECON CO		113		4DEC68							113											
5TH FORCE RECON CO		128	2	4DEC68															128	2		
ANTI-TANK																						
1ST AT BN	6																					
3D AT BN	6																					
5TH AT BN		245	8	4DEC68									54	1					191	7		
TANK																						
1ST TANK BN		799	19	4DEC68	799	19																
3D TANK BN		741	20	4DEC68							741	20										
5TH TANK BN		597	13	4DEC68	115								5	3					477	10		
AMTRAC																						
1ST AMTRAC BN		797	27	4DEC68							797	27										
3D AMTRAC BN		615	15	4DEC68	615	15																
5TH AMTRAC BN		686	15	4DEC68									125	5					561	10		
1ST ARM AMPHIB CO		224	6	4DEC68	224	6																
ENGINEER																						
1ST ENGR BN		812	14	4DEC68	812	14																
3D ENGR BN		785	12	4DEC68							785	12										
5TH ENGR BN		544	11	4DEC68									33	1					511	10		
7TH ENGR BN		1009	25	4DEC68	1009	25																
9TH ENGR BN		948	23	4DEC68			948	23														
11TH ENGR BN		1184	30	4DEC68							1184	30										
13TH ENGR BN		841	15	4DEC68															841	15		
1ST BRIDGE CO	5																					
3D BRIDGE CO	5																					
5TH BRIDGE CO		156	2	4DEC68															156	2		
MOTOR TRANSPORT																						
1ST MT BN		331	8	4DEC68	331	8																
3D MT BN		388	6	4DEC68							388	6										
5TH MT BN		60	5	4DEC68															60	5		
7TH MT BN		398	3	4DEC68	398	3																
9TH MT BN		411	10	4DEC68					411	10												
11TH MT BN		446	13	4DEC68	446	13																
13TH MT BN		446	7	4DEC68															446	7		
COMMUNICATION																						
1ST RADIO BN		500	2	4DEC68	408												92	2				
5TH COMM BN		665	5	4DEC68	665	5																
7TH COMM BN		698	12	4DEC68	698	12																
9TH COMM BN		397	9	4DEC68															397	9		
1ST ANGLICO	3	337	3	4DEC68													143	5			194	15
SHORE PARTY																						
1ST SP BN		442	22	4DEC68	442	22																
3D SP BN		535	23	4DEC68							535	23										
5TH SP BN		281	24	4DEC68	90								5	6							186	18
MILITARY POLICE																						
1ST MP BN		693	14	4DEC68	693	14																
3D MP BN		747	13	4DEC68	747	13																
5TH MP BN		448	6	4DEC68															448	6		
SERVICE/SUPPORT																						
FLC, III MAF																						
HQ, FLC/1ST FSR																						
H&S BN		1693	45	4DEC68	1693	45																
SUPPLY BN		1621	25	4DEC68	1621	25																
7TH SEP BK FUEL CO																						
MAINT BN		1030	11	4DEC68	1030	11																
FLSG-A/3D SERV BN		1234	20	4DEC68					1234	20												
FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN		1359	17	4DEC68	1359	17																
3D FSR																						
H&S BN		1108	34	4DEC68									1108	34								
SUPPLY BN		1129	11	4DEC68									1129	11								
MAINT BN		1146		4DEC68									1146									
5TH FSR																						
H&S BN		398	24	4DEC68															398	24		
SUPPLY BN		367	17	4DEC68															367	17		
MAINT BN		540		4DEC68															540			
5TH SERVICE BN		703	16	4DEC68															703	16		
PROV SERVICE BN, 9TH MAB		1034	14	4DEC68									1034	14								
9TH SEP BULK FUEL CO		302		4DEC68															302			

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MEDICAL		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
1ST MED BN		152	322	4DEC68	152	322																
3D MED BN		136	304	4DEC68					136	304												
5TH MED BN		104	157	4DEC68															104	157		
1ST HOSP CO		39	74	4DEC68	39	74																
5TH HOSP CO		31	48	4DEC68															31	48		
1ST DENTAL CO			91	4DEC68		91																
3D DENTAL CO			77	4DEC68				77														
5TH DENTAL CO			14	4DEC68																14		
11TH DENTAL CO		3	71	4DEC68	3	71																
13TH DENTAL CO			38	4DEC68																38		
15TH DENTAL CO		3	42	4DEC68															3	42		
17TH DENTAL CO		4	61	4DEC68															4	61		
USMC		94,074			34,941		1,315		2,306		22,608		7,463		548		5,535		15,703		3,655	
USN		4,350			1,648		131		366		779		233				110		840		243	
GROUND TOTAL		98,424			36,589		1,446		2,672		23,387		7,696		548		5,645		16,543		3,898	

AVIATION UNITS

HQ SQDN FMFPAC		61		4DEC68													61					
1ST MAW																						
MWHG-1																						
H&HS-1		719	34	4DEC68	719	34																
MWFS-1		133		4DEC68	133																	
MWCS-1		289		4DEC68	289																	
MWSG-17																						
H&MS-17		664	22	4DEC68	664	22																
WERS-17		209		4DEC68	209																	
MACG-18																						
H&HS-18		246		4DEC68	246																	
MASS-2		254	3	4DEC68	254	3																
MASS-3		223	2	4DEC68			223	2														
MACS-4		347	3	4DEC68	347	3																
1ST LAAM BN		719	14	4DEC68	719	14																
MAG-11																						
H&MS-11		414		4DEC68	414																	
MABS-11		349	26	4DEC68	349	26																
VMCJ-1		394	1	4DEC68	394	1																
VMFA-542		312	1	4DEC68	312	1																
VMA(AW)-242		333		4DEC68	333																	
VMFA-334		355	1	4DEC68	355	1																
MAG-12																						
H&MS-12		579	1	4DEC68			579	1														
MABS-12		508	32	4DEC68			508	32														
MATCU-67		86		4DEC68			86															
VMA-121		192	1	4DEC68			192	1														
VMA-211		197	1	4DEC68			197	1														
VMA-223		190	1	4DEC68			190	1														
VMA-311		189	1	4DEC68			189	1														
VMA(AW)-533		307	1	4DEC68			307	1														
MAG-13																						
H&MS-13		521		4DEC68			521															
MABS-13		480	26	4DEC68			480	26														
VMFA-115		280	2	4DEC68			280	2														
VMFA-314		277	1	4DEC68			277	1														
VMFA-323		280	1	4DEC68			280	1														
MAG-16																						
H&MS-16		570		4DEC68	570																	
MABS-16		725	27	4DEC68	725	27																
MATCU-62		82		4DEC68							82											
MATCU-68		79		4DEC68					79													
VMO-2		261	1	4DEC68	261	1																
HML-167		243		4DEC68	243																	
HMM-164		243		4DEC68	243																	
HMH-463		326	1	4DEC68	326	1																
HMM-165		208	1	4DEC68	208	1																
MAG-36																						
H&MS-36		490		4DEC68					310		180											
MABS-36		539	23	4DEC68					331	23	208											
MATCU-62 DET "A"		82		4DEC68							82											
HMH-462		203	1	4DEC68					203	1												
HMM-364		222	1	4DEC68					222	1												
HMM-363		254	4	4DEC68					254	4												
HMM-265		235	1	4DEC68					235	1												
HML-367		202	1	4DEC68					202	1												
PROVMAG-39/PROV H&MS-39		441	20	4DEC68							441	20										
VMO-6		250	1	4DEC68							250	1										
HMM-161		250	1	4DEC68							250	1										
HMM-262		238		4DEC68							238											
9TH MAB																						
MAG-15																						
H&MS-15		503		4DEC68									44		459							
MABS-15		319	23	4DEC68											319	23						
MACS-8		242	1	4DEC68									242	1								
VMFA-122		350	17	4DEC68									350	17								
HMM-362	1	255	1	4DEC68																	255	1
MATCU-60		66		4DEC68											66							
MATCU-66		60		4DEC68									60									
VMGR-152		466	5	4DEC68									466	5								

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1ST BRIG		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
MAG-24																						
H&MS-24		437		4DEC68													437					
MABS-24		438	22	4DEC68													438	22				
MACS-2		219		4DEC68													219					
MATCU-70		64		4DEC68													64					
VMFA-212		234		4DEC68													234					
VMFA-235		234		4DEC68													234					
3D MAW																						
MWHG-3																						
H&HS-3		585	9	4DEC68															585	9		
MWFS-3		134		4DEC68															134			
MWCS-3		219		4DEC68															219			
VMT-103		338		4DEC68															338			
MHTG-30																						
H&MS-30		279		4DEC68															279			
HMMT-301		145	1	4DEC68															145	1		
HMMT-302		196		4DEC68															196			
MAG-33																						
H&MS-33		685		4DEC68															685			
MABS-33		488	2	4DEC68															488	2		
MATCU-65		85		4DEC68															85			
VMCJ-3		324	1	4DEC68															324	1		
VMFA-214		227	1	4DEC68															227	1		
VMFA-232		245	1	4DEC68															245	1		
VMFA-531		221	1	4DEC68															221	1		
MWSG-37																						
H&MS-37		541	3	4DEC68															541	3		
WERS-37		213	89	4DEC68															213	89		
VMGR-352		366	2	4DEC68															366	2		
MACG-38																						
H&HS-38		242	3	4DEC68															242	3		
MASS-5		200		4DEC68															200			
MACS-1		269		4DEC68															269			
MACS-3		269		4DEC68															269			
MACS-7		260	2	4DEC68															260	2		
5TH LAAM BN		520	12	4DEC68															520	12		
2D LAAM BN		192		4DEC68															192			
MAG-56																						
H&MS-56		307		4DEC68															307			
MABS-56		291	1	4DEC68															291	1		
MATCU-74		58		4DEC68															58			
HMM-163		218		4DEC68															218			
HMM-263		228		4DEC68															228			
HML-267		412	5	4DEC68															412	5		
HMM-561		269		4DEC68															269			
USMC		29,163			8,313		4,309		1,836		1,731		1,162		844		1,687		9,026		255	
USN		460			135		70		31		22		23		23		22		133		1	
AVIATION TOTAL		29,623			8,448		4,379		1,867		1,753		1,185		867		1,709		9,159		256	

RECAPITULATION OF FMFPAC PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION

		ASSIGNED STRENGTH	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	No I CTZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
GROUND TOTAL	USMC	94,074	34,941	1,315	2,306	22,608	7,463	548	5,535	15,703	3,655
	USN	4,350	1,648	131	366	779	233		110	840	243
AVIATION TOTAL	USMC	29,163	8,313	4,309	1,836	1,731	1,162	844	1,687	9,026	255
	USN	460	135	70	31	22	23	23	22	133	1
GRAND TOTAL	USMC	123,237	43,254	5,624	4,142	24,339	8,625	1,392	7,222	24,729	3,910
	USN	4,810	1,783	201	397	801	256	23	132	973	244

NOTES:

1. FIGURES IN "OTHER" ASSIGNED TO SLF'S AND ARE BLT STRENGTHS.
2. FIGURES IN "OTHER" ASSIGNED TO VARIOUS RVN LOCATIONS.
3. AT VARIOUS I CTZ LOCATIONS.
4. PERSONNEL LISTED IN "OTHER" ARE ASSIGNED TO IT, ITT, SSC, CI TEAMS, RED EYE AND NUCLEAR ORDNANCE PLATOONS.
5. STRENGTHS INCLUDED IN 7TH AND 11TH ENGR BN'S.
6. 1ST AND 3D ANTI-TANK PERSONNEL ARE INCLUDED IN 1ST AND 3D TANK BN STRENGTHS.
7. HOSPITALIZED AT LOCATIONS OTHER THAN OKINAWA BUT CARRIED ON THE ROLLS OF CASUAL CO, CAMP BUTLER.

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

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HEADQUARTERS FLEET MARINE FORCE PACIFIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN H. W. BUSE, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN P. J. FONTANA
CG FMFPAC FWD	BGEN G. D. WEBSTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	BGEN L. H. WILSON
ACOS G-1	COL M. B. COOPER
ACOS G-2	COL L. C. SHEPHERD, III
ACOS G-3	COL R. M. HALL
ACOS G-4	COL R. C. DENNY
ACOS G-5	LTCOL E. L. HICKMAN

5TH MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN L. J. DULACKI
ADC	
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL A. J. CASTAGNA
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL B. H. CURWEN, JR.
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL P. WEILER
ACOS, G-3	COL W. MOORE
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL

27TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL E. B. MEYER
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. SIMONIS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. G. HUNT, JR.

28TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. R. BREEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. R. BOWEN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. KNAPP
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. R. KOETHE

13TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. D. EZELL
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL A. NOVAK
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL M. P. FENNESSY
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR C. W. STANARO
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR W. H. STEWART JR

HQS BATTALION	COL D. H. SIMMONS
5TH AT BATTALION	LTCOL R. W. COULTER
5TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL J. P. KRAYNAK
5TH RECON BATTALION	LTCOL R. R. BURRITT
5TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL F. B. OKONSKY
5TH SP BATTALION	LTCOL A. F. ELIASON, JR.
5TH SERV BATTALION	COL W. W. STORM III
5TH MED BATTALION	LCDR D. H. LINDEMAN

1ST MARINE BRIGADE

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MCGRAW
S-1	LTCOL D. G. GEDDES
S-2	
S-3	
S-4	MAJOR R. E. LEVA
1ST BN, 27TH MARINES	LTCOL R. E. B. PALMER

MAG-24

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. WILSON
H&MS-24	LTCOL F. B. ELLIS
MABS-24	LTCOL J. R. HANSFORD
MACS-2	MAJOR E. L. CONROY
VMFA-212	LTCOL B. D. FRITSCH
VMFA-235	LTCOL W. A. TYKSINSKI

9TH MARINE AMPHIBIOUS BRIGADE

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. E. WILLIAMS
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. A. ETHERIDGE
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL P. H. SIMPSON
ACOS, G-2	MAJOR A. L. LUMPKIN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL G. C. KLIEFOTH
ACOS, G-4	COL M. W. SCHMIDT
ACOS, G-5	2DLT S. E. COX

26TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. W. HUNTER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL C. H. KNOWLES
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. P. ROBERTSON

MAG-15

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. CORCORAN
H&MS-15	LTCOL D. P. GRAF
MABS-15	LTCOL D. H. PEGUES
MACS-8	MAJOR D. C. BIERHAALDER
VMGR-152	LTCOL F. R. SMOKE
VMFA-122	LTCOL L. J. WILLIS

SLF ALPHA

COMMANDER	COL J. F. MCMAHON
BLT 2/26	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
HMM-362	LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP

SLF BRAVO

COMMANDER	COL R. R. WILSON
BLT 2/7	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
HMM-165	LTCOL G. L. PATRICK

PROV SERV BATTALION

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. DOTY

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COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN R. FULLER
ASSISTANT COMMANDER	COL S. H. PRATT
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL T. L. COBB
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL J. P. KELLY
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL W. H. BARKER
ACOS, G-4	MAJOR D. C. PEASE

3RD FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. PADALINO
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. E. ROURKE
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL H. J. LEVERT, JR.
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL L. I. FEIN

5TH FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. R. JONES
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. A. BJORSON
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL R. O. BARNES
MAINT BATTALION	MAJOR J. N. HERMES
5TH TK BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. WILSON
5TH AMTRAC BATTALION	MAJOR J. R. TULL
5TH MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. THRELFALL
13TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL M. D. DRUMMOND
13TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL M. S. SHIMANOFF
2ND LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL D. E. GUNTHER
5TH LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL H. S. JOLLEY

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

12 DECEMBER 1968

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DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF	COL M. MOSTELLER
ACOS, G-1	COL M. ROSE
ACOS, G-2	COL R. N. JOENS
ACOS, G-3	BGEN C. W. HOFFMAN
ACOS, G-4	COL L. C. NORTON
ACOS, G-5	COL H. A. WESTPHALL
ACOS, G-6	COL B. E. HORNER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL D. J. FORD

DEPUTY COMMANDER (XXIV CORPS)	MGEN C. B. DRAKE
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COMMANDING OFFICER, 2ND CAG	LTCOL E. LEWIS
COMMANDING OFFICER, 3RD CAG	LTCOL R. D. WHITESELL
COMMANDING OFFICER, 4TH CAG	LTCOL J. E. GREENWOOD
11TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL V. A. PERRY

1ST MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN C. A. YOUNGDALE
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ADC	BGEN R. T. DWYER, JR.
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ACOS, G-1	COL G. E. LAWRENCE
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ACOS, G-4	COL J. E. WILSON, JR.
ACOS, G-5	COL H. F. PAINTER
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL J. O. ALLISON
CEO	COL C. G. DAHL
1ST MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. G. LAUFFER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL A. A. LAPORTE, JR.
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. POINDEXTER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. B. RANCK
5TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. B. ORD, JR.
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. F. DALEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. STEMPLE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL H. E. ATKINSON
7TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. L. BECKINGTON
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2ND BATTALION	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. X. QUINN
11TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL H. E. DICKINSON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. HAMILTON
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. D. JAMESON
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. M. WOELLER
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL J. M. COCKEY
HQS BATTALION	LTCOL W. S. FAGAN
1ST FAG	LTCOL R. P. JOHNSON
1ST AT BATTALION	
1ST ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. H. HILDEBRAND
1ST RECON BATTALION	LTCOL L. P. CHARON
1ST MT BATTALION	MAJ R. G. REILLY
1ST SP BATTALION	LTCOL D. L. ANDERSON
1ST MED BATTALION	CAPT (MC) J. V. SHARP
1ST TK BATTALION	LTCOL M. C. ASHLEY
3RD AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL J. E. HENNEGAN
7TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL T. T. ANNAS
7TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL C. L. BRADY
9TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL D. V. DAVIDSON
11TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL J. A. KINNIBURGH

3D MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN R. G. DAVIS
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ADC/CG TF HOTEL	BGEN F. E. GARRETSON
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. R. MOTELEWSKI
CHIEF OF STAFF TF HOTEL	COL J. GILL
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ACOS, G-2	COL T. P. O'CALLAHAN
ACOS, G-3	COL P. D. LAFOND
ACOS, G-4	COL W. F. GOGGIN
ACOS, G-5	COL W. E. KERRIGAN
ACOS, COMPT	MAJOR B. C. DAY
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COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. M. SPARK
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL R. B. TWOHEY
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL B. T. CHEN
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL W. H. BATES
4TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. SEXTON
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL T. H. GALBRAITH
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL D. M. HOPKINS
3RD BATTALION	
9TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. H. BARROW
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL G. T. SMITH
2ND BATTALION	MAJ F. E. SISLEY
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. R. LAINE
12TH MARINES	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL P. J. MULRONY
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL E. L. WHISMAN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL J. SCOPPA, JR.
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL E. D. FOXWORTH, JR.
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL E. W. BAILEY
HQS BATTALION	COL M. A. WEBB
3RD AT BATTALION	
3RD ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. PERSAC
3RD RECON BATTALION	LTCOL D. R. BERG
3RD MT BATTALION	MAJOR R. MURRAY
3RD SP BATTALION	LTCOL E. J. GODFREY
3RD MED BATTALION	CMDR B. R. SLEMMONS
3RD TK BATTALION	LTCOL G. E. HAYWARD
1ST AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL G. P. MEYERS
9TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL J. R. FOX

FORCE LOGISTICS COMMAND

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. A. FEELEY, JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL D. B. POND, JR.
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL D. K. GRAY
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL B. J. FOWLER
ACOS, G-3	COL F. W. VAUGHT
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL A. W. BOWEN
ACOS, G-5	MAJOR J. D. CRAWFORD
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL E. F. PATTILLO
CEO	LTCOL H. L. MORRIS, JR.
FLSG-A/3RD SERV BN	COL H. E. ROEDER
FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN	COL H. L. PARSONS
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL E. LUCAS
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL E. G. USHER, JR.
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL E. W. CRITCHETT
5TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL J. D. HINES
7TH MT BATTALION	MAJOR J. W. BROWN
1ST MP BATTALION	LTCOL B. G. BROWN
3RD MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. E. CHEATHAM

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

12 DECEMBER 1968

1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
AWC	BGEN H. S. HILL/H. W. HISE
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL V. D. OLSON
ACOS, G-1	COL E. A. PARNELL
ACOS, G-2	COL H. R. BUMPAS
ACOS, G-3	COL D. WILKER
ACOS, G-4	COL S. FURIMSKY, JR.
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL E. E. HAGEDORN
CEO	LTCOL R. S. HARTMAN
MWHG-1	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL T. H. NICHOLS, JR.
H&HS-1	LTCOL P. A. LINDSAY
MWFS-1	MAJOR W. O. GOLLER
MWCS-1	MAJOR D. J. OGDEN
MWSG-17	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. S. RASH
H&MS-17	LTCOL E. S. JOHN
WERS-17	LTCOL S. M. WILLIAMS
MACG-18	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. S. FRIS
H&HS-18	LTCOL J. R. DOPLER
MACS-4	LTCOL T. M. KAUFFMAN
MASS-2	MAJOR E. J. DALY, III
MASS-3	MAJOR W. L. SULLIVAN
MAG-11	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. D. SLAY
H&MS-11	LTCOL R. M. STOWERS
MABS-11	LTCOL J. W. HASKELL
VMCJ-1	LTCOL B. R. HALL
VMFA-334	MAJ J. R. SHERMAN
VMFA-542	LTCOL H. R. VITALI
VMA(AW)-242	LTCOL F. C. RILLING, JR.
MAG-12	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. A. DEASY
H&MS-12	LTCOL C. D. WARFIELD
MABS-12	MAJOR L. FURSTENBURG
VMA-311	LTCOL C. O. HIETT
VMA-121	MAJOR D. A. LERPS
VMA-211	LTCOL J. R. WATERSTREET
VMA-223	MAJOR L. T. PRESTON, JR.
VMA(AW)-533	LTCOL P. K. GERMAN
MAG-13	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL N. W. GOURLEY
H&MS-13	MAJOR E. A. HOUSE
MABS-13	MAJOR C. V. SMILLIE, JR.
VMFA-115	LTCOL J. I. HUDSON
VMFA-314	LTCOL F. E. PETERSEN, JR.
VMFA-323	LTCOL D. J. SLEE
MAG-16	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MACQUARRIE
H&MS-16	LTCOL C. W. GOBAT
MABS-16	LTCOL L. W. PARISH
VMO-2	LTCOL T. J. DUMONT
HMH-463	LTCOL R. W. PEARD, JR.
HML-167	LTCOL T. F. MILLER
HMM-164	LTCOL W. E. SMILANICH
MAG-36	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL B. J. MATHESON
H&MS-36	LTCOL R. THUESEN
MABS-36	LTCOL D. W. WRIGHT
HML-367	LTCOL R. L. ROBINSON
HMH-462	LTCOL R. E. NELSON
HMM-364	LTCOL M. V. STATZER
HMM-265	LTCOL R. L. YANKE
HMM-363	MAJ T. J. CRUNIN, JR.
PROV MAG-39	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. SIENKO
H&MS-39	MAJOR H. R. BOLEN
VMO-6	MAJOR H. A. ZAWDER
HMM-161	LTCOL P. W. NIESEN
HMM-262	LTCOL A. N. ALLEN
1ST LAAM BN	LTCOL J. W. DRURY

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN A. H. ADAMS
AWC	BGEN J. A. FEELEY
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL V. D. OLSON
ACOS, G-1	COL O. B. JOHNSTON
ACOS, G-2	COL J. H. SCHERER
ACOS, G-3	COL R. L. REED
ACOS, G-4	COL R. W. TELLER
MWHG-3	
COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL F. E. WILSON
H&HS-3	MAJOR J. B. LAVELLE
MWFS-3	MAJOR C. A. BOYD
MWCS-3	MAJOR D. E. WILLIAMS
VMT-103	COL R. A. DEASY
MHTG-30	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. KOLER, JR.
H&MS-30	MAJOR W. W. ELDRIDGE JR.
HMHT-301	LTCOL C. A. BLOCK
HMMT-302	LTCOL K. D. VANEK
MAG-33	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. L. REED
H&MS-33	LTCOL J. R. SMITH
MABS-33	MAJOR R. J. REID
VMCJ-3	LTCOL B. R. HALL
VMA-214	LTCOL J. J. WENT
VMFA-232	LTCOL W. P. HUTCHINS
VMFA-531	LTCOL R. PEREZ
MWSG-37	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. L. BEACH
H&MS-37	LTCOL D. L. RICE
WERS-37	MAJOR A. H. MANHARD
VMGR-352	LTCOL W. D. HARRIS
MACG-38	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. J. BERGEC
H&HS-38	MAJOR J. E. KEHRLE
MASS-5	MAJOR D. V. STOWELL
MACS-1	LTCOL B. C. ROWE
MACS-3	
MACS-7	LTCOL P. E. SHEA
MAG-56	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL K. W. COSTELLO
H&MS-56	MAJOR H. F. MUTH
MABS-56	MAJOR G. A. STEPHENS
HMM-263	LTCOL R. E. HOFSTETTER
HML-267	LTCOL R. R. UPSHULTE
HMM-561	MAJOR A. S. PIPER
HMM-163	LTCOL L. I. BLANKENSHIP

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

12 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,208	74,258	79,466	
DANANG	(2,862)	(40,159)	(43,021)	#
CHU LAI	(477)	(5,011)	(5,488)	
PHU BAI	(356)	(3,025)	(3,381)	
DONG HA	(1,447)	(24,344)	(25,791)	
AFLOAT	(66)	(1,719)	(1,785)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,377	74,557	79,934	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS				
31 OCTOBER 1968			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	463	3,012	3,475	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1287 EVENTS OF 9 & 10 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

12 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

HQS 3D MAR DIV

USMC 25,791
USN 1,240*
USA 7,225

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF BRAVO)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 3/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 1ST AMTRAC BN

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW
PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

HQ,XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

USMC 3,381
USN 72*
USA 23,994

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW
MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

USMC 43,021
USN 1,923*
USA 2,148
ROKMC 6,773

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/1
- 3/1
- 1/1

7TH MARINES
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES
- 1/26
- 3/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

(TF YANKEE)
5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

HQ 1st MAW
MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

USMC 5,488
USN 116*
USA 23,700

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF
- 1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF
- 1/6 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW
MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN*
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	79,934	3,475
III MAF	79,954	3,475 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	79,152
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,586
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	287,132

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 (AFLOAT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A)@	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,668	234

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

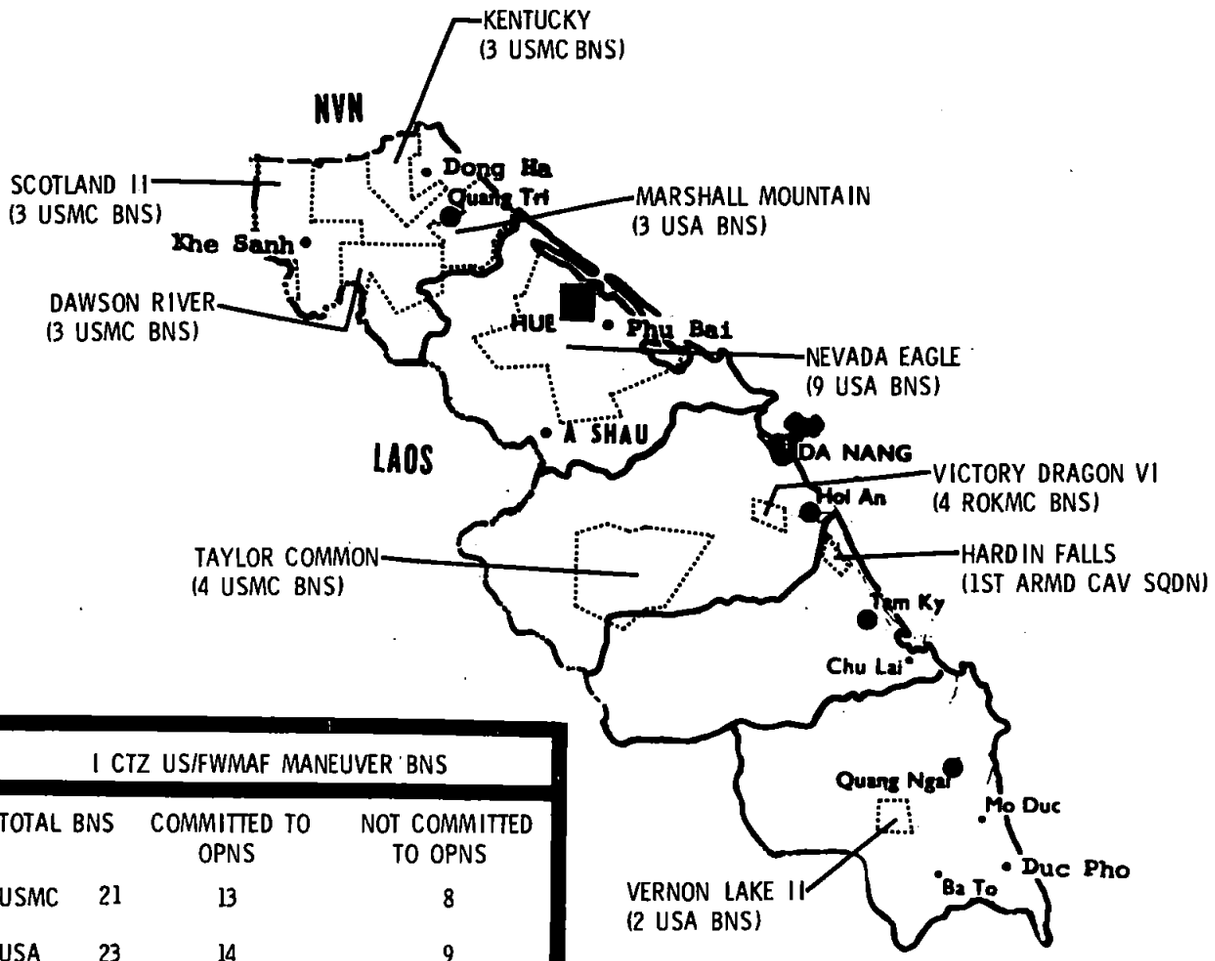
	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,812	26

MOVEMENTS

Unclassified

* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A" and "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	13	8
USA	23	14	9
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	31	17

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 9 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

SLF - "A" (BLT 2/26) AFLOAT

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 122400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4, 3/4 & 3/3	KHE SANH AREA	383 25 USA	2,225 157 USA	3,068
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 1/3 & 2/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,791
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	NONE	9 USA	NONE
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	2	18	14
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	172 USA	1,519 USA	2,853
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5 3/5 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	8	42	101
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	32
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	6 USA	54 USA	111
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	1 ROKMC	6 ROKMC	90

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

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USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,965	37,947	28,493	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 11 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,022	1,295	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
60,765	3,332	11,852

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 45 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 55 — Admitted to hospital → 55
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 46 — Evacuated from SVN → 46
    - 27 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*42,284 CASUALTIES, 1JAN67-12JUN68.

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CHROROLOGY OF SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

12 DECEMBER 1968

DATES	LOCATION	UNITS	REMARKS
7MAY68	2 NM E OF BEN TRE	2 ARVN BN	OPERATION TRUONG CONG DINH - COMBAT SWEEP OPERATION WAS AMBUSHED BY AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. ARVN: 84 KIA, 146 WIA; VC/NVA: 124 KIA.
8-16MAY68	2 NM N OF DONG HA	2 USA BNs	OPERATION CONCORDIA SQUARE - S&D OPERATION. US: 45 KIA, 133 WIA. VC/NVA: 601 KIA, 45 DET.
9-12MAY68	45 NM SW OF DANANG	1 USA BN	OPERATION GOLDEN VALLEY COMMENCED BY REINFORCING THE KHAM DUC SPECIAL FORCES CAMP. US: 12 KIA, 103 WIA, 21 MIA, AIRCRAFT DESTROYED: 2 - C-130s, 2 - CH-47s, 2 - UH-1Cs, 1 A-1H AND 1 - O-2A. DURING THE SAME PERIOD THE NGOK TAVAK SPECIAL FORCES OUTPOST WAS ATTACKED. US: 12 KIA, 21 WIA, 2 CH-46 HELOS LOST.
9MAY68	5 NM N OF DONG HA		ELEMENTS OF A U.S. ARMY COMPANY ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. US: 1 KIA, 16 WIA; VC/NVA: 159 KIA, 76 WPNS.
10MAY68	DANANG	VMF(AW)-235	DEPARTED RVN FOR JAPAN. ULTIMATE DESTINATION 1ST MARBRIG, HAWAII. REDESIGNATED VMFA-235.
12MAY68	3 NM SSE OF DANANG		MARBLE MOUNTAIN AIR FACILITY RECEIVED 20-25 ROUNDS OF ROCKET FIRE. DAMAGE ASSESSMENT: 6 CH-53s AND 3 CH-46s DAMAGED, 1 O-1 AIRCRAFT DAMAGED, 1 SUPPLY WAREHOUSE BURNED AND 1 HANGER DAMAGED. CASUALTIES: 1 US KIA, 17 WIA.
12MAY68	A SHAU VALLEY	3 ARVN BN	DELAWARE/LAM SON 216 - S&D OPERATION - ARVN UNITS WITHDREW FROM THE OPERATION. ARVN: 26 KIA, 132 WIA.
17MAY-3NOV68	23 NM NW OF HUE	1ST AIR CAV DIVISION	OPERATION JEB STUART III - S&D OPERATION. FRD: 212 KIA, 1512 WIA; EN: 2016 KIA, 251 PW, 1204 WPNS.
16MAY68	12 NM SW OF DANANG	1 USMC BN	ENGAGED AN ESTIMATED NVA BN. US: 26 KIA, 37 WIA; VC/NVA: 131 KIA.
17MAY68	QUANG TRI & THUA THIEN PROVINCE	6 USA BNs	OPERATION NEVADA EAGLE - S&D OPERATION.
17MAY68	13 NM SSW OF DANANG	2 USMC BNs	ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. US: 37 KIA, 159 WIA; VC/NVA: 48 KIA.
18MAY-23OCT68	21 NM SSW OF DANANG	4 USMC BNs	OPERATION MAMELUKE THRUST - S&D OPERATION. FRD: 270 KIA, 1739 WIA; EN: 2728 KIA, 47 PW, 462 WPNS.
19MAY68	CAMP EVANS		RECEIVED 12 ROUNDS OF UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY ROCKET FIRE. DAMAGE ASSESSMENT: 5 HELOS DESTROYED, 107 HELOS AND 6 FIXED WINGED AIRCRAFT DAMAGED.
19MAY68	3 NM SSE OF DANANG		MARBLE MOUNTAIN AIR FACILITY RECEIVED 25 ROUNDS OF UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY MORTAR FIRE. DAMAGE ASSESSMENT: 5 UH-1Es, 3 CH-46s, 1 FUEL BLADDER AND ¼ TON TRUCK DAMAGED. 9 USMC WIA.
22MAY68	DANANG		FIRST DETACHMENT OF OV-10A AIRCRAFT ARRIVED IN COUNTRY AND FLEW THEIR FIRST COMBAT SUPPORT MISSION FOUR HOURS LATER.
23MAY68	1 NM ENE OF CON THIEN	1 USMC CO	ENGAGED AN ESTIMATED TWO ENEMY BATTALIONS. US: 23 KIA, 86 WIA; VC/NVA: 203 KIA, 3 DET, 6 WPNS.
24MAY68	CUA VIET		CUA VIET NAVAL FACILITY RECEIVED AN ESTIMATED 111 MIXED ARTY ROUNDS. DAMAGE ASSESSMENT: 16 10,000 GALLON FUEL BLADDERS, 120,000 GALLONS OF JP-4, 40,000 GALLONS OF MOGAS AND ONE 350 GPM PUMP DESTROYED.
24MAY68	6 NM NNE OF DONG HA	1 USMC CO	ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. US: 18 KIA, 33 WIA; VC/NVA: 241 KIA.
25MAY68	PHU BAI AIRFIELD		RECEIVED 30 ROUNDS OF MORTAR FIRE. US: 3 KIA, 14 WIA, ONE HANGER LIGHTLY DAMAGED, 6 CH-46s AND 3 UH-34s DAMAGED.
31MAY68	2 NM E OF TAN SON NHUT AIR BASE		AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY ATTEMPTING TO WITHDRAW WAS TAKEN UNDER FIRE BY ELEMENTS OF THE VNMC, SUPPORTED BY AC-47 AIRCRAFT. VNMC: 17 KIA, 71 WIA, 1 MIA; VC/NVA: 182 KIA, 11 DET, 60 WPNS.
1JUN68	III CTZ		PHASE I OF TOAN THANG CAMPAIGN ENDED 31MAY68. PHASE II BEGAN 1JUN68. TERM. RESULTS OF PHASE I: FRD: 1,349 KIA, (546 USA, 762 RVN, 23 FW), 6,289 WIA, (3,620 USA, 2,570 RVN, 99 FW). ENEMY: 11,894 KIA, 4,508 WPNS.
3JUN68	34 KM NE OF CAN THO	1 USA BN	ENGAGED AN ESTIMATED ENEMY BN. FRD: 16 KIA, 62 WIA. 1/HU-1E DAMAGED. ENEMY: 187 KIA, 56 WPNS.

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8JUN68	DANANG	BLT 3/1	WENT ASHORE RVN FROM LPH-8. SLF BRAVE RELIEVED BY 2/7.
8JUN68	CHU LAI AB		RECEIVED 5 RDS 122MM ROCKET FIRE. 2 KIA, 5WIA. 5 UH-1E's DAMAGES. 2 STRUCTURES DESTROYED.
10JUN68	QUANG NGAI PROV	1 USA BN	OPN MUSCATINE TERMINATED. FRD: 86 KIA, 501 WIA; ENEMY: 1,129 KIA, 393 WPNS CAPTURED.
11JUN68	QUANG TRI PROV	3 ARVN BN	OPN LAMSON 228C TERMINATED. FRD: 25 KIA, 89 WIA; ENEMY: 219 KIA, 49 WPNS CAPTURED.
11JUN68	TAN SON NHUT AB		RECEIVED 14 RDS 122MM ROCKETS. 1 HELO & 2 U-21 ACFT DESTROYED; 4/C-130, 1/U-21, 1/O-1A & 1 HELO DAMAGED.
13JUN68	CUA VIET		PORT FACILITY RECD 61 RDS ARTY. 100,000 GALLONS MOGAS AND DIESEL FUEL DESTROYED.
13JUN68	TAN SON NHUT AB		RECEIVED 4 RDS 107MM ROCKET FIRE. 1/U-3, 1/VNAF C119 DESTROYED. 1/EC-47 DAMAGED.
14JUN68	MARBLE MOUNT. AIR FACILITY	HMM-265	WENT AFLOAT ABOARD LPH-8 FROM MARBLE MOUNTAIN AIR FACILITY JOINING SLF BRAVO AND RELIEVING HMM-164.
14JUN68	8 MI S OF KHE SANH CBT BASE	1 USMC BN	ATTACKED BY UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. FRD: 17 KIA, 61 WIA; ENEMY: 219 KIA & 78 WPNS CAPTURED.
16JUN68	DANANG	DET "A", MASS-3	DEPARTED RVN FOR OKINAWA.
17JUN68	8 MI S KHE SANH CBT BASE	1 USMC BN	ATTACKED BY UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. FRD: 11 KIA, 30 WIA; ENEMY: 128 KIA, 38 WPNS CAPTURED.
20JUN68	DONG HA		RECEIVED 20 RDS ARTY. AMMO DUMP CAUGHT FIRE. 250,600 RDS OF ARTY & MORTAR AMMO DESTROYED.
21JUN-2JUL68	QUANG TIN PROV	1 USA BN	OPN VANCE CANYON: FRD: 5 KIA, 14 WIA; ENEMY: 6 KIA, 55 WPNS CAPTURED.
26JUN68	MARBLE MOUNT. AIR FACILITY		RECEIVED 7 RDS 122MM ROCKET FIRE. 7/UH-34, 1/UH-1E, 1 UNKNOWN TYPE HELO DAMAGED.
26JUN68	4 MI E OF QUANG TRI CITY	1 ARVN BN 1 USA CO	ENGAGED ESTIMATED ENEMY BN. FRD: 26 KIA, 72 WIA; ENEMY: 148 KIA & 40 WPNS CAPTURED.
26-28JUN68	7 MI NE OF QUANG TRI CITY	4 USA CAV TRPS & 1 USA CO	CORDON OPERATION. FRD: 3 KIA, 36 WIA; ENEMY: 152 KIA & 18 WPNS CAPTURED.
27-29JUN68	7 MI NE OF QUANG TRI CITY	2 USA CO, 2 USA CAV TRPS & USMC AIR	ENGAGED BN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. FRD: 3 KIA, 35 WIA; ENEMY - 225 KIA, 38 PW AND 78 WPNS CAPTURED.
1-7JUL68	DMZ AREA	USMC, USN, USAF & SAC	OPN THOR. A MASSIVE AIR, SEA & GROUND BOMBARDMENT OF ENEMY HEAVY WEAPONS IN DMZ AREA.
1JUL68	W OF NHA TRANG	ROKA	OPN DOK SURI BAEK NA 6 TERMINATED. FRD: 6 KIA, 7 WIA ENEMY - 305 KIA, 134 WPNS CAPTURED.
4JUL68	KHE SANH CBT BASE	USMC IN OPN SCOTLAND II	MARINES EVACUATED 94% OF EQUIPMENT & MATERIAL AND DESTROYED 90% OF FORTIFICATIONS AT THE COMBAT BASE.
4JUL68	12 MI SW OF QUANG TRI CITY	1 USMC CO	OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE. ENGAGED UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. USMC: 5 KIA, 64 WIA; ENEMY: 134 KIA & 15 WPNS CAPTURED.
6JUL68	QUANG NAM PROV	DET "A" OV-10A ACFT	ARRIVED IN-COUNTRY.
12JUL68	10 N MI S OF DANANG	3 ARVN BNS	OPN HUNG QUANG 1/51 TERMINATED. FRD: 16 KIA, 74 WIA; ENEMY: 161 KIA & 14 WPNS CAPTURED.
19JUL68	20 N MI W OF NHA TRANG	ROK CAPITOL DIVISION	OPN DOK SURI BAEK JEE 17 TERMINATED. FRD: 2 KIA, 2 WIA; ENEMY: 129 KIA & 36 WPNS CAPTURED.
20JUL68	QUANG TRI PROV	4TH CAG	4TH COMBINED ACTION GROUP ACTIVATED.
22JUL68	DANANG AIRFIELD		RECEIVED 6 122MM ROCKETS. 1/C-47 & 1/C-123 DAMAGED.
22JUL68	MARBLE MOUNT. AIR FACILITY		RECEIVED 25 RDS MORTAR FIRE. 1/CH-46, 3/CH-53A, 3/UH1E AND 1/OV-10A DESTROYED.
25JUL68	SAIGON	ROYAL THAI BDE	ARRIVED IN-COUNTRY.
26JUL68	DANANG AIRFIELD		RECEIVED 15 RDS 140MM ROCKET FIRE. 1/A-6A & 1 HANGER DESTROYED. 7/A-6A, 1/EA-6A, 1/USAF C-130 DAMAGED.
28JUL68	TUY HOA AIRFIELD		RECEIVED APPROX 6 RDS OF MORTAR/ROCKET FIRE FOLLOWED BY A GROUND ATTACK. US: 4 WIA, 2/C-130 DESTROYED, 2/C-130, 1/F-100, 1/C-47 DAMAGED; ENEMY: 9 KIA & 4 WPNS CAPTURED.
31JUL68	18 N MI NE OF AN KHE		UNITS IN OPN COCHISE GREEN FOUND CACHE CONTAINING 1 TON OF RICE, MORE THAN $550,000 VN PIASTERS AND $150,000.00 US IN 50 DOLLAR BILLS.
31JUL68	QUANG TRI PROV	1ST BDE, 5TH MECH DIV	ARRIVED IN-COUNTRY.
1-8AUG68	31 N MI SW OF CAN THO	VNMC & USA MOBILE RIVER GROUP	OPN QUYET CHIEN/MRG A TERMINATED. FRD: 4 KIA (3 US); ENEMY: 252 KIA AND 94 WPNS CAPTURED.
3AUG68	QUANG NAM PROV	DET "B" OV-10A ACFT	ARRIVED IN-COUNTRY.
4AUG68	32 KM NNW OF CAN THO	3 ARVN BN	OPN QUYET CHIEN COMBAT OPN INITIATED.
4AUG68	QUANG TIN PROV	3 USA BN	OPN POCAHONTAS FORREST TERMINATED. FRD: 4 KIA, 58 WIA; ENEMY: 96 KIA & 93 WPNS CAPTURED.
4-19AUG68	THUA TIN PROV	3 USA BN	OPN SOMMERSET PLAIN S&C OPN TERMINATED. FRD: 13 KIA, 19 WIA; ENEMY: 80 KIA & 35 WPNS CAPTURED.
6AUG68	15 N MI ESE OF CAN THO	4 ARVN BN	OPN QUYET 9/4 COMBAT OPN INITIATED.
12AUG68	QUANG TRI PROV	BLT 2/4 SLF ALPHA	RELIEVED BY BLT 2/26. HMM-362 CONTINUES AS SLF HELO SQUADRON.

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13AUG-11SEP68	QUANG NGAI PROV	2 ROKMC BN	OPN VICTORY DRAGON I TERMINATED. FRD: 14 KIA, 15 WIA (5 USMC); ENEMY: 110 KIA, 15 PW'S & 28 WPNS CAPTURED.
15AUG68	PHU BAI		PROV CTZ RVN REDESIGNATED XXIV CTZ RVN.
22-24AUG68	31 MI SW OF BAN ME THUOT		SF CAMP AT DUC LAP ATTACKED BY ENEMY REGIMENT. FRD: 114 KIA (7 US), 262 WIA (22 US); ENEMY: 646 KIA AND 212 WPNS CAPTURED.
23AUG68	PHU BAI	HMH-462	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
23AUG68	15 KM NW OF DANANG	1 USMC BN	OPN ALLEN BROOK TERMINATED. FRD: 172 KIA, 1,124 WIA; ENEMY: 1,017 KIA AND 154 WPNS CAPTURED.
24-26AUG68	TAM KY	USA, ARVN	EN ATTACK ON TAM KY. FRD: 9 KIA, 41 WIA; ENEMY: 489 KIA AND 40 WPNS CAPTURED.
25AUG68	QUANG TRI	MATCU-66	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
29AUG-9SEP68	QUANG NAM PROV	2 USMC BNs & 3 ARVN BNs	OPN SUSSEX BAY TERMINATED. FRD: 32 KIA (6 USMC), 155 WIA (26 USMC); ENEMY: 293 KIA, 46 WPNS CAPTD.
31AUG68	CHU LAI	VMFA-122	DEPARTED RVN FOR JAPAN. RELIEVED BY VMFA-334.
1SEP68	DANANG	VMFA-334	ARRIVED RVN.
1-2SEP68	PHU BAI/MARBLE MOUNTAIN AIR FACILITY	HMM-165, HMM-363, HMM-265	HMM-165 WENT AFLOAT TO LPH-10, RELIEF FOR HMM-265. HMM-265 RETURNED TO PHU BAI, WENT AFLOAT TO LPH-5, RELIEF FOR HMM-362. HMM-362 RETURNED TO MARBLE MOUNTAIN AIR FACILITY.
3SEP68	MARBLE MT. AIR FACILITY	HMM-163	DEPARTED RVN FOR CONUS. TRANSITION TO CH-46.
4-24SEP68	QUANG NGAI	3 USA BNs	OPN CHAMPAIGN GROVE TERMINATED. USA: 43 KIA, 172 WIA; ENEMY: 378 KIA, 2 PW, 73 WPNS.
11SEP68	22 NM WSW OF DANANG	1 USMC BN	OPN HOUSTON TERMINATED. USMC: 121 KIA, 848 WIA; ENEMY: 702 KIA, 258 WPNS.
11SEP-10CT68	QUANG NAM	4 ROKMC BNs	OPN VICTORY DRAGON II TERMINATED. ROKMC: 5 KIA, 24 WIA; ENEMY: 131 KIA, 5 PW, 46 WPNS.
12SEP-16OCT68	DANANG	RLT-27	REDEPLOYMENT FROM RVN. 1/27 DEBARKED IN HAWAII TO JOIN THE 1ST MARINE BRIGADE. 2/27 AND 3/27 DEBARKED AND REJOINED THE 5TH MARINE DIVISION AT MCB, CAMP PENDLETON. LAST PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT ARRIVED CONUS VIA SURFACE TRANSPORT ON 16 OCTOBER 1968.
16SEP68	11 NM NNE OF KHE SANH	1 USMC CO	RECEIVED 150 RDS MORTAR FIRE FOLLOWED BY TWO ENEMY ATTACKS. USMC: 25 KIA, 126 WIA; ENEMY 27 KIA.
18-19SEP68	S OF THE DMZ		MARINES OPERATING IN THE DMZ AREA IN OPN LANCASTER II UNCOVERED A TOTAL OF EIGHT CACHE CONTAINING 345,983 ROUNDS OF SA AMMO, 4312 ROUNDS OF 60/81/82MM MORTAR ROUNDS, 2,900 POUNDS OF EXPLOSIVES, 1,280 DETONATORS, 453 INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS, 71 ROCKETS, 24 ROCKET ROUNDS, 8,400 POUNDS OF RICE, 553 MINES, 667 BLASTING CAPS, AND 589 B-40/B-41 ROUNDS.
20SEP68	THUA THIEN	1/506 ABN	ARRIVED IN I CTZ FROM III CTZ AND WAS ATTACHED TO THE 3D BRIGADE, 82ND AIRBORNE BATTALION. THE 1/505 ABN DEPARTED I CTZ FOR III CTZ.
21SEP68	MARBLE MT AIR FACILITY		RECEIVED 15 ROUNDS OF 82MM MORTAR. 18/CH-46, 11/UH-34, 9/CH-53, 7/UH-1E RECEIVED LIGHT DAMAGE.
21SEP68	CHU LAI AIR FIELD AND LZ		RECEIVED 82 ROUNDS OF MIXED MORTAR AND ROCKET FIRE. FRD: 1 KIA, 11 WIA, 8 TRUCKS AND 2/155MM HOWITZERS DAMAGED.
24SEP68	26 NM N OF TAY NINH	KATUM SF CAMP	RECEIVED ATTACK BY UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. FRD: 12 PF KIA, 16 WIA. ENEMY: 135 KIA, 39 WPNS, 4 FLAME THROWERS, 1000 POUNDS EXPLOSIVES CAPTURED.
26SEP68	20 NM NNW OF TAY NINH	SF CAMP	ATTACKED BY UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. FRD: 4 KIA, 13 WIA (4 US); ENEMY: 132 KIA.
28SEP68	CUA VIET PORT		FIRE FROM UNKNOWN CAUSE DESTROYED 3/PBR, 1/FUEL BARGE, 1/LCM, 2/5 FT OUTBOARDS. 6/LCM DAMAGED.
29SEP68	OFF-SHORE RVN		USS NEW JERSEY ARRIVED ON STATION. FIRED 1ST MISSION 29SEP68 AT 1930 EDT.
1OCT68	7 NM SE OF DAU TIENG	2 USA CO's	FOUR CACHES WITH 86,400 ROUNDS OF 7.62; 300 CASES EXPLOSIVES; 200 ROUNDS 82MM MORTAR AND MISC INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS AND ASSORTED RR ROUNDS WERE CAPTURED.
1OCT68	9 NM SW OF SAIGON	ELEMENT's USA	FOUND CACHE WITH 144,000 ROUNDS 7.62; 63 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS; 50 B-40 ROUNDS.
3OCT68	17 NM NNW OF VUNG TAU	1st AUST TF	FOUND CACHE WITH 18 TONS OF RICE.

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6OCT68	16 NM NNW OF KHE SANH	1 USMC CO	FOUND CACHE WITH 200 ROUNDS OF 152MM, 100 155MM ARTY FUSES; ASST 60MM AND 82MM AMMO.
7OCT68	15NM SW OF QUANG TRI/19 NM W OF HUE	ELEMENTS OF USA	FOUND ONE MUNITIONS/ONE MEDICAL CACHE WITH 75,000,000 UNITS PENICILLIN, 18,000 cc's PLASMA, 16,000 UNKNOWN TYPE OF PILLS, 90 PKGS NOVOCAINE, 15,600 ROUNDS SA AMMO PLUS NUMEROUS MORTAR ROUNDS.
8OCT68	10 NM SW OF QUANG TRI	1 ARVN BN	FOUND ENEMY SUPPLY AREA WITH 100,000 SHEETS OF PROPAGANDA. 20,000 TIME FUSES, 4,400 LBS WRITING PAPER, 500 NVA UNIFORMS, 200 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS, 100 122MM ROCKET ROUNDS PLUS NUMEROUS PRIMERS, MEDICAL SUPPLIES, AP MINES AND INDIVIDUAL WEAPONS.
9OCT68	14 NM SW OF QUANG TRI	1 ARVN BN	FOUND CACHE WITH 2 TONS OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES.
9OCT68	NEAR HUE CITY	U.S. AND ARVN UNITS	FOUND CACHE WITH 10,00 7.62MM ROUNDS, 250 82MM ROUNDS 40 60MM ROUNDS, 20 TONS OF RICE, 10 B-40 ROCKETS.
9OCT68		MATCU-66	DEPARTED RVN FOR OKINAWA
10OCT68	19 NM SW OF QUANG TRI	1 ARVN BN	LOCATED CACHE WITH 5,000 POUNDS OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES, 5,000 BLASTING CAPS, 500 82MM FUSES, 200 B-40 ROCKET ROUNDS, 200 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS, 50 60MM MORTAR ROUNDS, AND 200 POUNDS OF TNT.
11-16OCT68		2D LAAM BN	DEPARTED RVN FOR CONUS. RELOCATED AT 29 PALMS, CALIFORNIA.
17OCT68		1 USMC BN	FOUND 2 CACHES WITH 333 ROUNDS OF 152MM ARTILLERY AMMUNITION.
19OCT68		2 USMC BNs 2 ARVN BNs	OPERATION MAUI PEAK TERMINATED. USMC: 28 KIA, 143 WIA; ENEMY: 353 KIA, 1 PW, 27 WEAPONS CAPTURED.
22-23OCT68	HILL 200, 19 NM SW OF DANANG DANANG	STING RAY	21 MAN RECON OVER A 3 DAY PERIOD OBSERVED AND DIRECTED AIR AND ARTILLERY ON AN NVA BN. RESULTING IN 204 ENEMY KIA.
23OCT68		4 USMC BNs	OPERATION MAMELUKE THRUST TERMINATED. USMC: 269 KIA, 1,730 WIA; ENEMY: 2,728 KIA, 47 PWS AND 462 WEAPONS CAPTURED.
25OCT68			DET "C" WITH 10 OV-10A CLOSED RVN.
28OCT68-12NOV 68		1STCAVDIV(AM)	DEPART I CTZ FOR III CTZ. LAST UNIT CLOSED III CTZ 12NOV68
28OCT68	33 NM SSW OF CA MAU		USS WASHOE CTY (LST-1165) WITH 7 OTHER RIVER PATROL CRAFT DESTROYED 57 STRUCTURES, 146 SAMPANS, 1 MOTOR JUNK, 77 SAMPANS AND 99 STRUCTURES DAMAGED.

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2ND SP BATTALION	LTCOL	S. H. BATCHELDER
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MWFS-2	MAJOR	D. C. FITZGERALD
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MWSG-27		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	N. G. EWERS
H&MS-27	LTCOL	B. R. STANDLEY
WERS-27	LTCOL	A. J. KOHANOWICH
VMGR-252	LTCOL	C. C. CHISHOLM
MWCG-28		
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MACS-9	LTCOL	A. L. BLAIR
MAG-14		
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MABS-14	MAJOR	R. W. TUCKER, JR.
VMCJ-2	LTCOL	S. D. COX
VMA(AW)-224	LTCOL	F. G. DAWSON
VMA(AW)-225	LTCOL	R. L. TOWNSEND
VMA(AW)-332	LTCOL	T. L. GRIFFIN
VMFA-513	LTCOL	J. RYAN, JR.
MCCRTG-20		
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VMAT(AW)-202	MAJOR	A. R. EDENS
VMT-203	LTCOL	R. W. CHAPIN
MAG-26		
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H&MS-26	MAJOR	D. F. KELLEY
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HMH-461	LTCOL	J. C. ROBINSON
HMM-162	LTCOL	R. A. PLAMONDON
HMM-261	LTCOL	V. J. GUINEE, JR.
HMM-264	LTCOL	B. B. SMITH, JR.
HMM-365	LTCOL	L. L. MILLS
HMH-361	LTCOL	M. J. NEEDHAM
MAG-31		
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VMA-331	LTCOL	T. C. D'ANDREA
VMFA-333	LTCOL	J. J. MITCHELL
VMFA-451	LTCOL	H. L. JACKSON, JR.
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MABS-32	MAJOR	M. J. BURNS
VMFA-251	LTCOL	E. C. JOHNSON
VMFA-312	LTCOL	T. E. BRADLEY
VMA-324	LTCOL	P. G. JANSSEN
3D LAAM BN	LTCOL	F. M. NELSON

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	STRENGTH	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTAL	308,138*	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	161,683	52.47	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	37,263	12.10	23.05	
FMF PACIFIC	124,420	40.37	76.95	
VIETNAM	80,422	26.10	49.12	63.84

SOURCE: *MONTHLY USMC PERSONNEL ALLOCATION REPORT OF 6 NOVEMBER 1968.
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	FIXW	HELO	TOTAL	PERCENT USMC	PERCENT FMF	PERCENT FMFPAC
USMC TOTALS	1043	657	1700	100.00		
FLEET MARINE FORCES	732	560	1292	75.88	100.00	
FMF ATLANTIC	260	143	403	23.70	31.73	
FMF PACIFIC	472	417	889	52.18	68.27	
VIETNAM	252	288	540	32.15	42.12	61.65

SOURCE: USMC TOTALS, USMC AVN STATUS BD PHOTO OF 19 NOVEMBER 1968.

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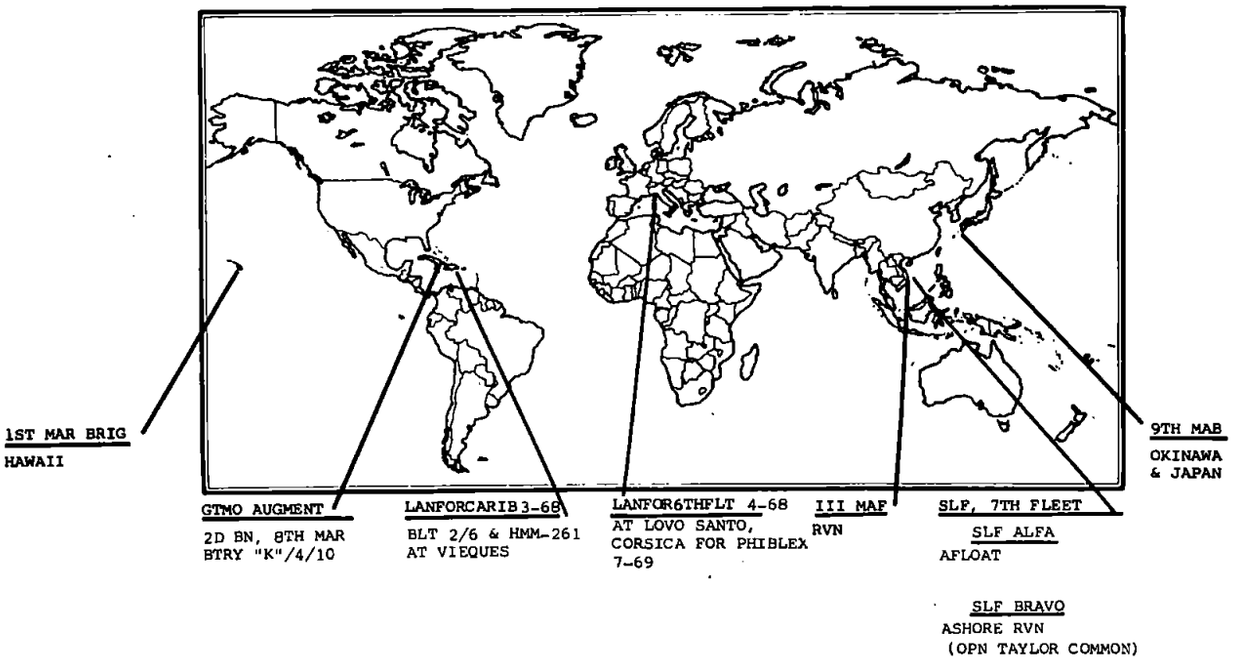
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

11 DECEMBER 1968



DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMR	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN	(20)	(5)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	(2)	
OKINAWA/JAPAN		(1)								(1)
AFLOAT	(1)					(1)				
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII	(1)	(2)								
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
AFLOAT										
ATLANTIC	8	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST	(6)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3)	(2)		(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)					(1)				
EUROPE	1									
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

11 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,242	74,712	79,954	
DANANG	(2,946)	(41,955)	(44,901)	#
CHU LAI	(479)	(5,032)	(5,511)	
PHU BAI	(355)	(3,013)	(3,368)	
DONG HA	(1,457)	(24,565)	(26,022)	
AFLOAT	(5)	(147)	(152)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	168	3,111	3,279	
SLF ALFA	(107)	(1,627)	(1,734)	
SLF BRAVO.	(61)	(1,484)	(1,545)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,411	75,011	80,422	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS				
31 OCTOBER 1968			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	462	3,013	3,475	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1286 EVENTS OF 6, 7, & 8 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DCD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

11 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

HQS 3D MAR DIV

USMC 26,174
USN 1,289 *
USA 7,256

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

(TF BRAVO)
3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
1/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
3/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
1ST AMTRAC BN

(TF HOTEL)
4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
1/11 INF (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)
1/77 ARMOR (OPN MARSHALL MOUNTAIN)

1st MAW
PROV MAG-39
VMO-6 (UH-1E)
HMM-262 (CH-46A)
HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

HQ,XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

USMC 3,368
USN 72 *
USA 23,995

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW
MAG-36
HML-367 (UH-1E)
HMM-363 (UH-34D)
HMH-462 (CH-53A)
HMM-364 (CH-46D)
HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM HQS, III MAF

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

USMC 44,901
USN 1,993 *
USA 2,173
ROKMC 6,773

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
2/1
3/1
1/1
3/26

7TH MARINES
1/7
3/7

26TH MARINES
1/26

2D ROKMC BDE
1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

(TF YANKEE)
5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

HQ 1st MAW
MAG-11
VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
VMFA-542 (F-4B)
VMFA-334 (F-4J)
VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
HML-167 (UH-1E)
HMH-463 (CH-53A)
HMM-164 (CH-46A)
HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

USMC 5,511
USN 116 *
USA 23,441

196TH LT INF BDE
2/1 INF
3/21 INF
4/31 INF
1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
1/52 INF
5/46 INF
1/6 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
4/3 INF
3/1 INF

1st MAW
MAG-12
VMA-121 (A-4E)
VMA-211 (A-4E)
VMA-223 (A-4C)
VMA-311 (A-4E)
VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
VMFA-115 (F-4B)
VMFA-314 (F-4B)
VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	80,422	3,475
III MAF	79,954	3,475 #
SLF's	(3,279)	(211)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	79,640
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,586
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	287,620

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 (AFLOAT) HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,734	98
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A)@	1,545	113

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,668	234

MAG-15
VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,812	26

MOVEMENTS

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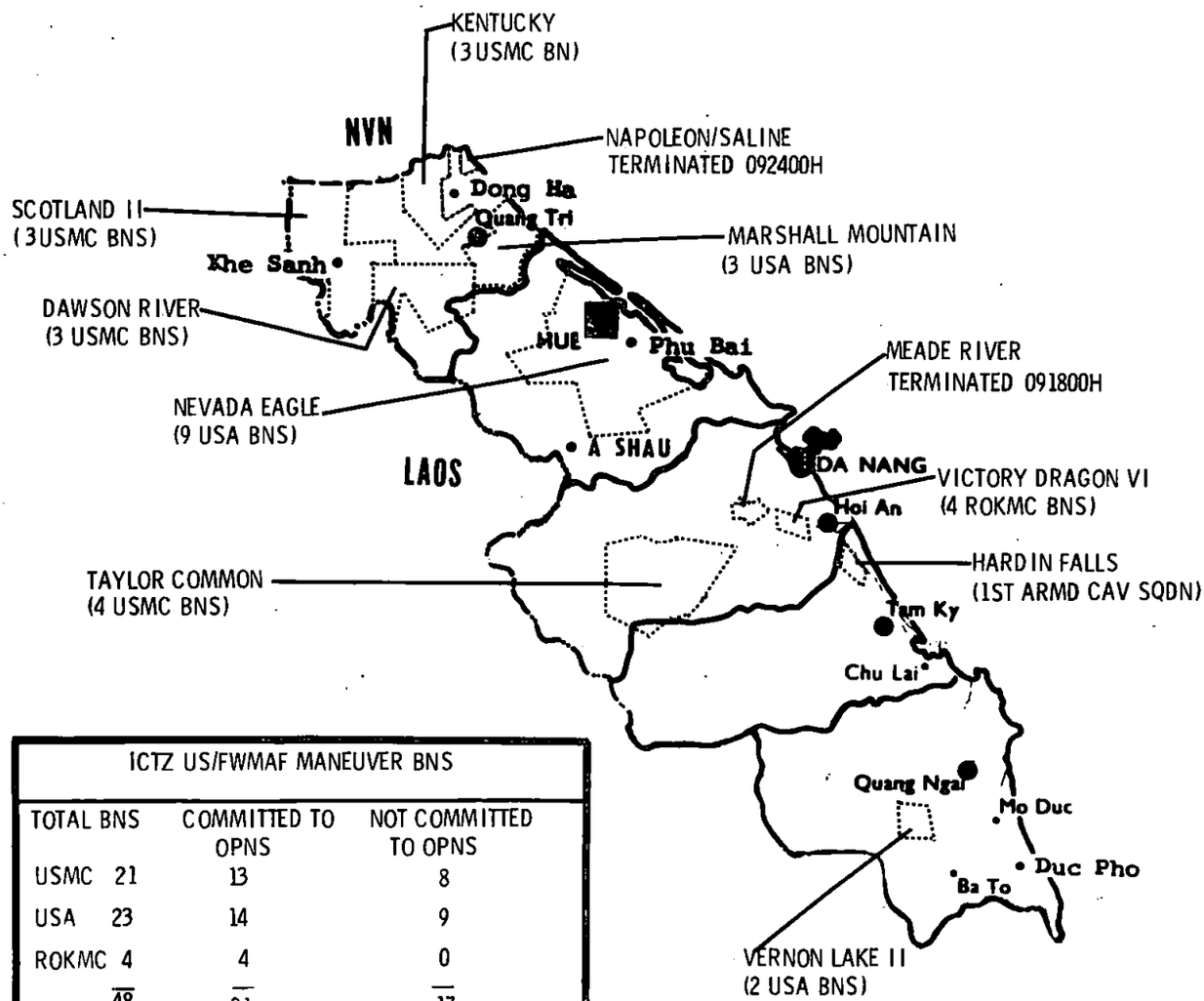
* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A" and "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



ICTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS		
TOTAL BNS	COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC 21	13	8
USA 23	14	9
ROKMC 4	4	0
48	31	17

USMC - 7 BNS DANANG

USA - 9 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

SLF-"A" (BLT 2/26) AFLOAT

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 112400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	671 25 USA	2,495 187 USA	3,060
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 1/3, 2/3 & 3/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 663 USA	3,791
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN (10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	NONE	3 USA	NONE
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	2	14	14
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	170 USA	1,505 USA	2,840
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5 3/5 & BLT 2/7	17 KM WSW OF AN HOA	8	39	84
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	31
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	*6 USA	54 USA	110
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	1 ROKMC	6 ROKMC	79

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF
III MAF OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS IN VIETNAM

1967

11 DECEMBER 1968

OPERATION NAME	DATES	UNITS#	CASUALTIES USMC KIA	USMC WIA	OTHER KIA	OTHER WIA	VC/NVA KIA	VC/NVA PW	VC/NVA WPNS
COOK	2-10SEP	9 BN USA	3	14	2	12	54		3
SWIFT	4-15SEP	1 BN	127	352			571	8	85
DRAGON FIRE	5SEP-30OCT	3 BN ROKMC		3	45	200	541	17	45
WHEELER/WALLOWA	11SEP67-11NOV68	4 BN USA		6	683	3597	10020	246	2053
SHELBYVILLE	22-29SEP	4 BN	10	69			50		59
MEDINA	11-20OCT	2 BN	34	225			54		26
BEAUTIFUL PLUM	11-24OCT	1 BN ROKMC			1	6			
ONSLOW	15-17OCT	1 BN		9			1		
OSCEOLA	20OCT67-20JAN68	2 BN	17	199			76	1	32
KNOX	23OCT-4NOV	2 BN	1	15			1		7
GRANITE	26OCT-6NOV	3 BN	25	88			34		3
SCOTLAND	1NOV67-31MAR68	2 BN	204	1622			1631	9	182
LANCASTER	1NOV67-20JAN68	2 BN	27	141			46		12
★ KENTUCKY	1NOV-	4 BN							
NEOSHO	1NOV67-20JAN68	3 BN	12	100			78	5	10
* NAPOLEON	5NOV67-28FEB68	1 BN(R)							
ESSEX	6-17NOV	1 BN	37	122			72	1	7
DRAGON TRAIL	10NOV-21DEC	1 BN ROKMC				9	31		3
FOSTER	13-30NOV	2 BN	21	137			125		12
COVE	18-21NOV	3 BN	1	13			1		
PITT	5-12DEC	1 BN	1	1			2		2
CITRUS	15-23DEC	1 BN	4	50			35	2	3
MUSCATINE	19DEC67-10JUN68	2 BN USA			86	501	1129	24	393
FLYING DRAGON	22DEC67-31JAN68	1 BN ROKMC		24	24	116	108		13
AUBURN	28DEC67-3Jan68	1 BN(-)	24	62			37		5

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LANCASTER II	20JAN-	2 BN	359	2101			1801		913
OSCEOLA II	20JAN-16FEB	2 BN	2	74			21	12	8
NEOSHO II	20-24JAN	1 BN		5			1		
JEB STUART	22JAN-31MAR	4 BN USA	7	17	284	1717	3268	119	733
DINOSAUR	29JAN-29FEB	2D ROKMC BDE		14	60	175	614	5	94
* SALINE	30JAN-28FEB	1 BN 1 BN USA							
HUE CITY	1FEB-2MAR	1 BN	142	857	6	54	1943	10	657
NUTCRACKER	4-6FEB	1 BN(-)					4		
HOUSTON	26FEB-12SEP68	4 BN(-)	117	791	2	39	702	29	258
TAMPA	27FEB-3MAR	2 BN(-)		2			4		
* NAPOLEON/SALINE	29FEB-9DEC68	2 BN (R)	353	1959	42	173	3495	106	831
DINOSAUR II	1-13MAR	2D ROKMC BDE		1	5	8	12		2
MINGO	3-7MAR	1 BN 1 BN USA				4	5		2
ROCK	6-10MAR	1 BN	3	24			35	6	2
WORTH	13-25MAR	2 BN	27	89			167	2	20
FORD	14-20MAR	2 BN	13	113	1		145	5	19
MARCHING DRAGON	14-23MAR	2D ROKMC BDE		7	9	40	50		10
RICE BOWL	23-31MAR	2D ROKMC BDE		2	27	15	47		5
PEGASUS	1-15APR	7 BN 3 BDE USA	51	459	41	184	1044	18	663
BRILLIANT DRAGON	1-17APR	2D ROKMC BDE	5	5	13	32	149	69	15
CARENTAN II	1APR-17MAY	6 Bn USA			156	886	2100	160	581
BURLINGTON TRAIL	8APR-11NOV68	2 Bn USA			129	985	1948	34	545
NORFOLK VICTORY	8-19APR	1 Bn USA			6	33	45	2	132
JASPER SQUARE	10-14APR	1 Bn	6	30			54	3	10
CHARLTON	12-16APR	2 BN 1 CAV SQ		12					1
★ SCOTLAND II	15APR-	7 BN 2 CAV SQ							
DELAWARE VALLEY	19APR-17MAY	6 USA BNs			142	731	735	5	2503
BAXTER GARDEN	19-26APR68	1 BN	13	125			55		17
BRILLIANT DRAGONII	18APR-23APR	2D ROKMC BDE			1	22	30		1
RICE	18APR-17MAY	2 BN 1 CAV SQ	2	30	11	65	88	1	17
BRILLIANT DRAGON III	28APR-18MAY	2D ROKMC BDE		3	16	81	133	17	23
BALLARD VALLEY	29APR-3MAY	1 BN					2		

USMC UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED
★ OPERATION CURRENTLY IN PROGRESS (Casualties shown on Page 19-2).
* INCLUDED AS ONE OPN ON 29FEB68. (CASUALTIES CARRIED FORWARD)

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

11 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,948	37,928	28,485	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 10 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,022	1,294	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
60,697	3,329	11,843

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 45 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 55 — Admitted to hospital → 55
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 46 — Evacuated from SVN → 46
    - 27 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*42,284 CASUALTIES, 1JAN67-12JUN68.

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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA

11 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 79.4
CTG: COL J. F. MC MAHON

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
SLF HQS DET				
BLT 2/26				
(LTCOL W. F. SPARKS)				
2ND BN, 26TH MARINES	33	1022	5	60
MORT BTRY, 1/12	3	64		2
BTRY B, 1/13	10	99		2
PLAT, CO A, 5TH AT BN	1	21		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH AMTRAC BN	1	37		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH TANK BN	1	28		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH RECON BN	1	21		1
PLAT, CO C, 3D ENGR BN	1	38		1
PLAT, CO C, 3D MT BN	1	31		
PLAT, H&S CO, 3D SP BN	1	45		1
PLAT, CO D, 5TH MED BN		5	3	20
DET, HQBN, 3D MAR DIV	1	8		
DET, HQCO, 26TH MARINES		6		
DET, COMM SPT CO, 9TH MAB				
DET, 15TH DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-362	53	202	1	
LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP				
TOTALS	107	1,627	10	88

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

68 M60 MG
28 M20 3.5 RL
16 M2 MG
12 M10 60MM MORT
8 M20 81MM MORT
8 M40 106MM RR
6 M30 107MM MORT
6 M101A1 105MM HOW
5 M48 90MM TANK
5 M50 ONTOS
2 M2 FLAME THROWER

36 M35 2½T CARGO TRK
10 LVTP-5
1 LVTP-6
9 M422 ¼T MITE
8 M274 ½T MULE
5 M37 3/4T CARGO TRK
2 M49 TANK TRK
2 M54 CARGO TRK
1 M38 ½T UTIL TRK
1 M170 AMBULANCE

AIRCRAFT

24/UH-34D

LOCATION

BLT 2/26
AFLOAT

SEE MAP FOLLOWING PAGE

SHIPPING

USS OKINAWA (LPH-3)
USS FORT MARION (LSD-22)
USS DULUTH (LPD-7)
USS WINDHAM CTY (LST-1170)

SUPPLIES

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

SLF BRAVO

11 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 79.5
CTG: COL R. R. WILSON

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
SLF HQS DET				
BLT 2/7	61	1484	7	106
(LTCOL N. A. NELSON)				
2D BN, 7TH MARINES				
MORT BTRY 3/11				
BTRY "H", 3/11				
PLAT, CO B, 1ST TANK BN				
PLAT, CO A, 1ST AT BN				
PLAT, CO C, 1ST SP BN				
PLAT, CO B, 3D AMTRAC BN				
PLAT, CO C, 1ST ENGR BN				
PLAT, 1ST MT BN				
LSU, FLC, III MAF				
TOTALS	61	1,484	7	106

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

54 M60 MG
24 M24 3.5 RL
12 M10 60 MM MORT
8 M29 81 MM MORT
8 M40 106 MM RR
6 M30 107 MM MORT
6 M101A1 105 MM HOW
8 M2 FLAME THROWER
5 M48 90 MM TANK
5 M50 ONTOS

23 M35 2½T CARGO TRK
7 M37 3/4T CARGO TRK
7 M38 ¼T UTIL TRK
2 M170 AMBULANCE
11 LVTP5
3 CRANES
3 TD15 TRACTORS
1 M54 5T TRK
2 M543 5T WRECKERS
2 5T DUMPTRUCK

AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

BLT 2/7
(ASHORE RVN)
(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
HMM-165
(ASHORE RVN OPCON MAG-16)

SEE MAP FOLLOWING PAGE

SHIPPING

USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10)
USS OGDEN (LPD-5)
USS MONTICELLO (LSD-35)
USS SEMINOLE (LKA-104)

SUPPLIES

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

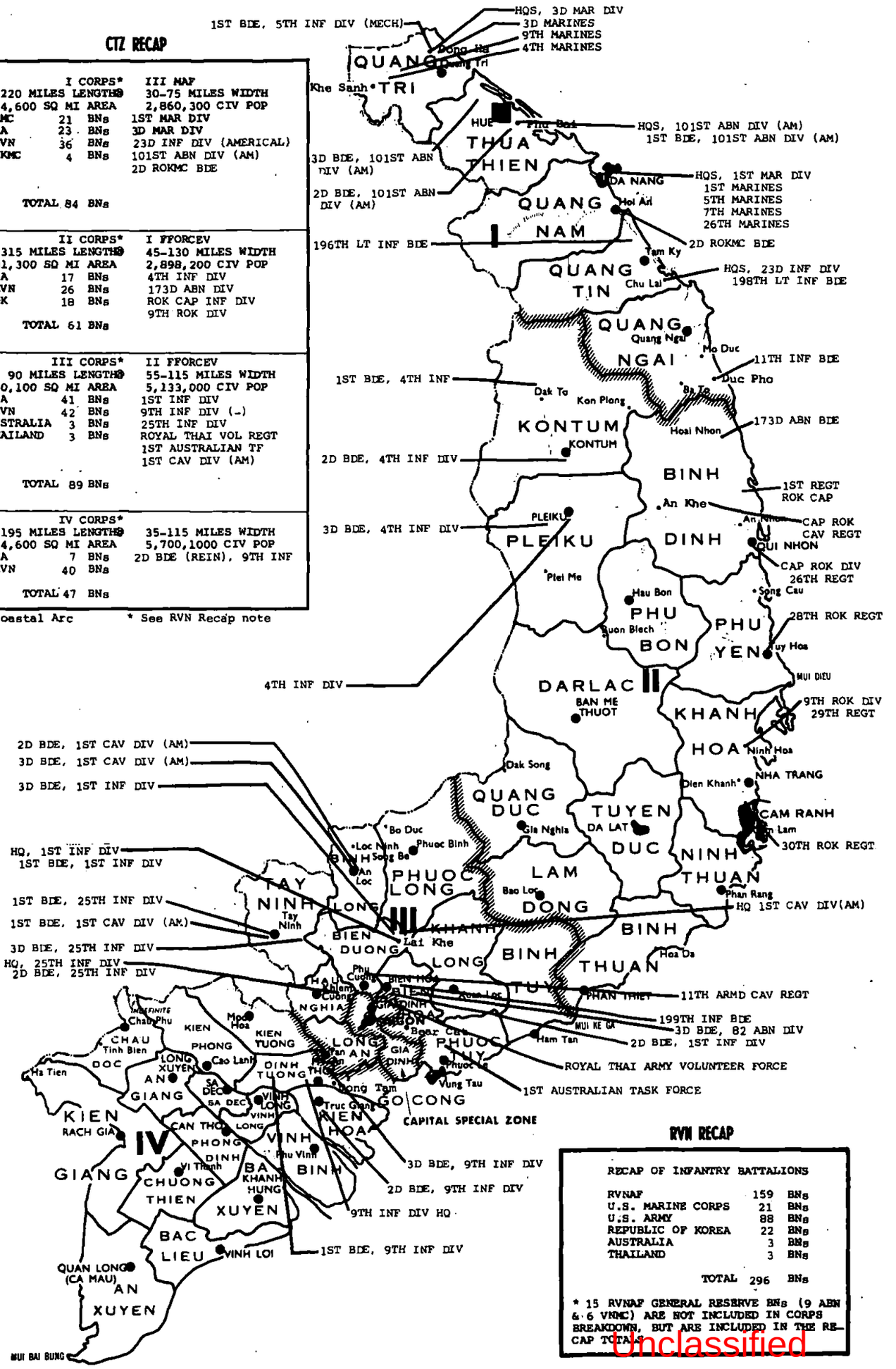
Unclassified

DISPOSITION OF MAJOR US & FWMAF UNITS IN RVN

CTZ RECAP

I CORPS*	**III MAF**
220 MILES LENGTH⊛	30-75 MILES WIDTH
14,600 SQ MI AREA	2,860,300 CIV POP
USMC 21 BNs	1ST MAR DIV
USA 23 BNs	3D MAR DIV
ARVN 36 BNs	23D INF DIV (AMERICAL)
ROKMC 4 BNs	101ST ABN DIV (AM)
	2D ROKMC BDE
TOTAL 84 BNs	
II CORPS*	**I FFORCEV**
315 MILES LENGTH⊛	45-130 MILES WIDTH
31,300 SQ MI AREA	2,898,200 CIV POP
USA 17 BNs	4TH INF DIV
ARVN 26 BNs	173D ABN DIV
ROK 18 BNs	ROK CAP INF DIV
	9TH ROK DIV
TOTAL 61 BNs	
III CORPS*	**II FFORCEV**
90 MILES LENGTH⊛	55-115 MILES WIDTH
10,100 SQ MI AREA	5,133,000 CIV POP
USA 41 BNs	1ST INF DIV
ARVN 42 BNs	9TH INF DIV (-)
AUSTRALIA 3 BNs	25TH INF DIV
THAILAND 3 BNs	ROYAL THAI VOL REGT
	1ST AUSTRALIAN TF
	1ST CAV DIV (AM)
TOTAL 89 BNs	
IV CORPS*	
195 MILES LENGTH⊛	35-115 MILES WIDTH
14,600 SQ MI AREA	5,700,1000 CIV POP
USA 7 BNs	2D BDE (REIN), 9TH INF
ARVN 40 BNs	
TOTAL 47 BNs	

⊛ Coastal Arc * See RVN Recap note



RVN RECAP

RECAP OF INFANTRY BATTALIONS		
RVNAF	159	BNs
U.S. MARINE CORPS	21	BNs
U.S. ARMY	88	BNs
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	22	BNs
AUSTRALIA	3	BNs
THAILAND	3	BNs
TOTAL	296	BNs

* 15 RVNAF GENERAL RESERVE BNs (9 ABN & 6 VNMC) ARE NOT INCLUDED IN CORPS BREAKDOWN, BUT ARE INCLUDED IN THE RECAP TOTAL.

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US NAVY UNITS IN I CTZ

11 DECEMBER 1968

	CHU LAI	DANANG	PHU BAI	QUANG TRI	DONG HA
NAVAL SUPPORT ACTIVITY		10,527	78*		494
3D NAV CONST BDE		270			
30TH NAV CONST REGT .		29			
MCB-1		781			
MCB-3		850			
MCB-12		715			
MCB-22		705			
MCB-71	408				
MCB-74	758				
32D NAV CONST REGT . .			39@		
MCB-7					784
MCB-10				767**	
MCB-11				892	
MCB-121			759@		
MCB-133			676		
OTHER UNITS & DETACHMENTS	106	473			
AREA TOTALS	1,272	14,350	1,552	1,659	1,278

SOURCE: BUPERS STRENGTH AND STATISTICAL BRANCH REPORT = IW OF: 2 DECEMBER 1968.

* LOCATED AT HUE LAGOON.
** LOCATED AT CAMP EVANS.
@ LOCATED AT GIA LE.

I CTZ TOTAL: 20,111

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FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

10 DECEMBER 1968

1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
AT LOVO SANTO,
CORSICA FOR PHIBLEX
7-69

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET
SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN	21	(5)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	(2)	
OKINAWA/JAPAN		(1)								(1)
AFLOAT						(1)				
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII	(1)	(2)								
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
AFLOAT										
ATLANTIC	8	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST	(6)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3)	(2)		(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)					(1)				
EUROPE	1									
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMFPAC TACTICAL UNITS

10 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
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, 3/7						2/7	1
9TH MARINES			1/9, 2/9, 3/9						
26TH MARINES		1/26, 3/26						2/26	1
27TH MARINES						1/27	2/27, 3/27		
28TH MARINES							1/28, 2/28 3/28		
MAG-11		VMCJ-1 VMA(AW)-242 VMFA-542 VMFA-334							
MAG-12	VMA-121 VMA-211 VMA-223 VMA-311 VMA(AW)-533								
MAG-13	VMFA-115 VMFA-323 VMFA-314								
MAG-16		VMO-2 HML-167 HMH-463 HMM-164 HMM-165							
MAG-36			HMM-265 HML-363 HMM-364 HML-367 HMH-462						
PROV MAG-39			VMO-6 HMM-262 HMM-161						
MAG-15					VMFA-122			HMM-362	1
MAG-24						VMFA-212 VMFA-235			
MAG-33							VMCJ-3 VMA-214 VMFA-232 VMFA-531		
MAG-56							HML-267 HMM-263 HMM-163 HMM-561		

NOTE 1: SLF

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND EQUIPMENT

EQUIPMENT	T/E AUTH	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
60mm MORTAR M19	328		108	120		12	48	24	1
81mm MORTAR M29	216		80	72		8	40	16	1
106mm RR M40A1C	216		80	72		8	40	16	1
107mm MORTAR M30	54		12	18		6	6	12	1
105mm HOW TD M101A1	162		60	54		6	30	12	1
155mm HOW TD M114A1	24		6	23					
155mm HOW SP M109	54		24	18			12		
155mm GUN SP M53	24		6	12			6		
8in HOW SP M110	18		4	10			4		
ONTOS M50A1	135		15	5	5		23	10	1
90mm TANK M48A3	159		60	53			36	10	1
120mm TANK M103A2	17						17		
FLAME TANK M67A2	27		12	9			6		
LVTH6	18		12	6					1
LVTP5	347		72	95			90	20	1
LVTE1	20		8	4			8		
HAWK LAUNCHERS	54		18				18		
HAWK MISSILES	252		110						

NOTES: 1 UNITS/EQUIPMENT IN OTHER ASSIGNED TO SLF's.

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

10 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,242	74,712	79,954	
DANANG	(2,946)	(41,955)	(44,901)	#
CHU LAI	(479)	(5,032)	(5,511)	
PHU BAI	(355)	(3,013)	(3,368)	
DONG HA	(1,457)	(24,565)	(26,022)	
AFLOAT	(5)	(147)	(152)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	166	3,245	3,411	
SLF ALFA	(108)	(1,627)	(1,735)	
SLF BRAVO.	(58)	(1,618)	(1,676)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,411	75,011	80,422	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS				
31 OCTOBER 1968			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	462	3,013	3,475	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1286 EVENTS OF 6, 7, & 8 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

10 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

HQS 3D MAR DIV (TF-H)

USMC	26,174
USN	1,289 *
USA	7,256

4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 3/3 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1ST AMTRAC BN (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

HQ,XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

USMC	3,368
USN	72 *
USA	23,995

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF
HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

USMC	44,901
USN	1,993 *
USA	2,173
ROKMC	6,773

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/1
- 3/1
- 1/1 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

BLT 2/26 (SLF A)
- 1/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

7TH MARINES
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES
- 1/26

(TF YANKEE)
5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

HQ 1st MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

USMC	5,511
USN	116 *
USA	23,441

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF
- 1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF
- 1/6 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	80,422	3,475
III MAF	79,954	3,475 #
SLF's	(3,411)	(185)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	79,640
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,742
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	287,776

SLF 7th FLEET

	USMC	USN
ALFA : BLT 2/26 HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,735	98
BRAVO : BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A)@	1,676	87

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,668	234

MAG-15
- VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,812	26

MOVEMENTS

Unclassified

* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A" and "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

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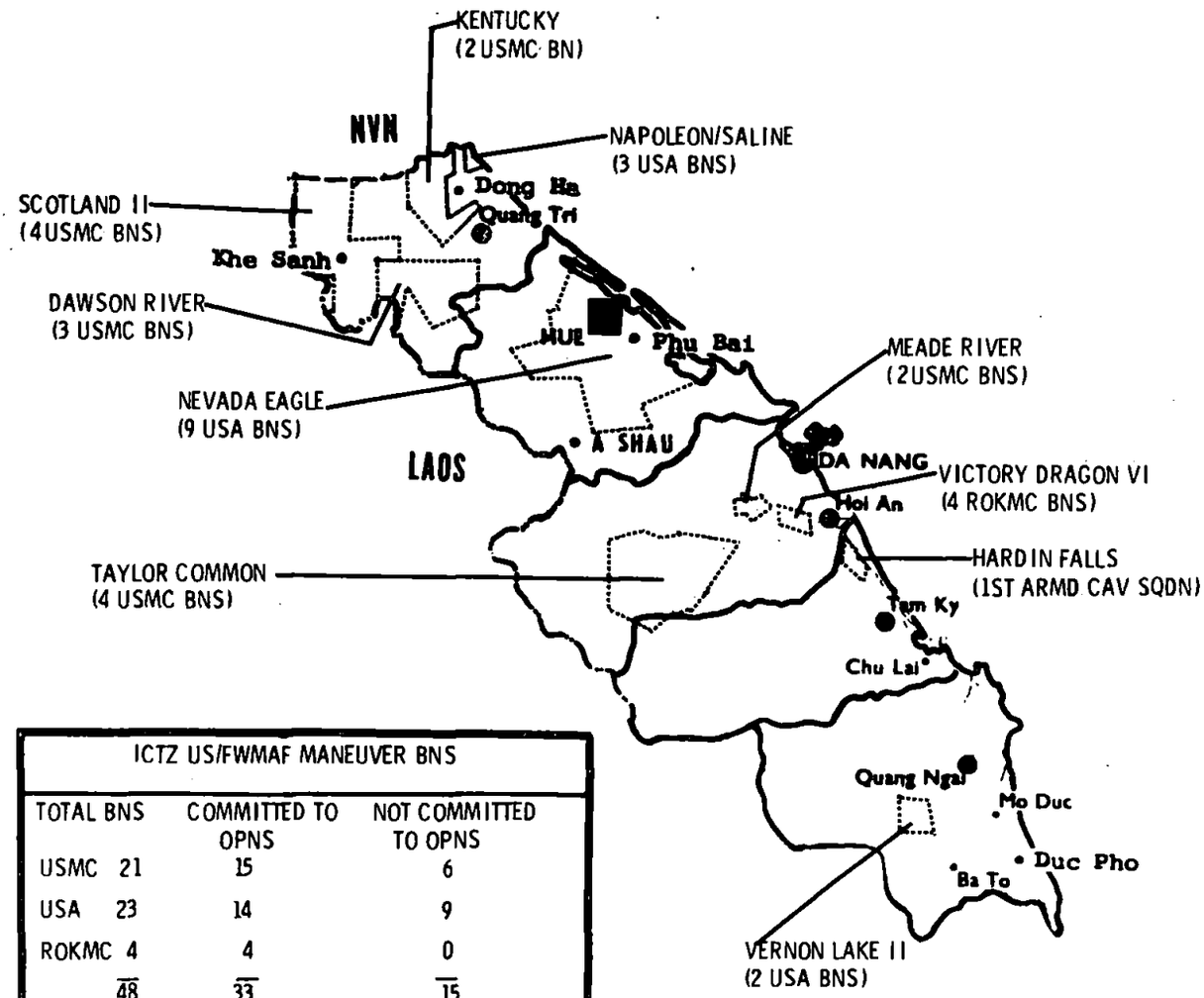
MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



ICTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS		
TOTAL BNS	COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC 21	15	6
USA 23	14	9
ROKMC 4	4	0
48	33	15

USMC - 6 BNS DANANG

USA - 9 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 102400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	371 25 USA	2,195 157 USA	3,060
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	TF BRAVO: 1/3, 2/3 & 3/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,791
NAPOLEON/SALINE (5NOV67) TERMINATED 092400H	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	MOUTH OF CUA VIET RIVER	#353 42 USA	*#1,959 173 USA 1 USA MIA	#3,495
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	2	12	13
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	169 USA	1,490 USA	*2,839
MEADE RIVER (20NOV68) TERMINATED 091800H	1ST MAR: 1/1 & 3/26	14 KM WEST OF HOI AN	*#107	*#528 1 USN	*#847
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5 3/5 & BLT 2/7	NORTH OF AN HOA	5	36	74
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	30
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	5 USA	54 USA	110
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	1 ROKMC	6 ROKMC	71
MARSHALL MOUNTAIN 10DEC68)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	5 KM E OF QUANG TRI	NONE	3 USA	NONE

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED
# - FINAL CUMULATIVE CASUALTIES.

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

10 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,941	37,880	28,460	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 9 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,022	1,292	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
60,279	3,318	11,751

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 45 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 55 — Admitted to hospital → 55
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 46 — Evacuated from SVN → 46
    - 27 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*42,284 CASUALTIES, 1JAN67-12JUN68.

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

10 DECEMBER 1968

VIETNAM REFERENCE DATA

SELECTED ENEMY WEAPONS RANGES

		METERS	YARDS
CHICOM	60mm mortar	1566	1700
SOVIET	82mm mortar	3040	3320
SOVIET	120mm mortar	5700	6235
SOVIET	102mm rocket	5030	5500
SOVIET	122mm rocket	10100	12000
SOVIET	140mm rocket	8800	9750
SOVIET	200mm rocket	20300	22200
SOVIET	250mm rocket	55900	61000
SOVIET	76mm field gun	13300	14550
SOVIET	100mm field gun	21000	22900
U. S.	105mm howitzer	11000	12030
SOVIET	122mm gun/how	15300	16740
SOVIET	122mm field gun	21900	24000
SOVIET	130mm field gun	27000	29500
SOVIET	152mm gun/how	17200	18000

MARINE TOUR/EXTENSION IN RVN DATA*

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL
VOLUNTARY EXTENSIONS FOR 6 MONTHS OR LONGER SINCE JUNE 1966	538	26,908	27,446
SERVING ON SECOND TOUR OF DUTY IN RVN SINCE MARCH 1965			
VOLUNTARY	106	883	989
INVOLUNTARY	0	1	1

SOURCE: CG FMFPAC 152132Z NOV68 (AS OF 31OCT68)

COMBINED ACTION UNIT STATISTICS PERIOD 1 - 30 NOV 1968

FRIENDLY LOSSES:	KIA	WIA
USMC	8	36
USN		3
PF	10	53

ENEMY LOSSES:	KIA	PW/DET	RET	WPNS
	216	71/360	13	64

	USMC OFF	USMC ENL	USN	PF
STRENGTH:	36	1654	135	3199

TOTAL UNITS	CAG	CAC	CAP
	4	19	102

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

10 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS FLEET MARINE FORCE ATLANTIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN	R. G. WEEDE
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN	N. J. ANDERSON
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	A. L. JONES
ACOS G-1	COL	M. D. TWEED
ACOS G-2	COL	O. W. CORMAN
ACOS G-3	COL	R. H. JESCHKE, JR.
ACOS G-4	COL	W. R. NOWALNICK

2D MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN	E. B. WHEELER
ADC	BGEN	J. C. FEGAN JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	C. W. WALKER
ACOS G-1	COL	W. L. SMITH
ACOS G-2	COL	R. E. BRANT
ACOS G-3	COL	W. H. MULVEY
ACOS G-4	COL	W. H. SIGLER
2D MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. E. BARBER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	W. C. DRUMRIGHT
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	J. J. DONAHUE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	P. E. WOODRUFF
6TH MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. N. KERN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	W. A. DICUS
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	C. MOSHER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	R. E. JOHNSON
8TH MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. M. VANZUYEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	A. D. FRIEDMAN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	F. R. WARREN
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	J. A. SCOTT
10TH MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	T. J. HOLT
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	L. W. LARSON
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	R. D. JONES
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	J. A. BYRD
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL	D. E. GRAGAN
HQ BN, 2ND MARDIV	LTCOL	J. R. GREENSTONE
2ND SERVICE BATTALION	COL	J. R. SLOAN
2ND AT BATTALION	LTCOL	L. H. HARDEE
2ND MT BATTALION	MAJOR	R. L. PRATHER
2ND RECON BATTALION	LTCOL	J. T. SMITH
2ND ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL	G. B. CORNWALL
2ND SP BATTALION	LTCOL	S. H. BATCHELDER
2ND MED BATTALION	CAPT (MC)	F. W. ARMINGTON
LANFORCARIB 3-68	LTCOL	C. MOSHER
LANFOR6THFLT 4-68	LTCOL	W. C. DRUMRIGHT
GTMODEFOR	LTCOL	F. R. [illegible]

FORCE TROOPS FMFLANT

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN	F. C. LAHUE
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	E. L. BALE
ACOS G-1	LTCOL	R. L. DOERING
ACOS G-2	MAJOR	G. E. STRICKLAND
ACOS G-3	COL	T. C. SHANAHAN
ACOS G-4	COL	C. S. KIRCHMANN
2D FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	C. H. SCHMID
H&S BATTALION	MAJOR	W. H. DAY
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL	J. K. WEILAND
MAINT BATTALION	MAJOR	C. L. BOOTH
2D TANK BATTALION	LTCOL	J. L. SAUL
8TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL	W. H. STUETZER
8TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL	E. W. LIFSET
8TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL	G. N. THALEN
2D RADIO BATTALION	LTCOL	D. L. MITCHELL
2D FLD ARTY GROUP	LTCOL	J. J. MARRON
2D AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL	H. W. HITE

2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN	M. E. CARL
AWC		
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	R. R. READ
ACOS G-1	COL	J. E. HANSEN
ACOS G-2	LTCOL	E. LICHENWALTER
ACOS G-3	COL	W. W. HAZLETT
ACOS G-4	COL	C. H. LUDDEN
MWHG-2		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. M. WILLIAMS
H&HS-2	MAJOR	J. G. COWART
MWFS-2	MAJOR	D. C. FITZGERALD
MWCS-2	MAJOR	W. M. COUCH
MWSG-27		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	N. G. EWERS
H&MS-27	LTCOL	B. R. STANLEY
WERS-27	LTCOL	R. A. BROWN
VMGR-252	LTCOL	C. C. CHISHOLM
MWCG-28		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. W. KERSEY
H&HS-28	MAJOR	J. C. DIXON
MASS-1	MAJOR	L. D. WOODY
MACS-5	MAJOR	H. M. FIX
MACS-6	MAJOR	W. K. HUTCHINGS
MACS-9	LTCOL	A. L. BLAIR
MAG-14		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. L. TRAYNOR
H&MS-14	MAJOR	O. E. DONOVAN
MABS-14	MAJOR	R. W. TUCKER, JR.
VMCJ-2	LTCOL	S. D. COX
VMA(AW)-224	LTCOL	F. G. DAWSON
VMA(AW)-225	LTCOL	R. L. TOWNSEND
VMA(AW)-332	LTCOL	T. L. GRIFFIN
VMFA-513	LTCOL	J. RYAN, JR.
MCCRTG-20		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. D. WILCOX
H&MS-20	MAJOR	F. P. WILLIAMS, JR.
VMFAT-201	LTCOL	A. N. DRAGO
VMAT(AW)-202	MAJOR	A. R. EDENS
VMT-203	LTCOL	R. W. CHAPIN
MAG-26		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. R. QUINN
H&MS-26	MAJOR	D. F. KELLEY
MABS-26	MAJOR	R. M. GREGORY
VMO-1	LTCOL	R. M. COOKE
HMH-461	LTCOL	J. C. ROBINSON
HMM-162	LTCOL	R. A. PLAMONDON
HMM-261	LTCOL	V. J. GUINEE, JR.
HMM-264	LTCOL	D. B. SMITH, JR.
HMM-365	LTCOL	L. L. MILLS
HMH-361	LTCOL	M. J. NEEDHAM
MAG-31		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	L. P. BAITES
H&MS-31	LTCOL	L. F. BLASS
MABS-31	MAJOR	J. SHERLOCK, JR.
VMA-331	LTCOL	T. C. D'ANDREA
VMFA-333	LTCOL	J. J. MITCHELL
VMFA-451	LTCOL	H. L. JACKSON, JR.
MAG-32		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. J. SCHRIVER
H&MS-32	MAJOR	J. L. PAPPAS
MABS-32	MAJOR	M. J. BURNS
VMFA-251	LTCOL	E. C. JOHNSON
VMFA-312	LTCOL	T. E. BRADLEY
VMA-324	LTCOL	P. G. JANSSEN
3D LAAM BN	LTCOL	F. M. NELSON

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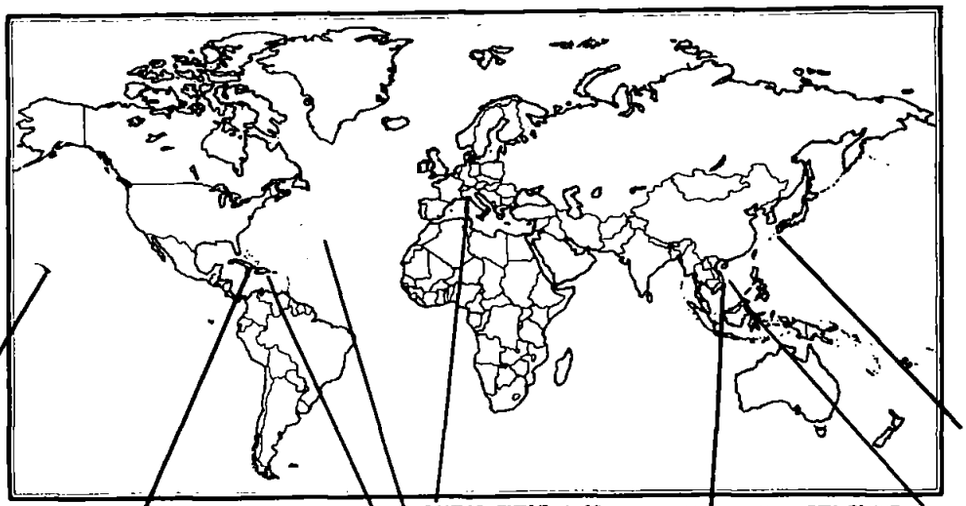
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

9 DECEMBER 1968



1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
AT LOVO SANTO,
CORSICA FOR PHIBLEX
7-69

LANFOR6THFLT 3-68
ENR CONUS
ETA: 10DEC68

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN OKINAWA/JAPAN AFLOAT	21	(5) (1)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7) (1)	(2)	(2)	(2)	 (1)
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII AFLOAT	(1)	(2)								
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST AFLOAT	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
ATLANTIC	7	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST CARIBBEAN	(5) (2)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3) (1)	(2)		(1)	(1)
EUROPE	2									
MEDITERRANEAN ENROUTE CONUS	(1) (1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

9 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS FLEET MARINE FORCE PACIFIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN H. W. BUSE, JR.
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN P. J. FONTANA
CG FMFPAC FWD	BGEN G. D. WEBSTER
CHIEF OF STAFF	BGEN L. H. WILSON
ACOS G-1	COL M. B. COOPER
ACOS G-2	COL L. C. SHEPHERD, III
ACOS G-3	COL R. M. HALL
ACOS G-4	COL R. C. DENNY
ACOS G-5	LTCOL E. L. HICKMAN

5TH MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN L. J. DULACKI
ADC	
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL A. J. CASTAGNA
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL B. H. CURWEN, JR.
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL P. WEILER
ACOS, G-3	COL W. MOORE
ACOS, G-4	LTCOL G. A. MERRILL

27TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL E. B. MEYER
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL R. L. SIMONIS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL R. G. HUNT, JR.

28TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. R. BREEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL J. R. BOWEN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. KNAPP
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL F. R. KOETHE

13TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL D. D. EZELL
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL A. NOVAK
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL M. P. FENNESSY
3RD BATTALION	MAJOR C. W. STANARO
4TH BATTALION	MAJOR W. H. STEWART JR

HQS BATTALION	COL D. H. SIMMONS
5TH AT BATTALION	LTCOL R. W. COULTER
5TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL J. P. KRAYNAK
5TH RECON BATTALION	LTCOL R. R. BURRITT
5TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL F. B. OKONSKY
5TH SP BATTALION	LTCOL A. F. ELIASON, JR.
5TH SERV BATTALION	COL W. W. STORM III
5TH MED BATTALION	LCDR D. H. LINDEMAN

1ST MARINE BRIGADE

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MCGRAW
S-1	LTCOL D. G. GEDDES
S-2	
S-3	
S-4	MAJOR R. E. LEVA
1ST BN, 27TH MARINES	LTCOL R. E. B. PALMER

MAG-24

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL A. WILSON
H&MS-24	LTCOL F. B. ELLIS
MABS-24	LTCOL J. R. HANSFORD
MACS-2	MAJOR E. L. CONROY
VMFA-212	LTCOL B. D. FRITSCH
VMFA-235	LTCOL W. A. TYKSINSKI

9TH MARINE AMPHIBIOUS BRIGADE

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN J. E. WILLIAMS
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL J. A. ETHERIDGE
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL P. H. SIMPSON
ACOS, G-2	MAJOR A. L. LUMPKIN
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL G. C. KLIEFOTH
ACOS, G-4	COL M. W. SCHMIDT
ACOS, G-5	2DLT S. E. COX

26TH MARINES

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL C. W. HUNTER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL C. H. KNOWLES
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL J. W. P. ROBERTSON

MAG-15

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. CORCORAN
H&MS-15	LTCOL D. P. GRAF
MABS-15	LTCOL D. H. PEGUES
MACS-8	MAJOR D. C. BIERHAALDER
VMGR-152	LTCOL F. G. MCLENON
VMFA-122	LTCOL L. J. WILLIS

SLF ALPHA

COMMANDER	COL J. F. MCMAHON
BLT 2/26	LTCOL W. F. SPARKS
HMM-362	LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP

SLF BRAVO

COMMANDER	COL R. R. WILSON
BLT 2/7	LTCOL N. A. NELSON
HMM-165	LTCOL G. L. PATRICK

PROV SERV BATTALION

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. DOTY

FORCE TROOPS FMFPAC

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN R. FULLER
ASSISTANT COMMANDER	COL S. H. PRATT
ACOS, G-1	LTCOL T. L. COBB
ACOS, G-2	LTCOL J. P. KELLY
ACOS, G-3	LTCOL W. H. BARKER
ACOS, G-4	MAJOR D. C. PEASE

3RD FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL M. J. PADALINO
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. E. ROURKE
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL H. J. LEVERT, JR.
MAINT BATTALION	LTCOL L. I. FEIN

5TH FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT

COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. R. JONES
H&S BATTALION	LTCOL R. A. BJORSON
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL R. O. BARNES
MAINT BATTALION	MAJOR J. N. HERMES
5TH TK BATTALION	LTCOL C. W. WILSON
5TH AMTRAC BATTALION	MAJOR J. R. TULL
5TH MP BATTALION	LTCOL W. L. THRELFALL
13TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL M. D. DRUMMOND
13TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL M. S. SHIMANOFF
2ND LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL D. E. GUNTHER
5TH LAAM BATTALION	LTCOL H. S. JOLLEY

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

9 DECEMBER 1968

1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN C. J. QUILTER
AWC	BGEN H. S. HILL/H. W. HISE
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL V. D. OLSON
ACOS, G-1	COL E. A. PARNELL
ACOS, G-2	COL H. R. BUMPAS
ACOS, G-3	COL E. H. FINLAYSON
ACOS, G-4	COL S. FURIMSKY, JR.
ACOS, COMPT	LTCOL E. E. HAGEDORN
CEO	LTCOL R. S. HARTMAN
MWHG-1	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL T. H. NICHOLS, JR.
H&HS-1	LTCOL P. A. LINDSAY
MWFS-1	MAJOR W. O. GOLLER
MWCS-1	MAJOR D. J. OGDEN
MWSG-17	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. S. RASH
H&MS-17	LTCOL E. S. JOHN
WERS-17	LTCOL S. M. WILLIAMS
MACG-18	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. S. FRIS
H&HS-18	LTCOL J. R. OFLER
MACS-4	LTCOL T. M. KAUFFMAN
MASS-2	MAJOR E. J. DALY, III
MASS-3	MAJOR W. L. SULLIVAN
MAG-11	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. D. SLAY
H&MS-11	LTCOL R. M. STOVERS
MABS-11	LTCOL J. W. HASKELL
VMCJ-1	LTCOL B. R. HALL
VMFA-334	MAJ J. R. SHERMAN
VMFA-542	LTCOL H. R. VITALI
VMA(AW)-242	LTCOL F. C. RILLING, JR.
MAG-12	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. A. DEASY
H&MS-12	LTCOL C. D. WARFIELD
MABS-12	MAJOR L. FURSTENBURG
VMA-311	LTCOL C. O. HIETT
VMA-121	MAJOR D. A. LERPS
VMA-211	LTCOL F. P. SALZMAN
VMA-223	MAJOR L. T. PRESTON, JR.
VMA(AW)-533	LTCOL P. K. GERMAN
MAG-13	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL N. W. GOURLEY
H&MS-13	MAJOR E. A. HOUSE
MABS-13	MAJOR C. V. SMILLIE, JR.
VMFA-115	LTCOL J. I. HUDSON
VMFA-314	LTCOL F. E. PETERSEN, JR.
VMFA-323	LTCOL D. J. SLEE
MAG-16	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. C. MACQUARRIE
H&MS-16	LTCOL C. W. GOBAT
MABS-16	LTCOL L. W. PARISH
VMO-2	LTCOL T. J. DUMONT
HMH-463	LTCOL R. W. PEARD, JR.
HML-167	LTCOL T. F. MILLER
HMM-164	LTCOL W. E. SMILANICH
MAG-36	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL B. J. MATHESON
H&MS-36	LTCOL R. THUESEN
MABS-36	LTCOL D. W. WRIGHT
HML-367	LTCOL R. L. ROBINSON
HMH-462	LTCOL R. E. NELSON
HMM-364	LTCOL M. V. STATZER
HMM-265	LTCOL R. L. YANKE
HMM-363	LTCOL J. L. HARRISON
PROV MAG-39	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. SIENKO
H&MS-39	MAJOR H. R. BOLEN
VMO-6	MAJOR H. A. ZAWDER
HMM-161	LTCOL P. W. NIESEN
HMM-262	LTCOL A. N. ALLEN
1ST LAAM BN	LTCOL J. W. DRURY

3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN A. H. ADAMS
AWC	BGEN J. A. FEELEY
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL V. D. OLSON
ACOS, G-1	COL O. B. JOHNSTON
ACOS, G-2	COL J. H. SCHERER
ACOS, G-3	COL R. L. REED
ACOS, G-4	COL R. W. TELLER
MWHG-3	
COMMANDING OFFICER	LTCOL F. E. WILSON
H&HS-3	MAJOR J. B. LAVELLE
MWFS-3	MAJOR C. A. BOYD
MWCS-3	MAJOR D. E. WILLIAMS
VMT-103	COL R. A. DEASY
MHTG-30	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL J. KOLER, JR.
H&MS-30	MAJOR W. W. ELDRIDGE JR.
HMHT-301	LTCOL C. A. BLOCK
HMMT-302	LTCOL K. D. VANEK
MAG-33	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL R. L. REED
H&MS-33	LTCOL J. R. SMITH
MABS-33	MAJOR R. J. REID
VMCJ-3	LTCOL B. R. HALL
VMA-214	LTCOL J. J. WENT
VMFA-232	LTCOL W. P. HUTCHINS
VMFA-531	LTCOL R. PEREZ
MWSG-37	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL W. L. BEACH
H&MS-37	LTCOL J. E. FITHIAN
WERS-37	MAJOR A. H. MANHARD
VMGR-352	LTCOL W. D. HARRIS
MACG-38	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL E. J. BERGEC
H&HS-38	MAJOR J. E. KEHRLE
MASS-5	MAJOR D. V. STOWELL
MACS-1	LTCOL B. C. ROWE
MACS-3	
MACS-7	LTCOL P. E. SHEA
MAG-56	
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL K. W. COSTELLO
H&MS-56	MAJOR H. F. MUTH
MABS-56	MAJOR G. A. STEPHENS
HMM-263	LTCOL R. E. HOFSTETTER
HML-267	LTCOL R. R. UPSHULTE
HMM-561	MAJOR A. S. PIPER
HMM-163	LTCOL L. I. BLANKENSHIP

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMFPAC TACTICAL UNITS

9 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
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, 3/7						2/7	1
9TH MARINES			1/9, 2/9, 3/9						
26TH MARINES		1/26, 3/26						2/26	1
27TH MARINES						1/27	2/27, 3/27		
28TH MARINES							1/28, 2/28 3/28		
MAG-11		VMCJ-1 VMA(AW)-242 VMFA-542 VMFA-334							
MAG-12	VMA-121 VMA-211 VMA-223 VMA-311 VMA(AW)-533								
MAG-13	VMFA-115 VMFA-323 VMFA-314								
MAG-16		VMO-2 HML-167 HMH-463 HMM-164 HMM-165							
MAG-36			HMM-265 HMM-[illegible] HMM-364 HML-367 HMH-462						
PROV MAG-39			VMO-6 HMM-262 HMM-161						
MAG-15					VMFA-122			HMM-362	1
MAG-24						VMFA-212 VMFA-235			
MAG-33							VMCJ-3 VMA-214 VMFA-232 VMFA-531		
MAG-56							HML-267 HMM-263 HMM-163 HMM-561		

NOTE 1: SLF

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND EQUIPMENT

EQUIPMENT	T/E AUTH	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
60mm MORTAR M19	328		108	120		12	48	24	1
81mm MORTAR M29	216		80	72		8	40	16	1
106mm RR M40A1C	216		80	72		8	40	16	1
107mm MORTAR M30	54		12	18		6	6	12	1
105mm HOW TD M101A1	162		60	54		6	30	12	1
155mm HOW TD M114A1	24		6	23					
155mm HOW SP M109	54		24	18			12		
155mm GUN SP M53	24		6	12			6		
8in HOW SP M110	18		4	10			4		
ONTOS M50A1	135		15	5	5		23	10	1
90mm TANK M48A3	159		60	53			36	10	1
120mm TANK M103A2	17						17		
FLAME TANK M67A2	27		12	9			6		
LVTH6	18		12	6					1
LVTP5	347		72	95			90	20	1
LVTE1	20		8	4			8		
HAWK LAUNCHERS	54		18				18		
HAWK MISSILES	252		110						

NOTES: 1 UNITS/EQUIPMENT IN OTHER ASSIGNED TO SLF's.

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FMFPAC

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UNIT	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
HQ SQDN, FMFPAC						2/T-1A 1/C-54 1/C-47 1/UC-45J		
VMT-103							19/TA-4F	
MAG-11								
H&MS-11	6/TA-4F 1/C-117D							
VMCJ-1	8/RF-4B 9/EF-10B 5/EA-6A							
VMA(AW)-242	10/A-6A							
VMFA-542	15/F-4B							
VMFA-334	15/F-4J							
MAG-12								
H&MS-12		4/TA-4F 1/C-117D						
VMA-121		23/A-4E						
VMA-211		20/A-4E						
VMA-223		19/A-4C						
VMA-311		19/A-4E						
VMA(AW)-533		11/A-6A						
MAG-13								
H&MS-13		3/TF-9J 1/C-117D 1/TA-4F						
VMFA-115		11/F-4B						
VMFA-314		15/F-4B						
VMFA-323		15/F-4B						
MAG-15								
H&MS-15				4/UH-34D	1/C-117D 2/TA-4F 3/C-54			
VMGR-152				13/KC-130F				
VMFA-122					19/F-4B			
HMM-362								24/UH-34D
MAG-16								
H&MS-16	6/UH-34D 1/CH-53A 1/C-117D							
VMO-2	12/UH-1E 13/OV-10A							
HMM-164	20/CH-46A							
HML-167	15/UH-1E							
HMH-463	21/CH-53A							
HMM-165	23/CH-46A							
MWSG-17								
H&MS-17	1/UH-34D 4/US-2A/B 1/C-117D 2/C-1A							
MHTG-30								
H&MS-30							5/CH-46D 1/CH-46F	
HMHT-301							15/CH-53A	
HMMT-302							19/CH-46D	
MAG-33								
H&MS-33							2/F-4J 1/C-47J 1/C-47H 6/TA-4F	
VMCJ-3							4/RF-4B 8/EF-10B	
VMA-214							26/A-4C	
VMFA-232							10/F-4J	
VMFA-531							11/F-4B	
MAG-36								
H&MS-36			1/CH-46D 1/C-117D 4/UH-34D					
HMM-363			23/UH-34D					
HMH-462			12/CH-53A					
HMM-265			17/CH-46A					
HMM-364			23/CH-46D					
HML-367			19/UH-1E					
PROV MAG-39 #								
VMO-6			10/OV-10A 8 /O-1C/G 20 /UH-1E					
HMM-161			21 /CH-46D					
HMM-262			25/CH-46A					

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NOTES:

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FMFPAC

9 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
MWSG-37								
H&MS-37							4/T-1A 1/C-54Q 1/C-54R 3/TA-4F 3/C-117D 2/C-47H	
VMGR-352							13/KC-130F	
MAG-56								
H&MS-56							3/CH-53A	
HML-267							27/OV-10A 18/UH-1E	
HMM-263							24/CH-46D	
HMM-163							14/CH-46D	
HMM-561							23/UH-34D	
1ST MARINE BRIGADE								
MAG-24								
H&MS-24						1/C-117D 3/UH-34D 1/T-1A 3/TA-4F		
VMFA-212						15/F-4J		
VMFA-235						15/F-4J		
TOTAL PAC AIRCRAFT								
FIXED WING (472)	90	143	19	13	25	40	142	
HELICOPTERS (417)	99		165	4		3	122	24

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NOTES: * ASSIGNED TO SLF
QUANG TRI

MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

9 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,288	75,094	80,382	
DANANG	(2,972)	(42,243)	(45,215)	#
CHU LAI	(487)	(5,044)	(5,531)	
PHU BAI	(354)	(3,098)	(3,452)	
DONG HA	(1,470)	(24,554)	(26,024)	
AFLOAT	(5)	(155)	(160)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	166	3,245	3,411	
SLF ALFA	(108)	(1,627)	(1,735)	
SLF BRAVO.	(58)	(1,618)	(1,676)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,457	75,393	80,850	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS				
31 OCTOBER 1968			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	455	3,021	3,476	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1285 EVENTS OF 4 & 5 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

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INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

9 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

HQS 3D MAR DIV (TF-H)

USMC 26,024
USN 1,235 *
USA 7,262

4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

3D MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 3/3 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1ST AMTRAC BN (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

HQ,XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

USMC 3,452
USN 81 *
USA 23,986

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF (TF YANKEE)
HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

USMC 45,215
USN 1,982 *
USA 2,173
ROKMC 6,773

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/1
- 3/1
- 1/1 (OPN MEADE RIVER)
- BLT 2/26 (SLF A)
- 3/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

7TH MARINES
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES
- 1/26

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- 3/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
- BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON)

HQ 1st MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

USMC 5,531
USN 125 *
USA 23,659

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF
- 1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 5/46 INF
- 1/6 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	80,850	3,476
III MAF	80,382	3,476 #
SLF's	(3,411)	(185)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV FIELD	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	80,068
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,743
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	288,205

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 HMM-362 (UH-34D)	1,735	98
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMMON) HMM-165 (CH-46A)@	1,676	87

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,796	234

MAG-15
- VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

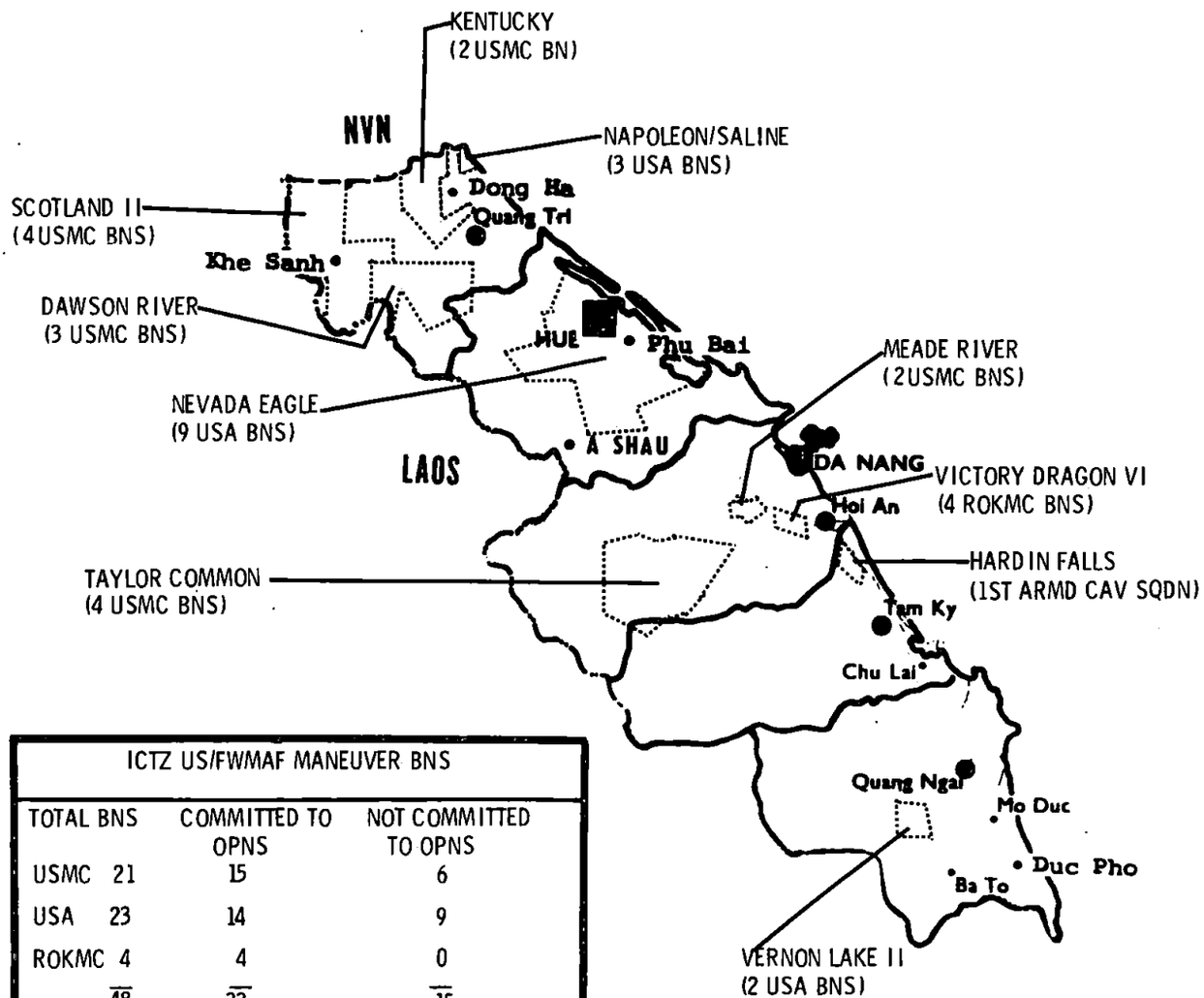
	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,939	26

MOVEMENTS

Unclassified

* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A" and "B" and SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-165 Ashore OPCON MAG-16

MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



ICTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS		
TOTAL BNS	COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC 21	15	6
USA 23	14	9
ROKMC 4	4	0
48	33	15

USMC - 6 BNS DANANG

USA - 9 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 092400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4, 3/4 & 3/3	KHE SANH AREA	370 25 USA	2,195 157 USA	3,055
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	3D MAR: 1/3 & 2/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,791
NAPOLEON/SALINE (5NOV67)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	MOUTH OF CUA VIET RIVER	353 42 USA	1,962 173 USA 1 USA MIA	3,495
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	NONE	8	10
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	166 USA	1,486 USA	2,831
MEADE RIVER (20NOV68)	1ST MAR: 1/1 & 3/26	14 KM WEST OF HOI AN	75	460 1 USN	708
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5 3/5 & BLT 2/7	NORTH OF AN HOA	NONE	4	53
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	28
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	5 USA	50 USA	104
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	NONE	4 ROKMC	48

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

9 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,914	37,822	28,432	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 6 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,022	1,292	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
60,222	3,309	11,733

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 45 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 55 — Admitted to hospital → 55
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 46 — Evacuated from SVN → 46
    - 27 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*42,284 CASUALTIES, 1JAN67-12JUN68.

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SPECIAL LANDING FORCE, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA

9 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 79.4
CTG: COL J. F. MC MAHON

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
SLF HQS DET				
BLT 2/26				
(LTCOL W. F. SPARKS)				
2ND BN, 26TH MARINES	33	1022	5	60
MORT BTRY, 1/12	3	64		2
BTRY B, 1/13	10	99		2
PLAT, CO A, 5TH AT BN	1	21		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH AMTRAC BN	1	37		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH TANK BN	1	28		
PLAT, CO A, 5TH RECON BN	1	21		1
PLAT, CO C, 3D ENGR BN	1	38		1
PLAT, CO C, 3D MT BN	1	31		
PLAT, H&S CO, 3D SP BN	1	45		1
PLAT, CO D, 5TH MED BN		5	3	20
DET, HQBN, 3D MAR DIV	1	8		
DET, HQCO, 26TH MARINES		6		
DET, COMM SPT CO, 9TH MAB				
DET, 15TH DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-362	54	202	1	
LTCOL J. E. SCHLARP				
TOTALS	108	1,627	10	88

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

58 M60 MG
28 M20 3.5 RL
16 M2 MG
12 M10 60MM MORT
8 M20 81MM MORT
8 M40 106MM RR
6 M30 107MM MORT
6 M101A1 105MM HOW
5 M48 90MM TANK
5 M50 ONTOS
2 M2 FLAME THROWER

36 M35 2½T CARGO TRK
10 LVTP-5
1 LVTP-6
9 M422 ¼T MITE
8 M274 ½T MULE
5 M37 3/4T CARGO TRK
2 M49 TANK TRK
2 M54 CARGO TRK
1 M38 ¼T UTIL TRK
1 M170 AMBULANCE

AIRCRAFT

24/UH-34D

LOCATION

BLT 2/26
ASHORE RVN

SEE MAP FOLLOWING PAGE

SHIPPING

USS OKINAWA (LPH-3)
USS FORT MARION (LSD-22)
USS DULUTH (LPD-7)
USS WINDHAM CTY (LST-1170)

SUPPLIES

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

SLF BRAVO

9 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 79.5
CTG: COL R. R. WILSON

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
SLF HQS DET				
BLT 2/7	58	1618	7	80
(LTCOL N. A. NELSON)				
2D BN, 7TH MARINES				
MORT BTRY 3/11				
BTRY "H", 3/11				
PLAT, CO B, 1ST TANK BN				
PLAT, CO A, 1ST AT BN				
PLAT, CO C, 1ST SP BN				
PLAT, CO B, 3D AMTRAC BN				
PLAT, CO C, 1ST ENGR BN				
PLAT, 1ST MT BN				
LSU, FLC, III MAF				
TOTALS	58	1,618	8	80

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

54 M60 MG
24 M24 3.5 RL
12 M10 60 MM MORT
8 M29 81 MM MORT
8 M40 106 MM RR
6 M30 107 MM MORT
6 M101A1 105 MM HOW
8 M2 FLAME THROWER
5 M48 90 MM TANK
5 M50 ONTOS

23 M35 2½T CARGO TRK
7 M37 3/4T CARGO TRK
7 M38 ¼T UTIL TRK
2 M170 AMBULANCE
11 LVTP5
3 CRANES
3 TD15 TRACTORS
1 M54 5T TRK
2 M543 5T WRECKERS
2 5T DUMPTRUCK

AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

BLT 2/7
(ASHORE RVN)
(OPN TAYLOR COMMON)
HMM-165
(ASHORE RVN OPCON MAG-16)

SEE MAP FOLLOWING PAGE

SHIPPING

USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10)
USS OGDEN (LPD-5)
USS MONTICELLO (LSD-35)
USS SEMINOLE (LKA-104)

SUPPLIES

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

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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN *

RVN ARMED FORCES (RVNAF)

ARMY (ARVN)	384,794
NAVY (VNN)	17,489
AIR FORCE (VNAF)	18,090
MARINE CORPS (VNMC)	9,948
REGIONAL FORCES (RF)	217,923
POPULAR FORCES (PF)	173,662
TOTAL RVNAF	821,906

UNITED STATES FORCES

ARMY	372,271
NAVY	36,382
AIR FORCE	59,257
MARINE CORPS	80,786
COAST GUARD	440
TOTAL U.S.	550,136

FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES (FWMAF)

REPUBLIC OF KOREA	49,928
AUSTRALIA	7,696
PHILIPPINES	1,573
THAILAND	6,002
NEW ZEALAND	525
REPUBLIC OF CHINA	29
SPAIN	12
TOTAL FWMAF	65,765

TOTAL FORCES IN RVN 1,437,807

*SOURCE: RVNAF, MACV MONTHLY GVN FORCES STRENGTH DATA REPORT.
ALL OTHER, MACV WEEKLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF 5DEC68.

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DEPLOYMENTS

LISTING OF SELECTED UNITS IN VIETNAM

(INCLUDES INF, ARM, ARTY, AND AVIATION; AND UNITS OF BN OR LARGER SIZE OF ENGR, MP, AND SIG)

9 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	ACTIV DATE	CLOSED IN VN
HQ FFV/CORPS		
I FFV (Nha Trang)	Nov 65	V
II FFV (Long Binh)	Jan 66	Mar 66
XXIV Corps (Phu Bai)	Aug 68**	V
DIVISIONS		
1st Inf Div (Lai Khe)	*	
1st Bde (Quan Loi/Lai Khe)		
1/2 Inf		Oct 65
1/26 Inf		Oct 65
1/28 Inf		Oct 65
2d Bde (Di An)		
2/16 Inf		Jul 65
1/18 Inf		Jul 65
2/18 Inf		Jul 65
3d Bde (Lai Khe)		
2/2 Inf (Mech)		Oct 65
1/16 Inf (Mech)	*	Oct 65
2/28 Inf		Oct 65
1/4 Cav		Oct 65
1/5 Arty (105 T)		Oct 65
8/6 Arty (155/8" T)		Oct 65
1/7 Arty (105 T)		Jul 65
2/33 Arty (105 T)		Oct 65
173 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)(Atchd)	Sep 65	Mar 66
1 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)		Oct 65
1 Engr Bn		Nov 65
121 Sig Bn		Oct 65
4th Inf Div (Pleiku)	*	
1st Bde (Pleiku/Dakto)		
1/8 Inf		Oct 65
3/8 Inf		Oct 66
3/12 Inf		Oct 66
2d Bde (Pleiku/Kontum)		
2/8 Inf (Mech)		Aug 66
1/12 Inf		Aug 66
1/22 Inf		Aug 66
3d Bde (Pleiku/Duc Co)		
1/14 Inf		Jan 66
1/35 Inf		Jan 66
2/35 Inf		Jan 66
1/10 Cav		Oct 66
1/69 Arm		Mar 66
2/9 Arty (105 T)		Jan 66
5/16 Arty (155/8" SP)		Oct 66
6/29 Arty (105 T)		Oct 66
4/42 Arty (105 T)		Aug 66
4 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)		Sep66/Jan67
4 Engr Bn		Jul 66
124 Sig Bn		Sep 66
9th Inf Div (Dong Tam)	Feb 66	Dec 66
1st Bde (Dong Tam/Cai Lay)		
6/31 Inf	Nov 67	Apr 68
2/33 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
2/47 Inf (Mech)	Feb 66	Jan 67
2d Bde (Dong Tam/Truc Giang)		
3/47 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
4/47 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
3/60 Inf	Feb 66	Dec 66
3d Bde (Tan An)		
3/39 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
4/39 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
2/60 Inf	Feb 66	Dec 66
5/60 Inf	Feb 66	Dec 66
3/5 Cav	Feb 66	Dec65/Jan67
2/4 Arty (105 T)	Feb 66	Jan 67
1/11 Arty (105 T)	Feb 66	Dec 66
3/34 Arty (105 T)	Feb 66	Dec 66
1/84 Arty (155/8" SP)	Feb 66	Jan 67
9 Avn Bn (w/2Avn Cos)	Feb 66	Jan 67
15 Engr Bn	Feb 66	Oct 66
9 Sig Bn	Feb 66	Dec 66
23d Inf Div (Chu Lai)	Sep 67	V
11th Inf Bde (Duc Pho)		
3/1 Inf	Jul 66	Dec 67
4/3 Inf	Jul 66	Dec 67
1/20 Inf	Jul 66	Dec 67
4/21 Inf	Nov 67	Apr 68
6/11 Arty (105 T)	Mar 67	Dec 67
E/1 Cav	Jul 66	Dec 67
196th Inf Bde (Chu Lai/Xuyen Tay)		
2/1 Inf	Sep 65	Aug 66
3/21 Inf	Sep 65	Aug 66
4/31 Inf	Sep 65	Aug 66
3/82 Arty (105 T)	Sep 65	Aug 66
F/17 Cav	Sep 65	Aug 66
198th Inf Bde (Chu Lai)		
1/6 Inf	*	Oct 67
1/46 Inf	*	Oct 67
5/46 Inf	Oct 67	Mar 68
1/52 Inf	*	Oct 67
1/14 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 67
H/17 Cav	May 67	Oct 67
1/32 Arty (155/8" SP)	Jan 68	Jul 68
3/16 Arty (155 T)	*	Jun 67
3/18 Arty (8" SP)	*	Oct 66
123 Avn Bn	Dec 67	V
26 Engr Bn	Dec 67	V
523 Sig Bn	Jan 68	V
F/8 Cav	Apr 68	V
25th Inf Div (Cu Chi)	*	
1st Bde (Tay Ninh)		
4/9 Inf		Apr 66
2/14 Inf		Apr 66
4/23 Inf (Mech)		Apr 66
2d Bde (Cu Chi)		
1/5 Inf (Mech)		Jan 66
1/27 Inf		Jan 66
2/27 Inf		Jan 66

V Activated In-country.
* In the force structure prior to 30 Jun 65.
** Succeeded Provisional Corps, Vietnam, which was activated in Mar 66.
NOTE: Location shown to the left of the slash is the unit's base camp; where the base camp location differs from the field command post location, the command post location is shown to the right of the slash. Organization of battalions within brigades shown is administrative.

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DEPLOYMENTS

LISTING OF SELECTED UNITS IN VIETNAM

(INCLUDES INF, ARM, ARTY, AND AVIATION; AND UNITS OF BN OR LARGER SIZE OF ENGR, MP, AND SIG)

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UNIT	ACTIV DATE	CLOSED IN VN
25th Inf Div (Cont)		
3d Bde (Dau Tieng)		
2/12 Inf	*	Oct 66
2/22 Inf (Mech)	*	Oct 66
3/22 Inf	Nov 65	Oct 66
3/4 Cav	*	Mar 66
2/34 Arm	*	Sep 66
1/8 Arty (105 T)	*	Jan 66
7/11 Arty (105 T)	*	May 66
3/13 Arty (155/8" T)	*	Apr 66
2/77 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 66
25 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)	*	Apr 66
65 Engr Bn	*	Jan 66
125 Sig Bn	*	Mar 66
1st Cav Div (Ambl) (An Khe/Phuoc Vinh)	*	
1st Bde (An Khe/Tay Ninh)		
2/5 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
1/8 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
1/12 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2d Bde (An Khe/An Loc)		
1/5 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2/7 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2/8 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
3d Bde (An Khe/An Loc)		
1/7 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
5/7 Cav (Ambl)	Apr 66	Aug 66
2/12 Cav (Ambl)	Jul 65	Sep 65
11th Avn Gp (An Khe/Phuoc Vinh)		
227 Avn Bn (Ambl) (4 Avn Cos)	*	Sep 65
228 Avn Bn (Ambl) (3 Avn Cos)	*	Sep 65
229 Avn Bn (Ambl) (4 Avn Cos)	*	Sep 65
11 Avn Co (GS) (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
E/82 Arty (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
478 Avn Co (Hvy Hel) (Atchd)	*	Sep 65
1/9 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2/19 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
2/20 Arty (Aer Rkt) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
1/21 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
1/77 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
1/30 Arty (155 T)	*	Nov 65
8 Engr Bn (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
13 Sig Bn (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
101st Abn Div (Ambl) (Bien Hoa/Phu Bai)	*	
1st Bde (Bien Hoa/Phu Bai)		
1/327 Inf (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
2/327 Inf (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
2/502 Inf (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
3/506 Inf (Ambl) (Op Con 1 FFV)	Apr 67	Oct 67
2d Bde (Bien Hoa/Phong Dien)		
1/501 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/501 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
1/502 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
3d Bde (Bien Hoa/Phong Dien)		
3/187 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
1/506 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/506 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67

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101st Abn Div (Ambl) (Cont)		
2/17 Cav (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/319 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/320 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
1/321 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
326 Engr Bn (Ambl)	*	Nov 67
501 Sig Bn (Ambl) (-)	*	Dec 67
2/11 Arty (155 T)	*	Dec 66
160th Avn Gp (Bien Hoa/Phu Bai)	Jul 68	V
101 Avn Bn (Ambl) (3AvnCos, 1WpnCo)	Jul 68	V
159 Avn Bn (Ambl) (2 Avn Cos)	Jul 68	V
163 Avn Co (GS) (Ambl)	Jul 68	V
BRIGADES		
1st Bde 5th Inf Div (Mech) (Quang Tri)	*	
1/11 Inf		Jul 68
1/61 Inf (Mech)		Jul 68
1/77 Arm		Jul 68
5/4 Arty (155 SP)		Jul 68
A/7 Engr Bn		Jul 68
A/4/12 Armd Cav		Jul 68
199th Inf Bde (Long Binh/Saigon)		
2/3 Inf	Jun 66	Dec 66
3/7 Inf	Jun 66	Dec 66
4/12 Inf	Jun 66	Dec 66
5/12 Inf	Nov 67	Apr 68
2/40 Arty (105 T)	Jun 66	Dec 66
D/17 Cav	Jun 66	Dec 66
3d Bde 82d Abn Div (Phu Loi/Saigon)	*	
1/505 Inf		Feb 68
2/505 Inf		Feb 68
1/508 Inf		Feb 68
2/321 Arty (105 T)		Feb 68
B/1/17 Cav		Feb 68
173d Abn Bde (An Khe/Bong Son)		
1/503 Abn Inf	*	May 65
2/503 Abn Inf	*	May 65
3/503 Abn Inf	Apr 67	Oct 67
4/503 Abn Inf	Apr 66	Jun 66
3/319 Arty (105 T)	*	May 65
D/16 Arm	*	May 65
E/17 Cav	*	May 65
ARMORED CAVALRY REGIMENTS		
11th Armd Cav Regt (Xuan Loc/Bien Hoa)	*	
1st Recon Sqdn		Sep 65
2d Recon Sqdn		Sep 66
3d Recon Sqdn		Sep 66
SPECIAL FORCES GROUPS		
5th SF Gp, 1st SF (Nha Trang)	*	Apr 65
ARMORED CAVALRY SQUADRONS		
1/1 Cav (Da Nang) (Op Con 23d Inf Div)	*	Aug 67
2/1 Cav (Suoi Dot) (Op Con 4th Inf Div)	*	Aug 67
SEPARATE INFANTRY BATTALIONS		
1/50 Inf (Mech) (An Khe) (Op Con 173d Abn Bde)	*	Sep 67

V Activated in-country.

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NOTE: Location shown to the left of the slash is the unit's base camp; where the base camp location differs from the field command post location, the command post location is shown to the right of the slash. Organization of battalions within brigades shown is administrative.

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COMBAT SUPPORT UNITS:		
Field Artillery		
I FFV Arty (Nha Trang)	Aug 65	Nov 65
41 Arty Gp (Phu Cat)	*	Apr 67
52 Arty Gp (Pleiku)	*	Jun 66
3/6 Arty (105 SP)	*	Jun 66
7/13 Arty (105 T)	Jun 66	Oct 66
6/14 Arty (175 SP)	*	Oct 65
7/15 Arty (8" SP)	*	Jul 67
2/17 Arty (105 T)	*	Sep 65
5/22 Arty (175 SP)	May 67	Dec 67
5/27 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 65
6/32 Arty (8" SP)	*	Mar 67
6/84 Arty (155 T)	Aug 67	Mar 68
1/92 Arty (155 T)	*	Mar 67
II FFV Arty (Long Binh)	Jan 66	Mar 66
23 Arty Gp (Phu Loi)	*	Nov 65
54 Arty Gp (Bien Hoa)	*	Oct 66
7/8 Arty (8" SP)	*	Jun 67
7/9 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 66
2/13 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 65
6/15 Arty (105 T)	Nov 66	May 67
1/27 Arty (155 SP)	Oct 66	Apr 67
6/27 Arty (8" SP)	*	Nov 65
2/32 Arty (175 SP)	*	Nov 65
2/35 Arty (155 SP)	*	Jun 66
5/42 Arty (155 T)	Jan 67	Apr 68
6/77 Arty (105 T)	Oct 66	May 67
3/197 Arty (155 T)	R	Sep 68
XXIV Corps Arty (Phu Bai)	Aug 68**	V
108 Arty Gp (Dong Ha)	May 67	Oct 67
8/4 Arty (175 SP)	Mar 67	Aug 67
1/40 Arty (105 SP)	Feb 66	Oct 66
1/44 Arty (40mm AWSP)	Mar 66	Nov 66
1/83 Arty (8" SP)	*	Nov 66
2/94 Arty (175 SP)	Jun 66	Oct 66
6/33 Arty (105 T)	Sep 67	Feb 68
F/16 Arty (155 T)	*	V
Air Defense Artillery		
5/2 Arty (40mm AWSP)	Jun 66	Nov 66
6/56 Arty (Hawk)(Chu Lai)	*	Sep 65
4/60 Arty (40mm AWSP)	Jun 66	Mar 67
G/55 Arty (50 Cal MG)(Tan Son	Aug 67	Feb 68
G/65 Arty (50 Cal MG) Nhut)	Mar 66	Nov 66
Engineers		
18 Engr Bde (Dong Ba Thin)	Jul 65	Sep 65
35 Engr Gp (Const)(Cam Ranh Bay)	*	Jun 65
19 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Sep 65
84 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jun 65
87 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Aug 65
116 Engr Bn (Cbt)	R	Sep 68
577 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jul 66
589 Engr Bn (Const)	Jan 66	Apr 67
864 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jun 65
45 Engr Gp (Const)(Da Nang/Phu	Feb 66	Jun 66
14 Engr Bn (Cbt) Bai)	*	Oct 66
35 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Nov 66
39 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Jan 66
27 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Oct 66
937 Engr Gp (Cbt) (Pleiku)	*	Aug 65
20 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Jan 66
70 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Aug 65
299 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Oct 65
815 Engr Bn (Const)	Feb 66	Apr 67
20 Engr Bde (Bien Hoa)	May 67	Aug 67
34 Engr Gp (Const) (Vung Tau)	Sep 66	Mar 67
36 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	Sep 67
69 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	May 67
86 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Oct 66
93 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	Jun 67
79 Engr Gp (Const) (Long Binh)	Feb 66	Jul 66
34 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	May 67
168 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Nov 65
554 Engr Bn (Const)	Feb 66	Apr 67
588 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Nov 65
159 Engr Gp (Const) (Long Binh)	*	Oct 65
31 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Apr 68
46 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Sep 65
62 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Aug 65
92 Engr Bn (Const)	*	May 67
169 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jun 66
US Army Engr Const Agency VN(Prov (Long Binh)	May 68	V
Signal		
1st Sig Bde (USASTRATCOM)(Long	Apr 66	V
2d Sig Gp (Long Binh) Binh)	*	Jun 65
36 Sig Bn (Cbt Area)	*	Nov 66
39 Sig Bn (Spt)	*	Mar 62
52 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
86 Sig Bn (Spt)	Jun 66	Sep 66
21 Sig Gp (Nha Trang)	*	Jun 66
37 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
41 Sig Bn (Cbt Area)	*	Jul 65
43 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
73 Sig Bn (Spt)	*	Jul 66
459 Sig Bn (Cbt Area)	*	Oct 66
63 Sig Bn (RSC)	Jul 67	Mar 68
160 Sig Gp (Long Binh)	*	May 67
40 Sig Bn (Const)	*	Sep 66
44 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
69 Sig Bn (Army)	*	Nov 65
Regional Comm Gp (Saigon)	Jul 65	V
Long Lines Bn - North	Aug 66	V
Long Lines Bn - South	Aug 66	V
USASTRATCOM Fac - Phu Lam	Nov 64	V
USASTRATCOM Fac - Da Nang	Aug 66	V
USASTRATCOM Fac - Nha Trang	Nov 65	V
53 Sig Bn (Long Binh)	*	Jun 66
54 Sig Bn (Nha Trang)	*	Sep 65
972 Sig Bn(Long Binh)	May 68	Oct 68
Military Police		
16th MP Bde (Long Binh)	May 65	Sep 65
16th MP Gp (Nha Trang)	May 66	Sep 66
93 MP Bn	Jun 66	Aug 66
97 MP Bn	Jul 66	Aug 65
504 MP Bn	*	Aug 65
8th MP Gp (CI)(Long Binh)	Aug 68	V

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** Succeeded Provisional Corps Vietnam Arty, which was activated in Mar 68.
R Reserve Component unit mobilized 13 May 68.

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Military Police (Cont)		
83 MP Gp (Long Binh)	Mar 66	V
92 MP Bn	*	Apr 66
95 MP Bn	Nov 65	Apr 65
716 MP Bn	*	Mar 65
720 MP Bn	*	Oct 66
AVIATION 1/ 2/		
1st Avn Bde (Long Binh)	May 66	May 66
58th Avn Gp (Flt Fac Hbl) (Long Binh)	*	Oct 68
16 Sig Co (DECCA)	Dec 67	V
125 Avn Co (ATC)	*	Jul 65
5 Avn Det	*	Oct 64
164th Avn Gp (Can Tho)	Dec 67	V
7/1 Cav (Ambl) (Vinh Long)	Apr 67	Feb 68
13th Avn Bn (Can Tho)	*	Sep 64
114 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	May 63
121 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	V
175 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 65	V
336 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	V
271 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Apr 67	Feb 68
307th Avn Bn (Soc Trang)	Dec 67	V
199 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Jul 67
221 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Mar 65	V
235 Avn Co (Escort)	Dec 65	Nov 67
244 Avn Co (Survl)	Sep 66	Jul 67
12th Avn Gp (Long Binh)	*	Aug 65
3/17 Cav (Ambl)(Di An)	Nov 66	Oct 67
11th Avn Bn (Phu Loi)	Aug 65	Nov 65
128 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
162 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Feb 66
173 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Mar 66
213 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Jun 66	Jan 67
145th Avn Bn (Bien Hoa)	Sep 63	V
68 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Nov 65
118 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	P
135 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Oct 67
190 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 66	Aug 67
334 Avn Co (Escort)	Nov 66	V
210th Avn Bn (Long Tanh)	Feb 67	Apr 67
25 Avn Co (Corps)	Mar 67	Oct 67
54 Avn Co (FWT)(U-1)	*	Sep 65
73 Avn Co (Survl)	*	May 63
74 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	*	Mar 65
120 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	Mar 65
184 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 66	Aug 66
214th Avn Bn (Bear Cat)	Feb 67	Apr 67
117 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	Jun 63
191 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Dec 65	May 67
195 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	Nov 67
240 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 65	May 67
222d Avn Bn (Vung Tau)	May 65	V
147 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Jul 65	Nov 65
205 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Nov 65	May 67
273 Avn Co (Hvy Hel)	Apr 67	Dec 67
269th Avn Bn (Cu Chi)	Jul 65	Jan 67
116 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
187 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Mar 67
242 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Oct 65	Aug 67

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17th Avn Gp (Nha Trang)	Dec 65	V
7/17 Cav (Ambl)(Pleiku)	Nov 66	Oct 67
201 Avn Co (Corps)	Mar 67	Oct 67
58 Avn Det	May 67	May 67
10th Avn Bn (Dong Ba Thin)	Aug 65	Oct 65
48 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Nov 65
92 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Nov 67
155 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
192 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	Oct 67
243 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Dec 66	Oct 67
281 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Jun 66
52d Avn Bn (Pleiku)	*	Mar 63
57 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Oct 67
119 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	V
170 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Dec 65
179 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Dec 65	Jun 66
189 Avn Co (Ambl) (Lt)	Nov 66	May 67
355 Avn Co (Hvy Hel)	Jul 67	Jan 68
361 Avn Co (Escort) 3/	Nov 67	Apr 68
223d Avn Bn (Qui Nhon)	May 66	V
18 Avn Co (FWT)(U-1)	*	Feb 62
183 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 66	Jun 66
185 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 67	Jun 67
203 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Apr 67	Oct 67
219 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Mar 65	Jun 65
225 Avn Co (Survl)	Jul 65	May 67
268th Avn Bn (Phu Hiep)	Feb 67	May 67
61 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Nov 67
129 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
134 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Nov 67
180 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Mar 66	Oct 66
196 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Jul 65	Mar 67
335 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	Nov 66
16th Avn Gp (Da Nang)	Dec 67	V
15th Avn Bn (Chu Lai)	*	Oct 64
71 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	Sep 66
132 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Oct 67	May 68
174 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Apr 66
176 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Feb 67
173 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Sep 65	Mar 66
212th Avn Bn (Da Nang)	Mar 67	Jul 67
21 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 67	Jun 67
131 Avn Co (Survl)	Jul 65	V
220 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	*	Jul 65
245 Avn Co (Survl)	Sep 65	Oct 67
282 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Jun 66
Avn Co (Corps)(Prov)	Mar 68	V
Other Aviation Units		
224th Avn Bn (RR) (USASA)(Tan Son Nhut)	Jun 66	V
138 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
144 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
146 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
156 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 65	V
1 ASA Co (Avn)	*	Jun 67

1/ In addition to the aviation companies listed, the following cavalry, artillery, and medical company-sized units are aircraft companies: 3 air cav troops of the 1/9 Cav, 1st Cav Div (Ambl); Trp D (Air Cav) of the 1/4 Cav, 1st Inf Div; Trp D (Air Cav) of the 3/4 Cav, 25th Inf Div; Trp D (Air Cav) of the 3/5 Cav, 9th Inf Div; Trp D of the 1/10 Cav, 4th Inf Div; Trp D (Air Cav), 1/1 Cav; Trp D (Air Cav), 2/1 Cav; 3 aerial rocket batteries of the 2/20 Arty (Aer Rkt) of the 1st Cav Div (Ambl); Air Cav Trp, 11th Armd Cav Regt; and two medical companies, Air Ambulance.

2/ FWT-Fixed Wing Trans; ATC-Air Traffic Control; Survl-Surveillance; RR-Radio Research (ASA). Organic aviation companies are shown with major command.

3/ Scheduled for possible TDY missions (Duffle Bag) in Thailand.

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P Prior to Mar 65, exact date unknown.
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COMMANDERS AND PRINCIPAL STAFF OFFICERS, HQ USMACV

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Comptroller	COL Melvin E. Richmond, USA
Dir of Construction	MG William T. Bradley, USA
Chief of SOG	COL Stephen E. Cavanaugh, USA
Chief of Information	BG Winant Sidle, USA
Surgeon, MACV	BG Hal B. Jennings, Jr., USA

SELECTED COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS IN USARV

Dep CG, USARV	LTG Frank T. Mildren
CofS, USARV	BG Leo B. Jones (P)
Dep CofS, Plans & Opns	BG Elvy B. Roberts (P)
Dep CofS, Pers & Admin	BG Don R. Hickman
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Aviation Officer, USARV	MG Robert R. Williams
Engineer Officer, USARV	MG David S. Parker
Provost Marshal, USARV	COL William Brandenburg
Surgeon, USARV	BG Spurgeon H. Neel, Jr.
CG, Engr Const Agency, USARV	BG Elmer P. Yates
CG, Capital Military Assistance Command (Prov)	MG Fillmore K. Mearns
DCG, Capital Military Assistance Command (Prov)	BG Emil P. Eschenburg

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Deputy Commanding General	MG Rathvon McC. Tompkins, USMC
CofS	MG Earl E. Anderson, USMC
DCSOPS	BG Warren K. Bennett, USA
ACofS, G3	BG Carl W. Hoffman, USMC

ARMY MAJOR UNIT COMMANDERS IN THAILAND

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9th Log Command	COL Christian M. Biersack
40th MP Bn	LTC John D. Corey
44th Engr Gp	COL Kenneth M. Hatch
538th Engr Const Bn	LTC St. Claire Street, Jr.
809th Engr Const Bn	LTC Luke L. Callaway, Jr.
7th Maint Bn	LTC Phillip V. Whitley
29th Sig Gp (STRATCOM)	COL Victor B. Penuel, Jr.
499th Trans Bn (Tml)	LTC Thomas S. Berry
379th Sig Bn (Spt)	LTC Robert J. Rushing
519th Trans Bn (Trk)	LTC William H. Mantooth
133d Med Gp	COL Laurence V. Harris, Jr.
46th SF Co	LTC Robert H. Bartelt
501st Field Dep	COL Raymond A. Troxell
442d Sig Bn (Long Line)	LTC George A. Rizor, Jr.
558th S & S Bn	LTC Donald R. Eckles
93d PSYOP Co	LTC John W. Emerson

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

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Commanding General	GEN Creighton W. Abrams
Deputy Commanding General	LTG Frank T. Mildren
Chief of Staff	BG Leo B. Jones (P)
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Dep CofS, Pers & Admin	BG Don R. Hickman
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Commanding General	LTG Richard G. Stilwell, USA
Deputy Commanding General	MG Clifford B. Drake, USMC
Chief of Staff	MG Leo H. Schweiter, USA
Artillery Officer	BG Allan G. Pixton, USA
HQ I FIELD FORCE VIETNAM	
Commanding General	LTG William R. Peers
Deputy Commanding General	BG Harris W. Hollis(P)
Chief of Staff	BG James C. Kalergis
Artillery Officer	BG Richard A. Edwards
HQ II FIELD FORCE VIETNAM	
Commanding General	LTG Walter T. Kerwin, Jr.
Deputy Commanding General	MG Walter B. Richardson
Chief of Staff	BG Charles Cantrell
Artillery Officer	COL Henry J. Schroeder, Jr. (P)

1st Inf Div	MG Orwin C. Talbott
Asst Div Commander	■ BG Albert H. Smith, Jr.
Asst Div Commander	COL George G. Cantlay(P)
Chief of Staff	COL Archie R. Hyle
Div Arty Commander	COL R. W. Beasley
Spt Comd Commander	COL Robert Haldane
1st Brigade	COL Earl W. Fletcher
1st Bn, 2d Inf	LTC Thomas E. Fitzpatrick
1st Bn, 26th Inf	LTC James M. Hanson
1st Bn, 28th Inf	LTC Carman D. Negaard
2d Brigade	COL John T. Carley
2d Bn, 16th Inf	LTC Charles P. McLean
1st Bn, 18th Inf	LTC Ronald J. Gillis
2d Bn, 18th Inf	LTC James E. Crow
3d Brigade	COL William A. Patch
2d Bn (Mech), 2d Inf	LTC George D. Greer
1st Bn (Mech), 16th Inf	LTC Donald C. Shuffstall
2d Bn, 28th Inf	LTC Vernon C. Coffey
1st Sqdn, 4th Cav	LTC John C. Faith
1st Cav Div (Ambl)	MG George I. Forsythe
Asst Div Commander	BG Richard L. Irby
Asst Div Commander	BG William E. Shedd, III
Chief of Staff	COL Robert N. MacKinnon
Div Arty Commander	COL William R. Wolfe
Spt Comd Commander	COL William C. Dysinger
1st Brigade	COL Robert J. Baer
2d Bn(Ambl), 5th Cav	LTC Raymond Maladowitz
1st Bn(Ambl), 8th Cav	LTC Pritchard G. Adams
1st Bn(Ambl), 12th Cav	LTC John B. Blount
2d Brigade	COL Conrad L. Stansberry
1st Bn(Ambl), 5th Cav	LTC Gregory L. Troutman
2d Bn(Ambl), 7th Cav	LTC Addison D. Davis
2d Bn(Ambl), 8th Cav	LTC Frank L. Henry
3d Brigade	COL Karl R. Morton
1st Bn(Ambl), 7th Cav	LTC William D. McMillan, IV
5th Bn(Ambl), 7th Cav	LTC John F. McGraw, Jr.
2d Bn(Ambl), 12th Cav	LTC James W. Dingeman
11th Avn Gp	COL J. Elmore Swenson
1st Sqdn (Ambl), 9th Cav	LTC William C. Rousse
4th Inf Div	■ MG Donn R. Pepke
Asst Div Commander	BG Robert C. McAlister
Asst Div Commander	BG Albin F. Iryzk
Chief of Staff	COL Warren D. Hodges
Div Arty Commander	COL Virgil H. Williams
Spt Comd Commander	COL William C. Abernathy
1st Brigade	COL Hale H. Knight
1st Bn, 8th Inf	LTC William D. Old II
3d Bn, 8th Inf	LTC Pennell J. Hickey
3d Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Richard A. Larkin
2d Brigade	COL Herbert J. McChrystal
2d Bn (Mech), 8th Inf	LTC Dale B. Thoreson
1st Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Joseph T. Palastra, Jr.
1st Bn, 22d Inf	LTC John L. Daniels
3d Brigade	COL Stan L. McClellan
1st Bn, 14th Inf	LTC Irving Monclova
1st Bn, 35th Inf	LTC Garrett D. Buckner
2d Bn, 35th Inf	LTC William C. Moore
1st Sqdn, 10th Cav	LTC Robert W. Noce
1st Bn, 65th Arm	LTC Stan R. Sheridan

9th Inf Div	MG Julian J. Ewell
Asst Div Commander	BG James S. Timothy
Asst Div Commander	BG Frank L. Gunn
Chief of Staff	COL Ira A. Hunt
Div Arty Commander	COL Robert G. Gard
Spt Comd Commander	COL Arthur P. Hanket
1st Brigade	COL John P. Geraci
6th Bn, 31st Inf	LTC Jack R. Logan
2d Bn, 39th Inf	LTC Donald B. Schroeder
2d Bn (Mech), 47th Inf	LTC James L. Scovel
2d Brigade	COL George E. Bland
3d Bn, 47th Inf	LTC Ishmael Pack
4th Bn, 47th Inf	LTC William J. Ankley
3d Bn, 60th Inf	LTC George E. Marine
3d Brigade	COL John A. Hemphill
3d Bn, 39th Inf	LTC Thomas D. Ayers
4th Bn, 39th Inf	LTC Franklin A. Hart
2d Bn, 60th Inf	LTC Fred K. Mahaffey
5th Bn, 60th Inf	LTC Willard Latham
3d Sqdn, 5th Cav	LTC Angelo Grills
25d Inf Div	MG Charles M. Gettys
Asst Div Commander	BG Howard H. Cooksey
Asst Div Commander	■ BG Wallace L. Clement (19 Dec)
Chief of Staff	COL Jack L. Treadwell
Div Arty Commander	COL Lawrence M. Jones, Jr.
Spt Comd Commander	COL Lewis B. Tixier
11th Inf Bde	COL John W. Donaldson
3d Bn, 1st Inf	LTC Craig G. Coverdale
4th Bn, 3d Inf	LTC Albert L. Russell, Jr.
1st Bn, 20th Inf	LTC William D. Guinn
4th Bn, 21st Inf	LTC J. Godfrey Crowe
196th Inf Bde	COL Frederick J. Kroesen
2d Bn, 1st Inf	LTC Sinclair L. Melner
3d Bn, 21st Inf	LTC Richard M. Gecoma
4th Bn, 31st Inf	LTC Robert L. Wetzel
198th Inf Bde	COL Charles B. Thomas
1st Bn, 6th Inf	LTC Albert J. Dembrowsky
1st Bn, 46th Inf	LTC Frederick E. Garman
5th Bn, 46th Inf	LTC Ronald Richardson
1st Bn, 52d Inf	LTC William C. Stinson
25th Inf Div	MG Ellis W. Williamson
Asst Div Commander	BG Carleton Freer, Jr.
Asst Div Commander	BG Glen C. Long
Chief of Staff	COL Gordon Sumner, Jr.
Div Arty Commander	COL Lucius G. Hill
Spt Comd Commander	COL James R. Brownell
1st Brigade	COL Robert L. Fair
4th Bn, 9th Inf	■ LTC Leo L. Wilson
2d Bn, 14th Inf	LTC William J. Cummings
4th Bn (Mech), 23d Inf	LTC Albert C. Butler
2d Brigade	COL Eugene M. Lynch
1st Bn (Mech), 5th Inf	LTC William E. Klein
1st Bn, 27th Inf	LTC Mark L. Reese
2d Bn, 27th Inf	LTC Vincent J. Oddi, Jr.
3d Brigade	COL Lewis J. Ashley
2d Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Thomas F. Dreisonstok
2d Bn (Mech), 22d Inf	■ LTC Ralph M. Cline, Jr.
3d Bn, 22d Inf	LTC Alexander H. Hunt
3d Sqdn, 4th Cav	Unknown
2d Bn, 34th Arm	LTC Theodore E. O'Connor

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

101st Abn Div (Ambl)	MG Melvin Zais
Asst Div Commander	BG Allen M. Burdett, Jr.
Asst Div Commander	COL H. S. Cunningham (P)
Chief of Staff	COL William P. Tallon
Div Arty Commander	Unknown
Spt Cond Commander	COL Myron H. Murley
1st Brigade	COL Harold I. Hayward
1st Bn(Ambl), 327th Inf	LTC Raymond C. Smith
2d Bn(Ambl), 327th Inf	LTC Charles W. Dyke
2d Bn(Ambl), 502d Inf	LTC Herbert L. Franklin
3d Bn(Ambl), 506th Inf	LTC Walter E. Price
2d Brigade	COL John A. Hoefling
1st Bn(Ambl), 501st Inf	LTC John E. Rogers
2d Bn(Ambl), 501st Inf	LTC Joseph C. Wilson
1st Bn(Ambl), 502d Inf	LTC Donald F. Davis
3d Brigade	COL Joseph B. Conny, Jr.
3d Bn(Ambl), 187th Inf	LTC George M. Schects
1st Bn(Ambl), 506th Inf	LTC Charles J. Bauer
2d Bn(Ambl), 506th Inf	LTC John O. Childs
160th Avn Gp	COL Ted A. Crozier
2d Sqdn (Ambl), 17th Cav	LTC Egbert B. Clark
1st Bde 5th Inf Div (Mech)	COL James M. Gibson
1st Bn, 11th Inf	LTC Selby F. Little
1st Bn (Mech), 61st Inf	LTC Bernard D. Wheeler
1st Bn, 77th Arm	LTC John M. Pickarts
199th Inf Bde	BG Frederic E. Davison
Deputy Commander	COL J. G. Smith
2d Bn, 3d Inf	LTC Manuel J. Asensio, Jr.
3d Bn, 7th Inf	LTC Roy J. Herte, Jr.
4th Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Leon E. Lichtenwalter
5th Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Albert W. Malone
3d Bde 82d Abn Div	BG A. R. Bolling, Jr.
Deputy Commander	COL George S. Jones
1st Bn, 505th Inf	LTC Joseph R. Franklin
2d Bn, 505th Inf	LTC James V. Irons
1st Bn, 508th Inf	LTC Roswell E. Round, Jr.
173d Abn Bde	BG Richard J. Allen
Deputy Commander	COL Benjamin F. Dalameter
1st Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Francis J. Percy
2d Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC John W. Nicholson
3d Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Henry H. Berke, Jr.
4th Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Alexander M. Weyand
11th Armd Cav Regt	COL George S. Patton
1st Recon Sqdn	LTC Merritte W. Ireland
2d Recon Sqdn	LTC Lee E. Duke
3d Recon Sqdn	LTC John W. McEnery
5th Spec Forces Gp	COL Harold R. Aaron
1st Sqdn, 1st Cav	LTC Richard D. Lawrence
2d Sqdn, 1st Cav	LTC Donald W. Moreau
7th Sqdn, 1st Air Cav	LTC George R. Crook
3d Sqdn, 17th Air Cav	LTC John H. Phillips
7th Sqdn, 17th Air Cav	LTC Robert M. Reuter
1st Bn (Mech), 50th Inf	LTC John B. Carter

I FFV Arty	BG Richard A. Edwards
41st Arty Gp	COL Joseph C. Kiefe
52d Arty Gp	COL Jesmond D. Balmer
II FFV Arty	COL H. J. Schroeder, Jr. (P)
23d Arty Gp	COL Harold G. De Arment
54th Arty Gp	COL Richard L. Powell
XXIV Corps Arty	BG Allan G. Pixton
108th Arty Gp	COL Robert V. Lee, Jr.
18th Engr Bde	COL John H. Elder, Jr. (P)
35th Engr Gp	COL Delbert M. Fowler
45th Engr Gp	COL John G. Waggener
937th Engr Gp	COL Jesse L. Fishback
20th Engr Bde	COL Harold R. Parfitt (P)
34th Engr Gp	COL Ernest Graves, Jr.
79th Engr Gp	COL Richard L. West
159th Engr Gp	COL Bates C. Burnell
1st Avn Bde	MG Robert R. Williams
Deputy Commander	COL James C. Smith (P)
12th Avn Gp	COL Robert O. Lambert
16th Avn Gp	COL William C. Tyrrell
17th Avn Gp	COL John A. Todd
164th Avn Gp	COL Worthington M. Mahone
58th Avn Gp	COL James G. McFadden
1st Sig Bde (USASTRATCOM)	BG William M. Van Harlingen
Deputy CG	BG Thomas M. Rienzi
2d Sig Gp	COL Russell Curington
21st Sig Gp	COL Daniel W. McElwee
160th Sig Gp	COL Richard W. Swenson
Reg Comm Gp	COL Peter J. Blumenthal
44th Med Bde	BG Spurgeon H. Neel, Jr.
43d Med Gp	COL Edward O'Shaughnessy
55th Med Gp	COL Darl E. Vander Ploeg
67th Med Gp	COL Wallace R. LeBourdais
68th Med Gp	COL Richard B. Austin
18th MP Bde	COL William Brandenburg
16th MP Gp	COL John W. Liddle
89th MP Gp	COL Keith L. Monroe
8th MP Gp	LTC Ferdinand Kelly
1st Log Cmd	MG Joseph M. Heiser, Jr.
Dep Commander	MG Lloyd B. Ramsey (21Dec)
USA Spt Cmd, Cam Ranh	COL Virgil M. Stone
USA Spt Cmd, Da Nang	COL James W. Gunn (P)
USA Spt Cmd, Saigon	BG Arthur Harow
USA Spt Cmd, Qua Nhon	BG Darrie H. Richards
4th PSYOP Gp	LTC Taro Katagiri
34th Gen Spt Gp	COL Robert G. Shepherd
507th Trans Gp	COL James E. Coberley
509th Radio Rsch Gp	COL Allen J. Mauderly
525th MI Gp	COL Francis H. Dillon, Jr.

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SELECTED ADVISORS IN VIETNAM

I CTZ	
Quang Nam	COL Roland H. Renwanz **
Quang Ngai	LTC Frank W. Dixon *
Quang Tin †	LTC George A. Swearengen
Quang Tri †	LTC George H. Isley, Jr.
Thua Thien †	LTC Harley F. Mooney, Jr. *
	COL Thomas W. Bowen *
II CTZ	
Binh Dinh	BG John W. Barnes **
Binh Thuan	LTC Gordon Green
Darlac †	LTC Robert D. Vincent
Khanh Hoa	LTC Peter J. Hirsch
Kontum †	LTC Eugene Hammonds
Lam Dong †	COL Thomas F. Whalen *
Ninh Thuan	LTC Travis J. L. Stephens *
Phu Bon †	LTC Henry E. Vincent
Phu Yen	LTC George E. Palmer *
Pleiku †	LTC Ronald L. Baggett
Quang Duc †	LTC Eugene R. Bauer
Tuyen Duc	LTC Donald J. Metcalf
	LTC John W. Cooke, Jr.
III CTZ	
Bien Hoa	BG Donald D. Dunlop **
Binh Duong †	LTC Robert J. Kirk
Binh Long	LTC Angus M. Mundy *
Binh Tuy †	LTC Roland E. Peixotto
Gia Dinh	LTC James A. Hemphill
Hau Nghia †	LTC Lucian E. Rising
Long An †	LTC Carl F. Bernard *
Long Khanh †	COL Asa P. Gray, Jr.
Phuoc Long †	LTC Alvin C. Hutchins *
Phuoc Tuy	LTC Raymond Suarez, Jr. *
Tay Ninh	LTC Edward H. Bertram
	LTC Thomas F. O'Dea, Jr.
IV CTZ	
An Giang	MG George S. Eckhardt **
An Xuyen †	LTC Richard K. Davis
Ba Xuyen	LTC George M. Nagata
Bac Lieu	LTC Richard M. Rodney
Chau Doc	LTC David H. Souser
Chuong Thien †	LTC John W. Rasmussen
Dinh Tuong †	LTC Philip W. Hamilton
Go Cong	COL Harry O. Amos, Jr.
Kien Giang †	LTC Charles W. Ruth
Kien Hoa	LTC Billy M. Stanberry *
Kien Phong †	LTC James E. Dunley
Kien Tuong †	LTC Joseph J. Callahan
Phong Dinh †	LTC Wesley R. Herrlein
Sa Dec	COL Lester M. Conger *
Vinh Binh	LTC John F. Taylor
Vinh Long †	LTC Raymond Devereaux
	LTC Paul E. Suplizio
ARVN DIVISIONS	
1st Div	COL Harry H. Hiestand
2d Div	COL Dean E. Hutter
5th Div	COL James H. Leach
7th Div	COL Hubert E. Tansey
9th Div	COL Harry C. Smythe, Jr.
18th Div	COL Walter E. Coleman
21st Div	COL Gene A. Walters
22d Div	COL Frederick E. Tibbetts
23d Div	COL Winfred G. Skelton
25th Div	COL Albert H. Hislop
Abn Div	COL Dwight B. Dickson

* Member Province Senior Advisor/Deputy Senior Advisor Program.
** The senior US military officer in each Corps Tactical Zone is also the Senior Advisor. Deputies are listed here for I, II and III Corps.
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VIETNAM REFERENCE DATA

SELECTED ENEMY WEAPONS RANGES

		METERS	YARDS
CHICOM	60mm mortar	1566	1700
SOVIET	82mm mortar	3040	3320
SOVIET	120mm mortar	5700	6235
SOVIET	102mm rocket	5030	5500
SOVIET	122mm rocket	10100	12000
SOVIET	140mm rocket	8800	9750
SOVIET	200mm rocket	20300	22200
SOVIET	250mm rocket	55900	61000
SOVIET	76mm field gun	13300	14550
SOVIET	100mm field gun	21000	22900
U. S.	105mm howitzer	11000	12030
SOVIET	122mm gun/how	15300	16740
SOVIET	122mm field gun	21900	24000
SOVIET	130mm field gun	27000	29500
SOVIET	152mm gun/how	17200	18000

MARINE TOUR/EXTENSION IN RVN DATA*

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL
VOLUNTARY EXTENSIONS FOR 6 MONTHS OR LONGER SINCE JUNE 1966	538	26,908	27,446
SERVING ON SECOND TOUR OF DUTY IN RVN SINCE MARCH 1965			
VOLUNTARY	106	883	989
INVOLUNTARY	0	1	1

SOURCE: CG FMFPAC 152132Z NOV68 (AS OF 31OCT68)

COMBINED ACTION UNIT STATISTICS PERIOD 1 - 30 NOV 1968

FRIENDLY LOSSES:	KIA	WIA
USMC	8	36
USN		3
PF	10	53

ENEMY LOSSES:	KIA	PW/DET	RET	WPNS
	216	71/360	13	64

	USMC OFF	USMC ENL	USN	PF
STRENGTH:	36	1654	135	3199

TOTAL UNITS	CAG	CAC	CAP
	4	18	99

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 082400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4, 3/4 & 3/3	KHE SANH AREA	367 25 USA	2,186 157 USA	3,054
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	3D MAR: 1/3 & 2/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	3,791
NAPOLEON/SALINE (5NOV67)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	MOUTH OF CUA VIET RIVER	353 42 USA	1,962 173 USA 1 USA MIA	3,495
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	NONE	8	10
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	166 USA	1,486 USA	2,831
MEADE RIVER (20NOV68)	1ST MAR: 1/1 & 3/26	14 KM WEST OF HOI AN	75	458 1 USN	529
TAYLOR COMMON (7DEC68)	TF YANKEE: 1/5, 2/5 3/5 & BLT 2/7	NORTH OF AN HOA	NONE	4	13
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	28
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	5 USA	50 USA	104
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	NONE	4 ROKMC	48

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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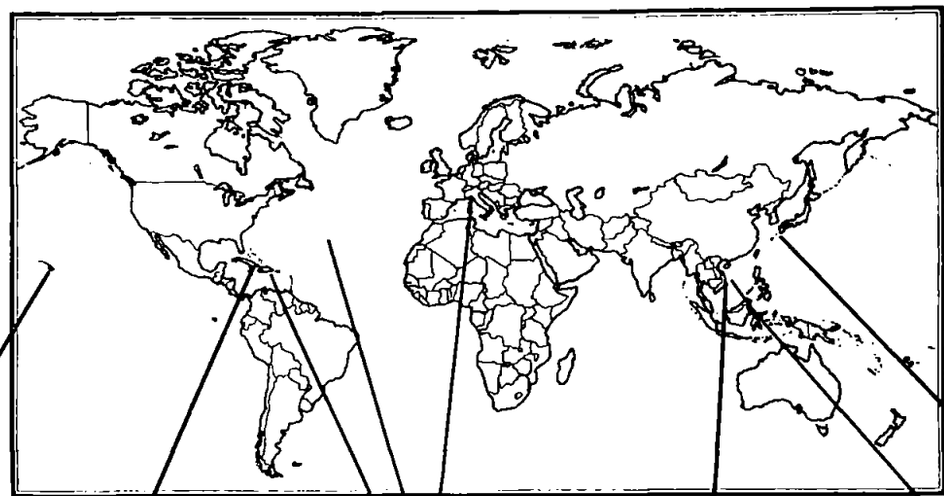

1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
AT LOVO SANTO,
CORSICA FOR PHIBLEX
7-69

LANFOR6THFLT 3-68
ENR CONUS
ETA: 10DEC68

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN
(OPN MEADE RIVER)

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN TAYLOR COMET)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN OKINAWA/JAPAN AFLOAT	21	(5) (1)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(8)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(1)
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII AFLOAT	(1)	(2)								
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST AFLOAT	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
ATLANTIC	7	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST CARIBBEAN	(5) (2)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3) (1)	(2)		(1)	(1)
EUROPE	2									
MEDITERRANEAN ENROUTE CONUS	(1) (1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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UNIT	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
HQ SQDN, FMFPAC						2/T-1A 1/C-54 1/C-47 1/UC-45J		
VMT-103							19/TA-4F	
MAG-11								
H&MS-11	6/TA-4F 1/C-117D							
VMCJ-1	8/RF-4B 9/EF-10B 5/EA-6A							
VMA(AW)-242	10/A-6A							
VMFA-542	15/F-4B							
VMFA-334	15/F-4J							
MAG-12								
H&MS-12		4/TA-4F 1/C-117D						
VMA-121		23/A-4E						
VMA-211		20/A-4E						
VMA-223		19/A-4C						
VMA-311		19/A-4E						
VMA(AW)-533		11/A-6A						
MAG-13								
H&MS-13		3/TF-9J 1/C-117D 1/TA-4F						
VMFA-115		11/F-4B						
VMFA-314		15/F-4B						
VMFA-323		15/F-4B						
MAG-15								
H&MS-15				4/UH-34D	1/C-117D 2/TA-4F 3/C-54			
VMGR-152				13/KC-130F				
VMFA-122					19/F-4B			
MAG-16								
H&MS-16	6/UH-34D 1/CH-53A 1/C-117D							
VMO-2	12/UH-1E 13/OV-10A							
HMM-164	20/CH-46A							
HML-167	15/UH-1E							
HMH-463	21/CH-53A							
HMM-165	23/CH-46A							
MWSG-17								
H&MS-17	1/UH-34D 4/US-2A/B 1/C-117D 2/C-1A							
MHTG-30								
H&MS-30							5/CH-46D 1/CH-46F	
HMHT-301							15/CH-53A	
HMMT-302							19/CH-46D	
MAG-33								
H&MS-33							2/F-4J 1/C-47J 1/C-47H 6/TA-4F	
VMCJ-3							4/RF-4B 8/EF-10B	
VMA-214							26/A-4C	
VMFA-232							10/F-4J	
VMFA-531							11/F-4B	
MAG-36								
H&MS-36			1/CH-46D 1/C-117D 4/UH-34D					
HMM-362			22/UH-34D					
HMM-363			23/UH-34D					
HMH-462			12/CH-53A					
HMM-265			17/CH-46A					
HMM-364			23/CH-46D					
HML-367			19/UH-1E					
PROV MAG-39 #								
VMO-6			10/OV-10A 8 /O-1C/G 23 /UH-1E					
HMM-161			21 /CH-46D					
HMM-262			25/CH-46A					

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UNIT	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
MWSG-37								
H&MS-37							4/T-1A 1/C-54Q 1/C-54R 3/TA-4F 3/C-117D 2/C-47H	
VMGR-352							13/KC-130F	
MAG-56								
H&MS-56							3/CH-53A	
HML-267							27/OV-10A 18/UH-1E	
HMM-263							24/CH-46D	
HMM-163							14/CH-46D	
HMM-561							23/UH-34D	
1ST MARINE BRIGADE								
MAG-24								
H&MS-24						1/C-117D 3/UH-34D 1/T-1A 3/TA-4F		
VMFA-212						15/F-4J		
VMFA-235						15/F-4J		
TOTAL PAC AIRCRAFT								
FIXED WING (472)	90	143	19	13	25	40	142	
HELICOPTERS (415)	99		187	4		3	122	

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

7 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,288	75,094	80,382	
DANANG	(2,972)	(42,243)	(45,215)	#
CHU LAI	(487)	(5,044)	(5,531)	
PHU BAI	(354)	(3,098)	(3,452)	
DONG HA	(1,470)	(24,554)	(26,024)	
AFLOAT	(5)	(155)	(160)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	112	3,043	3,155	
SLF ALFA	(54)	(1,425)	(1,479)	
SLF BRAVO.	(58)	(1,618)	(1,676)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,457	75,393	80,850	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS				
31 OCTOBER 1968			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	455	3,021	3,476	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1285 EVENTS OF 4 & 5 DEC 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

7 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 26,024
USN 1,235 *
USA 7,262

HQS 3D MAR DIV
(TF-H)

4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 3/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1ST AMTRAC BN (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)

1st MAW
PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,452
USN 81 *
USA 23,986

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW
MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-362 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

USMC 45,215
USN 1,982 *
USA 2,173
ROKMC 6,773

HQS, III MAF

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/1
- 3/1
- 1/1 (OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 3/5

BLT 2/26 (SLF "A")(OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 3/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/7
- 3/7

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMET)
- 2/5 (OPN TAYLOR COMET)

BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMET)

HQ 1st MAW
MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,531
USN 125 *
USA 23,659

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF
- 1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 1/6 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW
MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN *
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	80,850	3,476
III MAF	80,382	3,476 #
SLF's	(3,155)	(184)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV (FIELD)	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	80,068
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,743
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	288,205

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA :	BLT 2/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER) HMM-363 (UH-34D) @	1,479	97
BRAVO :	BLT 2/7 (OPN TAYLOR COMET) HMM-165 (CH-46A) @	1,676	87

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,796	234

MAG-15
- VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,939	26

MOVEMENTS

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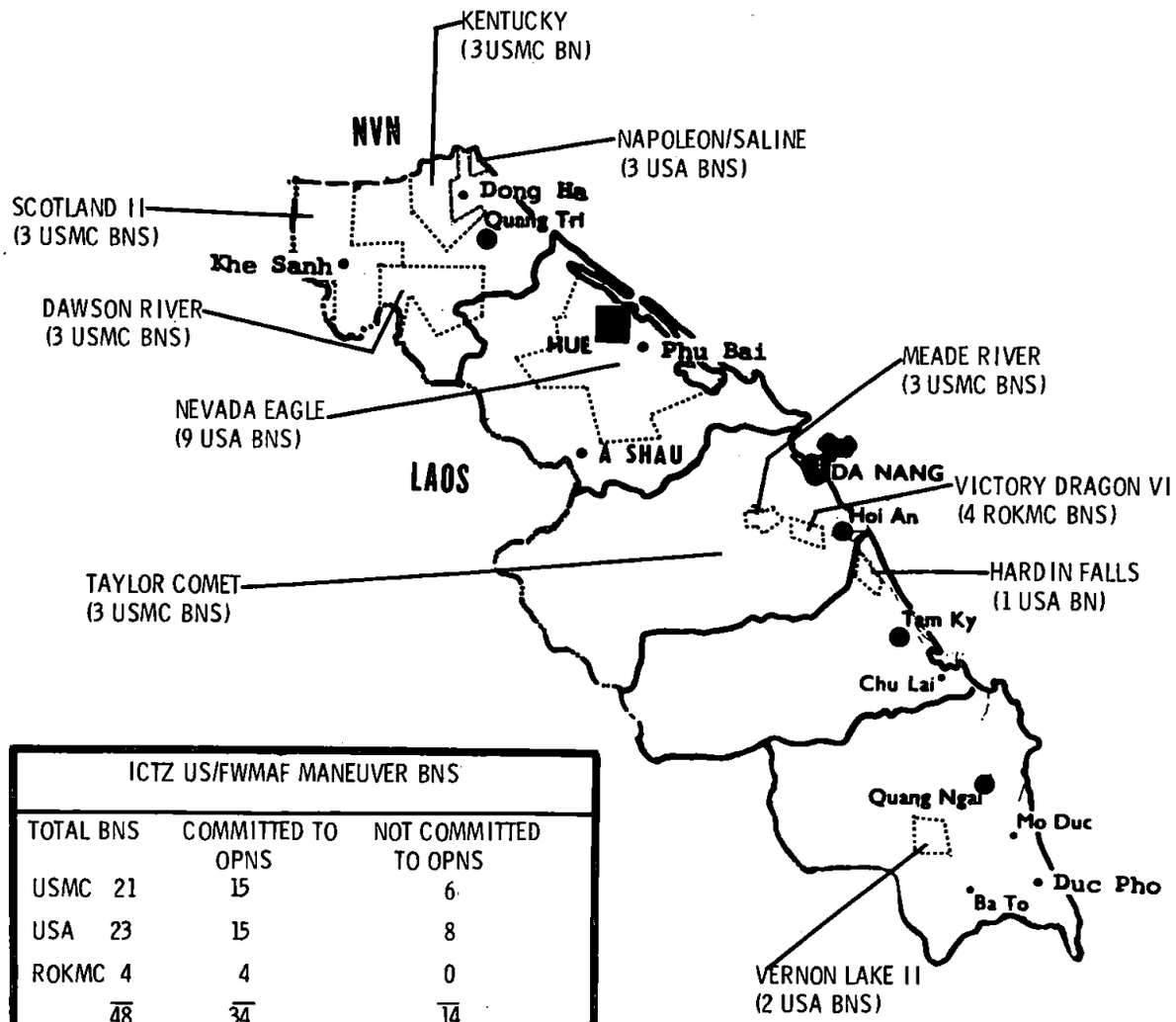
* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" & SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-363 ASHORE OPCON MAG-36
@ HMM-165 ASHORE OPCON MAG-16

MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS

7 DECEMBER 1968



ICTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS		
TOTAL BNS	COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC 21	15	6
USA 23	15	8
ROKMC 4	4	0
48	34	14

USMC - 6 BNS DANANG

USA - 8 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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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 November 30, 1968

7 DECEMBER 1968

	Army	Navy **	Marine Corps	Air Force	Total
A. CASUALTIES RESULTING FROM ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
1. Killed	15,053	727	8,800	318	24,898
2. Wounded or Injured					
a. Died of wounds	1,960	91	1,078	27	3,156
b. Nonfatal wounds					
Hospital care required	57,232	2,398	37,726	508	97,864
Hospital care not required	56,615	3,644	28,345	1,691	90,295
3. Missing					
a. Died while missing	1,405	131	5	260	1,801
b. Returned to control	45	7	6	24	82
c. Current missing	194	115	87	529	925
4. Captured or Interned					
a. Died while captured or interned	9	-	-	1	10
b. Returned to control	11	1	4	5	21
c. Current captured or interned	45	133	19	139	336
5. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	58	138	105	477	778
Helicopter	892	39	278	19	1,228
b. From ground action	17,477	772	9,500	110	27,859
TOTAL DEATHS a/	18,427*	949	9,883	606	29,865
B. CASUALTIES NOT THE RESULT OF ACTIONS BY HOSTILE FORCES					
6. Current Missing	73	3	2	2	80
7. Deaths					
a. From aircraft accidents/incidents					
Fixed Wing	181	84	28	188	481
Helicopter	780	21	160	7	968
b. From other causes	2,080	434	830	160	3,504
TOTAL DEATHS	3,041	539	1,018	355	4,953

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*Includes 382 Special Forces personnel.

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

Directorate for Statistical Services
Office of the Secretary of Defense
December 4, 1968

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

7 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,914	37,822	28,432	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 6 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,022	1,292	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
60,029	3,288	11,703

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 45 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 55 — Admitted to hospital → 55
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 46 — Evacuated from SVN → 46
    - 27 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*42,284 CASUALTIES, 1JAN67-12JUN68.

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DISPOSITION OF MAJOR US & FWMAF UNITS IN RVN

CTZ RECAP

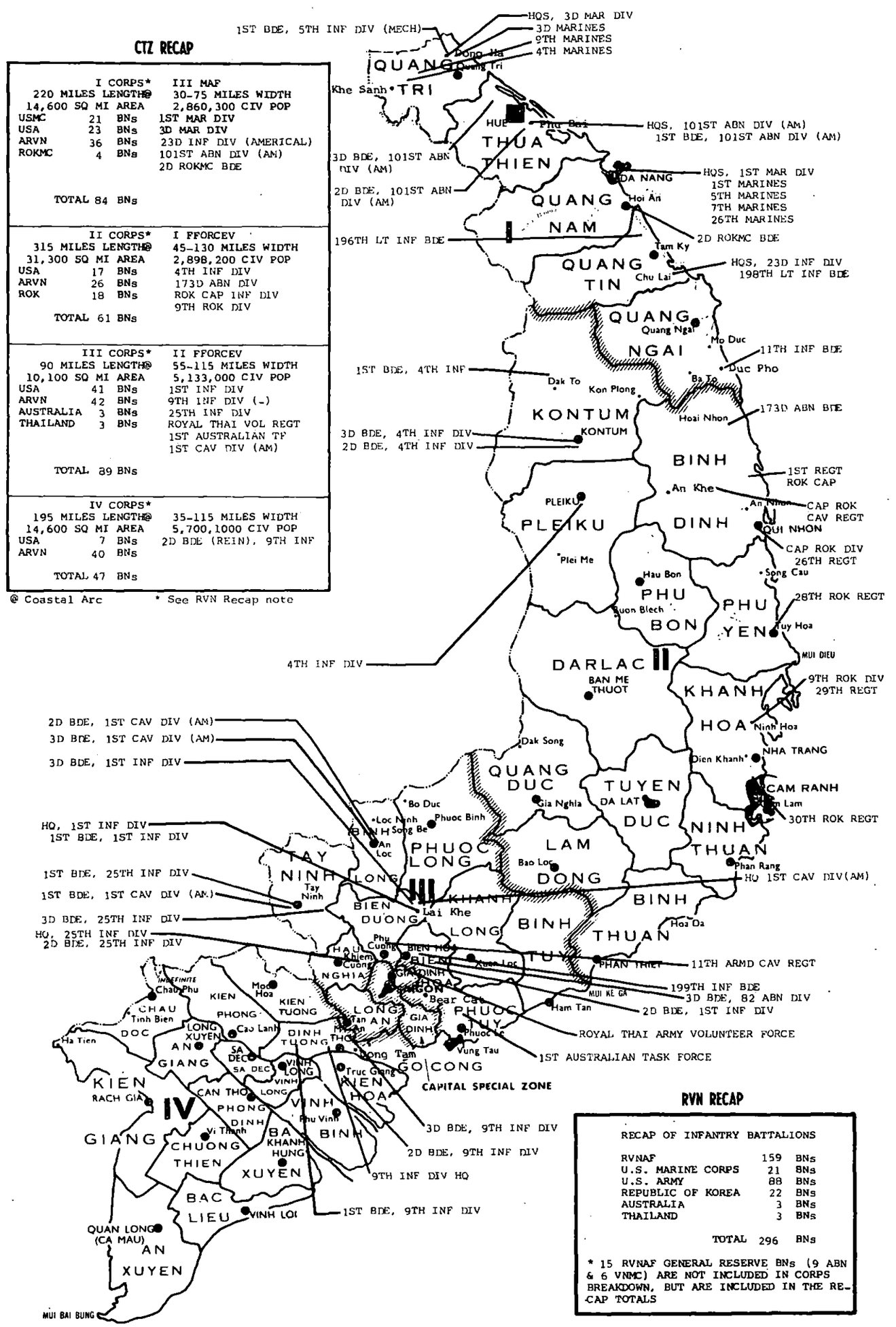
I CORPS*			III MAF
220 MILES LENGTH@			30-75 MILES WIDTH
14,600 SQ MI AREA			2,860,300 CIV POP
USMC	21	BNs	1ST MAR DIV
USA	23	BNs	3D MAR DIV
ARVN	36	BNs	23D INF DIV (AMERICAL)
ROKMC	4	BNs	101ST ABN DIV (AM)
			2D ROKMC BDE
TOTAL	84	BNs	

II CORPS*			I FFORCEV
315 MILES LENGTH@			45-130 MILES WIDTH
31,300 SQ MI AREA			2,898,200 CIV POP
USA	17	BNs	4TH INF DIV
ARVN	26	BNs	173D ABN DIV
ROK	18	BNs	ROK CAP INF DIV
			9TH ROK DIV
TOTAL	61	BNs	

III CORPS*			II FFORCEV
90 MILES LENGTH@			55-115 MILES WIDTH
10,100 SQ MI AREA			5,133,000 CIV POP
USA	41	BNs	1ST INF DIV
ARVN	42	BNs	9TH INF DIV (-)
AUSTRALIA	3	BNs	25TH INF DIV
THAILAND	3	BNs	ROYAL THAI VOL REGT
			1ST AUSTRALIAN TF
			1ST CAV DIV (AM)
TOTAL	89	BNs	

IV CORPS*			
195 MILES LENGTH@			35-115 MILES WIDTH
14,600 SQ MI AREA			5,700,1000 CIV POP
USA	7	BNs	2D BDE (REIN), 9TH INF
ARVN	40	BNs	
TOTAL	47	BNs	

@ Coastal Arc * See RVN Recap note



RVN RECAP

RECAP OF INFANTRY BATTALIONS		
RVNAF	159	BNs
U.S. MARINE CORPS	21	BNs
U.S. ARMY	88	BNs
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	22	BNs
AUSTRALIA	3	BNs
THAILAND	3	BNs
TOTAL	296	BNs

* 15 RVNAF GENERAL RESERVE BNs (9 ABN & 6 VNMC) ARE NOT INCLUDED IN CORPS BREAKDOWN, BUT ARE INCLUDED IN THE RECAP TOTALS

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FMFLANT

7 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	CHPT	BEAU	NEW RIVER	ROOS RD	MED	CARIB	NORFOLK	OTHER
HQ SQDN, FMFLANT							2/US-2B 1/T-1A 1/C-131 1/C-54S	
MAG-14	3/TA-4F 1/T-1A							
H&MS-14	1/C-117D							
VMCJ-2	8/RF-4B 4/EF-10B 6/EA-6A							
VMA(AW)-224	8/A-6A							
VMA(AW)-225	13/A-6A							
VMA(AW)-332	9/A-6A							
VMFA-513	14/F-4B							
MCCRTG-20								
H&MS-20								
VMFAT-201	19/F-4B/J							
VMAT(AW)-202	10/A-6A							
VMT-203	19/TA-4F							
MAG-26								
H&MS-26			1/C-117D 1/C-47H					
VMO-1			16/UH-1E 13/OV-10A			2/UH-1E		2/UH-1E**
HMM-162			27/CH-46D					
HMM-261			16/CH-46D					
HMM-264						15/CH-46D		
HMM-365			16/CH-46F 9/CH-46D					
HMH-361			17/CH-53A					
HMH-461			22/CH-53A					
MWSG-27	5/T-33B 3/C-117D							
H&MS-27	2/C-54S							
VMGR-252	11/KC-130F							
MAG-31								
H&MS-31		4/T-1A 1/C-117D						
VMFA-333		15/F-4J						
VMA-331		19/A-4E						
VMFA-451		13/F-4J						
MAG-32		3/TA-4F 1/C-47H						
H&MS-32		1/C-117D						
VMFA-251		16/F-4B						
VMFA-312		15/F-4B						
VMA-324		18/A-4C						
TOTAL LANT A/C								
FIXED WING (260)	136	105	16				5	
HELICOPTER (143)			124			17		2

** CAMP GARCIA, VIEQUES. * TRANSITIONING TO CH-46F AIRCRAFT.

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND EQUIPMENT

EQUIPMENT	T/E AUTH	CAM LEJ	VIEQUES	GTMO	CARIB	MED	OTHER
81mm MORTAR M29	72	40		8	8	8	8**
106mm RR M40A1C	72	40		8	8	8	8**
107mm HOWTAR M98	18	18					
105mm HOW TD M101A1	54	30			6	6	6**
155mm HOW TD M114A1				6			
155mm GUN SP M53	6	6					
155mm HOW SP M109	18	18					
8in HOW SP M55	6	6					
90mm GUN TANK M48A3	36	21			5	5	5**
120mm GUN TANK M103A2	17	17		5			
FLAME TANK M67A2	9	9					
HAWK LAUNCHERS	24						24*
HAWK MISSILES	36						36*
ONTOS M50A1	45	19			5	5	5**
LVTP-5	91	85	24		10	10	10**

*CHERRY POINT
**WITH LANFOR6THFLT 4-68

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LANDING FORCE, SIXTH FLEET 3-68

7 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 62
CTG: LTCOL P. E. WOODRUFF

UNITS EMBARKED

	STRENGTH			
	USMC		USN	
	OFF	ENL	OFF	ENL
BLT 3/2				
(LTCOL P. E. WOODRUFF JR)				
3D BN, 2D MARINES	31	891	3	31
BTRY "I", 3/10	4	92		1
PLT "B" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	43		1
PLT "A" CO, 2D AT BN	1	21		
PLT "A" CO, 2D TANK BN	1	25		
PLT "A" CO, 2D ENGR BN	1	48		
PLT "B" CO, 8TH MT BN	1	18		
PLT "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		1
PLT "A" CO, 2D SP BN	1	47		1
DET, 2D SERV BN	1	38		
DET, 2D FSR	1	39		
DET, 2D MED BN		9		11
DET, 2D DENTAL CO			2	2
DET, HQBN, 2D MARDIV	1	20		
DET, HQ BTRY, 10TH MAR		12	1	
DET, HQ CO, 2D MARINES		2		
TOTALS	45	1329	6	48

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

31	7.62 MG
10	LVTP-5
6	105MM HOW
5	90MM GUN TANK
5	ONTOS
8	81MM MORTARS
8	FLAME THROWERS
6	106MM RR
21	MULES
32	MITES
29	2½ TON TRUCKS
8	JEEPS
3	5 TON CARGO TRUCKS
9	3/4 TON UTIL TRUCKS
4	AMBULANCES
4	CRANES

AIRCRAFT

NO AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

ENROUTE CONUS
ETA: 10DEC68

SHIPPING

USS CHILTON	(LPA-38)
USS MOUNTRAIL	(LPA-213)
USS YANCEY	(LKA-93)
USS SAN MARCOS	(LSD-25)
USS FORT MANDAN	(LSD 21)
USS TRAVERSE CTY	(LST-1160)

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 062400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	367 25 USA	2,185 157 USA	3,047
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	3D MAR: 1/3, 2/3 & 3/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	456 46 USA	2,629 1 MIA 363 USA	* 3,791
NAPOLEON/SALINE (5NOV67)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	MOUTH OF CUA VIET RIVER	353 41 USA	1,962 165 USA 1 USA MIA	3,495
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	NONE	8	9
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	166 USA	1,485 USA	* 2,824
MEADE RIVER (20NOV68)	1ST MAR: 1/1, BLT 2/26 & 3/26	14 KM WEST OF HOI AN	62	400 1 USN	407
TAYLOR COMET (7DEC68)	5TH MAR: 1/5, 2/5 & BLT 2/7	NORTH OF AN HOA	NONE	NONE	NONE
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	23
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	5 USA	50 USA	101
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	NONE	3 ROKMC	31
HENDERSON HILL (23OCT68) (TERM: 062400H)	5TH MAR: 3/5	AN HOA BASIN	# 35	# 273 # 2 USN	# 700

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED
# - FINAL CUMULATIVE CASUALTIES

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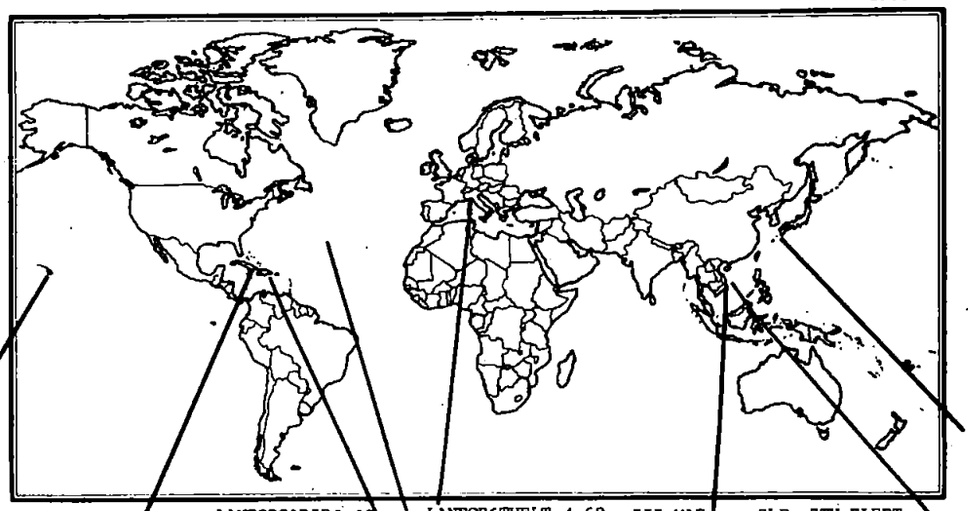
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

5 DECEMBER 1968



1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
AT LOVO SANTO,
CORSICA FOR PHIBLEX
7-69

LANFOR6THFLT 3-68
ENR CONUS
ETA: 10DEC68

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET
SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN
(OPN MEADE RIVER)

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN MEADE RIVER)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN OKINAWA/JAPAN AFLOAT	21	(5) (1)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(8)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(1)
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII AFLOAT	(1)	(2)								
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST AFLOAT	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
ATLANTIC	7	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST CARIBBEAN	(5) (2)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3) (1)	(2)		(1)	(1)
EUROPE	2									
MEDITERRANEAN ENROUTE CONUS	(1) (1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMFPAC TACTICAL UNITS

5 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
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		1/7,3/7						2/7	1
9TH MARINES			1/9,2/9,3/9						
26TH MARINES		1/26,3/26						2/26	1
27TH MARINES						1/27	2/27,3/27		
28TH MARINES							1/28,2/28 3/28		
MAG-11		VMCJ-1 VMA(AW)-242 VMFA-542 VMFA-334							
MAG-12	VMA-121 VMA-211 VMA-223 VMA-311 VMA(AW)-533								
MAG-13	VMFA-115 VMFA-323 VMFA-314								
MAG-16		VMO-2 HML-167 HMH-463 HMM-164 HMM-165							
MAG-36			HMM-265 HMM-363 HMM-364 HML-367 HMH-462						
PROV MAG-39			VMO-6 HMM-262 HMM-161						
MAG-15					VMFA-122				
MAG-24						VMFA-212 VMFA-235			
MAG-33							VMCJ-3 VMA-214 VMFA-232 VMFA-531		
MAG-56							HML-267 HMM-263 HMM-163 HMM-561		

NOTE 1: SLF

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR GROUND EQUIPMENT

EQUIPMENT	T/E AUTH	CHU LAI	DANANG	NoICTZ/DMZ	OKINAWA	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER	NOTE
60mm MORTAR M19	328		108	120		12	48	24	1
81mm MORTAR M29	216		80	72		8	40	16	1
106mm RR M40A1C	216		80	72		8	40	16	1
107mm MORTAR M30	54		12	18		6	6	12	1
105mm HOW TD M101A1	162		60	54		6	30	12	1
155mm HOW TD M114A1	24		6	23					
155mm HOW SP M109	54		24	18			12		
155mm GUN SP M53	24		6	12			6		
8in HOW SP M110	18		4	10			4		
ONTOS M50A1	135		15	5	5		23	10	1
90mm TANK M48A3	159		60	53			36	10	1
120mm TANK M103A2	17						17		
FLAME TANK M67A2	27		12	9			6		
LVTH6	18		12	6					1
LVTP5	347		72	95			90	20	1
LVTE1	20		8	4			8		
HAWK LAUNCHERS	54		18				18		
HAWK MISSILES	252		110						

NOTES: 1 UNITS/EQUIPMENT IN OTHER ASSIGNED TO SLF's.

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DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FMFPAC

5 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
HQ SQDN, FMFPAC						2/T-1A 1/C-54 1/C-47 1/UC-45J		
VMT-103							19/TA-4F	
MAG-11								
H&MS-11	6/TA-4F 1/C-117D							
VMCJ-1	7/RF-4B 9/EF-10B 5/EA-6A							
VMA(AW)-242	10/A-6A							
VMFA-542	14/F-4B							
VMFA-334	15/F-4J							
MAG-12								
H&MS-12		4/TA-4F 1/C-117D						
VMA-121		23/A-4E						
VMA-211		21/A-4E						
VMA-223		19/A-4C						
VMA-311		20/A-4E						
VMA(AW)-533		11/A-6A						
MAG-13								
H&MS-13		3/TF-9J 1/C-117D 1/TA-4F						
VMFA-115		11/F-4B						
VMFA-314		15/F-4B						
VMFA-323		13/F-4B						
MAG-15								
H&MS-15				4/UH-34D	1/C-117D 2/TA-4F 3/C-54			
VMGR-152				13/KC-130F				
VMFA-122					19/F-4B			
MAG-16								
H&MS-16	3/UH-34D 1/CH-53A 1/C-117D							
VMO-2	12/UH-1E 13/OV-10A							
HMM-164	22/CH-46A							
HML-167	14/UH-1E							
HMH-463	25/CH-53A							
HMM-165	22/CH-46A							
MWSG-17								
H&MS-17	1/UH-34D 5/US-2A/B 1/C-117D 2/C-1A							
MHTG-30								
H&MS-30							5/CH-46D 1/CH-46F	
HMHT-301							15/CH-53A	
HMMT-302							19/CH-46D	
MAG-33								
H&MS-33							3/F-4J 1/C-47J 1/C-47H 3/TA-4F	
VMCJ-3							4/RF-4B 8/EF-10B	
VMA-214							25/A-4C	
VMFA-232							10/F-4J	
VMFA-531							11/F-4B	
MAG-36								
H&MS-36			1/CH-46D 1/C-117D 4/UH-34D					
HMM-362			22/UH-34D					
HMM-363			24/UH-34D					
HMH-462			11/CH-53A					
HMM-265			17/CH-46A					
HMM-364			23/CH-46D					
HML-367			15/UH-1E					
PROV MAG-39 #								
VMO-6			10/OV-10A 9/O-1C/G 23/UH-1E					
HMM-161			22/CH-46D					
HMM-262			25/CH-46A					

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NOTES:

QUANG TRI

DISTRIBUTION OF AIRCRAFT, FMFPAC

5 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	DANANG	CHU LAI	PHU BAI	OKINAWA	JAPAN	HAWAII	EASTPAC	OTHER
MWSG-37								
H&MS-37							4/T-1A 1/C-54Q 1/C-54R 3/TA-4F 3/C-117D 2/C-47H	
VMGR-352							13/KC-130F	
MAG-56								
H&MS-56							3/CH-53A	
HML-267							27/OV-10A 20/UH-1E	
HMM-263							24/CH-46D	
HMM-163							12/CH-46D	
HMM-561							23/UH-34D	
1ST MARINE BRIGADE								
MAG-24								
H&MS-24						1/C-117D 3/UH-34D 2/T-1A 3/TA-4F		
VMFA-212						12/F-4J		
VMFA-235						6/F-4J		
TOTAL PAC AIRCRAFT								
FIXED WING (458)	89	143	20	13	25	29	139	
HELICOPTERS (416)	100		187	4		3	122	

NOTES: * ASSIGNED TO SLF
QUANG TRI

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

5 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,313	75,376	80,689	
DANANG	(2,934)	(41,965)	(44,899)	#
CHU LAI	(494)	(5,084)	(5,578)	
PHU BAI	(361)	(3,122)	(3,483)	
DONG HA	(1,470)	(24,726)	(26,196)	
AFLOAT	(54)	(479)	(533)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	112	3,043	3,155	
SLF ALFA	(54)	(1,425)	(1,479)	
SLF BRAVO.	(58)	(1,618)	(1,676)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,482	75,675	81,157	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS				
31 OCTOBER 1968			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	454	3,061	3,515	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1284 EVENTS OF 2 & 3 DECEMBER 1968.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A" & "B".

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

5 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

HQS 3D MAR DIV (TF-H)

USMC 26,729
USN 1,317
USA 7,282

4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
- 1/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 2/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)
- 3/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1ST AMTRAC BN (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)

1st MAW

PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

USMC 3,483
USN 81
USA 23,961

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW

MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-362 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

USMC 44,899
USN 1,989
USA 2,173
ROKMC 6,773

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/1
- 3/1
- 1/1 (OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 2/5 (OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 3/5 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")(OPN MEADE RIVER)
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A")(OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 3/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 3/7
- 1/7

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN HENDERSON HILL)

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26

HQ 1st MAW

MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)
- HMM-165 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

USMC 5,578
USN 128
USA 23,825

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF
- 1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 1/6 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW

MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN*
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	81,157	3,515
III MAF	80,689	3,515 #
SLF's	(3,155)	(184)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(15)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV (FIELD)	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	80,375
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,782
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	288,551

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER) HMM-363 (UH-34D) ●	1,479	97
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN MEADE RIVER) HMM-165 (CH-46A) ●	1,676	87

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,796	234

MAG-15
- VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

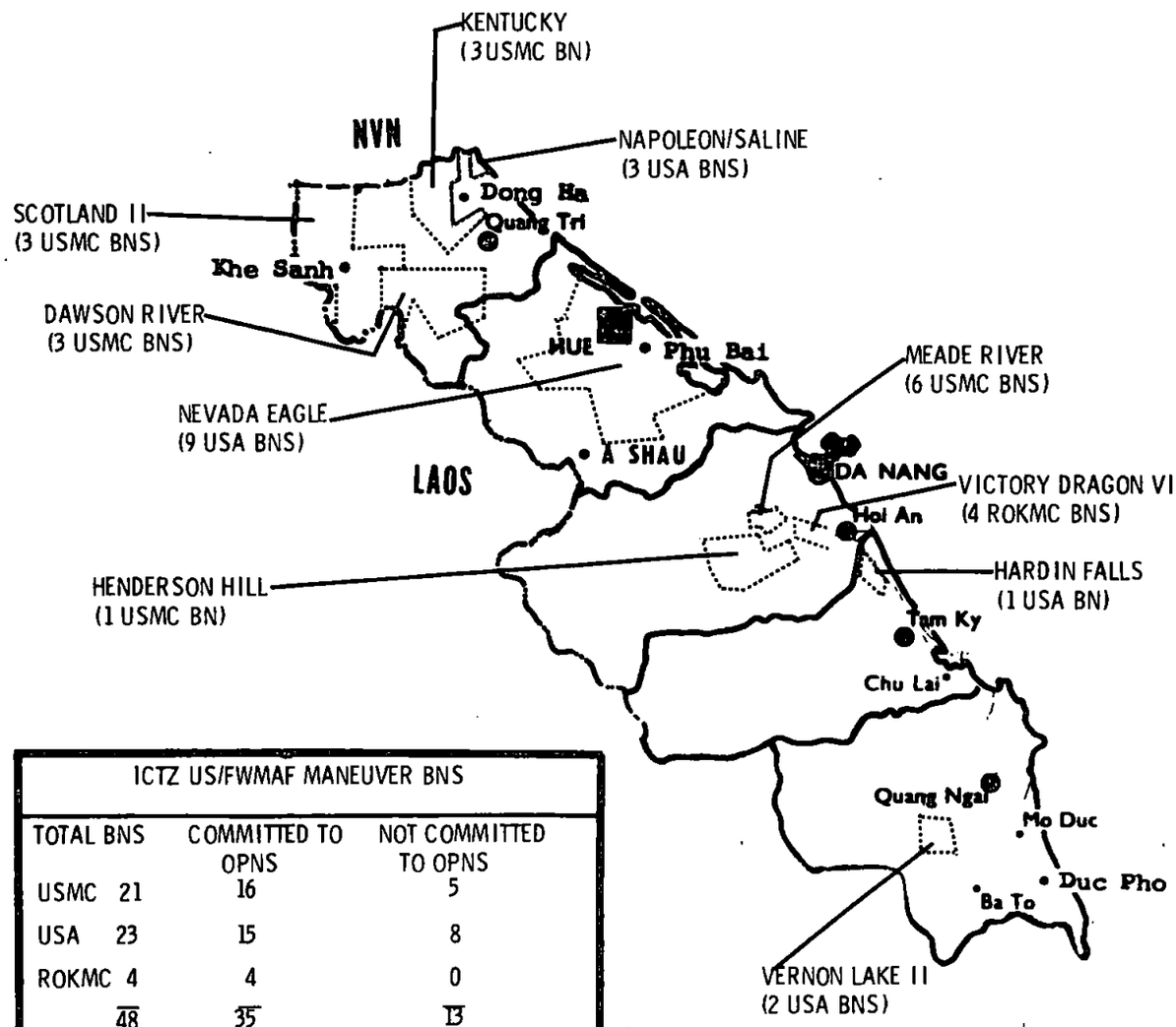
	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,939	26

MOVEMENTS

Unclassified

* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" & SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
● HMM-363 ASHORE OPCON MAG-36
● HMM-165 ASHORE OPCON MAG-16

MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



ICTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS			
TOTAL BNS		COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC	21	16	5
USA	23	15	8
ROKMC	4	4	0
	48	35	13

USMC - 5 BNS DANANG

USA - 8 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

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1967

5 DECEMBER 1968

LARGE UNIT OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS RESULTING IN SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF ENEMY KIA*

OPERATION NAME	DATES	UNITS#	CASUALTIES						
			USMC		OTHER		VC/NVA		
			KIA	WIA	KIA	WIA	KIA	PW	WPNS
SEINE	5-14JAN	1 BN ROKMC			31	55	140	5	1
TUSCALOOSA	24-28JAN	1 BN(-)	17	52			79		17
DESOTO	26JAN-7APR	1 BN(-)	76	573			383	9	28
PRAIRIE II	1FEB-18MAR	5 BN	93	483			693	20	137
INDEPENDENCE	1-5FEB	3 BN(R)	9	35			139	20	12
STONE	12-22FEB	3 BN	9	77			291	65	23
CHINOOK II	17FEB-4APR	2 BN	12	111			104	5	30
LAFAYETTE	26FEB-7MAR	3 BN	6	41			77	19	3
PRAIRIE III	19MAR-19APR	4 BN(R)	55	529			252	4	128
NEW CASTLE	22-25MAR	1 BN	5	55			118	1	
BOONE	1-7APR	1 BN(R)	2	61			39	8	9
SEA DRAGON	1-7APR	1 BN ROKMC				25	41	65	5
BIG HORN	5-21APR	3 BN	22	127			70		12
CANYON	6-10APR	2 BN	3	40			85	63	7
PRAIRIE IV	20APR-31MAY	6 BN(R)	164	999			489	9	150
UNION	22APR-17MAY	3 BN	110	473			865	173	71
SHAWNEE	22APR-21MAY	3 BN	13	139			128	8	88
KHE SANH AREA	24APR-13MAY	2 BN	168	436			807	6	94
MALHEUR	11MAY-8JUN	3 BN(R) USA			51	285	392	6	160
CROCKETT	13MAY-16JUL	2 BN	52	255			206	2	26
HICKORY/BELT TIGHT	17-28MAY	6 BN	119	817			362		113
THUNDER DRAGON	18-27MAY	2 BN ROKMC			15	19	147	13	7
CHOCTAW	22MAY-9JUL	3 BN	18	153			164	19	31
UNION II	26MAY-5JUN	2 BN	110	241			701	23	31
CIMARRON	1JUN-2JUL	6 BN	38	470			245	13	66
COLGATE/BEAR BITE	7-12JUN	2 BN	3	29			35	8	10
ANGRY DRAGON II	8-14JUN	1 BN ROKMC			15	66	159	43	
MALHEUR II	8JUN-2AUG	3 BN(R) USA			30	260	488	22	148
ARIZONA	14-22JUN	3 BN	8	65			80	108	11
ADAIR	15-24JUN	2 BN	11	41			74	173	14
CALHOUN	25JUN-1JUL	6 BN	6	39			24	3	6
BUFFALO/BEAVER TRACK/BEAR CLAW	2-14JUL	6 BN	159	845			1103	2	99
FREMONT	10JUL-31OCT	3 BN	17	260			123	8	39
HICKORY II	14-16JUL	6 BN	4	99			57		19
KINGFISHER	16JUL-31OCT	6 BN	340	3086			1117	5	155
ARDMORE	17JUL-31OCT	2 BN	10	39			113		10
PIKE	1-3AUG	2 BN	8	60			100	4	4
DRAGON HEAD V	1-9AUG	2 BN ROKMC			12	58	63	106	
HOOD RIVER	2-31AUG	2 BN USA			3	38	78	7	45
COCHISE	11-28AUG	3 BN	10	93			156	13	41
BENTON	13AUG-1SEP	5 BN USA			41	225	397	9	158
BEAUTIFUL PLUM	20AUG-5SEP	3 BN ROKMC			3	19	32	1	

USMC UNLESS INDICATED OTHERWISE

SUMMARY OF 1967 OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS

During 1967 III MAF forces conducted 135 regimental and/or battalion sized offensive operations. In addition, 3,918 (2,424 USMC/1,494 USA) company sized operations, 288,042 (279,658 USMC/8,384 USA) patrols, and 88,070 (74,751 USMC/13,319 USA) ambushes were conducted.

During 1967, as a result of all types of operations, III MAF forces suffered 4,069 (3,460 USMC/609 USA) KIA and 29,161 (25,576 USMC/3,585 USA) WIA while inflicting 29,159 (20,987 USMC/8,172 USA) enemy KIA, capturing 1,437 (808 USMC/629 USA) enemy PW's, and capturing 4,575 (2,442 USMC/2,133 USA) enemy weapons.

* BATTALION OR LARGER SIZED UNIT OPERATION RESULTING IN AT LEAST 25 ENEMY KIA

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

5 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,901	37,779	28,390	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 4 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,020	1,287	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
59,963	3,268	11,693

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 45 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 55 — Admitted to hospital → 55
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 46 — Evacuated from SVN → 46
    - 27 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*42,284 CASUALTIES, 1JAN67-12JUN68.

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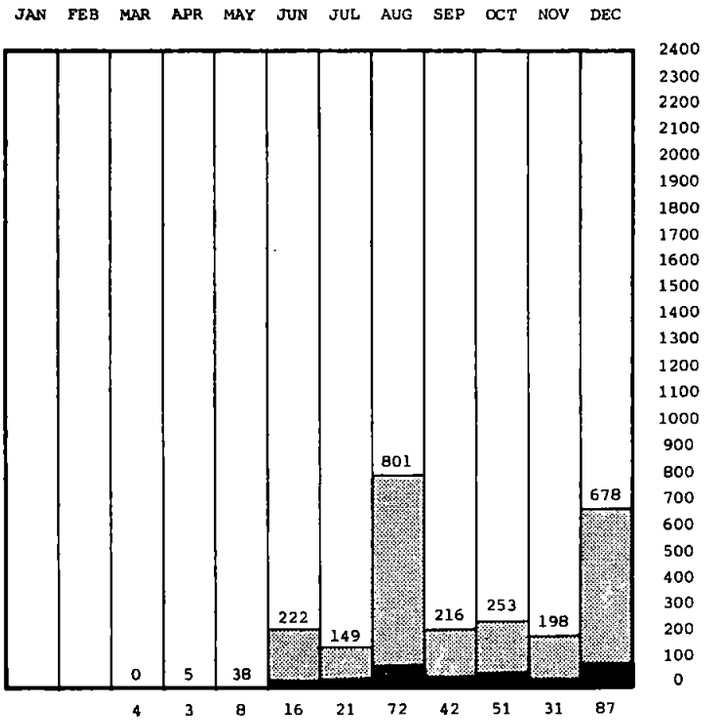
COMPARATIVE USMC/ENEMY KIA

5 DECEMBER 1968

1965



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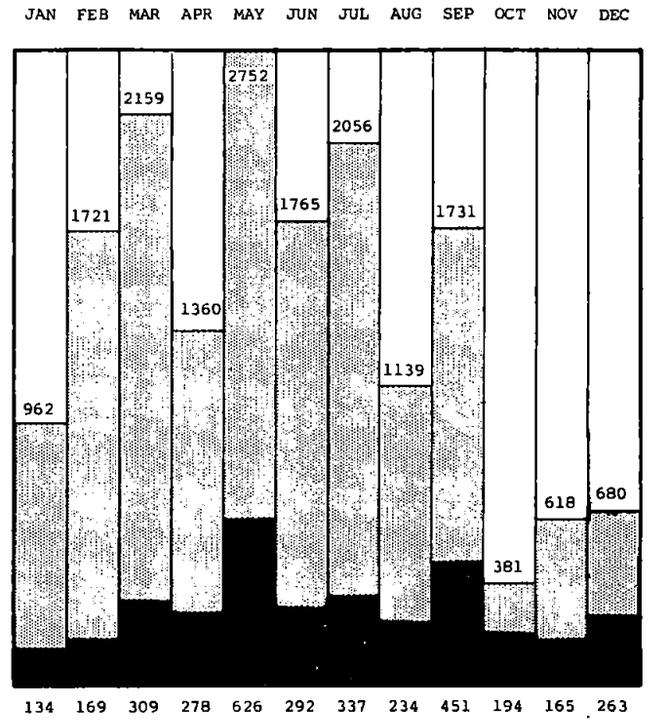
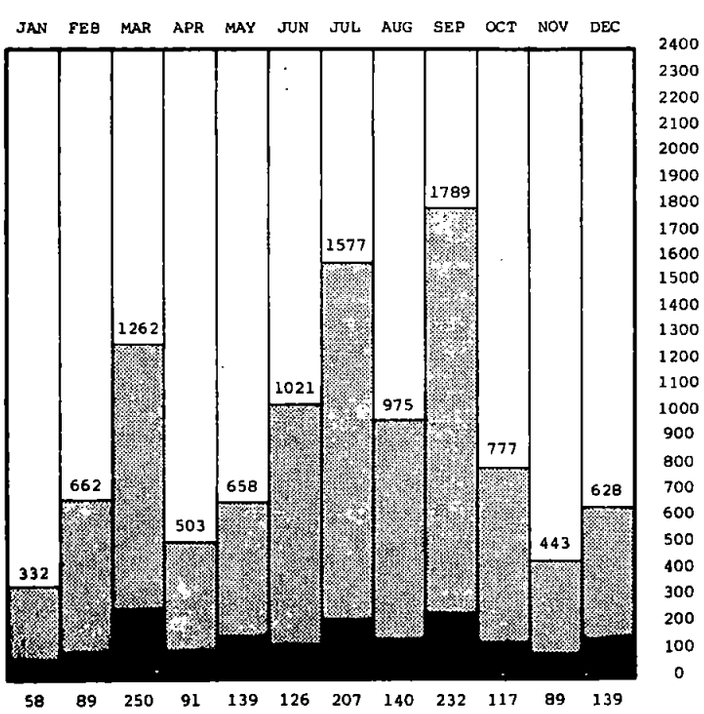


1965			1966	
USMC	ENEMY		USMC	ENEMY
		JAN	58	332
		FEB	89	662
4	0	MAR	250	1262
3	5	APR	91	503
8	38	MAY	139	658
16	222	JUN	126	1021
21	149	JUL	207	1577
72	801	AUG	140	975
42	216	SEP	232	1789
51	253	OCT	117	777
31	198	NOV	89	443
87	678	DEC	139	628
335	2560	TOTAL	1677	10627

1967			1968	
USMC	ENEMY		USMC	ENEMY
134	962	JAN	202	2126
169	1721	FEB	614	5255
309	2159	MAR	473	3118
278	1360	APR	374	1782
626	2752	MAY	751	6200
292	1765	JUN	452	2154
337	2056	JUL	330	2124
234	1139	AUG	362	1894
451	1731	SEP	307	2392
194	381	OCT	161	1707
165	618	NOV	152	1230*
263	680	DEC		
3452	17324	TOTAL		

* PRELIMINARY

1966



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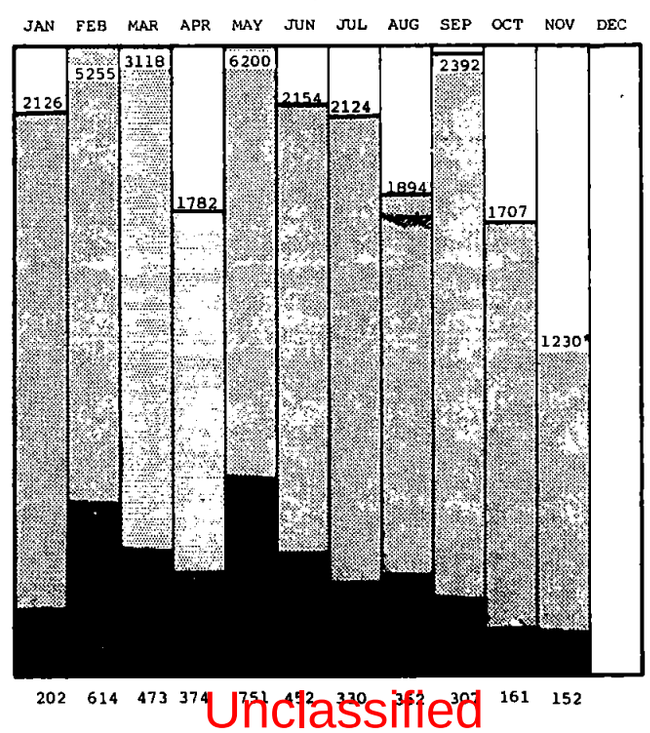

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

US NAVY UNITS IN I CTZ

5 DECEMBER 1968

	CHU LAI	DANANG	PHU BAI	QUANG TRI	DONG HA
NAVAL SUPPORT ACTIVITY		10,685	76*		494
3D NAV CONST BDE		270			
30TH NAV CONST REGT .		29			
MCB-1		781			
MCB-3		850			
MCB-12		715			
MCB-22		705			
MCB-71	408				
MCB-74	758				
32D NAV CONST REGT . .			39@		
MCB-7					784
MCB-10				767**	
MCB-11				892	
MCB-121			759@		
MCB-133			676		
OTHER UNITS & DETACHMENTS	106	473			
AREA TOTALS	1,272	14,508	1,550	1,659	1,278

SOURCE: GUPERS STRENGTH AND STATISTICAL BRANCH REPORT # 1W OF: 25 NOVEMBER 1968.

* LOCATED AT HUE LAGOON.
** LOCATED AT CAMP EVANS.
@ LOCATED AT GIA LE.

I CTZ TOTAL: 20,267

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SELECTED UNIT COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS

5 DECEMBER 1968

HEADQUARTERS FLEET MARINE FORCE ATLANTIC

COMMANDING GENERAL	LTGEN	R. G. WEEDE
DEPUTY COMMANDER	MGEN	N. J. ANDERSON
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	A. L. JONES
ACOS G-1	COL	M. D. TWEED
ACOS G-2	COL	O. W. CORMAN
ACOS G-3	COL	R. H. JESCHKE, JR.
ACOS G-4	COL	W. R. NOWAINICK

2D MARINE DIVISION

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN	E. B. WHEELER
ADC	BGEN	J. C. FEGAN JR.
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	C. W. WALKER
ACOS G-1	COL	W. L. SMITH
ACOS G-2	COL	R. E. BRANT
ACOS G-3	COL	W. H. MULVEY
ACOS G-4	COL	W. H. SIGLER
2D MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. E. BARBER
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	W. C. DRUMRIGHT
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	J. J. DONAHUE
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	P. E. WOODRUFF
6TH MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. N. KERN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	W. A. DICUS
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	C. MOSHER
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	R. E. JOHNSON
8TH MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. M. VANZUYEN
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	A. D. FRIEDMAN
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	F. R. WARREN
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	J. A. SCOTT
10TH MARINES		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	T. J. HOLT
1ST BATTALION	LTCOL	L. W. LARSON
2ND BATTALION	LTCOL	R. D. JONES
3RD BATTALION	LTCOL	J. A. BYRD
4TH BATTALION	LTCOL	D. E. GRAGAN
HQ BN, 2ND MARDIV	LTCOL	J. R. GREENSTONE
2ND SERVICE BATTALION	COL	J. R. SLOAN
2ND AT BATTALION	LTCOL	L. H. HARDEE
2ND MT BATTALION	MAJOR	R. L. PRATHER
2ND RECON BATTALION	LTCOL	J. T. SMITH
2ND ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL	G. B. CORNWALL
2ND SP BATTALION	LTCOL	S. H. BATCHELDER
2ND MED BATTALION	CAPT (MC)	F. W. ARMINGTON
LANFORCARIB 3-68	LTCOL	C. MOSHER
LANFOR6THFLT 4-68	LTCOL	W. C. DRUMRIGHT
LANFOR6THFLT 3-68	LTCOL	P. E. WOODRUFF
GTMODEFOR	LTCOL	F. R. WARREN

FORCE TROOPS FMFLANT

COMMANDING GENERAL	BGEN	F. C. LAHUE
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	E. L. BALE
ACOS G-1	LTCOL	R. L. DOERING
ACOS G-2	MAJOR	G. E. STRICKLAND
ACOS G-3	COL	T. C. SHANAHAN
ACOS G-4	COL	C. S. KIRCHMANN
2D FORCE SERVICE REGIMENT		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	C. H. SCHMID
H&S BATTALION	MAJOR	W. H. DAY
SUPPLY BATTALION	LTCOL	J. K. WEILAND
MAINT BATTALION	MAJOR	C. L. BOOTH
2D TANK BATTALION	LTCOL	J. L. SAUL
8TH COMM BATTALION	LTCOL	W. H. STUETZER
8TH ENGR BATTALION	LTCOL	E. W. LIFSET
8TH MT BATTALION	LTCOL	G. N. WHALEN
2D RADIO BATTALION	LTCOL	D. L. MITCHELL
2D FLD ARTY GROUP	LTCOL	J. J. MARRON
2D AMTRAC BATTALION	LTCOL	H. W. HITE

2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

COMMANDING GENERAL	MGEN	M. E. CARL
AWC		
CHIEF OF STAFF	COL	R. R. READ
ACOS G-1	COL	J. E. HANSEN
ACOS G-2	LTCOL	E. LICHENWALTER
ACOS G-3	COL	W. W. HAZLETT
ACOS G-4	COL	C. H. LUDDEN
MWHG-2		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. M. WILLIAMS
H&HS-2	MAJOR	J. G. COWART
MWFS-2	MAJOR	D. C. FITZGERALD
MWCS-2	MAJOR	W. M. COUCH
MWSG-27		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	N. G. EWERS
H&MS-27	LTCOL	B. R. STANDLEY
WERS-27	LTCOL	R. A. BROWN
VMGR-252	LTCOL	C. C. CHISHOLM
MWCG-28		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. W. KERSEY
H&HS-28	MAJOR	J. C. DIXON
MASS-1	MAJOR	L. D. WOODY
MACS-5	MAJOR	H. M. FIX
MACS-6	MAJOR	W. K. HUTCHINGS
MACS-9	LTCOL	A. L. BLAIR
MAG-14		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. L. TRAYNOR
H&MS-14	MAJOR	O. E. DONOVAN
MABS-14	MAJOR	R. W. TUCKER, JR.
VMCJ-2	LTCOL	S. D. COX
VMA(AW)-224	LTCOL	F. G. DAWSON
VMA(AW)-225	LTCOL	R. L. TOWNSEND
VMA(AW)-332	LTCOL	T. L. GRIFFIN
VMFA-513	LTCOL	J. RYAN, JR.
MCCRTG-20		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. D. WILCOX
H&MS-20	MAJOR	F. P. WILLIAMS, JR.
VMFAT-201	LTCOL	A. N. DRAGO
VMAT(AW)-202	MAJOR	A. R. EDENS
VMT-203	LTCOL	R. W. CHAPIN
MAG-26		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	W. R. QUINN
H&MS-26	MAJOR	D. F. KELLEY
MABS-26	MAJOR	R. M. GREGORY
VMO-1	LTCOL	R. M. COOKE
HMH-461	LTCOL	J. C. ROBINSON
HMM-162	LTCOL	R. A. PLAMONDON
HMM-261	LTCOL	V. J. GUINEE, JR.
HMM-264	LTCOL	B. B. SMITH, JR.
HMM-365	LTCOL	L. L. MILLS
HMH-361	LTCOL	M. J. NEEDHAM
MAG-31		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	L. P. BAITES
H&MS-31	LTCOL	L. F. BLASS
MABS-31	MAJOR	J. SHERLOCK, JR.
VMA-331	LTCOL	T. C. D'ANDREA
VMFA-333	LTCOL	J. J. MITCHELL
VMFA-451	LTCOL	H. L. JACKSON, JR.
MAG-32		
COMMANDING OFFICER	COL	R. J. SCHRIVER
H&MS-32	MAJOR	J. L. PAPPAS
MABS-32	MAJOR	M. J. BURNS
VMFA-251	LTCOL	E. C. JOHNSON
VMFA-312	LTCOL	T. E. BRADLEY
VMA-324	LTCOL	P. G. JANSSEN
3D LAAM BN	LTCOL	F. M. NELSON

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LANDING FORCE SIXTH FLEET, 4-68

5 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 62.1
CTG: LTCOL W. C. DRUMRIGHT

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 1/2				
(LTCOL W. C. DRUMRIGHT)				
1ST BN, 2D MARINES	29	884	3	33
DET, HQ CO, 2D MARINES		8		
BTRY "G", 3/10	9	130		
DET, HQ BTRY, 3/10	1	11		1
PLT, "C" CO, 2D MT BN		19		
PLT, "C" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	24		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D TK BN	1	21		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D AT BN	1	21		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D ENGR BN		49		
PLT, "D" CO, 2D MED BN		10	1	9
PLT, "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	49		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		1
DET, HQBN, 2DMARDIV		20		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO				4
DET, 2D SERV BN		38		
DET, 2D FSR		40		
TOTALS	44	1348	4	48

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

31 7.62 MG
10 LVTP-5
6 105MM HOW
5 90MM GUN TANK
5 ONTOS
8 81MM MORTARS
8 FLAME THROWERS
8 106MM RR

21 MULES
32 MITES
29 2½ TON TRUCKS
8 JEEPS
3 5 TON CARGO TRUCKS
9 3/4 TON UTIL TRUCKS
4 AMBULANCES
4 CRANES

AIRCRAFT

NO AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

AT LOVO SANTO, CORSICA
FOR PHIBLEX 7-69

SHIPPING

USS LASALLE (LPD-3)
USS MULIPHEN (LKA-61)
USS ASHLAND (LSD-1)
USS FREMONT (LPA-44)
USS GRANT COUNTY (LST 1174)

LANDING FORCE, CARIBBEAN 3-68

7 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 45.9
CTG: LTCOL C. M. MOSHER

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 2/6				
(LTCOL C. M. MOSHER)				
2D BN, 6TH MARINES	29	853	3	23
DET HQ CO, 6TH MARINES		8		
BTRY "E", 2/10	9	124		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D AT BN	1	24		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D ENGR BN	1	48		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		
PLAT "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	51		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D TANK BN	1	21		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	42		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D MT BN	1	16		
DET "B" CO, 2D MED BN		10		10
DET, HQ BN, 2D MARDIV		16		
DET, 2D FSR		24		
DET, SERV BN	1	36		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-261	39	229	1	1
(LTCOL V. J. GUINEE)				
(DET, VMO-1)				
TOTALS	86	1,538	5	35

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

6 105MM HOW TD
5 M48 90MM GUN TANK
5 ONTOS
31 7.62 MG
10 LVTP-5
8 81MM MORTAR
8 FLAME THROWER
6 106MM RR
24 3.5MM RL
12 M10 60MM MORTAR

AIRCRAFT

16/CH-46D
2/UH-1E

LOCATION

AT VIEQUES

SHIPPING

USS BOXER (LPH-4)
USS CAPRICORNUS (LKA-57)
USS PLYMOUTH ROCK (LSD-29)
USS YORK CTY (LST-1175)
USS WINSTON (LKA-94)

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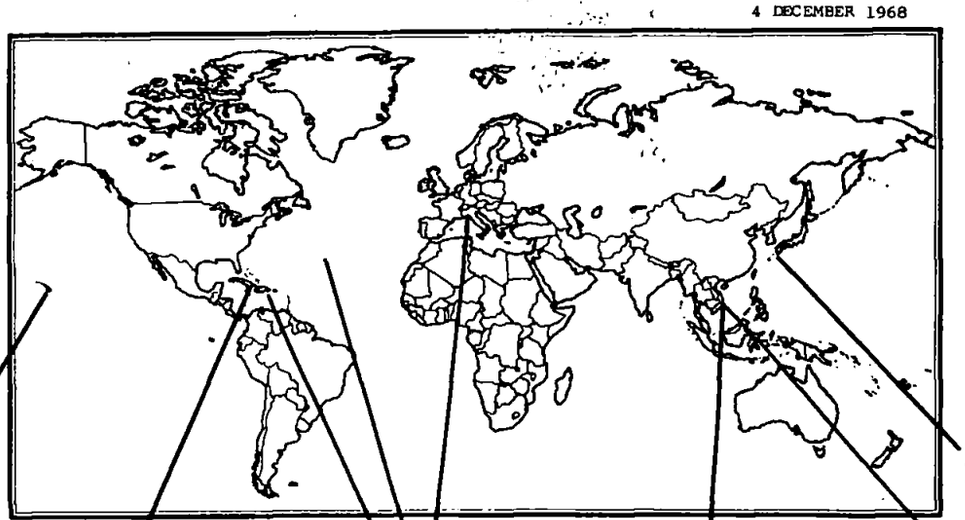
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

4 DECEMBER 1968



1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
ENR LOVO SANTO,
CORSICA FOR PHIBLEX
7-69. ETA 5DEC68.

LANFOR6THFLT 3-68
ENR CONUS
ETA: 13DEC68

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN
(OPN MEADE RIVER)

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN MEADE RIVER)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN	21	(5)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	(2)	
OKINAWA/JAPAN		(1)								(1)
AFLOAT						(1)				
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII	(1)	(2)								
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
AFLOAT										
ATLANTIC	7	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST	(5)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3)	(2)		(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)					(1)				
EUROPE	2									
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)									
ENROUTE CONUS	(1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

4 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

HQS 3D MAR DIV
(TF-H)

USMC 26,536
USN 1,314*
USA 7,282

4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
- 1/3
- 2/3
- 3/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1ST AMTRAC BN (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)

1st MAW
PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

USMC 3,459
USN 82*
USA 23,961

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW
MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-362 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

HQS, III MAF
HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

USMC 44,984
USN 2,012*
USA 2,173
ROKMC 6,773

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/1
- 3/1
- 1/1 (OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 2/5 (OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 3/5 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")(OPN MEADE RIVER)
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A")(OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 3/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 3/7
- 1/7

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN HENDERSON HILL)

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26

HQ 1st MAW
MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

USMC 5,672
USN 124*
USA 23,825

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF
- 1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 1/6 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW
MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	81,119	3,532
III MAF	80,651	3,532 #
SLF's	(3,375)	(185)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(12)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV (FIELD)	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	80,337
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,559
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,773
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	288,290

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER) HMM-363 (UH-34D) ●	1,479	97
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN MEADE RIVER) HMM-165 (CH-46A)	1,896	88

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,796	234

MAG-15
- VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

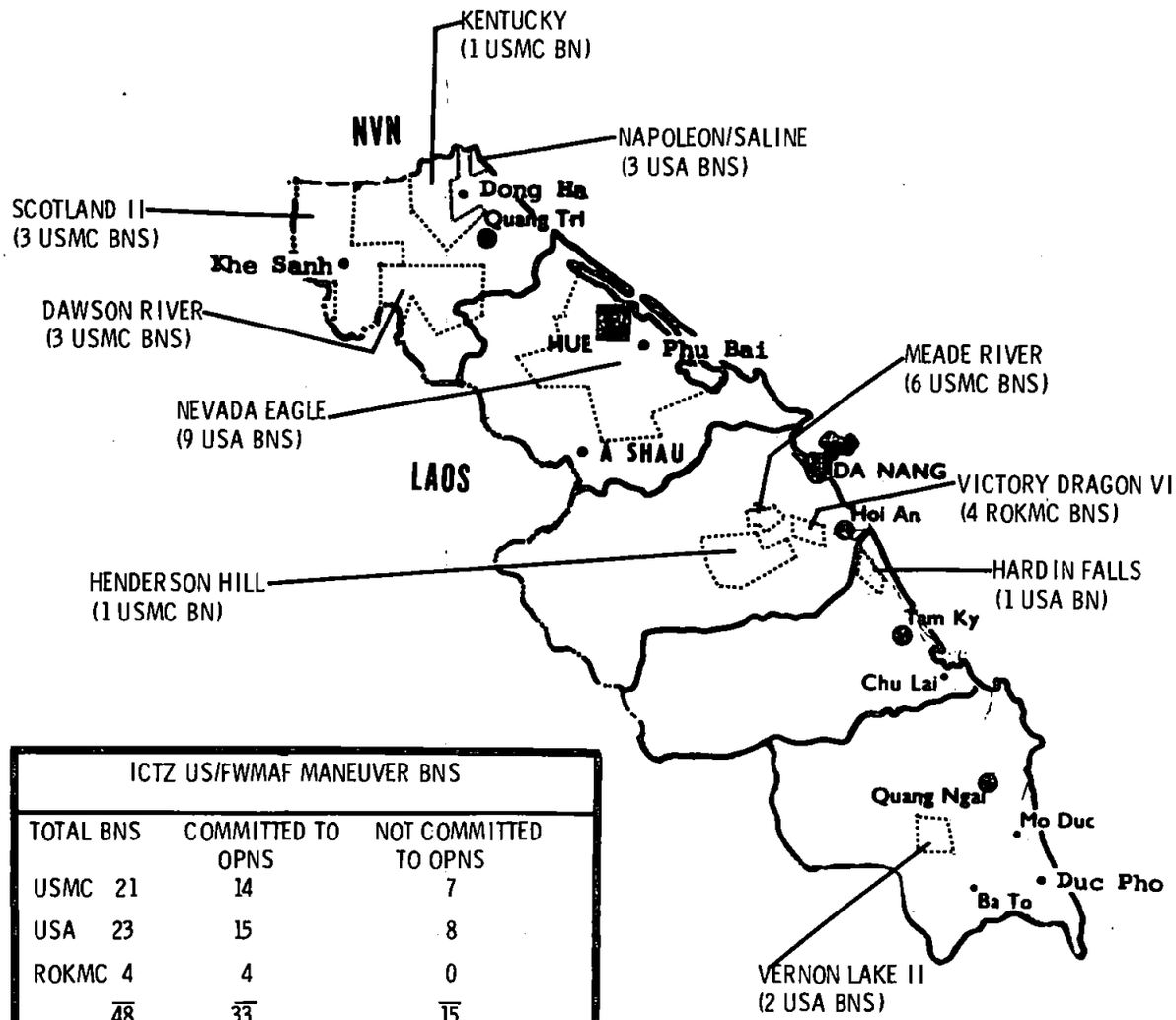
	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,939	26

MOVEMENTS

Unclassified

* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" & SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
● HMM-363 ASHORE OPCON MAG-36

MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



ICTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS		
TOTAL BNS	COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC 21	14	7
USA 23	15	8
ROKMC 4	4	0
48	33	15

USMC - 5 BNS DANANG

USA - 8 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

USMC - 2 BNS QUANG TRI PROVINCE

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF 042400H DEC 68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	362 25 USA	2,177 157 USA	3,047
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	3D MAR: 1/3, 2/3 & 3/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	454 46 USA	2,617 1 MIA 361 USA	3,787
NAPOLEON/SALINE (5NOV67)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	MOUTH OF CUA VIET RIVER	353 41 USA	1,962 161 USA 1 USA MIA	3,495
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	NONE	6	1
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	166 USA	1,479 USA	2,817
MEADE RIVER (20NOV68)	1ST MAR: 1/1, 2/5, 3/5, BLT 2/7, BLT 2/26 & 3/26	14 KM WEST OF HOI AN	55	374 1 MIA 1 USN	359
HENDERSON HILL (23OCT68)	5TH MAR: 1/5	AN HOA BASIN	35	265 2 USN	637
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	7
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	5 USA	49 USA	98
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	NONE	3 ROKMC	15

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
* - ADJUSTED

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USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

4 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,899	37,763	28,381	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 3 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,019	1,283	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
59,917	3,265	11,683

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 45 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 55 — Admitted to hospital → 55
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 46 — Evacuated from SVN → 46
    - 27 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*42,284 CASUALTIES, 1JAN67-12JUN68.

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4 DECEMBER 1968

DISPOSITION OF MAJOR US & FWMAF UNITS IN RVN

CTZ RECAP

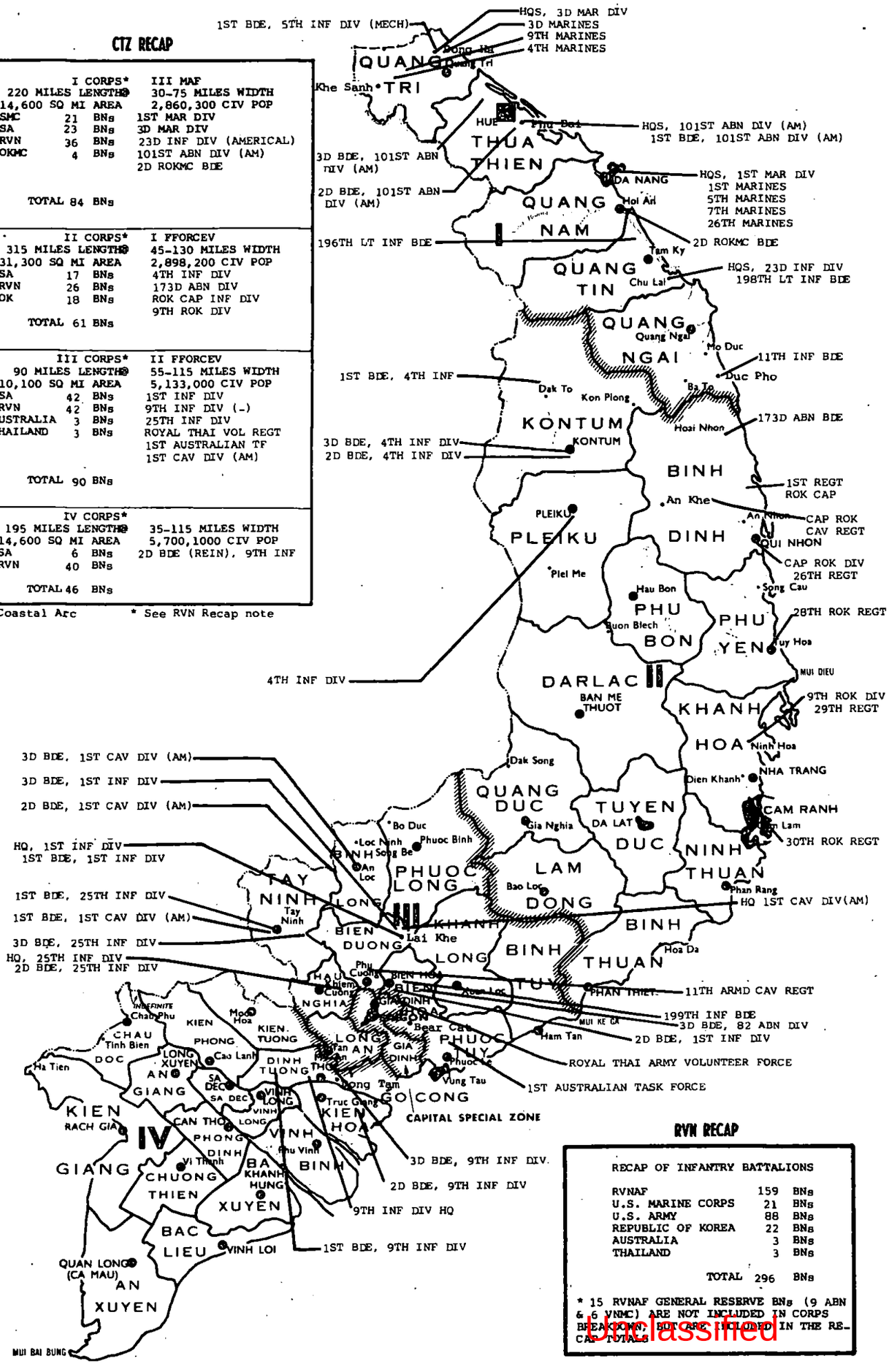
I CORPS*		III MAF
220 MILES LENGTH@		30-75 MILES WIDTH
14,600 SQ MI AREA		2,860,300 CIV POP
USMC	21 BNs	1ST MAR DIV
USA	23 BNs	3D MAR DIV
ARVN	36 BNs	23D INF DIV (AMERICAL)
ROKMC	4 BNs	101ST ABN DIV (AM)
		2D ROKMC BDE
TOTAL	84 BNs	

II CORPS*		I FFORCEV
315 MILES LENGTH@		45-130 MILES WIDTH
31,300 SQ MI AREA		2,898,200 CIV POP
USA	17 BNs	4TH INF DIV
ARVN	26 BNs	173D ABN DIV
ROK	18 BNs	ROK CAP INF DIV
		9TH ROK DIV
TOTAL	61 BNs	

III CORPS*		II FFORCEV
90 MILES LENGTH@		55-115 MILES WIDTH
10,100 SQ MI AREA		5,133,000 CIV POP
USA	42 BNs	1ST INF DIV
ARVN	42 BNs	9TH INF DIV (-)
AUSTRALIA	3 BNs	25TH INF DIV
THAILAND	3 BNs	ROYAL THAI VOL REGT
		1ST AUSTRALIAN TF
		1ST CAV DIV (AM)
TOTAL	90 BNs	

IV CORPS*		
195 MILES LENGTH@		35-115 MILES WIDTH
14,600 SQ MI AREA		5,700,1000 CIV POP
USA	6 BNs	2D BDE (REIN), 9TH INF
ARVN	40 BNs	
TOTAL	46 BNs	

@ Coastal Arc * See RVN Recap note



RVN RECAP

RECAP OF INFANTRY BATTALIONS

RVNAF	159	BNs
U.S. MARINE CORPS	21	BNs
U.S. ARMY	88	BNs
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	22	BNs
AUSTRALIA	3	BNs
THAILAND	3	BNs
TOTAL	296	BNs

* 15 RVNAF GENERAL RESERVE BNs (9 ABN & 6 VNMC) ARE NOT INCLUDED IN CORPS BREAKDOWN, BUT ARE INCLUDED IN THE RECAP TOTALS

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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN *

RVN ARMED FORCES (RVNAF)

ARMY (ARVN)	384,794
NAVY (VNN)	17,489
AIR FORCE (VNAF)	18,090
MARINE CORPS (VNMC)	9,948
REGIONAL FORCES (RF)	217,923
POPULAR FORCES (PF)	173,662
TOTAL RVNAF	821,906

UNITED STATES FORCES

ARMY	360,320
NAVY	37,202
AIR FORCE	59,126
MARINE CORPS	81,269
COAST GUARD	439
TOTAL U.S.	538,356

FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES (FWMAF)

REPUBLIC OF KOREA	50,003
AUSTRALIA	7,661
PHILIPPINES	1,576
THAILAND	6,005
NEW ZEALAND	516
REPUBLIC OF CHINA	29
SPAIN	11
TOTAL FWMAF	65,801

TOTAL FORCES IN RVN 1,426,063

*SOURCE: RVNAF, MACV MONTHLY GVN FORCES STRENGTH DATA REPORT.
ALL OTHER, MACV WEEKLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF 28NOV68.

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UNIT	ACTIV DATE	CLOSED IN VN
HQ FFV/CORPS		
I FFV (Nha Trang)	Nov 65	V
II FFV (Long Binh)	Jan 65	Mar 66
XXIV Corps (Phu Bai)	Aug 68**	V
DIVISIONS		
1st Inf Div (Lai Khe)	*	
1st Bde (Quan Loi/Lai Khe)		
1/2 Inf		Oct 65
1/26 Inf		Oct 65
1/28 Inf		Oct 65
2d Bde (Di An)		
2/16 Inf		Jul 65
1/18 Inf		Jul 65
2/18 Inf		Jul 65
3d Bde (Lai Khe)		
2/2 Inf (Mech)		Oct 65
1/16 Inf (Mech)	*	Oct 65
2/28 Inf		Oct 65
1/4 Cav		Oct 65
1/5 Arty (105 T)		Oct 65
8/6 Arty (155/8" T)		Oct 65
1/7 Arty (105 T)		Jul 65
2/33 Arty (105 T)		Oct 65
173 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)(Atchd)	Sep 65	Mar 66
1 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)		Oct 65
1 Engr Bn		Nov 65
121 Sig Bn		Oct 65
4th Inf Div (Pleiku)	*	
1st Bde (Pleiku/Dakto)		
1/8 Inf		Oct 66
3/8 Inf		Oct 66
3/12 Inf		Oct 66
2d Bde (Pleiku/Kontum)		
2/8 Inf (Mech)		Aug 66
1/12 Inf		Aug 66
1/22 Inf		Aug 66
3d Bde (Pleiku/Duc Co)		
1/14 Inf		Jan 66
1/35 Inf		Jan 66
2/35 Inf		Jan 66
1/10 Cav		Oct 66
1/69 Arm		Mar 66
2/9 Arty (105 T)		Jan 66
5/16 Arty (155/8" SP)		Oct 66
6/29 Arty (105 T)		Oct 66
4/42 Arty (105 T)		Aug 66
4 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)		Sep65/Jan67
4 Engr Bn		Jul 66
124 Sig Bn		Sep 66

UNIT	ACTIV DATE	CLOSED IN VN
9th Inf Div (Dong Tam)	Feb 66	Dec 66
1st Bde (Dong Tam)		
6/31 Inf	Nov 67	Apr 68
2/39 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
2/47 Inf (Mech)	Feb 66	Jan 67
2d Bde (USS Benewah/Dong Tam)		
3/47 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
4/47 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
3/60 Inf	Feb 66	Dec 66
3d Bde (Tan An)		
3/39 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
4/39 Inf	Feb 66	Jan 67
2/60 Inf	Feb 66	Dec 66
5/60 Inf	Feb 66	Dec 66
3/5 Cav	Feb 66	Dec66/Jan67
2/4 Arty (105 T)	Feb 66	Jan 67
1/11 Arty (105 T)	Feb 66	Dec 66
3/34 Arty (105 T)	Feb 66	Dec 66
1/84 Arty (155/8" SP)	Feb 66	Jan 67
9 Avn Bn (w/2Avn Cos)	Feb 66	Jan 67
15 Engr Bn	Feb 66	Oct 66
9 Sig Bn	Feb 66	Dec 66
23d Inf Div (Chu Lai)	Sep 67	V
11th Inf Bde (Duc Pho)		
3/1 Inf	Jul 66	Dec 67
4/3 Inf	Jul 66	Dec 67
1/20 Inf	Jul 66	Dec 67
4/21 Inf	Nov 67	Apr 68
6/11 Arty (105 T)	Mar 67	Dec 67
E/1 Cav	Jul 66	Dec 67
196th Inf Bde (Chu Lai/Tam Ky)		
2/1 Inf	Sep 65	Aug 66
3/21 Inf	Sep 65	Aug 66
4/31 Inf	Sep 65	Aug 66
3/82 Arty (105 T)	Sep 65	Aug 66
F/17 Cav	Sep 65	Aug 66
198th Inf Bde (Chu Lai)		
1/6 Inf	*	Oct 67
1/46 Inf	*	Oct 67
5/46 Inf	Oct 67	Mar 68
1/52 Inf	*	Oct 67
1/14 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 67
H/17 Cav	May 67	Oct 67
1/82 Arty (155/8" SP)	Jan 68	Jul 68
3/13 Arty (155 T)	*	Jun 67
3/13 Arty (8" SP)	*	Oct 65
123 Avn Bn	Dec 67	V
26 Engr Bn	Dec 67	V
523 Sig Bn	Jan 68	V
F/3 Cav	Apr 68	V
25th Inf Div (Cu Chi)	*	
1st Bde (Tay Ninh)		
4/5 Inf		Apr 66
2/14 Inf		Apr 66
4/23 Inf (Mech)		Apr 66
2d Bde (Cu Chi)		
1/5 Inf (Mech)		Jan 66
1/27 Inf		Jan 66
2/27 Inf		Jan 66

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25th Inf Div (Cont)		
3d Bde (Dau Tieng)		
2/12 Inf	*	Oct 66
2/22 Inf (Mech)	*	Oct 66
3/22 Inf	Nov 65	Oct 66
3/4 Cav	*	Mar 66
2/34 Arm	*	Sep 66
1/8 Arty (105 T)	*	Jan 66
7/11 Arty (105 T)	*	May 66
3/13 Arty (155/8" T)	*	Apr 66
2/77 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 66
25 Avn Bn (w/2 Avn Cos)	*	Apr 66
65 Engr Bn	*	Jan 66
125 Sig Bn	*	Mar 66
1st Cav Div (Ambl) (An Khe/Phuoc Vinh)	*	
1st Bde (An Khe/Tay Ninh)		
2/5 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
1/8 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
1/12 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2d Bde (An Khe/ [see map])		
1/5 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2/7 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2/8 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
3d Bde (An Khe/Quan Loi)		
1/7 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
5/7 Cav (Ambl)	Apr 66	Aug 66
2/12 Cav (Ambl)	Jul 65	Sep 65
11th Avn Gp (An Khe/Phuoc Vinh)		
227 Avn Bn (Ambl) (4 Avn Cos)	*	Sep 65
228 Avn Bn (Ambl) (3 Avn Cos)	*	Sep 65
229 Avn Bn (Ambl) (4 Avn Cos)	*	Sep 65
11 Avn Co (GS) (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
E/82 Arty (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
478 Avn Co (Hvy Hel) (Atchd)	*	Sep 65
1/9 Cav (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
2/19 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
2/20 Arty (Aer Rkt) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
1/21 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
1/77 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Oct 65
1/30 Arty (155 T)	*	Nov 65
8 Engr Bn (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
13 Sig Bn (Ambl)	*	Sep 65
101st Abn Div (Ambl) (Bien Hoa/Phu Bai)	*	
1st Bde (Bien Hoa/Phu Bai)		
1/327 Inf (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
2/327 Inf (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
2/502 Inf (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
3/506 Inf (Ambl) (Op Con 1 FFV)	Apr 67	Oct 67
2d Bde (Bien Hoa/Phong Dien)		
1/501 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/501 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
1/502 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
3d Bde (Bien Hoa/Phong Dien)		
3/187 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
1/506 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/506 Inf (Ambl)	*	Dec 67

UNIT	ACTIV DATE	CLOSED IN VN
101st Abn Div (Ambl) (Cont)		
2/17 Cav (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/319 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
2/320 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Jul 65
1/321 Arty (105 T) (Ambl)	*	Dec 67
326 Engr Bn (Ambl)	*	Nov 67
501 Sig Bn (Ambl) (-)	*	Dec 67
2/11 Arty (155 T)	*	Dec 66
160th Avn Gp (Bien Hoa/Phu Bai)	Jul 68	V
101 Avn Bn (Ambl) (3AvnCos, 1WpnCo)	Jul 68	V
159 Avn Bn (Ambl) (2 Avn Cos)	Jul 68	V
163 Avn Co (GS) (Ambl)	Jul 68	V
BRIGADES		
1st Bde 5th Inf Div (Mech) (Quang Tri)	*	
1/11 Inf		Jul 68
1/61 Inf (Mech)		Jul 68
1/77 Arm		Jul 68
5/4 Arty (155 SP)		Jul 68
A/7 Engr Bn		Jul 68
A/4/12 Armd Cav		Jul 68
199th Inf Bde (Long Binh/Saigon)		
2/3 Inf	Jun 66	Dec 66
3/7 Inf	Jun 66	Dec 66
4/12 Inf	Jun 66	Dec 66
5/12 Inf	Nov 67	Apr 68
2/40 Arty (105 T)	Jun 66	Dec 66
D/17 Cav	Jun 66	Dec 66
3d Bde 82d Abn Div (Phu Loi/Saigon)	*	
1/505 Inf		Feb 68
2/505 Inf		Feb 68
1/508 Inf		Feb 68
2/321 Arty (105 T)		Feb 68
B/1/17 Cav		Feb 68
173d Abn Bde (An Khe/Bong Son)		
1/503 Abn Inf	*	May 65
2/503 Abn Inf	*	May 65
3/503 Abn Inf	Apr 67	Oct 67
4/503 Abn Inf	Apr 66	Jun 66
3/319 Arty (105 T)	*	May 65
D/16 Arm	*	May 65
E/17 Cav	*	May 65
ARMORED CAVALRY REGIMENTS		
11th Armd Cav Regt (Xuan Loc/Bien Hoa)	*	
1st Recon Sqdn		Sep 66
2d Recon Sqdn		Sep 66
3d Recon Sqdn		Sep 66
SPECIAL FORCES GROUPS		
5th SF Gp, 1st SF (Nha Trang)	*	Apr 65
ARMORED CAVALRY SQUADRONS		
1/1 Cav (Chu Lai) (Op Con 23d Inf Div)	*	Aug 67
2/1 Cav (Pleiku/Kontum) (Op Con 4th Inf Div)	*	Aug 67
SEPARATE INFANTRY BATTALIONS		
1/50 Inf (Mech) (An Khe) (Op Con 173d Abn Bde)	*	Sep 67

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COMBAT SUPPORT UNITS:		
Field Artillery		
1 FFV Arty (Nha Trang)	Aug 65	Nov 65
41 Arty Gp (Phu Cat)	*	Apr 67
52 Arty Gp (Pleiku)	*	Jun 66
3/6 Arty (105 SP)	*	Jun 66
7/13 Arty (105 T)	Jun 66	Oct 66
6/14 Arty (175 SP)	*	Oct 65
7/15 Arty (8" SP)	*	Jul 67
2/17 Arty (105 T)	*	Sep 65
5/22 Arty (175 SP)	May 67	Dec 67
5/27 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 65
6/32 Arty (8" SP)	*	Mar 67
6/84 Arty (155 T)	Aug 67	Mar 68
1/92 Arty (155 T)	*	Mar 67
11 FFV Arty (Long Binh)	Jan 66	Mar 66
23 Arty Gp (Phu Loi)	*	Nov 65
54 Arty Gp (Bien Hoa)	*	Oct 66
7/8 Arty (8" SP)	*	Jun 67
7/9 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 66
2/13 Arty (105 T)	*	Oct 65
6/15 Arty (105 T)	Nov 66	May 67
1/27 Arty (155 SP)	Oct 66	Apr 67
6/27 Arty (8" SP)	*	Nov 65
2/32 Arty (175 SP)	*	Nov 65
2/35 Arty (155 SP)	*	Jun 66
5/42 Arty (155 T)	Jan 67	Apr 68
6/77 Arty (105 T)	Oct 66	May 67
3/197 Arty (155 T)	R	Sep 68
XXIV Corps Arty (Phu Bai)	Aug 68**	V
108 Arty Gp (Dong Ha)	May 67	Oct 67
8/4 Arty (175 SP)	Mar 67	Aug 67
1/40 Arty (105 SP)	Feb 66	Oct 66
1/44 Arty (40mm AWSP)	Mar 66	Nov 66
1/83 Arty (8" SP)	*	Nov 66
2/94 Arty (175 SP)	Jun 66	Oct 66
6/33 Arty (105 T)	Sep 67	Feb 68
F/16 Arty (155 T)	*	V
Air Defense Artillery		
5/2 Arty (40mm AWSP)	Jun 66	Nov 66
6/56 Arty (Hawk)(Chu Lai)	*	Sep 65
4/60 Arty (40mm AWSP)	Jun 66	Mar 67
G/55 Arty (50 Cal MG)(Tan Son	Aug 67	Feb 68
G/65 Arty (50 Cal MG) Nhut)	Mar 66	Nov 66
Engineers		
18 Engr Bde (Dong Ba Thin)	Jul 65	Sep 65
35 Engr Gp (Const)(Cam Ranh Bay)	*	Jun 65
15 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Sep 65
84 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jun 66
87 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Aug 66
116 Engr Bn (Cbt)	R	Sep 68
577 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jul 66
589 Engr Bn (Const)	Jan 66	Apr 67
864 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jun 65
45 Engr Gp (Const)(Da Nang/Phu	Feb 66	Jun 66
14 Engr Bn (Cbt) Bai)	*	Oct 66
35 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Nov 66
39 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Jan 66
27 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Oct 66
937 Engr Gp (Cbt) (Pleiku)	*	Aug 65
20 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Jan 66
70 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Aug 65
299 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Oct 65
815 Engr Bn (Const)	Feb 66	Apr 67
20 Engr Bde (Bien Hoa)	May 67	Aug 67
34 Engr Gp (Const) (Vung Tau)	Sep 66	Mar 67
36 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	Sep 67
69 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	May 67
86 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Oct 66
93 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	Jun 67
79 Engr Gp (Const) (Long Binh)	Feb 66	Jul 66
34 Engr Bn (Const)	Jul 66	May 67
168 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Nov 65
554 Engr Bn (Const)	Feb 66	Apr 67
588 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Nov 65
159 Engr Gp (Const) (Long Binh)	*	Oct 65
31 Engr Bn (Cbt)	*	Apr 68
46 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Sep 65
62 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Aug 65
92 Engr Bn (Const)	*	May 67
169 Engr Bn (Const)	*	Jun 66
US Army Engr Const Agency VN(Prov (Long Binh)	May 68	V
Signal		
1st Sig Bde (USASTRATCOM)(Long	Apr 66	V
2d Sig Gp (Long Binh) Binh)	*	Jun 65
36 Sig Bn (Cbt Area)	*	Nov 66
39 Sig Bn (Spt)	*	Mar 62
52 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
86 Sig Bn (Spt)	Jun 66	Sep 66
21 Sig Gp (Nha Trang)	*	Jun 66
37 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
41 Sig Bn (Cbt Area)	*	Jul 65
43 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
73 Sig Bn (Spt)	*	Jul 66
459 Sig Bn (Cbt Area)	*	Oct 66
63 Sig Bn (R&C)	Jul 67	Mar 68
150 Sig Gp (Long Binh)	*	May 67
40 Sig Bn (Const)	*	Sep 66
44 Sig Bn (Spt)	Aug 66	V
65 Sig Bn (Army)	*	Nov 65
Regional Comm Gp (Saigon)	Jul 65	V
Long Lines Bn - North	Aug 66	V
Long Lines Bn - South	Aug 66	V
USASTRATCOM Fac - Phu Lam	Nov 64	V
USASTRATCOM Fac - Da Nang	Aug 66	V
USASTRATCOM Fac - Nha Trang	Nov 65	V
53 Sig Bn (Long Binh)	*	Jun 66
54 Sig Bn (Nha Trang)	*	Sep 65
972 Sig Bn(Long Binh)	May 68	Oct 68
Military Police		
18th MP Bde (Long Binh)	May 66	Sep 66
16th MP Gp (Nha Trang)	May 66	Sep 66
93 MP Bn	Jun 66	Aug 66
97 MP Bn	Jul 66	Aug 66
504 MP Bn	*	Aug 65
8th MP Gp (CI)(Long Binh)	Aug 68	V

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R. Reserve Component unit mobilized 13 May 68.

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Military Police (Cont)		
69 MP Gp (Long Binh)	Mar 66	V
92 MP Bn	*	Apr 66
95 MP Bn	Nov 65	Apr 66
716 MP Bn	*	Mar 65
720 MP Bn	*	Oct 66
AVIATION 1/ 2/		
1st Avn Bde (Long Binh)	May 66	May 65
55th Avn Gp (Flt Fac Hbl)(Long Binh)	*	Oct 68
16 Sig Co (DECCA)	Dec 67	V
125 Avn Co (ATC)	*	Jul 65
5 Avn Det	*	Oct 64
164th Avn Gp (Can Tho)	Dec 67	V
7/1 Cav (Ambl) (Vinh Long)	Apr 67	Feb 68
13th Avn Bn (Can Tho)	*	Sep 64
114 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	May 63
121 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	V
175 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	V
336 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	V
271 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Apr 67	Feb 68
307th Avn Bn (Soc Trang)	Dec 67	V
199 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Jul 67
221 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Mar 65	V
235 Avn Co (Escort)	Dec 66	Nov 67
244 Avn Co (Survl)	Sep 66	Jul 67
12th Avn Gp (Long Binh)	*	Aug 65
3/17 Cav (Ambl)(Di An)	Nov 66	Oct 67
11th Avn Bn (Phu Loi)	Aug 65	Nov 65
128 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
162 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Feb 66
173 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Mar 66
213 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Jun 66	Jan 67
145th Avn Bn (Bien Hoa)	Sep 63	V
68 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Nov 65
118 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	P
135 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Oct 67
190 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 66	Aug 67
334 Avn Co (Escort)	Nov 66	V
210th Avn Bn (Long Tanh)	Feb 67	Apr 67
25 Avn Co (Corps)	Mar 67	Oct 67
54 Avn Co (FWT)(U-1)	*	Sep 65
73 Avn Co (Survl)	*	May 63
74 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	*	Mar 65
120 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	Mar 65
184 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 66	Aug 66
214th Avn Bn (Bear Cat)	Feb 67	Apr 67
117 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	Jun 63
191 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Dec 66	May 67
195 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	Nov 67
240 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	May 67
222d Avn Bn (Vung Tau)	May 66	V
147 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Jul 65	Nov 65
205 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Nov 66	May 67
273 Avn Co (Hvy Hel)	Apr 67	Dec 67
269th Avn Bn (Cu Chi)	Jul 66	Jan 67
116 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
187 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Mar 67
242 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Oct 66	Aug 67

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17th Avn Gp (Nha Trang)	Dec 65	V
7/17 Cav (Ambl)(Pleiku)	Nov 66	Oct 67
201 Avn Co (Corps)	Mar 67	Oct 67
58 Avn Det	May 67	May 67
10th Avn Bn (Dong Ba Thin)	Aug 65	Oct 65
48 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Nov 65
92 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Nov 67
155 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
192 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	Oct 67
243 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Dec 66	Oct 67
281 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Jun 66
52d Avn Bn (Pleiku)	*	Mar 63
57 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Oct 67
119 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	V
170 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Sep 65	Dec 65
179 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Dec 65	Jun 66
189 Avn Co (Ambl) (Lt)	Nov 66	May 67
355 Avn Co (Hvy Hel)	Jul 67	Jan 68
361 Avn Co (Escort) 3/	Nov 67	Apr 68
223d Avn Bn (Qui Nhon)	May 66	V
18 Avn Co (FWT)(U-1)	*	Feb 62
183 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 66	Jun 66
185 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 67	Jun 67
203 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Apr 67	Oct 67
219 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Mar 65	Jun 65
225 Avn Co (Survl)	Jul 66	May 67
268th Avn Bn (Phu Hiep)	Feb 67	May 67
61 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Nov 67
129 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Jul 65	Oct 65
134 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Feb 67	Nov 67
180 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Mar 66	Oct 66
196 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Jul 65	Mar 67
335 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Nov 66	Nov 66
16th Avn Gp (Da Nang)	Dec 67	V
14th Avn Bn (Chu Lai)	*	Oct 64
71 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	*	Sep 66
132 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Oct 67	May 68
174 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Apr 66
176 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Feb 67
178 Avn Co (Hdm Hel)	Sep 65	Mar 66
212th Avn Bn (Da Nang)	Mar 67	Jul 67
21 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	Jan 67	Jun 67
131 Avn Co (Survl)	Jul 65	V
220 Avn Co (Survl)(Lt)	*	Jul 65
245 Avn Co (Survl)	Sep 66	Oct 67
282 Avn Co (Ambl)(Lt)	Oct 65	Jun 65
Avn Co (Corps)(Prov)	Mar 68	V
Other Aviation Units		
234th Avn Bn (RR) (USASA)(Tan Son Nhut)	Jun 66	V
138 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
144 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
146 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
156 Avn Co (RRU)	Jun 66	V
1 ASA Co (Avn)	*	Jun 67

1/ In addition to the aviation companies listed, the following cavalry, artillery, and medical company-sized units are aircraft companies: 3 air cav troops of the 1/9 Cav, 1st Cav Div (Ambl); Trp D (Air Cav) of the 1/4 Cav, 1st Inf Div; Trp D (Air Cav) of the 3/4 Cav, 25th Inf Div; Trp D (Air Cav) of the 3/5 Cav, 9th Inf Div; Trp D of the 1/10 Cav, 4th Inf Div; Trp D (Air Cav), 1/1 Cav; Trp D (Air Cav), 2/1 Cav; 3 aerial rocket batteries of the 2/20 Arty (Aer Rkt) of the 1st Cav Div (Ambl); Air Cav Trp, 11th Armd Cav Regt; and two medical companies, Air Ambulance.

2/ FWT-Fixed Wing Trans; ATC-Air Traffic Control; Survl-Surveillance; RR-Radio Research (ASA). Organic aviation companies are shown with major command.

3/ Scheduled for possible TDY missions (Duffle Bag) in Thailand.

* In force structure prior to 30 Jun 65.
P Prior to Mar 65, exact date unknown.
V Activated in-country.

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COMMANDERS AND PRINCIPAL STAFF OFFICERS, HQ USMACV

COMUSMACV	GEN Creighton W. Abrams, USA
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Dep COMUSMACV for Civ Opns and Revolutionary Development Support (CORDS)	Amb William E. Colby
CofS, MACV	MG Charles A. Corcoran, USA
Dep CofS, MACV	BG William E. Bryan, USAF
ACofS, J1	BG Frank B. Clay, USA
ACofS, J2	MG Phillip B. Davidson, Jr., USA
ACofS, J3	MG Elias C. Townsend, USA
Dep ACofS, J3	BG John G. Wheelock, III, USA (29 Nov)
ACofS, J4	MG Henry A. Rasmussen, USA
ACofS, J5	MG Richard F. Shaefer, USAF
ACofS, J6	BG John E. Frizen, USAF
ACofS, Military Assistance MACV	BG Donnelly P. Bolton, USA
Dir of Training/Spec Asst to COMUSMACV	BG Robert E. Connor, USA
Asst Dep for CORDS to COMUSMACV	MG Roderick Wetherill, USA
ACofS for CORDS	Vacant
Dep ACofS for CORDS	BG Earl F. Cole, USA
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Dir Combat Operations Center	BG John N. McLaughlin, USMC
Dir of Construction	MG William T. Bradley, USA
Chief of SOG	COL Stephen E. Cavanaugh, USA
Chief of Information	BG Winant Sidle, USA
Surgeon, MACV	BG Hal B. Jennings, Jr., USA

SELECTED COMMANDERS AND STAFF OFFICERS IN USARV

Dep CG, USARV	LTG Frank T. Mildren
CofS, USARV	BG Leo B. Jones (P)
Dep CofS, Plans & Opns	BG Elvy B. Roberts (P)
Dep CofS, Pers & Admin	BG Don R. Hickman
Asst CofS, C-E, USARV	BG William M. Van Harlingen, Jr.
Aviation Officer, USARV	MG Robert R. Williams
Engineer Officer, USARV	MG David S. Parker
Provost Marshal, USARV	COL William Brandenburg
Surgeon, USARV	BG Spurgeon H. Neel, Jr.
CG, Engr Const Agency, USARV	BG Elmer P. Yates
CG, Capital Military Assistance Command (Prov)	MG Fillmore K. Mearns
DCG, Capital Military Assistance Command (Prov)	BG Emil P. Eschenburg

HQ III MAF

Commanding General	LTG Robert E. Cushman, Jr., USMC
Deputy Commanding General	MG Rathvon McC. Tompkins, USMC
CofS	MG Earl E. Anderson, USMC
DCSOPS	BG Warren K. Bennett, USA
ACofS, G3	BG Carl W. Hoffman, USMC

ARMY MAJOR UNIT COMMANDERS IN THAILAND

Commander, USMACTHAI, and Chief, JUSMAG, Thailand	MG Hal D. McCown
US Army Spt Thailand	BG Edwin F. Black
9th Log Command	COL Christian M. Biersack
40th MP Bn	LTC John D. Corey
44th Engr Gp	COL Kenneth M. Hatch
538th Engr Const Bn	LTC St. Claire Street, Jr.
809th Engr Const Bn	LTC Luke L. Callaway, Jr.
7th Maint Bn	LTC Phillip V. Whitley
29th Sig Gp (STRATCOM)	COL Victor B. Penuel, Jr.
459th Trans Bn (Trk)	LTC Thomas S. Berry
379th Sig Bn (Spt)	LTC Robert O. Rushing
519th Trans Bn (Trk)	LTC William H. Mantooth
133d Med Gp	COL Laurence V. Harris, Jr.
45th SF Co	LTC Robert H. Bartelt
501st Field Dep	COL Raymond A. Troxell
442d Sig Bn (Long Line)	LTC George A. Rizer, Jr.
558th S & S Bn	LTC Donald R. Eckles
93d PSYOP Co	LTC John W. Emerson

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

HQ USARV	
Commanding General	GEN Creighton W. Abrams
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Chief of Staff	BG Leo B. Jones (P)
Dep CofS, Plans & Opns	BG Elvy B. Roberts(P)
Dep CofS, Pers & Admin	BG Don R. Hickman
HQ XXIV CORPS	
Commanding General	LTG Richard G. Stilwell, USA
Deputy Commanding General	MG Clifford B. Drake, USMC
Chief of Staff	MG Leo H. Schweiter, USA
Artillery Officer	BG Allan G. Pixton, USA
HQ 1 FIELD FORCE VIETNAM	
Commanding General	LTG William R. Peers
Deputy Commanding General	BG Harris W. Hollis(P)
Chief of Staff	BG James C. Kalergis
Artillery Officer	BG Richard A. Edwards
HQ II FIELD FORCE VIETNAM	
Commanding General	LTG Walter T. Kerwin, Jr.
Deputy Commanding General	MG Walter B. Richardson
Chief of Staff	BG Charles Cantrell
Artillery Officer	COL Henry J. Schroeder, Jr. (P)

1st Inf Div	MG Orwin C. Talbott
Asst Div Commander	BG William S. Coleman
Asst Div Commander	COL George G. Cantlay(P)
Chief of Staff	COL Archie R. Hyle
Div Arty Commander	COL R. W. Beasley
Spt Comd Commander	COL Robert Haldane
1st Brigade	COL Earl W. Fletcher
1st Bn, 2d Inf	LTC Thomas E. Fitzpatrick
1st Bn, 26th Inf	LTC James M. Hanson
1st Bn, 28th Inf	LTC Carman D. Negaard
2d Brigade	COL John T. Carley
2d Bn, 16th Inf	LTC Charles P. McLean
1st Bn, 18th Inf	LTC Ronald J. Gillis
2d Bn, 18th Inf	LTC James E. Crow
3d Brigade	COL William A. Patch
2d Bn (Mech), 2d Inf	LTC George D. Greer
1st Bn (Mech), 16th Inf	LTC Donald C. Shuffstall
2d Bn, 28th Inf	LTC Vernon C. Coffey
1st Sqdn, 4th Cav	LTC John C. Faith
1st Cav Div (Ambl)	MG George I. Forsythe
Asst Div Commander	BG Richard L. Irby
Asst Div Commander	BG William E. Shedd, III
Chief of Staff	COL Robert N. MacKinnon
Div Arty Commander	COL William R. Wolfe
Spt Comd Commander	COL William C. Dysinger
1st Brigade	COL Robert J. Baer
2d Bn(Ambl), 5th Cav	LTC Raymond Maladowitz
1st Bn(Ambl), 8th Cav	LTC Pritchard G. Adams
1st Bn(Ambl), 12th Cav	LTC John B. Blount
2d Brigade	COL Conrad L. Stansberry
1st Bn(Ambl), 5th Cav	LTC Gregory L. Troutman
2d Bn(Ambl), 7th Cav	LTC Addison D. Davis
2d Bn(Ambl), 8th Cav	LTC Frank L. Henry
3d Brigade	COL Karl R. Morton
1st Bn(Ambl), 7th Cav	LTC William D. McMillan, IV
5th Bn(Ambl), 7th Cav	LTC John F. McGraw, Jr.
2d Bn(Ambl), 12th Cav	LTC James W. Dingeman
11th Avn Gp	COL J. Elmore Swenson
1st Sqdn (Ambl), 9th Cav	LTC William C. Reese
4th Inf Div	MG Charles P. Stone
Asst Div Commander	BG Robert C. McAlister
Asst Div Commander	BG Albin F. Irzyk
Chief of Staff	COL Warren D. Hodges
Div Arty Commander	COL Virgil H. Williams
Spt Comd Commander	COL William C. Abernathy
1st Brigade	COL Hale H. Knight
1st Bn, 8th Inf	LTC William D. Old II
3d Bn, 8th Inf	LTC Donnell J. Hickey
3d Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Richard A. Larkin
2d Brigade	COL Herbert J. McChrystal
2d Bn (Mech), 8th Inf	LTC Dale B. Thoresen
1st Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Joseph T. Palastra, Jr.
1st Bn, 22d Inf	LTC John L. Daniels
3d Brigade	COL Stan L. McClellan
1st Bn, 14th Inf	LTC Irving Monclova
1st Bn, 35th Inf	LTC Garrett D. Buckner
2d Bn, 35th Inf	LTC William C. Moore
1st Sqdn, 10th Cav	LTC Robert W. Nace
1st Bn, 63d Arm	LTC Stan R. Sheridan

9th Inf Div	MG Julian J. Ewell
Asst Div Commander	BG James S. Timothy
Asst Div Commander	BG Frank L. Gunn
Chief of Staff	COL Ira A. Hunt
Div Arty Commander	COL Robert G. Gard
Spt Comd Commander	COL Arthur P. Hanket
1st Brigade	COL John P. Geraci
6th Bn, 31st Inf	LTC Jack R. Logan
2d Bn, 39th Inf	LTC Donald E. Schroeder
2d Bn (Mech), 47th Inf	LTC James L. Scovel
2d Brigade	COL George E. Bland
3d Bn, 47th Inf	LTC Ishmael Peck
4th Bn, 47th Inf	LTC William J. Ashley
3d Bn, 60th Inf	LTC George L. Marine
3d Brigade	COL John A. Hemphill
3d Bn, 39th Inf	LTC Thomas D. Ayers
4th Bn, 39th Inf	LTC Franklin A. Hart
2d Bn, 60th Inf	LTC Fred K. Mahaffey
5th Bn, 60th Inf	LTC Willard Lathan
3d Sqdn, 5th Cav	LTC Angelo Grills
23d Inf Div	MG Charles M. Gettys
Asst Div Commander	BG Howard H. Cooksey
Asst Div Commander	BG James V. Galloway
Chief of Staff	COL Jack L. Treadwell
Div Arty Commander	COL Lawrence H. Jones, Jr.
Spt Comd Commander	COL Lewis B. Tixier
11th Inf Bde	COL John W. Donaldson
3d Bn, 1st Inf	LTC Craig G. Coverdale
4th Bn, 3d Inf	LTC Albert L. Russell, Jr.
1st Bn, 20th Inf	LTC William D. Guinn
4th Bn, 21st Inf	LTC J. Godfrey Crowe
196th Inf Bde	COL Frederick J. Kroesen
2d Bn, 1st Inf	LTC Sinclair L. Melner
3d Bn, 21st Inf	LTC Richard M. Gecona
4th Bn, 31st Inf	LTC Robert L. Netzel
198th Inf Bde	COL Charles B. Thomas
1st Bn, 5th Inf	LTC Albert J. Dombrowsky
1st Bn, 46th Inf	LTC Frederick E. Garman
5th Bn, 46th Inf	LTC Ronald Richardson
1st Bn, 52d Inf	LTC William C. Stinson
25th Inf Div	MG Ellis W. Williamson
Asst Div Commander	BG Carleton Preer, Jr.
Asst Div Commander	BG Glen C. Long
Chief of Staff	COL Gordon Sumner, Jr.
Div Arty Commander	COL Lucius G. Hill
Spt Comd Commander	COL James R. Brownell
1st Brigade	COL Robert L. Fair
4th Bn, 9th Inf	LTC Charles S. Snowden
2d Bn, 14th Inf	LTC William J. Cummings
4th Bn (Mech), 23d Inf	LTC Albert C. Butler
2d Brigade	COL Eugene M. Lynch
1st Bn (Mech), 5th Inf	LTC William E. Klein
1st Bn, 27th Inf	LTC Mark L. Reese
2d Bn, 27th Inf	LTC Vincent J. Oddi, Jr.
3d Brigade	COL Lewis J. Ashley
2d Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Thomas F. Dreisonstok
2d Bn (Mech), 22d Inf	LTC James A. Dixon
3d Bn, 22d Inf	LTC Alexander H. Hunt
3d Sqdn, 4th Cav	LTC Clemons A. Riley
2d Bn, 34th Arm	LTC Theodore E. O'Connor

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101st Abn Div (Amb1)	MG Melvin Zais
Asst Div Commander	BG Allen M. Burdett, Jr.
Asst Div Commander	COL H. S. Cunningham (P)
Chief of Staff	COL William P. Tallon
Div Arty Commander	Unknown
Spt Comd Commander	COL Myron H. Murley
1st Brigade	COL Harold I. Hayward
1st Bn(Amb1), 327th Inf	LTC Raymond C. Smith
2d Bn(Amb1), 327th Inf	LTC Charles W. Dyke
2d Bn(Amb1), 502d Inf	LTC Herbert L. Frandsen
3d Bn(Amb1), 506th Inf	LTC Walter E. Price
2d Brigade	COL John A. Hoefling
1st Bn(Amb1), 501st Inf	LTC John E. Rogers
2d Bn(Amb1), 501st Inf	LTC Joseph C. Wilson
1st Bn(Amb1), 503d Inf	LTC Donald F. Davis
3d Brigade	COL Joseph B. Conmy, Jr.
3d Bn(Amb1), 187th Inf	LTC George M. Scheets
1st Bn(Amb1), 506th Inf	LTC Robert Arter
2d Bn(Amb1), 505th Inf	LTC John O. Childs
160th Avn Gp	COL Ted A. Crozier
2d Sqdn (Amb1), 17th Cav	LTC Egbert B. Clark
1st Bde 5th Inf Div (Mech)	COL James M. Gibson
1st Bn, 11th Inf	LTC Selby F. Little
1st Bn (Mech), 61st Inf	LTC Bernard D. Wheeler
1st Bn, 77th Arm	LTC John M. Pickarts
199th Inf Bde	BG Frederic E. Davison
Deputy Commander	COL J. G. Smith
2d Bn, 3d Inf	LTC Manuel J. Asensio, Jr.
3d Bn, 7th Inf	LTC Roy J. Herte, Jr.
4th Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Leon E. Lichtenwalter
5th Bn, 12th Inf	LTC Albert W. Malone
3d Bde 82d Abn Div	BG A. R. Bolling, Jr.
Deputy Commander	COL George S. Jones
1st Bn, 505th Inf	LTC Joseph R. Franklin
2d Bn, 505th Inf	LTC James V. Irons
1st Bn, 508th Inf	LTC Roswell E. Round, Jr.
173d Abn Bde	BG Richard J. Allen
Deputy Commander	COL Benjamin F. Dalameter
1st Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Francis J. Percy
2d Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC John W. Nicholson
3d Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Henry H. Berke, Jr.
4th Bn, 503d Abn Inf	LTC Alexander M. Keyand
11th Armd Cav Regt	COL George S. Patton
1st Recon Sqdn	LTC Merritte W. Ireland
2d Recon Sqdn	LTC Lee E. Duke
3d Recon Sqdn	LTC John W. McEnery
5th Spec Forces Gp	COL Harold R. Aaron
1st Sqdn, 1st Cav	LTC Richard D. Lawrence
2d Sqdn, 1st Cav	LTC Donald W. Moreau
7th Sqdn, 1st Air Cav	LTC George R. Crool.
3d Sqdn, 17th Air Cav	LTC John H. Phillips
7th Sqdn, 17th Air Cav	LTC Robert M. Reuter
1st Bn (Mech), 50th Inf	LTC John B. Carter

I FFV Arty	BG Richard A. Edwards
41st Arty Gp	COL Joseph C. Kiefe
52d Arty Gp	COL Jesmond D. Balmer
II FFV Arty	COL H. J. Schroeder, Jr. (P)
23d Arty Gp	COL Harold G. De Armont
54th Arty Gp	COL Richard L. Fowell
XXIV Corps Arty	BG Allan G. Pixton
108th Arty Gp	COL Robert V. Lee, Jr.
16th Engr Bde	COL John H. Elder, Jr. (P)
35th Engr Gp	COL Delbert M. Fowler
45th Engr Gp	COL John G. Waggener
937th Engr Gp	COL Jesse L. Fishback
20th Engr Bde	COL Harold R. Parfitt (P)
34th Engr Gp	COL Ernest Graves, Jr.
79th Engr Gp	COL Richard L. West
159th Engr Gp	COL Bates C. Burnell
1st Avn Bde	MG Robert R. Williams
Deputy Commander	COL James C. Smith (P)
12th Avn Gp	COL Robert O. Lambert
16th Avn Gp	COL William C. Tyrrell
17th Avn Gp	COL John A. Todd
164th Avn Gp	COL Worthington M. Mahone
58th Avn Gp	COL James C. McFadden
1st Sig Bde (USASTRATCOM)	BG William M. Van Harlingen
Deputy CG	BG Thomas M. Rienzi
2d Sig Gp	COL Russell Curington
21st Sig Gp	COL Daniel W. McElwee
160th Sig Gp	COL Richard W. Swenson
Reg Comm Gp	COL Peter J. Blumenthal
44th Med Bde	BG Spurgeon H. Neel, Jr.
43d Med Gp	COL Edward O'Shaughnessy
55th Med Gp	COL Darl E. Vander Ploeg
67th Med Gp	COL Wallace R. LeBourdais
68th Med Gp	COL Richard B. Austin
18th MP Bde	COL William Brandenburg
16th MP Gp	COL John W. Liddle
89th MP Gp	COL Keith L. Monroe
8th MP Gp	LTC Ferdinand Kelly
1st Log Comd	MG Joseph M. Heiser, Jr.
Dep Commander	MG Lloyd B. Ramsey (21Dec)
USA Spt Comd, Cam Ranh	COL Virgil H. Stone
USA Spt Comd, Da Nang	COL James W. Gunn (P)
USA Spt Comd, Saigon	BG Arthur Hurne
USA Spt Comd, Qui Nhon	BG Darrie H. Richards
4th PSYOP Gp	LTC Taro Katagiri
34th Gen Spt Gp	COL Robert G. Shepherd
507th Trans Gp	COL James E. Coberley
509th Radio Rsch Gp	COL Allen J. Mauderly
525th MI Gp	COL Francis H. Dillon, Jr.

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DATE	LOCATION	UNITS	REMARKS
1NOV67-	2 KM SW OF CON THIEN	4 USMC BN	OPERATION KENTUCKY-S&D OPN.
1NOV67-30MAR68	KHE SANH COMBAT BASE	4 USMC BN	OPERATION SCOTLAND-TAOR OPN. US: 204 KIA, 1,622 WIA; VC/NVA: 1,631 KIA, 9 PW, 182 WPNS.
1NOV67-20JAN68	CAMP CARROLL AREA	2 USMC BN	OPERATION LANCASTER-S&D OPN. US: 27 KIA, 141 WIA; ENEMY: 46 KIA, 12 WPNS.
5NOV67-	10 NM NNW OF QUANG TRI	2 USMC BN	OPERATION NAPOLEON/SALINE-S&D OPN.
6-17NOV67	24 NM SSW OF DANANG	1 USMC BN	OPERATION ESSEX-S&D OPN. USMC: 37 KIA, 122 KIA; VC/NVA: 72 KIA, 7 WPNS.
11NOV67-11NOV68	23-30 NM SSE OF DANANG	7 USA BN	OPERATION WHEELER/WALLOWA-S&D OPN. FRD: 683 KIA, 3603 WIA; EN: 10,020 KIA, 246 PW, 2,053 WPNS.
13-30NOV67	13 NM SW OF DANANG	2 USMC BN	OPERATION FOSTER-S&D OPN. USMC: 21 KIA, 137 WIA; VC/NVA: 125 KIA, 12 WPNS.
30NOV67-8JAN68	25 NM NNE OF PHAN THIET	5 USA BN	OPERATION KLAMATH FALLS-S&D OPN. US: 28 KIA, 138 WIA; VC/NVA: 156 KIA, 11 DET, 77 WPNS.
6DEC67	45 NM NNW OF QUI NHON	1 ARVN BN	ATTACKED AN ESTIMATED REINFORCED ENEMY COMPANY. CASUALTIES: US: 1 KIA, 3 WIA; ARVN: 28 KIA, 63 WIA; VC/NVA: 205 KIA, 2 DET, 22 WPNS.
7DEC67-24FEB68	50 NM NW OF SAIGON	7 USA BN 2 ARVN BN	OPERATION YELLOWSTONE-S&D OPN. US: 135 KIA, 1094 WIA; ARVN: 5 KIA, 67 WIA; VC/NVA: 1254 KIA, 1438 DET, 214 WPNS.
7-10DEC67	20 NM SW OF CAN THO	6 ARVN BN	OPERATION DAN CHI 315C-S&D OPN. US: 6 WIA, ARVN: 73 KIA, 136 WIA; VC/NVA: 456 KIA, 16 DET, 130 WPNS.
7DEC67-10MAR68	35 NM NW OF SAIGON	2 USA BN	OPERATION SARATOGA-S&D OPN. US: 382 KIA, 1875 WIA, 4 MIA; VC/NVA: 3863 WIA, 647 DET, 753 WPNS.
16-31DEC67	22 NM NW OF SAIGON	1 USA BN	OPERATION CAMDEN-S&D OPN. US: 25 KIA, 118 WIA; VC/NVA: 101 KIA, 26 DET, 23 WPNS.
17DEC67-7MAR68	5 NM WNW OF BIEN HOA	1 USA BN	OPERATION UNIONTOWN-S&D OPN. US: 13 KIA, 181 WIA; VC/NVA: 922 KIA, 151 DET, 190 WPNS.
17DEC67-16FEB68	26 NM NE OF SAIGON	2 USA BN	OPERATION MANCHESTER-S&D OPN. US: 37 KIA, 210 WIA; VC/NVA: 456 KIA, 85 DET, 85 WPNS.
19DEC67-10JAN68	7 NM NNW OF QUANG NGAI	2 USA BN	OPERATION MUSCATINE-S&D OPN. US: 86 KIA, 501 WIA; VC/NVA: 1,129 KIA, 590 DET, 393 WPNS.
22DEC68	HOI AN	2d BDE, ROKMC	CLOSED HOI AN FOR OPN FLYING DRAGON.
25-29DEC67	5 NM E OF QUANG TRI	3 ARVN BN	OPERATION LAMSON 166-S&D OPN. US: 2 WIA; ARVN: 15 KIA, 136 WIA; VC/NVA: 217 KIA, 6 WPNS.
26DEC67-2JAN68	19 NM E OF QUANG TRI	1 USMC BN (SLF "B")	OPERATION BADGER TOOTH-AMPHIB S&D OPN. USMC: 48 KIA, 87 WIA; VC/NVA: 40 KIA.
27DEC67-3JAN68	50 NM WSW OF SAIGON	2 VNMC BN	OPERATION CUU LONG 73-S&D OPN. VNMC: 37 KIA, 141 WIA; VC/NVA: 152 KIA, 29 DET, 92 WPNS.
31DEC67-1JAN68	SOUTH VIETNAM	NEW YEARS TRUCE	36 HOUR TRUCE HAD 63 MAJOR INCIDENTS: I CTZ-16; II CTZ-11; III CTZ-23; IV CTZ-13. CASUALTIES: US: 27 KIA, 191 WIA; ARVN: 37 KIA, 81 WIA, 9 MIA; CIV: 2 KILLED, 1 WOUNDED; ENEMY: 465 KIA, 16 DET.
1JAN68	21 NM NE OF TAY NINH CITY	3D BDE, 25TH INF DIV	DURING THE NEW YEARS TRUCE, RECEIVED AND REPULSED HEAVY ROCKET AND GROUND ATTACK. CASUALTIES: US: 23 KIA, 153 WIA; ENEMY: 348 KIA, 5 DET, 100 WPNS.
2JAN68	DANANG AIR BASE	UNKNOWN ENEMY	RECEIVED ESTIMATED 30 RDS OF RKT FIRE. AC-47 ON STA OBSERVED RKTS BEING FIRED AND TOOK POSITION UNDER FIRE. REACTION FORCE FD 3 ENEMY KIA, 20 FIRING POS, 7 122MM RKT WARHEADS, 16 122MM RKT MOTORS, 1 140MM RKT. CASUALTIES AND DAMAGE TO BASE: 4 US WIA, 3 A/C DEST, 7 A/C MAJOR DAMAGE, 10 A/C MINOR DAMAGE.
8JAN68	28 NM W OF HUE CITY	1 USMC CH-53A	MISSING ON FLIGHT TO DANANG FROM DONG HA. ON 12JAN68 SEARCH PLANES FOUND WRECKAGE. SAR UNABLE TO REACH A/C DUE TO WEATHER UNTIL 20JAN68. CASUALTIES: 36 USMC, 3 USN, 1 USA, 1 CIVILIAN KILLED.
10JAN68	DONG HA	3D MAR DIV (FWD)	3D MAR DIV (FWD) CLOSED DONG HA 100730H. DIVISION REAR OPENED PHU BAI SAME TIME.
13JAN68	PHU BAI	TF X-RAY	TASK FORCE X-RAY ACTIVATED 13JAN68 AT PHU BAI. COMMANDED BY ADC, 1ST MARDIV. ASSUMED RESPONSIBILITY FOR TAOR 15JAN68.
16JAN-12FEB68	35 NM SSW OF SAIGON	2 USA BN	OPERATION CORONADO X-S&D OPN. US: 12 KIA, 190 WIA; VC/NVA: 344 KIA, 280 DET, 187 WPNS.
17JAN68	PHU BAI	1/5 CAV	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
18JAN68	PHU BAI	1ST BDE, 1ST CAV DIV	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
19JAN68	PHU BAI	1/12 CAV	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
19JAN-28FEB68	35 NM NNW OF AN KHE	8 USA BN	OPERATION PERSHING II-S&D OPN. US: 21 KIA, 164 WIA; VC/NVA: 614 KIA, 729 DET, 1402 WPNS.
20JAN-	CAMP CARROLL AREA	2 USMC BN	OPERATION LANCASTER II-S&D OPN. USMC: 39 KIA; 2,101 WIA. ENEMY: 1,801 KIA & 913 WPNS CAPTURED.
20JAN-31MAR68	KHE SANH	26th MARINES	PARTICIPATED IN SIEGE OF KHE SANH.
22JAN-22DEC68	15 NM W OF HUE	3 USA BN	OPERATION JEB STUART-S&D OPN. US: 290 KIA, 1,731 WIA; VC/NVA: 3,268 KIA, 723 DET, 733 WPNS.
22JAN68	PHU BAI	1/8 CAV	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
23JAN68	QUANG TRI	1/501 ABN INF	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
23JAN-2MAR68	5 NM WNW OF BIEN HOA	1 RAR BN	OPERATION COBURG-S&D OPN. US: [illegible] KIA, 12 WIA; AUST: 17 KIA, 85 WIA; NZ: 1 KIA, 8 WIA; VC/NVA: 180 KIA, 4 DET, 132 WPNS.

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26JAN68	PHU BAI	HQ, 1ST AIR CAV DIV 3D BDE, 1ST AIR CAV DIV 2D BDE, 101ST ABN INF 2/501 ABN INF	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
29JAN68	DANANG AIR BASE	UNKNOWN ENEMY	MAIN AIR BASE HIT BY APPROXIMATLY 42 RDS OF 122MM RKT FIRE. COUNTER BTRY FIRED. CASUALTIES: US: 1 KIA, 10 WIA. DESTROYED: 3 F-4, 1 A6, ELECTRONICS WAREHOUSE. DAMAGED: 17 F4, 4 A6, 2 F8, 1 RF4B.
29-30JAN68	MARBLE MT AIR FACILITY	UNKNOWN ENEMY	HIT BY 20 RDS MORTARS ON THE 29TH AND 25-30 RDS MORTARS AND ROCKET FIRE ON 30TH. ON THE 29TH: 12 UH-1D, 3 UH-1B, 2 UH-1A AND 1 U6 DAMAGED. ALSO 3000 FT OF RUNWAY NON-OPERATIONAL. ON THE 30TH 2 US WIA, 9 CH-46A, 8 UH-34D, 6 CH53A DAMAGED.
29JAN-3FEB68	ALL OF SOUTH VIETNAM	ENEMY TET OFFENSIVE	A/C LOSSES: DESTROYED: USMC: 6, USA: 32, USAF: 5. DAMAGED: USMC: 61, USA: 274, USAF: 44. CASUALTIES FROM 29JAN-2FEB68(2300) I CTZ: US: 154 KIA, FW/ARVN: 273; VC/NVA: 4596. II CTZ: US: 64 KIA, FW/ARVN: 210, VC/NVA: 2731. III CTZ: US: 101 KIA, FW/ARVN: 75, VC/NVA: 4573. IV CTZ: US: 25 KIA, FW/ARVN: 154, VC/NVA: 1815
25-29JAN68	38 NM NNW OF KONTUM	1 ARVN BN	OPERATION KHAM ZEI 3 - S&D OPERATION. ARVN: 21 KIA, 139 WIA. ENEMY: 202 KIA, 39 WPNS.
30JAN68	CHU LAI AIR BASE	UNKNOWN ENEMY	HIT BY 20-30 RDS OF 122MM RKTS. CASUALTIES: US: 2 KIA, 4 WIA. DESTROYED: 3 F4B, DAMAGED: 7 F4B, 1 A4E, 1 C-117D, AND 2 HANGERS.
30JAN68	BIEN HOA AIR BASE	UNKNOWN ENEMY	HIT BY APPROXIMATELY 140 RDS OF MORTAR AND RKT FIRE. CASUALTIES: US: 4 KIA, 61 WIA. DESTROYED: 2 A-38, 1 F-100, 1 FUEL TRK. DAMAGED: 7 O-1, 6 A-38, 4 U-10, 1 F-100, 1 C-47, 1 C-123.
30-31JAN68	CITY & AIR-FIELD OF KONTUM	ARVN & US FORCES	CITY AND AIRFIELD HIT BY 600-700 & 200 RDS OF MORTAR. CASUALTIES: US: 7 KIA, 55 WIA, ARVN: 7 KIA, 5 WIA. ENEMY: 525 KIA, 2 DET.
30JAN68	US EMBASSY	US FORCES	AT 301400 EST, THE EMBASSY WAS HIT BY MORTAR, RKT & GROUND ATTACK. OUTER WALL WAS BREACHED BUT NOT THE EMBASSY. CASUALTIES: US: 6 KIA, 7 WIA. ENEMY: 19 KIA.
30-31JAN68	VINH LONG AIRFIELD	US FORCES	ATTACKED BY ESTIMATED ENEMY BN. CASUALTIES: US: 10 KIA, 23 WIA, 4 HELOS DESTROYED, 21 DAMAGED. ENEMY: 30 KIA, 9 DET, 22 WPNS.
30JAN68	JOINT GENERAL STAFF COM-POUND SAIGON	US FORCES	JGSC WAS ATTACKED BY ESTIMATED ENEMY COMPANY. US FORCES SECURED THE AREA WITH 16 KIA. ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE 2 KIA, 2 WPNS.
30-31JAN68	TAM KY I CTZ	ELMS USA & ARVN FORCES	CITY ATTACKED BY UNKNOWN SIZE EMEMY FORCE. REPULSED BY US & ARVN FORCES. CASUALTIES: ARVN: 27 KIA, 57 WIA. ENEMY: 226 KIA, 65 DET, 100 WPNS.
31JAN-10MAR68	III CORPS ZONE	3 USA BN	OPERATION LAMSON 68 - TAOR S&D OPERATION. CASUALTIES: US: 76 KIA, 290 WIA. ENEMY: 1194 KIA, 643 DET, 160 WPNS.
1FEB-2MAR68	HUE CITY	3 USMC BNS, 5 USA BNS & 13 ARVN BNS	OPERATION HUE CITY-S&D AND CLEAR OPN. USMC: 142 KIA, 857 WIA; USA: 6 KIA, 54 WIA; ENEMY: 1943 KIA, 10 PW, 657 WPNS.
1FEB68	QUANG LONG IV CTZ	1 ARVN BN	ENGAGED ENEMY BN IN THE TOWN OF QUANG LONG. CASUALTIES: ARVN: 21 KIA, 45 WIA; ENEMY: 208 KIA, 38 DET, 108 WPNS.
4FEB68	2 NM N OF SAIGON	1 USA BN	ENGAGED ENEMY BN AND KILLED 120, CAPTURED 25 WPNS WITH LOSSES OF 16 KIA, 42 WIA, 2 TKS DEST.
4-15FEB68	SAIGON AND CHOLON AREA	14 ARVN BN	TRAN HUNG DAO-S&D OPN. ARVN: 94 KIA, 343 WIA, 4 MIA; VC/NVA: 726 KIA, 107 DET.
5FEB68	5 NM S OF DANANG	ELMS ARVN REG 1 USMC BN	MADE CONTACT WITH EST. ENEMY BN. ARTY, AC-47s, ARMED HELOS SUPPORTED. CASUALTIES: USMC: 6 KIA, 14 WIA; ARVN: 15 KIA, 23 WIA; ENEMY: 187 KIA.
6FEB68	LANG VEI SF CAMP	EST ENEMY CO	ATTACKED WITH FLAME THROWERS AND 9 PT-76 TANKS. US: 6 MIA; CIDG: 350 MIA; ENEMY: 3 TANKS KNOWN DESTROYED.
7FEB-1MAY68	DONG TAM BASE IV CTZ	3 USA BN	OPERATION HOP TAC I-S&D OPN. US: 51 KIA, 401 WIA; VC/NVA: 343 KIA, 365 DET, 54 WPNS.
9FEB68	8 NM NNW OF SAIGON	4 USA COs	ENGAGED UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FOR 6 HOURS. CASUALTIES: US: 3 KIA, 30 WIA; ENEMY: 176 KIA, 39 WPNS.
9FEB68	TAN AN CITY	UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY	HIT BY 250 RDS OF MORTAR & FOLLOWED BY GROUND ATTACK. US: 4 KIA, 11 WIA; RF: 4 KIA, 11 WIA; NATIONAL POLICE: 8 KIA, CIV: 25 KIA, 200 WIA; ENEMY: 123 KIA, 35 WPNS.
10FEB68	BIEN HOA AIRFIELD	UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY	HIT BY APPROXIMATELY 20 RDS OF 122MM RKT. CASUALTIES: US: 1 KIA, 36 WIA, 5 A/C DEST, 16 A/C, 14 VEH, 4 BLDG DAMAGED.
10FEB68	8 NM NNW OF SAIGON	1 USA BN	MADE CONTACT WITH UNK SIZE ENEMY WHICH LASTED 4 HOURS. US: 7 KIA, 30 WIA; ENEMY: 165 KIA, 6 DET, 33 WPNS.
11FEB68	I CTZ	SMALL UNITS CONTACT	110 SMALL UNITS CONTACTS RESULTED IN US: 13 KIA, 69 WIA ARVN: 8 KIA, 11 WIA; ENEMY: 211 KIA, 37 DET, 79 WPNS.
11FEB68	PHU BAI	1/327 ABN INF	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.

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13FEB-3MAR68	2 NM SSW OF CAN THO	2 USA BN 6 ARVN BN	OPERATION CORONADO XI-S&D OPN. US: 39 KIA, 196 WIA, 1 MIA: VC/NVA: 264 KIA, 320 DET, 45 WPNS.
16FEB-	SAIGON AND CHOLON	13 ARVN BN	OPERATION TRAN HUNG DAO PH II-S&D OPN.
16FEB68	DANANG	2/502 ABN INF	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
17FEB68	DANANG	2D BN, 27TH MARINES	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
17-18FEB68	TAN SON NHUT AIR BASE	UNKNOWN ENEMY	RECEIVED 117 MIXED MORTAR/RKT FIRE. CASUALTIES AND LOSSES: DEST: 10 A/C, MAJOR DAMAGE: 11 A/C, MINOR DAMAGE: 34 A/C: US: 4 KIA, 100 WIA.
17-19FEB68	PHAN THAT II CTZ	EST REIN ENEMY BN	ATTACKED PROVINCE JAIL & HOSPITAL. RELEASED 500 PRISO-NERS. US: 10 KIA, 34 WIA; ARVN: 24 KIA, 157 WIA; CIDG: 1 KIA, 25 WIA; 40,000 GAL POL DEST; ENEMY: 266 KIA, 18 DET, 69 WPNS.
19FEB68	65 NM NNE OF SAIGON	2 USA BN 1 ARVN RGR BN	CONDUCTING SWEEP OF AREA AND MADE CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED ENEMY COMPANY. CASUALTIES: US: 8 KIA, 26 WIA, ARVN: 6 KIA, 30 WIA. ENEMY: 253 KIA, 20 DET, 27 WPNS.
19FEB68	PHU BAI	HQ, 101ST ABN DIV 1ST BDE, 101ST ABN 2/327 ABN	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
19FEB68	QUANG TRI AIRFIELD	2/5 CAV	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
19FEB68	PK-17 (NW OF HUE)	2/7 CAV	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
19FEB68	CHU LAI	2/505 ABN INF	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
20FEB68	CHU LAI	1/508 ABN INF	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
20FEB68	DANANG	3D BN, 27TH MARINES	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
21FEB68	CHU LAI	3D BDE, 82D ABN DIV	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
24-25FEB68	KHE SANH COMBAT BASE	UNKNOWN ENEMY	HIT BY APPROXIMATELY 428 RDS OF MIXED ARTY/RKT/MORTAR FIRE. 3 UH-1E, 1 UH-34D, 1 155MM HOW DESTROYED.
25FEB68	DANANG	3/5 ARMED CAV	CLOSED I CTZ FOR FUTURE OPERATIONS.
25FEB68	DANANG	1/505 ABN INF	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
26FEB68	DANANG	9TH MAB PROV SERV BN	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
27FEB68	18 NM W OF QUANG TRI	1/CH-46D	ENROUTE TO KHE SANH WAS HIT BY GROUND FIRE. CRASHED AND BURNED. 22 USMC KIA, 1 USMC WIA.
27FEB68	13 NM WNW OF SAIGON	3 ARVN BN	MADE CONTACT WITH ESTIMATED ENEMY CO. CONTACT LASTED 3 HOURS. CASUALTIES: US: 1 WIA, ARVN: 5 KIA, 28 WIA. ENEMY: 93 KIA, 6 DET, 16 WPNS.
28FEB68	DANANG	1ST BN, 27TH MARINES	ARRIVED IN COUNTRY.
29FEB68	5 NM ENE OF DONG HA	1 ARVN BN	OPERATION LAMSON 187 - S&D OPERATION.
2MAR68	4 NM N OF TAN SON NHUT	1 USA CO	ON RECON MISSION WHEN HIT BY ENEMY CO. CASUALTIES: US: 48 KIA, 26 WIA, 2 MIA. ENEMY: 20 KIA, 4 WPNS.
3MAR68	TUY HOA	1 ARVN BN 1 USA CO	ARVN ATTACKED UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. CONTACT LASTED 10 ½ HOURS. CASUALTIES: US: 5 KIA, 16 WIA, 2 MIA, ARVN: 15 KIA, 53 WIA. ENEMY: 206 KIA, 16 DET, 98 WPNS.
3MAR68	TUY HOA	US/ARVN UNITS	ARVN MADE CONTACT WITH UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE IN THE CITY OF TUY HOA. REINFORCED BY ARMY UNITS.CASUALTIES: US: 8 KIA, 18 WIA, ARVN: 18 KIA, 53 WIA, CIV: 15 KIA, 65 WIA, VC/NVA: 218 KIA, 12 DET, 138 WPNS.
3MAR68	MARBLE MT. AIR FACILITY	UNKNOWN ENEMY	AF HIT BY 35 ROUNDS OF ROCKET FIRE. CASUALTIES AND LOSSES: DEST: 1 CH-53, DAMAGED: 16 CH-46's, 12 UH-1E's & 10 CH-53's. US: 9 WIA
3MAR68	CAMP EVANS	UNKNOWN ENEMY	HIT BY 15-20 ROUNDS OF 122MM ROCKET FIRE & UNKNOWN NUMBER OF 82MM MORTAR ROUNDS. CASUALTIES & LOSSES: US: 3 WIA. DESTROYED: 1 UH-1, 1 LOH & 8 STRUCTURES. DAMAGED: 10 UH-1, 1 LOH & 7 STRUCTURES. AIRFIELD TEMPORARLEY CLOSED DUE TO CRATERING.
4MAR68	PHU LOI AIR FIELD	UNKNOWN ENEMY	HIT BY 100 ROUNDS of 122MM ROCKET & 82MM MORTAR FIRE. CASUALTIES & AIRCRAFT DAMAGE: US 1 WIA & 25 AIRCRAFT DAMAGED.
4-6MAR68	64 NM SW OF CAN THO	ARVN/REGIONAL FORCES	TOWN OF CA MAU ATTACKED BY ESTIMATED ENEMY BN. REPULSED BY ARVN & REGIONAL FORCES WITH FOLLOWING CASUALTIES: US: 2 WIA, ARVN/PF: 11 KIA, 45 WIA, VC/NVA: 283 KIA, 70 WPNS.
6MAR68	5 NM E OF KHE SANH	1 USAF C-123K	A/C HIT BY GROUND FIRE ON APPROACH TO KHE SANH AIR STRIP. CRASHED & EXPLODED. 43 USMC, 1 USN & 4 USAF CREW KILLED.
7MAR68	3 NM N OF DONG HA	ARVN UNITS 1 USMC BN	OPERATION LAMSON 190 - S&D OPERATION. US: 16 KIA, 113 WIA, ARVN: 5 KIA, 6[illegible] WIA, [illegible] VC/NVA: 164 KIA, 26 WPNS.

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9MAR68	HUE/PHU BAI	PROVISIONAL CORPS VIETNAM	ACTIVATED BY COMUSMACV TO CONTROL US FORCES IN THUA THIEN/QUANG NAM PROVINCES. OPCON III MAF.
10-11MAR68	2 NM N OF GIO LINH	4 ARVN BN	MADE HEAVY CONTACT WITH UNKNOWN ENEMY FORCE. CASUALTIES: ARVN: 31 KIA, 85 WIA. VC/NVA: 194 KIA, 57 WPNS.
10MAR-7APR68	7 NM E OF SAIGON	21 USA BN	OPERATION QUYET THANG. US S&D OPERATION. CASUALTIES: US: 105 KIA, 920 WIA. VC/NVA: 1,420 KIA, 442 DET.
12-26MAR68	15 NM SW OF DANANG	2 USMC BN AND 1 USA BN	OPERATION WORTH - S&D OPERATION. US: 27 KIA, 89 WIA. VC/NVA: 167 KIA, 4 DET, 20 WPNS.
12MAR68	8 NM N OF PLEIKU CITY	US 4TH INF DIV CONVOY	AMBUSHED BY AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE: US: 12 KIA, 8 WIA. ARVN: 14 KIA, 2 WIA. 29 US 2½ TON TRUCKS AND TWO ARVN TANKS DAMAGED. VC/NVA: 48 KIA, 8 WPNS.
13-20MAR68	10 NM SE OF HUE	2 USMC BN	OPERATION FORD - S&D OPERATION. US: 14 KIA, 113 WIA. VC/NVA: 145 KIA, 57 DET, 19 WPNS.
14MAR68	2 NM NW OF QUANG TRI CITY	QUANG TRI AIRFIELD	RECEIVED 122MM ROCKET FIRE. 3 US WIA, 6 UH-1E & 4 UH-34 HELOS DAMAGED.
15MAR68	PHU BAI	VMO-3	REDESIGNATED AS HML-367.
15MAR68	DANANG	HML-167	ACTIVATED IN COUNTRY.
31MAR-14APR	QUANG TRI PROVIENCE	1ST AIRCAV	OPERATION PEGASUS/LAM SON 207 - S&D OPERATION. US: 92 KIA, 667 WIA. ARVN: 48 KIA, 206 WIA. VC/NVA: 1,044 KIA, 723 WPNS.
1APR-16MAY68	QUANG TRI & THUA THIEN PROVIENCES	101ST ABN DIV	OPERATION CARENTAN II - S&D OPERATION. US: 156 KIA, 884 WIA. VC/NVA: 2,096 KIA, 155 DET, 550 WPNS.
8APR-11NOV68	30 NM SSW OF DANANG	3 USA BN	OPERATION BURLINGTON TRAIL - S&D OPERATION. FRD: 129 KIA, 985 WIA; EN: 1948 KIA, 34 PW, 545 WPNS.
14APR68	4 NM NW OF KHE SANH	1 USMC BN	SECURED HILL 881 NORTH. USMC: 6 KIA, 14 WIA. VC/NVA: 106 KIA.
18APR-16MAY	A SHAU VALLEY	6 USA BN	OPERATION DELAWARE VALLEY - S&D OPERATION. US: 142 KIA, 731 WIA. VC/NVA: 735 KIA, 5 DET, 2,503 WPNS.
21-22APR68	55 NM NE OF CAN THO	US & ARVN	HEAVY CONTACT WITH UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. ARVN KILLED 122 OF THE ENEMY AND US HELOS ACCOUNTED FOR AN ADDITIONAL 50 ENEMY KILLED, 24 SANPANS AND 27 STRUCTURES DESTROYED. FRIENDLY CASUALTIES WERE 9 ARVN KIA AND 49 WIA.
29APR68	2 NM S OF GIO LINH	1 USMC CO & 1 ARVN REGT	ENGAGED ESTIMATED 2-3 ENEMY BNS. US: 4 KIA, 22 WIA. ARVN: 27 KIA, 99 WIA. VC/NVA: 314 KIA, 35 WPNS.
29APR68	3 NM NW OF HUE	1 USA ABN CO & 1 ARVN CO	ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. US: 50 KIA, 22 WIA. ARVN: 4 KIA, 16 WIA. VC/NVA: 217 KIA, 102 DET, 95 WPNS.
1MAY68	A LUOI AIR-FIELD		OPENED FOR C-123 ACFT FOR USE DURING OPERATION DELAWARE VALLEY.
3MAY-23AUG68	15NM SW OF DANANG	2 USMC BN	OPERATION ALLEN BROOK - S&D OPERATION. FRD: 172 KIA, 1124 WIA; ENEMY: 1017 KIA, 2 PW, 154 WPNS.
3MAY	14NM NW OF SAIGON	1 ARVN BN 2 USA BNs	ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. ARVN: 22 KIA, 15 WIA; VC/NVA: 167 KIA, 3 DET, 30 WPNS.
3MAY	12NM NNE OF SAIGON	2 USA COs	ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. US: 7 KIA, 27 WIA; VC/NVA: 257 KIA, 5 DET, 35 WPNS.
4-5MAY68	I, II, III CTZ		WIDESPREAD ENEMY MORTAR/ROCKET ATTACKS WERE LAUNCHED AGAINST 4 AIRFIELDS IN I, II, III CTZ. TOTAL DAMAGE: 1 HELO AND 2 FIXED WING DESTROYED, 17 HELOS AND 18 FIXED WING DAMAGED.
5MAY68	5NM N OF GIO LINH	1 USMC BN	ENGAGED AN ESTIMATED 200 ENEMY. US: 10 KIA, 70 WIA. VC/NVA: 151 KIA.
7MAY68	5 NM N OF DONG HA	1 USA CO	SUPPORTED BY AIR, ENGAGED AN UNKNOWN SIZE ENEMY FORCE. US: 1 KIA, 16 WIA. VC/NVA: 159 KIA, 76 WPNS.

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VIETNAM REFERENCE DATA

VIETNAM GEOGRAPHIC DATA

4 DECEMBER 1968

	LENGTH (MI)	WIDTH (MI)	AREA (SQ MI)	POPULATION
NORTH VIETNAM	425*	44-389	63,000	18,297,000
DEMILITARIZED ZONE	44	MAX 6		
SOUTH VIETNAM	823*	30-130	66,700	17,420,900
I CORPS	220*	30-75	10,700	3,236,100
II CORPS	315*	45-130	31,300	2,894,900
III CORPS	90*	55-115	10,100	5,411,200
IV CORPS	195*	35-115	14,600	5,878,700

* Coastal Arc

I CORPS GEOGRAPHIC DATA

PROVINCES	AREA (SQ MI)	POPULATION	VILLAGES
QUANG TRI	1,820	303,300	84
THUA THIEN	1,900	540,700	95
QUANG NAM	2,500	843,500	141
QUANG TIN	1,890	409,600	70
QUANG NGAI	2,690	699,500	159
CITIES			
QUANG TRI		(12,382)	
HUE		150,000	
DANANG		289,600	
HOI AN		(16,586)	
TAM KY		(10,134)	
QUANG NGAI		(11,000)	

CITY POPULATIONS IN PARENS ( ) ARE INCLUDED IN APPROPRIATE PROVINCE TOTAL

I CORPS PACIFICATION DATA

OCTOBER 1968

TAOR AREA	AREA (SQ MI)	TOTAL POPULATION	SECURE* POPULATION	% POP SECURE	TOTAL VILLAGES	SECURE* VILLAGES
DANANG TAOR	599	799,951	534,140	67%	102	46
CHU LAI TAOR	565	273,129	88,900	33%	57	17
PHU BAI TAOR	249	93,418	90,539	98%	15	14
NORTHERN I CTZ	220	76,310	52,696	61%	21	7
DUC PHO AREA	188	146,516	73,304	50%	22	9
TOTALS	1,821	1,389,324	839,877	62%	217	93

* 60% or more pacified in accordance with FMFPAC criteria

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LANDING FORCE SIXTH FLEET, 4-68

4 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 62.1
CTG: LTCOL W. C. DRUMRIGHT

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 1/2				
(LTCOL W. C. DRUMRIGHT)				
1ST BN, 2D MARINES	29	884	3	33
DET, HQ CO, 2D MARINES		8		
BTRY "G", 3/10	9	130		
DET, HQ BTRY, 3/10	1	11		1
PLT, "C" CO, 2D MT BN		19		
PLT, "C" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	24		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D TK BN	1	21		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D AT BN	1	21		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D ENGR BN		49		
PLT, "D" CO, 2D MED BN		10	1	9
PLT, "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	49		
PLT, "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		1
DET, HQBN, 2DMARDIV		20		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO				4
DET, 2D SERV BN		38		
DET, 2D FSR		40		
TOTALS	44	1348	4	48

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

31 7.62 MG
10 LVTP-5
6 105MM HOW
5 90MM GUN TANK
5 ONTOS
8 81MM MORTARS
8 FLAME THROWERS
8 106MM RR

21 MULES
32 MITES
29 2½ TON TRUCKS
8 JEEPS
3 5 TON CARGO TRUCKS
9 3/4 TON UTIL TRUCKS
4 AMBULANCES
4 CRANES

AIRCRAFT

NO AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

ENR LOVO SANTO, CORSICA
FOR PHIBLEX 7-69
ETA: 5DEC68

SHIPPING

USS LASALLE (LPD-3)
USS MULIPHEN (LKA-61)
USS ASHLAND (LSD-1)
USS FREMONT (LPA-44)
USS GRANT COUNTY (LST 1174)

LANDING FORCE, CARIBBEAN 3-68

21 NOVEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 45.9
CTG: LTCOL C. M. MOSHER

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 2/6				
(LTCOL C. M. MOSHER)				
2D BN, 6TH MARINES	29	853	3	23
DET HQ CO, 6TH MARINES		8		
BTRY "E", 2/10	9	124		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D AT BN	1	24		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D ENGR BN	1	48		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		
PLAT "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	51		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D TANK BN	1	21		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	42		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D MT BN	1	16		
DET "B" CO, 2D MED BN		10		10
DET, HQ BN, 2D MARDIV		16		
DET, 2D FSR		24		
DET, SERV BN	1	36		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-261	39	229	1	1
(LTCOL V. J. GUINEE)				
(DET, VMO-1)				
TOTALS	86	1,538	5	35

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

6 105MM HOW TD
5 M48 90MM GUN TANK
5 ONTOS
31 7.62 MG
10 LVTP-5
8 81MM MORTAR
8 FLAME THROWER
6 106MM RR
24 3.5MM RL
12 M10 60MM MORTAR

AIRCRAFT

16/CH-46D
2/UH-1E

LOCATION

AT VIEQUES

SHIPPING

USS BOXER (LPH-4)
USS CAPRICORNUS (LKA-57)
USS PLYMOUTH ROCK (LSD-29)
USS YORK CTY (LST-1175)
USS WAHKIAKUM CTY (LST-1162)

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LANDING FORCE, SIXTH FLEET 3-68

4 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 62
CTG: LTCOL P. E. WOODRUFF

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 3/2				
(LTCOL P. E. WOODRUFF JR)				
3D BN, 2D MARINES	31	891	3	31
BTRY "I", 3/10	4	92		1
PLT "B" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	43		1
PLT "A" CO, 2D AT BN	1	21		
PLT "A" CO, 2D TANK BN	1	25		
PLT "A" CO, 2D ENGR BN	1	48		
PLT "B" CO, 8TH MT BN	1	18		
PLT "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		1
PLT "A" CO, 2D SP BN	1	47		1
DET, 2D SERV BN	1	38		
DET, 2D FSR	1	39		
DET, 2D MED BN		9		11
DET, 2D DENTAL CO			2	2
DET, HQBN, 2D MARDIV	1	20		
DET, HQ BTRY, 10TH MAR		12	1	
DET, HQ CO, 2D MARINES		2		
TOTALS	45	1329	6	48

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

31	7.62 MG
10	LVTP-5
6	105MM HOW
5	90MM GUN TANK
5	ONTOS
8	81MM MORTARS
8	FLAME THROWERS
6	106MM RR
21	MULES
32	MITES
29	2½ TON TRUCKS
8	JEEPS
3	5 TON CARGO TRUCKS
9	3/4 TON UTIL TRUCKS
4	AMBULANCES
4	CRANES

AIRCRAFT

NO AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

ENROUTE CONUS
ETA: 13DEC68

SHIPPING

USS CHILTON	(LPA-38)
USS MOUNTRAIL	(LPA-213)
USS YANCEY	(LKA-93)
USS SAN MARCOS	(LSD-25)
USS FORT MANDAN	(LSD 21)
USS TRAVERSE CTY	(LST-1160)

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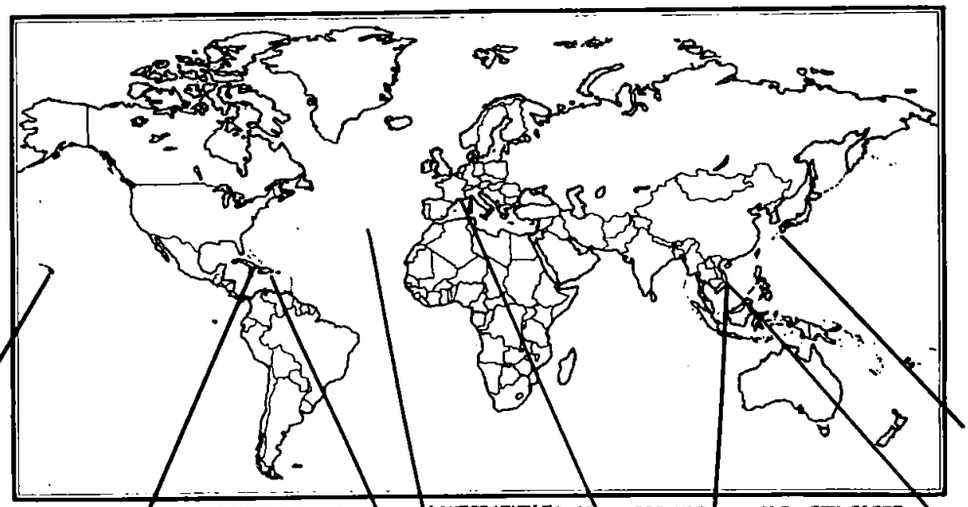
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

3 DECEMBER 1968



1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 3-68
ENR CONUS
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LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
AT LIBERTY PORTS
TOULON/MARSEILLE, FR.

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN
(OPN MEADE RIVER)

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN MEADE RIVER)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN	21	(5)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	(2)	
OKINAWA/JAPAN		(1)								(1)
AFLOAT						(1)				
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII	(1)	(2)								
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
AFLOAT										
ATLANTIC	7	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST	(5)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3)	(2)		(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)					(1)				
EUROPE	2									
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)									
ENROUTE CONUS	(1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL*

FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

3 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		No I CTZ		OKINAWA		JAPAN		HAWAII		EASTPAC		OTHER	
HEADQUARTERS		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
HQ, FMF, PAC																						
FMF, PAC (FWD)		74	1	24JUL68									74	1								
H&S BN, FMF, PAC		4251		13NOV68													4251					
CAMP S. D. BUTLER		1067	137	13NOV68									1067	137								
CASUAL		748		22NOV68									748									
HOSPITALIZED	8	1063		22NOV68									466		597							
HQ, V MEF																						
1ST CIV AFF GRP		55	7	20NOV68															55	7		
HQ, 5TH MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 5TH MARDIV	5	1321	39	20NOV68															1290	39	31	
HQ, FORTRPS, FMF PAC																						
HQ CO, FORTRPS	5	414	22	20NOV68															194	22	220	
HQ, 1ST MAR BRIG																						
HQ CO, 1ST MAR BRIG		220	8	20NOV68													220	8				
HQ, 9TH MAB																						
HQ CO, 9TH MAB		511	15	20NOV68									511	15								
HQ, III MAF																						
H&S CO, III MAF		977	11	20NOV68	977	11																
1ST CAG		367	31	20NOV68			367	31														
2ND CAG	2	823	42	20NOV68	802	42															21	
3D CAG		525	32	20NOV68					525	32												
4TH CAG		267	21	20NOV68							267	21										
HQ, 1ST MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 1ST MAR DIV	5	2085	37	20NOV68	2054	37															31	
HQ, 3D MAR DIV																						
HQBN, 3D MAR DIV		1931	33	20NOV68							1931	33										
INFANTRY																						
1ST MARINES																						
HQ CO		243	6	20NOV68	243	6																
1ST BATTALION		1112	57	20NOV68	1112	57																
2D BATTALION		1117	44	20NOV68	1117	44																
3D BATTALION		1134	60	20NOV68	1134	60																
3D MARINES																						
HQ CO		212	7	20NOV68							212	7										
1ST BATTALION		1195	49	20NOV68							1195	49										
2D BATTALION		1224	52	20NOV68							1224	52										
3D BATTALION		1182	47	20NOV68							1182	47										
4TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		211	5	20NOV68							211	5										
1ST BATTALION		1264	50	20NOV68							1264	50										
2D BATTALION		1206	47	20NOV68							1206	47										
3D BATTALION		1210	54	20NOV68							1210	54										
5TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		241	7	20NOV68	241	7																
1ST BATTALION		1124	56	20NOV68	1124	56																
2D BATTALION		1179	55	20NOV68	1179	55																
3D BATTALION		1178	60	20NOV68	1178	60																
7TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		236	8	20NOV68	236	8																
1ST BATTALION		1152	61	20NOV68	1152	61																
2D BATTALION	1	1676	88																		1676	88
3D BATTALION		1139	59	20NOV68	1139	59																
9TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		231	6	20NOV68							231	6										
1ST BATTALION		1209	58	20NOV68							1209	58										
2D BATTALION		1209	49	20NOV68							1209	49										
3D BATTALION		1203	47	20NOV68							1203	47										
26TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		215	5	20NOV68	215	6																
1ST BATTALION		1088	58	20NOV68	1088	58																
2D BATTALION	1	1479	97																		1479	97
3D BATTALION		1110	60	20NOV68	1110	60																
27TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		243	8	20NOV68															243	8		
1ST BATTALION		626	88	20NOV68													626	88				
2D BATTALION		715	32	20NOV68															715	32		
3D BATTALION		716	30	20NOV68															716	30		
28TH MARINES																						
HQ CO		253	5	20NOV68															253	5		
1ST BATTALION		1030	47	20NOV68															1030	47		
2D BATTALION		1051	42	20NOV68															1051	42		
3D BATTALION		962	43	20NOV68															962	43		
ARTILLERY																						
11TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		290	10	20NOV68	290	10																
1ST BATTALION		679	18	20NOV68	679	18																
2D BATTALION		687	15	20NOV68	687	15																
3D BATTALION		423	12	20NOV68	423	12																
4TH BATTALION		578	13	20NOV68	578	13																
12TH MARINES																						
HQ BTRY		277	11	20NOV68							277	11										
1ST BATTALION		891	17	20NOV68							891	17										
2D BATTALION		641	17	20NOV68							641	17										
3D BATTALION		798	17	20NOV68							798	17										
4TH BATTALION		549	12	20NOV68							549	12										

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DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

3 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT	NOTE	ASSIGNED STRENGTH		STR RPT DATE	DANANG		CHU LAI		PHU BAI		No I CTZ		OKINAWA		JAPAN		HAWAII		EASTPAC		OTHER	
		USMC	USN		USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN	USMC	USN
13TH MARINES			6																			
HQ BTRY		295	6	20NOV68															295	6		
1ST BATTALION		865	20	20NOV68	865	20																
2D BATTALION		808	18	20NOV68													203	7	605	11		
3D BATTALION		509	17	20NOV68															509	17		
4TH BATTALION		351	10	20NOV68															351	10		
HQ BTRY, 1ST FAG		118	3	20NOV68	118	3																
HQ BTRY, 5TH FAG		115	4	20NOV68															115	4		
1ST 155MM GUN BTRY		132	3	20NOV68	132	3																
3D 155MM GUN BTRY		155	3	20NOV68	155	3																
5TH 155MM GUN BTRY		192	7	20NOV68							192	7										
7TH 155MM GUN BTRY		104	2	20NOV68															104	2		
1ST 8" HOW BTRY		199	6	20NOV68							199	6										
3D 8" HOW BTRY		216	4	20NOV68	216	4																
5TH 8" HOW BTRY		126	2	20NOV68															126	2		
1ST SEARCH LIGHT BTRY		104	2	20NOV68							104	2										
RECONNAISSANCE																						
1ST RECON BN		754	49	20NOV68	754	49																
3D RECON BN		678	47	20NOV68							678	47										
5TH RECON BN		335	15	20NOV68									75						260	15		
1ST FORCE RECON CO		158	10	20NOV68	158	10																
3D FORCE RECON CO		113		20NOV68							113											
5TH FORCE RECON CO		123	2	20NOV68															123	2		
ANTI-TANK																						
1ST AT BN	7			20NOV68																		
3D AT BN	7			20NOV68																		
5TH AT BN		227	8	20NOV68									54	1					173	7		
TANK																						
1ST TANK BN		817	18	20NOV68	817	18																
3D TANK BN		741	20	20NOV68							741	20										
5TH TANK BN		604	13	20NOV68									120	3					484	10		
AMTRAC																						
1ST AMTRAC BN		797	27	20NOV68							797	27										
3D AMTRAC BN		627	14	20NOV68	627	14																
5TH AMTRAC BN		682	15	20NOV68									125	5					557	10		
1ST ARM. AMPHIB CO		236	6	20NOV68	236	6																
ENGINEER																						
1ST ENGR BN		795	14	20NOV68	795	14																
3D ENGR BN		785	12	20NOV68							785	12										
5TH ENGR BN		504	11	20NOV68									33	1					471	10		
7TH ENGR BN		1009	25	20NOV68	1009	25																
9TH ENGR BN		948	23	20NOV68			948	23														
11TH ENGR BN		1184	30	20NOV68							1184	30										
13TH ENGR BN		838	13	20NOV68															838	13		
1ST BRIDGE CO	6			20NOV68																		
3D BRIDGE CO	6			20NOV68																		
5TH BRIDGE CO		150	2	20NOV68															150	2		
MOTOR TRANSPORT																						
1ST MT BN		336	8	20NOV68	336	8																
3D MT BN		388	6	20NOV68							388	6										
5TH MT BN		148	5	20NOV68									20	1					128	4		
7TH MT BN		398	3	20NOV68	398	3																
9TH MT BN		411	10	20NOV68					411	10												
11TH MT BN		450	14	20NOV68	450	14																
13TH MT BN		358	7	20NOV68															358	7		
COMMUNICATION																						
1ST RADIO BN		494	2	20NOV68	404												90	2				
5TH COMM BN		665	5	20NOV68	665	5																
7TH COMM BN		729	13	20NOV68	729	13																
9TH COMM BN		397	9	20NOV68															397	9		
1ST ANGLICO	3	325	19	20NOV68													143	5			182	14
SHORE PARTY																						
1ST SP BN		432	24	20NOV68	432	24																
3D SP BN		535	23	20NOV68							535	23										
5TH SP BN		281	24	20NOV68									95	6					186	18		
MILITARY POLICE																						
1ST MP BN		693	14	20NOV68	693	14																
3D MP BN		747	13	20NOV68	747	13																
5TH MP BN		429	6	20NOV68															429	6		
SERVICE/SUPPORT																						
FLC, III MAF																						
HQ, FLC/1ST FSR																						
H&S BN		1693	45	20NOV68	1693	45																
SUPPLY BN		1621	25	20NOV68	1621	25																
7TH SEP BK FUEL CO																						
MAINT BN		1030	11	20NOV68	1030	11																
FLSG-A/3D SERV BN		1234	20	20NOV68					1234	20												
FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN		1359	17	20NOV68	1359	17																
3D FSR																						
H&S BN		1105	34	20NOV68									1105	34								
SUPPLY BN		1300	11	20NOV68									1300	11								
MAINT BN		1146		20NOV68									1146									
5TH FSR																						
H&S BN		398	24																398	24		
SUPPLY BN		372	16																372	16		
MAINT BN		557																	557			
5TH SERVICE BN		693	15																693	16		
PROV SERVICE BN, 9TH MAB		1065	14										1065	14								
9TH SEP BULK FUEL CO		289																	289			

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5TH MARINE DIVISION

READINESS SUMMARY

3 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT		STRENGTH USMC	STRENGTH USN	COMBAT READINESS CURRENT RATING	CURRENT REASON	P	S	R	T	EXPECTED RATING	EXPECTED DATE
5TH MARINE DIVISION		14,132	752	C4	P	4	3	3	4	C3	1JAN69
HQS BN (-)(REIN)		1,321	39	C3	R	2	1	3	2	C2	1DEC68
27TH MARINES (-)		1,674	70	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
HQS CO		243	8	C4	T	1	4	4	4	C3	1JAN69
2nd BN		715	32	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
3rd BN		716	30	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
28TH MARINES		3,296	137	C3	P	3	2	2	2	C2	1JAN69
HQS CO		253	5	C1		1	1	1	1		
1st BN		1,030	47	C3	P	3	2	2	3	C2	1FEB69
2nd BN		1,051	42	C4	R	2	1	4	2	C3	1JAN69
3rd BN		962	43	C3	P	3	2	2	1	C1	31JAN69
13TH MARINES (-)		1,963	51	C4	X	4	3	3	4	C3	28FEB69
HQS BTRY		295	6	C2	P	2	2	2	2	C1	31JAN69
2nd BN (-)		808	18	C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	28FEB69
3rd BN		509	17	C4	X	4	1	1	4	C3	28FEB69
4th BN (-)		351	10	C3	T	2	1	3	3	C2	1MAR69
5TH ANTI-TANK BN (-)		227	8	C4	T	2	1	2	4	C3	5APR69
5TH ENGINEER BN (-)		504	11	C2	P	2	1	1	2	C1	1MAY69
5TH MEDICAL BN (-)		102	160	C4	P	4	2	3	4	C3	1APR69
5TH MOTOR TRANS BN (-)		148	5	C3	T	2	1	2	3	C2	1FEB69
5TH RECON BN (-)		335	15	C3	T	2	3	3	3	C2	1MAR69
5TH SHORE PARTY BN (-)		281	24	C4	P	4	2	2	4	C3	1APR69
5TH SERVICE BN (-)		693	15	C3	P	3	2	2	2	C2	1MAY69
REINFORCING UNITS											
5TH TANK BN (-)		604	13	C4	X	4	3	4	4	C3	1APR69
5TH AMTRAC BN (-)		682	15	C2	T	1	1	2	2	C1	1MAY69
13TH ENGINEER BN		838	13	C4	X	4	2	2	4	C3	1JAN69
13TH MOTOR TRANS BN		358	7	C3	T	1	1	1	3	C2	1FEB69
5TH MILITARY POLICE BN		429	6	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C2	15APR69
5TH FORCE RECON CO		123	2	C3	T	2	2	2	3	C2	1MAR69
9TH SEP BULK FUEL CO		289		C4	T	3	1	1	4	C3	31JAN69
5TH BRIDGE CO		150	2	C4	X	3	2	2	4	C3	31JAN69
1ST CIV AFF GRP		55	7	C4	P	4	1	1	4	C3	1FEB69
5TH HOSPITAL CO		31	48	C4	P	4	1	1	4	C3	1MAR69
15TH DENTAL CO (-)		12	42	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C2	1JAN69
17TH DENTAL CO		17	62	C2	P	2	1	1	2	C1	1DEC68

READINESS CATEGORIES

C-1 Fully Combat Ready
C-2 Substantially Combat Ready
C-3 Marginally Combat Ready
C-4 Not Combat Ready

READINESS ABBREVIATIONS

P Personnel Readiness
S Supplies/Equipment on Hand
R Equipment Readiness
T Training Readiness
X Commanders Subjective Judgement-Elaborated by remarks

NOTE: Readiness Category Information extracted from NMCSS Report #SF024 dated 2DEC68.

Strength Category Information extracted from MCCC Report of 20NOV68.

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MARINE CORPS PERSONNEL IN RVN

3 DECEMBER 1968

	OFF	ENL	TOTAL	
* III MAF.	5,294	75,357	80,651	
DANANG	(2,921)	(42,063)	(44,984)	#
CHU LAI	(494)	(5,178)	(5,672)	
PHU BAI	(363)	(3,096)	(3,459)	
DONG HA	(1,463)	(24,583)	(26,046)	
AFLOAT	(53)	(437)	(490)	#
SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO . . . (AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS SVN)	((15))	((179))	((194))	
SLF's.	161	3,214	3,375	
SLF ALFA	(54)	(1,425)	(1,479)	
SLF BRAVO.	(107)	(1,789)	(1,896)	
**OTHER USMC PERSONNEL . . .	169	299	468	
MACV STAFF	(98)	(82)	(180)	
MACV (FIELD)	(20)	(16)	(36)	
NAVADVGRP.	(34)	(7)	(41)	
NAVY UNITS	(5)	(5)	(10)	
CO "L" MARSPTBN.	(2)	(80)	(82)	
MISC UNITS	(9)	(7)	(16)	
EMBASSY GUARDS	(1)	(102)	(103)	
TOTAL USMC IN RVN.	5,463	75,656	81,119	
OSD PROGRAM VI PLANNED STRENGTHS				
31 OCTOBER 1968			82,232	
U. S. NAVY, III MAF. . . .	453	3,079	3,532	

* AS REPORTED BY FMFPAC SITREP # 1283 EVENTS OF 29&30NOV & 1DEC68.

** MACV STAFF FIGURES INCLUDE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO MACV HQS STAFF, RADIO/TV STAFF STUDIES AND OBSERVATION GROUP, DOD SPECIAL REPS, AND DCA. STRENGTHS IN THIS BLOCK ARE AS REPORTED IN MACV MONTHLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF: 31 AUGUST 1968.

INCLUDES SLF's "A"& "B".

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MARINE CORPS COMMAND CENTER

WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

3 DECEMBER 1968

QUANG TRI

USMC 26,536
USN 1,314*
USA 7,189

HQS 3D MAR DIV
(TF-H)

4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
- 1/3
- 2/3
- 3/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1ST AMTRAC BN (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)

1st MAW
PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,459
USN 82*
USA 24,027

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW
MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-362 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

USMC 44,984
USN 2,012*
USA 2,180
ROKMC 6,801

HQS, III MAF

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/1
- 3/1
- 1/1 (OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 2/5 (OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 3/5 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")(OPN MEADE RIVER)
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A")(OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 3/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 3/7
- 1/7

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN HENDERSON HILL)

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

HQ 1st MAW
MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,672
USN 124*
USA 24,259

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF
- 1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 1/6 INF
- 5/46 INF

1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN (HARDIN FALLS)

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW
MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN*
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	81,119	3,532
III MAF	80,651	3,532 #
SLF's	(3,375)	(185)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(12)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV (FIELD)	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	80,337
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,559
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,801
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	288,318

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER) HMM-363 (UH-34D) @	1,479	97
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN MEADE RIVER) HMM-165 (CH-46A)	1,896	88

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,796	234

MAG-15
- VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,939	26

MOVEMENTS

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* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" & SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-363 ASHORE OPCON MAG-36

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MARCH 1968

76	CO(REIN) 5TH TK BN	12MAR68	110	DANANG
	HMM-363	14MAR68	222	PHU BAI

CHU LAI	DMZ AREA	PHU BAI	DANANG	TOTALS 31MAR68	
(5,891)	(28,316)	(15,831)	(33,715)	USMC	83,753 *
(231)	(1,084)	(1,135)	(1,412)	USN	3,862
				TOTAL	87,615

* INCLUDES SLF's

APRIL 1968

77	DET, MATCU-66	15APR68	15	QUANG TRI
78	HMM-363	15APR68	222	PHU BAI
79	HMM-164	17APR68	230	PHU BAI
	VMA-223	23APR68	290	CHU LAI

CHU LAI	DMZ AREA	PHU BAI	DANANG	TOTALS 30APR68	
(6,433)	(29,998)	(15,223)	(33,748)	USMC	85,402 *
(230)	(1,216)	(978)	(1,368)	USN	3,792
				TOTAL	89,194

* INCLUDES SLF's

MAY 1968

80	VMFA-542	10MAY68	324	DANANG
81	HMM-362	17MAY68	235	PHU BAI
82	HMM-161	18MAY68	302	QUANG TRI

CHU LAI	DMZ AREA	PHU BAI	DANANG	TOTALS 31MAY68		
(6,346)	(32,582)	(15,451)	(34,659)	USMC	~~89,~~038 *	85,755
(144)	(1,306)	(1,222)	(1,165)	USN	3,837	
				TOTAL	~~93,87~~5	89,592

* INCLUDES SLF's

JUNE 1968

83	BLT 3/1	15JUN58	1,487	QUANG NAM
84	HMM-164	15JUN68	239	QUANG NAM

CHU LAI	DMZ AREA	PHU BAI	DANANG	TOTALS 30JUN68	
(6,429)	(29,811)	(11,658)	(35,609)	USMC	83,507 *
(134)	(1,221)	(1,046)	(1,227)	USN	3,628
				TOTAL	87,135

* INCLUDES SLF "A" ONLY

JULY 1968

85	HMM-362	9JUL68	249	PHU BAI
86	DET "A" (OV-10A)	6JUL68	25	QUANG NAM

CHU LAI	DMZ AREA	PHU BAI	DANANG	TOTALS 31JUL68	
(6,256)	(30,266)	(11,004)	(35,733)	USMC	83,259 *
(133)	(1,221)	((997)	(1,103)	USN	3,454
				TOTAL	86,713

* INCLUDES SLF's

AUGUST 1968

87	BLT 2/4	14AUG68	1,628	QUANG TRI
88	HMH-462	22AUG68	183	THUA THIEN
89	DET "B" (OV-10A)	1AUG68	25	QUANG NAM

CHU LAI	DMZ AREA	PHU BAI	DANANG	TOTALS 31AUG68	
(6,089)	(30,429)	(11,603)	(35,950)	USMC	84,071 *
(140)	(1,406)	(715)	(1,198)	USN	3,459
				TOTAL	87,530

* INCLUDES SLF's

SEPTEMBER 1968

90	VMFA-334	1SEP68	370	DANANG

CHU LAI	DMZ AREA	PHU BAI	DANANG	TOTALS 30SEP68	
(6,031)	(30,164)	(4,663)	(42,889)	USMC	83,747*
(146)	(1,455)	(163)	(1,773)	USN	3,537
				TOTAL	87,284

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OCTOBER 1968

91 DET "C" (OV-10A)
92 VMA(AW)-223

AFLOAT	CHU LAI	25 252 DMZ AREA	DANANG CHU LAI PHU BAI	DANANG	TOTALS 31OCT68	
(112)	(5,784)	(25,207)	(6,433)	(44,891)	USMC	82,427*
	(134)	(1,298)	(152)	(2,064)	USN	3,648
					TOTAL	86,075

* INCLUDES SLF'S

NOVEMBER 1968

AFLOAT	CHU LAI	DMZ AREA	PHU BAI	DANANG	TOTALS 30NOV68	
(256)	(5,697)	(26,276)	(3,660)	(45,090)	USMC	80,979*
	(123)	(1,299)	(80)	(2,118)	USN	3,593
					TOTAL	84,572

* INCLUDES SLF'S

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CHRONOLOGY OF III MAF BUILDUP IN RVN

1 HMM-365 REPLACED HMM-162 15MAY65. HMM-162 ROTATED TO CONUS.
2 VMFA-513 REPLACED VMFA-531 11JUN65. VMFA-531 ROTATED TO CONUS.
3 BLT 1/9 REPLACED BLT 3/9 17JUN65. BLT 3/9 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
4 HMM-261 REPLACED HMM-163 21JUN65. HMM-163 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
5 HMM-361 REPLACED HMM-365 2AUG65. HMM-365 ROTATED TO CONUS.
6 1/1 REPLACED 1/3 28AUG65. 1/3 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
7 MACS-7 REPLACED MACS-9 14SEP65. MACS-9 ROTATED TO CONUS.
8 NMCB-5 REPLACED NMCB-3 26SEP65. NMCB-3 ROTATED OUT OF COUNTRY.
9 VMA-224 REPLACED VMA-225 4OCT65. VMA-225 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
10 HMM-263 REPLACED HMM-261 10OCT65. HMM-261 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
11 VMFA-115 REPLACED VMFA-513 11OCT65. VMFA-513 ROTATED TO CONUS.
12 1/3 REPLACED 2/3 18NOV65. 2/3 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
13 VMFA-323 REPLACED VMFA-542 2DEC65. VMFA-542 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
14 NMCB-4 REPLACED NMCB-10 8DEC65. NMCB-10 ROTATED OUT OF COUNTRY.
15 VMA-223 REPLACED VMA-311 15DEC65. VMA-311 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
16 2/1 REPLACED 3/4 23DEC65. 3/4 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
17 HMM-163 REPLACED HMM-161 4JAN66. HMM-161 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
18 HMM-261 REPLACED HMM-362 6JAN66. HMM-362 ROTATED TO SLF.
19 VMFA-314 REPLACED VMFA-115 15JAN66. VMFA-115 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
20 VMF(AW)-235 REPLACED VMF(AW)-312 1FEB66. VMF(AW)-312 ROTATED TO CONUS.
21 NMCB-11 REPLACED NMCB-9 7FEB66. NMCB-9 ROTATED OUT OF COUNTRY.
22 VMA-311 REPLACED VMA-214 15FEB66. VMA-214 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
23 VMFA-542 REPLACED VMFA-323 2MAR66. VMFA-323 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
24 OPCON OF ALL NMCB UNITS PASSED FROM III TO 30TH NCR 1APR66.
STRENGTHS NO LONGER REFLECTED IN III MAF TOTALS.
25 HMM-161 REPLACED HMM-361 1APR66. HMM-361 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
26 HMM-362 REPLACED HMM-364 9APR66. HMM-364 ROTATED TO SLF.
27 VMFA-115 REPLACED VMFA-314 11APR66. VMFA-314 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
28 VMA-214 REPLACED VMA-224 30APR66. VMA-224 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
29 HMM-265 REPLACED HMM-263 22MAY66. HMM-263 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
30 HMM-361 REPLACED HMM-261 31MAY66. HMM-261 ROTATED TO CONUS.
31 HMM-364 REPLACED HMM-363 3JUL66. HMM-363 ROTATED TO SLF.
32 VMA-224 REPLACED VMA-211 13JUL66. VMA-211 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
33 HMM-263 REPLACED HMM-163 31JUL66. HMM-163 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
34 VMFA-314 REPLACED VMFA-542 1AUG66. VMFA-542 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
35 2/26 REPLACED 3/3 29AUG66. 3/3 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
36 OPCON OF SU #1, 1ST ANGLICO PASSED FROM III MAF TO COMUSMACV 15SEP66.
37 1/26 REPLACED 1/9 27SEP66. 1/9 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
38 HMM-363 REPLACED HMM-362 28SEP66. HMM-362 ROTATED TO SLF.
39 HMM-165 REPLACED HMM-364 1OCT66. HMM-364 ROTATED TO CONUS.
40 BLT 3/3 REPLACED BLT 2/4 ON 27OCT66. BLT 2/4 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
41 HMM-163 REPLACED HMM-161 27OCT66. HMM-161 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
42 VMA(AW)-242 REPLACED VMA-224 1NOV66. VMA-224 ROTATED TO CONUS.
43 VMF(AW)-232 REPLACED VMF(AW)-235 15NOV66. VMF(AW)-235 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
44 VMA-121 REPLACED VMA-223 1DEC66. VMA-223 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
45 HMM-262 REPLACED HMM-161 17DEC66. HMM-161 ROTATED TO CONUS (2D MAW).
46 BLT 3/26 REPLACED BLT 1/4 15DEC66. BLT 1/4 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
47 BLT 2/4 REPLACED BLT 3/9 7JAN67. BLT 3/9 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
48 HMM-362 REPLACED HMM-363 19JAN67. HMM-363 ROTATED TO SLF.
49 HMM-361 REPLACED HMM-263 15FEB67. HMM-263 ROTATED TO OKINAWA
50 1ST FSR FLAG TRANSFERRED FROM CAMPEN TO DANANG 15FEB67.
51 VMF(AW)-235 REPLACED VMFA-115 15FEB67. VMFA-115 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
52 BLT 3/9 REPLACED BLT 2/3 9MAR67. BLT 2/3 ROTATED TO OKINAWA 13MAR67.
53 VMA-223 REPLACED VMA-311 2MAR67. VMA-311 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI 1MAR67.
54 BLT 1/4 REPLACED BLT 3/4 1APR67. BLT 3/4 ROTATED TO OKINAWA.
55 VMA(AW)-533 REPLACED VMA-214 1APR67. VMA-214 ROTATED TO CONUS.
56 HMM-363 REPLACED HMM-164 3APR67. HMM-164 ROTATED TO SLF "B".
57 HQCO, 26TH MAR (COMMAND & CONTROL ELMS) TEMPORARY AUGMENTATION FOR III MAF
58 BLT 3/4 TEMPORARY AUGMENTATION FOR III MAF FROM 9TH MAB.
59 MACS-4 REPLACED MACS-7 DUE TO ROTATE TO CONUS/3D MAW. ETD RVN 19JUL67.
60 HMM-263 REPLACED HMM-362 12JUN67. HMM-362 ROTATED TO SLF "A".
61 HMM-164 REPLACED HMM-265 12JUL67. HMM-265 ROTATED TO SLF "B".
62 VMFA-323 REPLACED VMFA-314 15AUG67. VMFA-314 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
63 HMM-265 REPLACED HMM-262 23AUG67. HMM-262 ROTATED TO SLF "B".
64 VMFA-122 REPLACED VMF(AW)-232 5SEP67. VMF(AW)-232 ROTATED TO CONUS.
65 HMM-362 REPLACED HMM-163 8SEP67. HMM-163 ROTATED TO SLF.
66 HMM-163 RETURNED TO RVN FROM SLF "A". HMM-361 ROTATED TO SLF "A" 14NOV67.
67 HMM-364 REPLACED HMM-263 1NOV67. HMM-263 ROTATED TO CONUS 3D MAW.
68 VMFA-314 REPLACED VMFA-542 14NOV67. VMFA-542 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
69 BLT 2/3 REPLACED BLT 3/1 30NOV67. BLT 3/1 ROTATED TO SLF "B".
70 VMA-211 REPLACED VMA-223 1DEC67. VMA-223 ROTATED TO IWAKUNI.
71 BLT 3/1 REPLACED BLT 2/4 2JAN68. BLT 2/4 ROTATED TO SLF "A".
72 HMM-262 REPLACED HMM-265 10JAN68. HMM-165 ROTATED TO SLF "B".
73 HMM-361 DROPPED FROM SLF "A" TO III MAF ON 10FEB68.
74 RLT-27 (-) AIRLIFTED FROM CONUS. 1ST A/C ARRIVED 15FEB68. LAST A/C ARRIVED 23FEB68.
75 HMM-165 RETURNED TO RVN FROM SLF "B". RELIEVED BY HMM-164 ON 5MAR68.
76 HMM-363 RETURNED TO RVN FROM SLF "A" & RETURNED TO SLF "A" ON 27MAR68.
77 DET MATCU-66 RELIEVED DET MATCU-70 AT QUANG TRI. DET MATCU-66 IN RVN ON 90 DAYS TAD.
78 HMM-363 RETURNED TO RVN FROM SLF "A". RELIEVED BY HMM-362 ON 17APR68.
79 HMM-164 RETURNED TO RVN FROM SLF "B" & RETURNED TO SLF "B" ON 28APR68.
80 VMFA-542 REPLACED VMF(AW)-235. VMF(AW)-235 ROTATED TO JAPAN. ULTIMATE DESTINATION 1STMARBRIG
81 HMM-362 RETURNED TO RVN FROM SLF "A". HMM-362 RETURNED TO SLF "A" ON 5JUN68.
82 HMM-161 REPLACED HMM-361. HMM-361 ROTATED TO CONUS.
83 BLT 3/1 RETURNED TO RVN FROM SLF "B". RELIEVED BY BLT 2/7.
84 HMM-164 RETURNED TO RVN FROM SLF "B". RELIEVED BY HMM-265.
85 HMM-362 RETURNED TO RVN FROM SLF "A".
86 DET "A" (OV-10A) ARRIVED QUANG NAM PROVINCE.
87 BLT 2/4 RETURNED TO RVN FROM SLF "A". RELIEVED BY BLT 2/26.
88 HMM-462 ARRIVED IN COUNTRY. RELIEVED HMM-163.
89 DET "B" (OV-10A) ARRIVED QUANG NAM PROVINCE.
90 VMFA-334 ARRIVED IN COUNTRY. VMFA-122 ROTATED TO JAPAN.
91 DET "C" (OV-10A) ARRIVED DANANG.
92 VMA(AW)-223 ARRIVED CHU LAI.

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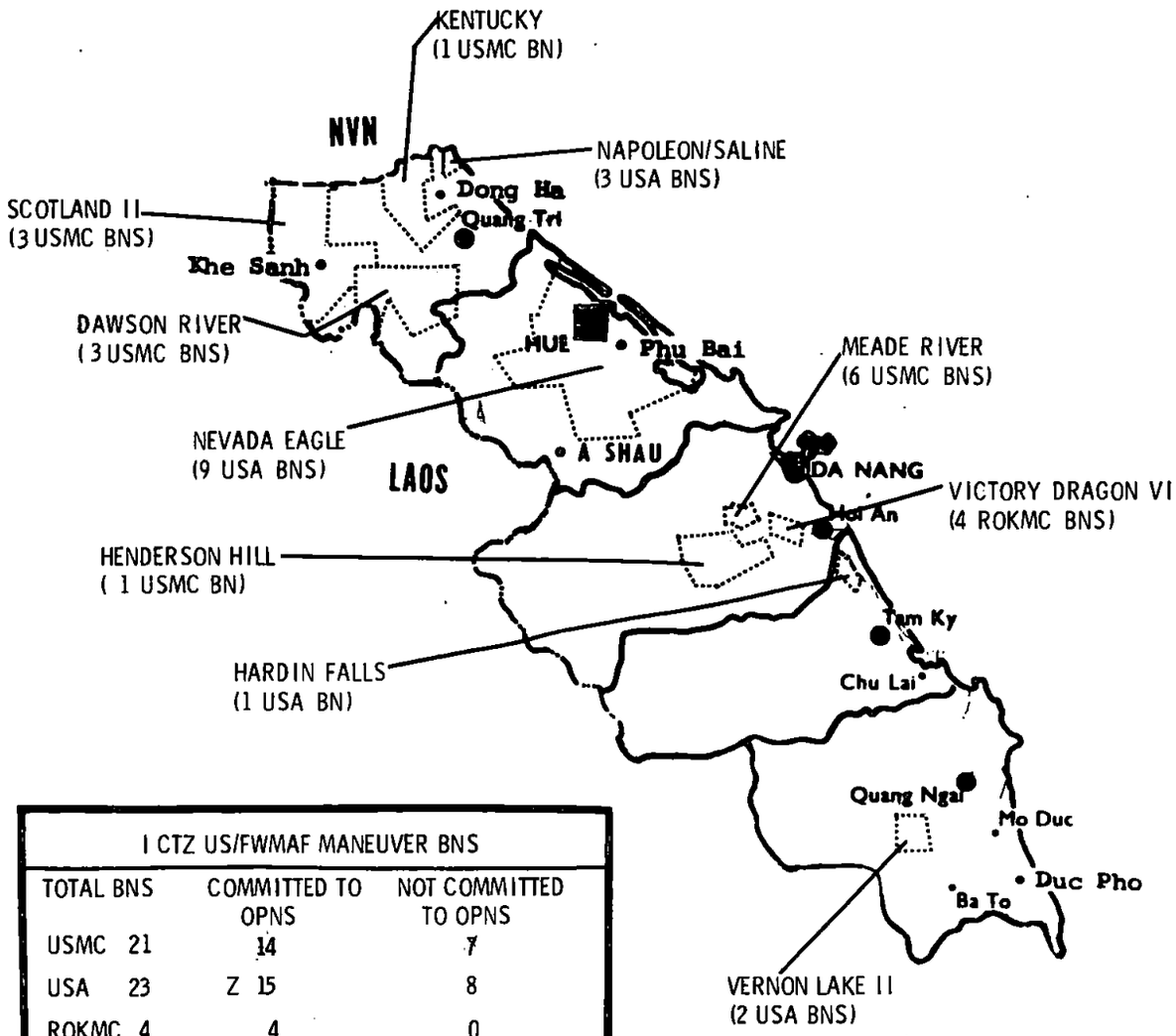
MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS



I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS		
TOTAL BNS	COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC 21	14	7
USA 23	Z 15	8
ROKMC 4	4	0
48	33	15

USMC - 5 BNS DANANG

USA - 8 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

USMC - 2 BNS QUANG TRI PROVINCE

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 032400H DEC 68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4 & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	362 25 USA	2,177 157 USA	3,047
KENTUCKY (1NOV67)	3D MAR: 3/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	454 46 USA	2,617 1 MIA 361 USA	3,787
NAPOLEON/SALINE (5NOV67)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	MOUTH OF CUA VIET RIVER	353 40 USA	1,962 160 USA 1 USA MIA	3,495
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9 & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	NONE	NONE	1
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	166 USA	1,470 USA	2,814
MEADE RIVER (20NOV68)	1ST MAR: 1/1, 2/5, 3/5, BLT 2/7, BLT 2/26 & 3/26	14 KM WEST OF HOI AN	55	369 1 USN	354
HENDERSON HILL (23OCT68)	5TH MAR: 1/5	AN HOA BASIN	35	265	637
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN WITH 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	4
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	5 USA	48 USA	97
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	NONE	1 ROKMC	13

ALL FRIENDLY CASUALTIES ARE USMC UNLESS DESIGNATED.
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USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,897	37,759	28,376	87/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 2 DECEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,019	1,282	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
59,876	3,258	11,675

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

100

- 45 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 55 — Admitted to hospital → 55
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 46 — Evacuated from SVN → 46
    - 27 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*42,284 CASUALTIES, 1JAN67-12JUN68.

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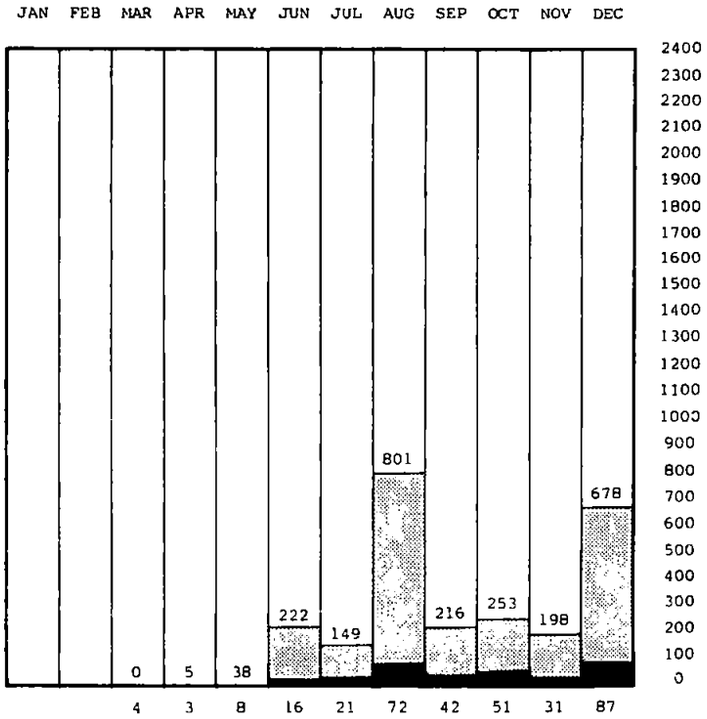

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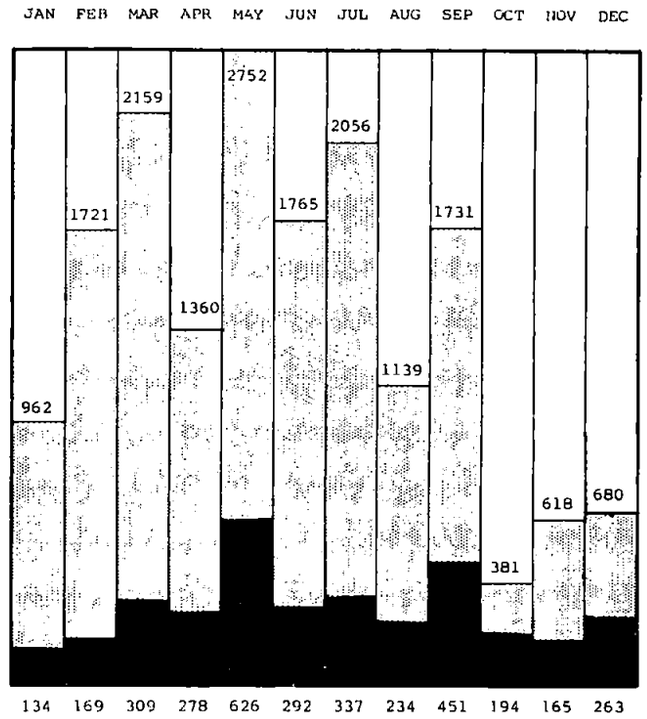

1965 USMC	1965 ENEMY		1966 USMC	1966 ENEMY
		JAN	58	332
		FEB	89	662
4	0	MAR	250	1262
3	5	APR	91	503
8	38	MAY	139	658
16	222	JUN	126	1021
21	149	JUL	207	1577
72	801	AUG	140	975
42	216	SEP	232	1789
51	253	OCT	117	777
31	198	NOV	89	443
87	678	DEC	139	628
335	2560	TOTAL	1677	10627

1967 USMC	1967 ENEMY		1968 USMC	1968 ENEMY
134	962	JAN	202	2126
169	1721	FEB	614	5255
309	2159	MAR	473	3118
278	1360	APR	374	1782
626	2752	MAY	751	6200
292	1765	JUN	452	2154
337	2056	JUL	330	2124
234	1139	AUG	362	1894
451	1731	SEP	307	2392
194	381	OCT	161	1707*
165	618	NOV	152	1230*
263	680	DEC		
3452	17324	TOTAL		

* PRELIMINARY

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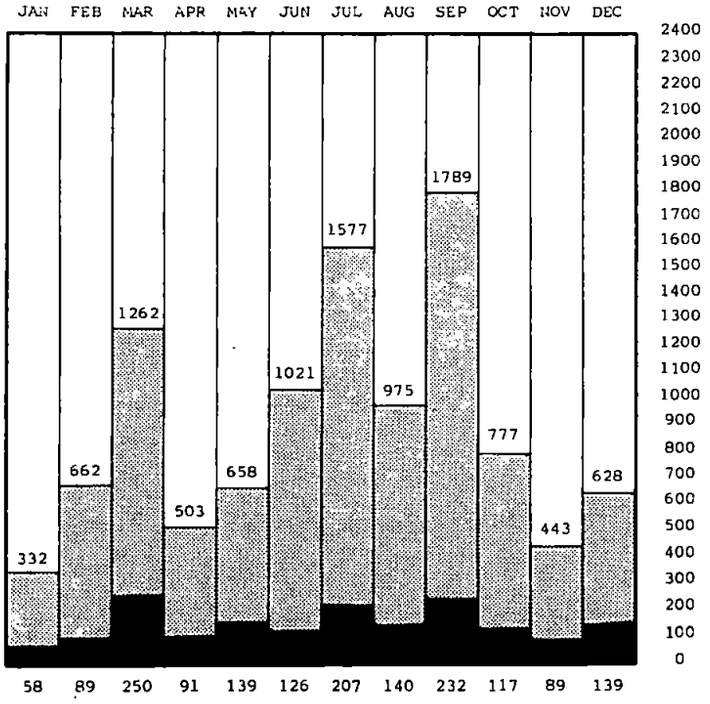

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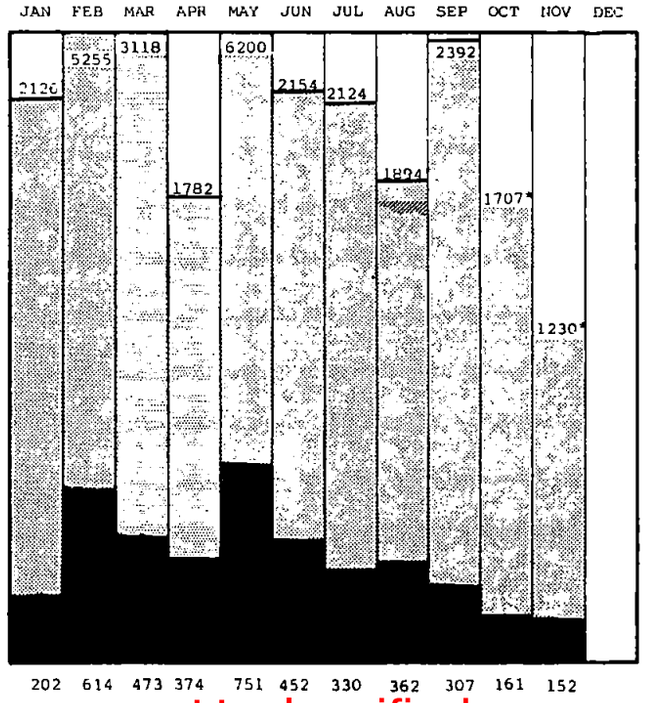

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DISPOSITION OF MAJOR US & FWMAF UNITS IN RVN

CTZ RECAP

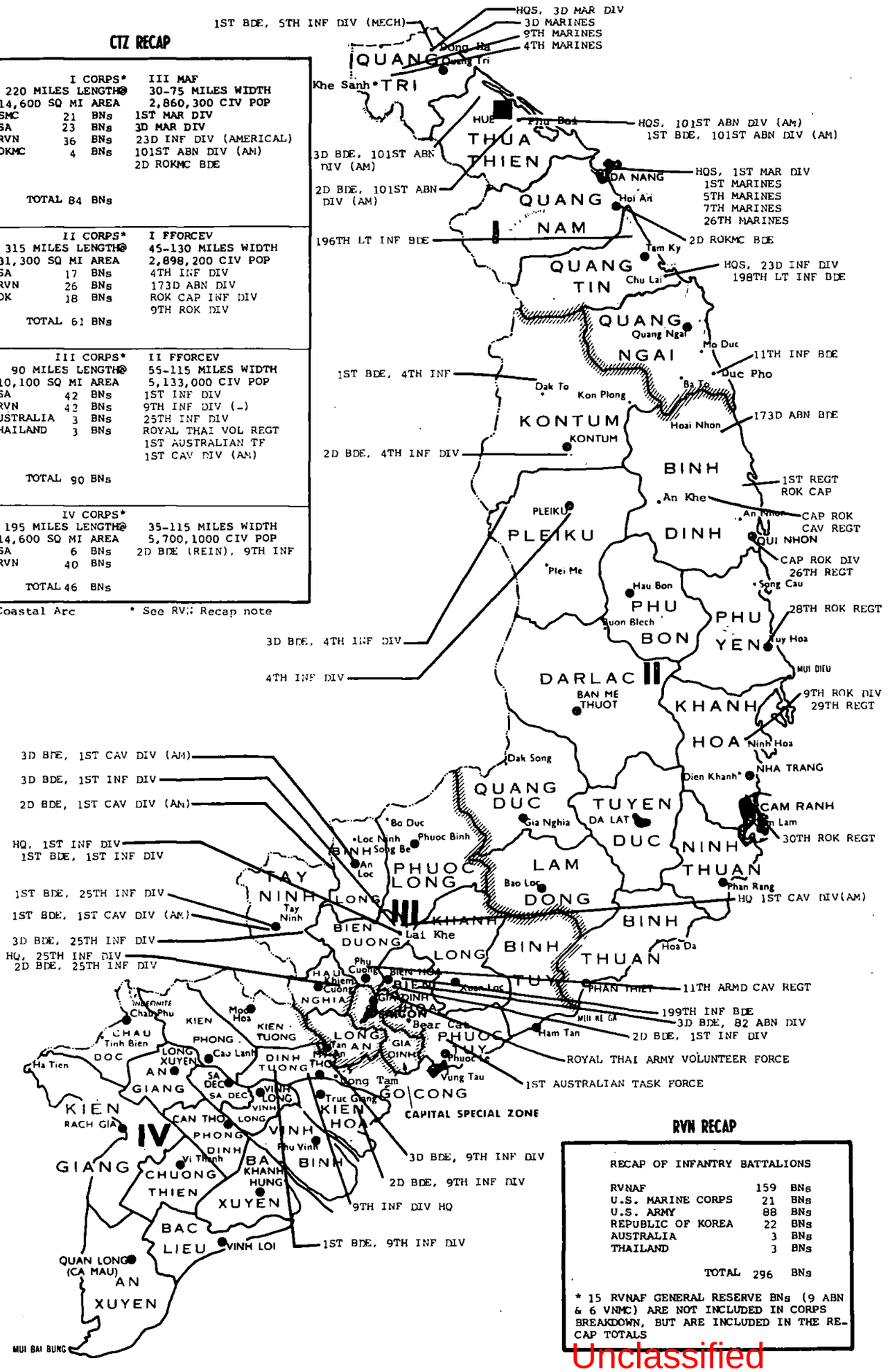
I CORPS*			III MAF
220 MILES LENGTH@			30-75 MILES WIDTH
14,600 SQ MI AREA			2,860,300 CIV POP
USMC	21	BNs	1ST MAR DIV
USA	23	BNs	3D MAR DIV
ARVN	36	BNs	23D INF DIV (AMERICAL)
ROKMC	4	BNs	101ST ABN DIV (AM)
			2D ROKMC BDE
TOTAL	84	BNs	

II CORPS*			I FFORCEV
315 MILES LENGTH@			45-130 MILES WIDTH
31,300 SQ MI AREA			2,898,200 CIV POP
USA	17	BNs	4TH INF DIV
ARVN	26	BNs	173D ABN DIV
ROK	18	BNs	ROK CAP INF DIV
			9TH ROK DIV
TOTAL	61	BNs	

III CORPS*			II FFORCEV
90 MILES LENGTH@			55-115 MILES WIDTH
10,100 SQ MI AREA			5,133,000 CIV POP
USA	42	BNs	1ST INF DIV
ARVN	42	BNs	9TH INF DIV (-)
AUSTRALIA	3	BNs	25TH INF DIV
THAILAND	3	BNs	ROYAL THAI VOL REGT
			1ST AUSTRALIAN TF
			1ST CAV DIV (AM)
TOTAL	90	BNs	

IV CORPS*			
195 MILES LENGTH@			35-115 MILES WIDTH
14,600 SQ MI AREA			5,700,1000 CIV POP
USA	6	BNs	2D BDE (REIN), 9TH INF
ARVN	40	BNs	
TOTAL	46	BNs	

@ Coastal Arc * See RVN Recap note



RVN RECAP

RECAP OF INFANTRY BATTALIONS

RVNAF	159	BNs
U.S. MARINE CORPS	21	BNs
U.S. ARMY	88	BNs
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	22	BNs
AUSTRALIA	3	BNs
THAILAND	3	BNs
TOTAL	296	BNs

* 15 RVNAF GENERAL RESERVE BNs (9 ABN & 6 VNMC) ARE NOT INCLUDED IN CORPS BREAKDOWN, BUT ARE INCLUDED IN THE RECAP TOTALS

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MILITARY FORCES IN RVN *

RVN ARMED FORCES (RVNAF)

ARMY (ARVN)	381,432
NAVY (VNN)	17,302
AIR FORCE (VNAF)	17,877
MARINE CORPS (VNMC)	10,920
REGIONAL FORCES (RF)	216,648
POPULAR FORCES (PF)	171,781
TOTAL RVNAF	815,960

UNITED STATES FORCES

ARMY	360,320
NAVY	37,202
AIR FORCE	59,126
MARINE CORPS	81,269
COAST GUARD	439
TOTAL U.S.	538,356

FREE WORLD MILITARY ASSISTANCE FORCES (FWMAF)

REPUBLIC OF KOREA	50,003
AUSTRALIA	7,661
PHILIPPINES	1,576
THAILAND	6,005
NEW ZEALAND	516
REPUBLIC OF CHINA	29
SPAIN	11
TOTAL FWMAF	65,801

TOTAL FORCES IN RVN 1,420,117

*SOURCE: RVNAF, MACV MONTHLY GVN FORCES STRENGTH DATA REPORT.
ALL OTHER, MACV WEEKLY STRENGTH REPORT AS OF 28NOV68.

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VIETNAM – AIR FORCE

BIEN HOA

3 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	54
1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	67
	O-2	16
	OV-10	19
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
**1 STRAT RECON DET	WU-2	1
	DC-130	2
*3 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	5
	C-47	3
	U-10	11
1 SPCL OPN SQ	UC-123	20
1 SPCL OPN SQ	A-37	20

BINH THUY

1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	29
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
*2 SPCL OPN SQ	AC-47	3
	U-10	6
	C-47	1

CAM RANH BAY

3 TAC FTR SQ	F-4	42
2 TAC ALFT SQ	C-7	30
*9 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	39
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2

DA NANG

1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	15
	O-2	52
3 TAC FTR SQ	F-4	54
*1 FTR INT DET	F-102	6
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
1 RESCUE SQ	HH-3	11
*1 SPCL OPN DET	O-2	7
	C-47	1
*1 TAC ALFT DET	C-7	4
*2 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	5
	A-1	2

NHA TRANG

1 TAC AIR SUP SQ	O-1	38
	O-2	25
4 SPCL OPN SQ	AC-47	8
	U-10	4
	C-47	4
1 HELO SQ	UH-1	9
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
1 TAC EL WARF SQ	EC-47	16
*1 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	3

PHAN RANG

4 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	61
1 TAC BMBR SQ	B-57	17
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2
3 SPCL OPN TRC SQ	C-123	40
*1 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	3
*1 TAC AIR SUP DET	O-1	6
	O-2	12

PHU CAT

2 TAC ALFT SQ	C-7	22
4 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	65
*1 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	4
*1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	1

PLEIKU

*1 SPCL OPN SQ	A-1	16
*2 SPCL OPN DET	AC-47	4
	O-2	5
	C-47	3
1 TAC EL WARF SQ	EC-47	16
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2

TAN SON NHUT

1 SPCL OPN TRC SQ	C-123	16
2 TAC RECON SQ	RF-4	31
1 TAC RECON DET	RB-57	2
1 TAC RECON DET	RF-101	14
1 TAC EL WARF SQ	EC-47	13
	C-47	1
*4 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	27
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	2

TUY HOA

5 TAC FTR SQ	F-100	81
1 RESCUE DET	HH-43	3
1 RESCUE SQ	HC-130	9
*3 TAC ALFT DET	C-130	10

VUNG TAU

2 TAC ALFT SQ	C-7	24
*1 TAC ALFT SQ	C-130	5

BAN ME THOUT

*1 HELO DET	UH-1	10

*TDY **ASSIGNED TO AND UNDER OPCON OF SAC.

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GVN OB

CONFIRMED NVA/VC

Corps	Div Hq	Regt Hq	Inf Bn	Combat Strength	Guerrilla Strength	Admin Strength	Total Strength
I	4	25	88	50,850	29,226	7,700	87,776
II	2	9	44	24,010	17,278	5,375	46,663
III	3	17	65	33,009	7,629	14,650	55,288
IV	-	3	28	17,465	25,477	7,500	50,442
Total	9	54	225	125,334	79,610	35,225	240,169

NVA BREAKDOWN BY CORPS

I	- 4 Div Hq, 21 Regt Hq, 64 Inf Bns	40,075
II	- 2 Div Hq, 9 Regt Hq, 30 Inf Bns	17,230
III	- 1 Div Hq, 9 Regt Hq, 28 Inf Bns	14,454
IV	- There are no known NVA units in IV Corps	
	Total NVA Personnel in RVN	71,759
POSSIBLE/PROBABLE		12,800
		252,969

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I CORPS OB

CONFIRMED NVA/VC

Province	Div Hq	Regt Hq	Inf Bn	Spt Bn	Sep Co	Sep Plat	Total Strength
Quang Tri	2	9	33	7	10	-	20,740
Thua Thien	-	6	19	-	16	-	10,295
Quang Nam	-	3	9	4	5	-	5,935
Quang Tin	-	2	10	5	4	-	5,535
Quang Ngai	2	5	17	-	12	-	8,345
Total	4	25	88	16	47	-	50,850

GUERRILLAS	29,226
ADMIN SERVICES	7,700
Total	87,776

NVA PERSONNEL IN I CTZ

Quang Tri - 2 Div Hq, 8 Inf Regt, 33 Inf Bns	20,040
Thua Thien - 6 Inf Regt, 15 Inf Bns	7,825
Quang Nam - 2 Inf Regt, 6 Inf Bns	4,625
Quang Tin - 1 Inf Regt, 3 Inf Bns	2,625
Quang Ngai - 2 Div Hq, 4 Inf Regt, 9 Inf Bns	4,960
Total	40,075
POSSIBLE/PROBABLE	12,400
	100,176

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LANDING FORCE, SIXTH FLEET 3-68

3 DECEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 62
CTG: LTCOL P. E. WOODRUFF

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 3/2				
(LTCOL P. E. WOODRUFF JR)				
3D BN, 2D MARINES	31	891	3	31
BTRY "I", 3/10	4	92		1
PLT "B" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	43		1
PLT "A" CO, 2D AT BN	1	21		
PLT "A" CO, 2D TANK BN	1	25		
PLT "A" CO, 2D ENGR BN	1	48		
PLT "B" CO, 8TH MT BN	1	18		
PLT "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		1
PLT "A" CO, 2D SP BN	1	47		1
DET, 2D SERV BN	1	38		
DET, 2D FSR	1	39		
DET, 2D MED BN		9		11
DET, 2D DENTAL CO			2	2
DET, HQBN, 2D MARDIV	1	20		
DET, HQ BTRY, 10TH MAR		12	1	
DET, HQ CO, 2D MARINES		2		
TOTALS	45	1329	6	48

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

31	7.62 MG
10	LVTP-5
6	105MM HOW
5	90MM GUN TANK
5	ONTOS
8	81MM MORTARS
8	FLAME THROWERS
6	106MM RR
21	MULES
32	MITES
29	2½ TON TRUCKS
8	JEEPS
3	5 TON CARGO TRUCKS
9	3/4 TON UTIL TRUCKS
4	AMBULANCES
4	CRANES

AIRCRAFT

NO AIRCRAFT

LOCATION

ENROUTE CONUS
ETA: 13DEC68

SHIPPING

USS CHILTON (LPA-38)
USS MOUNTRAIL (LPA-213)
USS YANCEY (LKA-93)
USS SAN MARCOS (LSD-25)
USS FORT MANDAN (LSD 21)
USS TRAVERSE CTY (LST-1160)

LANDING FORCE, CARIBBEAN 3-68

21 NOVEMBER 1968

TASK GROUP 45.9
CTG: LTCOL C. M. MOSHER

UNITS EMBARKED	STRENGTH USMC OFF	STRENGTH USMC ENL	STRENGTH USN OFF	STRENGTH USN ENL
BLT 2/6				
(LTCOL C. M. MOSHER)				
2D BN, 6TH MARINES	29	853	3	23
DET HQ CO, 6TH MARINES		8		
BTRY "E", 2/10	9	124		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D AT BN	1	24		
PLAT "B" CO, 2D ENGR BN	1	48		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D RECON BN	1	24		
PLAT "C" CO, 2D SP BN	1	51		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D TANK BN	1	21		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D AMTRAC BN	1	42		
PLAT "A" CO, 2D MT BN	1	16		
DET "B" CO, 2D MED BN		10		10
DET, HQ BN, 2D MARDIV		16		
DET, 2D FSR		24		
DET, SERV BN	1	36		
DET, 2D DENTAL CO			1	1
HMM-261	39	229	1	1
(LTCOL V. J. GUINEE)				
(DET, VMO-1)				
TOTALS	86	1,538	5	35

ARMS & EQUIPMENT

6	105MM HOW TD
5	M48 90MM GUN TANK
5	ONTOS
31	7.62 MG
10	LVTP-5
8	81MM MORTAR
8	FLAME THROWER
6	106MM RR
24	3.5MM RL
12	M10 60MM MORTAR

AIRCRAFT

16/CH-46D
2/UH-1E

LOCATION

AT VIEQUES

SHIPPING

USS BOXER (LPH-4)
USS CAPRICORNUS (LKA-57)
USS PLYMOUTH ROCK (LSD-29)
USS YORK CTY (LST-1175)
USS WAHKIAKUM CTY (LST-1162)

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FLEET MARINE FORCE ATLANTIC

READINESS SUMMARY

3 DECEMBER 1968

UNIT		STRENGTH USMC	STRENGTH USN	COMBAT READINESS CURRENT RATING	CURRENT REASON	P	S	R	T	EXPECTED RATING	EXPECTED DATE
2D MARINE DIVISION				C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
HEADQUARTERS BN		1,685	50	C2	T	2	1	2	2	C3	31DEC68
2D MARINES				C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	17APR69
1st Bn		913	36	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C1	17MAY69
2nd Bn		438	18	C4	P	4	1	2	4	C3	1FEB69
3rd Bn		922	34	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C1	15DEC68
6TH MARINES				C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	2MAR69
1st Bn		778	33	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C3	5DEC68
2nd Bn		840	28	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C3	2APR69
3rd Bn		764	27	C4	P	4	1	1	3	C3	31DEC68
8TH MARINES				C4	P	4	4	4	4	C3	30JUN69
1st Bn		983	30	C3	P	3	1	1	3	C2	13DEC68
2nd Bn		1,124	31	C2	P	2	1	1	2	C1	30JUN69
3rd Bn		567	21	C4	P	4	1	2	3	C3	31DEC68
10TH MARINES				C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
1st Bn		493	9	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
2nd Bn		508	13	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
3rd Bn		498	10	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
4th Bn		368	9	C4	P	4	1	1	3	C3	31DEC68
2D SERVICE BN		1,011	29	C3	P	3	3	3	2	C2	31DEC68
2D AT BN		361	5	C4	P	4	3	3	3	C3	31DEC68
2D MT BN		270	7	C4	P	4	2	2	3	C3	17APR69
2D RECON BN		370	15	C3	P	3	3	3	3	C2	31DEC68
2D ENGR BN		680	10	C3	R	3	2	3	2	C2	31DEC68
2D SP BN		397	13	C4	P	4	3	4	3	C3	31DEC68
2D MEDICAL BN		105	152	C4	N	4	3	3	4		
2D DENTAL CO			67	C1		1	1	1	1		
FORCE TROOPS FMFLANT											
2D FSR		2,533	28	C4	P	4	2	2	2	C2	1JAN69
2D FAG				C3	P	3	1	1	3	C1	15JAN69
2D 155 GUN BTRY		99		C4	P	4	1	1	4	C1	15JAN69
2D 8IN HOW BTRY		139		C4	P	4	1	2	4	C1	15JAN69
2D TANK BN		442	5	C4	P	4	3	3	2	C3	1JAN69
2D AMTRAC BN		715	12	C4	P	4	4	4	3	C3	1DEC68
2D FORCE RECON CO		41	3	C3	T	2	1	1	3	C2	1FEB69
2D RADIO BN		401	4	C2	P	2	1	2	2	C1	1MAY69
2D ANGLICO		220	12	C4	P	4	3	3	2	C3	31DEC68
2D BRIDGE CO		127	2	C2	P	2	1	1	1	C1	25NOV68
2D TOPO CO		107	1	C1		1	1	1	1		
2D HOSPITAL CO		21	18	C4	N	4	1	1	4	C3	31DEC68
4TH DENTAL CO		5	36	C4	P	4	1	1	4	C3	25NOV68
8TH COMM BN		505	8	C4	P	4	1	3	2	C2	1DEC68
8TH MT BN		254	4	C4	P	4	1	2	2	C3	6JAN69
8TH ENGR BN		902	11	C2	P	2	2	2	1	C1	1JUN69
2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING				C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1DEC68
3D LAAM BN		590	9	C4	P	4	1	2	4	C3	1FEB69
MWSG-27				C4	T	3	3	4	4	C3	1DEC68
VMGR-252		404	2	C4	T	2	3	4	4	C3	1DEC68
MAG-14				C4	T	3	3	4	4	C3	1JAN69
VMA(AW)-224		251	2	C4	T	4	3	4	4	C3	20FEB69
VMA(AW)-225		347	2	C3	R	3	1	3	2	C2	15DEC68
VMA(AW)-332		249	2	C4	T	4	4	4	4	C3	1JAN69
VMFA-513		264	2	C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1MAR69
VMCJ-2		351	2	C4	P	4	2	4	4	C3	1FEB69
MAG-26				C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1DEC68
VMO-1		291		C4	P	4	1	3	4	C3	25DEC68
HMH-361		179		C4	P	4	1	3	4	C3	4JAN69
HMM-162		225		C4	T	4	1	3	4	C3	15DEC68
HMM-261		250	3	C4	P	4	2	3	4	C3	1APR69
HMM-264		210	1	C4	P	4	3	3	4	C3	1DEC68
HMM-365		204		C4	P	4	2	4	4	C3	30DEC68
HMH-461		236		C4	R	3	1	4	4	C3	15FEB69
MAG-31				C4	T	4	2	4	4	C3	1FEB69
VMFA-333		283	1	C4	R	4	1	4	4	C3	30MAY69
VMA-331		238	1	C4	T	4	3	3	4	C3	1JAN69
VMF(AW)-451		291	1	C4	P	4	3	4	4	C3	1JAN69
MAG-32				C4	T	2	3	3	4	C3	31DEC68
VMFA-251		404	2	C4	P	4	1	4	4	C3	15JAN69
VMFA-312		282	1	C4	P	4	2	4	4	C3	30APR69
VMA-324		285	1	C4	P	4	2	3	4	C3	31MAR69

READINESS CATEGORIES

C-1 Fully Combat Ready
C-2 Substantially Combat Ready
C-3 Marginally Combat Ready
C-4 Not Combat Ready

READINESS ABBREVIATIONS

X Commanders Subjective Judgement-Elaborated by remarks
P Personnel Readiness
S Supplies/Equipment on Hand
R Equipment Readiness
T Training Readiness
N Resource Allocation by Cognizant Service does not permit a higher than C-Rating

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NOTE: Readiness Category Information extracted from MMCSS Report #SF024 dated 2DEC68.

Strength Category Information extracted from MCCC Report of 20NOV68.

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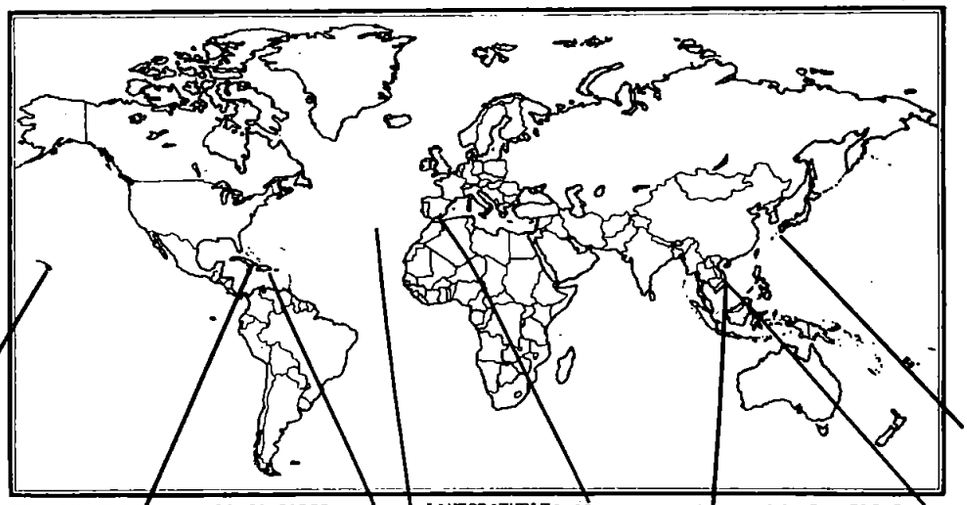
FLEET MARINE FORCE DEPLOYMENTS

2 DECEMBER 1968



1ST MAR BRIG
HAWAII

GTMO AUGMENT
2D BN, 8TH MAR
BTRY "K"/4/10

LANFORCARIB 3-68
BLT 2/6 & HMM-261
AT VIEQUES

LANFOR6THFLT 3-68
ENR CONUS

LANFOR6THFLT 4-68
AT LIBERTY PORTS
TOULON/MARSEILLE, FR.

III MAF
RVN

SLF, 7TH FLEET

SLF ALFA
ASHORE RVN
(OPN MEADE RIVER)

SLF BRAVO
ASHORE RVN
(OPN MEADE RIVER)

9TH MAB
OKINAWA
& JAPAN

DISTRIBUTION OF MAJOR FMF UNITS

	INF BNS	VMFA	VMA	VMA(AW)	VMCJ	HMM	HMH	HML	VMO	VMGR
WESTPAC	21	6	4	2	1	8	2	2	2	1
RVN	21	(5)	(4)	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	(2)	
OKINAWA/JAPAN		(1)								(1)
AFLOAT						(1)				
MIDPAC	1	2								
HAWAII	(1)	(2)								
AFLOAT										
EASTPAC	5	2	1		1	3		1		1
WEST COAST	(5)	(2)	(1)		(1)	(3)		(1)		(1)
AFLOAT										
ATLANTIC	7	5	2	3	1	4	2		1	1
EAST COAST	(5)	(5)	(2)	(3)	(1)	(3)	(2)		(1)	(1)
CARIBBEAN	(2)					(1)				
EUROPE	2									
MEDITERRANEAN	(1)									
ENROUTE CONUS	(1)									
GRAND TOTAL	36	15	7	5	3	15	4	3	3	3

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WESTPAC UNIT LOCATIONS

2 DECEMBER 1968

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QUANG TRI

USMC 26,276
USN 1,295*
USA 7,189

HQS 3D MAR DIV
(TF-H)

4TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 2/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)
- 3/4 (OPN SCOTLAND II)

9TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 2/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)
- 3/9 (OPN DAWSON RIVER)

3D MARINES (-) (REIN)
- 1/3
- 2/3
- 3/3 (OPN KENTUCKY)

1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH)
- 1/11 INF (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/61 INF (MECH)(-) (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1/77 ARMOR (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)
- 1ST AMTRAC BN (OPN NAPOLEON/SALINE)

1st MAW
PROV MAG-39
- VMO-6 (UH-1E)
- HMM-262 (CH-46A)
- HMM-161 (CH-46D)

FLC FLSG-B/1ST SERV BN

THUA THIEN

USMC 3,660
USN 80*
USA 24,027

HQ XXIV CORPS (PHU BAI)
HQ 101st ABN DIV(AM)

1ST BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/327 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

2D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/501 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 1/502 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

3D BDE, 101ST ABN DIV (AM)
- 1/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 2/506 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/187 ABN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)
- 3/5 ARMD CAV SQDN (OPN NEVADA EAGLE)

1st MAW
MAG-36
- HML-367 (UH-1E)
- HMM-362 (UH-34D)
- HMH-462 (CH-53A)
- HMM-364 (CH-46D)
- HMM-265 (CH-46D
- HMM-363 (UH-34D)

FLC FLSG-A/3D SERV BN

QUANG NAM

USMC 45,090
USN 2,118*
USA 2,180
ROKMC 6,801

HQS, III MAF

HQS 1ST MAR DIV (DANANG)

1ST MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 2/1
- 3/1
- 1/1 (OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 2/5 (OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 3/5 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

BLT 2/7 (SLF "B")(OPN MEADE RIVER)
BLT 2/26 (SLF "A")(OPN MEADE RIVER)
- 3/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER)

7TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 3/7
- 1/7

5TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/5 (OPN HENDERSON HILL)

26TH MARINES (-)(REIN)
- 1/26

2D ROKMC BDE
- 1/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 2/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 3/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)
- 5/2 (OPN VICTORY DRAGON VI)

HQ 1st MAW
MAG-11
- VMCJ-1 (RF-4/EA-6/EF-10)
- VMFA-542 (F-4B)
- VMFA-334 (F-4J)
- VMA(AW)-242 (A-6A)

MAG-16
- VMO-2 (UH-1E/OV-10A/O-1C/O-1G)
- HML-167 (UH-1E)
- HMH-463 (CH-53A)
- HMM-164 (CH-46A)

FLC 1ST FSR (DANANG)

QUANG TIN/QUANG NGAI

USMC 5,697
USN 123*
USA 24,259

HQ 23d INF DIV (AMERICAL) (CHU LAI)

196TH LT INF BDE
- 2/1 INF
- 3/21 INF
- 4/31 INF
- 1/46 INF

198TH LT INF BDE
- 1/52 INF
- 1/6 INF
- 5/46 INF
- 1/1 ARMD CAV SQDN

11TH LT INF BDE
- 1/20 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/21 INF (OPN VERNON LAKE II)
- 4/3 INF
- 3/1 INF

1st MAW
MAG-12
- VMA-121 (A-4E)
- VMA-211 (A-4E)
- VMA-223 (A-4C)
- VMA-311 (A-4E)
- VMA(AW)-533 (A-6A)

MAG-13
- VMFA-115 (F-4B)
- VMFA-314 (F-4B)
- VMFA-323 (F-4B)

USMC RVN RECAP

	USMC	USN
OSD PROGRAM VI	82,232	
CURRENT RVN TOTAL	81,447	3,593
III MAF	80,979	3,593 #
SLF's	(3,375)	(185)
SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO	(194)	(12)
MACV STAFF	180	
MACV (FIELD)	36	
NAVADVGRP	41	
NAVY UNITS	10	
CO "L" MARSPTBN	82	
MISC UNITS	16	
EMBASSY GUARDS	103	

I CORPS RECAP

US MARINE CORPS	(21 BNs)	80,665
US ARMY	(23 BNs)	65,350
US NAVY		23,620
US AIRFORCE		7,609
ROKMC	(4 BNs)	6,801
RVNAF	(36 BNs)	104,662
ARVN	((36 BNs))	(45,239)
VNMC/ABN	((BNs))	
VNAF		(2,061)
VNRF		(30,640)
VNPF		(26,722)
I CORPS TOTAL	84 BNs	288,707

SLF 7th FLEET

		USMC	USN
ALFA	BLT 2/26 (OPN MEADE RIVER) HMM-363 (UH-34D) @	1,479	97
BRAVO	BLT 2/7 (OPN MEADE RIVER) HMM-165 (CH-46A)	1,896	88

OKINAWA

	USMC	USN
RLT-26 (REAR)	8,796	234

MAG-15
- VMGR-152 (KC-130F)

3D FSR

STRENGTH INCLUDES CAMP BUTLER

JAPAN

	USMC	USN
MAG-15 VMFA-122 (F-4B)	1,939	26

MOVEMENTS

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* Includes only U.S. Navy personnel organic to FMF units
\# Includes SLF's "A", "B" & SU#1, 1ST ANGLICO at various locations throughout SVN.
@ HMM-363 ASHORE OPCON MAG-36

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MAJOR OPERATIONS IN PROGRESS

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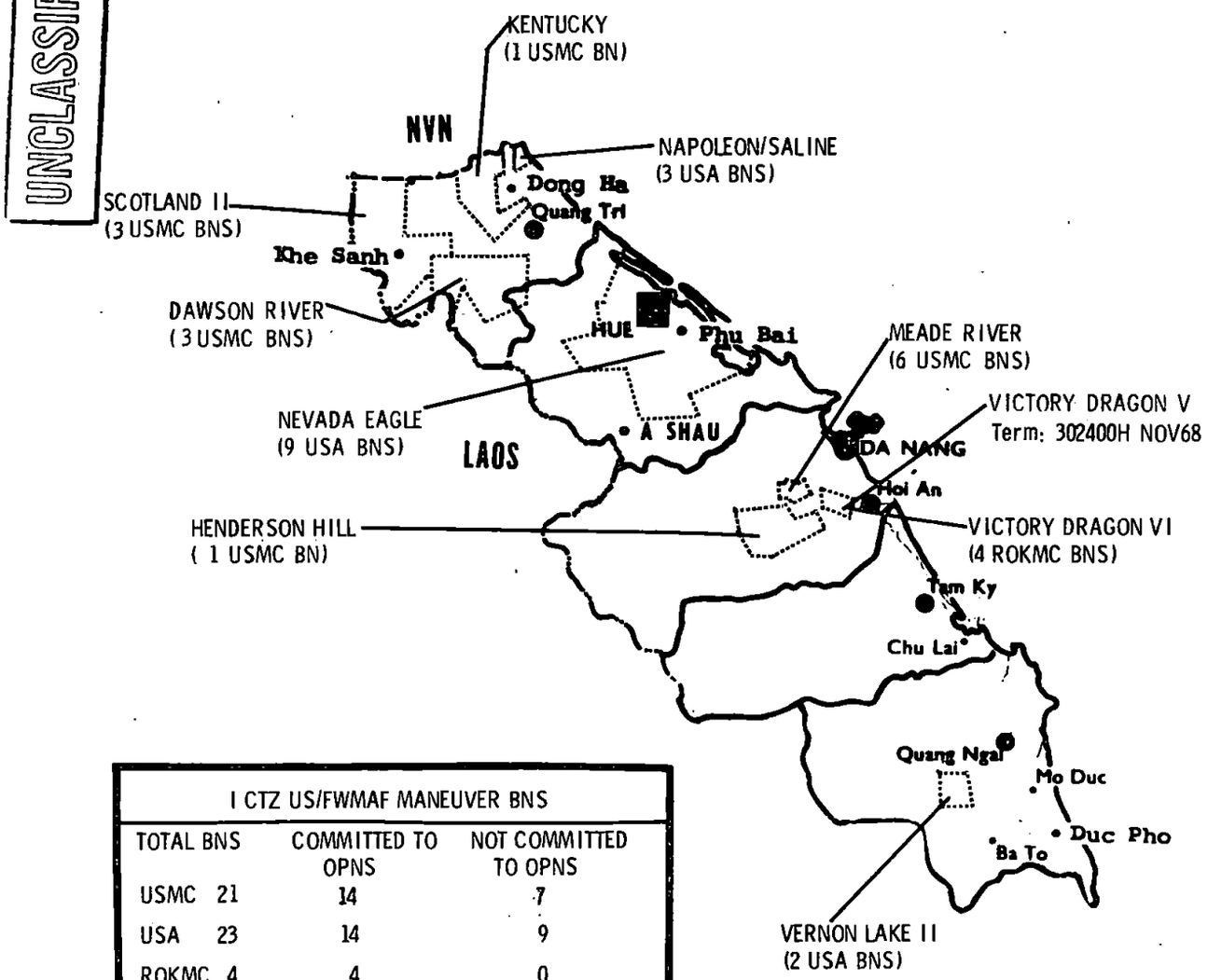

I CTZ US/FWMAF MANEUVER BNS		
TOTAL BNS	COMMITTED TO OPNS	NOT COMMITTED TO OPNS
USMC 21	14	7
USA 23	14	9
ROKMC 4	4	0
48	32	16

USMC - 5 BNS DANANG

USA - 9 BNS CHU LAI/DUC PHO

USMC - 2 BNS QUANG TRI PROVINCE

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SUMMARY OF MAJOR OPERATIONS

OPERATION (DATE COMMENCED)	UNITS INVOLVED	LOCATION	CASUALTIES AS OF: 022400H DEC68		
			FRIENDLY		ENEMY
			KIA	WIA	KIA
SCOTLAND II (15APR68)	TF HOTEL: 1/4, 2/4, & 3/4	KHE SANH AREA	362 25 USA	2,177 157 USA	3,047
KENTUCKY (1NOV68)	3D MAR: 3/3	CON THIEN & DONG HA AREA	454 46 USA	2,614 1 MIA 361 USA	3,787
NAPOLEON/SALINE (5NOV67)	1ST BDE, 5TH INF DIV (MECH) WITH 3 USA BNS	MOUTH OF CUA VIET RIVER	353 34 USA	1,961 150 USA 1 USA MIA	3,491
DAWSON RIVER (28NOV68)	9TH MAR: 1/9, 2/9, & 3/9	BA LONG VALLEY AREA	NONE	NONE	1
NEVADA EAGLE (17MAY68)	101ST ABN DIV (AM) WITH 9 USA BNS	THUA THIEN PROVINCE	166 USA	1,467 USA	2,799 *
MEADE RIVER (20NOV68)	1ST MAR: 1/1, 2/5, 3/5, BLT 2/7, BLT 2/26, & 3/26	14 KM WEST OF HOI AN	48	343 1 USN	326
HENDERSON HILL (23OCT68)	5TH MAR: 1/5	AN HOA BASIN	35	261 2 USN	625
VERNON LAKE II (2NOV68)	11TH LT INF BDE WITH 2 USA BNS	22 KM SW OF QUANG NGAI CITY	5 USA	47 USA	96
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	NONE	1 ROKMC	13
HARDIN FALLS (2DEC68)	1ST ARMD CAV SQDN 1/1 CAV	4 KM NE OF THANG BINH	NONE	NONE	1

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USMC/ENEMY CASUALTIES IN RVN

2 DECEMBER 1968

USMC BATTLE CASUALTIES

KIA/DOW	WIA(EVAC)	WIA(RTD)	MIA/PW
9,879	37,693	28,330	88/19

USMC CASUALTY FIGURES ARE PROVIDED DAILY BY HQMC CASUALTY SECTION (CODE DNA) AND REFLECT ALL CASUALTIES REPORTED AS OF 29 NOVEMBER 1968.

USMC NON-BATTLE CASUALTIES

DEAD	INJURED	MISSING
1,018	1,280	2

FIGURES INDICATED AS INJURED ARE ONLY THOSE IN SERIOUS/CRITICAL INJURY OR DISEASE CATEGORY AND DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A MINOR NATURE

USMC INFLICTED ENEMY CASUALTIES

KIA	PW	WPNS
59,821	3,254	11,673

ENEMY CASUALTIES ARE COMPILED DAILY FROM THE III MAF HISSUM AND ARE RECONCILED MONTHLY WITH THE FMFPAC SUMMARY OF USMC OPERATIONS IN RVN

TYPICAL DISPOSITION OF 100 USMC WIA *

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- 45 — Treated in field & returned to duty
- 55 — Admitted to hospital → 55
  - 9 — Treated & returned to duty in SVN
  - 46 — Evacuated from SVN → 46
    - 27 — Treated in WestPac & returned to duty
    - 19 — Evacuated to CONUS hospital → 19
      - 5 — Treated & returned to full duty
      - 7 — Physical disability separation
      - 1.5 — Dies of wounds
      - 5.5 — Other (long term treatment, etc.)

*42,284 CASUALTIES, 1JAN67-12JUN68.

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VICTORY DRAGON V (1NOV68) Term: 302400H NOV68	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	2 13 ROKMC	8 20 ROKMC	224
VICTORY DRAGON VI (1DEC68)	2D ROKMC BDE WITH 4 INF BNS	13 KM SW OF HOI AN	NONE	NONE	13

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