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Thursday, March 7, 1968 -- 11:45 a.m.

Mr. President:

Herewith the updated charts showing the intensity of the battle since Tet.

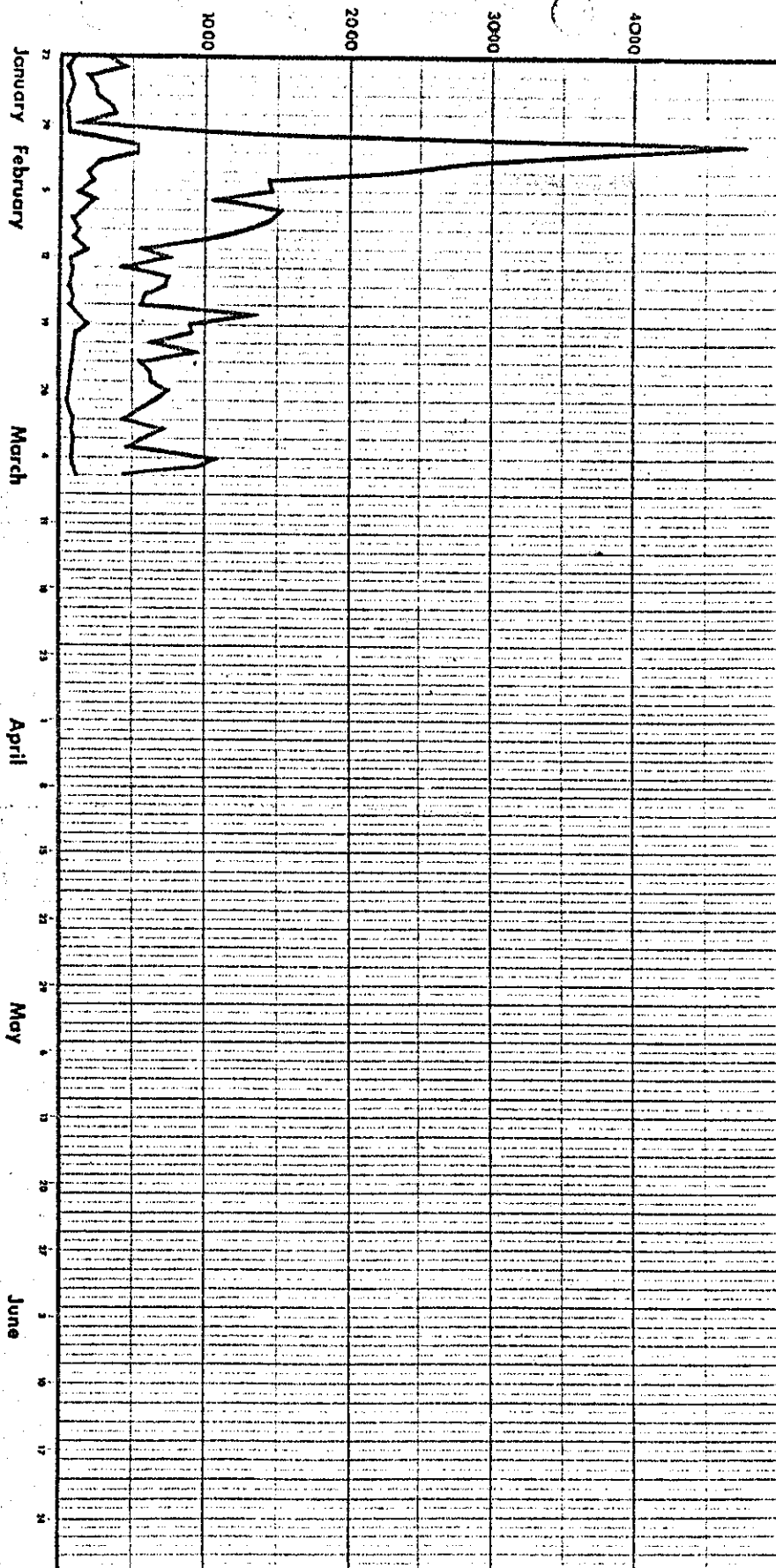
As you can see, both enemy casualties and weapons losses have remained in a range 3 or 4 times the 1967 average; and the ratio of casualties has been about twice as unfavorable to the enemy as during 1967.

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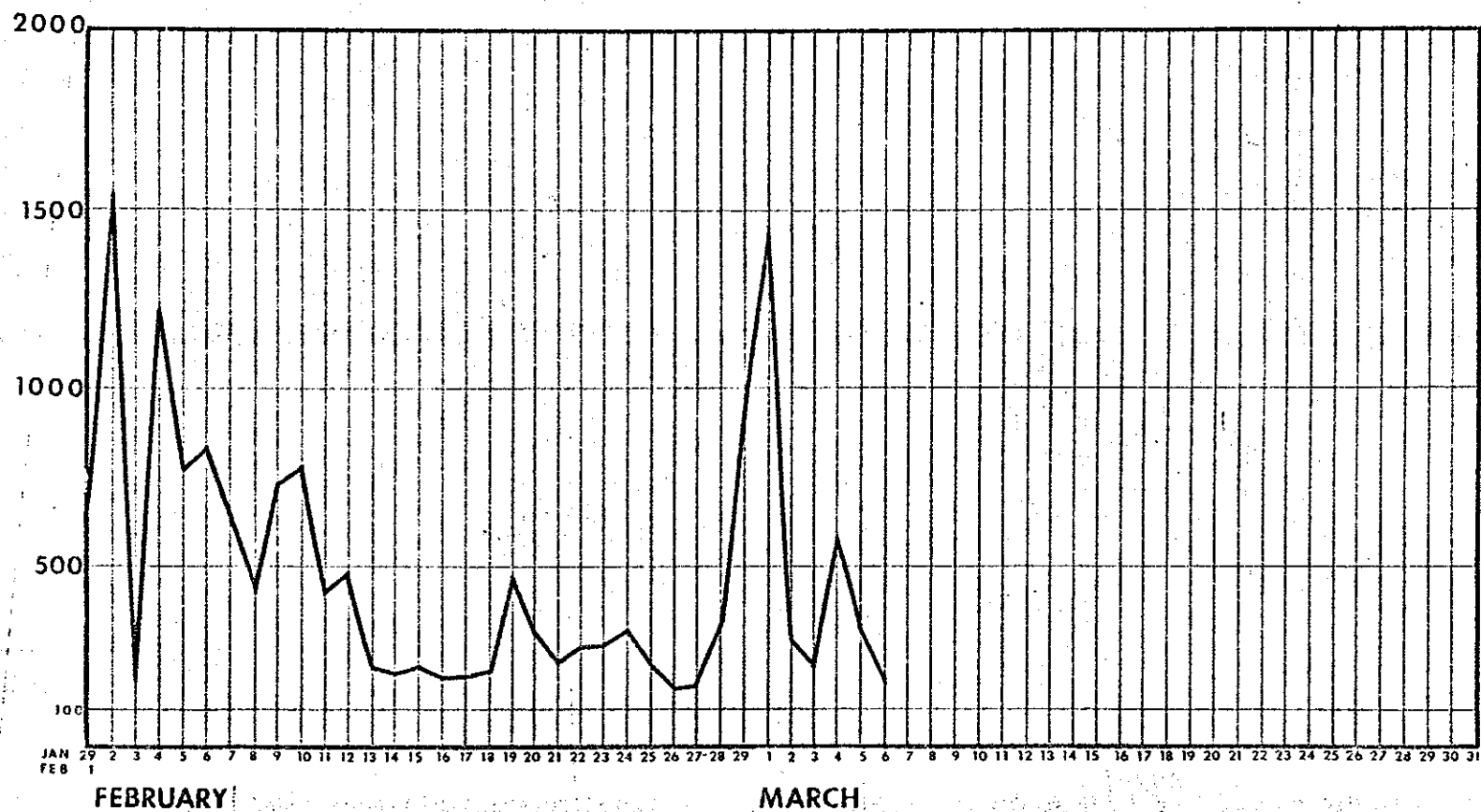
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South Vietnam: Daily Casualties



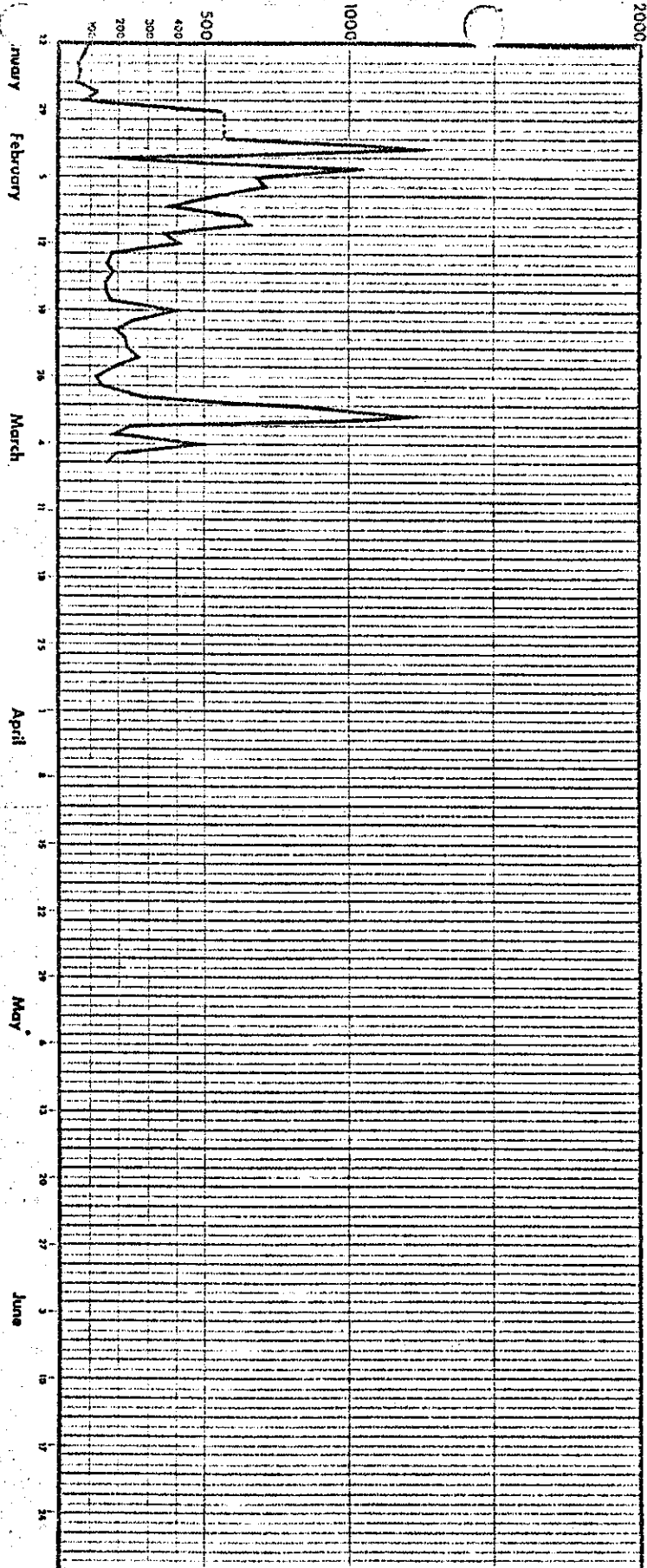
South Vietnam : Index of Enemy Weapons Losses Since Tet

(Daily Average for 1967 Equals 100)



South Vietnam: Enemy Weapons Losses

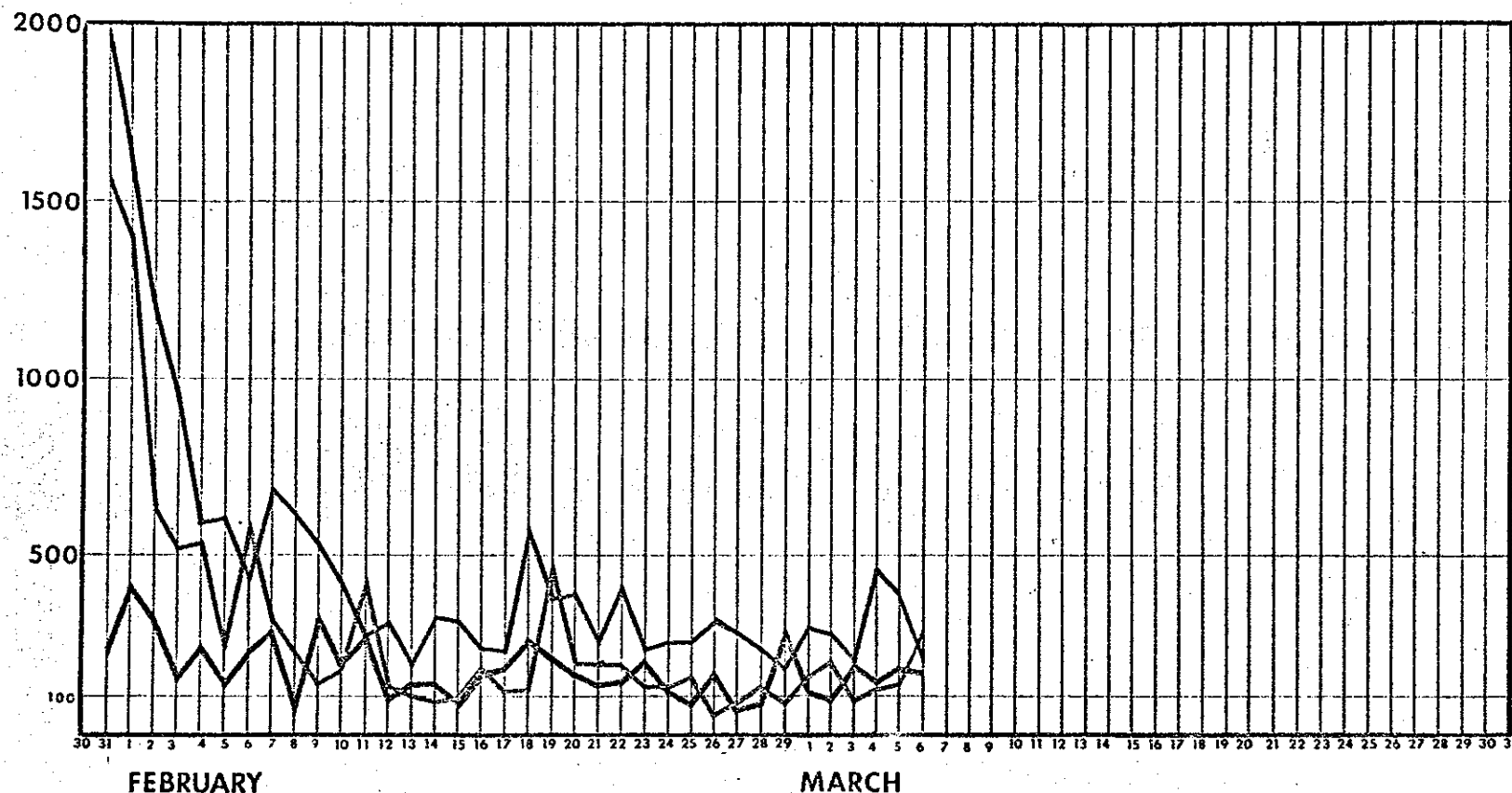
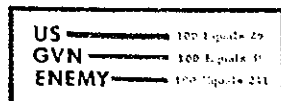
1. THIS CHART SHOWS THE DAILY AVERAGE OF
2. ENEMY WEAPONS LOSSES IN SOUTH VIETNAM
3. FROM JANUARY 1, 1967, TO JUNE 30, 1967.
4. THE Y-AXIS REPRESENTS THE NUMBER OF
5. WEAPONS LOST PER DAY. THE X-AXIS
6. REPRESENTS THE DATE.



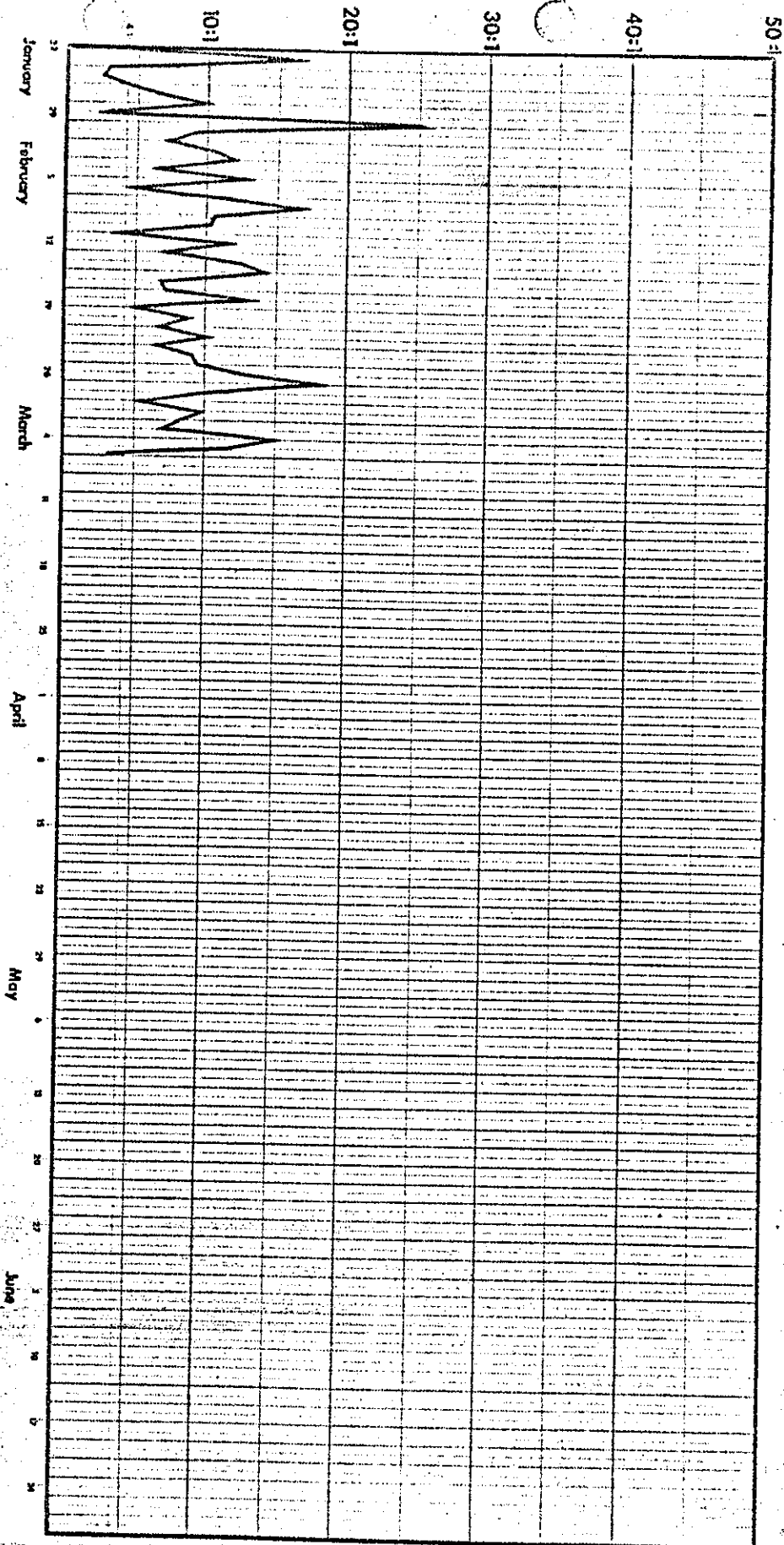
Daily Average for 1967 was 85

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South Vietnam: Ratio of Enemy Killed to Friendly Killed



Ratio in 1967 was 4.1:1