

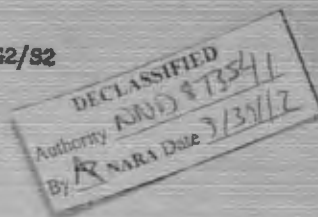
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1. (U) 11TH BDE INTSUM 031-70

2. (U) 302000H TO 312000H

3. (C) SUMMARY OF ENEMY ACTIVITY



A. GROUND ACTIVITY

OPERATION IRON MOUNTAIN

TOTAL INCIDENTS 4 ENEMY INITIATED 2 BY TYPE S/A, RPG, H/G
& SATCHEL CHARGE.

- (1) 302000 B3/1 BS555717 OBS MOVEMENT AND BRIGHT LIGHTS TO 2 SIDES.
ENG W/ 4.2 MORT. RES, UNK.
- (2) 302130 B 3/1 BS566712 HEARD MOVEMENT. ENG W/ 4.2 MM MORT. OBS
20-30 LIGHTS MOVING FM ENG. AREA. RES, UNK.
- (3) 302145 D 4/21 BS820328 OBS LIGHTS OF A FIRE. ENG W/ ARTY. RES, UNK.
- (4) 302145 C 4/3 BS634374 OBS LIGHT AT ABOVE GRID. ENG W/ 81MM MORT. RES,
LIGHT WENT OUT.
- (5) 302200 C 1/20 LZ LIZ BUNKER #15 REC'D S/A FIRE FM BASE OF ACCESS ROAD
APPROX 200M EAST. ENG W/ S/A, ILLUM & 81MM MORT. RES, NEG.
- (6) INFO: 302300 HF FLT #132 BS659618 IN NDP HAD CONTACT W/ UNK SIZE
VC FORCE. RES, 1 HF KIA.
- (7) 302350 B 1/20 BS783433 OBS 5 VC/NVA MOVING W ACROSS ROAD. ENG W/
M-79, S/A. VC/NVA EVADED N. RES, UNK.
- (8) 310110 D 4/21 BS832332 WHILE IN SUPPORT OF HF FLT 186 & RF 180 MADE
CONTACT W/ 10 VC SAPHERS. FF'S & RF'S WERE HIT FM N, NE, & NW. T/F
WENT OFF REVEALING ENEMY LOC. REC'D AK FIRE, UNK NUMBER OF SATCHEL
CHARGES, 3 RPG RDS & GRENADES. RES OF D CO. ENGAGEMENT: 7 VC KIA, 1 B-40
ROCKET LAUNCHER, 2 AK-47 CIA, 1 B-40 ROCKET CIA, & 5 LB SATCHEL CHARGE
CIA. RES OF RF ACTION: 2 VC KIA, 2 AK-47 CIA, 3 RF KIA, 3 RF WIA &
1 HF WIA.
- (9) 310925 B 1/20 BS787426 REPORTED THAT TWO VC WENT INTO VILLIE AND BURNED
TWO HOOTCHES. QUESTIONED A VN BOY ABOUT THE INCIDENT.
- (10) 311015 C 26TH ENGR BS775444 FD A 40LB HOMEMADE MINE IN MIDDLE OF THE
ROAD. WAS MADE OF COMPOSITION B, PRESSURE RELEASE TYPE FIRING DEVICE
W/ BATTERIES. BLEW IN PLACE W/ NEG CAS OR DAM. CRATER WAS 4' DEEP & 6-8'
WIDE.
- (11) 311040 B 1/20 BS818404 FD BUNKER W/ M-1 CARBINE, SKS GREEN UNIFORM,
PISTOL BELT & FIRST AID KATCH. EVAC ALL ITEMS TO LZ LIZ.

Group 4 - Downgraded at 3 year intervals

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- (12) 311100 C 26TH ENGR BS774443 PAN VEHICLE DET MINE MADE OF 40LBS OF COMPOSITION B. PRESSURE RELEASE TYPE FIRING DEVICE W/ BATTERIES. RES. MODERATE DAMAGE TO VEHICLE. WAS 100M W OF MINE FOUND EARLIER.
- (13) 311120 B 1/20 BS818404 HAD 1 VC KIA, 1 SUSPECTED VC CIA & DOCUMENTS CIA. VC WERE HIDING IN A TUNNEL. EVACED TO LZ BRNCCO.
- (14) 311145 A 4/2 BS551411 WORKING W/ GRP'S. FD 5 HOOTCHES APPROX 10' x 12'. LAST USED IN 24 HOURS. DEST.
- (15) 311210 B 1/20 BS807409 DTN 1 FEMALE PERSONNEL. WILL EVAC TO MACV.
- (16) 311305 C 4/21 BS819309 FD 1 GRAVE ABOUT 2 DAYS OLD. IN GRAVE FD COMMO WIRE & VN PLASTIC. WILL DEST WIRE & PLASTIC.
- (17) 311310 C 4/21 BS818309 FD M-26 H/F B/T W/ FISH LINE TRIP WIRE. WIRE TIED TO A BUSH & RUNNING ACROSS TRAIL. DISMANTLED.
- (18) 311310 C 4/21 BS820325 SPOTTED 2 PERSONS MOVING NE CARRYING SOME TYPE OF TUBE & WEAPONS. PERSONS EVACED.
- (19) 311330 B 4/3 BS648367 OBS 2 VC W/ WATER BUFFALOS. ENG W/ QUAD 50. RES, NEG.
- (20) 311420 A 3/1 BS519696 FD 2 BUNKERS & 2 TUNNELS. DEST ALL.
- (21) 311420 RECON 4/21 BS 898210 WHILE ON SEARCH & CLEAR MISSION, FD 1 FRESH GRAVE & 1 NEW HUT. ALSO FD BURNT HUT IN THE AREA. IN HUT FD 3 H/G, 3 NON-ELECTRICAL BLASTING CAPS, 150 LBS OF RICE IN CLOTH SAND BAGS. ALSO FD TUNNEL. IN TUNNEL FD 300 LBS OF RICE IN A 55 GAL DRUM. IN BURNT HUT FD 1 x 12 GAUGE SHOTGUN, LIVING UTENSILS, 1 LAMP, 2 FLASHLIGHTS & 25 LBS OF RICE. DEST RICE, TUNNEL HUTS, LIVING UTENSILS, & THE LAMP. CIA SHOTGUN, H/G, FLASHLIGHTS & BLASTING CAPS.
- (22) 311715 C 4/21 BS793290 SPRUNG AMBUSH ON 4 NVA. RES, 4 NVA KIA. DOC'S CIA & 1 AK-47 CIA. WILL EVAC DOC'S & WEAPON TO LZ BRNCCO.

CUMULATIVE TOTALS:

- (A) KIA 1589/3009 4/8/0/0
1488/2900/101/109
- (B) 4
64/233/13/13/1432/3682 (10 UNCL) 0/0/0/0/1/3 (10 UNCL)
- (C) 2357/137 6/1

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(2) EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES:

(1) CAPTURED: 1 B-40 ROCKET, 1 B-40 ROCKET LAUNCHER, 3 AK-47, 5 LA MATCHES, CHARGE, 1 M-1 CARTRIDGE, 1 SKS, GREEN UNIFORM, PISTOL BELT, FIRST AID POUCH, DOC'S, 1 x 12 GAUGE SHOT GUN, 2 BLASTING CAPS, 2 FLASHLIGHTS, 3 H/G.

(2) DESTROYED: 40 LB HOME MADE MINE, 5 HOOTCHES, COMMO WIFE, VN PLASTIC, 1 MAM B/T, 2 BUNDLES, 5 TUNNELS, 475 LBS OF RICE, 55 GAL WATER, 2 KEYS, LIVING UTENSILS, LAMP.

B. AIR ACTIVITY:

(1) AIR STRIKES: PREPLANNED 0 MNS (SORTIES) 0
IMMEDIATE 0 " " 0

(2) VR: 310905 C/C FOR 1/20 BS818404 SPTD 2 PERSONS IN UNIFORM, ENG W/ M-60, EVACED INTO TREE LINE. RES, NEG. 311105 HELIX 34 BS754398 SPTD MANY PEOPLE MOVING SE ON TRAIL, CARRYING RICE. FIRED IN FRONT OF PEOPLE, TURNED AROUND. 311215 Co B 123 RD AVN (WARLORDS) BS838312 SNATCHED 1 MAM, EVACED TO LZ BRONCO. BS799259 OBS MANY FIGHTING POS. ALSO 5 HOOTCHES & WELL USED TRAILS. AT BS 809268 FIGHTING POS & FRESH DIGGINGS. BS838267 FIGHTING POS & FRESH DIGGING. 311215 WARLORD (Co B 123 RD AVN) BS838262 FRESH DIGGING ON FIGHTING POS. BS739282 FIGHTING POS & A HOOTCH. 311440 WARLORDS (123RD AVN) BS637342 SPTD 1 VC CR NVA W/ WFN. ENG WITH ROCKETS. RES, NEG. BS541341 OBS CUTTING UTENSILS. DEST. 311700 WARLORDS (123RD AVN) BS794477 PICKED UP 2 MAM DTN. EVAC TO LZ BRONCO.

(3) ANTI-AIR: NEG

(4) BEAC N DROP: ON STAT 1600/ OFF STAT 1705 BS699380 22 x 500 LB BOMBS ON SUSPECTED ENEMY LOCATION.

G. OTHER:

(1) LRRP REPORT: NEG

(2) RADAR: 2325 718413 8-10 STA 32 HE 105
0925 767491 4-5 WEST 4 HE 105

(3) ICS: 2035 776416 1 LIGHT STA 4 HE PD 105
2104 721387 1 LIGHT STA 16 HE PD 155 8 HE PD 105
2110 736438 1 LIGHT STA NEG CL
2155 807444 1 LIGHT STA 6 HE VT 105

4. (C) ENEMY PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT LOSSES SAME AS DAILY LOSSES (PARA 3A)

(A) (B) (D)

(C) ENEMY AMMO EXPENDITURES: S/A RDS, 3 RPG RDS, GRENADES, & UNK NUMBER OF MATCHES CHARGES.

5. (U) NEGATIVE

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6. ADMINISTRATION OF US CASUALTIES IN THE THEATRE ARE BASED ON PRELIMINARY INFORMATION AND ARE NOT OFFICIAL.

7. NEG

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9. SUMMARY OF ACTIVITY IN THE THEATRE DURING the period of 24--30 Jan. Total activity was a sharp increase. Enemy initiated incidents rose from 17 last week to 23 this week. Friendly initiated incidents likewise rose from 18 to 24. Total incidents therefore rose approximately 50%. There were 14 NVA and 24 VC killed this week with 7 VC captured. Sniping incidents doubled in number while suspected sapper recon probes began again this week with a total number of 8. There were 5 mines detonated, 1 attack by fire with from 10 to 13 unk/typo mortar rds fired. Fire fights were at a high of 14.

It is anticipated that the VC will continue their present level of activity while the NVA conclude their preparations for the NVA/VC nationwide offensive.

10. UNCHANGED

11. NEG

12. (A) NEG
(B) CORRECTIONS: NEG
(C) VIP: NEG
(D) BDA: BS699380 1 TRAIL UNCOVERED
6 BUNKERS DEST

(E) LIGHT DATA:

DATE	FMNT	SR	SS	EENT	MR	MS	%ILLUM
1	0627	0715	1843	1931	0201	1323	25
2	0626	0715	1843	1932	0306	1427	16
3	0626	0714	1844	1932	0410	1535	08

(F) BDE TOTALS:

(1) 2041/4489 4/8/0/0
1899/4323/141/166

(2) 4 79/290/16/17/1611/5756 (10 UNCL) 0/0/0/0/1/3 (10 UNCL)

(3) 2460/176 6/1

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(b) 150910H, 198th Fde, PS735782, D/26th Twp, full/lozen det. unk time mine. Neg cas. Minor dam to veh.

(c) 151100H, B/5-46 Inf, PS745837, fd and evac mine docu (PFI).

(d) 151505H, B/5-46 Inf, PS745837, fd and evac 700 lbs salt.

(e) Cumulative Enemy Losses.

Daily Losses.

1. 42 KIA

(0) KIA

3 39 0 0

(0 0 0 0)

NVA KIA/NV KIA/NVA d/vr,d

NVA KIA/NV KIA/NVA d/vr,d

2. 12 Det

(0) Det

0/0/0/0/3/6

(0/0/0/0/0/0)

3. 13 0

(0 0)

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4. Equipment/Facilities: Captured/Destroyed

a. Weapons: negative

b. Equipment:

1) Captured: misc docu, 700 lbs salt

2) Destroyed: negative

3. Facilities Destroyed: negative

(4) Operation Iron Mountain. 11th Inf Fde. Total Incidents: 15
Enemy Initiated: 6 By Type: mort fire, 140mm rkt, RR fire, mines.

(a) (delayed) 142020H, 4-3 Inf, PS635379, rec 10 82mm mort rds fr
UNSTF. NCD.

(b) 150630H, R/4-3 Inf, PS635379, rec 1 140mm rkt fr UNSTF. RKT.

(c) 150715H, C/4-21 Inf, PS863336, eng 1 VC. Res: 1 VC KIA.

(d) 150800H, C/3-1 Inf, PS558751, eng 1 VA. Res: 1 NVA KIA, 1
AK-47 CIA.

(e) 150920H, D/3-1 Inf PS541220, fd 1 VC KIA. Res: 1 VC KIA.

(f) 151110H, D/4-21 Inf, PS893273, fd and dest 1 Chicomil/gram
rigged as a mine.

(g) 151115H, 11th Fde, PS825279, 125d Avn, eng 1 VC. Res: 1 VC KIA.

(h) 151235H, F and G/4-3 Inf, PS622344, eng UNSTF. Rec: 10 US KIA, 5 NVA KIA, 1 US KIA(?), 2 NVA CIA, 3 AK-47
and 1 12.7mm MG CIA.

(i) 151345H, 11th Fde, PS551748, B/1-1 Cav Id and dest 2 Chicomil
H/gram rigged as mines.

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