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FACT SHEET

AVHAV-AO

14 May 1972

SUBJECT: Aviation Operations During Enemy Offensive (U)

PURPOSE:

(U) To present Aviation data for the period 31 March - 11 May.

FACTS:

1. (C) Vulnerability

a. Hit Rates (Per 100,000 flying hours)

<u>31 March - 11 May</u>	<u>1st Qtr</u>	<u>2nd Qtr</u>	<u>3rd Qtr</u>
USARV - 408.3	129.1	226.2	158.7
Avn Bde - 494.1	139.2	99.0	170.6

b. Combat Losses (Per 100,000 flying hours)

<u>31 Mar - 11 May</u>	<u>1st Qtr</u>	<u>2nd Qtr</u>	<u>3rd Qtr</u>
USARV - 53.0	12.2	11.6	15.6
Avn Bde - 55.7	13.9	12.4	14.3

c. Operational Losses (Per 100,000 flying hours)

<u>31 Mar - 11 May</u>	<u>1st Qtr</u>	<u>2nd Qtr</u>	<u>3rd Qtr</u>
USARV - 10.9	7.3	11.4	8.8
Avn Bde - 7.6	5.6	11.1	9.0

d. Total Hits (31 Mar - 11 May)

USARV - 262
Avn Bde - 195

e. Total Losses and Damages (Opnl & Cbt) - 31 Mar-11 May

	<u>USARV</u>	<u>Avn Bde</u>
(1) Losses	41	25
(2) Damages	99 Incidental 115 Minor 51 Major 265	75 90 34 199

Classified by CG, 1st Avn Bde
SUBJECT TO GENERAL DECLASSIFICATION
SCHEDULE OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 11652
AUTOMATICALLY DOWNGRADED AT TWO YEAR
INTERVALS
DECLASSIFIED ON 31 DEC 1978

DOWNGRADED AT 3 YEAR INTERVALS
DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS
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2. (C) Performance Data

a. Sorties

<u>31 Mar - 11 May</u>	<u>1st Qtr</u>	<u>2nd Qtr</u>	<u>3rd Qtr</u>
USARV - 127,394	1,089,178	757,776	431,485
Avn Bde - 97,960	566,408	471,516	306,114

b. Passengers

<u>31 Mar - 11 May</u>	<u>1st Qtr</u>	<u>2nd Qtr</u>	<u>3rd Qtr</u>
USARV - 207,818	1,445,741	1,024,688	650,040
Avn Bde - 155,159	823,317	661,227	470,030

c. Tons of Cargo

<u>31 Mar - 11 May</u>	<u>1st Qtr</u>	<u>2nd Qtr</u>	<u>3rd Qtr</u>
USARV - 18,279	176,974	88,979	62,608
Avn Bde - 14,537	84,616	62,984	52,024

d. Total Flying Hours

<u>31 Mar - 11 May</u>	<u>1st Qtr</u>	<u>2nd Qtr</u>	<u>3rd Qtr</u>
USARV - 64,171	492,104	363,418	196,141
Avn Bde - 39,438	265,702	225,209	132,254

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