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1. 2/17th Cavalry TITSUM 285-71.
2. 122000H October 1971.
3. Summary of air activity.

Air Activity:

(1) C 2/17 obs between 0810H and 0910H:

YC53845, 0810H, 006A AAR msn read 30 rds SAF at 10' 100km neg hits. #66-77-811, AAG 4a
Supp w/gs w/res: unk.

YC545897, trl 1' hp hs N-S w/NRA.

YC532878, 2 sleeping psn 5x5' w/aot 48 hrs.

YC525886, trl 1' hp hs undet dir w/aot 24 hrs.

YC532887, trl 2' hp hs undet dir w/aot 24 hrs.

YC547853, 2 flds 20x30' and 10x30' undet crop planted last 2 wks.

YC525915, 10 3x5' fgt psn neg OHC aot undet.

YC532896, trl 1' N-S hp hs aot undet.

YC526897, trl 1' hp hs S-W aot undet.

YC41360, hole 5' deep w/bamboo bottom and bamboo frame over it aot undet.

YC552843, trl 1' hp hs NW-SE w/aot 24 hrs.

YC545843, trl 1 1/2' hp hs N-S w/aot 24 hrs.

YC549848, fld 5x50' pot also stack of bamboo in center of fld 3"Dia x 6'L act undet.

YC515985, 10 5x6' bnks 4 prrv dest w/NRA.

YC504986, 10 5x6' bnks log OHC w/NRA.

YC545848, made CS drop neg mov before and after drop.

Summ: lgt act in area around flds trls have lgt act also trls have been partly washed away by rain also oarf is deteriorating.

(2) B 2/17 obs between 0920H and 1000H:

YC4195, NRA in area.

YC424957, rt 548 NRA also poss veh act both 24 hrs last wk.

YC410973, lgt act mov S on rt 548 last 12-24 hrs.

YC4294, NRA on rt 548 also poss veh act last 3-4 days.

YC4394, NRA in area.

YC436945, rt 548 interdicted by 15' slide w/NRA.

YC444934, 6 2x2x3' fgt psn UO AA/AW psn 5-6 old 55 gal drums w/aot 1 wk.

YC444924, grass cut away on ridge line 100'L 5-8'W w/aot 72 hrs.

YC452924, 12 6x8' bnks 2' OHC w/aot 72 hrs.

YC450923, 5 new 6x8' bnks neg OHC also dirt piles 200m from bnks w/aot 48-72 hrs.

YC448922, NRA in area.

YC455914, lgt act mov S on rt 548 wearing sandals last 6-12 hrs.

YC438913, trl 2' N-S lgt act undet dir also UO AA/AW psn and 5 sleeping psns aot 24-48.

YC463908, 200m box, 3 new UO AA/AW psns and 10 new bnks 6x8' also 2 10x12' bnks neg OHC w/aot 24-48 hrs.

YC474809, Mf act mov S on rt 548 wearing sandals last 24-48 hrs.

YC458068, 4 old pallets of side of Rd. act 48 hrs.

Summ: act in valley vic A luai strip very lgt farther S act becomes warmer vic YC463908 poss cache site bnks and UO AA/AW psns being built.

YC474809, lgt act mov S on rt 548 also commo wire blk 1 strand insulated on ground undet L w/aot 48 hrs. obs 300m of wire.

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(3) C 2/17 obs between 0900H and 0930H:

YC940853-950853, trl 2' hp E-W lgt-mod act mov undet dir last 7 days.
YC908884, lod UO AA/AW pen w/NRA.
YC896874, 7 struts thatch covering 14' dia poss covers for small storage site also has trl
1' NE-SW w/mod act mov undet dir last 7 days.
YC832832, 3 sets of bks 5 bks each 3x4' dirt OHC act undet.
YC828835, 5 flds 50x100m under continuous work obs neg personnel act last 24 hrs.
YC826843, trl network 1' gen dir SE-W leading to flds mod act undet dir last 24 hrs.
Summ: act in Ruong Ruong by small unit still working in flds also 1' gen dir last 24 hrs.

(4) B 2/17 obs between 1105H to 1155H:

YC504884, OU AA/AW pen w/act 24 hrs.
YC562892, 6x8' bks 2' OHC w/act 24 hrs.
YC498895, YC496036, YC499902, YC501899, YC492902, NRA these grids.
YC490906, 6 2x2x3' fgt pen 2 6x8' bks 2' oho w/act 6-12 hrs.
YC496908, trl 2' E-W lgt-mod act both dir last 6-12 hrs.
YC491910, 2 8x10' bks 2' OHC 6 2x2x3' fgt pen w/act 6 hrs.
YC407916, UO AA/AW pen 1' OHC w/act 6-12 hrs.
YC476931, 3 8x10' bks 2' OHC 12 2x2x3' fgt pen w/act 6-12 hrs.
YC459949, 2 8x10' bks 2' OHC w/act 6-12 hrs.
YC458949, 5 8x10' bks 2' OHC w/act 6-12 hrs.
YC454949, trl 3' N-S lgt-mod act both dir last 24 hrs.
YC454943, 3 8x10' bks 2' OHC act 6-12 hrs.
YC450947, NRA in area.
YC450955, 24 2x2x3' fgt pen act 6-12 hrs.
YC541958, trl 3' E-W lgt-mod act both dir last 6-12 hrs.
YC542963, 36 2x2x3' fgt pen w/act act 36 hrs.
YC454964, NRA in area.
YC455957, NRA in area.
YC458955, NRA in area.
YC459952, camp site 10' dia w/act 24 hrs.
YC468933, trl 2' N-S lgt-mod act both dir last 6-12 hrs.
YC466935, 6 2x2x3' fgt pen w/act 25 hrs.
YC463940, 2 2x2x3' fgt pen w/act 24 hrs.
YC462942, 2 10x10' undet size w/act 24 hrs.
YC460944, NRA in area.
YC460947, 6 6x8' bks 2' OHC 1 10x10' bks 2' OHC 24 2x2x3' fgt pen and trench 10' L,
3'D and 3'W w/act 24 hrs.
YC465952, 6x8' bks 2' OHC w/NRA.
YC462951, trl 2' N-S lgt-mod act both dir last 12-24 hrs.
YC465955, UO AA/AW pen leading to tunnel undet size also 8x10' bks 2' OHC act 24 hrs.
YC478959, 12 2x2x3' fgt pen also 8 8x10' bks 2' OHC w/act 12-24 hrs.
YC470950, 48 2x2x3' fgt pen w/act 12-24 hrs.
YC471960, lgt ft act barefoot mov S last 12-24 hrs.
YC474963, 2 12x10' bks w/act 6-12 hrs.
YC474963, 2 6x8' bks 2' OHC w/act 6-12 hrs.
YC474965, 8x10' bks 2' OHC 6 2x2x3' fgt pen w/act 6-12 hrs.
YC472974, trl 2' E-W lgt-mod act both dir last 6-12 hrs.
YC469974, 8x10' bks 2' OHC 6 2x2x3' fgt pen w/act 12 hrs.
YC467975, UO AA/AW pen w/act 24 hrs.
YC465977, 36 2x2x3' fgt pen w/NRA.
YC461978, YC499979, YC499978, NRA in area.
YC498977, 6x8' bks 2' OHC and trench 10' L, 3'W and 3'D also 12 2x2x3' fgt pen act 6-12.
YC495976, trl 2' E-W on ridge line w/lgt-mod act both dir also 12 2x2x3' fgt pen 12-24.
YC510884-452965, trl 1-3' w/lgt-mod act NW-SE on ridge line last 6-12 hrs.
Summ: act in area 6-12 hrs num bks and fgt pen act mostly on high ground.

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obs between 0640H to 1100H.

YD614352, 1 15x10' culvert 6' dia reinforced w/sandbags w/neg rec act.
 YD614359, 1 10x15' bamboo bldg under const w/act 24 hrs.
 YD614360, 1 4x4' blk neg OHC w/neg rec act.
 YD614352, 2' trl HP E-W w/undet act mov undet direc w/act 24 hrs.
 YD614361, 1 4x4' blk neg OHC, 1 60 AA/AW psn w/neg rec act.
 YD614361, 1' trl HP NW-SE w/undet act mov undet direc w/act 2 hrs.
 YD614351, commo wire maroon and black, 2 strands insulated and twisted runs N-S along 4' trl which runs along stream, then goes E-W up ridge line and then lost the wire, 2 20x20' clearings w/out bamboo lying around, 1 20x30' hut w/act 2 hrs.
 YD614363, pass grave site 8x8x15' w/neg rec act.
 YD614362, 1' trl HP E-W w/undet act mov undet direc 24 hrs.
 YD614364, 1' trl leading to 20x20' clearing trl runs NW-SE w/act 24 hrs.
 YD614362, undet size bamboo raft by river w/neg rec act.
 YD614361, 1 20x30' clearing w/7 5x8' bamboo mats w/neg rec act.
 YD614363, 1 15x15' empty storage pit w/act 48 hrs.
 YD614363, 1 20x20' conf storage pit w/act 48 hrs.
 YD614365, 1 4x5' blk, 2 20x20' walk-in storage sites, 1 15x20' hut w/gray corrug metal w/act 24-48 hrs.
 YD614364, 1 6' dia empty mortar pit w/1 8x10' blk next to pit w/undet size trench connecting blk and pit w/act 24 hrs.
 YD614393, old NHP w/20x30' clearing, also 1 10x15' storage pit conf w/act 24 hrs on pit, neg rec act on NHP.
 Summary: Area seems to be being built up for rear support area, but huts have not yet been const.

(6) 6 2/11 obs between 1045H to 1200H.

YD614375, 1 30x30' clearing pass used for planting w/act unk.
 YD614374, 3' trl HS HP E-W w/undet act mov undet direc w/act unk.
 YD614373, 6 3x5' blks w/log OHC w/act unk.
 YD614372, 1 10' dia hut of bamboo, 2' trl E-W w/undet act mov undet direc w/act unk.
 YD614374, 3' trl HS HP E-W w/undet act mov undet direc w/act unk.
 YD614371, 1 20x30' field w/vegetables, 1 10' dia hut w/act unk.
 YD614376, 1 10' high 4x4' rectangular bamboo structure of undet type w/act unk.
 YD614379, 4 3x3' blks w/OHC of bamboo w/act unk.
 YD614372, 1 pile stacked bamboo of 3" dia 10' long poles, also stacked vines of undet type next to stacked bamboo w/act unk.
 YD614378, 2' trl HS HP E-W w/undet act mov undet direc w/act unk.
 YD614373, 10 3x5' blks w/log OHC w/act unk.
 YD614379, 1 50x50' area w/straw floor est 20 personnel working in area in last 24 hrs.
 YD614376, 2' trl HS HP E-W w/undet act mov undet direc w/act 24 hrs.
 YD614372, 1 15x15' area used as pass cooking area est 6-10 personnel in area 12 hrs.
 YD614370, 2' trl HS HP E-W w/undet act mov undet direc w/act unk.
 YD614370, 1' trl HS HP E-W w/undet act mov undet direc w/act 4.
 YD614373, 1 new 10x15' field w/vegetables rec cultivated in last 24 hrs.
 YD614372, 1 10x20' field w/vegetables rec worked in last 24 hrs.
 YD614370, 2 fields, 1 10x30', 1 15x20' w/veg rec worked in last 24 hrs.
 YD614373, 2 1' dia 15' long logs across stream used as it bgs w/act unk.
 YD614370, 1 10x30' field w/vegetables w/act 24 hrs.
 YD614372, on top of TNR, old FRC-25 antenna w/neg usage, neg connections, w/neg rec act.

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Summary: Area seems to have no act on stream and vally areas, rec act on high lands and ridge lines.

(10) C 2/17 obs between 1700H to 1715H.

YC630868, wooden hand plow that was not there on previous msn.

YC815855, 1: trl undet direc HP IS w/NRA.

YC812855, undet type fence around 120x20' cabbage field w/act 12-24 hrs.

Summary: Area seems to have lgt act in it.

(11) A 2/17 obs between 1425H to 1512H.

YD073391, 1 4x6' blk in good cond w/neg GEC neg supplies w/act neg rec.

YD069392, 10" trl HP E-W w/lgt ft act mov undet direc w/act 72 hrs.

YD067395, 1 4x6' blk w/NRA.

YD065396, 8" trl HP NW-SE w/NRA.

YD065397, 8" trl NW-SE used by fireindly w/NRA.

YD063413, 10" trl HP E-W, old ARVN NDP w/NRA.

YD063393, 10" trl E-W w/NRA.

YD065397, old NDP and comp fire w/NRA.

YD065388, partially opened 8x10' storage pit, 3 4x6' blk w/NRA.

YD064392, partially opened 10x12' storage pit, 3 4x6' blk w/NRA.

YD065405, 1 concho liner, 2 boxes undet size, there were 3, 1 has been moved since yesterday.

YD076385, 1 4x6' blk w/NRA. 3 4x6' blk w/NRA.

YD073381, NRA.

YD076396, 1 15x20' clearing w/NRA.

YD058375, remains of ARVN NDP w/NRA.

YD075395, 1 1/2" trl HP NW-SE w/NRA.

YD074405, 2 1/2" trl E-W on finger w/NRA.

YD068402, 2" trl N-S w/undet act mov undet direc w/act 72 hrs.

YD071401, 1 8x10' old storage site w/NRA.

YD072402, 1 10x15' clearing w/NRA.

YD076400, 1 1/2" trl N-S w/NRA.

YD065403, 1 20x35' clearing w/NRA.

YD065408, 8" trl N-S w/NRA.

YD065409, old ft prints mov W w/NRA.

YD073411, neg ft act on sand bar w/NRA.

YD073412, 1 1/2" trl N-S w/lgt ft act mov N w/act 72 hrs.

YD072413, 3 2x3x50' trench lines N-S 4M apart w/NRA.

Summary: Very lgt act in area.

(12) A 2/17 obs between 1550H to 1703H.

YD045367, 1 10x12' storage pit, 2 4x6' blks w/act 40 hrs.

YD045363, 4" trl N-S w/NRA.

YD045365, 1 UO AA/AV psn w/undet type ammo box in pit w/NRA.

YD041362, NRA.

YD051351, 1 20x30' clearing, 10" trl E-W w/NRA.

YD055354, 1 set bars ft prints mov E w/act 8 hrs.

YD056355, 2" trl HP E-W w/hvy ft act mov E&W w/act 24 hrs.

YD059360, 1 1/2" trl E-W, 1 4x6' blk on trl w/NRA.

YD059362, 1 1/2" trl E-W w/NRA.

YD052369, 1 10x15' clearing w/NRA.

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YD054363; 1st trl E-W w/lgt ft act nov W w/act 24 hrs.

YDO67364; 1-1-1 tol FHW w/PERA.

YDO66365; old ARVN MP w/INA.

YD073361; 2-1 tr1 E-W 1/100.

YD074354; 2 1/2 tr1 E-W R/ERA.

YD045326; 10# tr1 E-3 W/INT.

YD028301; 1 EO AA/EN psll, 1 4x6" bk near pit w/lgt ft act in area w/act 24 hrs.

YD029305; bidge destr. by OGH Tm on ground.

YD025315, 1st ft act mov E&W along ridge line w/aot 24 hrs,

Summary: no act in area, poss est.sqd.size etc in area.

(13) C 2/17 obs at 1940H.

YD365160; 0H6A last lgt nsn recd 20 yards SAE at 200' and 80km, Neg hits, AAC 4a.

#65-12-997, neg supp due to friendly's in area.

b. Ground Activity: Negative.

4. (C) enemy personnel and equipment losses:

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c. B/ 2/17 Cavalry (Total for OPORD 71-71)

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5.(c) ROUTE RECON: See Para. (2) & (3) of this INTSUM.

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