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XII. TACTICAL AND OPERATIONAL DATA. (Narrative and comment. Describe action fully and comment freely, following applicable items in check list at left. Use additional sheets if necessary.)

# ENGAGEMENT WITH ENEMY OWN AIRCRAFT

Disposition
Altitudes
Speeds
Approach Tactics
Use of Cover, Deception
Angles of Attack and
Their Effectiveness
Distance of Opening Fire
Defense Tactics and
Their Effectiveness

#### **ENEMY AIRCRAFT**

Method of Locating, Distance Disposition Altitudes Speeds Approach Tactics Use of Cover, Deception Angles of Attack Distance of Opening Fire Defensive Tactics

## COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Own Weaknesses
Enemy Weaknesses
Offensive Tactics, Own
", Enemy
Defensive Tactics, Own
", Enemy
Flexible Gunnery, Own
Escort Tactics

Escort Tactics
Fighter Direction
Use of Radar
Night Fighting
Recognition, Aircraft

#### ATTACK OWN TACTICS

Method of Locating Target Approach to Target Altitudes, Speeds Approach Dive Pull-Out Dive Angle Strafing Retirement Defensive Tactics

# Use of Jamming DEFENSE, ENEMY

Evasive Tactics, Ships Concealment Searchlights Night Fighter Tactics Use of Jamming

### COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Bombing Tactics
Torpedo Tactics
Effectiveness of
Bombs, Torpedoes
Selection of Targets
Fuzing
Strafing Tactics
Defensive Tactics
Use of Radar
Reconnaissance
Photography
Briefing

#### **OPERATIONAL**

Navigation Homing Rendezvous Recognition, Ships Communications Flight Operations Search and Tracking Base Operations Maintenance

- No enony aircraft were observed in the air.
- 2. The AA Fire, although very inaccurate, varied from meagre to intense, both light and medium.

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XIII. MATERIAL DATA. (Comment freely on performance or suitability, following check list at left.

Use additional sheets if necessary).

ARMAMENT

Guns, Gunsights Turrets Ammunition Bombs, Torpedoes Bomb Sights Bomb Releases

#### COMMUNICATIONS

Radio, Radar Homing Devices Visual Signals Codes, Ciphers

#### RECOGNITION

IFF Signals Battle Lights Procedures

#### PROTECTION

Armor; Points and Angles of Fire Needing Further Protection
Leak Proofing

#### EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT

Parachutes Life Belts, Life Rafts Safety Belts Emergency Kits Rations, First Aid

#### NAVIGATIONAL EQUIPMENT

Compasses Driftsights Octants Automatic Pilots Charts Field Lighting

#### INSTRUMENTS

Flight Power Plant

#### **OXYGEN SYSTEM**

CAMOUFLAGE AND DECEPTION DEVICES

#### STRUCTURE

Airframe
Control Surfaces
Control System
Dive Flaps
Landing Gear
Heating System
Flight Characteristics
At Various Loadings

#### POWER PLANT

Engines
Engine Accessories
Propellers
Lubricating System
Starters
Exhaust Dampers

#### HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

#### ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

Auxiliary Plant Lights

#### FUEL SYSTEM

FLIGHT CLOTHING

#### MAINTENANCE

#### BASE FACILITIES

Plane Servicing Equipment
Personnel Facilities

REPORT PREPARED BY:

All aircraft functioned in a normal manner.

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I. GENERAL

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VI. LOSS OR DAMAGE, COMBAT OR OPERATIONAL, OF OWN AIRCRAFT (of those listed in II only).

(a) TYPE OWN A/C	(b) SQUADRON	CAUSE: TYPE ENEMY A/C. TYPE GUN, OR OPERATIONAL CAUSE	WHERE HIT, ANGLE (List armor, self-sealing tanks, equipment hit)	(e) EXTENT OF LOSS OR DAMAGE, (Give Bureau serial number of planes destroyed)				
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VII PERSONNEL CASUALTIES (in aircraft listed in II only: identify with planes listed in VI by Nos. at left)

(a) NO.	(b) SQUADRON	NAME, RANK OR RATING	(d) CAUSE	(e) CONDITION OR STATUS
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VIII. RANGE, FUEL, AND AMMUNITION DATA FOR PLANES RETURNING

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e) AV. FUEL	AV. FUEL	(g)	TOTAL AMMU	NITION EXPEN	NDED	NO. OF PLANES
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IX. ENEMY ANTI-AIRCRAFT ENCOUNTERED (Check one block on each line).

CALIBER	NONE .	MEAGER	MODERATE	INTENSE
HEAVY — Time-fused shells, 75mm and over			G. C. C.	10000000000000000000000000000000000000
MEDIUM — Impact-fused shells, 20mm-50mm				
LIGHT — Machine gun bullets, 6.5mm-13.2mm				

X. COMPARATIVE PERFORMANCE, OWN AND ENEMY AIRCRAFT (use check list at left).

SPEED, CLIMB, at various altitudes TURNS

DIVES CEILINGS

RANGE

PROTECTION ARMAMENT

No enemy aircraft were observed in the air.

### AIRCRAFT ACTION REPORT

(OMIT THIS SHEET IF NO ATTACK WAS MADE)



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XI. ATTACK ON ENEMY SHIPS OR GROUND OBJECTIVES (By Own Aircraft Listed in II Only).

(a) Target(s) and Locatio	n(s) (FOR SHIPS INCLUDE ALL IN AREA	UNDER ATTACK) (b) Time Ove	er Target(s)	(Zone)
(c) Clouds Over Target	10000', Solid Overcast.	r, TYPE AND TENTHS OF COVER)	1	
(d) Visibility of Target	(CLEAR, HAZY, PARTIALLY OBSCURED	BY CLOUDS, ETC.)	/isibility	20 Miles.
(f) Bombing Tactics: Type	CLEVEL, GLIDE OR DIVE	Bomb Sight Us	sed Mark	8 Gunsight.
Bombs Dropped per Ru	n Spacing	Solect Altitude (	of Bomb Rele	ease 2000 av.
(g) Number of Enemy Air	craft Hit on Ground: Destroyed	Probably Destroyed_	Rono	_ Damaged
(h) AIMING POINT	DIMENSIONS OR (j) NO. A/C ATTACKING TONNAGE (k) SQUADRON	BOMBS AND AMMUNITION EXPENDED, EACH AIMING POINT	(m) NO. HITS On Aiming Point	DAMAGE (None, slight, serious, destroyed or sunk)
1 Warehouses in Area 659	lxTB%-lc VT-60	4x350/ Depth Bombs.	2	See Below.
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- 1. This THM, which was carrying the Support Air Observer, dropped two of its bumbs in the warehouse area setting fire to one building. The results of the other two were unobserved.
- 2. The seven fighters all strafed the area, but started no fires and no visible results were observed.

(p) Were Photographs Taken? Photographs of Damage, When Taken, Should Be Attached By Staple.

<sup>(</sup>o) RESULTS: (For all hits claimed on ship targets and for land targets of special interest, draw diagram, top or side view or both, as appropriate, showing type and location of hits. For all targets give location and effect of hits, and identify by numbers above. Use additional sheets if necessary).

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#### ENEMY AIRCRAFT

Method of Locating, Distance Disposition Altitudes Speeds Approach Tactics Use of Cover, Deception Angles of Attack Distance of Opening Fire Defensive Tactics

### COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Own Weaknesses
Enemy Weaknesses
Offensive Tactics, Own
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Defensive Tactics, Own
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Flexible Gunnery, Own
Escort Tactics
Fighter Direction
Use of Radar
Night Fighting
Recognition, Aircraft

#### ATTACK OWN TACTICS

Method of Locating Target Approach to Target Altitudes, Speeds Approach Dive Pull-Out Dive Angle , Strafing Retirement Defensive Tactics

# Use of Jamming DEFENSE, ENEMY

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## COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Bombing Tactics
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Defensive Tactics
Use of Radar
Reconnaissance
Photography
Briefing

#### **OPERATIONAL**

Navigation
Homing
Rendezvous
Recognition, Ships
Communications
Flight Operations
Search and Tracking
Base Operations
Maintenance

1. There were no enemy aircraft seen in the air and there

was no AA fire observed.

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XIII. MATERIAL DATA. (Comment freely on performance or suitability, following check list at left. Use additional sheets if necessary)

ARMAMENT

Guns, Gunsights Turrets Ammunition Bombs, Torpedoes Bomb Sights Bomb Releases

#### COMMUNICATIONS

Radio, Radar Homing Devices Visual Signals Codes, Ciphers

#### RECOGNITION

IFF Signals Battle Lights Procedures

#### PROTECTION

Armor; Points and Angles of Fire Needing Further Protection Leak Proofing

#### **EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT**

Parachutes Life Belts, Life Rafts Safety Belts Emergency Kits Rations, First Aid

#### NAVIGATIONAL EQUIPMENT

Compasses Driftsights Octants Automatic Pilots Charts Field Lighting

#### INSTRUMENTS

Flight Power Plant

#### **OXYGEN SYSTEM**

CAMOUFLAGE AND **DECEPTION DEVICES** 

#### STRUCTURE

Airframe Control Surfaces Control System Dive Flaps Landing Gear Heating System Flight Characteristics At Various Loadings

#### POWER PLANT

Engines Engine Accessories Propellers Lubricating System Starters Exhaust Dampers

#### HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

### ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

Auxiliary Plant Lights

FUEL SYSTEM

FLIGHT CLOTHING

MAINTENANCE

#### BASE FACILITIES

Plane Servicing Equipment Personnel Facilities

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all aircraft functioned in a normal manner with the exception of one which was lost in the water. The pilot of this plane was just pulling up out of a strafeing run when he noticed that his oil pressure registered zero so he turned seaward. A few moments after that his engine quit and he made a good water landing. The plans sank in about in about 15 seconds and the pilot was leter picked up by a DD.

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### I. GENERAL

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VI.	LOSS OR DAMAGE	COMBAT	OR OPERATIONAL,	OF OWN AIRCRAFT	(of those listed in	II only).	
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(a) TYPE OWN A/C	(b) SQUADRON	CAUSE: TYPE ENEMY A/C, TYPE GUN, OR OPERATIONAL CAUSE	WHERE HIT, ANGLE (List armor, self-sealing tanks, equipment hit)	(e) EXTENT OF LOSS OR DAMAGE, (Give Bureau serial number of planes destroyed		
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VII. PERSONNEL CASUALTIES (in aircraft listed in II only; identify with planes listed in VI by Nos. at left).

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VIII. RANGE, FUEL, AND AMMUNITION DATA FOR PLANES RETURNING

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IX. ENEMY ANTI-AIRCRAFT ENCOUNTERED (Check one block on each line).

CALIBER	NONE	MEAGER	MODERATE	INTENSE
HEAVY — Time-fused shells, 75mm and over				
MEDIUM — Impact-fused shells, 20mm-50mm		the property of the second		可工
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X. COMPARATIVE PERFORMANCE, OWN AND ENEMY AIRCRAFT (use check list at left).

SPEED, CLIMB, at various altitudes

TURNS
DIVES
CEILINGS

RANGE

PROTECTION ARMAMENT

No enemy aircraft were seen in the air.

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AIRCRAFT ACTION REPORT

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			IVES (By Own Aircraft Listed	Target(s)	1450 -10 (Zone)
(a) Target(s) and Location			UNDER ATTACK)	a rarger(s)	(ZONE)
(c) Clouds Over Target_	1500°, G	(BASE IN FEET	TYPE AND TENTHS OF COVER)		
(d) Visibility of Target_		der cloud base.	BY CLOUDS, ETC.)	'isibility	25 Miles.
(f) Bombing Tactics: Typ	e Clide	(LEVEL, GLIDE OR DIVE)	Bomb Sight Us	ed Hazk 6	Gunaight.
Bombs Dropped per Ri	un Numbe	Spacing	Select Altitude	of Bomb Rele	ease 2100° av.
(g) Number of Enemy Ai	rcraft Hit on Gro	ound: Destroyed	Probably Destroyed_	None.	_ Damaged
(h) AIMING POINT	DIMENSIONS OR TONNAGE	(j) NO. A/C ATTACKING (k) SQUADRON	BOMBS AND AMMUNITION EXPENDED, EACH AIMING POINT	(m) NO. HITS On Aiming Point	(n) DAMAGE (None, slight, serious, destroyed or sunk)
1 Warehouses in Ar	ea 569,	lxTBI-lo	Ar350 Depth Bombs.	2	See Below.
2 Strafeing warehouses in area 590		120°68-3	No Bombs, 3500 Rds.	( )	
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(o) RESULTS: (For all hits claim of hits. For all targets give	ed on ship targets and location and effect of	for land targets of special in hits, and identify by number	nterest, draw diagram, top or side view or rs above. Use additional sheets if necess	both, as appropary).	oriate, showing type and location

- 1. On his first run, the pilot of the THM, who was also carrying the Support Air Cheerver, made two hits on a warehouse in sec 1, Target area 569, but his second two bombs failed to explode.
- 2. The four fighters strafed warehouses in Area 590, but no fires were started nor more there any other results observed.

(p) Were Photographs Taken? Photographs of Damage, When Taken, Should Be Attached By Staple.