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MILITARY TRAINING AREA
UZHGOROD, USSR
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A military training area covering approximately 3,400 acres is located 5.5 miles (8.8 kilometers) northeast of Uzhgorod at 48-39N 022-25E (Figure 1).

The training area consists of a tracked-vehicle driver training course; a wheeled-vehicle driver training course; a possible range ammunition storage site with six small buildings; a moving target range (possibly used by vehicle-mounted automatic weapons) with four lanes, approximately six target runs and a maximum target distance of 1,800 feet; and a moving target tank firing range with nine lanes 3,000 feet long and three lanes 2,000 feet long, 14 target runs, and a maximum target distance of 4,700 feet. A range support facility with 12 permanent support buildings is located in the northwest section.

An unidentified scarred area with criss-cross tracks first observed in 1962 is still active. Additional track activity is observed

south of this area.

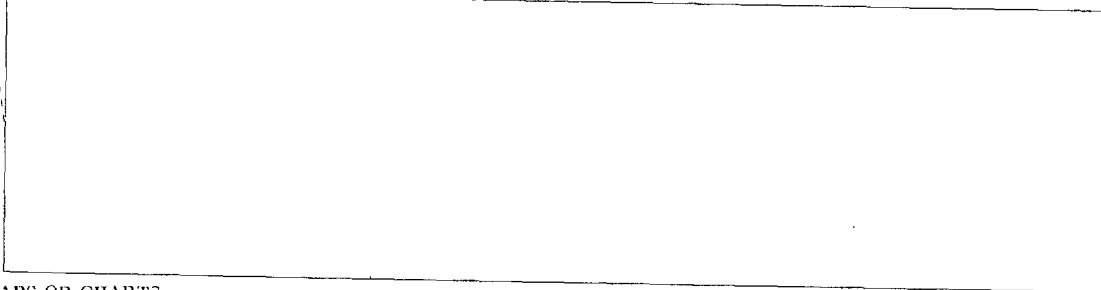
The training area is served by good secondary roads but is not rail-served. The Uzhgorod-Perechin railroad is 2 miles (3.2 kilometers) northwest of the training area.

A comparative study of [redacted] [redacted] between July 1961 and September 1963 revealed light to medium usage during 1961 and 1962. No activity was observed on poor quality snow-covered photography of December 1961. A heavy increase in usage was noted in June 1963, but there was no significant increase in the size of the training area. Latest coverage in September 1963 indicates continued heavy use.

No combat courses, artillery positions or impact areas, bivouac areas or tent camps, engineer or water-crossing training sites, airborne or air transportability training facilities, or rail loading ramps were observed.

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MAPS OR CHARTS

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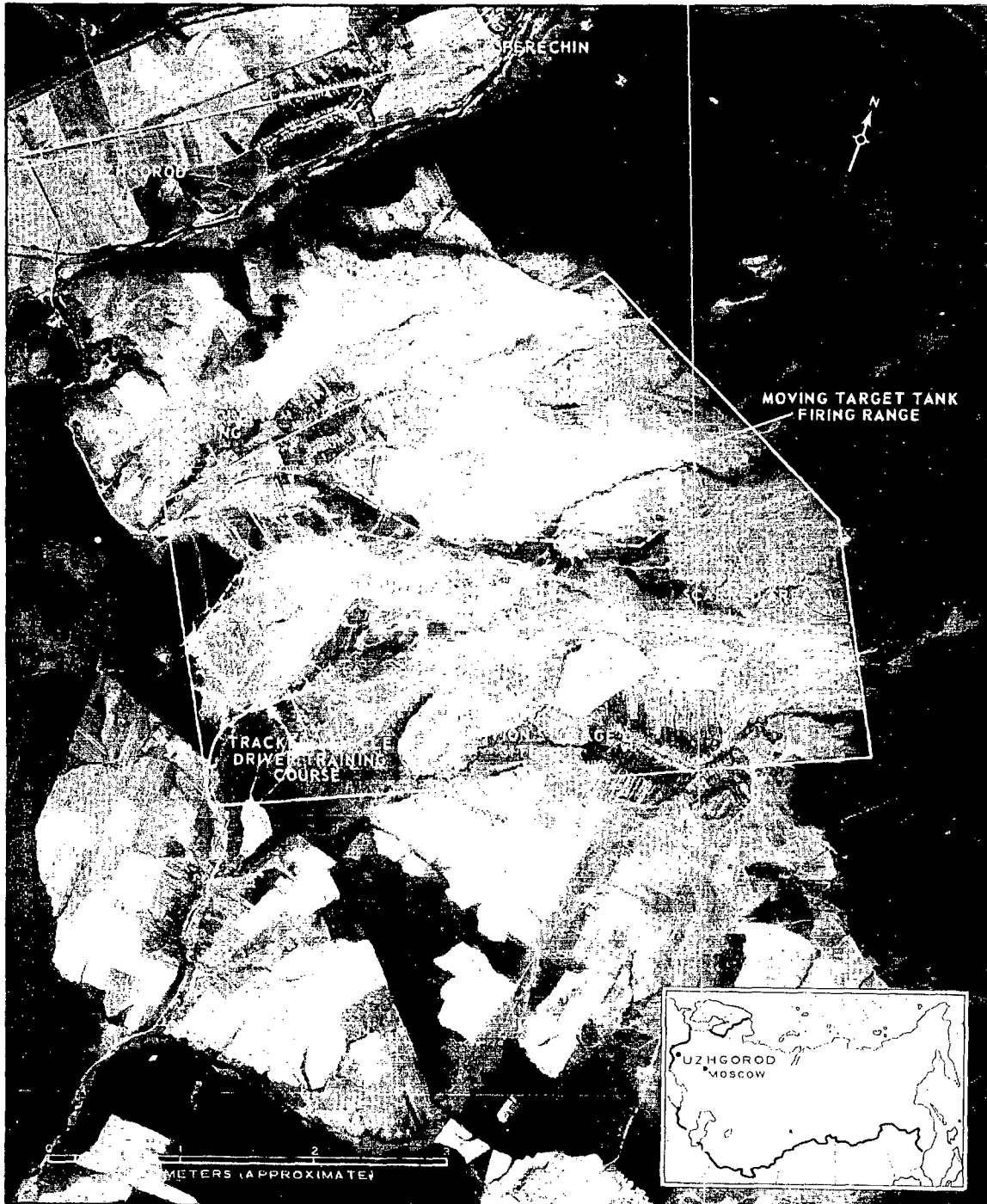


FIGURE 1. MILITARY TRAINING AREA, UZHGOROD, USSR, SEPTEMBER 1963.

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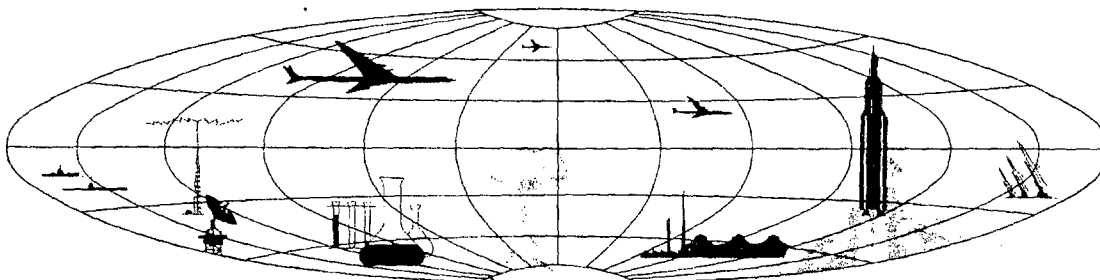
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