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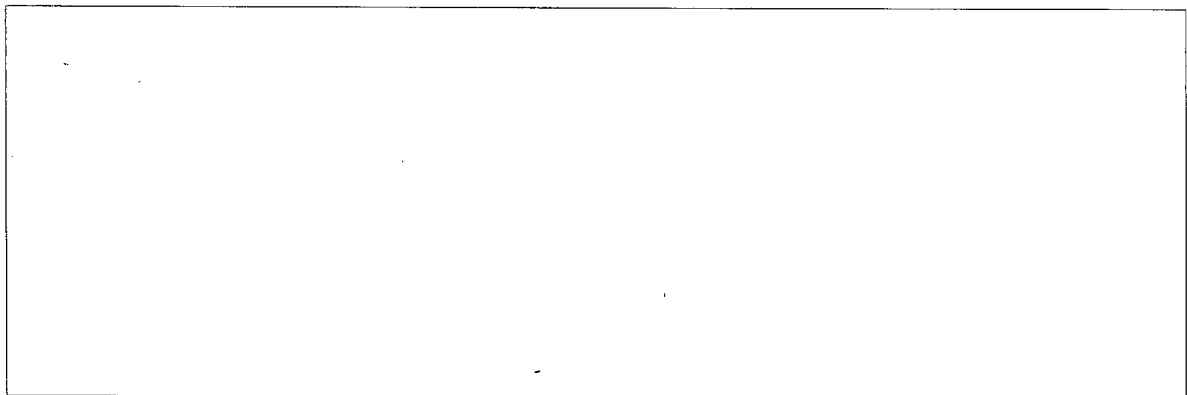
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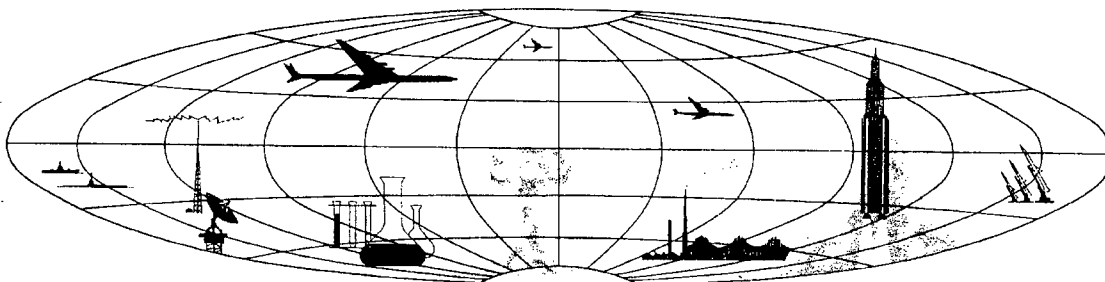
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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training area or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.





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SELECTED INSTALLATIONS
(53-55N 030-21E)
MOGILEV, MOGILEVSKAYA OBLAST, USSR
BELORUSSIAN MD

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AL No: None

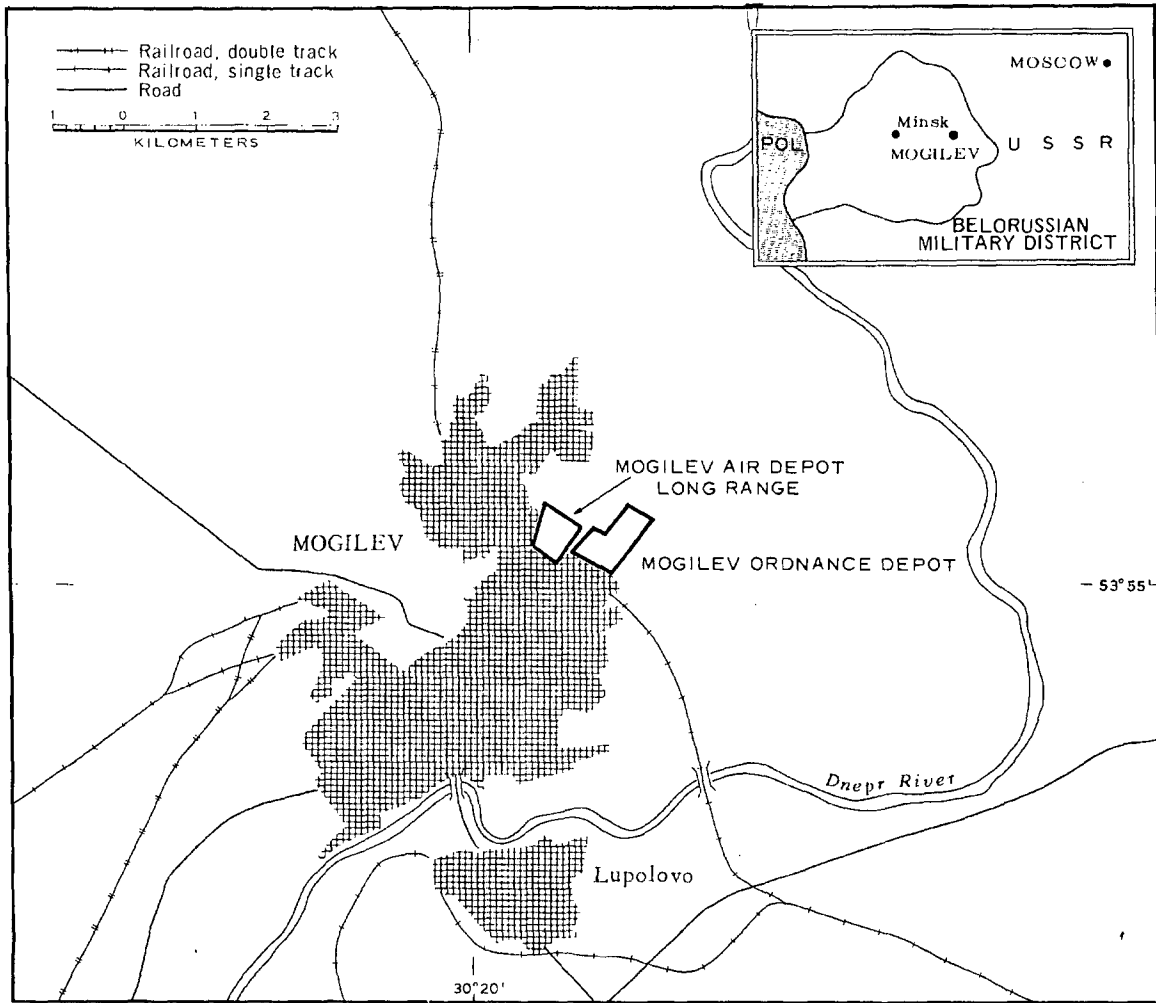


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF SELECTED INSTALLATIONS.





SUMMARY

Two secured probable military storage installations (Figure 1) are located on the northeast edge of Mogilev (53-55N 030-21E). These installations are reported in the Bombing Encyclopedia as Mogilev Ordnance Depot [redacted] and Mogilev Air Depot Long Range [redacted]. City streets provide access to both areas. A small rail-to-road transloading siding is south of the ordnance depot. Several other military installations are in the vicinity of Mogilev.

The reported Mogilev Air Depot Long Range located immediately west of the ordnance depot (Figures 2 and 3) is secured, and covers approximately 75 acres and contains one multistory administration building, three multistory barracks, 11 support buildings, 20 storage buildings, one probable vehicle storage/maintenance

building and a large open storage area.

The reported Mogilev Ordnance Depot located immediately northwest of the Mogilev Railroad Yards East (Figures 2 and 3) is secured, covers approximately 45 acres and contains one multistory administration building, two barracks, 17 storage buildings and 15 small support buildings. Buildings for repair and maintenance of heavy military equipment generally associated with an ordnance depot are not observed in this area.

These installations were covered by five KEYHOLE missions between April 1962 and February 1964. Comparative analysis reveals the same general level of usage during this period. Similarity of buildings in each storage facility may indicate a possible relationship.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The area contains a rail-to-road transloading siding (2,600 feet long) adjacent to the south edge of the reported ordnance depot.

Road Service

The area is served by all-weather urban streets.

Administrative and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 (Figure 3) contains one E-shaped multistory administration building, one large multistory barracks, two smaller multistory barracks and six support buildings. This is the support area for the reported air depot and is separately secured.

Area D2 contains one multistory administration building, two barracks and ten small support buildings. This is the support area for the reported ordnance depot and is separately secured.

General Storage Areas

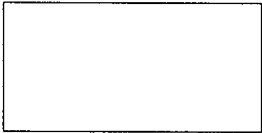
Area E1, the reported air depot, contains 20 storage buildings, five support buildings and one open storage area approximately 1,200 by 400 feet.

Area E2, the reported ordnance depot, contains 17 storage buildings and five support buildings.

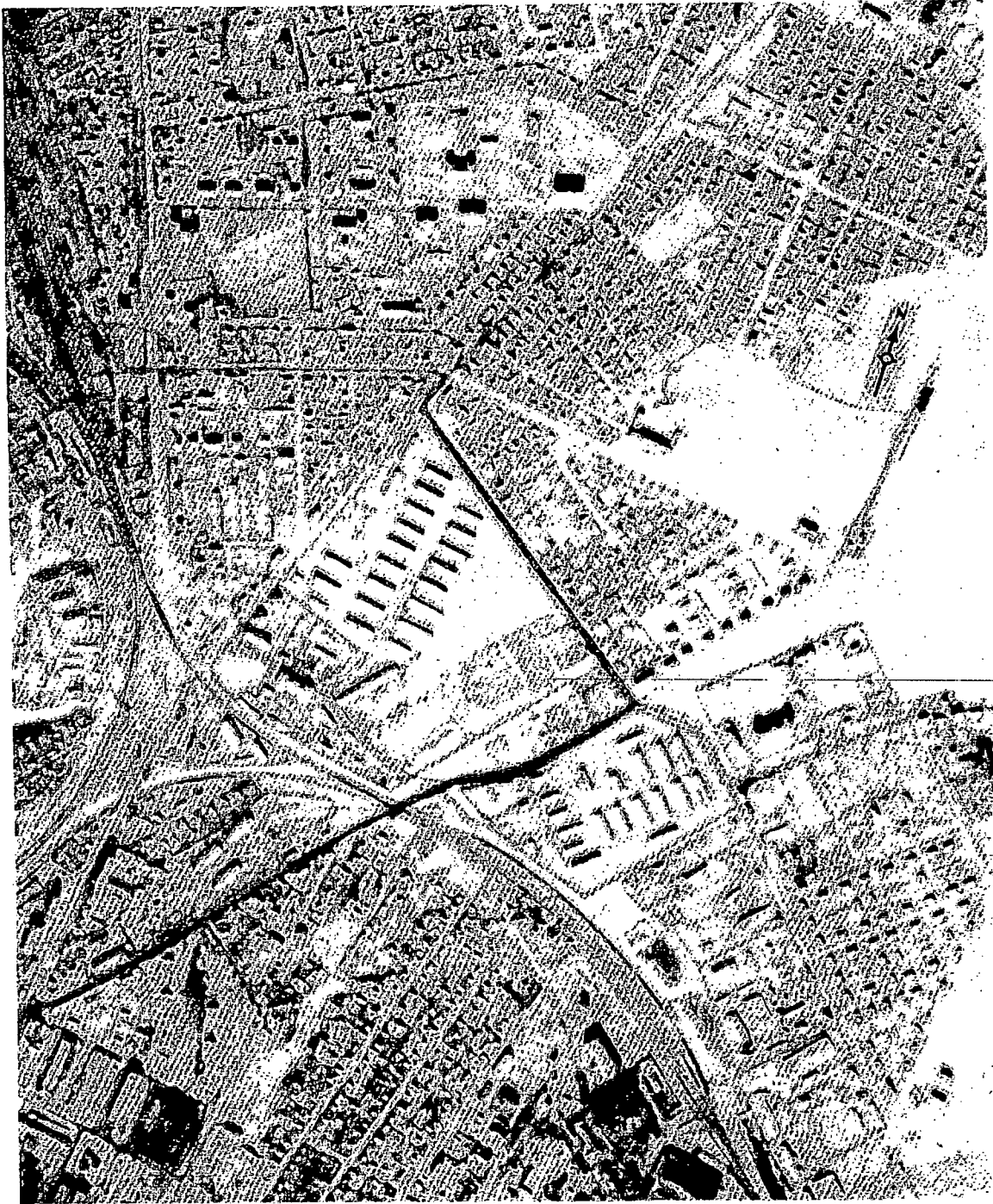
Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

Area J contains one probable vehicle maintenance/storage building 360 by 60 feet.





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FIGURE 2. SELECTED INSTALLATIONS, MOGILEV, USSR, FEBRUARY 1964.



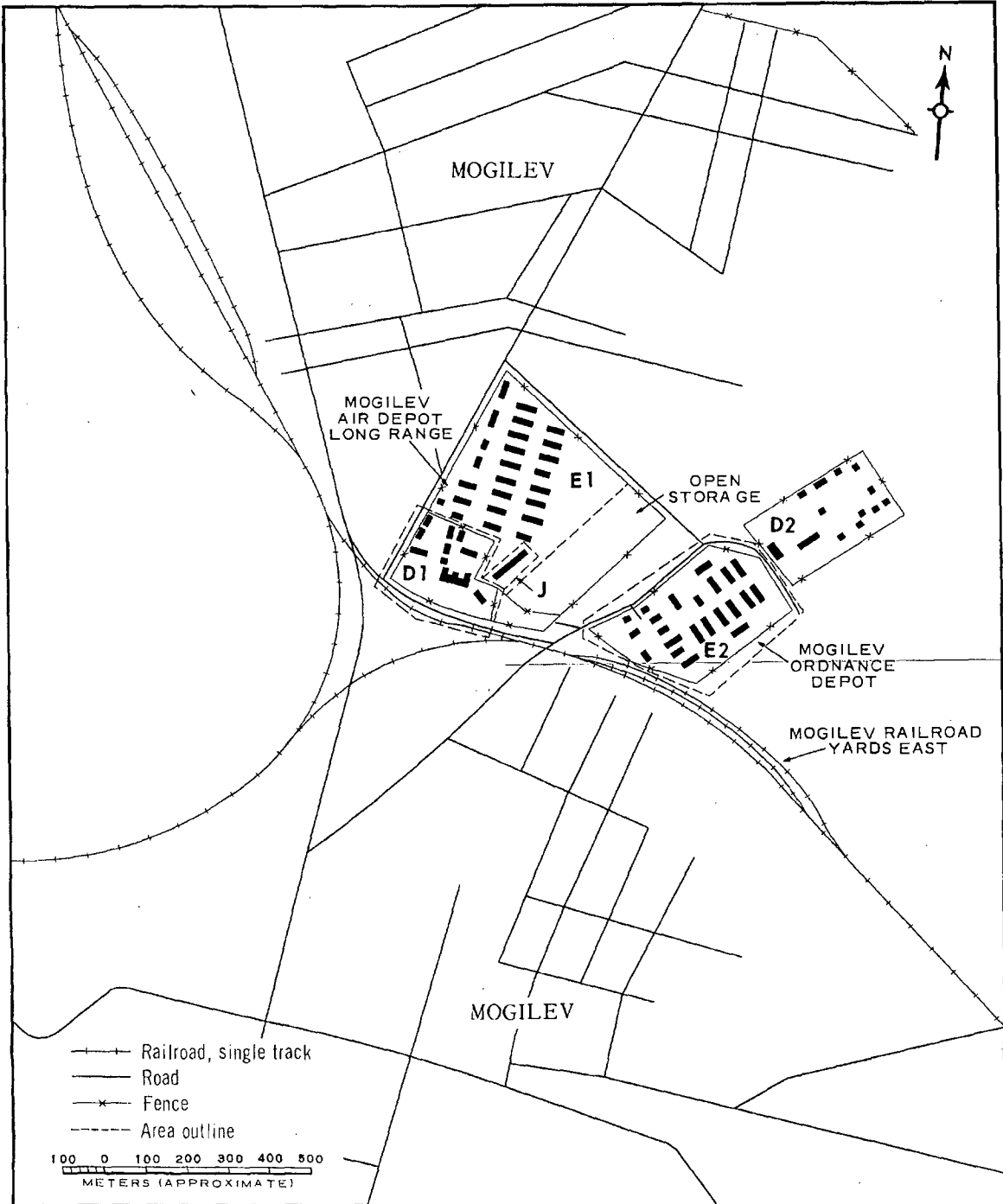


FIGURE 3. SELECTED INSTALLATIONS. Sketch compiled from [] February 1964.

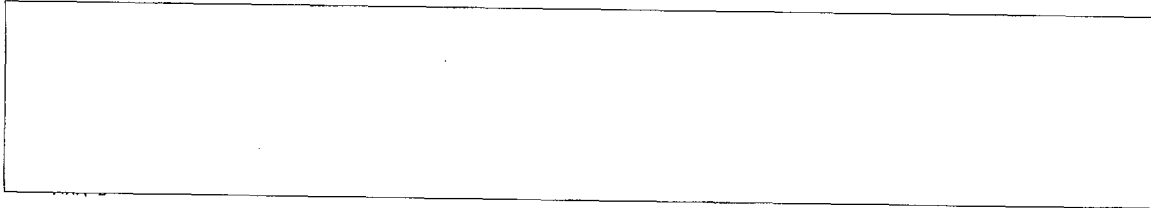
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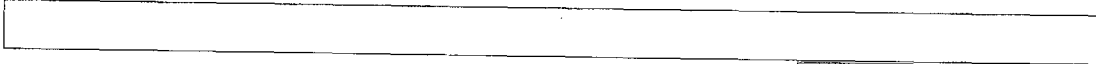
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