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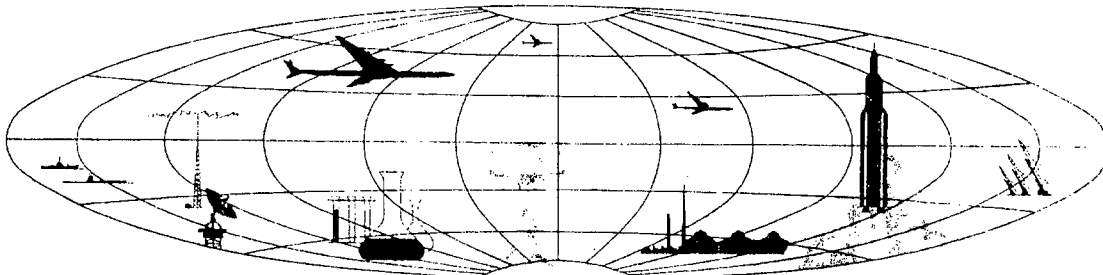
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PREFACE

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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 areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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KYBARTAI ARMY BARRACKS

(54-38N 022-43E)

KYBARTAI, KALININGRADSKAYA OBLAST, USSR

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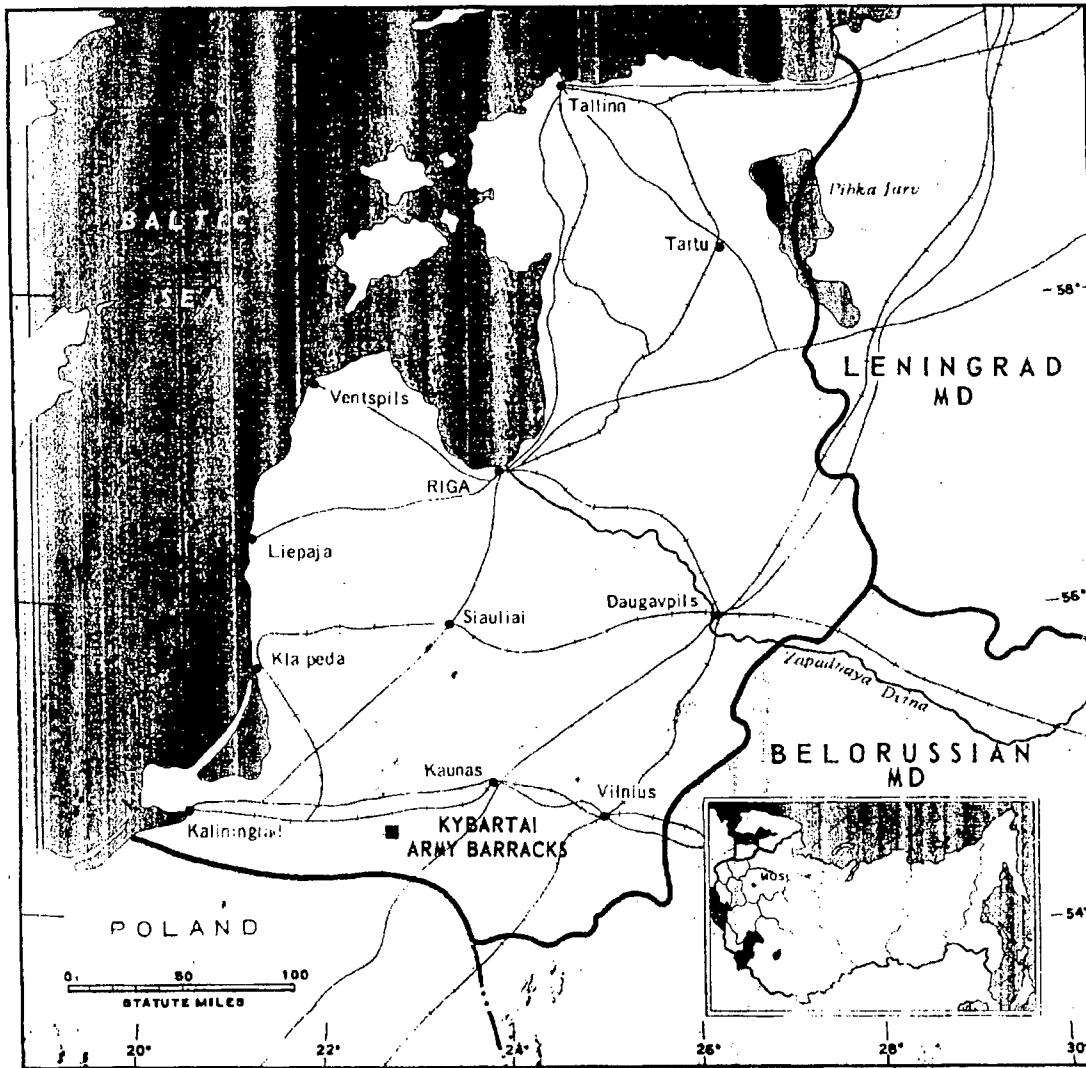


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF KYBARTAI ARMY BARRACKS.



FIGURE 2. KYBARTAI ARMY BARRACKS, KYBARTAI, USSR, JUNE 1964.

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SUMMARY

Kybartai Army Barracks is situated on the western edge of Kybartai, adjacent to the Nesterov-Kaunas rail line (Figure 1). There are apparently no other military installations nearby.

This installation covers 152 acres and contains 6 administration buildings, 23 barracks or civilian housing buildings, 17 support buildings, 6 storage structures, 8 vehicle maintenance/storage buildings with a total of 60 vehicles within the area, 1 oval track, possible helicopter

parking aprons in a section adjacent to the installation, and an associated SAM site (Figures 2 and 3). Eight helicopters were parked near the installation in June 1964.

Four KEYHOLE missions covered the installation between April 1963 and July 1964. Comparative analysis reveals no change in the main barracks area, but the probable helicopter parking aprons were constructed between April and September 1963.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The Nesterov-Kaunas rail line passes adjacent to this installation.

Road Service

The installation has access to the main road between Kaunas and Nesterov and roads north and south.

Aircraft Landing Strips

Eight helicopters are parked in Area C1 in June 1964.

Area C2 contains possible helicopter parking aprons.

Administration and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 2 U-shaped multistory administration/barracks-type buildings, 1 multistory probable headquarters building, 3 administration buildings, 1 multistory barracks, 7

support buildings, 10 multistory barracks or civilian housing buildings, and 8 single-story barracks or civilian housing buildings.

General Storage Area

Area E contains 4 storage buildings, 4 small support buildings, and 1 long and 1 small storage building in a secured section.

Other Buildings

Area H contains 4 possible civilian housing buildings.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

Area J contains 8 vehicle maintenance/storage buildings, two 350 by 75 feet, one 250 by 45 feet, one 200 by 30 feet, one 120 by 25 feet, two 100 by 30 feet, and one 100 by 50 feet, and 6 miscellaneous support buildings.

Athletic Field

Area K is an oval track.

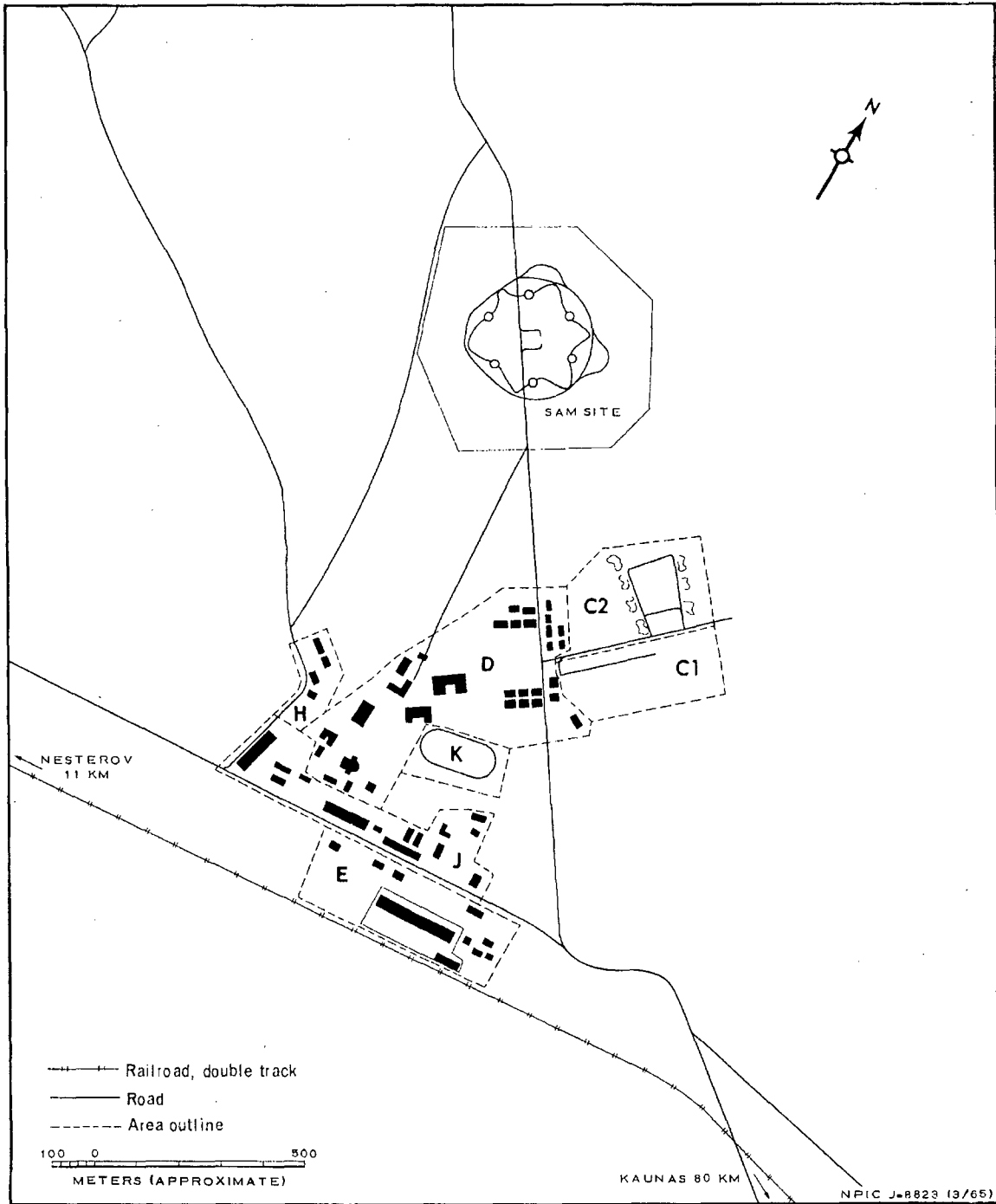


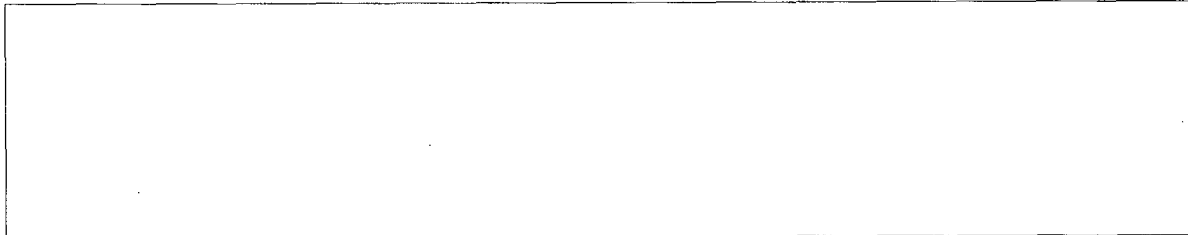
FIGURE 3. KYBARTAI ARMY BARRACKS. Sketch compiled from [redacted] June 1964.

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