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P 241613Z JAN 68
 FM NPIC WASHDC
 TO RUCSAAA/SAC OFFUTT AFB OMAHA NEB
 RUCVAAA/4080 STRAT WG OL 19 BARKSDALE AFB LA
 RUCVAAA/2D RTS BARKSDALE AFB LA
 RUEPJS/DIA WASHDC
 RUCIJRA/NAVRECONTECHSUPPCEN SUITLAND MD
 RUWBKNA/15TH AF MARCH AFB RIVERSIDE CALIF
 RUCVAAA/2 AF BARKSDALE AFB LA
 RUEFHQA/HQS USAF/AFRDR
 INFO RUEPIA/CIA WASHDC
 BT

S E C R E T CITE NPIC 2805.
 15TH AF (FOR DI), SAC (GLASS LAMP/DOCR, DM 4) 2D AF (FOR DI).
 AFRDR [REDACTED]

1. CAMERA B-24 WAS USED ON MISSION G-007 FLOWN 19 JANUARY
 PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY NAV RECON TECH SUPPCEN.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

A. DENSITY IS GOOD FOR MOST OF THE MISSION; HOWEVER, SOME
 FRAMES APPEAR TO BE SLIGHTLY HEAVY. RESOLUTION RANGES FROM GOOD
 (FRAME 901) TO FAIR (FRAME 913). THE RESOLUTION ALSO RANGES
 FROM GOOD TO FAIR WITHIN MANY INDIVIDUAL FRAMES (FRAME 909).
 INSTEAD OF THE CENTER OF THE FORMATS HAVING THE BEST RESOLUTION,
 A SHIFT HAS TAKEN PLACE SUCH THAT THE BEST RESOLUTION IS
 APPROXIMATELY ONE INCH CLOSER TO THE NON-DATA BLOCK END OF THE
 FRAME. THIS RESULTS IN THE DATA BLOCK END OF THE FORMAT HAVING
 POORER RESOLUTION THAN IS USUAL FOR THIS CAMERA. ALSO, THE NON-
 DATA BLOCK END OF FORMAT HAS BETTER RESOLUTION THAN IS USUAL.
 (IN A NORMAL FRAME BOTH ENDS OF THE FORMAT HAVE COMPARABLE
 RESOLUTIONS).

B. 9R SIDE: MINOR FOGGED AREAS ARE PRESENT INTERMITTENTLY
 IN THE FORMAT AND ALONG THE OUTBOARD EDGE. FRAME 970 CONTAINS
 A HEAT SPLICE. FRAME 1069 CONTAINS A CREASE NEAR THE DATA BLOCK.

C. 9L SIDE: MINUS DENSITY DOTS ARE PRESENT IN THE FIRST
 29 FRAMES (1.7 INCHES APART). A FAINT PLUS DENSITY BAND 4 TO
 6 INCHES WIDE IS PRESENT IN THE FIRST 900 FRAMES THROUGH THE
 CENTER OF EACH FORMAT ALIGNED ALONG THE MAJOR AXIS OF THE FILM.
 FRAME 2034 HAS A CREASE IN THE NON-DATA BLOCK CORNER END OF THE
 FRAME. FRAME 1031 CONTAINS A HEAD SPLICE. FRAMES 1390/1391,
 1959/1960, AND 2033/2034 HAVE HEAT SPLICES BETWEEN THEM.

D. BOTH SIDES: MINOR EDGE STATIC AND ROLLER CHATTER ARE
 PRESENT INTERMITTENTLY. THE DATA BLOCKS APPEAR OVER-EXPOSED
 THROUGHOUT. MODE 5 OF CAMERA OPERATION WAS USED THROUGHOUT.
 FRAME 2078 IS A 3R. THE LAST TITLED FRAME IS 2080.

3. POSITIVES:

A. PRINTING AND PROCESSING ARE GOOD.

B. PI SUITABILITY IS GOOD TO FAIR BECAUSE OF THE VARIABILITY
 IN RESOLUTION.

C. CLOUDS OBSCURE APPROXIMATELY 15 PERCENT OF THE MISSION.

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