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 FM NPIC WASHDC
 TO RUCSC/SAC OFFUTT AFB OMAHA NEB
 RUCVAA/4080 STRAT WG OL 19 BARKSDALE AFB LA
 RUCVAA/2D RTS BARKSDALE AFB LA
 RUEKDA/DIA WASHDC
 RUECYH/NAVRECONTECHSUPPCEN SUITLAND MD
 RUEPIA/CIA WASHDC
 RUWBKN/15TH AF MARCH AFB RIVERSIDE CALIF
 RUWGAA/2 AF BARKSDALE AFB LA
 BT
 S E C R E T CITE NPIC 7589.

15TH AF (FOR DI), SAC (FOR DIM/GOLDEN TREE/DOCR, DM 4) 2D AF (FOR DI).

1. CAMERA B-125 WAS USED IN MISSION 8103 FLOWN ON 23 JUNE 1966.

PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY BARKSDALE.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

A. EXPOSURE WAS ADEQUATE AND THE RESOLUTION IS GOOD.

B. 9R SIDE: EDGE FOG AND STATIC IS PRESENT ON THE INBOARD EDGE OF THE FILM THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. A ROW OF MINUS DENSITY DOTS IS LOCATED ONE INCH FROM THE INBOARD EDGE THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. THE DOTS ARE SPACED 1.7 INCHES APART. A MINUS DENSITY AREA, WITH ROWS OF PLUS DENSITY SPOTS POSSIBLY DUE TO PROCESSING, IS PRESENT ON FRAME 2116. CREASES, APPROXIMATELY 30 INCHES IN LENGTH AND ASSOCIATED PLUS DENSITY STREAKS ARE LOCATED NEAR THE INBOARD EDGE OF SEVERAL FRAMES THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. (EXAMPLES: FRAMES 0010, 0011, 1077, 1078, 2143, AND 2144)

C. 9L SIDE: MINOR STATIC AND INTERMITTENT EDGE FOG ARE PRESENT, ON THE OUTBOARD EDGE OF THE FILM, THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. A ROW OF MINUS DENSITY DOTS IS LOCATED 1.1 INCHES FROM THE INBOARD

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EDGE OF FRAMES 0001 THROUGH 0175. A SECOND ROW OF MINUS DENSITY DOTS IS LOCATED 5.3 INCHES FROM THE INBOARD EDGE OF FRAMES 0148 THROUGH APPROXIMATELY 0300. THE DOTS IN BOTH INSTANCES ARE SPACED 1.7 INCHES APART. MANUFACTURER'S SPLICES ARE ON FRAMES 0168 AND 1377. ASSOCIATED WITH THE SPLICE IN FRAME 0168 ARE MINOR TRANSVERSE INDENTATIONS AND PLUS DENSITY LINES ON FRAMES 0166, 0167, AND 0171. AN ULTRASONIC SPLICE, WITH TAPE AS A REINFORCEMENT, WAS MADE BETWEEN FRAMES 1508 AND 1509.

D. BOTH SIDES: THE DATA CHAMBER IS MISSING ON THE FIRST FRAME OF THE MISSION. THE MAJORITY OF THE POSITION INDICATOR IMAGES ARE FAINT, BUT THE VERTICAL DOT INDICATOR LAMP IS BLOOMED. ROLLER CHATTER IS PRESENT ON BOTH FILM EDGES THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. THE DATA CHAMBER FIDUCIAL FARTHEREST FROM THE FILM EDGE IS FAINT. THE FRAMES ARE TITLED CONSECUTIVELY 0000 THROUGH 2171.

E. THERE WERE NO MAJOR CAMERA OR PROCESSING MALFUNCTIONS.

3. POSITIVE:

A. PI SUITABILITY IS VERY GOOD WITH THE CLOUD FREE PHOTOGRAPHY. SOME OF THE POSITION INDICATOR IMAGES WERE UNDETECTABLE AND THIS CAUSED SOME INCONVENIENCE TO THE PIS.

B. EVIDENTLY, THE POSITIVE WAS MISALIGNED DURING THE PRINTING PROCEDURE ON PART 4 OF THE 9L SIDE. THIS CAUSED THE TITLING TO BE CUT OFF ON SEVERAL FRAMES AT THE BEGINNING OF THE CAN. THE PROCESSING WAS GOOD.

C. CLOUDS AND HAZE DEGRADE APPROXIMATELY 40 PERCENT OF THE MISSION.

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