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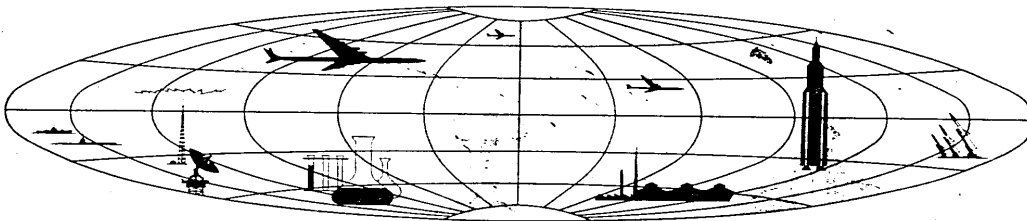
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Ura Bay Naval Base [REDACTED] is located 2.5 nautical miles (nm) north of Ura-Guba and 22.5 nm north-northwest of Murmansk at 69-20N 32-49E (Figure 1). It includes eight piers, an operations/support area and a barracks area. A pier and minor facilities are located 2.8 nm north at the settlement of Ara on Ara Bay.

Piers. The landing facilities consist of eight piers (Figure 2). Piers I and III are finger piers 320 by 10 feet* and 60 by 20 feet. Piers IV, VI, VII and VIII are finger piers 400 by 20 feet. Pier II is a T-head pier 80 by 20 feet at the head and 100 by 20 feet on the approach. Pier V is an

L-head pier 170 by 20 feet at the head and 150 by 20 feet on the approach.

Operations/Support Area. The operations/support area contains a T-shaped 195- by 75-foot administration building with an 85- by 85-foot wing, an H-shaped 70- by 50-foot administration building with two 120- by 50-foot wings, two 290- by 90-foot multistory barracks, two probable torpedo checkout/storage buildings 280 by 50 feet, 14 storage buildings 145 by 45 feet, and two storage buildings 200 by 45 feet. Other facilities include 40 support buildings of various sizes, one building under construction and a water storage tank 75 feet in diameter.

*Dimensions in this report are accurate to within 5 feet.

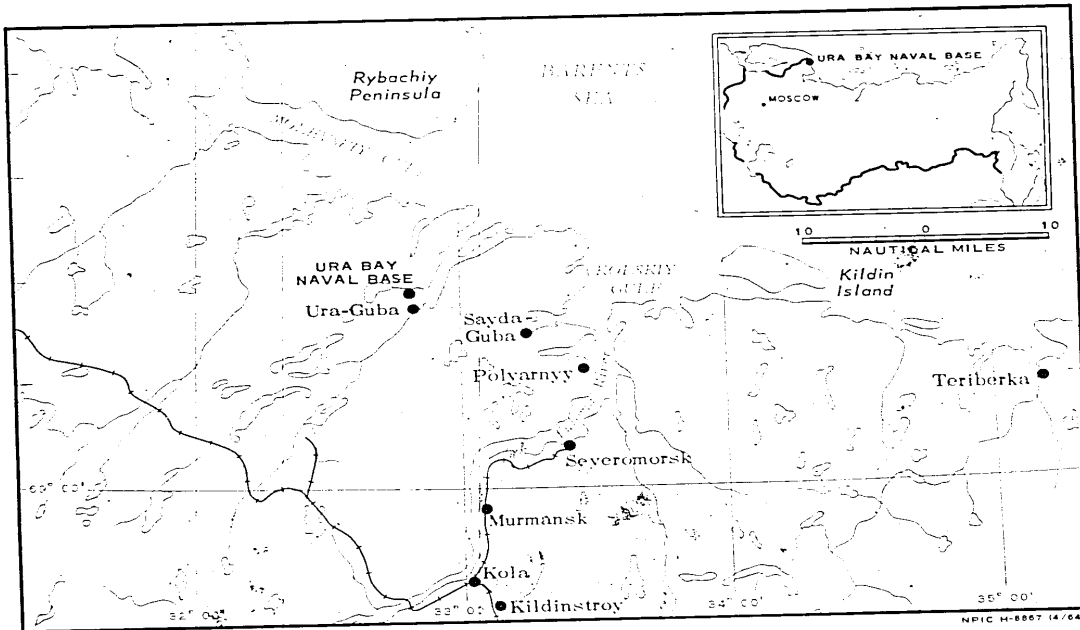


FIGURE 1. GENERAL LOCATION MAP.

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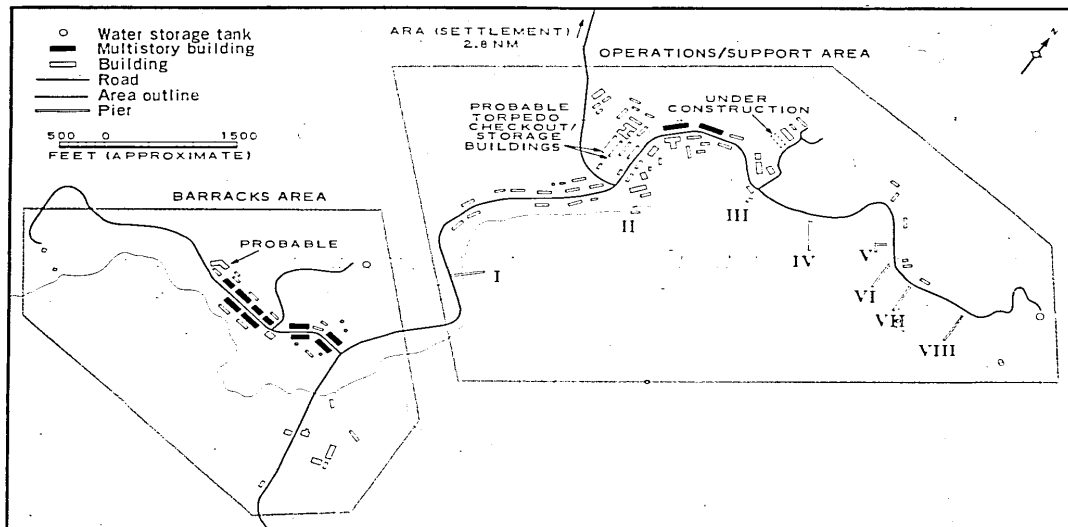


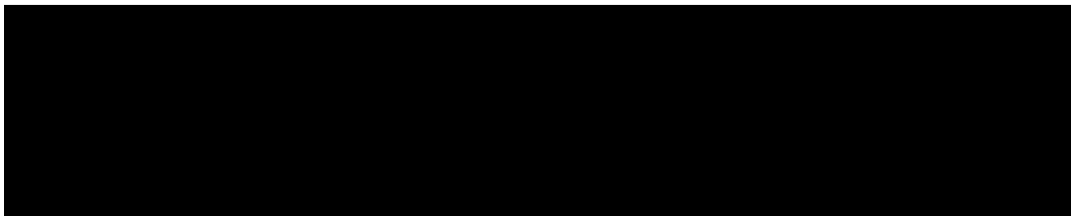
FIGURE 2. URA BAY NAVAL BASE, USSR.

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Barracks Area. The barracks area contains ten multistory barracks, one 250 by 80 feet, two 260 by 75 feet, four 225 by 70 feet and three 150 by 75 feet. Other facilities include 25 buildings of various sizes, one probable large building, and a water storage tank 75 feet in diameter.

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