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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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BAZARNYY SYZGAN STORAGE AREA

(53-38N 046-51E)

BAZARNYY SYZGAN, ULYANOVSKAYA OBLAST, USSR

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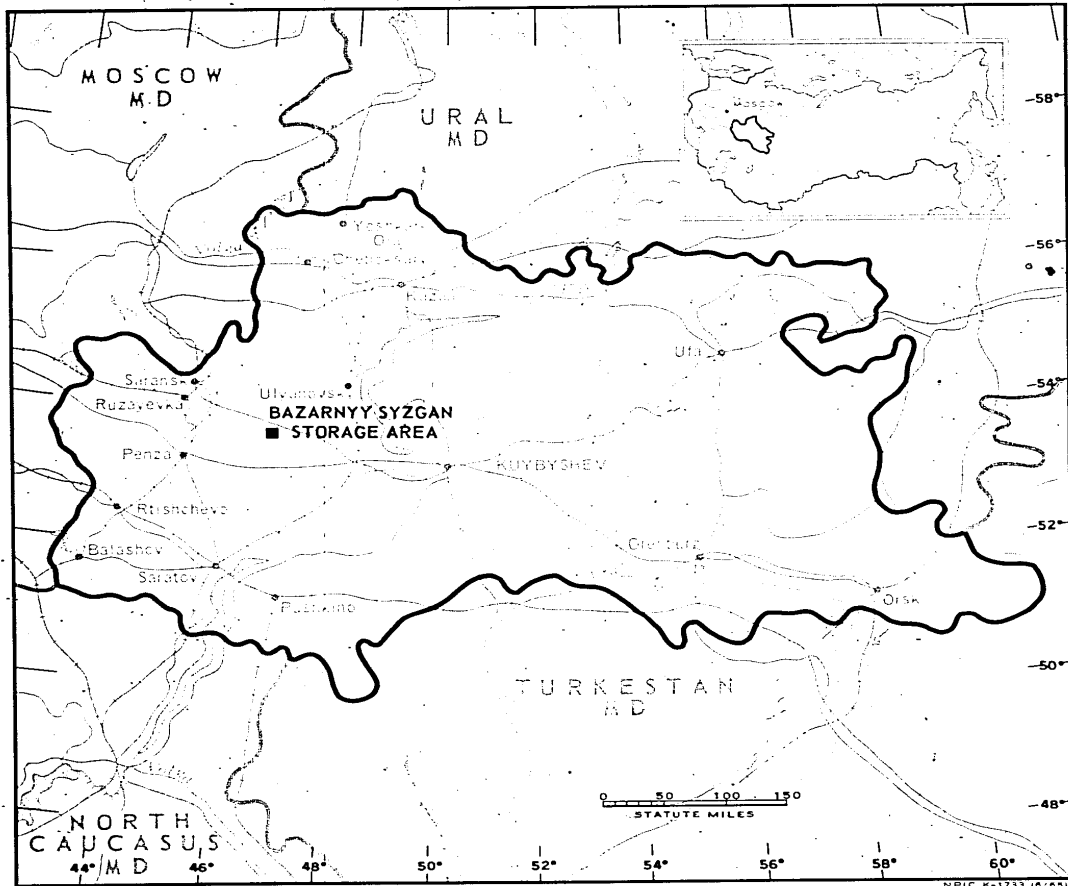


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF BAZARNYY SYZGAN STORAGE AREA.

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FIGURE 2. BAZARNYY SYZGAN STORAGE AREA, BAZARNYY SYZGAN, USSR, [REDACTED]

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## SUMMARY

Bazarnyy Syzgan Storage Area is located in a heavily wooded sector approximately 14 kilometers (km) south-southeast of Bazarnyy Syzgan (Figure 1). The installation consists of a triple-fenced explosives storage facility and a separate support area.

The entire installation comprises approximately 1,300 acres and contains 44 probable

explosives storage buildings, 6 probable general storage buildings, 10 possible barracks, 12 miscellaneous support buildings, 1 security building, and 1 sentry tower (Figures 2 and 3).

[REDACTED] KEYHOLE missions covered the area from [REDACTED]. No significant change was observed.

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## DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

### Railroad Service

A single-track rail line is approximately 3.7 km north and is connected to the installation by road.

### Road Service

Good roads lead to Bazarnyy Syzgan and Barysh.

### Administrative and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains 6 possible barracks and 5 miscellaneous support buildings.

Area D2 contains 4 possible barracks, 2 probable general storage buildings, and 6 miscellaneous support buildings.

### General Storage Areas

Area E1 is separately secured and contains

3 possible general storage buildings.

Area E2 contains a general storage building.

### Ammunition Storage Areas

Area F1 contains 40 unvetted probable explosives storage buildings (30 by 200 feet) and 1 support building.

Area F2 contains 4 revetted explosives storage buildings (30 by 150 feet).

### Other Buildings

The installation also contains a security building and a sentry tower (H).

### Athletic Fields

Area K is a possible athletic field.

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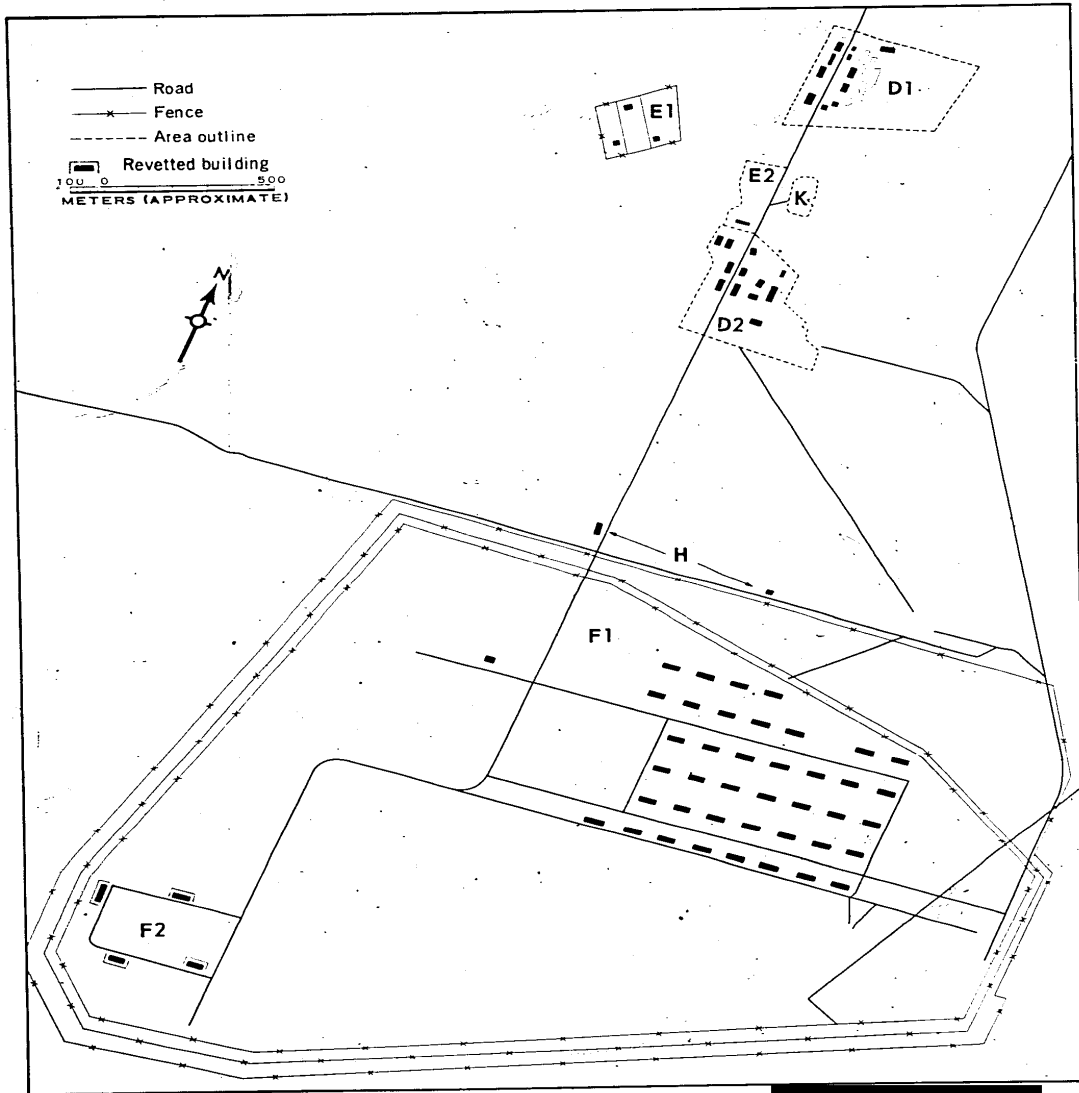


FIGURE 3. BAZARNYY SYGAN STORAGE AREA. Sketch compiled from [REDACTED]

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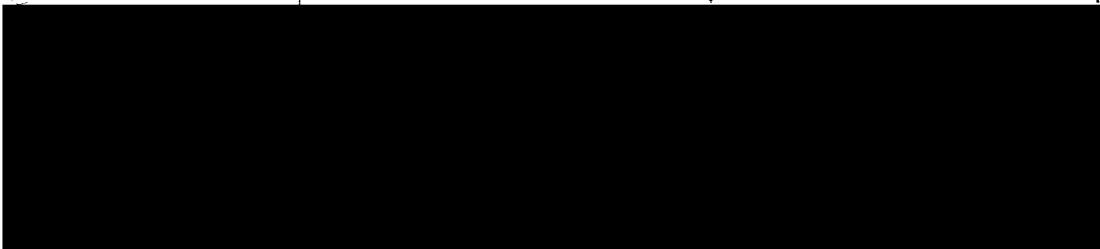
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