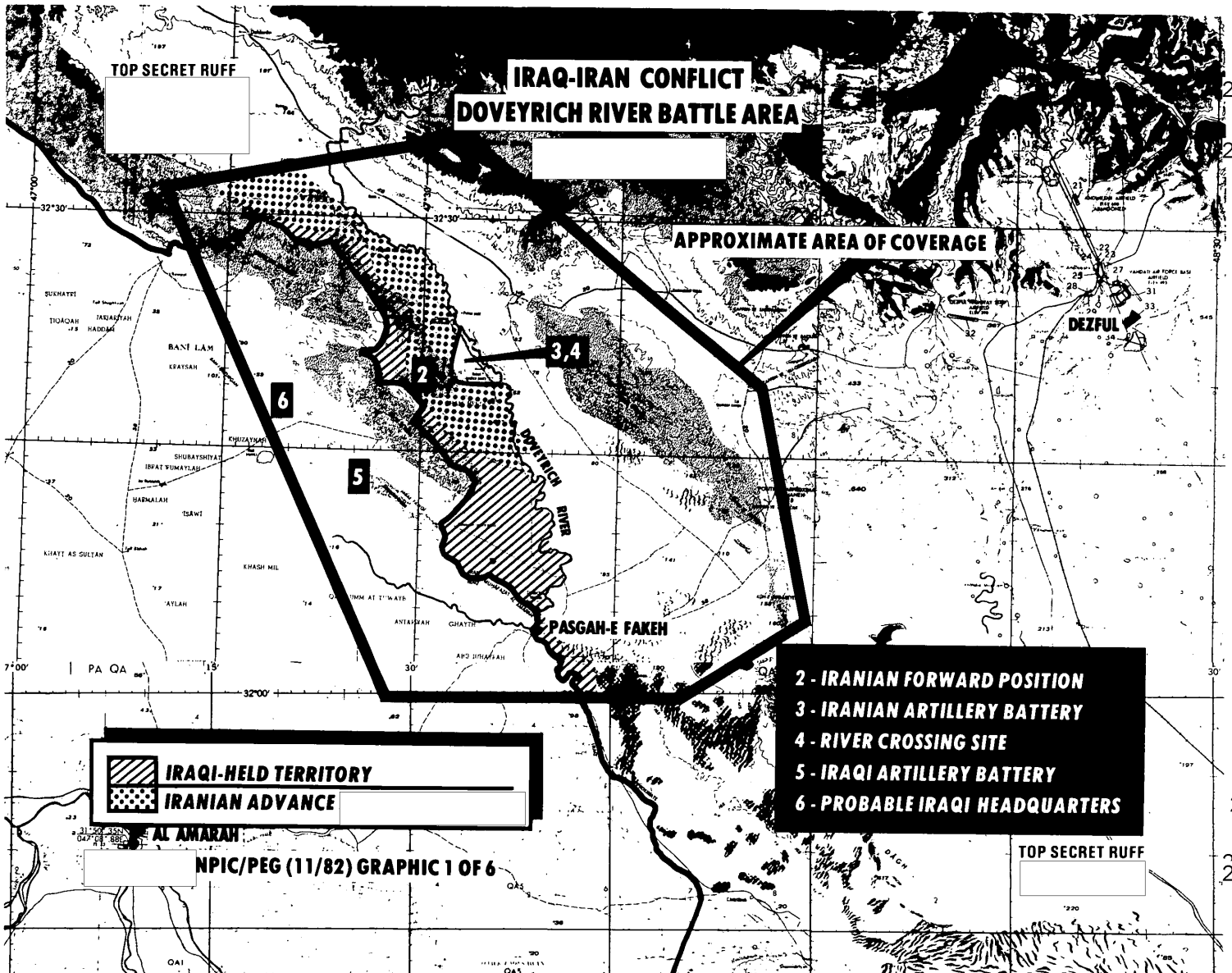


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IRAQ-IRAN CONFLICT
DOVEYRICH RIVER BATTLE AREA

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1. (SWN) SIGNIFICANCE: THE IRANIANS HAVE MADE A SIGNIFICANT ADVANCE IN THE DOVEYRICH RIVER BATTLE AREA SINCE 2 NOVEMBER REGAINING APPROXIMATELY 60 SQUARE NM OF IRAQI-HELD TERRITORY.

2. (SWN) REMARKS: IRANIAN FORCES ALONG THE DOVEYRICH RIVER HAVE ADVANCED AN ADDITIONAL 3 NM WEST SINCE THEIR INITIAL ADVANCE WAS TEMPORARILY STALLED [redacted] THE WESTERNMOST EDGE OF THE IRANIAN SALIENT IS NOW IN THE VICINITY OF 32-19N 047-28E, WITHIN 0.5 NM OF THE IRAN-IRAQ BORDER. THE IRANIANS HAVE CONSTRUCTED A NEW DEFENSIVE BERM ALONG THE NEW FORWARD-EDGE-OF-BATTLE AREA (FEBA). THE BERM IS IMMEDIATELY WEST OF THE RIDGE LINE WHICH WAS PREVIOUSLY OCCUPIED BY IRAQI FORCES. THE DEFENSIVE BERM IS OCCUPIED BY IRANIAN ARMOR SUPPORTED BY INFANTRY (GRAPHIC 2). IN CONJUNCTION WITH THIS NEW IRANIAN FORWARD POSITION, IRANIAN INFANTRY FORCES HAVE DEPLOYED FROM 32-24N 047-30E TO THE HILLS TO THE NORTHWEST AT 32-29N 047-23E. THE IRANIANS HAVE ALSO CONTINUED TO CONSOLIDATE POSITIONS NEAR THEIR INITIAL DOVEYRICH RIVER CROSSING SITE. IRANIAN ARTILLERY HAS BEEN DEPLOYED ON THE WEST BANK OF THE RIVER, IMMEDIATELY NORTHWEST OF THE CROSSING SITE (GRAPHIC 3), INDICATING THAT THE AREA IS NOW SECURE. THE CROSSING SITE HAS THREE EARTHEN CAUSEWAYS, AN INCREASE OF ONE SINCE 3 NOVEMBER (GRAPHIC 4). IRANIAN FORCES IN THE RIVER CROSSING AREA INCLUDE AT LEAST ONE TANK BATTALION, ONE MECHANIZED INFANTRY BATTALION, ONE ARTILLERY BATTALION, INFANTRY UNITS, AT LEAST ONE ENGINEER CONSTRUCTION UNIT, AND NUMEROUS SUPPORT/TRANSPORT UNITS.

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(SWN) THE OPPOSING IRAQI UNITS IMMEDIATELY WEST OF THE IRANIAN SALIENT INCLUDE AT LEAST ONE TANK BRIGADE, NUMEROUS INFANTRY UNITS, AND SUPPORT/TRANSPORT UNITS. ACTIVITY IN THE IRAQI REAR AREA IS HEAVY AND NUMEROUS DEPLOYMENTS, REPOSITIONING OF FORCES, AND DEFENSIVE CONSTRUCTION HAVE TAKEN PLACE SINCE [redacted]

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TWO IRAQI 130MM M-46 BATTALIONS ARE DEPLOYED IN THE VICINITY OF 32-12N 047-27E (NOT ALL ON GRAPHIC 5), AND ONE ADDITIONAL IRAQI 130MM M-46 BATTALION IS NEAR 32-21N 047-23E. A PROBABLE IRAQI HEADQUARTERS AREA IS NEAR 32-16N 047-18E (GRAPHIC 6). THE PROBABLE HEADQUARTERS CONSISTS OF APPROXIMATELY 11 REVETTED VANS. FOUR ALOUETTE AND TWO HIND HELICOPTERS ARE PARKED NEARBY.

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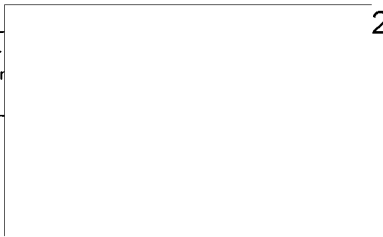


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