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THE FOLLOWING COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN REPORTED: IRAQ, JORDAN, LEBANON,  
SYRIA

THE FOLLOWING HAS BEEN REPORTED

IRAQ:

1. AFLD IN VICINITY OF 3712N 4400E: NO INFORMATION REPORTED.
2. BAGHDAD ROYAL LANDING GROUND: NO AIRCRAFT. 29 TANKS, 42 TENTS.
3. BAGHDAD WEST AIRFIELD: 1 C-47 TYPE, 1 C-54 TYPE, 2 CRATES, 45 TRUCKS 25 TENTS.
4. HABBANIYA AIRFIELD: 3 VAMPIRES, 1 POSSIBLE VAMPIRE.
5. MOSUL AIRFIELD: NO AIRCRAFT. 30 TRUCKS, 23 TENTS.
6. RASHID AIRFIELD: 5 VAMPIRES, 1 BRISTOL 170, 20 T-6 TYPE, 25 AIRCRAFT CRATES, 14 TRUCKS, 24 VEHICLES. MODERATE AMOUNT OF U/I OPEN STORAGE.

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7. THE FOLLOWING AIRFIELDS REPORT NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY:  
AIN ZALA, H-3, HASEANIYA PLATEAU, KIRKUK, K-1 (OLD AND NEW),  
K-3, MARKAB, MOSUL SATELLITE "A".

8. BAGHDAD MILITARY COMPLEX:

(A) BAGHDAD AMMO STORAGE WEST: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY

(B) BAGHDAD BARRACKS NORTH: 35 TRUCKS, 5 VEHICLES, 3 VAN TRAILERS,  
7 TENTS.

(C) BAGHDAD MILITARY CAMP 4 NM WEST: ABANDONED.

(D) BAGHDAD MILITARY CAMP 8 NM WEST: 73 TANKS, 13 POSSIBLE  
TANKS, 83 SMALL FA, 34 HEAVY FA, 124 PROBABLE FA, 35 TRUCKS,  
14 U/I VEHICLES, 119 TENTS. 24 NEW LARGE BUILDINGS COMPLETED.  
11 NEW LARGE BUILDINGS UNCOMPLETED.

(E) BAGHDAD MILITARY INSTALLATION CENTRAL: 25 TRUCKS

(F) BAGHDAD MILITARY INSTALLATION SOUTHEAST: 7 VEHICLES

(G) BAGHDAD MILITARY INSTALLATION NORTH: 35 TRUCKS, 12 VAN  
TYPE TRAILERS, 41 VEHICLES, 110 TENTS.

(H) BAGHDAD MILITARY INSTALLATION SOUTHWEST: 9 TRUCKS.

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- (I) BAGHDAD MILITARY TENT CAMP SOUTHEAST: ABANDONED.
- (J) BAGHDAD MILITARY TENT CAMP 3 NM WEST: ABANDONED.
- (K) BAGHDAD MILITARY CAMP 19 NM WEST: LOCATED AT 331E  
4402E, 19 NM WEST OF BAGHDAD; 31 TRUCKS, 28 VEHICLES, 30 TENTS.
- (L) BAGHDAD NE TENT CAMP: ABANDONED.
- (M) BAGHDAD WEST AFLD MILITARY INSTALLATION: 4 EMPLACEMENT  
AA OCCUPIED, 3 POSSIBLE FA, 52 TRUCKS, 53 VEHICLES, 5 LARGE VEHICLES,  
125 TENTS.
- (N) RASHID AFLD MILITARY INSTALLATION: 5 POSITION AA EMPLACE-  
MENTS OCCUPIED, 351 TRUCKS, 1,222 VEHICLES, 265 TENTS.

## 9. HABBANIYA MILITARY COMPLEX:

- (A) AL FALLUJAH MILITARY CAMP EAST: NO ACTIVITY.
- (B) AL FALLUJAH TENT CAMP SW ACROSS RIVER: CAMP ABANDONED.
- (C) HABBANIYA AFLD AMMO STORAGE WEST: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.
- (D) HABBANIYA AFLD MILITARY CAMP EAST: NO ACTIVITY.

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(E) HAMBANIYA AFLD MILITARY INSTALLATION: 3 POSSIBLE FA, 220 TRUCKS, 113 VEHICLES, 4 TENTS.

(F) HABBANIYA LAKE NE SHORE TENT CAMP: NO ACTIVITY.

(G) HABBANIYA TENT CAMP WEST: CAMP NO LONGER EXISTS.

(H) RAMADI HABBANIYA AREA: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

10. IRAQI-SYRIAN BORDER-VICINITY OF TEL KOCHUK: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

11. KIRKUK AFLD MILITARY INSTALLATION: 3 POSSIBLE FA, 54 TRUCKS, 11 VEHICLES, 71 TENTS. MODERATE AMOUNT OF OPEN STORAGE.

12. MOSUL AREA:

(A) KASIK KUBRI TENT CAMP: 2 POSSIBLE CANVAS COVERED TANKS, 6 PROBABLE FA, 5 PROBABLE FA/AA, 15 VEHICLES, 9 COMMAND TYPE TENTS, 90 TENTS.

(B) MOSUL AFLD MILITARY INSTALLATION: 3 TRUCKS, 25 VEHICLES, 10 TENTS.

(C) MOSUL ANMO STORAGE ARE: 7 TENTS.

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(D) MOSUL TENT CAMP SOUTH: 5 TRUCKS, 1 JEEP, 1 VEHICLE,  
80 TENTS.

13. RASHID CITY: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

14. ROAD BETWEEN AL QAIN AND BAGHDAD: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

15. RUTBA COMPLEX:

(A) RUTBA POLICE POST: 175 TRUCKS

(B) PUMPING STATION AT H-3: 25 VEHICLES. NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

JORDAN:

16. AL MUGAT AIRFIELD: LOCATED AT 322 W 3031E, 12 NM SW OF  
H-4 AFLD; AIRFIELD CONSISTS OF ONE ROLLED SAND RUNWAY, 9500 FT  
X 400 FT, ORIENTATED 310 DEGREES - 130 DEGREES. 4 VAMPIRES, 10  
TRUCKS, 31 TENTS.

17. AMMAN AIRFIELD: 1 VISCOUNT, 1 C-47, 1 TWIN ENGINE TRANSPORT  
TYPE, 7 T-5 TYPE, 10 TRUCKS, 5 VEHICLES.

18. MAFRAQ (NEW) AIRFIELD: 5 HAWKER HUNTER, 3 LIAISON.

19. THE FOLLOWING AIRFIELDS REPORT NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY:  
H-4, MAFRAQ (OLD), FERKA.

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20. AL MASQARAH DEPOT AREA: NO INFORMATION
21. AMMAN MILITARY AREA:
- (A) AMMAN AFLD MILITARY DEPOT WEST: 48 TRUCKS, 120 VEHICLES.
- (B) AMMAN MILITARY INSTALLATION: 1 C-47 TYPE AIRCRAFT LOCATED IN OPEN FIELD WEST OF INSTALLATION. 34 TRUCKS, 35 VEHICLES, 20 TENTS.
- (C) AMMAN NORTH MILITARY CAMP: 73 TRUCKS, 210 VEHICLES, 470 TENTS.
- (D) AMMAN CENTRAL MILITARY INSTALLATION: 40 TENTS.
- (E) AMMAN MILITARY TENT CAMP: NO INFORMATION.
22. ARIYA MILITARY CAMP NORTH: 3 TRUCKS, 7 VEHICLES, 31 TENTS.
23. AS SALT AMMAN AREA: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.
24. IRDIB MILITARY INSTALLATION: 11 TRUCKS, 7 VEHICLES.
25. JIFTALIK AREA: NO INFORMATION.
26. HAFRAQ MILITARY INSTALLATION: 12 TRUCKS; 27 VEHICLES, PROBABLE VEHICLES.

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27. ZERKA MILITARY CAMPS: 32 POSSIBLE TANKS, 8 HEAVY FA,  
12 POSSIBLE FA, 175 TRUCKS, 22 TRAILERS, 500 VEHICLES.

LEBANON:

28. BEIRUT INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD: 4 C-121, 7 C-54, 3 HAWKER  
HUNTER, 7 DC-3 TYPE, 5 C-47, 3 C-43 TYPE, 3 C-45 TYPE. 1 C-47  
WITH WING SECTION REMOVED. INCOMPLETE INFORMATION -E

29. ESTABEL AIRFIELD: NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY.

30. METULLA AIRFIELD: NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY.

31. RIYAQ AIRFIELD: NO INFORMATION REPORTED.

32. YAATE AIRFIELD: UNSERVICEABLE.

33. BEIRUT HARBOR: 2 PROBABLE DD, 2 PROBABLE PT, 1 PROBABLE  
PC, 13 FREIGHTERS.

34. HANNANA AMMO STORAGE AREA: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

35. RIYAQ AMMO STORAGE: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

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SYRIA:

36. AFLD 15 MILES SE OF ESRIYE (DIR GOTNE): NO AIRCRAFT.  
6 TENTS, 2 VEHICLES.
37. ALEPPO AIRFIELD: 4 PROBABLE METEOR, 1 LIAISON TYPE.
38. DAMASCUS AIRFIELD: 19 FRESCO/FAGOTS, 4 COACH/CRATE, 1 POSSIBLE  
C-45 TYPE.
39. DEIR EL ZOR AIRFIELD: NO AIRCRAFT. 2 TRUCKS, 5 VEHICLES,  
11 TENTS.
40. DUNEIR AIRFIELD: 1 BEAGLE, 32 FRESCO/FAGOT, 3 T-3 TYPE,  
10 POSSIBLE TRUCKS. MODERATE AMOUNT OF UNIDENTIFIED CONSTRUCTION  
IN PROGRESS. CONSTRUCTION COMPLETED ON 3 SMALL REVETTED HANGARS,  
APPROXIMATELY 30 FT X 30 FT AND 5 JET TYPE AIRCRAFT REVETMENTS  
APPROXIMATELY 30 FT IN WIDTH.
41. EL QUSIER AIRFIELD: NO AIRCRAFT. 10 PROBABLE SP GUNS,  
3 PROBABLE VEHICLES.
42. RASIN EL ABOUD AIRFIELD: 1 C-47 MOCK-UP, 10 TRUCKS, 40  
PROBABLE VEHICLES, 3 TENTS.
43. THE FOLLOWING AIRFIELDS REPORT 0 AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY:  
DEIR EL ZOR SOUTH, BJEERAH, PALMYRA, CARICELIYE (DAMASQUS), SAHL  
ES SAIRA, T-2, T-3, T-4.



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44. NO INFORMATION REPORTED FOR THE FOLLOWING: HAMA AIRFIELD,  
MINNIK AIRFIELD, SA/OAL AFLD.

45. AATEIBE/HADRA CITY (UTAYBAN MILITARY INSTALLATION): 55 TRUCKS,  
35 VEHICLES. APPROXIMATELY 40 PIECES OF UNIDENTIFIED EQUIPMENT.

46. ALEPPO MILITARY AREA:

(A) ALEPPO FAFIN TENT CAMP: NO INFORMATION

(B) ALEPPO KASERNE: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

47. BIR HAJAL CAMP: 10 TRUCKS, 23 VEHICLES. 45 TENTS.

48. DAMASCUS MILITARY COMPLEX:

(A) KISWAN MILITARY CAMP: NO INFORMATION.

(B) HARASTA ORDNANCE DEPOT: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

(C) QABOUJ MILITARY INSTALLATION: 30 AMPHIBIOUS TRACTORS,  
22 TRUCKS. APPROXIMATELY 200 VEHICLES AND/OR PIECES OF MILITARY  
EQUIPMENT IN OPEN STORAGE.

(D) AL MA'ZIR AMMO DEPOT: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

(E) DINAS MILITARY AREA: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

(F) HOUDANIYET MILITARY AREA: NO INFORMATION.

(G) QADAH MILITARY INSTALLATION: NO INFORMATION.

(H) DAMASCUS ORDNANCE- ARTILLERY REPAIR DEPOT: 20 POSSIBLE TANKS, 7 FA, 13 POSSIBLE FA, 102 TRUCKS, 73 VEHICLES.

(I) DUNA MILITARY ARE: NO ACTIVITY.

49. DARA MILITARY INSTALLATION: 11 PROBABLE TRUCKS.

50. DUWEIR MILITARY INSTALLATION: 5 VEHICLES, 5 TENTS.

51. EL QUNAYTIRAH MILITARY INSTALLATIONS: 153 TRUCKS, 21 VEHICLES.

52. HONS MILITARY DEPOT:

(A) HONS MILITARY DEPOT: 23 PROBABLE SP GUNS, 3 POSSIBLE SP GUNS, 224 TRUCKS, 30 HOWA LL TRUCKS, 35 VEHICLES.

(B) HONS MILITARY INSTALLATION: 5 VEHICLES.

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(C) HONS STORAGE AREA: LOCATED AT 343 W 3644E, 4.7 N SSE OF HONS; AREA, APPROXIMATELY 3000 FT X 1300 FT, CONSISTS OF 25 REVETTED BUILDINGS, 30 FT X 15 FT EACH, ARRANGED IN A RECTANGULAR/OVAL PATTERN AND CONNECTED BY A LOOP-TYPE ROAD. ON THE SOUTH EDGE OF THIS AREA ARE 3 GROUPS OF REVETMENTS EACH. EACH REVETMENT CONTAINS AN UNIDENTIFIED RECTANGULAR OBJECT APPROXIMATELY 25 FT BY 10 FT. AN ADDITIONAL 27 OF THESE OBJECTS ARE UNRETTED.

53. MANIN ANNO STORAGE SITE: 23 TRUCKS, 9 VEHICLES. APPROXIMATELY 80 STORAGE BUILDINGS. EXCAVATION GOING ON FOR CONSTRUCTION OF 6 ADDITIONAL BUILDINGS.

54. SAHL ES SAMRA MILITARY DEPOT: 37 TRUCKS, 30 VEHICLES.

55. SUWAYDA MILITARY INSTALLATION: 17 TRUCKS, 54 VEHICLES.

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55. THE FOLLOWING INSTALLATIONS REPORT NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY: BEIR JEMEL, AT BEIR E ZOR, ER RESSAFE TO HAMA AREA, DRRINE CITY, HAMA MILITARY INSTALLATION, KHAI MAISSALOUH MILITARY AREA, KOTCHER CITY, PALMYRA (TUDOR) AREA, QUTAYFAH AMMO STORAGE SOUTH, RR BETWEEN HOMS AND ALEPPO, RISAFE, ROAD - HOMS TO BEIR E ZOR TO ASU KEMAL, SAMAA BIAR CITY, SAHL ES SAHRA AMMO STORAGE AREA, SYRO-IRAQI - BORDER AREA FROM 3620N 4107E TO 3421N 4100E, SYRO-IRAQI BORDER FROM 3702N 4210E TO 3620N 4107E, SYRO-ISRAEL BORDER AREA, SYRO-JORDANIAN BORDER AREA FROM 3243N 3540E TO 321N 3650E, SYRO-LEBANESE BORDER AREA.

57. NO INFORMATION REPORTED FOR THE FOLLOWING: TLUDA: AREA, GONOUJA CITY, QATANA MILITARY INSTALLATION, RAQQAD, ROJAD ISLAND, SARAF: CITY.

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