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CUBs to the Middle East. Within the Warsaw Pact, the East European states are the only source of flyable export models used by the Arab states. This shipment is inferred from the flight correlations below, and would be consistent with evidence that East European nations have pledged support for the Arab states.

Czechoslovakia

13 Oct

5 Czech MIG-21s deployed to Prague

16 Oct

9-13 Soviet AN-12s flew eastward from Prague to Tbilisi. (25x1 North of Iran east of Odessa.)

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Poland

14 Oct

13 Polish MIG-21s flew from Goleniow to Powidz, Poland.

18 Oct

At least 5 Soviet AN-12s left Powidz, Poland for Budapest.

East Germany

18 Oct

6 Soviet AN-12s left Marxwalde, a MIG-21 base, for Budapest.

A total of 12 to 15 MIG-21s could be carried by the 20 to 24 AN-12 noted above. XGDS-2