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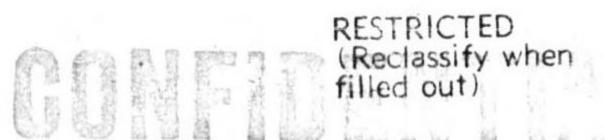
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I. GENERAL

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) Mission	Heckle	r						(f) Time of	of Return 01	410(I)(Zone)
II. OV	VN AIRCRA	FT OFFICI	ALLY COVER	RED BY TH	HIS REPO	RT.				\ \\\ \\
TYPE	SQUADRON	TAKING	NUMBER	ATTACKING		BOMBS /	AND TORPEDOE		FILZE	SETTING
(a)	(b)	OFF (c)	ENEMY A/C	TARGET (e)			(F) (PER PLANE)			(a) .ls
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ne			(ZONE)							
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(a) YPE OWN A/C	(b) SQUADRON	TYPE GL	JSE: TYPE ENEM' IN, OR OPERATIO	Y A/C, NAL CAUSE	WHERE HIT, self-sealing	ANGLE (Lisanks, equipn	st armor, nent hit)	(Give Bureau	T OF LOSS O serial number of	R DAMAGE, of planes destroyed)
None		-								
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VII. P	ERSONNEL	CASUAL	TIES (in airc	raft listed in	n 11 only; ide	ntify with	planes liste	d in VI by	y Nos. at	left).
(b)			(c)			d) USE			(e) NDITION OR	
SQUADRO	N	NAME, RAN	K OR RATING							
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VIII.	RANGE, I	FUEL, AN	D AMMUNI	TION DATA	A FOR PLAN	IES RETU	JRNING			
(a)	(b)	(c) MILES	AV HOURS	(e) AV FUEL	AV. FUEL	(g)	TOTAL AMMUN			NO. OF PLAN
A/C	OUT	RETURN	IN AIR	LOADED	CONSUMED	.30	.50	20MM	MM	RETURNING
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MEAVY — TI	Impact-fused	shells, 20mm	n-50mm							

SPEED, CLIMB, at various altitudes

None

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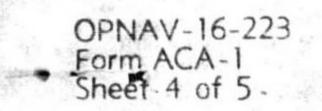
	(FOR SHI	PS INCLUDE ALL IN AREA	ISHIGAKI (b) Time O	ver Target(s)	(Zone)
(c) Clouds Over Target	MOHE	(BASE IN FEET	TYPE AND TENTHS OF COVER)		
(d) Visibility of Target	Clear but	Moonlight o	nly light (e)	Visibility	3 (MILES)
(f) Bombing Tactics: Type	Glide	(LEVEL, GLIDE OR DIVE)	Bomb Sight L	Jsed_NK_VI	II night retic
Bombs Dropped per Rur	NUMBER	Spacing	(FEET) Altitude	e of Bomb Rel	ease 3000 (FEET)
(g) Number of Enemy Airc	craft Hit on Gro	ound: DestroyedN	one Probably Destroyed	None	_ Damaged _ None
(h) AIMING POINT	(i) DIMENSIONS OR TONNAGE	(i) NO. A/C ATTACKING (k) SQUADRON	BOMBS AND AMMUNITION EXPENDED, EACH AIMING POINT	(m) NO. HITS On Aiming Point	(n) DAMAGE (None, slight, serious, destroyed or sunk)
ISHIGAKI Air- ield revetments		1 F6F-5N VF-33	2 A.R.	2	Unobserved
2MIYARA Airfield nd revetments	i	2 F6F-5N VF-33	1 100 G.P. 8 A.R.	1	Unobserved
3HIRARA Air-		1 T6F-5N VF-33	1 500 1 100 GP 2 A.R.	2 2	Unobserved
4NOBARRA Air- ield & revetments		1 F6F-5N VF-33.	1 500 G.P.	1	Unobserved
6 (All targe	ets were s	trafed.)			
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Targets (1) and (2) are located on ISHIGAKI JIMA. Two rockets and the bomb were seen to hit in the respective target area but extent of damage could not be observed because of darkness. A small fire was started at or close by target #2.

Targets (3) and (4) and (4) are located on MIYAKO JIMA. Bombs and rockets were seen to hit in the respective target areas but there was not enough light to assess damage. No fires were started.

(p)	Were Photographs	Taken? no	Photographs of	Damage,	When Taken,	Should Be	Attached By	Staple.

⁽O) RESULTS: (For all hits claimed on ship targets and for land targets of special interest, draw diagram, top or side view or both, as appropriate, showing type and location of hits. For all targets give location and effect of hits, and identify by numbers above. Use additional sheets if necessary).



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XII. TACTICAL AND OPERATIONAL DATA. (Narrative and comment. Describe action fully and comment freely, following applicable items in check list at left. Use additional sheets if necessary.)

ENGAGEMENT WITH ENEMY OWN AIRCRAFT

Altitudes
Speeds
Approach Tactics
Use of Cover, Deception
Angles of Attack and
Their Effectiveness
Distance of Opening Fire
Defense Tactics and
Their Effectiveness

ENEMY AIRCRAFT

Method of Locating, Distance Disposition Altitudes Speeds Approach Tactics Use of Cover, Deception Angles of Attack Distance of Opening Fire Defensive Tactics

COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Own Weaknesses

Enemy Weaknesses
Offensive Tactics, Own
" , Enemy
Defensive Tactics, Own
" , Enemy
Flexible Gunnery, Own
Escort Tactics
Fighter Direction
Use of Radar
Night Fighting
Recognition, Aircraft

ATTACK OWN TACTICS

Method of Locating Target
Approach to Target
Altitudes, Speeds
Approach
Dive
Pull-Out
Dive Angle
Strafing
Retirement
Defensive Tactics
Use of Jamming

DEFENSE, ENEMY

Evasive Tactics, Ships Concealment Searchlights Night Fighter Tactics Use of Jamming

COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Bombing Tactics
Torpedo Tactics
Effectiveness of
Bombs, Torpedoes
Selection of Targets
Fuzing
Strafing Tactics
Defensive Tactics
Use of Radar
Reconnaissance
Photography
Briefing

OPERATIONAL

Navigation
Homing
Rendezvous
Recognition, Ships
Communications
Flight Operations
Search and Tracking
Base Operations
Maintenance

None

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XIII. MATERIAL DATA. (Comment freely on performance or suitability, following check list at left.

Use additional sheets if necessary).

None

Guns, Gunsights
Turrets
Ammunition
Bombs, Torpedoes
Bomb Sights
Bomb Releases

COMMUNICATIONS

Radio, Radar Homing Devices Visual Signals Codes, Ciphers

RECOGNITION

IFF Signals Battle Lights Procedures

PROTECTION

Armor; Points and Angles of Fire Needing Further Protection Leak Proofing

EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT

Parachutes Life Belts, Life Rafts Safety Belts Emergency Kits Rations, First Aid

NAVIGATIONAL EQUIPMENT

Compasses
Driftsights
Octants
Automatic Pilots
Charts
Field Lighting

INSTRUMENTS

Flight Power Plant

OXYGEN SYSTEM

CAMOUFLAGE AND DECEPTION DEVICES

STRUCTURE

Airframe
Control Surfaces
Control System
Dive Flaps
Landing Gear
Heating System
Flight Characteristics
At Various Loadings

POWER PLANT

Engines
Engine Accessories
Propellers
Lubricating System
Starters
Exhaust Dampers

HYDRAULIC SYSTEM

ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

Auxiliary Plant Lights

FUEL SYSTEM

FLIGHT CLOTHING

MAINTENANCE

BASE FACILITIES

Plane Servicing Equipment Personnel Facilities

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