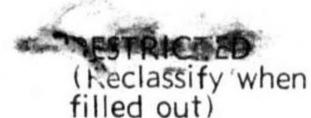


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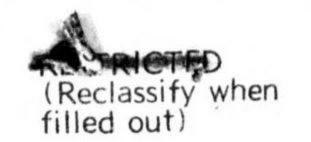
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TYPE (a)	SQUADRON (b)	TAKING OFF (c)	NUMBER ENGAGING ENEMY A/C (d)	ATTACKING TARGET (e)		BOMBS AND TORPEDOES CARRIED (PER PLANE) (f)				ETTING)	
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(a)	T	RAFT DESTR		AMAGED IN	VAIR	(By Own	Aircraft Lis	ted in 11 C	Only).		(d)
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(a) YPE OWN		(b) SQUADRON		(c) E: TYPE ENEM OR OPERATIO		AL, OF OWN AIRCRAFT (of WHERE HIT, ANGLE (List armor, self-sealing tanks, equipment hit)	(e) EXTENT OF LOSS OR DAMAGE, (Give Bureau serial number of planes destroyed)
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1)	(b)		(c)		craft listed	in II only; identify with planes (d) CAUSE	listed in VI by Nos. at left). (e) CONDITION OR STATUS
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(2)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g) TOTAL AMMUNITION EXPENDED				NO OF PLANES
TYPE	MILES	MILES RETURN	AV. HOURS	AV FUEL LOADED	AV. FUEL -	.30	.50	20MM	MM	RETURNING
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IX. ENEMY ANTI-AIRCRAFT ENCOUNTERED (Check one block on each line).

CALIBER

NONE

MEAGER

MODERATE

INTENSE

MEDIUM — Impact-fused shells, 20mm-50mm

LIGHT — Machine gun bullets, 6.5mm-13.2mm

X. COMPARATIVE PERFORMANCE, OWN AND ENEMY AIRCRAFT (use check list at left).

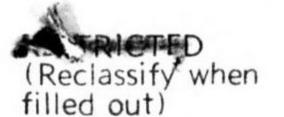
SPEED, CLIMB, at various altitudes

No opportunity for comparison

TURNS
DIVES
CEILINGS
RANGE
PROTECTION
ARMAMENT

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AIRCRAFT ACTION REPORT



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XI. ATTACK ON EN (a) Target(s) and Location	n(s)	GROUND OBJECT	IVES (By Own Aircraft	Listed in II Only) me Over Target(s)	1400-1425 (Zone)
(c) Clouds Over Target			TYPE AND TENTHS OF COVE		
(d) Visibility of Target	(CLEAR, HA	ZY, PARTIALLY OBSCURED	BY CLOUDS, ETC.)	(e) Visibility	(MILES)
(f) Bombing Tactics: Type	01110	(LEVEL, GLIDE OR DIVE)	Bomb S	sight Used	(TYPE)
Bombs Dropped per Rui	n(NUMBER	Spacing	(FEET)	Ititude of Bomb Rel	(FEET)
(g) Number of Enemy Airo	craft Hit on Gro	ound: Destroyed	Probably Des	troyed	_ Damaged
(h) AIMING POINT	(i) DIMENSIONS OR TONNAGE	(i) NO. A/C ATTACKING (k) SQUADRON	BOMBS AND AMMUNIT EXPENDED, EACH AIMING		(n) DAMAGE (None, slight, serious, destroyed or sunk)
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All bombs dropped in the designated target area but results of each hit could not be observed. Demage that could be observed included 1 pill box knocked out, several caves closed and numerous hits in a small area known to have a commentration of enemy troops.

(p) We	re Photographs	Taken?	Photographs of	Damage,	WhenTaken,	Should Be	Attached By	Staple.
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⁽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

Disposition
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

Torpedo planes approached the island from the east and reported in to CASCU who designated the target to be hit. The attack was slow and deliberate with pilots in pointing specific installations. Also planes circled the target area for a long time before attacking so there the target area for a long time before attacking so there was plenty of opportunity to select worthwhile points of aim.

No material difficulties experienced.

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XIII. MATERIAL DATA. (Comment freely on performance or suitability, following check list at left. Use additional sheets if necessary).

ARMAMENT

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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