

AIRCRAFT ACTION REPORT

CONFIDENTIAL
RESTRICTED
CLASSIFICATION
EXEMPT

(OMIT THIS SHEET IF NO ATTACK WAS MADE)

REPORT No. **CVG 41-45**

XI. ATTACK ON ENEMY SHIPS OR GROUND OBJECTIVES (By Own Aircraft Listed in II Only).

- (a) Target(s) and Location(s) Nobara airfield, Miyako Sima (b) Time Over Target(s) 1700 I (Zone)
(FOR SHIPS INCLUDE ALL IN AREA UNDER ATTACK)
- (c) Clouds Over Target 2500' 5/10 cover
(BASE IN FEET, TYPE AND TENTHS OF COVER)
- (d) Visibility of Target Slight haze (e) Visibility 25
(CLEAR, HAZY, PARTIALLY OBSCURED BY CLOUDS, ETC.) (MILES)
- (f) Bombing Tactics: Type VF - glide VF - dive Bomb Sight Used VF - Mk 8 gunsight
(LEVEL, GLIDE OR DIVE) (TYPE)
- Bombs Dropped per Run VF - one VF - all Spacing - - Altitude of Bomb Release 4000'
(NUMBER) (FEET)
- (g) Number of Enemy Aircraft Hit on Ground: Destroyed none Probably Destroyed none Damaged none

(h) AIMING POINT	(i) DIMENSIONS OR TONNAGE	(j) NO. A/C ATTACKING (k) SQUADRON	(l) BOMBS AND AMMUNITION EXPENDED, EACH AIMING POINT	(m) NO. HITS On Aiming Point	(n) DAMAGE (None, slight, serious, destroyed or sunk)
1 VF E-W runway	Nobara	4 VF-24	40 - 100# G.P. bombs	20	Cratered
2 VF N-S runway	Nobara	4 VF-24	40 - 100# G.P. bombs	35	Cratered
3 VF Motor Roll	- -	8 VF-24	64 rockets	- -	Serious
4 VF Motor Roll d	- -	8 VF-24	24 rockets - strafe	- -	Serious
5 VF E-W runway	Nobara	4 VF-24	4 bombs	4	Cratered
6 N-S runway	Nobara	8 VF-24	4 bombs	4	Cratered
7 VF Storage area	- -	8 VF-24			
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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).

VF - 3) This is a group of approximately fifteen buildings located about 500 yards west of &) Mirara town. Numerous hits were scored in the area and two large gasoline fires started. Numerous truck revetments surround the area many of which are occupied. The exact number of trucks hit and destroyed is unknown.

VF - 7 This area is located on the west coast of the northern part of Miyako. It consists of caves and small revetted buildings, dispersed in a line along the base of an escarpment for a half mile. Large fires were started all through the area. Whatever is started there burned very easily.

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

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