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Disposition of Army Air Units

Army Division
Imperial General Headquarters
August 31, 1945

Explanation

1. Outlines of the disposition of the Headquarters of the Army Air Force and the headquarters not lower than the Headquarters of the Air Division and the units under their command is indicated in the "Chart of the Disposition of the Army Air Units".

The system of command is also indicated in the same chart, i.e., in the column "Units".

2. Units under the command of the Headquarters of the Army Air Force and their locations are indicated in Annex I to the above-mentioned chart.

3. Units under the command of the General Air Force and their positions are indicated in Annex II and Annex III to the above-mentioned chart.

Annex II indicates the situation as of August 15, 1945 i.e. before the start of demobilization. At the end of August the units in Japan Proper had mostly been demobilized, leaving a small personnel. Units still remaining at the end of August and their locations are indicated in Annex III.

ABBREVIATIONS

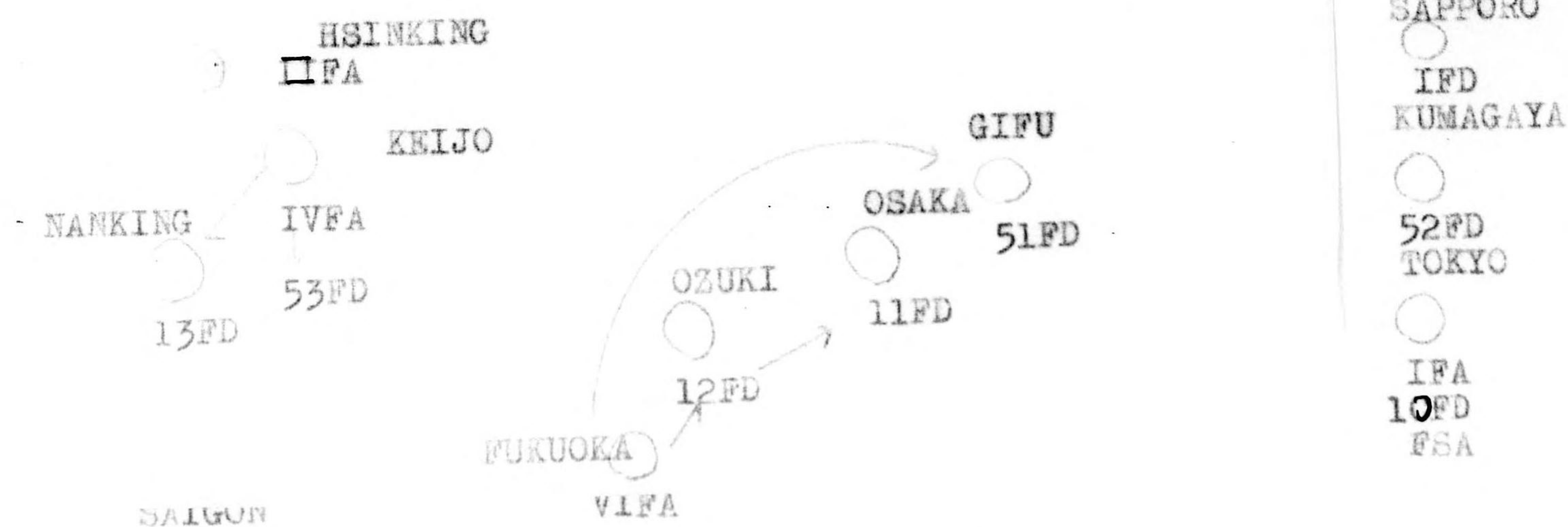
FA	Headquarters of the Air Force
FDK	Headquarters of the Air Division
FB	Headquarters of the Flying Corps
RFB	Headquarters of the Onslaught Flying Corps
F	Flying Squadron
RFR	Onslaught Flying Squadron
KFR	Glider Squadron
FMs	Independent Flying Corps
Fc	Independent Flying Company
Re	Exercise Corps
Re	Instruction Corps
Lc	Training Corps
aR	Air Navigation Instruction Corps
aB	Headquarters of Air District
ab	Airfield Battalion
ac	Airfield Company
AB	Headquarters of Airfield Construction
FS	Field Aircraft Repair Shop
FH	Field Aircraft Supply Depot
FTB	Headquarters of Air Communication
AR	Airfield Construction Corps
ARR	Meteorological Regiment
FTR	Air Communication Regiment
FN	Air Information Corps
KS	Aerial Survey Corps
TM	Aerial Radio Corps
Dfs	Independent Service Corps
Hg	Commissary Automobiles

of the
Army Air Force

As of the end of August, 1945

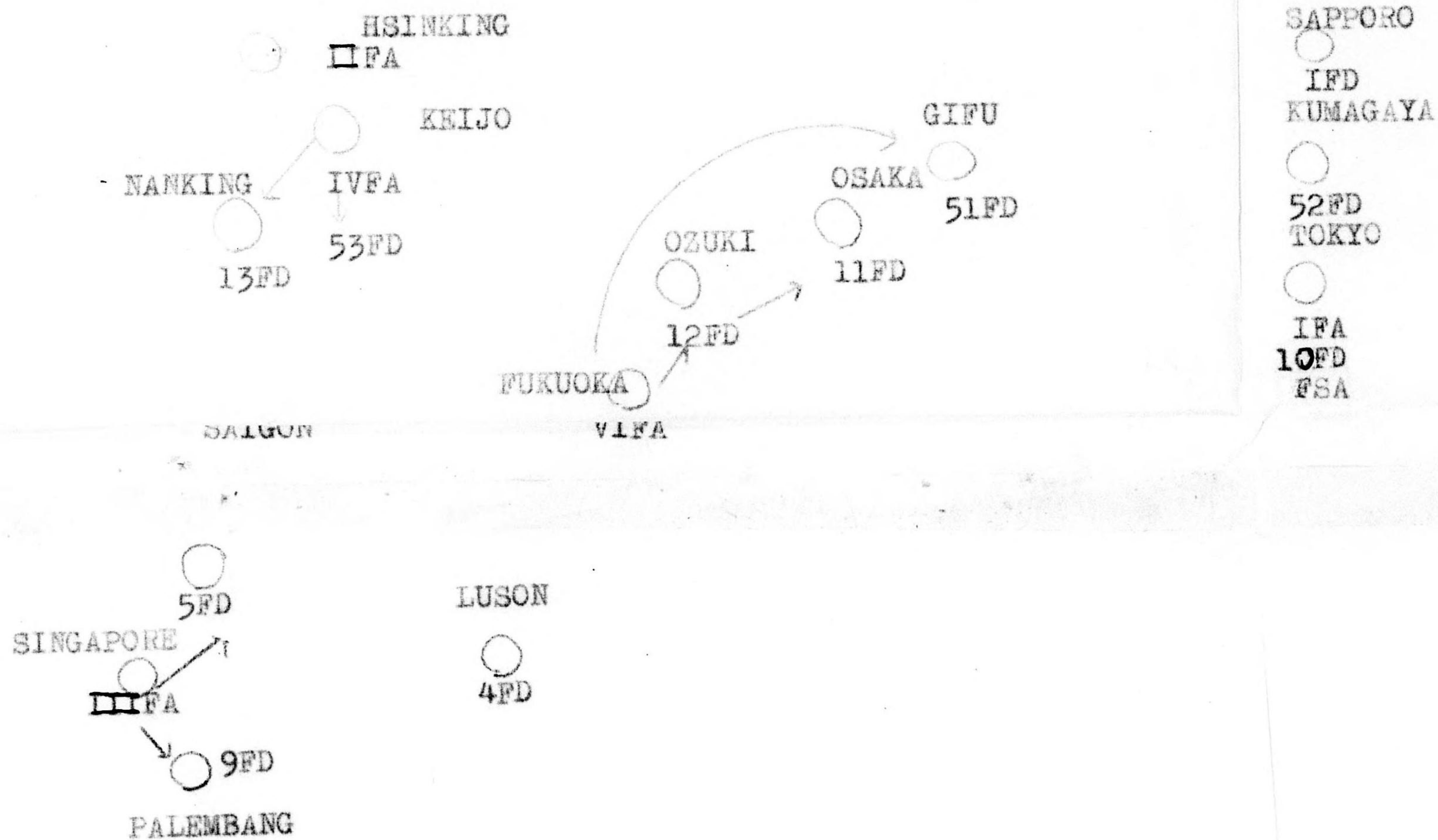
UNIT	HQ	LOCATIONS OF UNITS UNDER COMMAND	REMARKS	
HQ of the Army Air Force	Tokyo	Honshu, Kyushu	JAPAN PROPER	
General Air Force	Tokyo	Japan Proper, Korea, Manchuria, China		
First Air Force	Tokyo	Tohoku, Tobu and Tokai Army Districts		
10th Air Div.	Tokyo	Tobu Army Districts		
	Kumagaya	Tobu and Tohoku Army Districts		
Sixth Air Force	Fukuoka	Chubu, Chugoku, Shikoku, Seibu & Tokai Army Districts		
11th Air Div.	Osaka	Chubu and Tohoku Army Districts		
12th Air Div.	Ozuki	Chugoku and Seibu Army Districts		
51st Air Div.	Gifu	same as the Sixth Air Force		
Second Air Force	Hsinking	Manchuria		Under CINC, Kwantung Army
Fifth Air Force	Keijo	Korea and China		Under CINC, 17th Regional Army
53rd Air Div.	Keijo	Korea		Under CINC, Expeditionary Forces in China
13th Air Div.	Nanking	China		
1st Air Div.	Obihiro	Hokkaido, Saghalien and Kuriles		Under CINC, 10th Regional Army
8th Air Div.	Taihoku	Formosa, Ryukyu	Under CINC, 10th Regional Army	
Third Air Force	Singapore	French Indo China, Thailand, Malaya, Sumatra, Java and Borneo.	Under CINC, Southern General Army	
5th Air Div.	Saigon	Thailand and French Indochina		
9th Air Div.	Singapore	Sumatra and Malaya		
4th Air Div.		Philippines	Under CINC, 14th Regional Army	

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 - Details of the disposition of the units outside of Japan Proper are under investigation; accurate information is not available owing to severance of communication or movements of the units.
 - The general disposition of the units contained in the above chart is as under.



8th Air Div.	Taihoku	Formosa, Ryukyu	Under CINC, 10th Regional Army
Third Air Force	Singapore	French Indo China, Thailand, Malaya, Sumatra, Java and Borneo.	Under CINC, Southern General Army
5th Air Div.	Saigon		
9th Air Div.	Singapore		
4th Air Div.		Philippines	Under CINC, 14th Regional Army

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ANNEX I

TO

Chart of the Disposition of the Army Air Force

CHART OF THE LOCATIONS OF UNITS UNDER HQ OF THE ARMY AIR FORCE	
NAME OF UNIT	LOCATION
AIR TRAINING DIV.	
Headquarters	Kiyohara Village, Haga County, Tochigi Prefecture
1st Air Training Corps	Kitahama Village, Doai County, Miye Prefecture
2nd Air Training Corps	Omama Town Agricultural School, Yamada County, Gumma Prefecture
3rd Air Training Corps	Kuroiso Town, Nasu County, Tochigi Prefecture
4th Air Training Corps	Kuro Village, Hamana County, Shizuoka Prefecture
5th Air Training Corps	Wakamatsu Street, Chiba City, Chiba Prefecture
6th Air Training Corps	Kiyohara Village, Haga County, Tochi- gi Prefecture
MITO AIR COMMUNICA- TION TRAINING DIV.	Yoshida Village, Ibaragi County, Ibaragi Prefecture
KAKOGAWA AIR COMMUNI- CATION TRAINING DIV.	Noguchi Village, Kako County, Hyogo Prefecture
1st Training Corps	Noguchi Village, Kako County, Hyogo Prefecture
2nd Training Corps	Onoye Village, Kako County, Hyogo Prefecture
3rd Training Corps	Kamino Village, Kako County, Hyogo Prefecture
4th Training Corps	Shisui Village, Kikuchi County, Kumamoto Prefecture
TACHIKAWA AIRCRAFT SER- VICING TRAINING DIV.	Fukuoi Town, Tama County, Tokyo

MILITARY AIR ACADEMY	Toyooka Town, Iruma Country, Saitama Prefecture
TOKYO ARMY JUVENILE AERONAUTICAL SCHOOL	Murayama Village, Kita Tama County, Tokyo
OTSU ARMY JUVENILE AERONAUTICAL SCHOOL	Beppu Street, Otsu City, Shiga Prefecture
OITA ARMY JUVENILE AERONAUTICAL SCHOOL	Namaishi, Oita City, Oita Prefecture
SENDAI ARMY AERONAUTICAL SCHOOL	Masuda Town, Natori County, Miyagi Prefecture
DEPARTMENT OF TRAINING IN ELECTRIC-WAVE ARMS	Kodaira Village, Kita Tama County, Ibaragi Prefecture
2nd CORPS OF TRAINING IN ELECTRIC-WAVE ARMS	Kodaira Village, Kita Tama County, Tokyo
3rd CORPS OF TRAINING IN ELECTRIC-WAVE ARMS	Kodaira Village, Kita Tama County, Tokyo
4th CORPS OF TRAINING IN ELECTRIC-WAVE ARMS	Kunitachi Village, Kita Tama County, Tokyo
METEOROLOGICAL DEPART- MENT	Mabashi, Suginami Ward, Tokyo
1st Meteorological Corps	Takaido National School, Kami Takaido, Suginami Ward, Tokyo
2nd Meteorological Corps	Iwaki Village National School, Kita County, Nara Prefecture
3rd Meteorological Corps	25 Obori Street, Fukuoka City
4th Meteorological Corps	Teido Street, Keijo, Korea
Meteorological Training Dept.	Fukuoi Town, Nishi Tama County, Tokyo
AERONAUTICAL EXAMINA- TION DEPARTMENT	Fukuoi Town, Nishi Tama County, Tokyo
FIRST INSTITUTE OF RESEARCHES IN AERO- NAUTICAL TECHNIQUES	Fukuoi Town, Nishi Tama County, Tokyo
SECOND "	Tachikawa City, Tokyo

Third INSTITUTE OF RESEARCHES IN AERONAUTICAL TECHNIQUES	Fukuoi Town, Nishi Tama County, Tokyo
FOURTH "	Hachioji Technical School, Hachioji City
FIFTH "	Tachikawa City, Tokyo
SIXTH "	Tachikawa City, Tokyo
SEVENTH "	Ome National School, Ome Town, Nishi Tama County, Tokyo
EIGHTH "	Tachikawa City, Tokyo
TAMA INSTITUTE OF TECHNICAL RESEARCHES	Showa Town, Kita Tama County, Tokyo
DEPARTMENT OF EXAMINATION IN AERIAL ADAPTABILITY	Chofu Town, Kita Tama County, Tokyo
ARMY AERONAUTICAL WORKS	Showa Town, Kita Tama County, Tokyo
FIELD SERVICE SECTION OF HQ OF ARMY AIR FORCE	Tachikawa City, Tokyo

ANNEX II

Chart of the Disposition of the Army Air Force

Disposition of Units under the Command of the General Air Force

(as of August 15, 1945)

Part II: Ground Corps

LFA
(TOKYO) -

- 17ab(MATSUMOTO) 40ab(IWATE) 62ab(MATSUDO) 47ab(KOMAKI)
- 660ab(HACHINOHE) 74ab(NOSHIRO) 95ab(IWATE) 144ab(KODAMA)
- 164ab(KANAMARUHARA) 165ab 166ab 169ab(NITTA) 170ab(TATEBAYASHI)
- 175ab(SHIMODATE) 177ab(NASUNO) 252ab(KOFU) 253ab(SHIMOTSUGA
- (TOCHIGI) 254ab(YOKAICHI) 256ab (ISHIGAMI...FUKUSHIMA)
- 257ab(SAYAMA) 258ab(KIYOHARA...TOCHIGI) D.501(KAGAMIGAHARA
- HIGASHI) D. 502(KITA ISE) 42ab(KOMAKI) 61ab(HAMAMATSU)
- 62ab(AKENO) 163ab(KIYOSU)
- 10FD - 48ab(SHIMODATE) 3ab(KASHIWA) 6ab(MATSUDO) 7ab(IMBA)
- 43ab(NARIMASU) 116ab(FUJIGAYA) 140ab(YACHIMATA)
- 141ab(KOSHIGAYA) 232ab(MATSUYAMA) 233ab(MASUDA)
- 234ab(SAKADO) 244ab(CHOFU)
- 20FW(IMBA)
- 10FD - 25FW(SAKADO) 26FW(KOSHIGAYA)
- 4FTB(TOKYO) - 13FTL(CHOFU) 16FTL ? LACKING 1 COMPANY
(TAKAMATSU)
- 32FN(TOKYO)
- 2FTL(TOKYO)....(EMPERIAL GENERAL HEADQUARTERS)
- MIKATAGAHARA KYB - (A PART THEREOF)
- 52FDK - 2nd SENDAI ARMY HOSPITAL/ KORIYAMA ARMY HOSPITAL
- 45ab(TAIKYU) 48ab(FUSAN) 18ab(MOPPO) 44ab(KIMPO)
- 181ab(MAIN FORCE)(SHIDO) 210ab(SUIGEN) 223ab(URUSAN)
- 145ab(SHISEN) 182ab(MAIN FORCE)(SHIDO) 191ab(TAIKYU)
- 225ab(KAIUNDAI) 247ab(SAISHU) 192ab(-2/3)(SHIDO)
- 223ab(A PART)(KINKO) 225ab(A PART)(MITSUYO) 203ab(TANYO)
- 231ab(MOPPO) 211ab(MOPPO) 59ab(TAIDEN) 171ab(GUNSAN)
- 181ab(RYUSAN) 182ab(A PART)(KIMPO)
- 12ac(SUIGEN) 102ac(TAIKYU) 103ac(MITSUYO) 57ac(SAISHU)
- 2an(FUSHU)
- 4AER(HEADQUARTERS(URUSAN)
- 5FTB(SANROSHIN)
- 10FW(TAIKYU)
- 7FS(TAIKYU) 11/7FS(URUSAN) 1/7FS(SHISEN) FS(GUNSAN)
- 1/15FS(KIMPO) 26FS(SUIGEN) FS(SUIGEN) 173DFS(SUIGEN)
- 181DFS(SUIGEN) 308DFS(SUIGEN) 6DFS/8FS(SUIGEN)
- 180DFS 303DFS(TAIKYU) 305DFS(URUSAN) 168DFS(TANYO)
- 189DFS(KAIUNDAI) 162DFS 161DFS(MOPPO) 172DFS(TAIDEN)
- 141DFS(GUNSAN) 316DFS
- 7AB(KINSEN) 155AR(KINSEN) 157AR(KINSEN) 167AR(KINSEN)
- 171AR(TAIKYU) 170AR(URUSAN) 166AR(KAIUNDAI) 176AR(MITSUYO)
- 154AR(MOPPO) 175AR(TANYO) 165AR(GUNSAN)
- 14ak(TAIDEN) 1ak(HEITAKU)
- KOREAN DISTRICT OF AIR ROUTES
- 246ab(TAISHO) 71ab(MATSUYAMA) 143ab(ITAMI) 146ab(ITAMI)
- 237ab(YOKAICHI)....11FD
- 51ab248ab(ASHIYA) 4ab(OZUKI) 64ab(FUKUOKA) 65ab
- (NAKABARU...SAGA) 193ab(KASUYA) 194ab(TACHIARAI MINAMI)

FSA
(TC -
KYC) - 57A
(KRIJO)

6FA
-(FUKUOKA)

Bofu
235ab(BEPPU) 238ab(CHIKUGO)...12FD
227ab(CHIRAN) 173ab(BANSEI)...7FB
249ab, 251ab, 173ab(TAKAMATSU) 190ab(YURA)...100FB
250ab, 255ab, 189ab(MIKI) 230ab(OKAYAMA) 240ab
(KAKOGAWA)...51FDK
-41ab(MIYAKONOJO) - 142ab(NITTAHARA) 172ab(MIYAKONOJO)
238ab(SHIWACHI..MIYAZAKI) 236ab(MITSUMATA) 60ab(TAKAMATSU
61ab(KAKOGAWA) KUMAMOTO/ab - 162ab(SUMINOSHU) 174ab
(KUMAMOTO) 229ab
(NISHIOGISHI....KUMAMOTO) 239ab(UEKI)
-12FD - 27FW(OITA) 28FW(KUMAMOTO) 30FW(MIYAKONOJO)
-1FTB(FUKUOKA) - 18FTL(TAISHU) 18FTL(FUKUOKA)
-35FN(OSAKA) 36FN(FUKUOKA)
-9FTL(FUKUOKA PREF.) IMPERIAL GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
-MIYATAGAHARA KFB (A PART THEREOF)
-12FH(MIYAKONOJO)
-OSAKA FS
-TACHIBANA FS

-1FD (SAPORO) SEE SEPARATE CHART

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Chart of the Disposition of the Army Air Force

Disposition of Units under the Command of the General Air Force

(as of August 15, 1945)

Part I: Flying Corps

10FD - 18F(KASHIWA) 23F(IMBA) 28FS(TOGANE)
 53F(MATSUDO) 70F(KASHIWA)
 -5FB(NISHI TSUKUBA)
 12FB(TAKAHAGI) - 1F(TAKAHAGI) 11F(TAKAHAGI)
 (51F)
 16FB(SHIMODATE) - (52F)SHIMODATE)

26FB(NASUNO) - 3F(NOSHIRO)
 14F (NIPPA)
 45F (HOKOTA)
 74F (SAKADO)
 75F (HACHINOHE)
 16FS(KODAMA)
 28F (TOGANE)
 2nd KAIEN CORPS (NIIGATA)
 52FDK - 6Le(YAKUMO) 1Re(SAGAMI) 24Re(MIITSUBARA)
 4Ke(KODAMA) 3Ke(SAYAMA)
 -1FB(FUSHU)
 -2FB(TAIKYU)
 -3FB(URUSAN) - 16F(HEIJO)
 16F (URUSAN)
 22F (SHISEN)
 23F (SHISEN)
 32F (TAIKYU)
 35F (SHISEN)
 66FCS REST OF THEREOF: (KAIUNDAI)
 206FS(KAIUNDAI)
 1Fcs(KAIUNDAI)
 1st KAIEN CORPS (URUSAN)
 55FDK - PART: (KEIJO) MAIN FORCE (TAIDEN) 9Le(TAIDEN)
 2Re(SUIGEN) 12Re(GUNSAN) 23Re(GUNSAN) 25Re(SENTOKU)
 5Re 19Re(GUNSAN) 103KFB(KANKO) 11Ke(REMPU) 19Ke
 (ONSEIRI) 30Ke(TAIDEN) 41Ke(SUIGEN)
 105KFB(CHINA) - 14Ke 18Ke 28Ke 5Re 19Re
 1REB(TAIKYU) - 1RFR(REMPU) 1KFR (MITSUYO)
 1KFR - A PART THEREOF: (SENTOKU)

11FD - 55F(KOMAKI) 56F(ITAMI) 246F(TAISHO)
 12FD - 4F(OZUKI) 47F(ASA) 71F(BOFU) \

30FC(KUMAMOTO) - 59F(ASHIYA) 62F(NISHI TSUKUBA) 101F
 (TAKAMATSU) 103F(MIHARA)HYOGO 244F(YOKAICHI)
 17FS(KUMAMOTO)
 7FB(FUKUOKA)
 21FB(KASHIWABARA)
 100FB(TAKAMATSU)
 45F
 60F(SUMAMOTO)
 65F(CHIRAN)
 66F(BANSEI)
 110(SOMINOSHO)
 12F(FUKUOKA)
 51FDK - 7Le(KYOTO) 8Le(TOTTORI) 6Re(MIKI) 10Re(KITA ISE)
 11Re(METABARU) 1Ke(KAKOGAWA) 10Ke(GIFU) 40Ke(GIFU)

1FA
 (TOKYO)

5FA
 (KEIJO)
 (PARTLY
 AT MI-
 TSUYO)

6FA
 (FUKU-
 OKA)

FSA
(TOKYO) -

- 1FB(SAPPORO) - SEE SEPARATE CHART
- 23FB(KOMAKI 5F(KIYOSU)
- 53F (A PART THEREOF: TOYAMA, NIIGATA)
- 20FC
- 111F(KOMAKI)
- 112F(GIFU HIGASHI)
- 2FS(KASHIWABARA)
- 27FB
- 7F(ITAMI)
- 98F(KODAMA)
- 1FS(YACHIMATA)
- MIKATAGAHARA KFB
- DEPT. OF AIR TRANSPORTATION(TACHIKAWA)-7nF(GIFU) 8nF(TACHIKAWA)
- 2*(YOKKAICHI)-31FUL(HYOGO) 1FNR(IWATA) 1KSR(HINO) 1AER(SUZUKA)
- CENTRAL DEPT. OF AIR ROUTES(HACHIOJI)
- DEPARTMENT OF TRAINING IN ESTABLISHMENT OF BASES(TOYOHASHI)
- 1RB(TAKANABE)-1R1(YOKOSHIBA) 2R1(TAKANABE)
- AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY CORPS (SHIMOSHIZU)
- UTSUNOMIYA FS
- TACHIKAWA FS
- KAGAMIGAHARA FS
- TOKYO FH
- OSAKA FH
- SHIBUKAWA ARMY HOSPITAL
- KAMEYAMA ARMY HOSPITAL
- SASAYAMA ARMY HOSPITAL

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ANNEX III

To

Chart of the Disposition of the Army Air Force
Disposition of the Units under the Command of the General
AA Force

(as of the end of August, 1945)

- 10FD HQ. (TOKYO)
- 52FDHQ. (NUNAGAYA)
- 5FB(NISHI TSUKUBA) 12FB(TAKANAGI) 16FB(SHIMODATE)
- 25FB(NASUO)
- 17ab(MATSUMOTO) 40ab(IWATE) 45ab(SHIMODATE)
- 47ab(KOBE)
- 52ab(MATSUMOTO)
- 4PTB(TOKYO) 15FTL MAIN FORCE (SHOBU)
- FIELD SERVICE CORPS OF DEPT. OF AIR ROUTES
- GUARDS OF MATERIAL
- PH (NAGANO, NOSHIRO, NASUO, NIIGATA, KOBE)
- METEOROLOGICAL FIELD SERVICE CORPS (TOKYO, KOBE, KYO, MIYAMA, NASUO, NISHI TSUKUBA, IWATE)
- TOROROZAWA, YAMATA, 2nd SENDAI AND KORIYAMA ARMY HOSPITALS
- 11FD(KASHIWABARA) 23FB(KOBE)
- 12FD HQ. (OSUKE)
- 51KD HQ. (GIFU)
- 30FO(KUMAMOTO) 100FB(TAKAMATSU)
- 41ab(MIYAKONOJO) 51ab(FUKUOKA) 60ab(TAKAMATSU)
- 61ab(KAKOGAWA)
- KUMAMOTO SB
- 1PTB(FUKUOKA) - 18FTL(TAIBHO) 19FTL(FUKUOKA)
- FUKUOKA PHC
- TACHIBANA FS OSAKA FS
- 51FDK(ARMY HOSPITAL THEREUNDER)
- FIELD SERVICE CORPS OF DEPT. OF AIR ROUTES
- HQ. OF GENERAL DEPT. OF AIR ROUTES
- UENOMIYA FS TACHIKAWA FS KAGAMIGAHARA FS
- TOKYO PH(FUKUI) OSAKA(Except detachments)
- (KASHIWABARA)
- SHIBUKAWA, KANEYAMA AND SARAYAMA ARMY HOSPITALS

1FA
(TOKYO)-

FBA
(TO-
KYO)

6FA
(FUKUOKA)

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NOTE: FA, FD(FDK), FB and SB are composed of
Headquarters only.