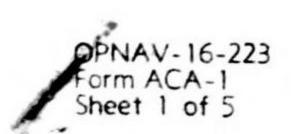
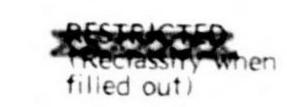
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I. GENERAL

SECRET

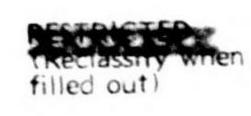
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(a)	SQUADRON	TAKING	NUMBER	ATTACKING		BOMBS A	ND TORPEDOE	S		
	(b)	OFF (c)	ENEMY A/C	ATTACKING TARGET (e)	CARRIED (PER PLANE) (f)			FUZE, SETTING (g)		
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1176	SQUADRON	NUMBER		BASE		TYPE	SQUADRON	NUMBER	ВА	SE
Apparer Did Any Encount Time of Sun of	OBSERVED The Enemy Mart of er (s) Occur Day and Brit or Moon —	ission(s)in Clouds?_ Iliance	(ZONE	If so, Describ	ON OF INTER	C.)	SOMBS, TORPED GUNS OF	SERVED FEET. TYPE AND (k) Visibil	TENTHS OF COV	
TYPE	EMY AIRCRAFT DESTROYED OR DAMAGED IN AIR (By Own Aircraft List							(c)		(d)
MY A/C	TYPE A/C	SQUADRON	PILOT	OR GUNNER		GUNS US	ED	WHERE HI	T, ANGLE	DAMAGE CLAIMED

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VI. LOSS OR DAMAGE, COMBAT OR OPERATIONAL, OF OWN AIRCRAFT (of those listed in II only).

(a)
(b)
CAUSE: TYPE ENEMY A/C
TYPE OWN A/C
SQUADRON
TYPE GUN, OR OPERATIONAL CAUSE

WHERE HIT, ANGLE (List armor, self-sealing tanks, equipment hit)

(Give Bureau serial number of planes destroyed)

1
2
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VII. PERSONNEL CASUALTIES (in aircraft listed in II only; identify with planes listed in VI by Nos. at left).

(a) (b) (c) (c) (d) (CAUSE CONDITION OR STATUS

CAUSE CONDITION OR STATUS

VIII. RANGE, FUEL, AND AMMUNITION DATA FOR PLANES RETURNING (g) TOTAL AMMUNITION EXPENDED NO OF PLANES · (f)
AV. FUEL
CONSUMED (e) AV FUEL LOADED (d) AV. HOURS IN AIR (c) MILES RETURN (b) MILES (a) RETURNING 20MM MM TYPE A/C 50 .30 OUT 1029 0 1400 825 825

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

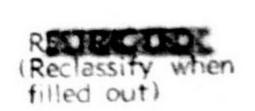
X. COMPARATIVE PERFORMANCE, OWN AND ENEMY AIRCRAFT (use check list at left).

NONE

SPEED, CLIMB, at various altitudes

TURNS
DIVES
CEILINGS
RANGE
PROTECTION
ARMAMENT

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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

ATTACK

OWN TACTICS

Night Fighting

Recognition, Aircraft

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

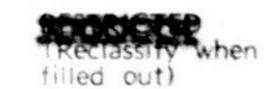
OPERATIONAL

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

a true course of 344° from Saipan to 27°-38' N, 141°-55' E, a right turn to 27°-43' N, 142°-10' E, and return to base on an approximate course of 165°. Crew reported no observations, either visual or radar indicated.

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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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