

HEADQUARTERS 55TH BOMB WING (H)  
 APO 520 US ARMY  
 MISSION SUMMARY NUMBER 143

OPERATIONS FOR 15 December 1944

	<u>460TH</u>	<u>464TH</u>	<u>465TH</u>	<u>485TH</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
MISSIONS:	0	1	1	1	3
# A/C SCHEDULED:	45	47	45	52	189
# A/C DISPATCHED:	39	35	38	43	155
EARLY RETURNS:	30	28	32	28	118
# SORTIES:	1	24	31	22	78
A/C BOMBING:	1	23	31	22	77
TONNAGE DROPPED:	2	46	61.75	43.75	153.5
LOSSES: FLAK:	0	0	0	0	0
E/A:	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER:	0	0	0	0	0
MISSING	0	0	0	0	0
<u>SEVERE/SLIGHT</u>					
DAMAGED: FLAK:	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/2	0/2
E/A:	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0
OTHER:	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0
E/A DEST. IN AIR:	0	0	0	0	0
PROBABLE:	0	0	0	0	0
DAMAGED	0	0	0	0	0
E/A DEST ON GRND:	0	0	0	0	0
DAMAGED:	0	0	0	0	0

55TH WING OPERATIONS TO DATE

	<u>460TH</u>	<u>464TH</u>	<u>465TH</u>	<u>485TH</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
MISSIONS:	135	114	118	116	483
# A/C DISPATCHED:	4468	3894	3871	3743	15976
EARLY RETURNS:	337	270	276	191	1074
# SORTIES:	3933	3366	3351	3374	14024
A/C BOMBING:	3532	2962	2995	2954	12443
TONNAGE DROPPED:	7979.12	6729.95	6773.75	6762.25	28245.07
LOSSES: FLAK:	26	32	23	19	100
E/A:	7	25	15	12	59
OTHER:	25	10	7	12	54
MISSING:	42	32	33	14	121
<u>SEVERE/SLIGHT</u>					
DAMAGED: FLAK:	21/733	47/386	57/505	44/587	169/2211
E/A:	0/21	2/24	3/1	13/11	18/57
OTHER:	1/0	0/0	2/0	0/3	3/3
E/A DEST. IN AIR:	56	84	74	62	276
PROBABLE:	24	43	18	41	126
DAMAGED:	16	21	32	37	106
E/A DEST ON GRND:	18	20	11	24	73
DAMAGED:	24	12	9	7	52