

HEADQUARTERS 55TH BOMB WING (H)
 APO 520 US ARMY
 MISSION SUMMARY NUMBER 138

OPERATIONS FOR 6 December 1944

	<u>460TH</u>	<u>464TH</u>	<u>465TH</u>	<u>485TH</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
MISSIONS:	1	1	1	1	4
# A/C ASSIGNED:	40	43	48	52	183
# A/C OPERATIONAL:	33	34	33	38	138
# A/C SCHEDULED:	30	32	32	35	129
# A/C DISPATCHED:	30	31	29	35	125
EARLY RETURNS:	a 4	2	2	1	9
# SORTIES:	26	29	27	34	116
A/C BOMBING:	22	b 29	23	33	107
TONNAGE DROPPED:	49.75	66.75	56.25	80.75	253.5
LOSSES: FLAK:	0	0	0	0	0
E/A:	0	2	0	0	2
OTHER:	1	0	0	0	1
MISSING	0	2	0	0	2
<u>SEVERE/SLIGHT</u>					
DAMAGED: FLAK:	0/4	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/4
E/A:	0/0	0/6	0/0	0/0	0/6
OTHER:	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0
E/A DEST. IN AIR:	0	# 7	5	0	12
PROBABLE:	0	# 3	0	0	3
DAMAGED	0	# 1	0	0	1
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:	131	109	113	113	466
# A/C DISPATCHED:	4385	3767	3741	3651	15544
EARLY RETURNS:	324	291	270	162	1047
# SORTIES:	3913	3310	3287	3349	13859
A/C BOMBING:	3514	2909	2932	2929	12284
TONNAGE DROPPED:	7935.62	6610.7	6637.75	6912	27896.07
LOSSES: FLAK:	26	32	22	19	99
E/A:	7	25	15	12	59
OTHER:	25	10	7	12	54
MISSING:	40	31	33	14	118
<u>SEVERE/SLIGHT</u>					
DAMAGED: FLAK:	21/723	46/373	57/505	44/585	168/2186
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	75	62	277
PROBABLE:	24	43	17	41	125
DAMAGED:	16	20	32	37	105
E/A DEST ON GRND:	18	20	11	24	73
DAMAGED:	24	12	9	7	52

a - 1 aircraft crashed on take-off.

b - 3 sortie aircraft dropped 5.75 on target of opportunity.

- Subject to evaluation.