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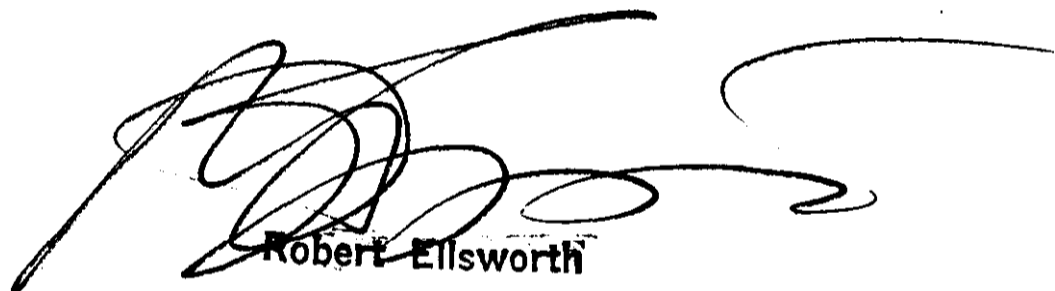
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

SUBJECT: Communist and US Military Equipment Shipments to Africa,
1971-75 **INFORMATION** MEMORANDUM

The attached tabulation shows Soviet, Bloc, Chinese and US military equipment deliveries for 1971-75, together with major equipment items and the number of Soviet shipborne deliveries (1969-1976) by country. I also have attached a map showing graphically Soviet and Cuban aid to Africa during the same period.

We have used DIA data for communist equipment delivery. While comparable US seaborne delivery data are not available as we have no records on equipment passed to freight forwarders for onward shipment, we transported at least 137 shipments--chiefly to Morocco, Zaire and Ethiopia--to Africa under government bills of lading during the same period.


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**AFRICAN COUNTRIES RECEIVING
SOVIET, BLOC, CHINESE OR
US MILITARY EQUIPMENT, 1971-75**
(Millions of US Dollars)

NORTH AFRICA

<u>Country</u>	<u>Communist Aid ^{1/}</u>			<u>Major Items</u>	<u>Soviet Seaborne and Deliveries</u>	<u>US Military Aid ^{2/}</u>	<u>Major Items</u>
	<u>USSR</u>	<u>Bloc</u>	<u>Chinese</u>				
Algeria	89.0	-	-	95 T-54/55 tanks 25 APC 19 MIG-21	77		
Egypt	1.313	119.1	-	70 SS-1 missiles 300 SA-2 missiles 925 SA-3 missiles 600 SA-6 missiles 208 T-54/55 tanks 470 T-62 tanks 249 MIG-21 fighters 26 MIG-23 fighters	596		
Libya	363	107.2	-	222 T-54/55 tanks 117 T-62 tanks 200 SA-2 missiles 150 SA-3 missiles 20 MIG-23 fighters	74	6.2	spare parts for C-130
Morocco		2	-		9	22.0	26 M-48 tanks 478 APCs, Chaparrals, Sidewinders, TOW
Tunisia					-	13.5	1 DER, 2 UH-1H helicopters

1/ Soviet, Bloc and Chinese military assistance includes all equipment deliveries, 1971-75.

2/ US military assistance includes deliveries under MAP and FMS program, 1971-75.

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1971-75
(\$Millions of US Dollars)

SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA

<u>Country</u>	<u>Communist</u>			<u>Major Items</u>	<u>Soviet Seaborne Equipments</u>	<u>US Aid</u>	<u>Major Items</u>
	<u>USSR</u>	<u>Bloc</u>	<u>Chinese</u>				
Angola	108.0	30.0		15 T-34 tanks 43 PT-76 tanks 297 APC and other armored vehicles	30	-	-
Burundi		0.6	2.0	small arms	-	-	-
Cameroon			4.0	2 fast patrol boats	-	-	-
CAR	3.0			2 AN-26 transports	-	-	-
Chad	1.5			small arms	-	-	-
Congo(B)	3.9		7.0	9 MIG-17, transport aircraft, patrol craft, tanks, helicopters	16	-	-
Equatorial Guinea	5.7			APCs, patrol craft, transport a/c	14	-	-
Ethiopia	0.9	3.5		1 IL-14 transport, 3 patrol craft	9	58.5	22 M-60 tanks, 50 APCs, 3 F-5A a/c, 6 UH-1Hs
Gabon			0.3	Unknown		.1	Swi ftship
Gambia	0.1			Sub-machine guns			-
Ghana		0.4		small arms		.4	

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Guinea	39.0	0.2	7.1	16 light tanks, 33 PT-76/T-34 and 54 tanks, 10 patrol craft, 7 MIG-17s, 8 MIG-21s, 2 transports	81	-	-
Guinea Bi ssau	5.0	-	-	3 MIG-21 a/c	11	-	-
Ivory Coast	-	-	-		1	-	-
Kenya	neg'l	-	-	trucks	-	neg'l	-
Liberia					-	2.5	8 105mm howitzers, vehicles, small arms
Madagascar	-	-	-		-	-	-
Malawi							-
Mali	12.2	-	neg'l	12 light tanks, 25 APCs, 10 T-34 tanks, 8 MIG-15/17, transport a/c	3	.1	C-47 spares
Mozamb i q ue	12.0	-	3.0	full range of small arms, 8 light equipment, and patrol craft			-
Nigeria	39.2	1.0	-	25 MIG-21 a/c	26	7.5	c-130s
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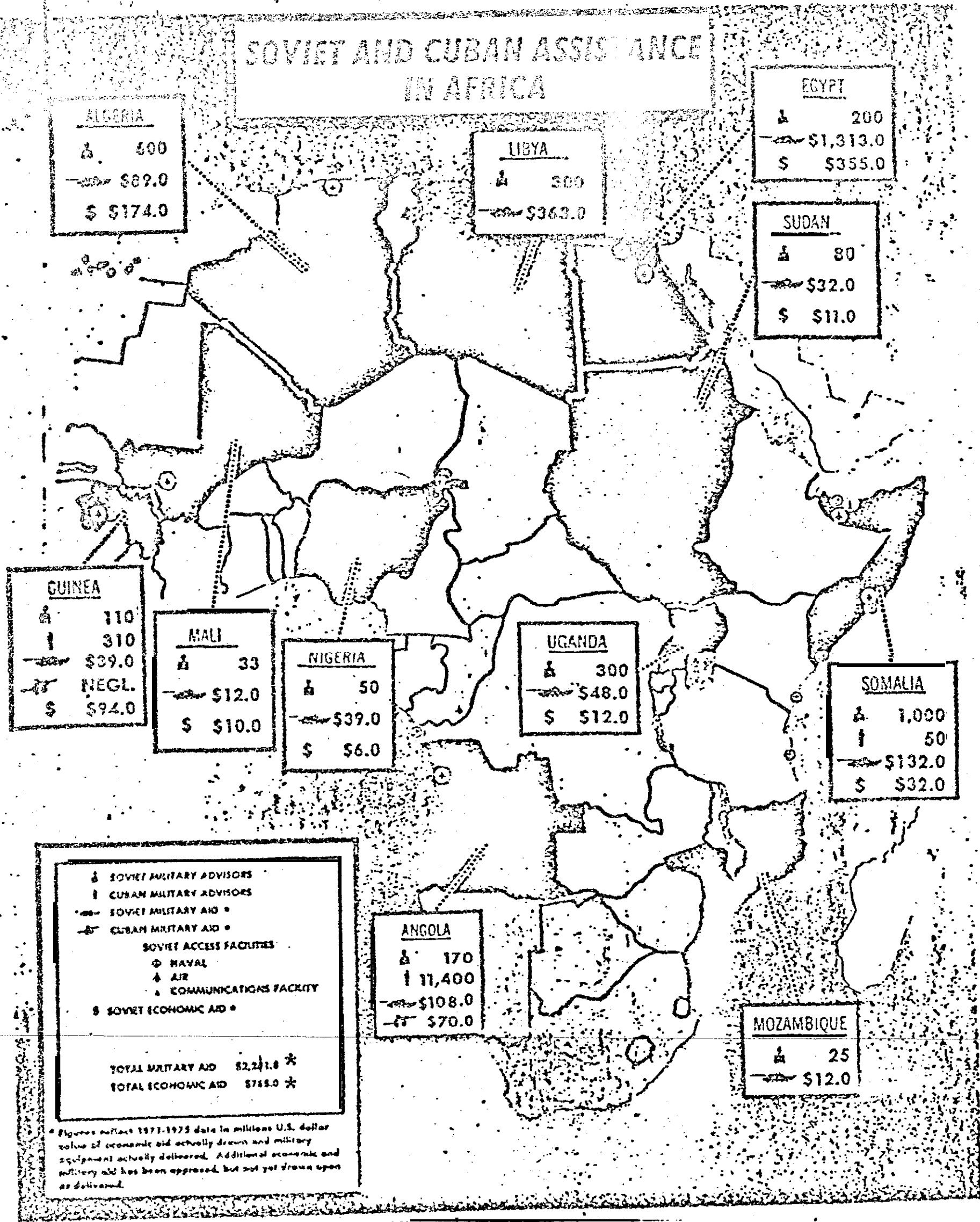
Sierra Leone			3.0	small arms, naval patrol craft		-	-
Somalia	131.7			SA-2/7 missiles, 101 60 T-34 and 54/5 tanks, 154 APCs, 2 OSA II missile boats, 4 IL-28 bombers, 33 MIG-21 a/c		-	-
Sudan	31.5	1.3	7.0	60 light tanks, 57 56 T-55 tanks, 6 APCs, 12 MIG-17 a/c		-	-
Tanzania	4.2	4.4	30.7	15 light tanks, 38 APCs, 54 14 patrol craft, 17 MIG- 19 a/c		-	-
Togo			0.2 ^{3/}	small arms, patrol craft -		-	-
Uganda	48.0	2.0		46 T-34 tanks, 15 T-55 27 tanks, 8 APCs, 5 MIG-17 and 25 MIG-21 a/c			
Zaire		0.2	13.2 ^{3/}	30 light tanks, 3 patrol - craft, light equipment	19.7		3 C-130s, 6 81mm mortars,, small arms, vehicles
Zambia	5.0	7.0	4.0	4 MI-8 helicopters, 7 small arms		-	-

3/ Includes North Korea.

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SOVIET AND CUBAN ASSISTANCE IN AFRICA



* Countries with programs less than \$10 million were excluded.

NOTE : Congo Brazzaville has had \$8.9 million in deliveries from the USSR and negligible P m assistance.

