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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (I) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.
CHERNYAKHOVSK ARMY BARRACKS NORTH
(54-38N 021-49E)
CHERNYAKHOVSK, LATVIYSKAYA SSR, USSR
(BALTIC MD)

FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF CHERNYAKHOVSK ARMY BARRACKS NORTH.
SUMMARY

Chernyakhovsk Army Barracks North is located on the northern edge of Chernyakhovsk and is associated with Chernyakhovsk Army Barracks Hornenu III, 2.1 kilometers (km) north (Figure 1).

The barracks area covers 185 acres and contains barracks, administration buildings, support buildings, vehicle maintenance/storage buildings, an athletic field and 2 large driver-training areas (Figures 2 and 3).

This installation is active and was unchanged on 7 KEYHOLE missions between November 1962 and June 1964. However, increasing improvement in the quality of photography shows buildings which are not new but could not be identified on earlier photography.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The installation is possibly served by a spur from the Chernyakhovsk-Sovetsk Railway.

Road Service

The installation is served by a good all-weather road.

Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains 15 multistory barracks/administration buildings, 2 administration buildings, 3 storage buildings, and 4 support buildings.

Area D2 contains 4 barracks buildings, 2 administration buildings, 6 storage buildings, 25 support buildings, one 165- by 60-foot vehicle maintenance building, and two 210- by 35-foot vehicle storage buildings.

General Storage Area

Area E contains 3 storage buildings and 5 support buildings.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 contains 7 support buildings, 5 storage buildings, one 705- by 75-foot vehicle storage building, one 340- by 75-foot vehicle storage building, one 217- by 45-foot vehicle maintenance building, one 130- by 45-foot vehicle maintenance building, and one 277- by 60-foot vehicle maintenance building.

Area M1 contains a wheeled-vehicle driver-training course which is abandoned, but could be reactivated in an emergency.

Area M2 contains a wheeled-vehicle driver-training course, 1 support building, two 360- by 60-foot vehicle storage buildings, and one 225- by 60-foot vehicle storage building.

Area M3 contains a tracked-vehicle driver-training course.

Areas M2 and 3 show heavy track activity.
FIGURE 3. CHERRYAKHOVSK ARMY BARRACKS NORTH. Sketch compiled from June 1964.
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MAPS OR CHARTS
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