

WHITE PAPER

THE WAR IN VIET-NAM

LIBERATION

OR

AGGRESSION ?

REPUBLIC OF VIET-NAM

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FORWORD

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LIST

**OF MAIN TYPE OF ARMS AND MUNITIONS OF
COMMUNIST ORIGIN SEIZED FROM JUNE 1962
TO END OF MARCH 1968**

(This list does not include all the important quantities of arms and war materials seized and destroyed on the battlefield)

I. — Made in communist china

1.	75 m/m recoilless SKZ gun, after the American model M.20 and provided with a carriage of Russian model	63
2.	Shell for 75 m/m SKZ gun, bearing inscriptions in chinese characters	1.138
3.	SKZ recoilless gun of 57 m/m caliber	91
4.	Shell for 57 m/m SKZ gun bearing inscriptions in chinese characters. On some of the shell, the inscriptions have been erased and replaced by false American marks	396
5.	Mortar of 82 m/m caliber	101
6.	Mortar of 60 m/m caliber	154
7.	Shell for 60 m/m and 82 m/m mortar	17.405
8.	Anti-tank Bazooka of 90 m/m	1
9.	Machinegun of 7.62 m/m caliber (AK) type 56 inspired from the Russian model Kalashnikov	260
	— AK 43	84
	— AK 47	835
	— AK 50	114
10.	Machinegun « Maxim 80 » of 7.92 m/m caliber. A heavy arm copied from the German model Mg 08, water-cooled and provided with a carriage permitting anti-aircraft firings	6

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| 11. Machine-gun made in communist China, inspired from the air-cooled Russian 7.62 m/m Degtyarev with circular 47-cartridge magazines, capable of firing 600 shots per minute and having an inscription in chinese characters on the breech-block ... | 247 |
| 12. Semi-automatic rifle of 7.62 m/m caliber (SKS), inspired from the Russian model Simonov | 1.804 |
| 13. Mossin Nagant rifles with folding automatic bayonet, inspired from the Russian model | 4.951 |
| 14. Heavy machinegun of 12.7 m/m caliber inspired from the Russian model DSHK | 159 |
| 15. Machine-gun manufactured in communist China and inspired from the Czech model Brno SB (1925) of caliber 7.92 m/m air-cooled, capable of firing 500 shots per minute | 109 |
| 16. Machine-gun of caliber 7.62 model 58, inspired from the Russian model RP 46 | 286 |
| 17. Bomb-launcher of caliber 40 m/m inspired from the Russian model RPG2: an anti-tank arm with smooth barrel of stainless steel, provided with an adjustment system for 50, 100 and 150 m firings | 801 |
| 18. Bomb-launcher CCX.B50 | 7 |
| 19. Automatic pistol of caliber 7.62 m/m inspired from the Russian model Tokarev | 182 |
| 20. Sub-machinegun, inspired from the American model M3 AI | 31 |
| 21. Flame thrower: LPO | 25 |
| 22. Cartridge for rifles all calibers | 733.220 |
| 23. MP82 fuses for mortar shell of 60 m/m and 80 m/m. | In various quantities |
| 24. T.N.T. explosive in slab of 200 grs | » |
| 25. Cartridge for machineguns of 7.92 m/m caliber. | » |
| 26. Fuses for the 60 m/m mortar shell | » |
| 27. Red phosphorus | » |
- Inscription on the barrel
« Red Horses Brand. .
Red Amorphous Phosphorus
Made in the People's Republic of China

Net weight : 5 kilos
Inflammable — Dangerous — Keeps dry
Handle with care ».

II. — Made in Czecho Slovakia

1. Sub-machinegun K.50 of caliber 7.62 m/m air-cooled, capable of firing 700 to 750 shots per minute.	1.378
2. Czech pistol	30
3. Brno automatic rifle	14
4. Cartridge for sub-machinegun K.50	14.000

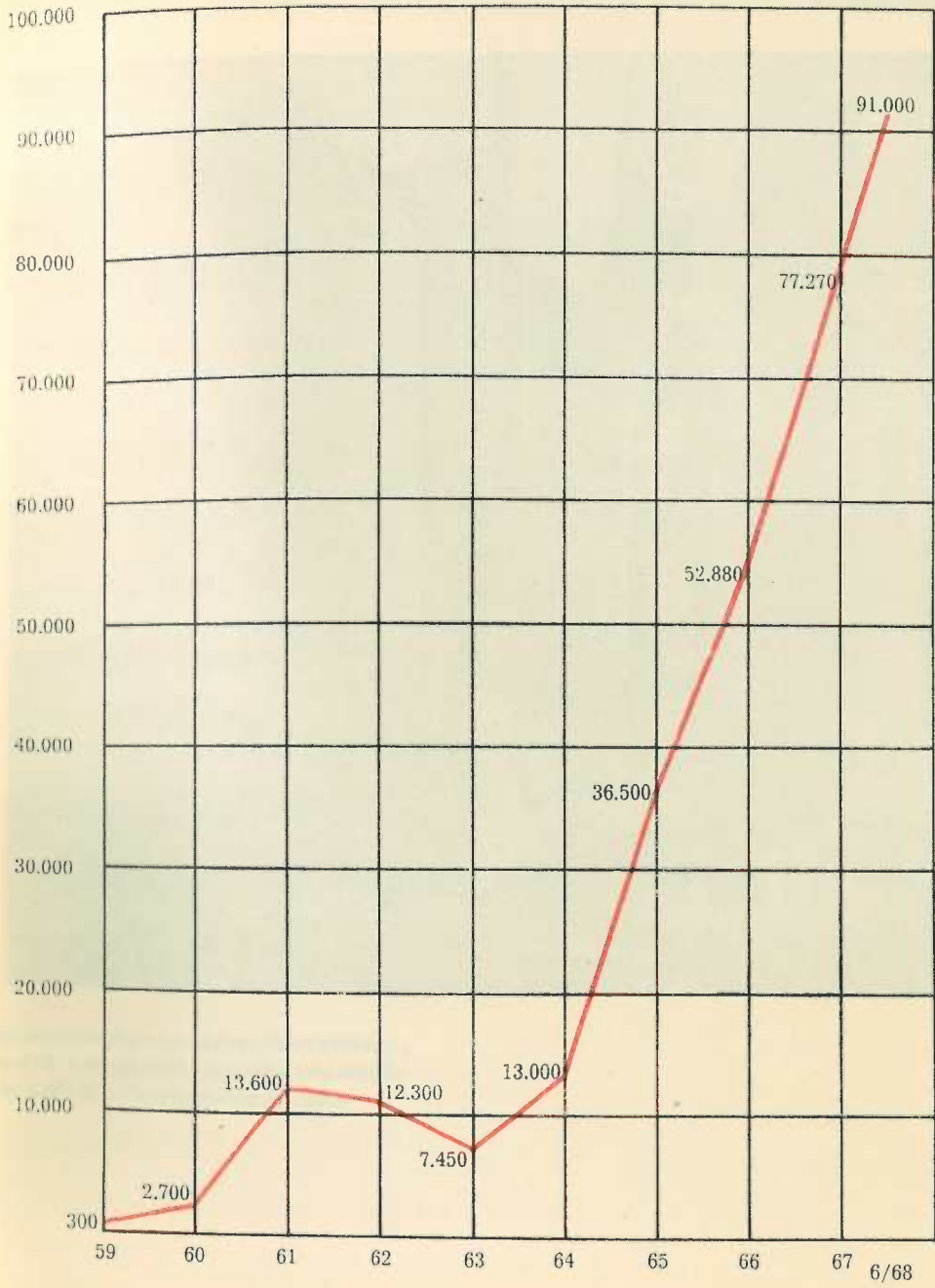
III. — Made in Soviet Russia

1. Mossin Nagant rifle, automatic, with folding bayonet, caliber 7.62 m/m, model 1944	3.252
2. Automatic pistol Takarev M 1933-TT	2
3. Kalashnikov sub-machinegun of caliber 7.62 m/m.	1
4. Rifle of model M 1891/30, provided with telescopic sight	62 rifles
5. Goryunov heavy machinegun	18
6. 122 m/m Rocket-launcher	55

IV. — Made in East-Germany

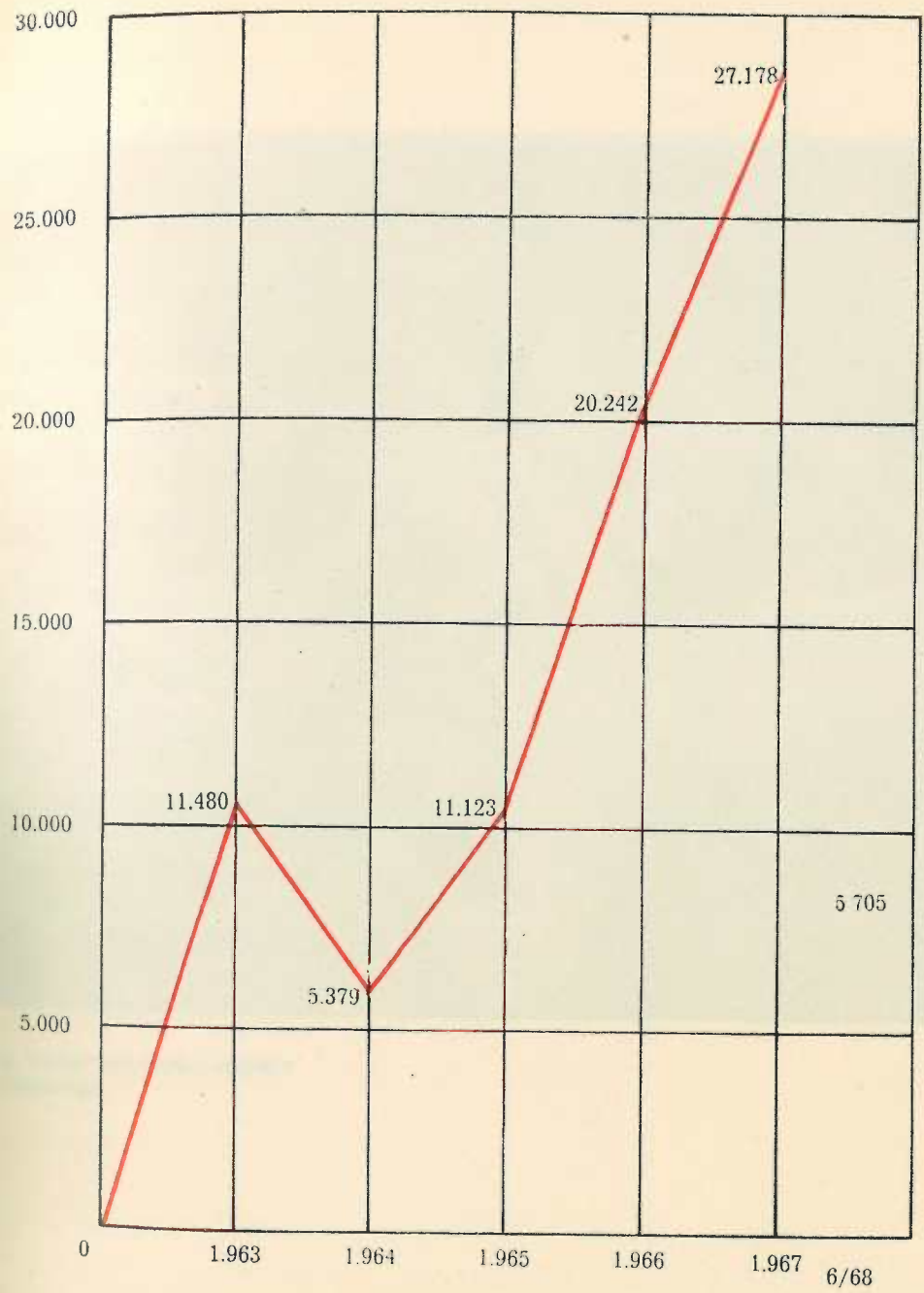
1. Heavy machinegun GM 34 of caliber 7.92 m/m with a circular magazine of 50 cartridges and capable of firing 100 to 120 shots per minute. Provided with a special sight enabling anti-aircraft firings	112
2. Rifle WE 38 K. (Mauser) of caliber 7.92 m/m for anti-aircraft firings	2.102

GRAPH
Showing the infiltration of North Vietnamese
military men into South Vietnam
(From 1959 to June 1968)



TOTAL : 307,000

GRAPH
Concerning the Ralliers
(From February 18, 1963 to June 30, 1968)



TOTAL : 81,107



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*Identity photos of foreign reporters killed in Cholon
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