

461ST BOMB GP (H) MISSION SUMMARY JULY 1944

MISS NO	DATE	TARGET	1ST ATTACK UNIT LEADERS	1ST ATTACK UNIT DEP LEADERS	2ND ATTACK UNIT LEADERS	A/C T/O	ERLY RTNS	A/C O/T	SORT	TONS DRPT ON B TGT	% IN 1000	WEATHER AT TGT	AA	E A/C SEEN	CLAIMS	A/C DMGD	A/C RTN	A/C LOST	MIA	CASLTY	RATING	REMARKS	
53	7/2/44	BUDAPEST RAKOS M/Y, HUNGARY	MAJ. DOOLEY, CAPT. MacDOUGALL, LT. OWENS, LT. LOWE, LT. HICKOX	CAPT. FRANKLIN, LT. HOLMES, LT. DAVIS, LT. LAYTON, LT. WARD	CAPT. HOERMANN, LT. FORD, LT. GOLAVITO, LT. DIETRICK	36	0	36	34	68.75 500 GP	0	CAVU	M-A-H	2	0	0	36	0	0	0	0	VERY POOR	SMOKE OBSCURED TARGET
54	7/3/44	BUCHAREST MOGASAIA OIL STORAGE & IRON GATE, ROUMANIA	LT. COL. HAWES, LT. ALKIRE, LT. FAHERTY, LT. COLES, LT. SULLIVAN	CAPT. WALTERS, F/O FITZPATRICK, LT. LEPIC, LT. SMITH	CAPT. TALLANT, CAPT. BEAN, LT. CRAN, LT. HEMAN	37	3	34	34	72 500 GP	NO SCORE	?	M-I-H	0	0	4	35	1	10	0	FAIR	10 BOMBED OIL STORAGE 13 BOMBED IRON GATE NO FLAK AT IRON GATE	
55	7/5/44	BEZIERS M/Y, FRANCE	MAJ. WORD, LT. FORD, LT. GOLAVITO, LT. DIETRICK, LT. PRIEN	CAPT. MIXSON, LT. ARBUTHNOT, LT. KADOW, LT. WILSON, LT. AMOROSO	LT. SIMON, LT. BARNES, LT. BREMAN, LT. HICKOX	36	4	34	34	67.75 500 GP	40	?	S-I-H	0	0	0	34	0	0	0	0	EXCELLENT	1 A/C BOMBED DETZ M/Y
56	7/6/44	AVIANO OIL STORAGE, ITALY	MAJ. BURKE, CAPT. BEAN, LT. CRAN, LT. NEIMAN, LT. RHODES	CAPT. KOLLENBORN, CAPT. STEVENS, LT. DELAMETER, LT. VORPE, LT. FREEMAN	CAPT. McQUILLAN, LT. ALKIRE, LT. FAHERTY, LT. WEST, COL. LEE	34	3	31	31	74.75 500 GP	NO SCORE	CAVU	0	0	0	0	31	0	0	0	0	EXCELLENT	
57	7/7/44	BLECHHAMMER N SYNTHETIC OIL REFINERY, GERMANY	COL. GLANTZBERG, CAPT. STRONG, CAPT. LEFFLER, CAPT. PRUITT, LT. SULLIVAN, LT. GIZELBA	MAJ. DOOLEY, LT. HESSER, CAPT. STILES, LT. LOWE, LT. DAVIS	LT. ROBINSON, LT. ARBUTHNOT, LT. KADOW, LT. WILSON	34	0	31	32	67.50 500 GP	PFF	?	I-A-H	32	5/4/2000	21	31	0	0	2	NO RATING		
58	7/8/44	KORNEUBURG OIL REFINERY, AUSTRIA	LT. COL. HAWES, LT. ALKIRE, LT. KING, LT. SULLIVAN, LT. RADOVSKY	CAPT. McQUILLAN, CAPT. WALTERS, LT. LEPIC, LT. SMITH	CAPT. TALLANT, CAPT. BEAN, LT. CRAN, LT. HEMAN	32	0	26	29	68.5 500 GP	52	CAVU	I-A-H	20	0	17	26	0	0	0	0	EXCELLENT	
59	7/11/44	SUBMARINES AT TOULON, FRANCE	LT. COL. APPLGATE, LT. ARBUTHNOT, LT. MALITA, LT. PRIEN, LT. BRAYNOR	CAPT. ROBINSON, LT. KOSTKA, LT. NOVAK, LT. AMOROSO, LT. HARP	CAPT. FRANKLIN, LT. DESPANN, LT. STEVENSON, LT. GERMAN	36	4	34	34	74.25 500 GP	NO SCORE	CAVU	M-I-H	0	0	0	34	0	0	1	FAIR		
60	7/12/44	NIMES M/Y, FRANCE	LT. COL. HAWES, CAPT. STEVENS, LT. STRUMSKI, LT. DE WITT, LT. VORPE	CAPT. TALLANT, LT. WILSON, F/O NELLE, LT. BROWN, LT. NEIMAN	CAPT. WALTERS, F/O FITZPATRICK, LT. FAHERTY, LT. COLES, LT. SMITH	28	0	25	25	94.25 500 GP	24	CAVU	S-I-H	20	7-0-0	10	24	4	40	6	GOOD		
61	7/14/44	PETFURDO OIL REFINERY, HUNGARY	MAJ. DOOLEY, CAPT. DONOVAN, CAPT. STILES, LT. LOWE, LT. LOGUE	CAPT. FRANKLIN, LT. WOOD, LT. KNEIVAL, LT. PRENDEVILLE	LT. ARBUTHNOT, LT. GUNN, LT. MALITA, LT. PRIEN	28	0	26	26	94 500 GP	32	CAVU	S-I-H	2	0	0	32	0	0	0	0	SUPERIOR	
62	7/15/44	PLOESTI CREDITUL MINIER OIL REFINERY, ROUMANIA	COL. GLANTZBERG, CAPT. STRONG, CAPT. LEFFLER, CAPT. PRUITT, LT. SULLIVAN, LT. GIZELBA	MAJ. DOOLEY, LT. HESSER, CAPT. STILES, LT. LOWE, LT. CARROLL	MAJ. GOREE, CAPT. BEAN, LT. CRAN, LT. NEIMAN, F/O PANAGIOTOPOULOS	30	4	36	36	78.25 500 GP	PFF	?	I-A-H	0	0	14	34	1	10	0	NO RATING		
63	7/16/44	WEINER NEUDORF A/C ENGINE FCY, AUSTRIA	LT. COL. APPLGATE, LT. SPECHT, CAPT. LEFFLER, LT. DUSENBERRY, LT. AMOROSO	CAPT. HOERMANN, LT. ARBUTHNOT, CAPT. STILES, LT. PRIEN, LT. SIMEROTH	LT. HOLMES, LT. MALOTTE, LT. WARD, LT. ROEDERER	23	1	21	22	50 1000 GP	PFF	?	I-A-H	0	0	16	22	0	0	1	NO RATING		
64	7/18/44	FRIEDRICHSHAFEN MANZELL A/C COMPONENTS FACTORY, GERMANY	LT. COL. HAWES, CAPT. BEAN, LT. CRAN, LT. COURCIER, LT. MARANGELO, LT. NEIMAN	MAJ. GOREE, CAPT. STEVENS, CAPT. MURPHY, LT. VORPE, F/O PANAGIOTOPOULOS	LT. TROHMAN, LT. JONES, LT. RAWLS, LT. ROEDERER	26	4	22	22	54.50 1000 RDX	27	CAVU	I-A-H	2	0	12	22	0	0	1	GOOD		
65	7/19/44	MUNICH SCHLEISSHEIM A/D, GERMANY	MAJ. BURKE, LT. HESSER, CAPT. MURPHY, LT. DUSENBERRY, LT. HICKOX, F/O PANAGIOTOPOULOS	LT. COL. KNAPP, LT. HOLMES, LT. STRUMSKI, LT. MUSE, LT. SULLIVAN	LT. ARBUTHNOT, F/O LANSER, F/O RICHMAN, LT. PRIEN	26	3	23	23	48 1000 GP	43	?	I-A-H	0	0	18	23	0	0	3	EXCELLENT		
66	7/21/44	BRUX SYNTHETIC OIL REFINERY, CZECHOSLOVAKIA	LT. COL. KNAPP, CAPT. STRONG, CAPT. LEFFLER, LT. SULLIVAN, LT. GIZELBA, F/O WESTFALL	MAJ. WORD, LT. HESSER, LT. LOGUE, LT. MUSE, LT. SULLIVAN	COL. GLANTZBERG, LT. BAKER, F/O NELLE, LT. BROWN	26	3	22	22	40.50 100 GP	PFF	5/10	I-A-H	0	0	2	22	0	0	0	0	NO RATING	
67	7/22/44	PLOESTI ROMANA AMERICANA OIL REFINERY, ROUMANIA	COL. GLANTZBERG, LT. SPECHT, CAPT. LEFFLER, MAJ. PRUITT, LT. SIMEROTH, LT. GIZELBA	CAPT. DONOVAN, LT. PHILLIPS, CAPT. MURPHY, LT. DUSENBERRY, F/O PANAGIOTOPOULOS, LT. GRABENSTEIN	LT. HOLMES, LT. MALOTTE, LT. WARD, LT. HICKOX	26	4	22	24	53 1000 GP	PFF	?	I-A-H	5	0	15	18	4	22	6	NO RATING	ALL CREWS OF LT. HOLMES AND LT. TAYLOR BAILED OUT OVER BASE	
68	7/24/44	TROOP AT PLJEVLJA, PREJEPOLJE, SJENICA, AND ANDRIJEVICA, YUGOSLAVIA	MAJ. GOREE, CAPT. STEVENS, LT. STRUMSKI, LT. VORPA, COL. LEE	CAPT. HOERMANN, LT. KOSTKA, CAPT. MURPHY, LT. DUSENBERRY, LT. PASIUK	MAJ. BURKE, LT. SEEMAN, LT. PARKHURST, LT. LOWE, LT. KNEIVAL	28	0	26	26	64 1000 GP	VARIOUS	?	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	0	GOOD	
69	7/25/44	LINZ HERMAN GOERING TANK WORKS, AUSTRIA	MAJ. BURKE, LT. HESSER, LT. LOGUE, LT. LOWE, LT. PASOTO, LT. SULLIVAN	CAPT. FRANKLIN, LT. HENRY, LT. KING, LT. SULLIVAN, LT. GIZELBA	LT. ARBUTHNOT, LT. WAGGONER, LT. NOVAK, LT. PASIUK	26	5	21	23	0 1000 GP	NO SCORE	CAVU	I-A-H	50	31-10-0	6	9	15	112	10	UNOBS	ALL BOMBS SALVOED SHORT OF TARGET	
70	7/27/44	PEC, YUGOSLAVIA	LT. COL. KNAPP, CAPT. STRONG, LT. FAHERTY, LT. COLES, LT. SULLIVAN	CAPT. McQUILLAN, LT. CRUME, LT. KING, LT. DICKIE, F/O WESTFALL	CAPT. BEAN, LT. BROWN, LT. CRAN, LT. NEIMAN	24	0	24	24	72 1000 GP	0	CAVU	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	0	0	VERY POOR	
71	7/28/44	PHLORINA, GREECE	CAPT. DONOVAN, CAPT. SPECHT, CAPT. MURPHY, LT. DUSENBERRY, LT. SIMEROTH	CAPT. HOERMANN, LT. PHILLIPS, LT. MALITA, LT. PRIEN, LT. GRABENSTEIN	MAJ. WORD, LT. SEEMAN, LT. PARKHURST, LT. SLUSING	25	1	24	24	99 1000 GP	40.7	CAVU	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	0	0	EXCELLENT	
72	7/30/44	BUDAPEST DUNA A/C FACTORY, HUNGARY	COL. GLANTZBERG, CAPT. STEVENS, CAPT. LEFFLER, MAJ. PRUITT, LT. VORPE	MAJ. GOREE, CAPT. BEAN, LT. CRAN, LT. NEIMAN, LT. KONAPAKA	LT. CRUME, LT. LUBINSKY, LT. FERGUSON, LT. DICKIE	25	4	19	19	27.50 500 RDX	28.8	2/10	M-A-H	0	0	12	19	0	0	0	0	GOOD	
73	7/31/44	BUCHAREST, PRAHOVA OIL REFINERY, ROUMANIA	MAJ. WORD, LT. WOOD, CAPT. STILES, LT. PRENDEVILLE, LT. RHODES, LT. NOVAK	CAPT. FRANKLIN, LT. ROBERTS, LT. DAVIS, LT. BROOKE, LT. GERMAN	LT. TAYLOR, LT. JOHNSON, LT. LACE, LT. TOTH	24	3	21	22	39.50 500 RDX	68	5/10	M-I-H	0	0	6	21	0	0	1	POOR	ONE A/C BOMBED PLOESTI	