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BRIEFING NOTES

THE BOMBERS

1st ATF 300 B-17s, 1st Div. attack Landsberg, Augsburg and a target near Munich (Oberoffenhafen)

2nd ATF 240 B-17s, 3rd Div. attack Augsburg

3rd ATF 180 B-24s, 2nd Div. attack Friedrichshafen

20TH GROUP - support 1st ATF from Rambervillers in France to Speers, in Germany

Friendly fighters: Group will relieve 78A Group and be relieved by 363 Group (P-51s). 4th Group will enter target area just ahead of us as we withdraw.

364 (P-38s) and 357 (P-51s) will support 2nd and 3rd task forces, from our R/V 15 minutes behind us.

354 will support 2nd Force in target area, and 55th will support 3rd force (Friedrichshafen) at target.

Flak: See briefing map

Enemy Fighters: Concentrations are most likely in the Chalon-Nancy area (mostly single engine) and East of the German border to Munich (Mostly twin engine stuff). The enemy can vector a total of 200 TE and 150 SE into this attack