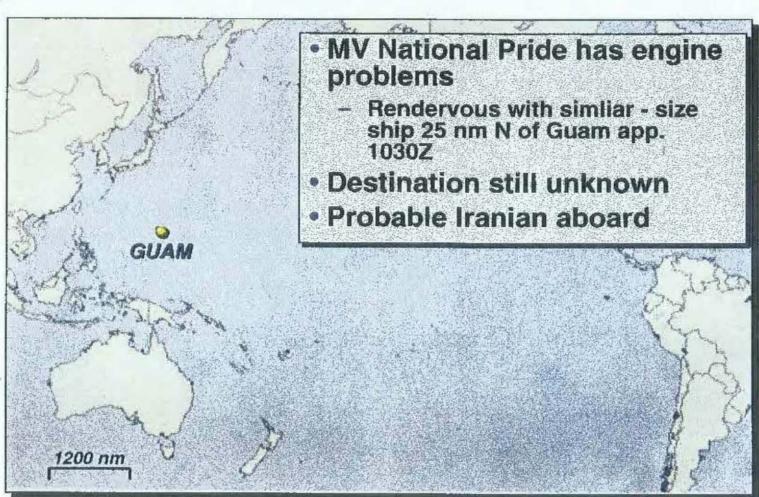
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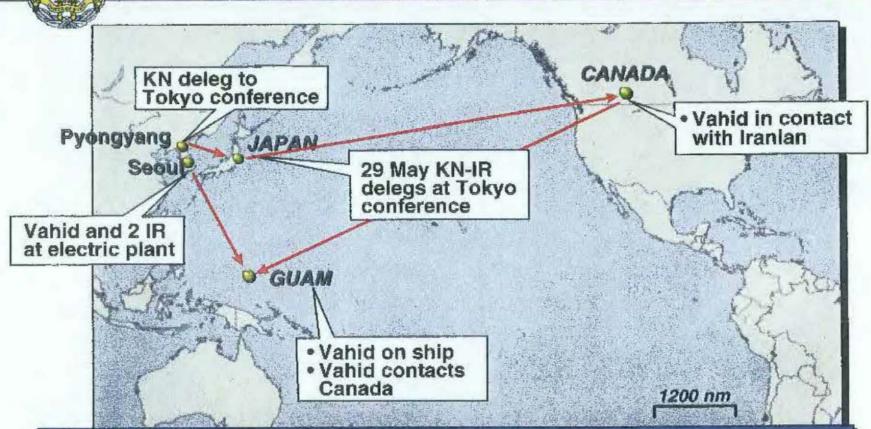
EXERCISE EXERCISE EXERCISE -- ELIGIBLE RECEIVER 97 COMMENT



- "National Pride" hijacked before the attack
- "Friends" may refer to North Koreans
- Activity consistent with KN naval SOF operations



EXERCISE EXERCISE EXERCISE -- ELIGIBLE RECEIVER 97 NORTH KOREA/IRAN EMERGING TIES



COMMENT:

- Circumstantial evidence of North Korean/Iranian cooperation
- State support likely but no direct evidence



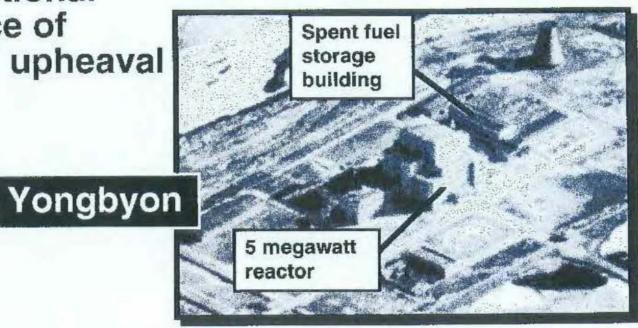
EXERCISE EXERCISE -- ELIGIBLE RECEIVER 97 TERRORIST CULPABILITY

- Iran/North Korea appear responsible for ongoing terrorist campaign despite only minor previous links
 - Vahid and Asadi presence on Philippine ship points to Iranian involvement



EXERCISE EXERCISE -- ELIGIBLE RECEIVER 97 INTERNAL INSTABILITY COMMENT

- Food problems continue
- US DOE officials working at Yongbyon
 - No unusual developments reported
- No additional evidence of internal upheaval



EXERCISE EXERCISE -- ELIGIBLE RECEIVER 97 SURPRISE ATTACK OPTION



- North Korea capable of attacking with limited preparations
- Major detectable preparations -- none reported
 - Removal of mines/clearing DMZ
 - Lateral comms between corps
 - Activation of Supreme Command
 - Activity across DMZ
 - Increased tactical recce



EXERCISE EXERCISE -- ELIGIBLE RECEIVER 97 IRANIAN MOTIVES TO WORK WITH KN

 Carrot and stick tactics to lift US sanctions

• Reduce US influence in Persian Gulf







EXERCISE EXERCISE -- ELIGIBLE RECEIVER 97 STATUS OF IW INDICATORS

25 active of 150 indicators of IW attack

- PSY OPS - DESTRUCTION - INTEL OPS	5 of 19
	4 of 14
	3 of 26
- COMPUTER NETWORK ATTACK	10 of 50
- EW	1 of 12
- MISC ACTS	2 of 5

- No indicators active for:
 - Deception; defensive IO



EXERCISE EXERCISE -- ELIGIBLE RECEIVER 97 STATUS OF INDICATORS

- 10 of 50 active-computer network attack attempts to:
 - Remotely access protected systems
 - Implant malicious software to destroy data and deny service
 - Penetrate/attack of US systems
 - Virus incident reports
 - Report of attack on networks originating from US government domains
 - Access/possession of passwords to US networks
 - Searching for/downloading of intrusion software/techniques
 - Denial of service attacks on networks
 - Theft of computer/systems
 - DISA COMSPOT's (communications incidents, actions, etc.)

EXERCISE EXERCISE -- ELIGIBLE RECEIVER 97 ASSESSMENT



- KN/Iran probably cooperating
- Significant danger of simultaneous large scale IO/IW attack
 - Events have been cumulative, increasingly more violent and potentially more dangerous
 - Moved from civil to military targets
 - Spread from CONUS to PACOM
- IW assailants increasingly sophisticated
 - IW attacks have probed to find weaknesses in US systems
 - IW probes have practiced/rehearsed access
- Capable of large-scale civil and military disruptions
 - Also capable of more destructive attacks on selective targets



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