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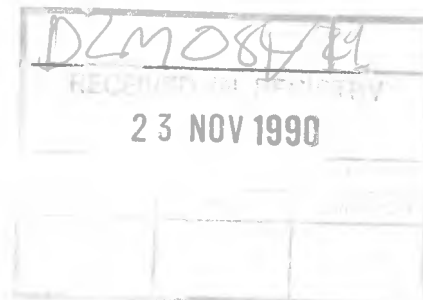
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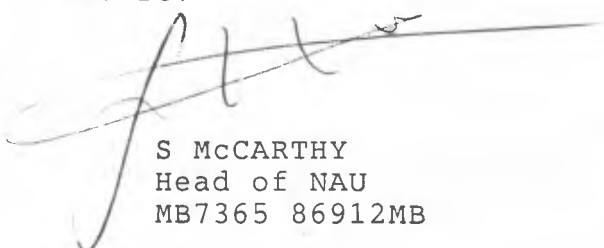


CFE: BLUE DATA

You may be interested to see the totals declared by each NATO member in their CFE data return, which we received this morning. This is attached. I understand that DI(AC) will be circulating an equivalent summary of the red data.

2. Regrettably, I have to add a caveat to these figures. Despite the months of discussion over formats, the Blue data has been disappointingly difficult to interpret. For example, many of the data returns do not follow the proper formats, a number of countries have not provided totals for their equipment, and some have added their look-alikes or Primary Trainer aircraft into their TLE totals. The OOV totals shown in the summary should be handled with particular care. Some countries did not number their individual OOVs, some used obscure numbering systems and others did not then bother to place their numbers in sequential order. In these cases we have therefore had to search for the highest number, or manually add them up. In the latter case we have also in some instances had to make a judgement on which ones to count. The Netherlands and Norwegian data are worst in this respect. We have been simply unable to determine how their OOV numbering system works. The number shown in the summary chart may well therefore be incorrect, and I attach a complete copy of their respective Chart Vs for information. A prize is available to the first person who can explain how to decipher the double Dutch (and Norwegian)!

3. The full data, including photographs, is available in the NAU, should anyone wish to see it.



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NATO CFE DATA AT TREATY SIGNATURE

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	OOV	TANKS	APC	AIFV	HACV	ACV TOTAL	ARTY	FWCA	ATT HEL
BEL	53	359	833	236	213	1282	376	191	0
CAN	12	77	277	0	0	277	38	45	12
DEN	61	419	316	0	0	316	553	106	3
FRA	286	1358	2692	817	616	4125	1330	700	429
GER	450	7133	6072	3264	262	9598	4644	1064	357
GRE	94	1725	1478	96	65	1639	1941	480	0
ICE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ITA	21	1912	3591	0	0	3591	2222	584	169
LUX	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEL	99	913	749	718	0	1467	838	196	91
NOR	56	205	81	53	12	146	532	90	0
POR	61	146	182	0	77	259	334	96	0
SPA	90	854	1142	0	117	1259	1373	252	28
TUR	120	2888	1554	0	0	1554	3202	589	0
UK	228	1198	2553	339	301	3193	636	842	368
US	164	5904	3545	2202	0	5747	2601	704	279
TOTAL	1795	25091	25065	7725	1663	34453	20620	5939	1736