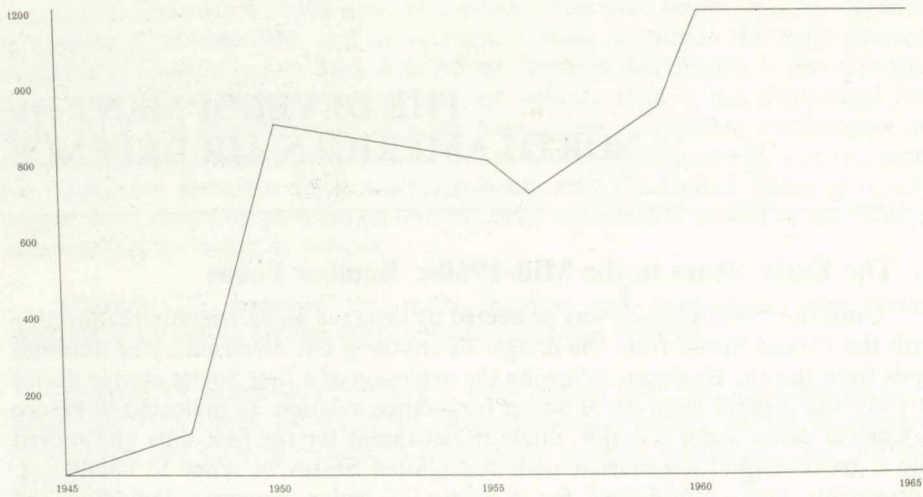


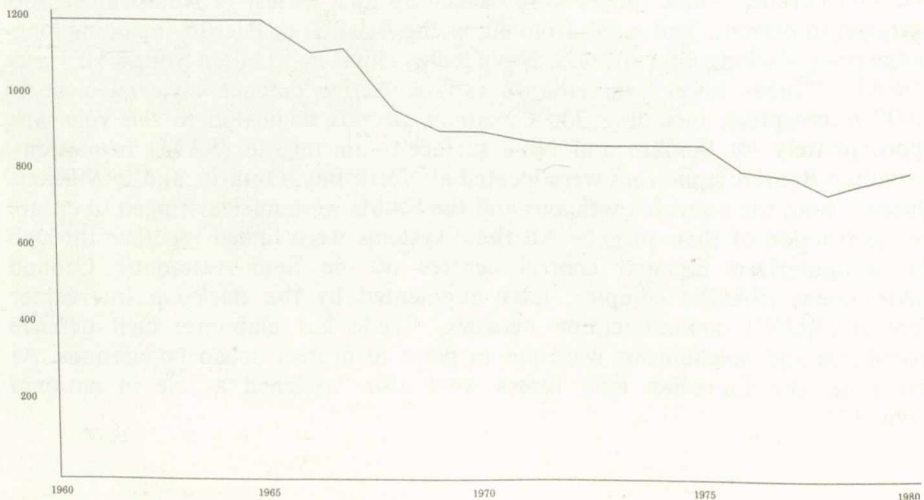
FIGURE 1: The Growth of the Soviet Strategic Bomber Force, 1945-1965



Source: *Soviet Air Power in Transition* by Robert P. Berman, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C., 1978. (ISBN No. 0815709234)

The Military Balance, International Institute for Strategic Studies, (IISS), London, 1961-1965 issues.

FIGURE 2: The Soviet Strategic Bomber Force/Long Range Air Force, 1960-1980



Source: *The Military Balance*, IISS, London, 1961-1981 issues.

Note: After 1967 tanker aircraft of the Soviet Long Range Air Force cease to be included in combat aircraft. This accounts for a drop of some 50 in 1968.