

OPERATION ARCTIC CITADEL INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY D0

# General Information

This intelligence summary covers the last 24 hours (From D0).

# Intelligence

## Political

### Offensive operations

VID have credible reporting that the Socialist Republic of Notia (SRN) is preparing for an offensive operation using exercise FROST as cover. VID’s reporting indicate that the political leadership have already taken the decision to start offensive operations. How the offensive operation is planned to be executed is still an intelligence gap.

**ASSESSMENT:**

It is LIKELY that an offensive operation from Notia will commence within the next 48 hours. It is LIKELY that Notian forces have now reached the high alert needed based on the activity in exercise FROST.

### Kambiland will not take part in offensive operations

The Democratic Republic of Kambiland (DRK) have stated that they are opposed any offensive operations at this stage, and they have informed Notia that they will not take part in any offensive activity.

**ASSESSMENT:**

It is UNLIKELY that Kambiland will take part in offensive operations. It is even chance that Notia can use Kambiland territory to execute their attack.

### Political support

Notia is working with Xilong to gain support from the entire Democratic Union of Socialist States (DUSS). Notia are trying to convince Xilong to send an amphibious force to support Notia in any potential offensive operations, or as part of defense of Notia. Notian officials are working on arms deals with Xilong (NFDK, No Further Details Known).

**ASSESSMENT:**

It is LIKELY that Xilong will support Notia, as it is in Xilongs interest that Notia regime does not fall so Xilong have a strong ally against the coalition.

## Ground

### SAM factory output

VID have credible intelligence into the production cycle of Notian factories producing SAM equipment.

The following output is expected:

D2: SA-15s from Apatite Vehicle Factory (SRNTGT071)

D2: Sborka from Apatite Radar Factory (SRNTGT073)

D3: SA-8s from Poliarie SAM Factory (SRNTGT098)

D4: SA-6 STR from Apatite Radar Factory (SRNTGT073)

D4: SA-6 Launchers from Olenogorsk SAM factory (SRNTGT097)

D5: SA-11 Search Radar from Apatite Radar Factory (SRNTGT073)

D5: SA-11 C2 Vehcile from Apatitie West Vehicle Factory (SRNTGT074)

D5: SA-11 launchers from Apatite SAM Factory (SRNTGT072)

D7: SA-10 from Severomorsk SAM Factory (SRNTGT101)

### Preperations for surge production

VID have credible reporting that Notian authorities are planning surge production in all production and factory facilities to support any ongoing war effort.

**ASSESSMENT:**

VID assess it as LIKELY that all factories producing SAMs will within the next 48 hours run surge operations and will increase their output of war materials to the Notian armed forces.

## Air

### Notian and Xilong long-range missiles and modus operandi

Despite the stated maximum range of Notian and Xilong long range missiles are very long, VID have reporting indicating how Notian and Xilong aircraft uses their long range missiles:  
**Anti-ship missiles:**

KH-22 / KH-35: Notian anti-ship missiles (Fired from TU-22 or TU-142)

YJ-83K / YJ-12: Xilong anti-ship missiles (Fired from H-6J)

All anti-ship missiles are deployed from either low-level or high altitude from a distance between 50nm-100nm away from its target.

**Air-to-ground missiles:**

KH-65: Notian air-to-ground missile (Fired from TU-160 or TU-95 Strategic bombers)

KD-20/KD-63: Xilong air-to ground missiles (Fired from H-6J)

All air-ground missiles are launched from their target at a distance at 100nm away from the target. The launch sequence of missiles from the aircrafts will happen at 100nm to ensure correct guiding for the missiles.

**ASSESSMENT:**

It is HIGHLY LIKELY that Notian and Xilong missiles will be fired from these distances.

It is LIKELY that both Notian and Xilong missiles need a fixed distance of 10-20nm prior to launching distance where the aircraft need to be on the attack course in order to provide the missile with necessary guidance information

## Sea

### Battle Cruiser Pyotr Veliky vulnerability

The battle cruiser Pyotr Veliky is a very hard target and an important ship for the Notian fleet. VID have conducted an analysis on the vulnerability of Pyotr Veliky. VID have the following assessment: In order for a mission to be successful and be able to neutralize the threat of the battle cruiser, and attack need to adhere to the following parameters:

* A simultaneous attack from minimum two directions (90 degrees offset) is needed
* TOT of missiles need to be synchronized with the same TOT.
* A minimum of 16 missiles (8 from each direction) need to be able to get close to the ships to penetrate the missile defenses
* In order to increase the chance of mission success, launch of decoys (TALDs) and attack from even more attack directions and increase the number of missiles.

# VID Intelligence gaps

* How will offensive operations from Notia be executed?
* Kambilands role during offensive operations
  + Can Notia use Kambiland territory?
  + Will Kambiland defend Notia against attack?
* How will Xilong support Notia?