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1. Soviet interceptor technique in Korean air war improves:

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A high degree of proficiency has been developed by Soviet personnel operating on the Soviet GCI net in northwestern Korea, according to a field analysis of intercepted voice traffic.

The ground controllers, tracking large UN air formations, now wait for elements of two or four UN aircraft to break off from the major group before ordering the Soviet-piloted MIG-15's to attack the smaller elements.

Comment: This improvement in tactics, in addition to demonstrating the good quality of Soviet radar equipment, indicates that the lessons of combat have proved valuable to Soviet radar operators as well as to Russian pilots.

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