

St. Nazaire

11 aircraft bombed the docks at St. Nazaire in cloudless weather with good visibility. A further 14 bombed the immediate vicinity, making a total of 25 out of the 37 despatched. Seven more bombed alternative targets.

Photographs obtained with bombing confirm the success of this raid.

1 aircraft is missing from the attack on St. Nazaire.

Mine-laying

31 out of 38 aircraft despatched laid mines successfully in the allotted areas.

1 aircraft is missing from this operation.

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25 - 29 March, 1942.

Target	Group	Aircraft despatched	Attacks effected	Characteristics	No. of A/C to primary target with bombing showing	No. of A/C to primary target within 5 miles of target	No. of A/C to have bombed primary target with bombing showing	A/C which did not reach target	Other A/C	Remarks
Docks (Town)	1	Well I 27	1	1 Cat AC 1 minor	32	2	2	1	1	1
		Well II 21	2	2 minor	17	2	2	1	1	1
		Well IV 27	1	1 Cat AC 1 missing	29	3	3	2	2	2
	3	Well I 22	1	1 Cat AC	12	2	2	1	1	1
		Well III 20	1	1 Cat AC 1 missing	49	46	2	1	1	3
		Pair 25	4	2 minor 1 Cat AC	19	2	2	2	2	3
	4	Well II 15	2	2 minor	11	1	1	1	2	1
	5	Group 9	3	3 minor	5	2	2	1	1	1
		Pair 20	4	4 minor 1 Cat AC 1 missing	12	1	1	1	1	1
		Pair 7	1	1 minor	5	1	1	1	1	1
Docks (Docks)	1	Well I 1	1	1 missing	1	1	1	1	1	1
	3	Well III 1	2	2 missing	2	8	3	1	1	1
		Pair 3	2	2 missing	2	2	2	1	2	1
	4	Pair 20	7	7 missing	9	7	9	1	2	1
Docks (Docks)	1	Well I 1	4	4 missing	4	4	4	1	1	1
	4	Well IV 7	7	7 minor	7	10	7	1	2	1
	4	Pair 10	10	10 minor	10	7	10	1	2	1
	5	Group 9	7	7 minor	7	7	7	1	2	1
	3	Pair 1	1	1 minor	1	1	1	1	2	1
Docks (Docks)	5	Group 26	30	30 missing	30	30	30	1	4	1
	1	Pair 1	1	1 missing	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total					265	21	21	4	10	15
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