



SCENE 5

TWO GROWING DOTS

Note:

The scene takes place 16 km south of Ham Rong bridge
at 11 a.m. at an altitude of 4500m in mixed hazy-sunny-cloudy weather.



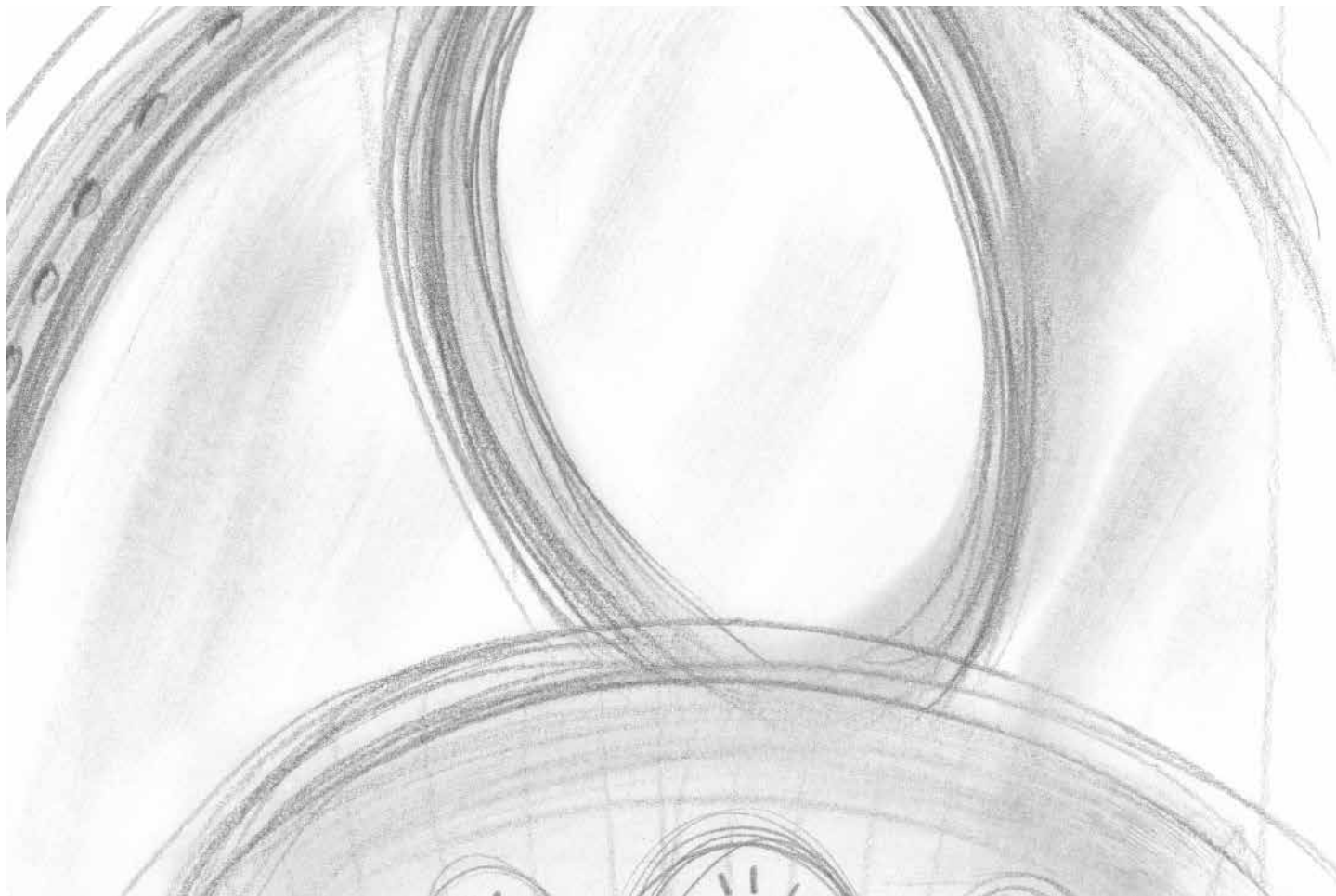
Inside cockpit. Low-angle, close shot of MiG. Capt. Tran Hanh in front and rear canopy above him.



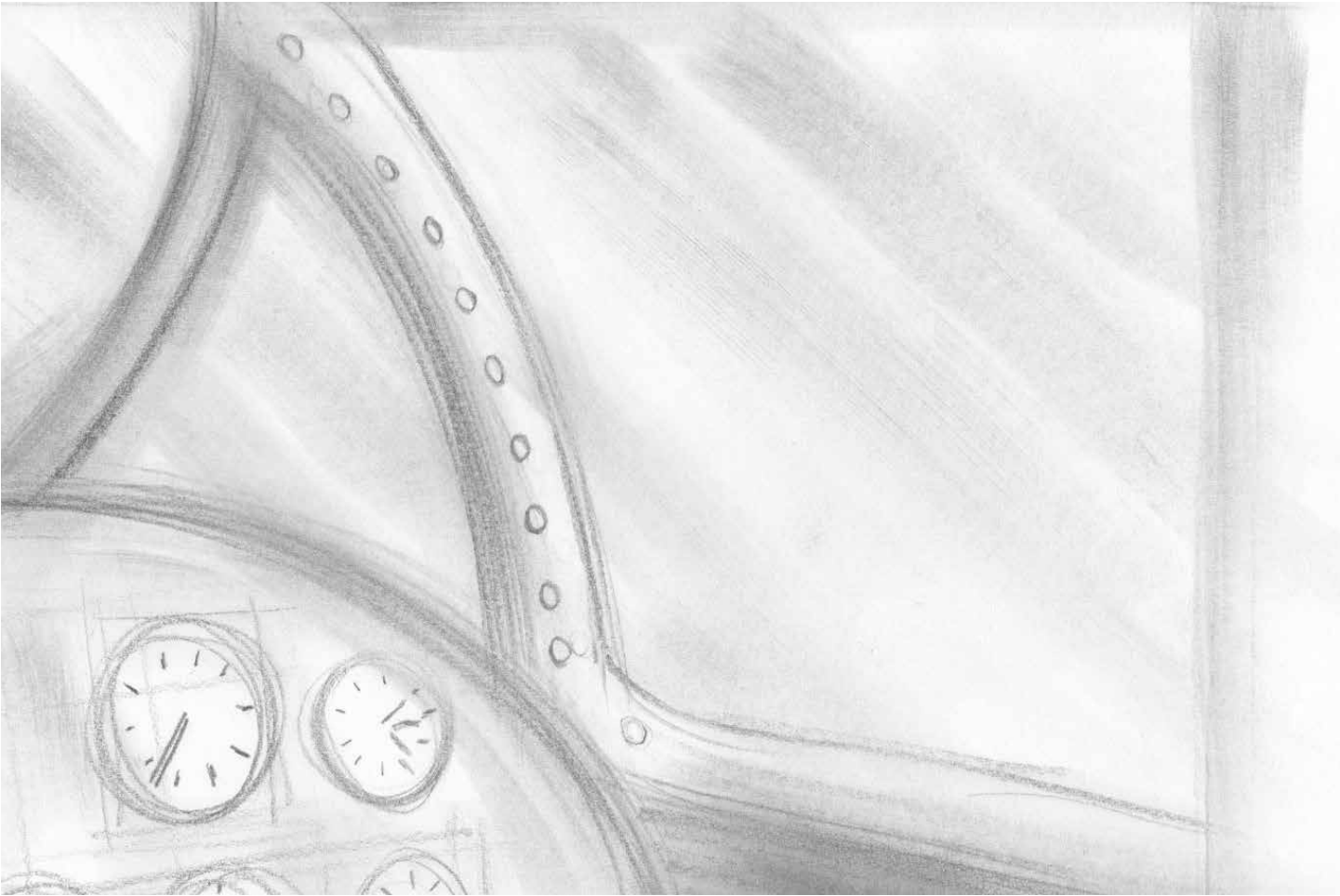
Inside cockpit. Subjective viewpoint of Capt. Tran Hanh. The MiG is flying up.



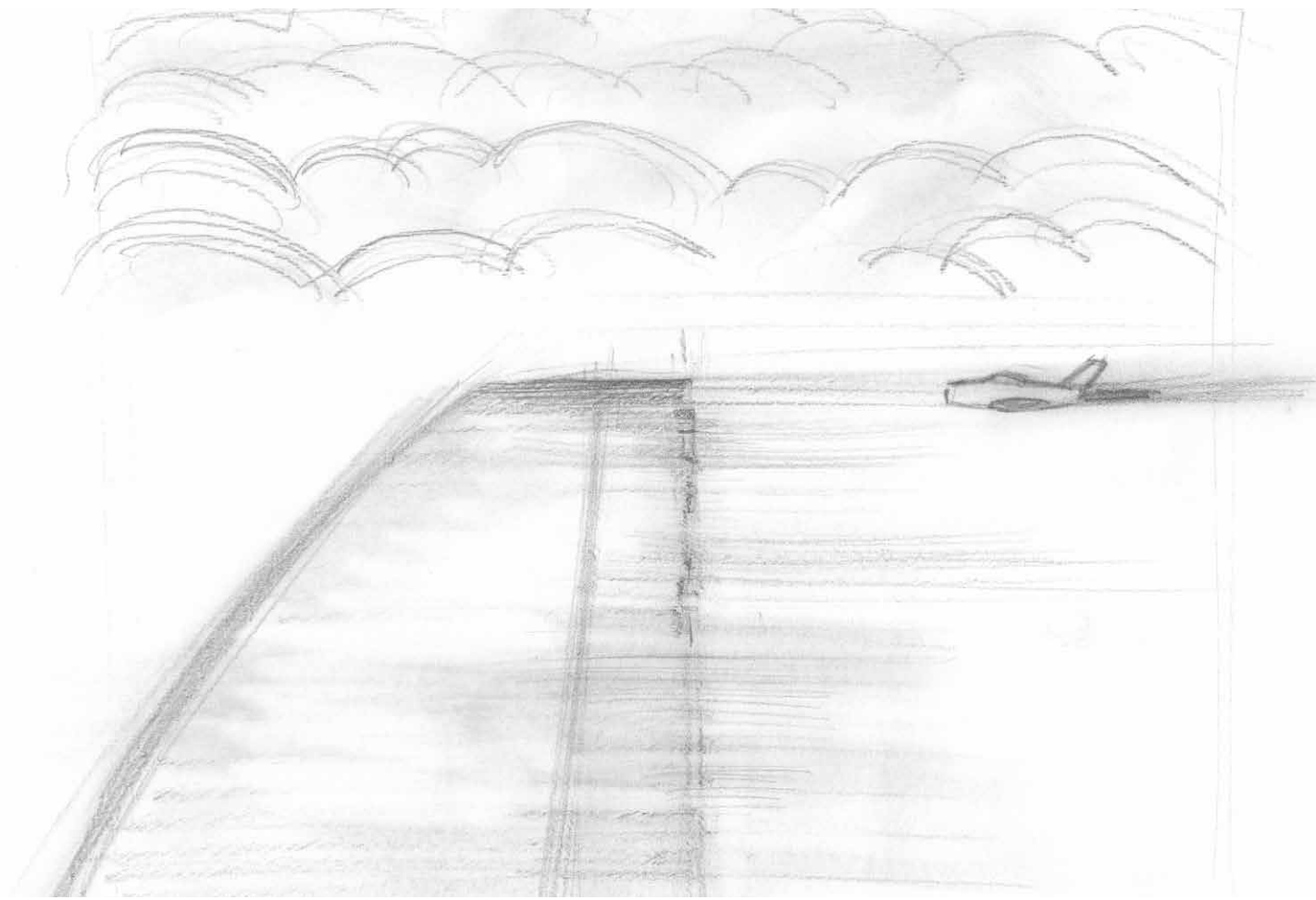
Gen. Tran Hanh: "As soon as I flew up, I could still see 502 behind. Looking back to the north of the bridge, I realized Le Minh Huan and Tran Nguyen Nam were fighting with a group of F-105."



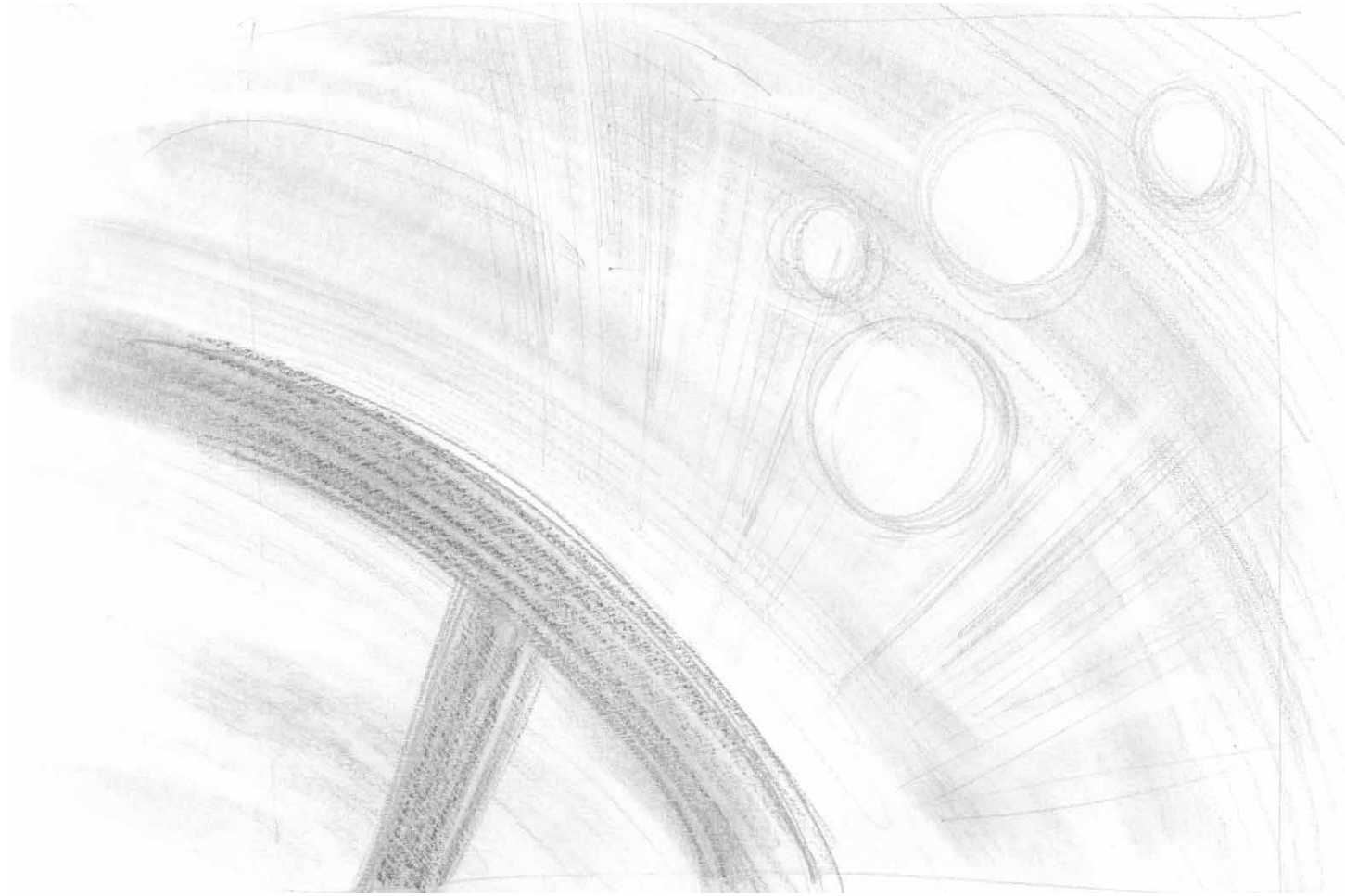
Same shot, inside cockpit. Subjective viewpoint.



Pan to extreme right, down:

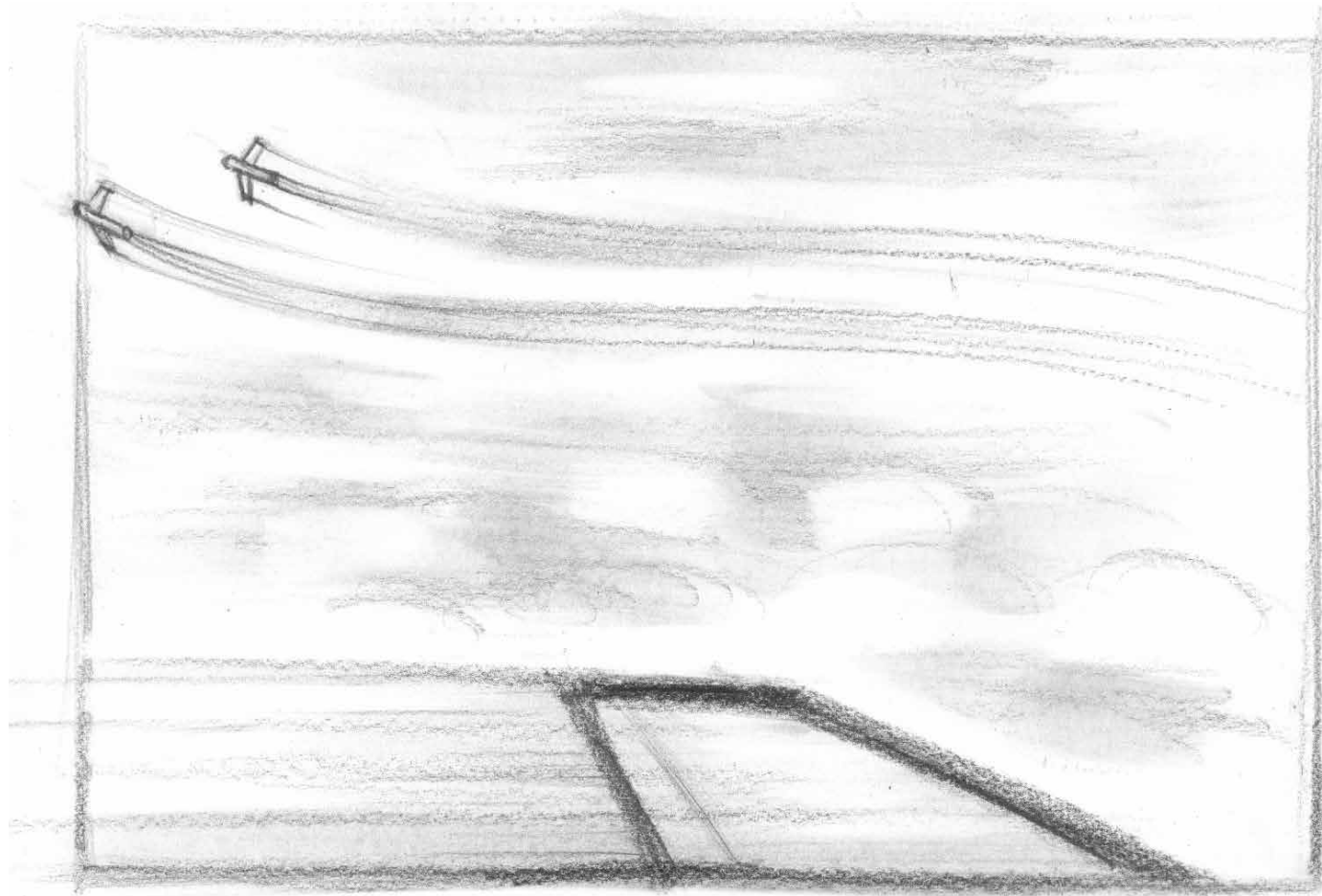


the MiG of Pham Giay appears a little bit far, following the same direction of Capt. Tran Hanh.

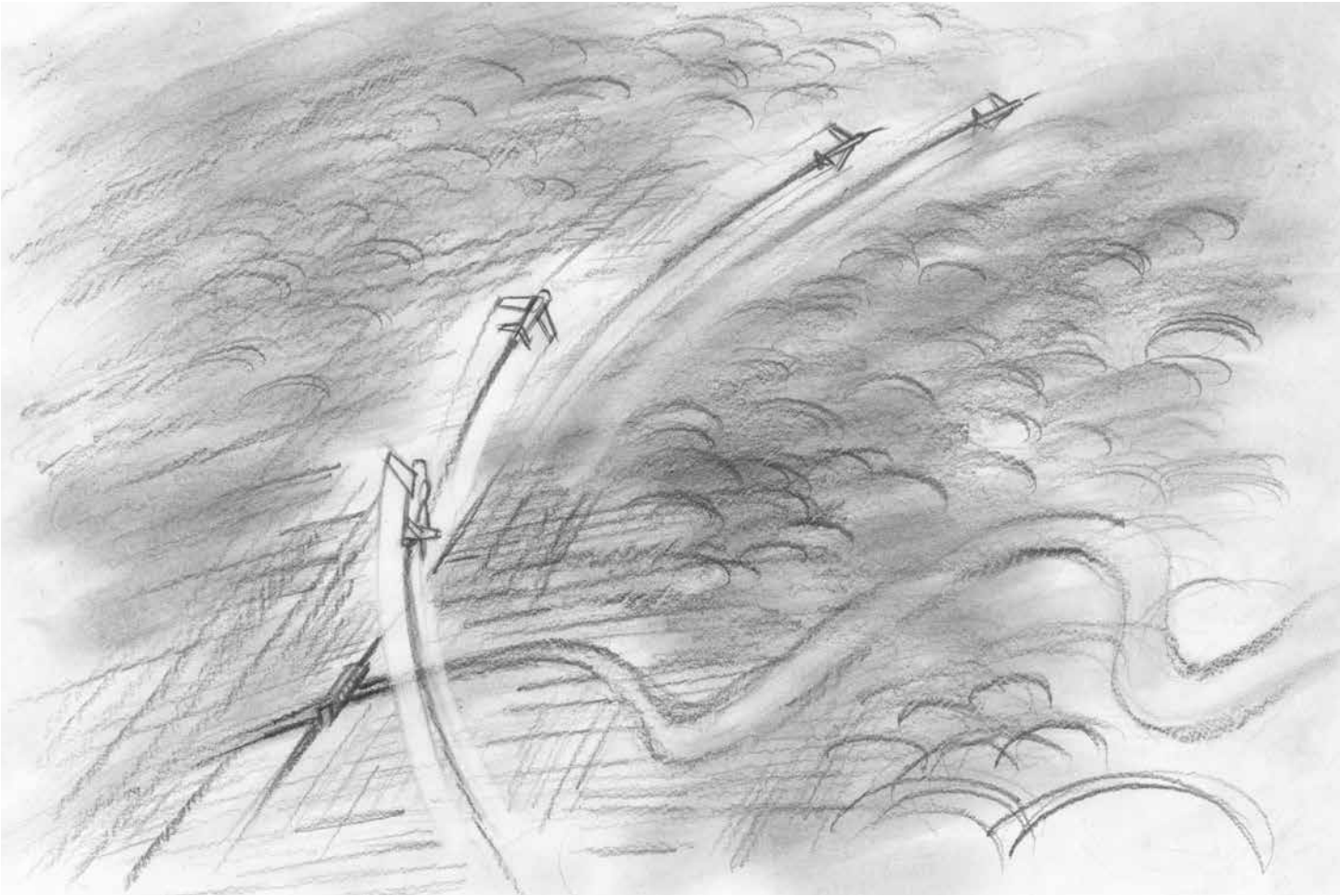




Pan to left side a bit down,



zooming in: far way,



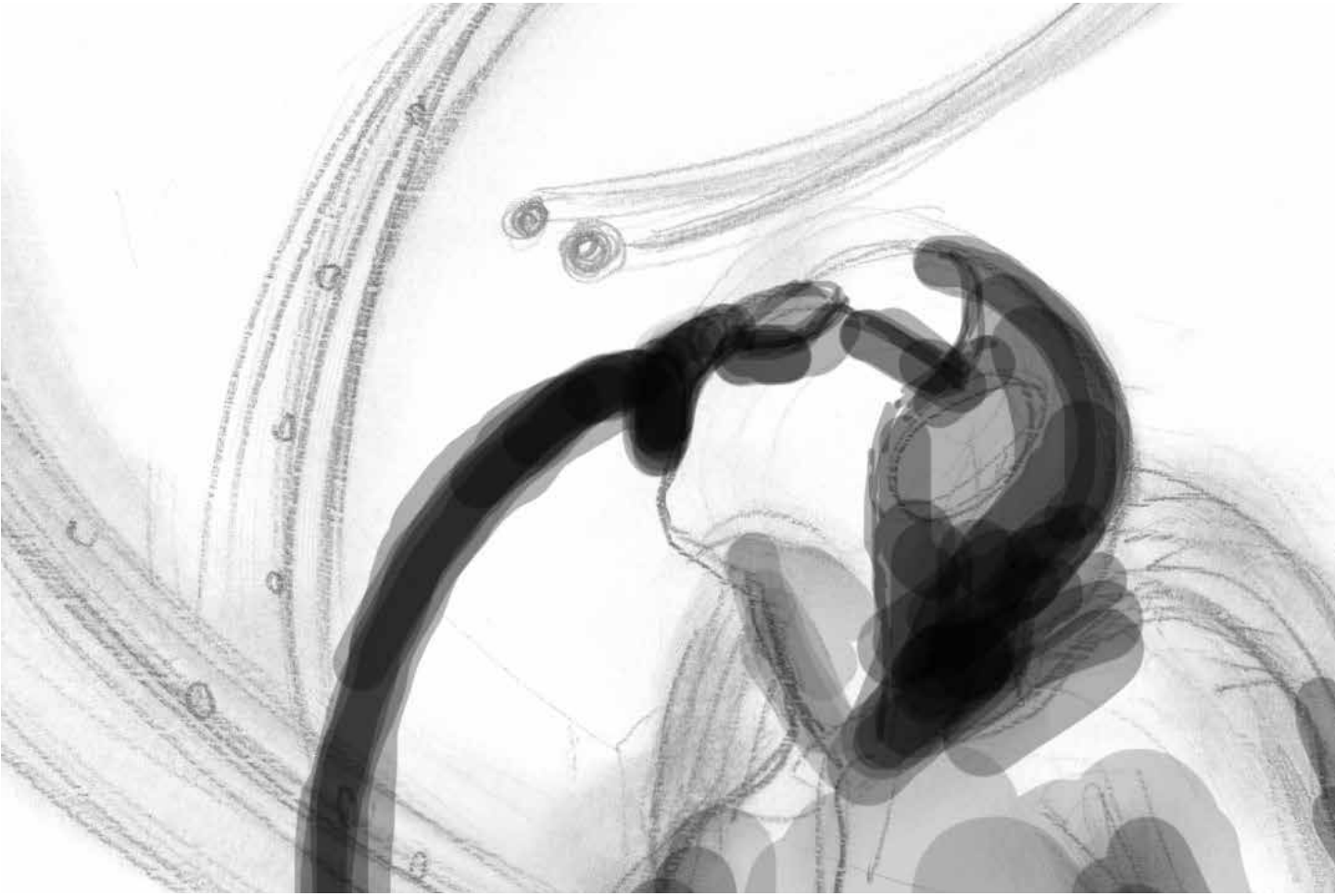
2 MiGs flying from right to left turn right and open fire against 2 F-105s (on left side). They fly deeper in the background. Ham Rong bridge (lower part of screen) and black patches of flak in the background.



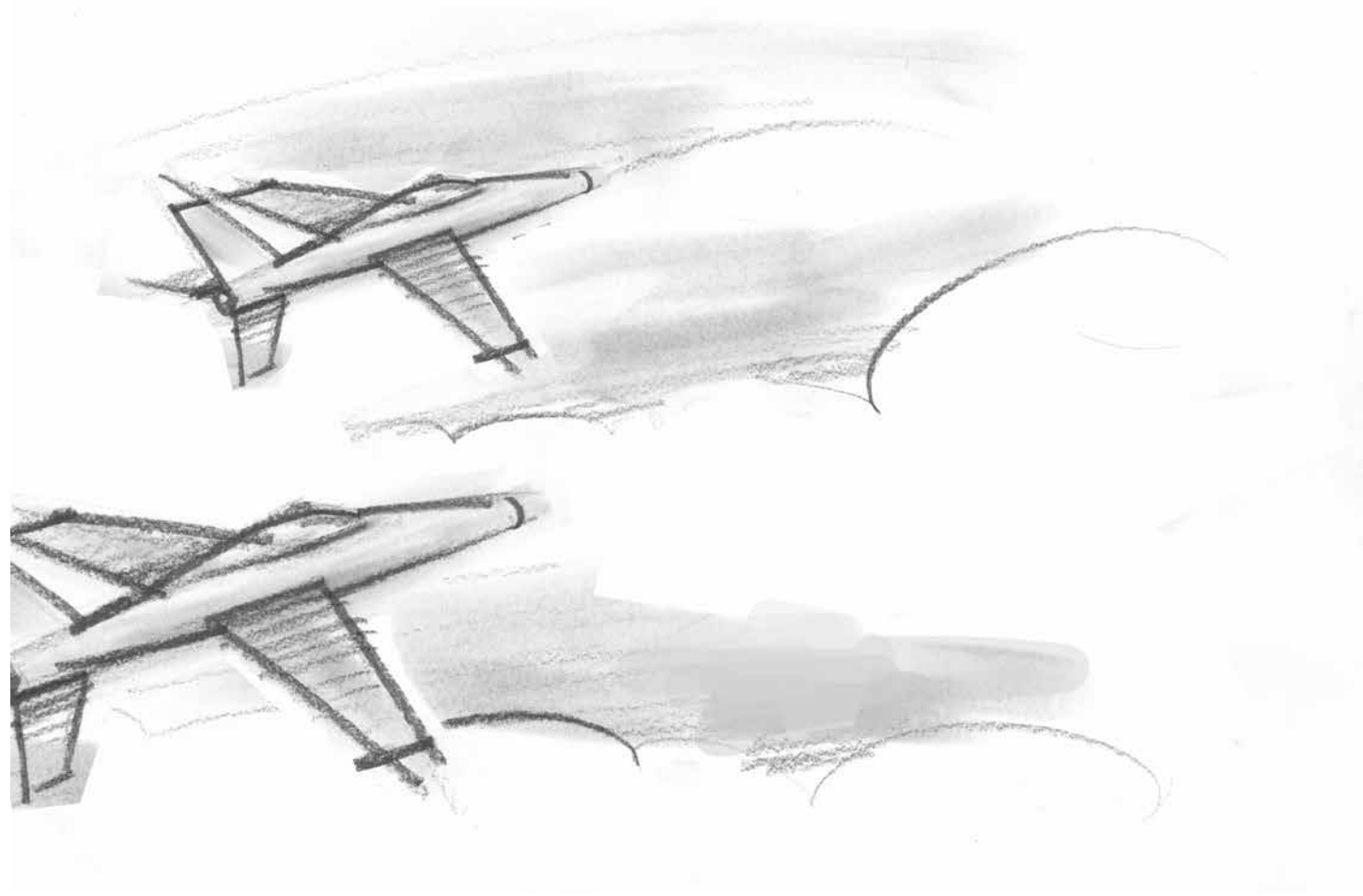
Gen. Tran Hanh: "At the same time, I discovered two dark points behind me approaching very rapidly."



Inside the cockpit. Low angle view. Capt. Tran Hanh looks to his left. He suddenly looks above, through the rear canopy.



2 aircraft are coming from far above and are flying down, behind him.
Sun at its zenith through clouds.



Same shot. Camera tracking up.

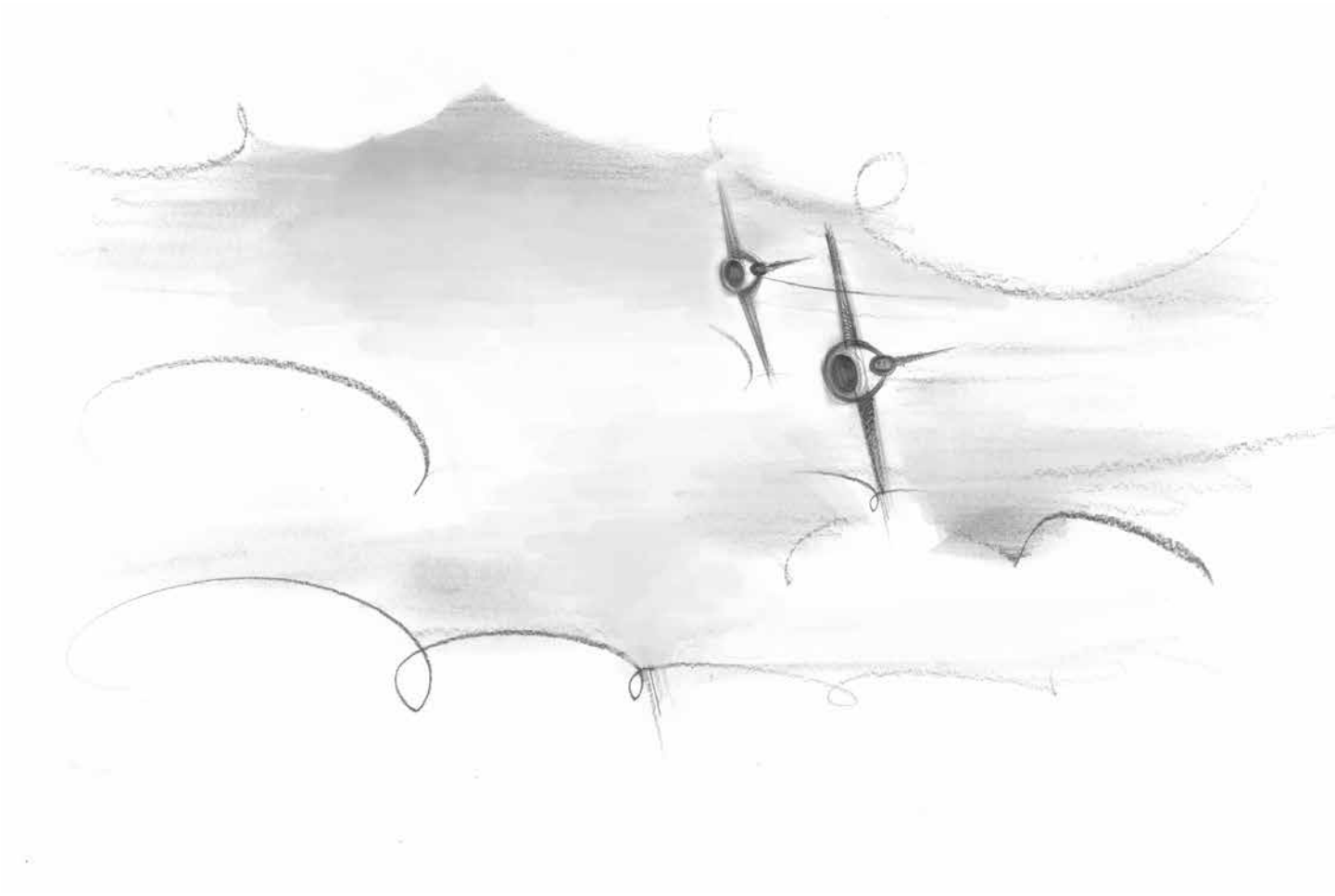
VO: "the F-100s escort that patrolled on north of Ham Rong..."



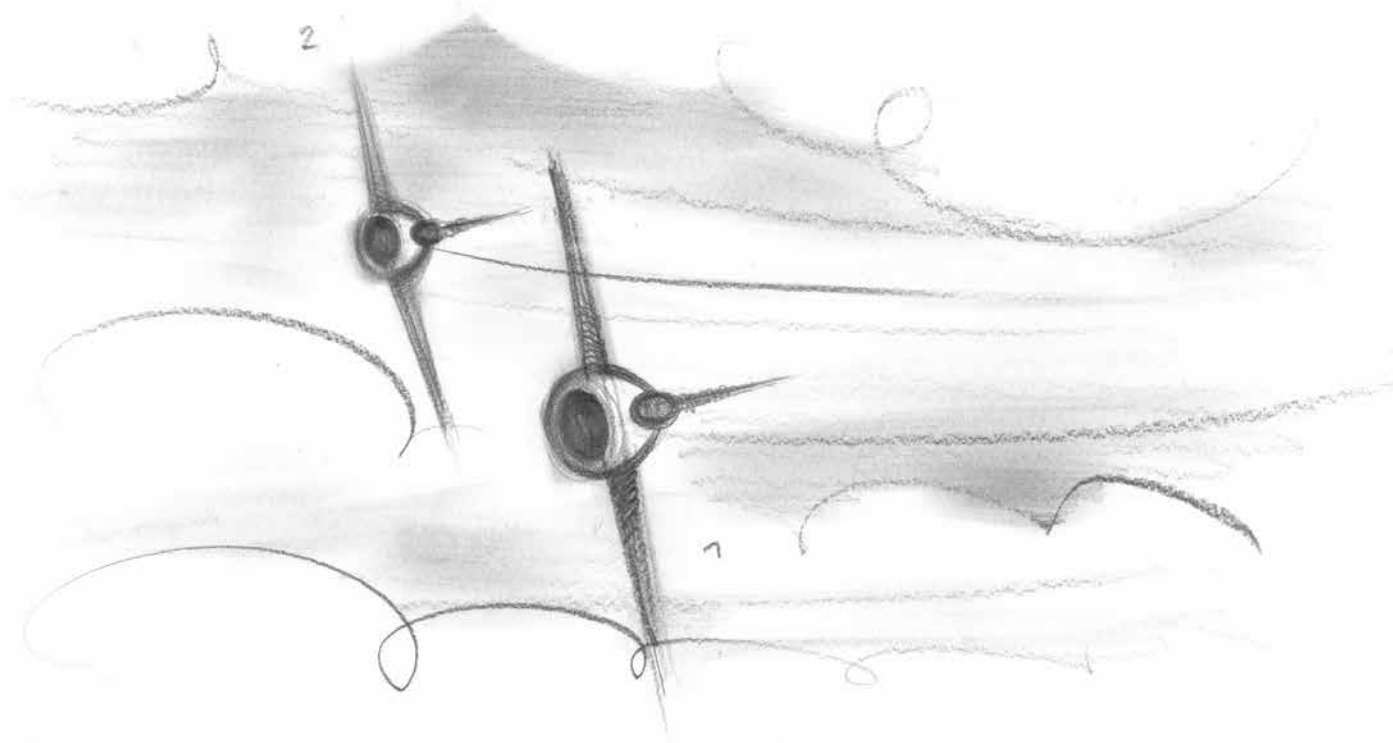
Same shot. The leader breaks left sharply and the wingman follows.
VO: "...are now fully aware of the presence of the MiGs."



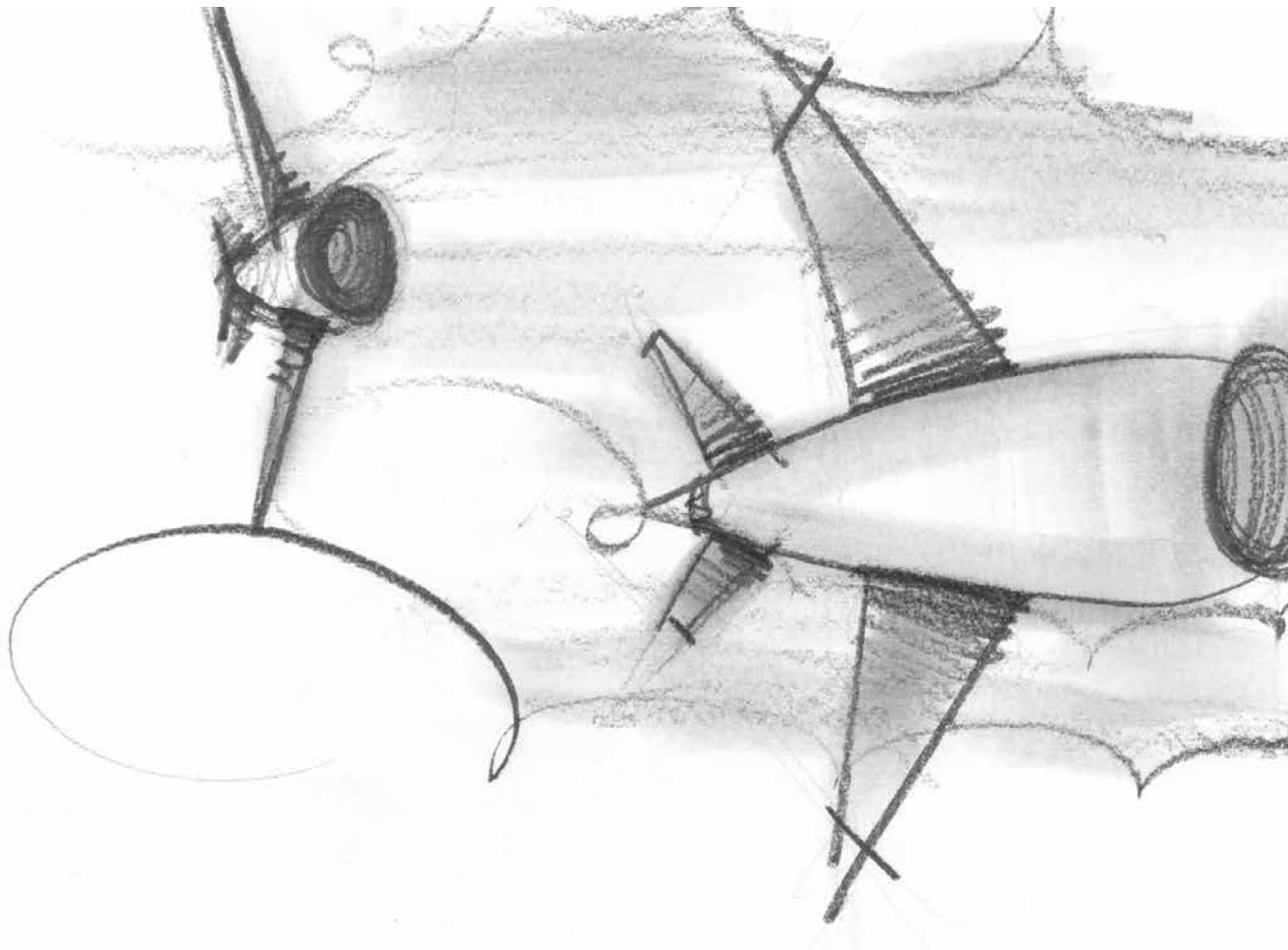
Same shot. The F-100s are going to the background and leave the screen.



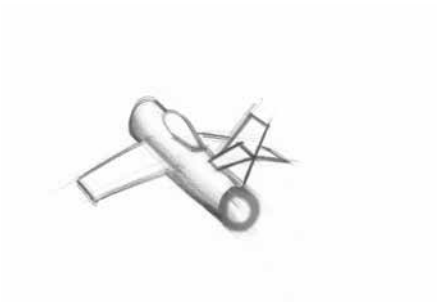
Low angle. Long shot. The 2 F-100s are going back to the south.
VO: "They are going back to Ham Rong to support the F-105s."



Same shot.



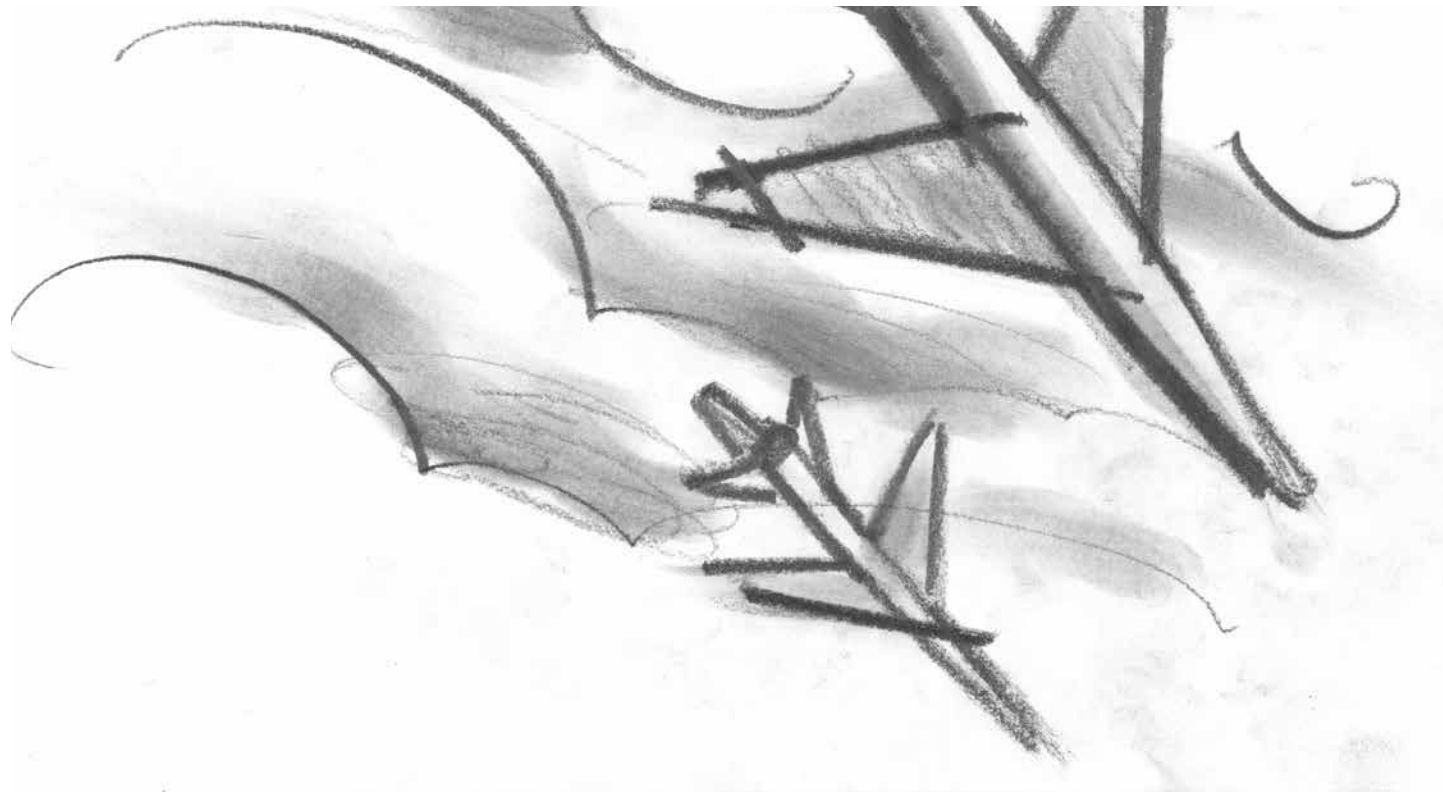
Same shot. They pass close to the camera.



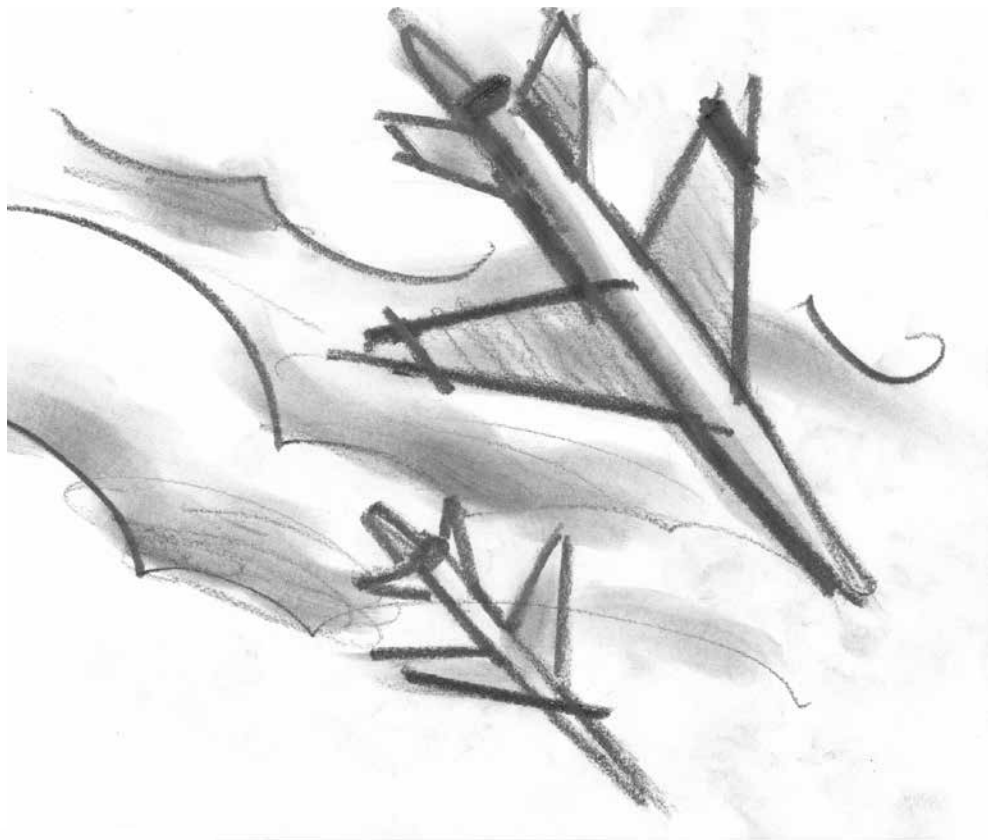
the MiG is passing below and going straight in the background (rear view).



Same shot.



2 F-100s are coming from above.



Same shot.



Camera follows the motion of the F-100s. The small MiG is in the background.



Gen. Tran Hanh : "I guessed they were F-100s because F-100s' duty was to protect F-105s. "



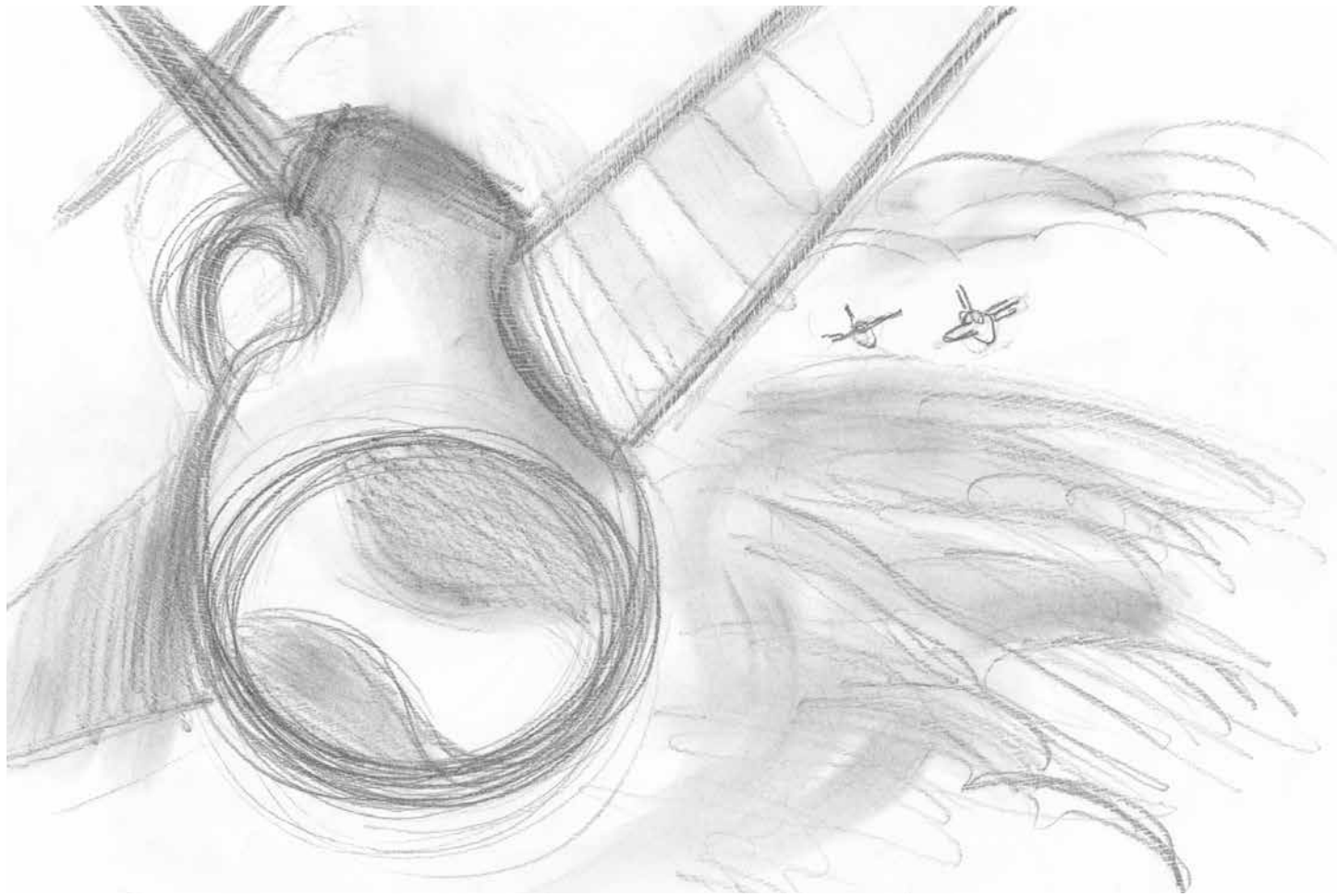
Long shot. Low-angle front view of the MiG coming from upper right corner of the screen, flying straight up in the diagonale.



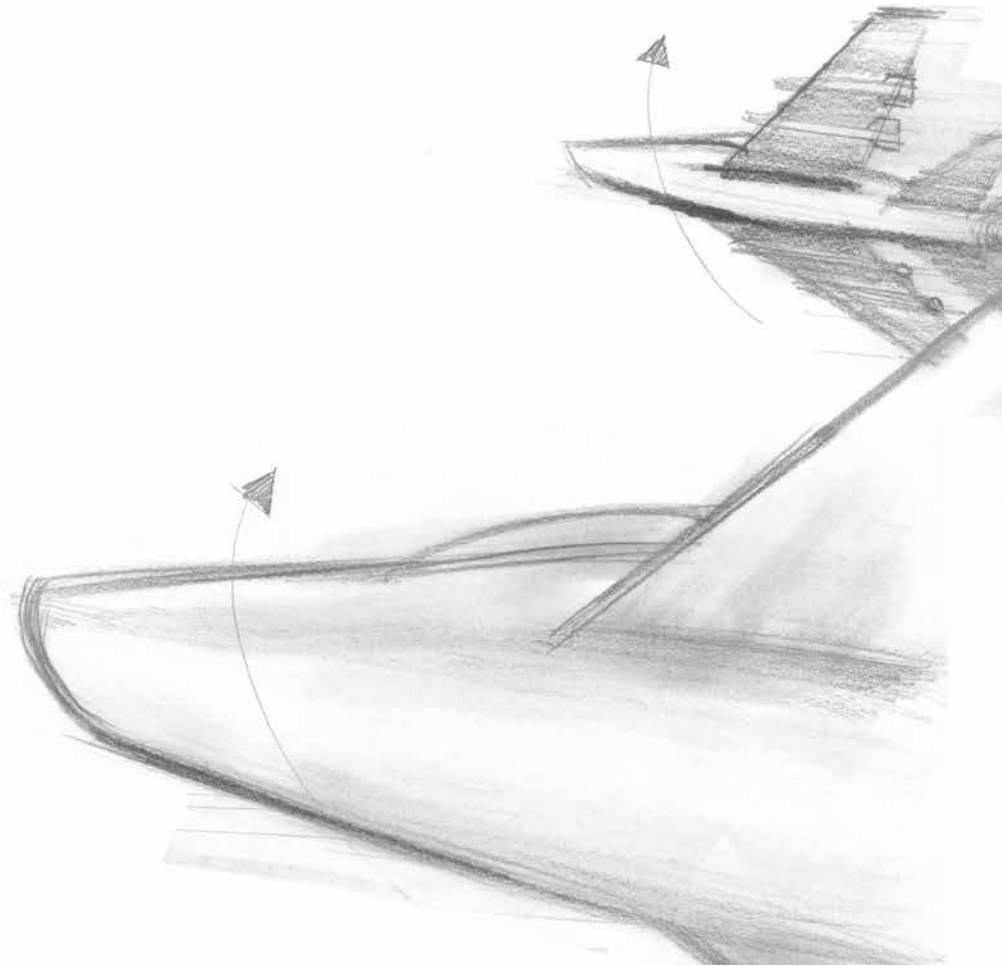
Inside cockpit. Eye-level close shot of the face of Capt. Tran Hanh. He suddenly breaks right (left on the screen), at the same time he looks back on the rear right side of the screen. 2 F-100s can be seen through rear cockpit. Capt. Tran Hanh breaks again and flies horizontally.



Same shot. Capt. Tran Hanh looks behind him, on his right side (left on screen).



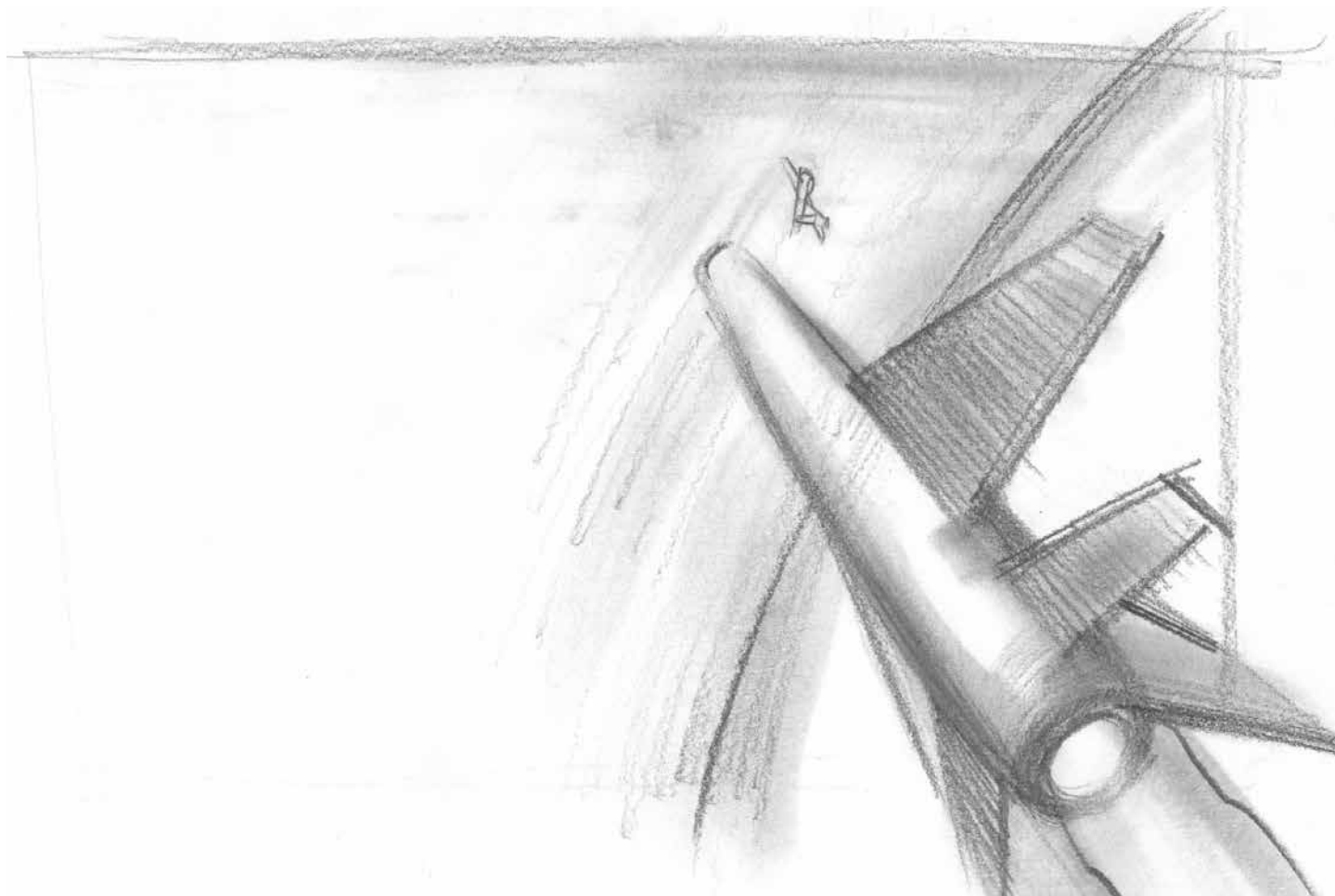
Medium shot. MiG-17 banking to turn on right side of screen and going out of the screen.
2 F-100s follow the same path and maneuver.



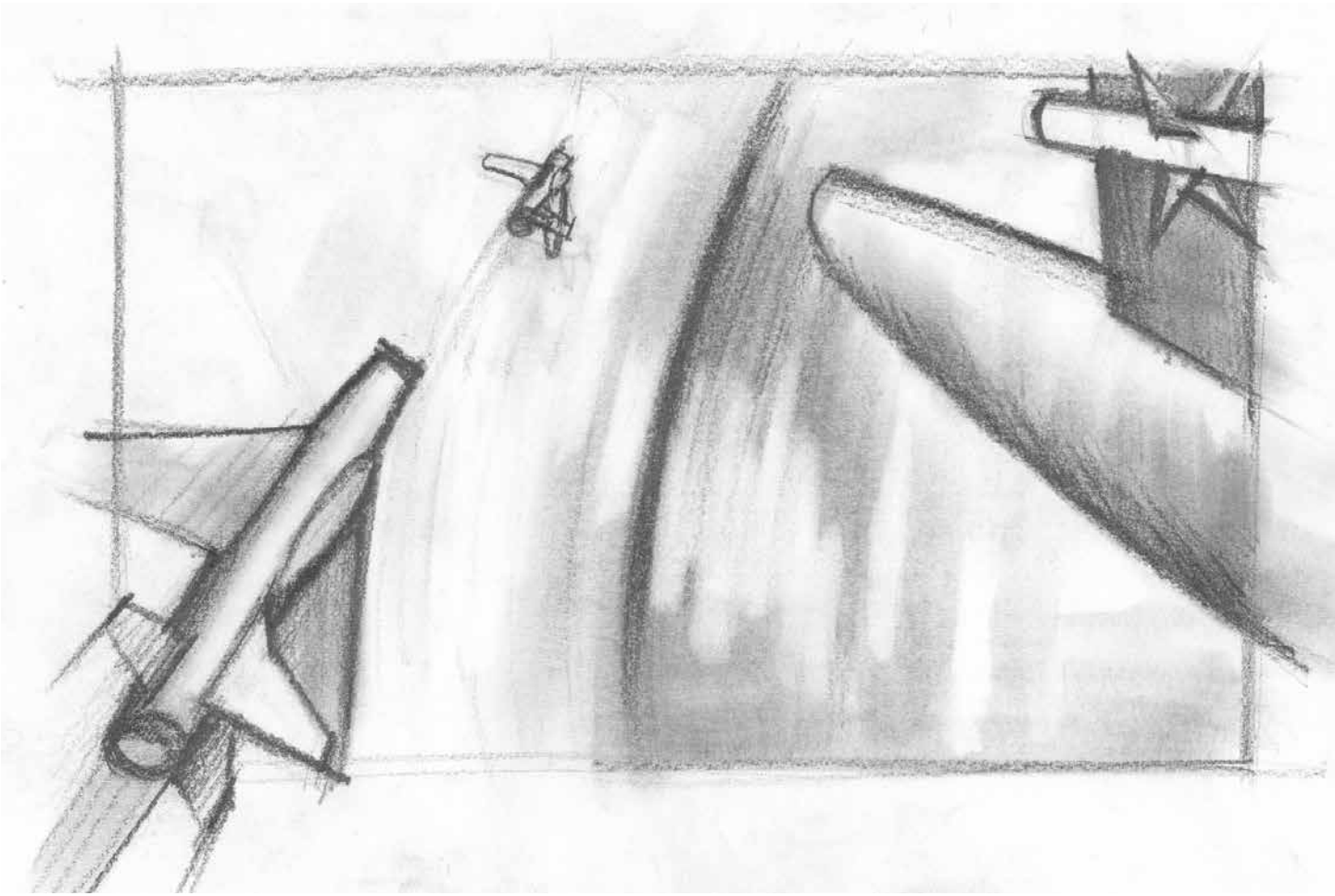
2 F-100s are banking. Leader in the foreground.



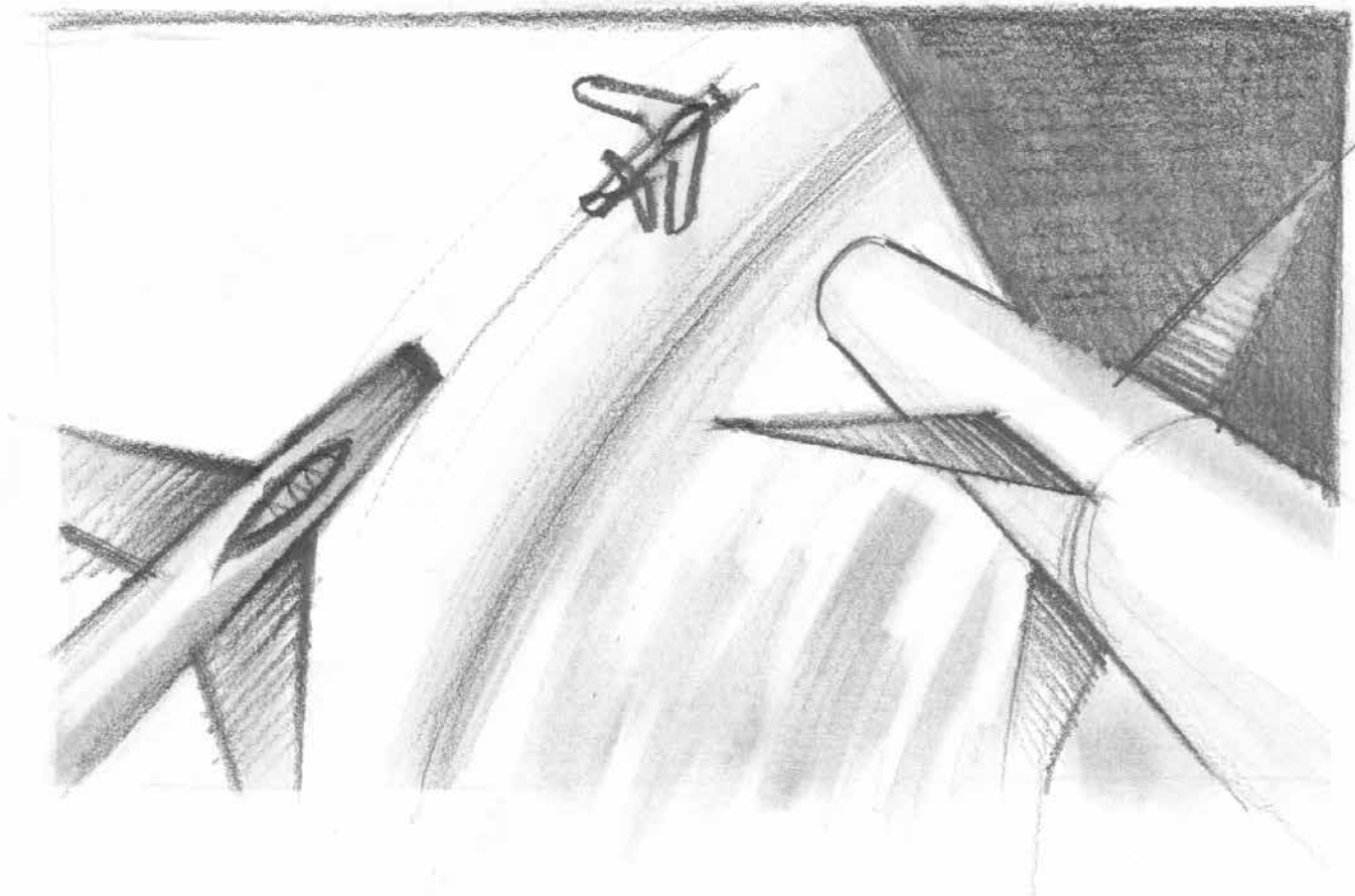
Pan to the left, to follow the F-100s.



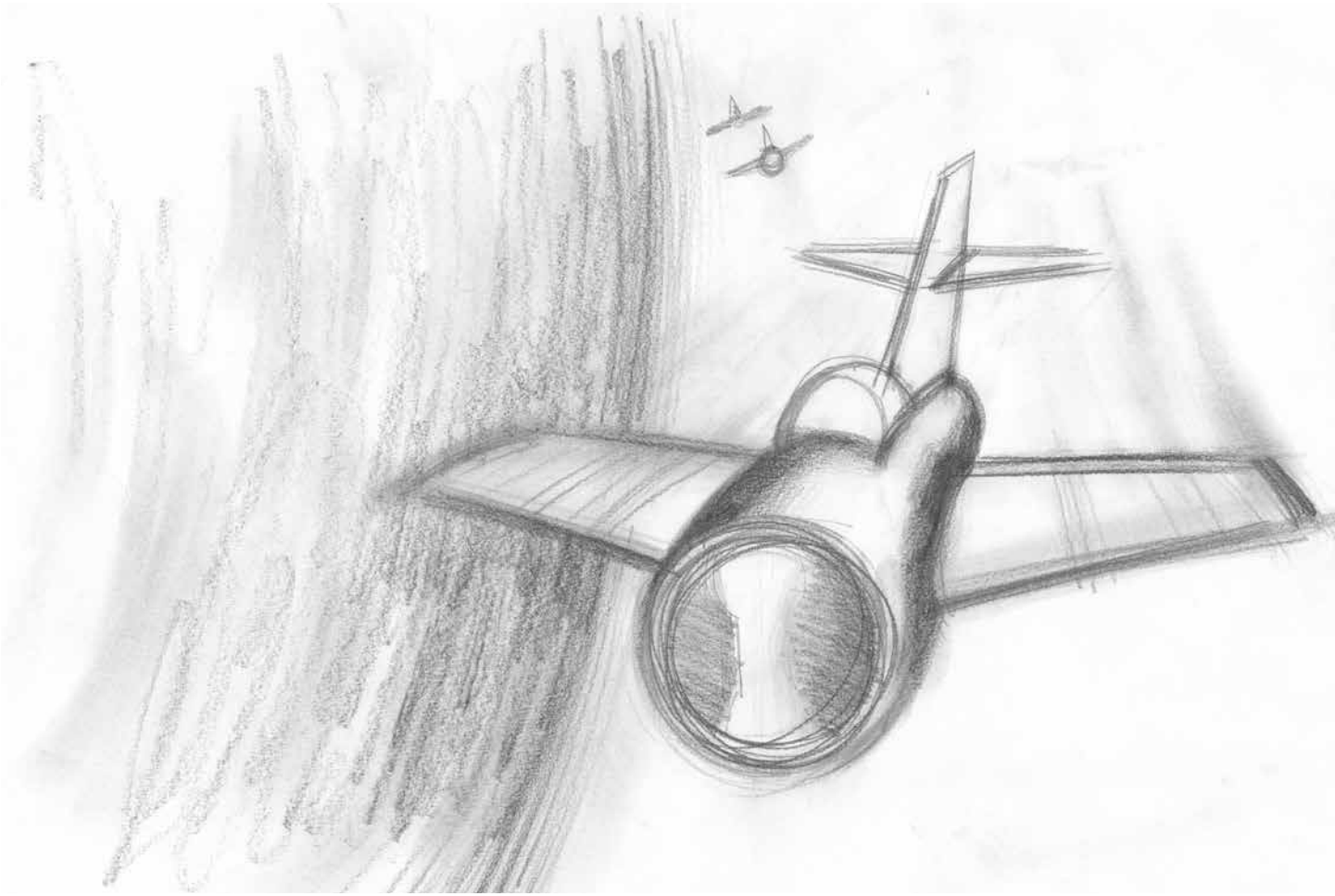
Medium shot. Rear view of the leader on the right corner.
In the background, the MiG banking left. View of the earth turning from 0 ° to 45°.



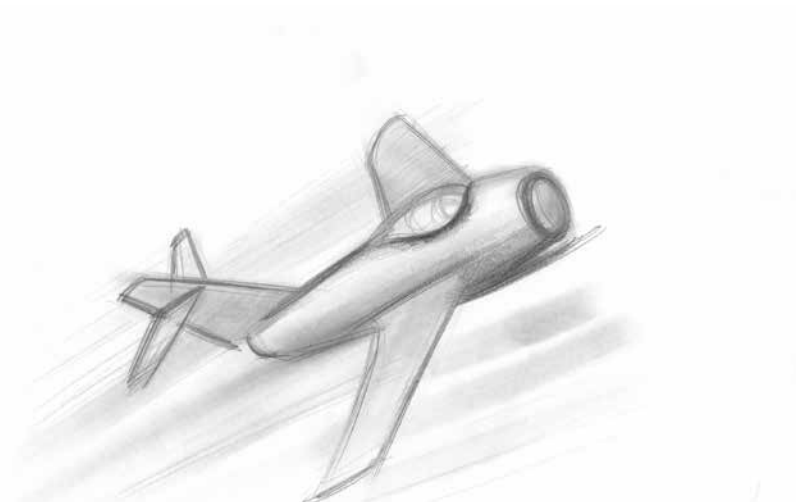
Camera is tracking to the right, passing close to the tailpipe of the leader...
In the background, the MiG banking right. View of the earth turning from 0 ° to 45°.



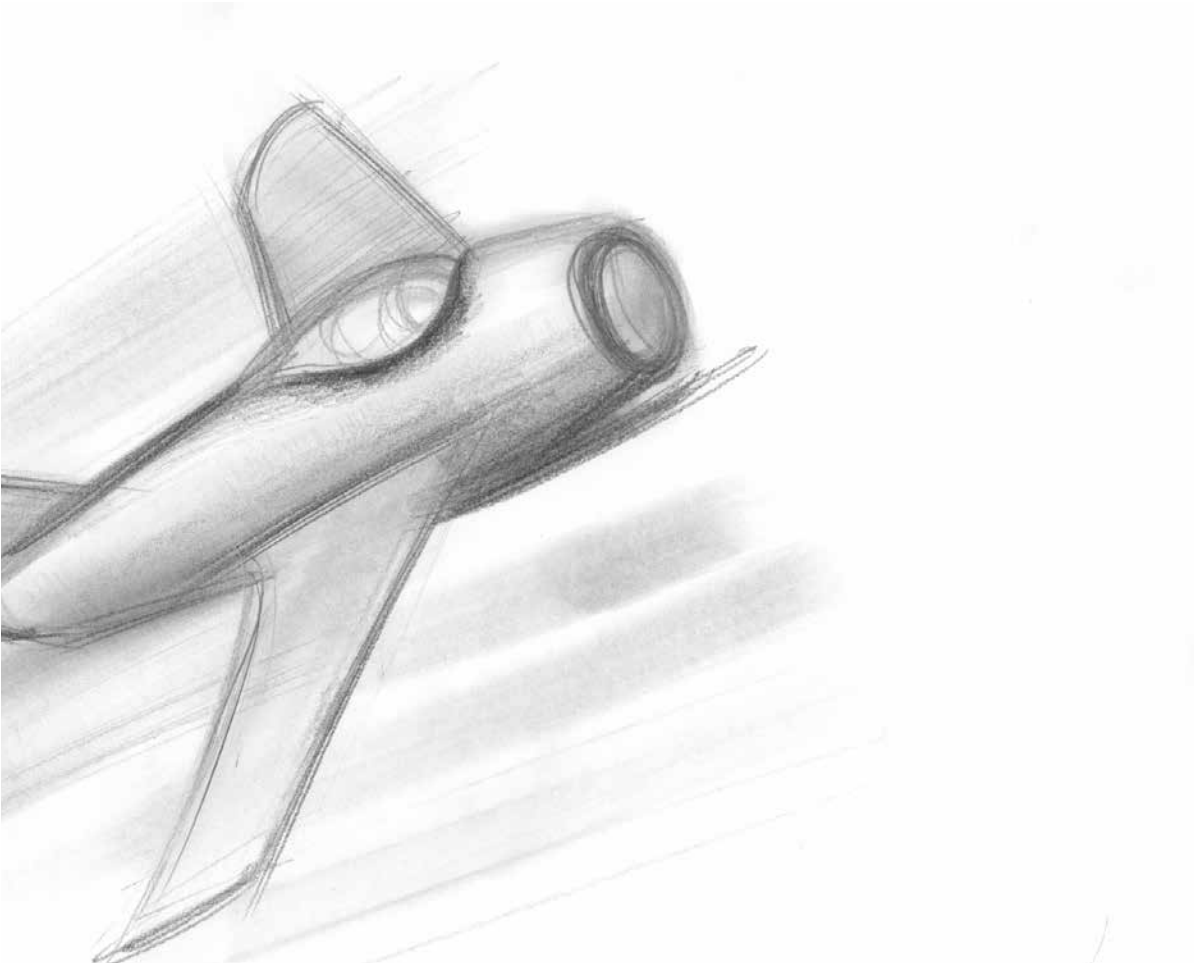
... the camera comes close to the sidewinder under the left wing of the wingman.



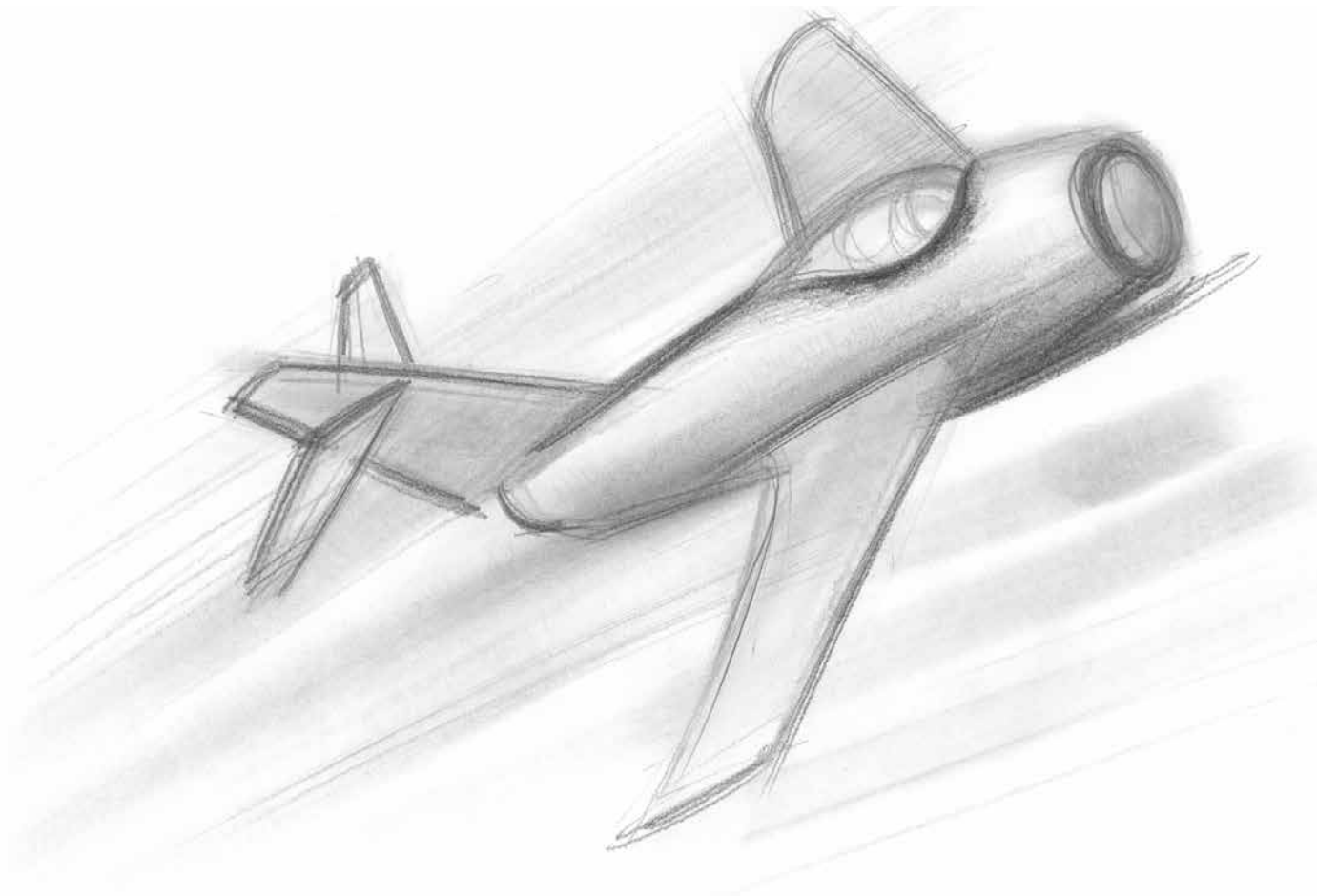
Reverse shot. Slight high-angle, long shot. Front view of the MiG and the F-100s behind. 3 aircraft banking right. On the left side of screen, the landscape appears leaning diagonally (45°).



Medium low-angle shot, the MiG is flying from left to right side of the screen.
MiG is banking right...



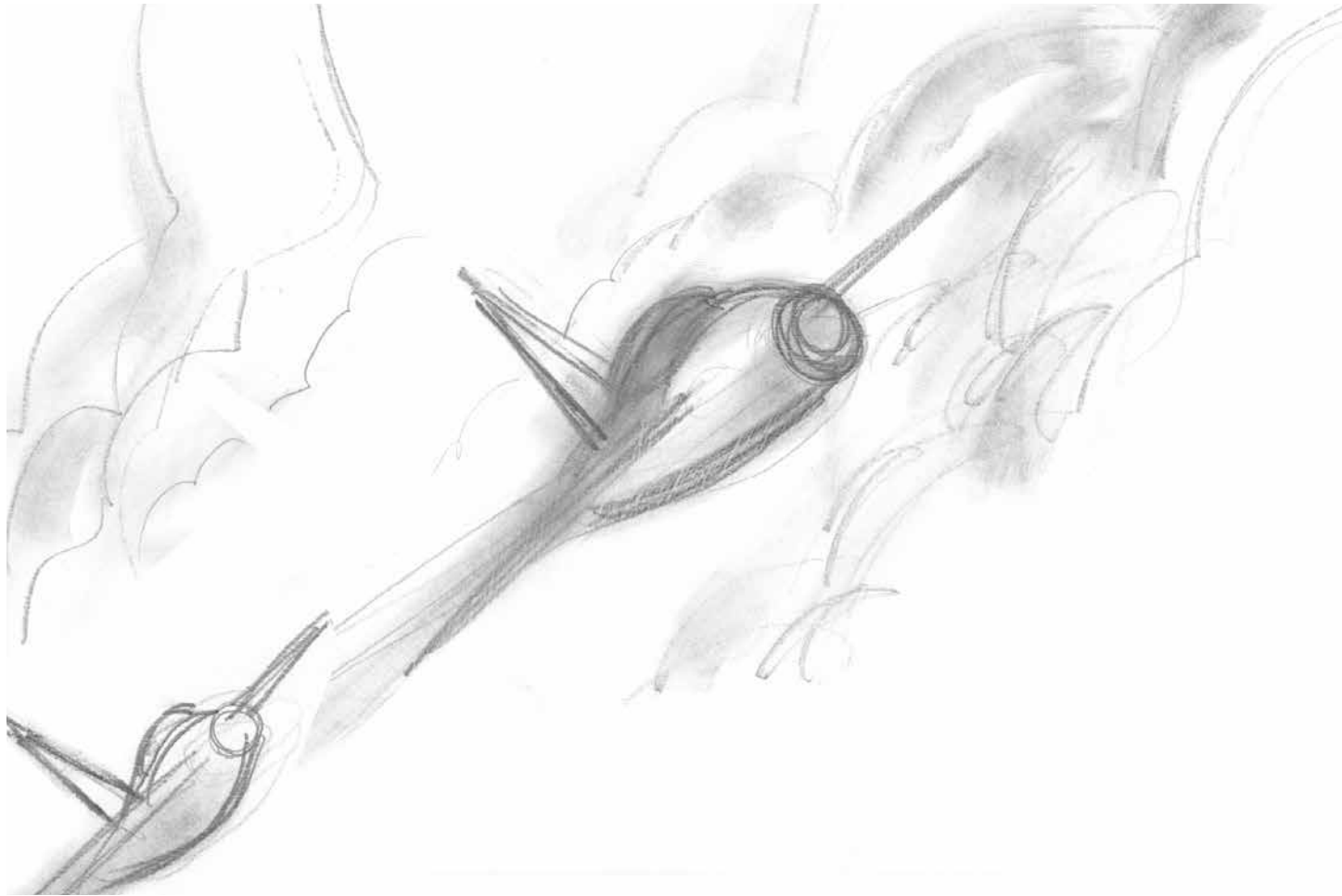
...Camera zooming in...



...the camera follows the MiG...



...Pan to the left, catching the first F-100 behind...



Same shot. The second F-100 appears in the screen. Camera follows the action.



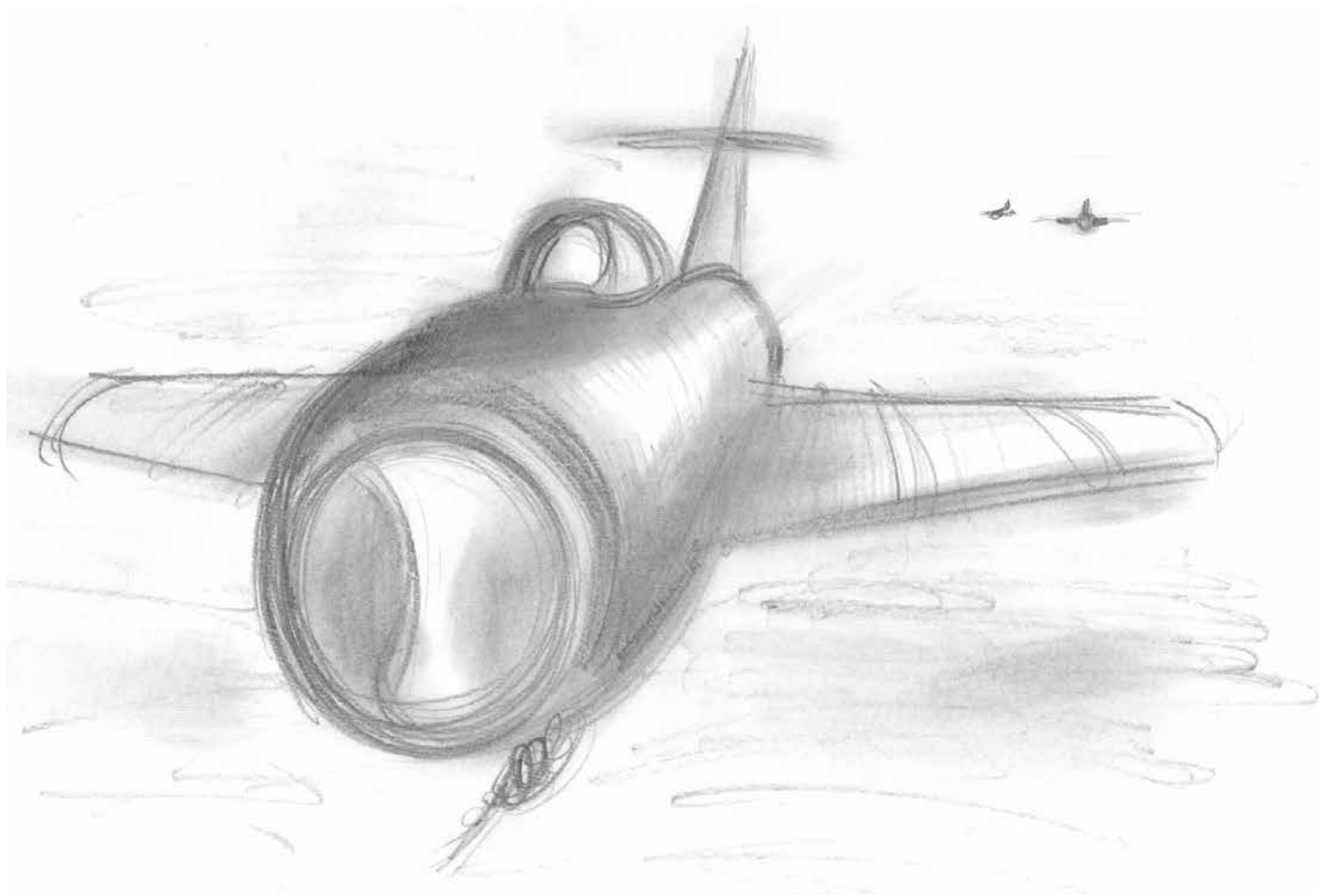
Gen. Tran Hanh: "They approached me really quickly, the small dark points grew bigger and bigger in a moment"



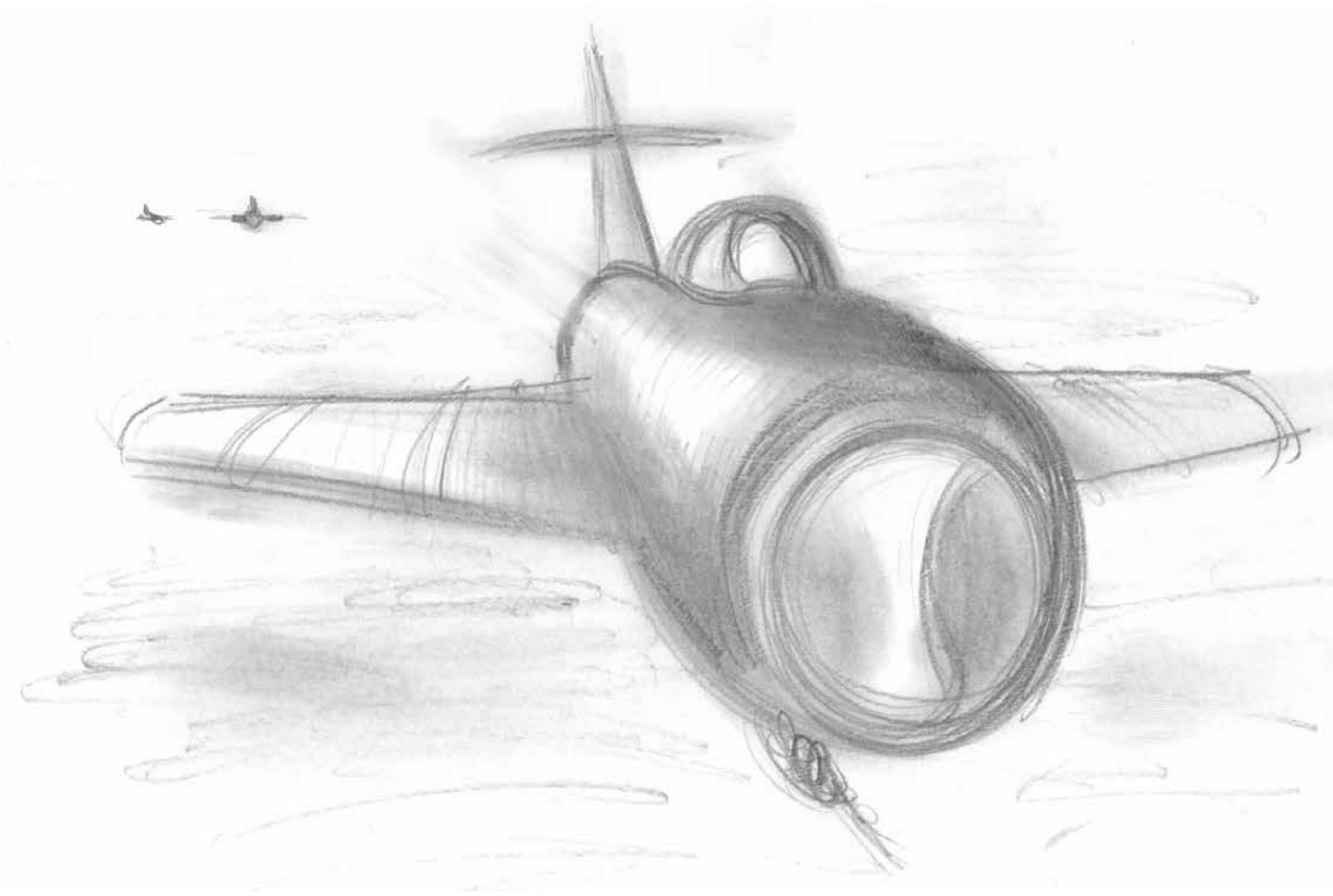
Horizontal long shot, low-angle front view of 2 F-100s flying straight forward, coming close to the camera.



Tracking out shot, camera leaves the F-100s, slides under the rear tail of MiG, the flank, until the nose.



Front shot. MiG on the left side.



MiG has a zigzag path, avoiding clouds. Camera follows but the motion but slightly late.
F-100s follow exactly the same path in the background. Pan to the left. MiG is on right side of the screen.

Freeze-frame + Dissolving into dark blue background