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This material consists of newspaper articles, journals, publications, books and papers regarding the Strategic Defense Initiative.

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