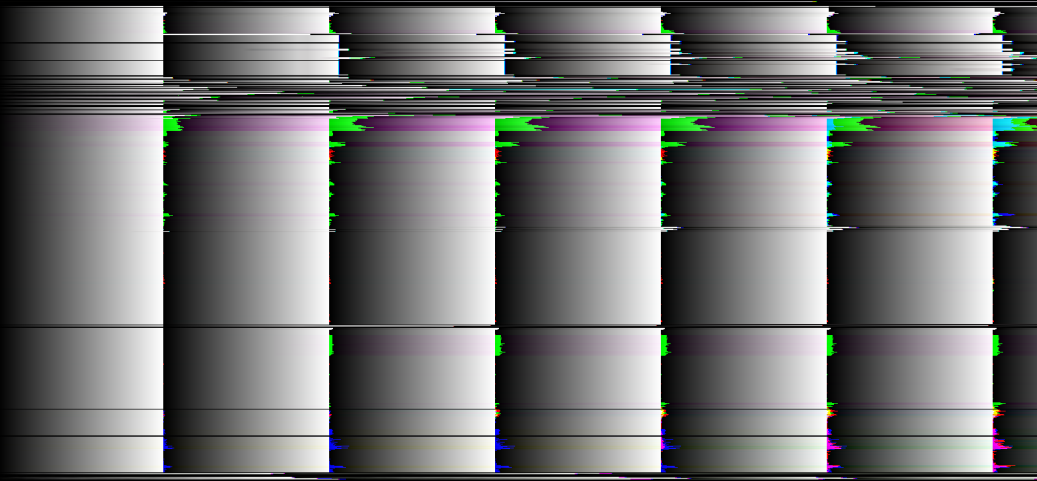


Castro has used the U.S. embargo to maintain his control and to point to the external oppressor. He probably never wants it



to be lifted, because it would mean the end of his power.

