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This study indicates that the present Sino-Soviet conflict in Turkistan is the result of long-standing national rivalry. Long-standing national antagonism and suspicion, together with the struggle for national interests, have been super-imposed on ideological controversy. The latter, however, has been enhancing ideological controversy and standing in a cause effect relationship. For the prospect of the Sino-Soviet conflict in Turkistan, two conclusions are as follows:

1. If the Sinicization and the Sovietization of Turkistan can be achieved, the tensions in Turkistan can be reduced somewhat.
2. Unless the Sino-Soviet national antagonism is relaxed, the conflict in Turkistan is likely to continue.