

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 27 Aug 61	2. LOCATION Osan, Korea	12. CONCLUSIONS
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2030	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon
GMT - 271200Z	<input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 15 min	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE Varied
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round white objt size of pea. Appeared 45° elev, 160° az. Disappeared 75° elev, 200° az. Larger than stars.	11. COMMENTS Report contains very little info, but what there is give no reason to believe that objt was anything other than a/c which was in area. Absence of unknowns reported by radar units in area support this conclusion. There are many possible situations where movement of a/c could be mistaken by ground observers to be for example right angle turns; it all depends upon what plane the a/c is maneuvering in and its xxx relationship to observer.	

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OBSERVATION. POSSIBILITY OF OBJECT BEING A JET AIRCRAFT OR HELICOPTER WAS DISCOUNTED DUE TO SPEED & ALTITUDE AS THE OBJECT COPIED AND COUNTED AS THE OBJECT CAME ACROSS THE SKY ITS FLIGHT PATH WAS NOT CONSTANTLY FORWARD BUT APPEARED IRREGULAR IN BOTH SPEED AND DIRECTION. THE COLOR OF THE OBJECT CHANGED FROM WHITE TO REDDISH COLOR. AT ONE POINT THE OBJECT STOPPED, WAS VERY BRILLIANT IN COLOR AND AT GREAT ALTITUDE. AFTER STAYING BASICALLY STATIONARY AND CONSTANT IN COLOR (WHITE) FOR APPROXIMATELY 2 TO 3 MINUTES, THE OBJECT BEGAN TO RAISE IN 90 DEGREE VERTICAL FLIGHT NOW CHANGING COLOR. AS THE OBJECT WAS RISING A JET FIGHTER CAME OVER THE AREA APPROACHING THE BASE AT APPROXIMATELY 5000 FEET OR LESS. THE OBJECT THEN BEGAN FORWARD MOVEMENT AND THEN CHANGED DIRECTION 90 DEGREES, THEN CONTINUED ITS ORIGINAL DIRECTION TO THE EAST SOUTH EAST. ITS LIGHT AT THIS POINT WAS BRILLIANT BUT HAD BECOME SMALL AS THE STARS. THE SPEED AT THIS POINT WAS DEFINITELY GREATER THAN ANY KNOWN AIRCRAFT. (5) OBJECT DISAPPEARED WITH GREAT BURST OF SPEED APPARENTLY BEING CLIMBING AND FADED FROM SIGHT

(6) 12 MINUTES. C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL. (2) NONE. (3) HIGH RELIABILITY

1048Z 14 SEP 61. (2) NIGHT E. CS 272050, CHICOL VILLAGE OUTSIDE
MAIN GATE OSAN AB F. OSI SPECIAL AGENTS JOHN O HYDE AND BILL H
HAYES, DISTRICT OFFIECE 45. HIGH RELIABILITY G. (1) SKY CLEAR OVER

BALLOON. (1) CREW DIED IN FIGHTING
BALLOON. (2) 12 MINUTES

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HEAD. SKY BROKEN CLOUDY IN AREA OF MOON 270 DEGREES. NO CLOUDS
ALONG PATH OF FLIGHT. (2) SURFACE: 350/2, 6,000: 340/10, 10,000
280/20, 16,000: 270/40, 20,000: 240/65, 30,000: 230/75, 50,000:
260/60. (3) 8,000 BROEKEN HIGH OVERCAST (ABOVE 20,000 FT). (4) 5 MI
HAZE AND SMOKE. (5) OVERCAST 10/10. (6) NONE. (7) 1.4 DEGREE C PER
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SED AT 1103Z BALLOON ENTAINED WHITE LIGHT WITH INTENSITY OF FLASH
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IN THE AREA. NO UNKNOWS CARRIED ON GCI RADAR IN LOCAL AREA AT THIS
TIME THERE WERE NO HELICOPTERS IN TME AREA AT THIS TIME. K. PRE
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DIVIDUALS. THEIR OSI INVESTIGATIVE DUTIES AND TRAINING SHOULD QUALI
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JECT BUT CONSIDERED QT QUITE LIKELY THAT THE SIGHTING COULD HAVE BEEN CAUSED BY AN F-102 DOING EXTENSIVE FLYING AND MANEUVERS IN THE LOCAL AREA WITH AFTER-BURNER. THERE WERE NO MISSILE FIRINGS OR AERIAL TESTS IN THE AREA. A STRONG POSSIBILITY EXIST THAT A DIS CREPANCY BETWEEN THE TIME OF THE SIGHTING OR THE RELEASE TIME OF THE WEATHER BALLON COUPRBGAVE OCCURRED, AND THIS WAS THE OBJECT BEING OBSERVED. NO EXPLANATION EXISTS FOR THE REPORTED HIGH SPEED OF THE OBJECT, EXCEPT ERROR ON THE PART OF THE OBSERVERS. 2. ON 18 SEP ANOTHER SIGHTING OF AN UNIDENTIFID OBJECT WAS REPORTED THIS

OFFICER, INFORMATION IAW AFR 200-2 AS FOLLOWS: A. (1) ROUND (2) PERA (3) BEAD NON-EWHITE/ CREAM. (4) 1. (5) N/A. (6) NO. (7) NONE. (8) 8 NONE

7) N/A E B. (1) MOVING LIGHT IN SKY. (2) 45 DEGREE ELEVATION 160 DEGREE AZIMUTH. (3) 75 DEGREE ELEVATION 200 DEGREE AZIMUTH. (4) BOTH OBSERVERS SAW AN OBJECT LARGER THAN THE STARS, MOVING TOWARD THEM FROM EAST TO WEST FOR ABOUT 1 MINUTE. THE OBJECT THEN BEGAN TO MAKE SHARP FAST MOVEMENTS SIDE TO SIDE AND VERTICALLY CONTINUING IN GENERALLY THE SAME DIRECTION. THE OBJECT THEN STOPPED, HOVERED FOR A FEW YECOND, THEN BEGAN TO MOVE IN A WIDE GRADUAL TURN AND PROCEED SOUTH. AT Z S POINT THE OBJECT WAS LARGER THAN THE

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LARGEST STAR AND VERY BRIGHT, IT THEN BEGAN FADING IN BRIGHTNESS AND EVENTUALLY DISAPPEARED. NOTHING UNUSUAL WAS OBSERVED REGARDING ALTITUDE OR SPEED. OBSERVERS STATED THAT BCAUSE OF THE SHARP VERTICAL AND RIGHT ANGLE MANEUVERS THE OBJEVT COULD NOT HAVE BEEN AIRCRAFT, STAR OR COMET. ROTHFUSS STATED HE HAD WATCHED WEATHER BALLOONS ASCENDING BEFORE AND DID NOT BELIEVE THIS COULD HAVE BEEN A BALLOON. (5) GREW DIMMER GOING UP THRU CLOUDS, THEN FADED FROM SIGHT. (6) 15 MINUTES

8) E (1) GROUND-VISUAL. (2) NONE. (3) N/A. D.

(1) 1200Z 27 AUGUST 1961. (2) NIGHT. E. CS 260055, BLDG 238, OSAN AB KOREA. F. JOHN G ROTHFUSS A2C AF12591103, 6314 SUPPORT SQ A AFKN RADION: AERNGRADIO; AUBY

9) FLP CHOLSTON, A2C AF17514458, 6314 SUPPORT SQ AFKN RADION. RELIABILITY GOOD. G. (1) CLEAR PARTLY CLOUDY STARS IN

REPORT (2) SURFACE: 0505, 6,000: 07072, 10,000: 280/23, 16,000: 300/
SKY. (3) 17, 20,000: 290/31, 30,000: 280/40, 50,000: 270/36, 80,000: 090/10.
(3) NO CEILING (4) 10 MI (5) 4/10. (6) NONE (7) 2 DEGREE C. PER
1,000 FT FROM SURFACE TO 4,000 FT INVERSION 4,000 FT THRU 5500 FT
H. FUNNEL CLOUDS REPORTED IN AREA AT 1012Z SURFACE PRESSURE RISING
RAPIDLY. I. NONEM J. WEATHER BALLOON RELEASED AT 1103Z. SHOULD
NOT HAVE BEEN IN AREA DURING SIGHTING ONE F-89 IN AREA DURING
PERIOD SIGHTING. NO AIR FORCE HELICOPTERS IN AREA DURING PERIOD.

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1. DATE 28 Aug 61	2. LOCATION Dayton, Ohio	12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical (Venus) <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 0530 GMT 1030Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual	<input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 hr	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE SE
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Star shaped objt, appearing as greenish light, solid flickering in same general area for 1 hr moving toward SE fm 1st observation in E. 1st appeared 70-80° above (?) horizon also saw same thing on 3 Jul		11. COMMENTS Only 1 witness. Probably star or planet Venus, although 70-80° elev questionable. Moon was out. There were several bright stars in quadrant including Sirius and Betelgeux at time. Duration of sighting listed as 1 hr and only single time of 0530 given to go on. Also lists sky condition as clear and under clouds circled hazy. Contradictions in report. May also be wrong in indicating that movement was easterly.

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HEADQUARTERS
FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION
AIR FORCE SYSTEMS COMMAND
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO



REPLY TO
ATTN OF: TD-X2

SUBJECT: Extract from Duty Officers' Report

27 Nov 61

To: TD-E (Major Friend)

The following, extracted from 1/Lt Shannon's Report dated 24 Nov 61, is quoted for your information:

2400 hours, received call from a mother and son in Englewood, Ohio regarding a UFO. Described it as object brighter than a star appearing in the Southeast. The boy said it changes colors and is sometimes silver or green or red or blue. They both said it will appear to be still and then move quickly and stop again. Sky was described as mostly overcast. OD suggested they might be seeing a large searchlight but they did not know if it was or was not. OD started preparing Form 164. Party reported that a previous report of same object was submitted to FTD between 25 Aug and 1 Sep. Party hung up telephone before giving complete report or name.

John C. McNeill
JOHN C. McNEILL
Major, USAF
Administrative Officer

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION SHEET

This questionnaire has been prepared so that you can give the U.S. Air Force as much information as possible concerning the unidentified aerial phenomenon that you have observed. Please try to answer as many questions as you possibly can. The information that you give will be used for research purposes, and will be regarded as confidential material. Your name will not be used in connection with any statements, conclusions, or publications without your permission. We request this personal information so that, if it is deemed necessary, we may contact you for further details.

ATIC FORM 164 FEB 60. This form supersedes ATIC 164, 13 Oct 54.

ATCH 1

8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight — pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. The object appeared:

(Circle One):

a. As a light

b. Shiny

c. Dark

d. Don't remember

10. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars?

star shaped

yes

11. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- a. Appear to stand still at any time?
- b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?
- c. Break up into parts or explode?
- d. Give off smoke?
- e. Change brightness?
- f. Change shape?
- g. Flash or flicker?
- h. Disappear and reappear?

Yes
 Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
 Yes
 Yes

No
 No
 No
 No
 No
 No
No
No

Don't Know
Don't Know

12. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved behind:

13. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

in front of:

14. Did the object appear: (Circle One):

a. Solid

b. Transparent

c. Vapor

d. Don't Know

15. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

- a. Eyeglasses
- b. Sun glasses
- c. Windshield
- d. Window glass

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

No

No

No

No

e. Binoculars

f. Telescope

g. Theodolite

h. Other

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

No

No

No

16. Tell in a few words the following things about the object.

a. Sound none

b. Color greenish, faint light

17. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails. Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.

18. The edges of the object were:

(Circle One): a. Fuzzy or blurred
b. Like a bright star
c. Sharply outlined
d. Don't remember

e. Other _____

19. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? 2

Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.

east and south-east
about same alt,

20. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.

moving toward SE

21. How large did the object appear to you as compared to an object with which you are familiar?

star

22. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?

23. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how?

going toward SE

24. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

stars

25. Where were you located when you saw the object?
(Circle One):

- a. Inside a building
- b. In a car
- c. Outdoors
- d. In an airplane (type)
- e. At sea
- f. Other _____

26. Were you (Circle One)

- a. In the business section of a city?
- b. In the residential section of a city?
- c. In open countryside?
- d. Near an airfield?
- e. Flying over a city?
- f. Flying over open country?
- g. Other _____

27. What were you doing at the time you saw the object, and how did you happen to notice it?

Looked out window

28. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

28.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

a. North	c. East	e. South	g. West
b. Northeast	d. Southeast	f. Southwest	h. Northwest

28.2 How fast were you moving? _____ miles per hour.

28.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

29. What direction were you looking when you first saw the object? (Circle One)

a. North	c. <input checked="" type="radio"/> East	e. South	g. West
b. Northeast	d. Southeast	f. Southwest	h. Northwest
			i. Overhead

30. What direction were you looking when you last saw the object? (Circle One)

a. North	c. East	e. South	g. West
b. Northeast	d. Southeast	f. Southwest	h. Northwest
			i. Overhead

31. If you are familiar with bearing terms (angular direction), try to estimate the number of degrees the object was from true North (thru east) and also the number of degrees it was upward from the horizon (elevation).

31.1 When it first appeared:

- a. From true North _____ degrees.
- b. From horizon 70-80 degrees.

31.2 When it disappeared:

- a. From true North _____ degrees.
- b. From horizon _____ degrees.

34. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

CLOUDS (Circle One)

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER (Circle One)

- a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

35. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

25 ACG 61
Day Month Year

FTD 00

36. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

36.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too?

(Circle One) Yes No

36.2 Please list their names and addresses:

37. Was this the first time that you had seen an object or objects like this?

(Circle One) Yes No

37.1 IF you answered NO, then when, where, and under what circumstances did you see other ones?

3 July 61, same circumstances

38. In your opinion what do you think the object was and what might have caused it?

don't know

39. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? _____

40. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One) Yes No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? 15-20 miles

41. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME _____
Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Name _____

ADDRESS _____
Street _____ CITY DAYTON _____ ZONE 10 _____ STATE OHIO _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

Age 46 Sex M

Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any education, which might be pertinent.

stationary engineer

42. Date you completed this questionnaire:

25 Day APR Month 61 Year