

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 31 August 65 01/0230Z	2. LOCATION Laredo AFB, Texas
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astro (ARCTURUS) ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	Sighting characteristic of Astro Body. ARCTURUS at 25 deg elevation 270 deg azimuth at time of report.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 15 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object at 35 deg elevation in West. Egg shaped yellowish color. Moved up and down. Regarded as Star by investigating official.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE Stationary	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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ACTION: NIN-7

INFO : SAF-08-3, XOP-1, XOPX-8 (20)

SMB D011ZCZCHQA755ZCWJX870

PP RUEAHQ

DE RUWGDA 36 2442155

ZNR UUUUU

P 012150Z

FM LAREDO AFB TEX

TO RUEAHQ/OSAF WASH DC

RUEAHQ/CSAF

RUEAGL/AFSC

RUWGKG/29AIRDIV RICHARDS GEBEUR AFB MO

RUWGALE/ADC

BT

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FOR AFSC (FOREIGN TEC DIC) /CSAF (AFNIN) / OSAF (SAFOI). SUBJECT: UFO

IAW AFR 200-2, PARA 14.

A. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT:

(1) SHAPE: EGG SHAPED

(2) SIZE: BASEBALL

(3) YELLOWISH WHITE IN COLOR

(4) NUMBER: ONE

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ANCTHUR

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KTL N/A

(6) NONE

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(7) NONE

(8) NONE

(9) NONE

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT:

(1) BRIGHTNESS OF OBJECT

(2) 35 DEGREES WEST FROM LAREDO AFB

(3) 35 DEGREES

(4) MOVED DOWNWARD THEN BACK UP TO ORIGINAL POSITION

(5) WENT INSIDE BUILDING AND WHEN RETURNED OBJECT HAD GONE.

(6) FIFTEEN MINUTES

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION: GROUND VISUAL

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING: 1 SEP/0230Z; CLEAR, DARKNESS

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER: FHN 3030 - LAREDO AFB FIRE STATION NR. 5

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF OBSERVER: CIV ~~REDACTED~~, AGE 22,

~~REDACTED~~, LAREDO, TEX. UNEMPLOYED, JUST RELEASED FROM ACTIVE
SERVICE USA FORT POLK, LA, 578 ENGINEERS, RANK E-4. RELIABILITY UNKNOWN.

G. WEATHER AND WINDS:

ACTUALLY 25° elev 270° AZ

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KQL CLEAR

(2) (A) SURFACE 140/15 GUSTING TO 23 PLUS 32 DEGREES C

(B) 5,00 180/15 PLUS 21 DEGREES C

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(C) 10M 210/15 PLUS 11 DEGREES C

(D) (D) 16M 190/10 0

(E) 20M 200/10 MINUS 11 DEGREES C

(F) 30M 240/10 MINUS 32 DEGREES C

(G) 50M 190/10 MINUS 68 DEGREES C

(3) NONE

(4) FIFTEEN MILES

(5) NO CLOUDS

(6) NONE

(7) SEE 2 ABOVE

H. NONE

I. NONE

J. BALLON RELEASED AT DEL RIO TEXAS, BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS AND SAN ANTONIO TEXAS AT 0000Z.

K. POSITION, 1 TITLE AND COMMENTS OF PREPARING OFFICER: 1 LT JAMES C.

SUTTON, COMMAND POST DUTY OFFICER: I BELIEVE THE OBJECT SIGHTED WAS A VERY BRIGHT STAR. AUTOKINESIS EFFECT ALSO THOUGHT LIKELY.
BT. NOTE: ADVANCE COPY DELIVERED TO DIA.

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