

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 2 May 58		2. LOCATION E. Spain		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 02/0100Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☒ Other <u>Satellite</u> ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Military & Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 min 30 sec		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE SE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Shooting star type obj resembling a bright star. Light in color. Almost directly overhead extremely high w/ straight flight path. The light of obj faded out gradually as obj disappeared.				11. COMMENTS No confirmation of satellite track; however, sighting has characteristics of orbital observation. 1958 Gamma was visible /fm 26 Mar to 28 Jun '58. Case considered probably Gamma 58, satellite observation.	

HEADQUARTERS
SIXTEENTH AIR FORCE
United States Air Force
APO 283, New York, N.Y.

DIC

20 AUG 1958

SUBJECT: Unidentified Flying Object Report (UFO)

TO: Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence
Headquarters USAF
Washington 25, D. C.

1. Following is an Unidentified Flying Object Report, (UFO)
submitted in accordance with AFR 200-2.

a. Description of the object:

- (1) Shooting star type object and resembled a bright star.
- (2) Negative. — Size?
- (3) Light in color. ← white?
- (4) One.
- (5) N/A.
- (6) Negative.
- (7) Negative.
- (8) Negative.
- (9) Negative.

b. Description of course of the object.

(1) The observer's attention was first directed to the
UFO when shooting stars were sighted shortly before the UFO.

(2) Observed almost directly overhead. UFO had appear-
ance of being extremely high. Height was incalculable.

(3) The UFO disappeared in a southeasterly direction. At what elevation?

(4) Straight flight path.

(5) The light of the object faded out gradually as the
object disappeared.

(6) One minute and 30 seconds.

c. Manner of observation.

- (1) Ground visual.
- (2) No optical aids.
- (3) N/A.

Director Aerospace Studies ATTN: Archives Division Maxwell AFB, Alabama	RETURN TO:	K243.6012-1 May 1958
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d. Time and Date of sighting.

- (1) 0100Z, 2 May 1958. 0100-1 = 0000 (Received ATIC)
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- (2) Night--full moon.

e. Location of observer.

- (1) 4038N, 0101W. - EAST COAST OF SPAIN

f. Identifying information on observer.

- (1) Military - S/Sgt Williard E. Bryant
D/Personnel
16th AF Hq.
APO 283, New York, N.Y.
- (2) Civilian - Mrs. [REDACTED]
D/Personnel
16th AF Hq.
APO 283, New York, N.Y.
- (3) Mrs. [REDACTED]
c/o T/Sgt Lester O. Gossett
Hq. 16th AF
APO 283, New York, N.Y.

(4) Sgt Bryant's statements can be regarded as highly reliable. He has been in the United States Air Force for seven years and is presently assigned to the Manpower Section in Hq, 16th Air Force.

g. Weather and winds.

- (1) Clear.
- (2) Negative.
- (3) Unlimited.
- (4) Unlimited.
- (5) None.
- (6) Negative.

h. Negative.

i. Negative.

j. Negative.

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k. Capt. Randolph J. Spiett. Intelligence Officer, 16th Air Force. Despite the credibility of the observer, the sighting of two shooting stars just prior to the UFO sighting is significant and a preliminary analysis by the preparing officer of the possible cause of the UFO sighting is as follows: The UFO sighting was not unlike that of a shooting star and pending receipt of additional information qualifying the above sighting the reporting officer interpreted the above report as a negative UFO sighting.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

← NOTE:

Russell J. Gardinier
RUSSELL J. GARDINIER
Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Operational Intelligence Div.

*Despite the time lapse reported, concur
with reporting officer.
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AT 07.52 UT MAY .06 SOUTH OF CITY, 54 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 09.56 UT MAY .06 SOUTH OF CITY, 37 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 09.08 UT MAY .07 SOUTH OF CITY, 38 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 IDAKAR, SENEGAL UNIVERSAL TIME

AT 22.36 UT MAY .01 NORTH OF CITY, 08 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 21.48 UT MAY .02 NORTH OF CITY, 06 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 21.00 UT MAY .03 NORTH OF CITY, 04 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 23.05 UT MAY .03 NORTH OF CITY, 17 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 22.16 UT MAY .04 NORTH OF CITY, 12 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 21.28 UT MAY .05 NORTH OF CITY, 08 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 22.45 UT MAY .06 NORTH OF CITY, 24 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 21.56 UT MAY .07 NORTH OF CITY, 16 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 IDAR ES SALAAM, TA GANYIKA UNIVERSAL TIME

AT 01.58 UT MAY .01 SOUTH OF CITY, 06 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 01.10 UT MAY .02 SOUTH OF CITY, 12 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 01.38 UT MAY .04 SOUTH OF CITY, 02 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 01.18 UT MAY .07 SOUTH OF CITY, 00 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 IKHARTOUM, SUDAN UNIVERSAL TIME

AT 18.42 UT MAY .01 NORTH OF CITY, 07 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 17.54 UT MAY .02 NORTH OF CITY, 05 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 19.58 UT MAY .02 NORTH OF CITY, 17 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 19.10 UT MAY .03 NORTH OF CITY, 12 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 18.21 UT MAY .04 NORTH OF CITY, 09 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 17.33 UT MAY .05 NORTH OF CITY, 07 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 19.38 UT MAY .05 NORTH OF CITY, 24 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 18.49 UT MAY .06 NORTH OF CITY, 17 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 18.01 UT MAY .07 NORTH OF CITY, 12 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 IMADRID, SPAIN UNIVERSAL TIME

AT 20.36 UT MAY .01 NORTH OF CITY, 60 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 22.40 UT MAY .01 SOUTH OF CITY, 75 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 21.52 UT MAY .02 NORTH OF CITY, 87 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 21.04 UT MAY .03 NORTH OF CITY, 74 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 20.16 UT MAY .04 NORTH OF CITY, 65 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 22.21 UT MAY .04 SOUTH OF CITY, 56 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 21.32 UT MAY .05 SOUTH OF CITY, 76 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 20.44 UT MAY .06 NORTH OF CITY, 86 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 19.55 UT MAY .07 NORTH OF CITY, 73 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 22.01 UT MAY .07 SOUTH OF CITY, 39 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 IMANAUS, BRAZIL UNIVERSAL TIME

AT 07.43 UT MAY .01 SOUTH OF CITY, 10 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 AT 08.12 UT MAY .03 SOUTH OF CITY, 00 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING SE
 IMANILA, PHILIPPINES UNIVERSAL TIME