

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 20 Jul 58		2. LOCATION Sweden , Finland N of Hamar, Norway		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☒ Was Astronomical Meteor ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2124 local GMT 20/2024Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian & Military			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 5-10 secs		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS two		9. COURSE NNW	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Two oblong objs, pale white, very bright, blue-white gas trails extended astern approx 7 times length of objs. No sound. One obj ahead of other. One veered off as they came aft of a/c. Objs appeared to be in shape of rockets, about twice the size of jet a/c.				11. COMMENTS On basis of brief rpt, objs strongly suggest meteor observation w/illusion of veering to miss a/c.	

Multi

2030
20242 20 Jul

Send One eye. to a/c
and Guided Missile 0.000000
(Possible indications
of a/c or Gt 45)
a Jinter (foreign)
G79/4E-1

TELEPHONED
TO DC
NO. 3-12
TIME 0700
Date 29 Jul
By: 20

SQG992 YDD525ZCZCTYB154HQB054

PP RJEDDN RJEDSQ

DE RJEPHQ 801

P 290545Z

FM HEDUSAF .

TO RJEDSQ/COMDR ATIC

RJEDDN/COMADC

1-4E4
2-4F2
3-4F3
4-4X2a
(4E)

P 281600Z

FM ASAIRA NORWAY

TO RAEZHQ/CSUSAF WASH DC

INNO TEN USAIRA STOCKHOLM SWEDEN

RJFPBW/CINCUSAFE WIESBADEN

AN GRNC

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UFOB. PARI: TWO (2) OBLONG OBJECTS, PALE WHITE, VERY BRIGHT,

BLUE-WHITE GAS TRAILS EXTENDEE ASTERN APPROXIMATELY SEVEN TIMES

LENGTH OF OBJECTS. NO SOUND.

PAR 2: SEEN FROM A US NAVAL ACFT FLYING AT 8000 FT 12 MILES NORTH
OF HAMAR, NORWAY. OBJECTS WERE ON APPROXIMATE COURSE ON 330 DEGREES
TRUE. OBJECT ON RIGHT APPEARED TO BE AHEAD. ONE OBJECT APPEARED TO
VEER OFF AS THEY CAME AFT OF THE AIRCRAFT. PAR 3: 2024Z 20 JULY.
PAR 4: THREE DIFFERENT PEOPLE ON AIRCRAFT INCLUDING TWO EXPERIENCED

Seen at night - 9:30 PM

Location

Time:

2030Z + 1 (GMT Conversion)

= 2130 = 9:30 PM) - *of aircraft*

*seen from the side (as implied
not be observed. Only*
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US NAVAL PILOTS, SIGHTED OBJECTS. PAR 5: WEATHER CLEAR TO EAST
WITH NO CLOUD COVER. ADDITIONAL INFO: SIGHTING OF THESE TWO OBJECTS
ALSO OBSERVED FROM THE GROUND BY FOUR (4) PEOPLE IN OSLO
ON SAME EVENING APPROXIMATELY 2030Z. OBJECTS WERE IN VIEW BETWEEN
5-10 SECOND. APPEARED TO BE IN SHAPE OF ROCKETS. VERY BRIGHT -
LOOKED AS IF REFLECTING SUN RAYS OFF OBJECTS. BOTH OBJECTS FLHNG
PARALLEL. SPARKS APPEARED FROM AFT END OF OBJECTS. APPEARED
TO THESE OBSERVERS TO BE TWICE THE SIZE OF A JET PLANE. NO
*see * above.* WINGS. NO SOUND. PASSED DIRECTLY OVER THE CITY OF OSLO

COMING FROM DIRECTION OF SWEDISH BORDEONENOEGIAN OBSERVER
QUOTED AS SAYING RUSSIANS SHOWING OF ON THEIR AIR FORCE DAY.
COMMENT: THIS INFORMATION REPORTED TO THIS OFFICE TODAY BY A
COMPLETELY RELIABLE SOURCE WHO TALKED WITH THE US NAVAL
PILOTS AND ONE OF THE NORWEGIAN OBSERVERS. CANNOT DETERMINE
IF OTHER REPORTS ON THIS SIGHTING HAVE BEEN MADE. INTEND TO CHECK
WITH RNOAF AND WILL FOLLOW UP IF ANYTHING OF VALUE

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Per A/C.

*On basis of this
brief report - objects
seen - strongly suggest
a/c. Note, one veered
off and passed to observer.*

Note

*Note: No
rept (official or
unofficial) re
this sighting as
of this date,
(1 Aug 58).*

*Certainly, any
strange objects
passing over the
largest city
in Norway
would have
been observed
(and reported)
by many.*

*This only report
thus far. Check
into intelligence
(Enigma) - 11/10/58*

Country: Sweden/Finland/Norway

Set 1/1, Card 1/1

Info Spec: EE/DE/ds

Distr: 4F3-2 cys/4Elg

Entire Item

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GLOWING OBJECT BELIEVED METEOR--¹²A radiant celestial phenomenon which had the shape of a ball with a long tail was observed on July 20 by a number of persons in central Sweden. The Stockholm observatory at Saltsjobaden believes that it was probably an unusually bright meteor. It was also reported by defense observers in northern Sweden the same night that they had seen a huge fire ball which resembled a rocket. It was seen in the northwestern sky at about a height of 1,500 feet. A similar phenomenon was observed in Finland and Norway. (Stockholm, English, July 21, 1958, 1400 GMT--E) (UNCLASSIFIED)

September 23, 1958

Country: Finland

Set 1/1, Card 1/1

Info Spec: DE/pcp

Distr: 4Elg

Entire Item

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT--A strange bright object was seen moving in the sky in south Finland at 2200 on July 20. According to eyewitnesses, the object was shaped like a goblet, one end shining brightly. It was seen for four to five seconds, moving northwest. It was also reported from Norway that at 2230 Finnish time two strange lights had been seen moving rapidly northwest, leaving behind a greenish-yellow trail. (Helsinki, Home, July 21, 1958, 0430 GMT--L) (UNCLASSIFIED)

August 25, 1958