

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 9 November 1958		2. LOCATION Brasilia, Brazil		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☒ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1600 GMT 09/1900Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not reported		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE not reported	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Unidentified object thought to be a flying saucer observed by 500 people. AF plane went up to 3,000 meters and object was estimated to be at 12,000 meters. No other information.				11. COMMENTS Object observed by many people. AF plane went up & saw object. Came back & could add no additional data other than that the object was well above at estimated altitude near 35,000 ft. Probably a balloon but data is not sufficient to support this conclusion. Duration not reported but object must have been in area for some time. Also no motion rptd. Insufficient data for analysis.	

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FLYING SAUCER REPORT--A strange, unidentified object¹³ thought to be a flying saucer attracted the attention of some 500 persons in Brasilia, the future capital of Brazil, at about 4 p.m. on Nov. 9. A Brazilian air force plane went up about 3,000 meters to investigate, but came back to its base without results. The FAB plane commander said that the object was flying at an altitude of about 12,000 meters. (Rio de Janeiro, Home, Nov. 10, 1958, 0400 GMT--W)

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