

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 30 Oct 60		2. LOCATION Crescent City, California		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 _____ CMT 31/0157Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 min		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS six		9. COURSE varied	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round white objects, one red. Total of six in three groups. 1st group at tree-top level; 2nd overhead; and 3rd (single) overhead to NE with all objects moving generally W. All disappeared over horizon. Appeared as bright lights. Single object dropped and hovered, also appeared to twinkle. Second group rotated in circle retaining same relative position. Negative reports from Radar and no a/c in area.				11. COMMENTS Request for complete investigation sent. Not received as of Dec 61. Case listed as insufficient information.	

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AFOIS. UFO.

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A.

(1) UNKNOWN DUE TO DARKNESS

(2) UNKNOWN

(3) UNKNOWN

(4) SIX

(5) GROUPED

(6) LIGHTS VERY BRIGHT

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(7) UNKNOWN

(8) NONE

~~(9)~~ (9) NONE

B.

(1) MOVEMENT OF LIGHTS

(2) 15 TO 20 THOUSAND FEET

(3) SAME

(4) GROUPED DISPERSED - REGROUPED AND HOVERED - DEPARTED IN GROUP

(5) FADED TO THE SSW

(6) MISSING

C.

(1) GROUND VISUAL

(2) UNKNOWN

(3) N/A

D.

(1) 31/0157Z

(2) DUSK

E.

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CRESCENT CITY, CALIF.

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F.

(1) MR [REDACTED]

(2) MR [REDACTED]

G.

(1) MISSING

(2) CALM REST MISSING

(3) 9 THOUS SCATTERED

(3) 7 MILES

(5) MISSING

(6) NONE

H. NONE

I. NONE

J. UNKKNOWN

K. CAPT JACK E. STOKES SRFFS OPERATIONS OFFICER

L. NONE

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INFO RJWZKP/PORTLAND ADS ADAIR AFSTN ORE

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UNCLAS 4280DC 13-5884. FOLLOWING UFOB IS FORWARDED

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 223-2; PARAGRAPH 15.

PART I.

1. REPORTED AS SIMILAR TO THE "ECHO" SATELLITE
2. THE UFOBS WERE NOT COMPARED TO OBJECT OF KNOWN SIZE.
3. BRILLIANT WHITE SIMILAR TO "ECHO" SATELLITE. THE SINGLE SIGHTING WAS TINTED RED.
4. A TOTAL OF SIX OBJECT WERE ARRANGED IN THREE SEPARATE GROUPS.
5. 1ST GROUP - 2 OBJECTS, 2ND GROUP - 3 OBJECTS, 3RD GROUP - 1

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OBJECT.

6. SINGLE SIGHTING APPEARED TO TWINKLE AND WAS TINTED RED.

7. NEGATIVE. 8. NEGATIVE. 9. ALL SIGHTINGS MOVED WESTERLY.

THE SINGLE OBJECT DROPPED AND HOVERED. OTHER OBJECTS ROTATED.

PART II. 1. A SIX YEAR OLD BOY REPORTED IT TO A SIXTEEN YEAR OLD FRIEND WHO RELAYED IT TO THE ADULT MAKING THE REPORT. SITING CORROBORATED BY SEVERAL ADULT WITNESSES.

2. 1ST GROUP - TREETOP LEVEL & N. W. - 2ND GROUP - OVERHEAD &

S.W., 3RD GROUP - OVERHEAD & N.E.

3. ALL SIGHTINGS MOVED TO THE WEST AND DISAPPEARED BELOW HORIZON AT SAME AZIMUTH FIRST. 4. WESTERLY FLIGHT PATH. HOVERED INTERMITTENTLY. THE SECOND GROUP ROTATED IN CIRCLE AND RETAINED SAME RELATIVE POSITION IN FORMATION. 5. DISAPPEARED BELOW THREE LINE TOWARDS THE OCEAN. 6. THIRTY MINUTES.

PART III. 1. VISUAL FROM GROUND. NEGATIVE GROUND RADAR REPORTED.

2. NEGATIVE. 3. NONE REPORTED AND NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED IN THE AREA.

PART IV. 1. 312015Z. 2. DUCK AND EARLY EVENING.

PART V. CRESCENT CITY, CALIF. LAT - 41 DEG. 47'N. LOC - 124 DEG.

~~1. [REDACTED]~~, LY-4347.

On October 30 at Crescent City, California a group of UFOs were observed by ~~[REDACTED]~~ and other witnesses. The six "brilliant" objects, ~~[REDACTED]~~ said, were in groups of two and three, with the sixth UFO operating "like a patrol craft" between them.

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PART VI. 1. NAME: MR. [REDACTED] AGE: NEGATIVE. ADDRESS:

[REDACTED] CRESCENT CITY, CALIF, [REDACTED]

OCCUPATION: NEGATIVE; RELIABILITY: GOOD. 2. NEGATIVE.

PART VII. 1. HIGH THIN SCATTERED LAYER OF CLOUDS THROUGH WHICH
THE OBJECTS COULD BE SEEN.

2. SURFACE CALM DEGREES CALM KNOTS

6,333	283	"	15	"
16,333	273	"	27	"
16,333	273	"	53	"
23,333	265	"	55	"
32,333	273	"	55	"
40,333	273	"	63	"
50,333	283	"	23	"
82,333	283	"	15	"

3. NEGATIVE. 9,333 FT SCATTERED REPORTED IN 32337 OBSERVATION.

4. SEVEN-MILE VISIBILITY REPORTED IN 32337 OBSERVATION. 5. THIN
SCATTERED DECK. 63. NOT APPLICABLE.

PART VIII. NEGATIVE. PART IX. NOT APPLICABLE. PART X. NEGATIVE

PART XI. ASST DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS

INDICATES NO POSSIBLE CAUSE OF SIGHTING. PART XII. NEGATIVE.

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JOINT MESSAGEFORM				SECURITY CLASSIFICATION UNCLASSIFIED			
SPACE BELOW RESERVED FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER							
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PRECEDENCE		TYPE MSG (Check)			ACCOUNTING SYMBOL	ORIG. OR REFERS TO	CLASSIFICATION OF REFERENCE
ACTION ROUTINE		BOOK	MULTI	SINGLE	AF	4080DC 10-5884	UNCLAS
FROM:						SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS	
ATTC W-P AFB							
TO: KINGSLEY FLD OREGON							
UNCLAS/AFCIN-4E2x <u>11-3224-E</u> 408TH FTR GP, YOUR MSG 4080DC 10-5884, DTD 31 OCT 60, WERE ALL THREE GROUPS OF LIGHTS SEEN AT THE SAME TIME? DID THEY ALL DISAPPEAR AT THE SAME TIME? WHAT WAS THE FORMATION OF EACH GROUP? WHAT WERE THE GROUPS POSITIONS IN RELATION TO EACH OTHER? WHAT WAS THE SIZE OF EACH OBJ COMPARED TO A MATCH HEAD HELD AT ARM'S LENGTH? REQ YOU CONTACT MR. [REDACTED] AT CRESCENT CITY, WHO ALSO SAW THE OBJECT, AND ANYONE ELSE WHO MAY HAVE SEEN IT, AND FWD THEIR DESCRIPTIONS TO ATTC. SUGGEST THAT THE RPT BE SUBMITTED ON AN AF FM 112 IN ORDER THAT AS MUCH DETAIL AS POSSIBLE CAN BE RPTD, INCLUDING DRAWINGS.							
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