

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 1 Mar 61	2. LOCATION San Bernardino, California		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1900 GMT 020300Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☐ Was Aircraft ☒ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Civilian		☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 min	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE W-E	☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round, appeared slightly larger than planet Venus. Initially golden changing to pinkish-white overhead, then back to gold. Appeared approx 20° above western horizon; disappeared approx 20° above eastern horizon.		11. COMMENTS Objt of this sighting was probably and a/c. Witness indicated objt moved from an elevation of approx 20° W to same elevation in E. Assuming witness was 5° low on his estimate of elevation and a/c at a height of 8 mi would have passed through angle he describes in 3 min. If it had a ground speed of 573 kts which is easily within capability of our jet a/c. Bright white light on bottom of a/c was probably light observed by witness.	

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ACTION: CIN-14

INFO : OOP-2, OOP-CP-1, DSD-4, SAFS-3 (25)

ROUTINE

072200Z

FM SBAMA NORTON AFB CALIF

TO CSAF WASH DC

OSAF WASH DC

PROJ SPACE TRACK L G HANSCOM FLD MASS

ADC ENT AFB COLO

LAADS NORTON AFB CALIF

ATIC WPAFB OHIO

COSMATIC WPAFB OHIO

BT

//C O N F I D E N T I A L//CITE SBBFT RPT SBBFT DASH THREE DASH FOUR DASH

ECHO X UNIFORM FOXTROT OSCAR X HQ USAF FOR AFCIN RPT AFCIN AND AFCIN

RPT AFCIN DASH ONE BRAVO ONE X SECRETARY OF THE AF FOR SAFIS

RPT SAFIS X COSMATIC WPAFB FOR AFCIN RPT AFCIN DASH FOUR ALFA

X ALFA X MOONDUST X PRN(ONE) PRN ROUND X PRN(TWO) PRN APPEARED

SLIGHTLY LARGER THAN PLANET VENUS X PRN(THREE) PRN INITIALLY GOLDEN

CHANGING TO PINKISH DASH WHITE OVERHEAD CMM THEN BACK TO GOLD

X PRN(FOUR) PRN ONE X PRN(FIVE) PRN NONE X PRN(SIX) PRN NONE X PRN

(SEVEN) PRN NONE NOTED X SLIGHT APPEARANCE OF HALATION NOTED WHEN

OBJECT WAS OVERHEAD X PRN(EIGHT) PRN NONE X PRN(NINE) PRN NONE

X BRAVO X PRN(ONE) PRN NOTED WHILE WATCHING SKY FOR AIRCRAFT X

PRN(TWO) PRN APPROXIMATELY TWO XERO DEGREES ABOVE WESTERN HORIZON

X PRN(THREE) PRN APPROXIMATELY TWO XERO DEGREES ABOVE EASTERN

HORIZON X PRN(FOUR) PRN STRAIGHT FROM WEST TO EAST X PRN(FIVE)

PRN LOST TO VIEW TO EAST CMM POSSIBLY BEHIND MOUNTAIN X PRN(SIX)

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PRN APPROXIMATELY THREE MINUTES PRN(ESTIMATED) PRN X CHARLIE X
PRN(ONE) PRN GROUND VISUAL X PRN(TWO) PRN NONE X PRN (THREE) PRN
NOT APPLICABLE X DELTA X PRN(ONE) PRN XERO TWO XERO THREE XERO
XERO XULU MARCH ONE NINE SIX ONE X PRN (TWO) PRN NIGHT CLEAR X
ECHO X TWO TWO NINE SEVEN WEST COURT STREET SAN BERNARDINO CALIF
X FOXTROT X PRN(ONE) PRN CIVILIAN ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ CMM ONE SIX YEARS
CMM TWO TWO NINE SEVEN WEST COURT STREET SAN BERNARDINO CALIF
CMM STUDENT CMM CONSIDERED RELIABLE X OBYECT ALSO VIEWED BY OTHER
MEMBERS OF FAMILY X REPORT CONSIDERED RELIABLE X GOLF X PRN(ONE)
PRN CLEAR X PRN (TWO) PRN SIX THOUSAND SPACE THREE FOUR XERO SLANT
TWO THREE SPACE ONE XERO THOUSAND SPACE THREE FOUR XERO SLANT
ONE EIGHT SPACE ONE SIX THOUSAND SPACE THREE FIVE XERO SLANT
ONE FOUR SPACE TWO XERO THOUSAND SPACE THREE FIVE XERO SLANT
THREE TWO SPACE THREE XERO THOUSAND SPACE THREE FOUR XERO SLANT
ONE SIX SPACE FIVE XERO THOUSAND SPACE THREE TWO XERO SLANT TWO
ONE SPACE SIX XERO THOUSAND SPACE THREE FOUR XERO SLANT ONE TWO
NO HIGHER WINDS AVAILABLE X PRN (THREE) PRN CLEAR X PRN (FOUR) PRN
ONE XERO PLUS X PRN (FIVE) PRN NO CLOUDS X PRN (SIX) PRN NONE X PRN
(SEVEN) PRN NOT AVAILABLE X HOTEL CMM INDIA CMM YULIET CLN NONE
X KILO X YOHN RR FINN CMM MAYOR CMM USAF X BRIEFING ON MOONDUST
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