

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 4 August 1965 04/0706Z	2. LOCATION Casa Grande, Arizona
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR EVALUATION
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	Object in horizontal flight splitting. Possible meteor and climb could be illusion. 164 sent, not returned.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 7 seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object observed to split into two parts. Sound like thunder or a locomotive far away. Noise had slow frequency. Observed in flight from NE to SW at estimated altitude of 6000 ft. Object at about 45 deg elevation. A/C observed shortly afterwards and navigation lights on this a/c were observed. White not bright.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION MM Ground-Visual	Director Aerospace Studies Inst ATTN: Archives Branch Maxwell AFB, Alabama RETURN TO: 4-6 Aug 1965 K2413.6012-1
7. COURSE NW	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

SMAC

FTD (TDEW)
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
22 December 1965

Mr. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Casa Grande, Arizona

Dear Mr. Dill,

In reviewing our August 1965 cases, we find your observation contained insufficient data for evaluation. Please fill out the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided.

Sincerely,

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Major, USAF
Chief, Project Blue Book

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ACTION: NIN-7

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INFO : XOP-1, XOPX-8, SAF-OS-3, DIA-1 (21)
SMB C226 PTTU JAW RUWJEAA0095 2181913-UUUU--

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ZNR UUUUU

P 061910Z

FM WILLIAMS AFB ARIZ

TO RUWMFVA/ADC

RUWJEWQ/28 AIRDIV HAMILTON AFB CALIF

RUEBBAA/AFSC

RUEBHQA/CSAF

RUEBHQA/OSAF WASH DC

BT

UNCLAS DCTP 00015 AUG 65.

AFSC FOR FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION. CSAF FOR

AFNIN. OSAF FOR SAFOI. SUBJECT: UFO.

THE FOLLOWING IS FORWARDED FOR YOUR INFORMATION IAW PARA 14,

AFR 200-2:

A. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT(S):

(1) INDIVIDUAL WAS LEAVING HIS HOME AND SAW A
WHITE LIGHT INITIALLY WHICH THEN SPLIT INTO TWO OBJECTS.

(2) GREEN PEA SIZE (APPROX 1/8 INCH); AS OBJECT
TRANSVERSED, SIZE WENT TO 3/8 INCH.

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(3) WHITE, NOT BRIGHT, LIGHT.

(4) INDIVIDUAL INITIALLY SAW ONE OBJECT; THEN IT
DIVIDED INTO TWO OBJECTS ABOUT 1/2 INCH APART IN A POSITION
NORTHWEST. SIZE: 1/4 INCH EACH OBJECT.

(5) THEY APPEARED TO BE IN FORMATION AFTER THEY
SPLIT.

(6) ROUND

(7) NO TRAIL; E.E., SMOKE OR CONTRAIL.

(8) ROLLING THUNDER; LOCOMOTIVE IN THE FAR DISTANCE.

THE NOISE HAD A SLOW FREQUENCY TO IT.

(9) NONE, JUST A ROUND LIGHT.

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT(S):

(1) SOUND OR NOISE OF THE OBJECT(S).

(2) HE FIRST SAW OBJECT(S) TO THE SOUTHEAST TRAVELING
THROUGH NORTHWEST AT AN ANGLE OF 40 DEGREES FROM THE
HORIZONTAL. APPROXIMATE ALTITUDE 6000 FEET.

(3) OBJECTS WERE 45 DEGREES FROM THE HORIZONTAL AND
IN A NORTHWEST POSITION, CLIMBING VERY RAPIDLY. HE SAW AN
AIRCRAFT APPROXIMATELY 5 MILES NORTHEAST AFTER OBJECTS

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DISAPPEARED. NAVIGATION LIGHTS WERE VISIBLE ON THE AIRCRAFT.

(4) OBJECTS MAINTAINED LEVEL FLIGHT UNTIL THEY SPLIT,

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AT A POSITION NORTH, THEN STARTED TO CLIMB.

(5) INSTANTANEOUSLY TO THE NORTHWEST; SOUND OR NOISE STOPPED FIRST, FOLLOWED BY THEIR DISAPPEARANCE.

(6) OBJECTS VISIBLE FOR APPROXIMATELY 7 SECONDS.

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

(1) GROUND-VISUAL.

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:

(1) 0705Z, 4 AUGUST 65.

(2) NIGHT.

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER:

(1) IN THE TOWN OF CASA GRANDE, ARIZ. (5 BLOCKS NORTH OF FLORENCE ROAD, AND 1.5 MILES EAST OF HIGHWAY 97).

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER:

(1) CIVILIAN. MR [REDACTED],

CASA GRANDE, ARIZ. MR DILL IS AGE 36. OCCUPATION: CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. IS A CIVIL AIR PATROL MEMBER (SP COMDR).

TWO YEARS OF JUNIOR COLLEGE, MAJOR LIBERAL ARTS. HE DOESN'T

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BELIEVE IN FLYING SAUCERS AND IS ASSOCIATED WITH AIRCRAFT.

CONSIDERED A RELIABLE INDIVIDUAL.

G. WEATHER AND WINDS:

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(1) MR [REDACTED] WEATHER OBSERVATION: CLEAR; VISIBILITY

15 PUUS; WINDS CALM.

H. N/A.

I. N/A.

J. N/A.

K. PREPARING OFFICER:

MAJOR JAMES C BUTLER, BASE OPERATIONS OFFICER,

WILLIAMS AFB ARIZ.

L. N/A.

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