

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 1 March 66 01/2315-2355Z	2. LOCATION Beloit, Wisconsin
3. SOURCE One	10. CONCLUSION INSUFFICIENT DATA
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Civilian	Jupiter at 2315Z is at 170 degrees azimuth and 45 degrees elevation RA 5.23, stellar magnitude -1.8.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 35-40 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object was round, saucer shaped, size of a 50 cent piece held at arm length. Its color was red, glowing bright then dim. Was stationary at first then climbed and dove back to its original position several times. Observer thought it was a balloon at first.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE Stationary, up & down	NO DIRECTIONAL DATA MENTIONED
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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PRIORITY

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1-4 EW (UFO)

FM CHADS TRUAX FLD WIS

TO RUWMFVA/ADC

ZEN/30 AIR DIV TRUAX FLD WIS

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DIV; AFNIN, CSAF; AND SATIO, OSAF. THE FOLLOWING IS A REPORT OF AN
UFO SIGHTING NEAR ORFORDVILLE, WISCONSIN, SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE
WITH AFR 200-2, AS SUPPLEMENTED.

A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT. (1) ROUND, SAUCER SHAPED (2) SIZE OF A
50 CENT PIECE HELD AT ARM'S LENGTH, OR SLIGHTLY LARGER (3) RED; GLOWED
BRIGHTER THAN DIMMED (4) ONE (5) N/A (6) TINY HOLES ALL AROUND OUT-N
SIDE, GLOW (7) NONE (8) NONE (9) RED GLOW, WAS STATIONARY AT FIRST,
THEN CLIMBED AND DOVE BACK TO ORIGINAL POSITION.

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT. (1) GLOW, MOVED AGAINST WIND

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(AT FIRST SIGHT, WITH NAKED EYE, OBSERVER THOUGHT IT WAS A BALLON)
(2) APPROXIMATELY 200 FT (3) OBSERVER COULD NOT ESTIMATE, DISAPPEAR-
ED INTO CLOUDS, (4) STATIONARY, THEN CLIMBED UPWARD AND TO THE
NORTH. THEN DOVE BACK TO ORIGINAL POSITION. PERFORMED THIS MANEUVER
SEVERAL TIMES, (5) NORTH AND INTO CLOUDS, (6) THIRTY FIVE TO FORTY
MINUTES.

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION. (1) NAKED EYE (2) BINOCULARS (3) N/A

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING. (1) 2315-2355Z, 1MAR66, (2) DAY

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER. (1) UNKNOWN (2) NINE MILES WEST OF

1 March
No Action Required
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(2) APPROXIMATELY 220 FT (3) OBSERVER COULD NOT ESTIMATE, DISAPPEARED INTO CLOUDS, (4) STATIONARY, THEN CLIMBED UPWARD AND TO THE NORTH. THEN DOVE BACK TO ORIGINAL POSITION. PERFORMED THIS MANEUVER SEVERAL TIMES, (5) NORTH AND INTO CLOUDS, (6) THIRTY FIVE TO FORTY MINUTES.

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION. (1) NAKED EYE (2) BINOCULARS (3) N/A

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING. (1) 2315-2355Z, 1MAR66, (2) DAY

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER. (1) UNKNOWN (2) NINE MILES WEST OF BELOIT WISCONSIN, BETWEEN BELOIT AND ORFORDSVILLE WISCONSIN.

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVERS: MRS. [REDACTED] AGE UNKNOWN, [REDACTED] ORFORDVILLE, WISCONSIN.

G. WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTING.

(1) CLEAR, SUN OUT (2) (UP 120/12, (B) 220/20, (C) 290/20, (D) 29W/20, (E) 310/1, (F) 280/25, (G) 270/35, (H) UNKNOWN, (3) 8000, (4) TWELVE MILES, (5) SCATTERED.

H. ANY UNUSUAL ACTIVITY OR CONDITION. (1) NONE, (2) NONE, (3) NONE

I. INTERCEPT OR ID ACTION TAKEN. N/A

J. KNOWN ACFT IN AREA. UNITED AL ACFT EN ROUTE O'HARE DESCENDING IN AREA AT APPROX 2308Z. NORTHWEST AL ACFT EN ROUTE O'HARE DESCENDING

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ING IN AREA AT APPROX 2330Z.

K. POSITION TITLE AND COMMENTS OF PREPARING OFFICER. FRANK L. N. HOWE, 1STLT, USAF, ASST INTELLIGENCE OFFICER. HQ CHICAGO ADS (SAGE), TRUAX FLD, WISCONSIN. OBSERVER SEEMED QUITE ATTENTIVE TO DETAIL AND HELPFUL. HAD PRESENCE OF MIND ENOUGH TO USE BINOCULARS. DIDN'T SOUND LIKE A CRACKPOT. NO NATURAL OR COMMON PHENOMENON IN AREA FOR BASIS OF PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS.

L. N/A

M. N/A

N. ET

Superior -1.8
RA 5.23

AT 2315Z 170° Az 45