

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 30 July 1966 / 1130Z	2. LOCATION Condon, AFS, Oregon	1 witness
3. SOURCE Military	10. CONCLUSION Conflicting data	Follow up would be rec. to evaluate — does not seem profitable to do so. JAT
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer noted white star shaped object that appeared to follow along beside car before zooming off toward the NE. Two major discrepancies are noted. The time of sighting varies by two hours and 30 minutes and the time duration by 8 minutes. Description with the exception of time duration is consistent with that of a satellite.	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 12 - 20 minutes		
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual		
7. COURSE NE		
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No		

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ACTION: RDC-4 INFO: XOP-1, XOPX-2, NIN-7, SAFOS-3, JCS/DIA-1 (20)

SMB B07ZCB/D693

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DE RUWHKP 6491 2132356

ZNR UUUUU

P 01235Z AUG 66

FM 26 AIR DIV ADAIR AFS OREG

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FORCE. UFOB REPORT. THE FOLLOWING UFOB REPORT

IS SUBMITTED. PART I.

PART A.

1. STAR SHAPED
2. UNKNOWN
3. WHITE
4. ONE

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- 5. N/A
- 6. NONE
- 7. NONE
- 8. NONE

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- 9. NONE

PART B.

- 1. WHITE LIGHT FOLLOWING ALONG BESIDE CAR
- 2. N.E. OF CONDON AFS, ELEVATION UNKNOWN
- 3. N.E. OF CONDON AFS, ELEVATION UNKNOWN
- 4. LEVEL FLIGHT BESIDE CAR
- 5. ZOOMED OFF TOWARD NORTH EAST
- 6. 12 MINUTES

PART C.

- 1. VISUALLY FROM MOVING CAR
- 2. NONE
- 3. N/A

PART D.

- 1. 30/1130Z
- 2. NIGHT

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PART E.

1. TWO (2) MILES EAST OF COND ON AFS, 45 15N 12 025W

PART F.

1. N/A
2. JOEL C. SHIVER, A1C, 636TH RADRON, COND ON AFS, SWITCHBOARD OP
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PART G.

1. NONE
2. WINDS - SURFACE 300 DEG 10KTS

6M 320 AT 8KTS

10M 270 AT 15KTS

16M 220 AT 30KTS

20M 220 AT 45KTS

30M 220 AT 55KTS

50M 220 AT 35KTS

CEILING - APPROX 25,000 FEET

VISIBILITY - 25 MILES

CLOUD COVER - 7/8 COVERAGE

THUNDERSTORMS - NONE

VERTICAL TEMPERATURE GRADIENT - NORMAL

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SUNSET 30/2043Z

PART H. UNKNOWN

PART I. NONE

PART J. NONE

PART K.

REPORT PREPARED BY STAFF INTELLIGENCE 26 AIR DIVISION. NO PRELIMINARY
ANALYSIS IS OFFERED AS TO CAUSE OF SIGHTING

PART L. NONE

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U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

This questionnaire has been prepared so that you can give the U.S. Air Force as much information as possible concerning the unidentified aerial phenomenon that you have observed. Please try to answer as many questions as you possibly can. The information that you give will be used for research purposes. Your name will not be used in connection with any statements, conclusions, or publications without your permission. We request this personal information so that if it is deemed necessary, we may contact you for further details.

1. When did you see the object?

30 July 1966
Day Month Year

2. Time of day: 0300 0900
Hour Minutes

(Circle One): A.M. or P.M.

3. Time Zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern
b. Central
c. Mountain
d. Pacific
e. Other _____

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

[REDACTED] CONDON AFS, OREGON
Nearest Postal Address City or Town State or County

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration)

— 20 —
Hours Minutes Seconds

a. Certain

b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure

d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? Time it takes to Drive Home

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes X No —

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY

a. Bright

b. Cloudy

NIGHT

a. Bright

b. Cloudy

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you
b. In back of you
c. To your right

d. To your left
e. Overhead
f. Don't remember

8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- ☒ d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- ☒ b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight – pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

CLOUDS (Circle One):

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER (Circle One):

- ☒ a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

10. The object appeared: (Circle One):

- a. Solid
- b. Transparent
- c. Vapor
- ☒ d. As a light
- e. Don't remember

11. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars? (Circle One):

- ☒ a. Brighter
- b. Dimmer
- c. About the same
- d. Don't know

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

A LARGE, BRIGHT CHRISTMAS STAR

12. The edges of the object were:

- (Circle One):
- a. Fuzzy or blurred
 - ☒ b. Like a bright star
 - c. Sharply outlined
 - d. Don't remember

c. Other _____

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- | | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------|
| a. Appear to stand still at any time? | ☒ Yes | No | Don't know |
| b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time? | ☒ Yes | No | Don't know |
| c. Break up into parts or explode? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't know |
| d. Give off smoke? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't know |
| e. Change brightness? | ☒ Yes | ☒ No | Don't know |
| f. Change shape? | ☒ Yes | No | Don't know |
| g. Flash or flicker? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't know |
| h. Disappear and reappear? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't know |

14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how?

NO

15. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved behind: _____

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

in front of: _____

17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound

None

b. Color

Like A BRIGHT LIGHT

18. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?

At first only the center, but as it moved away it would have been completely covered

19. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails.

Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.

20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One)

Yes

☒ No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? _____

21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One)

Yes

☒ No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? _____

22. Where were you located when you saw the object?

(Circle One):

a. Inside a building

☒ b. In a car

c. Outdoors

d. In an airplane (type)

e. At sea

f. Other _____

23. Were you (Circle One)

a. In the business section of a city?

☒ b. In the residential section of a city?

c. In open countryside?

d. Near an airfield?

e. Flying over a city?

f. Flying over open country?

g. Other _____

24. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

24.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

a. North

c. East

e. South

g. West

b. Northeast

d. Southeast

f. Southwest

h. Northwest

24.2 How fast were you moving? _____ miles per hour.

24.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One)

☒ Yes

No

25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

a. Eyeglasses

Yes

No

e. Binoculars

Yes

No

b. Sun glasses

Yes

No

f. Telescope

Yes

No

☒ c. Windshield

Yes

No

g. Theodolite

Yes

No

d. Window glass

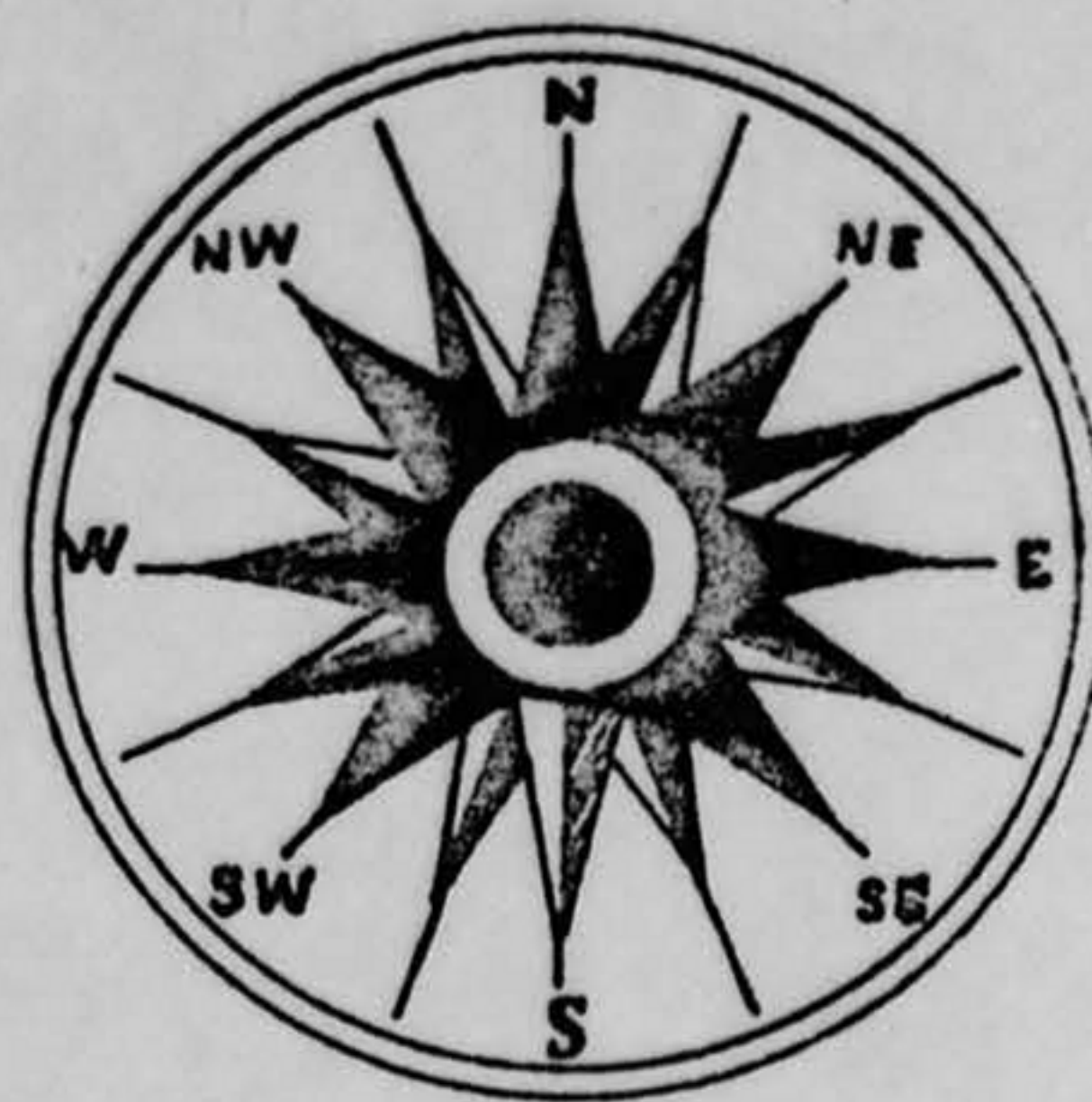
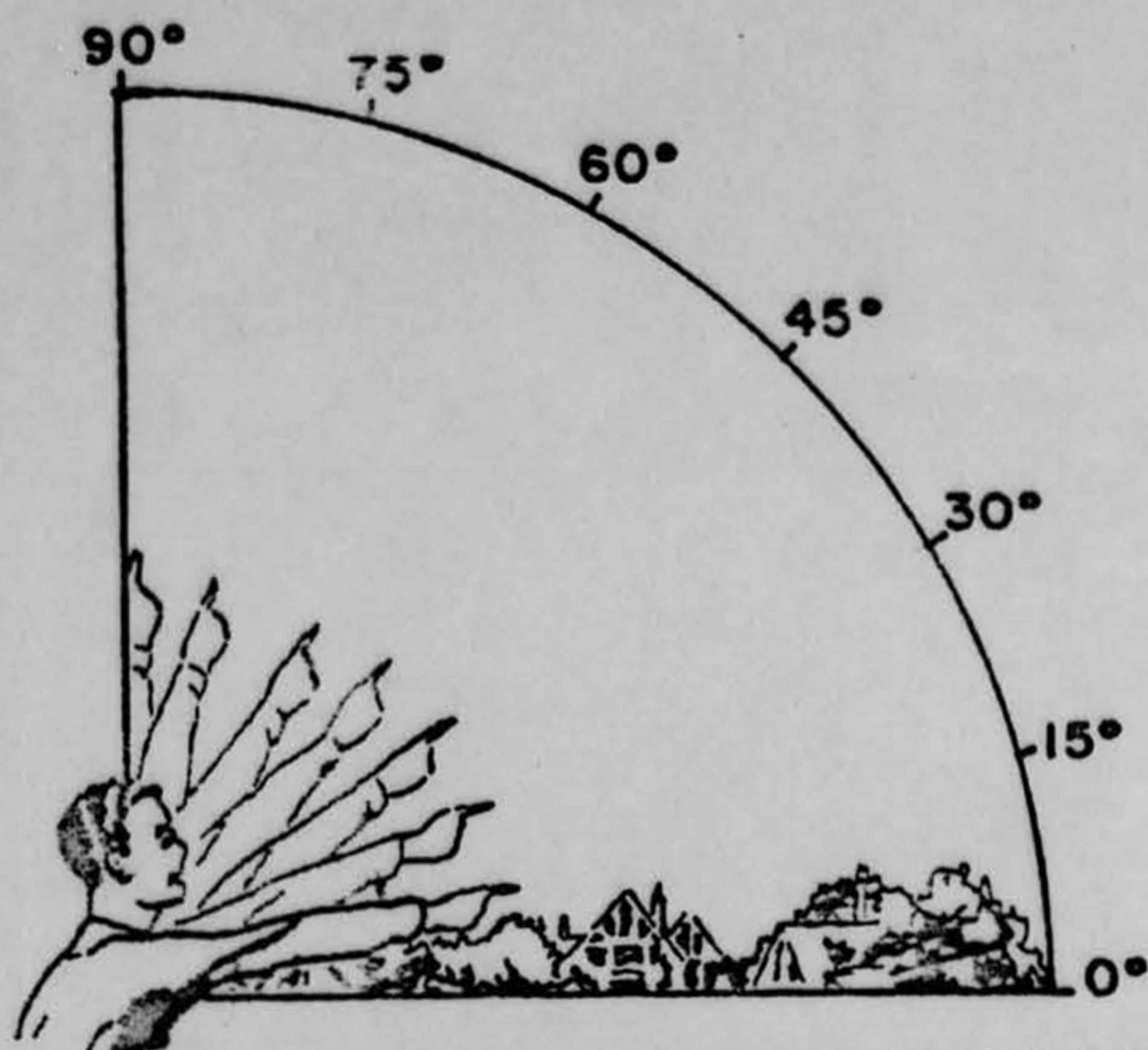
Yes

No

h. Other with naked eye

26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *last* saw it. Place an "A" on the compass when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the compass where you *last* saw the object.



28. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.

29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? _____
 Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.

30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

N/A

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? (Circle One)

Yes

No

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? (Circle One)

Yes

No

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

ADDRESS

Street

City

Zone

State

TELEPHONE NUMBER

AGE

SEX

30

MAL

Duty

87327

Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any special experience, which might be pertinent.

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

30

Day

July

Month

66

Year

operations crew chief and Telephone Operator

FTD (TDETR)

UFO Sighting, 30 July 1966

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Attn: ALC Joel C. Shiver

Reference your unidentified observation of 30 July 1966. The information which we have received is not sufficient for evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided.

FOR THE COMMANDER

W. S. Wheeler
WARREN S. WHEELER, Colonel, USAF
Deputy for Technology & Subsystems

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FTD Form 164 w/envelope

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