

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 6 October 66 06/0315Z	2. LOCATION Fairborn, Ohio
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Aircraft (F-111 with Afterburner) ✓ JED
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	A/C tail number 775
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object was reported as streak of fire in the sky, to fire following an aircraft. One observer stated they saw a parachute. Contact was made with base operations to find out it was a jet with an unusually large streak of fire as a result of his afterburner being kicked in.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE N/A	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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Several calls were received regarding a streak of fire in the sky about 1015 EST 6 Oct. 66. One observer reported that the fire seemed to be following an aircraft. Another reported only the fire was seen. One said that a parachute was seen.

Contact was made with the Base Operations WP AFB, Ohio at 1105 EST 6 Oct. 66. A F-111 took off from Patterson Field at 1006 EST 6 Oct. 66 and shortly thereafter kicked in his after-burner. They had received several calls regarding this incident also. They reported that an unusually large streak of fire was a result of his afterburner being kicked in.

CONCLUSION

F-111 with afterburner