

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 20 Sep 60	2. LOCATION SE of Farmington, New Mexico	12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical Meteor <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 21/0227Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 min	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE NW
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING A round, green ball of fire traveling in a straight line. Object disappeared instantaneously to the NW.	11. COMMENTS Duration of this sighting is excessive for a meteor, but it is possible that the witness overestimated the time. Probably a meteor.	

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RJEDSO/ATIC WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RJEZHC/HQ USAF WASH DC

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/UNCLAS/ACODC UFO 734. SUBJECT: UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT

A. 1. SHAPE: A ROUND BALL OF FIRE.

2. SIZE: NEGATIVE

3. COLOR: GREEN

4. NUMBER: ONE (1).

5. FORMATION: NONE

6. DISCERNIBLE FEATURES OR DETAILS: NEGATIVE

7. TAIL, TRAIL, OR EXHAUST: NONE

8. SOUND: NONE

9. PERTINENT OR UNUSUAL FEATURES: NEGATIVE

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2. 1. WHAT FIRST CALLED THE ATTENTION OF THE OBSERVER TO THE OBJECT:
NEGATIVE.
2. ELEVATION AND AZIMUTH WHEN FIRST OBSERVED: PILOT FLYING AT 11,500 FT
HEADING NORTHWEST SIGHTED OBJECT ABOUT 45 DEGREES TO HIS RIGHT AND JUST
ABOVE THE HORIZON.
3. ELEVATION AND AZIMUTH UPON DISAPPEARANCE: DEAD AHEAD AND JUST
ABOVE HORIZON.
4. FLIGHT PATH AND MANEUVERS: SOUTHEAST TO NORTHWEST AND IN A STRAIGHT
LINE.
5. HOW THE OBJECT DISAPPEARED: INSTANTANEOUSLY TO THE NORTHWEST.
6. HOW LONG VISIBLE: APPROXIMATELY ONE (1) MINUTE.
7. 1. MANNER OF OBSERVATION: AIR-VISUAL.
2. OPTICAL AIDS USED: NONE
8. INFORMATION ON A AIRCRAFT OBSERVATION MADE FROM: TWIN BEECH, N50138,
11,500 FEET, HEADING NORTHWEST, 00 MPH, HOME STATION FARMINGTON, NEW
MEXICO.
9. 1. TIME OF SIGHTING: 2227 ZULU, 21 SEPTEMBER 1961.
2. LOCATION OF OBSERVER: 20 MILES SOUTHEAST OF FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO.
GEORGE POSITION- KGZ 230. 40 DEGREES 3 MIN WEST, 36 DEGREES 3 MIN

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NORTH

B. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OBSERVER: [REDACTED] FARMINGTON, NM
MEXICO, TELEPHONE NUMBER-[REDACTED] OCCUPATION, MAILING ADDRESS, AND
RELIABILITY UNKNOWN

C. 1. OBSERVER'S ACCOUNT OF THE WEATHER: CLEAR AND 60°.

D. WEATHER BUREAU'S WIND REPORT: KIRTLAND AFB WEATHER FOR GRAND JUNCTION
COLO. SURFACE ESE/11, 6 M 320/12, 10M 60/17, 16M 230/16, 20M 290/18, 30M
300/18, 32M 270/30, 34M NEGATIVE.

E. CEILING: NONE

F. VISIBILITY: 60 MILES

G. CLOUD COVER: HIGH THIN CIRRUS.

H. THUNDERSTORMS: NONE

I. TEMPERATURE GRADIENT: NEGATIVE

J. HUMIDITY: NEGATIVE

K. NONE

L. NEGATIVE

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ALBUQUERQUE NM.

N. NONE

O. PT

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