

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

<b>1. DATE</b> 14 Apr 61	<b>2. LOCATION</b> 285105N 1314508E (FAR EAST)		<b>12. CONCLUSIONS</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon
<b>3. DATE-TIME GROUP</b> Local 0455 GMT 13/1955Z Apr 61	<b>4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft
<b>5. PHOTOS</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<b>6. SOURCE</b> Military		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical
<b>7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION</b> 15 Min	<b>8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS</b> One	<b>9. COURSE</b> W-E	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
<b>10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING</b> Round object bearing 340 deg true, position angle 10 degrees appeared as a moving bright light, brighter than most stars. Moved very fast. No sound heard and object disappeared at 10 deg elevation heading 140 deg true after 15 minutes. No trail or exhaust. Disappeared by fading into horizon into pre-dawn twilight.		<b>11. COMMENTS</b> A check with space track showed that the object was not echo. Slight possibility that the object was a weather balloon, however object did not appear to be gaining altitude. It is possible that a satellite other than echo was the object viewed, however there is no confirming data and the case is carried as insufficient data.	

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AF IN : 21166 (14 Apr 61) A/dfc

P 140128Z  
FM USS CORAL SEA

4E2 *Retention*

TO RJAPAAZ/5TH AF

19 APR 1961

INFO RBEPW/CNO  
RBMPZL/COMSEVENTHFLT  
ZEN/CTG 77.6  
RJMALC/13TH AF  
RBHP3/CINCPACFLT

AF DIST: CIN-14, OOP-CP-1 -16-

A. CINCPACFLT 3320.3

1. SIGHTED UFO AT 131535Z. IMP POSIT 28 51.5N 131 45.8E. FOUR RELIABLE OBSERVERS SIGHTED ONE ROUND OBJECT BEARING 340 DEG TRUE, POSITION ANGLE 10. OBJECT APPEARED AS BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT, BRIGHTER THAN MOST STARS, AND MOVING WEST TO EAST VERY FAST. OBSERVED FOR APP 15 MINUTES. DISAPPEARED AT 140 DEG TRUE, POSITION ANGLE 10. DARK NIGHT, WEATHER CLEAR, NO MOON. NO AIRCRAFT SIGHTED BEFORE OR AFTER. DID NOT HOLD OBJECT ON RADAR. OBJECT PASSED UNDER NORTH STAR AND APPEARED TO BE QUOTE MUCH BRIGHTER UNQUOTE THAN NORTH STAR. ONE WITNESS STATES OBJECT APPEARED TO MOVE ERRATICALLY. ALL OBSERVERS VIEWED OBJECT THROUGH 22-POWER TELESCOPE OR 20-POWER BINOCULARS.

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 73...74...76...94... IP...JCS...CSA...CSAF...CMC...COGARD...CIA  
 NIC...NAVAIDE...BFR...FLAGPLOT

AFR 205-1  
 Pol 2-17a  
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NO SOUND HEARD. UFO DISAPPEARED ABOVE HORIZON BY FADING INTO PRE-  
 DAWN TWILIGHT. NO TRAIL OR EXHAUST SIGHTED. TWO OBSERVERS WHO HAVE SEEN  
 ECHO I SATELLITE STATE UFO HAD SAME GENERAL APPEARANCE AND SPEED  
 BUT WAS BRIGHTER

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