

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION SHEET

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1. When did you see the object?

7 / July / 64
 Day Month Year

2. Time of day: 1:15

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?

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 City or Town

 State or Country

Additional remarks: _____

5. How long was object in sight?

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6. What was the condition of the sky?

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b. Cloudy

NIGHT

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 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?

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- 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. The object appeared:

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11. Did the object:

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| e. Change brightness? | Yes | No | Don't Know |
| f. Change shape? | Yes | No | Don't Know |
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| h. Disappear and reappear? | Yes | No | Don't Know |

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

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14. Did the object appear: (Circle One): a. Solid b. Transparent c. Vapor d. Don't Know

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

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|-----------------|-----|----|---------------|-----|----|
| 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 | | |

16. Tell in a few words the following things about the object.

a. Sound _____

b. Color _____

17. 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.

A single source of light

18. The edges of the object were:

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

e. Other _____

19. 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.

20. 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.

21. How large did the object appear to you as compared to an object with which you are familiar?

22. 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?

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

Yes. Burned out with a trailing shower of sparks

24. 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.

A meteorite

25. 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 _____

26. 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 _____

27. What were you doing at the time you saw the object, and how did you happen to notice it?

Looking back yard watching. Just happened to look up.

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

28.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

- | | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |

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

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

(Circle One) Yes No

29. What direction were you looking when you first saw the object? (Circle One)

- | | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |
| | | | i. Overhead |

30. What direction were you looking when you last saw the object? (Circle One)

- | | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |
| | | | i. Overhead |

31. If you are familiar with bearing terms (angular direction), try to estimate the number of degrees the object was from true North (thru east) and also the number of degrees it was upward from the horizon (elevation).

31.1 When it first appeared:

- a. From true North 10 degrees.
- b. From horizon 45 degrees.

31.2 When it disappeared:

- a. From true North _____ degrees.
- b. From horizon _____ degrees.

*appeared in the lower
third quadrant, east on
for a moment moving
back to south*

34. 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

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

_____ Day

_____ Month

_____ Year

36. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

36.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too?

(Circle One) Yes No

36.2 Please list their names and addresses:

Probably others at hitting park ball game

37. Was this the first time that you had seen an object or objects like this?

(Circle One) Yes No

37.1 IF you answered NO, then when, where, and under what circumstances did you see other ones?

38. In your opinion what do you think the object was and what might have caused it?

39. 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? _____

40. 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? _____

41. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME _____
Last Name
First Name
Middle Name

ADDRESS _____
Street
City
Zone
State

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

Age _____ Sex _____

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

42. Date you completed this questionnaire:

_____ Day

_____ Month

_____ Year

ATIC SDO Comments:

1. Weather as reported by Patterson, Member of the
 Sightings 1957 EST High thin layer (alt) 30,000 / 10
 2055 EST " " " " " " / 10

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|----------------|--------------|---------|-------|
| | Winds Aloft: | 5000 ft | 35/10 |
| | | 10000 " | 30/10 |
| | | 20000 " | 32/15 |
| | | 30000 " | 34/15 |
| | | 40000 " | 30/40 |
| | | 50000 " | 29/40 |
| | | 60000 " | 24/15 |
| Surface Winds: | | | |
| NNE | 2 Kts | | |

2. Wx balloon released from Sulphur Grove at 1830 EST burst
 82 minutes after release at 23,000 ft., local density 0.475"
3. Patterson and Wright Towers reported no traffic in the
 Fresno - Yuba - Kettleing - Kettlewood area.
4. AACS reported no traffic activity in the time of sightings.
5. No reported traffic fighter observations. Flight Test at 1900 ASD.
6. Tower Operator at Cox Field Airport reported seeing "a bright
 blue-green light, thought to be a meteorite, off to the east."
 He stated the time was between 2020 and 2100 and that a
 similar event was reported on the same day of the day before, about
 the same time. The meteorite was described as a "ball of fire". The
 Tower Operator's name is Mr. Robert Smith.
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- Another Tower Operator, Mr. John Johnson, also observed
 a "bright, unexplained light" at the same time.

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8. a few stairs ...
9. a blue glass
10. bright ...
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Age 16 Female

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...A huge red ball streaked across the skies of Columbus, Ohio, on the night of July 24th, and was seen by several local residents. The ball had a brilliant white tail, traveled from east to west, and was visible for only a few seconds. Local authorities were unable to come up with an explanation.