

5 MISSION SUPPORT GROUP



MISSION

LINEAGE

5 Air Base Group established and activated, 1 Sep 1936
Inactivated, 2 Apr 1946

5 Air Base Group established, 1 Jul 1949
Activated, 16 Jul 1949
Inactivated, 10 Feb 1951
Activated, 14 Feb 1952
Inactivated, 8 Apr 1959
Redesignated 5 Support Group, 29 Aug 1991
Activated, 1 Sep 1991
Redesignated 5 Mission Support Group, 3 Sep 2002

5 Air Base Group and 5 Mission Support Group consolidated, 17 Jan 2019. Consolidated organization designated 5 Mission Support Group

STATIONS

Hamilton Field, CA, 1 Sep 1936
Salt Lake City, Utah, 1 Sep 1940
Philippine Islands, c. 1 Nov 1941-2 Apr 1946
Mountain Home AFB, ID, 16 Jul 1949
Fairfield-Suisun (later, Travis) AFB, CA, 12 Nov 1949-10 Feb 1951

Travis AFB, CA, 14 Feb 1952-8 Apr 1959
Minot AFB, ND, 1 Sep 1991

ASSIGNMENTS

Southwest Air District, 1 Sep 1936
Northwest Air District (later, Second Air Force), 1 Sep 1940
Philippine Department Air Force (later, Far East Air Force; later, Fifth Air Force), 1 Nov 1941-2
Apr 1946
5 Strategic Reconnaissance Wing, 16 Jul 1949-10 Feb 1951
5 Strategic Reconnaissance Wing, 14 Feb 1952
14 Air Division, 1 Nov 1954
323 Air Division, 1 Jul 1958-8 Apr 1959
5 Wing (later, 5 Bomb Wing), 1 Sep 1991

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Global War on Terrorism (GWOT-S)

Campaign Streamers

World War II
Philippine Islands

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with the Combat "V" Device
1 Jun 1999-31 May 2001

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

[1 Sep 1991]-31 May 1992
1 Jun 1992-30 Jun 1993
1 Jun 1995-31 May 1996
1 Jun 2002-31 May 2004
1 Jun 2004-31 May 2006
1 Jan 2011-31 Dec 2012
1 Jan-31 Dec 2013
1 Jan-31 Dec 2017

Philippine Republic Presidential Unit Citation
(7 Dec 1941-10 May 1942)

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OPERATIONS

The three principal subordinate units of the newly-activated 323rd Air Division were the 1501st Air Transport Wing, the 5th Air Base Group, and USAF Hospital-Travis. The latter two units had been assigned to SAC's 14th Air Division. They were now transferred to MATS with the shift of host command jurisdiction. At this time, the 5th Air Base Group consisted of seven squadrons responsible for a variety of "housekeeping" functions, including base supply, air police, transportation, food service, airfield management, and buildings and grounds maintenance (civil engineers).

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