

PANAMA AIR DEPOT

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Panama Air Depot

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in June 1927, the air intermediate depots were renamed air depots, a designation they were to carry until 1943, and the Air Corps established three insular, or departmental, depots.

Initially, the Panama Air Depot (more commonly known as the PAD) was located at France Field. When it became apparent that the major airfield in the defense scheme was to be Albrook Field, the establishment was moved there and grew into a very large and diversified organization.

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