

1 COMPONENT MAINTENANCE SQUADRON



MISSION

The 1 Component Maintenance Squadron provides on-equipment and intermediate maintenance on the wing's aircraft avionics and accessories systems as well as engines; calibrates and repairs test, measurement, and diagnostic equipment; and prepares to mobilize, deploy and sustain worldwide combat and contingency air superiority operations in support of three fighter squadrons and Air and Space Expeditionary Force taskings.

LINEAGE

1 Armament and Electronics Maintenance Squadron constituted, 4 Sep 1958
Activated, 1 Nov 1958
Redesignated 1 Communications and Electronics Maintenance Squadron, 15 Sep 1966
Discontinued and Inactivated, 16 Jan 1967
Activated, 9 Sep 1968
Organized, 8 Oct 1968
Redesignated 1 Avionics Maintenance Squadron, 1 Apr 1969
Inactivated, 1 Jul 1971
Activated, 1 Apr 1972
Redesignated 1 Component Repair Squadron, 15 Jun 1977
Inactivated, 1 Oct 1991
Activated, 1 Mar 1992
Redesignated 1 Component Maintenance Squadron, 15 Jul 2002
Inactivated, 29 Oct 2010

STATIONS

Selfridge AFB, MI, 1 Nov 1958-16 Jan 1967
Forbes AFB, KS, 8 Oct 1968-1 Jul 1971

MacDill AFB, FL, 1 Apr 1972
Langley AFB, VA, 30 Jun 1975-1 Oct 1991
Langley AFB, VA, 1 Mar 1992-29 Oct 2010

ASSIGNMENTS

1 Fighter Group (Air Defense), 1 Nov 1958
1 Maintenance and Supply Group, 1 Jul 1960
1 Fighter Wing (Air Defense), 1 Feb 1961-16 Jan 1967
Military Airlift Command, 9 Sep 1968
Aerospace Cartographic and Geodetic Service, 8 Oct 1968-1 Jul 1971
1 Tactical Fighter Wing, 1 Apr 1972-1 Oct 1991
1 Logistics (later 1 Maintenance) Group, 1 Mar 1992-29 Oct 10

COMMANDERS

Maj Elizabeth Boehm

HONORS

Service Streamers

Global War on Terror-Service (GWOT-S)

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award

1 Jul 1969-30 Jun 1970

1 Jul 1975-31 Oct 1976
15 Jun 1982-15 Jun 1984
16 Jun 1984-15 Jun 1986
1 May 1992-31 Mar 1994
1 Jun 1995-31 May 1997
1 Jun 1998-31 May 2000
1 Jun 2000-31 May 2001
1 Jun 2004-31 May 2006
1 Jun 2006-31 May 2008
1 Jun 2008-31 May 2009
1 Jun 2009-5 May 2010

EMBLEM

Approved, 24 Nov 1986



1 Armament and Electronics Maintenance Squadron emblem

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

11/12/2010 The landscape of the 1 Fighter Wing's corps of maintainers changed as the 1 Component Maintenance Squadron inactivated and the 1 Equipment Maintenance Squadron was re-designated as the 1 Maintenance Squadron in a historic ceremony at the 149th Fighter Squadron hangar, Oct. 29. The Airmen of the two squadrons merged together to form the large new squadron, nicknamed the "Dragons." Along with the inactivation and re-designation came a change of command as Lt. Col. Jason Gibson, former 1 Equipment Maintenance Squadron commander, relinquished command of the renamed unit to Maj. Elizabeth Boehm, the last commander of the 1 Component Maintenance Squadron prior to its inactivation. Col. George Zaniewski, commander of the 1 Maintenance Group, praised the steadfastness of Colonel Gibson in the face of "tumultuous times" at Langley, bringing to light the squadron's accomplishments under his command. "

USAF UNIT HISTORIES

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