

## 2 SPACE ANALYSIS SQUADRON



### **MISSION**

2nd Space Analysis Squadron Mission Produce and deliver foundational intelligence on foreign threats to space operations supporting the warfighter, acquisitions and national policy.

### **LINEAGE**

Counterspace Analysis Squadron constituted, 18 Mar 2008

Activated, 15 Apr 2008

Redesignated 2 Space Analysis Squadron and concurrently changed status from a unit of United States Air Force armed force to a unit of United States Space Force armed force, 24 Jun 2022.

### **STATIONS**

Wright-Patterson AFB, OH, 15 Apr 2008

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

Space and Missiles Analysis Group, 15 Apr 2008

Space Delta 18 (National Space Intelligence Center), 24 Jun 2022

### **COMMANDERS**

John Gass

## HONORS

### Service Streamers

### Campaign Streamers

### Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

## Decorations

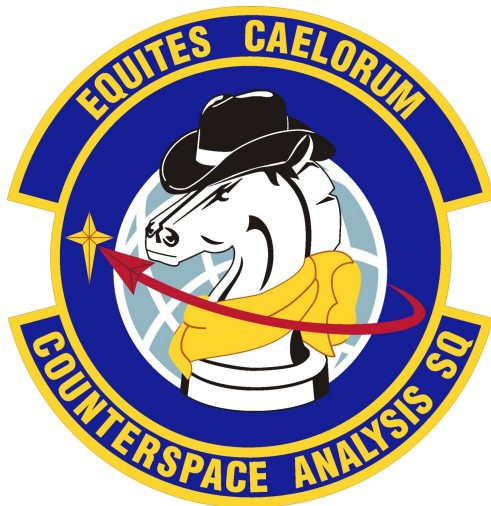
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[15 Apr]-31 Dec 2008

1 Jan 2009-31 Dec 2010

1 Jan 2012-31 Dec 2013

## EMBLEM



On a disc Azure, a globe Celeste gridlined Argent surmounted by a stylized knight chess piece of the third, detailed and garnished with the accoutrements of a cowboy hat Sable and a kerchief Or, all environed by a stylized delta Gules emitting from sinister side of globe and terminating with its point bendwise dexter to a polestar of the fifth, all within a narrow border Yellow. Attached above the disc, a Blue scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "EQUITES CAELORUM" in Yellow letters. Attached below the disc, a Blue scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "COUNTERSPACE ANALYSIS SQ" in Yellow letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The chess piece is a traditional symbol of intelligence and signifies the unit's intelligence analysis and production mission, while the cowboy hat and bandero are reminiscent of the American West and represent counterspace as the frontier of intelligence operations. (Emblem approved, 8 Feb 2011)

**MOTTO**

EQUITES CAELORUM--Space Cowboys

**OPERATIONS**

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