

# 623 BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (DIVE)

## MISSION

## LINEAGE

623 Bombardment Squadron (Dive) constituted, 25 Jan 1943

Activated, 4 Feb 1943

Disbanded, 15 Aug 1943

## STATIONS

Key Field, MS, 4 Feb 1943

Congaree AAFld, SC, 5 Jul-15 Aug 1943

## ASSIGNMENTS

404 Bombardment Group, 4 Feb-15 Aug 1943

## WEAPON SYSTEMS

A-35, 1943

A-24, 1943

## COMMANDERS

## HONORS

### Service Streamers

None

### Campaign Streamers

None

### Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

## Decorations

None

**EMBLEM**

Over and through a yellow-orange disc, border light turquoise blue, piped white, a large blue aerial bomb banded at tail fin with light turquoise blue, diving to base and having a caricatured figure in flight suit and helmet brown, firing a black “tommy” gun forward while seated in cockpit cut out of body of bomb; all emitting speed lines to rear. (Approved, 17 May 1943)

**MOTTO****NICKNAME****OPERATIONS**

Training for combat

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