

703 AIRCRAFT CONTROL AND WARNING SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

703 Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron

STATIONS

Tinker AFB, OK, 1 Dec 1953-1 May 1955

Texarkana AFS, AR

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

M-91 Z-91 703 Texarkana AFS, AR FPS-3, FPS-20; MPS-14 FPS-91A; MPS-14
1955 08-Sep-68 Was an FAA site after USAF deactivation. However, this radar site is closed altogether now.

703rd AC&W Squadron: activated 1 Dec 53 at Tinker AFB, OK, as the 33rd Air Division; moved to Site at Texarkana AFS, AR in summer of 55; transferred to Oklahoma City ADS on 1 Jan 60; transferred to 4752nd Air Defense Wing 1 Sep 61; transferred to Oklahoma City ADS 25 Jun 63; reassigned to 31st Air Division on 1 Apr 66; discontinued on 8 Sep 68.

In 1955 the 703rd AC&W Squadron began operations at Texarkana. By 1958 the 703rd was using AN/FPS-20 and AN/MPS-14 sets. In 1960 this site was also performing air traffic control duties for the FAA. By 1966, the search radar was upgraded to an AN/FPS-91A set. The Air Force deactivated the 703rd in September 1968.

Air Force Lineage and Honors

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