

## **2 BASE AIR DEPOT**

### **MISSION**

### **LINEAGE**

2 Base Air Depot

### **STATIONS**

Warton, Lancashire, England

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

### **COMMANDERS**

### **HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

### **EMBLEM**

### **MOTTO**

### **OPERATIONS**

2 Base Air Depot was the name given to the entire complex at Warton. The depot's mission was stores distribution; service modifications; radial engine overhaul and B-24 and P-51 modification and overhaul.

2 Base Air Depot, in Jun 1943, was still working at about 10% of its planned capacity. To meet the demand for trained personnel, the Service Command had suggested during the spring that Warton be operated by Lockheed Overseas Corporation with American civil personnel. Army Air Force headquarters rejected the proposal in accordance with its plan to eventually operate all depots with military personnel.

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