

# 44<sup>th</sup> STATISTICAL SERVICES SQUADRON

## MISSION

## LINEAGE

44<sup>th</sup> Statistical Services Squadron

## STATIONS

Chateauroux, France

## ASSIGNMENTS

## COMMANDERS

## HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

## EMBLEM

## MOTTO

## NICKNAME

## OPERATIONS

The 44th Statistical Services Squadron set up its IBM punch-card accounting equipment in 1952. It began operation after a delay caused by electrical power incompatibilities. By 1954 CHAD functioned using the punch-card inventory control system. In January 1955, after all warehouses were built, a material conveyor "Towveyer" system was installed throughout the complex to save time and labor. The electrical motor-driven endless chain system moved up to 200 four-wheel material carts through the sixty-eight storage sheds into the packing-shipping-receiving buildings. This system cost \$247,389 and was the first in Europe.

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