

7 MAINTENANCE GROUP



MISSION

More than 1,500 members of the 7th Maintenance Group provide organizational and intermediate levels of maintenance for B-1Bs assigned to the 7th Bomb Wing and C-130Js assigned to Air Mobility Command's 317th Airlift Wing. The group's major role is to provide mission-capable B-1B aircraft, properly configured and on time to meet any of the wing's missions. The group trains, equips and sustains forces ready to deploy in support of combat, training and test requirements from Dyess AFB.

LINEAGE

7 Maintenance and Supply Group established, 3 Nov 1947
Organized, 17 Nov 1947
Discontinued, 1 Aug 1948

7 Maintenance and Supply Group established, 20 Jul 1948
Activated, 1 Aug 1948
Inactivated, 16 Feb 1951
Activated, 14 Feb 1952
Inactivated, 16 Jun 1952
Disestablished, 27 Sep 1984
Reestablished and redesignated 7 Logistics Group, 29 Aug 1991
Activated, 1 Sep 1991
Inactivated, 1 Aug 1993
Activated, 1 Oct 1993

7 Maintenance and Supply Group and 7 Logistics Group consolidated, 19 Sep 1995.

Consolidated unit designated 7 Logistics Group

Redesignated 7 Maintenance Group, 29 Aug 2002

STATIONS

Fort Worth AAFld (later, Griffiss AFB; Carswell AFB), TX, 17 Nov 1947-16 Feb 1951

Carswell AFB, TX, 14 Feb-16 Jun 1952

Carswell AFB, TX, 1 Sep 1991-1 Aug 1993

Dyess AFB, TX, 1 Oct 1993

ASSIGNMENTS

7 Bombardment Wing, 17 Nov 1947-16 Feb 1951

7 Bombardment Wing, 14 Feb-16 Jun 1952

7 Wing (later, 7 Bomb Wing), 1 Sep 1991-1 Aug 1993

7 Wing (later, 7 Bomb Wing), 1 Oct 1993

COMMANDERS

Col Carmen M. Mezzacappa, 2 Jul 1998

Col James P. Clyburn, 17 Jul 2000

Col Robert A. Dickmeyer, 26 Jul 2002

Col Michael J. Moschella, 29 Jun 2004

Col Richard A. Kosanke, Jun 2006

Col James D. Milburn, Jul 2008

Col Todd G. McCready, 30 Jun 2010\

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award

1 Jun 1996-31 May 1998

1 Jun 1998-31 May 2000

1 Jun 2002-31 May 2004

1 Jun 2005-31 May 2007

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OPERATION

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Sources

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