

7040 AIR BASE SQUADRON

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7040 Air Base Squadron

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The 7040th Air Base Squadron continued as caretakers after completion of the base until replaced by the 7486th Air Base Group in late 1955. Phalsbourg was assigned standby operating base status after completion and remained so until the arrival of the 102d Tactical Fighter Wing in 1961. In the interim it had other tenants, but no combat wing. Its first tenant was the 23d Helicopter Squadron that arrived in November 1956.

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