7330 FIELD MAINTENANCE SQUADRON

MISSION

The mission of the 7330th Field Maintenance Squadron is to provide full field maintenance for base aircraft, tenant organizations and transient aircraft of the base. Such maintenance to include the inspection and repair of aircraft parts, instruments, and equipment.

The Field Maintenance Squadron inspects and repairs over forty five hundred different items that range from dependent housing furniture, office equipment, electrical machinery, communication equipment, flying gear and the construction of special equipment.

Aircraft engines receive overhaul and minor repair in the Jet Engine Shops while sheet metal work, machine manufacture and welding are accomplished in the Fabrications Sections. Such items as clothing, personal equipment, drapes and parachutes are inspected, manufactured and repaired by Field Maintenance personnel. Base Flight furnishes crews and maintains transport type aircraft for base use.

Production Control is the nerve center from which all work is scheduled on an even flow and where vast records of manhours, material and cost are kept up to date. Reclamation crews are charged with the responsibility, removal and recovery of damaged aircraft and the salvage of all materials and parts.

This organization of seventy military and two hundred German National personnel is a striking example of how the peoples of two nations can work together in perfect harmony towards a common goal.

LINEAGE

7330 Field Maintenance Squadron

COMMANDERS Capt Marden B. Chlarson, #1956 HONORS Service Streamers Campaign Streamers Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers Decorations EMBLEM MOTTO

Furstenfeldbruck AB, Germany

STATIONS

ASSIGNMENTS

OPERATIONS

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