# **AIRCRAFT ANALYSIS SQUADRON**



#### MISSION

#### LINEAGE

Aircraft Analysis Squadron constituted, 18 Mar 2008 Activated, 15 Apr 2008

## **STATIONS**

Wright-Patterson AFB, OH, 15 Apr 2008

#### **ASSIGNMENTS**

Air and Cyberspace Analysis Group, 15 Apr 2008

## **COMMANDERS**

Lt Col Brian Ewert

## **HONORS**

**Service Streamers** 

## **Campaign Streamers**

# **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

#### **Decorations**

Air Force Organizational Excellence Award [15 Apr]-31 Dec 2008

### **EMBLEM**

On a disc bendwise sinister Azure and Sable, a stylized arrowhead fesswise throughout of the last point to dexter bordered Or bearing a mullet of five points Gules between three demibillets issuing from dexter, sinister and chief Argent, all within a narrow border Yellow. Attached below the disc, a black scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "AIRCRAFT ANALYSIS SQUADRON" in Yellow letters. SIGNIFICANCE: Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The background of the disc with the demi-squares alludes to a basic flight instrument dial. The instrument dial symbolizes the Squadron's technical analysis mission that is used to determine the capabilities and performance of threat aircraft. The instrument dial is pitched at 17 degrees in order to symbolize the National Air and Space Intelligence Center's (NASIC) heritage that began in 1917. The instrument is banked at 45 degrees to the right, alluding to the founding of T-2 intelligence in 1945, the predecessor of NASIC. The arrowhead historically links the Squadron's continuing aircraft analysis mission dating from the first foreign jet fighter analysis at Wright Field following World War II. The red star symbolizes the ever present danger posed by threat aircraft to the Air Force's global mission and the need for America's vigilance at all times. (Approved, 20 Apr 2011)

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**OPERATIONS** 

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