

AIR FORCE PETROLEUM AGENCY



MISSION

The Air Force Petroleum Agency is the service control point for all Defense Logistics Agency fuel related support issues. The agency provides a full range of technical and professional services related to fuels, propellants, chemicals, lubricants, gases, and cryogenics for all aerospace vehicles, systems, and equipment. Serves as a control center, leveraging leading-edge technology and practices to enable Air Force operations and minimize infrastructure, manpower, and costs. Provides the warfighter and space launch activities with technical support and specialized capabilities in petroleum, propellants, cryogenics, chemicals, and gases. Develops quality assurance specifications and standardized agreements, ensuring interoperability with commercial, interservice, and international allied interests to sustain actions in steady-state and expeditionary environments. The headquarters office is co-located with the Defense Logistics Agency at Fort Belvoir. The agency is commanded by an Air Force colonel with a senior-level civilian as deputy director.

The organization is composed of three directorates; Operations Support, Business Support and Product Support. The directorates provide services to customers and coordination with business partners and act as the single point of contact for most Air Force Petroleum Agency work.

Air Force Petroleum Agency has a geographically separated presence and a fuel laboratory at Wright Patterson AFB, OH; Vandenberg AFB, CA; Cape Canaveral AFS, FL; RAF Mildenhall, England; Kadena AB, Japan, and a contingency laboratory at a forward deployed location in Southwest Asia.

The Air Force Petroleum Agency employs 71 civilians, eight officers and 19 enlisted military members.

LINEAGE

Air Force Petroleum Agency constituted and activated as a field operating agency of the United States Air Force, 16 Nov 2006
Activated, 1 Dec 2006

STATIONS

Fort Belvoir, VA

ASSIGNMENTS

United States Air Force, 1 Dec 2006

COMMANDERS

Col Kenneth P. Hession, #2008
Col Jon A. Larvick, #2010

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Organizational Excellence Award
1 Oct 2006-1 Feb 2008

EMBLEM



Approved, 25 Jun 2010

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

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