

27 BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON, HEAVY



MISSION

LINEAGE

27 Bombardment Squadron (Heavy) constituted, 20 Nov 1940

Activated, 15 Jan 1941

Redesignated 27 Bombardment Squadron, Heavy

Inactivated, 20 Mar 1946

STATIONS

March Field, CA, 15 Jan 1941

New Orleans, LA, 25 May 1941

Muroc, CA, 25 Dec 1941

March Field, CA, 7 Feb 1942-28 Sep 1943

Mokuleia Field, Territory of Hawaii, 20 Oct 1943

Nanumea, 10 Nov 1943 (operated from Abemama, 26 Feb 1944)

Kwajalein, 15 Mar 1944

Saipan, 4 Aug 1944

Kahuku, Territory of Hawaii, 17 Mar 1945

Wheeler Field, Territory of Hawaii, 23 May 1945

Kahuku, Territory of Hawaii, 25 Sep 1945-20 Mar 1946

ASSIGNMENTS

30 Bombardment Group, 15 Jan 1941-20 Mar 1946

WEAPON SYSTEMS

B-18, 1941

A-29, 1941-1942

B-24, 1943

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Antisubmarine, American Theater

Central Pacific

Air Offensive, Japan

Eastern Mandates

Western Pacific

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM



27 Bombardment Squadron emblem

Over and through a disc white, bordure light green, a heraldic thunderbolt in proper colors.
(Approved, 3 Sep 1942)

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

Antisubmarine patrols, Jan 1942-Jul 1943; replacement training, Jun 1942-Jul 1943; combat in Central and Western Pacific, 14 Nov 1943-19 Feb 1945

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