

15th AIR BASE SQUADRON



MISSION

A subordinate unit of the 15th Air Base Wing, the 15 ABS served as the host organization at Wheeler AFB, which consisted of approximately 1,389 acres of land and facilities valued at over \$37 million. Responsibilities of the 15 ABS included providing munitions service and support to all Air Force activities within the Hawaiian area, in addition to operating a small arms firing range where personnel of the Air Force, U.S. Customs and local law enforcement agencies were certified.

LINEAGE

15th Air Base Squadron activated
Inactivated
Activated, 1 Nov 1971

STATIONS

Niagara Falls, NY
Hickam AFB, HI, 1 Nov 1971

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

Maj Roddie L. Massey, #1955

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

6487th Support Squadron inactivated on 1 November 1971, concurrent with activation of the 15th Air Base Squadron.

The 15th Air Base Squadron inactivated at Wheeler on 31 October 1991, one day before the U.S. Army assumed operational control of the installation in accordance with a memorandum of understanding signed by the Commander in Chief, Pacific Air Forces, and the Commander, US Army Western Command.

Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

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