367th BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON, HEAVY



MISSION

LINEAGE

367th Bombardment Squadron (Heavy) constituted, 28 Jan 1942 Activated, 1 Mar 1942 Inactivated, 25 Dec 1946 Redesignated 367th Bombardment Squadron, Very Heavy, 11 Jun 1947 Activated, 1 Jul 1947 Redesignated 367th Bombardment Squadron, Medium, 11 Aug 1948 Redesignated 367th Bombardment Squadron, Heavy Inactivated, 7 Jan 1974

STATIONS

Gowen Field, ID, 1 Mar 1942 Wendover Field, UT, 6 Apr-1 Aug 1942

Thurleigh, England, 6 Sep 1942 (detachments operated from Lagens, Azores, 20 Aug-Oct 1945 Dakar, French West Africa, Sep 1945 Marrakech, French Morocco, Oct 1945)

Giebelstadt, Germany, 25 Dec 1945 Istres, France, 26 Feb 1946

Furstenfeldbruck, Germany, 16 Aug 1946

Lechfeld, Germany, 13 Sep-25 Dec 1946

Andrews Field, MD, 1 Jul 1947

MacDill AFB, FL, 1 Aug 1948

McCoy AFB, FL

ASSIGNMENTS

306th Bombardment Group, 1 Mar 1942-25 Dec 1946 306th Bombardment Group, 1 Jul 1947 306th Bombardment Wing, 16 Jun 1952

WEAPON SYSTEMS

B-17, 1942-1946

B-17E

B-17F

B-17G

B-29, 1948-1951

B-29A

B-50, 1950-1951

B-50D

B-47, 1951

B-52D

B-52C

COMMANDERS

LTC David G. O'Sullivan LTC Lloyd D. Griffin, #1954

HONORS

Service Streamers

None

Campaign Streamers

Offensive, Europe
Air Normandy
Northern France
Rhineland
Ardennes-Alsace
Central Europe
Air Combat, EAME Theater

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Distinguished Unit Citations Germany, 11 Jan 1944 Germany, 22 Feb 1944

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award 22 Jan 1953-8 Dec 1956

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Gules, a griffin sergeant holding in his dexter claw a lightning bolt of four flashes or. (Approved, 7 Aug 1953)

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OPERATIONS

Combat in ETO, 9 Oct 1942-19 Apr 1945. Photo-mapping, Europe and Africa, Jun 1945-Mar 1946; later, courier missions to aid photo-mapping operations of the group.



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