

United States Air Force Lineage and Honors History

55 Operations Support Squadron (ACC)

Lineage. Constituted as 55 Airdrome Squadron on 25 Jan 1943. Activated on 1 Feb 1943. Redesignated as 55 Airdrome Squadron (Special) on 16 Apr 1943. Disbanded on 1 Apr 1944. Reconstitued, and consolidated (29 Aug 1991) with the 55 Operations Squadron which was constituted on 4 Jun 1952. Activated on 16 Jun 1952. Inactivated on 16 Oct 1952. Redesignated as 55 Operations Support Squadron on 29 Aug 1991. Activated on 1 Sep 1991. Assignments. Second Air Force, 1 Feb 1943-1 Apr 1944. 55 Air Base Group, 16 Jun-16 Oct 1952. 55 Operations Group, 1 Sep 1991-.

Stations. Grand Island AAB, NE, 1 Feb 1943; Casper AAB, WY, 25 Mar 1943; Grand Island AAF, NE 8 May 1943-1 Apr 1944. Ramey AFB, Puerto Rico, 16 Jun -16 Oct 1952. Offutt AFB, NE, 1 Sep 1991-.

Service Streamers. World War II American Theater.

Campaign Streamers. None.

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers. None.

Decorations. Meritorious Unit Awards: 1 Jul 2002-31 May 2004; 1 Jun 2004-31 May 2006; 1 Jun 2006-31 May 2007; 1 Jun 2007-31 May 2008; 1 Jun 2008-31 May 2009; 1 Jun 2009-31 May 2010; 1 Jun 2012-31 May 2014; 1 Jun 2014-31 May 2015; 1 Jun 2016-31 May 2017; 1 Jun 2019-31 May 2020; 1 Jun 2020-31 May 2021; 1 Jun 2023-31 My 2024. Air Force Outstanding Unit

Awards: 1 Jul 1992-30 Jun 1994; 1 Jul 1994-31 Jul 1995; 1 Jul 1997-31 May 1999; 1 Jun 1999-31 May 2001; 1 Jun 2011-31 May 2012; 1 Jun 2015-31 May 2016. Air and Space Outstanding Unit Award: 1 Jun 2022-31 May 2023.

Lineage, Assignments, Stations, and Honors through 16 Jul 2025.

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Emblem. Approved on 9 Oct 1992. Emblem requires modification for design and/or format. Organization should submit proposal IAW current heraldic standards set forth in AFI 84-105, chap 3. Contact local supporting historian or MAJCOM history office for assistance.

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