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Guide to Air Force Installations Worldwide



Major Installations

Note: A major installation is an Air Force Base, Air Base, Air Guard Base, or Air Reserve Base that serves as a self-supporting center for Air Force combat, combat support, or training operations. Active-duty, Air National Guard (ANG), or Air Force Reserve Command (AFRC) units of wing size or larger operate the installation with all land, facilities, and support needed to accomplish the unit mission. There must be real property accountability through ownership of all real estate and facilities. Agreements with foreign governments that give the Air Force jurisdiction over real property meet this requirement. Shared-use agreements (as opposed to joint-use agreements where the Air Force owns the runway) do not meet the major installation criteria.

Altus AFB, Okla. 73523-5000; within Altus city limits. Phone (405) 482-8100; DSN 866-1110. AETC base. 97th Air Mobility Wing. Operates AETC's strategic airlift and aerial refueling flying training schools. Maintains and supports C-5, KC-135, C-141, and C-17 aircraft. Base activated in Jan. 1943; inactivated in May 1945; reactivated in Jan. 1953. Area 4,735 acres, plus 818 leased and 1,069 easement/right-of-way. Runways 13,440 ft., with an additional 9,000-ft. parallel runway and 3,500-ft. assault strip. Altitude 1,381 ft. Military 3,500; civilians 550; approx. 400 TDY students (officer and enlisted) in training per month. Payroll \$144.4 million. Housing: 148 officer, 652 NCO, 292 VAQ, 285 VOQ, 34 TLF. 15-bed hospital.

Andersen AFB, Guam, APO AP 96543-5000; 2 mi. N of Yigo. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-671-366-1110; DSN 366-1110. PACAF base. Hq. 13th Air Force. Host unit: 36th Air Base Wing. No USAF aircraft assigned. Tenant units: 634th Air Mobility Sqdn. Guam ANG; Det. 1, 13th Air Support Sqdn.; Det. 5, 750th Space Gp.; Det. 602, Air Force Office of Special Investigations (AFOSI). Helicopter Combat Support Sqdn. 5 (Navy). Andersen is the Pacific center for power projection, regional cooperation, and multinational training. It serves as a logistic support and staging base for aircraft operating in the Pacific and Indian Oceans. Base activated in 1945; named for Gen. James Roy Andersen, lost at sea between Kwajalein and Hawaii in February 1945. General Andersen was chief of staff, Hq. AAF, Pacific Ocean Areas. Area: 20,270 acres. Runways (north) 10,555 ft. and (south) 11,182 ft. Altitude 612 ft. Military 2,583; civilians 957. Payroll \$46.9 million. Housing: 267 officer, 1,128 enlisted, 109 VOQ, 120 VAQ, 18 TLF, 1,017 UEQ, 30 UOQ. One USAF clinic.

Andrews AFB, Md. 20762-5000; 10 mi. SE of Washington, D.C. Phone (301) 981-1110; DSN 858-1110. AMC base. Gateway to the nation's capital and home of Air Force One. Host wing: 89th Airlift Wing, Responsible for Presidential support and base operations; supports all branches of the armed services, several major commands, and federal agencies. The wing also hosts Det. 302, AFOSI; Hq. Air Force Flight Standards Agency; AFOSI Academy; Air National Guard Readiness Center; 113th Wing (D.C. ANG); 459th Airlift Wing (AFRC); Naval Air Facility; Marine Aircraft Gp. 49, Det. A; Hq. Air Force Review Boards Agency. Base activated May 1943; named for Lt. Gen. Frank M. Andrews, military air pioneer and WW II commander of the European theater, killed in aircraft accident May 3, 1943, in Iceland. Area 7,550 acres (including easements). Runways 9,300 ft. and 9,755 ft. Altitude 281 ft. Military 12,214; civilians 1,425. Payroll \$318 million. Housing: 325 officer, 1,753 NCO, 414 off-base units, 974 UEQ, 325 transient (including 68 temporary living quarters for incoming personnel, 21 DV suites, 180 VOQ, 56 VAQ). 185-bed hospital.

Arnold AFB, Tenn., 37389; approx. 7 mi. SE of Manchester. Phone (615) 454-3000; DSN 340-5011. AFMC base. Arnold Engineering Development Center, the world's largest complex of wind tunnels, jet and rocket engine test cells, space simulation chambers, and hyperballistic ranges. AEDC supports the acquisition of new aerospace systems by conducting research, development, and evaluation testing for DoD, other government agencies, and commercial aerospace firms. Base dedicated June 25, 1951; named for Gen. of the Army H.H. "Hap" Arnold, wartime Chief of the AAF. Area 40,118 acres. Inactive 6,000-ft. runway. Altitude 1,100 ft. Military 124; civilians 185; NAF 46; contract employees 2,900. Payroll \$130.2 million. Housing: 23 officer, 17 NCO, 45 transient. Medical aid station and small VA clinic.

Aviano AB, Italy, APO AE 09601; adjacent to Aviano, 50 mi. N of Venice. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-39-434-667111; DSN 632-1110. USAFE base. Host: 31st Fighter Wing. Tenant: Hq. 16th Air Force. 31st FW maintains two LANTIRN-equipped F-16 fighter squadrons, the 510th and the 555th, capable of conducting offensive and defensive air combat operations. The squadrons also have the capability to fly night vision goggles (NVGs) missions. 31st FW also houses the 603d Air Control Squadron. Geographically separated units:31st RED HORSE Flight and 31st Munitions Sqdn., Camp Darby, Italy; Det. 1,

4190th Wing, Pisa, Italy; 31st Munitions Support Sqdn., Ghedi AB, Italy; 4190th Air Base Sqdn. (Provisional), San Vito dei Normanni, Italy; 496th Air Base Sqdn., Morón AB, Spain; 731st Munitions Support Sqdn., Araxos AB, Greece; 603d Air Control Sqdn., Jacotenente, Italy; 48th Intelligence Sqdn., Rimini, Italy. One of the oldest Italian air bases, dating to 1911. USAF began operations in 1954. Area 1,467 acres. Runway 8,596 ft. Altitude 413 ft. Military 3,367; civilians 1,102. Payroll \$156.9 million, \$157.3 million economic impact. Housing: 619 govt.-leased units, 34 billeting spaces, 552-bed dorm. No TLF, 20 VOQ, 14 VAQ. On-base clinic. 24-hour acute-care clinic at Sacile Hospital, 20 minutes from base. (By mid-1997, the American medical services at Sacile Hospital will be fully operational with an expanded 24-hour acute-care clinic and specialty clinics, such as OB/GYN, general surgery, and orthopedics; two inpatient nursing units. 20–22-bed hospital.)

Barksdale AFB, La. 71110-5000; in Bossier City. Phone (318) 456-1110; DSN 781-1110. ACC base. Hq. 8th Air Force; 2d Bomb Wing, B-52H operations; 49th Test Sqdn.; 917th Wing (AFRC), B-52H and A-10 operations; Det. 5, 57th Wing; Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 28 Seabees (Navy Reserve); Det. 1, 307th RED HORSE Sqdn. (AFRC); 8th Air Force Museum. Base activated Feb. 2, 1933; named for Lt. Eugene H. Barksdale, WW I airman killed in Aug. 1926 crash near Wright Field, Ohio. Area 22,000 acres (18,000 acres reserved for recreation). Runway 11,756 ft. Altitude 166 ft. Military 6,155; civilians 1,809. Payroll \$267.6 million. Housing: 105 officer, 324 enlisted, 1,650 UEQ, 411 transient (1 guest house, 24 DV suites, 48 VOQ, 314 VAQ, 24 TLF). 25-bed hospital. No emergency services.

Beale AFB, Calif. 95903-5000; 13 mi. E of Marysville. Phone (916) 634-3000; DSN 368-1110. ACC base. 9th Reconnaissance Wing; Det. 1, 612th Air Operations Gp. (ACC); 7th Space Warning Sqdn. (AFSPC). Aircraft include U-2 reconnaissance aircraft and T-38 Talon trainers. Originally US Army's Camp Beale. Became Air Force installation in Apr. 1948; became AFB in Nov. 1951; named for Brig. Gen. E.F. Beale, Indian agent in California prior to Civil War. Area 22,944 acres. Runway 12,000 ft. Altitude 113 ft. Military 3,078; civilians 492. Payroll \$102.5 million. Housing: 187 officer, 1,526 enlisted, 823 UEQ, 6 UOQ, 159 transient (53 VOQ, 89 VAQ, 17 TLF). 6-bed hospital.

Bolling AFB, D.C. 20332-5000; 3 mi. S of US Capitol. Phone (703) 545-6700; DSN 227-0101.

11th Wing; US Air Force Honor Guard; US Air Force Band; Air Force Office of Scientific Research (AFMC); Air Force Chief of Chaplains; Air Force Surgeon General; Hq. Air Force History Support Office; Hq. Air Force Office of Special Investigations; Hq. Air Force Real Estate Agency; Hq. Air Force Medical Operations Agency; Defense Intelligence Agency; Hq. Air Force Legal Services Agency. Activated in Oct. 1917; named for Col. Raynal C. Bolling, first high-ranking Air Service officer killed in WW I. Area 604 acres. No runway. Military 1,576; civilians 821. Payroll \$108 million. (Personnel and payroll figures apply to 11th Wing only.) Housing: 240 officer, 1,094 enlisted, 208 dorm spaces, 195 transient (18 DV, 62 VOQ, 66 VAQ, 49 TLF). Clinic.

Brooks AFB, Tex. 78235; in SE San Antonio. Phone (210) 536-1110; DSN 240-1110. AFMC base. Human Systems Center; USAF School of Aerospace Medicine (AFMC); Armstrong Laboratory, Human Systems Program Office; 70th Air Base Gp. Associate units include Det. 2, Air Force Institute of Technology; Air Force Medical Support Agency; 68th Intelligence Sqdn.; Air Force Center for Environmental Excellence; Medical Systems Implementation and Training Element. Base activated Dec. 8, 1917; named for Cadet Sidney J. Brooks, Jr., killed Nov. 13, 1917, on his commissioning flight. Area 1,310 acres. No runway. Altitude 600 ft. Military 2,098; civilians 2,307. Payroll \$128 million. Housing: 70 officer, 100 NCO. Clinic.

Cannon AFB, N.M. 88103-5000; 7 mi. W of Clovis. Phone (505) 784-3311; DSN 681-1110. ACC base. 27th Fighter Wing, F-16 operations, and the only USAF base with EF-111A fighter operations. Base activated in Aug. 1942; named for Gen. John K. Cannon, WW II commander of all Allied air forces in the Mediterranean theater and former commander, Tactical Air Command. Area 25,663 acres. Runways 10,400 ft. and 8,000 ft. Altitude 4,295 ft. Military 4,108; civilians 749. Payroll \$154 million. Housing: 173 officer, 1,549 enlisted, 1,051 dorm bed spaces, 6 DVQ, 45TLF. 20-bed hospital.

Charleston AFB, S.C. 29404-5000; in North Charleston, 10 mi. from downtown Charleston. Phone (803) 566-6000; DSN 673-2100. AMC base. Joint-use airfield. 437th Airlift Wing; 315th AW (AFRC Assoc.); Det. 1, 158th Fighter Wing (Vermont ANG); Field Training Det. 317; Det. 310, AFOSI; 1st Combat Camera Sqdn.; Det. 1, 33d Flight Test Sqdn. Base activated in Oct. 1942; inactivated in Mar. 1946; reactivated in Aug. 1953. Area 6,235 acres (including auxiliary airfield). Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 45 ft. Military 7,300 (4,500 active duty and 2,800 AFRC); civilians 1,500. Payroll \$145 million. Housing: 155 officer, 1,168 enlisted, 1,036 dorm spaces, 70 mobile home, 246 transient (7 DV suites, 76 VOQ, 4 SNCO suites, 132 VAQ, 27 TLF). Clinic.

Columbus AFB, Miss. 39710-1000; 10 mi. NW of Columbus. Phone (601) 434-7322; DSN 742-1110. AETC base. 14th Flying Training Wing, undergraduate pilot training and Introduction to Fighter Fundamentals. Base activated in 1941 for pilot training. Area 6,015 acres. Runways 6,300 ft., 8,000 ft., and 12,000 ft. Altitude 214 ft. Military 1,292; civilians 1,306. Payroll \$92 million. Housing: 297 officer, 456 enlisted, 27 VAQ, 59 VOQ. 20 TLF/TLH.

Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz. 85707-5000; within Tucson city limits. Phone (520) 750-1110; DSN 228-1110. ACC base. 355th Wing; Hq. 12th Air Force; A-10 combat crew training; OA-10 and FAC training and operations; 41st, 42d, and 43d Electronic Combat Sqdns., EC-130E/H electronic operations; 305th Rescue Sqdn. (AFRC), MH-60G Pave Hawk helicopter operations; Det. 1, 120th Fighter Wing (Montana ANG), F-16 air defense operations. Also site of AFMC's Aerospace

Maintenance and Regeneration Center, storage location for excess DoD aerospace vehicles. Base activated in 1927; named for two local early aviators: 1st Lt. Samuel H. Davis, killed Dec. 28, 1921, and 2d Lt. Oscar Monthan, killed Mar. 27, 1924. Area 11,000 acres. Runway 13,645 ft. Altitude 2,620 ft. Military 6,458; civilians 1,385. Payroll \$194.8 million. Housing: 133 officer, 1,106 enlisted, 336 transient (132 VAQ, 188 VOQ, 16 TLF). 37-bed hospital.

Dover AFB, Del. 19902-7219; 3 mi. SE of Dover. Phone (302) 677-3000; DSN 445-3000. AMC base. 436th Airlift Wing; 512th AW (AFRC Assoc.). Dover operates the largest aerial port facility on the East Coast. Base activated Dec. 1941; inactivated in 1946; reactivated Feb. 1951. Area 3,908 acres. Runway 12,900 ft. Altitude 28 ft. Military 6,409; civilians 1,059. Payroll \$161 million. Housing: 107 officer, 1,441 enlisted, 641 dormitory spaces, 349 transient (220 VAQ, 115 VOQ, 14 TLF). 20-bed hospital.

Dyess AFB, Tex. 79607-1980; WSW border of Abilene. Phone (915) 696-0212; DSN 461-1110. ACC base. 7th Wing, two B-1B squadrons (one operational, one training). First base to activate an operational B-1B wing. Conducts all B-1 combat crew training for the Air Force. First B-1B arrived in June 1985; wing met initial operational capability in Oct. 1986. Base activated in Apr. 1942; deactivated in Dec. 1945; reactivated as Abilene AFB Sept. 1955. In Dec. 1956, renamed for Lt. Col. William E. Dyess, WW II fighter pilot who escaped from a Japanese prison camp, killed in P-38 crash at Burbank, Calif., in Dec. 1943. Area 6,437 acres (including off-base sites). Runway 13,500 ft. Altitude 1,789 ft. Military 4,656; civilians 411. Payroll \$152 million. Housing: 142 officer, 845 enlisted, 56 VAQ, 79 VOQ, 9 DVQ, 39 TLF. 15-bed hospital.

Edwards AFB, Calif. 93524; 20 mi. E of Rosamond. Phone (805) 277-1110; DSN 527-1110. AFMC base. Site of Air Force Flight Test Center (AFFTC), which conducts developmental and follow-on testing and evaluation of manned and unmanned aircraft and related avionics, flight-control, and weapon systems. AFFTC also operates the USAF Test Pilot School, which trains test pilots, flight-test engineers, and flighttest navigators. Also site of Phillips Laboratory's Astronautics Directorate, NASA's Dryden Flight Research Center, and secondary landing site for space shuttle missions. Det. 2, 9th Reconnaissance Wing, SR-71 operations (ACC). Base activities began in Sept. 1933. Originally Muroc AAF; renamed for Capt. Glen W. Edwards, killed June 5, 1948, in crash of a YB-49 "Flying Wing." Area 301,000 acres. 21 runways from 4,000 to 39,000 ft. Altitude 2,302 ft. Military 4,335 (including associate units); government and contract civilians 6,294 (not including 255 NAF employees). Payroll \$843 million (including associate units and contractors). Housing: 557 officer, 1,432 enlisted (including 697 dormitory spaces, 58 UOQ, and 16 unaccompanied SNCOQ), 161 transient (49 VAQ, 42 VOQ, 9 SNCOQ, 10 VIP/VOQ, 51 TLF), 188 trailer spaces. 10-bed hospital.

Eglin AFB, Fla. 32542; 2 mi. SW of the twin cities of Niceville and Valparaiso; 7 mi. NE of Fort Walton Beach. Phone (904) 882-1110; DSN 872-1110. AFMC base. Eglin is the nation's largest Air Force base in terms of acreage, covering an area roughly two-thirds the size of Rhode Island. Host unit: Air Force Development Test Center. Associate units: Aeronautical Systems Center (Eglin) and Armament Directorate of Wright Laboratory (AFMC); 33d Fighter Wing; 53d Wing (ACC); 96th Air Base Wing; 46th Test Wing; 919th Special Operations Wing (AFRC); 20th Space Surveillance Sqdn. (AFSPC); 9th Special Operations Sqdn.; 728th Tactical Control Sqdn.; a US Army Ranger training battalion; a

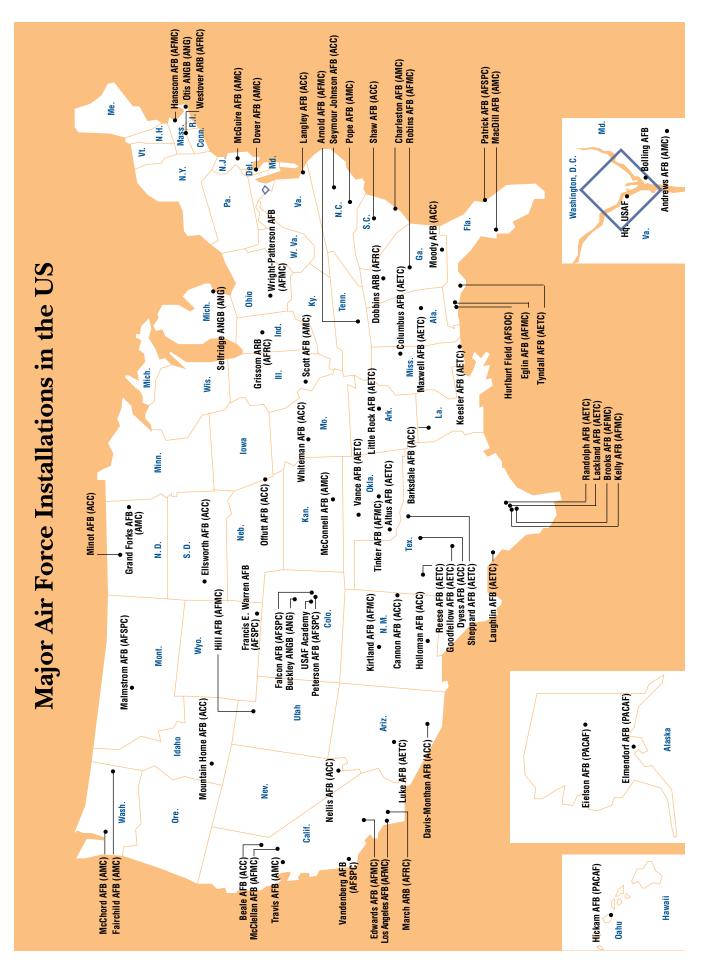
US Navy Explosive Ordnance Disposal School; Air Force Armament Museum. Base activated in 1935; named for Lt. Col. Frederick I. Eglin, WW I flyer killed in aircraft accident Jan. 1, 1937. Area 463,452 acres. Runways 10,000 ft. and 12,000 ft. Altitude 85 ft. Military 7,312; civilians 3,728 (excluding Hurlburt Field). Payroll \$470.6 million (excluding Hurlburt Field). Housing: 243 officer, 2,090 enlisted, 1,048 unaccompanied enlisted units (dorm rooms), 226 trailer spaces (officer and enlisted), 88 family transient. 85-bed USAF regional hospital. AFMC clinic at Hurlburt Field.

Eielson AFB, Alaska 99702-5000; 26 mi. SE of Fairbanks. Phone (907) 377-1110; DSN (317) 377-1110. PACAF base. Host unit: 354th Fighter Wing, F-16C/D, A-10, and OA-10 operations. Base hosts recurring Cope Thunder exercises, which provide realistic combat training. Associate organizations include the Arctic Survival School (AETC); 168th Air Refueling Wing (ANG); Det. 460, Air Force Technical Applications Center. Base activated Oct. 1944; named for Carl Ben Eielson, Arctic aviation pioneer who died in an Arctic rescue mission in Nov. 1929. Area 19,790 acres (including 16 remote sites, 63,195 acres). Runway 14,500 ft. Altitude 534 ft. Military 2,725; full-time civilians (NAF, AAFES, Civil Service) 882 (includes ANG Civil Service technicians) and 529 traditional and full-time ANG members. Payroll \$117.5 million. Housing: 151 officer, 1,431 enlisted. Unaccompanied housing: 8 officer units, 402 rooms, 734 bed spaces (includes NCOQ), 212 VOQ, 240 bed spaces (179 rooms) VAQ, 6 enlisted and 6 officer DVQ.

Ellsworth AFB, S.D. 57706-5000; 12 mi. ENE of Rapid City. Phone (605) 385-1000; DSN 675-1000. ACC base. Host unit: 28th Bomb Wing, two B-1B squadrons. Associate unit: South Dakota Air and Space Museum. Base activated in July 1942 as Rapid City AAB; renamed June 13, 1953, for Brig. Gen. Richard E. Ellsworth, killed Mar. 18, 1953, in crash of RB-36 in Newfoundland, Canada. Area 10,632 acres. Runway 13,497 ft. Altitude 3,286 ft. Military 3,135; civilians 1,018. Payroll \$114.9 million. Housing: 198 officer, 1,882 enlisted, 214 transient units (57 VAQ, 125 VOQ, 2 DVQ, 30 TLF). 15-bed hospital.

Elmendorf AFB, Alaska 99506-5000; bordering Anchorage. Phone (907) 552-1110; DSN (317) 552-1110. PACAF base. Largest composite wing in PACAF; hub for air traffic to and from the Far East. Hq. Alaskan Command; Hq. 11th Air Force (PACAF); Hq. Alaskan NORAD Region. Host unit: 3d Wing, F-15/F-15E fighter and C-130 and C-12 airlift operations, E-3 airborne air control operations, and 3d Medical Gp. Associate units: 11th Rescue Coordination Center (ANG); 381st Intelligence Sqdn.; 632d Air Mobility Support Sqdn. (AMC); various US Army, Navy, and Marine activities. Base activated in July 1940; named for Capt. Hugh Elmendorf, killed Jan. 13, 1933, at Wright Field, Ohio, while flight-testing a new pursuit plane. Area 13,130 acres. Runways 7,500 ft. and 10,000 ft. Altitude 213 ft. Military 6,565; civilians 997. Payroll \$320 million. Housing: 230 officer, 1,376 enlisted, 117 VOQ, 355 VAQ, 1,316 UEQ, 604 contingency facilities (80 officer, 422 enlisted, 102 TLF units). 60-bed hospital.

Fairchild AFB, Wash. 99011-5000; 12 mi. WSW of Spokane. Phone (509) 247-1212; DSN 657-1212. AMC base. Air refueling hub for the western US. Host unit: 92d Air Refueling Wing (KC-135R, KC-135T). Tenant units: 336th Training Gp. (Survival School, AETC); 141st Air Refueling Wing (ANG, KC-135E); 2d Support Sqdn. (ACC). Base activated in Jan. 1942; named for Gen. Muir S. Fairchild, USAF vice chief of staff at his death in 1950. Area 4,543 acres. Runway 13,901 ft. Altitude 2,426 ft. Millitary 4,316; civilians 931. Payroll \$122.3 million. Housing: 176 officer, 1,247 NCO, 18 TLF, 154 BAQ/VAQ, 149 VOQ. 30-bed hospital.



Falcon AFB, Colo. 80912-5000; 10 mi. E of Colorado Springs. Phone (719) 567-1110; DSN 560-1110. AFSPC base. Host unit: 50th Space Wing. Tenant units: 76th Space Operations Sqdn.; Ballistic Missile Defense Organization National Test Facility; Space Warfare Center. Base activated in Oct. 1985. Area 3,840 acres. No runway. Altitude 6,267 ft. Military active-duty 2,365; civilians 435; contractors 2,000. No housing or transient quarters. Medical aid station and dental clinic.

Francis E. Warren AFB, Wyo. 82005-5000; adjacent to Cheyenne. Phone (307) 775-1110; DSN 481-1110. AFSPC base. Hq. 20th Air Force. Host unit: 90th Missile Wing, 50 Peacekeeper and 150 Minuteman III missiles, UH-1 helicopters; 37th Air Rescue Flight. Base activated as Fort D. A. Russell July 4, 1867; under Army jurisdiction until 1947, when reassigned to USAF. Base renamed in 1930 for Francis Emory Warren, Wyoming senator and first state governor. Area 5,866 acres, missile site area covering more than 12,600 sq. mi. in Wyoming, Colorado, and Nebraska. No runway. Altitude 6,142 ft. Military 3,655; civilians 602. Payroll \$130.7 million. Housing: 831 family units. 35-bed hospital. Air Force ICBM Museum.

Goodfellow AFB, Tex. 76908-5000; SE of San Angelo. Phone (915) 654-3217; DSN 477-3217. AETC base. The 17th Training Wing provides technical training for all Air Force members entering intelligence career fields; provides cryptologic training for all US military services, civilian intelligence agencies, and foreign military services; trains all US Air Force, Army, and Marine Corps personnel in fire protection and rescue and conducts Air Force special instruments training. Major units include Goodfellow NCO Academy; 344th Military Intelligence Battalion (US Army); Naval Technical Training Center Detachment; US Marine Corps Detachment. Base activated in Jan. 1941; named for Lt. John J. Goodfellow, Jr., WW I fighter pilot killed in combat Sept. 14, 1918. Area 1,136 acres. No runway. Altitude 1,877 ft. Military 1,519; civilians 748. Payroll \$149 million. Housing: 299 NCO, 1,018 transient (876 VAQ, 113 VOQ, 29 TLF). Clinic.

Grand Forks AFB, N.D. 58205-5000; 16 mi. W of Grand Forks. Phone (701) 747-3000; DSN 362-1110. AMC base. 319th Air Refueling Wing (KC-135R); 321st Missile Gp. (AFSPC, Minuteman III, HH-1H), inactivates in Sept. 1998. Home of the first of AMC's core air refueling wings. Base activated in 1956; named after the town of Grand Forks, whose citizens bought the property for the Air Force. Area 5,418 acres. Missile complex covers an additional 7,500 sq. mi. Runway 12,350 ft. Altitude 911 ft. Military 5,146; DoD civilians 501. Payroll \$208.2 million. Housing: 332 officer, 1,886 enlisted, 1,000 dormitory, 137 transient. 15-bed hospital.

Gunter AFB, (see Maxwell AFB, Gunter Annex).

Hanscom AFB, Mass. 01731-5000; 17 mi. NW of Boston. Phone (617) 377-4441; DSN 478-5980. AFMC base. Hq. Electronic Systems Center (AFMC) manages development and acquisition of command-and-control systems; five divisions of Rome Laboratory's Directorate of Electromagnetics and Reliability; Geophysics Directorate of Phillips Laboratory (AFMC), center for research and exploratory development in the terrestrial, atmospheric, and space environments. Base has no flying mission; transient USAF aircraft use runways of Laurence G. Hanscom Field, state-operated airfield adjoining the base. Base named for Laurence G. Hanscom, a pre-WW II advocate of private aviation, killed in a lightplane accident in 1941. Area 846 acres. Runway length NA. Altitude 133 ft. Military 2,537; civilians 1,436. Payroll \$153 million. Housing: 388 officer, 472 NCO, 35-unit TLF, 754 BOQ/VOQ. Clinic.

Hickam AFB, Hawaii 96853-5000; 9 mi. W of Honolulu. Phone (808) 471-7110 (Oahu military operator); DSN 471-7110. PACAF base. Hq. Pacific Air Forces. Host unit: 15th Air Base Wing, supporting Air Force units and installations in Hawaii and throughout the Pacific. Major tenant units include 154th Wing (ANG); 201st Combat Communications Gp.; 615th Air Mobility Support Gp. (AMC). Base activated in Sept. 1938; named for Lt. Col. Horace M. Hickam, aviation pioneer killed in crash Nov. 5, 1934, at Fort Crockett, Tex. Area 2,761 acres. Four joint-use runways shared with Honolulu IAP: 12,357 ft., 12,000 ft., 6,952 ft., 9,000 ft. Altitude sea level. Military 4,441; civilians 2,023. Payroll \$275.1 million. Housing: 566 officer, 2,103 enlisted. Unaccompanied housing: 8 officer, 832 enlisted, 202 VOQ, 106 VAQ. Clinic.

Hill AFB, Utah 84056-5990; 25 mi. N. of Salt Lake City. Phone (801) 777-7221; DSN 777-1110. AFMC base. Hq. Ogden Air Logistics Center. Provides worldwide engineering and logistics management for the F-16, representing the world's largest fleet of fighter aircraft. Maintains the F-16 and C-130. Responsible for logistics management and maintenance for Minuteman and Peacekeeper intercontinental ballistic missiles. Overhauls and repairs landing gear for all USAF (and 70 percent of DoD) aircraft. Leading provider of rocket motors, small missiles, air munitions and guided bombs, photonics imaging and reconnaissance equipment, simulators and training devices, avionics, hydraulics and pneudraulics instruments, and software. Other units include 388th Fighter Wing (ACC); 419th Fighter Wing (AFRC); Defense Megacenter Ogden; Det. 1, 412th Test Wing (AFMC), which manages the 2,675 sq. mi. Utah Test and Training Range; Hill Aerospace Museum. Base groundbreaking in January 1940; named for Maj. Ployer P. Hill, killed Oct. 30, 1935, while test-flying the first B-17. Area 6,698 acres; manages 962,076 acres. Runway 13,500 ft. Altitude 4,788 ft. Military 4,439; civilians 9,450. Payroll \$482 million. Housing: 179 officer, 966 enlisted, 310 temporary (34 DV, 96 VOQ, 140 VAQ, 40 TLF). 16-bed hospital.

Holloman AFB, N. M. 88330-5000; 8 mi. SW of Alamogordo. Phone (505) 475-6511; DSN 867-1110. ACC base. 49th Fighter Wing, F-117 operations (7th, 8th, and 9th Fighter Sqdns.); F-4F aircrew training (20th Fighter Sqdn. and 1st German Air Force Training Sqdn.); AT-38B aircrew training (435th Fighter Sqdn.); HH-60 helicopters (48th Rescue Sqdn.). Twelve German Tornado aircraft and 350 German personnel arrived in early 1996 and are permanently assigned to the wing. Associate units are the 46th Test Gp. (AFMC); 4th Space Surveillance Sqdn. (AFSPC); Det. 1, 82d Aerial Target Sqdn. (QF-106 drone operations). Base activated in 1942; named for Col. George Holloman, guided-missile pioneer. Area 59,000 acres. Runways 10,575 ft., 12,131 ft., and 8,054 ft. with 7.044 ft. overrun. Altitude 4.093 ft. Military 4,456; civilians 940. Payroll \$171.8 million. Housing: 191 officer, 1,359 enlisted, 403 transient (145 VAQ, 208 VOQ, 50 TLF). 8-bed hospital

Howard AFB, Panama, APO AA 34001-5000. DSN (313) 284-9805. ACC base. With headquarters at Howard, 24th Wing represents USAF in operations throughout Latin America. 24th Wing is an ACC unit reporting to 12th Air Force, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz. Major tenants: 640th Air Mobility Support Sqdn. (AMC). Established in 1928 as Bruja Point Military Reservation; later named for Maj. Charles Harold Howard. Military 2,267; civilians 400. Payroll \$53.3 million. Housing: 238 officer, 933 enlisted, 680 transient (554 VAQ, 120 VOQ, 6 TLF).

Hurlburt Field, Fla. 32544-5000; 5 mi. W of Fort Walton Beach. Phone (904) 884-1110; DSN 579-1110. AFSOC base. Hq. Air Force Special Operations Command. Host unit: 16th Special Operations Wing, equipped with MC-130E Combat

Talons, MC-130H Combat Talon IIs, AC-130H Spectre gunships, AC-130U Spooky gunships, MH-53J Pave Low helicopters, MH-60G Pave Hawk helicopters, MC-130P Combat Shadows (located at Eglin AFB), C-130Es, and UH-1H Huey helicopters. Major tenants include 505th Command and Control Evaluation Gp., including the Air Ground Operations School, USAF Battle Staff Training School; 720th Special Tactics Gp.; 23d Special Tactics Sqdn.; USAF Special Operations School; 18th Flight Test Sqdn.; 823d Civil Engineering Sqdn. RED HORSE; Det. 1, 335th Technical Training Sqdn.; USAF Combat Weather Center; 25th Intelligence Sqdn.; and Det. 309, AFOSI. Base activated in 1943; named for Lt. Donald W. Hurlburt, WW II pilot killed Oct. 1, 1943, in a crash at nearby Eglin Field Military Reservation. Area 6,600 acres. Runway 6,900 ft. Altitude 38 ft. Military 7,689; civilians 773. Payroll \$251.6 million. Housing: 40 officer, 626 enlisted family units, 300 govt.-leased houses; 195 VOQ/ VAQ, 24 TLF. Medical Group at Hurlburt, 125-bed hospital at Eglin AFB, 12 mi. away.

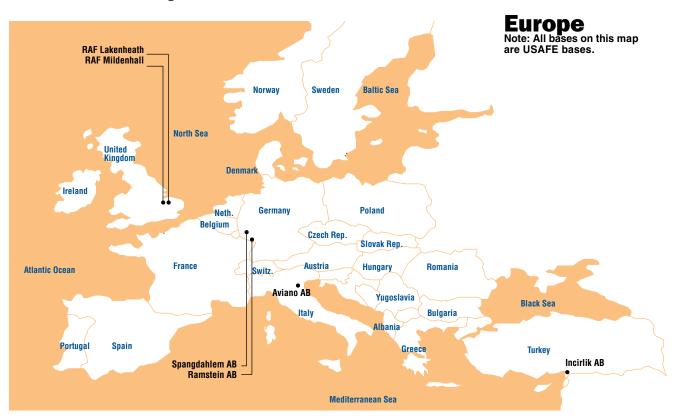
Incirlik AB, Turkey, APO AE 09824; 10 mi. E of Adana. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-90-322-316-1110; DSN 676-1110. USAFE base. Host unit: 39th Wing, supports Operation Provide Comfort and rotational weapons training deployments for USAFE fighter aircraft. Combined Task Force assets include Turkish F-4Es and F-16s, French Jaquars and KC-135s, British Tornados and VC-10s, US Army C-12s and USAF UH-60As, F-16s, F-15s, E-3s, KC-135s, EF-111s, HC-130s, C-5s, and MH-60s, Also home for 628th Air Mobility Support Sqdn. (AMC), which provides a full aerial port operation. Base activated in May 1954; present unit began operations in Mar. 1966. Incirlik, in Turkish, means fig orchard. Area 3,400 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 240 ft. Military 2,766 (including 357 geographically separated), OPC Tent City: 1,591 TDY personnel; civilians 2,572. Payroll \$76 million. Housing: 950 units, 60 BOQ, 80 TLF, 592 VAQ, 259 VOQ, 628 dorm rooms. 30-bed regional hospital, expandable to 250 beds.

Kadena AB, Japan, APO AP 96368-5000; 15 mi. N of Naha, Okinawa, Japan. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-81-98938-1111; DSN 630-1110. PACAF base. Host organization: 18th Wing (12th, 44th, and 67th Fighter Sqdns.), F-15C/D operations; 909th Air Refueling Sqdn., KC-135 operations; 961st Airborne Air Control Sqdn., E-3 operations; 33d Rescue Sqdn., HH-60 operations. Major associate units: Support Center Pacific (AFMC), 353d Special Operations Gp. (AFSOC), and Training Det. 911 (AETC). Base named for city of Kadena, Okinawa, Japan. Area 15,000 acres. Runway length 12,100 ft. Military 7,228; DoD civilians 446; local nationals 2,520. Payroll \$146 million. Housing: 913 officer, 3,062 enlisted, 122 temporary lodging units. Unaccompanied housing: 139 officer/civilian, 2,473 enlisted, 276 VOQ, 276 VAQ. Clinic. US Naval Hospital at Camp Lester.

Keesler AFB, Miss. 39534-5000; located in Biloxi. Phone (601) 377-1110; DSN 597-1110. AETC base. Hq. 2d Air Force. 81st Training Wing (avionics, communications, electronics, radar systems, computer and command-and-control systems, weather, precision equipment, physician residencies, specialized nurse training, and medical technicians); Keesler Medical Center; 403d Wing (AFRC); AFMC engineering installation squadron; AETC NCO Academy-Keesler. Base activated June 12, 1941; named for 2d Lt. Samuel R. Keesler, Jr., a native Mississippian and WW I aerial observer killed in action Oct. 9, 1918, near Verdun, France. Area 3,546 acres. Runway 5,600 ft. Altitude 26 ft. Military 9,048; civilians 4,100. Payroll \$275 million. Housing: 287 officer, 1,664 NCO, 49 trailer spaces, 1,548 transient (408 VOQ, 1,140 VAQ). 250-bed hospital.

Kelly AFB, Tex. 78241-5000; 5 mi. SW of San

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Antonio. Phone (210) 925-1110; DSN 945-1110. AFMC base. Hg. San Antonio Air Logistics Center. Provides logistics management, procurement, and systems support for such Defense Department aircraft as the C-5A/B, C-17, T-37, and T-38 and for such foreign-operated aircraft as the OV-10, A-37, F-5, and C-47. As a specialized repair activity, San Antonio ALC modernizes and performs heavy depot maintenance on the entire fleet of C-5s. It also overhauls F100, TF39, and T56 engines and manages more than 55 percent of the active USAF engine inventory, fuel and lubricants used by the Air Force and NASA, and nuclear weapons. Other major units on base: Hq. Air Intelligence Agency; Air Force Information Warfare Center; Joint Command and Control Warfare Center; Hg. Air Force News Agency; Defense Commissary Agency; 433d Airlift Wing (AFRC); 149th Fighter Wing (ANG); Defense Reutilization and Marketing Office; Air Force Audit Agency; Defense Distribution Depot; Defense Information Systems Agency. Dating from Nov. 21, 1916, Kelly AFB is the oldest continuously active air base in the US. Named for Lt. George É.M. Kelly, first Army pilot to lose his life flying a military aircraft, killed May 10, 1911. Area 4,660 acres. Runway 11,550 ft. Altitude 689 ft. Military 5,713; civilians 13,739. Payroll \$518 million. Housing: 57 officer, 374 NCO. Clinic.

Kirtland AFB, N.M. 87117-5606; SE quadrant of Albuquerque. Phone (505) 846-0011; DSN 246-0011. AFMC base. Hq. 377th Air Base Wing. Major agencies and units include 58th Special Operations Wing (AETC); Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center; Phillips Laboratory; 150th Fighter Wing (ANG); Field Command's Defense Special Weapons Agency; Sandia National Laboratories; Department of Energy's Albuquerque Operations Office; Kirtland NCO Academy; 898th Munitions Sqdn.; Air Force Security Police Agency; Defense Nuclear Weapons School; Air Force Inspection Agency; Air Force Safety Center. These agencies furnish nuclear, advanced weapons, and space research, development, and testing; advanced helicopter training and searchand-rescue operations; pararescue training; and operational test and evaluation. Other units: Albuquerque Seismological Laboratory: University of New Mexico Civil Engineering Research Facility. Base activated in Jan. 1941; named for Col. Roy C. Kirtland, aviation pioneer and commandant of Langley Field in the 1930s, who died May 2, 1941. Area 52,678 acres. Runway 19,375 ft. Altitude 5,352 ft. Military 5,860; civilians 13,240. Payroll \$870.7 million. Housing: 2,122 homes. 130 VOQ, 180 VAQ. Air Force-Department of Veterans Affairs joint medical center located outside base gates.

Kunsan AB, Republic of Korea, APO AP 96264-5000; 8 mi. SW of Kunsan City. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-82-654-470-1110; DSN 782-1110. PACAF base. Host unit: 8th Fighter Wing, F-16C/D operations, home of the "Wolf Pack." The 8th FW converted to the F-16 in Sept. 1981. making it the first active overseas F-16 wing. Associate units include the US Army's Echo and Foxtrot Batteries, 1st Battalion, 143d Air Defense Artillery; US Army Contracting Command Korea. Base built by the Japanese in 1938. Area 2,556 acres. Runway length 9,000 ft. Altitude 29 ft. Military 2,548; US civilians 28; local nationals 354. Payroll \$100.6 million. Unaccompanied housing: 247 officer, 3,940 enlisted, 9 VIP, 28 VOQ, 104 VAQ. 4-bed hospital.

Lackland AFB, Tex. 78236-5000; 8 mi. SW of downtown San Antonio. Phone (210) 671-1110; DSN 473-1110. AETC base. The 37th Training Wing is the largest training wing in the Air Force. Its four primary training functions graduate more than 70,000 students annually. The 737th Training Gp. provides basic military training for about 35,000 enlisted people entering the Air Force, Air Force Reserve, and Air National Guard annually. The 37th Training Gp. conducts more than 200

technical training courses in a wide array of base support functions for more than 36,000 people annually from all military services. The Defense Language Institute English Language Center conducts English language training for 2,400 international and US military students annually. The Inter-American Air Forces Academy conducts professional, technical, and management training in Spanish to military forces and government agencies from Latin American and Caribbean nations for about 600 students per year. The 59th Medical Wing (Wilford Hall USAF Medical Center), the Air Force's largest medical facility—with 500 beds-is a major referral medical center. Base activated in 1941; named for Brig. Gen. Frank D. Lackland, early commandant of Kelly Field flying school, who died in 1943. Area 6,725 acres. No runway. Altitude 745 ft. Military 7,867; civilians 5,564; students 9,801. Payroll \$580.1 million. Housing: 109 officer, 611 NCO, 2,197 transient (1,665 VAQ, 374 VOQ, 158 TLF).

Lajes Field, Azores, Portugal, APO AE 09720-5000; Terceira Island, 900 mi. W of Portugal. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-351-95-530100-1110; DSN from US 535-1110, from Europe 245-1110. ACC base. Host unit: 65th Air Base Wing. Tenants: US Forces Azores; Army 1324th Medium Port Command Azores; 629th Air Mobility Support Sqdn. (AMC); Det. 6, Air Force Broadcasting Service. US operations began at Lajes Field in 1946. Area 1,148 acres. Runway 10,865 ft. Altitude 180 ft. Military 947; civilians 992. Payroll \$43.1 million. Housing: 80 officer, 403 enlisted, 30 TLF, 122 VOQ, 342 VAQ, 6 DVQ, 4 Chief. Clinic.

Langley AFB, Va. 23665-5000; 3 mi. N of Hampton. Phone (757) 764-1110; DSN 574-1110. ACC base. Hg. Air Combat Command. Host unit: 1st Fighter Wing, F-15 fighter operations. Associate units: Air Operations Sqdn. (ACC); Civil Engineering Sqdn. (ACC); Logistics Support Gp. (ACC); Requirements Sqdn. (ACC); Training Support Sqdn. (ACC); Computer Systems Sqdn. (ACC); ACC Heritage of America Band; US Army TRA-DOC Flight Det. Base activated Dec. 30, 1916. Langley is one of the oldest continuously active air bases in the US. Named for aviation pioneer and scientist Samuel Pierpont Langley, who died in 1906. NASA's Langley Research Center is adjacent to the base. Area 3,216 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 11 ft. Military 8,600; civilians 1,880. Payroll \$312 million. Housing: 384 officer, 1,074 NCO, 416 transient (215 VAQ, 101 VOQ, 100 TLF). 40-bed hospital.

Laughlin AFB, Tex. 78843-5000; 6 mi. E of Del Rio. Phone (210) 298-3511; DSN 732-1110. AETC base. 47th Flying Training Wing, specialized undergraduate pilot training. Base activated in July 1942; named for 1st Lt. Jack Thomas Laughlin, Del Rio native, B-17 pilot killed over Java Jan. 29, 1942. Area 5,226 acres. Runways 6,246 ft., 8,310 ft., and 8,850 ft. Altitude 1,082 ft. Military 1,386; civilians 1,866. Payroll \$73.8 million. Housing: 600 units, 54 trailer spaces, 36 transient, 22TLF. Clinic.

Laurence G. Hanscom AFB (see Hanscom AFB).

Little Rock AFB, Ark. 72099-5000; 17 mi. NE of Little Rock. Phone (501) 988-3131; DSN 731-1110. Transferred to AETC in April 1997. 314th Airlift Wing, only C-130 training base in DoD, training crew members from all branches of military service and 27 foreign countries. Tenants include 189th Airlift Wing (ANG); 96th Mobile Aerial Port Sqdn.; 348th USAF Recruiting Sqdn.; Det. 251, AFOSI; Det. 4, 373d Training Sqdn.; Det. 234, Air Force Audit Agency; Combat Aerial Delivery School (ACC); 22d Special Tactics Sqdn. (AFSOC); Hq. Arkansas ANG. Base activated in 1955. Area 11,373 acres. Runway 12,000 ft. Altitude 310 ft. Military 4,827; civilians 545. Payroll \$169.8 million. Housing: 140 officer, 1,395 enlisted, 11

single-occupancy dormitories housing 836, 341 transient (140 VAQ, 201 VOQ). 12-bed hospital.

Los Angeles AFB, Calif. 90245-4687; in El Segundo, 3 mi. SE of Los Angeles IAP; base housing and support facilities 18 mi. S of the main base, in San Pedro. Phone (310) 363-1110; DSN 833-1110; Internet home page at http:// www.laafb.af.mil/. AFMC base. Hq. of AFMC's Space and Missile Systems Center, responsible for research, development, acquisition, on-orbit testing, and sustainment of military space and missile systems. Support unit is 61st Air Base Gp. Area 112 acres at Los Angeles AFB and 127 acres at Fort MacArthur Military Family Housing Annex. No runway. Altitude 95 ft. Military 1,540; civilians 1,046. Payroll \$150 million. Housing at Fort MacArthur Annex: 574 townhouses. Clinics, base exchanges, and child development centers at main base and Fort MacArthur; commissary and Family Support Center at main base

Luke AFB, Ariz. 85309-5000; 20 mi. WNW of downtown Phoenix. Phone (602) 856-7411; DSN 896-1110. AETC base. 56th Fighter Wing, F-16 operations; 944th Fighter Wing (AFRC), F-16 operations; 607th Air Control Sqdn., forward air control operations. Luke, the largest fighter training base in the world, conducts USAF and allied F-16 aircrew training. Base activated 1941; named for 2d Lt. Frank Luke, Jr., observation balloon-busting ace of WW I and first American aviator to receive the Medal of Honor, killed in action Sept. 29, 1918, near Murvaux, France. Area 4,197 acres, plus 2.7 million-acre range at Gila Bend, Ariz. Runways 10,000 ft. and 9,910 ft. Altitude 1,090 ft. Military 6,374; civilians 1,092. Payroll \$161.2 million. Housing: 95 officer, 779 enlisted, 256 transient (132 VOQ, 84 VAQ, 40 TLF). 20-bed hospital.

MacDill AFB, Fla. 33621-5000; located on the Interbay Peninsula in southern Tampa. Phone (813) 828-1110; DSN 968-1110. AMC base. 6th Air Refueling Wing; Hq. US Special Operations Command; Hq. US Central Command; Joint Communications Support Element; NOAA Aircraft Operations Center; 610th Aeromedical Evacuation Sgdn.; 290th Joint Communications Support Sgdn. The 6th ARW provides worldwide air refueling and airlift for resident warfighting commands. Base activated Apr. 15, 1941; named for Col. Leslie MacDill, killed in aircraft accident Nov. 8, 1938, near Washington, D. C. Area 5,600 acres. Runways 11,480 ft. and 7,167 ft. Altitude 6 ft. Military 4,773; civilians 1,080. Payroll \$2.6 billion. Housing: 128 officer, 547 enlisted, 20 DVQ, 77 VAQ, 116 VOQ, 24 TLF. 50-bed hospital.

Malmstrom AFB, Mont. 59402-5000; 1.5 mi. E of Great Falls. Phone (406) 731-1110; DSN 632-1110. AFSPC base. Host unit: 341st Missile Wing (Minuteman III, UH-1). Tenant unit: 43d Air Refueling Gp. (AMC), KC-135. Base activated Dec. 15, 1942; named for Col. Einar A. Malmstrom, WW II fighter commander killed in air accident Aug. 21, 1954. Site of SAC's first Minuteman wing. Area 4,137 acres, plus about 24,000 sq. mi. of missile complex. Runway length NA. Altitude 3,525 ft. Military 3,506; civilians 405. Payroll \$178 million. Housing: 258 officer, 1,148 enlisted, 105 transient. Clinic.

Maxwell AFB, Ala. 36112-5000; 1 mi. WNW of Montgomery. Phone (334) 953-1110; DSN 493-1110. AETC base. 42d Air Base Wing; Hq. Air University; Air War College; Air Command and Staff College; Air University Library; College of Aerospace Doctrine, Research, and Education; Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps; Officer Training School; Ira C. Eaker College for Professional Development; Hq. Community College of the Air Force; Hq. Civil Air Patrol—USAF; Squadron Officer School; Air Force Institute of Technology (at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio). Associate units:

908th Airlift Wing (AFRC); Air Force Historical Research Agency; Hq. Air Force Doctrine Center. Air University conducts professional military, graduate, and professional continuing education for precommissioned and commissioned officers, enlisted personnel, and civilians to prepare them for command, staff, leadership, and management responsibilities. Base activated in 1918; named for 2d Lt. William C. Maxwell, killed in air accident Aug. 12, 1920, in the Philippines. Area 3,488 acres. Runway 8,000 ft. Altitude 168 ft. Military 3,756; civilians 3,433. Payroll \$371.4 million. Housing: 268 officer, 364 enlisted, 1,210 transient (1,115 VOQ, 65 VAQ, 30 TLF). 20-bed hospital.

Maxwell AFB, Gunter Annex, Ala. 36114; 4 mi. NE of Montgomery. Phone (334) 416-1110; DSN 596-1110. AETC base. Under Hq. Air University: College for Enlisted Professional Military Education (includes USAF Senior NCO Academy); Extension Course Institute; Standard Systems Group (AFMC); Air Force Logistics Management Agency. Activated Aug. 27, 1940; named for William A. Gunter, longtime mayor of Montgomery and airpower advocate who died in 1940. Area 376 acres. No runway. Altitude 220 ft. Military and civilian populations and payroll data included in Maxwell entry. Housing: 104 officer, 217 enlisted, 716 transient (212 VOQ, 501 VAQ, 3 TLF).

McChord AFB, Wash. 98438-5000; 10 mi. S of Tacoma. Phone (206) 984-1910; DSN 984-1110. AMC base. Host unit: 62d Airlift Wing. Major tenants include 446th Airlift Wing (AFRC); Western Air Defense Sector (ANG); 22d Special Tactics Squadron. The 62d AW operates the C-141 Starlifter but is scheduled to receive the C-17 Globemaster III as the C-141 fleet retires. The base is responsible for strategic airlift of personnel and cargo worldwide, on short notice. Base is adjacent to Fort Lewis, its primary customer. Base activated May 5, 1938; named for Col. William C. McChord, killed Aug. 18, 1937, while attempting a forced landing at Maidens, Va. Area 4,616 acres. Runway 10,100 ft. Altitude 323 ft. Military 4,125; civilians 1,339. Payroll \$253.6 million. Housing: 88 officer, 805 NCO, 760 dorm rooms, 287 VAQ, 70 VOQ, 12 TLF. Dispensary. Madigan Army Medical Center is located 4 mi. SE, with 414 beds (expandable to 622 in an emergency).

McClellan AFB, Calif. 95652-5000; 9 mi. NE of Sacramento. Phone (916) 643-2111; DSN 633-1110. AFMC base. Hq. Sacramento Air Logistics Center provides logistics management, procurement, maintenance, and distribution support for EF-111 and A-10 and, as a second source, for the F-15 and KC-135 weapon systems. The ALC is also program manager for the F-117A stealth fighter and the F-22. Other responsibilities include more than 200 electronic systems and programs and eight space systems; technology centers for very-high-speed integrated circuits, fiber optics, and advanced composites. The ALC has a unique capability for robotic nondestructive inspection using X-ray and neutron radiography on fightersized aircraft. Other major units include Defense Distribution Region West-McClellan; Defense Information Systems Organization-McClellan; 938th Engineering Installation Sqdn.; Technical Operations Division, Air Force Technical Applications Center; 4th Air Force (AFRC); US Coast Guard Air Station, Sacramento (DoT). Named for Maj. Hezekiah McClellan, pioneer in Arctic aeronautical experiments, killed in a crash May 25, 1936. Area 3,763 acres. Runway 10,600 ft. Military 2,792; civilians 10,100. Payroll \$450 million. Housing: 100 officer, 564 enlisted, 19 transient. 77th Medical Gp. Clinic and 77th Medical Gp. Hospital located at Mather Field, six mi. SE of Sacramento.

McConnell AFB, Kan. 67221-5000; SE corner of Wichita. Phone (316) 652-6100; DSN 743-1110. AMC base. 22d Air Refueling Wing; 931st Air Refueling Gp. (AFRC Assoc.); 184th Bomb Wing

(ANG). Base activated June 5, 1951; named for Capt. Fred J. McConnell, WW II B-24 pilot who died in a crash of a private plane Oct. 25, 1945, and for his brother, 2d Lt. Thomas L. McConnell, also a WW II B-24 pilot, killed July 10, 1943, during an attack on Bougainville. Area 3,113 acres. Two 12,000-ft. runways. Altitude 1,371 ft. Military 2,984; DoD civilians 423. Payroll \$104 million. Housing: 76 officer, 437 enlisted, 95 transient (49 VOQ, 26 VAQ, 20 temporary units off base).

McGuire AFB, N.J. 08641-5000; 18 mi. SE of Trenton. Phone (609) 724-1100; DSN 440-1100. AMC base. 305th Air Mobility Wing; Hq. 21st Air Force; 621st Air Mobility Operations Gp.; Air Mobility Warfare Center, Fort Dix, N.J.; N.J. ANG; N.J. Civil Air Patrol; 108th Air Refueling Wing (ANG); 514th Air Mobility Wing (AFRC Assoc.); McGuire NCO Academy (AETC). Base adjoins Army's Fort Dix; formerly Fort Dix AAB. Activated as AFB 1949; named for Maj. Thomas B. McGuire, Jr., P-38 pilot, second leading US ace of WW II, recipient of Medal of Honor, killed in action Jan. 7, 1945, in the Philippines. Area 3,598 acres. Runways 7,124 ft. and 10,000 ft. Altitude 133 ft. Military 10,061 (including AFRC and ANG); civilians 1,529. Payroll NA. Housing: 194 officer, 1,754 NCO, 455 transient (128 VOQ/ VAQ, 297 VAQ-E-1-E-4, 30 TLF).

Minot AFB, N.D. 58705-5000; 13 mi. N of Minot. Phone (701) 723-1110; DSN 453-1110. ACC base. 5th Bomb Wing (B-52H); 91st Missile Wing (AFSPC), Minuteman III operations; 23d Bomb Sqdn.; 54th Rescue Flight (UH-1N). Base activated in Jan. 1957; named after the city of Minot, whose citizens donated \$50,000 toward purchase of the land for the Air Force. Area 5,049 acres, plus additional 8,500 acres for missile sites. Runway 13,200 ft. Altitude 1,668 ft. Military 4,100; civilians 758. Payroll \$147.4 million. Housing: 394 officer, 2,047 enlisted, 22 UOQ, 1,302 dormitory spaces, 32 VAQ, 39 VOQ, 39 TLF. 25-bed hospital.

Misawa AB, Japan, APO AP 96319-5000; within Misawa city limits. Phone (commercial, from CO-NUS) Direct: 011-81-3117-66-1111. Switchboard: 011-81-176-53-5181; DSN 94-315-226-1110. PACAF base; joint-service base. Host unit: 35th Fighter Wing, F-16C/D fighter operations. Tenant units: 3d Space Surveillance Sqdn. (AFSPC); 301st Intelligence Sqdn. (AIA); Naval Air Facility; Naval Security Gp. Activity; US Army field station; Company E, US Marine Support Battalion. Base occupied by US forces in Sept. 1945. Area 3,865 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 119 ft. Military 4,507 (total US forces); US civilians 118; local nationals 926. Payroll \$221 million. Housing: 335 officer, 1,835 enlisted. Unaccompanied housing: 120 officer, 871 enlisted, 166 transient (40 VAQ, 80 VOQ, 46 TLF). Unaccompanied Navy housing: 108 officer, 356 enlisted (196 permanent party, 160 transient). 15-bed hospital, expandable to 65 for contingencies.

Moody AFB, Ga. 31699-5000; 10 mi. NNE of Valdosta. Phone (912) 257-4211; DSN 460-1110. ACC base. 347th Wing, F-16C/D (LANTIRN-equipped), A/OA-10; HC-130, HH-60, C-130E (AMC); 71st Air Control Sqdn. Tenant units: 336th USAF Recruiting Sqdn.; Det. 717, AFOSI; 322d Training Det. Base activated in June 1941; named for Maj. George P. Moody, killed May 5, 1941, while test-flying a Beech AT-10. Area 6,050 acres. Runway 8,000 ft. Altitude 233 ft. Military 4,100; civilians 700. Payroll \$106.5 million. Housing: 32 officer, 270 enlisted, 19 VAQ, 36 VOQ, 12 TLF, 30 trailer spaces. 10-bed hospital with acute care clinic.

Mountain Home AFB, Idaho 83648-5000; 45 mi. SE of Boise. Phone (208) 828-2111; DSN 728-2111. ACC base. 366th Wing, USAF's air expeditionary wing, providing composite combat airpower worldwide. Equipped with F-16Cs (HARM-equipped), F-15C/Ds, F-15Es, B-1Bs, and

KC-135Rs, the wing is prepared to deploy rapidly worldwide. Base activated in Aug. 1943. Area 9,112 acres. Runway 13,500 ft. Altitude 3,000 ft. Military 3,789; civilians 479. Payroll \$130.6 million. Housing: 180 officer, 1,521 enlisted, 47 VAQ, 48 VOQ, 16 TLF. 30-bed hospital.

Nellis AFB, Nev. 89191-5000; 8 mi. NE of Las Vegas. Phone (702) 652-1110; DSN 682-1110. ACC base. Host unit: Air Warfare Center. Operational elements: 57th Wing; 99th Air Base Wing; 53d Wing (Eglin AFB, Fla.). Major units within 57th Wing include the USAF Weapons School, USAF Air Demonstration Sqdn. (Thunderbirds), 57th Operations Gp., 57th Test Gp. (including 422d Test and Evaluation Sqdn., under the 53d Wing, Eglin AFB, Fla.), and 57th Logistics Gp. Aircraft assigned to Nellis: A-10, F-15, F-15E, F-16, Predator UAV, and HH-60G. Other units include the 414th Combat Training Sqdn. (Red Flag), 549th Combat Training Sqdn. (Air Warrior), 547th Intelligence Sqdn., 99th Range Gp., 820th RED HORSE Civil Engineering Sqdn., 896th Munitions Sqdn. (AFMC), 11th Reconnaissance Sqdn. (UAV), and the 66th Rescue Sqdn. (Pave Hawks). Base activated in July 1941 as AAF Flexible Gunnery School; closed in 1947; reopened in 1949 and named for 1st Lt. William H. Nellis, WW II P-47 fighter pilot, killed Dec. 27, 1944, in Europe. Main base is 11,000 acres with a range restricted area of 3.5 million acres, plus 12,000 sq. mi. of airspace over the range and the military operating area. Runways 10,051 ft. and 10,119 ft. Altitude 1,868 ft. Military 7,205; civilians 1,991. Payroll \$326 million. Housing: 90 officer, 1,142 enlisted, 267 VAQ, 153 VOQ, 60 TLF. 119-bed Mike O'Callaghan Federal Hospital, a joint Air Force-Veterans Affairs venture assigned to the 99th Medical Gp.

Offutt AFB, Neb. 68113-5000; 8 mi. S of Omaha. Phone (402) 294-1110; DSN 271-1110. ACC base. Hq. US Strategic Command. 55th Wing; USSTRATCOM Joint Intelligence Center; Air Force Global Weather Center; 6th Space Operations Sqdn. (AFSPC); National Airborne Operations Center (JCS); Air Combat Command Heartland of America Band. Base activated in 1896 as Army's Fort Crook; landing field named for 1st L. Jarvis J. Offutt, WW I pilot who died Aug. 13, 1918, from injuries received at Valheureux, France. Area 4,041 acres (including housing area and off-base sites). Runway 11,700 ft. Altitude 1,048 ft. Military 9,111; civilians 2,660. Payroll \$351.9 million. Housing: 337 officer, 2,293 enlisted,170 VAQ, 160 VOQ, 60 TLF. 45-bed hospital.

Osan AB, Republic of Korea, APO AP 96278-5000; 38 mi. S of Seoul. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-82-333-661-1110; DSN 784-4110. PACAF base. Hq. 7th Air Force. Host unit: 51st Fighter Wing, F-16C/D, C-12J, A-10, and OA-10A operations. Tenant units: 303d Intelligence Sqdn. (AIA); 631st Air Mobility Support Sqdn. (AMC); 5th Reconnaissance Sqdn. (ACC); 31st Special Operations Sqdn. (AFSOC); Det. 1, 4th Space Surveillance Sqdn. (AFSPC). Originally designated K-55; runway opened in Dec. 1952; renamed Osan AB in 1956 for nearby town that was the scene of first fighting between US and North Korean forces in July 1950. Area 1,674 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 38 ft. Military 5,538; US civilians 130; local nationals 617. Payroll NA. Housing: 75 officer, 212 enlisted, Unaccompanied housing: 602 officer and SNCO, 2,750 enlisted, 120 VOQ, 140 VAQ. 30-bed hospital.

Patrick AFB, Fla. 32925-3237; 2 mi. S of Cocoa Beach. Phone (407) 494-1110; DSN 854-1110. AFSPC base. Operated by the 45th Space Wing in support of DoD, NASA, and other agency and commercial missile and space programs. Major tenants: Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute; Air Force Technical Applications Center; 1st Rescue Gp.; 41st Rescue Sqdn.; 71st Rescue

Sqdn.;301st Rescue Sqdn. (AFRC);741st Consolidated Aircraft Maintenance Sqdn.;Joint Task Force for Joint STARS at Melbourne Regional Airport, Fla. Besides host responsibilities for Patrick AFB and Cape Canaveral AS, 45th SPW also oversees operations at tracking stations on Antigua and Ascension Islands. Patrick has supported more than 3,000 space launches from Cape Canaveral since 1950. Base activated in 1940; named for Maj. Gen. Mason M. Patrick, Chief of AEF's Air Service in WW I and Chief of the Air Service/Air Corps, 1921–27. Area 2,341 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 9 ft. Military 2,700; civilians 1,900. Payroll \$155 million (military, civilian). Housing: 136 officer, 1,230 NCO. 15-bed hospital.

Peterson AFB, Colo. 80914-5000; at eastern edge of Colorado Springs. Phone (719) 556-7321; DSN 834-7011. AFSPC base. Hq. Air Force Space Command. Host unit: 21st Space Wing (AFSPC). Provides supportto Hq. North American Aerospace Defense Command; Hq. US Space Command; Hq. Army Space Command; 302d Airlift Wing (AFRC). Edward J. Peterson Air and Space Museum. Base activated in 1942; named for 1st Lt. Edward J. Peterson, killed Aug. 8, 1942, in an aircraft crash at the base. Area 1,277 acres. Runway shared with city. Altitude 6,200 ft. Military active-duty 4,194; reserves 1,260; civilians 3,484. Payroll \$227.3 million. Housing: 107 officer, 384 NCO, 210 transient (72 VOQ, 98 VAQ, 40 TLF). Clinic.

Pope AFB, N.C. 28308-2391; 12 mi. NNW of Fayetteville. Phone (910) 394-0001; DSN 486-1110. Transferred to AMC April 1997. 23d Wing. 624th Air Mobility Support Gp.; 23d Aeromedical Evacuation Sqdn.; 21st Special Tactics Sqdn. (AFSOC); 3d Aerial Port Sqdn.; Combat Control School; 18th Air Support Operations Gp.; 24th Special Tactics Sqdn. (AFSOC). Base adjoins Army's Fort Bragg and provides intratheater airlift and close air support for airborne forces and other personnel, equipment, and supplies. Base activated in 1919; named after 1st Lt. Harley H. Pope, WW I flyer, killed Jan. 7, 1917, when his JN-4 "Jenny" crashed into the Cape Fear River near Fayetteville. Area 1,750 acres. Runway 7,500 ft. Altitude 218 ft. Military 4,700; civilians 512. Payroll \$99.2 million. Housing: 89 officer, 370 enlisted, 1,208 dormitory spaces, 153 VOQ, 111 VAQ, 8 TLF. Clinic.

RAF Lakenheath, United Kingdom, APO AE 09464-5000; 70 mi. NE of London; 25 mi. NE of Cambridge. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-44-1638-52-1110; DSN 226-1110. Royal Air Force base. 48th Fighter Wing (USAFE) flies the F-15E and the F-15C/D and trains for and conducts air operations in support of NATO. Base activated in 1941; 48th FW began operations at RAF Lakenheath in Jan. 1960. Named after nearby village. Area 2,226 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 32 ft. Military 5,200; civilians 2,300. Payroll \$230 million. Housing: 1,249 units, 1,037 govt.-leased housing, 421 billeting spaces. 40-bed regional medical center.

RAF Mildenhall, United Kingdom, APO AE 09459-5000; 20 mi. NE of Cambridge. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-44-1638-54-3000; DSN 238-3000. USAFÉ base. Hq. 3d Air Force (USAFE). 100th Air Refueling Wing (USAFE), KC-135R Stratotanker and European Tanker Task Force operations, conducting air refueling, force reception, force deployment, and support operations for the US and NATO. Associate units include 352d Special Operations Gp. (AFSOC), MC-130H, MC-130N/P, and MH-53J aircraft; 95th Reconnaissance Sqdn. (ACC), RC-135 aircraft. 488th Intelligence Sqdn. (AIA); 627th Air Mobility Support Sqdn. (AMC) provides aerial port for AMC tanker airlift and aircraft; and Naval Air Facility, C-12 aircraft. Geographically separated units: 422d Air Base Sqdn., RAF Croughton; 423d Air Base Sqdn., RAF Molesworth; 424th Air Base Sqdn., RAF Fairford;

426th Air Base Sqdn., Stavanger, Norway. Base activated in 1934; US presence began in July 1950; named after nearby town. Area 1,144 acres. Runway length 9,227 ft. Altitude 33 ft. Military 5,097; civilians 796. Payroll \$150.5 million. Housing: 40 officer, 79 enlisted, US govt.-leased housing shared with RAF Lakenheath. Billeting: 41 TLF, 41 VOQ, 150 VAQ. Hospital annex for flyers and families. Regional medical center at RAF Lakenheath.

Ramstein AB, Germany, APO AE 09094-0385: adjacent to the city of Ramstein, 10 mi. W of Kaiserslautern. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-49-6371-113; DSN 480-1110. Hq. USAFE and Hq. Allied Air Forces Central Europe (NATO) base. Host unit: 86th Airlift Wing. The 86th AW has a broad mission, providing inter- and intratheater operational airlift, intratheater aeromedical evacuation, and CONUS staging and aeromedical evacuation. The flying squadrons include the 37th Airlift Sqdn. flying the C-130E Hercules, the 75th Airlift Sqdn. flying the C-9 Nightingale, and the 76th Airlift Sqdn. flying the C-20 Gulfstream and the C-21 Learjet. The wing commander also serves as commander of the Kaiserslautern Military Community, the largest concentration of US citizens (43,000) outside the US. The KMC encompasses more than 1,000 sq. mi. and 12 USAF and Army military installations. The base was activated and US presence began in 1953. Area 10,261 acres. Runway 8,015 ft. Altitude 782 ft. Military 12,800; civilians 3,200. Payroll \$824 million. Housing: 1,797; 9 govt.-leased units; 1,078 billeting units. Clinic on base, and the Landstuhl Army Regional Medical Center (200 beds) is 8 mi. from Ramstein AB.

Randolph AFB, Tex. 78150-5000; 17 mi. ENE of San Antonio. Phone (210) 652-1110; DSN 487-1110. AETC base. Hg. Air Education and Training Command; Hq. 19th Air Force; 12th Flying Training Wing; T-37, T-38, AT-38, and T-1A pilot instructor training; T-43 undergraduate navigator training, C-21A airlift, and T-3 flight screening at Hondo, Tex., and the US Air Force Academy; Hq. Air Force Personnel Center; Hq. Air Force Center for Quality and Management Innovation; Hg. Air Force Services Agency; USAF Occupational Measurement Sqdn.; Hq. Air Force Recruiting Service. Base activated in June 1930; named for Capt. William M. Randolph, killed Feb. 17, 1928, when his AT-4 crashed on takeoff at Gorman, Tex. Area 5,011 acres. Two 8,350-ft. runways. Altitude 761 ft. Military 5,882; civilians 5,195. Payroll \$429 million. Housing 254 officer, 765 NCO, 210 VAQ, 480 VOQ, 348 UEQ, 200 UOQ, 30 TLF. Clinic.

Reese AFB, Tex. 79489-5000; adjacent to Lubbock. Phone (806) 885-4511; DSN 838-1110. AETC base. 64th Flying Training Wing, specialized undergraduate pilot training. Base activated in 1942; named for 1st Lt. Augustus F. Reese, Jr., P-38 fighter pilot killed during a train-strafing mission at Cagliari, Sardinia, May 14, 1943. Area 3,953 acres. Runways 6,500 ft., 10,500 ft., and 10,500 ft. Altitude 3,338 ft. 64th FTW inactivated April 1997. Base scheduled to close September 30, 1997.

Robins AFB, Ga. 31098; 15 mi. SSE of Macon at Warner Robins. Phone (912) 926-1110; DSN 468-1110. AFMC base. Hq. Warner Robins Air Logistics Center provides worldwide logistics management for the F-15 air-superiority fighter, C-130 and C-141 cargo aircraft, helicopters, missiles, and remotely piloted vehicles. Other management responsibilities include the LAN-TIRN system, JTIDS, avionics, most Air Force airborne electronic warfare equipment, airborne communications equipment, airborne bomb- and gun-directing systems, fire-fighting equipment, general-purpose vehicles, and the USAF portion of the Global Command and Control System. 93d Air Control Wing (ACC), activated January 1996, will eventually have 2,600 personnel and 19 E-8C Joint STARS aircraft assigned. Other major units include Hq. Air Force Reserve Command (AFRC); 116th Bomb Wing (ANG), B-1B; 78th Air Base Wing (AFMC); 19th Air Refueling Gp. (AMC); 5th Combat Communications Gp. (ACC); 78th Communications-Computer Systems Gp. (AFMC). Base activated in Mar. 1942; named for Brig. Gen. Augustine Warner Robins, an early chief of the Materiel Division of the Air Corps, who died June 16, 1940. Area more than 8,700 acres. Runway 12,000 ft. Altitude 294 ft. Military 4,900; civilians 11,000. Payroll \$629 million. Housing: 245 officer, 1,151 NCO, 40 TLF, 137 VOQ. 20-bed hospital.

Scott AFB, III. 62225-5000; 6 mi. ENE of Belleville. Phone (618) 256-1110; DSN 576-1110. AMC base. 375th Airlift Wing; Hq. Air Mobility Command; Hq. Air Force Communications Agency; Hq. US Transportation Command; Hq. Air Weather Service; Combat Climatology Center; 932d Airlift Wing (AFRC Assoc.). Base activated June 14, 1917; named for Cpl. Frank S. Scott, the first enlisted man to die in an aircraft accident, killed Sept. 28, 1912, in a Wright B Flyer at College Park, Md. Area 3,230 acres. Runway 7,061 ft. Altitude 453 ft. Military 6,100; civilians 2,500. Payroll \$466 million. Housing: 304 officer, 1,394 NCO, plus 82 spaces or privately owned trailers, 300 transient. 55-bed hospital; 82-bed aeromedical staging facility.

Seymour Johnson AFB, N. C. 27531-5000; within city limits of Goldsboro. Phone (919) 736-5400; DSN 488-1110. ACC base. 4th Fighter Wing, F-15E operations; 916th Air Refueling Wing (AFRC), KC-135 operations. Base activated June 12, 1942; named for Navy Lt. Seymour A. Johnson, Goldsboro native, killed Mar. 5, 1941, in an aircraft accident in Maryland. Area 3,233 acres. Runway 11,758 ft. Altitude 110 ft. Military 4,354; civilians 1,100. Payroll \$209.1 million. Housing: 154 officer, 1,544 enlisted, 7 dorms housing 716 personnel, 8 DVQ, 5 SNCOQ, 38 VOQ, 32 VAQ, 27 TLF. 15-bed hospital.

Shaw AFB, S.C. 29152-5000; 10 mi. WNW of Sumter. Phone (803) 668-8110; DSN 965-1110. ACC base. 20th Fighter Wing, F-16 fighter operations; Hq. 9th Air Force. Base activated Aug. 30, 1941; named for 2d Lt. Ervin D. Shaw, one of the first Americans to see air action in WW I, killed in France July 9, 1918, when his Bristol fighter was shot down during a reconnaissance mission. Area 3,363 acres; supports another 13,000 acres. Runways 10,000 ft. and 8,000 ft. Altitude 244 ft. Military 5,677; civilians 506. Payroll \$178.9 million. Housing: 170 officer, 1,534 enlisted, 897 UEQ, 180 transient (44 VAQ, 96 VOQ, 40 TLF). 25-bed hospital.

Sheppard AFB, Tex. 76311-5000; 4 mi. N of Wichita Falls. Phone (817) 676-7441; DSN 736-7441. AETC base. The 82d Training Wing includes the 82d and 782d Training Gps., which conduct courses in financial management, communications, electronics, aircraft maintenance, munitions, aerospace ground equipment, transportation, civil engineering skills, and education/training career fields; 882d Training Gp., which provides training in biomedical sciences, dentistry, health service administration, medical readiness, medicine, nursing, and the Physician Assistant Training Program; 982d Training Gp., which provides weapon system training at training detachments and operating locations worldwide; 82d Support Gp.; 82d Medical Gp.; 82d Logistics Gp. The 80th Flying Training Wing (AETC) conducts T-37 and T-38 undergraduate pilot training and instructor pilot training in the Euro-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training program. The 80th FTW also conducts the Introduction to Fighter Fundamentals course with AT-38 aircraft. Base activated June 14, 1941; named for US Sen. Morris E. Sheppard of Texas. who died Apr. 9, 1941. Area 6,100 acres. Runways 6,000 ft., 7,000 ft., 10,000 ft., and 13,100 ft. Altitude 1,015 ft. Military 9,541; civilians 1,520. Payroll more than \$246 million. Housing: 199 officer, 1,059 NCO, 7,563 transient (1,772 VAQ, 4,698 UPH, 564 UEPH, 58 TLF, 103 UOQ, 368 VOQ). 65-bed hospital.

Spangdahlem AB, Germany, APO AE 09126-5000; 9 mi. E of Bitburg; 20 mi. NE of Trier. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-49-6565-61-1110; DSN 452-1110. USAFE base. 52d Fighter Wing lies A/OA-10s, F-15s, and F-16s. Base activated and US presence began in 1953; named after local town. Area 1,282 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 1,196 ft. Military (including geographically separated units) 6,200; civilians (including geographically separated units) 798. Payroll \$165 million. Housing: 157 officer, 2,039 enlisted, 499 govt.-leased units, 157 billeting spaces. 20-bed hospital at Bitburg Annex.

Tinker AFB, Okla. 73145-3010; 8 mi. SE of Oklahoma City. Phone (405) 732-7321; DSN 884-1110. AFMC base. Hq. Oklahoma City Air Logistics Center manages and provides logistics support and depot maintenance for more than 850 aircraft, including the B-1B, B-2, B-52, E-3, E-6, and KC-135. Tinker is home to eight major DoD, Air Force, and Navy activities, including the 552d Air Control Wing (ACC); 507th Wing (AFRC), Oklahoma's only Air Force Reserve Command flying unit; Navy Strategic Communications Wing One. Also at Tinker are the Defense Logistics Agency's Defense Distribution Depot Oklahoma City; the 3d Combat Communications Gp.; Air Force Electronic Systems Center's 38th Engineering Installation Wing; and the Oklahoma City Megacenter, which manages Tinker's computer systems and services 105 other bases in 46 states. Base activated in Mar. 1942; named for Maj. Gen. Clarence L. Tinker, whose LB-30 (an early model B-24) went down at sea southwest of Midway Island June 7, 1942. Area 5,000 acres. Runways 10,000 ft. and 11,100 ft. Altitude 1,291 ft. Military 8,253; civilians 18,217. Payroll \$775 million. Housing: 108 officer, 622 NCO. 22-bed hospital.

Travis AFB, Calif. 94535-5000; 50 mi. NE of San Francisco at Fairfield. Phone (707) 424-5000; DSN 837-1110. AMC base. Hq. 15th Air Force; 60th Air Mobility Wing; 615th Air Mobility Operations Gp.; 349th Air Mobility Wing (AFRC Assoc.); David Grant Medical Center; America's Band of the Golden West; Air Museum. Base activated May 17, 1943; named for Brig. Gen. Robert F. Travis, killed Aug. 5, 1950, in a B-29 accident. Area 6,258 acres. Two runways, each approximately 11,000 ft. Altitude 62 ft. Military active-duty 8,515; AFRC 4,864; civilians 3,084. Payroll \$249 million. Housing: 370 officer, 2,092 enlisted, 1,259 enlisted dormitory spaces, 924 transient (79 TLF, 201 VOQ, 644 VAQ). 298-bed hospital (acute care), 75 aeromedical staging flight beds, 52 dental treatment rooms.

Tyndall AFB, Fla. 32403-5000; 12 mi. E of Panama City. Phone (904) 283-1113; DSN 523-1113. AETC base. 325th Fighter Wing, F-15 operations. The 325th FW provides training for all USAF F-15 airto-air pilots and maintains readiness for 77 aircraft and assigned operations and support personnel for combat units worldwide. Associate units include Hq. 1st Air Force; Southeast Air Defense Sector (ANG); 475th Weapons Evaluation Gp. (ACC); Air Force Civil Engineer Support Agency. Base activated Dec. 7, 1941; named for 1st Lt. Frank B. Tyndall, WW I fighter pilot killed July 15, 1930, in a P-1 crash. Area 29,115 acres. Runways 10,000 ft., 8,075 ft., and 7,065 ft. Altitude 18 ft. Military 5,547; civilians 1,701. Payroll \$193.8 million. Housing: 1,069 family units. 35-bed hospital.

US Air Force Academy, Colo. 80840-5025; N of Colorado Springs. Phone (719) 333-1818; DSN 333-3110. Direct reporting unit. Established Apr. 1, 1954. Moved to permanent location in Aug. 1958. Aircraft flown: 94, consisting of T-3A aerobatics trainers; T-41D basic trainers; TG-3

and TG-4 gliders; TG-7A and TG-11A motorized gliders; ASK-21 sailplanes; UV-18 jump planes; Cessna 150s. Tenant units: 557th Flying Training Squadron (AETC); Air Force Band of the Rockies (AFSPC). Area 18,325 acres. Runways 2,300 ft., 3,500 ft., and 4,500 ft. Altitude 7,200 ft. Military 2,121; cadets 4,029; civilians 2,005. Payroll \$187.2 million. Housing: 619 officer, 609 enlisted, 76 VOQ, 25 TLF. 55-bed hospital.

Vance AFB, Okla. 73705-5000; 3 mi. SSW of Enid. Phone (405) 213-2121; DSN 448-2121. AETC base. 71st Flying Training Wing, joint, specialized undergraduate pilot training. Base activated in Nov. 1941; named for Lt. Col. Leon R. Vance, Jr., Enid native, 1939 West Point graduate, and Medal of Honor recipient, killed July 26, 1944, when airevac plane returning to the US went down in the Atlantic near Iceland. Area 4,394 acres. Runways 5,000 ft., 9,200 ft., and 9,200 ft. Altitude 1,007 ft. Military 854; civilians 1,410 (approx. 1,200 contract employees). Payroll \$69.5 million. Housing: 268 officer (118 family housing, 150 dormitory), 192 enlisted (112 family housing, 80 dormitory), 44 transient (34 VOQ, 10 TLF). Clinic.

Vandenberg AFB, Calif. 93437-5000; 8 mi. NNW of Lompoc. Phone (805) 734-8252 (ext. 6-1611); DSN 276-1110. AFSPC base. Hq. 14th Air Force. Host unit: 30th Space Wing, conducts polarorbiting space launches and supports research and development tests for DoD, USAF, and NASA space, ballistic missile, and aeronautical systems. It also has UH-1N helicopter assets. The 30th SPW furnishes facilities and essential services to more than 60 aerospace contractors on base. Originally Army's Camp Cooke. Activated in Oct. 1941. Base taken over by USAF June 7, 1957; renamed for Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, USAF's second Chief of Staff. Area 98,400 acres. Runway 15,000 ft. Altitude 367 ft. Military 3,255; civilians 1,387; civilian contractors 3,835. Payroll \$136 million (military and civilians). Housing: 486 officer, 1,946 enlisted, 172 trailer spaces, 287 transient. 16-bed hospital.

Warren AFB (see Francis E. Warren AFB).

Whiteman AFB, Mo. 65305-5000; 2 mi. S of Knob Noster. Phone (816) 687-1110; DSN 975-1110. ACC base. Host unit: 509th Bomb Wing,

activated Apr. 1, 1993. It received its first of 21 B-2 bombers Dec. 17, 1993. 442d Fighter Wing (AFRC). Base activated in 1942; named for Sedalia resident 2d Lt. George A. Whiteman, first pilot to die in aerial combat during the attack on Pearl Harbor. Area 4,627 acres. Runway 12,400 ft. Altitude 869 ft. Military 3,005; civilians 754. Payroll \$117.9 million. Housing: 96 officer, 893 enlisted, 77 VAQ, 49 VOQ, 31 TLF.30-bed hospital.

Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433; 10 mi. ENE of Dayton. Phone (937) 257-1110; DSN 787-1110. AFMC base. Hq. Air Force Materiel Command; Hq. Aeronautical Systems Center (AFMC); Wright Laboratory; Air Force Institute of Technology (AETC); Wright-Patterson Medical Center; 88th Air Base Wing (AFMC); 445th Airlift Wing (AFRC); approximately 70 other DoD activities and government agencies. Originally separate, Wright Field and Patterson Field were merged and redesignated Wright-Patterson AFB Jan. 13, 1948. Named for aviation pioneers Orville and Wilbur Wright and for 1st Lt. Frank S. Patterson, killed June 19, 1918, in the crash of a DH-4. The Wright brothers did much of their early flying on Huffman Prairie, now in Area C of present base. The prairie is part of the Dayton Aviation Heritage National Historical Park and is open to the public. Area 8,145 acres. Runway 19,600 ft. Altitude 824 ft. Military 8,900; civilians 12,700. Payroll (FY 1995) \$904 million. Housing: 796 officer, 1,537 NCO. 301-bed hospital.

Yokota AB, Japan, APO AP 96328-5000; in metropolitan Tokyo, approx. 28 mi. W of downtown. Phone (commercial, from CONUS) 011-81-0425-2510, ext. 113; DSN 315-225-7020. PACAF base. Hq. US Forces, Japan; Hq. 5th Air Force. Host unit: 374th Airlift Wing (PACAF), C-130, C-9, C-21, and UH-1N operations. Tenant units: 630th Air Mobility Support Sqdn. (AMC); Det. 1, Air Force Band of the Pacific; Far East Network Tokyo. Primary aerial port in Japan. Base opened as Tama AAF by the Japanese in 1939. Area 1,750 acres. Runway 11,000 ft. Altitude 457 ft. Military 3,899; US civilians 1,553; local nationals 1,936. Payroll \$110 million. Housing: 645 officer, 1,787 enlisted, 58 TLF. Unaccompanied housing: 184 officer, 900 enlisted, 43 SNCOQ, 75 VOQ, 135 VAQ, 123 aircrew rooms, 17 DV rooms. 30-bed hospital.

Minor Installations

In addition to the installations listed above, the Air Force has a number of minor installations. These air stations perform various missions, including air defense and missile warning. Here is a listing of such installations with state (or APO), ZIP code, and major command.

Cape Canaveral AS, Fla. 32925-5000 (AFSPC)
Cape Cod AS, Mass. 02561-9314 (AFSPC)
Cavalier AS, N.D. 58220-5000 (AFSPC)
Cheyenne Mountain AS, Colo. 80914-5515 (AFSPC)
Clear AS, Alaska, APO AP 99704 (AFSPC)
Onizuka AS, Calif. 94088-3430 (AFSPC)
Pirinclik AS (Turkey), APO AE 09825 (USAFE)
RAF Croughton (UK), APO AE 09494 (USAFE)
Thule AB (Greenland), APO AE 09704-5000 (AFSPC) (ask for Thule operator)DSN 268-1211
Woomera AS (Australia), APO AP 96552 (AFSPC)

ANG and AFRC Bases

Notes: This section of the Guide consolidates major Air National Guard and Air Force Reserve Command bases into a single listing. Most ANG locations are listed according to the airports whose facilities they share. AFRC units are listed by the names of their bases and are designated as AFRC facilities. There are, in addition, some ANG and AFRC units located on active-duty bases. These may be found in the "Major Installations" section.

ANG personnel are organized into two categories. Part-time personnel are traditional Guardsmen who work in the private sector during the week, serve in ANG one weekend each month, and go on active duty for two weeks during the summer. If called up by the President, they go on active-duty military status.

ANG's second category, full-time support personnel, are Active Guard Reserve, Title 32, and Title 5 personnel. Active Guard Reserves are assigned to the state. They do not serve at the national level, but they receive the same benefits as regular active-duty military. Title 32 personnel are civilians employed full time in ANG, but they wear two hats: They can go on active-duty military service if their unit gets called up. They also participate in ANG weekend training exercises once a month and for two weeks in the summer. Title 5 personnel are federal civilian employees who hold administrative positions in ANG.

Allen C. Thompson Field, Miss. 39208-0810; 7 mi. E of Jackson. Phone (601) 939-3633; DSN 731-9210. 172d Airlift Wing (ANG). ANG area 116 acres. Runway 8,500 ft. Altitude 346 ft. Military 1,098, full-time personnel 329. Payroll \$25.9 million.

Anchorage, Alaska (Kulis ANGB at Anchorage International Airport) 99502. Phone (907) 249-1444; DSN 317-626-1659. 176th Wing (ANG); 144th Airlift Sqdn. (ANG) and 210th Air Rescue Sqdn. (ANG). Base named for Lt. Albert Kulis, killed in training flight in 1954. Area 129 acres. Runway 10,900 ft. Altitude 124 ft. Military 1,179, full-time personnel 428. Payroll \$34.5 million.

Atlantic City Airport, N.J. 08232-9500; 10 mi. W of Atlantic City. Phone (609) 645-6000; DSN 455-6000. 177th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 286 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 76 ft. Military 910, full-time support 305. Payroll \$23.8 million.

Baltimore, Md. (Martin State Airport) 21220-2899; 8 mi. E of Baltimore. Phone (410) 780-8270; DSN 243-6210. 175th Wing (ANG). Area 175 acres. Runway 7,000 ft. Altitude 24 ft. Military 1,757, full-time personnel 476. Payroll \$31.3 million.

Bangor International Airport, Me. 04401-3099; 4 mi. NW of Bangor. Phone (207) 990-7700; DSN 698-7700. 101st Air Refueling Wing (ANG); 776th Radar Sqdn. (ACC). Area 457 acres. Runway 11,400 ft. Altitude 192 ft. Military 966, full-time personnel 391. Payroll \$23.5 million. Small BX.

Barnes Municipal Airport, Mass. 01085; 3 mi. N of Westfield. Phone (413) 568-9151; DSN 636-9210. 104th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 186 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 270 ft. Military 986, full-time personnel 339. Payroll \$27.6 million.

Birmingham Airport, Ala. 35217. Phone (205) 841-9200; DSN 778-2210. 117th Air Refueling Wing (ANG). Area 118 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 650 ft. Military 964, full-time personnel 323. Payroll \$21.9 million.

Boise Air Terminal, Idaho (Gowen Field) 83707; 6 mi. S of Boise. Phone (208) 422-5011; DSN 941-5011. 124th Wing (ANG). Also host to ARNG (Army field training site) and Marine Corps Reserve. Airport named for Lt. Paul R. Gowen, killed in B-10 crash in Panama July 11, 1938. Area 1,994 acres. Runway 9,800 ft. Altitude 2,858 ft. Military 1,123, full-time personnel 423. Payroll \$35.2 million. Limited transient facilities available during ARNG camps.

Bradley International Airport, Windsor Locks, Conn. 06026-5000; 15 mi. N of Hartford at East Granby. Phone (860) 292-2526; DSN 636-8310. 103d Fighter Wing (ANG); ARNG aviation battalion. Base named for Lt. Eugene M. Bradley, killed in P-40 crash in Aug. 1941. Area 126 acres. Runway 9,500 ft. Altitude 173 ft. Military 956, full-time personnel 251. Payroll \$23.9 million.

Buckley ANGB, Colo. 80011; 8 mi. E of Denver. Phone (303) 340-9555; DSN 877-9011. 140th Wing (ANG); Hq. Colorado ANG; 227th Air Traffic Control Flt. (ANG); 240th Civil Engineering Flt. (ANG). Also host to Navy Reserve, Marine Corps Reserve, ARNG, and Air Force units. Base activated Apr. 1, 1942, as a gunnery training facility. ANG assumed control from US Navy in 1959. Base named for Lt. John H. Buckley, National Guardsman, killed in France Sept. 27, 1918. Area 3,832 acres. Runway 11,000 ft. Altitude 5,663 ft. Military 1,165, full-time personnel 485. Payroll \$42.1 million.

Burlington International Airport, Vt. 05401; 3 mi. E of Burlington. Phone (802) 660-5215; DSN 220-5210. 158th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 241 acres. Runway 7,800 ft. Altitude 334 ft. Military 986, full-time personnel 310. Payroll \$23.6 million.

Capital Municipal Airport, III. 63707-5000; 2 mi. NW of Springfield. Phone (217) 753-8850; DSN 892-8210.183d Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 91 acres. Runway 8,000 ft. Altitude 592 ft. Military 1,033, full-time personnel 306. Payroll \$22.1 million.

Channel Islands ANGB, Point Mugu, Calif. 93041-4001. Phone (805) 986-8000; DSN 893-7000. 146th Airlift Wing (ANG). Area 206 acres. Runway 11,100 ft. Altitude 12 ft. Military 1,108, full-time personnel 293. Payroll \$23.1 million.

Charlotte/Douglas International Airport, Charlotte, N.C. 28208. Phone (704) 391-4100; DSN 583-9210. 145th Airlift Wing (ANG). Area 79 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 749 ft. Military 1,324, full-time personnel 306. Payroll \$19.4 million.

Cheyenne Municipal Airport, Cheyenne, Wyo. 82001. Phone (307) 772-6201; DSN 943-6201. 153d Airlift Wing (ANG). Area 70 acres. Runway 8,600 ft. Altitude 6,156 ft. Military 974, full-time personnel 249. Payroll \$14.8 million.

Dannelly Field, Ala. 36196; 7 mi. SW of Montgomery. Phone (205) 284-7100; DSN 385-7200. 187th Fighter Wing (ANG). Base hosts 232d Combat Communications Sqdn. Field named for Ens. Clarence Dannelly, Navy pilot killed at Pensacola, Fla., during WW II. Area 51 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 221 ft. Military 988, full-time personnel 368. Payroll \$27.1 million.

Des Moines International Airport, Iowa 50321; within city of Des Moines. Phone (515) 287-9210; DSN 939-8210. 132d Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 113 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 957 ft. Military 958, full-time personnel 296. Payroll \$25.9 million.

Dobbins ARB, Ga. (Marietta) 30069-5010; 16

mi. NW of Atlanta. Phone (770) 919-5000; DSN 925-5000. AFRC base. Hq. 22d Air Force (AFRC); 94th Airlift Wing (AFRC); 151st Medical Battalion (ARNG); US Army Reserve Center. Base activated 1943. Named for Capt. Charles Dobbins, WW II pilot killed near Sicily. Area 1,660 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 1,068 ft. AFRC active-duty 25, civilians 678, Reservists 2,011. Payroll \$52 million. Army Reserve: active duty 8, Reservists 100. NAS Atlanta and Lockheed Martin Aeronautical Systems Co./Air Force Plant 6 adjoin Dobbins ARB and use airfield facilities.

Duluth International Airport, Minn. 55811-5000; 5 mi. NW of Duluth. Phone (218) 727-6886; DSN 825-7210. 148th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 329 acres. Runway 10,200 ft. Altitude 1,429 ft. Military 953, full-time personnel 326. Payroll \$29.7 million.

Eastern West Virginia Regional Airport/Shepherd Field, W.Va. 25401; 4 mi. S of Martinsburg. Phone (304) 267-5100; DSN 242-9210. 167th Airlift Wing (ANG). Area 420 acres. Runway 7,000 ft. Altitude 556 ft. Military 1,191, full-time personnel 282. Payroll \$18.3 million.

Ellington Field, Tex. 77034-5586; a city of Houston airport 17 mi. SE of downtown Houston. Phone (713) 929-2110; DSN 954-2110. 147th Fighter Wing (ANG). Other tenants include NASA Flight Operations, US Coast Guard, ARNG, FAA. Base named for Lt. Eric L. Ellington, pilot killed in Nov. 1913. Area 216 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 40 ft. Military 1,013, full-time personnel 349. Payroll \$30.1 million.

Forbes Field, Kan. 66619-5000; 2 mi. S of Topeka. Phone (913) 231-4210; DSN 720-4210. 190th Air Refueling Wing (ANG). Area 193 acres. Runway 12,800 ft. Altitude 1,079 ft. Military 857, full-time personnel 305. Payroll \$27.2 million.

Fort Smith Municipal Airport, Ark. 72906. Phone (501) 648-5210; DSN 962-8210. 188th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 113 acres. Runway 8,000 ft. Altitude 468 ft. Military 991, full-time personnel 298. Payroll \$25.9 million.

Fort Wayne International Airport, Ind. 46809-5000; 5 mi. SSW of Fort Wayne. Phone (219) 478-3210; DSN 786-1210. 122d Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 138 acres. Runway 12,000 ft. Altitude 800 ft. Military 965, full-time personnel 303. Payroll \$22.5 million.

Francis S. Gabreski International Airport, Westhampton Beach, N.Y. 11978-1294. Phone (516) 288-7300; DSN 456-7300. 106th Rescue Wing (ANG). Named for Col. Francis S. Gabreski, third leading USAAF/USAF ace of all time. Area 71 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 67 ft. Military 827, full-time personnel 278. Payroll \$20.6 million.

Fresno AirTerminal, Calif. 93727-2199; 5 mi. NE of Fresno. Phone (209) 454-5100; DSN 949-5100. 144th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 126 acres. Runway 9,200 ft. Altitude 332 ft. Military 919, full-time personnel 321. Payroll \$25.7 million.

General Mitchell International Airport/ARS, Wis. 53207-6299; 7 mi. S of Milwaukee. AFRC base. Runway 9,690 ft. Altitude 723 ft. AFRC phone (414) 482-5000; DSN 950-5000. 440th Airlift Wing (AFRC). AFRC area 103 acres. Reservists 1,300, full-time Air Reserve technicians and civilians 350. Payroll \$23 million. ANG and AFRC have separate telephone lines and facilities. ANG phone (414) 747-4410; DSN 580-8410. 128th Air Refueling Wing (ANG). ANG area 111

acres. ANG military 897, full-time personnel 282. Payroll \$18.8 million.

Greater Peoria Airport, III. 61607-1498; 7 mi. SW of Peoria. Phone (309) 791-2282; DSN 724-2282. 182d Airlift Wing (ANG). Area 381 acres. Runway 9,500 ft. Altitude 660 ft. Military 1,098, full-time personnel 282. Payroll \$18.5 million.

Great Falls International Airport, Mont. 59401-5000; 5 mi. SW of Great Falls. Phone (406) 791-2282; DSN 279-2282. 120th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 139 acres. Runway 10,500 ft. Altitude 3,674 ft. Milltary 1,005, full-time personnel 303. Payroll \$27.4 million.

Grissom ARB, Ind. 46971-5000; 15 mi. N of Kokomo. Phone (317) 688-5211; DSN 928-1110. AFRC base. 434th Air Refueling Wing (AFRC) and its two KC-135 Stratotanker squadrons. Activated in Jan. 1943 as Bunker Hill NAS, a training base for carrier pilots. Reactivated in June 1954 as Bunker Hill AFB. Renamed in May 1968 in honor of Lt. Col. Virgil I. "Gus" Grissom, killed Jan. 27, 1967, at Cape Kennedy, Fla., with astronauts Edward White and Roger Chaffee in Apollo capsule fire. Realigned as an AFRC base Oct. 1, 1994. Area 1,126.5 acres. Runway 12,500 ft. Altitude 800 ft. Military 1,040, civilians 700. Payroll \$42 million. Housing: 485 transient. Small BX.

Gulfport-Biloxi Regional Airport, Miss. 39501; in city of Gulfport. Phone (601) 868-6200; DSN 363-8200. Training site. Host to 255th Tactical Control Sqdn. (ANG); 1108th Aviation Repair Depot (ARNG); 173d Civil Engineering Flt. An air-to-ground gunnery range is located 70 mi. N of site. Area 269 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 28 ft. Military 406, full-time personnel 118. Payroll \$6.4 million.

Harrisburg International Airport, Pa. 17057; 10 mi. E of Harrisburg. Phone (717) 948-2200; DSN 430-9200. 193d Special Operations Wing (ANG). ANG area 39 acres. Runway 9,500 ft. Altitude 310 ft. Military 1,094, full-time personnel 319. Payroll \$12.4 million.

Hector International Airport, Fargo, N.D.58105-5536. Phone (701) 237-6030; DSN 362-8110.119th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 209 acres. Runway 9,500 ft. Altitude 900 ft. Military 1,029, full-time personnel 327. Payroll \$54.1 million.

Homestead ARB, Fla. 33039-1299; 5 mi. NE of Homestead. Phone (305) 224-7303; DSN 791-7303, Fax (DSN) 791-7302. AFRC base. 482d Fighter Wing (AFRC); Det. 1, 125th Fighter Wing (Fla. ANG, NORAD). Available billeting. Area approximately 1,000 acres. Runway 11,200 ft. Altitude 11 ft. Base was devastated by Hurricane Andrew in August 1992 and is operational but in the final phases of reconstruction.

Hulman Regional Airport, Ind. 47803-5000; 5 mi. E of Terre Haute. Phone (812) 877-5210; DSN 724-1210. 181st Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 279 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 585 ft. Military 1,001, full-time personnel 296. Payroll \$21.4 million.

Jacksonville International Airport, Fla. 32229; 15 mi. NW of Jacksonville. Phone (904) 741-7100; DSN 460-7100. 125th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 332 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 26 ft. Military 1,009, full-time personnel 383. Payroll \$27.1 million.

Joe Foss Field, Sioux Falls, S.D. 57104; N side of Sioux Falls. Phone (605) 333-5700; DSN 939-7700. 114th Fighter Wing (ANG). Field named for Brig. Gen. Joseph J. Foss, WW II ace, former governor of South Dakota, former AFA National President, and founder of the S. D. ANG. Area 166 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 1,428 ft. Military 982, full-time personnel 300. Payroll \$20.8 million.

Key Field, Meridian, Miss. 39302-1825; at municipal airport near Hwys. 20 and 59. Phone (601) 484-9000; DSN 778-9210. 186th Air Refueling Wing (ANG); host to 238th Combat Communications Sqdn. (ANG). Area 117 acres. Runway 8,000 ft. Altitude 297 ft. Military 1,069, full-time personnel 329. Payroll \$21.1 million.

Klamath Falls International Airport (Kingsley Field), Ore. 97603-0400; 5 mi. SE of Klamath Falls. Phone (503) 883-6350; DSN 830-6350. 173d Fighter Wing (ANG); 142d OLAD (ANG). Area 1,072 acres. Runway 10,300 ft. Altitude 4,092 ft. Military 391, full-time personnel 479. Payroll \$19.8 million.

Lambert–St. Louis International Airport, Bridgeton, Mo. 63145; 3 mi. W of St. Louis. Phone (314) 263-6200; DSN 693-6200. 131st Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 49 acres. Runway 10,600 ft. Altitude 605 ft. Military 1,349, full-time personnel 423. Payroll \$42.8 million.

Lincoln Municipal Airport, Neb. 68524-1897; 1 mi. NW of Lincoln. Phone (402) 458-1111; DSN 946-1111. 155th Air Refueling Wing (ANG). Also hosts ARNG unit. Area 179 acres. Runway 12,900 ft. Altitude 1,207 ft. Military 945, full-time personnel 303. Payroll \$19.7 million.

Louisville IAP AGS (Standiford Field), Ky. 40213. Phone (502) 364-9400; DSN 989-4400. 123d Airlift Wing (ANG); 223d Communications Sqdn. (ANG). Area 69 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 497 ft. Military 1,145, full-time personnel 319. Payroll \$17.4 million.

Mansfield Lahm Airport, Ohio 44901-5000; 3 mi. N of Mansfield. Phone (419) 521-0100; DSN 696-6210.179th AirliftWing (ANG). Airport named for nearby city and aviation pioneer Brig. Gen. Frank P. Lahm. Area 224 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 1,296 ft. Military 911, full-time personnel 247. Payroll \$16.1 million. Coast Guard exchange.

March ARB, Calif. 92518-5000; 9 mi. SE of Riverside. Phone (909) 655-1110; DSN 947-1110. AFRC base. 452d Air Mobility Wing (AFRC host). Phone (909) 655-4520; DSN 947-4520. Also home of 163d Air Refueling Wing (Calif. ANG), 119th Fighter Group (N.D. ANG), 4th Combat Camera Sgdn., Armed Forces Radio and Television Broadcast Center, Defense Visual Information Center, Air Force Audit Agency Financial and Support Audit Directorate, and US Customs Service Domestic Air Interdiction Coordination Center. Base activated Mar. 1, 1918; named for 2d Lt. Peyton C. March, Jr., who died in Texas of crash injuries Feb. 18, 1918. Area 2,300 acres. Runway 13,300 ft. Altitude 1,530 ft. AFRC and ANG 4,500, civilian 1,799 (includes 515 ARTs). Payroll: \$73 million. Housing: 62 VAQ (150 beds), 85 VOQ (101 beds).

McEntire ANGB, S.C. 29044; 12 mi. E of Columbia. Phone (803) 695-6300; DSN 583-8201. 169th Fighter Wing (ANG). Also host to 240th Combat Communications Sqdn. (ANG) and 1/151st Aviation Battalion (ARNG). Base named for ANG Brig. Gen. B.B. McEntire, Jr., killed in F-104 accident in 1961. Area 2,473 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 250 ft. Military 1,301, full-time personnel 344 (including 4 Title 5 civilians). Payroll \$25.1 million.

McGhee Tyson Airport, Tenn. 37901; 10 mi. SW of Knoxville. Phone (615) 985-3200; DSN 266-8200. Host to 134th Air Refueling Wing (ANG). Tenants include 228th Combat Communications Sqdn. and ANG's I. G. Brown Professional Military Education Center. Area 271 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 980 ft. Military 1,056, full-time personnel 371. Payroll \$29.4 million.

Memphis International Airport, Tenn. 38181-0026; within Memphis city limits. Phone (901)

541-7111; DSN 966-8210. 164th Airlift Wing (ANG). ANG occupies 103 acres. Runway 9,300 ft. Altitude 332 ft. Military 1,023, full-time personnel 280. Payroll \$20.1 million.

Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport/ ARS, Minn. 55450-2000; in Minneapolis, near confluence of the Mississippi and Minnesota rivers. AFRC base. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 840 ft. ANG and AFRC have separate phones and facilities. ANG phone (612) 725-5631; DSN 825-5631. 133d Airlift Wing (ANG) flies C-130s. ANG area 130.5 acres. Military 1,250, full-time personnel 274. Payroll \$19.3 million. AFRC phone (612) 725-5011; DSN 825-5110. 934th Airlift Wing (AFRC) also flies C-130s. AFRC area 300 acres. Full-time personnel 150, civilians 199, Reservists 1,150. Payroll \$24 million. Units include 210th Engineering Installation Sqdn. (ANG); 237th Air Traffic Control Flt. (ANG); Naval Reserve Readiness Command, Region 16; USAF Civil Air Patrol, NCLR, and MNLO; Rothe Development Inc. (AFRC). Lodging and BX available.

Nashville Metropolitan Airport, Tenn. 37217-0267; 6 mi. SE of Nashville. Phone (615) 313-3001; DSN 788-6210. 118th Airlift Wing (ANG). Area 85 acres. Runway 10,200 ft. Altitude 597 ft. Military 1,101, full-time personnel 318. Payroll \$20.9 million.

New Castle County Airport, Del. 19720; 5 mi. S of Wilmington. Phone (302) 323-3500; DSN 445-7500. 166th Airliff Wing (ANG); ARNG aviation company. Area 57 acres. Runway 7,200 ft. Altitude 80 ft. Military 991, full-time personnel 240. Payroll \$16.8 million.

Niagara Falls International Airport/ARS, N.Y. 14304-5001; 6 mi. E of Niagara Falls. Phone (716) 236-2000; DSN 238-2000. AFRC base. 914th Airlift Wing (AFRC); 107th Air Refueling Wing (ANG). Base activated in Jan. 1952. Area 979 acres (ANG 104 acres). Runway 9,100 ft. Altitude 590 ft. AFRC Reservists 1,200, civilians 373. ANG military 811, full-time personnel 275. Total payroll \$52 million. (ANG payroll \$19.9 million). Lodging and BX available.

O'Hare International Airport/ARS, III. 60666-5023; 22 mi. NW of Chicago's Loop. Phone (312) 825-5980; DSN 930-5980. AFRC base. 126th Air Refueling Wing (ANG); Defense Contract Management Area Operations, Fort Dearborn (US Army Reserve). Base activated in Apr. 1946. Named for Lt. Cmdr. Edward H. "Butch" O'Hare, USN, Medal of Honor recipient, killed Nov. 26, 1943, during battle for Gilbert Islands. Area 344 acres (ANG 36 acres). Runway 13,000 ft. Altitude 643 ft. Reservists 1,337, full-time personnel and civilians (all units) 411. AFRC base scheduled for closure June 30, 1997. ANG 1,288, full-time personnel 335. Total payroll for facility \$74.5 million. (ANG payroll \$22.1 million).

Otis ANGB, Mass. 02542-5001; 7 mi. NNE of Falmouth. Phone (508) 968-4667; DSN 557-4667. 102d Fighter Wing (ANG); 567th USAF Band (ANG); 101st and 202d Weather Flts. (ANG). Adjacent installations and organizations include Cape Cod AS (6th Missile Warning Sqdn., 2165th Communications Sqdn.); US Coast Guard Air Station Cape Cod; Camp Edwards ARNG Training Site; ARNG Aviation Flight Facility; 1st Battalion, 25th Marines (Reserve); Massachusetts National Cemetery (VA). Base named for 1st Lt. Frank J. Otis, ANG flight surgeon and pilot killed in 1937 crash. Area 3,883 acres. Runway 9,500 ft. Altitude 132 ft. ANG military 1,252, full-time personnel 405. Payroll \$54.3 million.

Pease ANGB, Portsmouth, N.H. 03803-6505. Phone (603) 430-2453; DSN 852-2453. 157th Air Refueling Wing (ANG). Area 229 acres. Runway

11,300 ft. Altitude 101 ft. Military 922, full-time personnel 320. Payroll \$24.1 million.

Pittsburgh International Airport/ARS, Pa. 15108-4403; 15 mi. NW of Pittsburgh. AFRC base. Runway 11,500 ft. Altitude 1,203 ft. ANG and AFRC have separate phones and facilities. 171st Air Refueling Wing (ANG). Phone (412) 474-7359; DSN 277-7359. ANG area 179 acres. ANG military 1,397, full-time personnel 421. Payroll \$24.9 million. AFRC phone (412) 474-8000; DSN 277-8000. 911th Airlift Wing (host unit). AFRC area 115 acres. AFRC full-time personnel 142, civilians 222, Reservists 1,080. Payroll \$32.7 million. Base activated 1943. Housing: 24 VOQ, 230 enlisted qtrs. No on-base housing. Limited BX.

Portland International Airport, Portland, Ore. 97218-2797. Phone (503) 335-4020; DSN 638-4020. 142d Fighter Wing (ANG); 244th Combat Communications Sqdn. (ANG); 272d Combat Communications Sqdn. (ANG); Oregon Wing, CAP. Also host to 939th Rescue Wing (AFRC). Area 246 acres. Runway 11,000 ft. Altitude 26 ft. Military 1,322, full-time personnel 601. Payroll \$44.1 million.

Puerto Rico International Airport (Muniz ANGB), Puerto Rico 00914; E of San Juan. Phone (809) 253-5100; DSN 979-1514. 156th Fighter Wing (ANG). Base named for Lt. Col. José A. Muniz, killed in aircraft accident July 4, 1960. Area 84 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 9 ft. Military 1,067, fulltime personnel 385. Payroll \$30.9 million.

Quonset State Airport, R.I. 02852; 20 mi. S of Providence. Phone (401) 886-1200; DSN 476-3210. 143d Airlift Wing (ANG). Area 79 acres. Runway 8,000 ft. Altitude 19 ft. Military 1,362, full-time personnel 339. Payroll \$21.4 million.

Reno/Tahoe International Airport, Nev. 89502; 5 mi. SE of Reno at 1776 ANG Way. Phone (702) 788-4500; DSN 830-4500. 152d Airlift Wing (ANG). ANG installation named for Maj. Gen. James A. May, Nevada Adjutant General from 1947 to 1967. Area 123 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 4,411 ft. Military 1,009, full-time personnel 322. Payroll \$22.6 million.

Richmond International Airport (Byrd Field), Va. 23150; 4 mi. SE of downtown Richmond. Phone (804) 236-6429; DSN 864-6129. 192d Fighter Wing (ANG). Field named for Adm. Richard E. Byrd, Arctic and Antarctic explorer. Area 143 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 167 ft. Military 1,021, full-time personnel 323. Payroll \$21.7 million.

Rickenbacker International Airport, Ohio 43217-5887; 13 mi. SSW of Columbus. Phone (614) 492-4223; DSN 950-8211. Base transferred from SAC to ANG Apr. 1, 1980. 121st Air Refueling Wing (ANG); Naval Air Reserve and Naval Construction (USNR). Base activated 1942. Formerly Lockbourne AFB; renamed May 7, 1974, in honor of Capt. Edward V. Rickenbacker, top US WW I ace and Medal of Honor recipient, who died July 23, 1973. Area 2,016 acres. Runway 12,100 ft. Altitude 744 ft. ANG military 1,353, full-time personnel 441. Payroll \$32.9 million.

Rosecrans Memorial Airport, Mo. 64503; 4 mi. W of St. Joseph. Phone (816) 236-3300; DSN 956-3300. 139th Airlift Wing (ANG). Area 302 acres. Runway 8,100 ft. Altitude 826 ft. Military 905, full-time personnel 291. Payroll \$21.2 million.

Salt Lake City International Airport, Utah 84116; 3 mi. W of Salt Lake City. Phone (801) 595-2200; DSN 924-9200. 151st Air Refueling Wing (ANG); 169th Electronic Security Sqdn. (ANG). Also hosts ANG's 130th Engineering Installation Sqdn. and 109th Tactical Control Flt. Area 135 acres. Runway 12,000 ft. Altitude 4,220 ft. Military 1,371, full-time personnel 443. Payroll \$27.2 million.

Savannah International Airport, Ga. 31402; 4 mi. NW of Savannah. Phone (912) 966-8201; DSN 860-8201. 165th Airlift Wing (ANG). Also field training site. Area 20 acres. Runway 9,400 ft. Altitude 50 ft. Military 988, full-time personnel 347. Payroll \$22.3 million. Housing: 156 officer, 736 enlisted.

Schenectady County Airport, Scotia, N.Y. 12302-9752; 2 mi. N of Schenectady. Phone (518) 786-4502; DSN 974-9210. 109th Airlift Wing (ANG). Area 106 acres. Runway 7,000 ft. Altitude 378 ft. Military 1,136, full-time personnel 281. Payroll \$22.1 million.

Selfridge ANGB, Mich. 48045-5046; 3 mi. NE of Mount Clemens. Phone (313) 307-5553; DSN 273-5553. 127th Wing (ANG); 927th Air Refueling Wing (AFRC). Also hosts Air Force, Navy Reserve, Marine Corps Reserve, Army Reserve, Army Leserve, Army L

Sioux Gateway Airport, Iowa 51110; 7 mi. S of Sioux City. Phone (712) 279-7500; DSN 939-6500. 185th FighterWing (ANG). Area 118 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 1,098 ft. Military 980, full-time personnel 336. Payroll \$25.4 million.

Sky Harbor International Airport, Phoenix, Ariz. 85034. Phone (602) 231-8200; DSN 853-9000. 161st Air Refueling Wing (ANG). Area 58 acres. Runway 11,000 ft. Altitude 1,230 ft. Military 917, full-time personnel 358. Payroll \$24.2 million.

Springfield-Beckley Municipal Airport, Ohio 45501-1780; 5 mi. S of Springfield. Phone (513) 327-2100; DSN 346-2100. 178th Fighter Wing (ANG); 251st Combat Communications Gp. (ANG). 269th Combat Communications Sqdn. (ANG). Area 114 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 1,052 ft. Military 1,137, full-time personnel 336. Payroll \$28.8 million.

Stewart International Airport, Newburgh, N.Y. 12550-0031; 15 mi. N of US Military Academy (West Point). Phone (914) 563-2001; DSN 636-2001. Hq. N.Y. ANG; 105th Airlift Wing (ANG); USMA subpost airport. Stewart AFB until 1969; acquired by state of New York in 1970. ANG area 276 acres. Runway 9,800 ft. Altitude 491 ft. ANG millitary 1,523, full-time personnel 624. Payroll \$40.7 million. Most military services available through West Point or subpost.

Syracuse Hancock International Airport, N.Y. 13211-7099; 5 mi. NE of Syracuse. Phone (315) 454-6100; DSN 489-9100. 174th Fighter Wing (ANG). Base operations for Hancock ANGB. 152d Tactical Control Gp.; 108th and 113th Tactical Control Sqdns. (ANG). Area 371 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 421 ft. Military 1,058, full-time personnel 343. Payroll \$26.2 million.

Toledo Express Airport, Swanton, Ohio 43558; 14 mi. W of Toledo. Phone (419) 866-4078; DSN 580-4078. 180th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 114 acres. Runway 10,600 ft. Altitude 684 ft. Military 1,023, full-time personnel 321. Payroll \$24.9 million.

Truax Field (Dane County Regional Airport), Wis. 53704-2591; 2 mi. N of Madison. Phone (608) 242-4200; DSN 724-8210. 115th Fighter Wing (ANG). Activated June 1942 as AAF base; taken over by Wisconsin ANG in Apr. 1968. Named for Lt. T.L. Truax, killed in P-40 training accident in

1941. Area 154 acres. Runway 8,600 ft. Altitude 862 ft. Military 949, full-time personnel 337. Payroll \$23.8 million. Housing: 7 transient.

Tucson International Airport, Ariz. 85734; within Tucson city limits. Phone (602) 295-6210; DSN 924-6210. 162d Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 84 acres. Runway 11,000 ft. Altitude 2,650 ft. Military 1,542, full-time personnel 916. Payroll \$67.7 million.

Tulsa International Airport, Okla. 74115. Phone (918) 832-8300; DSN 956-5210. 138th Fighter Wing (ANG); 219th Electronic Installation Sqdn. Area 82 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 676 ft. Military 1,190, full-time personnel 321. Payroll \$23.1 million.

Volk Field, Wis. 54618-5001; 90 mi. NW of Madison. Phone (608) 427-1210; DSN 798-3210. ANG field training site featuring air-to-air and air-to-ground gunnery ranges and providing training for ANG flying units. Field named for Lt. Jerome A. Volk, first Wisconsin ANG pilot killed in the Korean War. Area 2,336 acres. Runway 9,000 ft. Altitude 910 ft. Military 205, full-time personnel 91. Payroll \$7.6 million.

W. K. Kellogg Airport, Battle Creek, Mich. 49015-1291. Phone (616) 963-1596; DSN 580-3210. 110th Fighter Wing (ANG). Area 315 acres. Runway 10,000 ft. Altitude 941 ft. Military 910, full-time personnel 273. Payroll \$24.1 million.

Westover ARB, Mass. 01022-5000; 10 mi. NE of Springfield. Phone (413) 557-1110; DSN 589-1110. AFRC base. 439th Airlift Wing (AFRC). Also home of Army, Navy, and Marine Corps Reserve units. Base dedicated Apr. 6, 1940; named for Maj. Gen. Oscar Westover, Chief of the Air Corps, killed Sept. 21, 1938, in crash near Burbank, Calif. Area 2,386 acres. Runway 10,400 ft. Altitude 244 ft. Full-time personnel (AFRC and tenant units): 502 AII-time Reserve technicians, 557 civilians. Part-time Reservists: 2,676. Payroll \$75 million. Housing: 356 VAQ (500 beds), 50 VOQ (80 beds).

Willow Grove ARS, Pa. 19090-5203; 14 mi. N of Philadelphia. AFRC base with ANG unit as tenant. 913th Airlift Wing (AFRC host). Phone (215) 443-1062; DSN 991-1062. Full-time civilians 170, Reservists 1,055, Air Reserve technicians 180. Reserve area 162 acres. Altitude 356 ft. Payroll \$23.5 million. Reserve base activated in Aug. 1958. Tenant: 111th Fighter Wing (ANG). Phone (215) 443-1501; DSN 991-1501. ANG military 1,037, tull-time personnel 268. Payroll \$20.4 million. ANG area 39 acres. AFRC shares use of adjacent runway (8,000 ft.) at NAS/JRB Willow Grove.

Will Rogers World Airport, Okla. 73169-5000; 7 mi. SW of Oklahoma City. Phone (405) 686-5210; DSN 940-8210. 137th Airlift Wing (ANG). Area 133 acres. Runway 9,800 ft. Altitude 1,290 ft. Military 2,577, full-time personnel 370. Payroll \$21.3 million.

Yeager Airport, W.Va. 25311-5000; 4 mi. NE of Charleston. Phone (304) 341-6126; DSN 366-6210. 130th Airlift Wing (ANG). Airport named for Brig. Gen. Charles E. "Chuck" Yeager, first man to break the sound barrier. Area 269 acres. Runway 6,300 ft. Altitude 981 ft. Military 903, full-time personnel 243. Payroll \$15.5 million.

Youngstown-Warren Regional Airport ARS, Ohio 44473-0910; 16 mi. N of Youngstown. Phone (330) 392-1000; DSN 346-1000. AFRC base. 910th Airlift Wing (AFRC). Host to 757th Airlift Sqdn.; 773d Airlift Sqdn.; 76th Aerial Port Sqdn.; Navy Reserve; Marine Corps Reserve; Army Corps of Engineers; and FAA. Base activated in 1953. Area 403 acres. Three runways, primary length 7,492 ft. Altitude 1,196 ft. Total reserve 1,566, active duty 27, civilian 450. Payroll \$26.5 million. ■