**Holloman Air Force Base**

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| **Holloman Air Force Base**  **Alamogordo Army Airfield** | |
| Part of Air Combat Command (ACC) | |
| Located near: [Alamogordo, New Mexico](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alamogordo,_New_Mexico) | |
| F-22 Raptor, 49th Fighter Wing, Holloman Air Force Base | |
| **Coordinates** | [32°51′09″N 106°06′23″W﻿ / ﻿32.8525°N 106.10639°W﻿ / 32.8525; -106.10639﻿ (Holloman AFB)](http://toolserver.org/~geohack/geohack.php?pagename=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&params=32_51_09_N_106_06_23_W_&title=Holloman+AFB) |
| **Built** | 1942 |
| **In use** | 1942-Present |
| **Controlled by** | [United States Air Force](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Air_Force) |
| **Garrison** | [49th Wing](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/49th_Wing) |

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| **Airfield information** | | | |
| [**IATA**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/International_Air_Transport_Association_airport_code)**: HMN –** [**ICAO**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/International_Civil_Aviation_Organization_airport_code)**: KHMN –** [**FAA**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Federal_Aviation_Administration)[**LID**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Location_identifier#FAA_identifier)**: HMN** | | | |
| **Summary** | | | |
| **Elevation** [**AMSL**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Above_mean_sea_level) | | 4,093 ft / 1,248 m | |
| [**Coordinates**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Geographic_coordinate_system) | | [32°51′09″N 106°06′23″W﻿ / ﻿32.8525°N 106.10639°W﻿ / 32.8525; -106.10639](http://toolserver.org/~geohack/geohack.php?pagename=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&params=32_51_09_N_106_06_23_W_type:airport)[Coordinates](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Geographic_coordinate_system): [32°51′09″N 106°06′23″W﻿ / ﻿32.8525°N 106.10639°W﻿ / 32.8525; -106.10639](http://toolserver.org/~geohack/geohack.php?pagename=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&params=32_51_09_N_106_06_23_W_type:airport) | |
| **Website** | | [www.holloman.af.mil](http://www.holloman.af.mil) | |
| **Map** | | | |
| [KHMN is located in New Mexico](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:USA_New_Mexico_location_map.svg)    **KHMN**  Location of Holloman Air Force Base | | | |
| [**Runways**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Runway) | | | |
| [**Direction**](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Runway#Orientation_and_dimensions) | **Length** | | **Surface** |
| **ft** | **m** |
| 4/22 | 10,575 | 3,223 | PEM |
| 7/25 | 12,800 | 3,901 | PEM |
| 16/34 | 12,131 | 3,698 | PEM |

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Northrop AT-38AB-45-NO Talon Serial 62-3660 of the 586th Flight Test Squadron (AFMC)

[](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Holloman-tornado.jpg)

[German](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Germany) [Luftwaffe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Luftwaffe) Panavia Tornado at Holloman

**Holloman Air Force Base** ([IATA](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/International_Air_Transport_Association_airport_code): **HMN**, [ICAO](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/International_Civil_Aviation_Organization_airport_code): **KHMN**, [FAA](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Federal_Aviation_Administration) [LID](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Location_identifier): **HMN**) is a [United States Air Force](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Air_Force) base located six miles (10 km) southwest of the [central business district](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Central_business_district) of [Alamogordo](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alamogordo,_New_Mexico), a city in [Otero County](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Otero_County,_New_Mexico), [New Mexico](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/New_Mexico), [United States](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States). The base was named in honor of Col. George V. Holloman, a pioneer in guided missile research. It is the home of the [49th Wing](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/49th_Wing) (49 WG) of the [Air Combat Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_Combat_Command) (ACC).

**Overview**

Holloman is located in New Mexico's [Tularosa Basin](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tularosa_Basin) between the [Sacramento](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sacramento_Mountains_(New_Mexico)) and [San Andres](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/San_Andres_Mountains) mountain ranges. The base is about 10 miles (16 km) west of Alamogordo, New Mexico, on [U.S. Route 70](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/U.S._Route_70)/[82](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/U.S._Route_82); 90 miles (145 km) north of [El Paso, Texas](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/El_Paso,_Texas); and 70 miles (113 km) east of [Las Cruces, New Mexico](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Las_Cruces,_New_Mexico). The base covers 59,639 acres (24,135 [ha](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hectare)) and is located at an altitude of 4,093 feet (1,248 m). Holloman is home to the world's longest, at 50,188 feet (almost 10 miles/16 km), and fastest, approaching 10,000 feet per second (3,050 m/s, Mach 9), test track.

The 49th Wing — host wing at Holloman Air Force Base — supports national security objectives by deploying worldwide to support peacetime and wartime contingencies. The wing provides combat-ready Airmen, F-22 Raptors, and trains MQ-1 Predator and MQ-9 Reaper pilots and sensor operators. Additionally, the wing delivers Air Transportable Clinics and Basic Expeditionary Airfield Resources while providing support to more than 17,000 military and civilian personnel to include German Air Force Flying Training center operations. The wing has a proud history of service in World War II, Korea, Southeast Asia, Southwest Asia and NATO-led Operation Allied Force.

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=2)**] Units**

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=3)**] 49th Wing**

The 49th Wing is the host unit at Holloman Air Force Base, supporting national security objectives with mission-ready [F-22](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-22) Raptors, Air Transportable Medical Clinic and Bare Base assets. The wing deploys combat-ready and mission-support forces supporting Air Expeditionary Force operations, Overseas Contingency Operations, and peacetime contingencies.

The 49th Operations Group (OG) supports national security objectives, as directed by the Joint Chiefs of Staff, by utilizing the Air Force's F-22A aircraft. Operational squadrons are:

* [7th Fighter Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/7th_Fighter_Squadron) ([F-22A](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-22A))
* [8th Fighter Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/8th_Fighter_Squadron) ([F-22A](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-22A))

All F-22A carry the "HO" Tailcode. The Operations Group took over the activities of the deactivated 37th Fighter Wing at [Tonopah Test Range Airport](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tonopah_Test_Range_Airport) when the [F-117As](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-117A) were transferred to Holloman in 1993. In addition to the 49th OG, other components of the 49th Fighter Wing are:

* 49th Maintenance Group: Manages and conducts the wing's logistics functions
* 49th Mission Support Group: Provides support to all base operations, personnel, and family members.
* 49th Medical Group: Provides medical services for active duty and retired military members and their families
* 49th Materiel Maintenance Group: Maintains and deploys all equipment needed to build a "bare base" airfield
* Detachment 1, 82nd Aerial Targets Squadron (From [Tyndall AFB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tyndall_AFB), [Florida](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Florida)): Maintains and operates McDonnell-Douglas Q[F-4 Phantom II](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-4_Phantom_II) Full Scale Aerial Target (FSAT) drone aircraft (Tail Code HD).

In February 2006 the [Bush Administration](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/George_W._Bush_administration) announced that Holloman would cease to be home to the [F-117A](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-117A) Nighthawk. This move coincides with an announcement that the [F-117](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-117) will be removed from service on or about 2008. On 1 March 2006, it was announced by the United States Air Force that Holloman would be the new home of two squadrons of [F-22A Raptors](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-22_Raptor).

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=4)**] 46th Test Group**

Along with the 49th FW, the **46th Test Group** , part of the [46th Test Wing](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/46th_Test_Wing) from [Eglin Air Force Base](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Eglin_Air_Force_Base), [Florida](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Florida) is based at Holloman. The 46th TG is an [Air Force Materiel Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_Force_Materiel_Command) unit responsible for operational testing and evaluation of new equipment and systems proposed for use by these forces. Current initiatives include advanced self-protection systems for combat aircraft, aircrew life support systems, aerial reconnaissance improvements, new armament and weapons delivery systems, and improved maintenance equipment and logistics support.

Squadrons of the group are:

* [586th Flight Test Squadron](http://www.holloman.af.mil/library/factsheets/factsheet.asp?id=5921) - Conducts flight testing
* [746th Test Squadron](http://www.holloman.af.mil/library/factsheets/factsheet.asp?id=5922) - Conducts Guidance/Navigational testing to include Internal Global Positioning Systems (GPS)
* [781st Test Squadron](http://usafengineers.com/modules.php?name=Units&file=details&id=351) - National RCS Test Facility
* [846th Test Squadron](http://www.holloman.af.mil/library/factsheets/factsheet.asp?id=5924) - Rocket Sled Tests

Aircraft of the 46th Test Group carry the tail code "HT".

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=5)**] German Air Force Flying Training Center**

On 1 May 1996, the [German](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Germany) [Luftwaffe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Luftwaffe) established the German Air Force Tactical Training Center at Holloman.

The German Air Force Tactical Training Center activated at Holloman 1 May 1996. With the activation, 300 German military personnel and 12 [Panavia Tornado](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Panavia_Tornado) aircraft joined Team Holloman. German aircrews come to Holloman for approximately three weeks for advanced tactical training and then return to [Germany](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Germany). The German Air Force ([Luftwaffe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Luftwaffe)) also conducts a Fighter Weapons Instructor Course for the Tornado. Aircrews for this course come to Holloman for about six months.

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A Tornado showing the GAF/FTC emblem on the tail fin.

As of November 2006 there are 650 German military personnel and 25 Tornado aircraft assigned to Holloman AFB.

There are numerous reasons the German Air Force trains at Holloman. The area offers great flying weather and has suitable air space. Other reasons are the proximity of Holloman to the German Air Force Air Defense Center at [Fort Bliss](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Fort_Bliss), [Texas](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Texas) and the centralizing of German aircrew training at a single location. To facilitate this, there is a memorandum of understanding between the two governments.

By offering NATO allies the benefits of available space at Holloman as well as the use of the Southwest's excellent flying weather, the U.S. can help maintain the strength of NATO's forces without the expense of forward-basing U.S. forces in great numbers overseas.

On 29 September 1999 two Luftwaffe Tornados crashed near Marathon Indian Basin, about 15 miles northwest of [Carlsbad, New Mexico](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Carlsbad,_New_Mexico). The crash details were kept quiet from the American public, as the crash was investigated under Luftwaffe jurisdiction.

In September 2004, Luftwaffe chief of staff, Klaus-Peter Stieglitz announced a reduction in its training program of roughly 20%.

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=6)**] History**

Holloman Air Force Base was established in 1942 as **Alamogordo Air Field** six miles west of [Alamogordo, New Mexico](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alamogordo,_New_Mexico), it was renamed in 1948 in honor of Col. George Holloman, a native of [Rich Square, North Carolina](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rich_Square,_North_Carolina) and pioneer of early [rocket](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rocket) and pilot-less aircraft research.

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=7)**] World War II**

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Alamogordo Army Air Field - 1944

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[](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:B-17g-43-38050-359th_BS.jpg)

Boeing B-17G-75-BO Fortress AAF Serial No. 42-38050 of the 303d Bombardment Group.

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Consolidated B-24J-180-CO Liberator Serial AAF Serial No. 44-40807 of the 466th Bombardment Group.

On 10 June 1942 **Alamogordo Army Air Field** (AAF) was established at a site six miles (10 km) west of [Alamogordo, New Mexico](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alamogordo,_New_Mexico). Initial plans called for the base to serve as the center for the [British Overseas Training program](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/British_Commonwealth_Air_Training_Plan). The British hoped to be able to train their aircrews over the open New Mexico skies. However, everything changed when the [Japanese](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Japan) launched a [surprise attack against the Hawaiian Islands](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pearl_Harbor_attack) on 7 December 1941. The British decided to not pursue its overseas training program, and the United States military saw the location as an opportunity to train its own expanding military. Construction began at the airfield on 5 February 1942 and forces began moving into **Alamogordo Bombing and Gunnery Range** on 14 May 1942.

The base was under the command of the [United States Army Air Force](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Army_Air_Force) (USAAF) [Second Air Force](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Second_Air_Force) with its Headquarters at, [Colorado Springs](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Colorado_Springs), [Colorado](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Colorado). The base was equipped with aprons, runways, taxiways and hangars during the summer of 1942 being renamed Alamogordo AAF in June.

From 1942-1945, Alamogordo AAF served as the training grounds for over 20 different groups, initially flying [Boeing B-17 Flying Fortresses](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/B-17_Flying_Fortress) then [Consolidated B-24 Liberators](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/B-24). Typically, the groups served at the airfield for several months, training their personnel before deploying overseas.

The host support unit at Alamogordo AAF was the **359th Base HQ and Air Base Squadron**, activated on 10 June 1942. This was redesignated the **231st AAF Base Unit** on 25 March 1944, then **1073d AAF Base Unit** on 24 August 1944.

On 16 April 1945 Alamogordo AAF was relieved of its training mission and assigned to Continental Air Forces, and was scheduled to be a permanent B-29 base. However postwar funding cutbacks did not allow an active bomb group to be based at the facility, and the base was temporarily inactivated on 28 February 1946.

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=8)**] Holloman Air Armament Center (AAC)**

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Rocket Sled Track at Holloman AFB

After [World War II](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/World_War_II), the future of the base was uncertain. In fact, rumors spread concerning the closure of the site, fueled by the fact that most operations had ceased. However, on 16 March 1947, a new era began when [Air Materiel Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_Materiel_Command) announced the airfield would be its primary site for the testing and development of pilotless aircraft, guided missiles, and other research programs.

For the next 25 years the site, which became known as the **Holloman Air Development Center**, and later the **Air Force Missile Development Center**, launched many missiles including [Tiny Tim (the first Army rocket)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Anti-ship_missile), [Rascal](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rascal_(artillery)), [V-2 rocket](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/V-2_rocket), Ryan XQ-2 Drone, [Falcon](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/AIM-4_Falcon), [MGM-13 Mace](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MGM-13_Mace), [MGM-1 Matador](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MGM-1_Matador), and [AGM-45 Shrike](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/AGM-45_Shrike).

On 13 January 1948 the Alamogordo installation was renamed **Holloman Air Force Base**, in honor of the late Col. George V. Holloman, a pioneer in guided missile research.

Resulting from a major reorganization, the **2754th Experimental Wing** was activated on 20 September 1949 at Holloman AFB overseeing all research and development projects. On 10 October 1952, the Holloman Air Development Center opened, under the command of Colonel Don R. Ostrander. Holloman Air Force Base wrote its name into the annals of American history in the 1950s and 1960s.

On 10 December 1954, Lt Colonel (Dr.) [John P. Stapp](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/John_Stapp) received the nickname "The Fastest Man Alive" when he rode a rocket propelled test sled, Sonic Wind No. 1, to a speed of 632 miles per hour.

On 1 September 1957 the Holloman Air Development Center was renamed the Air Force Missile Development Center and deactivated on 1 August 1970.

Additionally, Captain [Joseph W. Kittinger, Jr.](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Joseph_Kittinger), stepped out of an open balloon gondola at 102,800 feet on 16 August 1960, in an attempt to evaluate techniques of high altitude bailout. Capt Kittinger’s jump lasted 13 minutes, reaching a velocity of 614 miles per hour. That jump broke four world records: highest open gondola manned balloon flight, highest balloon flight of any kind, highest bailout, and longest free fall.[[1]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Holloman_Air_Force_Base#cite_note-0#cite_note-0)

On 31 January 1961, [HAM](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ham_the_Chimp), a three-year-old chimpanzee, blasted off from [Cape Canaveral Air Force Station](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cape_Canaveral_Air_Force_Station) to an altitude of 157 miles inside the [Mercury-Redstone 2](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mercury-Redstone_2) capsule as a final check to man-rate a capsule and launch vehicle. HAM thus became the first [chimpanzee](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chimpanzee) to go into [Outer space](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Outer_space).

A final noteworthy event occurred on 29 November 1961, when [ENOS](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Enos_(chimpanzee)), a chimpanzee trained at Holloman’s Aero-Medical (HAM) laboratory, was the first US specimen launched into orbit. ENOS was launched in the [Mercury-Atlas 4](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mercury-Atlas_4) capsule that completed two orbits around the earth and was safely recovered three hours, 21 minutes later.

On 8 April 1966 the **4758th Defense Systems Evaluation Squadron** (DSES) arrived from [Biggs AFB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Biggs_AFB) [Texas](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Texas). The mission of this squadron was to evaulate aircraft weapons systems and to provide training for air defense units. Aircraft flown by the 4758th DSES were the [B-57 Canberra](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/B-57_Canberra) and [F-100 Super Sabre](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-100_Super_Sabre). On 31 October 1970 the squadron was merged with the 4677th DSES at [Tyndall AFB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tyndall_AFB) [Florida](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Florida).

On 1 August 1970, per Air Force Systems Command Special Order G-94, the AFMDC was deactivated and [Tactical Air Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tactical_Air_Command) assumed host responsibilities for Holloman Air Force Base. Associate units and programs transferred to other locations within [Air Force Systems Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_Force_Systems_Command). The Test & Evaluation activities that remained were the Central Inertial Guidance Test Facility (CIGTF), the High Speed Test Track, the Radar Target Scatter Facility (RATSCAT), and the Target Drone Facility.

These organizations were combined to form the nucleus of a Holloman AFB tenant organization, the **6585th Test Group**, with the Air Force Special Weapons Center (AFSWC) at [Kirtland Air Force Base](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kirtland_Air_Force_Base), New Mexico, designated as the headquarters for the Test Group.

In 1975, AFSWC was disestablished, and the 6585th Test Group at Holloman became part of the **Armament Development and Test Center (ADTC)** at [Eglin AFB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Eglin_AFB) [Florida](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Florida). They were later renamed the Armament Division (AD). From 1 October 1993 under the objective wing reorganization, the Air Division at Eglin AFB became the Air Armament Center (AAC).

In 1986, a contract was awarded to Flight Systems Inc. (later Honeywell) to modify 194 surplus [Convair F-106 Delta Dart](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-106_Delta_Dart) aircraft stored at [Davis-Monthan AFB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Davis-Monthan_AFB) [Arizona](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Arizona) to the QF-106A target drone configuration. This program came to be known as Pacer Six, and the first flight of a converted drone took place in July 1987. Following the completion of an initial batch of ten QF-106s in 1990, most of the work was transferred to the USAF itself. Much of the conversion work was done before the aircraft were removed from storage at AMARC, with further work being carried out at [East St Louis](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/East_St_Louis), [Illinois](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Illinois).

The QF-106s began operating as a Full-Scale Aerial Target (FSAT) in late 1991 at [White Sands Missile Range](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/White_Sands_Missile_Range) New Mexico, and later at the Eglin Gulf Test Range in Florida (based at Holloman and Tyndall). A typical mission would employ the QF-106 as a target for an [infrared homing](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Infrared_homing) missile. The aircraft had burners placed on pylons underneath the wings to act as IR sources for heat-seeking missiles. The intention of the program was for the QF-106 to survive repeated engagements with [air-to-air missiles](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air-to-air_missile), to make it possible for each QF-106 to last as long as possible before it was destroyed. The last shootdown of a QF-106 (57-2524) took place at Holloman AFB on 20 February 1997. Today, the QF-106 has been replaced by QF-4 Phantom drones

Today, the **46th Test Group** from Eglin Air Force Base Florida is responsible for operational testing and evaluation of new equipment and systems proposed for use by these forces. Current initiatives include advanced self-protection systems for combat aircraft, aircrew life support systems, aerial reconnaissance improvements, new armament and weapons delivery systems, and improved maintenance equipment and logistics support.

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=9)**] 366th Tactical Fighter Wing**

On 12 July 1963, after serving at [Chaumont-Semoutiers Air Base](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chaumont-Semoutiers_Air_Base), [France](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/France) as a conventional strike force in Europe, the [366th Tactical Fighter Wing](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/366th_Tactical_Fighter_Wing) moved to Holloman. The move was a result of French president [Charles DeGaulle](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Charles_de_Gaulle)’s deep suspicion of “supranational organizations” and his country’s shift away from the [NATO](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NATO) orbit in the early 1960s that ultimately led to the closure of [American air bases in France](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Air_Force_in_France).

366th TFW was organized as follows:

* [389th Tactical Fighter Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/389th_Fighter_Squadron) (Blue striping)
* [390st Tactical Fighter Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/390th_Fighter_Squadron) (Yellow striping)
* [391st Tactical Fighter Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/391st_Fighter_Squadron) (Red striping)
* 480th Tactical Fighter Squadron (Green striping)

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At the time of the wing's arrival at Holloman, they flew the [Republic F-84F Thunderstreak](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-84), which were former [Air National Guard](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_National_Guard) aircraft transferred to France during the [1961 Berlin Crisis](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Berlin_Wall) as part of Operation Tack Hammer. At Holloman, the wing began converting to the new [McDonnell Douglas F-4C Phantom II](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-4_Phantom_II) in February 1965.

Later that year, the wing sent its first squadron to the [Republic of Vietnam](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Vietnam). The 390th Fighter Squadron was assigned to [Da Nang AB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Da_Nang_International_Airport), and the 391st went to [Cam Ranh Bay AB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cam_Ranh_Bay) in early 1966.

On 20 March 1966 the rest of the wing entered the conflict and moved to [Phan Rang AB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Phan_Rang_Air_Base), Republic of Vietnam in support of [combat operations in Vietnam](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vietnam_War). With the transfer of the 366th to Vietnam, the 6583d Air Base Group became the host unit at Holloman.

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=10)**] 49th Tactical Fighter Wing**

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McDonnell Douglas F-4E-41-MC Phantom II AF Serial No. 68-0531 of the 49th FW. This aircraft was brought out of AMARC storage in 1997 as part of the USAF 50th Anniversary and repainted in a Southeast Asia camouflage motif. It is still on the rolls of AMARC as of 2008.

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McDonnell Douglas F-15A-19-MC Eagle AF Serial No. 77-0115 of the 8th Fighter Squadron. After the end of its active service, this aircraft was transferred to the 101st Fighter Squadron of the Massachusetts [Air National Guard](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_National_Guard) based at [Otis ANGB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Otis_ANGB).

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Northrop AT-38B-55-NO Talon AF Serial No. 64-13172 of the 434th TFTS/479th TTW

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German Air Force McDonnell Douglas F-4F-54-MC Phantom AF Serial No. 72-1164 flown by the 20th Fighter Squadron in USAF markings. Today this aircraft is flown by Jagdgeschwader 74 at [Neuburg Air Base](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Neuburg_an_der_Donau) in Germany

On 1 July 1968, the **49th Tactical Fighter Wing** arrived at Holloman Air Force Base from [Spangdahlem AB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Spangdahlem_Air_Base), [West Germany](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/West_Germany), becoming the first dual-based tactical fighter wing. The 6583d Air Base Group was deactivated in place.

Under the dual-basing concept, the 49th, stationed at Holloman, deployed individual squadrons periodically to [Europe](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Europe), fulfilling their [NATO](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NATO) commitment. The operational squadrons of the 49th TFW upon its arrival were:

* [7th Tactical Fighter Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/7th_Fighter_Squadron) (HB/HO, blue)
* [8th Tactical Fighter Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/8th_Fighter_Squadron) (HC/HO, yellow)
* [9th Tactical Fighter Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/9th_Fighter_Squadron) (HD/HO, red)

All three squadrons flew the [McDonnell Douglas F-4D Phantom II](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-4_Phantom_II). In 1972 squadron aircraft tail codes were standardized on "HO".

In 1969, the wing participated in its first dual-basing exercise, Crested Cap I, deploying 2,000 personnel and 72 aircraft to NATO bases in Europe. Also in 1969, the 49th earned the coveted MacKay Trophy for the "most meritorious flight of the year", for the redeployment from Germany to Holloman after Crested Cap II. The MacKay Trophy recognized the 49th for the fastest non-stop deployment of jet aircraft accomplished by a wing's entire fleet.

In May 1972 the 49th deployed their F-4 aircraft and 2,600 personnel to [Takhli RTAFB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Takhli_Royal_Thai_Air_Force_Base) [Thailand](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thailand). During this deployment the 49th flew more than 21,000 combat hours over just about every battle zone from An Loc to vital installations in the Hanoi vicinity. During five months of combat, the wing did not lose any aircraft or personnel—a testament to the outstanding training and proficiency of all members of the 49th. The unit received an [Air Force Outstanding Unit Award](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_Force_Outstanding_Unit_Award) with Combat "V" Device for its participation. The 49th TFW officially closed out its [Southeast Asia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Southeast_Asia) duty on 9 October 1972, turning over Takhli to a former host unit at Holloman, the 366th TFW which was transferred from [Da Nang Air Base](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Da_Nang_Air_Base) [South Vietnam](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Vietnam).

**F-15 Eagle era**

On 20 December 1977, the wing began converting from the F-4D to F-15A/Bs. The transition was completed on 4 June 1978.

History was made during February 1980, when two pilots from the 49th each flew their F-15s 6,200 miles in just over 14 hours, establishing a record for the longest flight of a single-seat fighter aircraft. The flights required six aerial refuelings, proving the global power of the 49th Tactical Fighter Wing.

In July 1980, the wing acquired the commitment of a primary [Rapid Deployment Force](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Rapid_Deployment_Forces) unit. This tasking, which lasted for a year, required the wing to be ready to deploy its aircraft, crews, and support personnel on short notice. The wing served with the Rapid Deployment Force until July 1981, when the tasking was transferred to the 1st Tactical Fighter Wing, [Langley Air Force Base](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Langley_Air_Force_Base) [Virginia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Virginia).

The 49th demonstrated its capabilities in the fall of 1988, winning top honors at the William Tell air-to-air weapons competition. The wing outdistanced the nearest competitor by more than 2,000 points. The 49th won a variety of awards, including the coveted "Top Gun" for best fighter pilot.

**F-117 Nighthawk era**

From 1991 to 1993, the 49th underwent a number of transitions. On 1 October 1991, the 49th was redesignated the **49th Fighter Wing** as part of an Air Force wide redesignation of units.

On 1 November 1991, the 7th Fighter Squadron ceased F-15 operations, performing a Lead-In Fighter Training (LIFT) mission with [Northrup AT-38B Talons](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/T-38_Talon), preparing for the transition to the [Lockheed F-117A Nighthawk](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-117_Nighthawk). during most of 1992.

On 1 June 1992 the 8th Fighter Squadron ceased F-15 operations and started flying AT-38B LIFT missions.

The 9th Fighter Squadron ceased F-15 operations on 5 June 1992 and received F-4E aircraft from the 20th Fighter Squadron from the deactivating [George AFB](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Southern_California_Logistics_Airport) [California](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/California) as the Fighter Training Unit for the German Air Force.

The last F-15 departed Holloman 5 June 1992, ending 14 years of Eagle operations.

On 9 May 1992, four [Lockheed F-117A Nighthawk](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-117_Nighthawk) stealth fighters from the [Tonopah Test Range Airport](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tonopah_Test_Range_Airport) [Nevada](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nevada), arrived at Holloman. The 37th Tactical Fighter Wing at Tonopah was deactivated with the transfer of the last F-117s to Holloman on 8 July 1992.

F-117s were initially assigned to the following squadrons:

* 69th Fighter Squadron -> 8th FS (1 July 1993)
* 69th Fighter Squadron -> 9th FS (1 July 1993)
* 417th Fighter Squadron -> 7th FS (1 December 1993)

These squadrons were PCS (moved Permanent Change Of Station) to Holloman as part of the 37th Operations Group on 15 June 1992. The formal transfer to the 49th Operations group occurred on 8 July 1992 when the 37th OG was deactivated. In 1993 these squadrons were inactivated with assets transferred to the 7th, 8th and 9th Fighter Squadrons. The 7th was designated a combat training squadron, the 8th and 9th being deployable operational fighter squadrons.

On 1 July 1993, the **20th Fighter Squadron** was activated as part of the 49th Operations Group, taking over the F-4Es of the 9th FS. The mission of the 20th FS was to conduct training with the German Air Force. The F-4Es which the 20th FS flew initially were USAF-owned aircraft, however in 1997 the squadron began flying German-owned F-4F aircraft. The F-4Fs, however flew in USAF markings. The 20th Fighter Squadron was inactivated on 20 December 2004 and the F-4Fs sent to Germany.

The **48th Rescue Squadron** served at Holloman AFB on 1 May 1993 with its six [Sikorsky HH-60G Pave Hawk](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/HH-60_Pave_Hawk) helicopters. The personnel of the 48th deployed six times in support of Operations Northern and Southern Watch. Additionally, the 48th saved 33 lives in real-world rescues in the American Southwest. The unit was inactivated on 1 February 1999.

The 8th and 9th Fighter Squadrons deployed to [Aviano Air Base](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Aviano_Air_Base), [Italy](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Italy) and [Spangdahlem Air Base](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Spangdahlem_Air_Base), [Germany](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Germany) from 21 February–1 July 1999, in support of Operation Allied Force. Flying more than 1,000 total sorties, pilots flew into heavily defended skies, littered with surface-to-air missiles and anti-aircraft fire. In particular, F-117A pilots bravely trusting in their aircraft's low observable technology struck some of the most valuable, and highly guarded targets in [Serbia](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Serbia). The F-117s penetrated the heavily defended areas, which conventional aircraft could not reach, and at least two aircraft were lost.

**Global War On Terror**

People, airplanes, and equipment of the 49th Fighter Wing played a key role in the continued global war against terrorism and particularly[[*citation needed*](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:Citation_needed)] in Operation Iraqi Freedom. The wing's F-117s played a major role, dropping the first bombs against an Iraqi leadership target in [Baghdad](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Baghdad) on 19 March 2003. In all, F-117 pilots flew more than 80 missions and dropped nearly 100 enhanced guided bomb units against key targets.

Approximately 300 people deployed with the air package and provided direct support to the F-117 mission. Additionally, hundreds of other 49th FW personnel were deployed on other missions.

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=11)**] 479th Tactical Training Wing**

The 479th TTW was activated at Holloman on 1 January 1977 to provide Lead-In Fighter Training (LIFT) training for pilots assigned to fly the [McDonnell Douglas F-15 Eagle](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-15_Eagle). The 479th Flew AT-38B Talons with the following squadrons:

* 416th Tactical Fighter Training Squadron (14 March 1979 - 1 September 1983) (grey stripe)  
  Redesignated 433d TFTS (1 September 1983 - 15 November 1991)
* [434th Tactical Fighter Training Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/434th_Fighter_Training_Squadron) (1 January 1977 - 15 November 1991) (red stripe)
* [435th Tactical Fighter Training Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/435th_Fighter_Training_Squadron) (1 January 1977 - 15 November 1991) (blue stripe)
* [436th Tactical Fighter Training Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/436th_Tactical_Fighter_Training_Squadron) (1 January 1977 - 15 November 1991) (yellow stripe)

All 479th TTW aircraft carried the "HM" tail code. The LIFT program was sharply cut back in 1991, and the wing replaced by the **479th Fighter Group** at Holloman, with the aircraft being consolidated under the **586th Flight Training Squadron**.

The 479th was inactivated on 31 July 2000, with squadron resources absorbed by the 49th FW, later being transferred to the 46th Test Group as the **586th Flight Test Squadron**.

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=12)**] Base names**

* Alamogordo Bombing and Gunnery Range, 14 May 1942
* Alamogordo Field Training Station, 27 May 1942
* Alamogordo Army Air Base, c. June 1942
* Alamogordo Army Air Field, 21 November 1942
* Holloman Air Force Base, 13 January 1948-Present

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=13)**] Major commands to which assigned**

* [Second Air Force](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Second_Air_Force), May 1942
* [Continental Air Forces](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continental_Air_Forces), 16 April 1945

re-designated as: [Strategic Air Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Strategic_Air_Command), 21 March 1946

* [Air Materiel Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_Materiel_Command), 16 March 1947
* [Air Research and Development Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_Research_and_Development_Command), 2 April 1951

re-designated as: [Air Force Systems Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_Force_Systems_Command), 1 April 1961

* [Tactical Air Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tactical_Air_Command), 1 January 1971
* [Air Combat Command](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_Combat_Command), 1 June 1992-Present

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**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=15)**] World War II station units**

* 359th Base HQ and Air Base Squadron, 10 June 1942-25 March 1944
* 231st Army Air Forces Base Unit, 25 March 1944-16 March 1947
* 206th Army Air Forces Base Unit, 22 August 1944-6 June 1945
* 1073d Army Air Forces Base Unit, 24 August 1944-15 January 1945

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| * [301st Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/301st_Bombardment_Group), 27 May-21 June 1942 (B-17) * [303d Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/303d_Bombardment_Group), 17 June- 7 August 1942 (B-17) * [330th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/330th_Bombardment_Group) 1 August-2 September 1942; 29 November 1942-5 April 1943 (B-24 OTU) * [392d Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/392d_Bombardment_Group), 18 March–18 July 1943 (B-24) * [454th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/454th_Bombardment_Group), 1 June-1 July 1943 (B-24) * [455th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/455th_Bombardment_Group), 1 June-6 September (B-24) * [459th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/459th_Bombardment_Group), 1-28 July 1943 (B-24) * [460th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/460th_Bombardment_Group), 1 July-31 August 1943 (B-24) * [449th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/449th_Bombardment_Group), 5 July-12 September 1943 (B-25) * [450th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/450th_Bombardment_Group), 8 July–20 November 1943 (B-24) | * [465th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/465th_Bombardment_Group), 1 August-September 1943 (B-24) * [466th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/466th_Bombardment_Group) 1-31 August 1943; 24 November 1943-February 1944 (B-24) * [36th Fighter Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/36th_Fighter_Group), 7-26 November 1943 (P-47) * [400th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/400th_Bombardment_Group), 19 September-11 December 1943 (B-24 OTU) * [492d Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/492d_Bombardment_Group), October 1943-January 1944 (B-24) * [487th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/487th_Bombardment_Group), 15 December 1943–c. 13 March 1944 (B-24) * [25th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/25th_Bombardment_Group), 6 April – 20 June 1944 (B-24 elements) * [680th Bombardment Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/680th_Bombardment_Squadron), 4 December 1944-10 May 1945 (B-24) * [467th Bombardment Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/467th_Bombardment_Group), 22 August-8 September 1945 (B-17, YB-29) |

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| * 4145th Army Air Forces Base Unit, 16 March 1947   Re-designated: [2754th Air Force Base Unit](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2754th_Air_Force_Base_Unit) 27 September 1947-20 September 1949   * 2754th Experimental Wing, 20 September 1949   Re-designated: 6540th Missile Test Wing, 30 June 1951  Re-designated: 6580th Missile Test Wing, 1 September 1952  Re-designated: Holloman Air Development Center, 10 October 1952  Re-designated: [Air Force Missile Development Center](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Air_Force_Missile_Development_Center) 1 September 1957-1 August 1970   * [6585th Test Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/6585th_Test_Group), 1 August 1970   Re-designated: [46th Test Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/46th_Test_Group), 1 October 1992 - 18 July 2012   * [96th Test Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/96th_Test_Group), 18 July 2012-Present * 3089th Experimental Group, 5 October 1949   Re-designated: 6540th Missile Test Group, 1 January 1951  Re-designated: 6580th Missile Test Group, 1 October 1953  Re-designated: 6580th Test Group, 1 September 1954-1 February 1955   * 6580th Test Support Wing, 1 October 1953   Re-designated: 6580th Air Base Wing, 1 September 1954  Re-designated: 6580th Air Base Group, 1 February 1955-1 January 1971 | * [3225th Drone Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/3225th_Drone_Squadron), 1 January 1953-25 October 1963 * 6571st Aeromedical Research Laboratory, 1 December 1961-31 December 1970 * [366th Tactical Fighter Wing](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/366th_Tactical_Fighter_Wing), 12 July 1963-11 March 1966 * [4758th Defense Systems Evaluation Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/4758th_Defense_Systems_Evaluation_Squadron), 8 April 1966-31 October 1970   Re-designated: Det 1, [4677th Defense Systems Evaluation Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/4677th_Defense_Systems_Evaluation_Squadron) 31 October 1970 - 1 Jul 1974   * 49th Tactical Fighter Wing, 1 July 1968   Re-designated: 49th Fighter Wing, 1 October 1991  re-designated: [49th Wing](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/49th_Wing), 30 June 2010-Present   * [479th Tactical Training Wing](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/479th_Tactical_Training_Wing), 1 January 1977-31 July 2000 * [833d Air Division](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/833d_Air_Division), 1 December 1980-15 November 1991 * Det 1, [82d Aerial Targets Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/82d_Aerial_Targets_Squadron), 1 July 1981-Present * Det 1, [475th Weapons Evaluation Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/475th_Weapons_Evaluation_Group) 15 October 1983-20 November 1998 * [4th Space Control Squadron](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/4th_Space_Control_Squadron), 16 April 1996-Present * German Air Force Flying Training Center, 1 May 1996-Present * [44th Fighter Group](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/44th_Fighter_Group), 1 February 2010 - Present |

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The first F-22 Raptor arrives at Holloman AFB on 2 June 2008

* World War II

[B-17 Flying Fortress](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/B-17_Flying_Fortress), 1942

[B-24 Liberator](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/B-24_Liberator), 1943-1944

[P-47 Thunderbolt](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/P-47_Thunderbolt), 1943

* United States Air Force

[F-4 Phantom II](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-4_Phantom_II)

[F-15 Eagle](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-15_Eagle)

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[F-117A Nighthawk](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-117A_Nighthawk)

[F-22A Raptor](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-22A_Raptor)

[F-84F Thunderstreak](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-84F_Thunderstreak)

[F-100 Super Sabre](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/F-100_Super_Sabre)

[EB-57 Canberra](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/EB-57_Canberra)

[T-38 Talon](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/T-38_Talon)

* Drone Aircraft

[QF-86 Sabre](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/QF-86_Sabre)

[QF-100 Super Sabre](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/QF-100_Super_Sabre)

[QF-106 Delta Dart](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/QF-106_Delta_Dart)

[QF-4 Phantom II](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/QF-4_Phantom_II)

[DB-17 Flying Fortress](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/DB-17_Flying_Fortress)

[QB-17 Flying Fortress](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/QB-17_Flying_Fortress)

* German Air Force

F-4E/F Phantom II, 1993-2004

[Panavia Tornado](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Panavia_Tornado), 1996-Present

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=19)**] Speed record**

Holloman is home to the world's longest and fastest high speed test track with 50,788 feet (15.40 km). The 846th Test Squadron set the world [land speed record for a railed vehicle](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Land_speed_record_for_railed_vehicles) with a run of 6,453 mph (2885 m/s or 10430 km/h), or [Mach](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mach_(speed)) 8.5 on 30 April 2003.[[2]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Holloman_Air_Force_Base#cite_note-1#cite_note-1)

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=20)**] Schools**

The base hosts a primary school and a middle school, which is named after the base and houses grades 6-8. The mascot of the middle school is the falcon.[[3]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Holloman_Air_Force_Base#cite_note-2#cite_note-2)[[4]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Holloman_Air_Force_Base#cite_note-3#cite_note-3)[[5]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Holloman_Air_Force_Base#cite_note-4#cite_note-4)

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=21)**] Geography**

The base is also a [census-designated place](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Census-designated_place) (CDP), which had a population of 2,076 at the [2000 census](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Census,_2000).[[6]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Holloman_Air_Force_Base#cite_note-GR2-5#cite_note-GR2-5)

According to the [United States Census Bureau](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Census_Bureau), the town has a total area of 12.7 square miles (33 km2), of which, 12.5 square miles (32 km2) of it is land and 0.2 square miles (0.52 km2) of it (1.18%) is water. The area of the airforce base is 59,639 acres (241.35 km2)

**Supported population:** Holloman AFB supports about 21,000 Active Duty, [Guard](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/US_National_Guard), Reserve, retirees, [DoD civilians](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States_Department_of_Defense) and their family members.

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=22)**] Demographics**

As of the [census](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Census)[[6]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Holloman_Air_Force_Base#cite_note-GR2-5#cite_note-GR2-5) of 2000, there were 2,076 people, 393 households, and 380 families residing on the base. The [population density](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Population_density) was 165.7 people per square mile (64.0/km²). There were 427 housing units at an average density of 34.1/sq mi (13.2/km²). The racial makeup of the base was 73.3% [White](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/White_(U.S._Census)), 13.2% [African American](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/African_American_(U.S._Census)), 0.6% [Native American](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Native_American_(U.S._Census)), 2.8% [Asian](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Asian_(U.S._Census)), 0.6% [Pacific Islander](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pacific_Islander_(U.S._Census)), 6.4% from [other races](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Race_(United_States_Census)), and 3.1% from two or more races. [Hispanic](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hispanic_(U.S._Census)) or [Latino](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Latino_(U.S._Census)) of any race were 12.4% of the population.

There were 393 households out of which 67.2% had children under the age of 18 living with them, 88.8% were [married couples](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Marriage) living together, 4.6% had a female householder with no husband present, and 3.3% were non-families. 2.8% of all households were made up of individuals and 0.3% had someone living alone who was 65 years of age or older. The average household size was 3.29 and the average family size was 3.34.

On the base the population was spread out with 25.0% under the age of 18, 37.0% from 18 to 24, 33.9% from 25 to 44, 3.7% from 45 to 64, and 0.4% who were 65 years of age or older. The median age was 22 years. For every 100 females there were 152.2 males. For every 100 females age 18 and over, there were 180.4 males.

The median income for a household on the base was $37,206, and the median income for a family was $37,941. Males had a median income of $20,359 versus $15,425 for females. The [per capita income](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Per_capita_income) for the town was $13,568. About 8.3% of families and 11.1% of the population were below the [poverty line](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Poverty_line), including 16.8% of those under age 18 and none of those age 65 or over.

**[**[**edit**](http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Holloman_Air_Force_Base&action=edit&section=23)**] See also**

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* [New Mexico World War II Army Airfields](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/New_Mexico_World_War_II_Army_Airfields)

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