

86 MAINTENANCE GROUP



MISSION

LINEAGE

86 Maintenance and Supply Group established and activated, 1 Jul 1948
Inactivated, 11 May 1953
Disestablished, 27 Sep 1984
Reestablished, redesignated 86 Logistics Group, and activated, 1 May 1991
Redesignated 86 Maintenance Group, 27 Sep 2002

STATIONS

Neubiberg AB, Germany, 1 Jul 1948
Landstuhl AB, Germany, 30 Dec 1952-11 May 1953
Ramstein AB, Germany, 1 May 1991

ASSIGNMENTS

86 Fighter (later, 86 Fighter-Bomber) Wing, 1 Jul 1948-11 May 1953
86 Fighter Wing (later, 86 Wing; 86 Airlift Wing), 1 May 1991

COMMANDERS

Col Clyde M. Burwell, #1952

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards with Combat "V" Device
15 Jan 2004-31 Oct 2005

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Jul 1993-30 Jun 1995
1 Jul 1996-30 Jun 1997
1 Sep 1997-31 Aug 1999
24 Mar-10 Jun 1999
1 Jan-31 Dec 2001
1 Jan-31 Dec 2002
1 Jan-31 Dec 2003
1 Nov 2005-31 Dec 2006
1 Jan-31 Dec 2007
1 Jan-31 Dec 2008
1 Jan 2009-31 Dec 2010
1 Jan 2014-31 Dec 2015

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OPERATIONS

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