

AeroNotes

This is a collection of notes I have collected over the years, usually scribbling them on small pieces of paper as I found them perusing libraries, bookstores, and the internet. Some become particularly interesting when multiple sources discuss an aircraft or event.

These are in no way meant to be complete, nor is it a complete listing of information I have, but it IS quite a load of data. This simply became an easy way for me to compile and organize many bits of data from small scribbled sheets of paper, which I could then dispose of.

The notes are organized into the following major areas:

- Historical Notes (organized into time lines for various regions)
- Aircraft Notes (organized by nation)
- Carrier Notes (organized by nation, mostly US)
- Deployment Notes (organized by nation, region, unit (Air Forcecs or Carrier Air Wings), or campaign)

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