



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

**1st BATTALION,
57th AIR DEFENSE ARTILLERY REGIMENT**

Constituted 1 November 1917 in the Regular Army as Battery A, 57th Artillery (Coast Artillery Corps)

Organized 11 January 1918 at Fort Hancock, New Jersey

Demobilized 30 June 1921 at Camp Lewis, Washington

Reconstituted 22 January 1926 in the Regular Army and redesignated as Battery A, 57th Coast Artillery

Activated 1 June 1940 at Fort Monroe, Virginia

Inactivated 31 May 1944 in Hawaii

Disbanded 14 June 1944

Reconstituted 28 June 1950 in the Regular Army; concurrently, consolidated with Battery A, 57th Field Artillery Battalion ([active] see ANNEX), and consolidated unit designated as Battery A, 57th Field Artillery Battalion, an element of the 7th Infantry Division

Inactivated 1 July 1957 in Korea and relieved from assignment to the 7th Infantry Division

Redesignated 12 August 1958 as Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 1st Missile Battalion, 57th Artillery (organic elements concurrently constituted)

Battalion activated 1 September 1958 at Boston, Massachusetts

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Inactivated 25 June 1960 at Nahant, Massachusetts

Activated 24 March 1961 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma

Inactivated 1 December 1968 on Okinawa

Redesignated 16 August 1971 as the 1st Battalion, 57th Artillery and activated at Fort Bliss, Texas

Redesignated 1 September 1971 as the 1st Battalion, 57th Air Defense Artillery

Inactivated 19 March 1973 at Fort Bliss, Texas

Redesignated 1 October 2005 as the 1st Battalion, 57th Air Defense Artillery Regiment

Activated 16 October 2023 in Germany and Italy

ANNEX

Constituted 1 October 1933 in the Regular Army as Battery A, 57th Field Artillery

Redesignated 13 January 1941 as Battery A, 57th Field Artillery Battalion

Activated 1 June 1941 at Fort Ord, California, as an element of the 7th Division

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War I

*St. Mihiel
*Meuse-Argonne
Lorraine 1918

World War II

*Central Pacific
*Aleutian Islands
*Eastern Mandates
*Leyte
*Ryukyus (with arrowhead)
Normandy
Northern France
Rhineland
Ardennes-Alsace
Central Europe

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Korean War

- *UN Defensive
- *UN Offensive
- *CCF Intervention
- *First UN Counteroffensive
- *CCF Spring Offensive
- *UN Summer-Fall Offensive
- *Second Korean Winter
- *Korea Summer-Fall 1952
- *Third Korean Winter
- *Korea, Summer 1953

DECORATIONS

- *Presidential Unit Citation (Navy), Streamer embroidered CHOSIN RESERVOIR
- *Philippine Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered 17 OCTOBER 1944 TO 4 JULY 1945
- *Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered INCHON
- *Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA 1950-1953
- *Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA 1945-1948, 1953-1957

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY



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