



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

224th MILITARY INTELLIGENCE BATTALION

Constituted 1 June 1966 in the Regular Army as the Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 224th Aviation Battalion, and activated in Vietnam

Redesignated 1 December 1968 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 224th Aviation Battalion

Converted and redesignated 19 May 1971 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 224th Army Security Agency Battalion

Inactivated 6 March 1973 at Oakland, California

Redesignated 1 June 1981 as Headquarters, Headquarters and Service Company, 224th Military Intelligence Battalion, and activated at Hunter Army Airfield, Georgia (172d Military Intelligence Detachment [See ANNEX 1] concurrently reorganized and redesignated as Company A; 144th Aviation Company [See ANNEX 2] converted and redesignated as B and activated)

ANNEX 1

Constituted 5 April 1945 in the Army of the United States as the 172d Language Detachment

Activated 23 April 1945 in the Philippines

Inactivated 15 April 1946 in Japan

Redesignated 14 January 1955 as the 172d Military Intelligence Platoon and allotted to the Regular Army

Activated 7 March 1955 in Germany

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Inactivated 25 June 1958 in Germany

Activated 15 July 1959 at Fort Devens, Massachusetts

Reorganized and redesignated 25 August 1961 as the 172d Military Intelligence Detachment

Inactivated 1 September 1963 in Germany

Activated 3 May 1965 at Fort Campbell, Kentucky

Inactivated 21 August 1972 at Fort Campbell, Kentucky

Activated 21 November 1977 at Fort Wainwright, Alaska

ANNEX 2

Constituted 1 June 1966 in the Regular Army as the 144th Aviation Company and activated in Vietnam

Inactivated 30 September 1971 in Vietnam

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

Vietnam

Counteroffensive
Counteroffensive, Phase II
Counteroffensive, Phase III
Tet Counteroffensive
Counteroffensive, Phase IV
Counteroffensive, Phase V
Counteroffensive, Phase VI
Tet 69/Counteroffensive
Summer-Fall 1969
Winter-Spring 1970
Sanctuary Counteroffensive
Counteroffensive, Phase VII
Consolidation I
Consolidation II
Cease-Fire

War on Terrorism

Global War on Terrorism
Afghanistan:
Transition I
Transition II
Iraq:
National Resolution
Iraqi Surge
Iraqi Sovereignty

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Company A additionally entitled to:

World War II
Luzon

Vietnam
Defense

War on Terrorism
Afghanistan:
Consolidation III

Company B additionally entitled to:

War on Terrorism
Afghanistan:
Consolidation I
Consolidation III

DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1966-1967

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1967-1969

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1971-1972

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2006-2007

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2008-2009

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered AFGHANISTAN 2014-2015

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 1987-1988

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 1988-1990

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 1992-1993

Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1970-1971

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Company A additionally entitled to:

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM
1965-1967

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered
AFGHANISTAN JUN 2011-MAY 2012

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered
AFGHANISTAN APR 2015-APR 2016

Philippine Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered 17 OCTOBER
1944 TO 4 JULY 1945

Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, Streamer embroidered
VIETNAM 1968-1970

Republic of Vietnam Civil Action Honor Medal, First Class, Streamer
embroidered VIETNAM 1969-1971


Company B additionally entitled to:

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered
AFGHANISTAN APR 2004-MAR 2005

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered
AFGHANISTAN JUN 2010-JUL 2011

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered
AFGHANISTAN APR 2013-MAR 2014

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


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