

RESTORATION INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
FORMERLY USED DEFENSE SITES (FUDS)

PROJECT FACT SHEET

ORIGINAL DATE: 26 MAY 1998

TAG REVIEW DATE: 27 OCTOBER 1998

1. **SITE NAME:** Williams Field Bomb Target Range #2

SITE NUMBER: J09AZ072001

LOCATION:

City: Apache Junction

County: Pinal

State: Arizona

PROJECT NUMBER: J09AZ072001

CATEGORY: OE

INPR RAC: 4

ASR RAC: 4

TAG RAC: 4

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3. **SITE DESCRIPTION:** The former Williams Field Bomb Target Range #2 is located approximately 7 miles southeast of Apache Junction, Arizona in Pinal County. The site consisted of 640 acres and is located in Section 13, Township 1 South, Range 9 East. The site is desert land used for cattle grazing.

There are no structures within 2 miles of the aiming circles. There is a trail that runs through the aiming circles.

4. SITE HISTORY: There is no acquisition or disposal information available for this site. The site was established as a practice bombing range in support of Williams Field in Higley, Arizona. Historical documents and evidence on the site indicate that M38A2 practice bombs were used. Planned improvements consisted of a road, oiled rings, a target structure, and fencing. Known improvements consisted of aiming circles and a target structure. The target was marked with several aiming circles, the largest of which was 1000' diameter. There was a wood structure at the target center, most likely a wooden pyramid. There is wood debris at the target center and a large amount of practice bomb debris within the aiming circles. There is practice bomb debris widely scattered outside the aiming circles. The area inside the aiming circle is 18 acres.

5. PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Entire Site:	Size, Acres:	640
	Former Use:	Practice Bombing Range
	Present Use:	Livestock grazing
	Probable End Use:	Same
	Ordnance Presence:	Confirmed
	Type:	M38A2 Practice Bombs

6. CURRENT STATUS: The Archives Search Report (ASR) for Williams Field Bomb Target Range #2 was completed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, St. Louis District, in June 1998.

7. STRATEGY:

Entire Site: EE/CA

8. ISSUES AND CONCERNS:

a. The Huntsville Center Technical Advisory Group met and discussed this ASR on 27 October 1998 and concurs with the recommendation of EE/CA for the entire site as confirmed debris from M38-series practice bombs were encountered by the SI Team during their inspection of this FUDS. Since the site has not been broken down into separate areas, the entire site must be considered: however, the main focus of any removal action should concentrate in the area of the aiming circles.

b. Based on investigation of historical records reviewed, the results of the site survey and interviews, there is no evidence of Chemical Warfare Material ever being stored, used or disposed of at this FUDS.

c. There are known Federally-and State-listed species occurring in the site area. An on-site inspection by appropriate State and Federal personnel may be necessary to verify the presence, absence or location of listed species or natural communities.

d. A 4WD vehicle is required to access this site.

9. SCHEDULE SUMMARY: EE/CA

10. FUNDING/BUDGET SUMMARY: For Official Use Only