U.S. Navy Carrier-Based Tactical Fixed-Wing Squadrons

Electronic Attack Squadrons (VAQ)

VAQ-128
VAQ-128 Est. 1 Oct 1997

VAQ-129
VAH-10 Est. 1 May 1961
Redes. VAQ-129 1 Sep 1970

VAQ-130
VAW-13 Est. 1 Sep 1959
Redes. VAQ-130 1 Oct 1968

VAQ-131
VP-931 called to active duty 2 Sep 1950
Redes. VP-57 4 Feb 1953
Redes. VAH-4 3 Jul 1956
Redes. VAQ-131 1 Nov 1968

VAQ-132
VAH-2 Est. 1 Nov 1955
Redes. VAQ-132 1 Nov 1968

VAQ-133
VAQ-133 Est. 1 Apr 1996

VAQ-134
VAQ-134 Est. 17 Jun 1969

VAQ-135
VAQ-135 Est. 15 May 1969

VAQ-136
VAQ-136 Est. 6 Apr 1973

VAQ-137
VAQ-137 Est. 1 Oct 1996

VAQ-138*
VAQ-138 Est. 27 Feb 1976

VAQ-139
VAQ-139 Est. 1 Jul 1983

VAQ-140
VAQ-140 Est. 1 Oct 1985

VAQ-141
VAQ-141 Est. 1 Jul 1987

VAQ-142
VAQ-142 Est. 1 Apr 1997

VAQ-209
VAQ-209 Est. 1 Oct 1977

Carrier Airborne Early Warning Squadrons (VAW)

VAW-77
VAW-77 Est. 1 Oct 1995

VAW-78
VAW-78 Est. 1 Jul 1970

VAW-112
VAW-112 Est. 20 Apr 1967

VAW-113
VAW-113 Est. 20 Apr 1967

VAW-115
VAW-115 Est. 20 Apr 1967

VAW-116
VAW-116 Est. 20 Apr 1967

VAW-117
VAW-117 Est. 1 Jul 1974

VAW-120
RVAW-120 Est. 1 Jul 1967
Redes. VAW-120 1 May 1983

VAW-121
VAW-121 Est. 1 Apr 1967

VAW-123
VAW-123 Est. 1 Apr 1967

VAW-124
VAW-124 Est. 1 Sep 1967

VAW-125
VAW-125 Est. 1 Oct 1968

VAW-126
VAW-126 Est. 1 Apr 1969

Fighter Squadrons (VF)

VF-2
VF-2 Est. 14 Oct 1972

VF-11
VF-43 Est. 1 Sep 1950
Redes. VF-11 16 Feb 1959

VF-31
VF-1B Est. 1 Jul 1935
Redes. VF-6 1 Jul 1937
Redes. VF-3 15 Jul 1943
Redes. VF-3A 15 Nov 1946
Redes. VF-31 7 Aug 1948

VF-32
VBF-3 Est. 1 Feb 1945
Redes. VF-4A 15 Nov 1946
Redes. VF-32 7 Aug 1948

VF-101
VF-101 Est. 1 May 1952

VF-102
VA-36 Est. 1 Jul 1955
Redes. VF-102 1 Jul 1955

VF-103
VF-103 Est. 1 May 1952

VF-143
VF-871 called to active duty 20 Jul 1950
Redes. VF-123 4 Feb 1953
Redes. VF-53 12 Apr 1958
Redes. VF-143 20 Jun 1962

VF-154
VF-837 called to active duty 1 Feb 1951
Redes. VF-154 4 Feb 1953

VF-211
VB-74 Est. 1 May 1945
Redes. VA-lB 15 Nov 1946
Redes. VA-24 1 Sep 1948
Redes. VF-24 1 Dec 1949
Redes. VF-211 9 Mar 1959

VF-213
VF-213 Est. 22 Jun 1955

Sea Control Squadrons (VS)

VS-21*
CVEG-41 Est. 26 Mar 1945
Redes. CVEG-1 15 Nov 1946
Redes. VC-21 1 Sep 1948
Redes. VS-21 23 Apr 1950

VS-22
VS-22 Est. 18 May 1960

VS-24*
VS-24 Est. 25 May 1960

VS-29*
VS-29 Est. 1 Apr 1960

VS-30
VS-801 called to active duty 9 Apr 1951
Redes. VS-30 4 Feb 1953

VS-31*
VC-31 Est. 28 Sep 1948
Redes. VS-31 20 Apr 1950

VS-32
VC-32 Est. 31 May 1949
Redes. VS-32 20 Apr 1950

VS-33
VS-33 Est. 1 Apr 1960

VS-35
VS-35 Est. 4 Apr 1991

VS-38*
VC-892 activated 20 Jul 1950
Redes. VS-892 4 Aug 1950
VS-892 called to active duty 4 Aug 1950
Redes. VS-38 4 Feb 1953

VS-41*
VS-41 Est. 30 Jun 1960

Strike Fighter Squadrons (VFA)

VFA-14
Est. Air Detachment, Pacific Fleet Sep 1919
Became VT-5 15 Jun 1920
Redes. VP-4-1 7 Sep 1921
Redes. VF-4 23 Sep 1921
Redes. VF-1 1 Jul 1922
Redes. VF-lB 1 Jul 1927
Redes. VB-2B 1 Jul 1934
Redes. VB-3 1 Jul 1937
Redes. VB-4 1 Jul 1939
Redes. VS-41 15 Mar 1941
Redes. VB-41 1 Mar 1943
Redes. VB-4 4 Aug 1943
Redes. VA-lA 15 Nov 1946
Redes. VA-14 2 Aug 1948
Redes. VF-14 15 Dec 1949
Redes. VFA-14 1 Dec 2001

VFA-15*
VA-67 Est. 1 Aug 1968
Redes. VA-15 2 Jun 1969
Redes. VFA-15 1 Oct 1986

VFA-22
VF-63 Est. 28 Jul 1948
Redes. VA-63 Mar 1956
Redes. VA-22 1 Jul 1959
Redes. VFA-22 4 May 1990

VFA-25
VT-17 Est. 1 Jan 1943
Redes. VA-6B 15 Nov 1946
Redes. VA-65 27 Jul 1948
Redes. VA-25 1 Jul 1959
Redes. VFA-25 1 Jul 1983

VFA-27
VA-27 Est. 1 Sep 1967
Redes. VFA-27 24 Jan 1991

VFA-34
VA-34 Est. 1 Jan 1970
Redes. VFA-34 30 Aug 1996

VFA-37*
VA-37 Est. 1 Jul 1967
Redes. VFA-37 28 Nov 1990

VFA-41*
VF-41 Est. 1 Sep 1950
Redes. VFA-41 1 Dec 2001

VFA-81
VA-66 Est. 1 Jul 1955
Redes. VF-81 1 Jul 1955
Redes. VA-81 1 Jul 1959
Redes. VFA-81 4 Feb 1988

VFA-82*
VA-82 Est. 1 May 1967
Redes. VFA-82 15 Jul 1987

VFA-83
VF-916 called to active duty 1 Feb 1951
Redes. VF-83 4 Feb 1953
Redes. VA-83 1 Jul 1955
Redes. VFA-83 1 Mar 1988

VFA-86*
VF-921 called to active duty 1 Feb 1951
Redes. VF-84 4 Feb 1953
Redes. VA-86 1 Jul 1955
Redes. VFA-86 15 Jul 1987

VFA-87*
VA-87 Est. 1 Feb 1968
Redes. VFA-87 1 May 1986

VFA-94
VF-94 Est. 26 Mar 1952
Redes. VA-94 1 Aug 1958
Redes. VFA-94 24 Jan 1991

VFA-97*
VA-97 Est. 1 Jun 1967
Redes. VFA-97 24 Jan 1991

VFA-105*
VA-105 Est. 4 Mar 1968
Redes. VFA-105 17 Dec 1990

VFA-106
VFA-106 Est. 27 Apr 1984

VFA-113
VF-113 Est. 15 Jul 1948
Redes. VA-113 Mar 1956
Redes. VFA-113 25 Mar 1983

VFA-115*
VT-11 Est. 10 Oct 1942
Redes. VA-12A 15 Nov 1946
Redes. VA-115 15 Jul 1948
Reactivated 1 Jan 1970
Redes. VFA-115 30 Sep 1996

VFA-122
VFA-122 Est. 1 Oct 1998

VFA-125
VFA-125 Est. 13 Nov 1980

VFA-131
VFA-131 Est. 3 Oct 1983

VFA-136
VFA-136 Est. 1 Jul 1985

VFA-137
VFA-137 Est. 1 Jul 1985

VFA-146*
VA-146 Est. 1 Feb 1956
Redes. VFA-146 21 Jul 1989

VFA-147
VA-147 Est. 1 Feb 1967
Redes. VFA-147 20 Jul 1989

VFA-151
VF-23 Est. 6 Aug 1948
Redes. VF-151 23 Feb 1959
Redes. VFA-151 1 Jun 1986

VFA-192*
VF-153 Est. 26 Mar 1945
Redes. VF-15A 15 Nov 1946
Redes. VF-151 15 Jul 1948
Redes. VF-192 15 Feb 1950
Redes. VA-192 15 Mar 1956
Redes. VFA-192 10 Jan 1985

VFA-195
VT-19 Est. 15 Aug 1943
Redes. VA-20A 15 Nov 1946
Redes. VA-195 24 Aug 1948
Redes. VFA-195 1 Apr 1985

VFA-201*
VF-201 Est. 25 Jul 1970
Redes. VFA-201 1 Jan 1999

VFA-203*
VA-203 Est. 1 Jul 1970
Redes. VFA-203 1 Oct 1989

VFA-204
VA-204 Est. 1 Jul 1970
Redes. VFA-204 1 May 1991

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This is the first of three insignia posters produced by *Naval Aviation News* and the Naval Aviation History and Archives Office (N78H, the final approving authority for Naval Aviation insignia). It illustrates **current squadrons only.** All insignia depicted were officially approved in accordance with OPNAVINST 5030.4 (current version 5030.4F). Note: a few of the squadrons listed in this poster are normally not carrier-based. However, to keep the specific communities together on one poster, those squadrons are included here.

Background Information

1. When a squadron is redesignated, it normally continues to use the previously approved insignia and requests a change to the designation in the lower scroll.
2. The squadrons indicated by an asterisk have continued to use the insignia from a former designation but have not officially updated the lower scroll.
3. In some cases squadrons have been officially authorized to use the insignia of an old squadron. This does not mean the squadron can trace its lineage back to the squadron that formerly used the design. For information on the evolution of squadron designations and lineage, see the following books published by the Naval Aviation History and Archives Office: *Dictionary of American Naval Aviation Squadrons, Volume 1, The History of VA, VAH, VAK, VAL, VAP and VFA Squadrons; Dictionary of American Naval Aviation Squadrons, Volume 2, The History of VP, VPB, VP(HL) and VP(AM) Squadrons;* and *United States Naval Aviation 1910–1995*.

Key to Abbreviations

Est., Established — Redes., Redesignated — * Scroll reflects prior designation