

# Information Service List Categories without Specialists



## Introduction

The Air-Britain Information Service is a key part of Air-Britain's service to its members. The service, coupled with the AB-IX internet discussion group, allows members to seek answers to their aviation questions from other like-minded aviation people.

A two way flow of information is actively encouraged. Specialists will try to provide answers to questions and to provide guidance on the researching of aviation history. Members are actively encouraged to feed new information both to the Specialists and to the Editors of Air-Britain's magazines so that all may ultimately benefit.

## A Note to the Specialists and to Future Specialists

We do invite all Specialists to provide Air-Britain with their email details in order to ensure the most efficient service; we also invite all Specialists and members to become active participants in AB-IX. All members appointed as new Specialists will have to have an email contact address.

If you have an in depth interest and knowledge of a particular subject, as listed or known to you, then why not join the team of Specialists; if you are interested please contact the co-ordinator at the address following the listing. **Additions highlighted with a yellow background.**

## SPECIALISTS AND GROUPS – BY SUBJECT

<b>Aeronautics</b>			
Aero engines (piston)	VACANT	<b>Missiles and Spaceflight</b>	
Air Refuelling	VACANT	Manned/unmanned spaceflight	VACANT
Radar and electronics (civil)	VACANT		
Rolls Royce Merlin Engines	VACANT	<b>Pilots Notes/Flight Manuals</b>	VACANT
<b>Air Maps (all countries)</b>	VACANT	<b>Radar &amp; Radio</b>	
		Civil ground radar & navigation aids	VACANT
<b>Aircraft Type Designation Systems Worldwide (Civil &amp; Military)</b>	VACANT	Radio Telegraphy frequencies and ground stations since 1920	VACANT
<b>Airlines</b>		<b>Sailplanes and Gliders</b>	
Airlines colour schemes and markings (jet aircraft)	VACANT	British military glider	VACANT
		Vintage Gliders History	VACANT
<b>Experimental and Research Aircraft</b>	VACANT	World Glider Production	VACANT
<b>World-Wide Helicopter Research Group</b>		<b>Turbo-prop Engines</b>	
Autogyros	VACANT	Rolls-Royce Dart	VACANT

## SPECIALISTS AND GROUPS - BY COUNTRY

<b>African Continent</b>		Civil Aviation	Vacant
Tanzania	VACANT		
<b>Argentina</b>		<b>Caribbean</b>	
Commercial Aviation and Air Force	VACANT	Civil Aviation	VACANT
		Civil Registers	VACANT
<b>Australia</b>		<b>Channel Islands</b>	
463/467 Sqns, R.A.A.F., No 5 Group, Bomber Command	VACANT	Guernsey, Civil Aviation 1917 to date	VACANT
By agreement with the AHSA:			
Business Jets	VACANT	<b>China Aviation Research Group</b>	
All other queries	VACANT	Civil and Military aviation in China to 1949 Group Leader:	VACANT
<b>Austria</b>		<b>Congo</b>	
Civil Aviation post 1956	VACANT	Civil Register KA- /9O- /9Q- /9T-	VACANT
<b>Bahamas</b>		<b>France</b>	
Civil Aviation	VACANT	ALAT	VACANT
		Armée de l'Air	VACANT
<b>Belgium</b>		Armée de l'Air Groupe histories 1946 to date	VACANT
Brussels Air Museum Foundation	VACANT	French Overseas Civil Registers (F-O, F-D, F-OG, F-VN, F-KH, F-L)	VACANT
Belgian Forces Pilots since 1887	VACANT	Pre-1942 aviation	VACANT
Military Serials OT- / OQ-	VACANT	ULM Register	VACANT
<b>Burma (Myanmar)</b>		<b>Germany</b>	
Civil Aviation	VACANT		
<b>Burundi</b>			
Civil Register 9U	VACANT		
<b>Cambodia</b>			

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<b>Great Britain</b>		Zeppelin raids on North-East of England in WWI	VACANT
<b>Aircraft Archaeology</b>			
Lincolnshire	VACANT		
Northamptonshire	VACANT		
<b>Aircraft Museums and Collections</b>			
<b>Group Leader:</b>	VACANT		
Imperial War Museum, Duxford, and Duxford Airfield	VACANT		
Norfolk & Suffolk Aviation Museum	VACANT		
Shuttleworth Collection	VACANT		
<b>Airfields</b>			
RNAS Culdrose	VACANT		
Manchester 1910 to date	VACANT		
Predannack	VACANT		
Radnorshire 1912-1990	VACANT		
<b>Civil Aviation</b>			
Aviation in Greater Manchester	VACANT		
British Transport Aircraft Types from 1909	VACANT		
Empire Air Mail Scheme	VACANT		
Imperial Airways 1919-39 (Including Empire Air Mail Scheme)	VACANT		
Scottish Aviation and Prestwick 1935/1955	VACANT		
<b>Military Aviation</b>			
Army Air Corps and AOP squadrons	VACANT		
<b>ATC Squadrons</b>	VACANT		
Aviation in Greater Manchester	VACANT		
British military gliders	VACANT		
<b>M Numbers</b>	VACANT		
Polish Air Force in Great Britain	VACANT		
RAF 9 Squadron history	VACANT		
RAF 19 OTU	VACANT		
RAF 42 Squadron (Beaufort operations period only)	VACANT		
RAF 100 Group (Radar & Electronic Warfare Operations)	VACANT		
RAF 201 Squadron history	VACANT		
RAF 247 Squadron history	VACANT		
RAF 300 (Polish) Squadron history	VACANT		
RAF 613 (City of Manchester) Squadron	VACANT		
RAF 663 (AOP) Squadron history	VACANT		
RAF Beaufighter Strike Wings	VACANT		
RAF Coastal Command	VACANT		
RAF Combined Ops (Incl. 516 Combined Operations Sqn)	VACANT		
RAF Squadron Codes	VACANT		
Scottish Aviation and Prestwick 1935/1955	VACANT		
Single-Seat Fighter OTU's	VACANT		
		<b>Holland</b>	
		Dutch Civil Aircraft Registers	VACANT
		<b>Indian Sub-Continent</b>	
		Indian Civil Registers since 1980	VACANT
		<b>Israel</b>	
		<b>Israeli Air Force</b>	VACANT
		<b>Italy</b>	
		Civil register up to 1945	VACANT
		<b>Japan</b>	
		Military Aviation of WW2	VACANT
		<b>Laos</b>	
		Civil Aviation	Vacant
		<b>Luxembourg</b>	
		Civil Register	VACANT
		<b>Near and Middle East</b>	
		Arabian Peninsula Civil Aviation	VACANT
		<b>Poland</b>	
		<b>Civil Aviation</b>	VACANT
		Polish Air Force in Great Britain	VACANT
		Polish Glider Registers/ Production	VACANT
		Polish Airfields and where to stay	VACANT
		<b>Romania Civil registers up to 1945</b>	VACANT
		<b>Rwanda</b>	
		Civil Register 9XR-	VACANT
		<b>Slovak Republic – See Czech Republic</b>	
		<b>Thailand</b>	
		Civil Aviation	VACANT
		Military Aviation	VACANT
		Preserved Aircraft	VACANT
		<b>USA</b>	
		<b>USN Write-offs</b>	
		Crash details for USN Aircraft from History Cards, covering all BuNo's from 1962 to 1985, plus some covering 1950 to 1962.	VACANT

## SPECIALISTS ON INDIVIDUAL AIRCRAFT TYPES AND COMPANIES

Aérospatiale/Aeritalia ATR-42	VACANT	Canadair: CV-540, CL-44D-4 (CC-106), CL-66C, CC-109 (540/CL-66B)	VACANT
Aviation Traders ATL.98 Carvair	VACANT	Cirrus Design SR20/SR22	VACANT
		Convair: ALL Types (Civil, Military and Research), including Fort Worth Division	VACANT
BAe Jetstream 31 & 32	VACANT	Curtiss P-40 Warhawk:	VACANT
Bae Jetstream 41	VACANT		
Beech 17	VACANT	de Havilland DH 106 Comet	VACANT
Beech 35 Bonanza (V-tails only)	VACANT	<b>de Havilland DHC-1 Chipmunk</b>	
Beech 45/T.34 Mentor & derivatives	VACANT	<b>Research Group</b>	
Blackburn Buccaneer	VACANT	<b>Group Leader:</b>	VACANT
Blackburn Kangaroo (Civil)	VACANT	Douglas DC-3	VACANT
Blackburn B.1 Seagrave	VACANT		
Blackburn B.101 Beverley	VACANT	Erco Ercoupe	VACANT
Bristol Aircraft	VACANT	Fairey Barracuda	VACANT
Bristol Britannia	VACANT		
Bristol Type 170 Wayfarer and Freighter	VACANT		

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General Aircraft Monospars	VACANT	Short SD3-30/SD3-60	VACANT
		Short Skyvan	VACANT
		Short Sunderland (Military Versions)	VACANT
Handley-Page Transports	VACANT		
Hawker Tempest	VACANT	Spartan Cruiser	VACANT
Hawker Typhoon	VACANT	Sud Caravelle	VACANT
Lockheed 18 Lodestar and derivatives	VACANT	Taylorcraft (England) Ltd	VACANT
Percival Q.6	VACANT	Vickers Valiant	VACANT
		Vickers Varsity	VACANT
Rolls Royce Merlin Engines	VACANT	Vickers Viking	VACANT
		Vickers Viscount	VACANT
		Vickers Valetta	VACANT
		Vickers Vanguard	VACANT
		Vought A-7 Corsair II	VACANT
SAAB Commercial Aircraft (i.e. Scandia, 340, 2000 and unfinished projects)	VACANT		
SAAB Safari-Supporter	VACANT	Waco Aircraft:	VACANT
Saunders-Roe Transport Aircraft	VACANT	Westland IV and Wessex	VACANT
Scottish Aviation and Prestwick 1935/1955	VACANT		

### TRANSLATION SERVICE

Arabic	VACANT	Portuguese	VACANT
French	VACANT		

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