"DAUB" redirects here. For other uses, see daub (disambiguation).

Mohamed Khider Airport[3] or Biskra Ouakda Airport (IATA: BSK, ICAO: DAUB) is an airport in Algeria, located approximately 12 km north-northeast of Oumache; about 200 km south-southwest of Constantine.

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History[edit]

During World War II, the airport was known as "Biskra Airfield". It was a major United States Twelfth Air Force base of operations during the North African campaign against the German Afrika Korps. Known combat units assigned to the airfield were: 97th Bombardment Group B-17 Flying Fortress[4] (14 December 1942 – 8 February 1943); 301st Bombardment Group B-17 Flying Fortress (16 December 1942 – 17 January 1943); 1st Fighter Group P-38 Lightning (24 December 1942 – 8 February 1943); HQ, 5th Bombardment Wing (January–March 1943).[5][6]

Airlines and destinations[edit]

Airlines Destinations

Air Algérie Algiers, Lyon, Paris-Charles de Gaulle, Paris-Orly[7]

Tassili Airlines Algiers

See also[edit]

List of airports in Algeria

Boeing B-17 Flying Fortress Units of the Mediterranean Theater of Operations