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EDITORIAL

Dear Friends

Welcome to the final edition of our newsletter for 2016. November brought with it many new items and events, that are worth noting. The American elections were won by Donald Trump, and the media might not have been so shocked by this if they had paid some attention to the opinions of modellers. Their minds were generally clearly made up back in the summer, and I think they made the better choice, ultimately.

On the other side of the Atlantic, a Russian fleet has come as far as Syria, which, for the competition of the US Navy is nothing all that new. With the Russians, though, it's a little different. Their long range naval escapades did not always go according to plan. Tsushima Island comes to mind. This time, however, there was no opposing flotilla watching from a safe distance, no migrants stood in their way, and although the Admiral Kuzhnetsov billowed smoke like no one's business, it eventually arrived. But to a loyal member of the EU such as myself, who obediently takes his vehicle in for an emissions test every other year as ordered, this bothered me. The Russians don't appear overly concerned about modernising their kettles and boilers, and the fact that their competition doesn't liberally bellow out smoke doesn't worry them, nor do they assess the living quarters of their ships. European inspectors are scared of them, and they obey the Russian ones.

In November, we recalled the death of Emperor Franz Joseph I, on the anniversary of the event. The monarchy of the old leader outlived him by only two years. I admit to having relatively strong feelings that it didn't survive because it is behaving somewhat like today's European Union. Both institutions brought their citizens some good. They didn't stick around long enough to receive gratitude, because they tended to more than offset whatever good they managed to create with shear stupidity. The EU still has a chance. I like the EU, as long as I don't have some bureaucrat standing over my shoulder. You don't have to agree with me. We can talk about it in a hundred years. By then, we'll know how it all turned out.

That's essentially how it turned out for Fidel. He died. You know which one I mean. That one who couldn't shut up, comrade of Che Guevara, that the young like to have on their t-shirts. When I was about ten, I admired them both. I wanted to be a revolutionary at Sierra Maestro. As I recall, that choice of calling was somewhere between a garbage man and a tank commander. Later, I figured out how things really work, and my loyalty to Fidel, Che, Ho, Marshall Konev, and similar types, changed to a strong sense of antipathy. So, for all those that have managed to somehow remain sympathetic to dictators, I wish you a splendid commemoration for Fidel, and to Cubans, a rapid return to freedom. Personally, I give the Cuban communists a year, maybe two. Mister Mikoyan also died. He made some nice aircraft, and unlike his uncle, he never sent anyone to a gulag. We are trying for the same goal, and currently, we are working on a MiG in 1/72nd scale, partly in honour of our esteemed colleague. In this case, I am certain of the two year time frame that will be required to finish this project off.

We ourselves first went to England in November, and at the end of the month headed to Slovakia for a change. These activities may have come across as a bit of an expansion in their own right, but it does appear that at both locations, we were rather welcome. Bratislava's Plastic Winter is our last event for the year, and after a bit of a break, we will pick up again in the spring at Prosek. Plans are being made now to not go there empty handed. November saw significant steps being taken that will bear fruit in the spring with the completion of the moulds for the SE.5a and embarking on the Typhoon and Crusader at Shizuoka. Also in November, we performed a bit of an innovation on our Facebook profile under the name 'I'm on

it' which has had a surprisingly lively response. Modellers like to be able to glance into the future, and this has provided a bit of a crystal ball.

The most information about all things future will be revealed in the January newsletter. For next year, and for January's newsletter, there will really be a lot of stuff to go through, and for that reason we decided to split information regarding kits being prepared into sections. We will begin with new items for 2017 today, beginning with the Limited Edition items. Some months, particularly those at the end of the month, are still open, but I doubt that that will matter.

In January, the very beginning of the year, will see no Limited Edition kit being offered. This will be offset by the release of two in December, 2016. February, though, will see the coming of a heavyweight in the form of Aussie Eight in 1/72nd scale, mirroring the 48th scale version of the Spitfire Mk.VIII in Australian service. This will be a dual boxing, with resin and photoetched details and a book that also hails from the 48th scale version. However, the book will include some information that was not in the first edition, and this can be considered to be the second edition. The production run will go 2,000 pieces, so I would not recommend the practice of procrastination. I expect to go as quickly as many Limited Edition kits before it. The Hind from just recently comes to mind

This will be followed by the Typhoon Mk.1b in 1/48th under the name 'Tiffy'. The model, founded on the basis of Hasegawa's plastic, will come to market in the usual Eduard format, meaning that photoetched brass and resin will be included. The usual inclusions in the Eduard Limited Edition kits are decals from Cartograf, designed with great care in Obrnice. The five marking options will be dominated by an aircraft flown by Sq.Ldr. Jiri Manak and his somewhat enigmatic, never photographed Typhoon TP-N, which today lies at the bottom of La Manche, the English Channel. The younger version of the Typhoon with the bubble canopy will be released at the beginning of 2018. That should prove to be a more colourful affair. One thing that should be a welcome item will be the 300 sets of plastic dedicated to the Overtrees offerings. And if you don't think that this is a lot, again....what I said about procrestination.

Moving on to April, we will see the re-release of the Hind, specifically the Mi-24/Mi-35 in Czechoslovak and Czech service. April's edition of the kit will be unchanged, and will be likely be produced to the tune of 1,000 pieces.

This will be followed in May by the F-8E Crusader in 1/48th. This will also be built on the basis of the Hasegawa kit, that was, together with the Typhoon, placed on a cargo vessel and is at this moment sailing the Indian Ocean towards the Suez Canal, that some sixty years ago saw the real thing on the decks of US Navy carriers. The Furball designed decal sheets will be printed by Cartograf. Last week, we were picking out the markings. Again, there will be 300 Overtrees available for the Crusader. May will also be the right time to bring out the Royal Class boxing of the 1/48th scale SE.5a, which is also essentially a Limited Edition kit, really, and so should be named here. The SE.5a was built in two basic versions, one with a Wolseley Viper engine, and the other with a Hispano-Suisa. In the Royal Class edition, both will be represented, and will offer between 12 and 14 markings options, decals from Cartograf, photoetched, masks, some Brassins, and likely a glass as well. We will try and come up with an innovative new bonus, but at the moment, I must admit, ideas are few in between.

For June, we have (for now) a window of opportunity to re-release the 'MF' kit, which is the MiG-21MF in Czechoslovak service, which in its first release disappeared in no time flat. This release is not yet etched in stone, and requests from retailers



will have a say in the final decision.

Another 1/32nd scale item will be up to bat in July, the P-40N as an EduArt edition kit. Again, this will be the Hasegawa kit, with boxart from Mr. Hugault. To this, will be added resin, no shortage of photoetched, and larger decal sheet. The marking options themselves have not yet been selected, and the problem will be what to leave out. Finding what to include will be the easy part. Also included will be poster, and this time with a new spin that I will keep to myself for now, because keeping people guessing isn't always a bad thing. And please, don't expect this kit to be cheap!

In August, we will be returning to Czechoslovak Spitfire Mk.IXs in the 'Nasi se vraceji' (The Boys are Back) project in 1/72nd. This will also see the inclusion of an expanded, second edition book. As with the Aussie Eight scale-down, this kit will mirror its 48th scale predecessor from 2013 in markings, box and general concept. One difference will be in the method of distribution. This kit will be made available through the usual channels and will be available through retailers. This kit is planned to be made available on the 1st fo August, 2017, meaning we will not hold off until the 13th. Weather or not August will see its aviation day is not certain, but it would appear so.

September is so far uncertain and so what will happen in terms of Limited Edition kits has not been decided. There is a list of possible candidates, and the two favorites at this point are the AH-64D Apache and the SH-3 Sea King, both in 1/48th scale. If you wish to make your opinion heard, please feel free to do so. We'll be glad to hear from you. However, please don't be disappointed if your choice ends up coming in second.

On the other hand, what will be released in October is virtually a certainty. At E-day in 2017, we will be introducing the Liberator GR Mk.V in 1/72nd. We are expecting on having a publication ready to go along with this kit, dedicated to the use of Liberator GR Mk.III and GR Mk.V by Coastal Command during the Second World War.This book will be written by, and laid out by, Pavel Türk. It will not be exclusive to the use of the aircraft by No.311 (Czechoslovak) Sq. RAF, but will also encompass use by other squadrons. The kit will be built around the original Hasegawa moldings that will be complemented by our own molds to convert the kit to a British Liberator. These will include propellers, turrets, the Leigh Light, rockets and radome. We have been working on the conversion parts since November, and hope that this kit will achieve the level of popularity that was seen by the Hind. We intend to focus on the Liberator GR Mk.VI and GR Mk.VIII as the followup project, slated for release at E-day 2018. Of course, that no longer release at E-day 2016. Or course, that no longer falls under the category of 'near future' plans. New items for the month of November, 2017, are shrouded in a thick fog. For now, the plan is to focus on the Bf 109F and G in the Mediterranean and North Africa. Thought is also being given to the Bf 109 F/G in foreign service. That could be a cool and colorful kit.

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With a high level of certainty, December will see another release in 1/32nd scale. It could be a P-40E, or perhaps the B-25J, or even the F-16C. Even bigger types have their supporters, but I don't want to scare you. But concerning this point, you can certainly have your say. Write, call, discuss...your opinions matter to us!

Well, that bit of ambiguity surrounding the end of 2017 ends today's dose of Limited Edition information for the coming year, and I will turn my attention back to 2016. And for the last time this year. at that. Since the download of the Distributor's Leaflet has been very liberal, much of the following will not be anything new for many of you. Even so, going over the new items for December is worthwhile. First and foremost, there are three new 1/72nd scale kits. The Fw 190A-5 Light is being released as a Weekend kit, which is a version with two cannon in the wings. In the Profipack line, we have the Spitfire F Mk.IX, aka Mk.IXc early. This kit is consistent with the standard makeup of a Profipack kit, with four marking options, hailing from the 48th scale Profipack kit. The third 1/72nd scale kit falls under the Limited Edition category, is called The Boat, and deserves a detailed description. This kit is being released on the 75th anniversary of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. The focus of the kit is the Sikorsky JRS-1, specifically aircraft 1-J-1 that survived the Japanese attack, and in the hours and days that followed was involved in the search for the Japanese fleet and submarines. The aircraft survived the war, and served post-war, and has been preserved till today. Currently it is undergoing an intense restoration in the shop of Steven F. Udvar-Hazy Center in Washington DC. The restorers have dubbed the plane 'the Boat', and this is the name of our kit. There is a publication that will be part of the kit, outlining the history of the type and of 1-J-1. The photographic information hails from archives as well as the current restoration at the Udvar-Hazy Center. The kit itself, including some of the resin, hails from Sword. We are adding photoetched, masks, decals, the publication, and a few additional resin bits. The Boat will be produced to 1500 pieces.

In, for us the main, scale of 1/48th, we are releasing our fourteenth ROYAL CLASS kit,

this time of the Bf 109F. There are two sets of plastic in the kit, for the Bf 109F-2 and the F-4. Two of the twelve offered markings cover the F-4/Trop, and one each for the F-1, F-3 and F-4/B. Four marking options are for the F-2 and the remainder for the F-4. The kit offers the standard tri-combination of brass-masks-Brassin, the decals are printed by Cartograf, and the kit is rounded out by the inclusion of a beer glass. There are six variants of the glass in terms of what is printed on them, and they are also available as a separate item. Also available is the complete set of six.

I have saved the largest kit to the last. Due to popular demand, we have ventured into the realm 1/32 scale for kits. These will be released in the ÉduArt line. This will be special not just in the scale of the subject matter, but also thanks to the boxart produced by the French artist Romain Hugault, well known for his aviation themed comics. The first, released in December, is DOTTIE MAE, aka P-47D-26/28 Thunderbolt. The plastic, once again, hails from Hasegawa, the photoetched, masks and Brassin from us, and the decals offering three 405th FG, 9th AF, USAAF aircraft are printed by Cartograf. These are of our design. There is also a poster of the boxart included with this kit. Dottie Mae will be produced in a quantity of 2,000 pieces. I have already read that the kit is expensive, and for the money we can stick it where the sun don't shine. I would point out that the Limited Edition kits were never meant to be cheap items. Making something cheap is something, in some ways, I don't really want to be associated with. This applies to the Royal Class kits as well. All these kits will be by their nature, pricey, or they simply will not be at all. I don't know of another way. I am not Fidel. Get used to it!

Along with the five noted kits for December, there are also new accessory items. For JRS-1, we have the Upgrade Set (72 642) in the photoetched line, for the Spitfire set 72 641, and for the previously released LF/HF Mk.IXc and Mk.IXe 672126 a Brassin engine set. We have BIG SIN SIN67209 for the Fw 190A-5, also in the Brassin line. For the Bf 109F, we have the propeller set (648288 Bf 109F Propeller Late), and I would also remind you of the October released Brassin interior set 648279

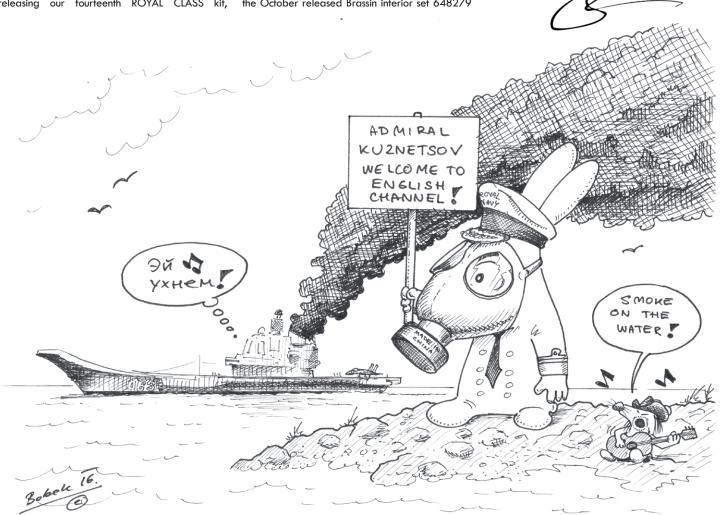
(Bf 109F Cockpit). For the Friedrich, we are also preparing other Brassin items, among others to include landing flaps and an older type of seat, which we will be also using in a set representing an older type of cockpit. For Dottie Mae, we have Brassin Bazooka Tubes (632089) and the P-47D Upgrade set, a photoetched item (32396).

That, of course, is not all. The assortment of accessory kits is much wider. An interesting collection of sets for many will be the brass and masks for the Me 262B from Revell in 1/32 or the MiG-27 in 1/48th from Trumpeter. With a one month delay in comparison to kits, we are releasing a photoetched set for October's Bell X-1 in 1/48, and two sets, one accessory and on landing flap set, for November's Spitfire Mk.XVI in 1/72nd. In that same scale, we also have sets for two new Airfix kits, the Whitley GR Mk.VII and the Victor B Mk.2. In the list of new items, you'll also find a relatively large number of STEELBELT sets, including those for specific aircraft types. For December, these include the MiG-21 and the F-4 Phantom II. Also etched out of steel, there is a set of US Navy WW II radar in 1/350. There is even a set for a tank, the M4A3E8 Sherman from Italeri. The six new Big Eds and two new decal sheets should not be overlooked. The latter include Balkenkreuze for the Fw 190A in 1/72nd and Swastikas for the Bf 109G in 1/48. Among the masks, worth noting are the ones for the OH-1 Ninja in 1/72nd scale for the new model from Aoshima. This helicopter will not evoke as much enthusiasm in most as did the Hind, but the kit is nevertheless very attractive. would at the very least, recommend a look.

That's it for me today. In the next newsletter, we'll let you know more about the new kits coming out in 2017, and our plans for E-day and ModelBrno, and for other events. We will also give the first hints regarding the admissions kit for E-day and ModelBrno. For now, I wish you a pleasant read, peaceful Christmas season, lots of modelling good stuff under your tree, and a great New Years'!

Happy Modelling

Vladimir Sulc



Spitfire F Mk.IX

1/72

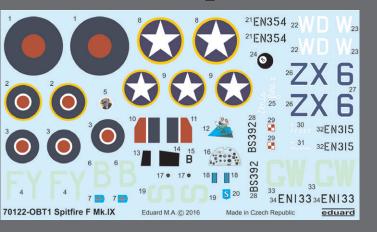
ProfiPACK edition



1/72, Cat. No. 70122

- plastic parts Eduard
- photo-etch set
- painting mask
- decals Eduard
- 4 markings

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RECOMMENDED:

72623 Spitfire Mk.IX landing flaps (PE-Set)

72641 Spitfire F Mk.IX (PE-Set)

672106 Spitfire Mk.IX wheels - 5 spoke, smooth tire (Brassin)

672107 Spitfire Mk.IX wheels 5 spoke, w/pattern (Brassin)

672134 Spitfire Mk.IX legs BRONZE

672135 Spitfire Mk.IX legs BRONZE 5 spoke, smooth tire (Brassin)

672136 Spitfire Mk.IX legs BRONZE 5 spoke, w/pattern (Brassin)

672110 Spitfire exhaust stacks - fishtail (Brassin)

672112 Spitfire Mk.IX cockpit (Brassin)

672121 Spitfire 500lb bomb set Eduard (Brassin)

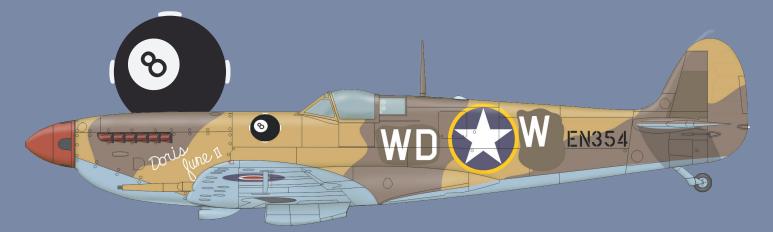
672122 Spitfire drop tank Eduard (Brassin)

672123 Spitfire Mk.IX top cowl early Eduard (Brassin)

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EN133, No. 611 Squadron, Biggin Hill, Early 1943



EN354, 1st Lt. Leonard V. Helton, 52nd FG, 4th FS, La Sebala Airfield, Tunisia, June 1943



BS392, S/Ldr. Bernard Dupérier, CO of No. 340 Squadron, Biggin Hill Airbase, Autumn 1942



EN315, S/Ldr. Stanislav Skalski, Polish Combat Team, Northern Africa, Spring 1943



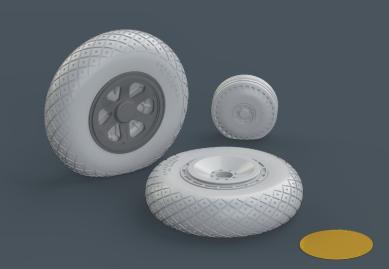
A2 size print, "Dottie Mae" by Romain Hugault

Decals by Cartograf

Photo-etched set, mask and Brassin wheels

Limited edition 1999 pcs

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Dottie Mae Limited edition #11103 1/32



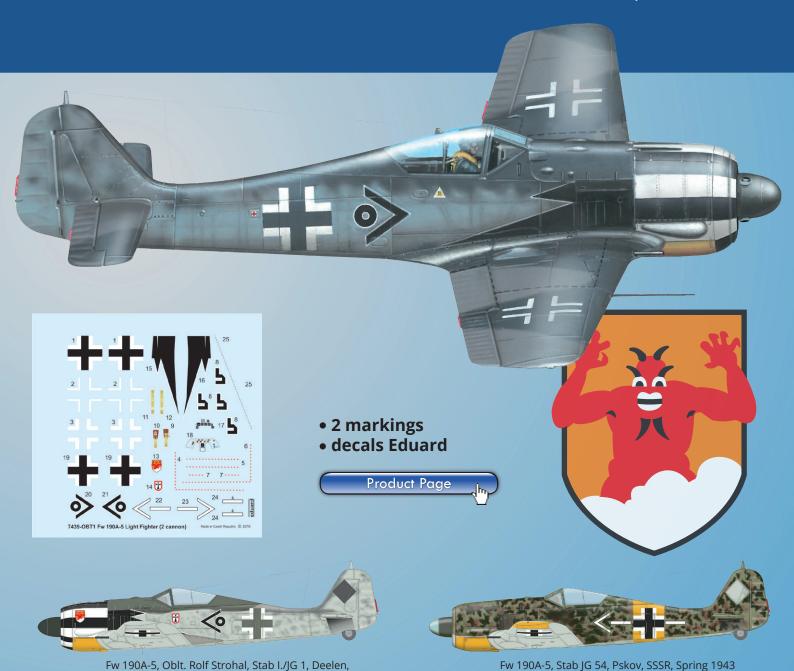
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WEEKEND e d i t i o n

Fw 190A-5 light fighter

1/72, Cat. No. 7439



RECOMMENDED:

72619 Fw 190A-5 landing flaps (PE-Set)

Holand, April 1943

72620 Fw 190A-5 (PE-Set)

SS564 Fw 190A-5 Weekend (PE-Set)

672086 Fw 190A propeller (Brassin)

672095 Fw 190A wheels early (Brassin)

672096 Fw 190A-5 cockpit (Brassin)

672117 Fw 190A-5 engine (Brassin)

672118 Fw 190A-5 engine and fuselage guns (Brassin)

CX456 Fw 190A-5 (maska)

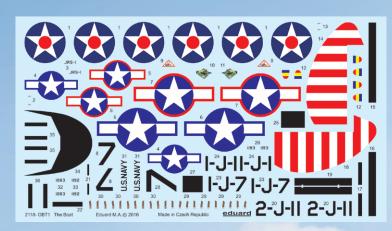


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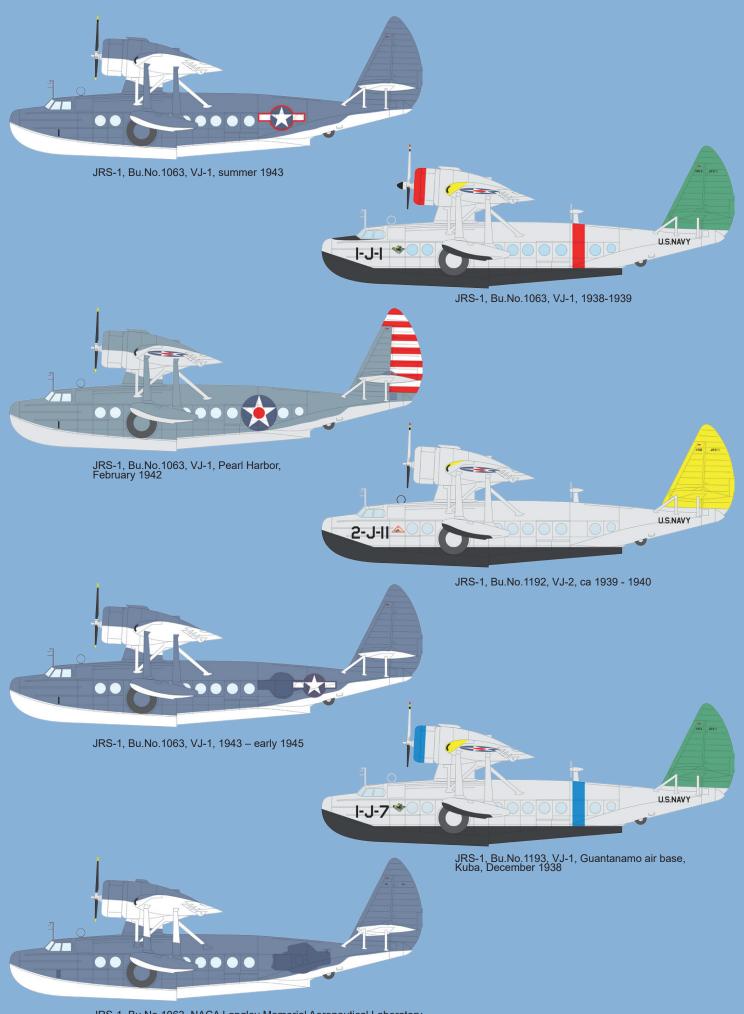
THE BOAT

Cat. No. 2118

- * Sword plastic and resin parts
- * Eduard Photo-etched accessories and painting mask
- Eduard Brassin spinners, ram turbine
- Eduard decals for 7 marking options
- * Photographic book about JRS-1

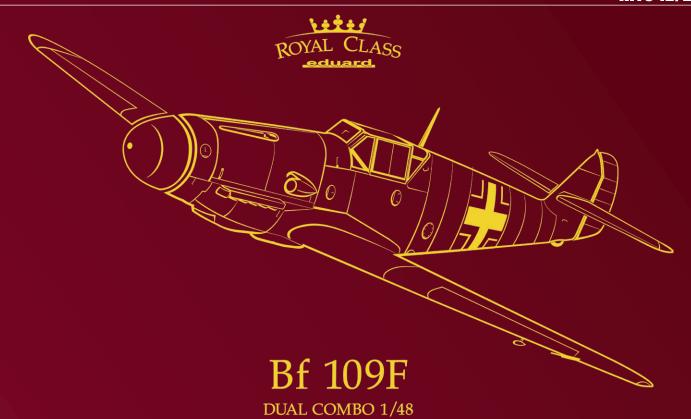






JRS-1, Bu.No.1063, NACA Langley Memorial Aeronautical Laboratory, May 1945 – November 1946

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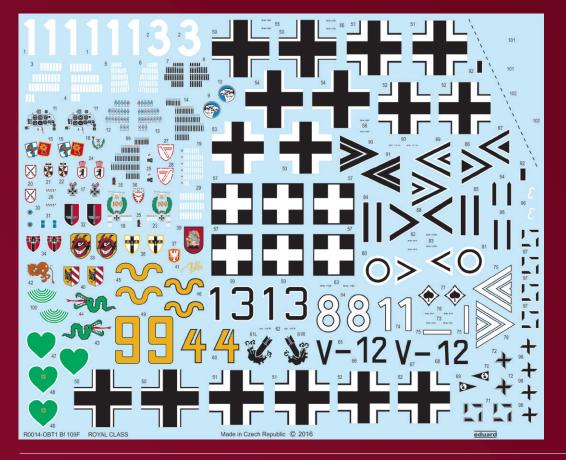


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Plastic parts, photo-etched sets and painting masks, for 2 complete models of Bf 109F-2 and Bf 109F-4. Two of the twelve offered markings cover the F-4/Trop, and one each for the F-1, F-3 and F-4/B.

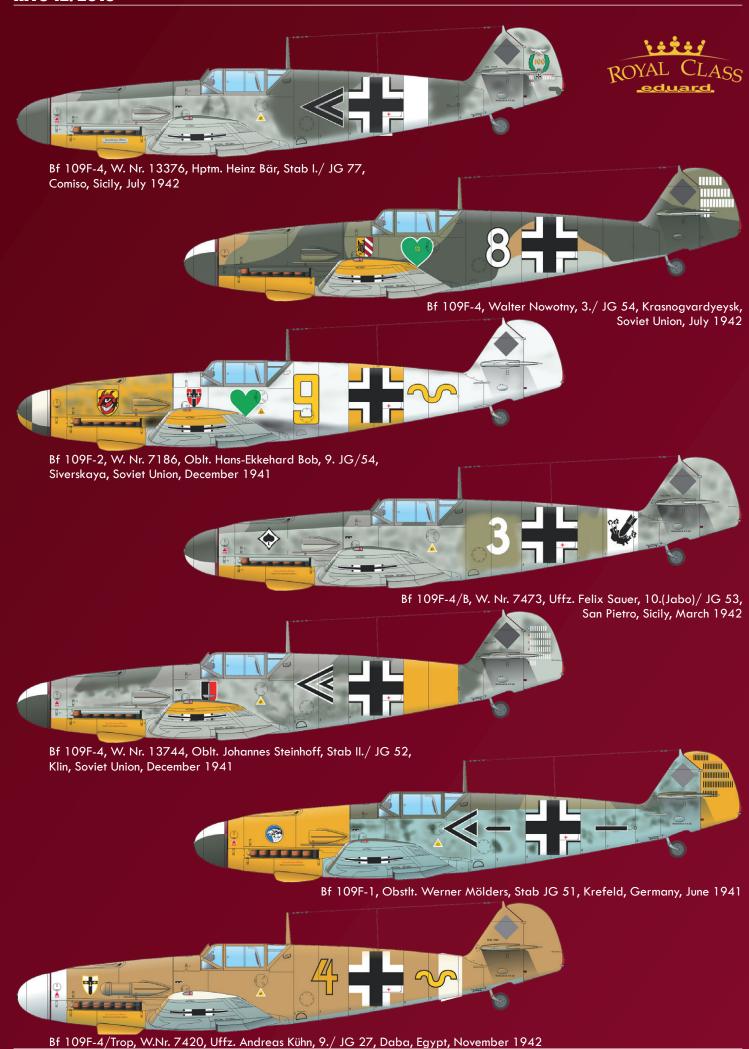




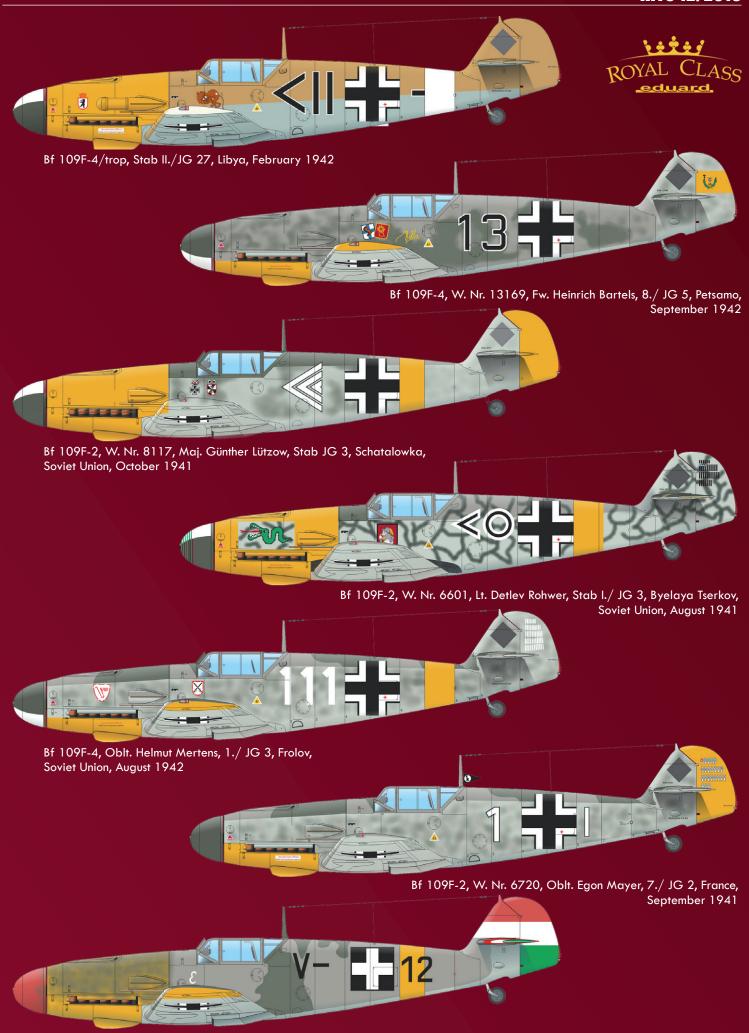


Friedrich Eduard Beer glass (glass design may vary / random selection of 6 designs)

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Bf 109F-4, Hdgy. György Debrödy, 5/2. vadászszázad, Uman, Soviet Union, Spring 1943



















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Beer Glass

PRR0014-SET
Exclusively on Eduard webstore



RECOMMENDED for Bf 109F 1/48

48899 Bf 109F-4 (PE-Set)

49095 Seatbelts Luftwaffe WWII fighters STEEL (PE-Set)

648161SC 250 German bombs (Brassin)

648279 Bf 109F cockpit (Brassin)

648288 Bf 109F propeller LATE (Brassin)

648289 Bf 109F propeller EARLY (Brassin) January 2017

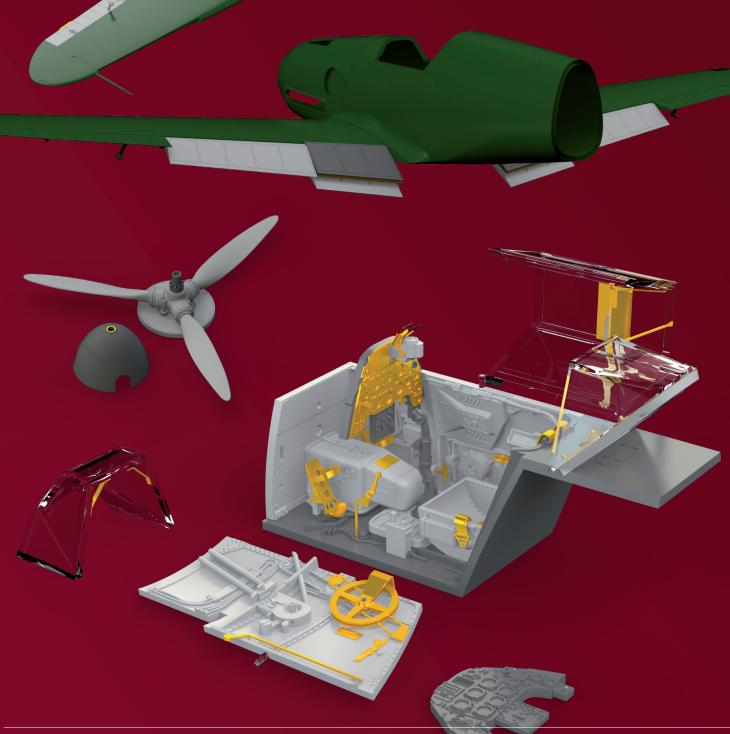
648292 Bf 109F control surfaces (Brassin) January 2017

648291 Bf 109F landing flaps (Brassin) January 2017

648300 Bf 109F engine & fusalage guns (Brassin) February 2017









Bazooka rocket launchers for P-47

1/32 Hasegawa/Eduard

632089

12/2016

Recommended for:

Brassin set - Bazooka rocket launchers for P-47in 1/32 scale. Set includes two launchers.

Set contains:

- resin: 10 parts,
- decals: no,
- photo-etched details: yes,
- painting mask: no





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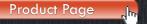
F-104 MB.7 ejection seat

1/48 Hasegawa

Brassin set - MB.7 ejection seat for F-104 in 1/48 scale. Set includes seat, catapult rails, PE seatbelts and stencil decals.

Set contains:

- resin: 5 parts,
- decals: yes,
- photo-etched details: yes, color,
- painting mask: no









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Bf 109F propeller LATE

1/48 Eduard

Brassin set - Bf 109F in 48th scale for Eduard kit. Set contains propeller blades, hub, spinner and prop blades adjusting tool.

Set contains:

- -resin: 7 parts,
- -decals: yes,
- -photo-etched details: yes,
- -painting mask: no







648290

F-14A wheels

1/48 Tamiya

Brassin set - F-14A wheels in 48th scale for Tamiya kit. Set contains main and front landing gear wheels and painting mask.

Set contains:

- -resin: 8 parts,
- -decals: no,
- -photo-etched details: no,
- -painting mask: yes

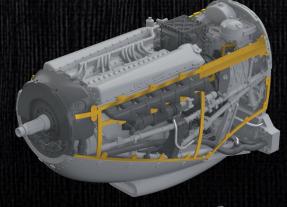








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672126 Spitfire Mk.IX engine

1/72 Eduard

Brassin set – engine for Spitfire Mk.IX in 72nd scale by Eduard.

Set contains:

- resin: 26 parts,
- decals: no,
- photo-etched details: yes,
- painting mask: no

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672127 **CBU-87**

1/72

Brassin set of CBU-87 cluster bombs in 1/72 scale. Set includes six bombs and stencil decals.

Set contains:

- resin: 12 parts,
- decals: yes,
- photo-etched details: no,
- painting mask: no

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672142 Spitfire Mk.XVI wheels - 3 spoke 1/72 Eduard

Brassin set of 2 pieces of 3 spoke Spitfire Mk.XVI wheels and tail wheel in 72nd scale for Eduard kit.

Set contains:

- resin: 3 parts,
- decals: no,
- photo-etched details: no,
- painting mask: yes

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672143 Victor wheels

1/72 Airfix

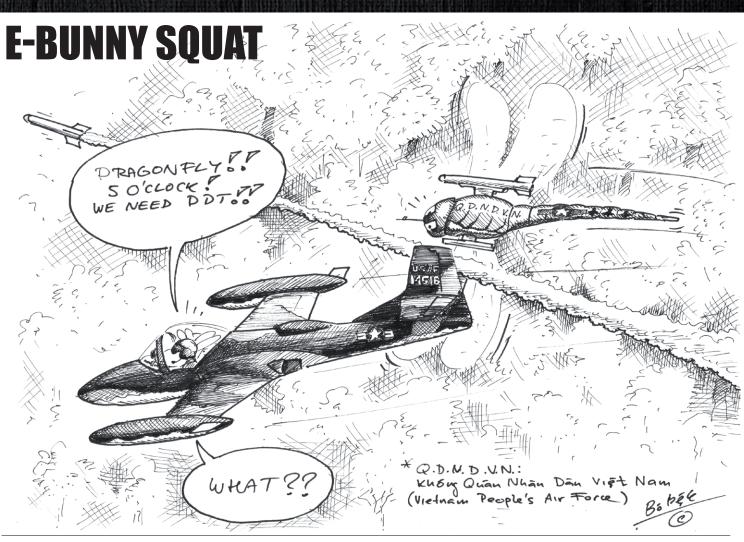
Brassin set of Victor wheels for main and front landig gears, front wheels fenders in 72nd scale for Airfix kit.

Set contains:

- resin: 19 parts,
- decals: yes,
- photo-etched details: no,
- painting mask: yes

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Fw 190A-5

1/72 Eduard

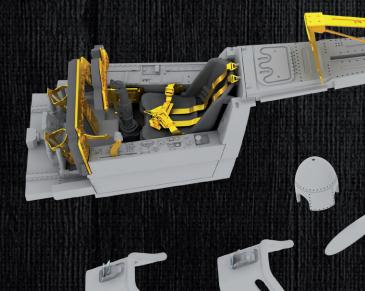
Collection of 7 photo-etched and Brassin sets for Fw 190A-5 in 1/72 scale by Eduard.

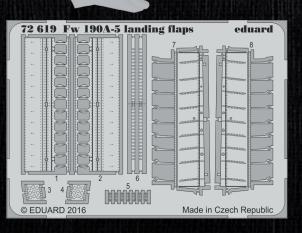
- cockpit,
- engine and fuselage guns,
- early wheels,
- propeller,
- superfabric seatbelts,
- PE upgrade set,
- PE landing flaps

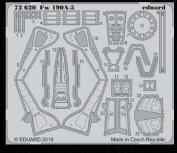
All sets included in this BIG SIN are available separately, but with every BIG SIN set you save up to 30%.

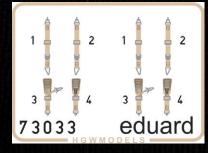












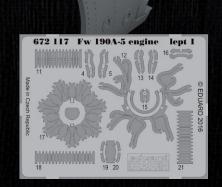


PHOTO-ETCHED SETS AND MASKS

SELECTED 12/2016



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Whitey GR MkVII 1/72 Airftx



Whitley GR Mk.VII landing flaps 1/72 Airfix (72636)
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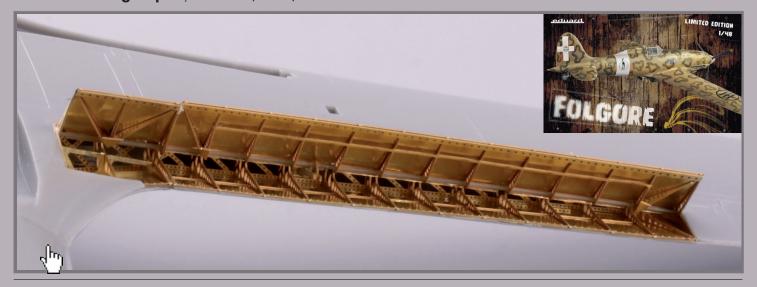
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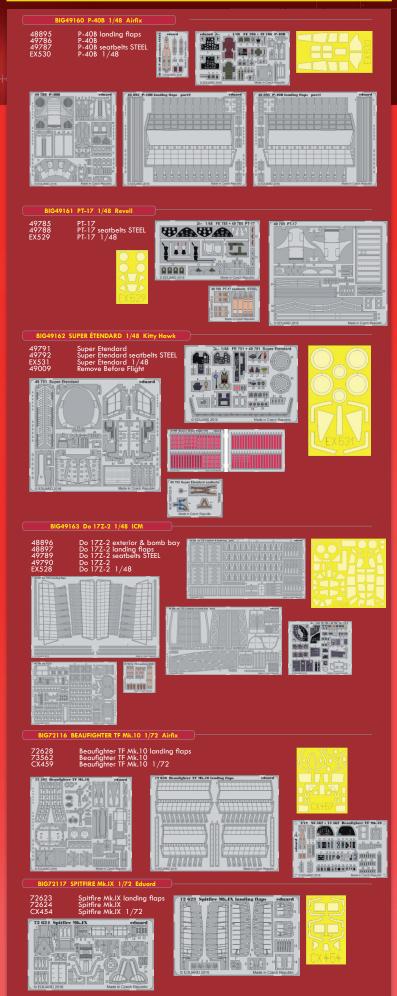
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Bf 109F-4



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Bf 109F-4, W. Nr. 13325, flown by Oblt. Viktor Bauer, 9./JG 3, Shchigry, Soviet Union, June 1942

This aircraft was flown by Viktor Bauer, a fighter ace credited with 106 kills and a Ritterkreuz holder. He scored mostly against Soviet pilots. He flew this particular aircraft in the summer of 1942, when German Group of Armies A advanced on Stalingrad. This unit received Messerschmitts originally intended for service in North Africa, and thus was camouflaged in RLM 78/79. The segments of RLM 74/70 (some sources say RLM 75/71) were added to the desert camouflage scheme. This made the aircraft less visible in the Eastern Front environment. The yellow wingtips, fuselage band and lower cowling were typical for airplanes flown in the east. Note the III./JG 3 badge on the nose. The female name Ellen referred to Bauer's wife. Bauer achieved his 106th and last kill on August 9, 1942 northwest of Stalingrad. The very next day he was hit by enemy fire, wounded and had to belly land his crippled plane. After rescue, Bauer served in various posts of Ergänzungs (replacement) units.













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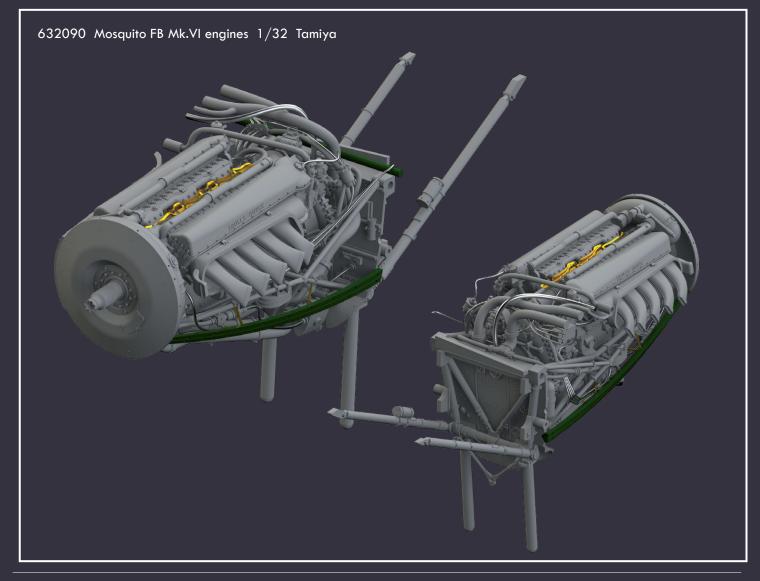
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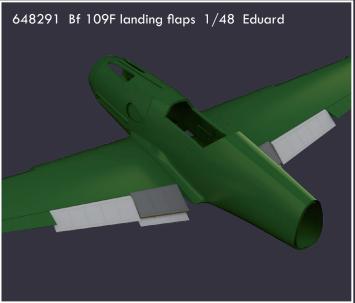
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