











## EagleCals #130

## Bf 109 F-4/Trop

"White 1" W. Nr. 10117 4/JG 3 Pilot: Lt. Albert Helm San Pietro February 1942

Notable features include: Armored windscreen, ETC rack and drop tank. Overhead armor.

Colors: Undersurfaces RLM 78, Light Blue, Drop tank RLM 76 Light Blue; Uppersurfaces, RLM 79 Sandgelb. White fuselage band in front of tail. No White wing tips. Spinner: RLM 70 Black-Green, front portion White; Yellow undercowling. Red 'Muttsch' trimmed in White on port cowl; II./JG 3 badge on both sides under cockpit, trimmed in Red; White '1' and short II. Gruppe bar trimmed in Black half covered by White fuselage band.

National Markings: Fuselage: B2 900 mm Black/White with Black outline crosses

H2 300 mm Black/White Hakenkreuz trimmed in Black

Wings: Upper; B2 1000 mm Black/White trimmed in Black crosses Lower; B2 900 mm Black/White trimmed in Black crosses

Stenciling: Factory standard, fuselage data plate and Brown oil triangle on cowling

Reference: Photos from personal collection

"Yellow 3" 6/JG 3 Pilot: Uffz. Franz Schwaiger San Pietro February 1942

Werknummer unknown. Notable features: Armored windscreen, overhead armor. FuG 25a antenna under the number '3'; ETC rack and drop tank.

Colors: Undersurfaces, RLM 78 Light Blue, drop tank, RLM 76 Light Blue; Uppersurfaces, RLM 79 Sandgelb; Spinner, RLM 70 Black-Green, front portion Yellow; White fuselage band, no White wing tips, no Yellow undercowling. Yellow '3' and II. Gruppe bar Yellow, trimmed in Black; II./JG 3 badge, both sides of fuselage trimmed in Red stencil.

National Markings: Fuselage: B2 900 mm Black/White with Black outline crosses

H2 300 mm Black/White Hakenkreuz trimmed in Black

Wings: Upper; B2 1000 mm Black/White trimmed in Black crosses

Lower; B2 900 mm Black/White trimmed in Black crosses

Stenciling: Factory standard, oil triangle and data plate Reference: II./IG 3, Jochen Prien, page 134

"<||" Stab II/IG 27

Libya February 1942

Notable features include: No armored windscreen, overhead armor.

Colors: Undersurfaces, RLM 78 Light Blue; Uppersurfaces, RLM 79 Sandgelb; White fuselage band; complete engine cowling Yellow, White wing tips, upper and lower. < | | and II. Gruppe bar, White trimmed in Black; White fuselage band over painted some of horizontal bar.

National Markings: Fuselage: B2 900 mm Black/White with Black outline crosses

H2 300 mm Black/White Hakenkreuz trimmed in Black

Wings: Upper; B2 1000 mm Black/White trimmed in Black crosses Lower; B2 900 mm Black/White trimmed in Black crosses

Stenciling: Factory standard, no oil triangle on cowling: data plate under windscreen. II. Gruppe emblem on port side under

windscreen. Reference: Jochen Prien's Unit History II./JG 27, page 187 and 196

## "Yellow 10" II./JG 27

Notable features include: FuG 25a antenna, no armored windscreen, overhead armor

Colors: Undersurfaces RLM 78 Light Blue; Uppersurfaces RLM 79 Sandgelb which starts just below II. Gruppe bar; Yellow engine cowling. White nose and band covering part of the Yellow II. Gruppe bar; no White wing tips. II. Gruppe JG 26 badge on both sides of engine cowling.

National Markings: Fuselage: B2 900 mm Black/White with Black outline crosses

H2 300 mm Black/White Hakenkreuz trimmed in Black

Wings: Upper; B2 1000 mm Black/White trimmed in Black crosses

Lower; B2 900 mm Black/White trimmed in Black crosses

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