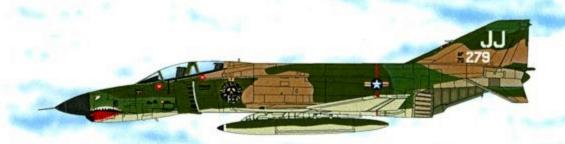


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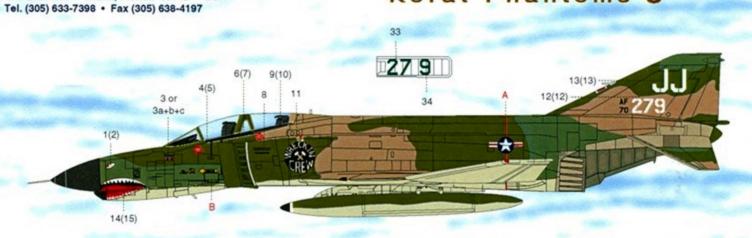






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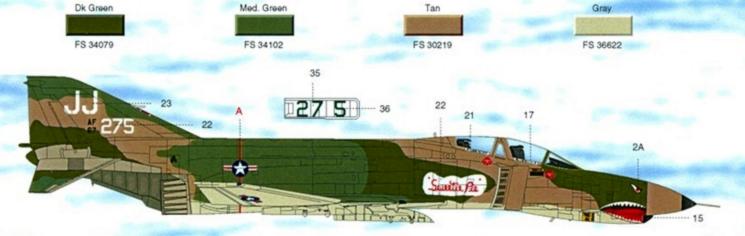
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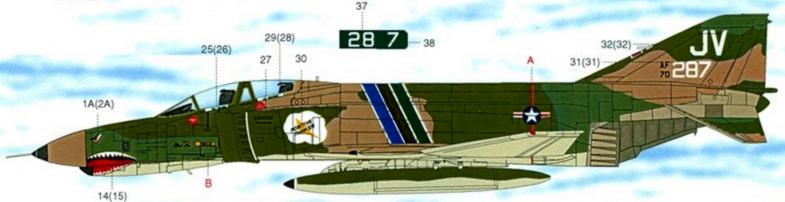
NOTE: Borderless national insignia were applied to all upper surfaces at the factory.

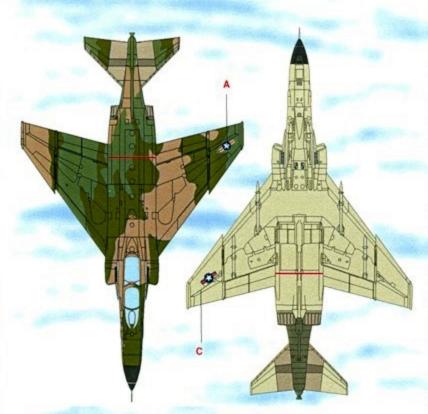
These were replaced with bordered insignia when the aircraft was later repainted.





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Suggested Kits:

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## Kit Modification For Early F-4E:

- 1. Short Gun Gas Diffuser (Aircraft 1, 2, 4)
- 2. No Wing Slats
- 3. No Formation Light Panels
- No Triangular Braces on Upper Horizontal Tails
- 1. F-4 Phantom II Pt 2, In Detail & Scale Vol. 7, by B. Kinzey, 1982
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F-4E-35-MC Phantom 67-279 The Wreckin' Crew was crewed by Major Don Parkhurst (Pilot) and Lt "Black" Barton (WSO), of the 34th Tactical Fighter Squadron, 388th Tactical Fighter Wing, 13th Air Force from Korat AB, Thailand in April, 1970. Standard USAF SEA camouflage of Tan 30219, Green 34102, and Dark Green 34079 with Light Gray 36622 undersides. Reduced size national insignia were applied in four positions. Wing tanks were painted Dark Green 34079 over Light Gray 36622. The Wreckin' Crew was applied to the left side only; aircrew and ground crew names were painted on both side canopy frames in White on a Black field. A Presidential Unit Citation and AF Outstanding Unit Award (with two Oak Leaf Clusters) ribbons were displayed on the left nose. A full Red turbine warning stripe and the last 3 numbers in Green on the White interior nose bay door were carried. Apply Decal #3A before Decal #3B before Decal #3C.

F-4E-35-MC Phantom 67-275, Sweetie Pie, as flown by Major Lem Jones (Pilot) and Captain Duane Tway (WSO) of the 34th TFS, 388th TFW. Based at Korat in July of 1969. Standard SEA camouflage. The Tan radome body is darker than the camouflage Tan. Sweetie Pie was carried on both sides of the fuselage but the girlie art appeared on the left inlet ramp only. Aircrew and ground crew names were painted respectively on the left and right side canopy frames in White on a squadron color (Black) field. Borderless 15" national insignia on all upper surfaces were common on early F-4Es. The last 3 numbers of the serial number were applied in Green on the White-painted nose bay door interior. A full Red turbine warning stripe was carried. The right side camouflage pattern is typical for F-4E Phantoms at the time.

F-4E-35-MC Phantom 67-287, Positive Thinker, flown by the 388th TFW Commander, Colonel M. Nelson (Pilot), and Lt M. Sovitsky (WSO) at Korat in September of 1969. Positive Thinker was assigned to the 469th TFS for maintenance and carried its JV code. Standard SEA camouflage with air and ground crew names carried on the left and right side canopy frames in White on a squadron color (Green) field. Command stripes in the colors of the 388th's squadrons were applied to the center fuselage. Note the early two-tone radome, the full Red turbine warning stripe and the borderless national insignia. The last 3 numbers were applied in White on the Green nose bay door interior. Fuselage band is longer than it needs to be to allow the use of both F4 kits. Please trim to fit at the wing/fuselage joint.

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