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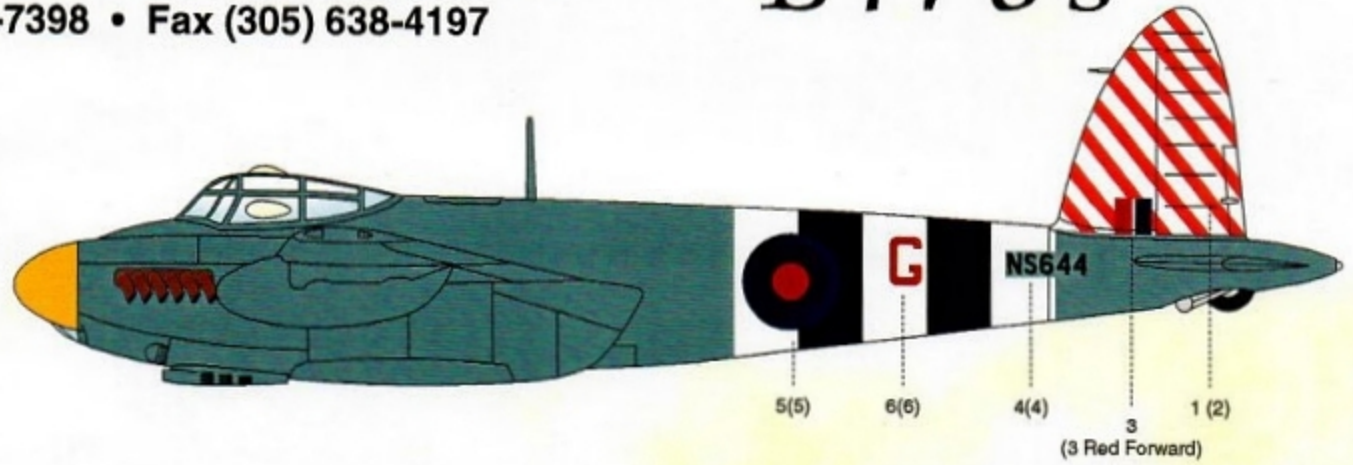
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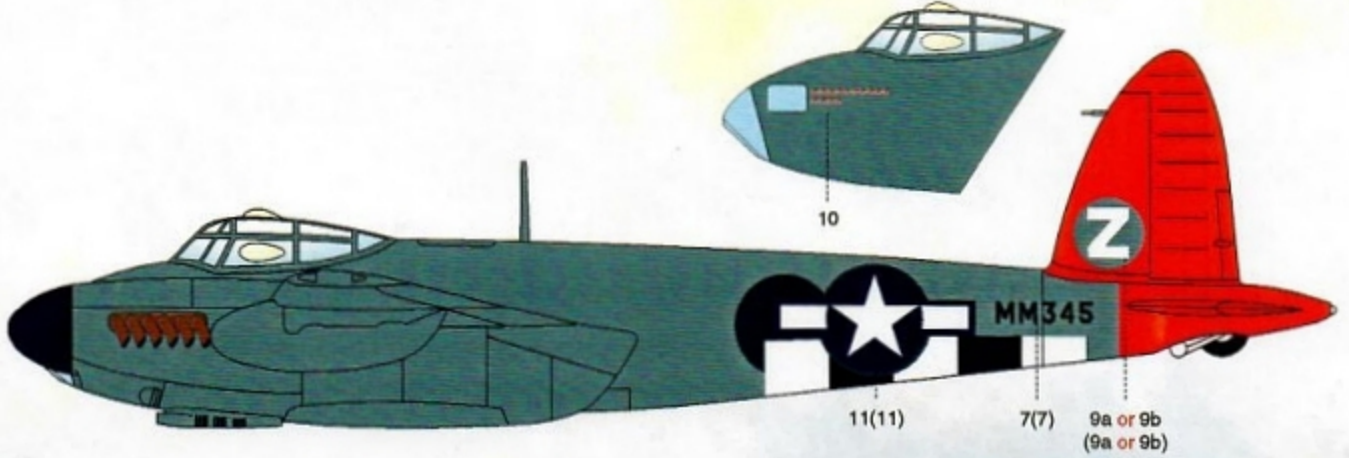
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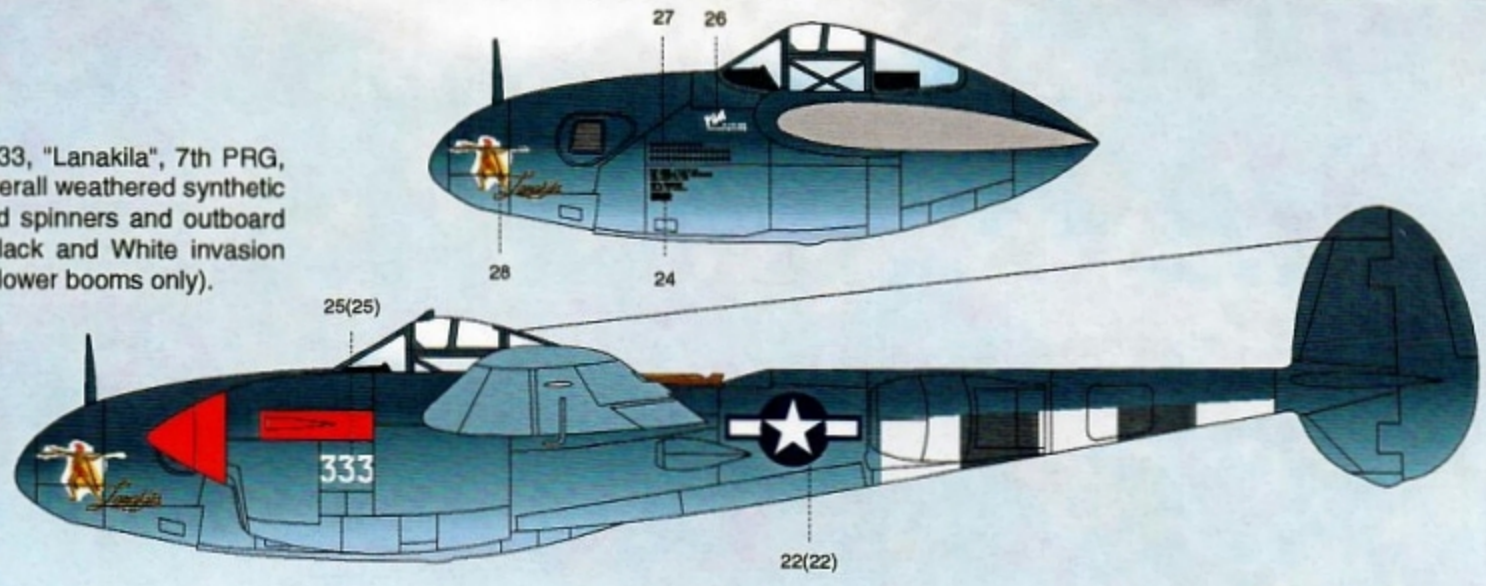
1 Mosquito PR Mk. XVI, NS644, No. 680 Squadron, RAF, Foggia, Italy, 1944. Overall PRU Blue (F.S. 35189) with Red and White striped tail surfaces. D-Day invasion stripes Black and White on fuselage only. Spinners Yellow.



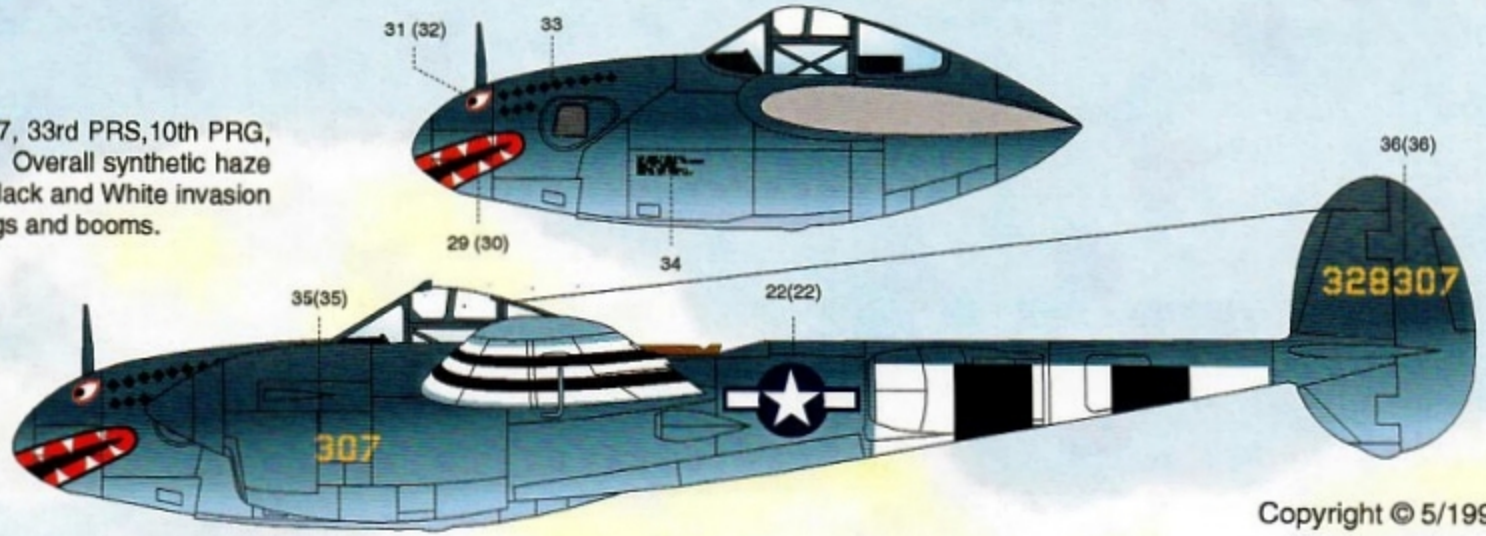
2 Mosquito PR Mk. XVI, MM345, 63rd BS (Light), 25th BG, RAF Swanton, Norfolk, 1944. Overall PRU Blue (F.S. 35189) with Red tail surfaces. Invasion stripes on lower fuselage Black and White. Spinners and painted out RAF roundel locations are a darker shade of Blue. Note mission markings on nose section aft of window.



3 F-5E-2-LO, 43-28333, "Lanakila", 7th PRG, England, 1944. Overall weathered synthetic haze Blue with Red spinners and outboard nacelle panels. Black and White invasion stripes very faded (lower booms only).

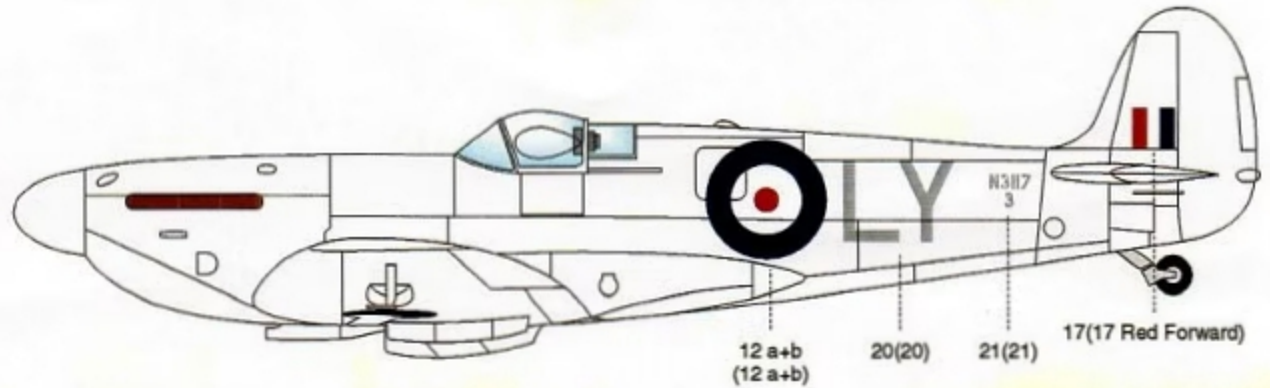


4 F-5E-2-LO, 43-28307, 33rd PRS, 10th PRG, England, July 1944. Overall synthetic haze Blue camouflage. Black and White invasion stripes on lower wings and booms.

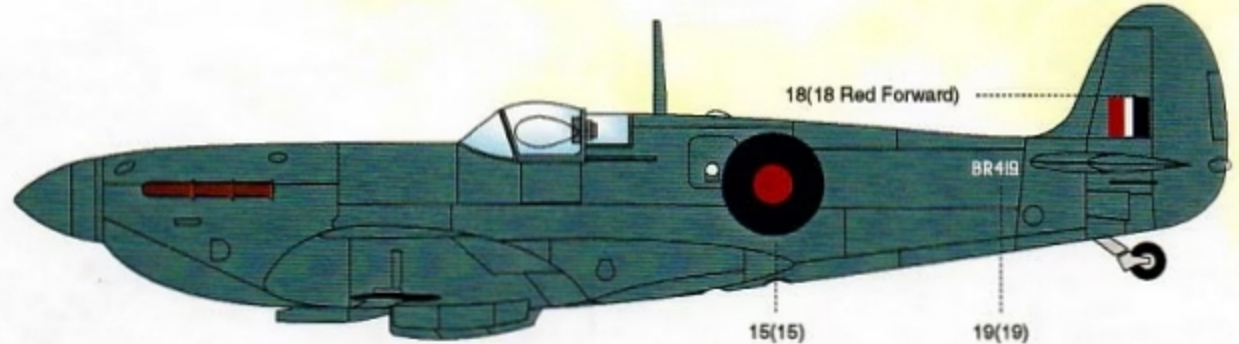


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Spitfire Mk. I PR Type E, N3117, Photographic Development Unit, RAF Heston, July 1940. Overall extremely light pink (off White with a very slight Pink tinge). Camera mounts under both wings. No national insignias on wing lowersurfaces. Note clear PR windscreen and tear-drop bubbles on main canopy.



Spitfire PR Mk. IV, BR419, No. 1 Photo reconnaissance Unit, 1942. Overall PRU Blue (F.S. 35189). Note two camera mounts in belly and one in port side access door. No armament carried. Also note clear PR windscreen and teardrop bubbles on main canopy. Converted from Mk. Vb airframe.



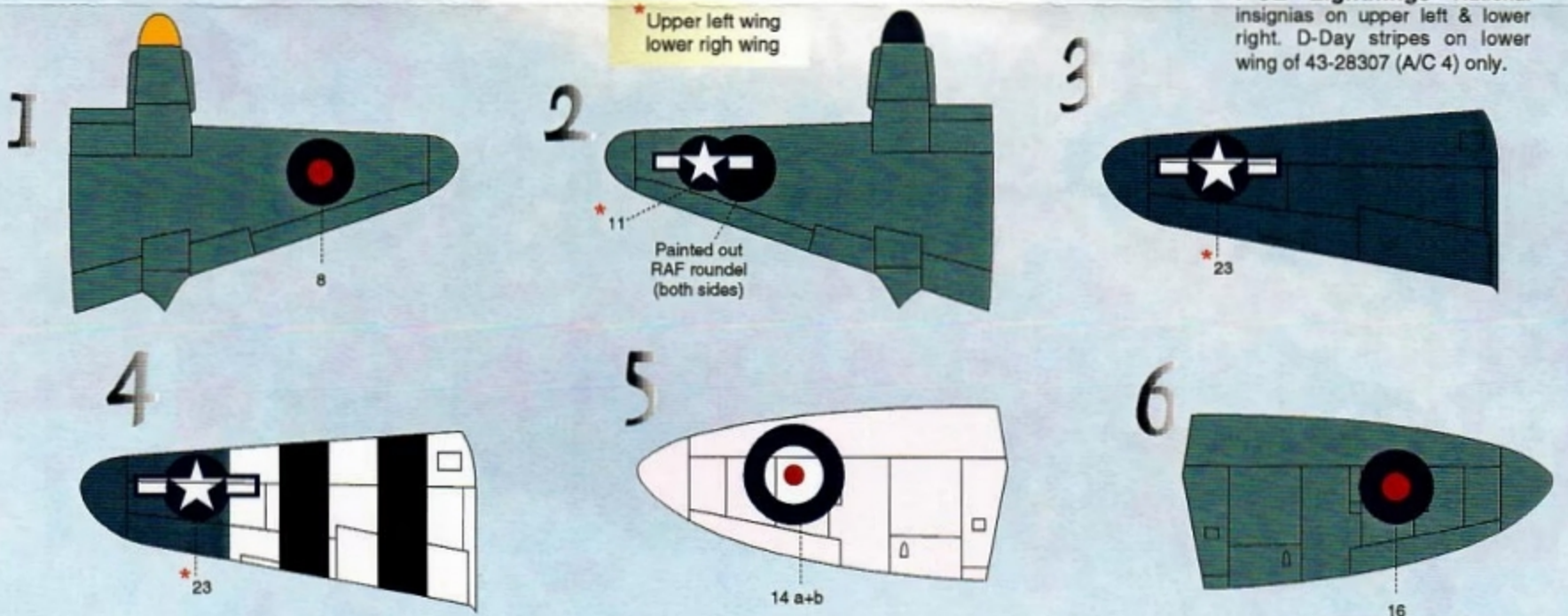
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Suggested Kits:

1. Monogram or Airfix Mosquito Kit
2. Tamiya or Hasegawa MK1-V Spitfire
3. Paragon Two Stage Merlin Conversion
4. KMC Mosquito, Spitfire & P-38 upgrades
5. Hasegawa/Minicraft P38/f5 Kit

F-5E Lightnings National insignias on upper left & lower right. D-Day stripes on lower wing of 43-28307 (A/C 4) only.



Thanks

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Recommended AeroMaster Warbird Colors

Acrylic		
1001	Gloss Clear	1014 Red
1002	Semi-Gls Clr	1015 Blue
1003	Flat Clear	1016 Green
1004	Tire Black	1117 P.R.U. Blue
1011	Yellow	
1012	White	
1013	Black	

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