







EagleCals #127

Me 262 A-1a

"White <<" Me 262 A-1a W. Nr. Unknown Generalleutnant Adolf Galland JV 44 München-Riem late April 1945

This Me 262 was known to have been flown by Adolf Galland on his last flight from München-Riem, Germany in which he received his wound to his right knee that terminated his Luftwaffe flying career.

Werknummer unknown; armored headrest mounted in canopy.

Fitted with 24 R4M rockets - 12 under each wing mounted on wooden racks.

Colors: Undersurfaces; RLM 76 on control surfaces and engine pods; fuselage and underwing unpainted natural metal Uppersurfaces; RLM 82 Bright Green/RLM 83 Dark Green. White Kommandeur Double Chevron on both sides of fuselage in front of Balkenkreuz.

National Markings: Fuselage; 800 mm White outline crosses.

430 mm Black with White outline Hakenkreuz

Wings: upper 630 mm White outline crosses; lower 800 mm Black and White crosses

Stenciling: Factory standard

Reference: page 106-110, Fw 190 Dora Volume Two, Jerry Crandall published by Eagle Editions Ltd.

"Green 1" W. Nr. Unknown III./JG 7 Location unknown April 1945

Flown by pilot Major Rudi Sinner, Gruppenkommandeur III./JG 7. Alternate Me 262 to his other known Me 262 as presented in EagleCals #95 with the diagonal stripes going in the opposite direction. The 21 cm rockets do not appear to be mounted on this aircraft.

Colors: Undersurfaces; RLM 76 Light Blue. Uppersurfaces; appear to be RLM 82/RLM 83 or RLM 81. JG 7 assigned Red and Blue fuselage bands.

National Markings: Fuselage; 800 mm White outline crosses.

430 mm Black with White outline Hakenkreuz

Wings: upper 630 mm White outline crosses; lower 800 mm Black and White crosses

Stenciling: Factory standard

Reference: photo published in Start Verlag Luftwaffe im Focus, Germany