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# SPITFIRE

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Suggested Kit: Airfix 1:48 - Supermarine Spitfire F.22/F.24

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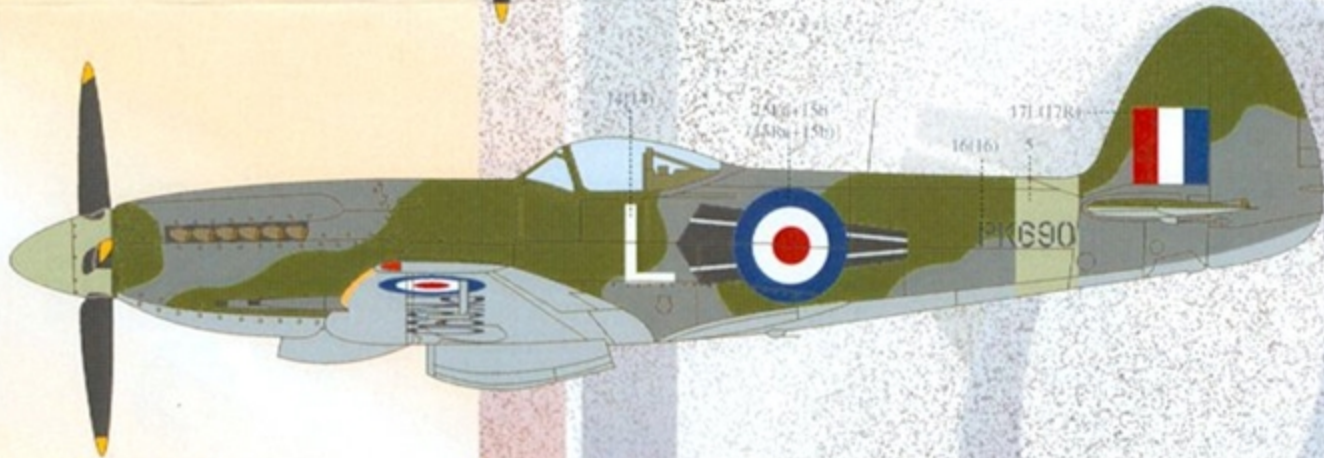
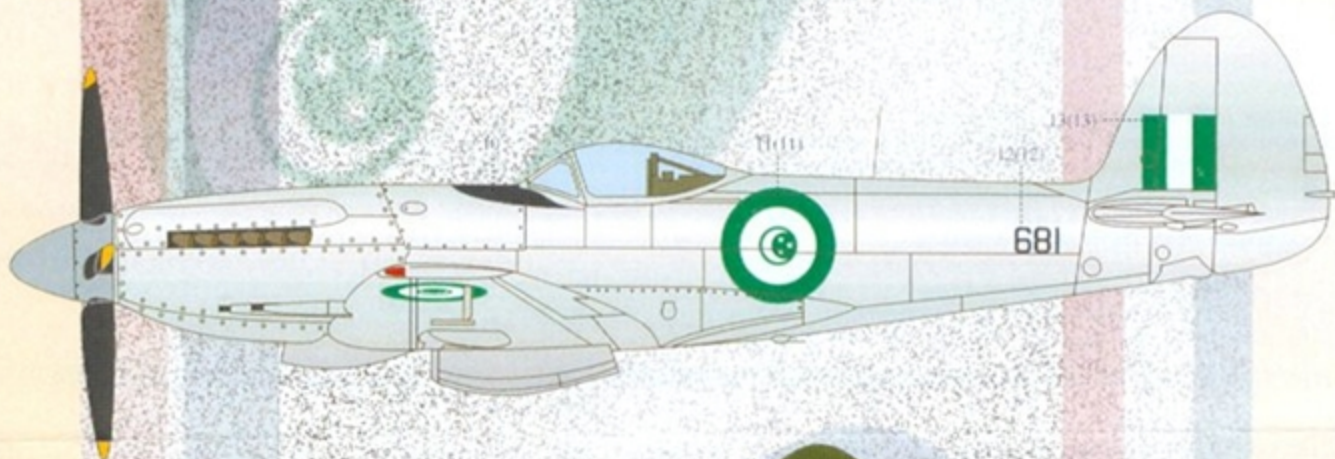
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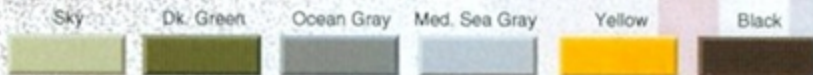
Spitfire F.22 PK519 V6-A  
 615 (County of Surrey) Squadron,  
 RAF, Biggin Hill, 1950. PK519 shows  
 the newly adopted two letter codes in  
 use after the transfer of RAuxAF  
 squadrons from Reserve Command  
 to Fighter Command in November  
 1949.

Spitfire F.22 681  
 2 Squadron, Royal Egyptian Air  
 Force, Helwan, Egypt, 1950.  
 Aircraft number 681 formed part of  
 a delivery of 19 ex-RAF F.22  
 Spitfires to the Egyptian government  
 in 1950. Medium Sea Gray Spinner.



Spitfire F.22 PK690 L  
 73 Squadron, RAF, Ta' Qali,  
 Malta, 1948. Standard Day  
 Fighter Scheme of this period,  
 but with squadron chevron  
 either side of the post-war  
 roundel. Note also the larger size  
 of under-wing serials.

Spitfire F.22 PK605  
 502 Squadron, Royal Auxiliary  
 Air Force, 1948. RAF Dark  
 Green, Ocean Gray and Medium  
 Sea Gray camouflage with Black  
 spinner. Photo's suggest that,  
 with service wear, the finish was  
 semi-matt.



Spitfires supplied to the Middle Eastern countries are believed to have been delivered in British desert colors of Middlestone, Dk Earth, Azure or plain natural metal finish. However, they could have received a coat of some local colors upon arrival, of which we have no knowledge.

We are supplying you a complete set of stencils (service markings). However it is believed that most of these markings had disappeared this late in the life of these a/c due to maintenance, painting, touch ups, etc. Use your judgment.



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