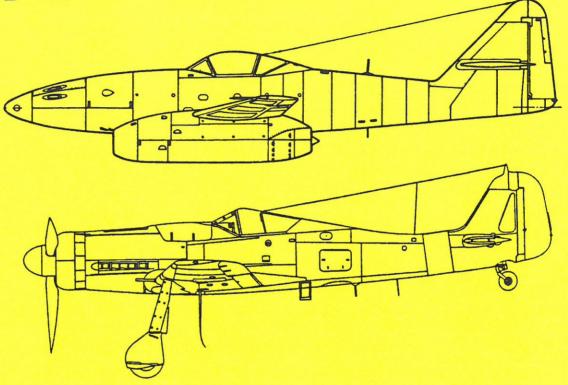


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Fw 190D-11 W.Nr 170933 Fw 190D-11 W.Nr 220009 Me 262A-1a W.Nr ?????? Me 262A-1a W.Nr ?????? Me 262A-2a W.Nr 111685

'Red 4'/White Chevron 58'
'White Double Chevron'
'White 1/S'
'White 4'
'9K+FH'

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#### **JV 44**

JV 44 was a unit set up by Adolf Galland to prove the Me262A after he was relieved of his post as General der JagdFlieger by Goering in January 1945. This unit attracted many Luftwaffe Experten, many of whom had been grounded for various reasons, and became unofficially known as the "Squadron of Experts". For further information on the subject we recommend Classic Publications "JV44: The Galland Circus" by Robert Forsyth.

#### **Application of Decals**

For the best results we suggest the decals are applied to a gloss finish as follows

- 1/ Cut required decal from sheet.
- 2/ Dip in warm water until the decal just begins to slide from the backing sheet (approx. 10-30 seconds)
- 3/ Position backing sheet near to where required and slide decal off the backing sheet into position with a soft brush or similar.
- 4/ Press gently with a lint-free cloth until fixed and leave for at least 12 hours before continuing.
- 5/ When all decals have been applied and left to dry, spray model with an appropriate varnish to seal

If you wish to use any decal system solvents, please test first on one of the small stencils or a piece of walkway. We have not heard of any problems using decal systems - please let us know

#### Stenciling

We have included at least one complete set of stencils for each aircraft type. Where our many references give alternative marking (e.g. Gust Lock Positions), we have included all and leave the modeller to make his/her own decision. Similarly, not all the stencils were applied to every machine and again we leave the modeller to check his/her own references and/or make their own 'guesstimate'.

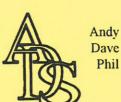
#### **Luftwaffe Camouflage**

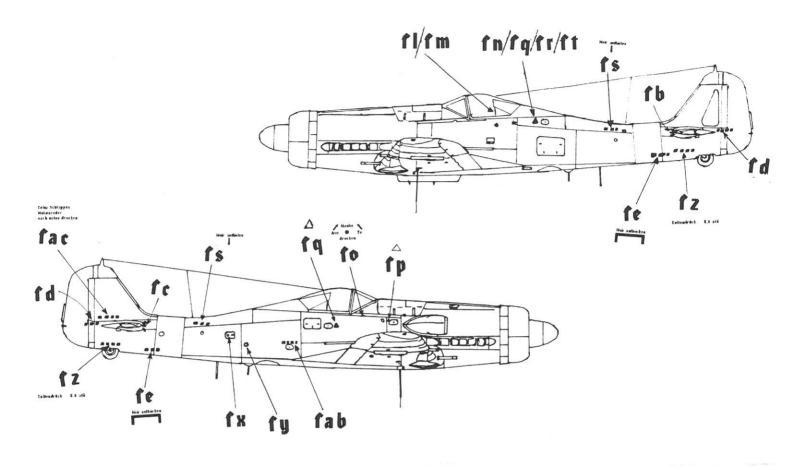
Late war Luftwaffe camouflage is a very inexact science and usually ends up as a personal interpretation of 50 year old black and white photographs. We have based our interpretation on the information supplied in Classic Publications "JV44: The Galland Circus". Where we differ, we have stated our reasons and included both options in the decal sheet. Similarly, Me262's had their individual number/letter repeated on the nosewheel door. Where it has not been possible to determine whether this applied to a particular aircraft, we have included the decal. We leave the modeller to make up his/her own mind.

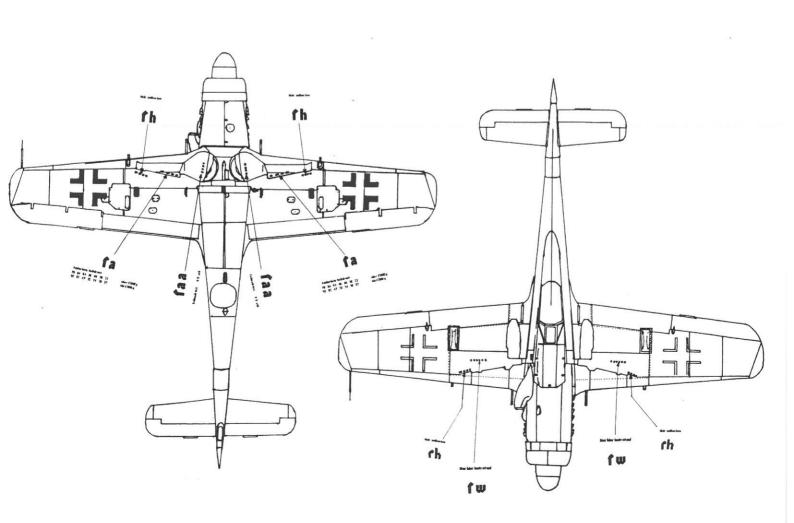
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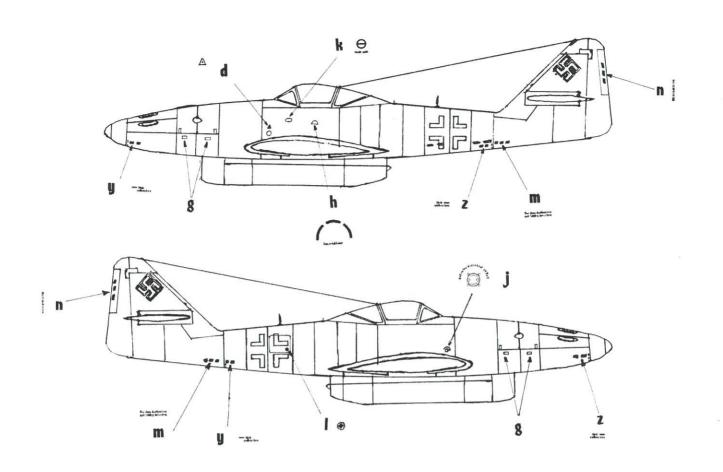
We would like to thank Classic Publications for their help in producing these decals.

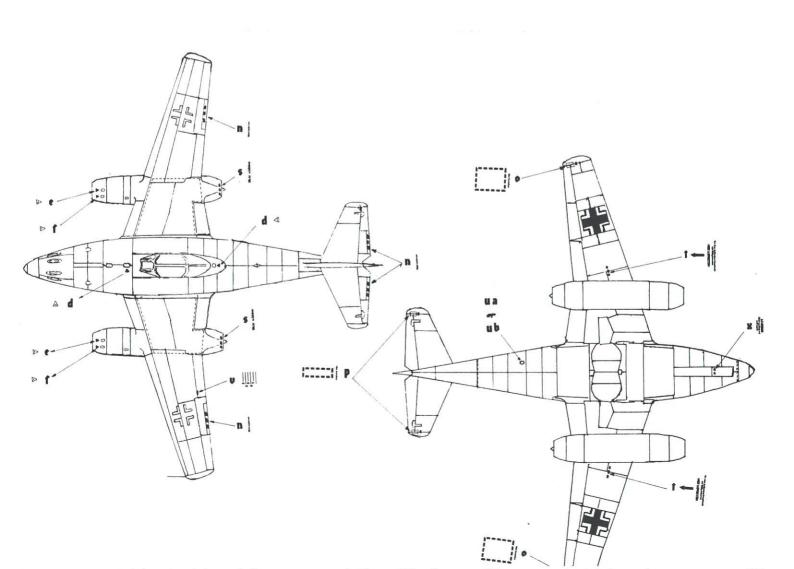
If you have any comments or ideas for future decal sheets please write or Fax us at ADS at the address shown.

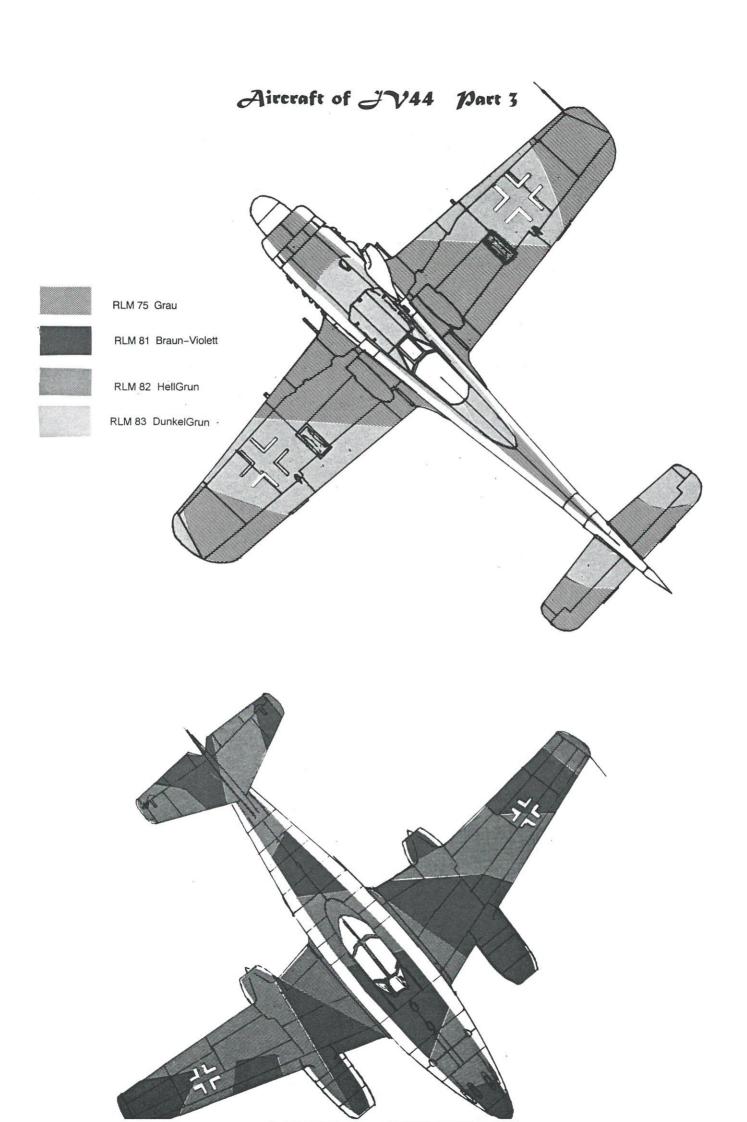




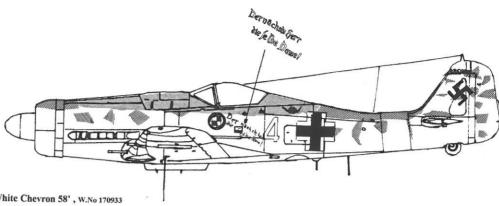








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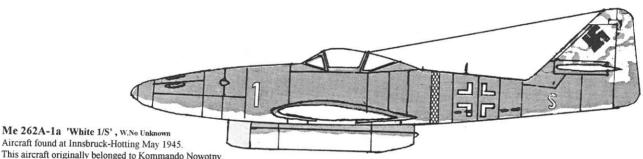


Fw 190D-11(V58) 'Red 4 /ex White Chevron 58' ,  $w.\mbox{No}\ \mbox{170933}$ 

Aircraft found at Munchen-Riem May 1945.

This aircraft originally belonged to Stab General der Jagdflieger.

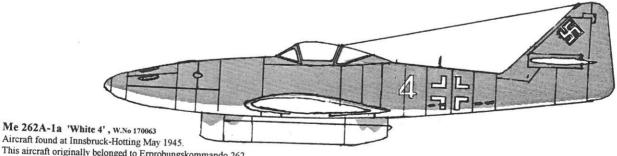
Undersurface is Red 23 with white stripes. The white stripes were approx. 10cms (4 ins) wide, field applied regular neither in width nor spacing. Propellor Blades and rear of Spinner are Green 70, the front of the Spinner is Yellow 04. During its service with the 'Wurger Staffel' the aircraft was 'Red 4', the white Chevron 58 had been overpainted and was not visible at the time - Photos taken in 1947 show the Chevron and 58 starting to appear through the overpainting (Both have been included in the decal sheet). Uppersurface is Grey 75 and Green 83. The Fuselage sides and Fin/Rudder are Grey 76 with a light mottle of Grey 75 and Green 83, there are also darker patches of mottle on the rear Fuselage and Fin/Rudder which could be **Brown 81**. The immediate area around the exhaust stubs could possibly be painted Black. The W.Nr is unusual as it is applied in black to the port side of the fin and white to the starboard. The legend beneath the cockpit translates as "The next man, the same woman". Use Balkenkreuze 2 for the top wing surface, 16 for the lower wing surface, 5 for the fuselage sides and Hakenkreuze 10 for the tail.



This aircraft originally belonged to Kommando Nowotny.

Uppersurface is Brown 81 and Green 82. Undersurface, Fuselage and Nacelle sides and Fin/Rudder are Grey 76. It is possibly that the Fin/Rudder is in a lighter shade of Grey 76 or possibly Grey 77. The Fin/Rudder had a hard edged mottle in Green 82. Photographs of this aircraft in its service with Kommando Nowotny seem to show the Brown 81/Green 82 uppersurface colours were carried down the fuselage sides. In its service with JV44 there appears to be a crude overspray between the Gun Hatches and the Yellow Fuselage band - possibly Green 82.

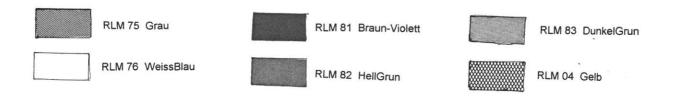
Use Balkenkreuze 15 for the top wing surface, 13 for the lower wing surface, 12 for the fuselage sides and Hakenkreuze 8 for the tail.



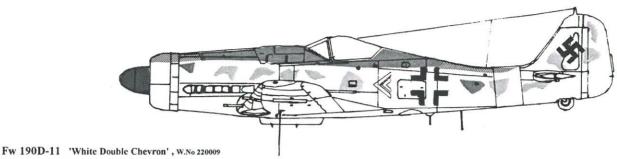
This aircraft originally belonged to Erprobungskommando 262

The Uppersurface is overall Green 83. Undersurfaces are Grey 76.

Use Balkenkreuze 15 for the top wing surface, 13 for the lower wing surface, 12 for the fuselage sides and Hakenkreuze 17 for the tail.



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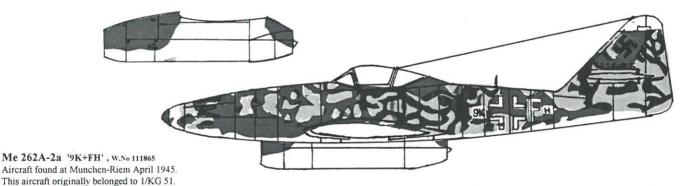


Aircraft found at Bad Wortshofen May-August 1945.

This aircraft originally belonged to Stab General der Jagdflieger and was possibly handed over to the Wurger Staffel.

Uppersurface is Grey 75 and Green 83. Undersurface, Fuselage sides and Fin/Rudder are Grey 76. Light mottle of the Uppersurface colours on the Fuselage sides and Fin/Rudder, with darker patches of mottle on the rear Fuselage and Fin/Rudder of possibly Brown 81. Propellor Blades and complete Spinner appear to be Green 70. The majority of Fw 190D-9s and D-11s had the extra section in front of the tailplane in a lighter colour to the rest of the Grey 76 on the airframe. This could still be Grey 76 but of a lighter shade. The W.Nr is applied in black to the port side of the fin. The starboard side could also be black or white like 'Chevron 58' - both have been included in the decal sheeet.

Use Balkenkreuze 2 for the top wing surface, 5 for the lower wing surface, 3 for the fuselage sides and Hakenkreuze 10 for the tail. (For 1/48 use Tamiya kit decals for Balkenkreuze 1 and 2 and Hakenkreuze 10 and 17)



Reference 1 states that the Brown 81 was sprayed in lines over the Green 82 base coat. We think that the aircraft started life in the standard Brown 81, Green 82 and Grey 76 scheme but with 'blotches' of a lighter colour sprayed over it, possibly Grey 02 or even the Undersurface Grey 76. The Rudder seems to be a replacement unit from another machine, possibly Grey 76 with a Brown 81 and Green 82 scribble pattern. The '9K+FH' codes are painted over patches of a different colour, possibly Grey 02 or simply fresher paint? Note that the 'H' of the Code is tilted. White 21 Fin/Rudder top.

Use Balkenkreuze 15 for the top wing surface, 13 for the lower wing surface, 12 for the fuselage sides and Hakenkreuze 7 for the tail. (For 1/72 use Hasegawa or SMER kit decals for Balkenkreuze 12, 13 and 15)



