

KIT NO. FP- 1 - 398

F-4E PHANTOMII

ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

1/48 IDENTICAL SCALE MODEL



MADE IN JAPAN BY FUJIMI EXCLUSIVELY FOR AHM, PHILA., PA.

U.S.A.F. ATTACK FIGHTER-BOMBER





In its class, the McDonnell F-4E Phantom can justifiably claim to be the finest combat aircraft in service throughout the Free World today. Perhaps the only difficulty is in defining its precise classification, since the Phantom is currently employed in five major roles: Air defence, air superiority, long-range attack, reconnaissance and tactical support, from both land basses and aircraft carriers. The F-4E has an extended nose housing miniaturised APQ-120 fire control radar andrecessed pod with multiplebarrelM-61 20mm Balkan cannon, with a 6,000 to 4,000 round per minute rate of fire.Two J79-GE-17 turbojets

rated at 11,870lb st and 17,900 lb st with afterburning. Capable of Mach2.27at altitude. The Phantom uses a cartridge-type ejection system to release the six AIM-7E Sparrow all-weather all-aspect air-to-air missiles, four of which are carried semi-buried beneath the fuselage and five stations under the wings and fuselage can carry a combined total of more than seven tons (bombs, fuel tanks, missiles, and napalm). The Japan Air Force has decided to adapt the Phantom as their next main fighter in 1970.

ALL PLASTIC CONSTRUCTION MODEL KIT

COCKPIT CONSTRUCTION

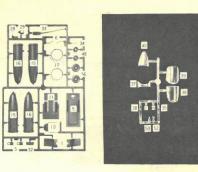
First, make the front part of cockpit as shown. Cement parachute-bag ②, emergency ejection ring ③ pilot ④ to the ejection seat ①. Then cement them and control stick ⑥ to the cockpit floor ⑤. Make the frame with nose gear wheel board ⑦⑧⑨⑩ (The wider part of board ⑦⑧ are coming forward). Then fit assembled frame to the cockpit floor ⑤.
 Cement ②③ and navigator ⑫ to the ejection seat ①, then cement them to the navigator's floor ⑪. (Notice: Do not cement central spring board to the

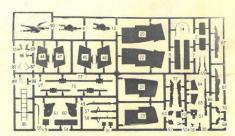
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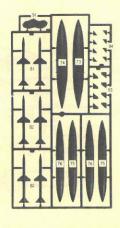
(Notice: Do not cement central spring board to the ejection seat, leave it movable).

Cement control stick ⑥ and instrument panel ③ to navigator floor as shown.

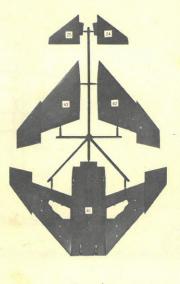
(DRAWING OF PARTS)



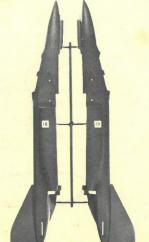








LIST OF PAPTS



Cement each of assembled seats to the inside projections of the fuselage. Then put fuselages ®® together. 3.

Make two tail pipes with parts (1) and (1), then cement each of jet nozzles (1) to them.* (Notice: In this case, meet the boss of jet nozzle at a right angle to the boss 4 . of tail pipe)

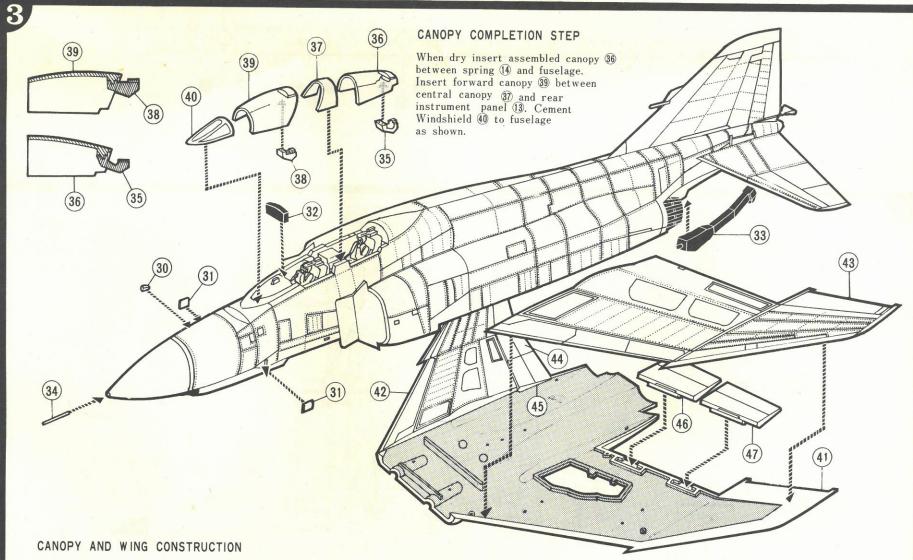
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Insert assembled tail pipe into the fuselage.* (Notice: As reference picture shows, fit the boss of jet nozzle to the inside wall of fuselage).

Cement engine air intakes 21, 23 to each of intake ramps 20 22 then fit them into place as shown.

Cement stabilizer right 24 and left 25 to the fuselage.

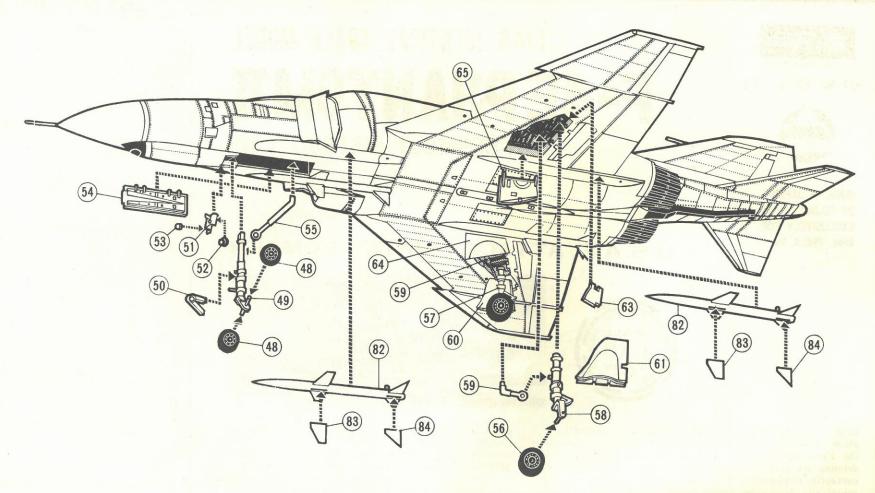
As shown, arrange and cement intake fin 26, fuel air vent27, antenna 28, M-61 gun cover 29 to the fuselage.



- Cement small air intake 30, air intake 31, forward instrument panel 32, arresting hook 33 and pitot tube 34 to the fuselage as shown.
- Cement after canopy hinge 35 to the jettisonable after canopy 36, forward canopy hinge 38 to the jettisonable forward canopy 39. Set aside and allow to dry completely. Cement center canopy 37 into place as shown.
- Insert flaps 44, 45 between right lower wing 41 and right upper wing 42, 11. then cement two wing halves together allowing flaps to move freely.

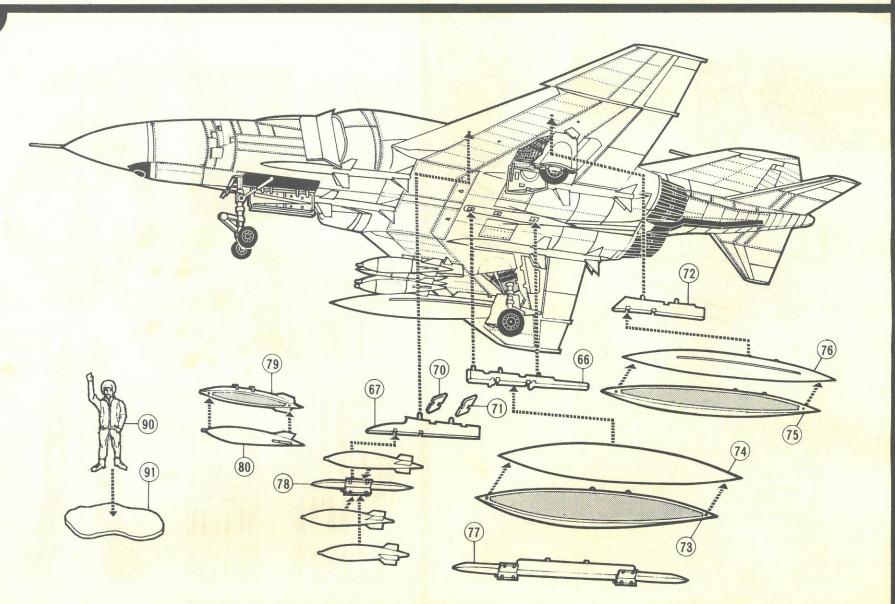
12. Follow same procedure as step ll for left wing assembly.

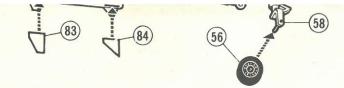
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NOSE & MAIN WHEEL CONSTRUCTION

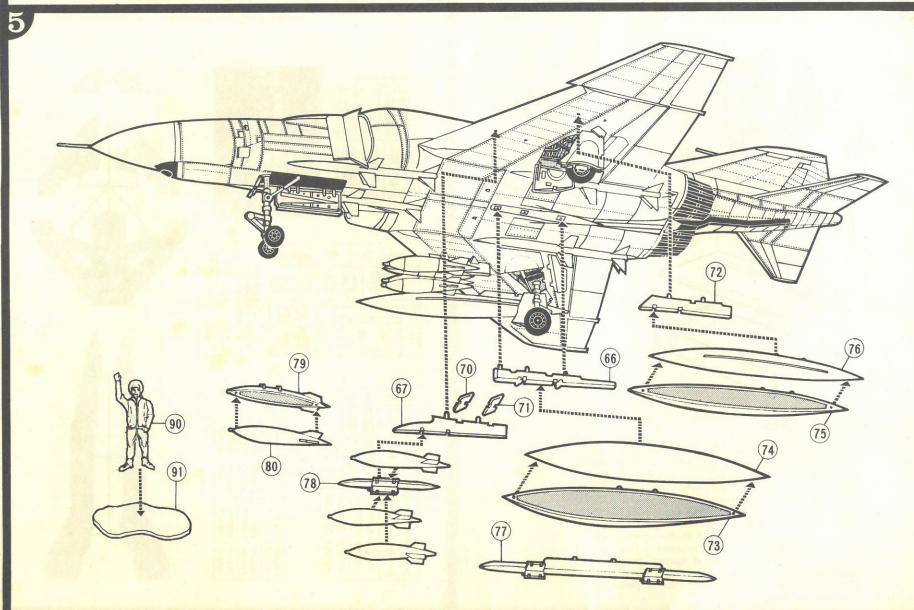
- 12. Slide nose wheels 48 on the nose gear strut shaft 49 from both sides, then lightly flatten top of shaft with a heated screw driver. Cement torque link 50 to the front of nose gear strut 49.
- 13. Insert and cement the nose gear strut 49 into the hole of cockpit floor 5 then cement nose gear retraction actuator 5 to them as shown.
- 14. Cement spot light ② and landing light ③ to the nose gear front cover ⑤ then cement assembled unit to nose gear strut. Cement nose gear door ⑤ to the edge of nose gear wheel well as shown.
- 15. Slide main wheel 👀 on the main landing gear strut shaft 👀 then flatten top of shaft lightly with a heated screw driver. Cement main landing
- gear strut 58 to the hole of main landing gear well, then cement main gear retraction actuator 59 to main strut and wheel housing.
- 16. Fit right main landing gear strut same as step 15 using parts \$75659.
- 17. Cement left main gear cover (1), main gear auxiliary cover (3), main wheel door (5) to the place as shown.
- 18. The same way as step 17, cement the main gear covers 60 62 64 to the right side of gear well.
- 19. Take 4 AIM-7E sparrow AAM missiles 82 with sparrow's forward wing 83 after wing 84 then cement them to the 4 places on fuselage.





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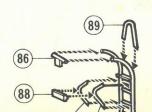


EQUIPMENT

There are many ways to epuip the model. Shown below is one example which is equipped with the drop tanks and 750 LB bombs.

- 20. First cement central pylon 66 to the center of fuselage bottom. Put 600 gallon drop tank right 3 and left 4 together, then cement it to pylon 66.
- 21. As shown, cement pylon parts 10 11 to the inside pylon 67, then cement entire assembly to the left wing. Cement wing bomb rack 18 on the pylon 67. Make six 750 LB bombs putting bomb parts 19 and 80 together, then fit them to the wing bomb rack 18.
- 22. The same way as step 21, equip the arms to the left wing.
- 23. Fit outside pylon ② to the wing. Put bomb parts right ③ and left ⑥ together to make 370 LB drop tank, then fit it to the pylon ②. The center bomb rack ⑥ is used when 750 LB bomb is installed.
- 24. Stand mechanic 90 on the mechanic's base 91.

LADDER CONSTRUCTION.



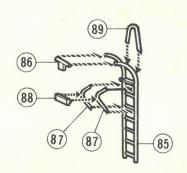


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LADDER CONSTRUCTION.



Paint the ladder indigo from bottom to the 3 rungs, then paint the rest yellow.
Hang it on the leftside of cockpit.

SPARROW CONSTRUCTION.

