

Main Picture (opposite page): F-15SG 05-0007 with PC V (5th Anniversary) tail markings.
 RSAF F-15SG 05-0007 caught against a picturesque sky at Boise Air Terminal during August 2015.
 -Colin Moeser

F-15SG

The RSAF 428th FS training detachment (under the auspices of Peace Carvin V) at Mountain Home AFB reached 5 years milestone in 2014. Like her sister unit 425th FS, 2 F-15SGs were selected to be applied commemorative markings. Flags of the both the host and guest countries were applied on the twin tail outboard surfaces while the enlarged Jolly Rogers of Calico Jack is inboard. In the same year, 149 Sqn applied special markings for its flagship while taking part in Ex Hot Shot 2014.



Paintwork Details:

428th FS

Peace Carvin V

Ex Hot Shot 2014- 149 Sqn Flagship



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Tail Detail: 05-0005



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References:

Combat Aircraft, various issues
 Air Forces Monthly, various issues
 Event- Red Flag 2014-3

Recommended Kit:

GWH 1/48 F-15
 Revell-Monogram 1/48 F-15E

Online:

-various Flickr sources
 -Airliners.net
 -Mountainhome AFB website

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Decal Options:

F-15SG 428FS 05-0005
 -Colour Tail Flash markings
 -Complete pilot & crew details

F-15SG 428FS 05-0007
 -Colour Tail Flash markings
 -Complete pilot & crew details

F-15SG 149 Sqn 8302
 -Ex Hot Shot 2014 markings
 -Complete pilot & crew details

F-15SG 428FS 05-0003 (bonus)
 -Low-Vis Markings
 -Complete pilot & crew details

- Full stencil markings for 2 aircraft, including those for pylons and fuel tanks.

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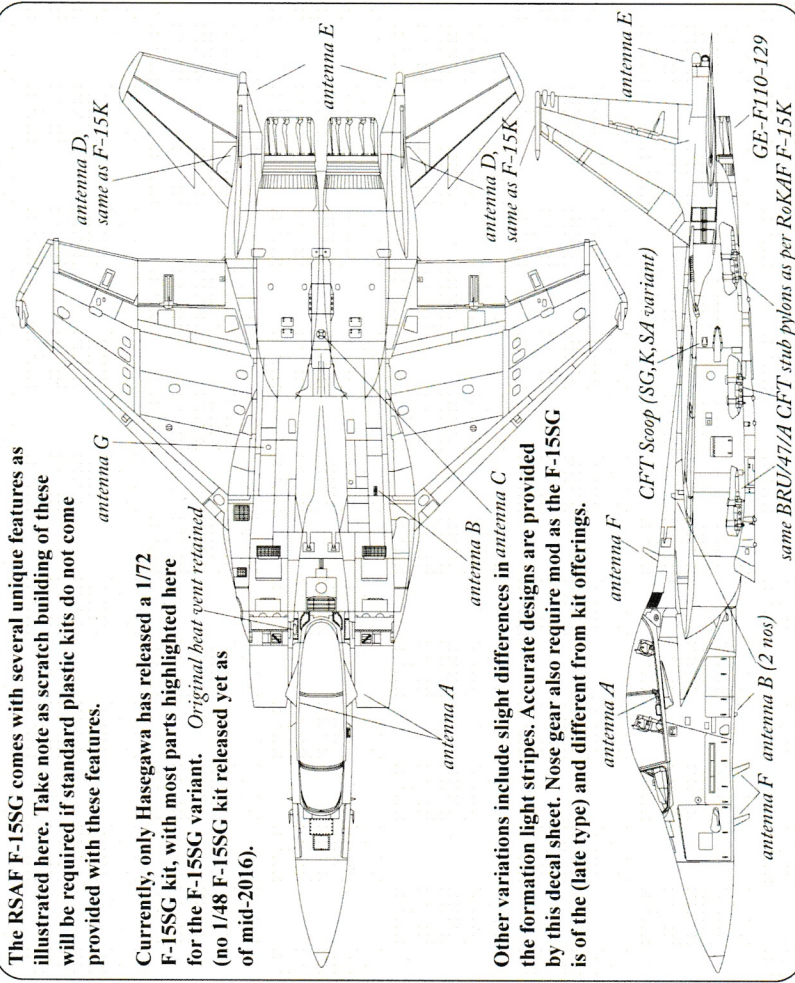
MV-48003-1 Decal
 F-15SG
 RSAF 428th FS
 (PC V -5th Anniversary)

Thank you for purchasing this decal sheet.

The modeller is strongly advised to read through the instruction sheets to ensure correct and optimal usage of the decal. Up to 2 aircraft can be modelled with full stencils. The unique configuration of the F-15SG variant vis a vis existing model kits can be studied with the illustration below and within these instruction sheets as much mods are required of existing kits.

The RSAF F-15SG comes with several unique features as illustrated here. Take note as scratch building of these will be required if standard plastic kits do not come provided with these features.

Currently, only Hasegawa has released a 1/72 F-15SG kit, with most parts highlighted here for the F-15SG variant. Original heat vent retained (no 1/48 F-15SG kit released yet as of mid-2016).



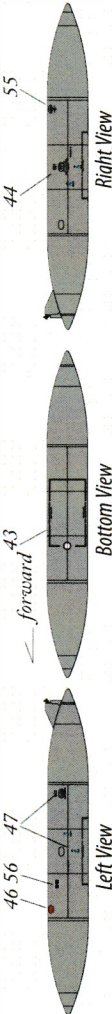
Other variations include slight differences in antenna C, the formation light stripes. Accurate designs are provided by this decal sheet. Nose gear also require mod as the F-15SG is of the (late type) and different from kit offerings.

This decal is sized for the GWH 1/48 F-15L & Revell Monogram 1/48 F-15E kits. For other makes/brands, do test fit and trim before application but the full tail colours may be tricky to trim, so only the 149 Sqn Ex Hot Shot & 428th FS low-vis options may be easily usable.

No effort is spared in making this product as realistic as possible. Nevertheless there are times where information is not wholly available and thus informed guesswork is applied.

①: Only unique sqn markings and serials are shown. Refer to common markings shown in generic a/c.
 (): Reverse side decals are shown in parenthesis
 Ⓢ: Pay attention
 x: cut & apply required decal
 ? : unknown
 /: or

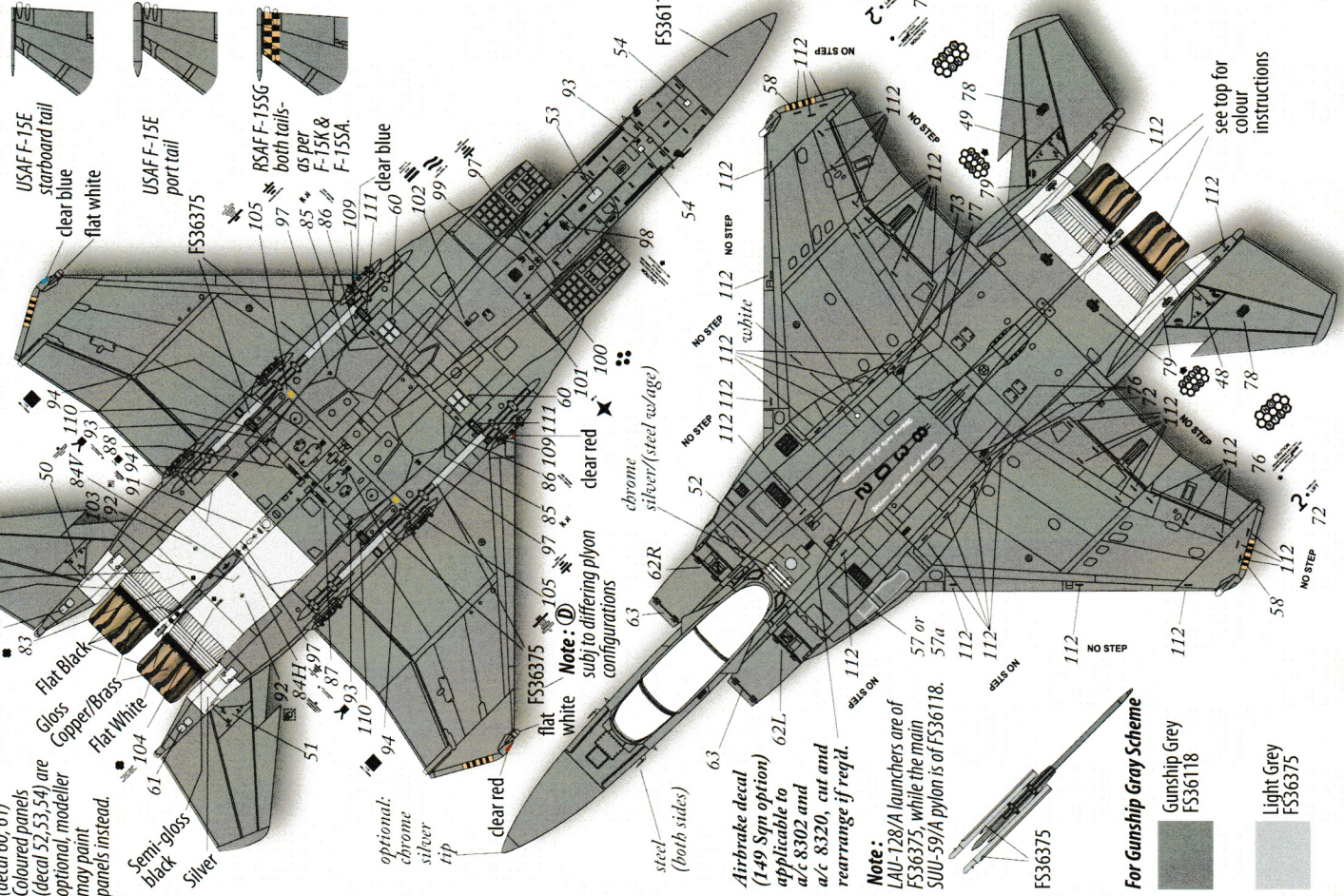
600 Gal Fuel Tanks Detail ①



cut & paste decal 47 & 44 to illustrated positions

Stencil Placement

Note: ① chaffi: flare panel decals applicable only if chaffi/flare are not installed. (decal 60, 61)
 Coloured panels (decal 52, 53, 54) are optional, modeller may paint panels instead.
 Semi-gloss black
 Silver
 Flat Black
 Gloss Copper/Bronze
 Flat White
 Semi-gloss black
 Silver



For Gunship Gray Scheme

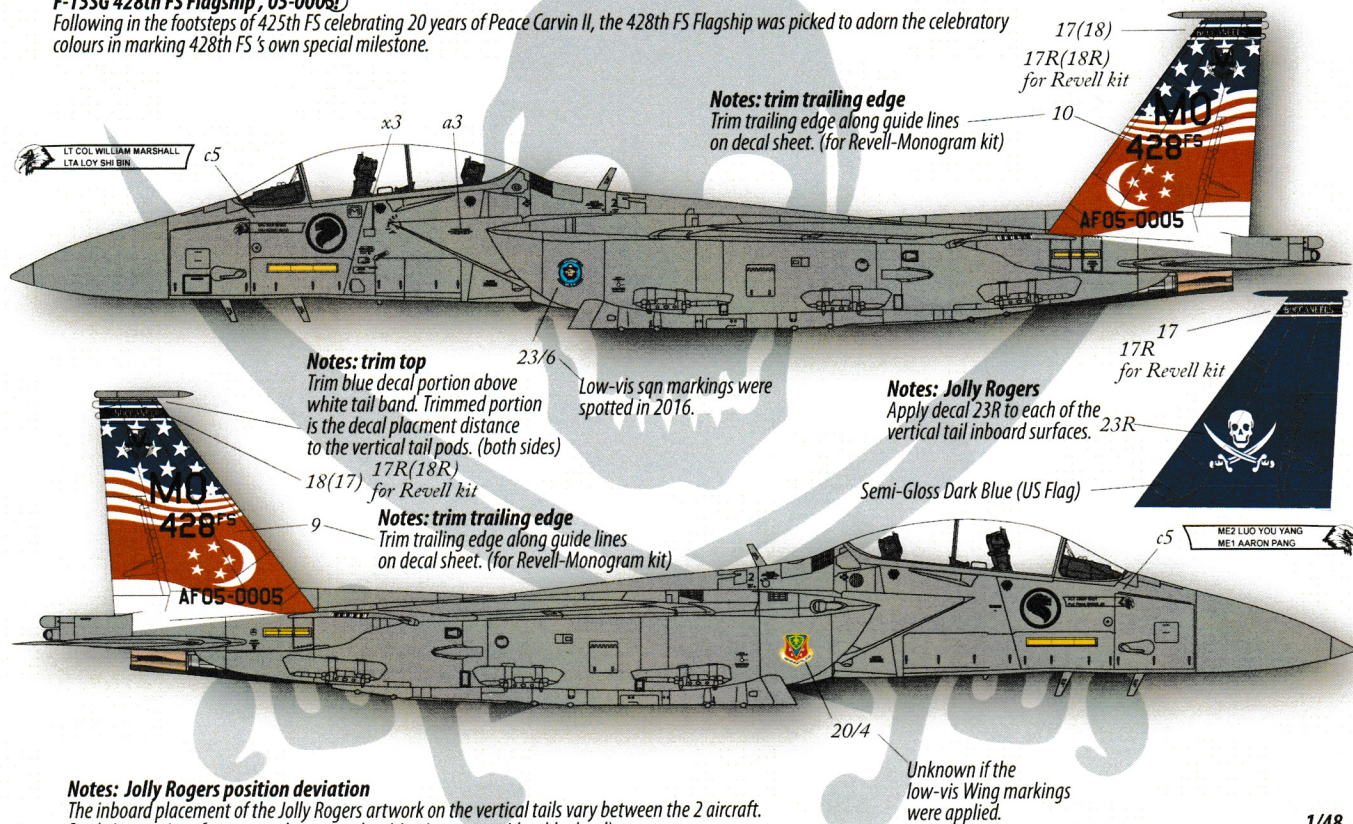


Buccaneers- 1

Peace Carvin V- 5th Anniversary

F-15SG 428th FS Flagship, 05-0005 ①

Following in the footsteps of 425th FS celebrating 20 years of Peace Carvin II, the 428th FS Flagship was picked to adorn the celebratory colours in marking 428th FS's own special milestone.

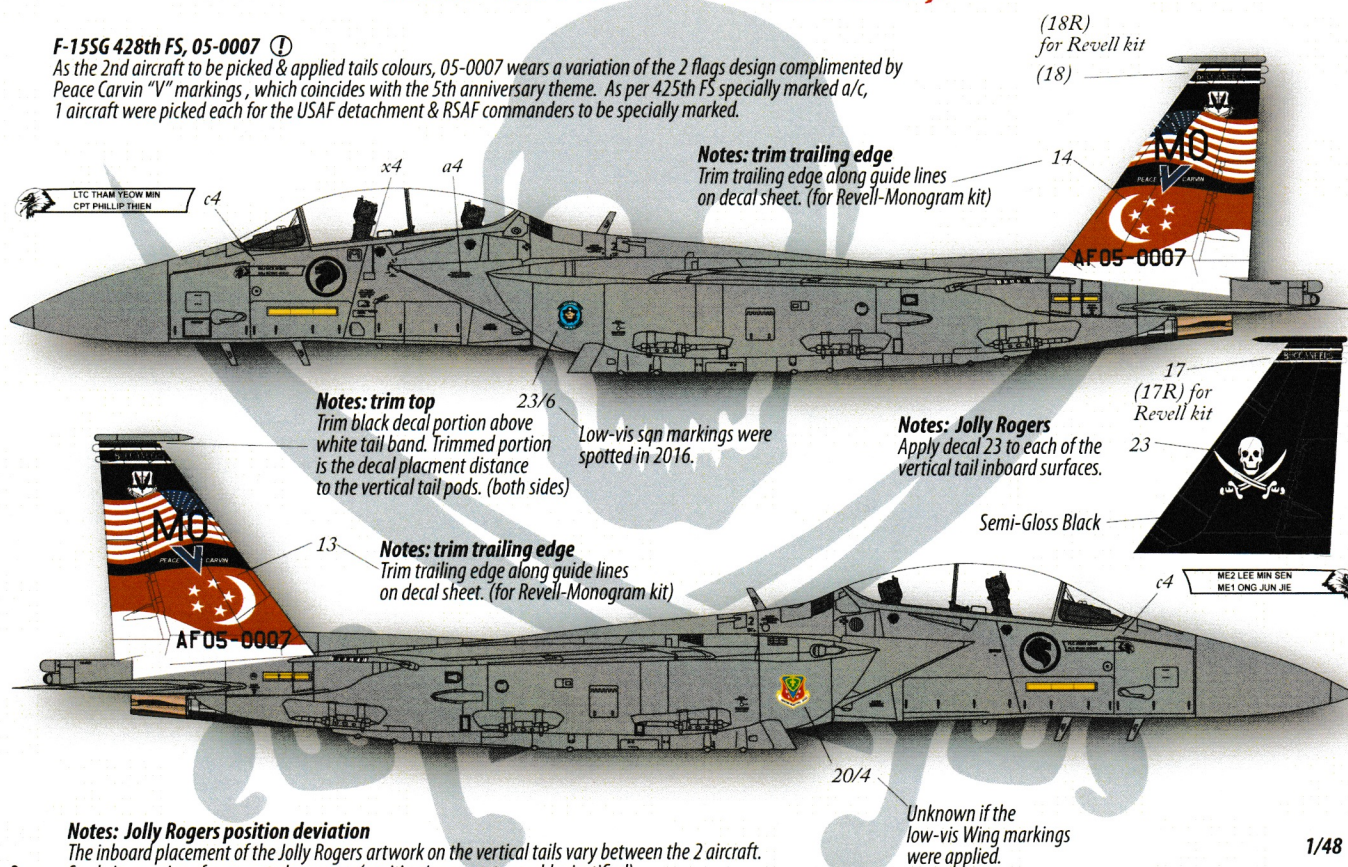


Buccaneers- 2

Peace Carvin V- 5th Anniversary

F-15SG 428th FS, 05-0007 ①

As the 2nd aircraft to be picked & applied tails colours, 05-0007 wears a variation of the 2 flags design complimented by Peace Carvin "V" markings, which coincides with the 5th anniversary theme. As per 425th FS specially marked a/c, 1 aircraft were picked each for the USAF detachment & RSAF commanders to be specially marked.



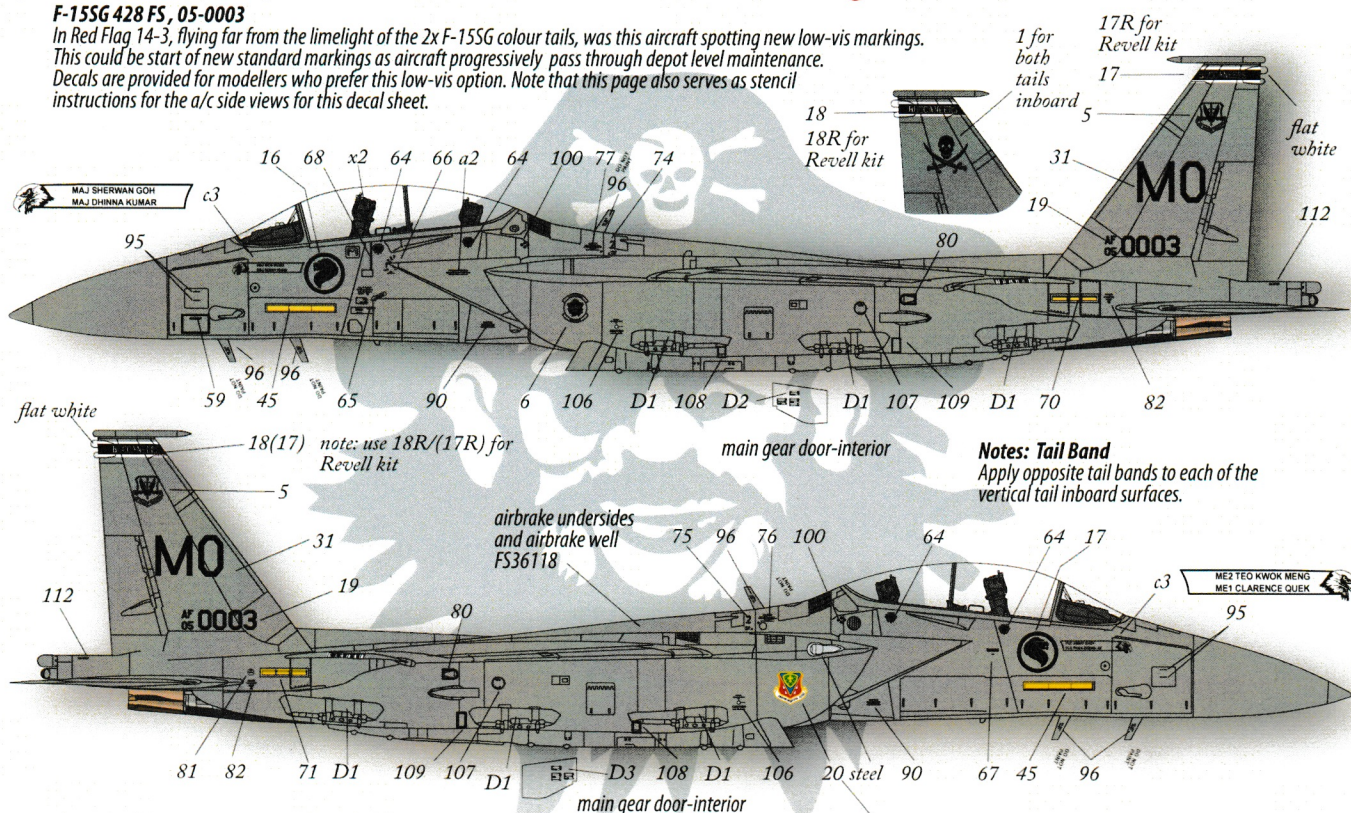
Note:
 decals D1, D2, D3 are
 (optional) for additional details.

Buccaneers-3

Bonus! Low-Vis Markings

F-15SG 428 FS, 05-0003

In Red Flag 14-3, flying far from the limelight of the 2x F-15SG colour tails, was this aircraft spotting new low-vis markings. This could be start of new standard markings as aircraft progressively pass through depot level maintenance. Decals are provided for modellers who prefer this low-vis option. Note that this page also serves as stencil instructions for the a/c side views for this decal sheet.



Notes: 366 FW Badge- Decal 2 vs 4

Some USAF F-15s of resident sqns at Mountain Home AFB, eg 391FS Tigers, spots low-vis 366th FW Badges. Decal 4 is provided in the event that the F-15SGs go fully low-vis, this option will be readily available to modellers.

Notes: Badge in colour

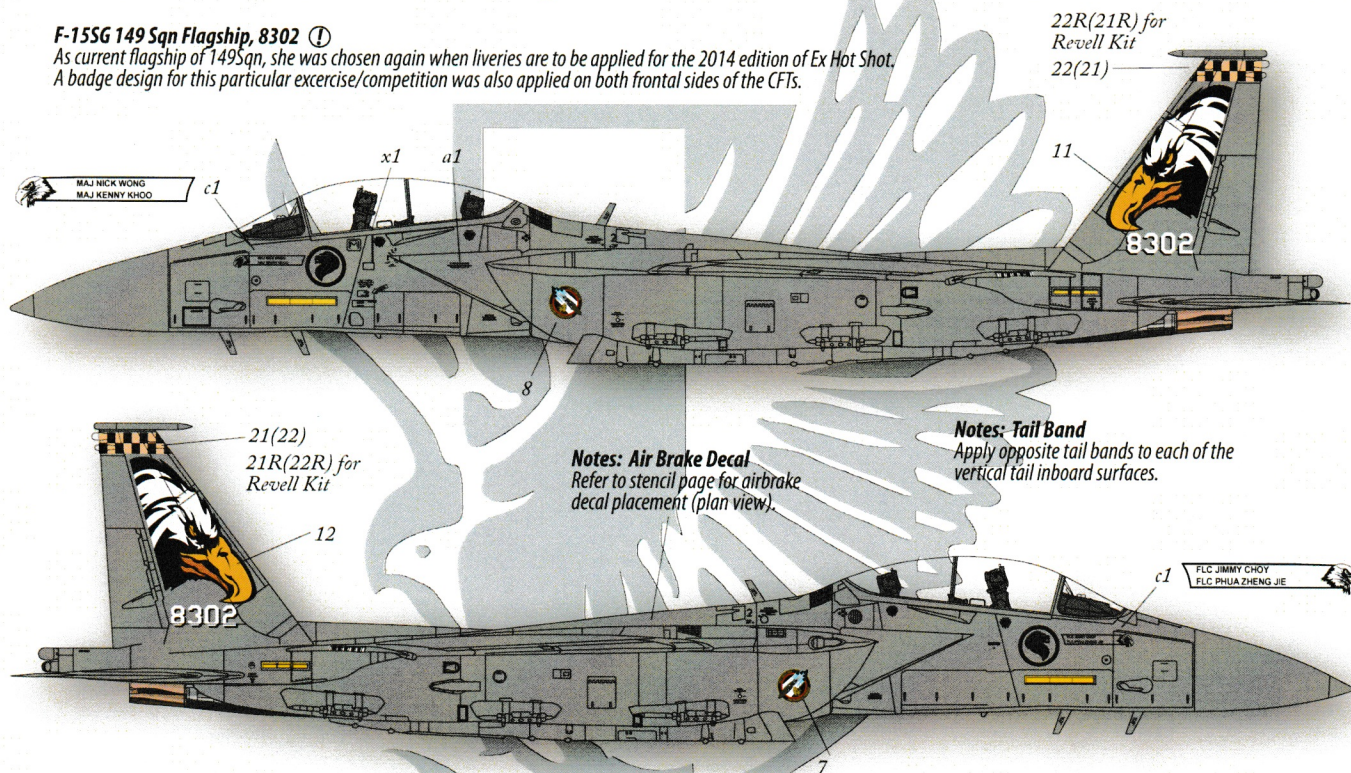
Strangely 366th FW badge is still in colour. Nevertheless decal 4 is provided in case the low-vis version is realised.

Fighting Shikras

149 Sqn-Ex Hot Shot 2014

F-15SG 149 Sqn Flagship, 8302 ①

As current flagship of 149Sqn, she was chosen again when liveries are to be applied for the 2014 edition of Ex Hot Shot. A badge design for this particular exercise/competition was also applied on both frontal sides of the CFTs.



Notes: Air Brake decal

The airbrake decal is also applicable for F-15SG 8320 which has appeared in Ex Top Ace 2013 & Ex Hot Shot 2012.