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AK276 AIRCRAFT SCALE MODELLING F.A.Q. (ENGLISH) 57€

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380 pages . More than 2.500 images

This book is a compilation of aircraft scale modelling techniques, step by step guides with hundreds of colour pictures for WWI, WWII, coldwar and modern aircraft, showing a wide range of painting and weathering techniques. All aspects of aircraft modelling are covered in a way that is both easy to understand and follow. From tools, and how to use various materials, to camouflage painting, markings, engines, pilots, etc. This is a must have for aircraft modelers. F.A.Q. is a compendium of the main techniques used in aircraft modelling, explained from a beginner level, through to the most complex of tasks. Created by world famous modeller, Daniel Zamarbide, and aided by the most prominent aircraft modellers in Europe.



Clear and detailed explanations of all techniques, in a step by step guide which is both easy to understand, and apply to a whole range of other models. All results are attainable for even those novice modellers who may not yet have attempted to explore new techniques.

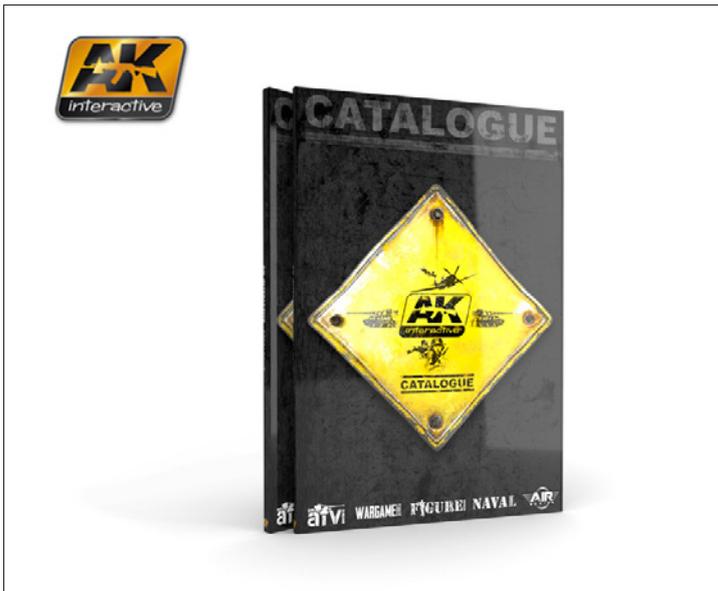




AK2906 ACES HIGH MAGAZINE ISSUE 4 THE MEDITERRANEAN (ENGLISH) 9€

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In this fourth issue of Aces High, we deal with the Mediterranean Theater of Operations (MTO) during WWII. Bearing in mind that it would be impossible to cover the aircraft of all the nations which fought in this area, in just one issue, we have this time decided to focus on just Luftwaffe and Royal Air Force subjects. We have chosen the most iconic machines used by the greatest pilots: a Spitfire Mk.Vb, with its distinctive Vokes tropical filter; a Kittyhawk Mk.I, wearing the famous sharkmouth nose marking; a Bf 109 F-4 trop, finished as the mount of the legendary ace, Hans-Joachim Marseille; a Beaufighter Mk.VIF, with a slightly more unusual desert night-fighter scheme, and a Bf 110 E-2 trop, which served as fighter, bomber and ground attack aircraft. To complement our aircraft builds, we include step-by-step articles which show you how to paint a pilot figure, and a half-tracked truck.



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More than a standard catalogue. This publication is full of interesting articles and tutorials on different subjects, plus Tech Sheets to learn how to use the products, including plenty of tricks, tips and full techniques from the best modellers around the world. Using this catalogue can help both the newcomer and the intermediate modeller to grow in knowledge, opening doors to new techniques, and encouraging creativity. Our goal is your knowledge!

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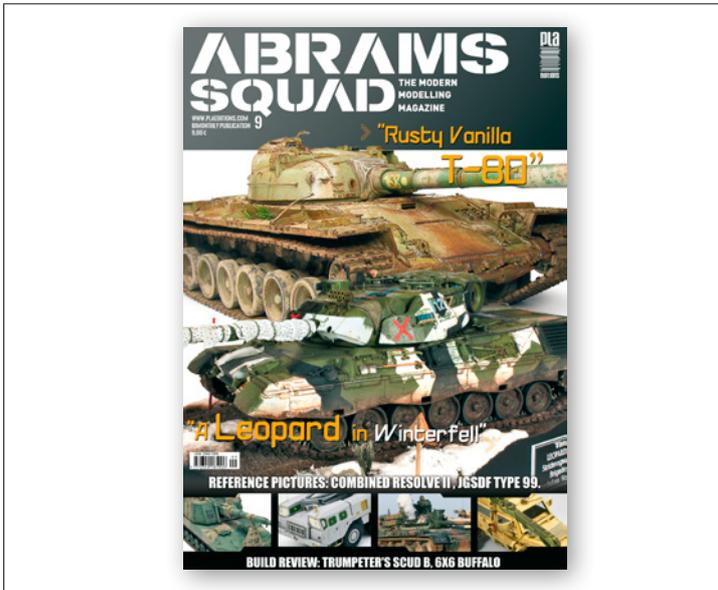


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ABRAMS SQUAD ISSUE 9 9€

Abrams Squad: The Modern Modelling Magazine is the FIRST and UNIQUE magazine in the world devoted to Modern Warfare modelling. Here you will find the best articles of the best modellers and writers in the world. Step by step articles, painting techniques, building techniques, illustrated reports, news, reviews and much more. Contents:

4 – Commander’s Display Unit: A regular section devoted to news and reviews of model kits, aftermarket, books and much more.

8 – Remote Thermal Sight: In this issue, an entire Squad has collaborated to finish the new SCUD B from Trumpeter. It’s an impressive model kit in all aspects that will make happy even the most demanding modelers. Take a look at this article and decide for yourself!

20 – T-80 Vanilla: One of the most talented specialists in Soviet tanks has linked up with the team and will charm us with a real Frankenstein. With parts from four different kits and a lot of scratch, Andy Taylor accurately replicates one of the early T-80’s.

30 – Winterfell – Leopard 1A5N02 : As we promised in the previous issue, new recruits have joined the Squad. Roel Geutjens, an expert in Leopards (in the real world) astonishes us with a singular piece and an eye catching livery. We hope that you enjoy his article and that Roel will go on contributing his talent to this publication.

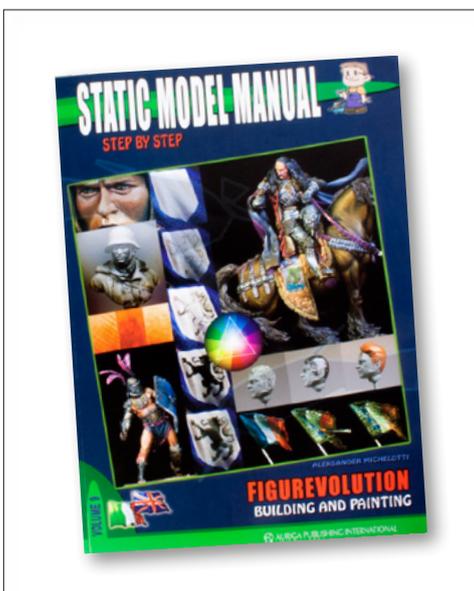
42 – Buffalo: After two contributions, Abrams Squad veteran Lukasz Orzic-Musialek changes his subject matter and shows us how to detail and improve a great three axled MRAP. The kit from Bronco is spectacular, and Lukasz never disappoints thanks to his talents and skills.

54 – Type 99 : And as these things always come in threes, Özgür Guner is another new contributor. In our quest to offer you all kinds of vehicles, we have asked Özgür to show his dexterity with this unusual SPH. Since the Type 99 is only used by JGSDf, there is no doubt that this article will arouse your curiosity about this subject.

66 – Combined Resolve II : Ralph Zwilling, one of the most reputable reporters and authors of the modeling and military circle, offers us a great article with the most crushing images of these maneuvers made in Germany. No doubt that you will find a handful of inspiring ideas for your next model.

72 – Turret Basket: at the end of every issue you’ll find the kits that we’ll find in the market soon and some teasers of the next Abrams Squad Magazine.

72 Pages - ALL TEXTS IN ENGLISH



NOW AVAILABLE: STATIC MODEL MANUAL VOL.9 AURIGA PUBLISHING 19.90€

With a bit of practice, using well-known techniques and proven materials, it is not difficult to create miniatures of a more than respectable standard. However, in the human soul, there is a constant desire to progress. Mastering those essential techniques helps the modeller to use his or her work to actually communicate feeling and depth to the viewer, and not simply as a visual object. In order to achieve this important goal, another essential factor is necessary: a concept. This is an undefinable element that has to be recognized and cultivated, stripped to its essentials and then developed so that it can germinate like a precious seed. After having amply discussed technique in Volume 5 of the Static Model Manual series, the path presented by the author in this new volume is focused around the idea itself. Excessiveness of technique simply results in a contrived result. The development of a vision that lacks the required skills often leads to mediocre results. The solution lies in a search for balance, but this is not always an easy path, as there are many variables in play, and one’s personal imprint becomes increasingly more relevant. In this volume Alex Michelotti provides the modeller with substantial assistance, enabling us to reach the goal of creating our own personal style! Step by step photos, secrets, tricks, shortcuts. Basically, anything goes. Everything is here within these pages, to help you get the best results!