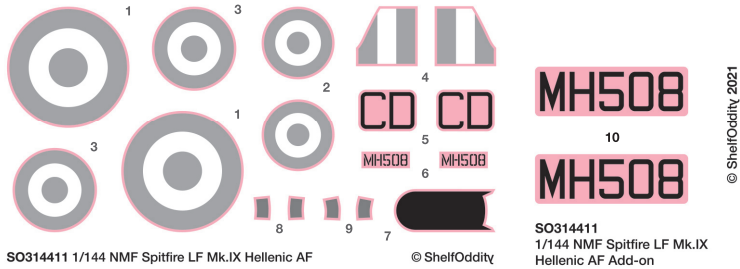


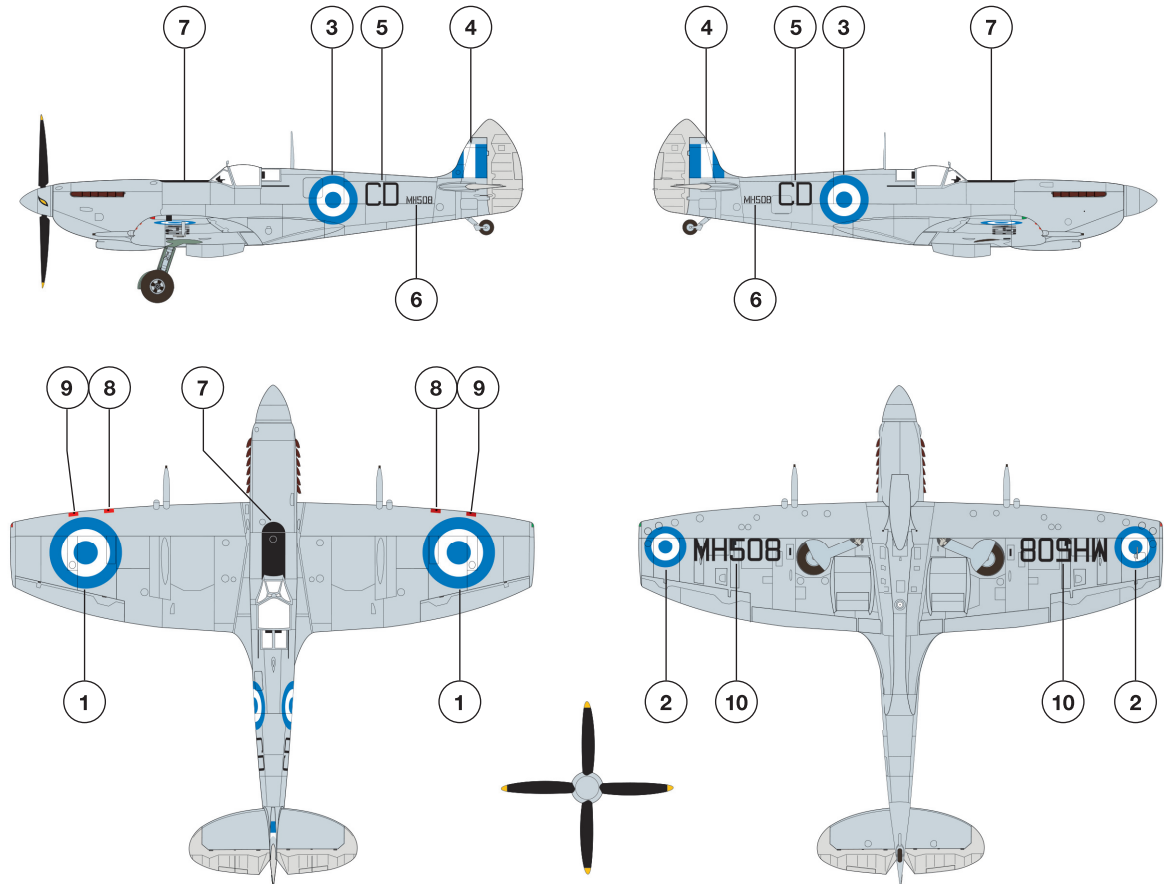
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1/144 NMF Spitfire LF.Mk.IXc MH 508 Hellenic AF

Shelf Oddity



! Drawings keep 1/144 scale when printed on A4 size paper without "fit to page" option.



Colour guide:



This decal set is recommended for Eduard kits but it may also be used with other Spitfire models. Decals are made using silk print technology (BOA Bodecek Agency) and have very small amount of transparent base around the graphics.

The Spitfire LF.Mk.IXc depicted here belonged to post-war 337 Squadron of Royal Hellenic Air Forces and was used in 1947-1953 period. She was delivered in standard RAF camouflage but the paint was removed and she flew in Natural Metal finish.

Since the original camouflage was removed, it was removed with stencils which most probably were not painted again. Fabric covered control surfaces were painted Silver. The recently found picture shows the correct location of underwing roundels and a presence of codes in this area (10).

To get the proper Spit LF.Mk.IXc in 144th scale you may combine the fuselage from Eduard kit no.4428 with wings from Eduard kit no.4429 (or use Eduard kit no. 4432). The wingtips should be clipped just as they were in the original wing type c. The landing gear featured wheels with 4-spoked hubs (available in mentioned Eduard boxings) and oleo scissors (Bregun PE set).

A Master AM-144-2 turned brass set of C-wing Hispano 20 mm cannons can be used to further enhance your model.