

# Far-flung Fresco

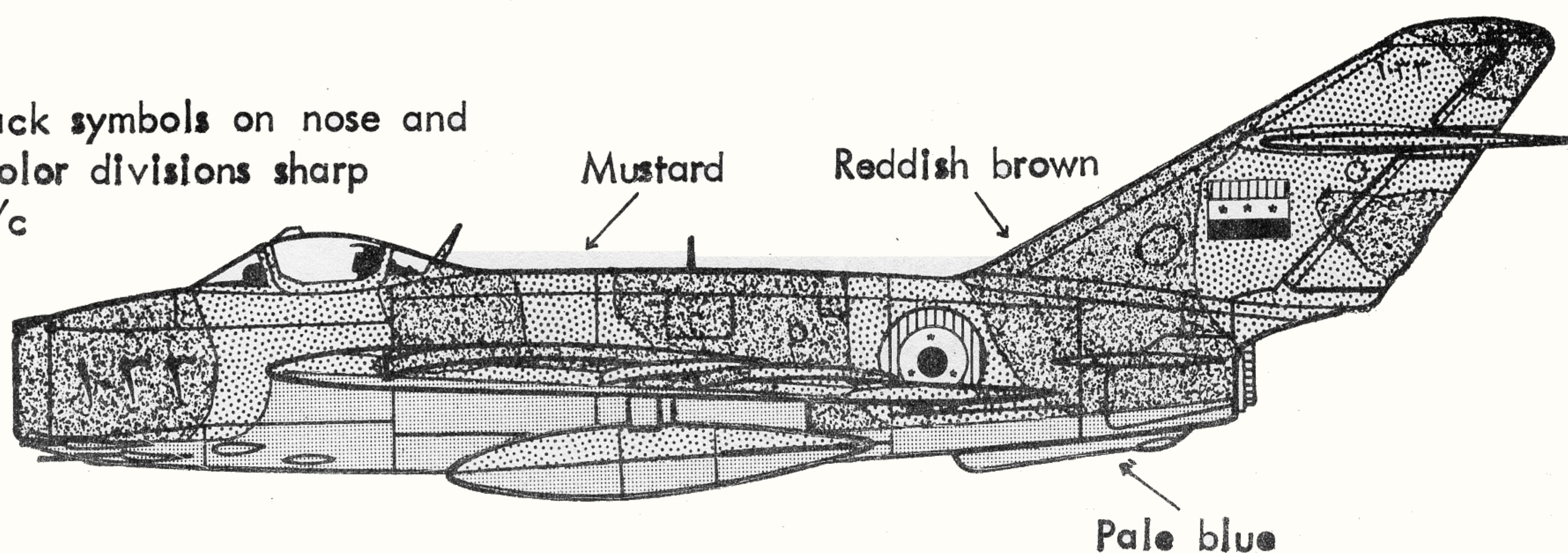
art: Greg Reynolds

## SYRIA

MIG-17F Black symbols on nose and fin (1033) Color divisions sharp

Note: This a/c one of two flown to Betzet, Israel by defecting Syrian pilots in 1970.

The other a/c very similar with symbols ١٠٤١ (1041)

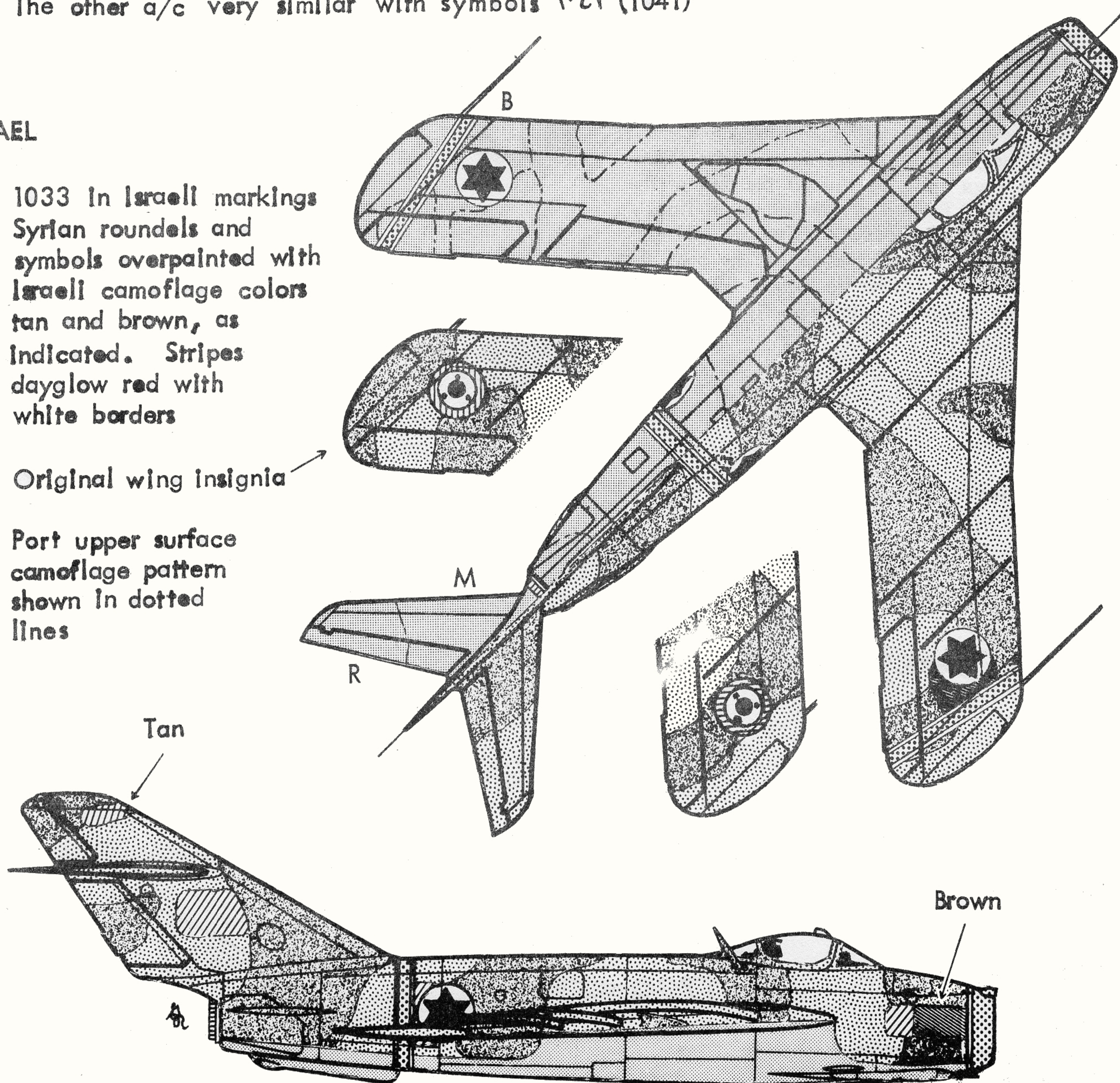


## ISRAEL

1033 In Israeli markings Syrian roundels and symbols overpainted with Israeli camouflage colors tan and brown, as indicated. Stripes dayglow red with white borders

Original wing insignia

Port upper surface camouflage pattern shown in dotted lines



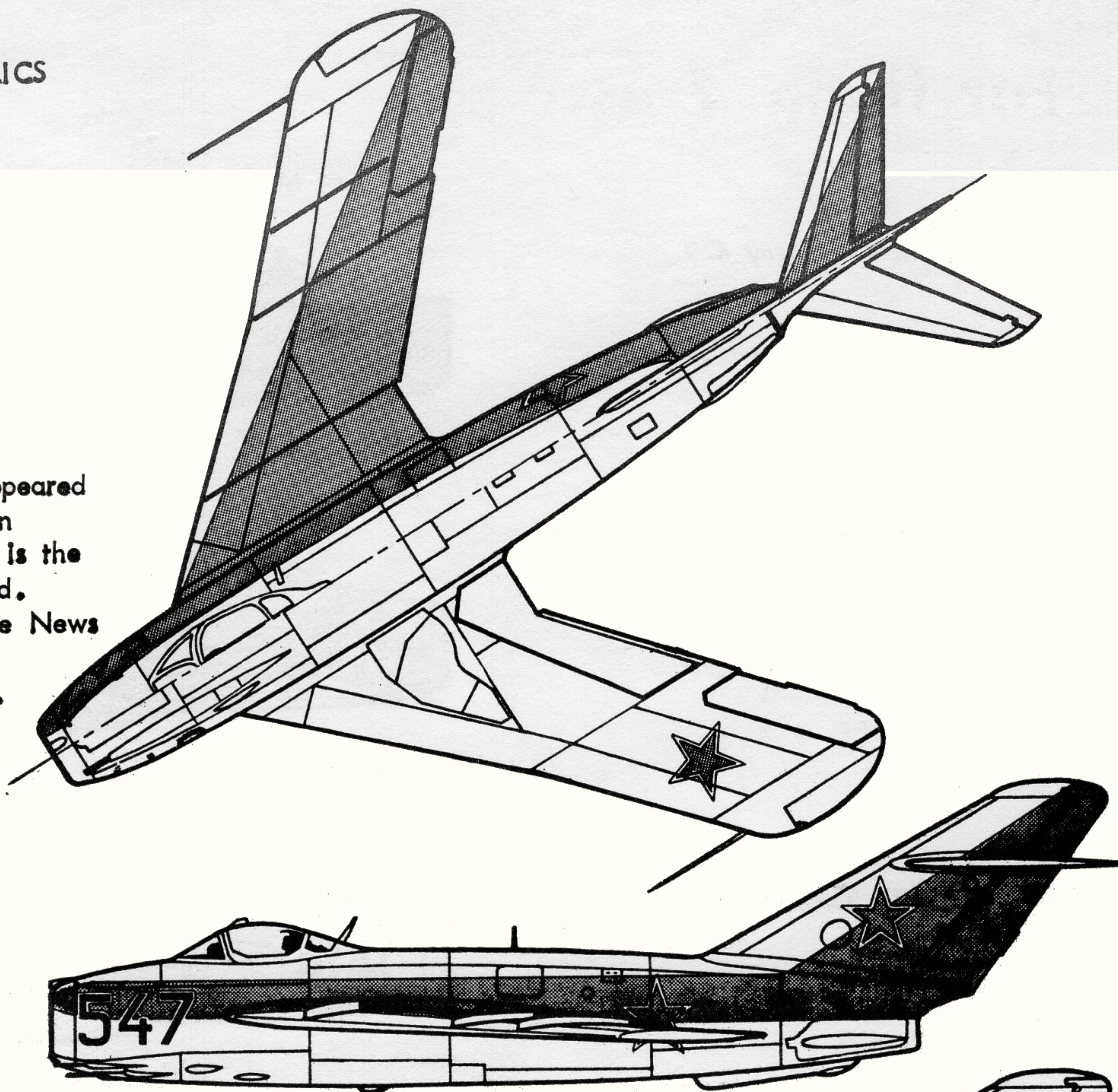
MIG-17 (Fresco A)

Russian Aerobatic Team

Natural metal undersurfaces

Black 547

Note: The team's 17's apparently appeared in several color schemes, differing in minor details. At issue, however, is the color with which they were decorated. Both FRI (Date?) and Model Airplane News (Aug. 60) have published drawings indicating this color was dark green. It is this author's opinion that like the team's MIG-15, 19 and 21's, this color was actually red.

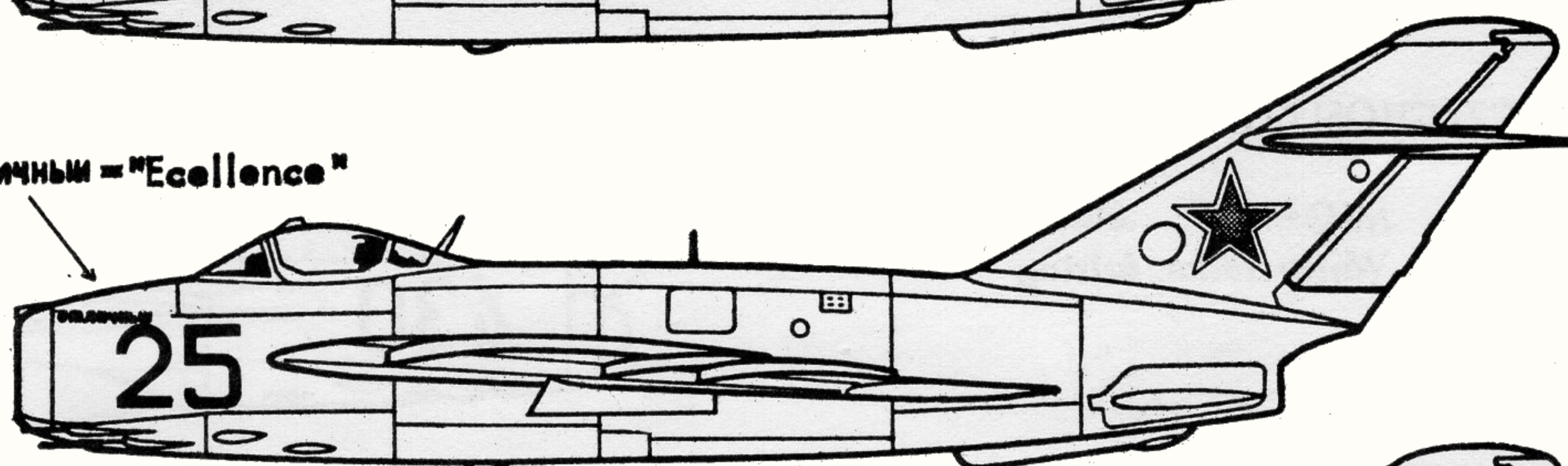


MIG-17 Dark green 25

Black script

Note: This a/c made a forced landing near Dillingen/Donau West Germany on May 25, 1967 and was recovered by the US Army

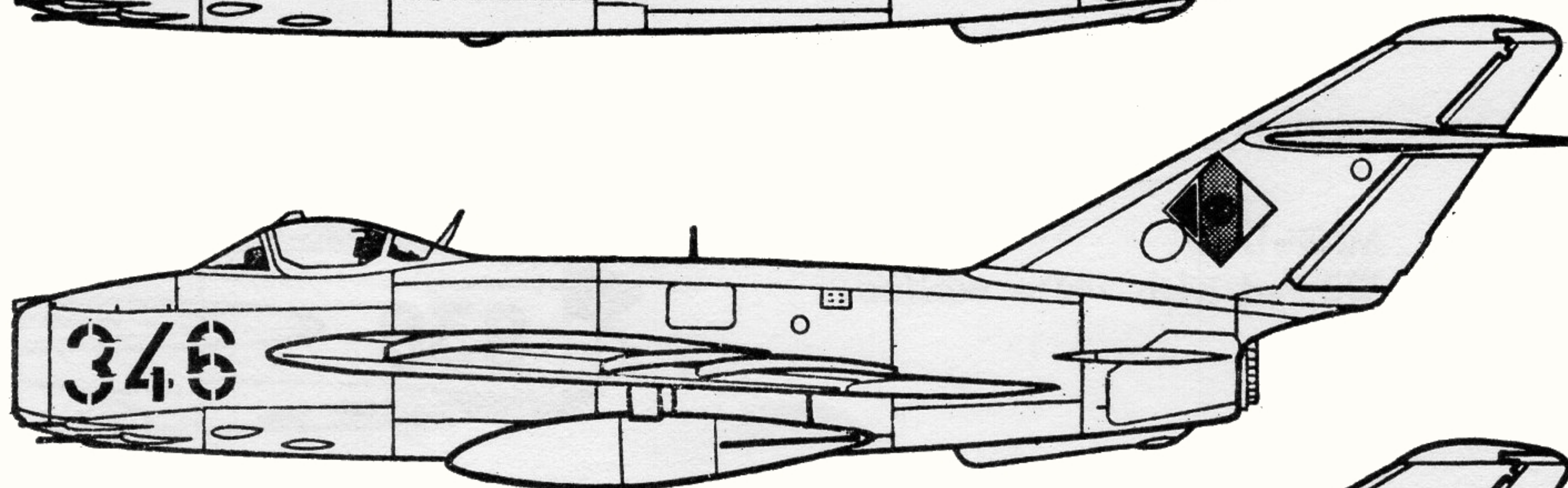
отличный = "Eccellence"



GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC

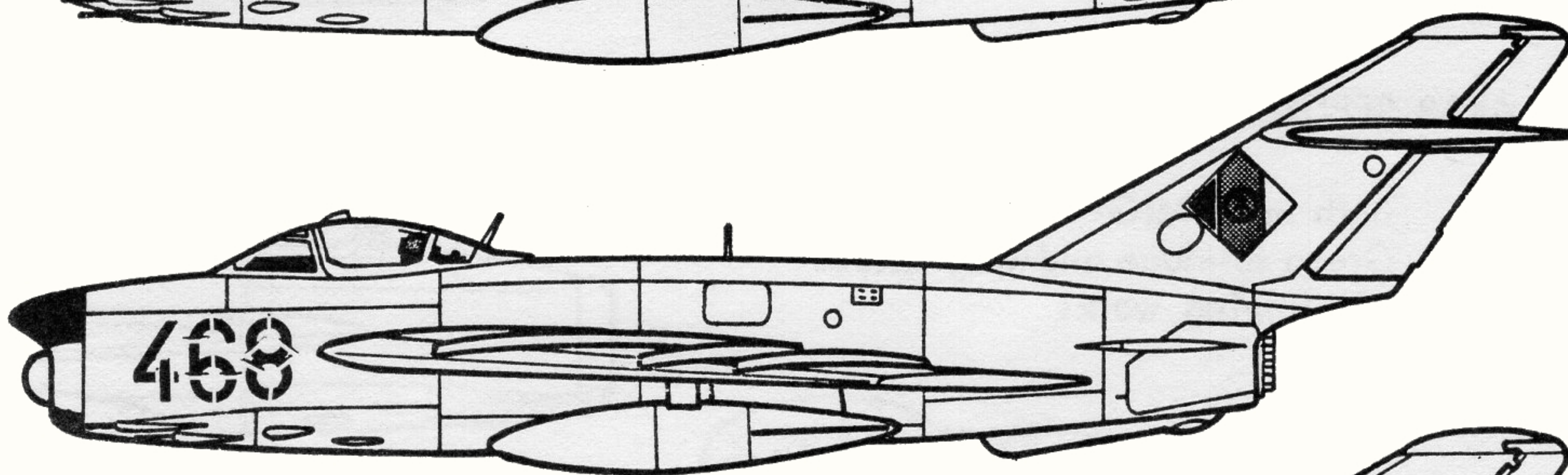
MIG-17F (FRESCO C)

Black 346



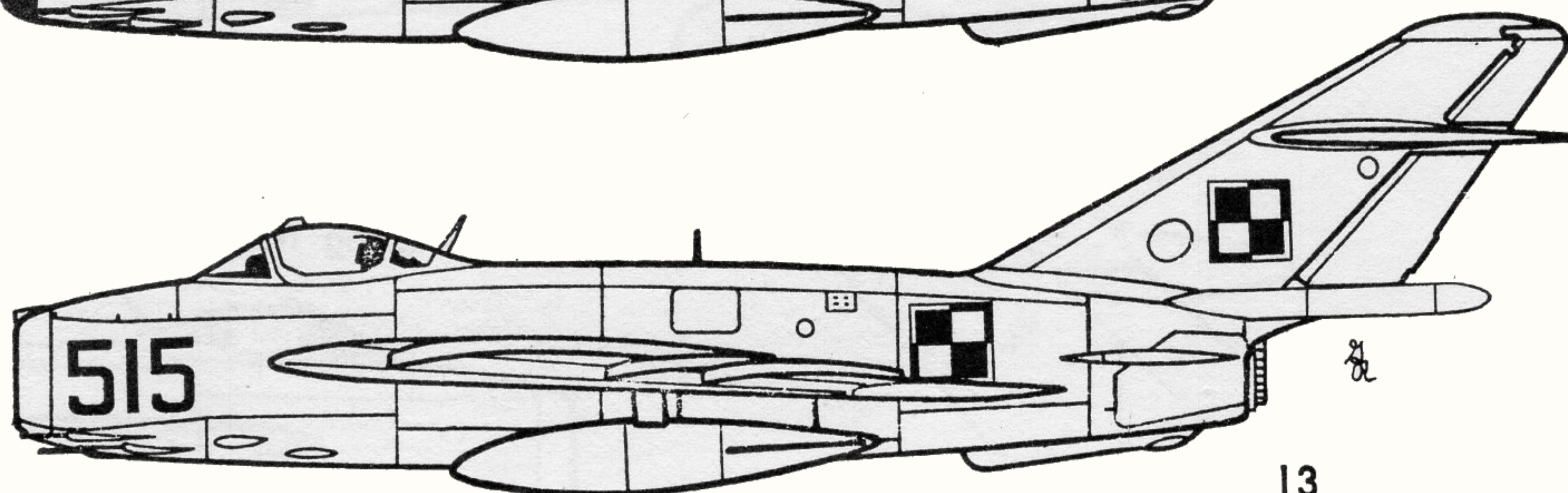
MIG-17PF (FRESCO D)

Black 468

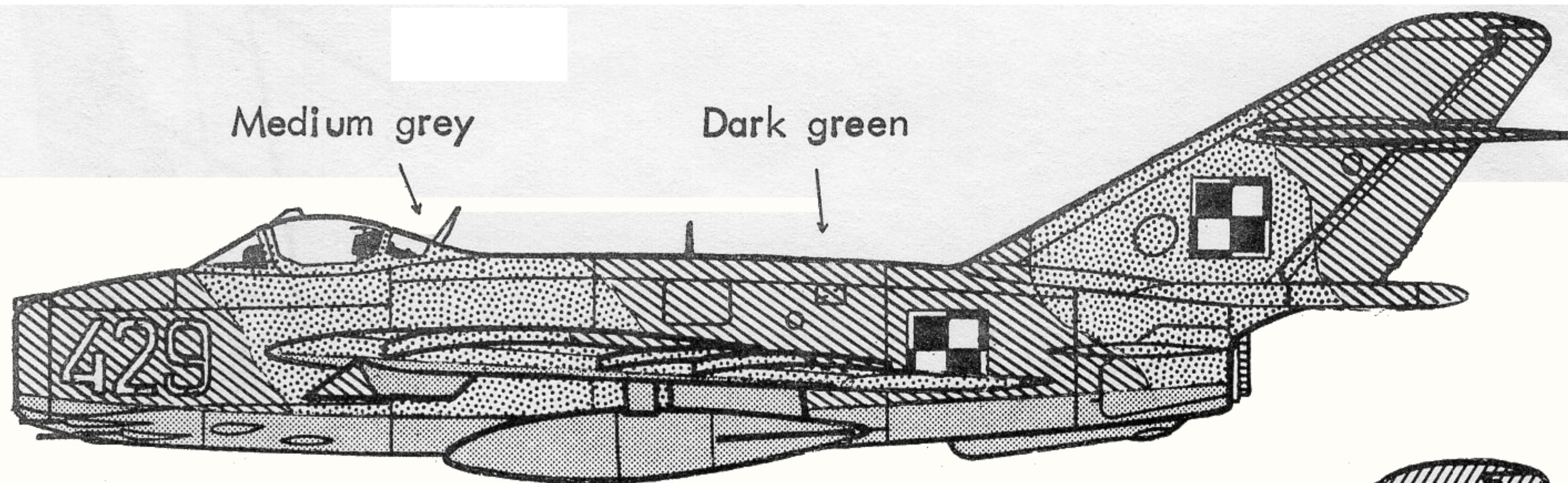


POLAND

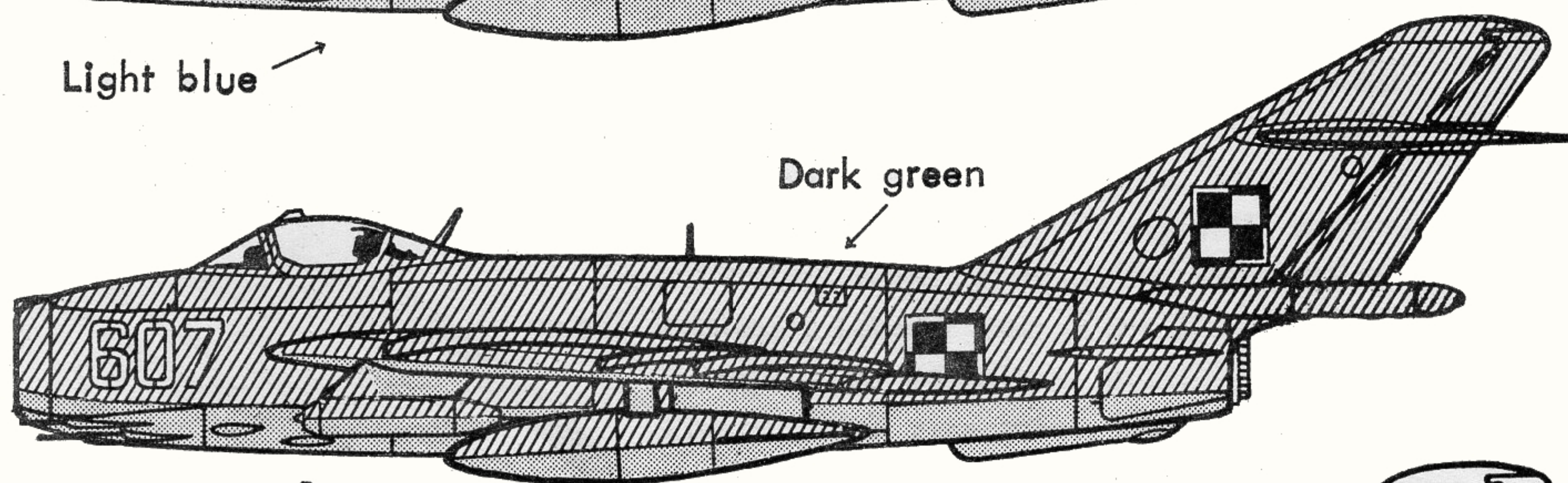
LIM-5M (Polish modified and built MIG-17F) Black 515 Note unusually high fuselage insignia



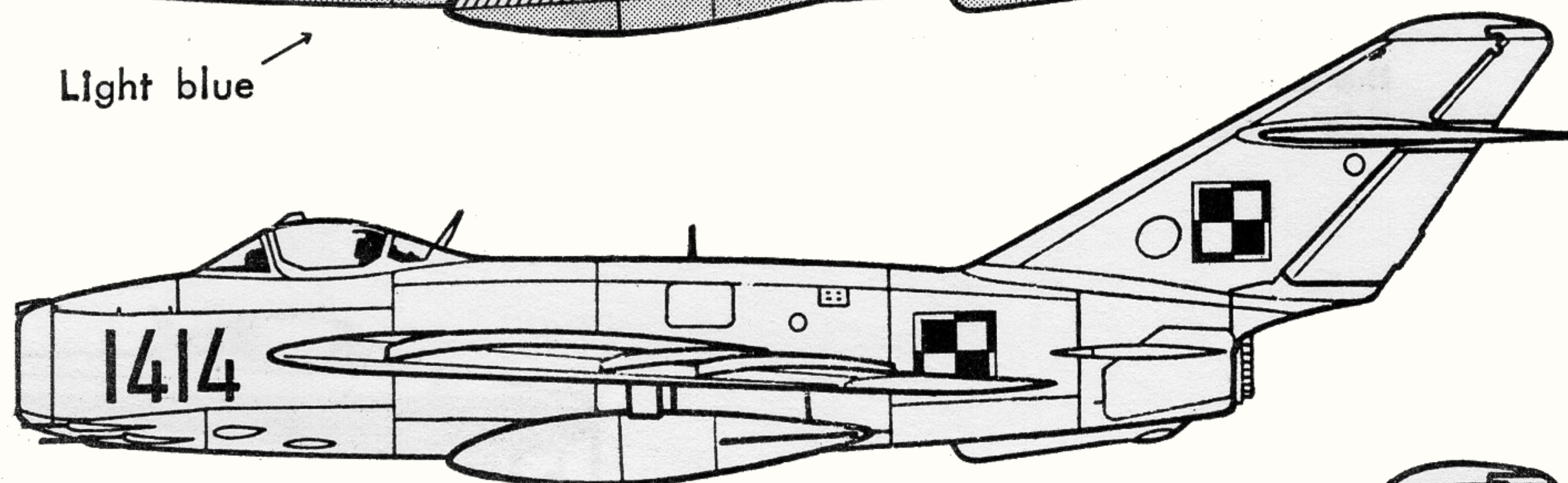
LIM-5M Light grey 429



LIM-5M Light grey 607  
Note pod containing 17 air to ground missiles

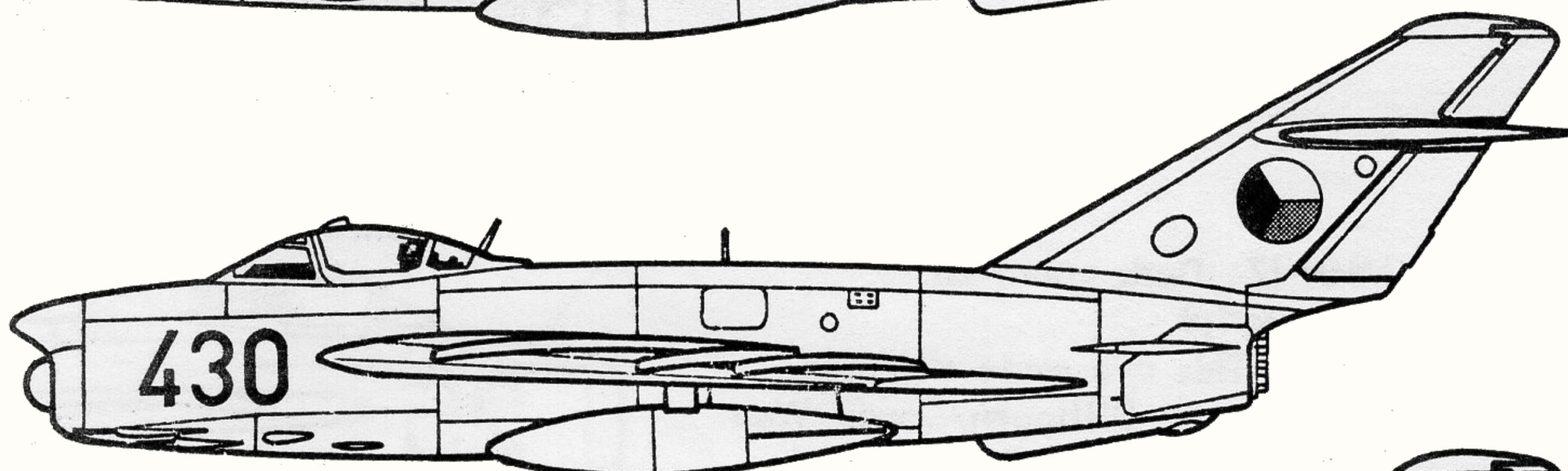


MIG-17F Black 1414



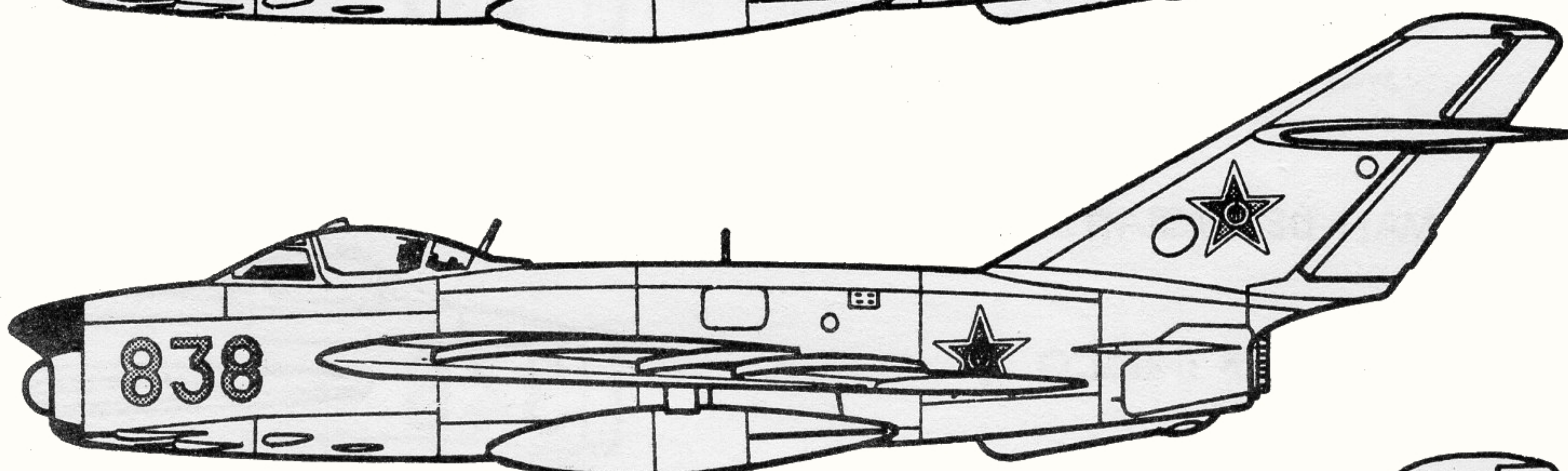
#### CZECHOSLOVAKIA

MIG-17PF Black or red 430  
White radar fairing



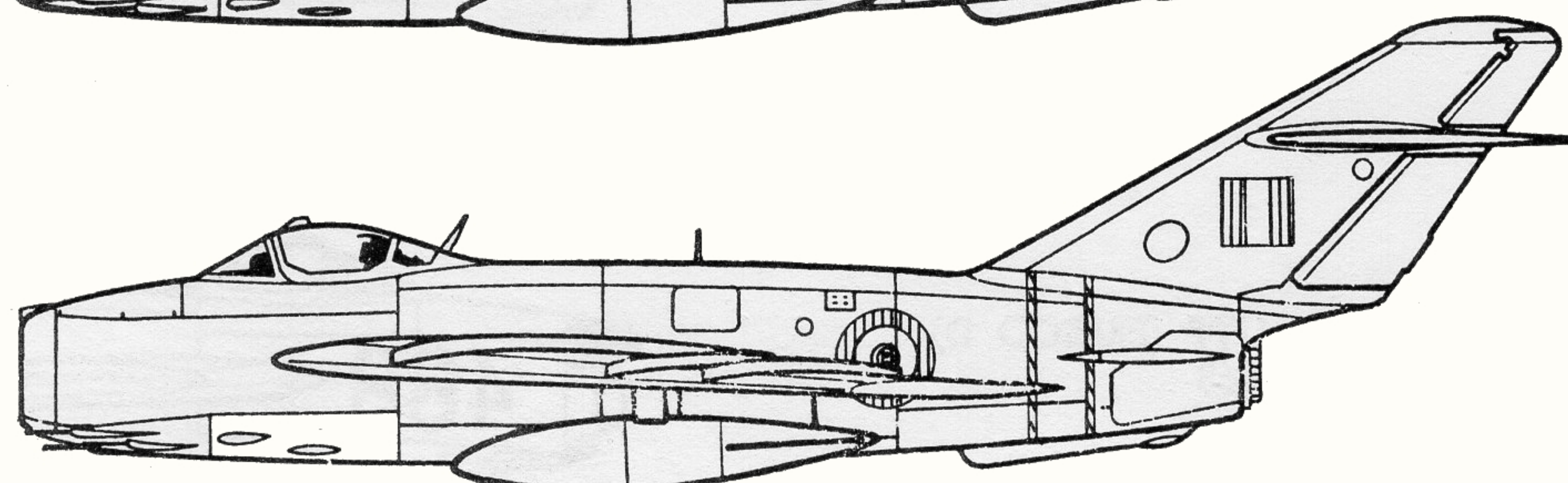
#### PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF HUNGARY

MIG-17PF  
838 red with white outline.

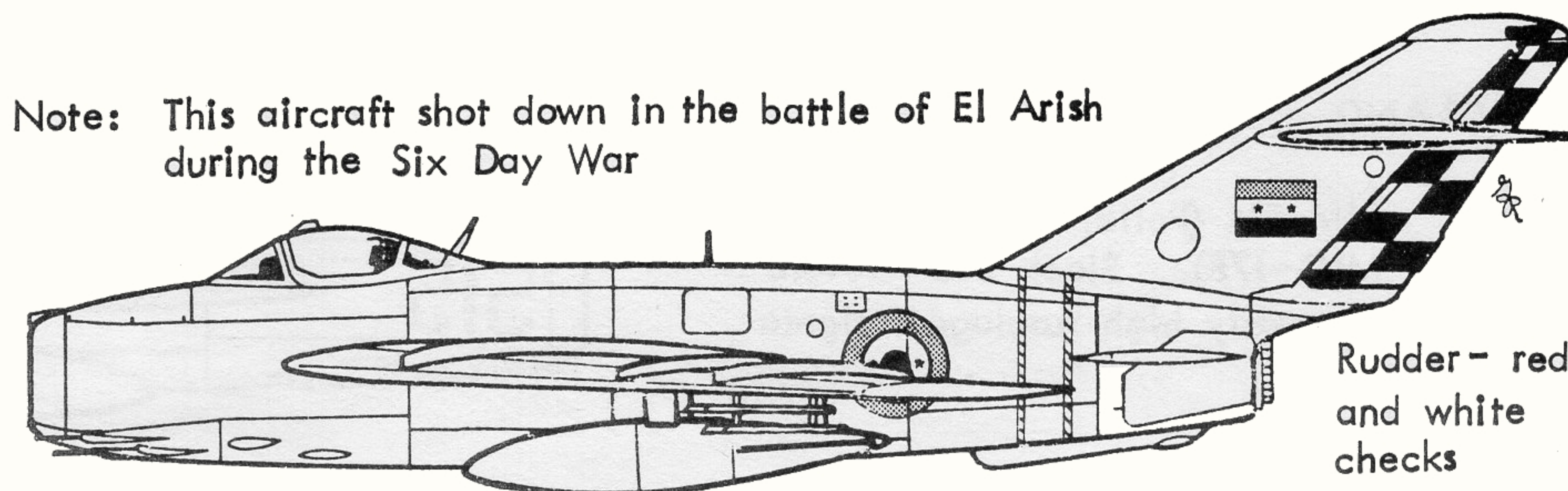


#### ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT

Both a/c MIG-17F's  
Green fuselage and wing stripes  
Black wing walks



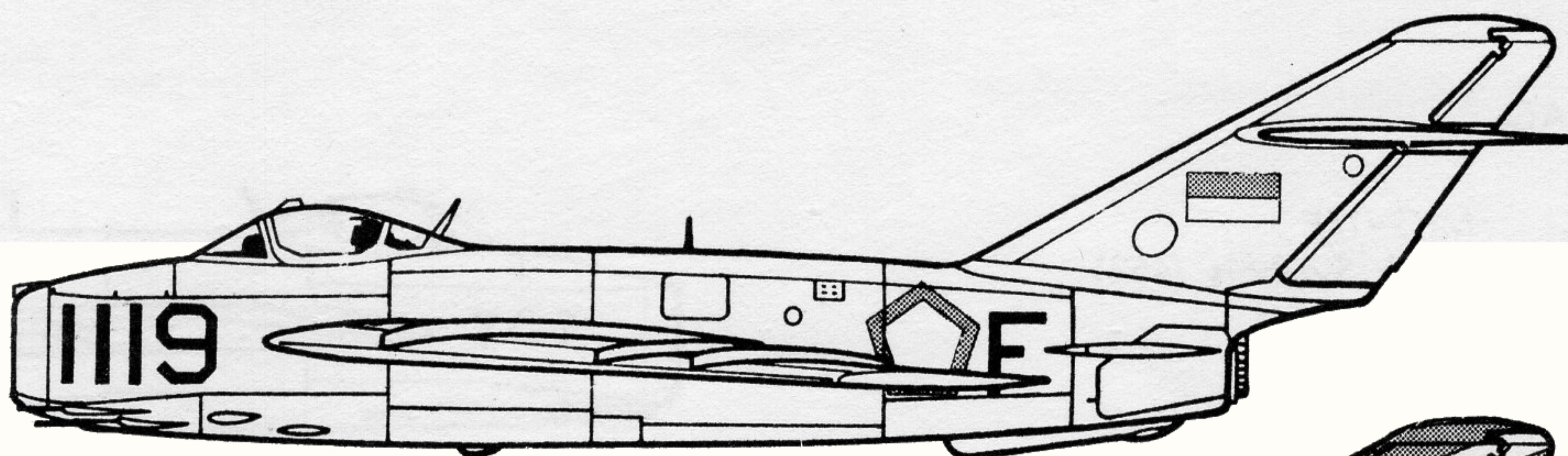
Note: This aircraft shot down in the battle of El Arish during the Six Day War



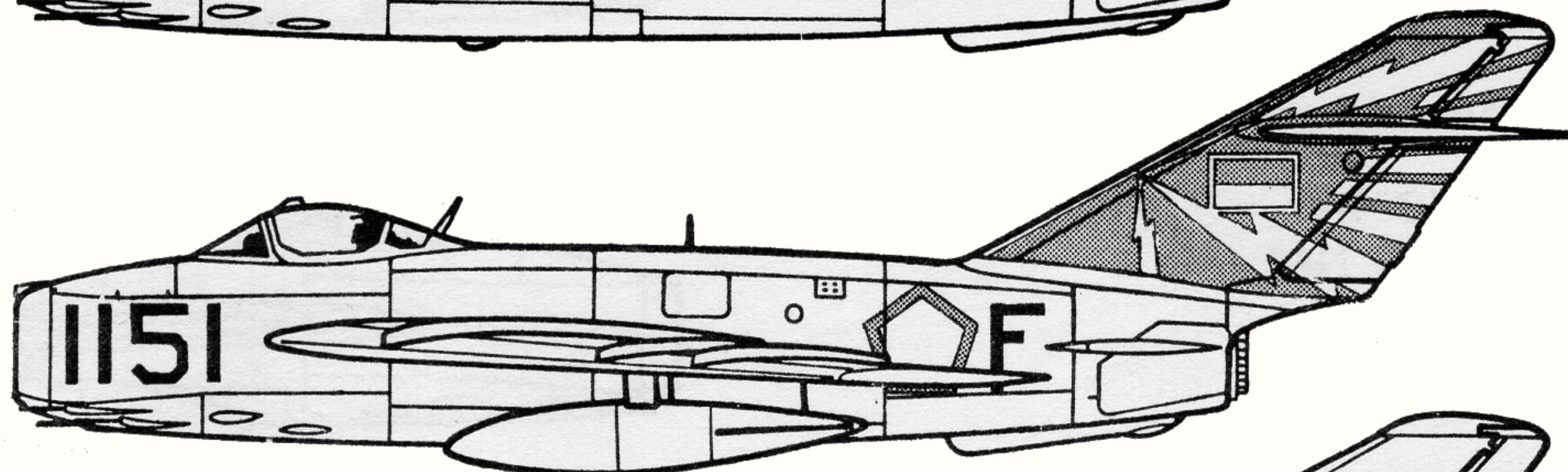
Rudder - red and white checks

## REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

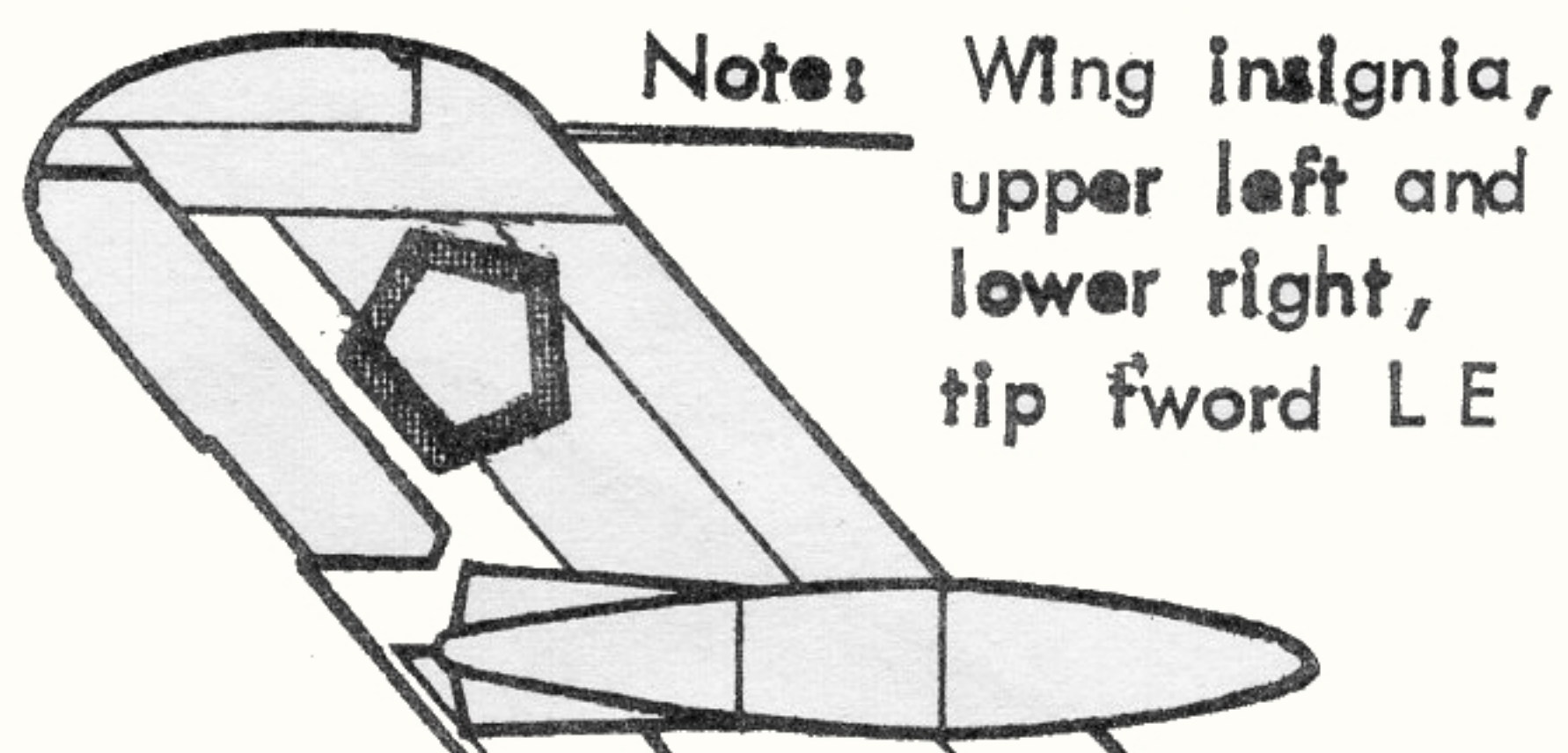
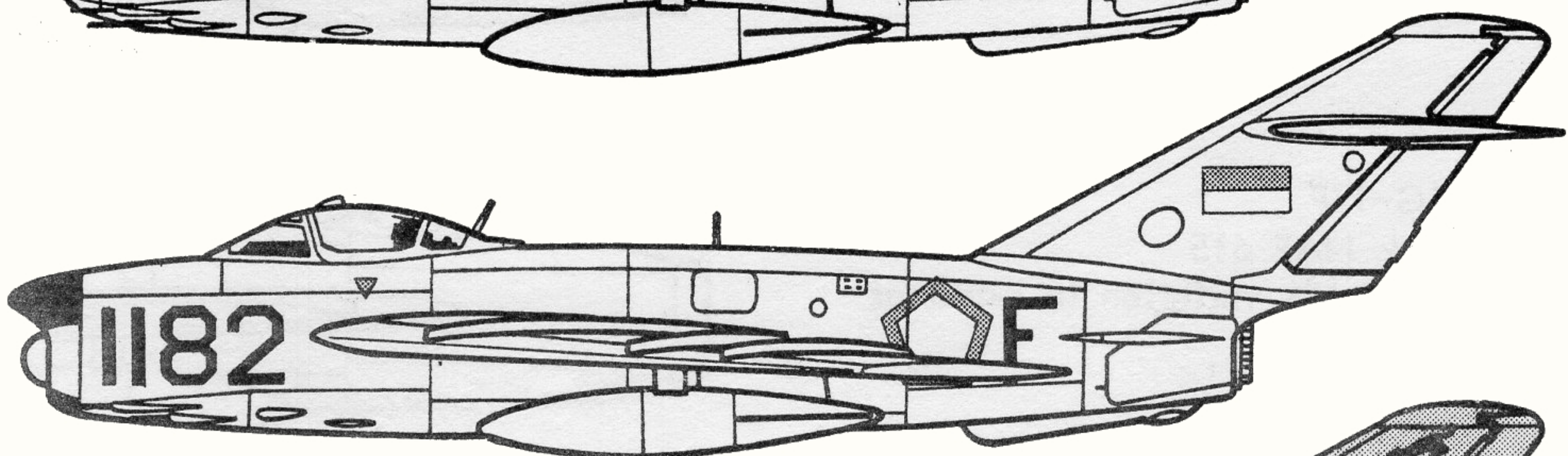
MIG-17F  
Black 1119 and F



MIG-17F of Squadron 11, 1965  
Black 1151 and F, red fin,  
natural metal lightning and insignia  
border, white rudder stripes

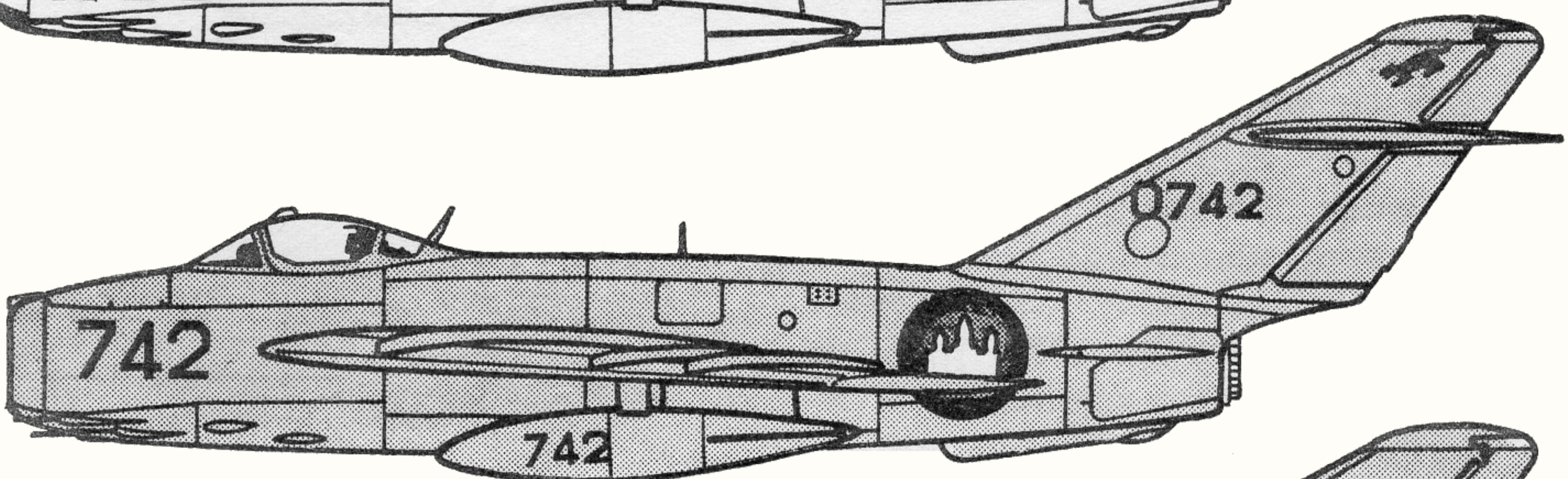


MIG-17PF Black 1182 and F  
Red ejection warning stencil

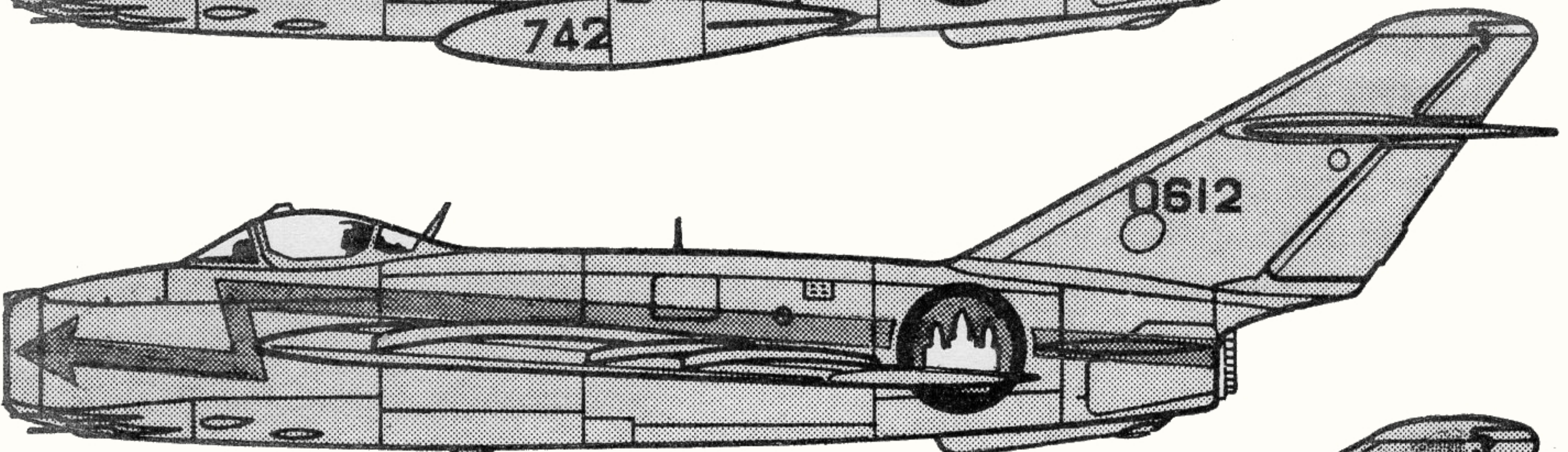


## KHMER REPUBLIC (CAMBODIA)

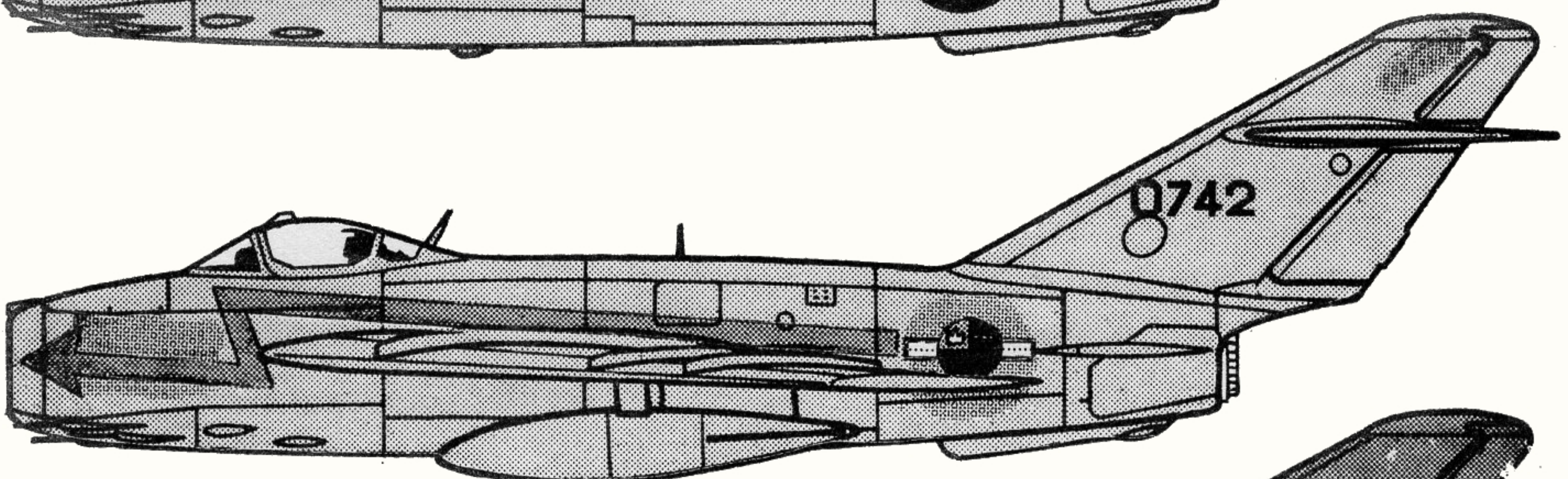
MIG-17F Overall light grey  
(0)742 on nose fin and tanks  
dark blue Sqdn. insignia on  
tail, black panther



MIG-17F  
Red arrow Dark blue 0612

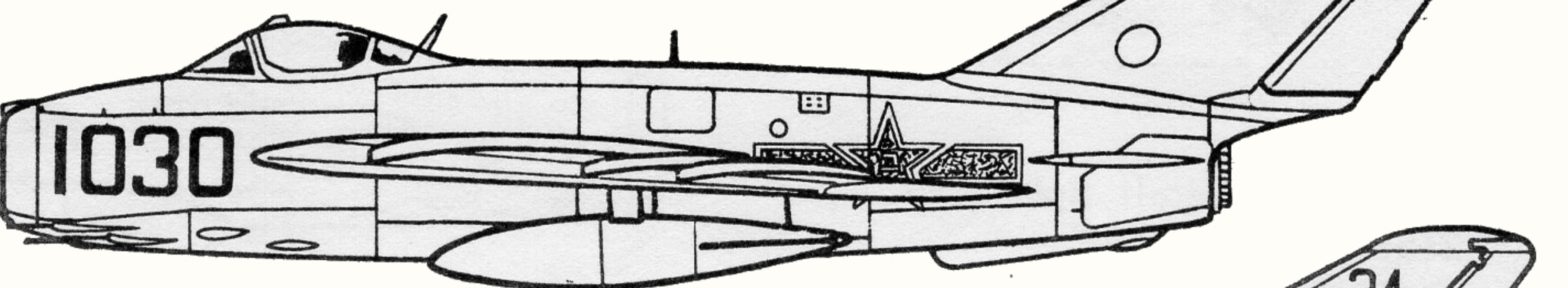
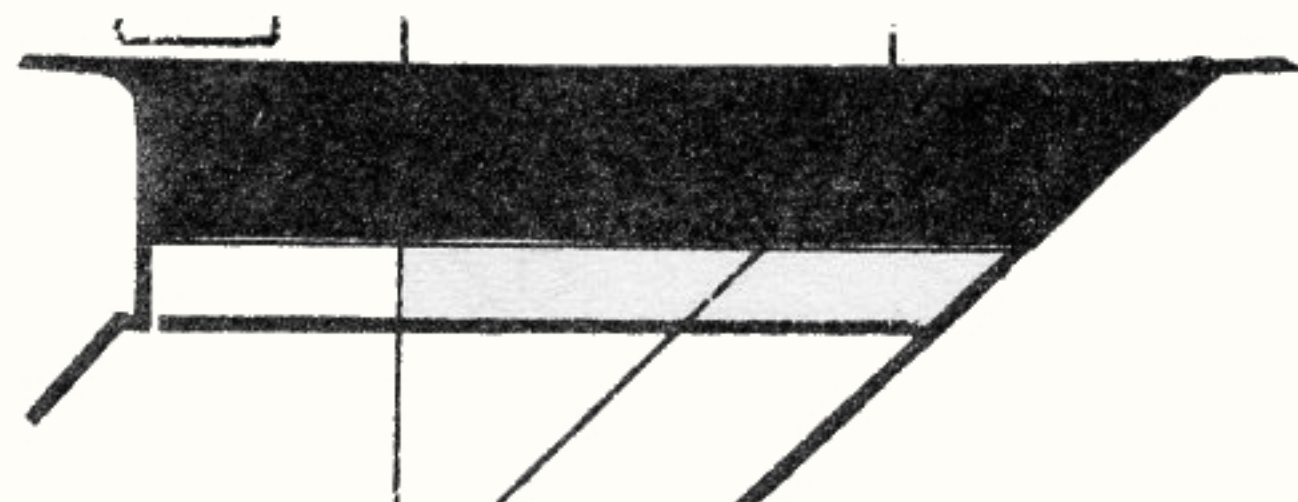


742 re-painted All but  
serial on fin overpainted with  
fresh light grey, appearing slightly  
darker. Arrow red. Note new insignia.

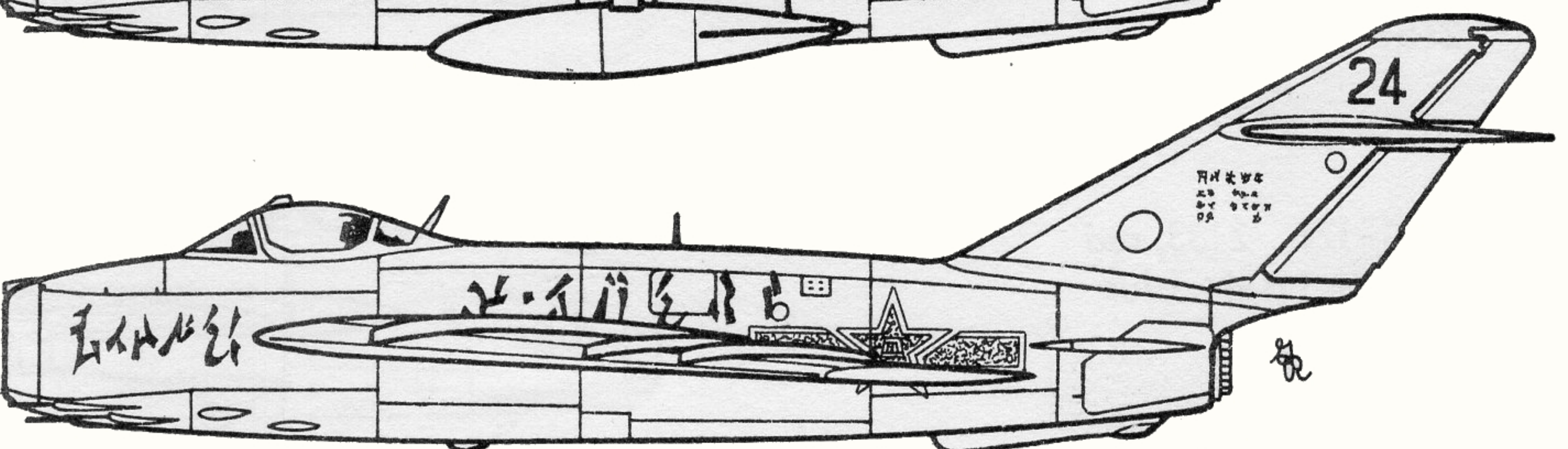


## PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA

MIG-17F Red 1030 and fin tip  
Black wing walk both a/c

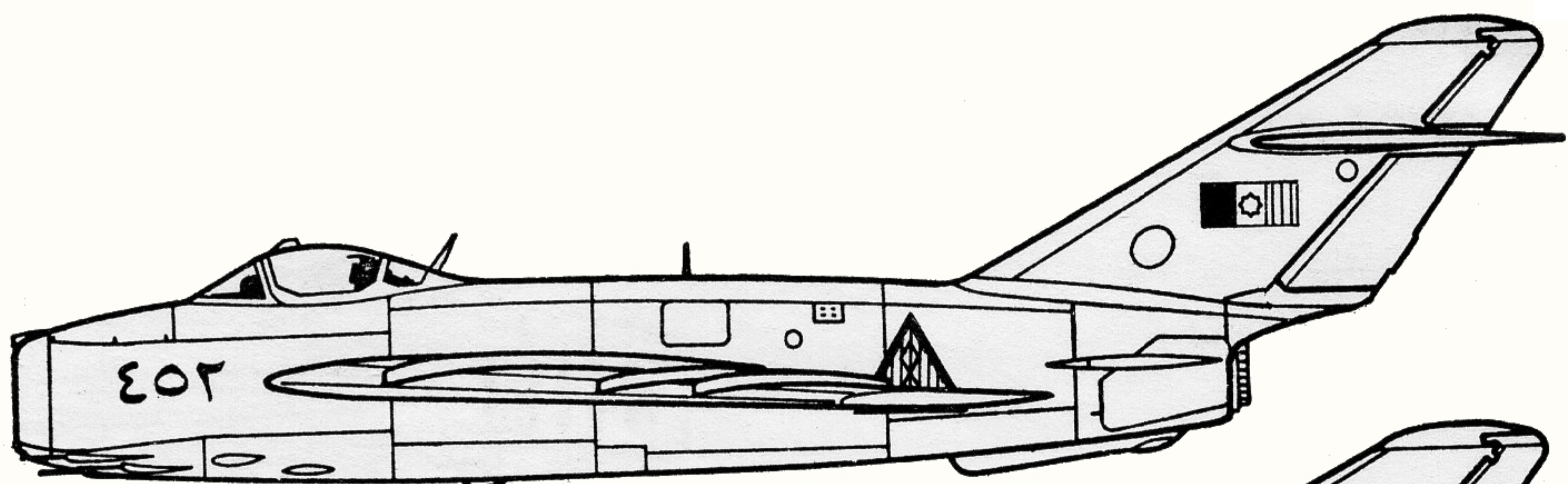


Chinese built Shenyang MIG-17  
Fin and fuselage characters probably  
red, 24 and nose characters black  
Shape of fin characters unknown



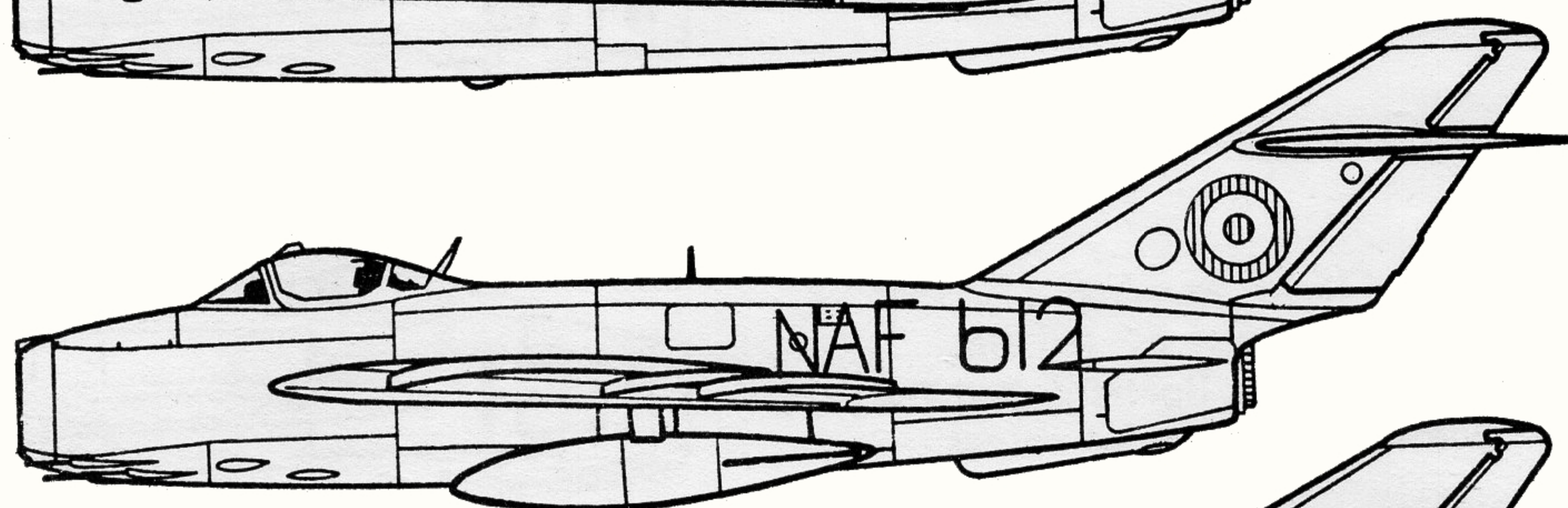
## IRAQ

MIG-17F  
Black Symbols (452)

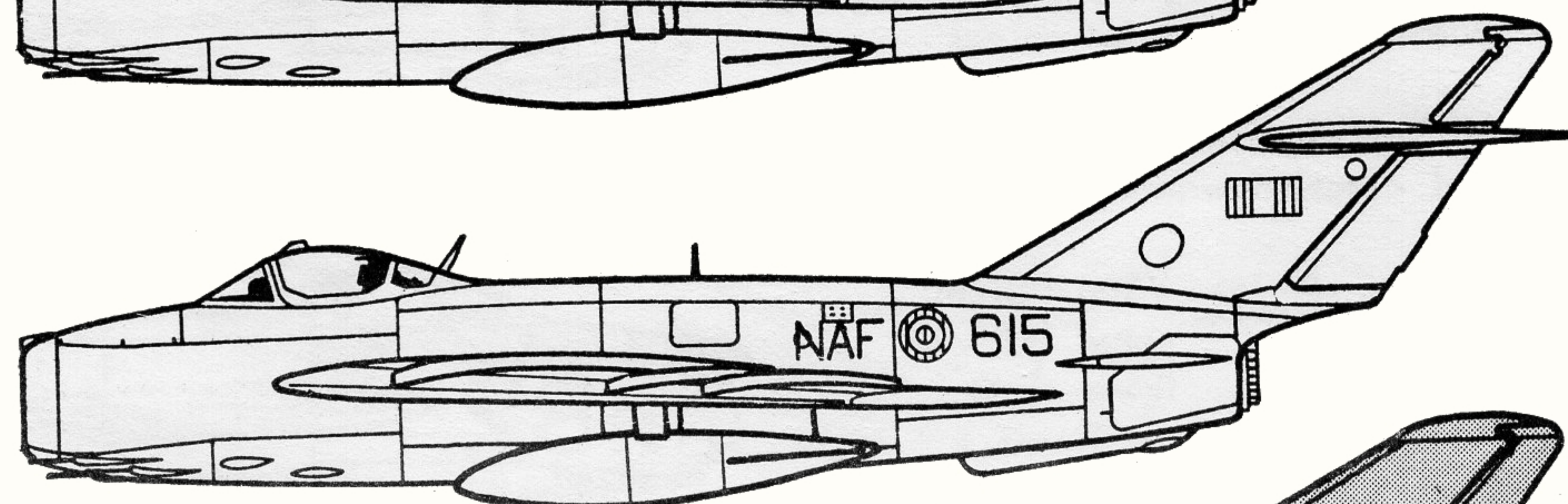


## NIGERIA

MIG-17F  
Black NAF 612

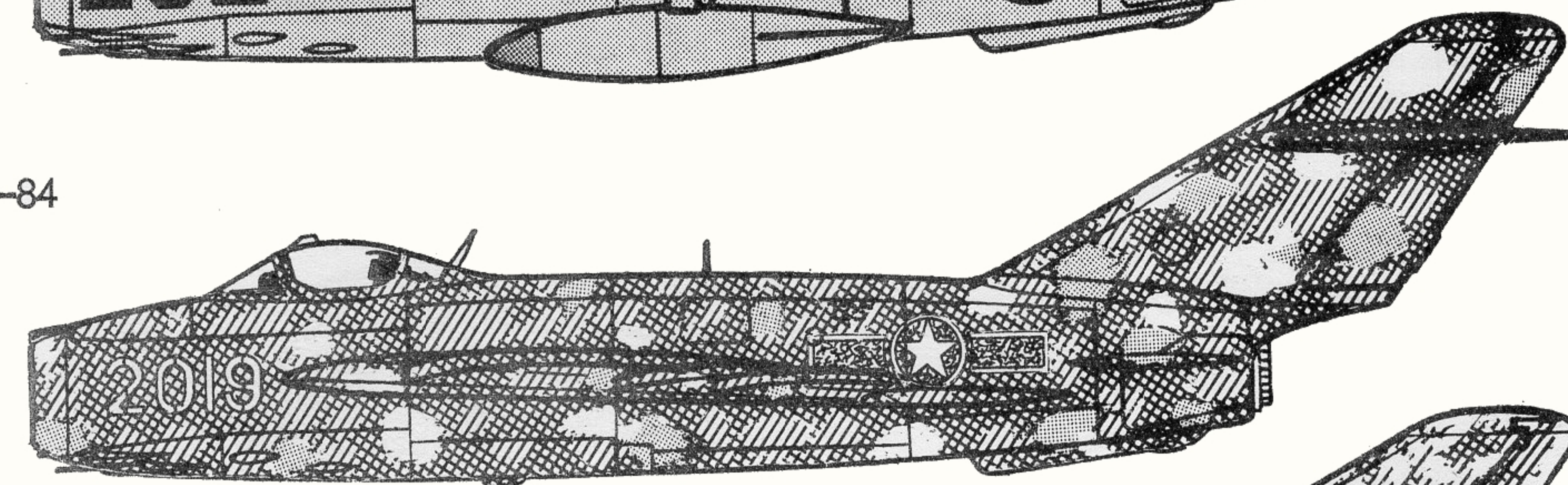
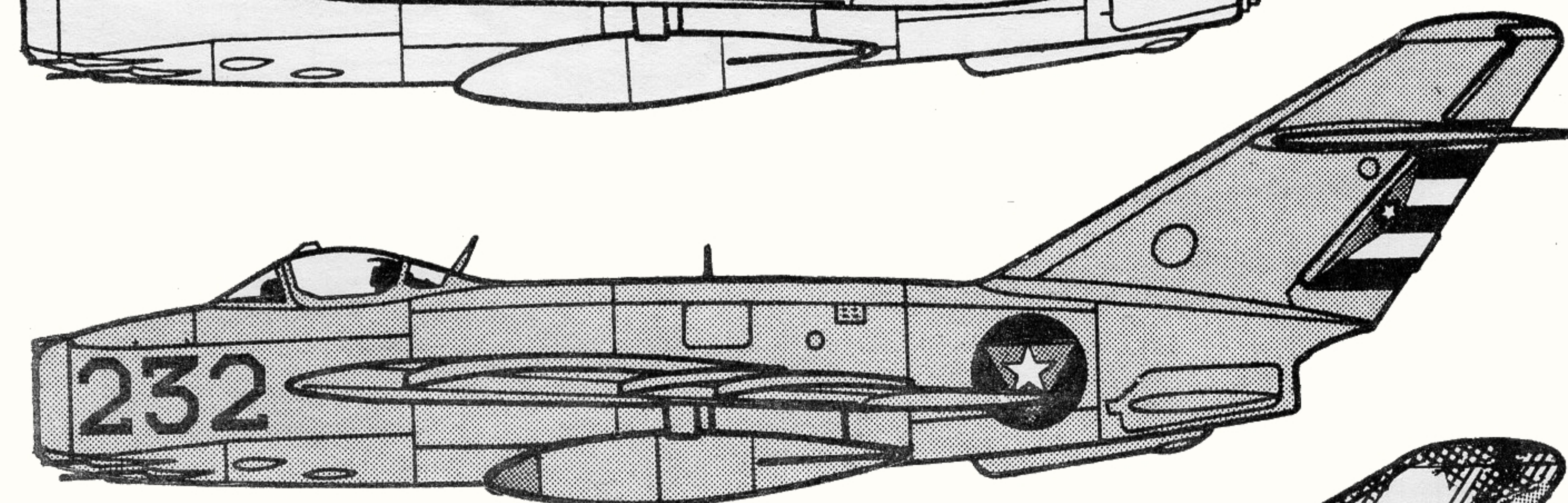


MIG-17F  
Black NAF 615  
Note wide variation in markings



## CUBA

MIG-17 Overall light grey. Red tips on tanks. Dark blue 232. Note: On Oct. 5, 1969, Lt. Eduardo Jimenez, defecting from Cuba with this a/c, successfully evaded Cuban and American radar and proceeded to land at Homestead AFB. There was no alarm until a returnee from SEA called the tower and reported that there was a MIG in the pattern. The air traffic controllers believing it an F-84 had given it permission to land after it had rocked its wings. The a/c was later returned.

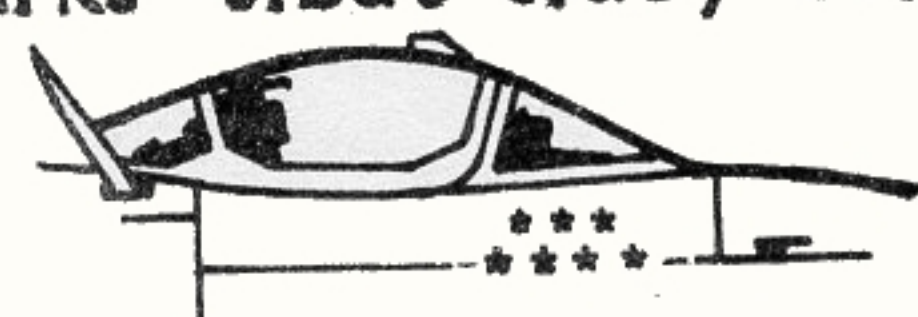


## DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM

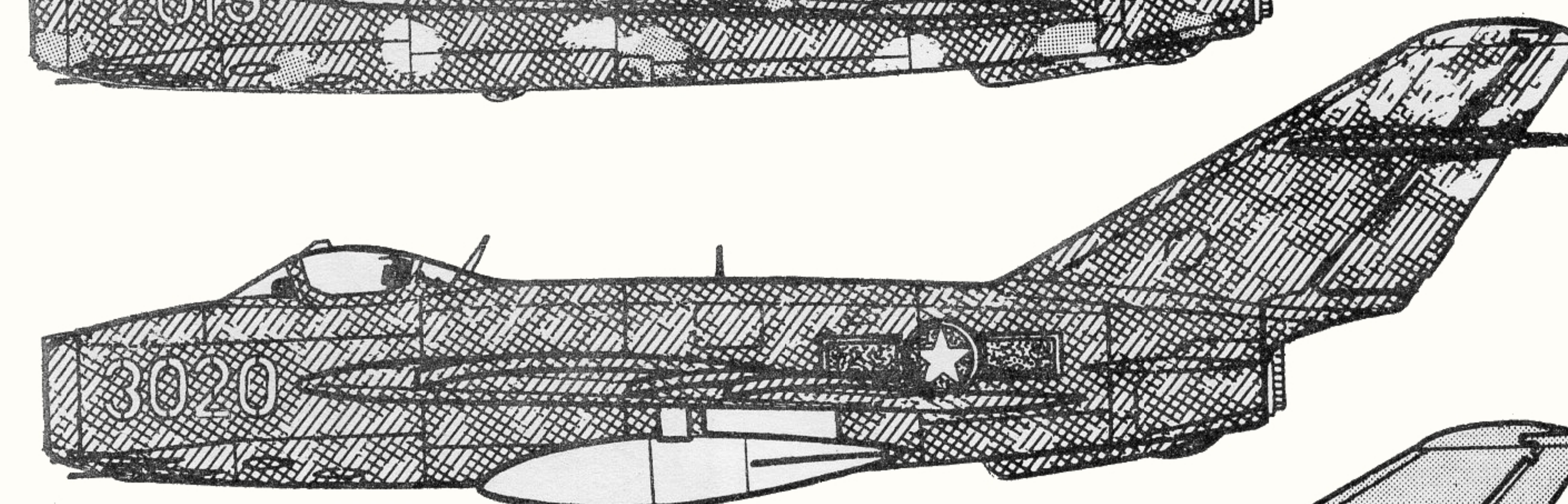
Both a/c MIG-17F's Numbers and "kill marks" orange red. Camouflage VERY patchy, applied on all surfaces top and bottom

Deep green      Light olive  
Cromate green      Tan

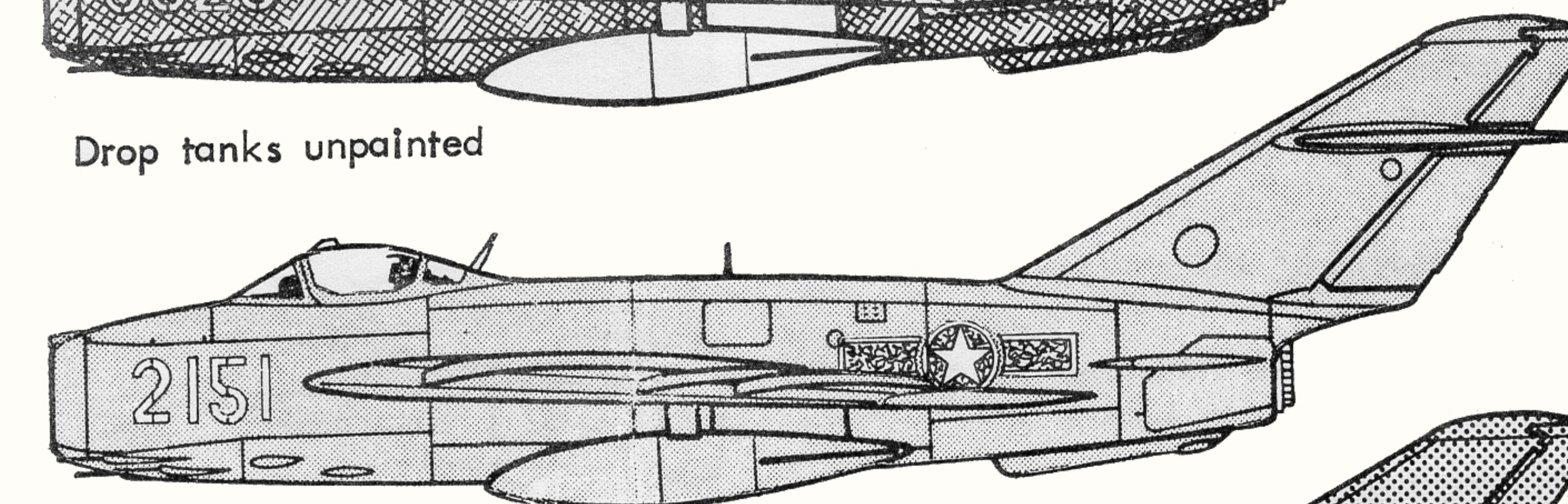
Kill marks stbd. side, both a/c



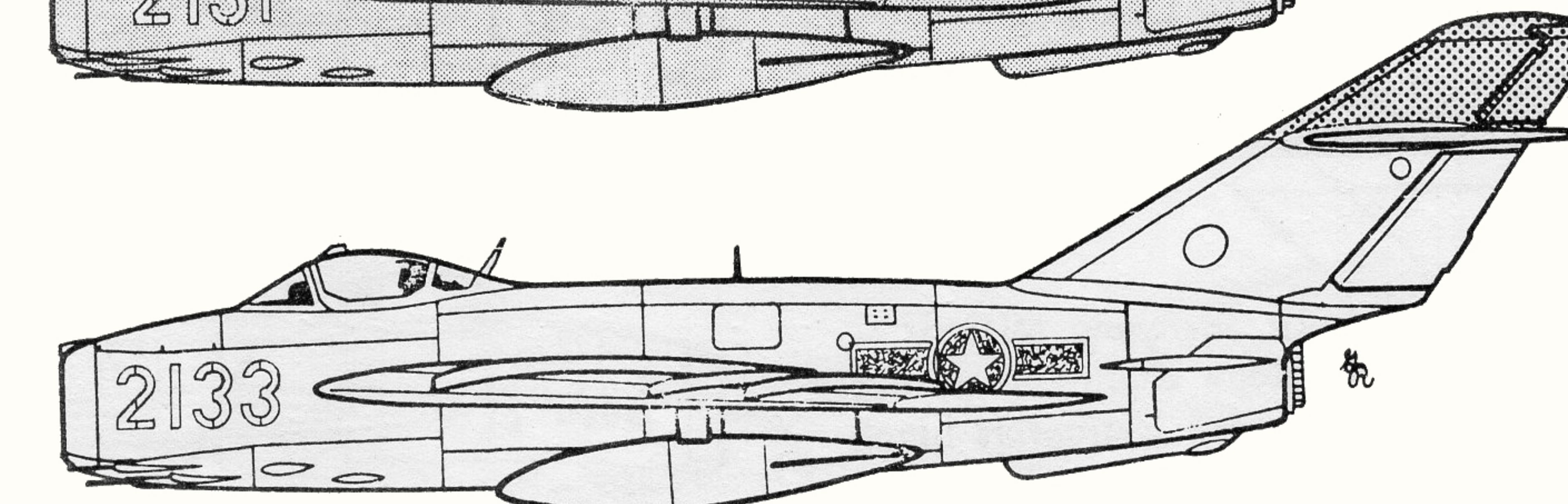
MIG-17F Overall light grey  
2151 red



Drop tanks unpainted



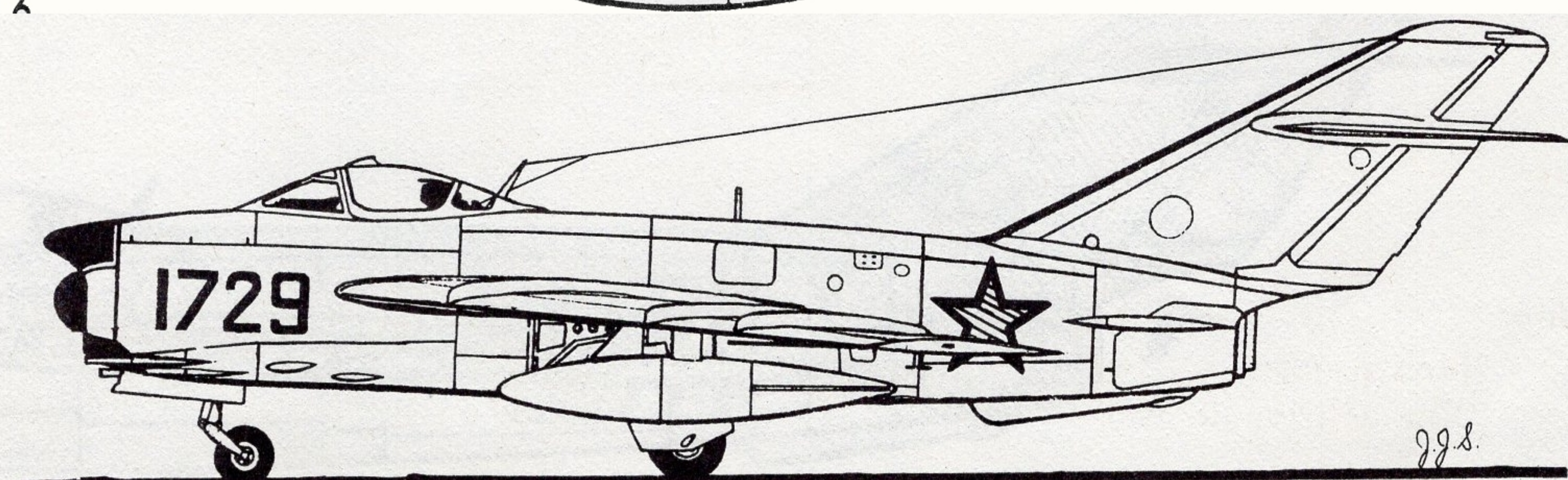
MIG-17F 2133, red  
Fin tip, bright blue



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## NORTH VIET NAM

Natural metal overall  
Old insignia-yellow star,  
outlined red  
Red numbers  
Black radomes, wingwalks,  
and blast panels



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