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WHAT'S OUT THERE?

1/48th Kinetic F-16A/C/B

1/48th Tamiya F-16C

1/48th Hasegawa F-16A/C/B

October 14, 1987 was a historical date in aviation. On that date, Chuck Yeager broke the sound barrier in the X-1 aircraft at Edwards AFB, CA. Every year since that date, Edwards AFB and the aviation world has celebrated this historic achievement.

Edwards AFB hosts their annual Open House in October to coincide with this historic event. On occasion a commemorative patch is released to apply to an F-16 aircraft and we have recreated both the 70th and 75th Anniversary schemes on this sheet.

The F-16 VERT aircraft was originally a block 30 aircraft. It has undergone many extensive modifications in it's life to include the M60V engine nozzles, software OMP upgrades and other upgrades to facilitate it's use as a flying quality testbed for the USAF Test Pilot School.

On 14 June 2021, it received the Stabing System for Autonomous Control of Simulation (SACS) and was redesignated as the F-163A.

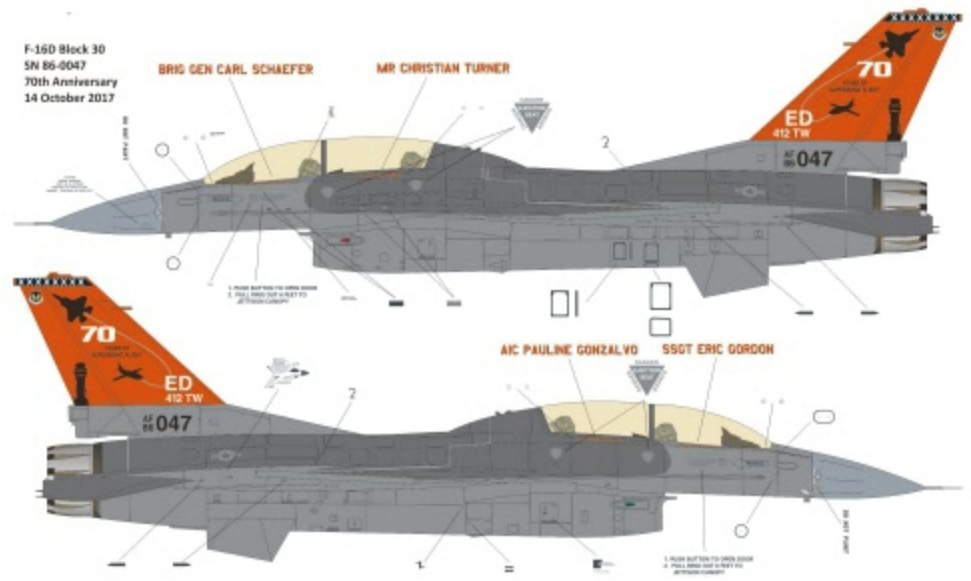
This new paint scheme was designed by Mike Malhotra who is a well known artist with deep ties to the Edwards AFB community.

Special thanks to Michael Valdez for all the reference assistance with this decal sheet.

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F-16C Block 42
 SN 88-0456
 75th Anniversary
 14 October 2022



X-62 (F-16D Block 30)
 SN 88-0048
 Variable In-Flight Simulator Test Aircraft (VISTA)
 July 2021

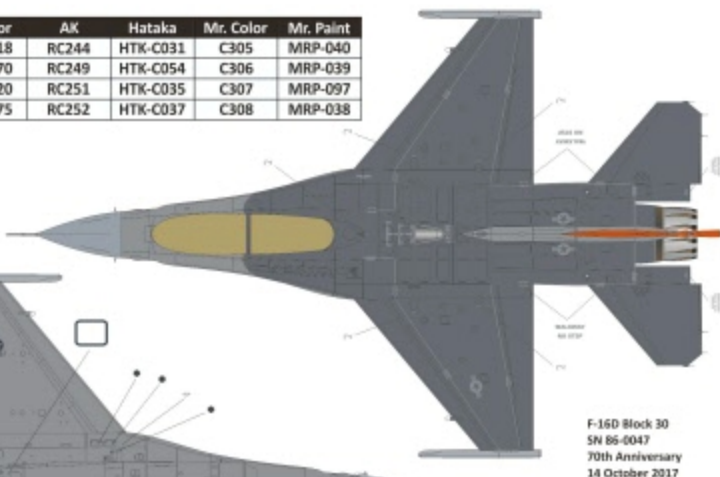




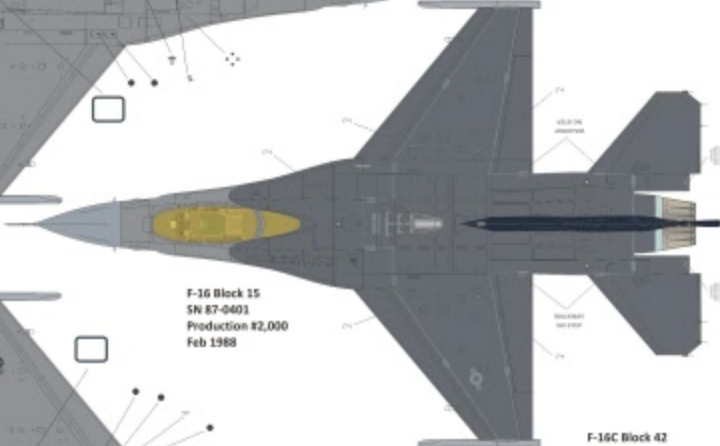
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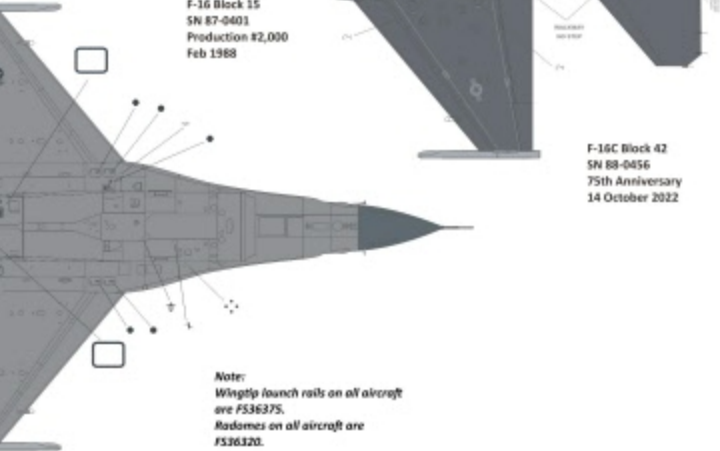
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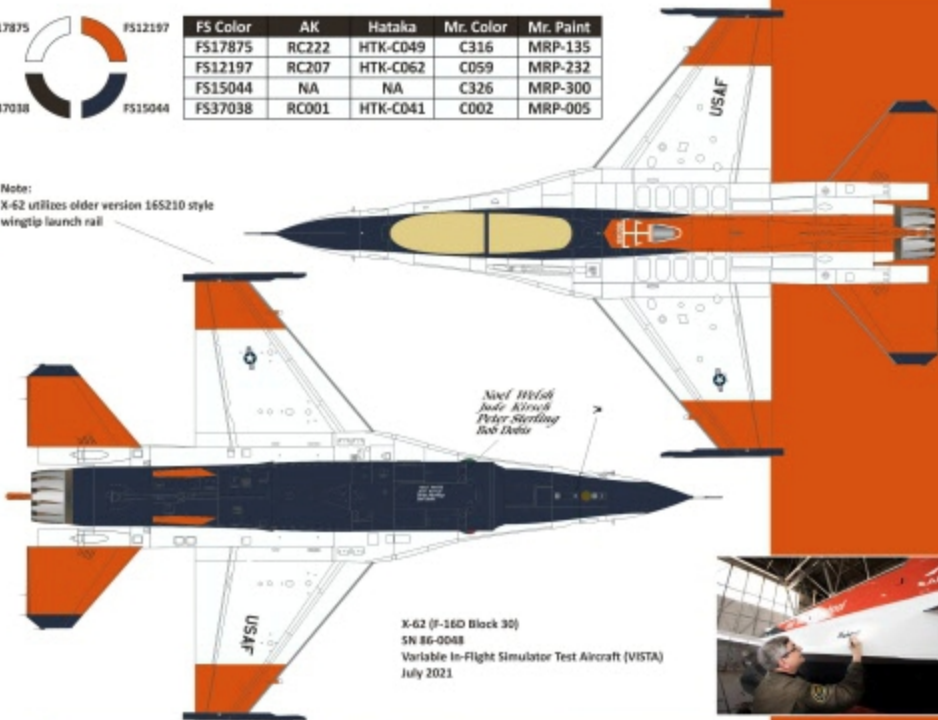
Lower data placement
all aircraft

Note:
Wingtip launch rails on all aircraft
are FS36375.
Radomes on all aircraft are
FS36320.



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FS17875	RC222	HTK-C049	C316	MRP-135
FS12197	RC207	HTK-C062	C059	MRP-232
FS15044	NA	NA	C326	MRP-300
FS37038	RC001	HTK-C041	C002	MRP-005

Note:
X-62 utilizes older version 16S210 style
wingtip launch rail



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Mike Machut is a world renowned artist, author and pilot who's work is present in many aviation museums throughout the world. One of his largest paintings (above), The Golden Age of Flight, is on display at the Air Force Flight Test Center Museum. Mike most recently designed the new paint scheme for the USAF Test Pilot School X-62 VISTA aircraft.