

2. Curtiss P-40 Tomahawk, 1941. Named "Warhawk" in the USA, the depicted fighter—originally based at Sidi Haneish with the 112th Squadron, 262nd Wing—was used by the RAF in Egypt. P-40s were supplied to British, French, Chinese, and Russian forces and flown at almost all fronts. Covered with a sand and brown pattern on top, with

light blue wing and fuselage undersides. The spinner was red; the shark's mouth was red and blue, the teeth white, the iris red. From outside to inside the wing roundel was blue, white, and red. The rudder flag (front to back) was red, white, and blue.