

Military Aircraft Markings Update Number 146, July 2017

<i>Serial</i>	<i>Type (other identity) [code]</i>	<i>Owner/operator, location or fate</i>
P9374	VS300 Spitfire IA (G-MKIA) [J]	Sold as N92SQ, May 2017
W3257	Supermarine Aircraft Spitfire 26 (G-CENI) [FY-E]	Sold to New Zealand, June 2017
DG202	Gloster F9/40 (5758M)	RAF Museum, Cosford
LZ842	VS361 Spitfire F IX (G-CGZU) [EF-F]	Privately owned, Biggin Hill
PA474	Avro 683 Lancaster B I [AR-L,VN-T]	RAF BBMF, Coningsby
QQ102	BAe RJ.70ER (G-BVRJ)	MoD/ETPS, Boscombe Down
VX281	Hawker Sea Fury T20S (G-RNHF) [120/VL]	Naval Aviation Ltd, North Weald
WK124	EE Canberra TT18 (9093M) [CR]	Privately owned, Binbrook
WK517	DHC1 Chipmunk T10 (G-ULAS)	Privately owned, Goodwood
WK585	DHC1 Chipmunk T10 (9265M/G-BZGA)	Privately owned, Compton Abbas
WZ729	Auster AOP9 (G-BXON)	Crashed at Spanhoe, 18 June 2017
XL580	Hawker Hunter T8M [723]	FAA Museum, stored Cobham Hall, RNAS Yeovilton
XT761	WS58 Wessex HU5	Privately owned, Crewkerne
XT771	WS58 Wessex HU5 [620/PO]	Privately owned, Crewkerne
XV657	WS61 Sea King HAS5 (ZA135) [32/DD]	RN, Predannack Fire School
XW213	WS Puma HC2	RAF/Airbus, Romania
XW846	WS Gazelle AH1	AAC MPSU, Middle Wallop
XX146	SEPECAT Jaguar T4 [GT]	Bradwell Bay Military & Science Museum, Essex
XX189	HS Hawk T1A [CR]	RAF HSF, Valley
XX198	HS Hawk T1A [CH]	RAF No 100 Sqn, Leeming
XX244	HS Hawk T1	RAF Red Arrows, Scampton
XX250	HS Hawk T1W [250]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
XX255	HS Hawk T1A [255]	RAF No 100 Sqn, Leeming
XX318	HS Hawk T1A [318]	RAF No 100 Sqn, Leeming
XX321	HS Hawk T1A [CI]	RAF HSF, Valley
XX324	HS Hawk T1A [324]	RN No 736 NAS, Culdrose
XX330	HS Hawk T1A [330]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
XX339	HS Hawk T1A [CL]	RAF No 100 Sqn, Leeming
XX345	HS Hawk T1A [CB]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
XX346	HS Hawk T1A [CP]	RAF No 100 Sqn, Leeming
XX348	HS Hawk T1A [CQ]	RAF No 100 Sqn, Leeming
XX835	SEPECAT Jaguar T4 [P]	DSAE No 1 SoTT, Cosford
XZ720	WS Lynx HAS3GMS [410/GC]	FAA Museum, RNAS Yeovilton
XZ731	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [311/VL]	AAC, stored Middle Wallop
ZA220	Short MATS-B (ZA242)	Boscombe Down Aviation Collection, Old Sarum
ZA242	Short MATS-B (ZA220)	Repainted as ZA220
ZA453	Panavia Tornado GR4 [022]	RAF Leeming, RTP
ZA459	Panavia Tornado GR4 [025]	RAF No 12 Sqn, Marham
ZA546	Panavia Tornado GR4 [038]	RAF No 9 Sqn, Marham
ZA548	Panavia Tornado GR4 [040] \$	RAF Leeming, RTP
ZA553	Panavia Tornado GR4 [045]	RAF TASF, Marham
ZA588	Panavia Tornado GR4 [056]	RAF CMU, stored Marham
ZA670	B-V Chinook HC4 (N37010)	RAF No 18 Sqn/No 27 Sqn, Odiham
ZA682	B-V Chinook HC4 (N37029) [AJ]	RAF No 18 Sqn, Odiham
ZA710	B-V Chinook HC4 (N37044) [AR]	RAF No 28(R) Sqn, Benson
ZA720	B-V Chinook HC4 (N37060)	RAF No 18 Sqn/No 27 Sqn, Odiham
ZA772	WS Gazelle AH1	AAC MPSU, Middle Wallop
ZB116	BAE Systems Hawk Mk.165	To Saudi Arabia as 7907, 14 June 2017
ZB120	BAE Systems Hawk Mk.165	To Saudi Arabia as 2111, 14 June 2017
ZB667	WS Gazelle AH1	AAC, stored Middle Wallop
ZB671	WS Gazelle AH1	AAC No 29 Flt, BATUS, Suffield, Canada
ZB691	WS Gazelle AH1 [S]	AAC MPSU, Middle Wallop
ZB692	WS Gazelle AH1	AAC, stored Middle Wallop
ZB693	WS Gazelle AH1	AAC MPSU, Middle Wallop
ZD257	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [302/VL]	AAC, stored Middle Wallop
ZD266	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [673]	Bradwell Bay Military & Science Museum, Essex
ZD433	BAe Harrier GR9A [45A]	FAA Museum, RNAS Yeovilton
ZD792	Panavia Tornado GR4 [100]	RAF No 9 Sqn, Marham
ZD982	B-V Chinook HC6A (N37085) [DF]	MoD/AFD/QinetiQ, Boscombe Down (conversion)
ZE376	WS Lynx AH9A	AAC MPSU, Middle Wallop

ZE496	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3001) [VB]	RAF ACCGS/No 643 VGS, Syerston
ZE528	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3018) [VQ]	RAF ACCGS/No 643 VGS, Syerston
ZE554	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3029) [WB]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZE555	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3030) [WC]	RAF ACCGS/No 643 VGS, Syerston
ZE590	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3046) [WT]	RAF CGMF, Syerston
ZE591	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3047) [WU]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZE593	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3049) [WW]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZE600	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3052) [WZ]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZE626	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3068) [XQ]	RAF No 621 VGS/No 637 VGS, Little Rissington
ZE627	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3069) [XR]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZE656	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3086) [YH]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZE677	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3090) [YM]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZF240	Shorts Tucano T1 [240]	RAF No 1 FTS/72(R) Sqn, Linton-on-Ouse
ZF289	Shorts Tucano T1 [289]	RAF No 1 FTS/72(R) Sqn, Linton-on-Ouse
ZF378	Shorts Tucano T1 [RN-S] \$	RAF No 1 FTS/72(R) Sqn, Linton-on-Ouse
ZF539	WS Lynx AH9A	Privately owned, Sproughton
ZF557	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [426/PD]	AAC, stored Middle Wallop
ZF558	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [336/WK]	AAC, stored Middle Wallop
ZF562	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [353/MB]	AAC, stored Middle Wallop
ZF563	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [312/VL]	AAC, stored Middle Wallop
ZG707	Panavia Tornado GR4A [119]	RAF No 12 Sqn, Marham
ZG771	Panavia Tornado GR4 \$	RAF TASF, Marham
ZG888	WS Lynx AH9A	Privately owned, Sproughton
ZG916	WS Lynx AH9A	Privately owned, Bentwaters
ZG920	WS Lynx AH9A	AAC, stored Middle Wallop
ZH121	Grob G109B Vigilant T1 [TG]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZH124	Grob G109B Vigilant T1 [TK]	RAF CGMF, stored Syerston
ZH192	Grob G109B Vigilant T1 [UE]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZH271	Grob G109B Vigilant T1 [SD]	RAF ACCGS/No 644 VGS, Syerston
ZH816	Bell 212HP AH1 (G-BGMG)	AAC, Middle Wallop
ZH824	EHI-101 Merlin HM2 [83]	MoD/AFD/QinetiQ, Boscombe Down
ZH827	EHI-101 Merlin HM2 [10]	RN No 820 NAS, Culdrose
ZH831	EHI-101 Merlin HM2	MoD/AFD/QinetiQ, Boscombe Down
ZH834	EHI-101 Merlin HM2 [87]	RN No 824 NAS, Culdrose
ZH835	EHI-101 Merlin HM2 [13]	RN No 820 NAS, Culdrose
ZH840	EHI-101 Merlin HM2 [11]	RN No 820 NAS, Culdrose
ZH841	EHI-101 Merlin HM2 [501]	RN No 829 NAS, Culdrose
ZH846	EHI-101 Merlin HM2 [12]	RN No 820 NAS, Culdrose
ZH850	EHI-101 Merlin HM2 [70]	RN No 814 NAS, Culdrose
ZH857	EHI-101 Merlin HM2 [86]	RN No 824 NAS, Culdrose
ZH903	B-V Chinook HC5 (N20671) [HR]	RAF No 27 Sqn, Odiham
ZJ131	EHI-101 Merlin HC4 [P]	MoD/Leonardo MW, Yeovil (conversion)
ZJ192	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 4 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ199	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC ADSU, Wattisham
ZJ200	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 4 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ204	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 4 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ213	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC ADSU, Wattisham
ZJ220	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 4 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ224	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 4 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ234	Bell 412EP Griffin HT1 (G-BWZR) [S]	DHFS No 60(R) Sqn, RAF Shawbury
ZJ812	Eurofighter Typhoon T3 [812]	RAF No 29(R) Sqn, Coningsby
ZJ917	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [917]	RAF No 11 Sqn, Coningsby
ZJ921	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [921]	RAF No 3 Sqn, Coningsby
ZJ923	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [923]	RAF No 3 Sqn, Coningsby
ZJ929	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [929]	RAF No 11 Sqn, Coningsby
ZJ931	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [DA]	RAF No 2 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZJ939	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [939]	RAF No 3 Sqn, Coningsby
ZJ951	BAE Systems Advanced Hawk 120D	MoD/BAE Systems, Warton
ZJ962	Grob G109B Vigilant T1 (D-KBEU) [SK]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZK001	EHI-101 Merlin HC3A (M-511) [AF]	RN MDMF, Culdrose
ZK017	BAE Systems Hawk T2 [H]	RAF HSF, Valley
ZK020	BAE Systems Hawk T2 [K] \$	RAF HSF, stored Valley
ZK307	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [307]	RAF TMU, Coningsby
ZK311	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [N]	RAF No 11 Sqn, Coningsby

ZK329	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [329]	RAF No 6 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK333	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4	RAF No 11 Sqn, Coningsby
ZK338	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [FF]	RAF TMU, Coningsby
ZK342	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [342]	RAF TMU, Coningsby
ZK343	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4	RAF No 29(R) Sqn, Coningsby
ZK347	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [347]	RAF TMU, Coningsby
ZK348	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [FN]	RAF TMU, Coningsby
ZK349	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [349]	RAF No 29(R) Sqn, Coningsby
ZK366	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [366]	RAF No 11 Sqn, Coningsby
ZK368	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [368]	RAF No 11 Sqn, Coningsby
ZK622	Eurofighter Typhoon	To R Saudi AF as 8023, 6 June 2017
ZK623	Eurofighter Typhoon	To R Saudi AF as 8024, 6 June 2017
ZM144	Lockheed Martin F-35B Lightning II (BK-10)	LMTAS, Fort Worth, USA
ZM145	Lockheed Martin F-35B Lightning II (BK-11)	LMTAS, Fort Worth, USA
ZM323	Beechcraft T-6C Texan II (N2824B) [323]	Raytheon, Wichita, KS, for RAF
ZM324	Beechcraft T-6C Texan II	Raytheon, Wichita, KS, for RAF
ZM415	Airbus A400M Atlas C1 (A4M052)	RAF No 24 Sqn/No 70 Sqn, Brize Norton
ZM511	Airbus H135 Juno HT1 (D-HECJ/G-CJUC) [11]	DHFS, RAF Shawbury
ZM513	Airbus H135 Juno HT1 (D-HECP/G-CJXU)	Airbus Helicopters, Kidlington
ZM514	Airbus H135 Juno HT1 (G-CJXV)	Airbus Helicopters, Kidlington
ZR324	Agusta A109E Power (G-EMHB)	DHFS, Newquay
ZR410	Eurofighter Typhoon T	To RAFO as 200, 19 June 2017
ZR411	Eurofighter Typhoon T	To RAFO as 201, 19 June 2017
ZZ177	Boeing C-17A Globemaster III (09-8207/N9500B)	RAF/Boeing, San Antonio, Texas, USA
ZZ192	Grob G109B Vigilant T1 (D-KLVI) [SQ]	RAF, stored Little Rissington
ZZ334	Airbus A330 Voyager KC3 (MRTT016/EC-335/G-VYGE)	RAF No 10 Sqn/No 101 Sqn, Brize Norton
ZZ335	Airbus A330 Voyager KC3 (MRTT021/EC-338/G-VYGF)	RAF No 1312 Flt, Mount Pleasant, FI
ZZ376	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	RN WST, Yeovilton
ZZ377	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	RN No 825 NAS, Yeovilton
ZZ378	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	RN WST, Yeovilton
ZZ379	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	RN No 815 NAS, Yeovilton
ZZ383	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat AH1	AAC WCM, Yeovilton
ZZ387	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat AH1	MoD/Leonardo MW, Yeovil
ZZ390	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat AH1	AAC No 1 Regiment, Yeovilton
ZZ392	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat AH1	AAC WCM, Yeovilton
ZZ395	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat AH1	AAC WST, Yeovilton
ZZ397	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	RN No 825 NAS, Yeovilton
ZZ403	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat AH1	MoD/Leonardo MW, Yeovil
ZZ405	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat AH1	AAC No 1 Regiment, Yeovilton
ZZ513	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	MoD/Leonardo MW, Yeovil
ZZ514	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	MoD/Leonardo MW, Yeovil
ZZ515	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	RN No 825 NAS, Yeovilton
ZZ519	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	RN No 815 NAS, Yeovilton
ZZ521	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat AH1	AAC WCM, Yeovilton
ZZ529	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	RN No 815 NAS, Yeovilton
ZZ530	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	RN No 815 NAS, Yeovilton
ZZ531	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat HMA2	RN No 815 NAS, Yeovilton
ZZ666	Boeing RC-135W (64-14830)	RAF No 51 Sqn, Waddington

Notes:

1. RJ.70ER QQ102 has been painted as such for around a month but was taken off the UK register as late as 20 June 2017.
2. Sea Fury VX281 (G-RNHF) was recently rolled out at North Weald having been restored following its mishap at Culdrose in 2014.
3. Wessex XT761 and XT771 both left Culdrose by road recently with a view to restoring one to airworthiness again.
4. Tucano T1 ZF378 is painted in special markings to celebrate 72 Squadron's Centenary and was one of four machines which did a tour of the UK on 27 June in commemoration.
5. Typhoons ZK622 and ZK623 are the last of the Saudi order to be delivered.
6. The first T-6C Texan for the RAF, ZM323 flew (as N2824B) on 28 May 2017.
7. Atlas ZM415 was delivered to Brize Norton on 14 June 2017.
8. Juno ZM511 was delivered to Shawbury on 19 June 2017.
9. The first two Typhoons for the RAFO were delivered on 19 June 2017.

10. ZZ666, the last RC-135W for the RAF, was delivered to Mildenhall on 6 June 2017 and then to Waddington the following day.

Credits:

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