

**Military Aircraft Markings Update Number 83,  
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<i>Serial</i>	<i>Type (other identity) [code]</i>	<i>Owner/operator, location or fate</i>
C3988	Sopwith 5F.1 Dolphin (comp D5329)	RAF Museum, Hendon
K5674	Hawker Fury I (G-CBZP)	Historic Aircraft Collection Ltd, Goodwood
P3144	Hawker Hurricane I <R> [CZ-B]	Repainted as V6555
V6555	Hawker Hurricane I (P3144) <R> [DT-A]	Privately owned, Tonbridge, Kent
AB910	VS349 Spitfire VB (G-AISU) [MD-E]	RAF BBMF, Coningsby
BM361	VS349 Spitfire VB <R> (BAPC 269) [XR-C]	RAF Lakenheath, on display
LZ842	VS361 Spitfire F IX (G-CGZU) [EF-D]	Privately owned, Sandown
QQ101	BAe RJ.100 (G-BZAY)	MoD/AFD/QinetiQ, Boscombe Down
QQ102	BAe RJ.70ER (SE-DJP)	MoD/AFD/QinetiQ, Boscombe Down
RK855	Supermarine Aircraft Spitfire 26 (G-PIXY) [FT-C]	Privately owned, Henstridge
TE184	VS361 Spitfire LF XVIE (6850M/G-MXVI) [EJC]	Privately owned, Biggin Hill
WB670	DHC1 Chipmunk T10 (comp WG303) (8361M)	Privately owned, Carlisle
WK002	Thales Watchkeeper 450 UAV (4X-USD)	Thales, for Army
WK518	DHC1 Chipmunk T10 [C]	RAF BBMF, Coningsby
WK635	DHC1 Chipmunk T10 (G-HFRH)	Privately owned, Bicester
WV322	Hawker Hunter T8C (G-BZSE/9096M) [Y]	Hunter Flying Ltd, St Athan
WW664	Hawker Hunter F4 <ff>	Privately owned, Norfolk
WX788	DH112 Venom NF3	Privately owned, Storwood, Yorkshire
WZ590	DH115 Vampire T11 [49]	Imperial War Museum, Duxford
XE601	Hawker Hunter FGA9 (G-ETPS)	Sold to Canada, March 2012
XE606	Hawker Hunter F6A (XJ673/8841M)	RAF, Barkston Heath
XG325	EE Lightning F1 <ff>	Privately owned, Norfolk
XH174	EE Canberra PR9 <ff>	Privately owned, Welshpool
XL738	Saro Skeeter AOP12 (7860M)	Privately owned, Storwood, Yorkshire
XL763	Saro Skeeter AOP12	Privately owned, Storwood, Yorkshire
XN441	Auster AOP9 (G-BGKT)	Privately owned, Exeter
XN597	Hunting Jet Provost T3 (7984M) <ff>	Privately owned, Market Drayton, Shrops
XN650	DH110 Sea Vixen FAW2 [456] <ff>	Privately owned, Norfolk
XS570	WS Wasp HAS1 [445/P]	Privately owned, Lancs
XS646	HS Andover C1(mod)	MoD, Boscombe Down (wfu)
XT788	WS Wasp HAS1 (G-BMIR) [474]	Privately owned, Storwood, Yorkshire
XT914	McD F-4M Phantom FGR2 (9269M) [Z]	Wattisham Station Heritage Museum
XV235	HS Nimrod MR2 [35] <ff>	Privately owned, RAF Scampton
XV244	HS Nimrod MR2 [44] <ff>	Morayavia, RAF Kinloss
XV249	HS Nimrod R1 \$	RAF Museum, Cosford
XV294	Lockheed C-130K Hercules C3 [294]	Scrapped at Cambridge, 23 February 2012
XV672	WS61 Sea King ASaC7 [187]	RN No 857 NAS, Culdrose
XV786	HS Harrier GR3 <ff>	RNAS Culdrose Fire Section
XW206	WS Puma HC1	RAF, stored Boscombe Down
XW207	WS Puma HC1	RAF, stored Boscombe Down
XW208	WS Puma HC1	RAF, stored Boscombe Down
XW858	WS Gazelle HT3 (G-ONNE) [C]	Privately owned, Steeple Bumstead, Cambs
XW917	HS Harrier GR3 (8975M)	MoD JARTS, Boscombe Down
XX161	HS Hawk T1W [161]	RAF, Valley
XX165	HS Hawk T1 [165]	RN, stored Shawbury
XX167	HS Hawk T1W [167]	RAF, stored Shawbury
XX253	HS Hawk T1A	RAF Scampton, on display
XX263	HS Hawk T1A	RAF Red Arrows, Scampton
XX550	SA Bulldog T1 (G-CBBL) [Z]	Privately owned, Abbeyshrule, Eire
XX551	SA Bulldog T1 (G-BZDP) [E]	Privately owned, Boscombe Down
XX695	SA Bulldog T1 (G-CBBT) [3]	Privately owned, Fishburn
XX699	SA Bulldog T1 (G-CBCV) [F]	To Australia, 28 February 2012
XX826	SEPECAT Jaguar GR1 (9021M) <ff>	Privately owned, Welshpool
XX829	SEPECAT Jaguar T2A [GZ]	Newark Air Museum, Winthorpe
XZ184	WS Lynx AH7	AAC No 9 Regt, Dishforth
XZ192	WS Lynx AH7	AAC No 9 Regt, Dishforth
XZ216	WS Lynx AH7	DCAE SEAE, Arborfield
XZ313	WS Gazelle AH1 <ff>	Privately owned, Shotton, Durham
XZ335	WS Gazelle AH1	North-East Aircraft Museum, stored Usworth

XZ345	Aérospatiale SA341G Gazelle (G-SFTA) [T]	North-East Aircraft Museum, Usworth
XZ592	WS61 Sea King HAR3 [H]	RAF No 202 Sqn, E Flt, Leconfield
XZ595	WS61 Sea King HAR3 [K]	RAF SKAMG, RNAS Yeovilton
XZ607	WS Lynx AH7	DCAE SEAE, Arborfield
XZ645	WS Lynx AH7	AAC No 9 Regt, Dishforth
XZ670	WS Lynx AH7	AAC No 9 Regt, Dishforth
XZ678	WS Lynx AH7	AAC No 9 Regt, Dishforth
XZ690	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [452/DT]	RN No 815 NAS, Dauntless Flt, Yeovilton
XZ726	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [332/LP]	RN No 815 NAS, HQ Flt, Yeovilton
XZ729	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [350]	RN No 815 NAS, Yeovilton
XZ731	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [332]	MoD/Vector Aerospace, Fleetlands
XZ736	WS Lynx HMA8SRU [322]	RN No 815 NAS, HQ Flt, Yeovilton
ZA313	WS61 Sea King HC4 [M]	RN No 845 NAS, Yeovilton
ZA398	Panavia Tornado GR4A \$	RAF No 2 Sqn, Marham
ZA401	Panavia Tornado GR4A [012]	RAF TEF, Lossiemouth
ZA404	Panavia Tornado GR4A [013]	RAF TEF, stored Lossiemouth
ZA472	Panavia Tornado GR4 [031]	RAF Marham Wing
ZA553	Panavia Tornado GR4 [045]	RAF CMU, Marham
ZA554	Panavia Tornado GR4 [046]	RAF CMU, Marham
ZA597	Panavia Tornado GR4 [063]	RAF Marham Wing
ZA600	Panavia Tornado GR4 [EB-G] \$	RAF TEF, Lossiemouth
ZA601	Panavia Tornado GR4 [AJ-G,066]	RAF AWC/FJW0EU/No 41(R) Sqn, Coningsby
ZA611	Panavia Tornado GR4 [073]	RAF TEF, Lossiemouth
ZA614	Panavia Tornado GR4 [076]	RAF AWC/FJW0EU/No 41(R) Sqn, Coningsby
ZA718	B-V Chinook HC4 (N37058) [BN]	MoD/AFD/QinetiQ, Boscombe Dow
ZD241	BAC Super VC10 K4 (G-ASGM) [N]	RAF No 1312 Flt, Mount Pleasant, FI
ZD318	BAe Harrier GR7	RAF Wittering, for display
ZD320	BAe Harrier GR9 [21]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD321	BAe Harrier GR9 [02]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD327	BAe Harrier GR9 [08A,SH-M]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD328	BAe Harrier GR9 [09]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD329	BAe Harrier GR9A [10]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD330	BAe Harrier GR9 \$	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD346	BAe Harrier GR9 [13]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD347	BAe Harrier GR9A [14]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD348	BAe Harrier GR9A [15A]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD351	BAe Harrier GR9A \$	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD352	BAe Harrier GR9 [19]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD354	BAe Harrier GR9 [21]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD375	BAe Harrier GR9 [23]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD378	BAe Harrier GR9A [26A]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD379	BAe Harrier GR9 [27]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD401	BAe Harrier GR9 [30]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD402	BAe Harrier GR9 [31]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD403	BAe Harrier GR9 [32,JX-B]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD405	BAe Harrier GR9 [34]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD406	BAe Harrier GR9 \$	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD409	BAe Harrier GR9 [38]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD410	BAe Harrier GR9 \$	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD411	BAe Harrier GR7 [40]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD412	BAe Harrier GR5 (fuselage)	Privately owned, Sproughton
ZD431	BAe Harrier GR7A [43A]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD433	BAe Harrier GR9A [45A]	FAA Museum, RNAS Yeovilton
ZD435	BAe Harrier GR9 [47]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD436	BAe Harrier GR9A [48A]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD437	BAe Harrier GR9 [EB-J]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD438	BAe Harrier GR9 [50]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD461	BAe Harrier GR9A [51A]	Imperial War Museum, Duxford
ZD463	BAe Harrier GR7 [53]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD466	BAe Harrier GR7 [56]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD467	BAe Harrier GR9A [57A]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD468	BAe Harrier GR9 [58]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD470	BAe Harrier GR9 [60]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZD480	WS61 Sea King HC4 [J]	RN No 845 NAS, Yeovilton

ZD709	Panavia Tornado GR4 [078]	RAF Marham Wing
ZD746	Panavia Tornado GR4 [094]	RAF Lossiemouth, WLT
ZD810	Panavia Tornado GR4 [102]	RAF TEF, Lossiemouth
ZE411	Agusta A109A (AE-331)	<i>Repainted as AE-331, 2012</i>
ZE449	SA330L Puma HC1 (9017M/PA-12)	RAF, stored Boscombe Down (wreck)
ZE600	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3052) [WZ]	RAF No 615 VGS, Kenley
ZE707	BAe 146-200QC (OO-TAY)	MoD/BAE Systems, Chester
ZE708	BAe 146-200QC (OO-TAZ)	For RAF
ZF534	BAe EAP	RAF Museum, stored Cosford
ZG509	BAe Harrier GR7 [80]	Privately owned, Sproughton
ZG472	BAe Harrier GR9A [62]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG474	BAe Harrier GR9 [64]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG479	BAe Harrier GR9A [69A]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG480	BAe Harrier GR9 [70]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG500	BAe Harrier GR9 [71]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG501	BAe Harrier GR9 [EB-Q]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG502	BAe Harrier GR9 \$	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG504	BAe Harrier GR9A [75A]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG505	BAe Harrier GR9 [76]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG506	BAe Harrier GR9A \$	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG507	BAe Harrier GR9 [78]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG508	BAe Harrier GR9 [79]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG511	BAe Harrier GR9A [82A]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG530	BAe Harrier GR9 [84]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG531	BAe Harrier GR9 [85]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG705	Panavia Tornado GR4A [118]	RAF Marham Wing
ZG729	Panavia Tornado GR4A [127]	RAF Lossiemouth Wing
ZG857	BAe Harrier GR9 [EB-Z]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG858	BAe Harrier GR9 \$	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG859	BAe Harrier GR9A [91A]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG860	BAe Harrier GR9	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG862	BAe Harrier GR9 [94]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZG918	WS Lynx AH9A	AAC No 657 Sqn, Odiham
ZG923	WS Lynx AH9A	AAC No 9 Regt, Dishforth
ZG989	PBN 2T Islander ASTOR (G-DLRA)	AAC, stored Shawbury
ZH115	Grob G109B Vigilant T1 [TA]	RAF CGMF, Syerston
ZH121	Grob G109B Vigilant T1 [TG]	RAF No 642 VGS, Linton-on-Ouse
ZH200	BAe Hawk 200	Loughborough University
ZH541	WS61 Sea King HAR3A [V]	MoD/Vector Aerospace, Fleetlands
ZH544	WS61 Sea King HAR3A	RAF No 22 Sqn, B Flt, Wattisham
ZH657	BAe Harrier T12 [105]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZH659	BAe Harrier T12 [107]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZH660	BAe Harrier T12 [108]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZH661	BAe Harrier T12 [109]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZH662	BAe Harrier T10 [110]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZH663	BAe Harrier T12 [111]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZH664	BAe Harrier T12 [112]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZH665	BAe Harrier T12A [113]	<i>Sold to the USA, 2012</i>
ZH836	EHI-101 Merlin HM1 [86]	RN No 824 NAS, Culdrose
ZH842	EHI-101 Merlin HM1 [88/CU]	MoD/AgustaWestland, Yeovil
ZH896	B-V Chinook HC2A (N2038G) [HK]	RAF Odiham Wing
ZJ100	BAe Hawk 102D	MoD/BAE Systems, stored Warton
ZJ120	EHI-101 Merlin HC3 [D]	RAF MDMF, RNAS Culdrose
ZJ126	EHI-101 Merlin HC3 [K]	MoD/AgustaWestland, Yeovil
ZJ127	EHI-101 Merlin HC3 [L]	RAF No 28 Sqn/No 78 Sqn, Benson
ZJ128	EHI-101 Merlin HC3 [M]	RAF No 1419 Flt, Kandahar, Afghanistan
ZJ137	EHI-101 Merlin HC3 [W]	RAF No 28 Sqn/No 78 Sqn, Benson
ZJ179	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 4 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ182	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 4 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ189	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 3 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ195	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 3 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ199	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 3 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ200	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 3 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ202	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 3 Regt, Wattisham

ZJ215	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 3 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ218	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 3 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ221	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 4 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ226	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 673 Sqn/7 Regt, Middle Wallop
ZJ230	WAH-64 Apache AH1	AAC No 4 Regt, Wattisham
ZJ231	WAH-64 Apache AH1	MoD/AgustaWestland, Yeovil
ZJ703	Bell 412EP Griffin HAR2 (G-CBST) [Spades,3] \$	DHFS No 60(R) Sqn/SARTU, RAF Valley
ZJ916	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4	RAF No 3 Sqn, Coningsby
ZJ927	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [AE]	RAF No 17(R) Sqn, Coningsby
ZJ931	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [DA]	RAF No 11 Sqn, Coningsby
ZJ932	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [DB]	MoD/BAE Systems, Warton (conversion
ZJ955	SA330H Puma HC2 (SAAF 148)	MoD/Eurocopter, Brasov, Romania (conversion)
ZK017	BAE Systems Hawk T2	RAF No 4 FTS/4(R) Sqn, Valley
ZK020	BAE Systems Hawk T2	RAF No 4 FTS/4(R) Sqn, Valley
ZK021	BAE Systems Hawk T2	RAF No 4 FTS/4(R) Sqn, Valley
ZK027	BAE Systems Hawk T2 [R]	RAF No 4 FTS/4(R) Sqn, Valley
ZK030	BAE Systems Hawk T2	RAF No 4 FTS/4(R) Sqn, Valley
ZK067	Bell 212HP AH3 (G-BFER) [B]	AAC No 25 Flt, Middle Wallop
ZK120*	Lockheed Martin Desert Hawk 1+ UAV	<i>Withdrawn from use</i>
ZK150*	Lockheed Martin Desert Hawk 3 UAV	Army 47 Regt Royal Artillery, Thorney Island
ZK155*	Honeywell T-Hawk UAV	Army 32 Regt Royal Artillery, Larkhill
ZK184	AgustaWestland Super Lynx Mk.130	<i>To Algeria as AN10, 31 January 2012</i>
ZK206	Bell 212EP AH2 (G-CFXE) [A]	AAC No 25 Flt, Middle Wallop
ZK309	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [QO-P]	RAF No 3 Sqn, Coningsby
ZK330	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [BR]	RAF No 29(R) Sqn, Coningsby
ZK331	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4	RAF TME, Coningsby
ZK332	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4	RAF TME, Coningsby
ZK333	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4	RAF TME, Coningsby
ZR337	AgustaWestland AW101 Mk.643 [016]	AgustaWestland, for Turkmenistan
ZZ178	Boeing C-17A Globemaster III (10-0217/N9500N)	Boeing, for RAF
ZZ400	AgustaWestland AW159 Lynx Wildcat AH1	MoD/AgustaWestland, Yeovil
ZZ401	AgustaWestland AW159 Lynx Wildcat AH1	MoD/AgustaWestland, Yeovil

Notes:

1. This is the second update which adds to 'Military Aircraft Markings 2012', which is now in the shops!
2. After a lengthy and painstaking restoration at Cosford, the RAF Museum's Sopwith Dolphin, the sole surviving example, was recently placed on display in the Grahame-White Factory at Hendon.
3. It has recently emerged that Hurricane replicas P3144 and V6555 are one and the same aircraft!
4. BBMF Spitfire AB910 will fly in the colours of 133(Eagle) Sqn for 1942 for the 2012 display season.
5. Lynx XZ726 will almost certainly be the last to wear the LP tail code for HMS Liverpool, which was decommissioned on 30 March 2012.
6. Tornado ZA398 wears special markings to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the formation of 2 Sqn.
7. The two QinetiQ RJs have both been delivered but as yet have not been seen flying with their military serials applied.
8. RAF Cottesmore ceased to be an RAF base on 1st March 2012. By this point it was expected that all RAF assets would have been removed from the base, which includes the Harriers. 74 have been listed as part of the sale to the US Marine Corps and the list above includes the remaining Harriers believed to be involved in the sale.

Credits:

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