

Military Aircraft Markings Update Number 189, February 2021.

<i>Serial</i>	<i>Type (other identity) [code]</i>	<i>Owner/operator, location or fate</i>
BE505	Hawker Hurricane IIB(mod) (RCAF 5403/G-HHII) [XP-L]	Privately owned, Elmsett
VM791	Slingsby Cadet TX3 (XA312/8876M)	Repainted as XA312, 2020
WD325	DHC1 Chipmunk T10 (G-CLWK) [N]	Historic Army Aircraft Flight, Middle Wallop
WK275	VS Swift F4	Privately owned, Cumbria
WN149	BP P108 Balliol T2 [AT]	Cornwall Aviation Heritage Centre, Newquay
WP869	DHC1 Chipmunk T10 (8215M) (G-CLXD)	Privately owned, White Waltham
WP925	DHC1 Chipmunk 22 (G-BXHA) [C]	Privately owned, Biggin Hill
XA312	Slingsby Cadet TX3 (VM791/8876M)	RAF Manston History Museum
XH560	Avro 698 Vulcan K2 <ff>	Privately owned, Rayleigh, Essex
XH669	HP80 Victor K2 (9092M) <ff>	Privately owned, Rayleigh, Essex
XH670	HP80 Victor SR2 <ff>	Privately owned, Rayleigh, Essex
XN554	Hunting Jet Provost T3 (8436M) [K]	Privately owned, Abbots Ripton, Cambs
XX295	HS Hawk T1 [295]	RAF AMRO, Valley
ZA362	Panavia Tornado GR1	Privately owned, New York, Lincs
ZE522	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3012) [VL]	RAF ACCGS/No 644 VGS, Syerston
ZE526	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3016) [VN]	RAF ACCGS/No 644 VGS, Syerston
ZE527	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3017) [VP]	RAF ACCGS/No 644 VGS, Syerston
ZE594	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3050) [WX]	RAF ACCGS/No 644 VGS, Syerston
ZE605	Grob G103 Viking T1 (BGA3057) [XE]	RAF/Serco GMS, Syerston
ZF135	Shorts Tucano T1 [135]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF137	Shorts Tucano T1 [137]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF139	Shorts Tucano T1 [139]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF140	Shorts Tucano T1 [140] \$	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF142	Shorts Tucano T1 [142]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF143	Shorts Tucano T1 [143]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF144	Shorts Tucano T1 [144]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF145	Shorts Tucano T1 [145]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF163	Shorts Tucano T1 [163]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF166	Shorts Tucano T1 [166]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF169	Shorts Tucano T1 [169]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF170	Shorts Tucano T1 [MP-A]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF171	Shorts Tucano T1 [171]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF172	Shorts Tucano T1 [172]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF204	Shorts Tucano T1 [204]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF205	Shorts Tucano T1 [205]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF210	Shorts Tucano T1 [210]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF211	Shorts Tucano T1 [211]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF239	Shorts Tucano T1 [239]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF240	Shorts Tucano T1 [240]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF243	Shorts Tucano T1 [243]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF244	Shorts Tucano T1 [244]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF263	Shorts Tucano T1 [263]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF264	Shorts Tucano T1 [264]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF268	Shorts Tucano T1 [268]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF269	Shorts Tucano T1 [269]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF286	Shorts Tucano T1 [286]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF287	Shorts Tucano T1 [287]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF288	Shorts Tucano T1 [288]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF290	Shorts Tucano T1 [290] \$	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF291	Shorts Tucano T1 [291]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF292	Shorts Tucano T1 [292]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF293	Shorts Tucano T1 [293] \$	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF294	Shorts Tucano T1 [294]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF315	Shorts Tucano T1 [315]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF317	Shorts Tucano T1 [317]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF318	Shorts Tucano T1 [318] \$	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF319	Shorts Tucano T1 [319]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF338	Shorts Tucano T1 [338]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF341	Shorts Tucano T1 [341]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF342	Shorts Tucano T1 [342]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse

ZF343	Shorts Tucano T1 [343]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF347	Shorts Tucano T1 [347]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF348	Shorts Tucano T1 [348]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF350	Shorts Tucano T1 [350]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF372	Shorts Tucano T1 [372]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF374	Shorts Tucano T1 [374]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF376	Shorts Tucano T1 [376]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF377	Shorts Tucano T1 [377]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF378	Shorts Tucano T1 [RN-S] \$	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF379	Shorts Tucano T1 [379]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF380	Shorts Tucano T1 [380]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF405	Shorts Tucano T1 [405]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF406	Shorts Tucano T1 [406]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF407	Shorts Tucano T1 [407]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF408	Shorts Tucano T1 [408]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF414	Shorts Tucano T1 [414]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF416	Shorts Tucano T1 [416]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF417	Shorts Tucano T1 [417]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF418	Shorts Tucano T1 [418]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF446	Shorts Tucano T1 [446]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF448	Shorts Tucano T1 [448] \$	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF449	Shorts Tucano T1 [449]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF485	Shorts Tucano T1 (G-BULU) [485]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF486	Shorts Tucano T1 [486]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF487	Shorts Tucano T1 [487]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF488	Shorts Tucano T1 [488]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF489	Shorts Tucano T1 [489]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF490	Shorts Tucano T1 [490]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF491	Shorts Tucano T1 [491]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF492	Shorts Tucano T1 [492]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF512	Shorts Tucano T1 [512]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZF513	Shorts Tucano T1 [513]	RAF AM&SU, stored Shawbury
ZF515	Shorts Tucano T1 [515]	RAF, stored Linton-on-Ouse
ZH856	EHI-101 Merlin HM2 [11]	RN No 820 NAS, Culdrose
ZH865	Lockheed C-130J-30 Hercules C4 (N130JA) [865]	MOD/MADG, Cambridge
ZH903	B-V Chinook HC5 (N20671)	RAF No 27 Sqn, Odiham
ZJ166	WAH-64 Apache AH1 (N9219G)	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, February 2018
ZJ167	WAH-64 Apache AH1 (N3266B)	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, February 2018
ZJ168	WAH-64 Apache AH1 (N3123T)	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, March 2018
ZJ169	WAH-64 Apache AH1 (N3114H)	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, March 2018
ZJ170	WAH-64 Apache AH1 (N3065U)	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, July 2018
ZJ171	WAH-64 Apache AH1 (N3266T)	AAC, stored Boscombe Down
ZJ172	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, May 2018
ZJ173	WAH-64 Apache AH1 (N3266W)	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, May 2018
ZJ174	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, December 2018
ZJ175	WAH-64 Apache AH1 (N3218V)	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, May 2018
ZJ176	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, May 2018
ZJ178	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, September 2020
ZJ179	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, March 2020
ZJ180	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, January 2020
ZJ183	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, July 2020
ZJ184	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, January 2020
ZJ185	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, June 2019
ZJ190	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, May 2020
ZJ193	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, July 2020
ZJ194	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, January 2021
ZJ200	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, June 2019
ZJ203	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, November 2020
ZJ205	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, November 2020
ZJ206	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, December 2018
ZJ207	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, December 2020
ZJ212	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, July 2018
ZJ214	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, September 2018
ZJ219	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, September 2018

ZJ221	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, December 2020
ZJ222	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, January 2021
ZJ225	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, March 2020
ZJ229	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, July 2019
ZJ231	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, September 2020
ZJ232	WAH-64 Apache AH1	To Huntsville, USA for CSP, July 2019
ZJ706	Bell 412EP Griffin HAR2 (G-CBYR) [Diamonds,6]	Sold as G-CBYR, 15 January 2021
ZJ937	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [937]	RAF No 9 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK302	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [302]	RAF TME, Coningsby
ZK306	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [306]	RAF No 6 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK311	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [311]	RAF TME, Coningsby
ZK313	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [313]	RAF No 3 Sqn, Coningsby
ZK317	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [317]	RAF No 1 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK320	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [320]	RAF No 2 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK323	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [323]	RAF No 6 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK324	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [324]	RAF No 2 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK327	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [327]	RAF No 2 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK334	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [334]	RAF TME, Coningsby
ZK338	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [338]	RAF No 11 Sqn, Coningsby
ZK342	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [342]	RAF TME, Coningsby
ZK343	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [343]	RAF No 2 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK345	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [345]	RAF No 6 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK369	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [369]	RAF No 12 Sqn, Coningsby
ZK377	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [377]	RAF No 2 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK424	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [424]	RAF No 6 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK427	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [427]	RAF No 6 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK432	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [432]	RAF No 6 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK435	Eurofighter Typhoon FGR4 [435]	RAF No 2 Sqn, Lossiemouth
ZK552	Boeing Chinook HC6 (N703UK)	MOD/StandardAero, Fleetlands
ZM155	Lockheed Martin F-35B Lightning II (169700) [021]	RAF No 207 Sqn/No 617 Sqn, Marham
ZM408	Airbus A400M Atlas C1 (A4M027)	RAF No 1312 Flt, Mount Pleasant, FI
ZM410	Airbus A400M Atlas C1 (A4M038)	RAF No 24 Sqn/No 70 Sqn, Brize Norton
ZZ393	AgustaWestland AW159 Wildcat AH1	AAC WCM, Yeovilton
Z....	Boeing Wedgetail AEW1 (N946BC)	MOD/STS Aviation Services, Birmingham (conversion)
Z....	Boeing Wedgetail AEW1	MOD (on order)
Z....	Boeing Wedgetail AEW1	MOD (on order)
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Notes:

1. With the UK currently in its 3rd lock down, which began on 6 January 2021 not surprisingly, far fewer military aircraft are being recorded by enthusiasts and thus this month the update is shorter than usual.
2. While the export to the USA of the former RAF Tucano fleet is anticipated in due course, in reality the aircraft are still very much in the UK at the time of writing. With this in mind and to be true to their actual location in the forthcoming 'Military Aircraft Markings 2021', their current locations have been reinstated.
3. Sea Harriers ZH798 and ZH804 have been seen heading North along the M5 in recent days. They are believed to be headed for Thorpe Wood.
4. Thanks to some superb work by the UK Serials web site team, it is possible to confirm the dates of arrival of Apaches at Science and Engineering Services (SES), Huntsville for the Capability Sustainment (CSP) programme. These aircraft are no longer on the military register and so their service life has come to an end.
5. The first Boeing 737 for conversion under the RAF's Wedgetail contract, 737-73W N946BC, arrived at Birmingham on 7 January 2021. It is reported that the type will be known as the Wedgetail AEW1 when in service but, as for example the Airseeker contract showed, things don't always end up as predicted! No military identities are yet known for the five aircraft on order.

Abbreviations:

Comp	Composite with
<ff>	front fuselage
<R>	Replica
<rf>	rear fuselage
\$	Aircraft in special markings

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