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This 26th installment in the popular LOCK ON series is dedicated to Northrops sleek F-5E/F Tiger II fighter. This book is packed with beautiful full color photographs of the aircraft serving with the Swiss Air Force.

F-5E[edit] When John F. Kennedy entered office in , the U. Department of Defense was instructed to find an inexpensive fighter aircraft that the United States could offer to its allies through the Mutual Defense Assistance Act. The USAF desired a light weight fighter with competitive performance to the MiG, inexpensive when purchased in large numbers, and with reasonable operating costs for prospective customer nations. In particular, they wanted a platform capable of firing the AIM-7 Sparrow long-range missile. This effort became the first of several F-5G studies. Iran was already receiving the Grumman F Tomcat , and this demonstrated the problem with advanced exports in February when reports emerged that Iran had sold an AIM Phoenix missile to the Soviets. As the F-5G was a relatively modest upgrade to the F-5E, the F-5G appeared to be in a strong position for sales given the limitations placed on rival designs, however Carter personally blocked the sales of the F-5G to Taiwan. The Soviets continued to sell newer aircraft designs to their clients, placing allies of the U. Denied by the U. Blechman, Assistant Director of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency , testified that the US reductions in foreign arms transfers had actually encouraged other nations and increased worldwide arms sales. After a lengthy study, in January , President Carter allowed the development of a new export fighter: Moreover, the companies could not market the aircraft directly; all sales would be handled by the Secretary of Defense. Following an agreement to sell Fs to Pakistan, [21] Northrop felt that the F-5G needed to match the performance of F This would require not only better performance from the engine, but a new and comparable avionics suite as well. Northrop saw that the F-5G was still being viewed as the "FX fighter", a low-cost option for second-tier air forces. The F would also make greater usage of composite materials in its construction. Time from power-on to takeoff was greatly reduced as a result, to about 22 seconds, and Northrop boasted that the aircraft had the shortest scramble time of any contemporary aircraft. Many of the avionics promised to have reliability beyond that of any competing aircraft then in service. Like the earlier F-5s, the test Fs were equipped with two M39 cannon mounted in the nose. The low-mounted wing meant that there was limited ground clearance, and the position of the landing gear meant loads had to be positioned towards the outer ends of the wings. Northrop did not take a prototype approach with the F The First F was intended to be a production quality aircraft In air-to-ground testing, it fired the AGM Maverick , 2. Aerospace legend Chuck Yeager , employed as a spokesperson for Northrop, touted the aircraft as "magnificent" and was featured in advertising. South Korea also explored local production of the F, and in support improvements were implemented. These included avionics upgrades, an expanded fuel tank, and the use of fibreglass composites. The changes were so extensive that a fourth prototype was built to test them. By , Northrop was involved in a number of simultaneous negotiations for the F, and its prospects appeared positive. An investigation cleared the F of mechanical or design faults; it concluded Cornell had blacked out due to excessive g-forces. The Soviet invasion of Afghanistan was initially viewed as an attempt to break out of the arranged containment system, thus the U. Northrop objected to this, as the Lavi would be a potential competitor to the F in the export market; while Northrop had to privately fund the F-5G, the government was directly subsidizing a foreign competitor. Under this policy umbrella, Northrop had to submit every piece of marketing material to government review, which could take months. The State Department had no interest in selling the FX; from its perspective it was one aircraft among many, leading to a lackadaisical approach, [54] and led to complaints from Northrop that the government was not promoting the F enough. He suggested the FX concept be dropped, and F allowed to be sold by the vendor. However, the report concluded that it had little or no market to sell to. Despite some calls to support Northrop, FX was abandoned. In November , Congress directed the Navy and Air Force to study the use of a single aircraft type to fill similar aggressor roles for both services. Additionally, the ANG would not be competing with the Air Force for production quotas, they would be able to replace their aircraft more quickly. Jones , who retired in A move was also made in the s to market the aircraft to the Pakistan Air Force with a license production manufacture of the

aircraft. It was evaluated by a Pakistani contingent in the United States, with the F being flown by Abbas Mirza, a senior Pakistani air force fighter pilot. As sales prospects were not apparent early on, GE sold their radar division, which was eventually acquired by Lockheed-Martin. Hameed commented in that the F was a "logical choice" for the Gulf States and Saudi Arabia; however, it had "scant chance of being selected" due to political factors, as well as competition from other candidates such as the Mirage and Panavia Tornado ADV.

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Kittyhawk is trying to add value to their models with the addition fo plenty of colour schemes and two resin pilots to the boxing and we show you what they look like in our preview - but first - a little about how the F-5F differs from its one-seater sibling Northrop had not originally planned to offer a two-seat version of the Tiger II, but after initial flight tests, it became clear that the performance of the F-5E was so much greater than that of the F-5A that a trainer version of the Tiger II would be appropriate. An entirely new two-seat forward fuselage was developed. However, in order to fit in the radar, it was necessary to delete one the starboard of the mm cannon and to reduce the ammunition capacity to only rounds. Since a barrel-like ram air intake projected from the starboard cannon port, some have suggested that the starboard cannon was actually fitted to the F-5F, which is untrue. Aside from the deletion of the second mm cannon, the F-5F retained the full combat capability of the single-seat F-5E. However, only the front cockpit was fitted with the lead computing optical sight system. The provision was made for the addition of ballast weights underneath the rear fuselage forward of the jet exhaust to compensate for the extra length of the nose. Wing fences were positioned at wing mid-span. Two F-5Fs completed flight test and qualification in early The F-5F was slightly heavier than the F-5E and had a slightly inferior takeoff performance. First deliveries began in the summer of A total of F-5Fs were built by Northrop. Maximum cruising speed without afterburning: Range with maximum fuel was miles. Combat radius with maximum fuel, two Sidewinder missiles, and two -pond bombs miles. Armed with one mm M39A2 cannon with rounds in the fuselage nose. Two AIM-9 Sidewinder missiles could be carried at the wingtips. Five pylons, one under the fuselage centerline and four under the wings that can carry up to pounds of ordnance or fuel tanks. This model from Kittyhawk This kit is very tied to its one seat counterpart, with a new forward fuselage and the addition of We just received some pictures of the added features of this kit - with two pilot figures and the crew access ladder included also in cream resin. There is one fellow checking his flight schedule or map, while the other fellow is getting into his cockpit via the resin ladder that is included. Here they are at a distance A closer look at the pilots in and accessing the cockpit.

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Background The Northrop F-5E Tiger II is a supersonic light fighter aircraft which has its origins in a privately funded development by Northrop in the s. The lightweight F-5s proved themselves as valuable air-to-ground assets, but lacked the reach of the competing F Super Sabres. In Northrop won the international fighter aircraft competition to replace the F-5A which resulted in the development of the highly improved F-5E Tiger II. The Tiger II was produced until and more than 2, F-5s were produced. Today, almost 60 years after the original F-5s maiden flight, upgraded F-5s still serve in front line squadrons in Europe, South America, Africa and Asia. After buying the licence key from the store, the module will be available for download in both DCS World 1. Along with the F-5 module come two manuals â€" a 50 page strong Quickstart Manual and a page strong manual. But more about the armament later. Approaching the F-5 on the ramp for the first time, we see a nice 3D model, with all details. The Tiger II is a clean design by nature, yet the model does not look like a clean plastic toy. Same goes for the texturing, zoom in and you will find all the small warning stencils from the real aircraft. The F-5s primary role in DCS is as an aggressor aircraft, thus we get a nice selection of Navy and Air Force skins along with the module. Virtually any other skin of the many users of this type worldwide can be found in the download section of the DCS website. Thanks to its light fighter concept, the cockpit is a rather simple layout with engine and RADAR controls on the left pedestal, weapons panel on the left main panel, RADAR in the center panel with radio and nav controls below it and lights and IFF controls on the right pedestal. As known from their other modules, Belsimtek recreated the cockpit in great detail. It can detect targets up to a range of around 30 nautical miles and lock them at 10 nautical miles. While the infrared AIM-9P does not need RADAR assistance, it is still of great benefit to identify the enemy long before he can do so, in order to move you into a good firing position and receive a visual firing solution on the HUD. Should you run out of Sidewinders or get too close to the adversary, you can switch to dogfight mode and the HUD will show you the guns pipper. There is a reason why the F-5E was chosen as the primary aggressor aircraft by the US forces and after a few dogfights in DCS you will get an impression why. Thanks to its agility it is possible to stand up against most aerial assets in DCS, though having only a pair of missiles truly puts you into a disadvantageous position against missile toting modern jet fighters. While air-to-air combat is great fun with the Tiger II, I was even more impressed â€" and entertained â€" by how it performs in the air-to-ground role. The armament the can be carried by the F-5E is quite impressing: The bombs can be delivered in single or ripple mode with three intervals available. Make sure to adhere to the parameters from the manual â€" with the correct diving angle, pipper depression on the HUD, speed and release altitude, it is indeed possible to hit bullseye without using ripple delivery mode. It needs practice though, which can be frustrating at times. But in my case it paid off that I originally chose the L Albatros as my first aircraft. What I learned there really helps in the F People coming from the A will probably have a hard time at first. Due to the lack of own targeting equipment, the Tiger II has to rely on buddy-lasing. In multiplayer missions these can be friendly targeting pod equipped aircraft like the AC. I really recommend that you try it as well. The radio panel is located underneath the RADAR screen and easy to reach in flight, unlike on several other planes and helicopters. Same goes for the UHF radio panel. Handling We now know that she can fight, but how does she fly? The Tiger II is a very stable weapons platform, making aiming with your twin 20 mm canons quite easy. All inputs translate into precise movements of the aircraft, which makes the F-5 a joy to fly in close formation. Landing is a bit tricky at first, as the knots final approach speed are something to get used to. Come in faster and you will bounce back into the air or wreck your undercarriage , come in slower and she will bleed off airspeed too quickly resulting in a stall. Combat value In DCS an important factor is the combat value of a module on multiplayer servers. In open conflict servers full of BVR capable Fs or Sukhois, your chances of survival will be small and the As and Sus will strike the targets more precisely. Furthermore there are dedicated servers for MiG vs F-5 air combat in which the F-5 performs really

well. Personally I am more of a single player and here is where I really love the F-5E. Conclusion When I first heard about this module, I just thought of flying DACT aggressor missions against the Fs, which alone is fun enough already. Yes, she does not feature any precision bombing equipment, but thanks to her respectable loadout, one can perform a great variety of missions with the Tiger II. For me, the F-5E is kind like the Gazelle, she is light, easy to learn but a very potent fighter, guaranteeing many hours of fun in the virtual air. Though I am a fan of written tutorial, there was one specific series of youtube tutorials that helped me a lot when it came to understanding the principles of air-to-ground weapons delivery and I can only recommend the series to any potential user of the F-5 as well:

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Origins[edit] The design effort was led by Northrop vice president of engineering and aircraft designer Edgar Schmued , [8] who previously at North American Aviation had been the chief designer of the successful North American P Mustang and F Sabre fighters. Schmued recruited a strong engineering team to Northrop [9] and assigned them the goal of reversing the trend in fighter development towards greater size and weight in order to deliver an aircraft with high performance, enhanced maneuverability, and high reliability, while still delivering a cost advantage over contemporary fighters. Northrop focused on this low cost aspect in its light fighter plan. A Northrop design study stated "The application of advanced technology was used to provide maximum force effectiveness at minimum cost. This became the Northrop philosophy in the development of the T and F-5 lightweight trainer and fighter aircraft. The company stated "Northrop took a new approach that the initial design layout shall stress excellent flying qualities such that utilization of the complete performance envelope is available to the pilot. Ability to surprise the enemy without being surprised, 2. On a per budget basis, ability to outnumber the enemy via lower unit cost and higher sortie rates and reliability, 3. Ability to outmaneuver the enemy, and 4. Once in position to fire by either surprise or maneuver, ability to attain reliable kills weapon system effectiveness. A small visual and radar cross section size and consequent detection difficulty often conferred the F-5 the advantage of surprise. The aircraft also has a high sortie rate, low accident rate, high maneuverability, and is armed with an effective combination of 20mm cannon and heat seeking missiles. The F-5 earned a reputation for a jet that was hard to discern in the air and when one finally saw it, it was often after a missile or guns kill had already been called. The company designation for the first design as the N, intended partly to meet a U. That requirement disappeared when the Navy decided to withdraw the escort carriers; however Northrop continued development of the N, both as a two-seat advanced trainer, designated as NT, and a single-seat fighter, designated as NF. On 12 June , the first prototype aircraft, which was subsequently designated as YT Talon , performed its first flight. By the time production had ended in January , a total of 1, Talons were produced. Although all three types proved capable during Army testing, operating fixed-wing combat aircraft was legally the responsibility of the Air Force, which would not agree to operate the N or allow the Army to operate fixed-wing combat aircraft, a situation repeated with the C-7 Caribou. Northrop manufactured a total of F-5As, including three YF-5A prototypes, [1] before production ended in A further F-5B two-seat trainer aircraft, lacking a nose-mounted cannon but otherwise combat-capable, and 86 RF-5A reconnaissance aircraft, fitted with a four-camera nose, were also built. The resultant aircraft, initially known as F-5A, subsequently became the F-5E. Its wings were fitted with enlarged leading edge extensions , giving an increased wing area and improved maneuverability. It retained the gun armament of two M39 cannon , one on either side of the nose of the F-5A. It lost out on export sales to the F in the s. However, most nations chose not to upgrade for financial reasons, and the radar saw very little service in USAF aggressor squadrons and Swiss air force. Singapore has approximately 49 modernized and re-designated F-5S single-seat and F-5T two-seat aircraft. The Brazilian program, re-designated as F-5M, adds a new Grifo-F radar along with several avionics and cockpit refurbishments, including the Dash helmet. It entered service with the st Combat Crew Training School of the USAF, which had the role of training pilots and ground crew for customer nations, on 30 April that year. At that point, it was still not intended that the aircraft be used in significant numbers by the USAF itself. A total of 12 aircraft were delivered for trials to the rd Tactical Fighter Squadron, and after modification with probe and drogue aerial refueling equipment, armor and improved instruments, were redesignated as the F-5C. Nine aircraft were lost in Vietnam, seven to enemy ground fire and two to operational causes. This new VNAF squadron was titled the nd. In view of the performance, agility and size of the F-5, it might have appeared to be a good match against the similar MiG in air combat; however, U. The F-5 was also adopted as an opposing forces OPFOR "aggressor" for dissimilar training role because of its small size and performance similarities to the Soviet MiG Currently, the only U. A

total of three "FrankenTigers" were made. The first three aircraft arrived on 12 March A total of 15 of these aircraft were part of the initial batch of 30 aircraft produced by Northrop. The modernization centered on several areas: One important capability is the secure communication with R airborne early warning platforms and ground stations. The first F-5EM was handed over on 21 September These aircraft were built between and These F-5s will receive the same configuration as those from the initial 46 F-5s currently completing the upgrade process. The first delivery of this second batch of upgraded jet fighters is scheduled for with expected use to In addition to these, Ethiopia had a training squadron equipped with at least eight Lockheed T Shooting Stars. In , another agreement was reached with the U. Ethiopian officers contracted a number of Israelis to maintain American equipment. Ethiopian F-5E aircraft were used to gain air superiority because they could use the AIM-9 B air-to-air missile, while the F-5As were kept for air interdiction and air strike. In the engagement, two MiGs were shot down while the other two had a midair collision while avoiding an AIM-9B missile. The better-trained F-5 pilots swiftly gained air superiority over the Somali Air Force , shooting down a number of aircraft, while other Somali aircraft were lost to air defense and to incidents. However at least three F-5s were shot down by air defense forces during attacks against supply bases in western Somalia.

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Man of holy spirit locked in the grave yard was throwing Pearls before swine, which turned around and locked him in the silence of graveyard so that no one listens to him or they hated Gospel against the Samaritans who loved Gospel and honoured Jesus.

Chapter 9 : Squadron Signal Books and Publications.

The Northrop F-5A and F-5B Freedom Fighter and the F-5E and F-5F Tiger II are part of a supersonic light fighter family, initially designed in the late s by Northrop Corporation.