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Grumman F-14A Tomcat

VF-84 "Jolly Rogers"

USS NIMITZ (CVN-68) 1980

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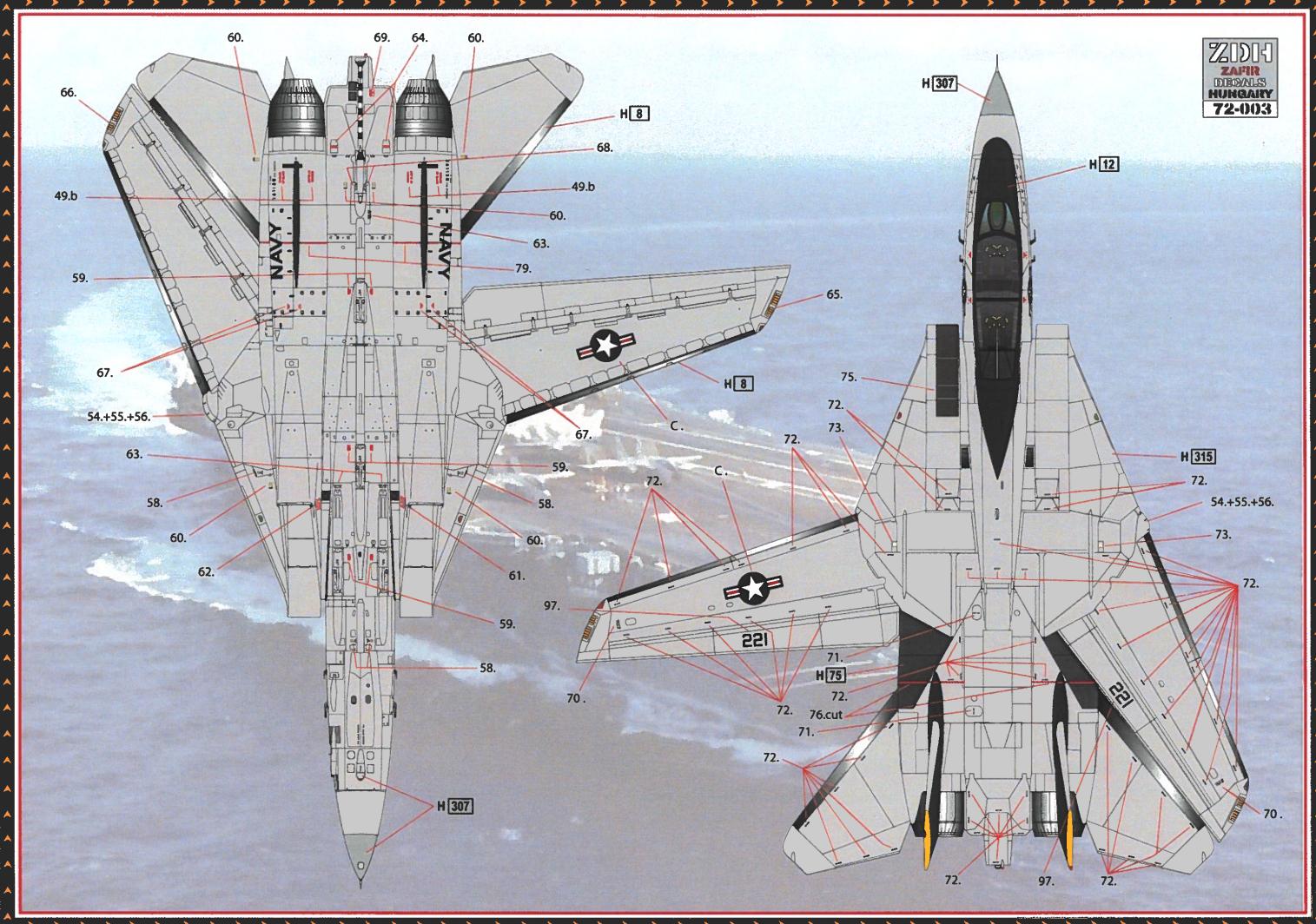
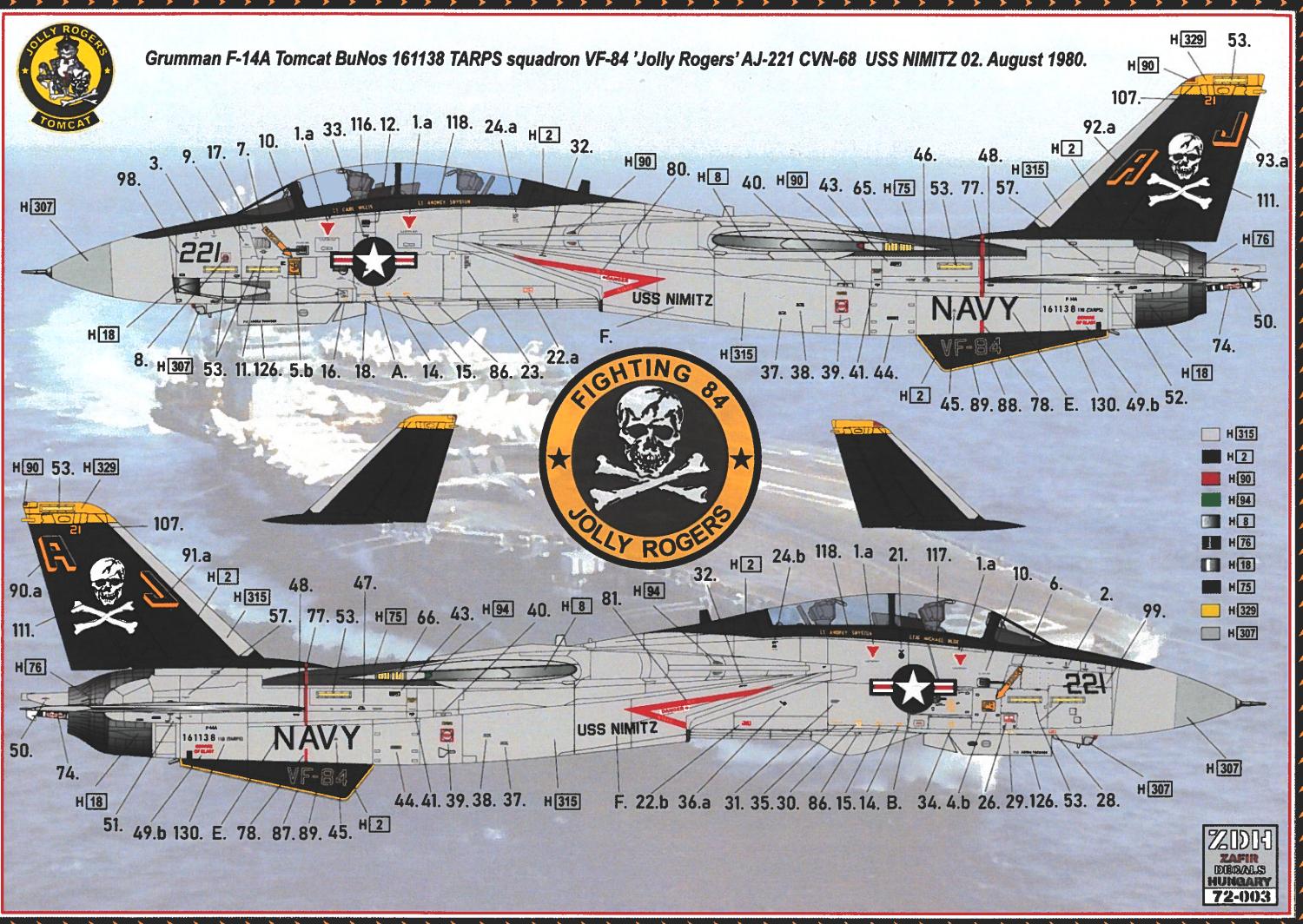


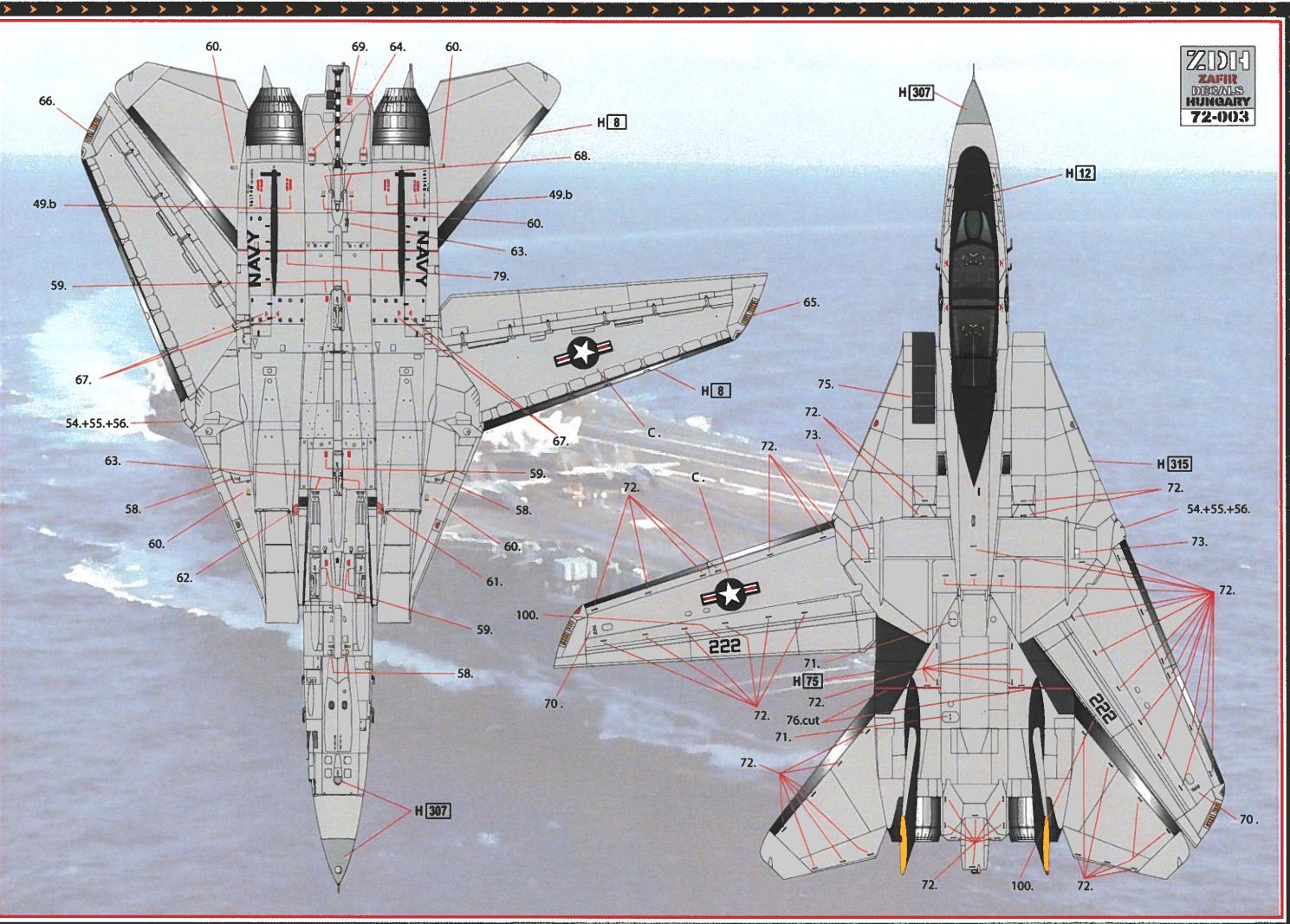
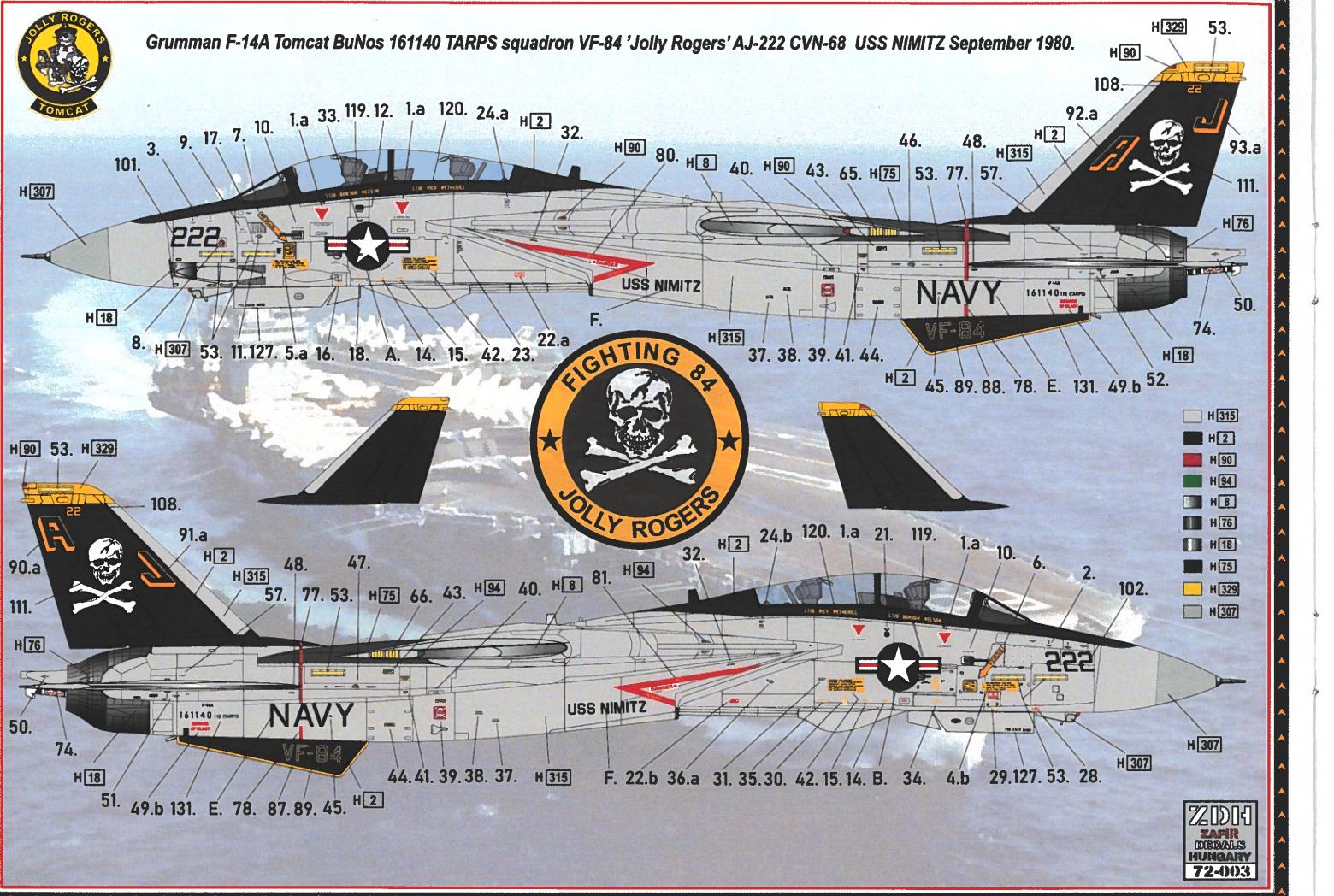
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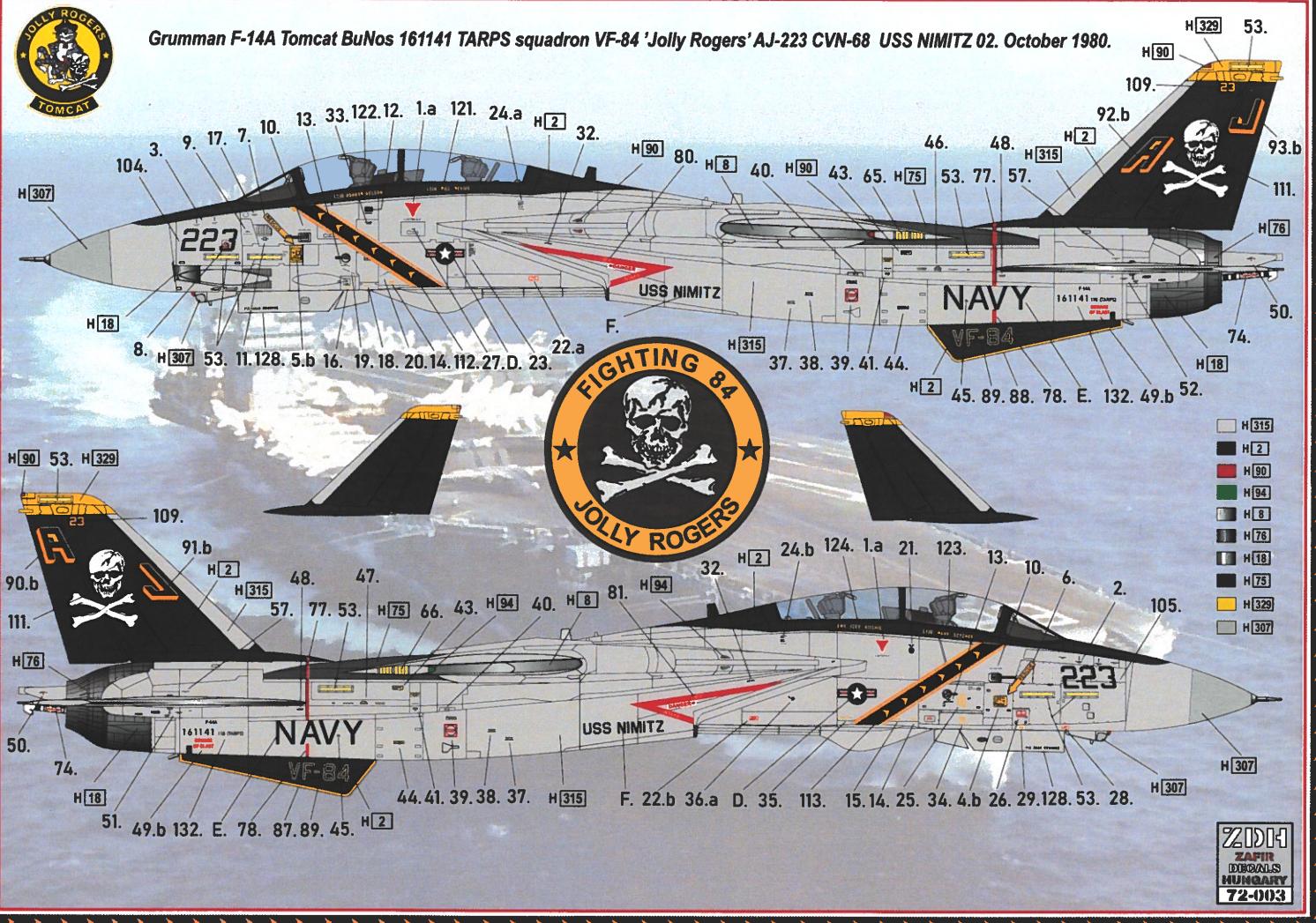
The history of Fighter Squadron EIGHTY-FOUR dates back to World War II when the squadron (then VF-17) destroyed 154 enemy aircraft and sank seven ships within a 76 day period. The "JOLLY ROGERS" have maintained a reputation as strong competitors. Today's squadron flies the Grumman F-14 Tomcat with its formidable weapons suite of Phoenix, Sparrow, and Sidewinder missiles and 20mm Gatling gun. Since transitioning to the F-14 the Jolly Rogers have distinguished themselves by achieving back-to-back Joseph P. Clifton Awards as the finest fighter squadron in the Navy in 1978 and 1979, and becoming the first fleet unit to successfully fire two Phoenix missiles from one aircraft at two separate targets. In early January 1980, aboard NIMITZ, the squadron emergency sortied from the Mediterranean to augment a U.S. Seventh Fleet Task Force on station in the Indian Ocean. While there, they spent an unprecedented 144 days at sea and received the Golden Anchor Award, the Navy Unit Citation, the Navy Expeditionary Medal, and the Sea Service Deployment Ribbon. In late 1980 the squadron joined NIMITZ for the NATO cruise. Following their return from the North Atlantic, VF-84 participated in the Fleet Fighter ACM Readiness Program and then flew to NAS Fallon, Nevada for an Air Wing weapons deployment. The squadron then rejoined NIMITZ for predeployment workups.



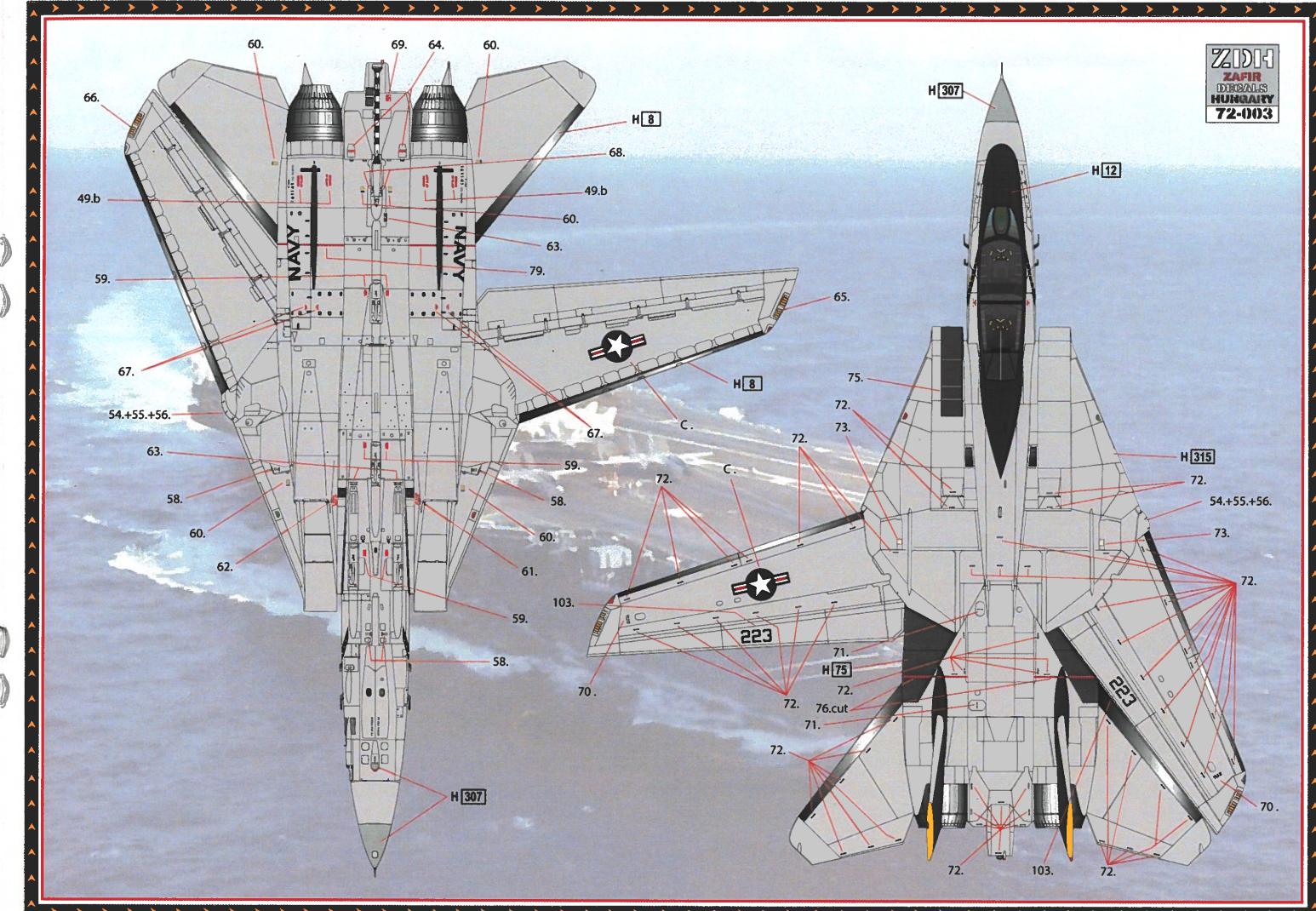


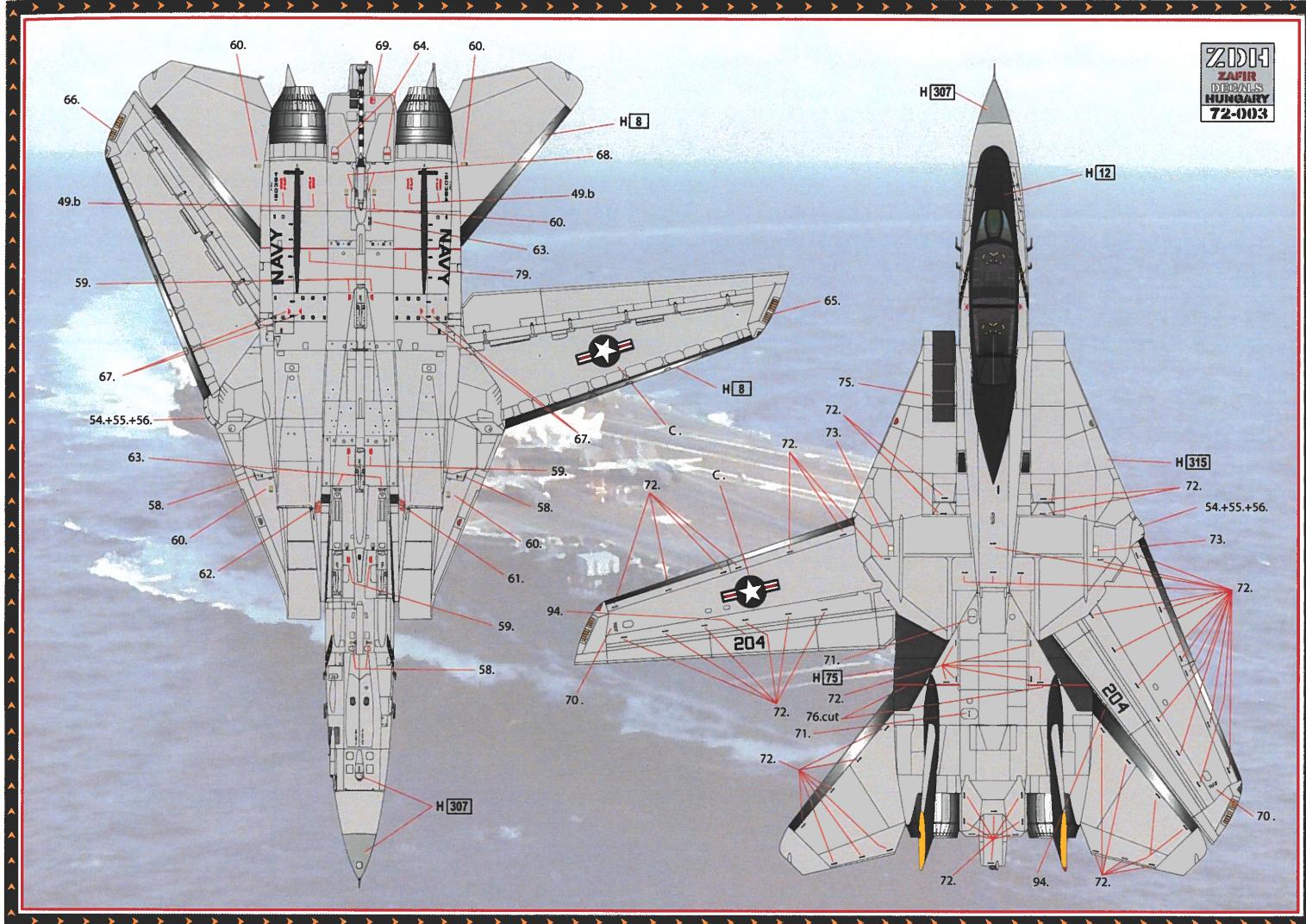
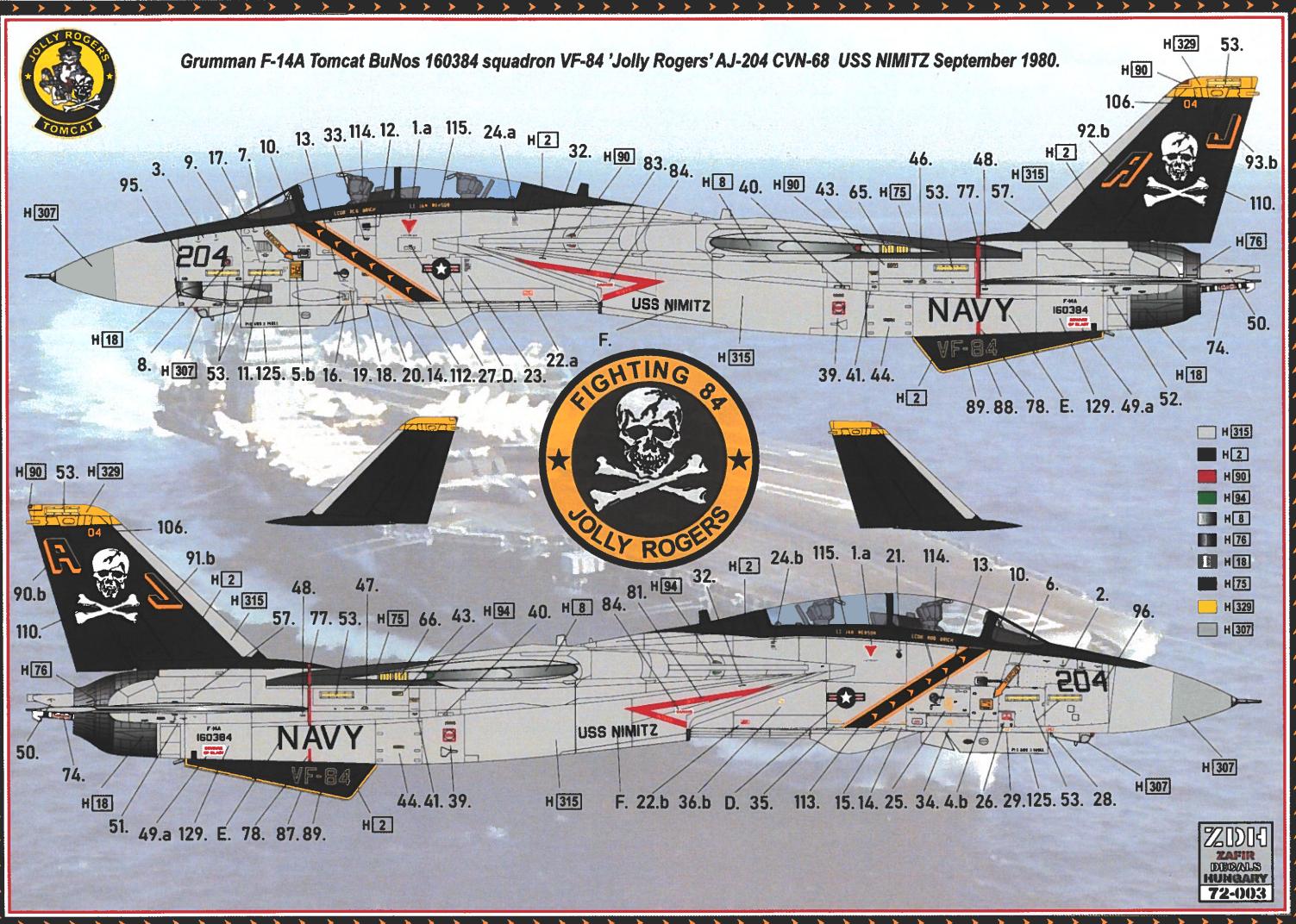


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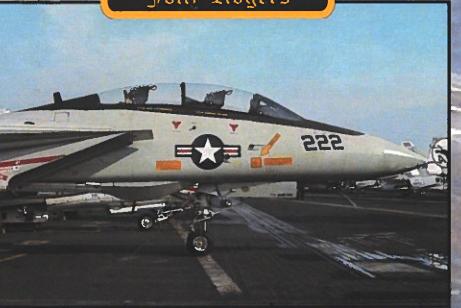
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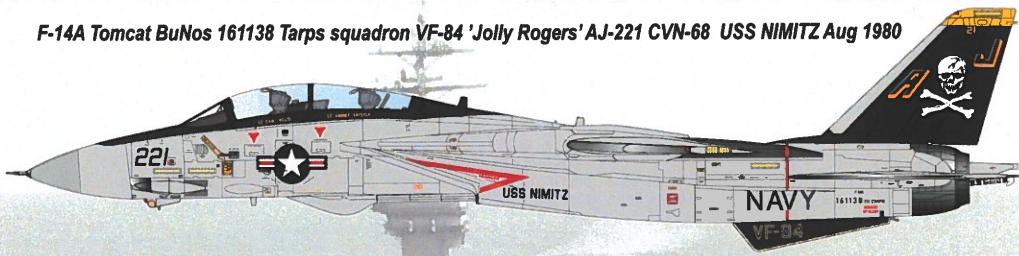
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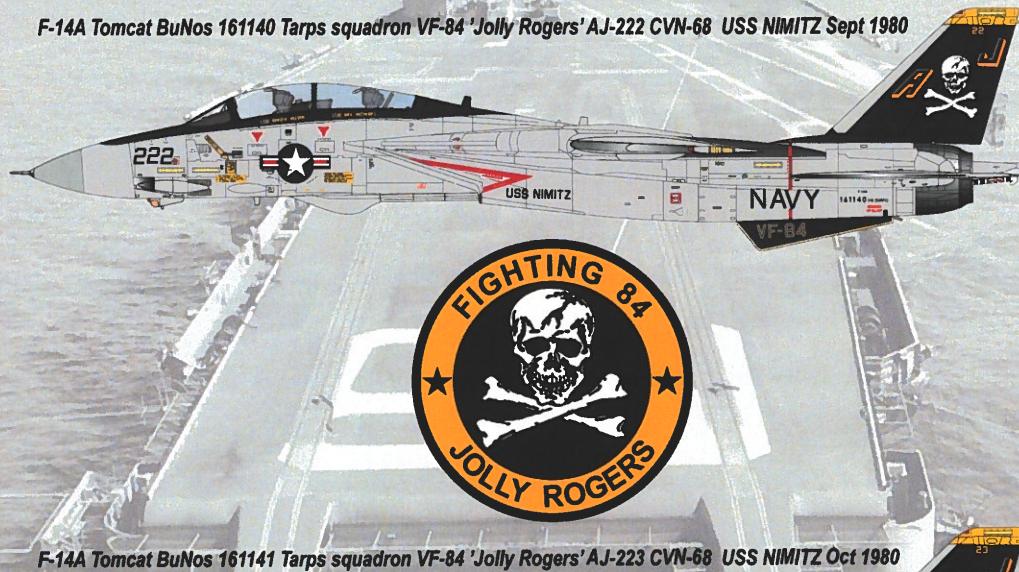
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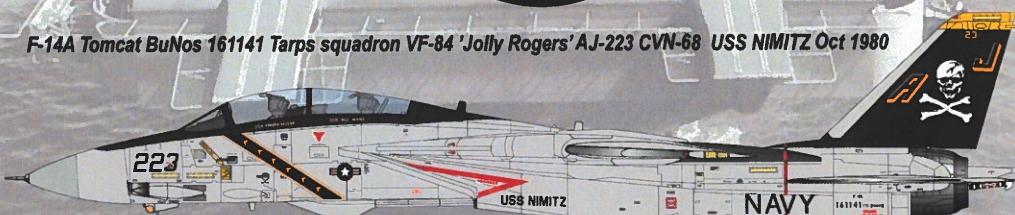
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