



## Cromwell Mk. IV

Der erste Prototyp des Cromwell, mit dem neuen von Rolls Royce aus dem Merlin-Flugzeugtriebwerk entwickelten Meteor-Motor, stand Anfang 1942 zur Erprobung bereit. Kapazitätsengpässe bei der Herstellung des neuen Motors führte jedoch dazu, dass als Übergangslösung der altbekannte Nuffield Liberty-Motor (ca. 400 PS Leistung) bei den Fahrzeugen der im Herbst 1942 anlaufenden Serienproduktion zum Einbau kam. Diese Fahrzeuge wurden als A27L Centaur bezeichnet und Leyland erhielt den Auftrag zur Fertigung von 4.256 Fahrzeugen. Der Centaur Mk. I war mit einer 6 Pdr. Kanone ausgestattet, während der Mk. III mit einer 75 mm Kanone und der Mk. IV mit einer 95 mm Haubitze ausgerüstet war. Ab Januar 1943 lief dann die Serienproduktion des Cromwell Mk. I mit 6 Pdr. Kanone an, sehr bald gefolgt vom mit einer 75 mm QF Mk. V Kanone versehenen Cromwell Mk. V. Ab Mitte 1943 standen genügend Meteor-Motoren zur Verfügung, so daß die älteren Centaur Mk. III entsprechend umgerüstet werden konnten. Diese Fahrzeuge wurden als A27M Cromwell Mk. IV bezeichnet und liefen ab Oktober 1943 der Truppe zu.

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The first prototype of the Cromwell with the new Meteor engine, developed by Rolls Royce from the Merlin aircraft engine, was ready for testing at the beginning of 1942. However production bottle-necks with the new engine meant that as a transitional solution the vehicles that went into production in autumn 1942 had the familiar Nuffield Liberty engine (capacity approx. 400 hp). These vehicles were designated the A27L Centaur and Leyland received the order for 4.256. The Centaur Mk 1 was equipped with a 6-pounder cannon, whereas the Mk II had a 75 mm cannon and the Mk IV a 95 mm howitzer. From January 1943 the Cromwell went into production with the 6-pounder, to be followed very soon by the Cromwell Mk V equipped with a 75 mm QF Mk V cannon. From mid 1943 there were enough Meteor engines available to re-equip the older Centaur Mk III. These vehicles were designated the A27M Cromwell Mk IV and were delivered to the troops in October 1943.

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# Benötigte Farben / Used Colors

Benötigte Farben  
Required colours

Peintures nécessaires  
Benodigde kleuren

Pinturas necesarias  
Tintas necessárias

Colori necessari  
Använda färger

Tarvittavat värit  
Du trenger følgende farger

Nødvendige farger  
Необходимые краски

Potrzebne kolory  
Απαιτούμενα χρώματα

Gerekli renkler  
Potřebné barvy

Szükséges színek  
Potrebne barve

70 %

**A**

30 %

bronzegrün, matt 65 +  
bronze green, matt  
vert bronze, mat  
bronzegroen, mat  
verde bronceo, mate  
verde bronze, fosco  
verde bronzo, opaco  
bronzgrön, matt  
pronsisvihreä, himmeä  
bronzegrön, mat  
bronzegrön, matt  
бронзово-зеленый, матовый  
brązowozielony, matowy  
πράσινο μπρούτζου, ματ  
bronz yeşili, mat  
bronzově zelená, matná  
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bronza zelena, mat

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vert d'eau, mat  
zeegroen, mat  
verde mar, mate  
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havgrön, mat  
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zieleń morska, matowy  
πράσινο λιμνης, ματ  
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tengerzöld, matt  
morsko zelena, mat

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antraciet, mat  
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antracite, fosco  
antracite, opaco  
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koksgrå, mat  
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antracyt, matowy  
ανθρακί, ματ  
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antracit, matná  
antracit, matt  
tamno siva, mat

eisen, metallic 91  
steel, metallic  
coloris fer, métallique  
ijzerkleurig, metallic  
ferroso, metalizado  
ferro, metálico  
ferro, metallico  
jämfärg, metallic  
teräksenvärinen, metallikiilto  
jern, metallak  
jern, metallic  
стальной, металл  
želazo, metaliczny  
σιδηρου, μεταλλικό  
demir, metalik  
železná, metaliza  
vas, metáll  
železna, metalik

70 %

**D**

30 %

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antrasitt, himmeä  
koksgrå, mat  
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стальной, металл  
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**E****F**

silber, metallic 90  
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argent, métallique  
zilver, metallic  
plata, metalizado  
prata, metálico  
argento, metallico  
silver, metallic  
hopea, metallikiilto  
sølv, metallak  
sølv, metallic  
серебристый, металл  
srebro, metaliczny  
ασμύ, μεταλλικό  
gümüş, metalik  
stříbrná, metaliza  
ezüst, metáll  
srebrna, metalik

schwarz, matt 8  
black, matt  
noir, mat  
zwart, mat  
negro, mate  
preto, fosco  
nero, opaco  
svart, matt  
musta, himmeä  
sort, mat  
sort, matt  
черный, матовый  
czarny, matowy  
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70 %

**G**

30 %

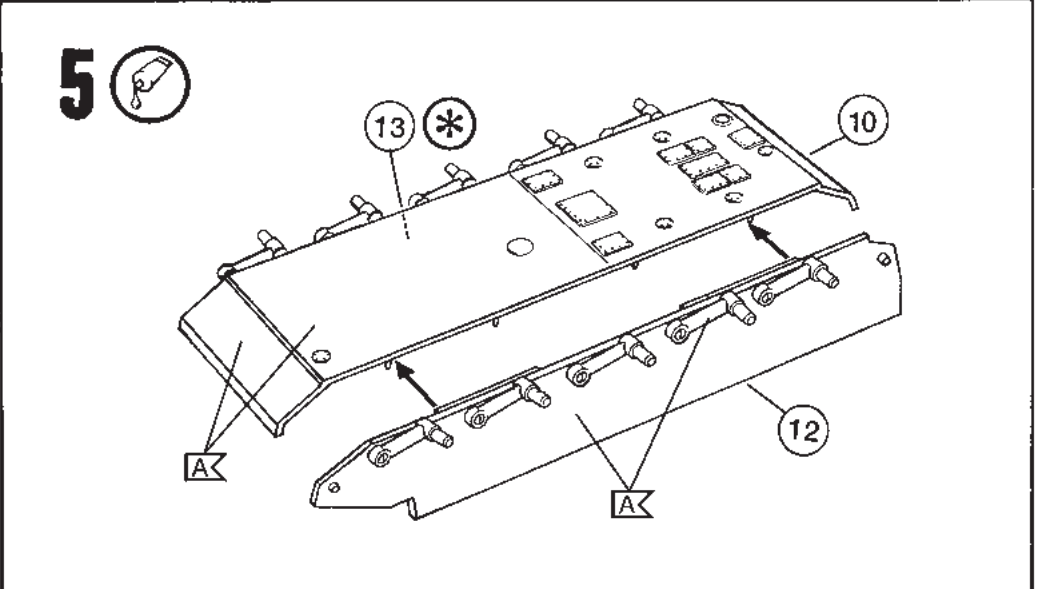
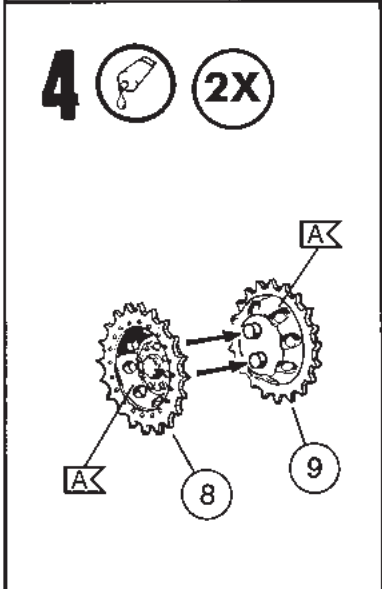
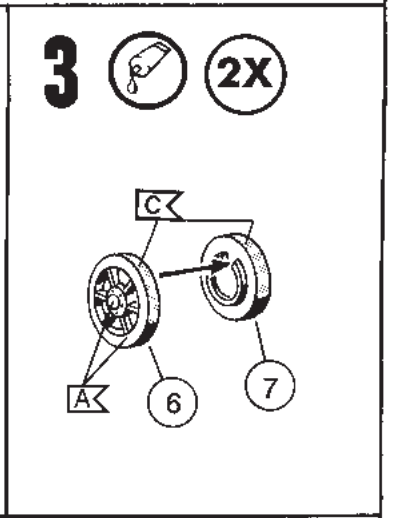
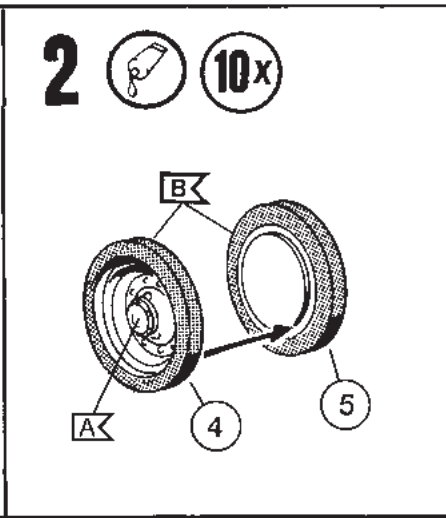
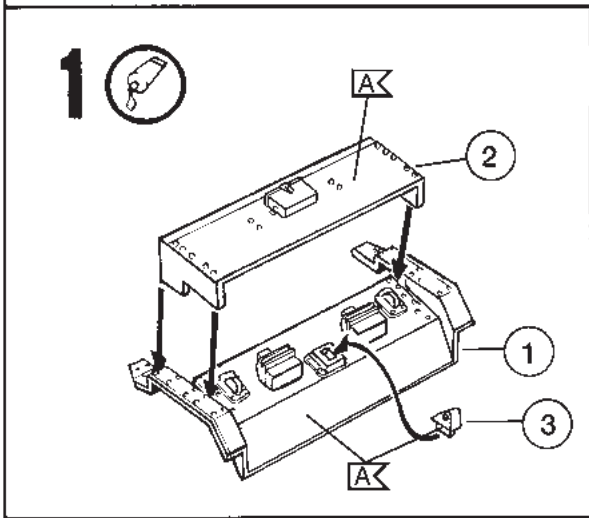
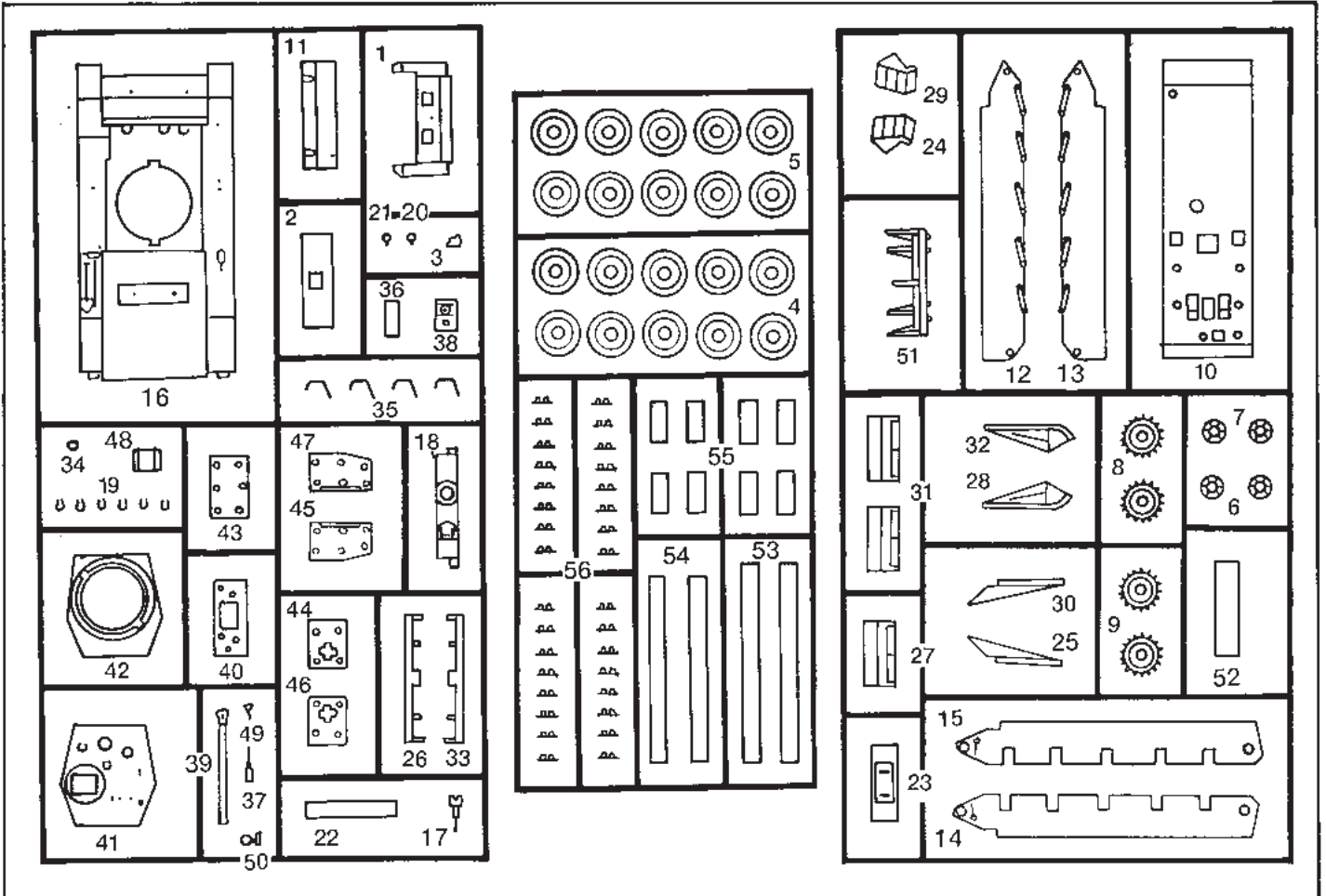
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ржавчина, матовый  
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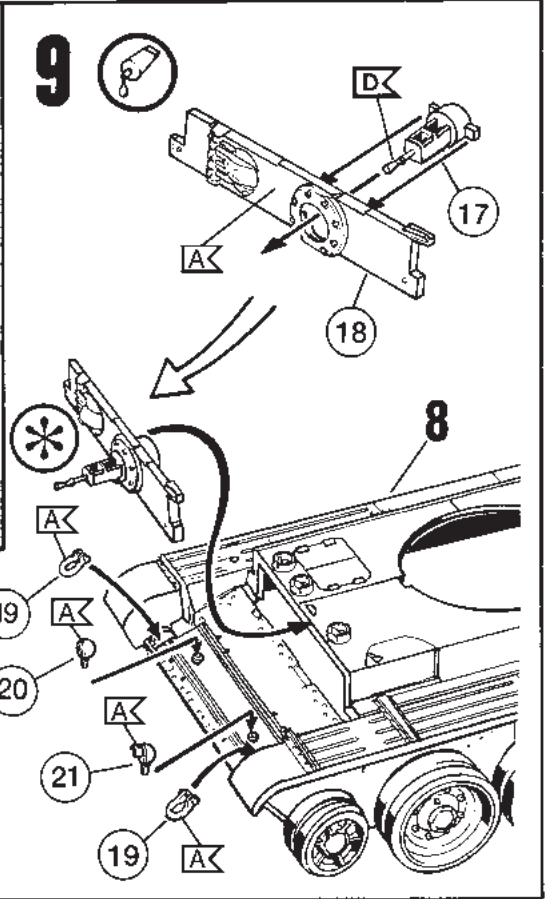
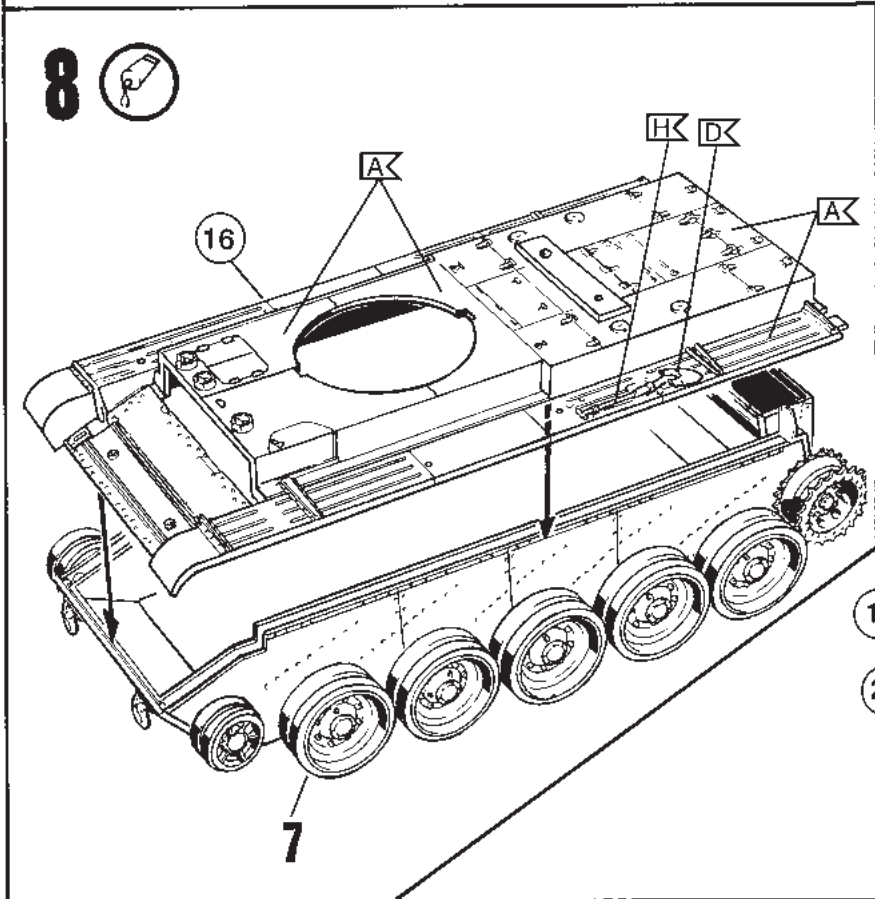
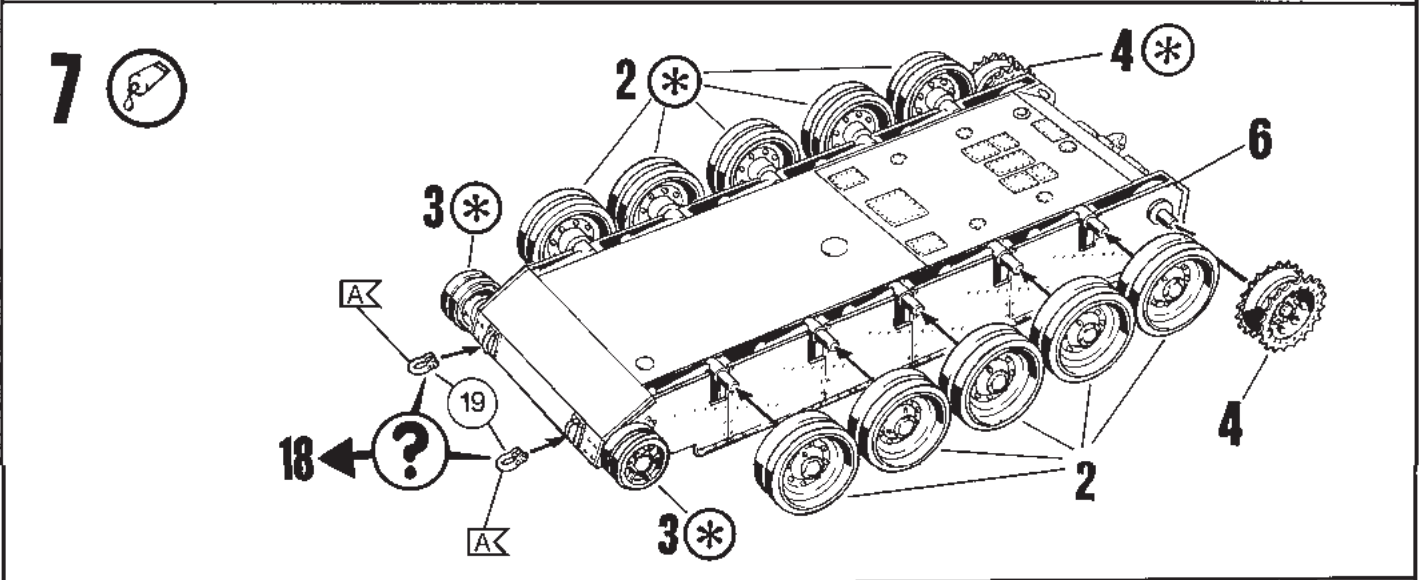
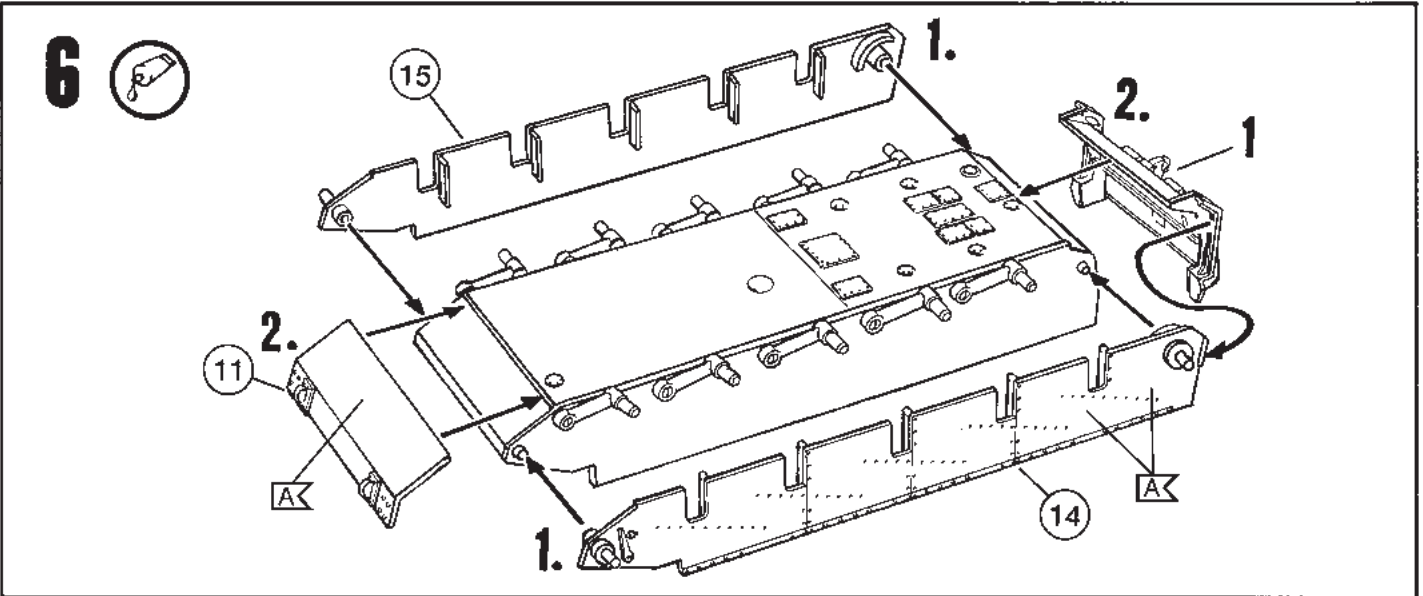
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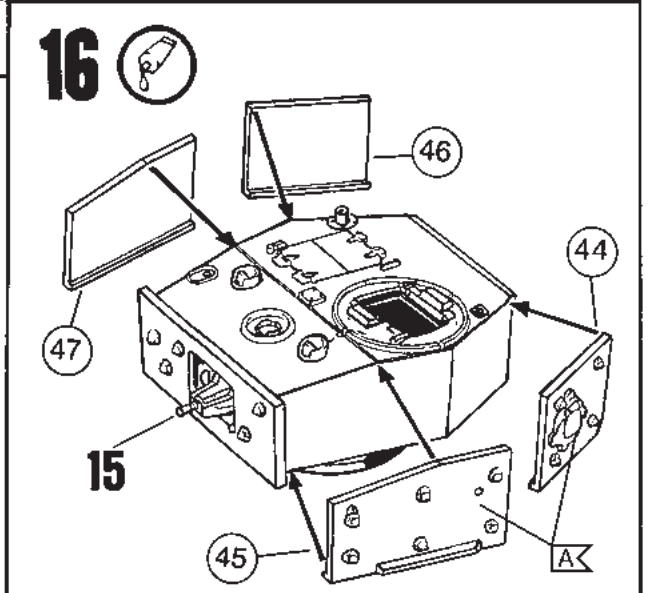
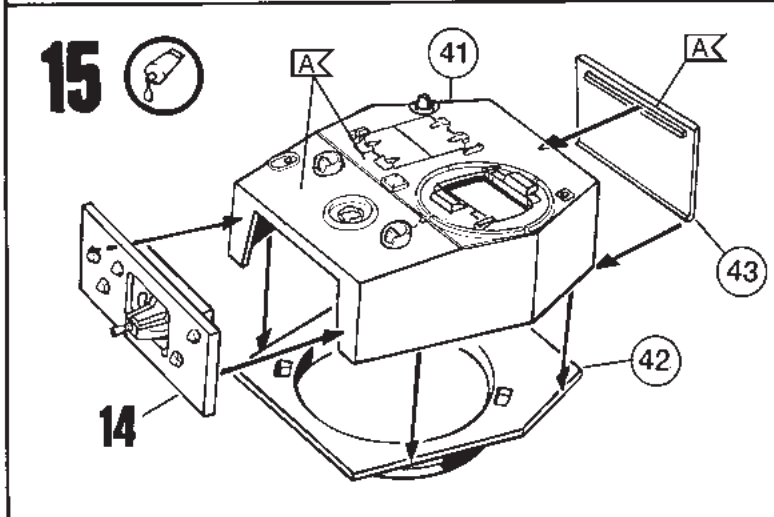
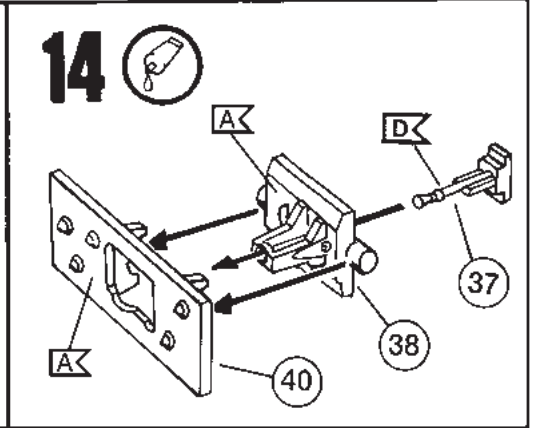
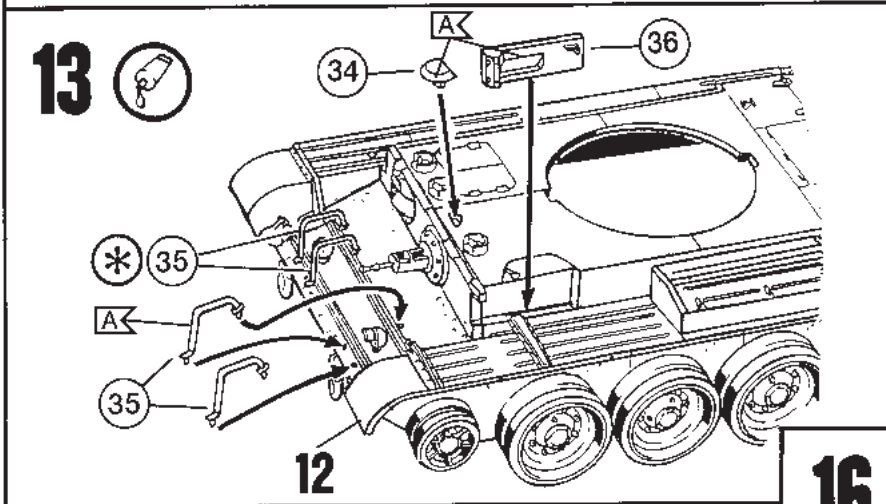
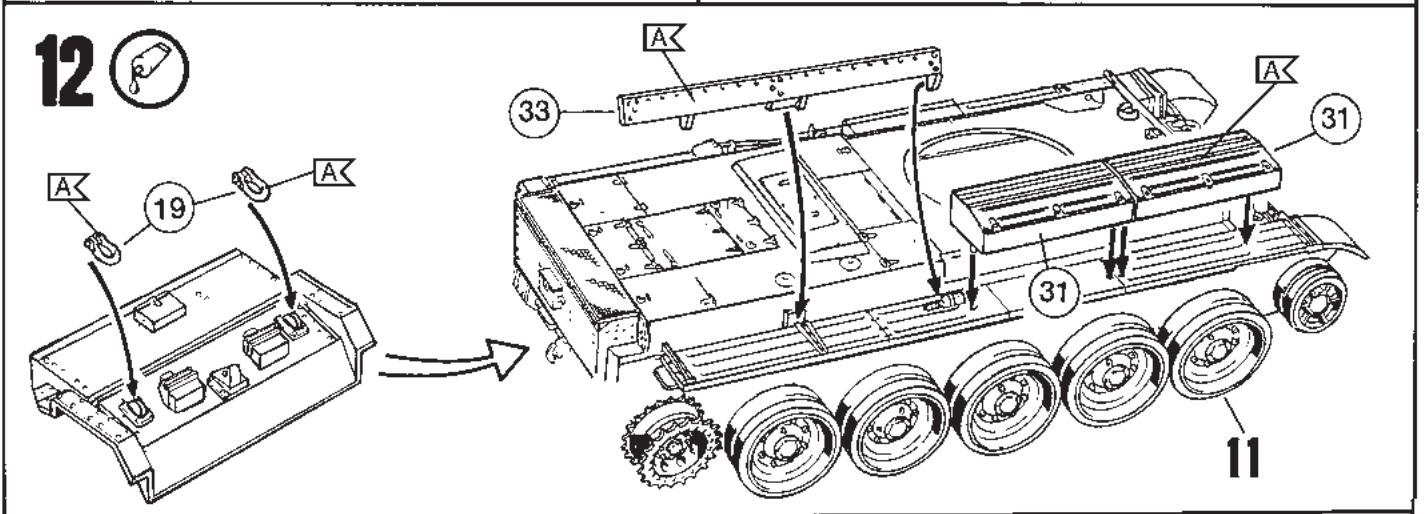
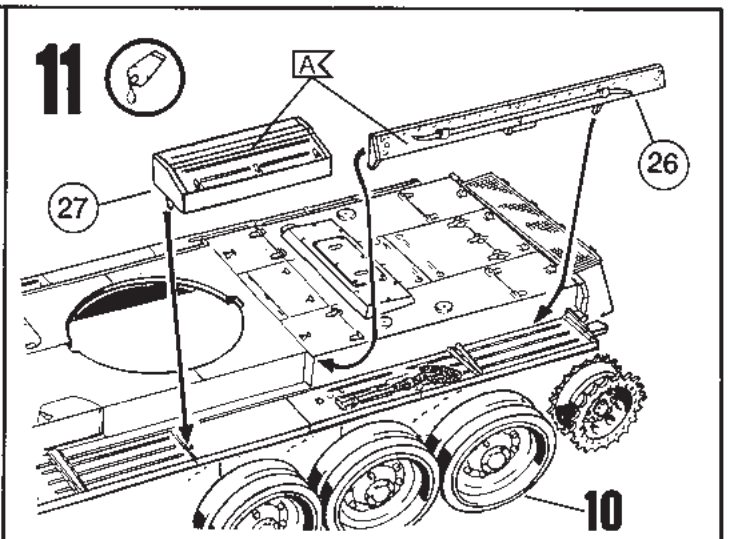
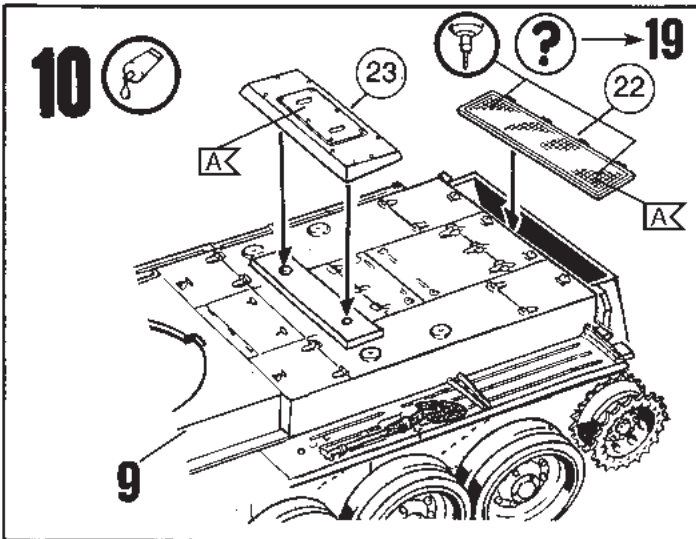
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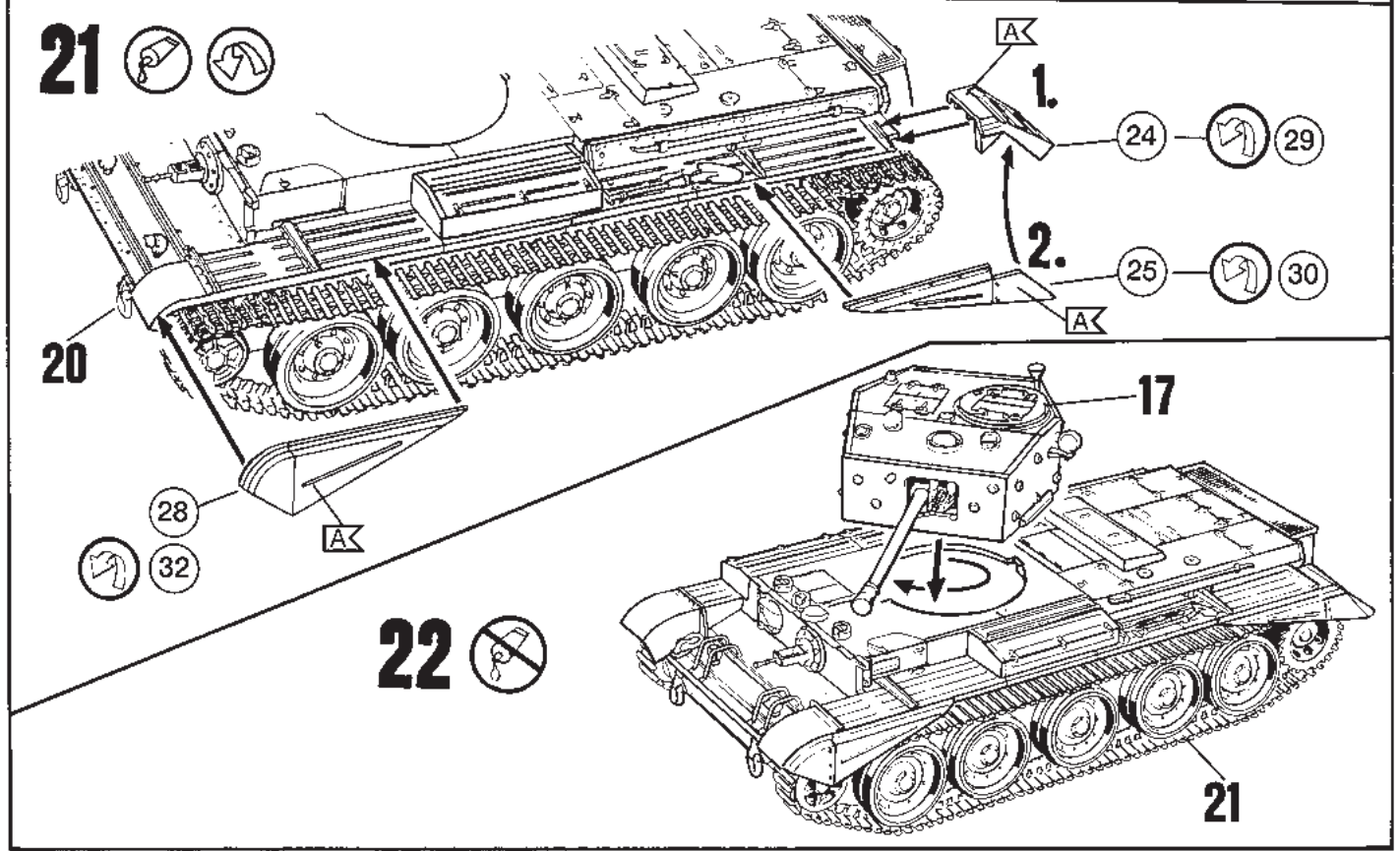
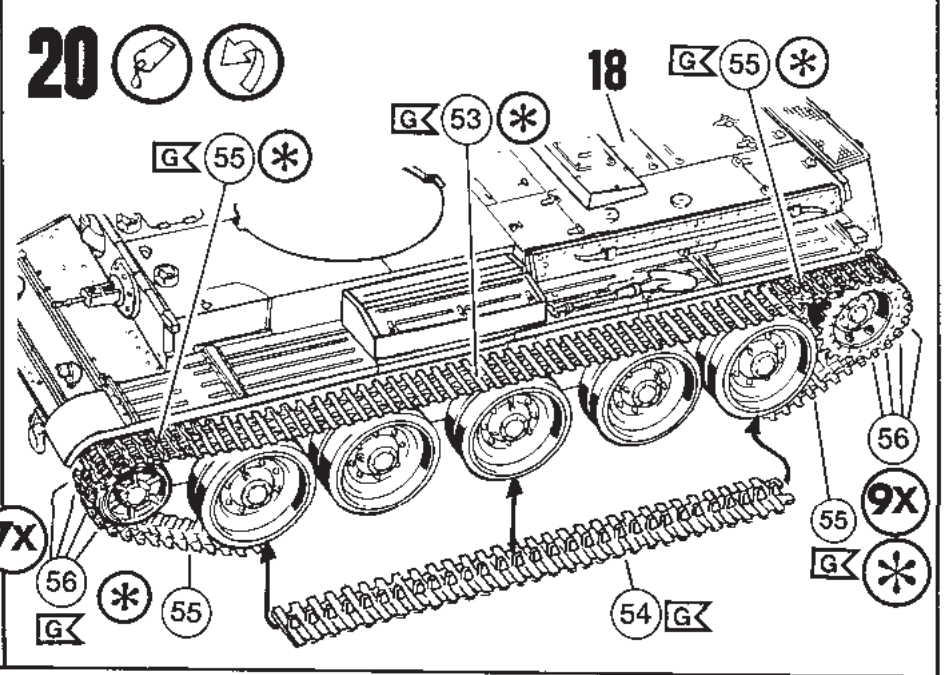
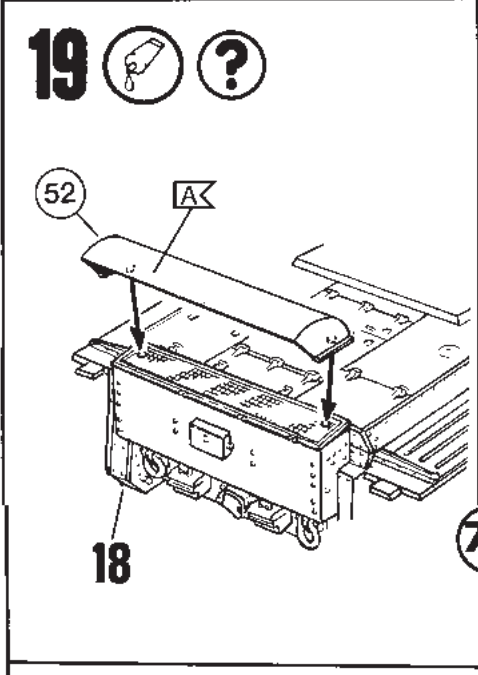
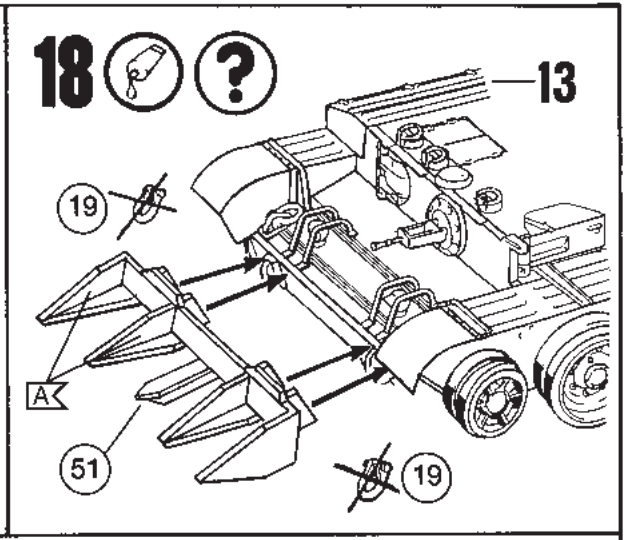
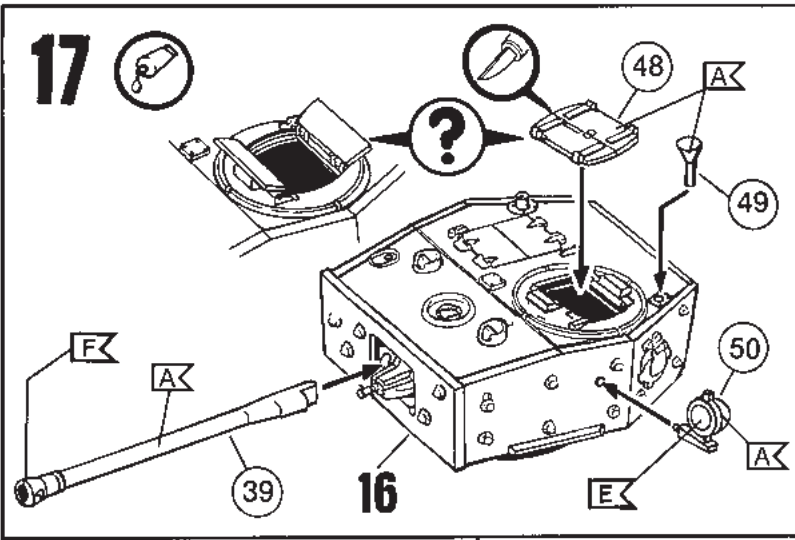
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ruskea, himmeä  
brun, mat  
brun, matt  
коричневый, матовый  
brązowy, matowy  
καφέ, ματ  
kahverengi, mat  
hnědá, matná  
barna, matt  
rjava, mat

weiß, seidenmatt 301  
white, silky-matt  
blanc, satiné mat  
wit, zijdemat  
blanco, mate seda  
branco, fosco sedoso  
bianco, opaco seta  
vit, sidenmatt  
valkoinen, silkinhimeä  
hvid, silkematt  
hvit, silkematt  
белый, шелковисто-матовый  
biały, jedwabisto-matowy  
λευκό, μεταξωτό ματ  
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bela, svila mat







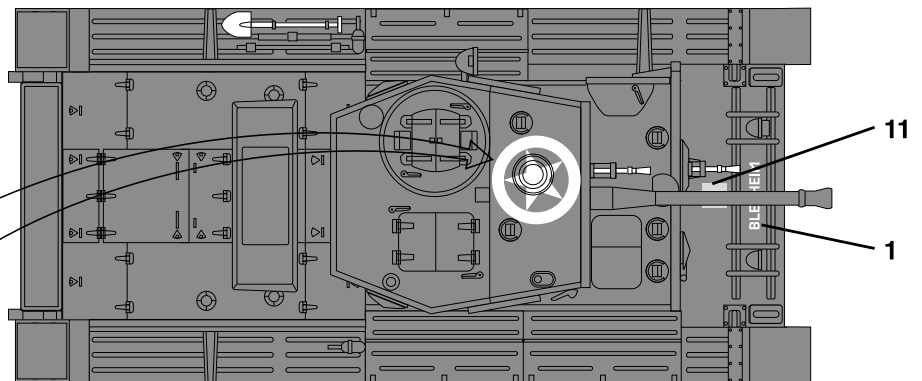
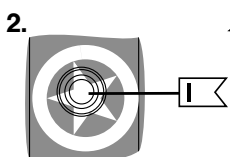
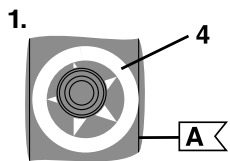
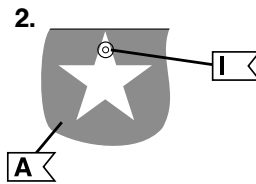
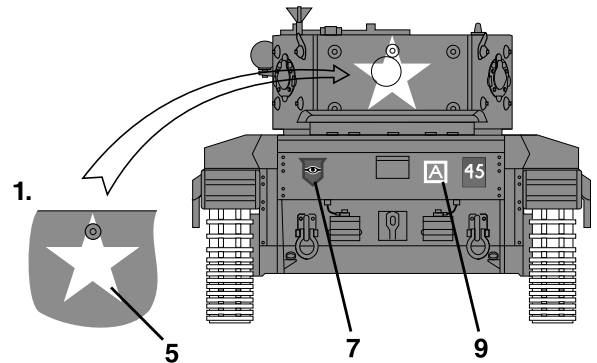
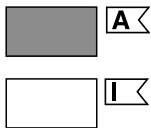
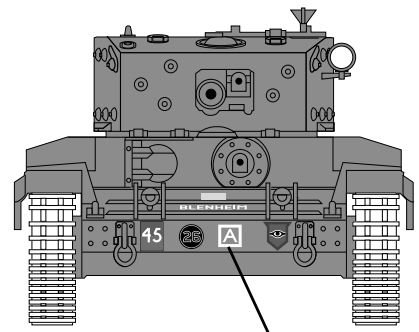
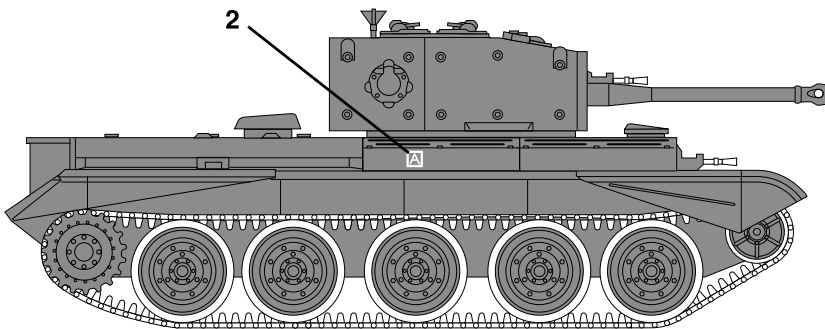
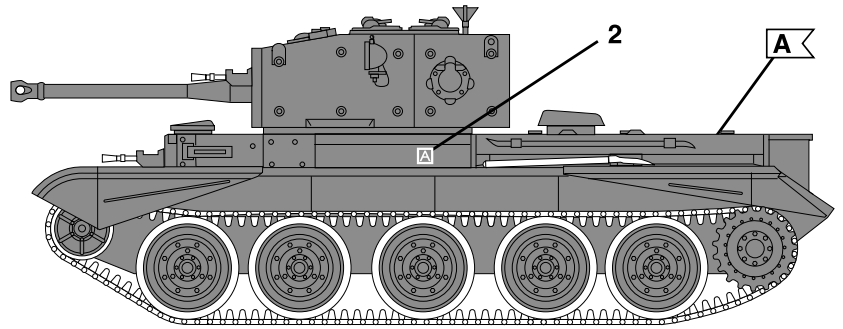




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2nd Sq., 2nd Battalion,  
Reconnaissance Regiment of the Welsh Guards Armoured Division,  
Normandy, France, summer 1944



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## Div. HQ of 11th Armoured Division, Normandy, France, June 1944

