



PEGASUS

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Vought SB2U Vindicator

CONSTRUCTION NOTES

1. Firstly separate all parts from sprues, and clean off all flash and moulding marks.
2. Locate and assemble Fuselage halves, when dry remove joint line; repeat with Cowling halves. Assemble Radial Engine and insert into Cowling. Add Oil Cooler to recess in Cowling lip, and then attach the Exhaust stubs.
3. Next add intake to Cowling top, and attach assembly to front of Fuselage. At this point attach Tailplanes to Fuselage (Please note that TWO Tailplanes have been included with this kit. If you wish to construct the SB2U-1 featured on the Box, then use the SHORTER set. However, if you wish to construct either the: SB2U-2, SB2U-3, CHESAPEAKE, or the French V-156-F versions, then please use the LONGER set of Tailplanes.)
4. Whilst this is drying, attach the two Seats to the Cockpit floor (smaller Seat at rear) along with the Control Column. Invert model and add the Instrument Panel, and Pilot's Bulkhead from below. Finally, right model and attach the Rear Decking, along with the D/F Loop, Ring Mount, and .50 Cal. M/C Gun to Observer's position. (All Metal detail castings can be glued with any Cyano - Acrylate Adhesive e.g. Super Glues). Next, add Cockpit assembly to model inserting from underneath.
5. Locate and assemble upper and lower Wing panels, when dry add to lower Centre Section and attach to model, fill and smooth all joints.
6. Next, add U/C Legs to model, bracing from the rear with the 'A' section support Struts, please note angle of incidence as depicted in the side view drawings. Add Main Wheels, and the separate U/C Doors (Rounded portion upmost). At the Tail of the model attach the Tailwheel and Arrestor Hook.
7. Attach Propeller, and Radio Mast to Cowling, and with a fine Drill make a hole in the Canopy windshield. Locate and attach the Gunsight tube through this opening and glue Canopy to model.
8. Finally, assemble Drop Tank halves and attach to Centre Section. When dry add the Bomb Displacement gear, and slip the cradle round the Drop Tank. Paint model in accordance with the Colouring Notes, and then add Decals.

COLOURS USED

COLOUR	METHUEN	FEDERAL STANDARDS	XTRACOLOR
Chrome Yellow.	4A8-4B8	FS13538	X106
Lemon Yellow.	4A7	FS13655	X108
Polished Metal.	-	-	X501
Doped Aluminium.	-	FS17178	X500
Insignia Red.	10C8	FS11136	X103

All colour values are approximate. 'Xtracolor' is the registered trade name of Messrs. Hannants of Lowestoft.