

TAMIYA F-15E Strike Eagle ITA 1/72

TAMIYA F-15E Strike Eagle 1/72 Scale Model Kit Instruction Manual

Model Number: 300060783

1. INTRODUCTION

This instruction manual provides guidance for the assembly, display, and care of your TAMIYA F-15E Strike Eagle 1/72 scale model kit. The F-15E Strike Eagle is a highly capable multi-role strike fighter, and this model kit faithfully reproduces its intricate details at a 1/72 scale, offering an engaging building experience for enthusiasts.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Please read and understand all safety warnings before beginning assembly. This model kit contains small parts and requires the use of sharp tools and adhesives. Adult supervision is recommended for builders under the age of 12.

- **Small Parts:** Keep small parts away from young children to prevent choking hazards.
- **Sharp Tools:** Exercise caution when using hobby knives, nippers, and other sharp tools. Always cut away from your body.
- **Adhesives and Paints:** Use model-specific adhesives and paints in a well-ventilated area. Avoid prolonged inhalation of fumes. Refer to the individual product labels for specific safety instructions.
- **Eye Protection:** Consider wearing eye protection during assembly to guard against flying plastic fragments.

3. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

The TAMIYA F-15E Strike Eagle model kit is designed for detailed assembly. Please refer to the comprehensive instruction guide included in your kit for step-by-step assembly procedures. The following general steps outline the building process:

1. **Part Preparation:** Carefully remove parts from the sprues using a hobby nipper. Clean any excess plastic (flash) with a hobby knife or sanding stick.
2. **Sub-Assembly:** Assemble smaller components and sections of the aircraft as indicated in the instructions.

3. **Painting:** Apply paint to individual parts or sub-assemblies as recommended in the color guide. Allow adequate drying time between coats.
4. **Main Assembly:** Join the larger sections of the aircraft, ensuring proper alignment.
5. **Decals:** Apply decals according to the placement guide for authentic markings. Use decal setting solutions for best results.
6. **Final Details:** Attach landing gear, weapons, and other small details to complete the model.



Image: A fully assembled TAMIYA F-15E Strike Eagle 1/72 scale model kit, showcasing its detailed gray fuselage, cockpit, and underwing ordnance.

Note: This model kit requires assembly and painting. Adhesives and paints are sold separately unless otherwise specified on the packaging.

4. OPERATING (DISPLAY)

Once assembled, your TAMIYA F-15E Strike Eagle model is intended for static display. Choose a stable, level surface away from direct sunlight, excessive heat, or high humidity to prevent damage or fading.

- **Display Stand:** If a display stand is included or purchased separately, ensure the model is securely mounted to prevent accidental falls.
- **Placement:** Position the model to highlight its features and details. Consider lighting to enhance its appearance.

5. MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance will help preserve the appearance and longevity of your model.

- **Dusting:** Regularly dust the model using a soft brush or a can of compressed air. Avoid abrasive materials that could scratch the paint or decals.
- **Cleaning:** For stubborn dirt, lightly dampen a soft cloth with water (and a tiny amount of mild soap if necessary), then gently wipe the surface. Avoid harsh chemicals or solvents.

- **Storage:** If storing the model for an extended period, place it in a protective container to shield it from dust and physical damage. Store in a cool, dry place.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

While building model kits is a rewarding experience, you might encounter minor challenges. Here are some common issues and general solutions:

- **Parts Not Fitting:** Ensure parts are correctly oriented. Light sanding or trimming of mating surfaces may be required for a snug fit. Avoid forcing parts.
- **Paint Issues:** If paint appears uneven or clumpy, ensure surfaces are clean, paint is properly thinned, and applied in thin, even coats. Humidity can also affect paint drying.
- **Decals Not Adhering:** Ensure the surface is smooth and glossy. Use decal setting solutions to help decals conform to irregular surfaces and adhere better.
- **Missing or Damaged Parts:** Carefully check the sprues and packaging. If a part is genuinely missing or damaged, contact TAMIYA customer support.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	TAMIYA
Model Name	F-15E Strike Eagle ITA 1/72
Item Model Number	300060783
Scale	1/72
Material	Plastic
Recommended Age	12 years and up
Included Components	Plastic model parts, assembly instructions

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

As a model kit, this product typically does not come with a direct product warranty beyond ensuring all parts are present and free from manufacturing defects upon purchase. For any issues related to missing or defective parts, or for technical assistance with assembly, please contact TAMIYA customer support directly. Their contact information can usually be found on the product packaging or their official website.



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[Tamiya Championship Series \(TCS\) 2025 Rules & Regulations](#)

Official rules and regulations for the Tamiya Championship Series (TCS) 2025 regional race events. Covers driver eligibility, skill levels, general vehicle rules, electronics, batteries, car bodies, motors, tires, class-specific regulations (GT-1, GT-2, M-Chassis, F1, Euro Truck, GT-E, GT Pro Spec, GT Novice), event formats, prizes, and qualification for TCS Finals.



[Tamiya 1/48 Scale Aircraft Series No. 118 Grumman F-14D Tomcat Assembly Instructions](#)

Detailed assembly instructions for the Tamiya 1/48 scale model kit of the Grumman F-14D Tomcat, including part lists, painting guides, decal application, and historical information.



[EU Declaration of Conformity - Tamiya 1:10 RC Lancia 037 Rallye TA-02S](#)

This document is the EU Declaration of Conformity for the Tamiya 1:10 RC Lancia 037 Rallye TA-02S model, issued by Tamiya-Carson Modellbau GmbH & Co.KG, confirming compliance with relevant EU directives and harmonised standards.



[Tamiya RC Mercedes-Benz G 500 \(CC-02\) Assembly Instructions](#)

Detailed assembly instructions and parts list for the Tamiya 1/10 RC 4WD High Performance Off-Road Car, Mercedes-Benz G 500 (CC-02) model kit. Includes step-by-step guidance, painting, and troubleshooting.



[Grumman F-14D Tomcat 1/72 Scale Model Kit Assembly Instructions](#)

Detailed assembly instructions and painting guide for the Tamiya 1/72 scale Grumman F-14D Tomcat model kit (Item 60795), featuring step-by-step guidance, paint schemes, marking options, and ordnance details.



[Tamiya 1/24 Peugeot 307 WRC Monte Carlo '05 Model Kit Assembly Instructions](#)

Detailed assembly instructions and painting guide for the Tamiya 1/24 scale model kit of the Peugeot 307 WRC, which competed in the 2005 Monte Carlo Rally. Includes parts list, tool recommendations, paint codes, and decal application tips.

