

PACIFIC PROFILES



A publicity shot of P-70 serial 39-753 Black Magic serving the 481st Night Fighter Operations Training Group at Orlando around late 1943. This P-70 showcases the type's matt black finish, with semi-gloss black applied to the modified nose section. In the background is experimental Northrop YP-61-NO Black Widow serial 41-18887, undergoing trials with the same unit.

USAAF UNIT ASSIGNMENTS

Fifth Air Force



Seventh Air Force



Thirteenth Air Force



Air force assignments of the eight USAAF night fighter squadrons and two forward detachments that feature in this book.