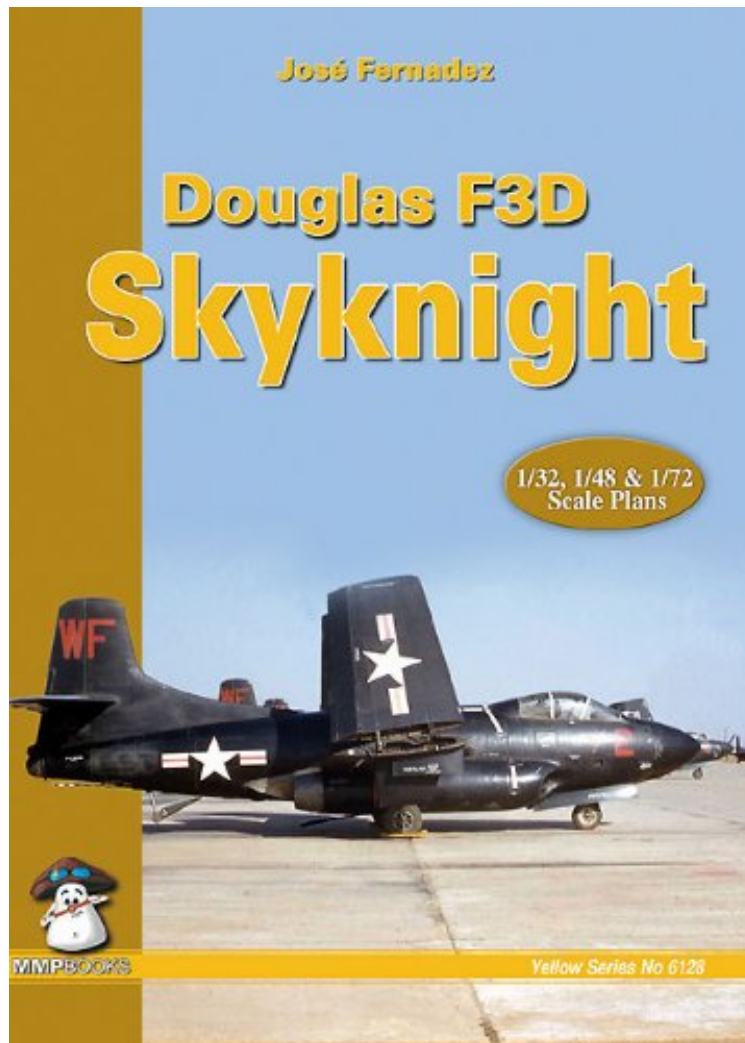


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Jos Fernandez : Douglas F3D Skyknight (Yellow Series) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Douglas F3D Skyknight (Yellow Series):

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found the following review helpful. Like The F3D? This Is A Must Have!By Stephen F ZinkThe Skyknight is an aircraft that is rarely seen in books. Finding this one with its greatly written history, superb photos and nicely done artwork was a thrill for me!

The F3D was designed as a carrier-based all-weather fighter aircraft. It saw service with the United States Navy and United States Marine Corps. While it never achieved the fame of the F-86 Sabre or other contemporary aircraft, it downed several MiG-15s as a night fighter over Korea with only one air-to-air loss. It also served as an electronic warfare platform in the Vietnam War. The design, development and operations of these aircraft are described in detail, illustrated with many previously unpublished photos. Color schemes and markings are described and illustrated with full color profiles. Scale plans in 1/72nd and 1/48th.

Like most "Yellow Series" efforts, text ably traces aircraft design, development, deployment and disposition. But eye candy really makes this effort shine. Dozens of color and BW photos superbly supplement the study. Color plates beautifully illustrate Skyknight plumage. Tech-manual illustrations adeptly augment authenticity. And 1:72-scale drawings nicely capture Douglas' corpulent combatant. I utterly enjoyed MMP's colorful little compendium. Building a scale Skyknight? Make this little book your modeler's guide. (CyberModeler)