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## How to paint an AB41 Autoblinda

Paint and weathering process on a Autoblinda AB41 model 1/35 by Italeri, improved with an Azimut resin turret. References included in the WWII Italian Camo Colors set have been used, suitable for painting combat vehicles, trucks and artillery.

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1 A base of primer NATO Green 73.612 are used, on this base the main color Grey 71.044 are applied, a tone on service from 1930 to 1943, with greenish gray hue.



2 Several layers are added until the model is completely covered. The Model Air Paints range can be used directly on airbrush without any problem. The rubber part of the wheels as well as the exhaust pipe were painted using a brush.



3 Once the base coat is dry, the decals of the national brands are put in place using Vallejo Decal Fix 73.213 and Decal Softener 73.212.



4 Model Wash Dark Khaki Green 76.520 reference are used as a filter, covering the entire model to depict an initial effect of wear and dirt.



5 The Model wash references Desert Dust 76.522, Dark Khaki Green 76.520 and Rust 76.506 are used in the form of washes, to create shading and depth effects. Blending effects can be created on surface to depict textures of dirt and wear.



6 Game Wash reference Umber Wash 73.203 are applied as pin wash to reinforce the shadow effect around rivets and raised details.



7 Once the filters and washing process are finished, the look of the model on this stage can be evaluated.



8 Effect of chipped paint are made with Model Air Brown Grey 71.248, using it with a brush and a sponge, to create a subtle wear effect that shows the base green tone.



9 Finally, the effects of accumulated dust, splashes and dried mud can be made using several references from the Vallejo pigments range: Desert Dust 73.121, Light Sienna 73.104 and Light Slate Grey 73.113.

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Finished model.