

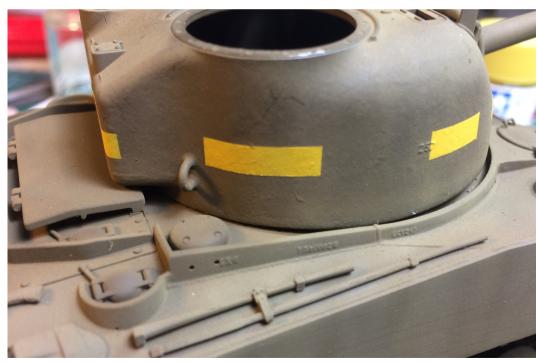


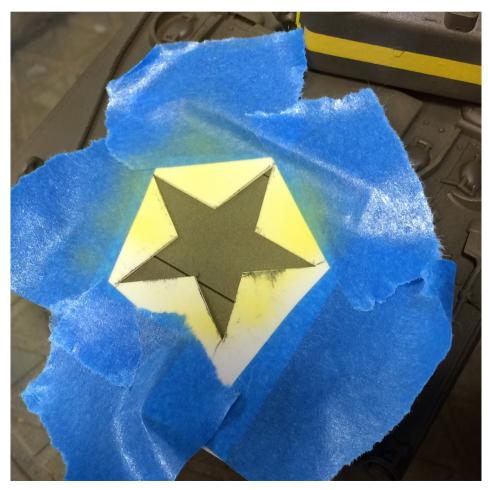
Initial base coat = XF-62 Olive Drab XF-60 Dark Yellow

XF-10 Flat Brown



Next step was to paint the yellow band around the turret. This was
masked off using Tamiya tape, and then sprayed. XF-3 Flat Yellow with
a bit of XF-57 Buff to dull down the yellow. The Star mask was cut out of
.010 sheet plastic using an old decal as a master, and then taped to the
engine deck.





Decal time. Decals are from Bison Decals. Note the 'fuzziness' of the rear star.



 Flat coat to confirm the decals weren't silvered, and then detail painting, brushed on with Valejo paints.



 Beginning of weathering, using AK Interactive Kursk Earth, and Dust Effects as washes.

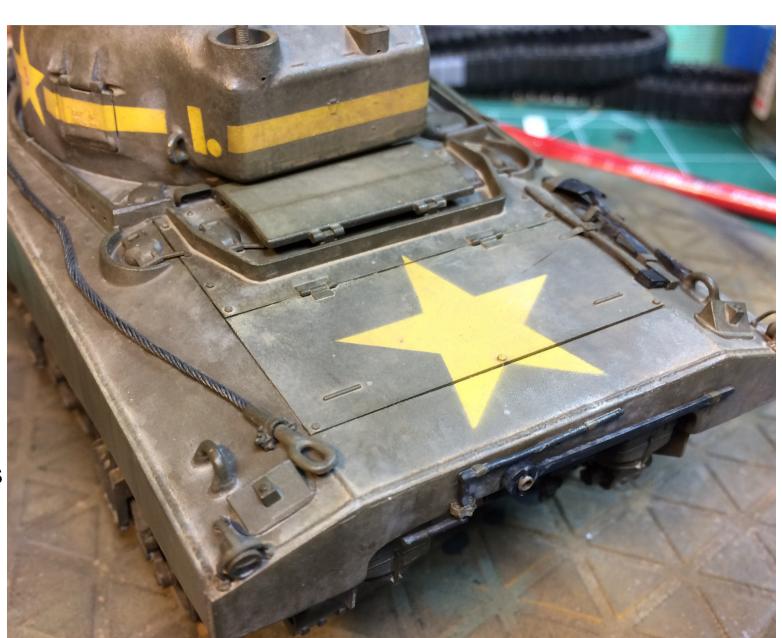
- More weathering... this time with some pigment mixed with mineral spirits from home depot
- Trying to get very heavy cover of dust, especially lower to ground.
- Went back and dry brushed with a dark olive drab color, mostly along top of hull, and to give areas where dust would have been worn away from use by the crew.



More dusting of various layers/colors to give random appearance.

#### TO DO:

- more dust
- tail lights
- weather tracks
- antenna
- headlight lenses
- base







**Part VI** 





