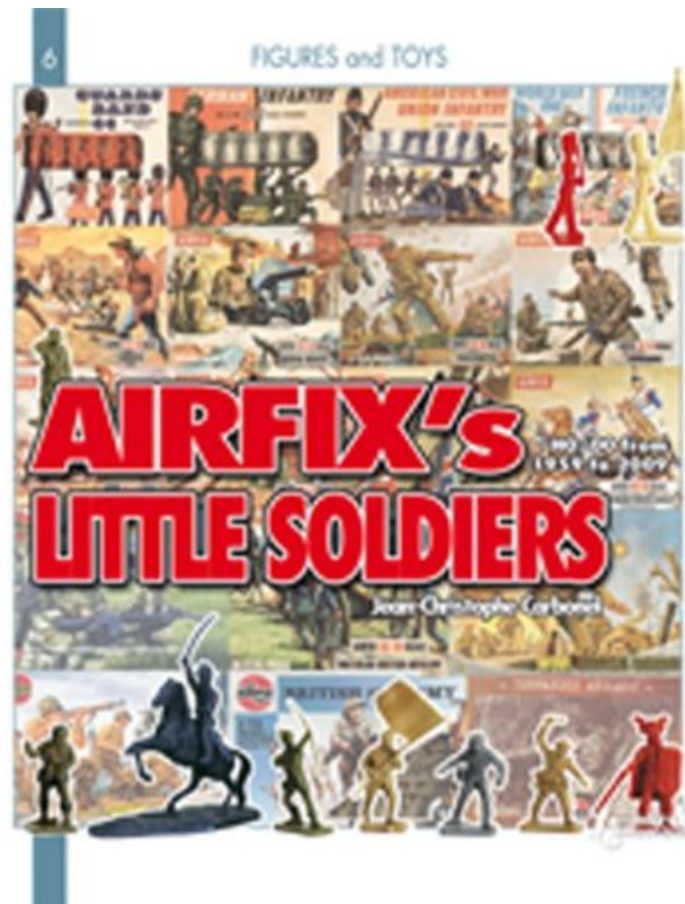


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AWESOME! That's the most sincere compliment I can pay the author and his

work. This book is an invaluable reference to the collector and a great read for the general hobbyist who wants to build a knowledge base. There are a few typos, but I attribute that to the translation. I had no trouble following the layout of this book, and was pleased with the photos. I also appreciated the references to other 1/72 scale figure manufacturers. Along with "One Inch Army", this is THE book to include in your reference library. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. great book By gigishoppervery nice book bought for a boy who loves toy soldiers, arrived on time and was all that was expected

Airfix was founded in 1939, initially manufacturing inflatable rubber toys. Today, the company is synonymous with the hobby, with its plastic scale model kits and toy soldiers being the first entry for many young children into the world of modelling. This book covers 50 years of the famous Airfix plastic soldier, from its production beginnings in 1958 through to the present day, detailing every figure Airfix has ever produced. With a range immortalising soldiers from myriad periods of history, including Napoleonic infantrymen, WWI British Tommies, WWII G.I.s and Civil War cavalrymen, this tribute collection is both a trip down memory lane to those great wargames from your childhood, and an informative look at the greatest soldiers of history.

About the Author Jean-Christophe Carbonel is a worldrenowned specialist in French model kits. His 20-year experience of the European and Japanese model kit markets enable him to deal in depth with the French 'model craze'.