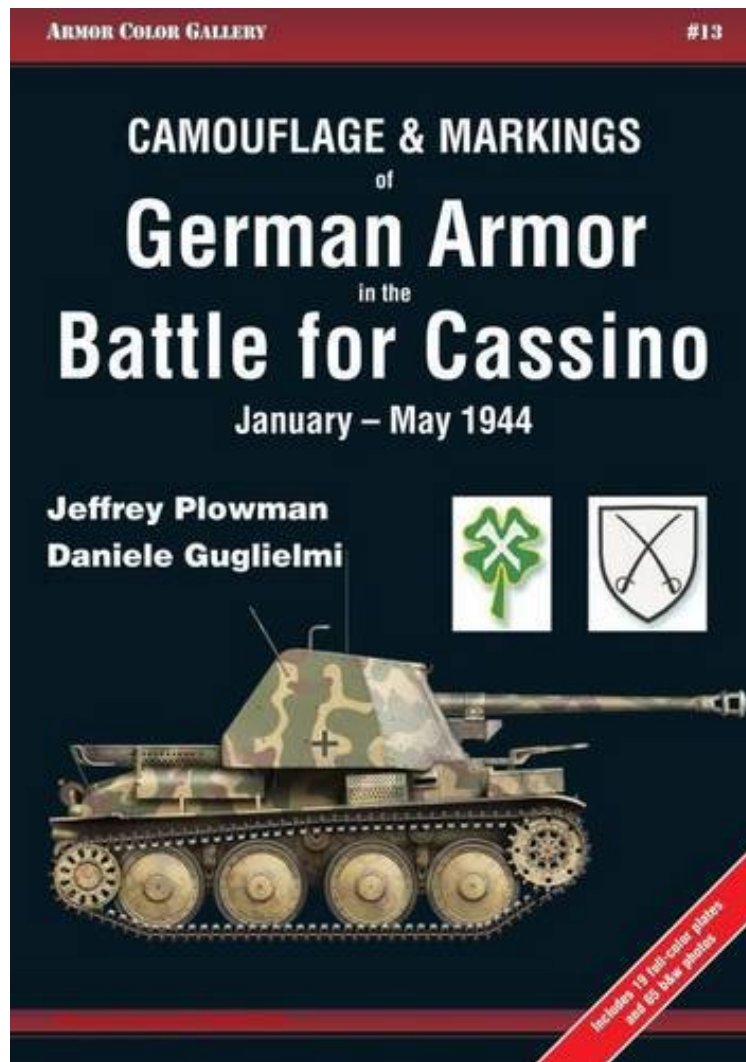


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"The fighting to take Monte Cassino in early 1944 may be best known for the bombing of the Monastery, but it was mainly fought by infantry with armoured support, with many different AFVs being used on both sides. This is the companion volume to the Allied side reviewed in *MM* vol.44 No. 10 and covers a similarly wide variety of vehicles. Many of the actions during the battle for Cassino and the Senger Line were between small groups of AFVs on each side. These are described in detail even down to naming the vehicle commanders. Types involved ranged from SdKfz 251 half-tracks, Marder and Nashorn self-propelled guns, StuG III and IV and Panthers. Several Pantherturnms were also part of the Senger Line defences, often knocking out several Allied tanks before themselves being destroyed. There were a few unusual items such as French Chenillette UE and some captured Shermans used in their original markings as well as one adapted by its new owners. These are shown in period black and white photos from a variety of official and private sources. Captions give details of location, colours and markings. A selection of vehicles are also shown in the colour plates which in several cases show unit markings separately for better detail. Plenty here to inspire modellers looking for information on vehicles in action or knocked out with at least one adapted for a very peaceful use after the fighting was over." -Peter Brown, *Military Modelling Magazine*...perfectly compliments the publishers previous study of Allied armor in Cassino combat. Contents include dozens of previously unpublished BW photos. And 19 beautifully rendered color profiles provide plenty of project inspiration. How about that deturreted M4A1 Sherman in Sturmgeschütz-Brigade 242 service? I loved this cool, compact chronicle. Now I have clear views of those external drive-sprocket teeth on German Semovente M42 da 75 mm vehicles! Recommended! Cybermodeler

The high standard of books in the *Armour Color Gallery* series is maintained and, although a departure from the usual format of focussing on a single vehicle, this book will be very popular with model makers interested in the often overlooked Italian campaign. -- Tom Cole Tankette