

Brazilian Army, WW2

In 1944, some 25.000 Brazilians went over to Italy to fight the Germans. This Força Expedicionária Brasileira, consisting mainly of infantry, was ecquipped with jeeps, trucks and armoured recce vehicles - all supplied by the United States. Some vehicles of the force are portrayed here. The territorial units used M3 Stuarts and M3A3 Lee's, obsolete after the Italy campaign but still in use untill the seventies. The territorial unit's vehicles in this set have the markings of 1943.

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CCKW 353 trucks

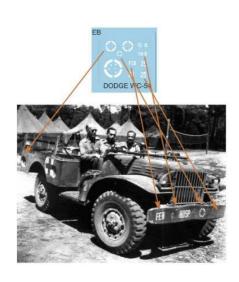


Jeeps

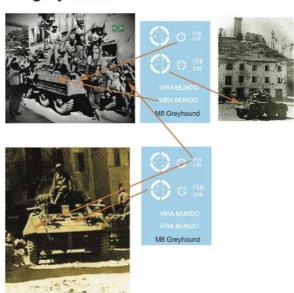


Of the Dodge WC-54 and M8 Greyhound in Brazilian service we currently have no pictures. We use the pictures below therefore purely as reference to to the location of the decals. The vehicles depicted were, however, themselves in Brazilian service.

Dodge WC-54



M8 greyhound



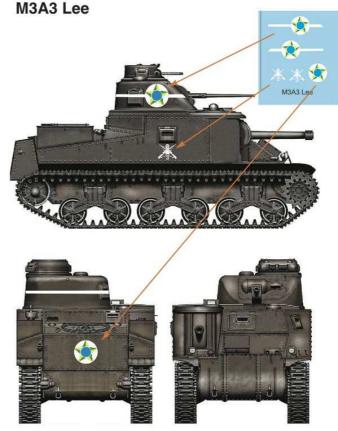


Territorial Army

M3 Stuart



M3 STUART CARRO DE COMBATE LEVE 1º BATALHÃO DE CARROS DE COMBATE LEVE 1941



M3A3 LEE CARRO DE COMBATE MÉDIO 1º BATALHÃO DE CARROS DE COMBATE 1943