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The [F-4](#) was not the only fighter plane to fly sorties over Vietnam. Follow the links to inspect some of the more famous aircraft of the war, including Soviet-made MiGs piloted by the North Vietnamese.

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By 1967, the United States launched its second phase of the "Vietnam Air Campaign." The sounds of war, with pilots too often [in trouble](#), intensified throughout that year.

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### F-101 Voodoo

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### F-105 Thunderchief

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### F-4 Phantom II

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### MiG-17

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### MiG-19 in Flight

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