



# Shell Aviation

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Following an investigation of customer requirements, Shell Aviation has made major improvements to the way it works, in order to offer greater efficiency, responsiveness and professionalism.

Its operating methods major on local strength backed by global support and it places great emphasis on training, meaning that the skills and professionalism of its people are maintained at a higher level than ever before.

## The Shell Hunter – the legacy continues



Ian Pringle, the pilot of the Shell Hunter had this to say; "I felt very privileged to be the first to fly the Shell Hunter in its stunning new livery. The graceful form of the Hawker Hunter and the Shell colour scheme fit like a hand in a glove".

"The Hunter is an absolute joy to fly; it is fast, powerful and very responsive. When you are flying this amazing machine it is very hard to believe that it has just celebrated 50 years in the air."

"What a way to celebrate; in its Shell livery and in front of 100 000 people".

Thunder City's Hawker Hunter FMk6 made its inaugural appearance in 2006 sporting its eye-catching new Shell livery. Celebrating 50 years since this Hunter first flew (in the Royal Airforce) the Shell Hunter looked as good as new, with commentators and spectators remarking on how distinctive the Shell colours are against a blue sky.

The Shell Hunter has another unique aspect; the Blue Note. This is an eerie howl that is caused by high speed air flowing over the cannon ports on the jet's nose. No other jet on the airshow circuit produces the Blue Note which makes the Shell Hunter unique and a favourite to watch at airshows.