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**On the Cover:** Bob Levine's English Electric *Lightning* sits on the runway during the lunchtime display. This year's Florida Jets had many super scale and sport jets of all shapes and sizes. Go check them out on page 72. **Photo: Phil Bousquet**

