**1/48 “Ta 152 H-1” Assembly Instructions**

**Tail wheel and Tail Gear Strut Assembly**

When assembling the tail gear strut, cut the tire off from the part A-8 to assemble with the “tail wheel” from this set.

Cut the tire off from part A-8 to use. (If it is difficult to cut off, please use the tail gear strut from the Zoukei-Mura “Metal Struts Set” which is sold separately.)

**Main Tires (Left and Right) Insertion**

Attach left and right main tires instead of parts D-3 and E-10.

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**Weighted Tires**

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**Attentions**

- This item is meant for hobbyists 16 years of age or older. Please do not give this item to children under 16.
- This item is intended for use with the Zoukei-mura 1/48 “Ta 152 H-1.”
- The polyethylene bags that contain the parts and assembly manual present a suffocation risk. Please do not drop the parts or bend them in unintended ways, as they may be damaged.
- In order to properly express the shape of the sculpt, it was unavoidable for some parts to have sharp edges. Please be careful.

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**Important Points for Assembly**

- Please carefully read the assembly manual prior to opening and make sure that everything is included.
- To use this item, tools such as: nippers, craft knife, files, sanding papers, instant glue, etc., are required, so please prepare them.
- Please prepare the parts first. You can remove seam lines and gate marks with tools such as nippers, a craft knife and files. Urethane resin is softer than the plastic material used for the kit, so be careful to avoid carving too much. Air bubbles can be filled with putty (epoxy, plastic, etc.) or similar, then finished with sanding paper. In the case that mold details are lost, you can recover them with tools such as spatulas.
- During assembly, adjust the orientation of each part while checking the balance and pose of the entire kit.
- Instant glue should be used for these parts. Please note that they cannot be glued with plastic model kit cement.
- We recommend using brass wire (sold separately) to reinforce the areas where the parts are glued together. Use a pin vise and drill bit to open a hole on both sides of each gluing surface, then insert the ends of a brass wire into the holes to connect the sides. This will greatly increase the strength of each joint. (Using the wires without glue to temporarily build a figure is called dry fitting. We recommend doing so in order to check each figure’s balance.
- Base preparation is required before painting. Please thoroughly finish the base with a coat of surfacer spray (otherwise, the paint will chip off at time passes).
- The recommended brand for painting your kit is the latest line of paint from Vallejo Color, due to its non-toxicity and environmental friendliness. While referring to resources on historical Luftwaffe aircrafts, you may paint the model with the coloring of your choice.

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**Chart of Included Parts**

- Blake Pipe
- Check the brake pipe’s shape and the parts’ directions (top-bottom, front-rear) to know which main tire is the left one, and which one is the right one.

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**Chart of Parts**

- Main Tire: Right
- Main Tire: Left
- Tail Wheel

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**Main Tires**

We take the utmost of care when overseeing manufacturing, but if your kit is among the very small percentage that contains a defective part, please contact customer service within two weeks of your purchase with your full name and order number. Please contact service@volksusa.com.