1/35 German Ommr Flatbed



contains 1 highly detailed and accurate model

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150 PE parts
+ plastic parts and wires needed for assembly decals for one wagon glue and paints not included suitable for advanced modellers keep safety rules for work with resin instructions and references on CD

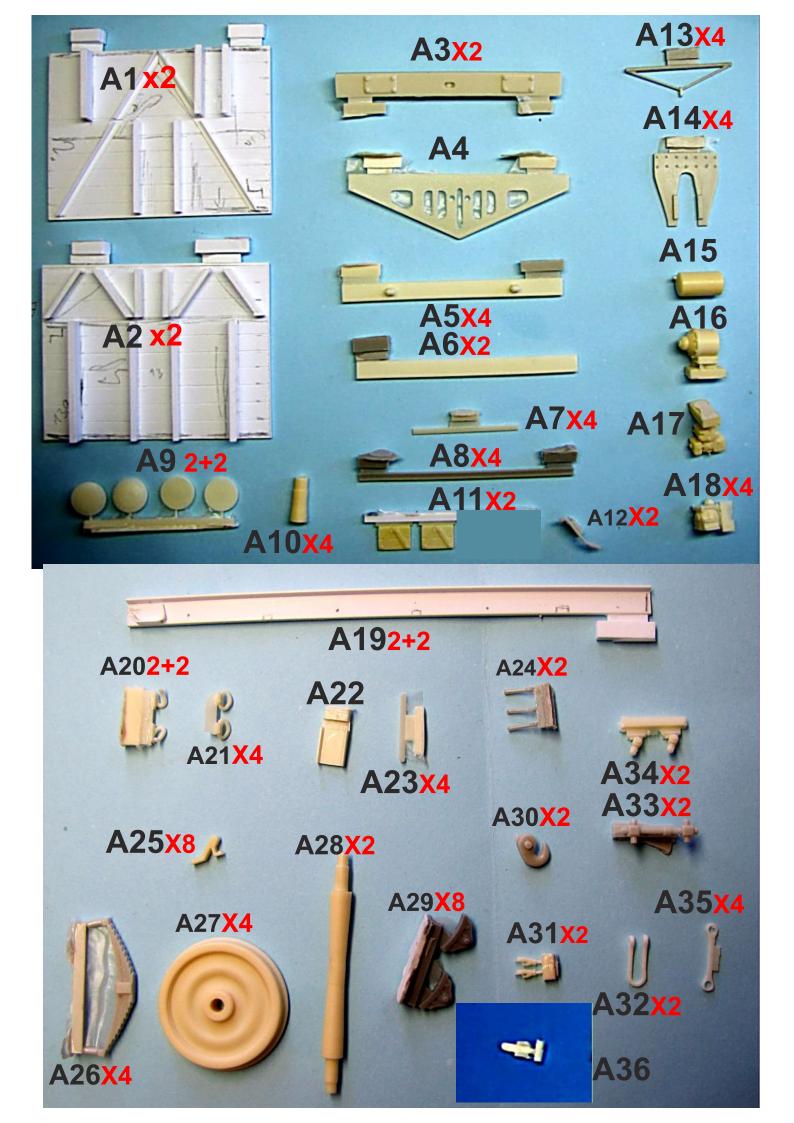


Keep safety rules when working with resin. For safety reasons, and due to the complexity of construction, this kit is recommended only for advanced modellers. The kit contains small parts, keep it out of the reach of children. Glue and paints not included Contains 106 resin parts, 150 PE parts and plastic parts and wires

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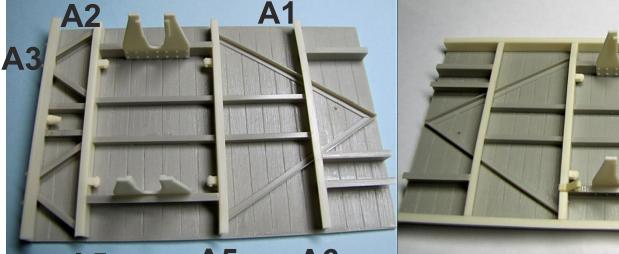
Before WWII Ommr wagons were mostly used in service with sides mounted. During the war German Army required large numbers of flatbeds to move their tanks and vehicles to the East. Ommr wagons could be loaded up to 25 tons, enough for small tanks and trucks, so the Deutsche Reichsbahn put into this task most of the Ommr wagons with sides removed. In that time these were most common wagons seen in trains heading to the East. Armored sides were later added to some of these flatbeds, together with lighter guns and Flaks they were used to protect German trains against air and ground attacks. A few of these wagons were changed into improvised armoured wagons and used as a part of armoured trains in last years of the war

Kit contains many thin, but larger or long parts, some can warp or bend in the box during time period, especially if stored in hotter conditions. It is very easy, but also necessary to fix these before build - simply put them in hot water shortly and let them cool on flat surface like glass. Another way is to lay them on flat surface first and heat them up using a hear dryer.

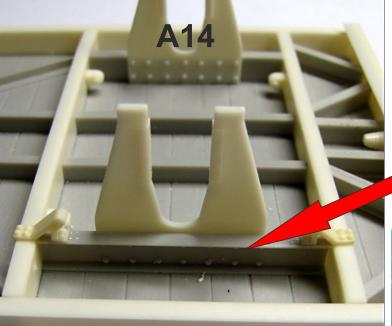


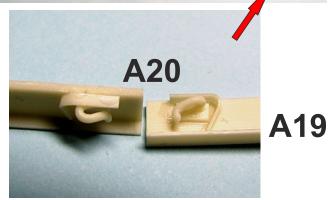
Assembly:

The kit contains many long, but thin parts, some of them might warp in time, it is resin nature and also storage in hotter conditions can cause warping. It is easy to correct with help of hot water or fast blow with hair dryer - fix such a part and then leave it cool on perfectly flat surface. Assembly is easy, but it is very important to keep eye on right angle in any corner, also perfectly flat working surface is a need.



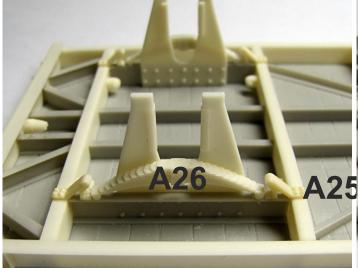


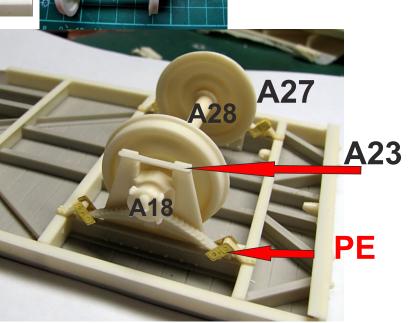




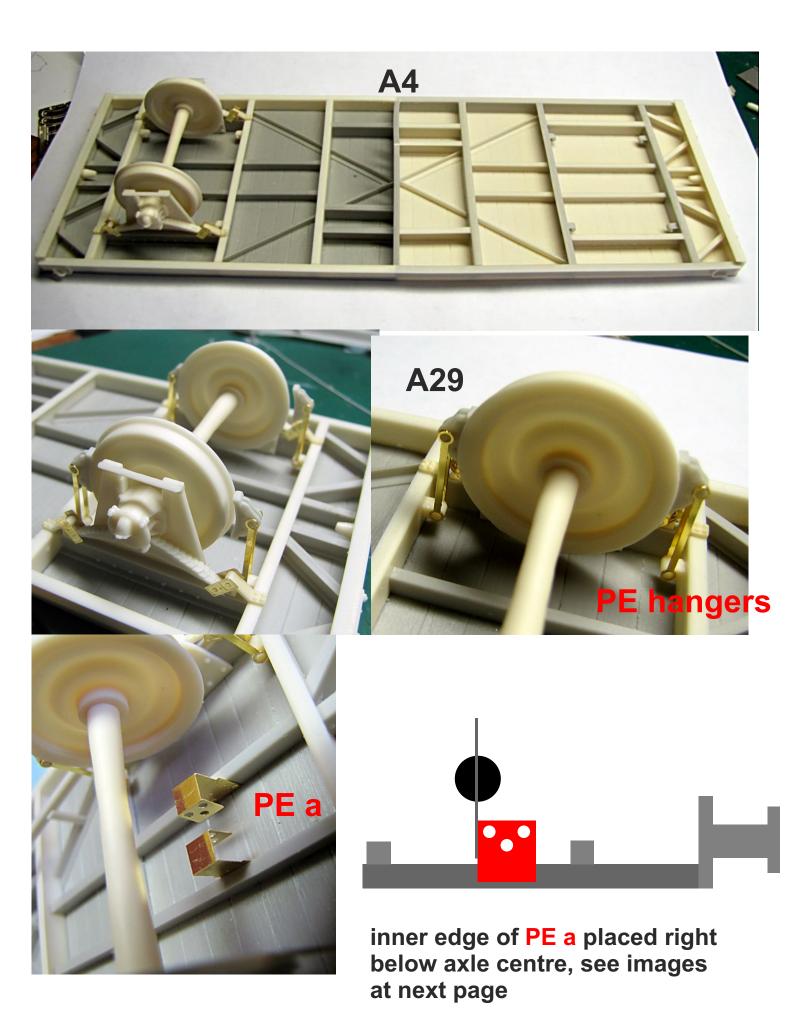
Assemble A14 rivet heads against rived heads on the beams

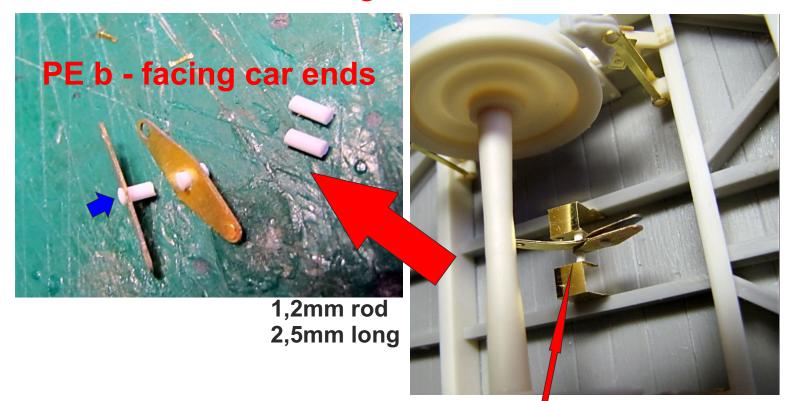






Little sanding might be needed to get exact length of channels A19 - simply any resin castings always shrink a bit, so these parts are about 0,3mm longer than they need to be - to avoid trouble with short sides. When you have assembled both A1+A2, glue them together after sanding the side beams A19 if needed

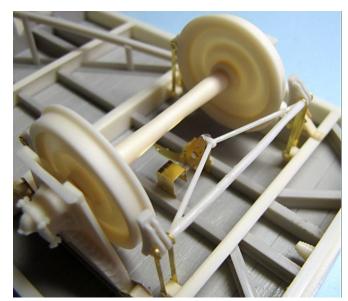




2,55 length of 1,2mm diameter rod used for middle holes in PE b. I use lighter to melt rod ends, it secure assembly better than glue. PE s placed between two and two PE b glued or soldered together, assembly secured with rod with melted ends. 6mm length of 1,2mm rod used to hold brake arms between PE a



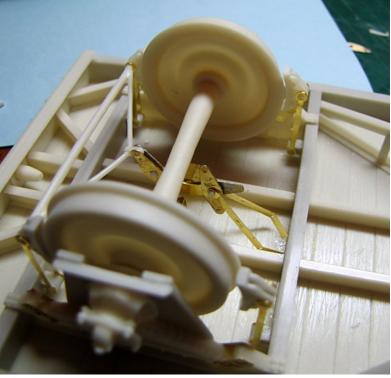
A13 shorten its length to fit between brakes if needed glue it between PE b





first batch of PE b is missing hole in second halve of the part, drill it through 1,2mm diameter should it be your case

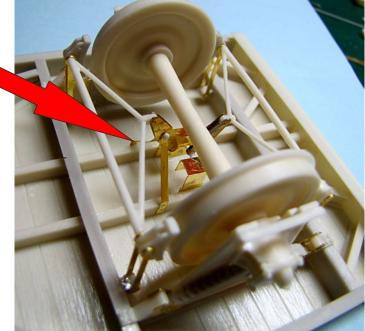
1,2mm rod 2,5mm long

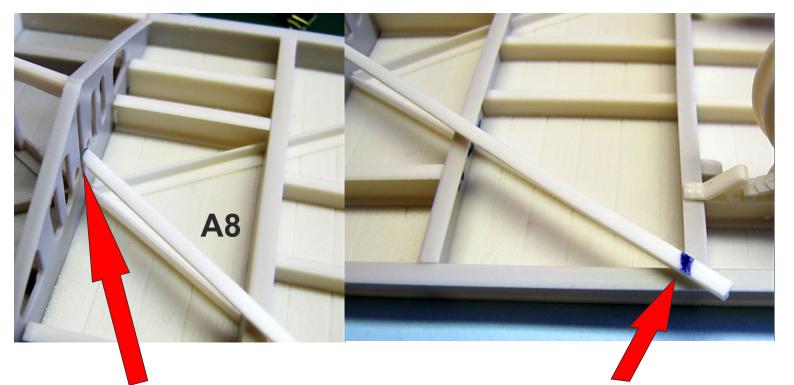


Place PE c with PE m and push the rod through PE s, then add second halve of PE c and finally PE m - secure with glue. At the end glue PE m on the A1 beams

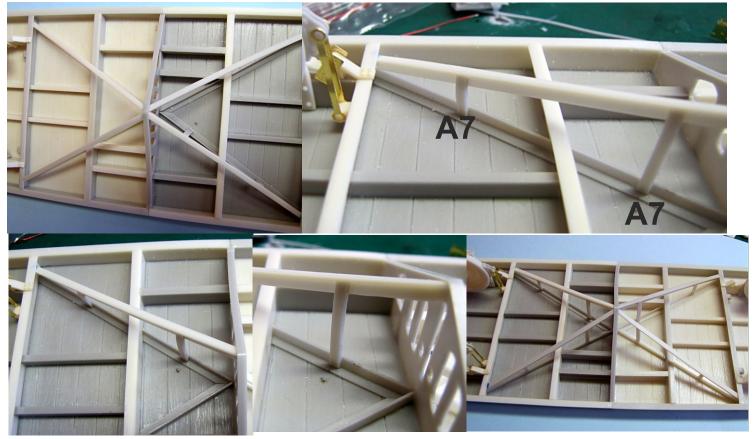
add A13 shorten its length to fit between brakes if needed glue it between PE c

Repeat for opposite side



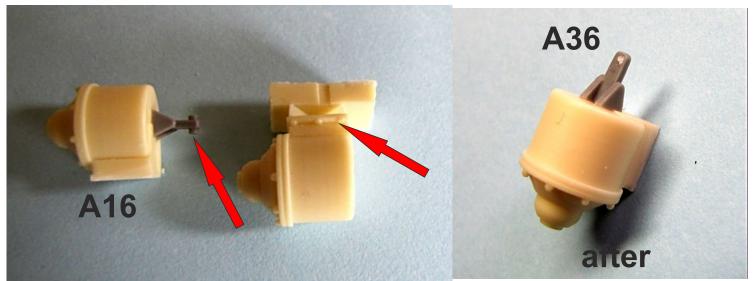


cut end of A8 in angle needed, glue on A4, then cut its other end in angle and length needed and glue on A5

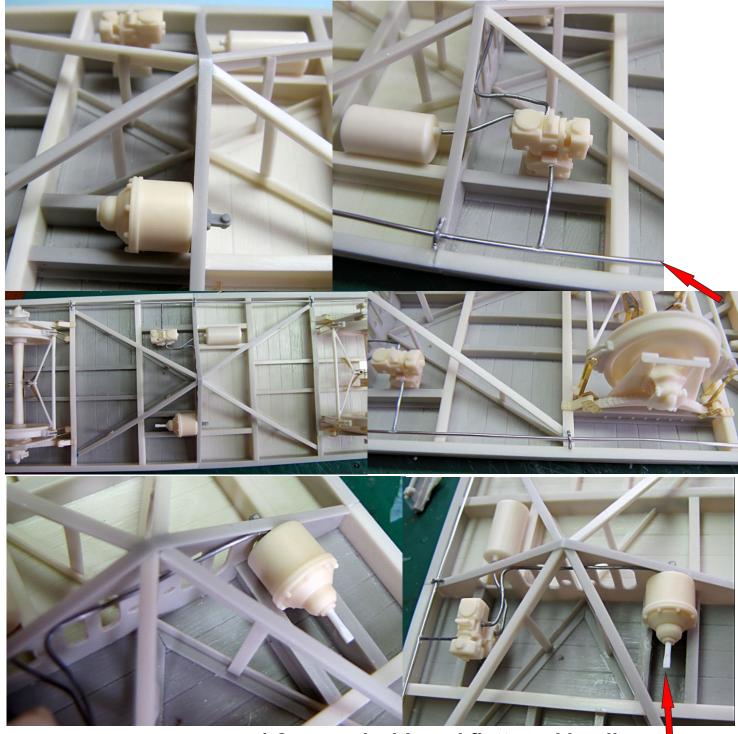


Cut A7 to lengths required and assemble as shown in pictures. Repeat for all four beams

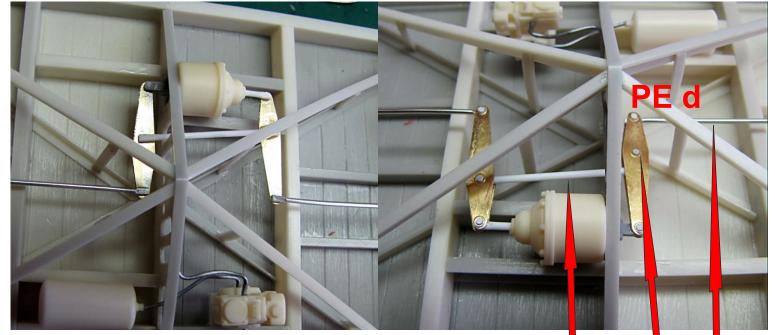




Modify - cut - A16 and A36 as shown for this kit variant. 1mm wire used for main pipe, 0,8mm for other pipes



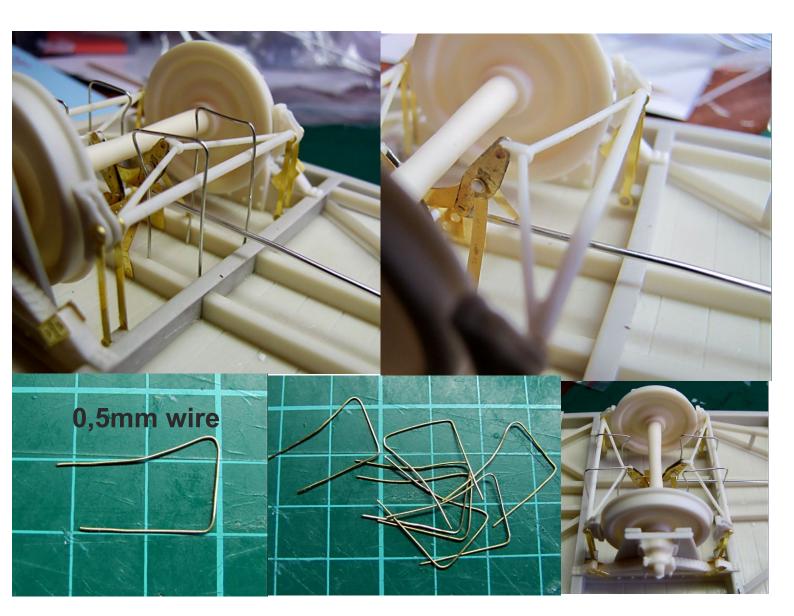
1,2mm rod with end flattened in pliers

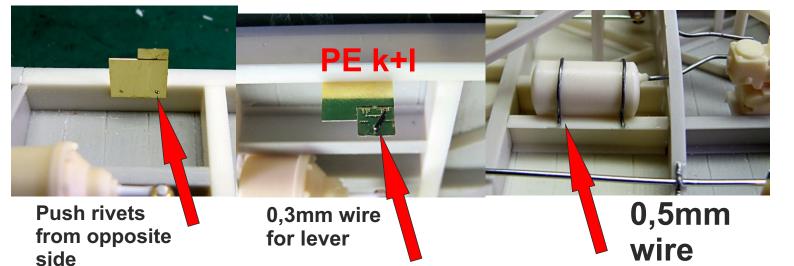


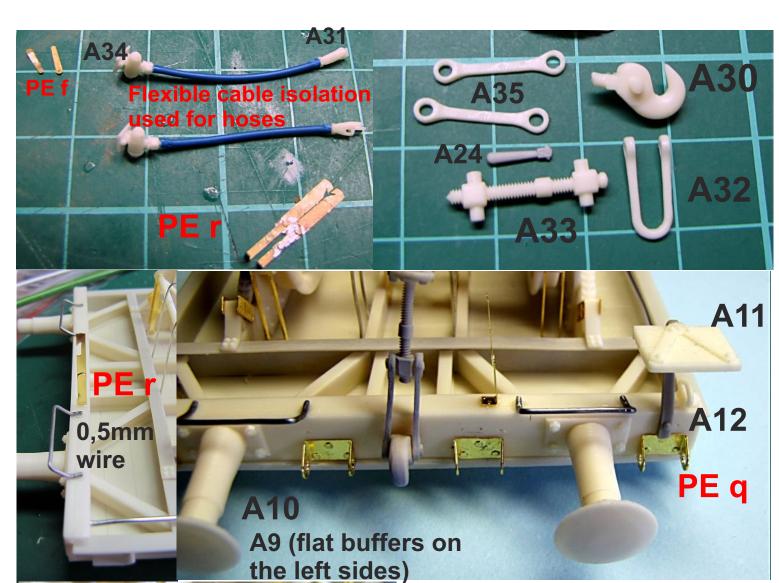
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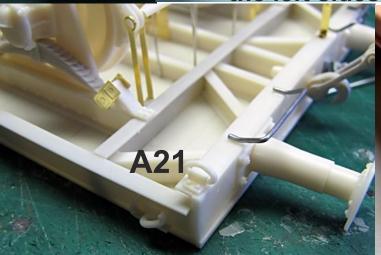
slices of 1mm rod used to cover holes in <mark>PE d</mark>

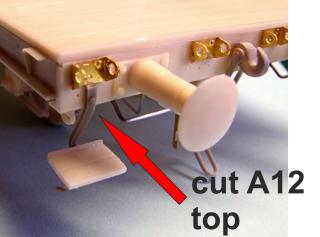
1mm wire with end flattened in pliers connected into brake arms

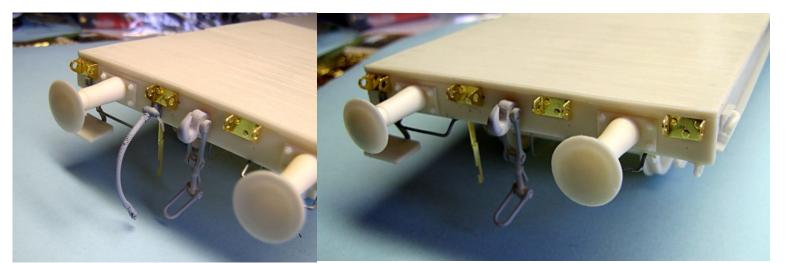












flat buffers assembled on the left sides, only one step board assembled on the right at each end





Painting - metal parts in black, wooden floor in brown-red or worn out dirty wood