

1:32 Hakki Pilke Firewood Processor Kit

1x Body, 1x Conveyor, 1x Elevator A, 1x Elevator B, 1x Lid, 1x Control Panel, 2x Legs, 1x Hinge/Winch, 1x Arch, 1x Saw, 2x Rollers, 1x Rubber Belt, 1x Rubber Strip, 1x Pin Wire, 1x Mesh

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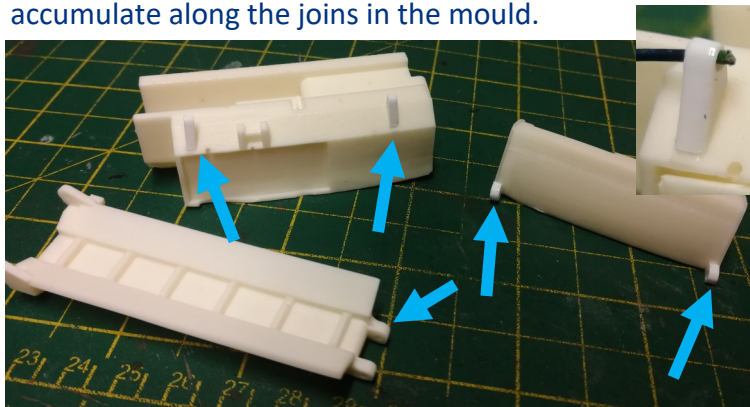
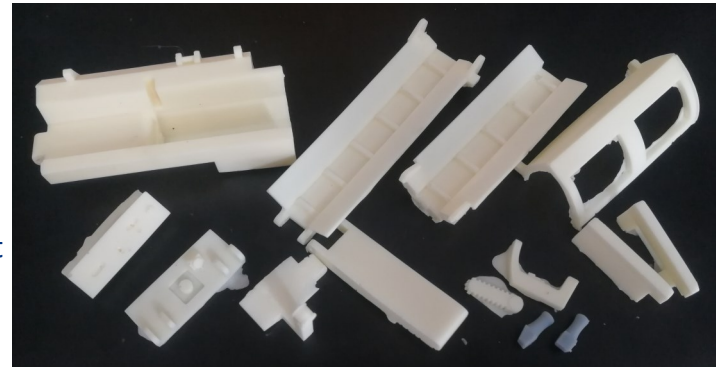
The silicone release agent used in the casting process will react with paint, it must be thoroughly cleaned off before painting.

This is a rough guide to using the kit. Care should be taken at each stage to make sure the model is going together correctly and any alterations that are not in the instructions should be carried out.

Paint: Components can be painted at any time in the build, it is a case of what suits the builder. Modelling paints or automotive spray paints can be used.

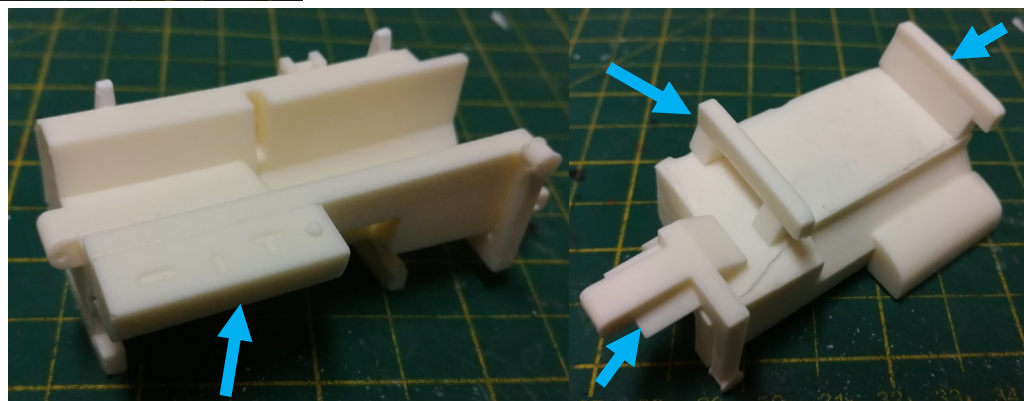
Glue: Recommended glue is contact adhesive or super glue. We used Gorilla Super Glue (Blue Lid)

1 Clean Flash. The first step is to clean the parts in soapy water and, with a craft knife remove any flash left over from the casting process. This is thin lines of material that accumulate along the joins in the mould.

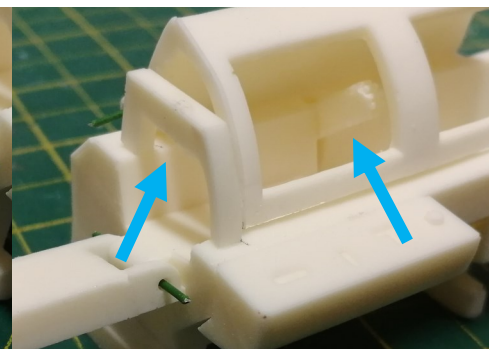
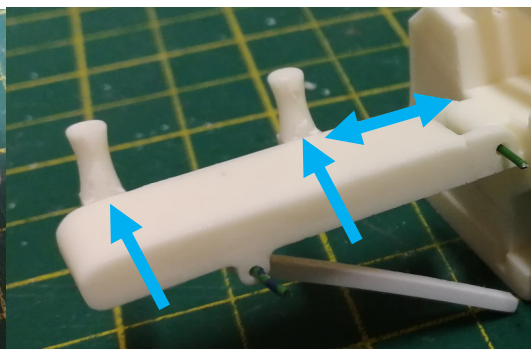
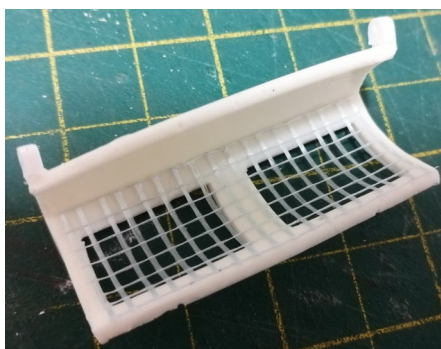


2 Attach Hinges. Due to issues with the casting process some hinges catch air bubbles, where this occurs cut the remaining hinge away and replace with one of the laser cut hinges supplied on the plastic sprue. Typical issues are highlighted in the photo

3 Assemble the main body. Glue the control panel to the front. Glue the legs to the base, the solid leg to the control panel side and the gapped leg to the splitting area side. Glue the conveyor hinge assembly to the splitting side as pictured.



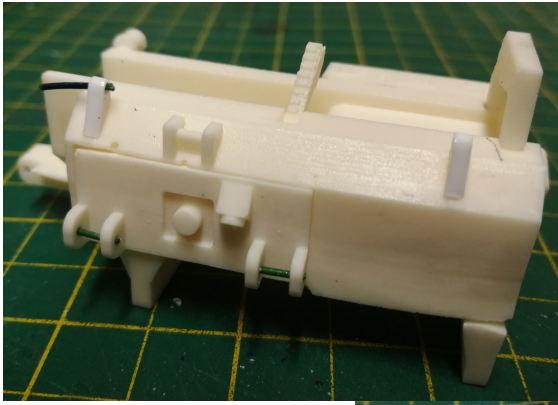
4 Miscellaneous parts. Cut and glue the mesh onto the lid. Glue the rear supports to the infeed propeller. Ensure the support is no closer than 15mm to the end so the conveyor can fold. Glue the infeed arch, saw and cutting axe onto the body. Cut and glue pins into the holes in control panel for levers.



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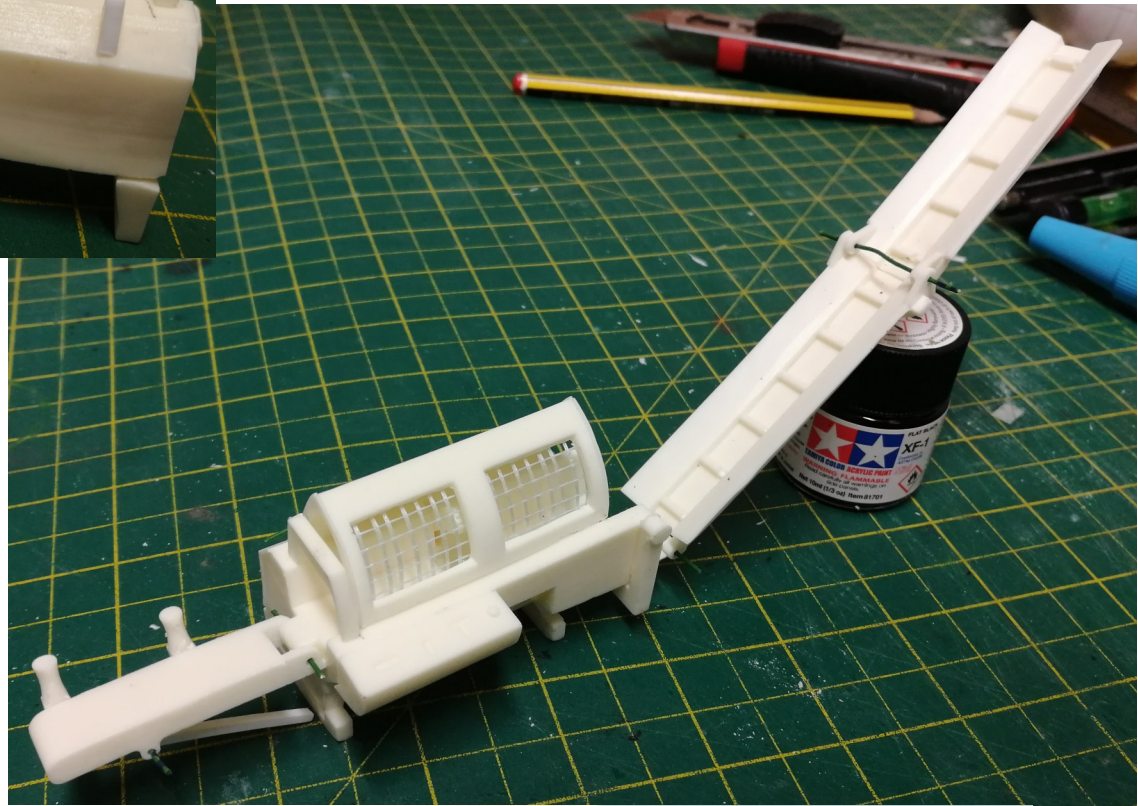
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5 3 Point Linkage. Using some of the pin wire cut two lengths and glue into the holes in the 3 point linkage plate. Glue the plate in the

6 Dry assemble the model. Dry fit the entire assembly as pictured, cut pins from the wire provided and bend with pliers to stop them falling through the hole, don't bend both ends until painted so the pins can be removed.



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7 Paint and assemble. Paint with hobby paints or automotive paint. Fill any air pockets with filler such as Revell Plasto. Ensure parts are thoroughly cleaned before painting to remove any trace of mould release silicone which will react with paint. I have first used a grey plastic primer, for the red I used Halfords Peugeot Cherry Red and for grey Volvo Dark Grey 228. Pick out details with a brush such as saw, levers, splitting axe, winch and infeed rollers.

Once painted water slide decals are applied followed by a coat of clear lacquer to seal them. The thin rubber length is glued in place for the input conveyor and the thick rubber strip holds the output conveyor in place (Cut to desired length to alter conveyor height). The small plastic legs fits in the slot under the infeed conveyor.

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