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SCORPIO

Model kit by Titan Find: www.masterpiecemodels.com

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Casting: Masterpiece Models LLC

Decals: JT Graphics



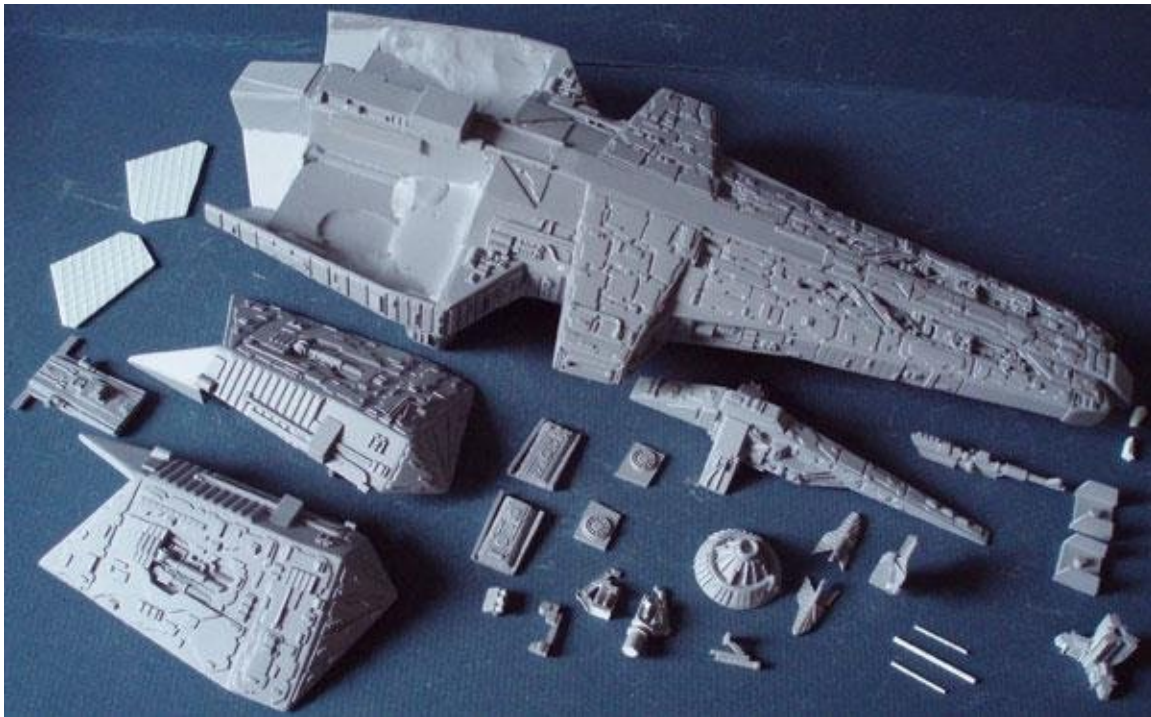
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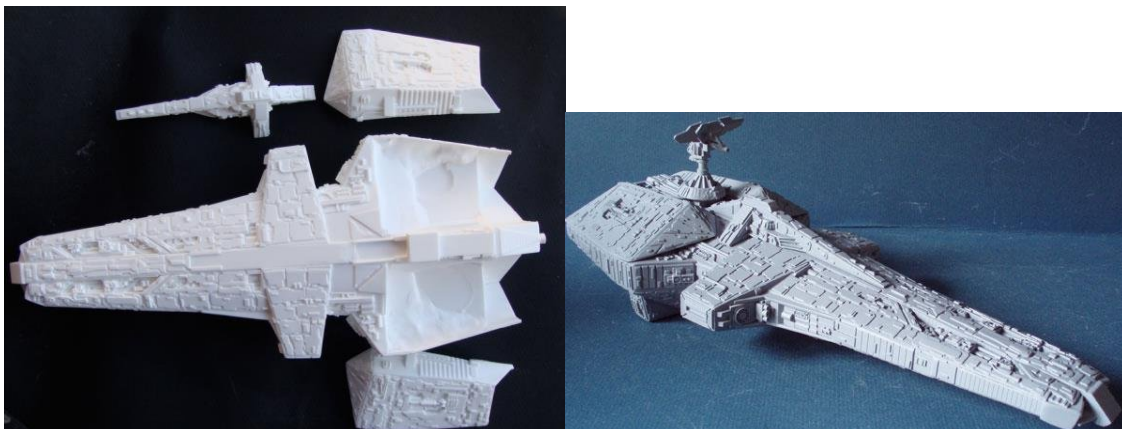
General Instructions

Before assembly please read the instructions and check that all parts are present. While there is not any single correct way to assemble the Scorpio, This kit is made of plastic resin. All parts should be thoroughly washed with soapy warm water in order to remove any mold release as this can affect gluing and painting. Use of superglue is required for assembly. Parts may have flash from the molding process which needs to be removed. Mold lines also need to be carefully removed so as not to destroy any detail.



The Main Body:

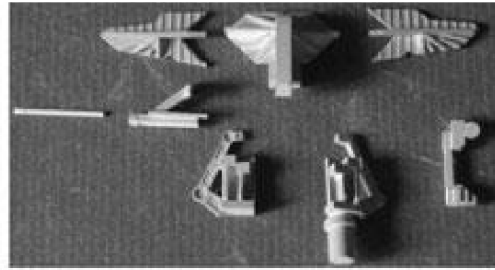
The Scorpio main body consists of one hollow cast piece. There are 2 large engine covers and one cross-shaped bridge piece





The Engine assembly

The engine has two clear grilles, which can be used for lighting effects if desired. These are shown as opaque white grilles in the picture for ease of viewing.

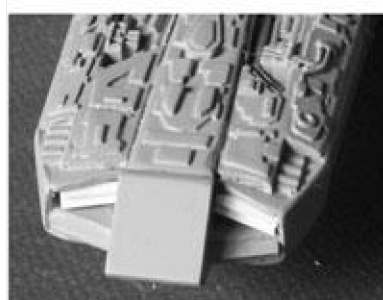
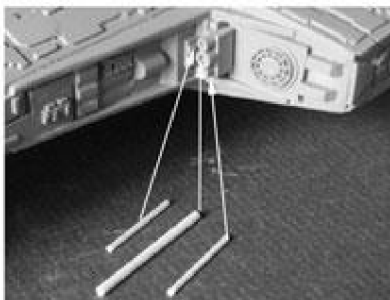
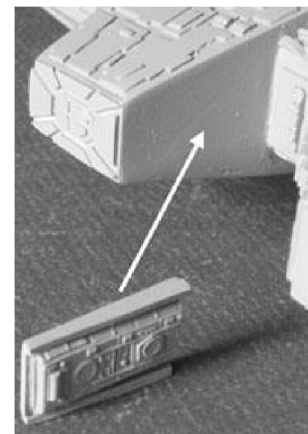
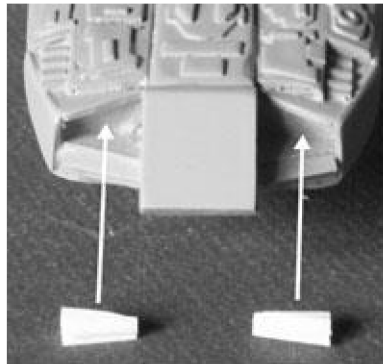
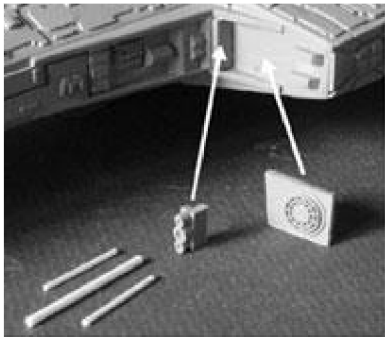


Antennae array:

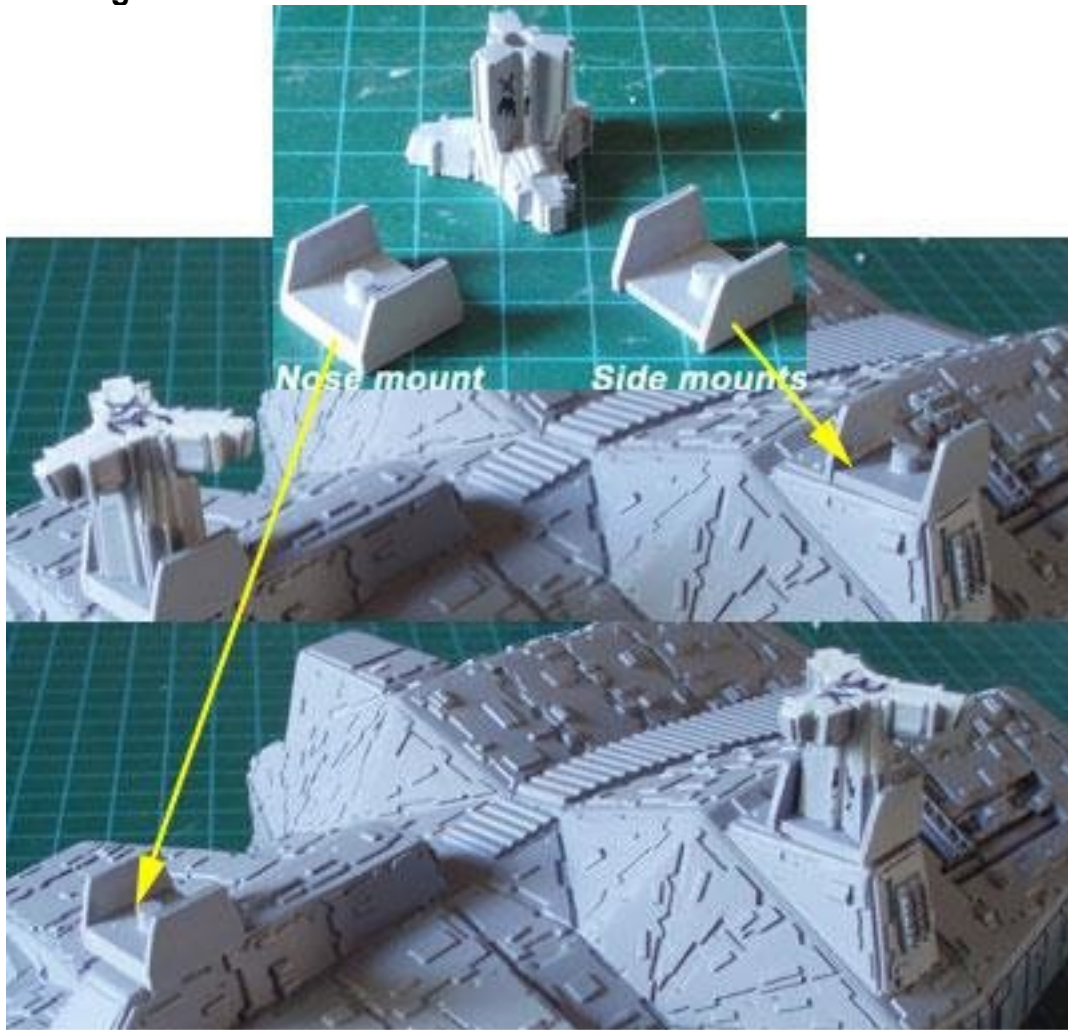
Consists of 9 parts and is mounted in the center rear of the main body.



Detail Parts



Landing Gear:



Main Gun:

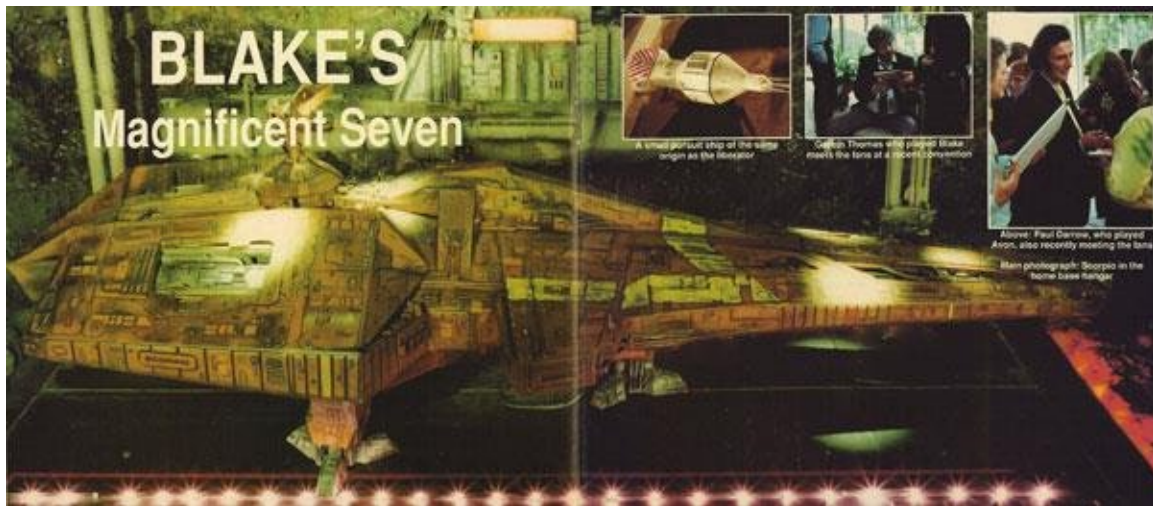


Painting:

The completed model should be washed to remove any grease or oils from handling. Apply the primer in several light coats, misting it over the model rather than spraying on thickly. Thick primer takes longer to dry and can obscure detail.

The Scorpio is mostly several different shades of orange and is heavily weathered. There are several reference pictures of the studio model on the Titan Find site. Please use the pictures to determine your paint scheme.

Once everything is to your satisfaction be sure to clear coat the model to seal your paintwork. Last but not least, it's time to apply the decals. Please read below on how to use the decals provided. Many of the decals will have to be cut to the appropriate size and for placement please refer to the picture provided.



HOW TO USE THESE JT GRAPHICS DECALS

Decals are best applied to a glossy surface. Apply paint or spray a clear gloss coating on your model before applying decals. Carefully cut out the decal from the sheet and, using a tweezers dip the decal into plain water for 5 seconds or until the blue backing changes to a darker blue.

WARNING: Leaving the decal in the water too long may result in the glue washing off the decal. Lay the decal on your work surface for 30 seconds, and then slide the decal off the backing paper into position on your model. Gently blot the excess water. Allow to dry. Apply a second coat of clear finish over the model to seal the decals.

A decal set may be used to help the decal conform to irregular surfaces and hides the decal film. This makes the artwork appear to be painted on the model, rather than applied by decal.

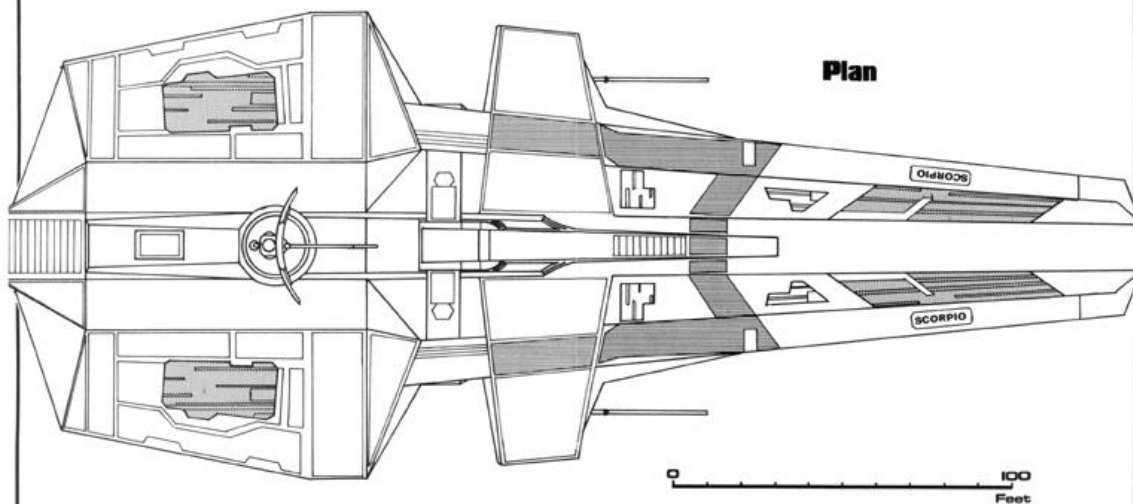
Another method used is to create an equal mixture of water and white glue (Elmer's). Using a brush, apply the mixture to the surface. While still wet, apply the decal. The glue will help the decal adhere to the surface and will dry clear. Once dry, wet a Q-tip and remove any excess glue from the model and decal by brushing out from the center of the decal. Brushing into the center may cause the decal edge to lift.

Important: Please Read

The JTGraphics decals you have purchased are coated with Testor's Clear Flat Lacquer. Using an Enamel clear coat, such as Krylon or Rustolium, may cause damage to the decal.

A known fact is that you can apply lacquer over enamel, but not enamel over lacquer. Therefore, it is suggested that after applying the decals, you only coat (seal) your model with a lacquer clear coat to avoid damaging the decals. Acrylic enamel may not react to the lacquer, but it has not been tested. Another suggestion is to use a piece of the decals (such as the JTGraphics logo or an optional decal that you do not plan on using) and test it. Apply your test decal to a painted surface similar to the one you will be applying to and test the clear coat you wish to use.

Besides using Testor's Clear Lacquer as a sealer, you can also use Future Floor Wax as a clear coat.



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Planet Hopper (Mk I)**



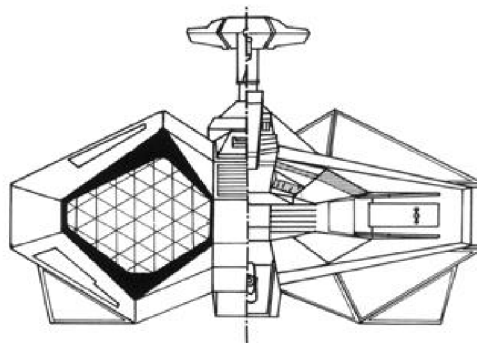
SURFACE DETAIL SIMPLIFIED/OMITTED FOR CLARITY

Elevations

UNLADEN MASS: 4,752 TONS
 OVERALL LENGTH: 337 FEET
 OVERALL HEIGHT: 114 FEET
 OVERALL BREADTH: 140 FEET
 ORIGINAL MAXIMUM SAFE CRUISING SPEED: T.D. 5
 MAXIMUM SAFE CRUISING SPEED (PHOTONIC DRIVE):
 EQUIVALENT TO T.D. 15 IN REAL TIME
 MAIN DRIVE:
 4 x Mk. III T.D. HYPERDRIVE (MODIFIED TO Mk II REAL TIME PHOTONIC DRIVE)
 POWER CAPACITY AT MAXIMUM SAFE CRUISING SPEED: 95 HOURS
 CARGO CAPACITY: 1,270 TONS

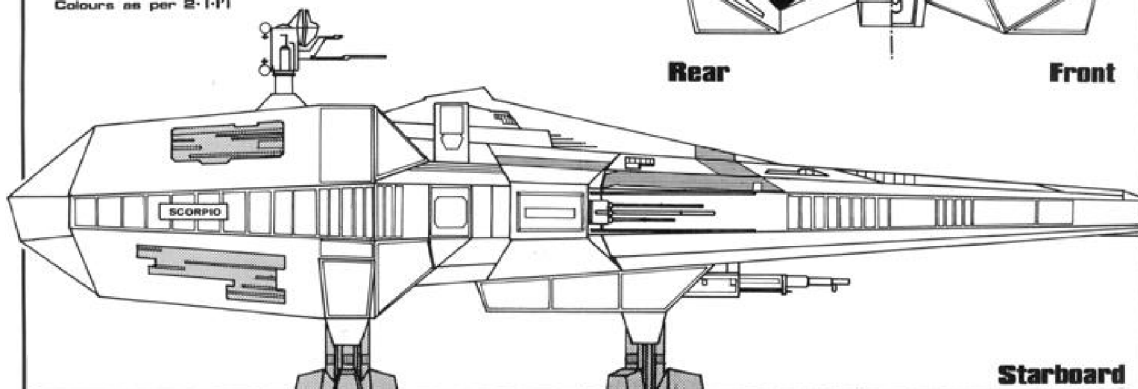


Colours as per 2-1-1



Rear

Front



Starboard