

### Wheels of Time HD-21 Crawler / Dozer Assembly & Decoration Instructions for HO and N scales

Product Item Nos. 30901, 30902, 97001, 97004; REV 8-2021

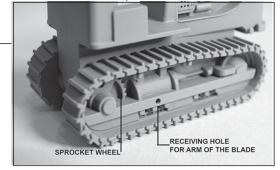
#### **General Instructions**

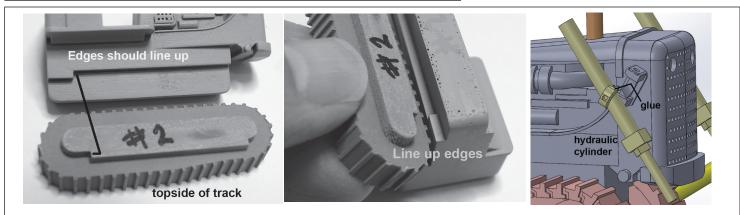
- 1. Wash body, tracks in soap water; rinse + dry. Wash 3D acrylic parts in "Simple Green" with a toothbrush to remove any left over wax, rinse in water + dry. (HO scale blade is made of PA12 nylon no need to wash).
- 2. Spray primer such as Tamiya gray primer. Primer helps the paint adhere to the surface.
- 3. Paint parts for orange or tractor yellow. Tamiya Acrylic paints: X-6 Orange, Acrylic X-8 yellow w/several drops
- of orange to darken the yellow to "tractor" yellow. Brown paint for exhaust pipe.
- 4. Assemble with CA glue (medium viscosity super glue).
- See below for assembly instructions.
- 5. Decal tractor. Cut decal as close as possible to the lettering. Use Micro Sol setting soln.
- 6. Spray clear coat to protect decals.

#### Assembly instructions

- A. Test fit all parts!
- B. Line up both tracks with body.\*\* Notice that the sprocket wheel is located at
- the rear of the tractor; The flat portion of the tread is the bottom against the ground.
- \*\* For Crawler only With a toothpick, apply CA glue (medium viscosity) along the edges between the track and body where they meet. Fit and glue exhaust pipe.

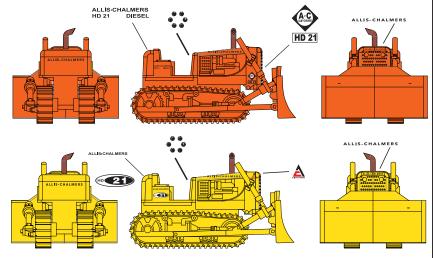
\*\* For Dozer only - Fit **one-piece blade** into receiving holes in tracks. Then **slide** the body into place to test fit. If all is well, add glue in place. Hydraulic Cylinder: Noticed the orientation of the part. Glue in place. Fit and glue exhaust pipe.





#### Paint & Lettering Diagram

Orange HD-21, production models from 1954 - early 1960s.



Yellow Tractor HD-21, production models from early-mid 1960s - 1969

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Part list for your HD-21

Body Left Track Right Track Exhaust Pipe (*the dozer has the additional below parts*) Left & Right Hydraulic Cylinder One Piece Blade and Arm (*HO version is made of PA 12 nylon for additional strength.*)

**Decals are available separately.** Please see our web site for information. HO scale decal item #980121 N scale decal item # 980021



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