

1:10 Scale 4WD Electric Off Road Competition Buggy Kit





#90037 RC10B74.2D TEAM KIT

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:: Introduction

Thank you for purchasing this Team Associated product. This assembly manual contains instructions and tips for building and maintaining your new vehicle. Please take a moment to read through the manual and familiarize yourself with the steps. We are continually changing and improving our designs; therefore, actual parts may appear slightly different than the illustrations. New parts will be noted on supplementary sheets located in the appropriate parts bags. Check each bag for these sheets before you start to build.

:: RC10B74.2 Team Kit Features

Champions by Design

As tires, motors, batteries, and tracks evolve, Team Associated adapts and improves with every iteration of the RC10. The engineers at Team Associated's Area 51 set out to extract more performance from the RC10B74 4WD buggy platform with the introduction of the RC10B74.2 and RC10B74.2D. Our goals were to reduce overall weight, lower the center of gravity, and improve jump and bump handling. The differentials were modified to improve rolling speed through turns and increase stability on landings, allowing the buggy to corner faster on high-grip carpet and clay tracks.

The RC10B74.2 and RC10B74.2D introduce molded gearboxes front and rear, which lower the center of gravity by removing weight from high points of the car. The latest 13mm big bore shock technology from Team Associated is included, taking the RC10B74.2 to the next level in jump and bump handling performance. The introduction of gull wing front suspension arms and the inclusion of the LTC gear sets for the differentials make the RC10B74.2 platform easier and more predictable to drive on any track condition.

RC10B74.2D Team Kit Features:

- New lightweight molded gearboxes front and rear
- Two fixed height front gearboxes allowing 0 and +2mm diff height options
- One rear gearbox with RC10B6-style inserts allowing 0, +1, +2, and +3mm diff height options
- New 13mm big-bore threaded aluminum shocks and springs with machined shock pistons for improved bump and jump handling
- New gull wing front suspension arms and mating shock tower for lower center of gravity and better steering predictability
- LTC differential gear sets are included. That reduce binding under power, giving more predictable power delivery
- New battery hold-down system uses inserts to adjust weight bias. O-ring style battery strap with pull tabs
- New larger 3.5mm turnbuckles with updated rod end style ballcups to increase durability and reduce bind in the suspension
- New center bulkhead fan mount that mounts the fan above the motor for better cooling performance
- New -2mm wing mounts for use with slicks and low-profile carpet tires to further lower the center of gravity
- Center differential with 72T and 78T spur gear and 200,000 CST silicone diff fluid
- +3mm aluminum steering rack for optimized bump steer at low ride heights
- 66mm Rear CVA drive shafts and axles for more on-power traction and more predictable driving feel

:: Additional

Your new B74.2 Team Kit comes unassembled and requires the following items for completion (refer to catalog section for suggestions):

- R/C two channel surface frequency radio system
- AA-size batteries for transmitter (#302 alkaline)
- Electronic Speed Control, ESC (#27004, 27033)
- Steering servo (#27117, 27118, 27119)
- R/C electric motor
- Pinion gear (48P), size determined by type/turn or kV of motor
- Battery charger (a peak detection charger, or LiPo compatible charger)
- 2 cell LiPo battery pack (#27382, 27383, 27384)
- Polycarbonate specific spray paint
- Cyanoacrylate glue (CA)(#1597)
- Thread locking compound (#1596)
- Tires and Inserts, Fronts and Rears
- Wheels w/12mm Hex Front Wheels#92095, #92096

Rear Wheels #9695, #9696

:: Other Helpful Items

- Silicone Shock Fluid (Refer to catalog for complete listings)
- FT Body Scissors (#1737)
- FT Hex/Nut Wrenches (#1519)
- FT Universal Tire Balancer (#1498)
- FT Dual Turnbuckle Wrench (#1114)

• FT Body Reamer (#1499)

• Needle Nose Pliers

- Calipers or a Precision Ruler
 Soldering Iron
- Green Slime shock lube (#1105)
- Shock Pliers
- Wire Cutters
- FT Ballcup Wrench (#1579)

Hobby Knife

Associated Electrics, Inc. 21062 Bake Parkway.

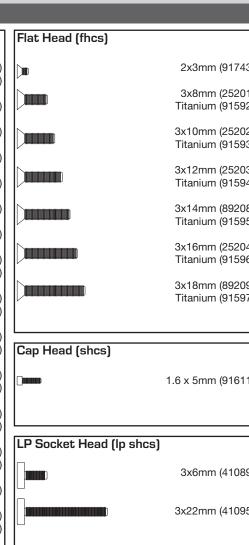
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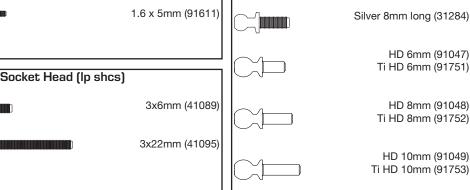
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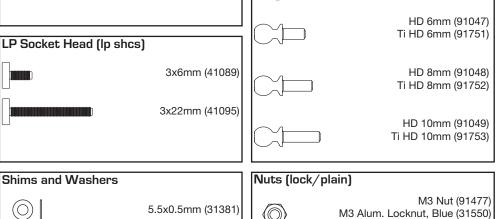
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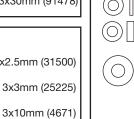
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8) 5)		5x12x4 (91567)
4) 6)		10x15x4 (91563)
9)		
	Ballstuds	
_		Silver 5mm long (31283)







5.5x1.0mm (31382) 5.5x2.0mm (31383) 3x8mm Washer (89218)

M3 Locknut w/Flange (25612) FT 3mm Locknuts, Blue(25392) M4 Locknuts: Serrated Steel LP (91150) Serrated Steel (Silver) (91826) FT Aluminum (Blue) (31551) Serrated Aluminum (Black) (91738)

M3 Locknut, Black (25215



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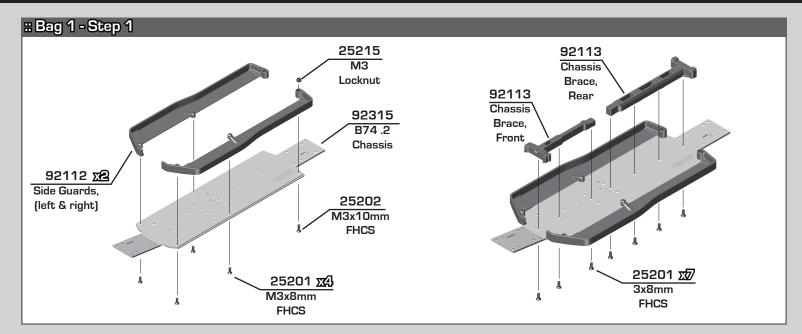


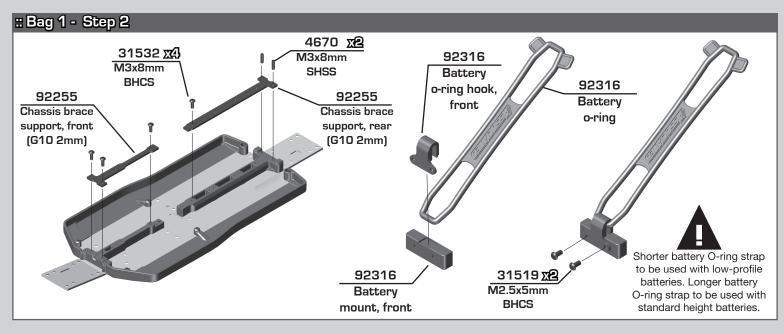
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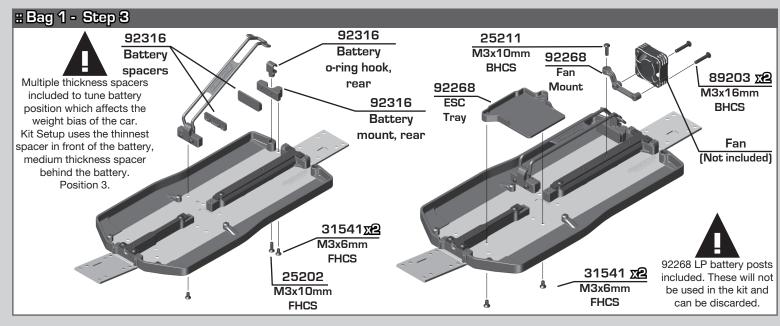
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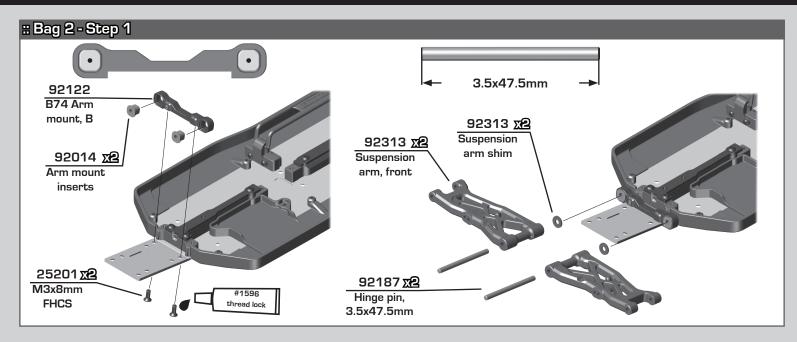


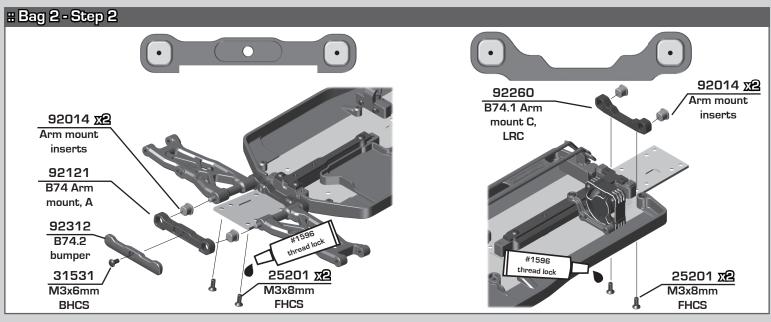
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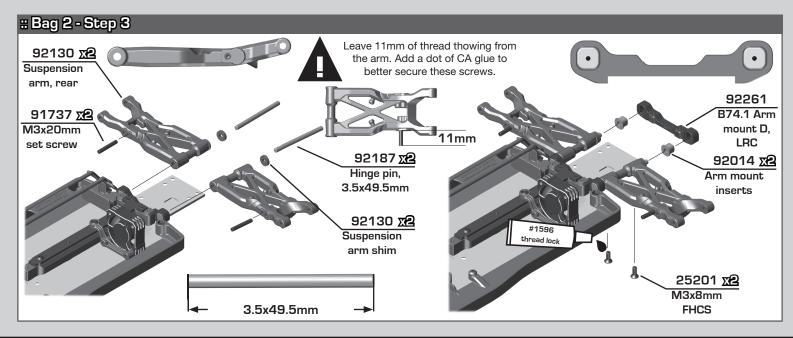


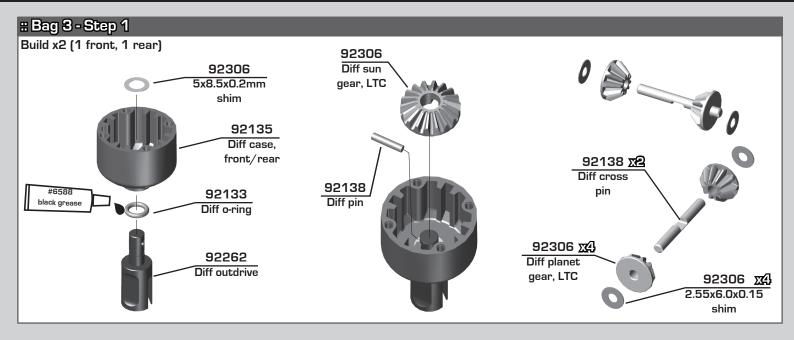


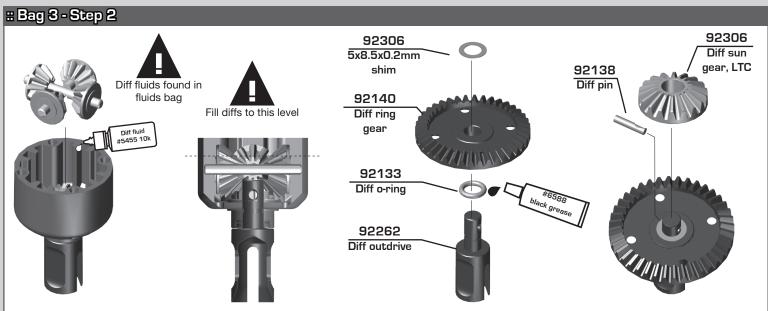












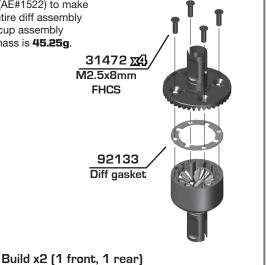
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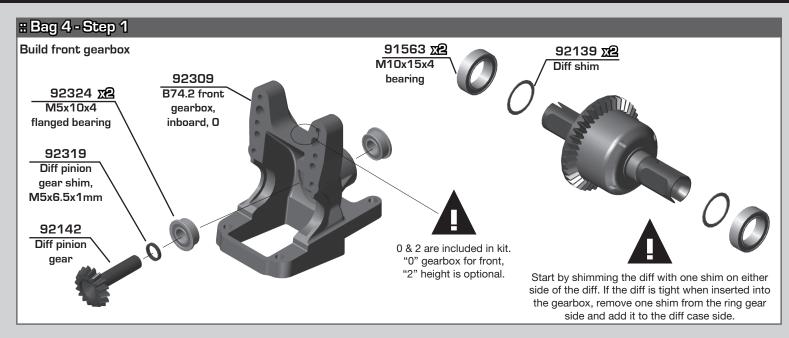
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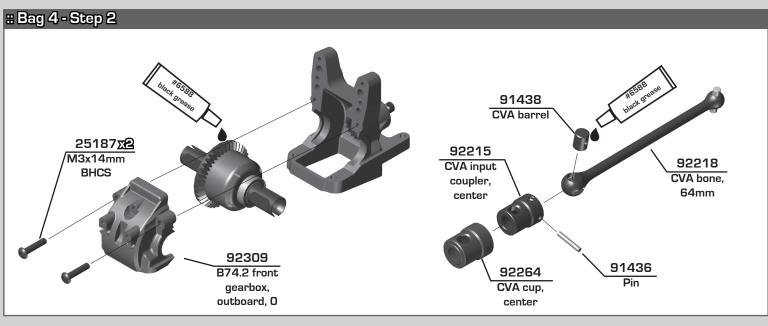
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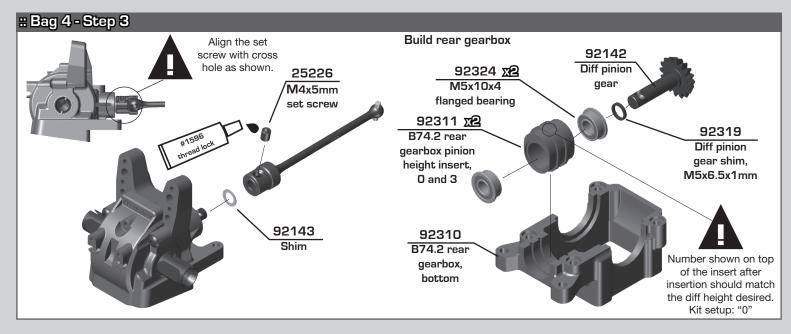
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Center Differential	43.75	34.5		

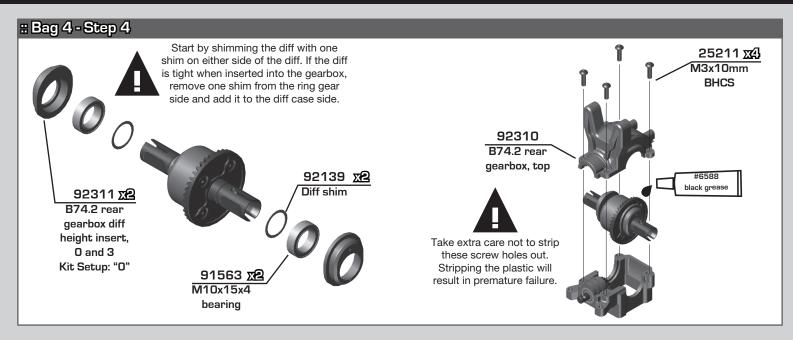


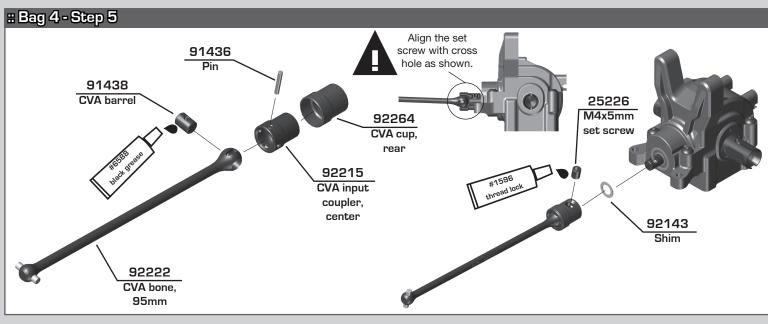


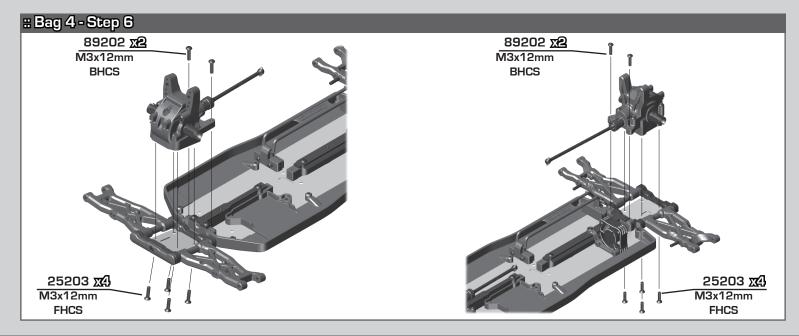


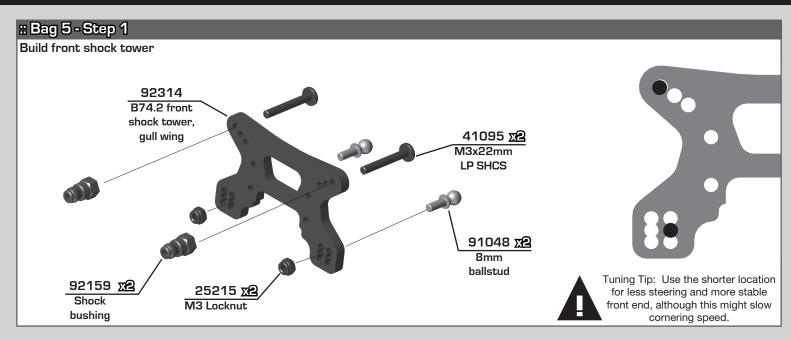


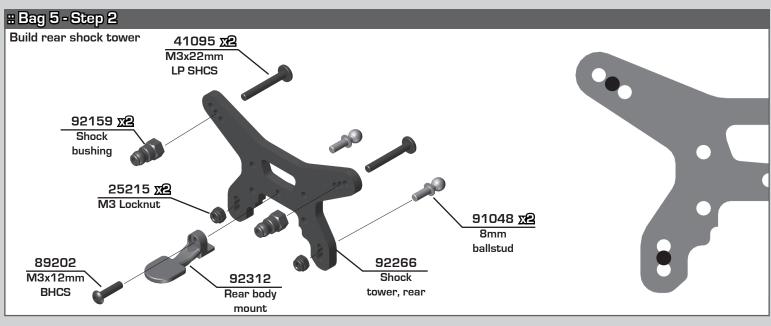


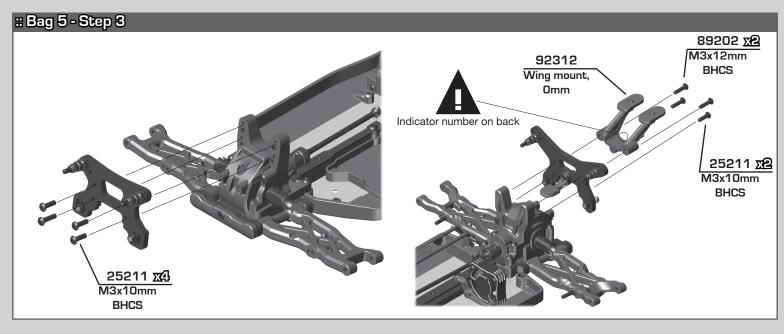


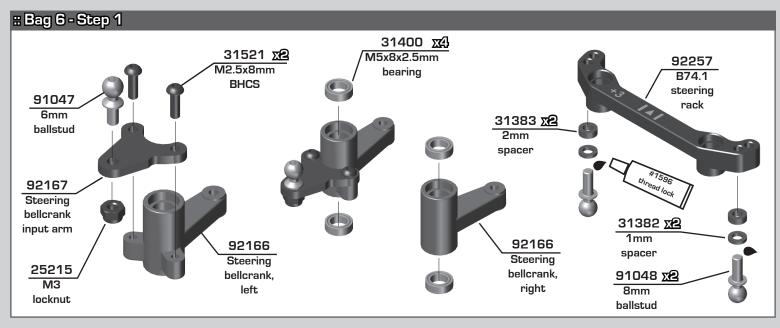


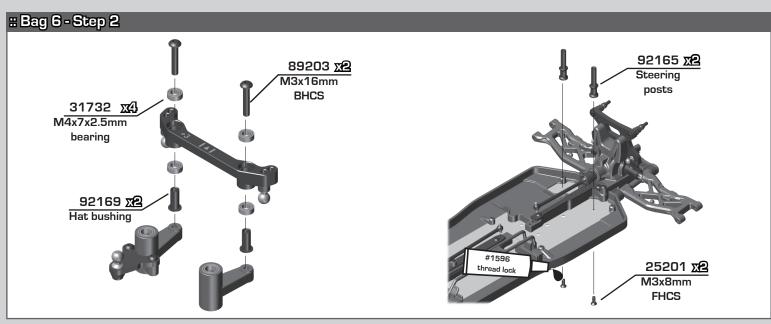


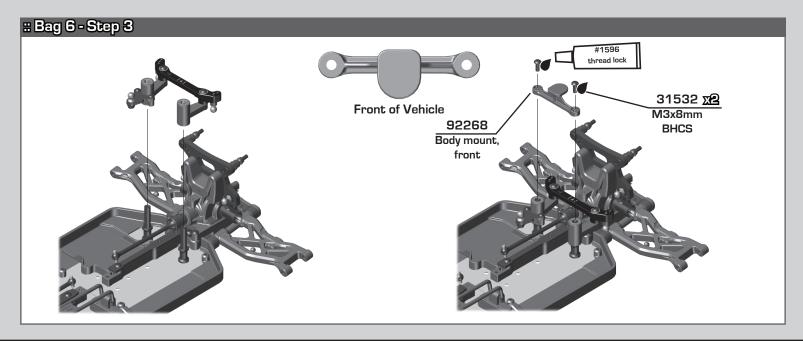


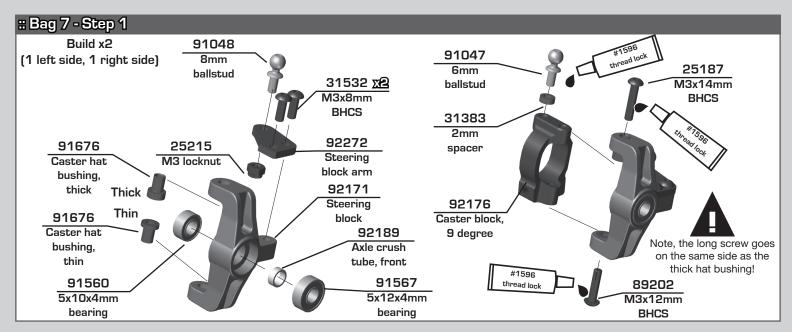


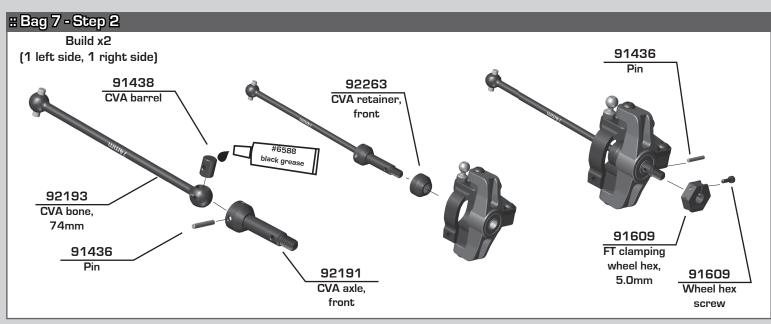


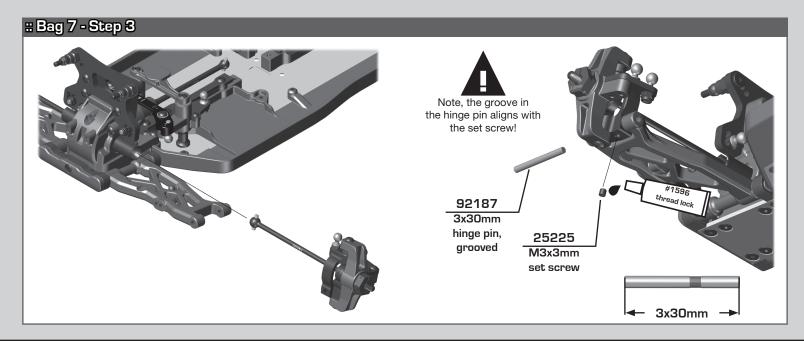


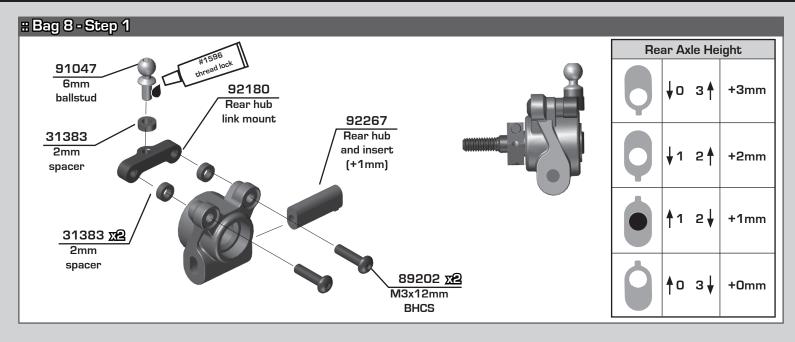


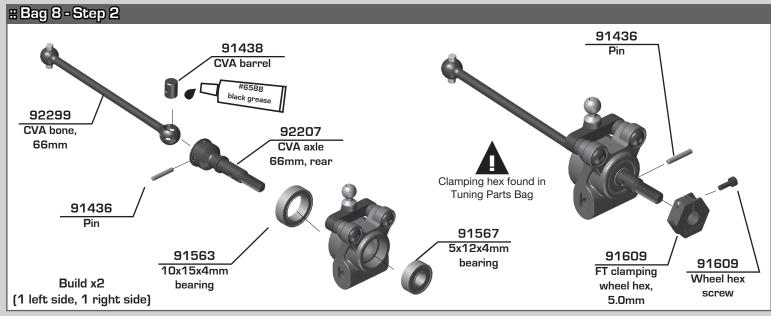


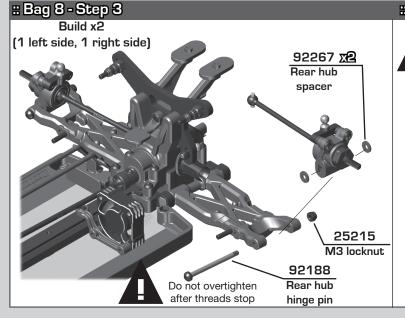






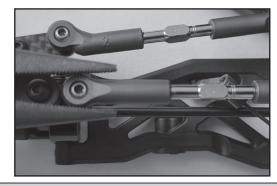


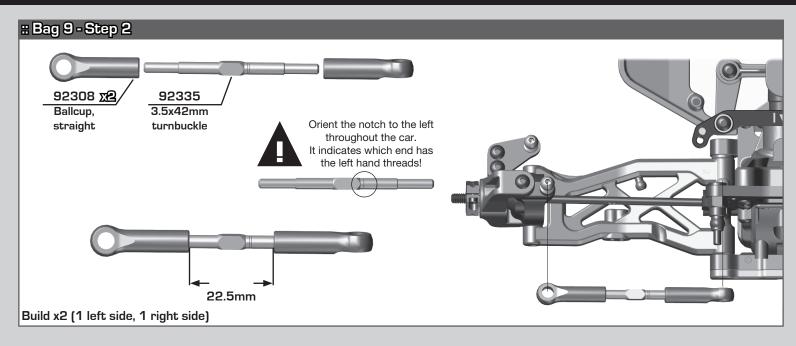


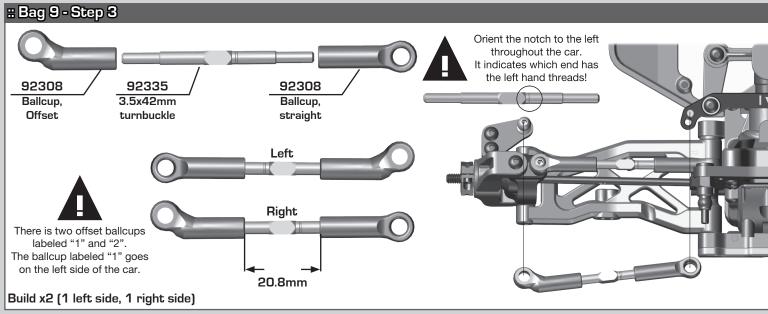


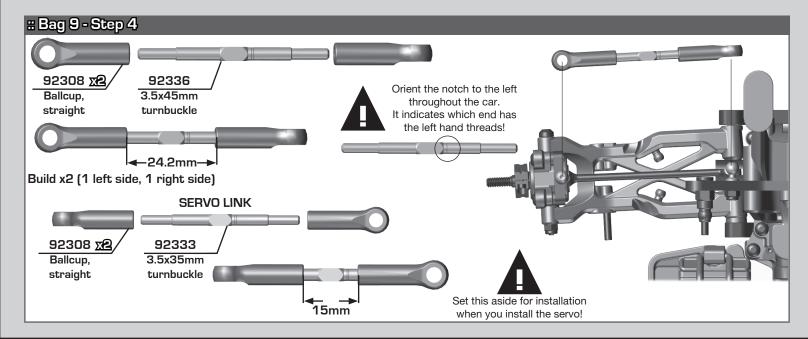
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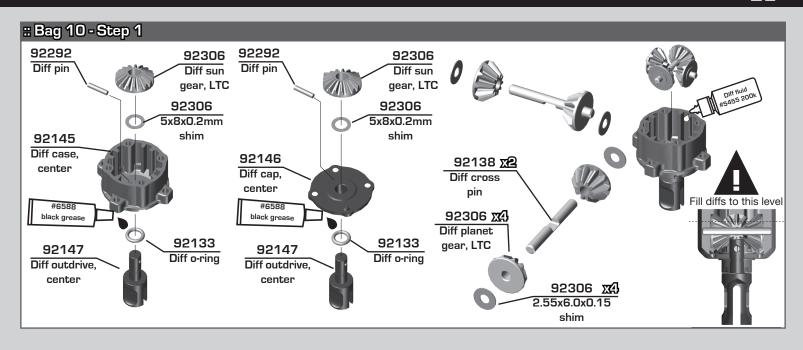
It is important that the turnbuckle eyelets move freely once snapped on to the ballstud. If the fit is too tight, the car handling will be inconsistent. To check, grab turnbuckle eyelet with fingers and rotate the cup. If there is resistance, lightly squeeze ball cup with needle nose pliers as shown and test again. It is important that the ball cup be snapped onto the ballstud before squeezing with needle nose pliers. Be sure to check and adjust the fit for each ball cup that is installed.







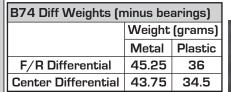


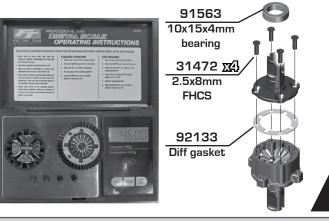


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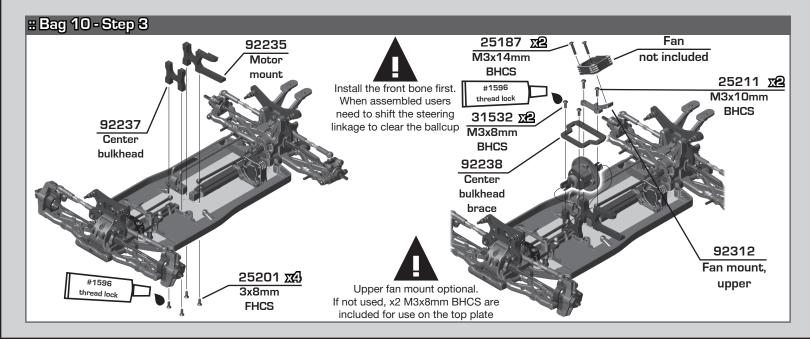
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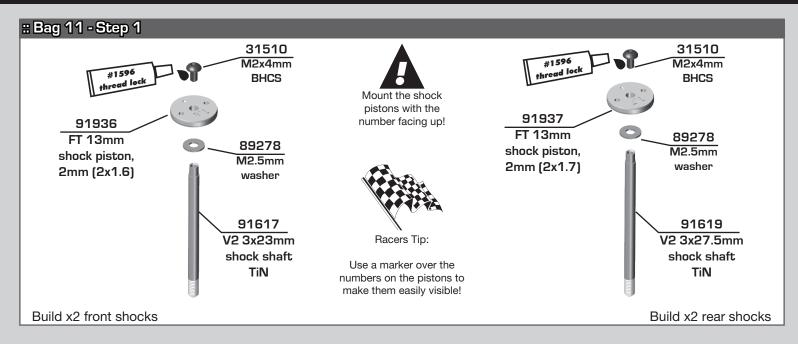
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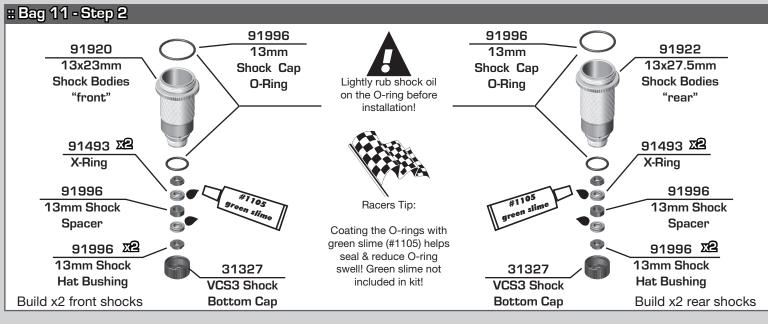


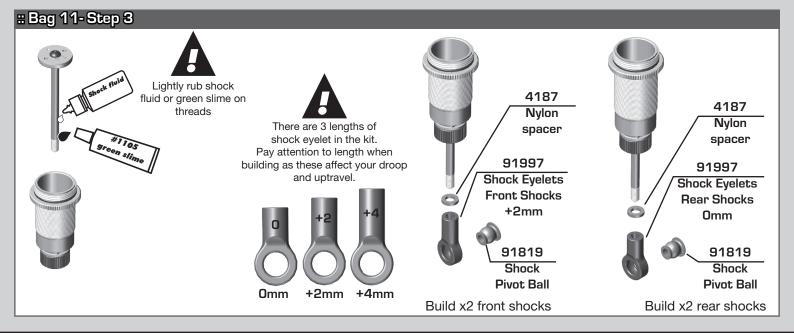


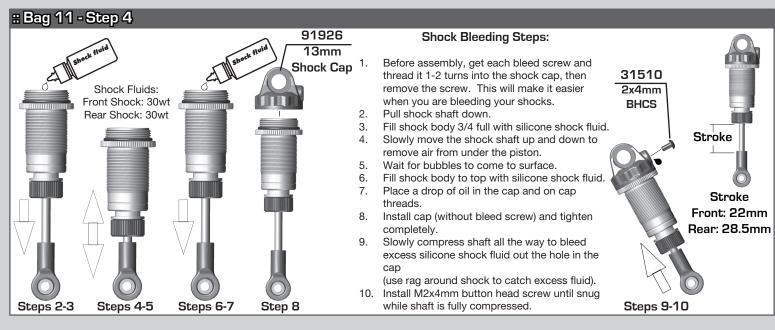


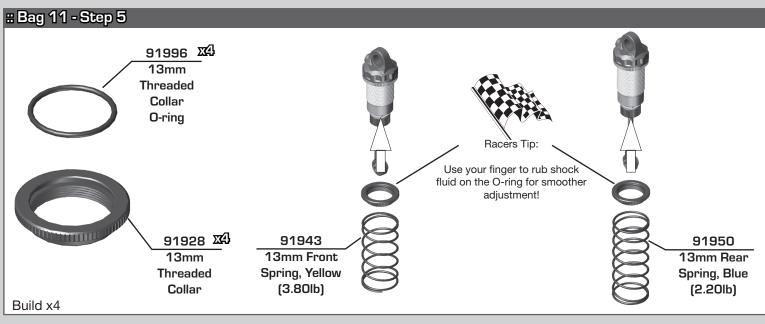


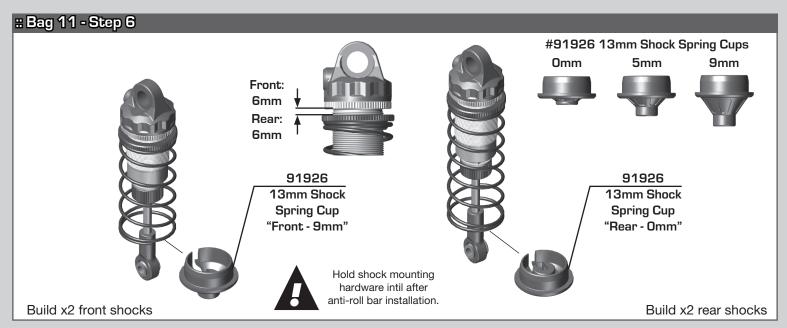


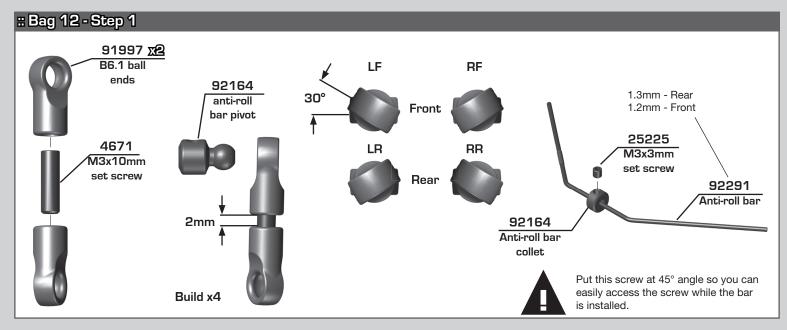


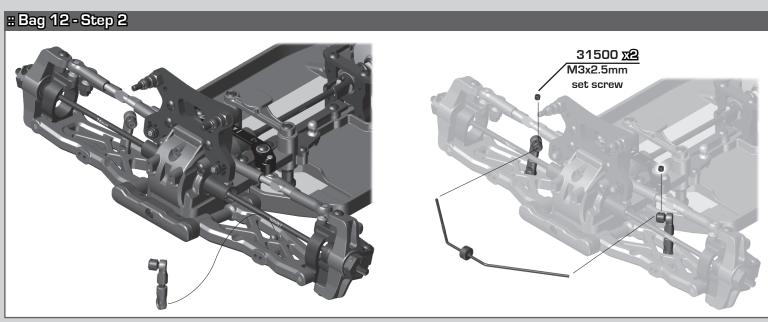


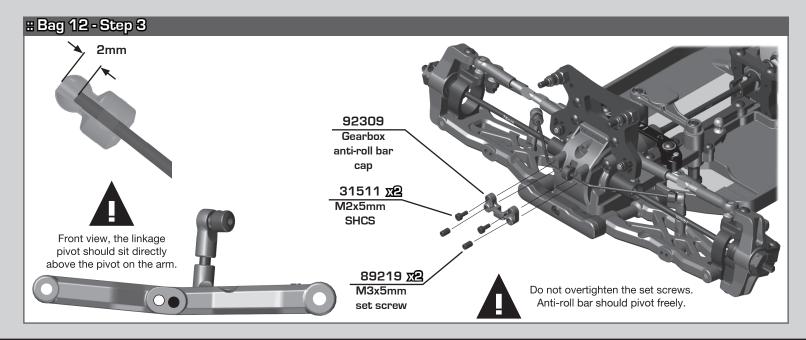


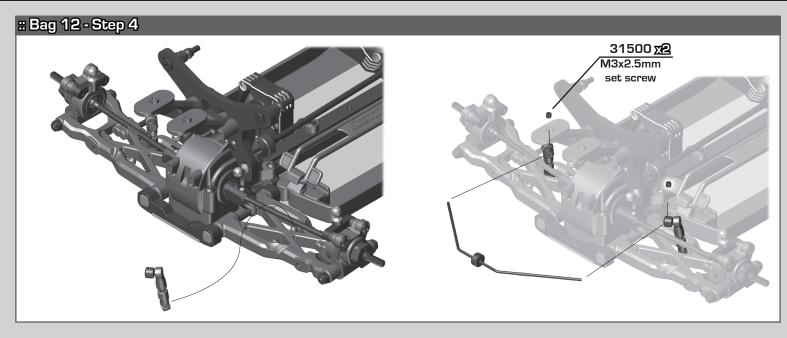


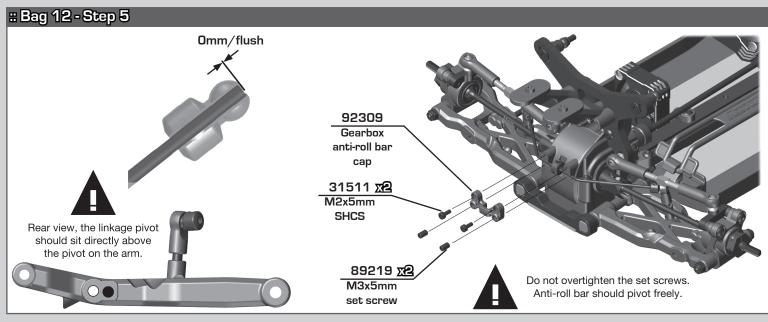


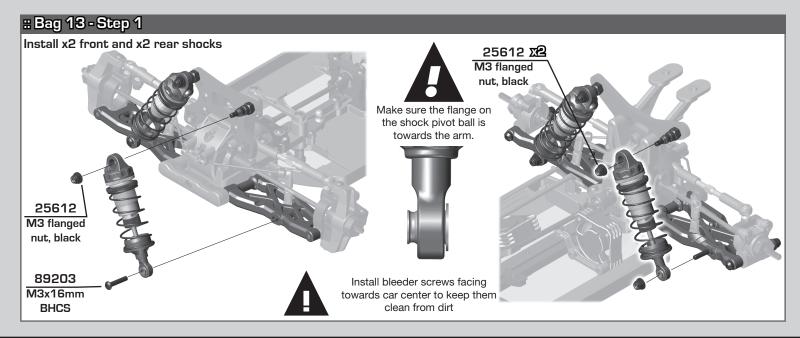


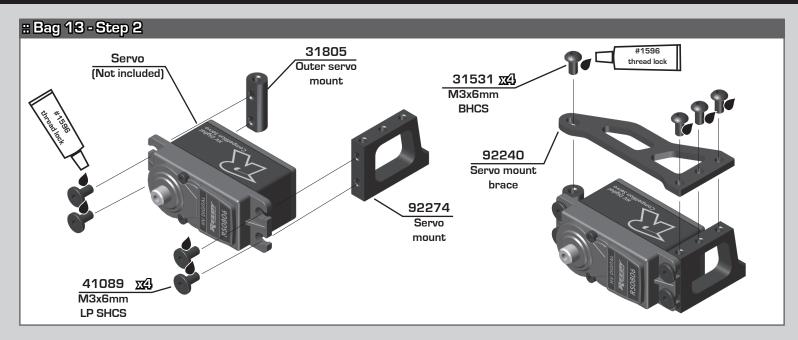


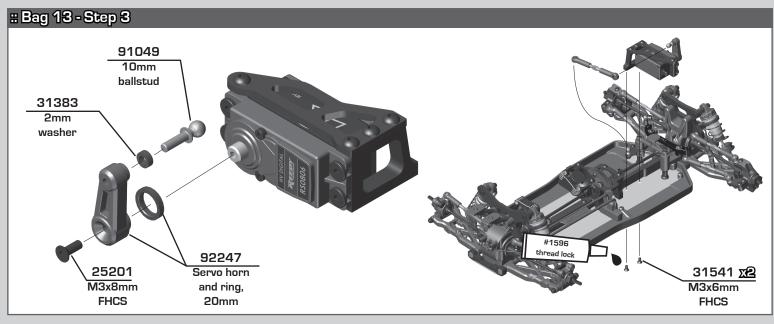


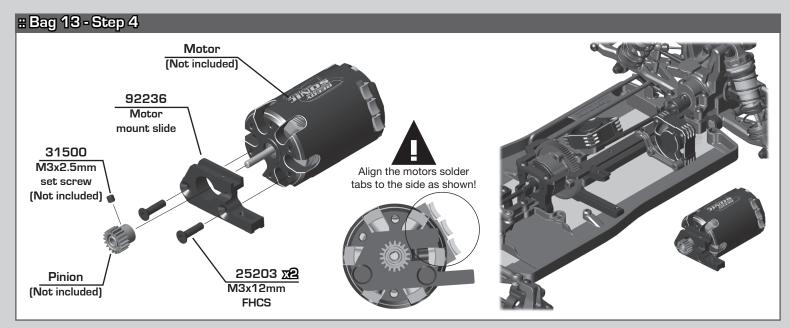


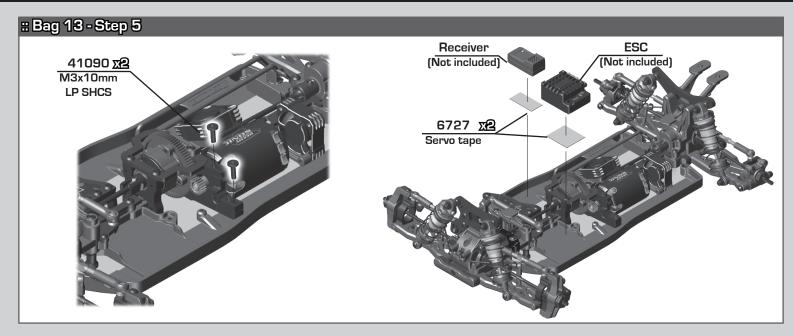


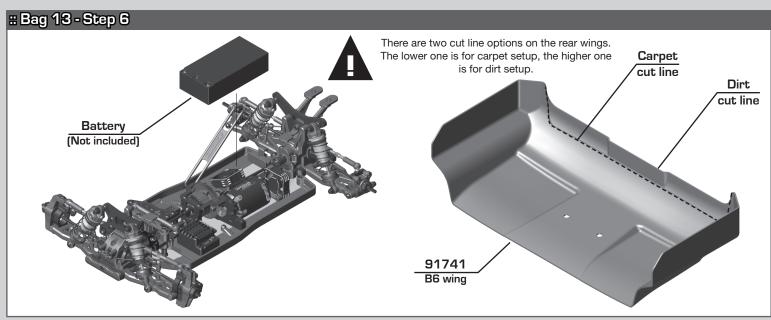


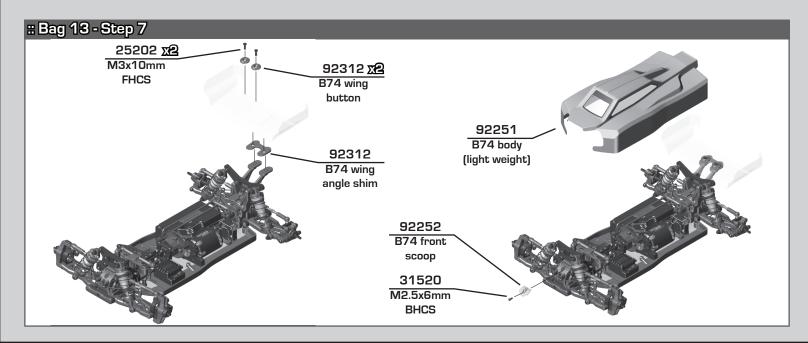












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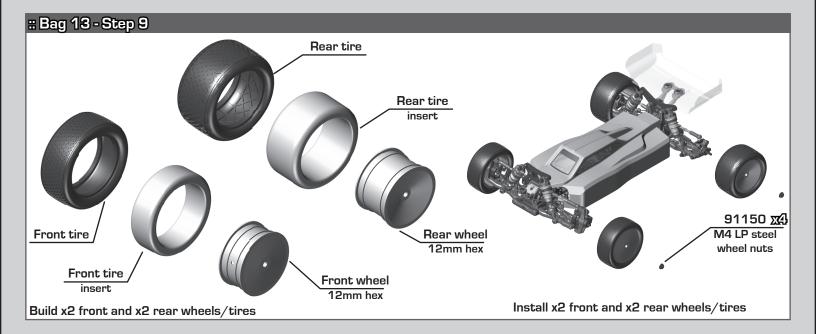


Trim the body using the pictures below as your guides.









:: Tuning Tips - Painting, Beginners

Painting:

Your Kit requires a clear polycarbonate body. You will need to prep the body before you can paint it.

Wash the INSIDE thoroughly with warm water and liquid detergent (do not use any detergents with scents or added hand lotion ingredients!). Dry the body using a clean, soft, lint-free cloth. Use the supplied window masks to cover the windows from the INSIDE of the body (RC bodies get painted on the inside). Using high quality masking tape, apply tape to the inside of the body to create a design. Spray (use either rattle can or airbrush) the paint on the inside of the body (preferably dark colors first, lighter colors last). NOTE: ONLY use paint that is recommended for (polycarbonate) plastics. If you do not, you can destroy the body! After the paint has completely dried (usually after 24 hours), cut the body along the trim lines. Make sure to drill or use a body reamer to make the holes for the antenna if needed! Use hook and loop tape to secure the body to the side rails of the vehicle.

Tips for Beginners:

Before making any changes to the standard setup, make sure you can get around the track without crashing. Changes to your vehicle will not be beneficial if you can't stay on the track. Your goal is consistent laps. Once you can get around the track consistently, start tuning your vehicle. Make only ONE adjustment at a time, testing it before making another change. If the result of your adjustment is a faster lap, mark the change on the included setup sheet (make adddtional copies of the sheet before writing on it). If your adjustment results in a slower lap, revert back to the previous setup and try another change. When you are satisfied with your vehicle, fill in the setup sheet thoroughly and file it away. Use this as a guide for future track days or conditions. Periodically check all moving suspension parts. Suspension components must be kept clean and move freely without binding to prevent poor and/or inconsistent handling.

:: Tuning Tips - Front Arm Mount Pill Insert Setups

B Mount

B Mount

(1)

Standard Position

Use this position as a reference when changing pill locations.

> Kick-up: 8° Roll Center: +0 Pin Width: +0

> > Pin Width

More distance = wider pivot

Less distance = narrower pivot

Pin Height Higher pin = Higher roll center Lower Pin = Lower roll center A Mount

A Mount



0

(i)

(3)

0

(9)

(1)

= +1.4mm

= +0.7mm

= -1.4mm

= +0.7mm

= +0.35mm

= -0.35mm

= -0.7mm

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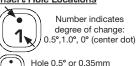
= -0.7 mm

= 0mm

= 0 mm= -0.7mm



Insert Hole Locations



from center

Hole 1.0° or 0.7mm from center

The aluminum front arm mounts utilize eccentric pill inserts to make fine adjustments to kick-up, pin height, and pin width. Adjustments can be made using the supplied inserts (#92014)



More angle = More kick up Less angle = Less kick up



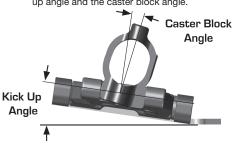
A Mount (i) |= 8°

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		(i) = 7°
		(i) = 6°
(1)		o = 9°
		O = 8°
(I)		O = 7°
		(P) = 10°
0		(E) = 9°

Total Caster Angle

Total caster angle is the sum of the kick up angle and the caster block angle.



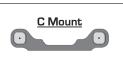
			Kick	Up A	ngle	
		6°	7°	8°	9°	10°
Jock e	8°	14°	15°	16°	17°	18°
Caster Block Angle	9°	15°	16°	17°	18°	19°
Casi	10°	16°	17°	18°	19°	20°

:: Tuning Tips - Rear Arm Mount Pill Insert Setups

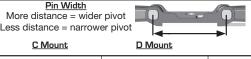
Standard Position

Use this position as a reference when changing pill locations.

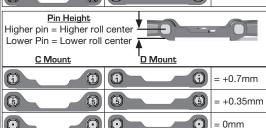
> Toe: 3° Anti-Squat: 2° Roll Center: +0 Pin Width: +0





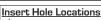






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Possible Insert Locations (*.5))((.5))((is *) (• rù))((•))((n •))((¬ •





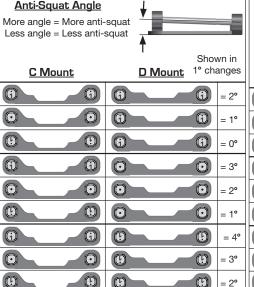
Number indicates degree of change: 0.5°,1.0°, 0° (center dot)

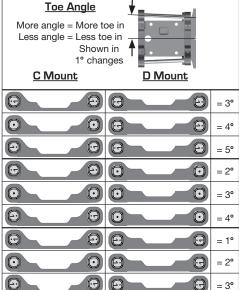
Hole 0.5° or 0.35mm from center

Hole 1.0° or 0.7mm from center

= 2°

The aluminum front arm mounts utilize eccentric pill inserts to make fine adjustments to kick-up, pin height, and pin width. Adjustments can be made using the supplied inserts (#92014)





RCLO		Kit Setu	p - Dirt			vent			
	Date:			Tracks_					
TEAMKIT	Quality		Te: 🗆	Mala			Bes		
Front Suspension:									
Ride Height: 18mm				Ш			Axi	le Height:	
Camber: -1deg	1 2 0						+3	+2 +1	0 🗌
Toe: 1deg	Front Cha	ssis Brace S	crews: Ball S	tud Spaci	ing: 3mm		Ba	II Stud Spacing:	Omm
Anti-Roll Bar: 1.2mm	9			-					
Arm Type: Gull Wing - Standard		0					Ste	eering Plate: Kit	t - "O"
Tower Type: Gull Wing) <u> </u>		
Wheelbase Shim: 1mm behind arm	Arm Mou	nt A : 1°	0 .5° □	Diff H	leight:			3	21
Wheel Hex: 5.0mm		Gray	Black	+2		Ball 9	Stud Spacing:	2mm	
Caster Block: 8 ° 9 ° 10 °				+0				3	206
Chassis Brace Support: 2mm G10								2	385
Top Plate Brace: None	Arm Mou	nt B: 1°	0 .5° □	l	41111				
Front Axles: CVA DCV		Gray	Black		****			74mm	
Notes:	000		200	•					
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Rear Suspension:									
Ride Height: 18mm	Rear Cha	ssis Brace S	crews:		9	Axle Heig			
Camber: -1deg	•	0	0		اقت	0 0 3 4	+3		
Anti-Roll Bar: 1.3mm						○ ▼ 1 2 ▲	+2		
			0 .5° 🔲			♠ 1 2 ▼	+1		
Wheelbase Shim: 2mm behind arm Gray B			Black			•		³ 2	
Wheel Hex: 5.0mm			88888		L	○ ▲ 0 3 ▼	+0		0
Chassis Brace Support: 2mm G10						C	amber Link Sp	pacing: 2mm	00
Hub Spacing: Fwd Mid Back Back						9		3	
Notes:	Arm Mou	nt D: 1 °	0 .5° 🔲	Diff Hei	ght:		Ball Stud	Spacing: 2mm 2	
		Gray	Black	+3		770			
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Electronics:		Different	ial:		Shocks:		UDA		
Radio: Servo:		Fr	ront Center	Rear			Front	Rear	
EPA: Throttle: % Brake:	%	Fluid: 1	OK 200K	10K	Piston:	2	2x1.6	2x1.7	
ESC: Gears: Met.			letal Metal	Metal	Thickness:		2mm	2mm	
ESC Settings: Type: LTC			TC LTC	LTC	Fluid:		30wt	30wt	
Motor / Wind: Timing: Notes:					Spring:	Y	'ellow	Blue	
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Battery: Slipper Clui			lutch:		Stroke:	2	2mm	28.5mm	- \$\frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \fr
Battery Position: Type:				1	Eyelet Leng		+2	0	5
Back 1 2 3 4 Forward # of Pads:				i	Cup Offset:		9mm	Omm	
Battery Weight: Setting:					Notes:			•	Ī .
Track Info:			Tires:				Body, Win	ıg, Weight:	
Size: Small Medium Large Extra Large			Front Tires:	Front Tires:			Body:	Kit - Lightweig	ıht
Surface: Dirt Carpet Astroturf Multi Surface			Front Comp	Front Compound:			Front Wing		No
Traction: Low Medium High Very High			Front Insert	Front Insert:			Rear Wing:		
Moisture: Dry Damp Wet			Rear Tires:				Wing Angle	: 0° 🗌	6°
Condition: Indoor Outdoor Dust	y	ard Packed	Rear Compo	und:			Wing Moun		-2 🔲
Bumpy ☐ Grooved ☐ Smo	_	amy [Rear Insert:				Servo Weig		
	Track:		Wheel (F/R): Electronic Weights:						
Notes:			Notes:				Total Vehicl		
Vehicle Comments:									

Date: Track: Gualify: Gualify: Finish: Best Lap Time: Axle Height: Camber: Axle Height: +3 +2 +1	
Front Suspension: Ride Height: Axle Height:	
Ride Height: Axle Height:	
Ride Height: Axle Height:	
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Toe: Ball Stud Spacing: Ball Stud Spacing:	
Anti-Roll Bar: Arm Type: Steering Plate:	
Tower Type:	Oa
Wheelbase Shim: Arm Mount A: 1 ° 0 .5° Diff Height:	320
Wheel Hex: Gray Black +2 Ball Stud Spacing:	
Caster Block: 8 ° 9 ° 10 °	60
Chassis Brace Support:	
Top Plate Brace: Arm Mount B: 1 ° 0 .5°	
Front Axles: CVA DCV Gray Black Gray Black Gray Black Gray Black Gray Black Gray Gray Black Gray Black Gray Gray Black Gr	
Notes:	
Rear Suspension:	
Ride Height: Rear Chassis Brace Screws: Axle Height:	
Camber:	
Anti-Roll Bar:	
Arm Type: Arm Mount C: 1 ° □ 0.5° □ ○ ▲1 2 ♥ +1	
Wheelbase Shim: Gray Black 32	
Wheel Hex:	0
Chassis Brace Support:	
Hub Spacing: Fwd Mid Back	3
Notes: Arm Mount D: 1 ° 0 .5° Diff Height: Ball Stud Spacing:	38
Gray Black +3 +3	
+2	
+1 +0	
CBA	
Electronics: Differential: Shocks:	
Radio: Servo: Front Center Rear Front Rear	
EPA: Throttle: % Brake: % Fluid: Piston:	
ESC: Gears: Thickness:	
ESC Settings: Type: Fluid:	
Motor / Wind: Timing: Notes: Spring:	
Pinion:	Stroke
Battery: Slipper Clutch: Stroke:	######################################
Battery Position: Type: Eyelet Length:	
Back 1 2 3 4 Forward # of Pads: Cup Offset:	
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Battery Weight: Setting: Notes:	
Battery Weight: Setting: Notes: Body, Wing, Weight:	
Track Info: Tires: Body, Wing, Weight:	No
Track Info: Size: Small Medium Large Extra Large Front Tires: Body, Wing, Weight: Front Tires: Body:	No
Tirack Info: Tires: Body, Wing, Weight: Size: Small Medium Large Extra Large Front Tires: Body: Surface: Dirt Carpet Astroturf Multi Surface Front Compound: Front Wing: Yes	No ☐ 6° ☐
Tirack Info: Tires: Body, Wing, Weight: Size: Small Medium Large Extra Large Front Tires: Body: Surface: Dirt Carpet Astroturf Multi Surface Front Compound: Front Wing: Yes Traction: Low Medium High Very High Front Insert: Rear Wing:	
Tirack Info: Tires: Body, Wing, Weight: Size: Small Medium Large Extra Large Front Tires: Body: Surface: Dirt Carpet Astroturf Multi Surface Front Compound: Front Wing: Yes Traction: Low Medium High Very High Front Insert: Rear Wing: Moisture: Dry Damp Wet Rear Tires: Wing Angle: 0°	6° 🗌
Tirack Info: Size: Small Medium Large Extra Large Front Tires: Surface: Dirt Carpet Astroturf Multi Surface Front Compound: Traction: Low Medium High Very High Front Insert: Moisture: Dry Damp Wet Rear Tires: Condition: Indoor Outdoor Dusty Hard Packed Rear Compound: Tires: Body: Front Tires: Front Wing: Yes Rear Wing: Rear Tires: Wing Angle: 0° Rear Compound: Wing Mount Height: 0	6° 🗌
Tirack Info: Size: Small Medium Large Extra Large Front Tires: Body; Wing, Weight:	6° 🗌

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