

#### INTRODUCTION

The XB8E is a high-competition, high-quality, 1/8 electric off-road car intended for persons aged 16 years and older with previous experience building and operating RC model racing cars. This is not a toy; it is a precision racing model. This model racing car is not intended for use by beginners, inexperienced customers, or by children without direct supervision of a responsible, knowledgeable adult. If you do not fulfill these requirements, please return the kit in unused and unassembled form back to the shop where you have purchased it.

Before building and operating your XB8E, <u>YOU MUST</u> read through all of the operating instructions and instruction manual and fully understand them to get the maximum enjoyment and prevent unnecessary damage. Read carefully

and fully understand the instructions before beginning assembly.

Make sure you review this entire manual, download and use set-up book from the web, and examine all details carefully. If for some reason you decide the XB8E is not what you wanted or expected, <u>do not continue any further</u>. Your hobby dealer cannot accept your XB8E kit for return or exchange after it has been partially or fully assembled.

Contents of the box may differ from pictures. In line with our policy of continuous product development, the exact specifications of the kit may vary without prior notice.

#### **CUSTOMER SUPPORT**

We have made every effort to make these instructions as easy to understand as possible. However, if you have any difficulties, problems, or questions, please do not hesitate to contact the XRAY support team at info@teamxray.com. Also, please visit our Web site at www.teamxray.com to find the latest updates, set-up information, option parts, and many other goodies. We pride ourselves on taking excellent care of our customers.

You can join thousands of XRAY fans and enthusiasts in our online community at: **www.teamxray.com** 

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#### FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED AS ABUSE AND/OR NEGLECT.

#### SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Contains:

LEAD (CAS 7439-92-1) ANTIMONY (CAS 7440-36-0)

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

**CAUTION: CANCER HAZARD** 

Contains lead, a listed carcinogen. Lead is harmful if ingested. Wash thoroughly after using. DO NOT use product while eating, drinking or using tobacco products. May cause chronic effects to gastrointestinal tract, CNS, kidneys, and blood. MAY CAUSE BIRTH DEFECTS.

When building, using and/or operating this model always wear protective glasses and gloves.

Take appropriate safety precautions prior to operating this model. You are responsible for this model's assembly and safe operation! Please read the instruction manual before building and operating this model and follow all safety precautions. Always keep the instruction manual at hand for quick

reference, even after completing the assembly. Use only genuine and original authentic XRAY parts for maximum performance. Using any third party parts on this model will void guaranty immediately.

Improper operation may cause personal and/or property damage. XRAY and its distributors have no control over damage resulting from shipping, improper construction, or improper usage. XRAY assumes and accepts no responsibility for personal and/or property damages resulting from the use of improper building materials, equipment and operations. By purchasing any item produced by XRAY, the buyer expressly warrants that he/she is in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulation regarding the purchase, ownership and use of the item. The buyer expressly agrees to indemnify and hold harmless XRAY for all claims resulting directly or indirectly from the purchase, ownership or use of the product. By the act of assembling or operating this product, the user accepts all resulting liability. If the buyer is not prepared to accept this liability, then he/she should return this kit in new, unassembled, and unused condition to the place of purchase.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTES - GENERAL**

- This product is not suitable for children under 16 years of age without the direct supervision of a responsible and knowledgeable adult.
- Carefully read all manufacturers warnings and cautions for any parts used in the construction and use of your model.
- Assemble this kit only in places away from the reach of very small children.
- First-time builders and users should seek advice from people who have building experience in order to assemble the model correctly and to allow the model to reach its performance potential.
- Exercise care when using tools and sharp instruments.
- Take care when building, as some parts may have sharp edges.
- Keep small parts out of reach of small children. Children must not be allowed to put any parts in their mouth, or pull vinyl bag over their head.
- Read and follow instructions supplied with paints and/or cement, if used (not included in kit).
- Immediately after using your model, do NOT touch equipment on the model such as the motor and speed controller, because they generate high temperatures. You may seriously burn yourself seriously touching them.
- · Follow the operating instructions for the radio equipment at all times.
- Do not put fingers or any objects inside rotating and moving parts, as this
  may cause damage or serious injury as your finger, hair, clothes, etc. may
  aet caught.
- Be sure that your operating frequency is clear before turning on or running your model, and never share the same frequency with somebody else at the same time. Ensure that others are aware of the operating frequency you are using and when you are using it.
- Use a transmitter designed for ground use with RC cars. Make sure that
  no one else is using the same frequency as yours in your operating area.
  Using the same frequency at the same time, whether it is driving, flying or
  sailing, can cause loss of control of the RC model, resulting in a serious
  accident.
- Always turn on your transmitter before you turn on the receiver in the car.
   Always turn off the receiver before turning your transmitter off.

- Keep the wheels of the model off the ground when checking the operation of the radio equipment.
- Disconnect the battery pack before storing your model.
- When learning to operate your model, go to an area that has no obstacles that can damage your model if your model suffers a collision.
- Remove any sand, mud, dirt, grass or water before putting your model away.
- If the model behaves strangely, immediately stop the model, check and clear the problem.
- To prevent any serious personal injury and/or damage to property, be responsible when operating all remote controlled models.
- The model car is not intended for use on public places and roads or areas where its operation can conflict with or disrupt pedestrian or vehicular traffic.
- Because the model car is controlled by radio, it is subject to radio interference from many sources that are beyond your control. Since radio interference can cause momentary loss of control, always allow a safety margin in all directions around the model in order to prevent collisions.
- Do not use your model:
  - Near real cars, animals, or people that are unaware that an RC car is being driven.
- In places where children and people gather
- In residential districts and parksIn limited indoor spaces
- In limited indoor space
   In wet conditions
- In the street
- In areas where loud noises can disturb others, such as hospitals and residential areas.
- At night or anytime your line of sight to the model may be obstructed or impaired in any way.

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#### IMPORTANT NOTES - ELECTRICAL

- Insulate any exposed electrical wiring (using heat shrink tubing or electrical
  tape) to prevent dangerous short circuits. Take maximum care in wiring,
  connecting and insulating cables. Make sure cables are always connected
  securely. Check connectors for if they become loose. And if so, reconnect
  them securely. Never use R/C models with damaged wires. A damaged
  wire is extremely dangerous, and can cause short-circuits resulting in fire.
  Please have wires repaired at your local hobby shop.
- Low battery power will result in loss of control. Loss of control can occur due
  to a weak battery in either the transmitter or the receiver. Weak running
  battery may also result in an out of control car if your car's receiver power
  is supplied by the running battery. Stop operation immediately if the car
  starts to slow down.
- When not using RC model, always disconnect and remove battery.
- Do not disassemble battery or cut battery cables. If the running battery short-circuits, approximately 300W of electricity can be discharged, leading to fire or burns. Never disassemble battery or cut battery cables.
- Use a recommended charger for the receiver and transmitter batteries and follow the instructions correctly. Over-charging, incorrect charging, or using inferior chargers can cause the batteries to become dangerously

- hot. Recharge battery when necessary. Continual recharging may damage battery and, in the worst case, could build up heat leading to fire. If battery becomes extremely hot during recharging, please ask your local hobby shop for check and/or repair and/or replacement.
- Regularly check the charger for potential hazards such as damage to the
  cable, plug, casing or other defects. Ensure that any damage is rectified
  before using the charger again. Modifying the charger may cause shortcircuit or overcharging leading to a serious accident. Therefore do not
  modify the charger.
- Always unplug charger when recharging is finished.
- Do not recharge battery while battery is still warm. After use, battery retains heat. Wait until it cools down before charging.
- Do not allow any metal part to short circuit the receiver batteries or other electrical/electronic device on the model.
- Immediately stop running if your RC model gets wet as may cause short circuit
- Please dispose of batteries responsibly. Never put batteries into fire.

#### R/C & BUILDING TIPS

- Make sure all fasteners are properly tightened. Check them periodically.
- Make sure that chassis screws do not protrude from the chassis.
- For the best performance, it is very important that great care is taken to ensure the free movement of all parts.
- Clean all ball-bearings so they move very easily and freely.
- Tap or pre-thread the plastic parts when threading screws.
- Self-tapping screws cut threads into the parts when being tightened. Do
  not use excessive force when tightening the self-tapping screws because
  you may strip out the thread in the plastic. We recommended you stop
  tightening a screw when you feel some resistance.
- Ask your local hobby shop for any advice.

Please support your local hobby shop. We at XRAY Model Racing Cars support all local hobby dealers. Therefore we ask you, if at all possible, to purchase XRAY products at your hobby dealer and give them your support like we do. If you have difficulty finding XRAY products, please check out www.teamxray.com to get advice, or contact us via email at info@teamxray.com, or contact the XRAY distributor in your country.

#### WARRANTY

XRAY guarantees this model kit to be free from defects in both material and workmanship within 30 days of purchase. The total monetary value under warranty will in no case exceed the cost of the original kit purchased. This warranty does not cover any components damaged by use or modification or as a result of wear. Part or parts missing from this kit must be reported within 30 days of purchase. No part or parts will be sent under warranty without proof of purchase. Should you find a defective or missing part, contact the local distributor. Service and customer support will be provided through local hobby store where you have purchased the kit, therefore make sure to purchase any XRAY products at your local hobby store. This model racing car is considered to be a high-performance racing vehicle. As such this vehicle will be used in an extreme range of conditions and situations, all which may cause premature wear or failure of any component. XRAY has no control over usage of vehicles once they leave the dealer, therefore XRAY can only offer warranty against all manufacturer's defects in materials, workmanship, and assembly at point of sale and before use. No warranties are expressed or implied that cover damage caused by what is considered normal use, or cover or imply how long any model cars' components or electronic components will last before requiring replacement.

Due to the high performance level of this model car you will need to periodically maintain and replace consumable components. Any and all warranty coverage will not cover replacement of any part or component damaged by neglect, abuse, or improper or unreasonable use. This includes

but is not limited to damage from crashing, chemical and/or water damage, excessive moisture, improper or no maintenance, or user modifications which compromise the integrity of components. Warranty will not cover components that are considered consumable on RC vehicles. XRAY does not pay nor refund shipping on any component sent to XRAY or its distributors for warranty. XRAY reserves the right to make the final determination of the warranty status of any component or part.

#### **Limitations of Liability**

XRAY makes no other warranties expressed or implied. XRAY shall not be liable for any loss, injury or damages, whether direct, indirect, special, incidental, or consequential, arising from the use, misuse, or abuse of this product and/or any product or accessory required to operate this product. In no case shall XRAY's liability excess the monetary value of this product.

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Disregard of the any of the above cautions may lead to accidents, personal injury, or property damage. XRAY MODEL RACING CARS assumes no responsibility for any injury, damage, or misuse of this product during assembly or operation, nor any addictions that may arise from the use of this product.

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#### **QUALITY CERTIFICATE**

XRAY MODEL RACING CARS uses only the highest quality materials, the best compounds for molded parts and the most sophisticated manufacturing processes of TQM (Total Quality Management). We guarantee that all parts of a newly-purchased kit are manufactured with the highest regard to quality. However, due to the many factors inherent in model racecar competition, we

cannot guarantee any parts once you start racing the car. Products which have been worn out, abused, neglected or improperly operated will not be covered under warranty.

We wish you enjoyment of this high-quality and high-performance RC car and wish you best success on the track!

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#### SYMBOLS USED

Assemble in the

Part bags used



specified order 000

Assemble left and right sides the same way



Assemble front and rear the same

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Pay attention

here

Assemble as many times as specified (here twice)

2x





Apply oil



Apply threadlock



Cut off shaded portion



Use special tool



Cut off remaining material













Ensure smooth non-binding



Use pliers



Follow tip here



Follow Set-up Book



#### **TOOLS REQUIRED**

Phillips 5.0mm (HUDY TOOLS)

= Allen 1.5/2.0/2.5/3.0mm (HUDY TOOLS)

Ball Allen 2.5mm (HUDY TOOLS)

Arm Reamer 3mm/4mm (HUDY TOOLS)

Socket 5.0/5.5mm (HUDY TOOLS)





17mm Wheel Nut Tool (HUDY #107570)





**Snap Ring Pliers** 

Turnbuckle Wrench

(HUDY #181040 4mm)

(HUDY #181050 5mm)



Special Tool for all turnbuckles, nuts (HUDY #181090)



Cross Wrench (HUDY #107581)



Side Cutters (HUDY #189010)



Pocket Hobby Knife (HUDY #188981)



**Needle Nose Pliers** (HUDY #189020)



Scissors (HUDY #188990)



**Body Reamer** (HUDY #107600)



#### **TOOLS & EQUIPMENT INCLUDED**

Silicone Shock Oil (HUDY #106336 350cSt 100ml) (HUDY #106346 450cSt 100ml)



Silicone Diff Oil (HUDY #106431 3000cSt 100ml) (HUDY #106451 5000cSt 100ml) (HUDY #106471 7000cSt 100ml)







## **NOT INCLUDED**

SET-UP BOOK

To ensure that you always have access to the most up-to-date version of the XRAY Set-up Book, XRAY will now be offering only the digital online version at our website at www.teamxray.com. By offering this online version instead of including a hardcopy printed version in kits, you will always be assured of having the most current updated version.

#### **EQUIPMENT REQUIRED**



Steering Servo



Threadlock

Pinion Gear





Speed Controller



Double-sided Tape (HUDY #107875)



LiPo Battery



Tires & Wheels



**Battery Charger** 



Lexan™ Paint

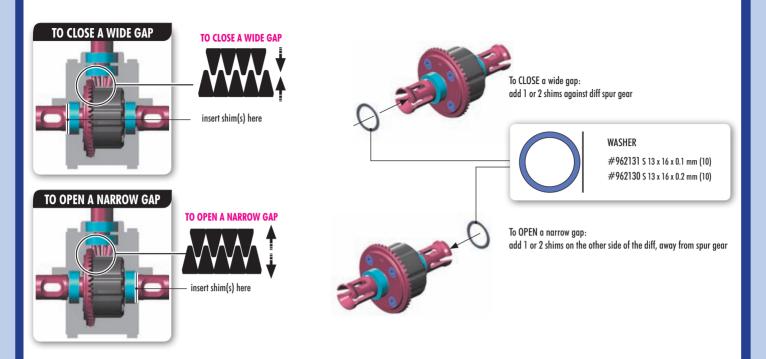




#### FRONT & REAR DIFF GEAR MESH ADJUSTMENT

If there is too much or too little diff side play, this may create non-optimal gear mesh between the diff gear and the pinion drive gear. This is easily resolved by inserting 1 or 2 of the included thin shims behind a diff outdrive ball-bearing, depending on how much play there is.

THE LOCATION OF THE SHIM(S) DEPENDS ON WHETHER YOU ARE TRYING TO CLOSE OR OPEN THE GAP:



#### SUSPENSION & DRIVETRAIN MAINTENANCE

- Check suspension for free movement during building and operation, and especially after running and if you have crashed the car. If the suspension does not move freely, use the appropriate HUDY Arm Reamer to clean and resize the holes of the suspension arms.
- Regularly check the drive shaft pins (both side and center) and if they show any wear must be immediately replaced by new pins. If the car is run with worn pins, excessive wear on the diff outdrives will result. The 106000 HUDY Drive Pin Replacement Tool (for 3mm Pins) is a compact, rugged multi-use tool set for replacing 3mm drive pins in drive shafts. Use the HUDY replacement drive shaft pins 3x14 (#106050).
- Regularly inspect and replace the connecting pins which connect the center drive shafts with the pinion gear, and also the pins that connect the wheel drive shafts with wheel axles. Use HUDY Graphite Grease to lubricate the drive shaft connecting joints and the diff gears.
- Pivot balls and ball-joints will naturally wear for some time and will generate play. If there is too much play the pivot balls and ball joints need to be replaced.
- If the car is run in wet conditions, apply WD-40 ${\mathbb R}$  on all drivetrain parts before the run. After the run, clean and dry the parts again.

#### HUDY SPRING STEEL $^{\text{\tiny TM}}$

The HUDY Spring Steel™ used in the car is the strongest and most durable steel material on the RC market. While items made from HUDY Spring Steel™ are still subject to wear, the lifespan is considerably longer than any other material. As parts made from HUDY Spring Steel™ wear, the brown color will after some time "go down" but it will not affect the strength of the material. The brown color is only a surface treatment and if the brown color will wear the durability of the part will be still strong.



#### DRIVE SHAFT PIN SERVICING

To enjoy the longest possible lifespan of the drive shafts and diff outdrives, it is extremely important to properly service the drive shaft pins. Inspect the pins after every 3 hours of runtime. If the pins show any wear, replace them with new pins.



Do not use drive shafts when the pins are worn.

Press out the worn pins.

Press in new pins and regularly inspect for wear.

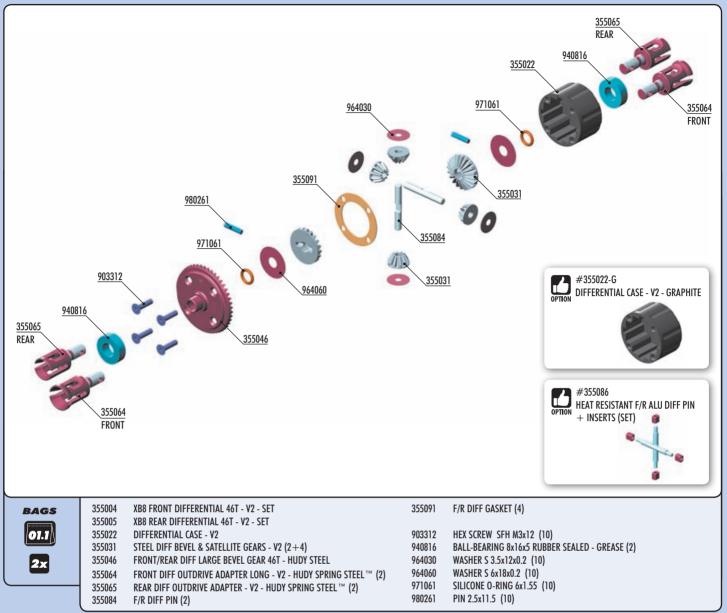


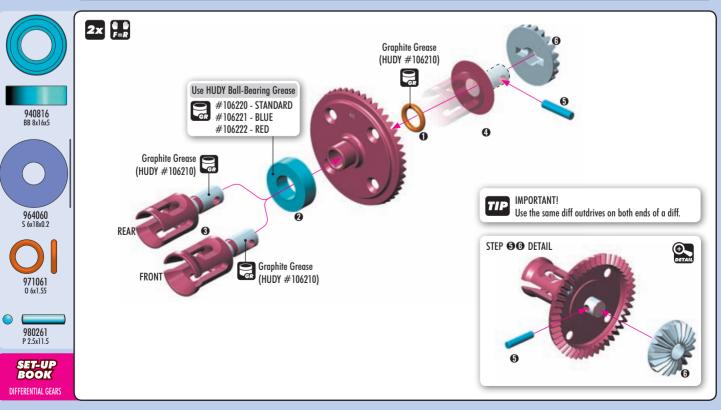
For easy drive pin replacements use #106000 **HUDY Drive Pin Replacement Tool.** 



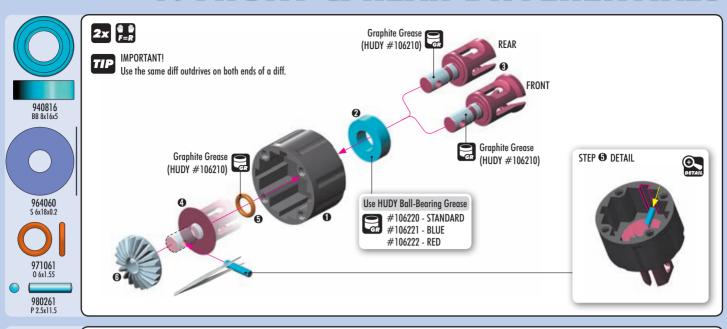
To replace the worn pins use only premium HUDY drive pins #106050.

## 1. FRONT & REAR DIFFERENTIALS



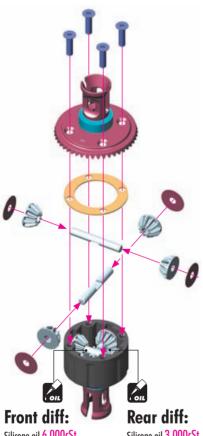


## 1. FRONT & REAR DIFFERENTIALS









DIFFERENTIAL OIL

# Silicone oil 6 000cSt Silicone oil 3 000cSt Fill just above the Fill just above the satellite gears. satellite gears.

## **VERY IMPORTANT!**

Use the following silicone oils included in the kit for initial settings: FRONT diff: 6 000cSt / REAR diff: 3 000cSt



To ensure you have the same amount of oil from rebuild to rebuild, do the following:



- 1. Put the diff (without oil) on the scale and check the weight:
- REAR DIFF approx. 39.30g
- FRONT DIFF approx. 40.10g

2. Slowly pour oil into the diff and watch the weight. Add 2.70g of oil into the diff. The approximate weight of the diff+oil is REAR DIFF approx. 42.00g and FRONT DIFF approx. 42.80g

REAR DIFF 39.30g + 2.70g = 42.00gFRONT DIFF |40.10g + |2.70g| = 42.80g

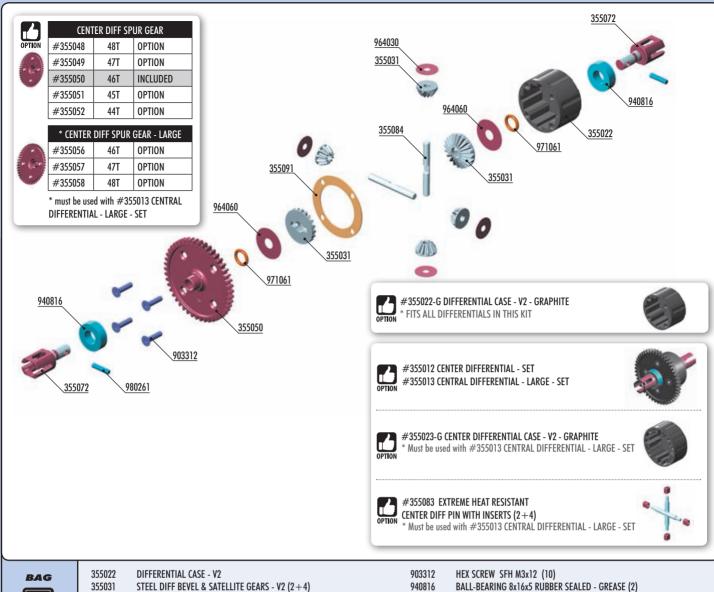




After assembly the differentials should have a length of  $32.3\sim32.5~\text{mm}$ measured from the ends of the installed ball-bearings. If differentials are longer, retighten the 4 screws holding the crown gears.



## 1. CENTER DIFFERENTIAL





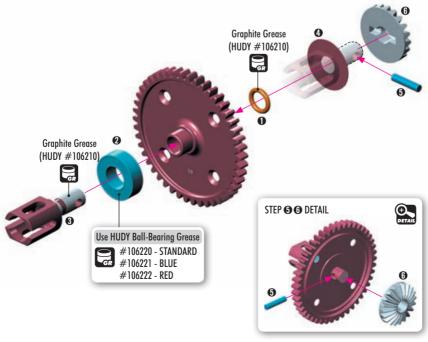
355022 DIFFERENTIAL CASE - V2
355031 STEEL DIFF BEVEL & SATELLITE GEARS - V2 (2+4)
355050 CENTER DIFF SPUR GEAR 46T
355072 LARGE CENTER DIFF OUTDRIVE ADAPTER - HUDY STEEL (2)
355084 DIFF PIN (2)
355091 DIFF GASKET (2)

903312 HEX SCREW SFH M3x12 (10) 940816 BALL-BEARING 8x16x5 RUBBER 964030 WASHER S 3.5x12x0.2 (10) 964060 WASHER S 6x18x0.2 (10) 971061 SILICONE O-RING 6x1.55 (10)

PIN 2.5x11.5 (10)

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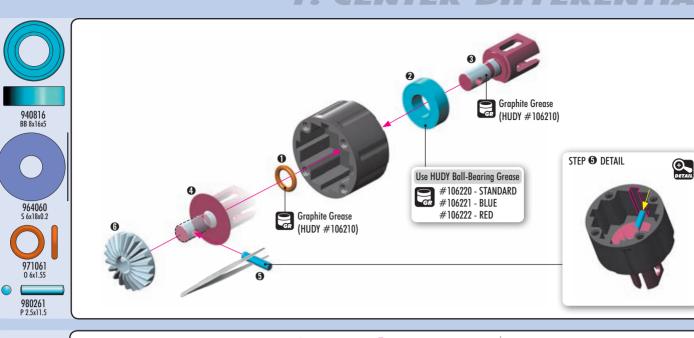
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	#355049	47T	OPTION
1	#355050	46T	INCLUDED
	#355051	45T	OPTION
	#355052	44T	OPTION
	* CENTER	DIFF SPUR	GEAR - LARGE
-	#355056	46T	OPTION
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1	#355058	48T	OPTION

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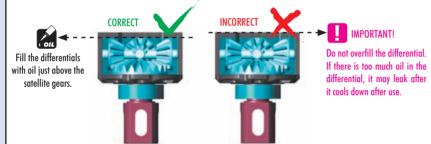






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Use the following silicone oil included in the kit for initial setting: Center diff: 7 000cSt



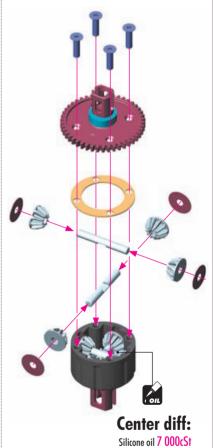
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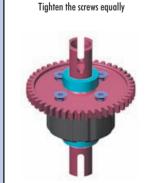
SET-UP BOOK DIFFERENTIAL OIL

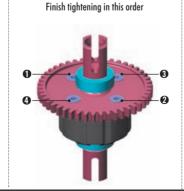
weight. Add 2.70g of oil into the diff. The check the weight (approximately 39g). approximate weight of the diff+oil is 41.70g.

CENTER DIFF 39.00g + |2.70g| = 41.70g

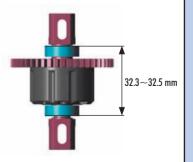


Fill to just above the satellite gears.

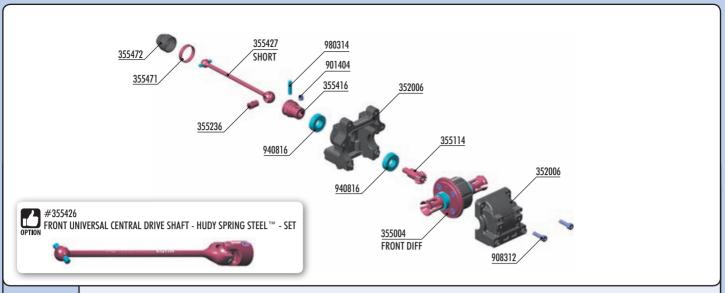




After assembly the differential should have a length of  $32.3 \sim 32.5$ mm measured from the ends of the installed ball-bearings. If differential is longer, retighten the 4 screws holding the spur gear.



### 2. FRONT TRANSMISSION



BAG 02 352006 XB8 DIFF BULKHEAD BLOCK SET FRONT/REAR
355004 XB8 FRONT DIFFERENTIAL 46T - V2 - SET
355114 BEVEL DRIVE GEAR 14T

355114 BEVEL DRIVE GEAR 141
355236 CVD DRIVE SHAFT COUPLING - HUDY SPRING STEEL™

355416 CENTRAL CVD SHAFT UNIVERSAL JOINT - HUDY SPRING STEEL™
355427 FRONT CENTRAL CVD DRIVE SHAFT - HUDY SPRING STEEL™

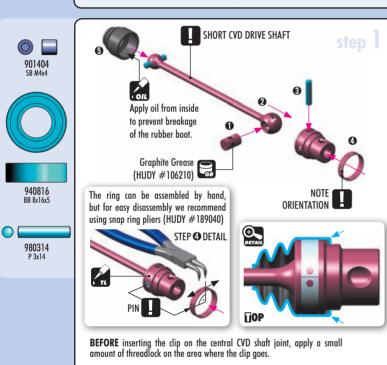
355471 DRIVE SHAFT LOCKING RING (2)

355472 DRIVE SHAFT BOOT (2)

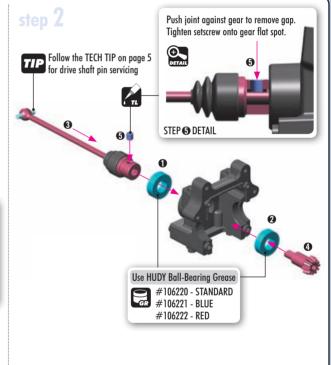
901404 HEX SCREW SB M4x4 (10)

908312 HEX SCREW SOCKET HEAD CAP SCH M3x12 (10) 940816 BALL-BEARING 8x16x5 RUBBER SEALED - GREASE (2)

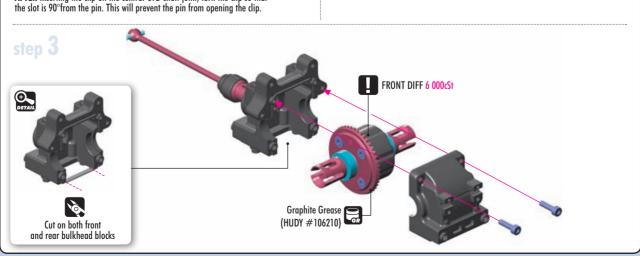
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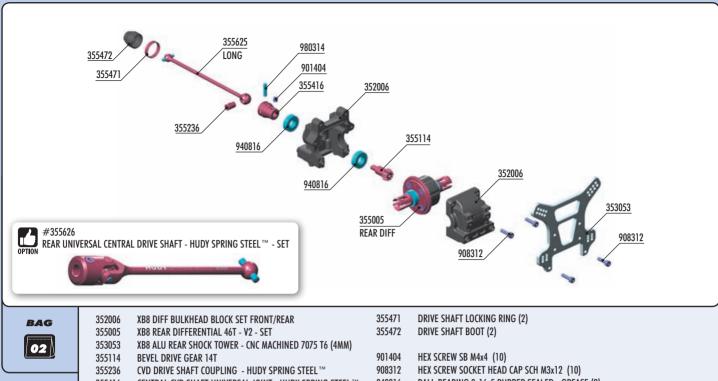
AFTER inserting the clip on the central CVD shaft joint, turn the clip so that







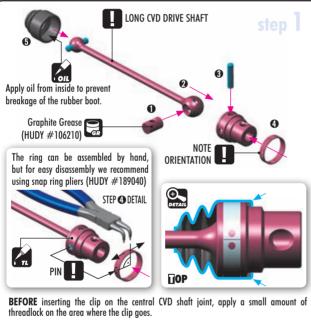
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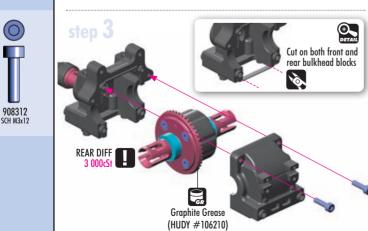
CENTRAL CVD SHAFT UNIVERSAL JOINT - HUDY SPRING STEEL™ 355416 355625 REAR CENTRAL CVD DRIVE SHAFT - HUDY SPRING STEEL TO

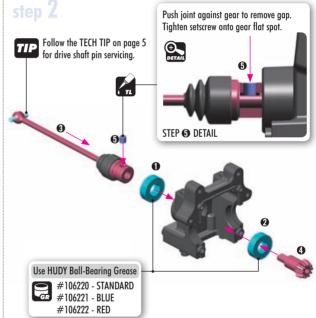
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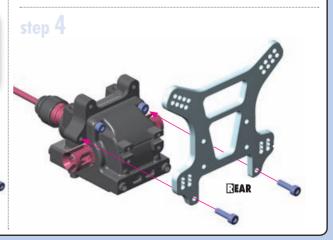
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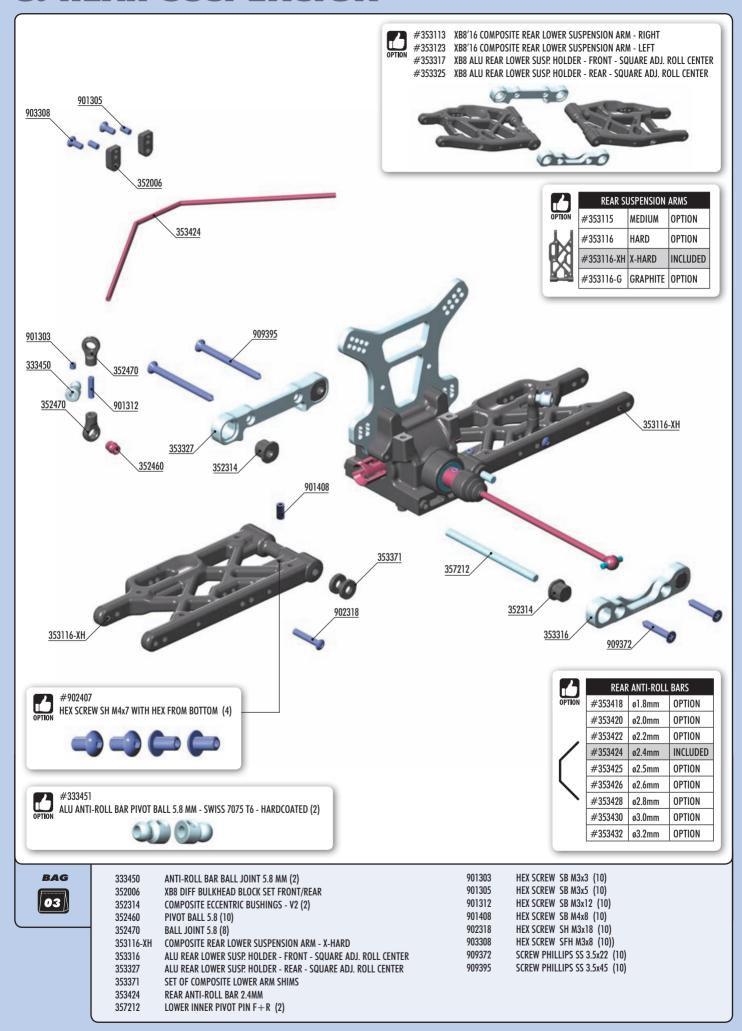


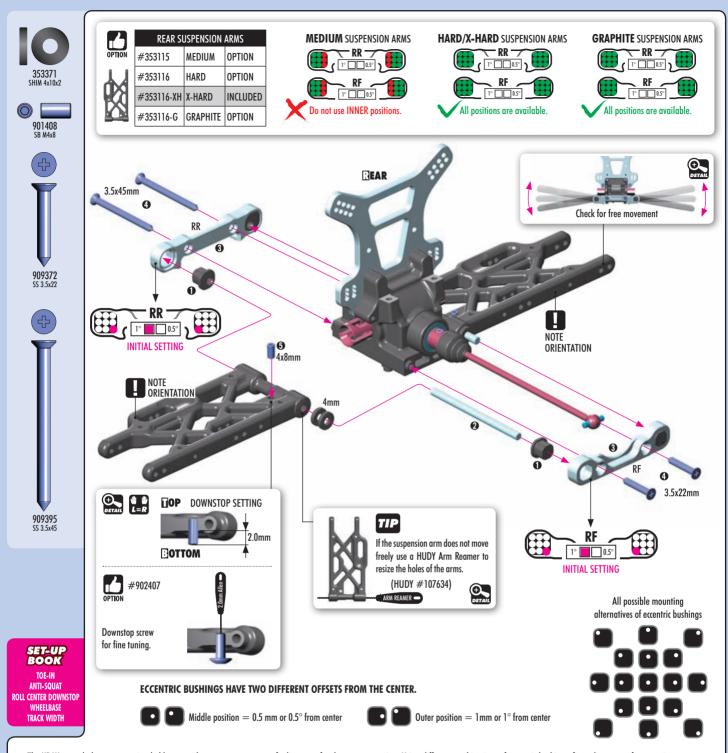
**AFTER** inserting the clip on the central CVD shaft joint, turn the clip so that the slot is  $90^\circ$  from the pin. This will prevent the pin from opening the clip.



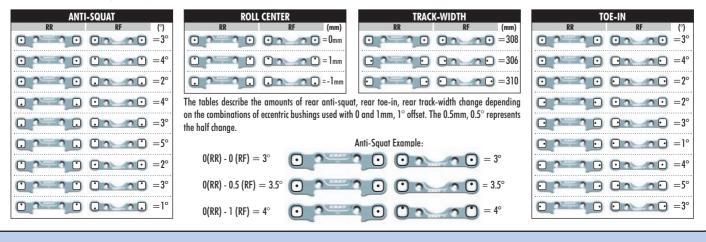








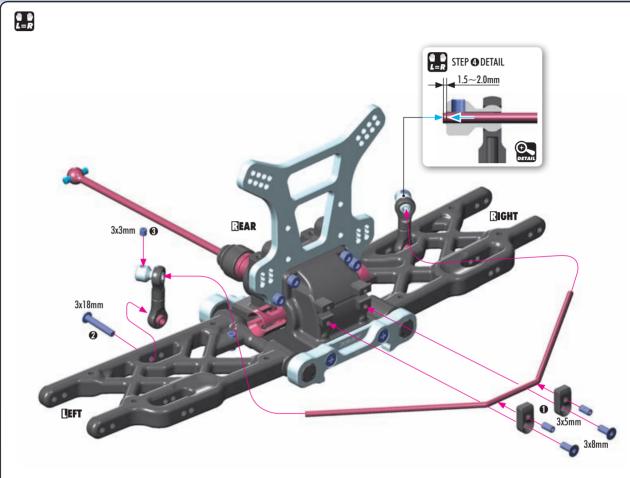
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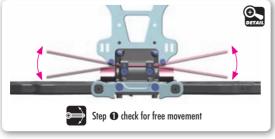






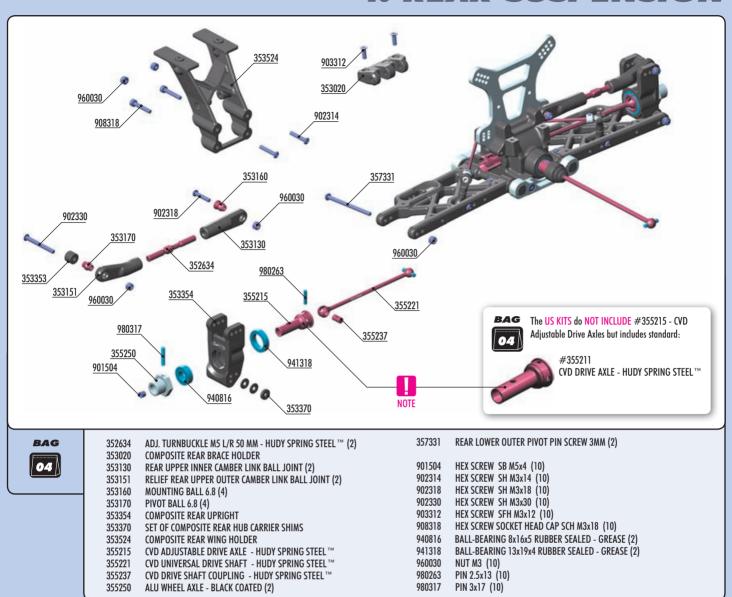


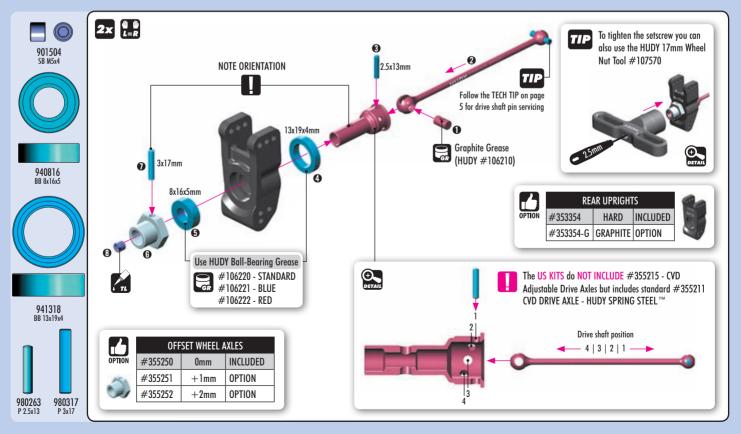






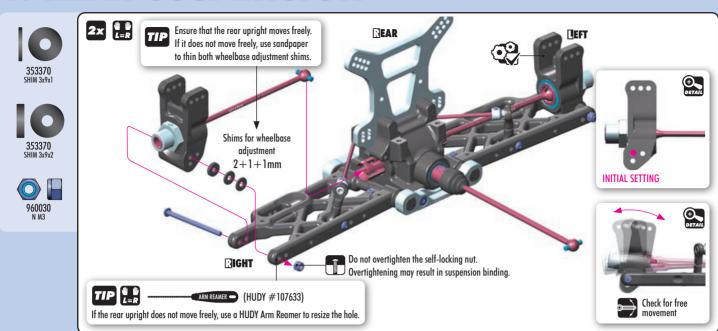
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,	#353422	ø2.2mm	OPTION
	#353424	ø2.4mm	INCLUDED
	#353425	ø2.5mm	OPTION
	#353426	ø2.6mm	OPTION
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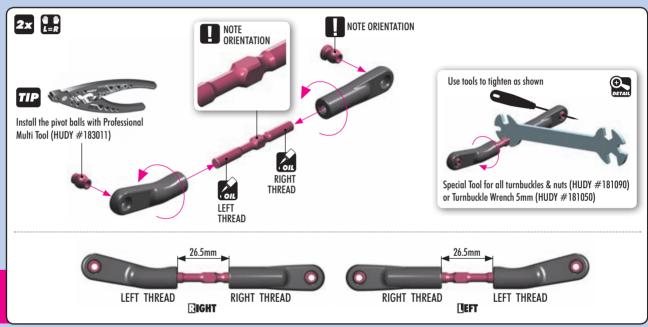


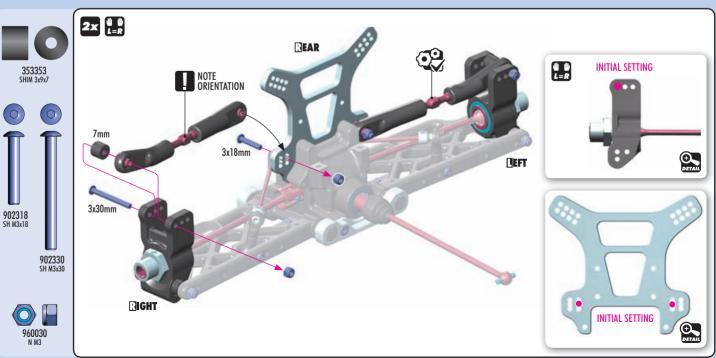


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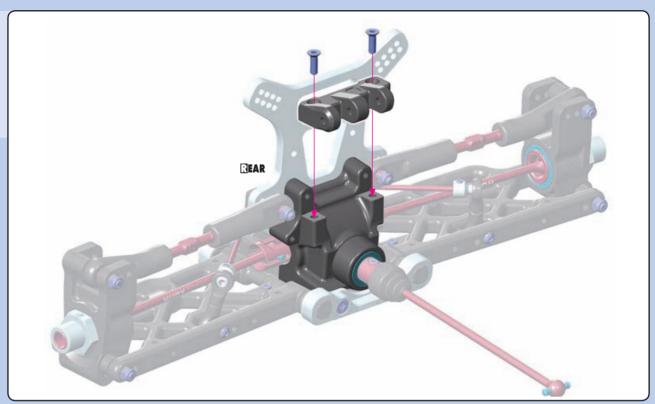
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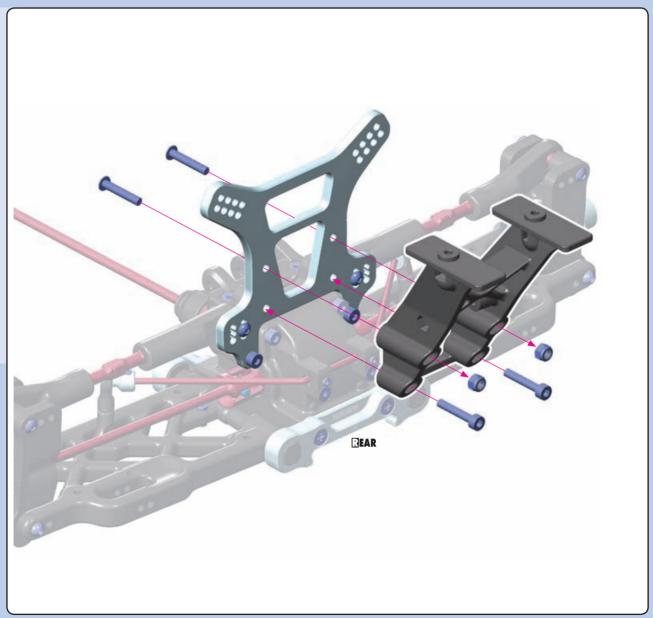


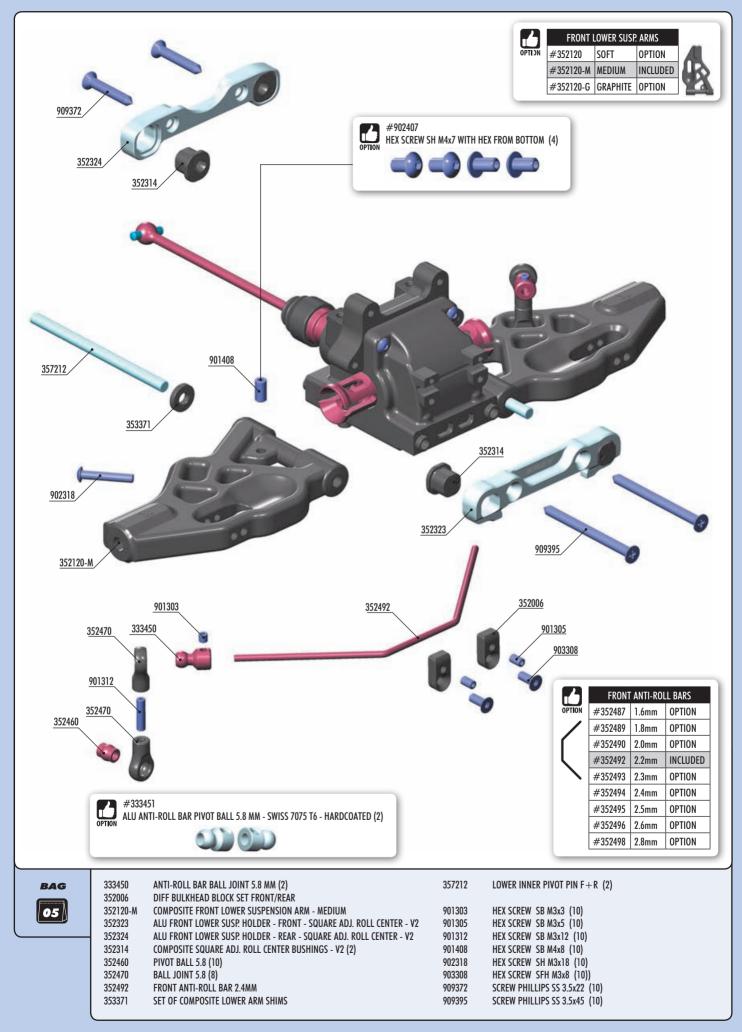


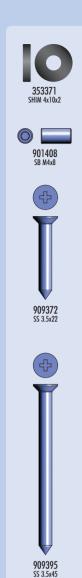


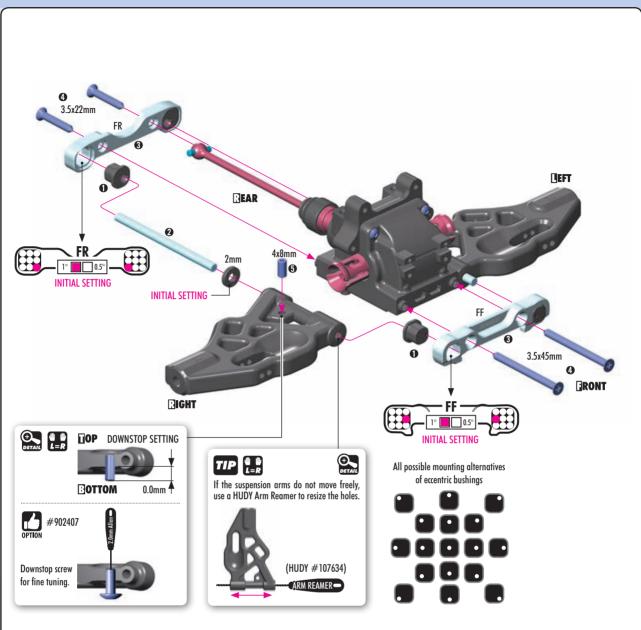


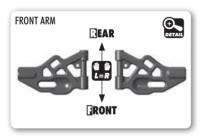


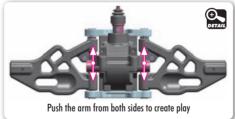














#### Eccentric bushings have two different offsets from the center.

- Middle position = 0.5 mm or 0.5° from center
- Outer position = 1mm or  $1^{\circ}$  from center

The XRAY alu front lower suspension holders provide even greater range of adjustment for the front suspension. Using different combinations of eccentric bushings, fine adjustment of front kick-up, roll center, and front track-width can be obtained. For more information about the influence of kick-up, front track-width, and roll centers on car handling, please refer to HUDY Off-Road Set-up Book (#209099).

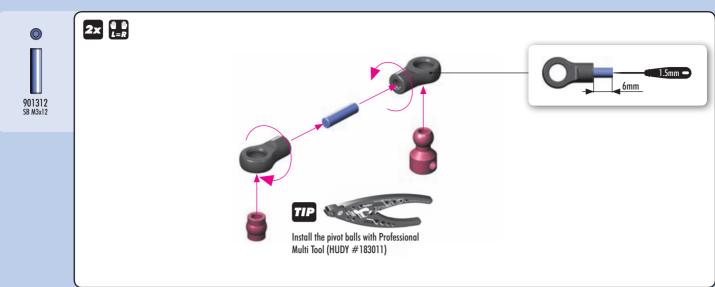
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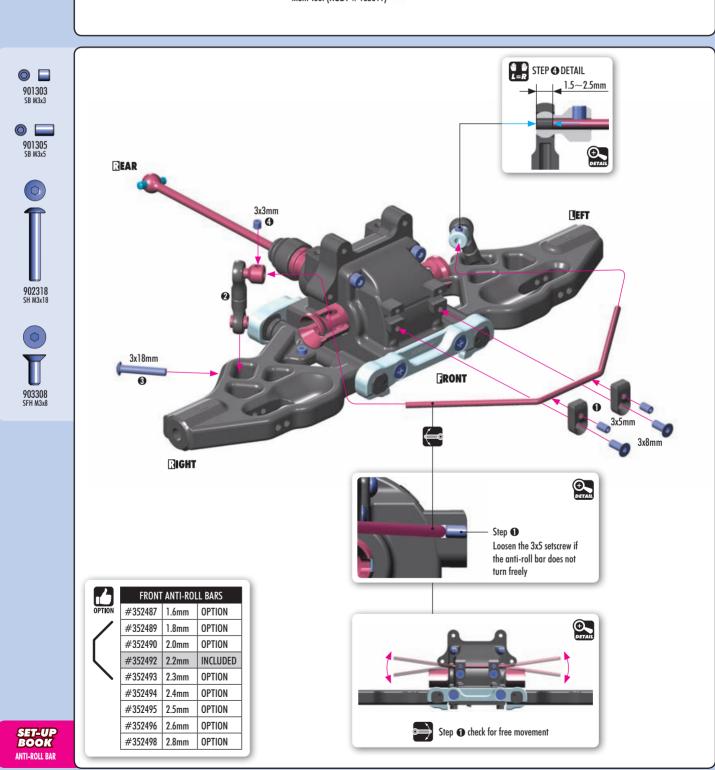
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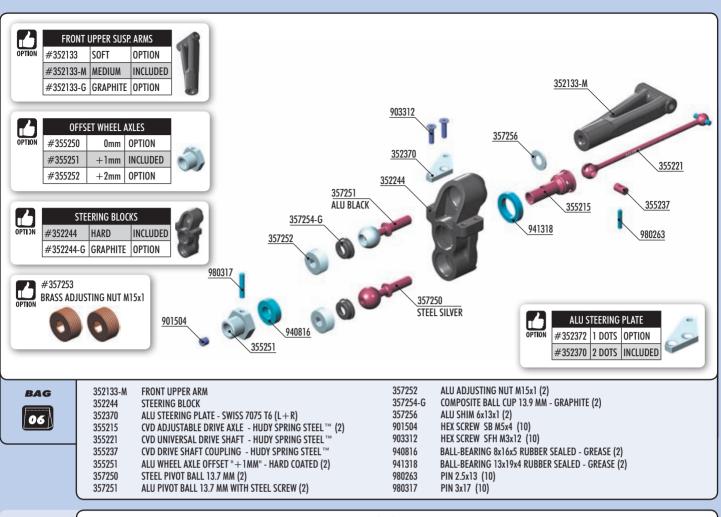
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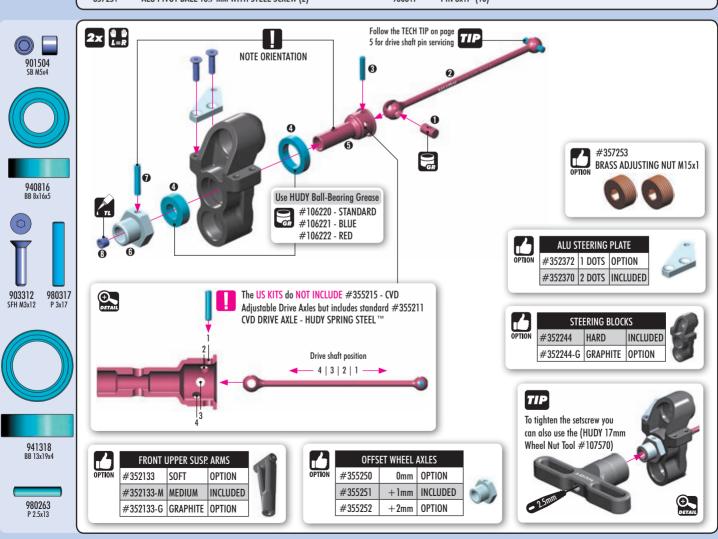
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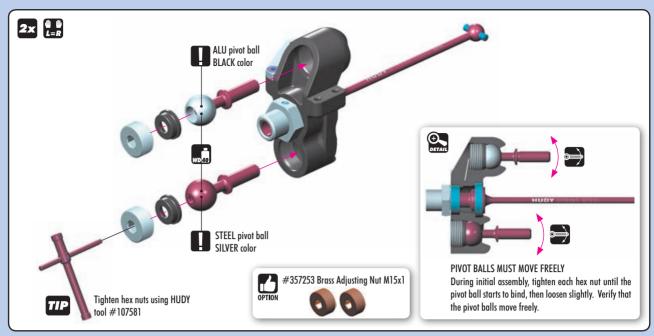
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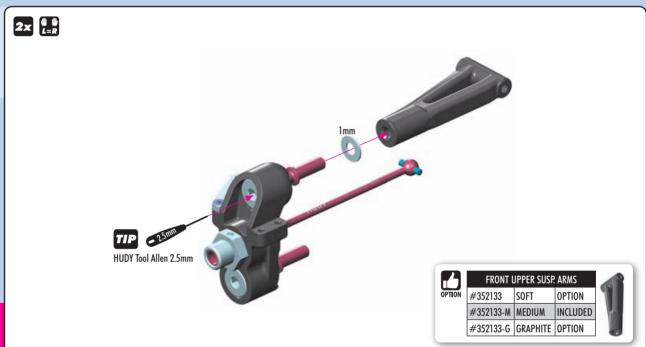




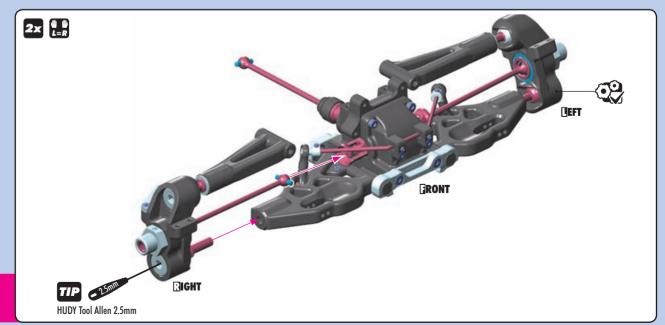






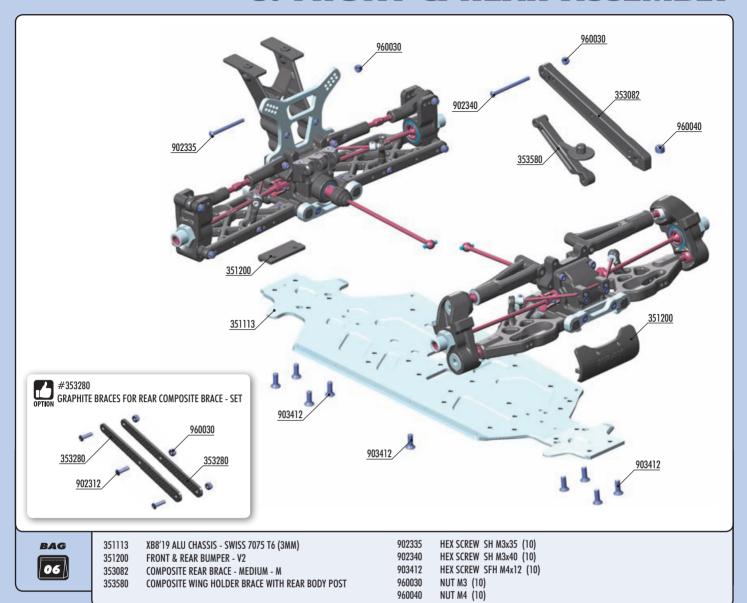


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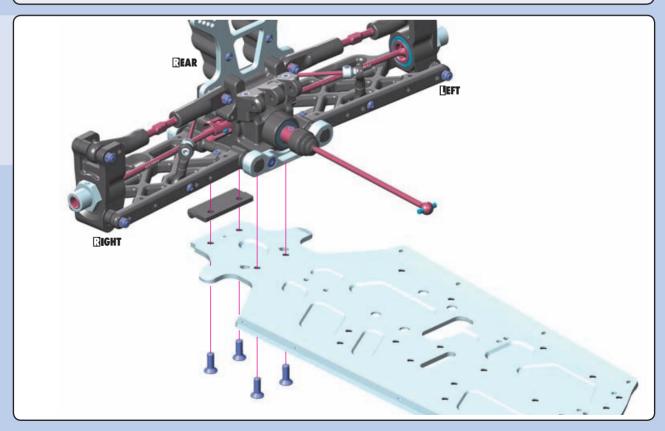


SET-UP BOOK ROLL CENTER

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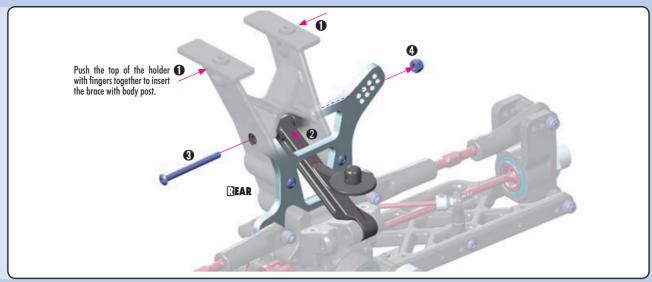




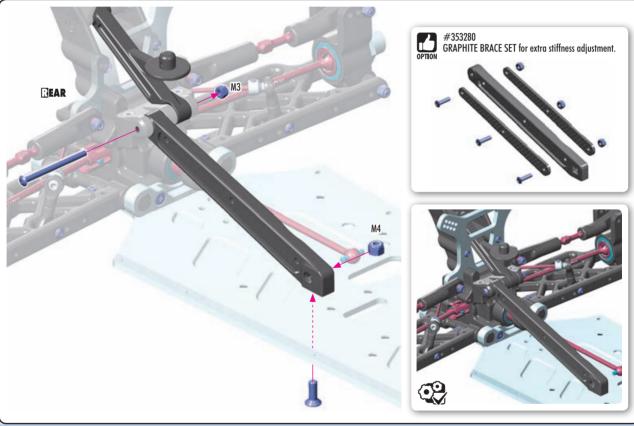


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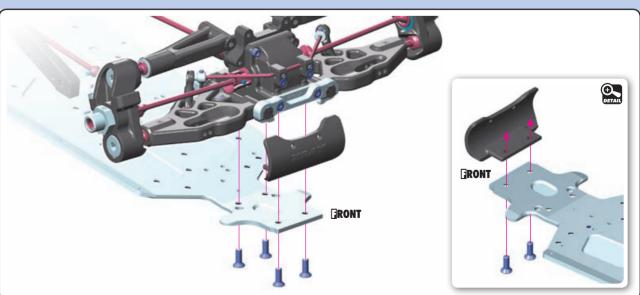


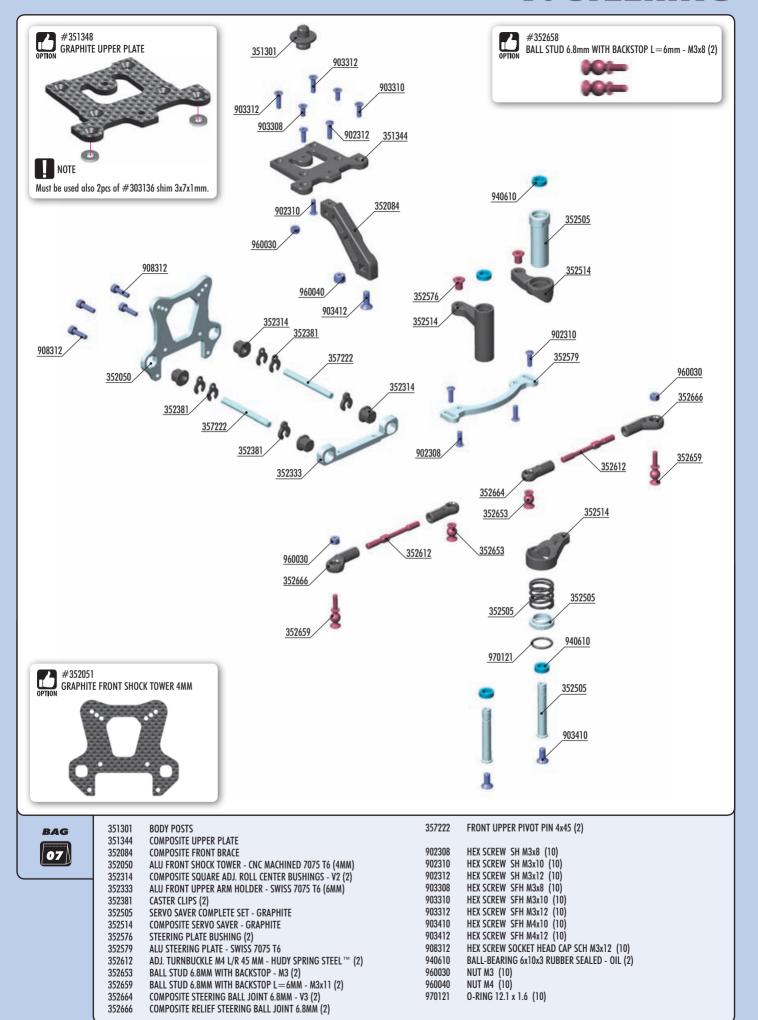


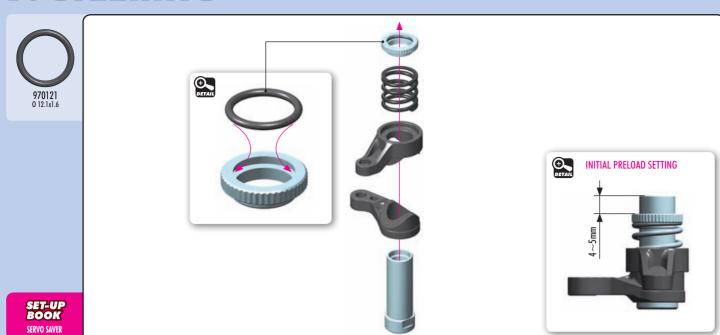




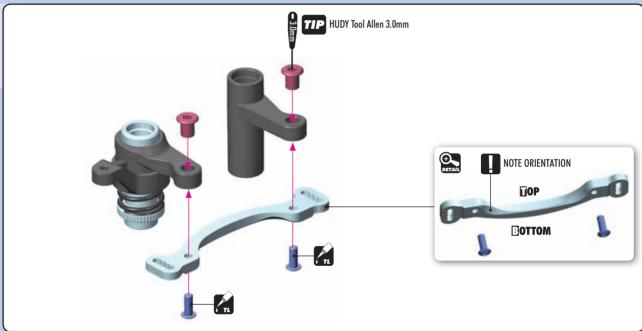
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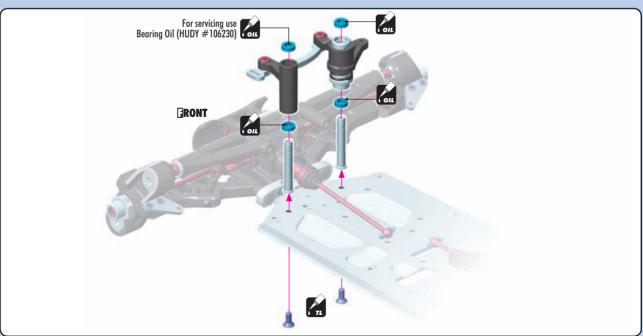


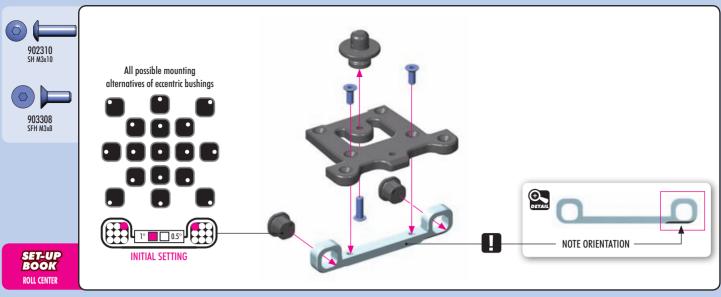


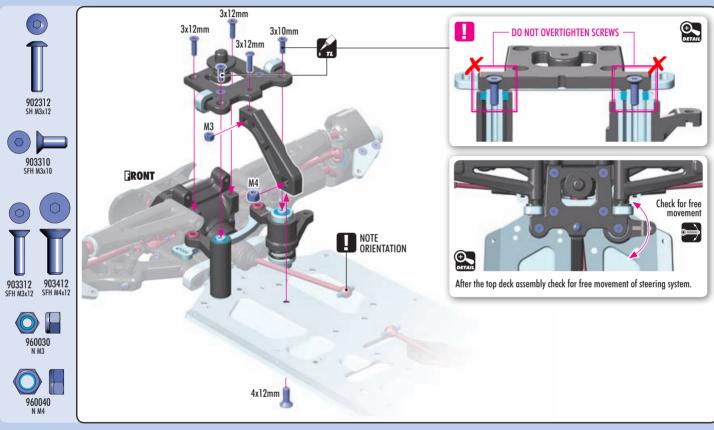


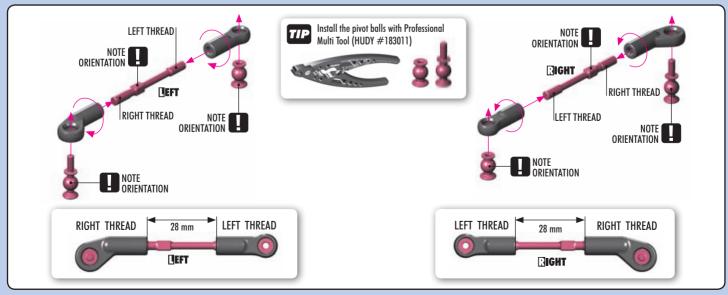




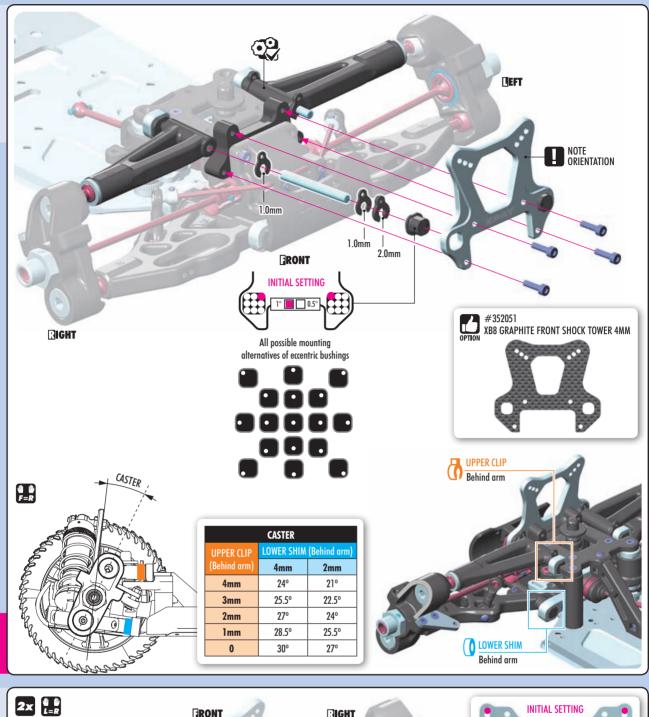




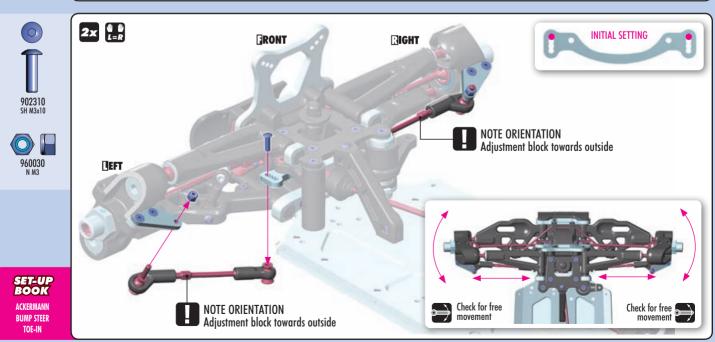




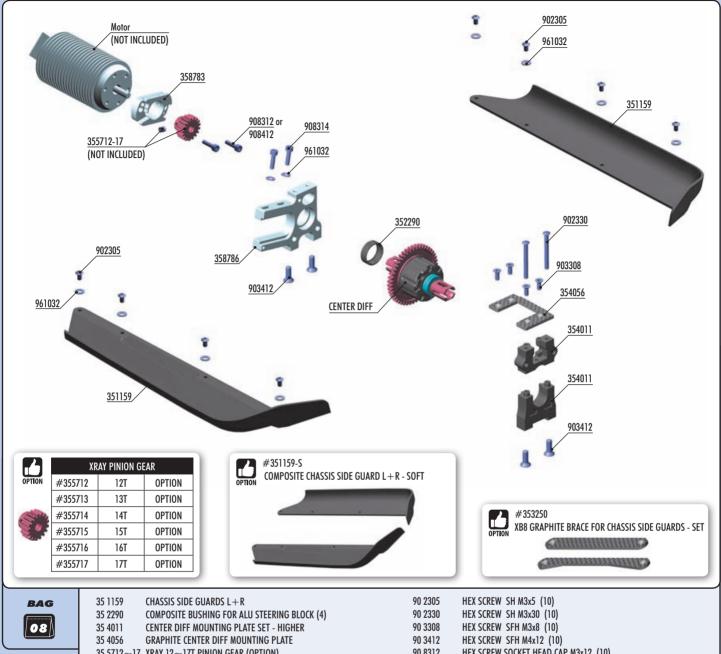




SET-UP BOOK ROLL CENTER CASTER

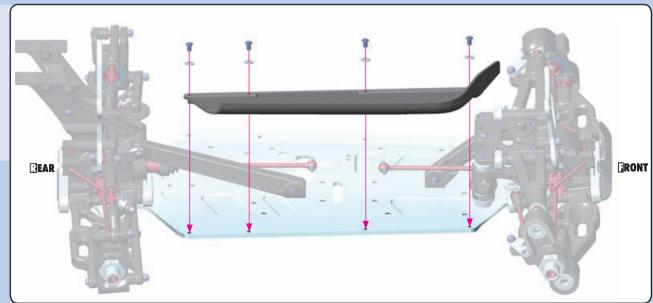


## 8. CENTER DIFF & MOTOR



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35 4011 CENTER DIFF MOUNTING PLATE SET - HIGHER 35 4056 GRAPHITE CENTER DIFF MOUNTING PLATE 35 5712~17 XRAY 12~17T PINION GEAR (OPTION) 35 8783 ALU MOTOR MOUNT PLATE - V2	90 3308 90 3412 90 8312 90 8314	HEX SCREW SFH M3x8 (10) HEX SCREW SFH M4x12 (10) HEX SCREW SOCKET HEAD CAP M3x12 (10) HEX SCREW SOCKET HEAD CAP M3x14 (10)
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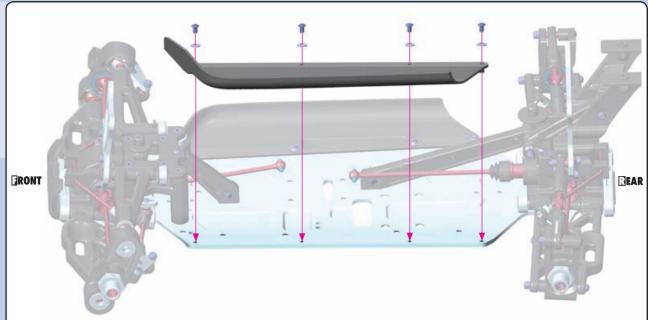


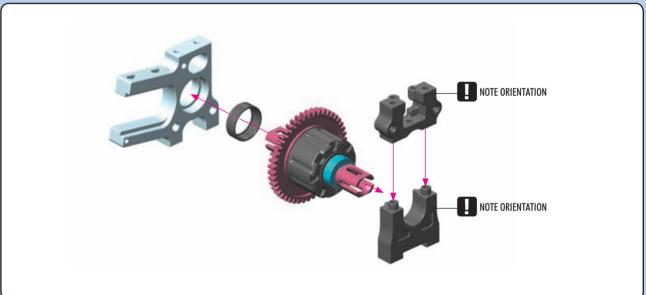


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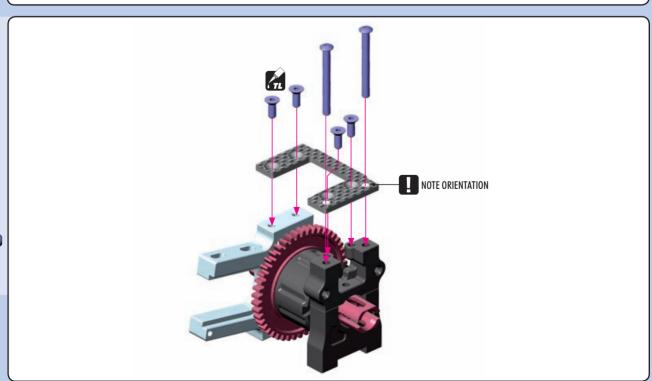






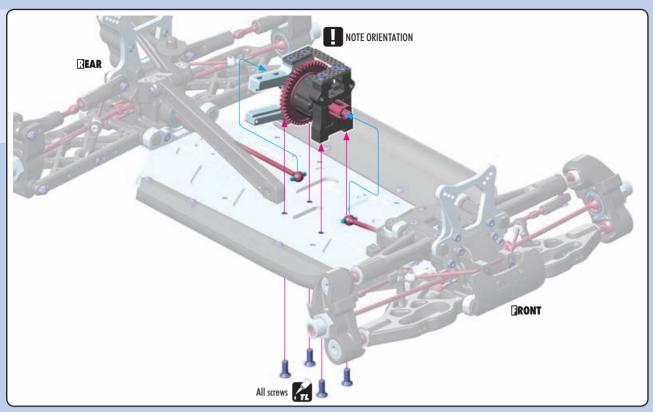






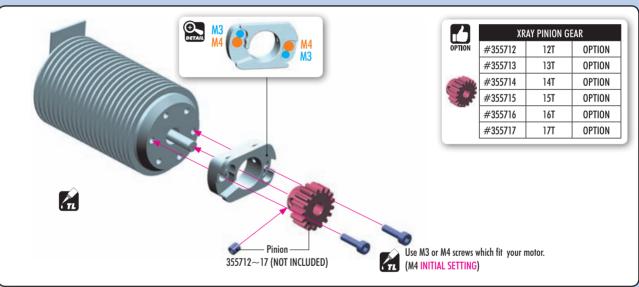
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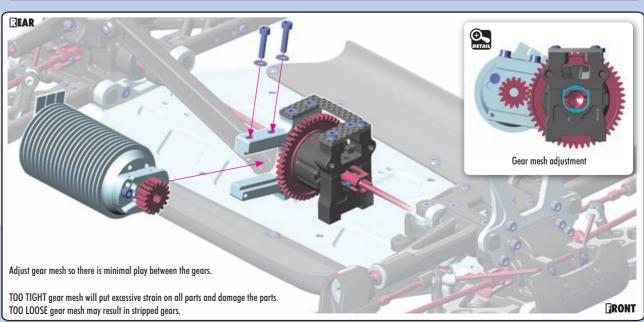




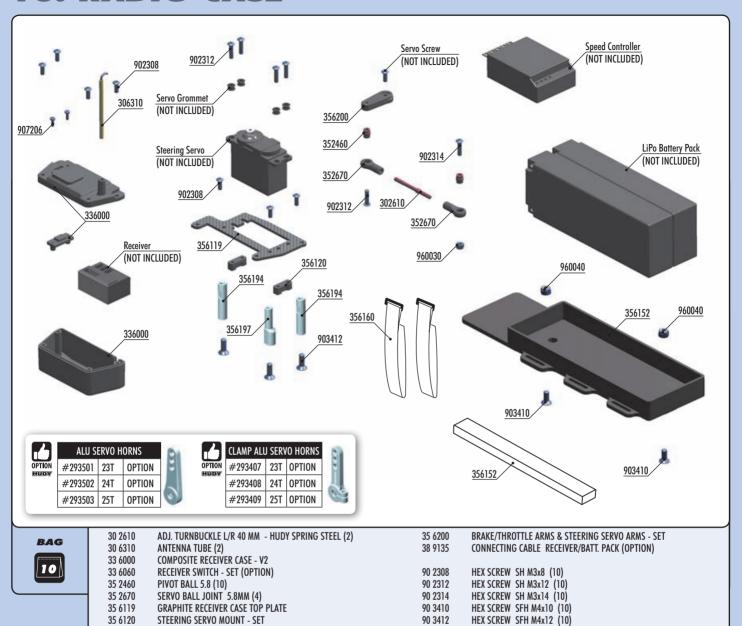




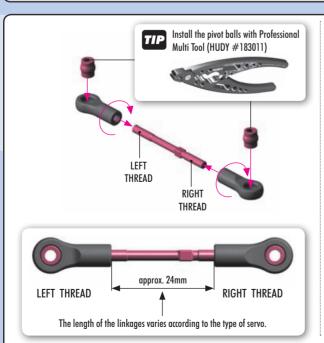




## 10. RADIO CASE







**COMPOSITE BATTERY PLATE** 

ALU MOUNT FOR RECEIVER BOX

VELCRO BATTERY STRAP 20x300MM (2)

ALU ECCENTRIC MOUNT FOR RECEIVER BOX

35 6152

35 6160

35 6194

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SCREW PHILLIPS 2x6 (10)

NUT M3 (10) NUT M4 (10)

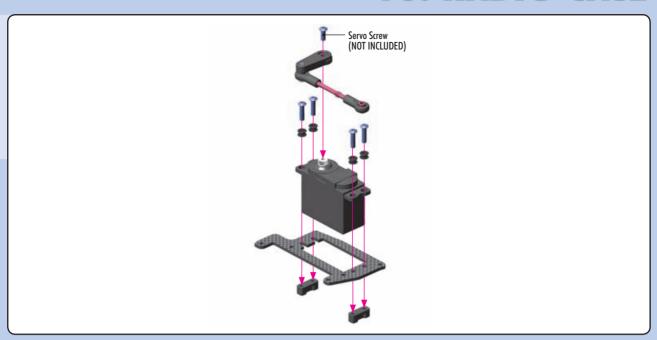
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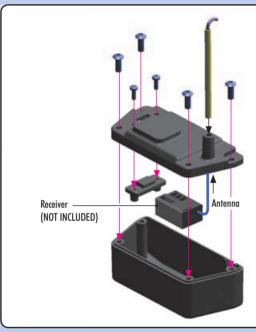
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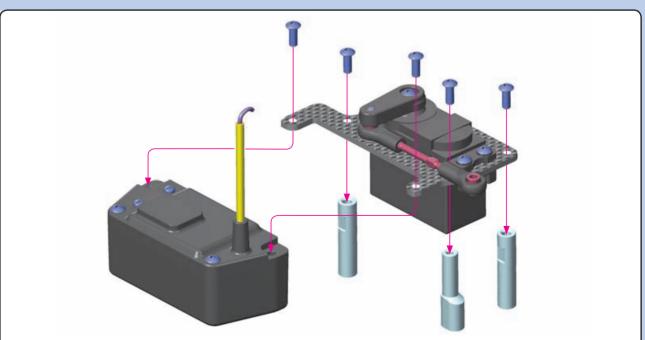






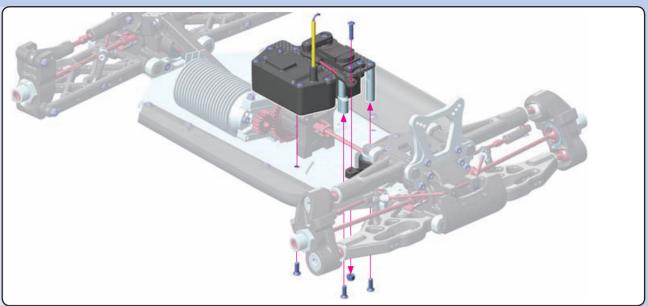
If the receiver box has 2 different-size openings for cable entry (narrow and wider), cut away the tab for the appropriate opening to allow the cables to fit properly.





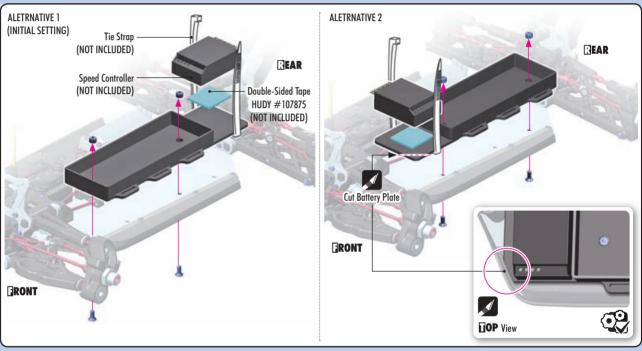
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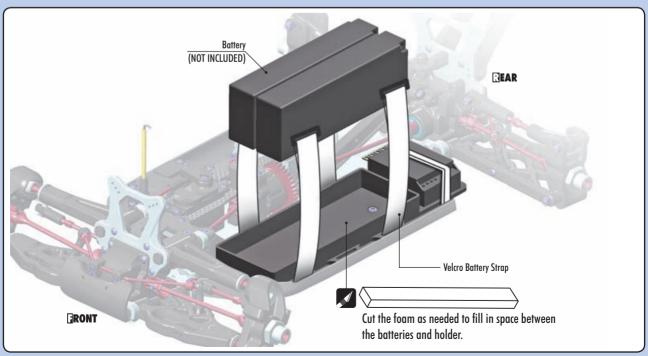




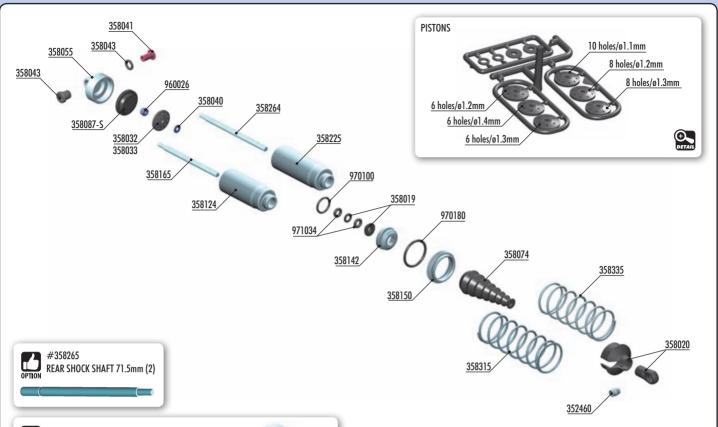








## 11. SHOCK ABSORBERS





#358027 PISTON 5-HOLE (1.5mm) & 2-HOLE (1.0mm) (4) #358028 PISTON 6-HOLE (1.3mm) & 2-HOLE (1.1mm) (4) #308029 PISTON 6-HOLE (1.4mm) & 2-HOLE (1.1mm) (4) #358030 PISTON 8-HOLE (1.2mm) & 2-HOLE (1.2mm) (4) #358031 PISTON 8-HOLE (1.3mm) & 2-HOLE (1.2mm) (4)





	FRONT	LINEAR SPR	INGS	
#358182	C=0.65	White	SHORT	OPTION
#358183	C=0.70	Grey	SHORT	OPTION
#358184	C=0.75	Silver	SHORT	OPTION
#358185	C=0.80	Grey-Blue	SHORT	OPTION
#358186	C=0.86	Blue	SHORT	OPTION
#358187	C=0.92	Violet	SHORT	OPTION
#358188	C=0.98	Purple	SHORT	OPTION

		REAR L	INEAR SPRI	NGS	
	#358282	C=0.47	White	LONG	OPTION
	#358283	C = 0.50	Grey	LONG	OPTION
)	#358284	C = 0.53	Silver	LONG	OPTION
	#358285	C=0.57	Grey-Blue	LONG	OPTION
3	#358286	C = 0.61	Blue	LONG	OPTION
	#358287	C=0.65	Violet	LONG	OPTION
	#358288	C=0.70	Purple	LONG	OPTION



		2H(	JCK SPRINGS		
PTION	#358315	C=0.77-0.80	3 DOTS	FRONT	INCLUDED
	#358316	C=0.80-0.83	4 DOTS	FRONT	OPTION
3	#358317	C=0.83-0.86	5 DOTS	FRONT	OPTION
3	#358335	C=0.68-0.70	3 DOTS	REAR	INCLUDED
	#358336	C=0.70-0.73	4 DOTS	REAR	OPTION



		FRUNI & KEAK	L LKOCKE221	VE SPRING:	5
í	#358174	C=0.7-0.8	Grey	SHORT	OPTION
	#358274	C=0.5-0.6	Grey	MEDIUM	OPTION
3	#358275	C=0.65-0.7	1 STRIPE	MEDIUM	OPTION
	#358276	C=0.7-0.75	2 STRIPES	MEDIUM	OPTION
)	#358277	C=0.72-0.8	3 STRIPES	MEDIUM	OPTION
	#358278	C=0.75-0.83	4 STRIPES	MEDIUM	OPTION

		REAR PRO	IGKESSIVE SI	rkings	
0	#358279	C=0.55-0.63	2 STRIPES	LONG	OPTION
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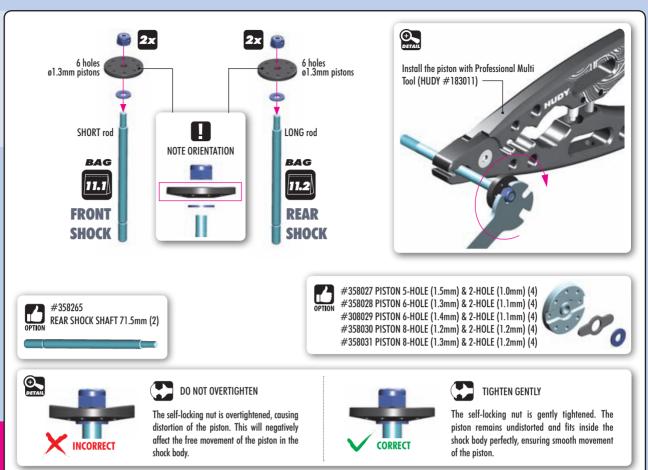


352460	PIVOT BALL 5.8 - V3 (10)
358019	COMPOSITE SET OF SHIMS FOR SHOCKS - V2 (2)
358020	COMPOSITE SHOCK PARTS
358032	SHOCK PISTON SET 8-HOLE (1.2; 1.3) 10-H. (1.1MM) - DELRIN - V2
358033	COMPOSITE SHOCK 6-HOLE PISTON SET (1.2; 1.3; 1.4MM) - DELRIN - V2
358040	HARDENED SHOCK SHIMS (4)
358041	STEEL SHOCK BUSHING (2)
358043	COMPOSITE SHOCK BUSHING & SHIM (2+2)
358055	ALU SHOCK CAP NUT WITH 4 VENT HOLES - BLACK COATED (2)
358074	FOLDING SHOCK BOOT (4)
358087-S	SHOCK RUBBER MEMBRANE CELL - SOFT (4)
358124	ALU FRONT SHOCK BODY - HARD COATED (2)

050140	ALLI CHOCK BODY MUT FOR CHOCK BOOT (0)
358142	ALU SHOCK BODY NUT FOR SHOCK BOOT (2)
358150	ALU SHOCK BODY ADJ. NUT (2)
358165	FRONT SHOCK SHAFT 61mm (2)
358225	ALU REAR SHOCK BODY - HARD COATED (2)
358264	REAR SHOCK SHAFT 67.5mm (2)
358315	XRAY FRONT SPRING 69MM - 3 DOTS (2)
358335	XRAY REAR SPRING 85MM - 3 DOTS
960026	NUT M2.5 - SHORT (10)
970100	O-RING 10 x 1.5 (10)
970180	O-RING 18 x 1.8 (10)
971034	SILICONE O-RING 3.5x2 (10)
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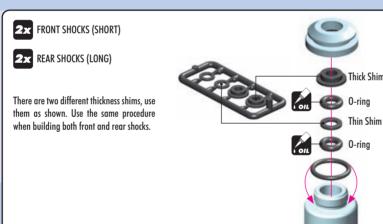




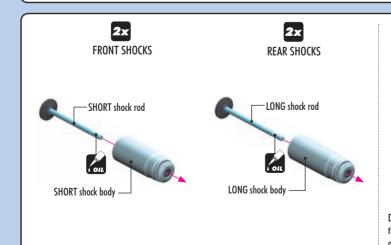
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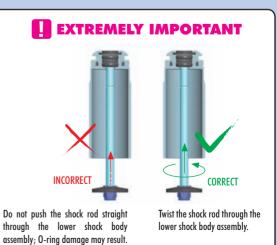
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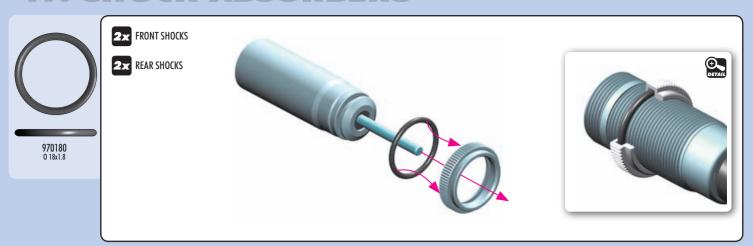


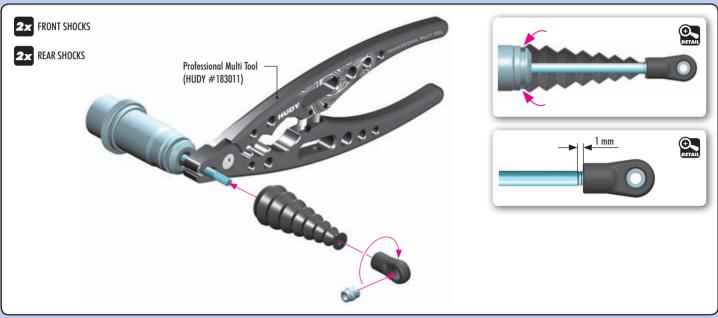


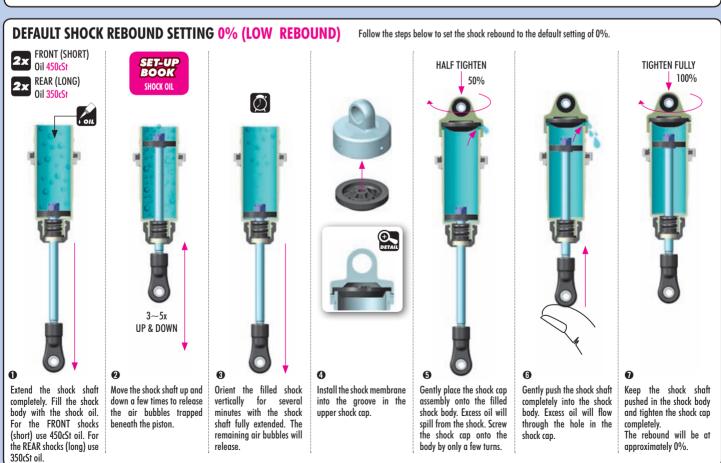


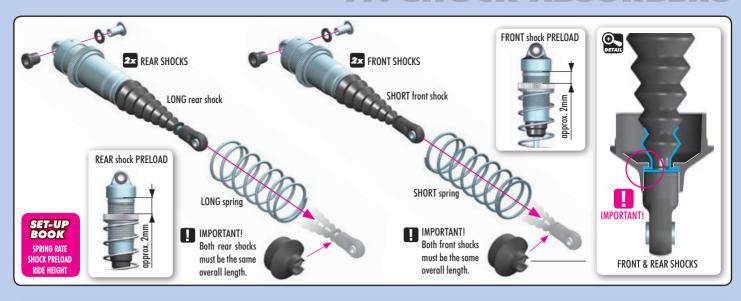


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The default shock rebound setting is 0% (as described on page 40).

Alternatively, you may set the shock rebound setting to 50% or 100% as described below. Remove the shock springs before performing shock rebound adjustment.

### SETTING THE SHOCK REBOUND TO 50% (MEDIUM REBOUND)



Fill the shock body with shock oil up to the top. Make sure to use same viscosity shock oil as is in the shock.



Orient the filled shock vertically for several minutes with the shock shaft fully extended. The remaining air bubbles will release.



Gently place the shock cap assembly onto the filled shock body. Excess oil will spill from the shock.



Push the shock shaft 50% into the shock body. Excess oil will bleed thgrough the hole in the shock cap.



Keep the shock shaft pushed 50% into the shock body and tighten the shock cap completely.

The rebound will be at approximately 50%.

### SETTING THE SHOCK REBOUND TO 100% (HIGH REBOUND)



Extend the shock shaft completely and remove the shock cap.



Fill the shock body with shock oil up to the top. Make sure to use same viscosity shock oil as is in the shock.

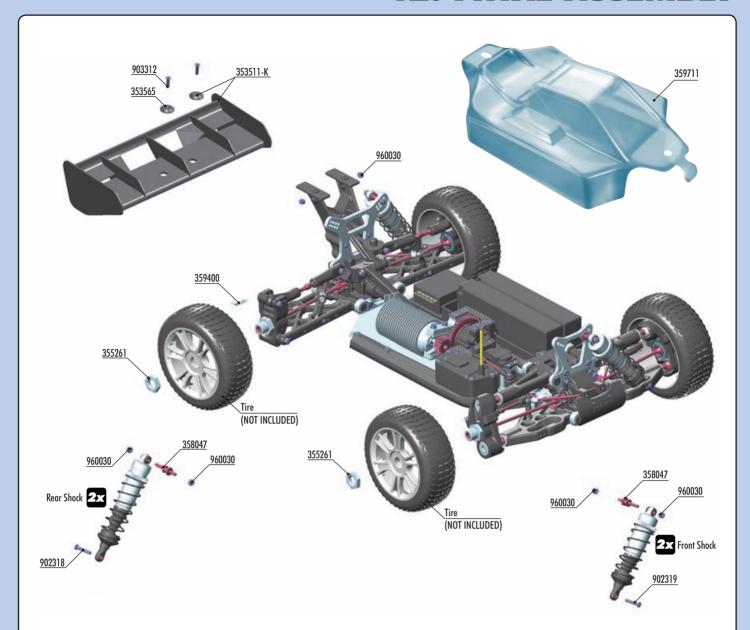


Orient the filled shock vertically for several minutes with the shock shaft fully extended. The remaining air bubbles will release.

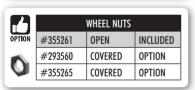


Gently place the shock cap assembly onto the filled shock body. Keep the shock shaft extended 100% from the shock body and tighten the shock cap completely. The rebound will be at approximately 100%.

# 12. FINAL ASSEMBLY







	WING SHIMS				
OPTION	#353565	COMPOSITE	INCLUDED		
_	#293561	ALU	OPTION		
	#293561-0	ALU	OPTION		
	#353561	ALU	OPTION		



7		WINGS	
OPTION	#353511-K	BLACK	INCLUDED
	#353511	WHITE	OPTION
	#353511-Y	YELLOW	OPTION
	#353512	LEXAN®	OPTION

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35 3511-K XB8 REAR WING - BLACK 35 3565 COMPOSITE REAR WING SHIM - BLACK (2) 35 5261 WHEEL NUT - RIBBED - HARD COATED (2) STEEL SCREW SHOCK PIVOT BALL WITH HEX (2) 35 8047 35 9400 BODY CLIP (10)

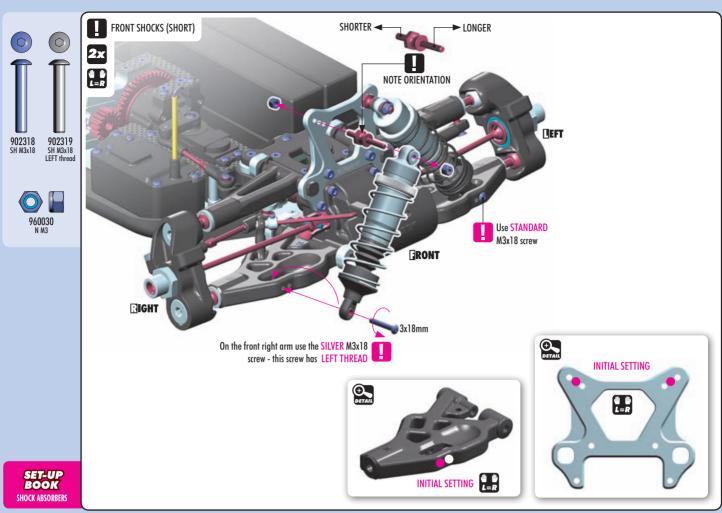
35 9711 XB8 BODY HIGH-SPEED FOR 1/8 OFF-ROAD BUGGY 90 2318 HEX SCREW SH M3x18 (10)

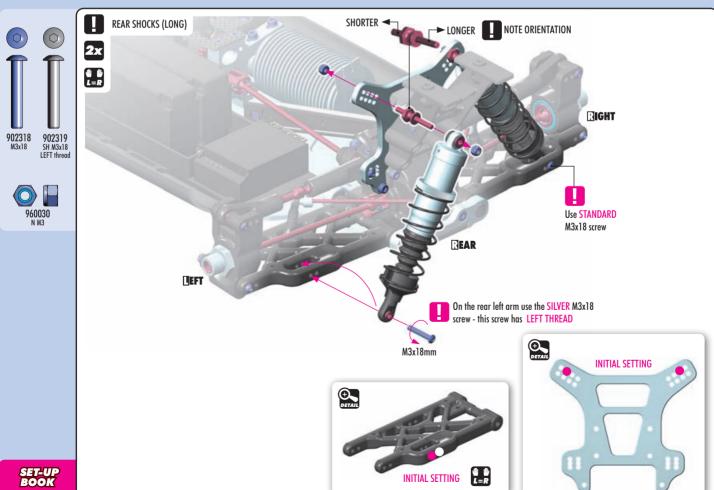
90 2319 HEX SCREW SH M3x18 - LEFT THREAD (10)

90 3312 HEX SCREW SFH M3x12 (10)

NUT M3 (10) 96 0030

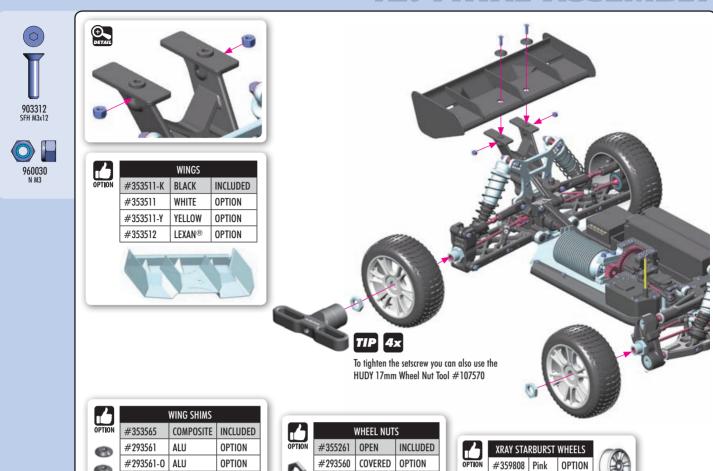
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COVERED OPTION

#355265

• Before cutting and making holes on the body, put the unpainted body on the chassis to confirm the mounting position and location for holes and cutouts.

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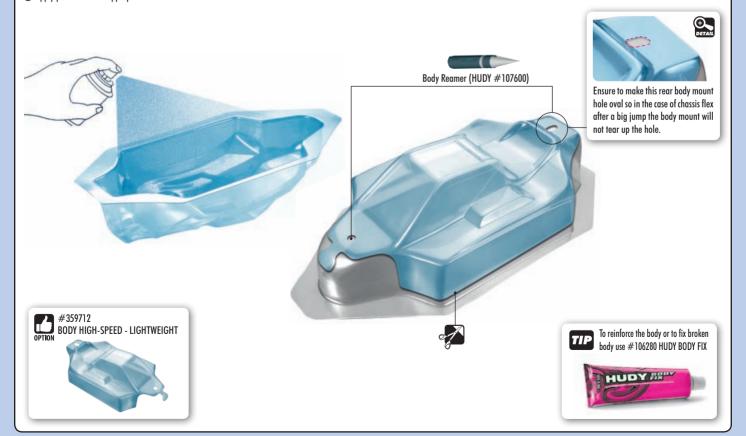
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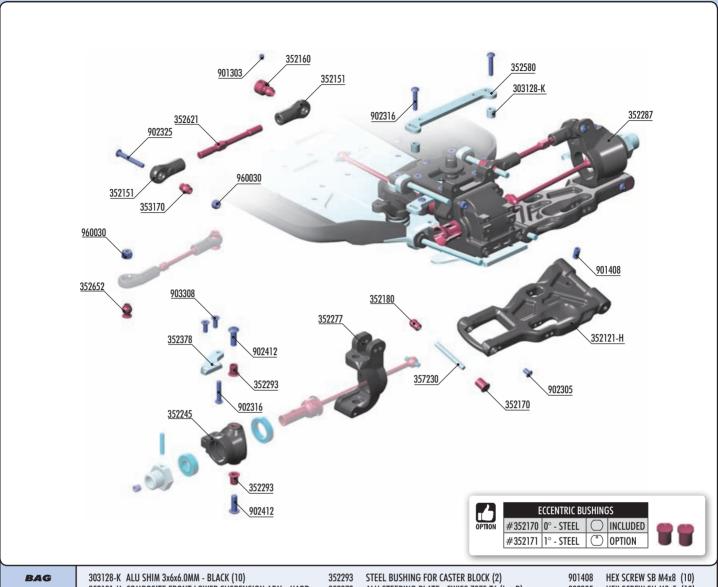
- Before painting, wash the inside of the body with mild detergent, and then rinse and dry thoroughly.
- Mask all windows.
- Apply paint masks as appropriate.

**6** Paint the body using paints formulated for polycarbonate bodies.

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- When the paint is dry, remove the masking.
- Carefully cut out the body using appropriate scissors or cutting tools.
- When you have finished cutting, peel off the external protective films.







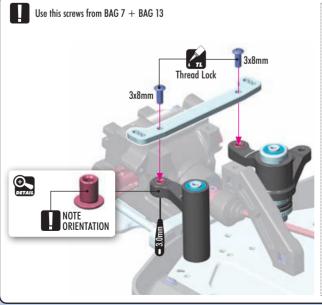
303128-K ALU SHIM 3x6x6.0MM - BLACK (10)
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352151 FRONT UPPER ARM BALL JOINT (2) - V2
352160 STEEL MOUNTING BALL 6.8MM (2)
352170 STEEL ECCENTRIC BUSHING 0° (2)
352180 BALL MOUNT (2)
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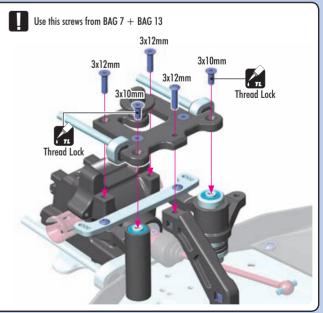
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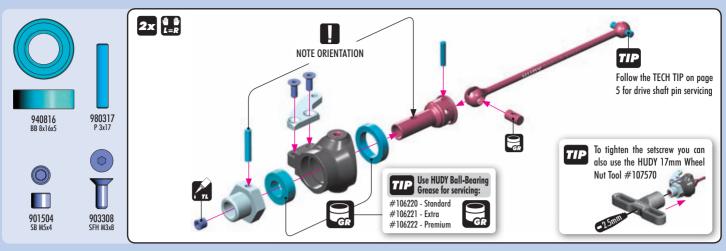
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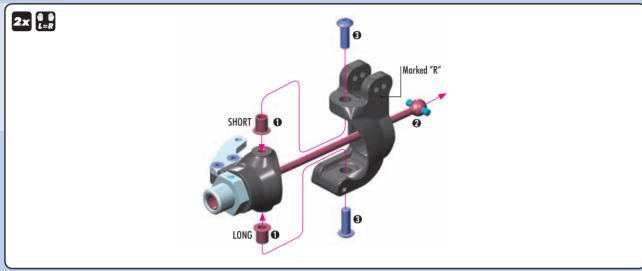




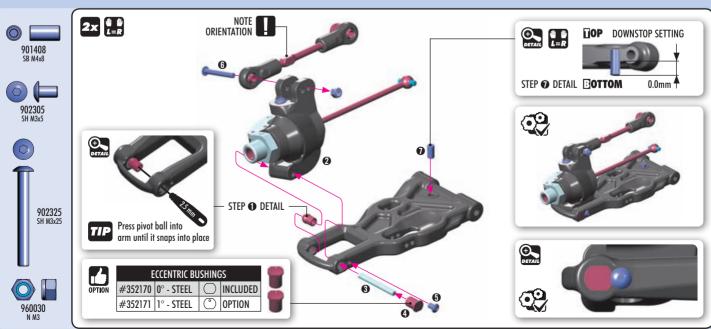




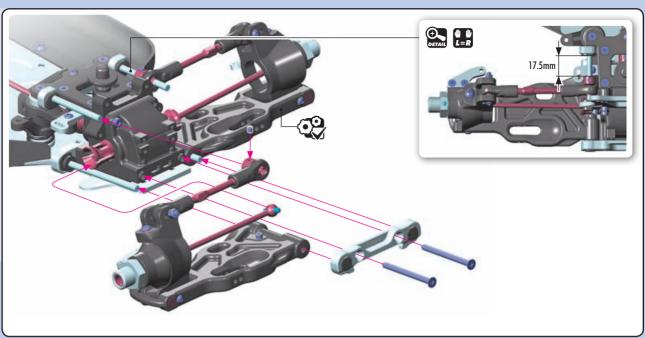




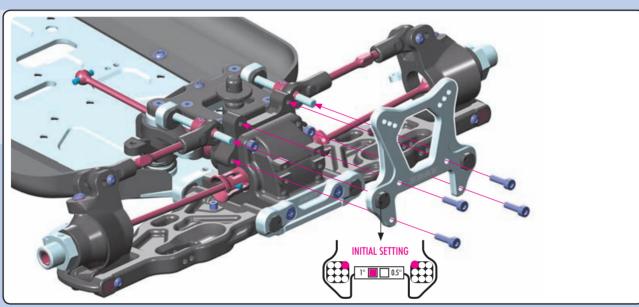






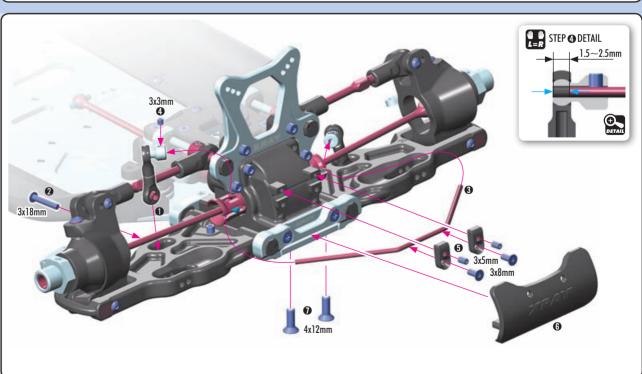


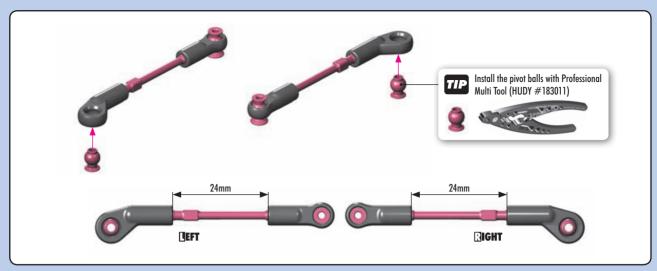




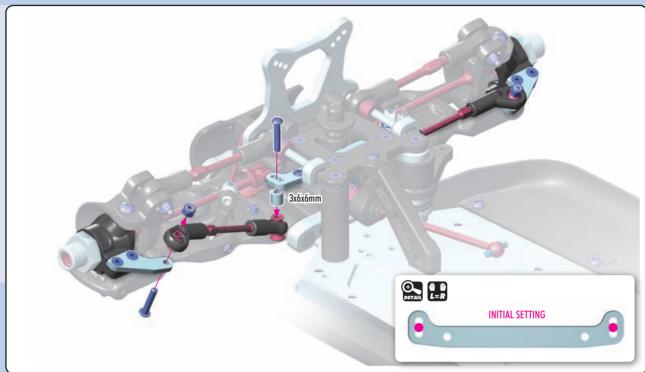


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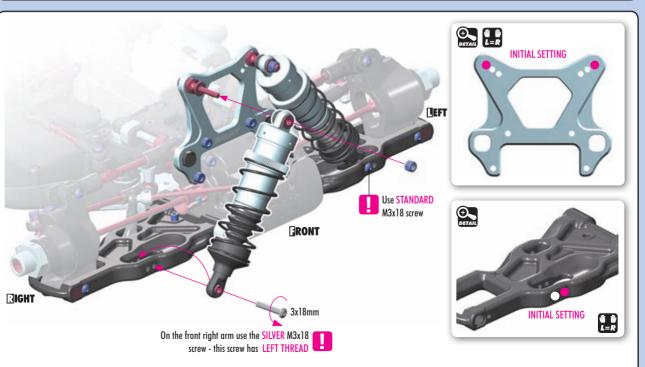












### ENGINE OPERATION

### PREPARING TO OPERATE THE ENGINE

- Never modify the engine or muffler.
- Confirm the position of needle and idling before running. Be sure to run a new engine smoothly.
- Make sure the air filter is clean and oiled
- Never run your engine without an air filter. Your engine can be seriously damaged if dirt and debris get inside the engine.
- For proper engine break-in, please refer to the manual that came with the engine.
- The engine may not start or run properly if the air filter is dirty, or choked with sand and dust.
- If the fuel pipe is choked or deteriorates, the engine may not start, and there is danger that fuel will leak out

#### STARTING AND RUNNING THE ENGINE

Be sure to observe the following starting process. Failure to do so may cause the model car to start suddenly, which may lead to damage or unexpected accidents.

- 1. Make sure the transmitter and receiver batteries are fully charged.
- 2. Make sure that your transmitter and receiver are both on the same frequency. If you have a transmitter with multiple model memory, make sure you have selected the proper profile for your car.
- Put the car on the starter box and keep the tires from touching the ground.
- Turn on the transmitter.
- Turn on the receiver in the car.
- Make sure the steering servo and engine servos work normally and adjust them correctly. 6.
- 7. Put fuel in the fuel tank, and close the cap securely.
- Apply the glow igniter to the engine glowplug.
- 9. Push the model car onto the starter box to start the engine. (If the engine is new, follow the instruction manual and be sure to break in the new engine properly).
- 10. When the engine has started, remove the glow igniter.
- 11. Follow your engine break-in procedure and tune the engine as appropriate.

#### STOPPING THE ENGINE

Before you stop the engine, try to make sure the engine is at idle first. There are several ways to stop the engine:

- Use a rag to cover the exhaust tip. Be careful! The exhaust is extremely hot so use a thick rag and gloves.
- Pinch the fuel tubing to stop the flow of fuel to the carb. Be careful, this can make the motor run lean which can damage the motor.
- Put your hand over the air filter, or squeeze the air filter element to block the airflow.
- Press an object (such as a screwdriver handle or shoe) against the rotating flywheel to stop its rotation. Be very careful, and do not stick your hand or fingers near the rotating flywheel.

### FINISHING OPERATIONS

- 1. Stop the engine.
- 2. Turn off the receiver in the car
- Turn off the transmitter

#### MAINTENANCE AFTER RUNNING

Take proper care of your car after running to keep it performing well, and take notice of any damage and wear.

- 1. Do not leave fuel in the tank.
- 2. Go outside to drain any residual fuel from the exhaust pipe.

- 3. Clean the car and remove all sand, mud, and other debris.
- 4. Use after-run oil in your engine after you have finished running for the day.

#### SHOCK MAINTENANCE

The most important maintenance task for keeping consistent shock performance is refilling and bleeding them correctly. If built correctly, it will not be necessary to re-build them often. Replacing warped/hard rubber bladders and o-rings, scarred piston rods, or shaved/split/loose composite upper and lower ball joints are also important.

- For club racing, it is recommended to check the shocks for air inside before each race and only re-fill and bleed them if necessary. Before each race day, make sure you take the spring off of each shock, hold it up to your ear, and quickly compress the shock rod fully into the body while listening for any air making a "whistling" or "squishy" sound as it passes through the piston holes. If you hear any air, refill and bleed your shocks. For high-competition racing, it is recommended that the shocks be re-filled and bled before a large event.
- If building or pairing new shocks, always make sure they are the same length using a shock length measuring tool and adjust the lower ball joints as needed.
- If installing new rubber bladders, carefully trim the thin excess rubber from the edges of their lips. Curved body scissors work the best
- Regularly inspect the amount of dirt on the felt protector in the shocks (if present) and regularly replace with a new one.
- During regular shock operation, oil naturally gets on the shock shaft and drop-by-drop slightly gets out of the shock body. Shocks should be inspected regularly after each race, and oil replaced as required.

### **BEARING MAINTENANCE**

Ball-bearings in an off-road car or truggy must be properly maintained for smooth operation and long lifespan.

Typically, the ball-bearings included in new cars are greased for highest lifespan and as such the drivetrain may not seem to be as free as with lightly-oiled ball-bearings. However, when the car is run the ballbearings will become more free and the drivetrain will become very efficient.

There are several types of bearings discussed here: bearings which already come greased from the factory, bearings which must be lubricated using the HUDY Bearing Grease, and then there are also bearings in the steering system which need to be lubricated with HUDY Bearing Oil.

The following procedures are recommended to clean all of the bearings in your off-road car or truggy. For high-competition racing, we recommended doing this every 3-4 weeks, or before a major race.

- Remove the seals on both sides of the bearing (if present). If the seals bend a little and you can see a kink, carefully flatten the kink out by hand.
- Spray the seals with motor cleaner and blow dry with compressed air.
- Spray the bearing on both sides with motor cleaner.
- Spin the bearing while it is still wet to dislodge any particles with the cleaner.
- 5 Spray the bearing on both sides again.
- Blow both sides of the bearing dry with compressed air to make sure particles come out.
- 7. Hold the inner part of the bearing with my left thumb/forefinger and spin it to make sure it spins free
- Place one drop of bearing oil into each side of the bearing.
- Replace both seals at the same time by lining them up on each side of the bearing and lightly pressin too far, bend and cause drag

If you spin test the bearing after you have re-oiled and sealed it, it will not spin freely for an extended period of time. The lightest of oils may allow it to spin for 1-2 seconds. This is normal and once you have mounted the bearings in the car again, the drive train will spin freely.

Make sure you use a motor cleaner that does not leave a residue after it dries as this may cause drag and wear in the bearings.

To prolong the lifespan of the clutch bearings, they must be regularly cleaned and lubricated (preferably after each run) using a high-auglity grease such as HUDY Bearing Grease. However, after some time the clutch bearings must be replaced with new ones.

### RECOMMENDED PRODUCTS

- Use HUDY Bearing Grease to regularly lubricate grease-bearing ball-bearings.
- Use HUDY Bearing Oil to lubricate the bearings of the steering system.
- Use HUDY Bearing Grease to regularly lubricate the clutch bearings.

without any abnormal vibrations or sounds.

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ing them in all the way around the bearings circumference with your thumb and forefinger. Do not press too hard or use any type of tool, such as a wrench tip, to push the blue seals in as they will push

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# TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE

PROBLEM	CAUSE	SOLUTION
CAR IS HARD TO CONTROL	Weak transmitter and/or receiver batteries     Low reception from radio antennas     Servo linkages not adjusted properly	Recharge or replace batteries     Fully extend transmitter and receiver antennas     Move servo to neutral then re-adjust linkage(s)
STEERING DOES NOT WORK PROPERLY	Weak transmitter and/or receiver batteries     Bent linkages or driveshafts     Loose steering components     Drivetrain damage	Recharge or replace batteries     Check tightness of steering components and tighten if necessary     Replace damaged parts
HANDLING PROBLEMS	<ul> <li>Shocks are not working properly</li> <li>Suspension is binding</li> <li>Improper tires</li> </ul>	Rebuild the shocks and replace worn or broken parts     Make sure suspension moves freely. Replace worn or broken parts     Use different tires
STEERING FEELS SLUGGISH OR VAGUE	Suspension is binding     Damaged steering servo	Make sure suspension moves freely, and replace worn or broken parts     Check the steering servo for damage and wear, and replace/repair if necessary
THE CAR DOES NOT DRIVE STRAIGHT	<ul> <li>Suspension is binding</li> <li>Steering trim is off-center</li> <li>Wheels are loose</li> <li>Damaged steering servo</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Make sure suspension moves freely, and replace worn or broken parts</li> <li>Adjust steering trim until car drives straight</li> <li>Check the make sure the wheel nuts are properly tightened</li> <li>Check the steering servo for damage and wear, and replace/repair if necessary</li> </ul>

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