Fig. 180 In Bag #6-7 are 2 Allen screws with cross drilled holes in the heads. Install these in the 2 forward holes in the battery trays, where the arrow is pointing. Do not tighten the screws all the way down, but leave them up about .025 (65mm). Then in the other 2 rear holes install the other 2 regular Allen screws. Do not tighten these all the way either, but leave them up about .080 (2mm). Now, attach the switch to the side of the chassis, as shown, with servo tape. Mount the switch down low so the toggle doesn't hit the body.

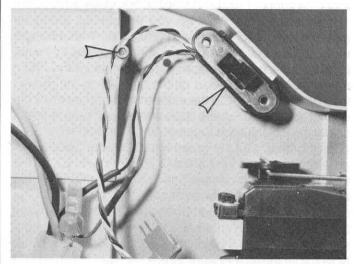


Fig. 180

Fig. 181 There should be enough room to mount the receiver between the servo and battery trays, as shown. Put about 4 layers of servo tape on the bottom of the receiver and stick it to the chassis. If you have a bigger servo or receiver, stand the receiver on its side and mount it.

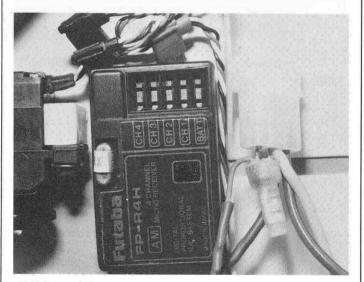


Fig. 181

☐ Fig. 182 Install the wire plug from the switch into the battery socket in your receiver. Install the steering servo plug into the proper socket and then install the throttle servo plug into the proper socket per your radios instruction manual. Take the long plastic antenna tube and install it into the large hole in the #6338 antenna mount. The round end of the mount is the bottom.

The tube will fit tight, but it will go in. Now, from the bottom of the tube, feed the receiver antenna wire up through the tube, from the bottom. Push the wire up through the top about 1" (25mm) and tie a knot in it. Now attach the antenna mount in the location shown. Any excess antenna wire can be stowed by the mount, as shown. There are a few extra holes in the bottom of the chassis which will not be used. Cover these holes, from the top, with cellophane tape or the servo tape and this will help to keep the dirt out of the car.

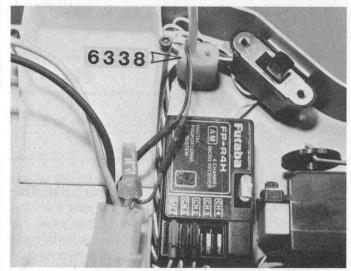


Fig. 182

☐ Fig. 183 Now we'll assemble the batteries. You'll notice there should be one positive and one negative end on each end of the battery pack. There is also a battery assembly drawing page in the back of these instructions. Attach the 2 battery sticks together with servo tape, as the photo shows so the tabs can be soldered together. If the tabs are too short, connect them with a piece of wire and rosin core solder together, as shown.

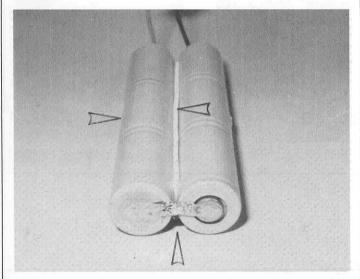


Fig. 183

☐ Fig. 184 In this photo, the arrow is pointing to the negative side. Solder the black wire to this tab, as shown.

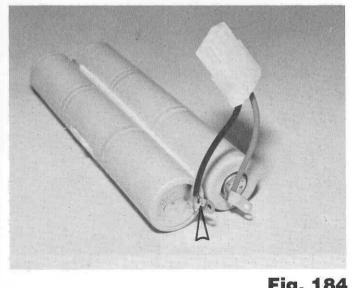


Fig. 184

☐ **Fig. 185** In this photo, the arrow is pointing to the positive end. Solder the red wire to this tab and then bend the tabs back flush as close as possible.

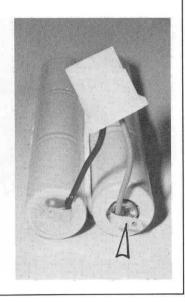


Fig. 185

☐ Fig. 186 wrap both ends of the battery with strapping tape or black electrical tape, as shown.

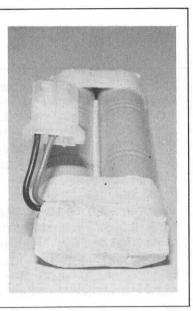


Fig. 186

☐ Fig. 187 In Bag #8-6 is the #3736 battery charge cord. We'll have to solder the ends to the wires. The arrows, in the photo, are pointing to the positive (+) connection. This is the silver appearing wire, not the black wire. There is a clear plastic coating on this wire, which is very hard to see. Take your Xacto knife and scrap off this clear coating on the end for soldering. Slip the red tube on the wire. Now solder the wire to the clip as shown. If you have a small soldering iron, you'll have to hold it on awhile longer to heat up the clip. Now solder the black negative (-) wire to the other clip using the black tube. In the back of these instructions is a page on charging batteries. Read it carefully and charge the battery pack. Also make sure the batteries in your radio transmitter are charged.

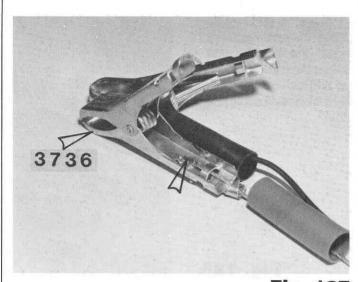


Fig. 187

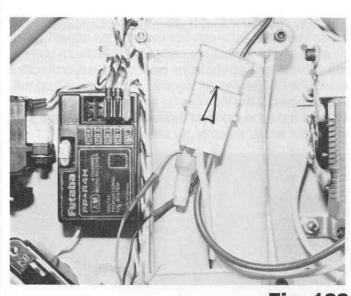


Fig. 188

☐ Fig. 188 Slip the charged batteries into the radio tray, as shown. In Bag #6-7 are the 2 battery straps and 4 clips. Slip the keyhole end of the straps, over the rear screws in the battery trays. Then pull them forward so the slotted end slips under the screw head. Slip the forward end of the straps over the forward screws and put 2 clips through the screw heads. Take your charged radio transmitter, pull the antenna up and turn the transmitter switch on. Plug the battery plug into the wiring plug as the arrow shows. If your servos moved then your switch was in the "ON" position. Make sure your switch is correctly marked "OFF" and "ON". Turn your switch on for ONE SECOND and turn it off. Refer to photo 175. See if your resistor arm is close to this position. If it is not, unscrew the wiper arm off the servo wheel. Turn the switch on. Advance the throttle arm on the transmitter. See if the servo arm rotates in the proper direction. If it doesn't turn the car switch off and transmitter off.

Install the wiper arm on the servo arm in the exact location shown in photo 175. Turn the transmitter on and the car switch on. The wiper arm should now be exactly like in photo 175. Pull the throttle half way. The wiper arm should now be close to photo 176. Pull the throttle all the way open. The wiper arm now should be exactly as shown in photo 177. This can be accomplished by setting the end point adjustment on your transmitter per your radio manual. Now refer to photo 143. Turn your transmitter steering wheel to the right. Your wheels should turn to the right. If not, you'll have to reverse the steering servo, as before. Now you'll want to get the #6256 linkage centered, as shown. You may have to change the hole location on the servo wheel.

Fig. 189 Turn the car switch OFF. Plug the motor plug into the wiring socket, as shown, then tie a small tie wrap around the wiring socket and wing tube. This will keep the wires away from the tires.

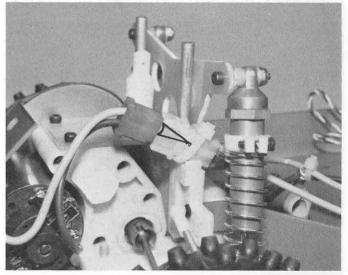
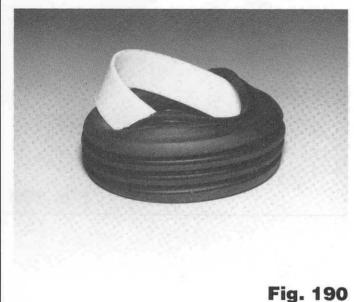
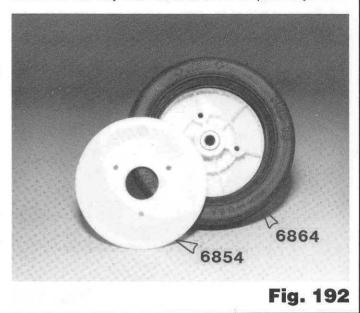


Fig. 189

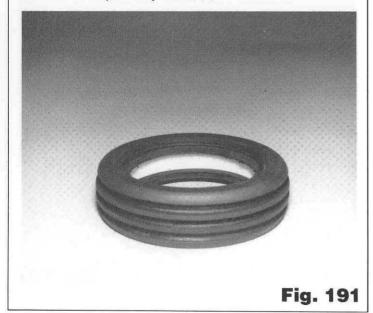
■ Fig. 190 Take the front wheels and tires out of the bag. We want to put the large plastic ring inside the tire as shown. Work the ring into the tire until it is seated evenly. Tires vary a lot. Some will go on quite easily, and some will be quite difficult to install. On the tough ones, soapy water, like dish washing soap, will help the rubber to slip easier and will make mounting the tires much easier. Be sure to rinse off the soap and then dry the tires thoroughly.



☐ Fig. 192 Take the inside half of the front wheel, as shown, and push it into the front tire making sure it is seated all the way around, and centered perfectly.



☐ **Fig. 191** The front tire, #6854, with the ring inside. Make sure it's perfectly centered.



☐ Fig. 193 Turn the tire over and install the inside half of the wheel. Make sure the screw holes are in line.

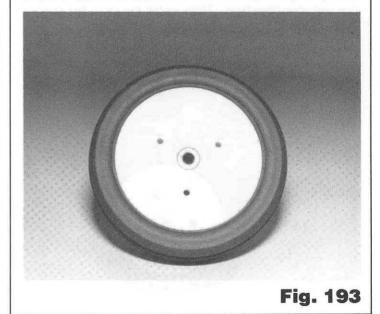
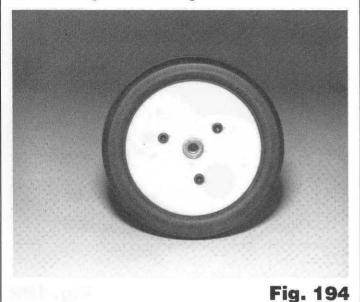
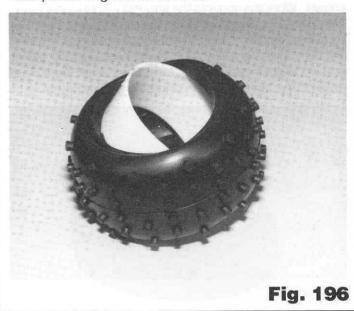


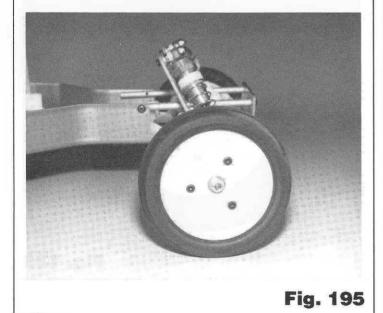
Fig. 194 Install the 3 Allen screws. DO NOT overtighten these screws. Install the inside and outside #6863 wheel bushings or ball bearings.



☐ **Fig. 196** Take the rear tires, #6804 and slip the wide plastic rings inside the tires.



☐ Fig. 195 Oil the bushings and slip the wheels on the front axles. Spin the wheels. They should spin true. If not, re-mount the tires. Then install the steel flat washer and the locknut on each wheel.



□ Fig. 197 They then should look like this.

Fig. 197

☐ Fig. 198 Take the inside half of the wheel and slip it inside the inside side of the tire, as shown, and make sure it's fully seated and centered perfectly.

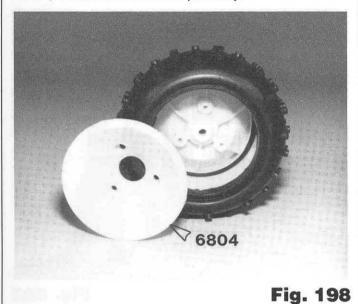
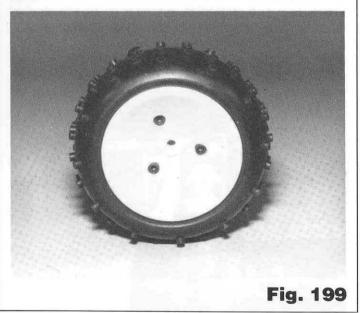


Fig. 199 Now take the outside half of the wheel and slip it inside the other side of the tire. Make sure the screw holes are lined up. Install the screws. Do not overtighten.



□ Fig. 200 Slip the wheels on the rear axles. If they go on tight, screw them on the axle making sure the slot in the wheel aligns with the pin in the axle. Screw the locknut on. Some rear wheels will go on the axles a little tighter than others. When you're ready to remove the wheel, remove the nut, hold the wheel from the backside and tap the end of the axle until the wheel moves a little bit. Then you can simply unscrew it off the axle. I know you can't wait to see if the car runs, so turn the transmitter on, hold the car up by the center of the chassis, with your hands away from the rear tires, and turn the switch on. Touch the throttle just a little way and see if the tires turn forward. If everything's O.K., go ahead and play with the car a little while, but be careful!

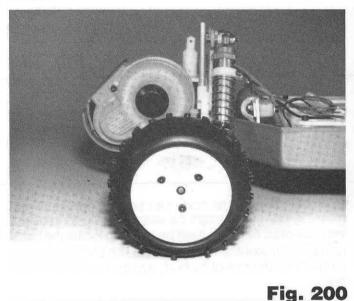
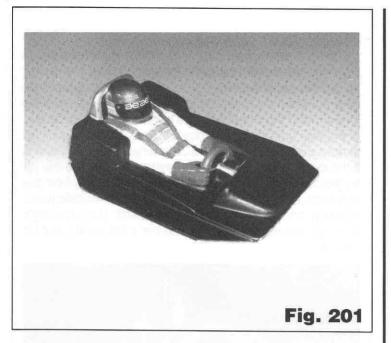


Fig. 201 The driver can be painted to look quite life-like. If you paint the helmet and visor on the inside, they will have a glossy appearance. Then if you paint the rest on the outside, it will be very life-like. You can use the small brush on paint bottles available in hobby stores. The driver should be trimmed as shown, then it will slide up into the body, and 2 pieces of tape will hold it in place.



☐ Fig. 203 The rear of the body must be trimmed like this to clear the shocks.

NOTE: Save the trimmings to use for testing paint.

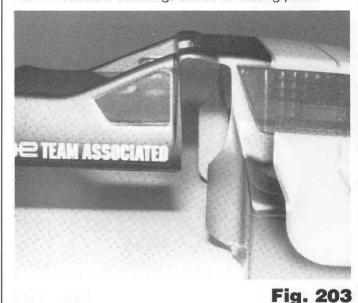


Fig. 202 The body can be painted before you mount it, however it might be easier for you to mount it while it's clear because it will be easier to locate the holes for the body mounts and wing tubes. This photo shows the trim lines for the front of the body and the front body mount

hole.

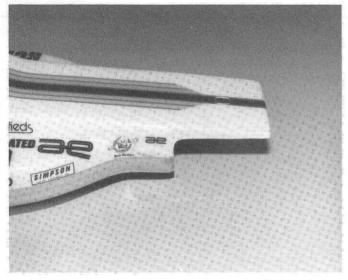


Fig. 202

Fig. 204 Trim a little of the body and slip it on. Keep trimming a little at a time until it clears the shocks. Cut out the body mount hole and the 2 wing tube holes. When you've got the body fitted, it's time to paint the body and wing. The body is painted on the inside and the wing is painted on the underside. There are 2 different ways to paint the body. By either brushing it on or spraying it on. The body is made of Lexan polycarbonate. In hobby shops, you can find special Lexan or polycarbonate paints made for these type bodies, to brush on. Do not use any other type brush-on paints. If you want to spray it on, one of the best type of spray paints for Lexan or polycarbonate is Pactra, available in most hobby shops.

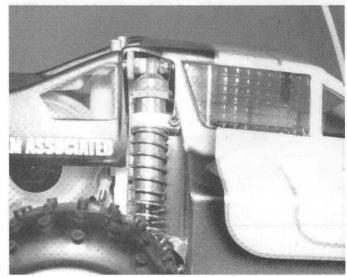
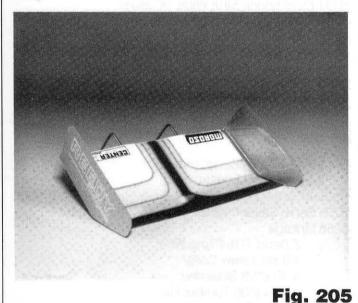
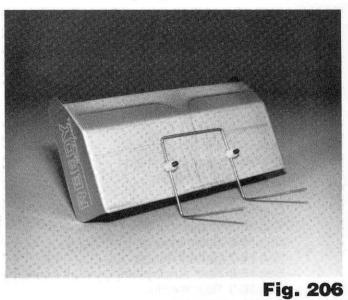


Fig. 204

□ Fig. 205 Now you'll have to figure out your paint scheme and mask the body off. Use automotive masking tape for best results. You always want to paint the darkest color first, and the lightest color last. So, in the case of this wing, the darkest color, which is towards the top of the photo, would be painted first. This means the first thing you mask off is the section which will be painted white. The next section you mask off is the lightest color next to white and so on. After you've painted the darkest color, you peel off the next layer of masking tape and paint the next lighter color and so on. When you paint the body, put some masking tape on the outside of the body at the body mount holes and wing tube holes and at the shock cutout holes so the excess spray does not get on the outside of the body.



☐ **Fig. 206** Mount the wing as shown in the instructions in the wing bag.



☐ Fig. 207 Mount the body, with the body clips and wing, on the car, and then pat yourself on the back. YOU DID FANTASTIC!!

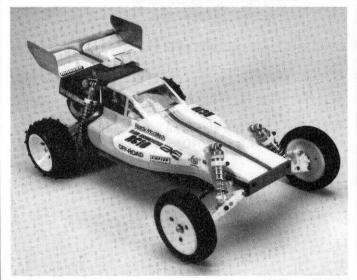


Fig. 207

PARTS LIST

#6000 BASIC KIT contains the following:

- Chassis
- Rear wheels/tires
- Front wheels/tires
- Antenna kit
- Dif Lube
- Shock wrench/ball joint tool
- Headlamp set
- Knock-off set
- Baq #6-1 Front suspension
- Bag #6-2 Servo Saver

NO BAG #6-3 REQUIRED

- Bag #6-4 Chassis parts
- Bag #6-5 Body mounts
- Bag #6-6 Servo mounts
- Bag #6-7 Battery mounts
- Bag #6-8 Rear suspension
- Bag #6-9 Rear shocks
- Bag #6-10 Front shocks
- Bag #6-11 Springs and oil
- Bag #6-12 Transmission

NO BAG #6-13 REQUIRED

- Bag #6-14 Ball ends
- Bag #6-15 Gears

#6012 FULL KIT contains the following additional items:

- Motor
- Servo tape
- Wire ties
- Bag #6-13 Electrical items
- Bag #806 Charge cord

#6010 FULL KIT contains all of the above plus the following:

- Body
- Wing kit

#6016 FULL KIT is a #6010 kit with ball bearings #6020 FULL KIT is a #6010 kit with a 6-cell ni-cad pack

RC10 KIT CONTENTS

BAG 6-1 - Front Suspension Bag

6206 Front A arms "wide track"	pr
6207 Front Suspension Mount	pr
6213 Front Block Carrier 15 degpr	
6217 In line Axle Steering Blk	pr
6218 In line Front Axle	pr
6223 King Pin	pr
4-40 shcs special for front	
shock mounting	pr
6226 Inner Hinge Pin	
6227 Outer Hinge Pin	
6231 Front Shock Strut Wide "A" arms	
4-40 x 1 3/4 Turnbuckle	pr
6242 4-40 Nylon Insert Locknut	pr
3216 #4 Steel Washer	pr
6280 8-32 x 1/2 100 deg Alum Fthd	
Phillips Green	6
4-40 x 1/2 S.H.C.S.	2
6299 E Clips	16

BAG #6-2 - Servo Saver and Steering Linkage

6255 Servo Saver Plastic Only

6256 Linkage 2 Z Bend 1/16 Piano Wire 1/8 set screw Collar 4-40 x 1/8 Setscrew 2 4-40 x 2.06 Turnbuckle 2 (Tie Rod) 1 4-40 x 1.00 Turnbuckle 6281 8-32 x 7/8 100deg Alum Fthd Phillips Green 2 2 8-32 Nylon Locknut

BAG #6-4 - Chassis Parts

#10 Alum Washer

6310 Nose Piece
6320 Nose Brace Tubes
6323 Rear Bulkhead
6325 Transmission Brace
6327 Wing Tubes
6280 8-32 x 1/2 100deg Alum Fthd
Phillips Green
2 8-32 x 1/4 100deg Steel
F.H.P. Silver
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#4 Alum Washer
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6378 Rear Shock Strut

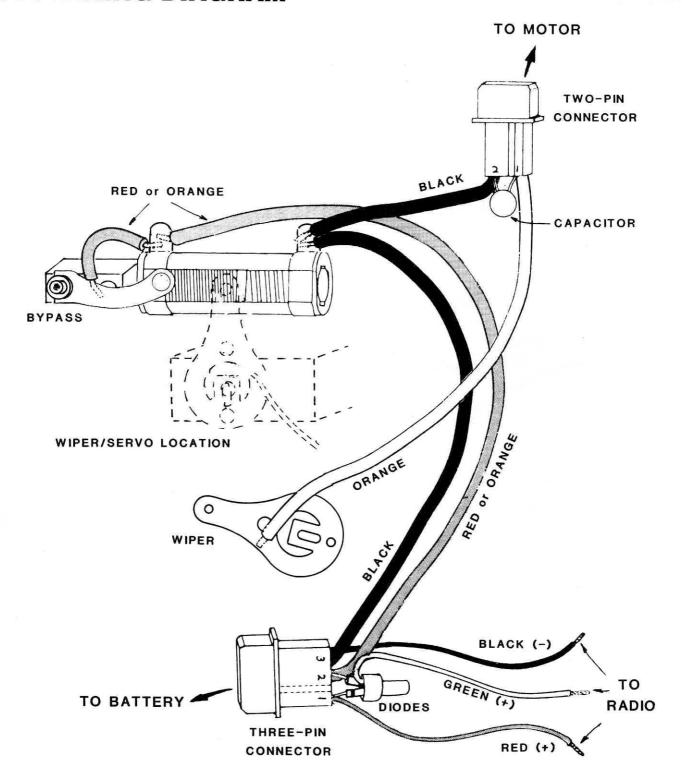
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6330 Plastic Body Mount Post	2
6332 Hood Pins	4
#10 Alum Washer	4
6280 8-32 x 1/2 100deg Alum	
F.H.P. Green	2
6281 8-32 x 7/8 100deg Alum	
F.H.P. Green	1
BAG #6-6 - Servo Mount Kit	
Brane o Servo Modrit Kit	
6336 Servo Mount Plastic	4
6292 4-40 x 3/8 F.H.S.C.	4
4-40 x 5/16 B.H.C.S.	8
#4 Alum Washer	10
BAG #6-7 - Battery Cup	
6334 Battery Cup	pr
6335 Battery Holddown Strap	2
6332 Hood Pins	4
4-40 x 1/2 F.H.S.C.	4
4-40 x 3/8 S.H.C.S. W/hole	2
4-40 x 3/8 S.H.C.S. Pln 2	
BAG #6-8 - Rear Suspension Kit	
6355 Rear A Arms	pr
6360 Rear Suspension Mounts	pr
6366 3deg Rear Hub Carriers	2
6370 Rear Dogbones	2
6372 Dogbone Spring/Spacer	2 2 2
6374 Rear Stub Axle	
6375 Stub Axle Roll Pin	2
6380 Rear Inner Hinge Pins	pr
6381 Rear Outer Hinge Pins	pr
4-40 x 1 3/4 Turnbuckles 6387 Bronze Oilite Bushing/w	2
Washer	pr
6388 Cone Washer	pr
6280 8-32 x 1/2 100 deg Alum	ř.,
Flathead	4
4-40 x 5/16 S.H.C.S.	4
6299 E Clip	16
8-32 Nylon Insert Alum	
Locknut	2

BAG #6-9 - Rear Shock Bag	
6452 Rear Shock Body .4x132	2
6463 End Cap	2 2 2 2
6458 Shock Shaft 1.32 Stroke	2
6464 Piston 6467 Rebuilt Kit ("O" ring	2
washer bag) #6468 Nylon	
Gasket	2
Nylon Spacer	2 2 2 2
Large Washer	2
Small Washer	2
Snap Ring 50 Shore Silicone "O"	4
Ring	4
#6299 E Clips	8
6470 Mounting Kit Includes	
6471 Rod Ends w/.230 Balls	_
6473 Cap Bushings	2
4-40 x 3/4 S.H.C.S. 4-40 Plain Hex Nut	4
4-40 Nylon Insert Locknut	4
#4 Alum Washer	4
Nylon Spacers	6
BAG #6-10 - Front Shock Bag	
6454 Shock Body .71 Stroke	2
6463 End Cap	2
6460 Shock Shaft .71 Stroke	2
6464 Piston	2
6467 Rebuild Kit (See Bag 6-9)	
6470 Mounting Kit (See Bag 6-9) Nylon Spacers	
Tylen opassis	
BAG #6-11 - Oil, Springs, Clamps	
5414 30 wt Shock Oil	
6478 Spring Rear 2.75 x .042	
Silver	2
6479 Spring Rear 2.75 x .045	
Gold	2
6496 Spring Front 1.3 x .042 Silver	2
6497 Spring Front 1.3 x .045	2
Gold	2
6474 Clamps and Cups includes	
Spring Clamp	4
Spring Cup 4-40 x 3/8 S.H.C.S.	4
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BAG #6-12 - Transmission Bag	
6605 Gear Case Housing	
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6606 Bearing Adenters	
6606 Bearing Adapters 6607 Motor Mount Plate	
6608 Dust Cover w/Plastic Plug	
6609 Drive Gear Pivot w/Nut,Roll Pin 6610 Idler Gear Pivot w/washer,clip	
#6635	
6611 Spine Plate	
6612 Axle Drive Gear 6614 Idler Gears w/0-80 x 3/16	
S.H.C.S.	10
6617 Dif Tube	
6618 Dif Shaft w/6620 6621 Dif Pinion Right goes w/6617	
6623 Teflon Bushings	
6624 Dif Outer Hub	
6625 Dif Drive Rings 6626 1/8 Grade 25 Chrome Steel	
Balls	8
6627 Thrust Bearing Set includes	
Thrust Washers w/small hole Thrust Washers w/large hole	
1/8 Thrust Bearing	
6628 Dif Spring	
6629 5-40 Locknut 6630 Oilite Bushing Set includes	
3/16 x 5/16 Short	3
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1/4 x 3/8 Thin 6633 Felt Seal Retainer w/Seals	R.
6280 8-32 x 1/2 100deg Alum	
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6285 4-40 x 1/4 S.H.C.S. 6299 E Clips	2 12
Snap Rings	4
Small Pattern 4-40 Nut	1
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BAG #6-13 - Electrical Bag	
6711 Resistor	
6712 Wiper Arm	
6713 Resistor Mounting Brkt incl. Straight Bracket	1
"L" Bracket	2
6714 Bypass includes	
Bronze Bypass Nylon Mounting Block	1
3" Wire	1
4-40 x 3/8 S.H.C.S.	1
4-40 x 1/2 S.H.C.S. 2 #4 Alum Washer	1
6744 Wire Harness Input	
6745 Wire Harness Output Misc Hardware includes	
Yellow Bypass	
X February	

4 Nylon Spacers #2 x 1/4 Panhead Screw 4-40 x 1/2 F.H.S.C. 4-40 x 3/8 F.H.S.C. 4-40 Nylon Insert Locknt #2 Washers	2 2 2 4 2
BAG #6-14 - Ball End W/Cups	
6273 Ball End Long 6270 Ball End Short 4-40 Plain Hex Nut 6274 Plastic Ball Cup	6 8 8 14
6955 Turnbuckle Shock Wrench 6191 Headlights & Knockoffs 6338 Antenna Mount and Tube 6636 Dif Lube 6950 Allen Wrench Set Wire Ties 4"	
6500 Stock Motor w/Leads 6300 Chassis 6173 Protech II Body 6182 High Down force Wing Kit 6180 Clear Driver	
6804 3 pc Low Profile Rim Rear Tire 4-40 x 3/8 S.H.C.S.	2 2 6
FRONT WHEEL 6854 3 pc Low Profile Rim Front Tires 3/16 x 3/8 Bushing Bronze	
Oilite 4-40 x 3/8 S.H.C.S.	4 6

RC10 WIRING DIAGRAM



NOTE: Use green and black radio leads with 6-cell pack. Use red and black radio leads with 7-cell pack.

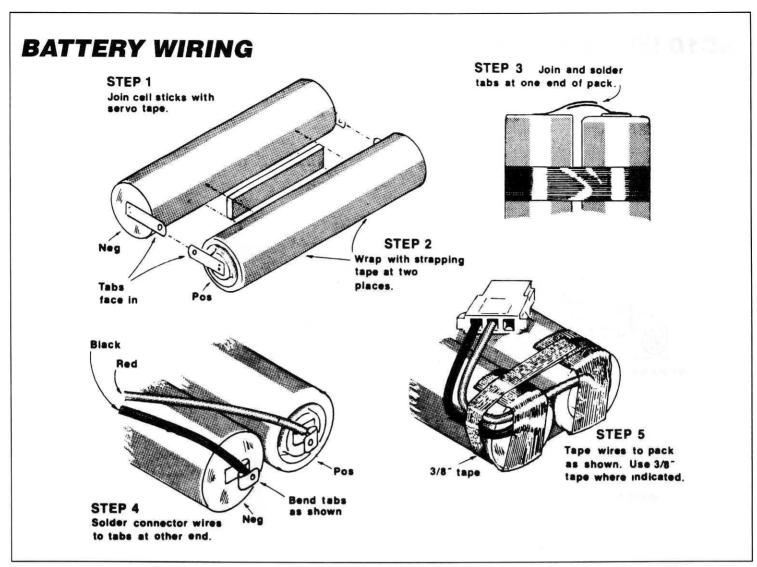


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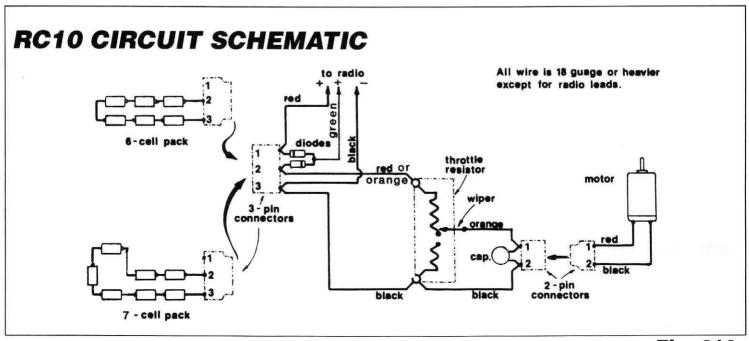
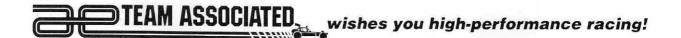


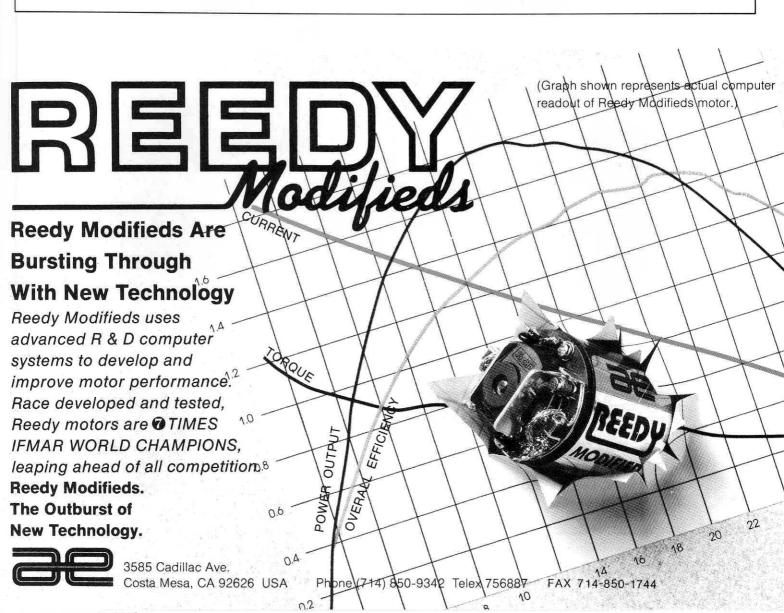
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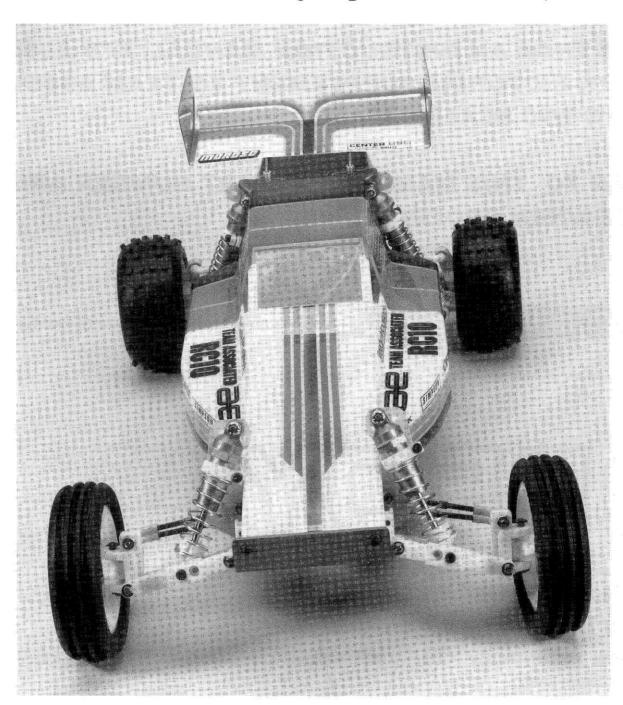
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