



Aristo-Craft Covered Hopper Update



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Summary

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To do what I did, you will need:

Aristo-Craft 2-Bay Hopper (duh)

1/8" drill bit and 1/8" polystyrene rod (to plug holes)

3/32" drill bit to relocate hatches

Hobby knife with a chisel blade (to pop off the rivets and remove grab irons)

Putty and sandpaper

18 Ga wire (new grab irons)

NOTE: I PUT MUCH TIME AND EFFORT INTO DRAWING PARTS AND SHARE FILES FOR FELLOW MODEL TRAIN HOBBYISTS TO PRINT FOR THEMSELVES AND SHARE WITH FRIENDS. PLEASE DO NOT SEEK PROFIT FROM MY DESIGNS. FOR THOSE LOOKING FOR SOMEONE TO PRINT THIS, KNOW THAT THE MATERIAL COST TO PRINT ALL THE PARTS NEEDED IS ABOUT 1 DOLLAR.

Model files

hopper_hatch.stl

☐ Recommend .1LH 40% Infill

hopper_roofwalk_middle.stl

☐ Recommend .2LH

hopper_roofwalk_end.stl

☐ Recommend .2LH 40% Infill

hopper_brake_wheel_housing.stl

☐ Recommend .1LH 100% Infill

brakewheel_v3.stl

☐ Recommend .1LH 100% Infill

filler_plate_right.stl

☐ Recommend .1LH 40% Infill

filler_plate_left.stl

☐ Recommend .1LH 40% Infill

hopper_hexmesh_roofwalk_middle.stl

☐ Recommend .2LH 40% Infill

hopper_hexmesh_roofwalk_end.stl

☐ Recommend .2LH 40% Infill

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