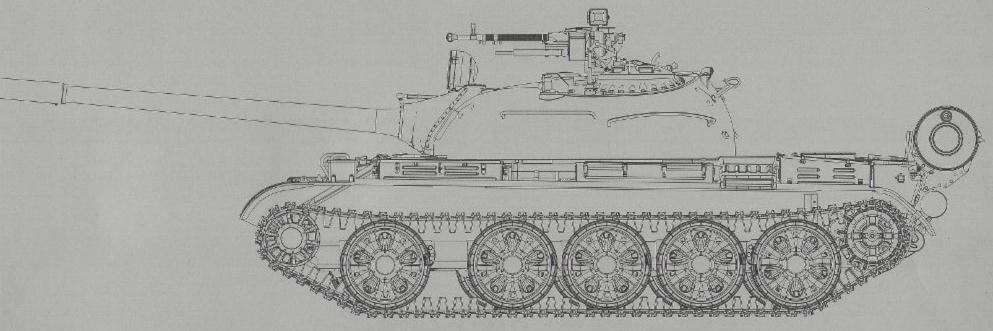
### **RUSSIAN MEDIUM TANK**

# T-54B



The ubiquitous T-54 & T-55 series is the most produced tank type in history, with an estimated 100,000 units having been produced in Russia, Ozechoslovakia, Poland, and China. These tanks have been evolving since their inception at the end of WWII, continuously incorporating improved weapons, power packs, and protection, and they continue to be rebuilt and refurbished with local upgraces even today. They have also formed the basis of many other AFV's, such as ARV's, APC's and AVLB's, and still serve in large numbers today with as many as 50 nations.

The T-54B was the first Soviet tank to be regularly fitted with night-fighting equipment, introducing the Luna L-2 infrared searchlight slaved to the main gun, along with the OU-3 IR searchlight mounted on the commander's cupola and a TPN-1 gunner's night /day sight in place of the simple Mx.4 periscope on the T-54B, also featured better targeting ability by introducing the Tsikion 2-axis stabilization system to the improved D-10T2S 100mm rifled main gun. An electric power traverse motor was fitted to supplement the standard manual traverse system, enabling the turnet to rotate 360° in under 30 seconds. The T-54B was also the first of it's kind to be fitted with the OPVT fording equipment, allowing the tank to ford rivers up to 5m deep and 700m wide. The T-54B entered series production in the U.S.S.R. early in 1957 until it was replaced by the T-55 in January 1958, and it was during this time that T-54 production was initiated in China, Gzechoslovakia, and Poland.

### READ BEFORE ASSEMBLY

## CAUTION

- Read carefully and fully understand the instructions before commencing assembly. A supervising adult should also read the instructions if a child assembles the model.
- When assembling this kit, tools including knives used. Extra care should be taken to avoid personal injury.
- Keep out of reach of small children. Children must not be allowed to suck any part, or pull vinyl bag over their heads.









Be Careful





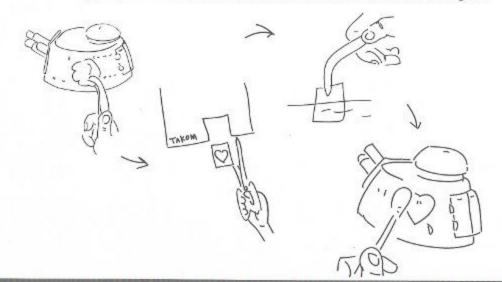




Instant Glue Do Not Cement

# **APPLYING DECALS**

- 1.Clean the model surface with a wet cloth.
- 2.Cut out each decal design from sheet, and dip it in tepid water for 15~20 sec.
- 3. Hold the backing sheet edge and slide decal onto the model.
- 4. Move decal into position by wetting decal with finger.
- 5. Press decal gently down with a soft cloth until excess water and air bubbles are gone.

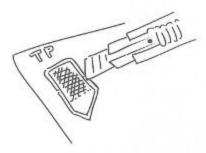


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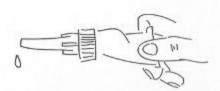
Color info and profiles by Mig Jimenez



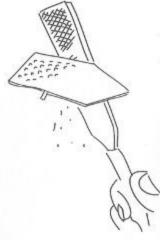
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Be careful not to hurt when removing PE parts.

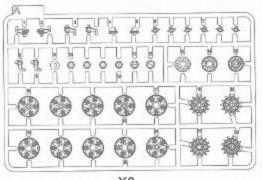


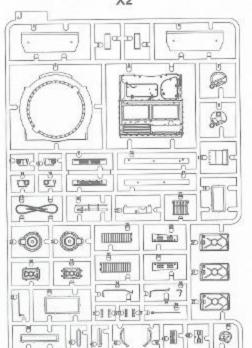
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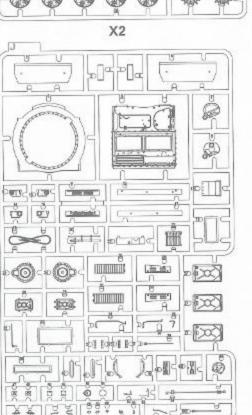


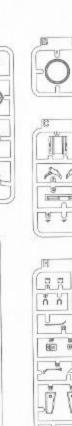
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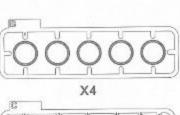
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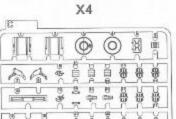










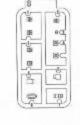


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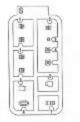
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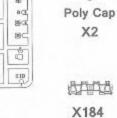
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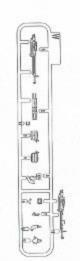


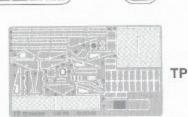
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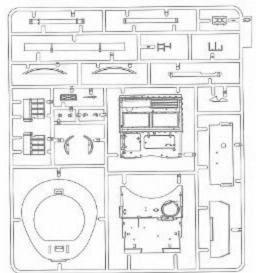


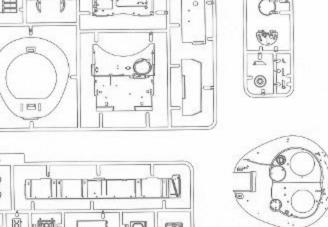


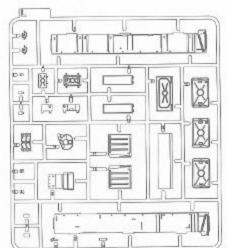
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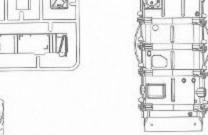












**Dust Cover** 



Turret

Lower Hull

