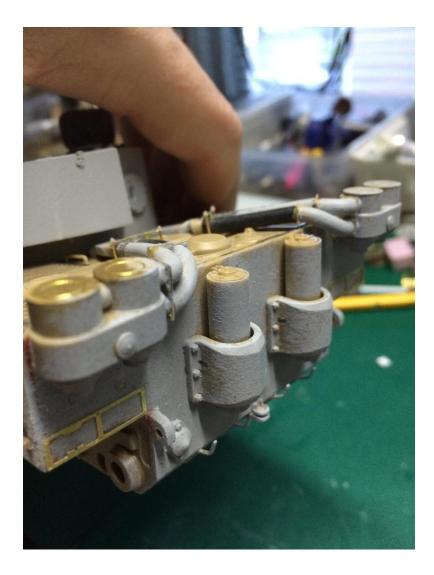
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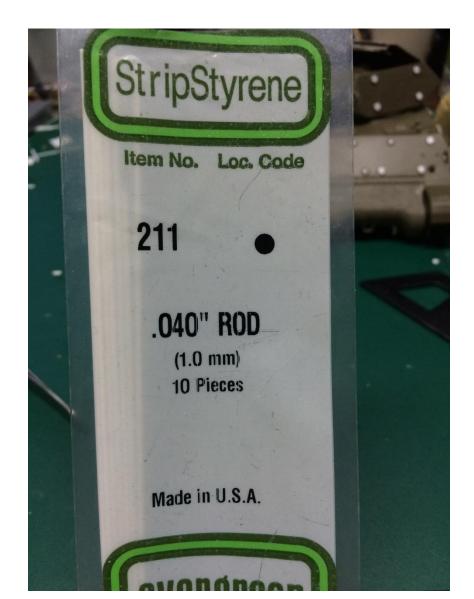
Part 4

- Adding the missing Lifting Lugs to the armored exhaust covers
- Adding the PE rear fender mounts
- Adding the spare track hangers
- Adding the side fender mounts

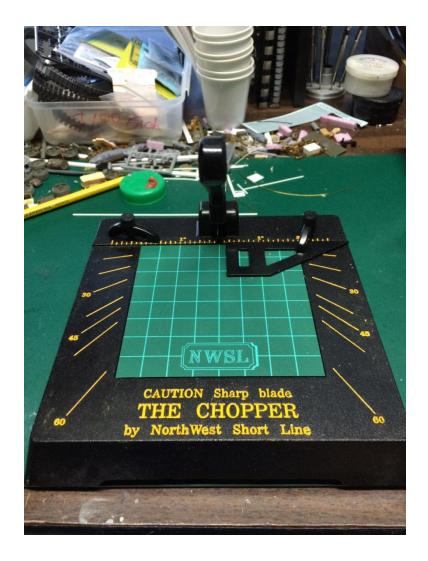
The rear armored exhaust covers in the tamiya kit do not come with lifting lugs. They will need to be added. I used .40 styrene rod and a punch and die set to make the lifting lugs.



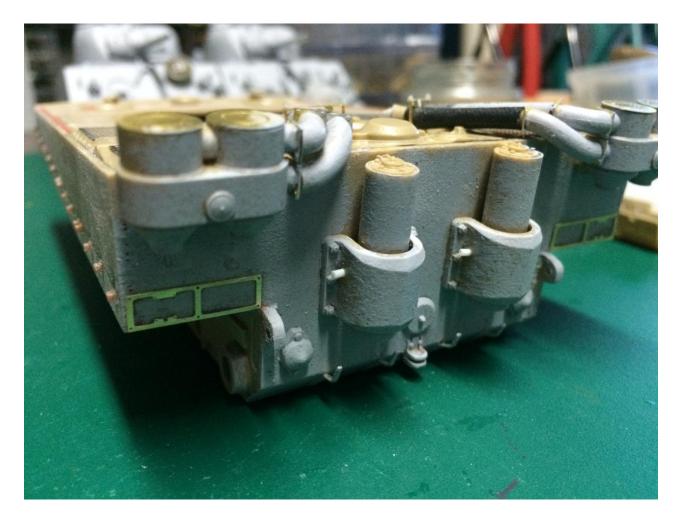
Evergreen .40 Styrene Rod



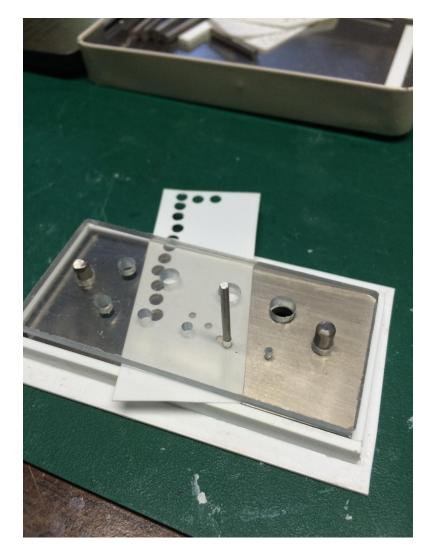
I used the Chopper by Northwest Short Line for exact cuts on all 4 pieces of the lifting lugs.



The styrene Lifting lugs have been added. I measured the location for the Lifting lugs by placing into position the kit exhaust covers and marked with a pencil. Then after I placed the styrene pieces I placed the exhaust covers into place to make sure the location was correct.



I used the 1.5mm Punch to make the caps for the lifting lugs.



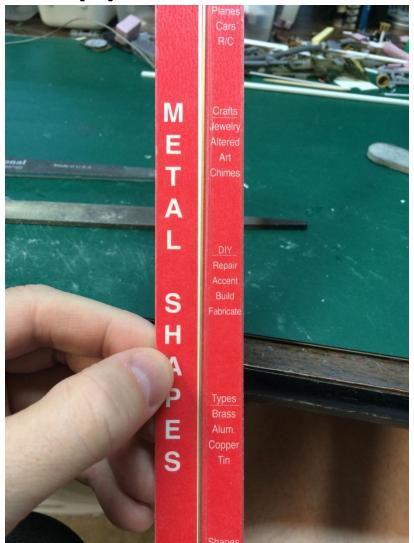
Scratch built lifting lugs have been added.



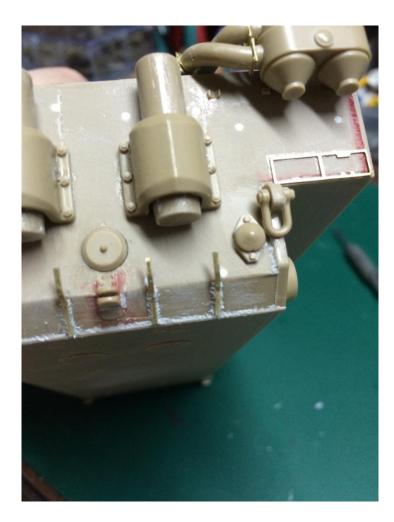
Adding spare track link brackets.



Making the spare track links metal support bracket.



Using visual pictures just bend to shape and then glue into place using CA Glue. I also added weld beads.



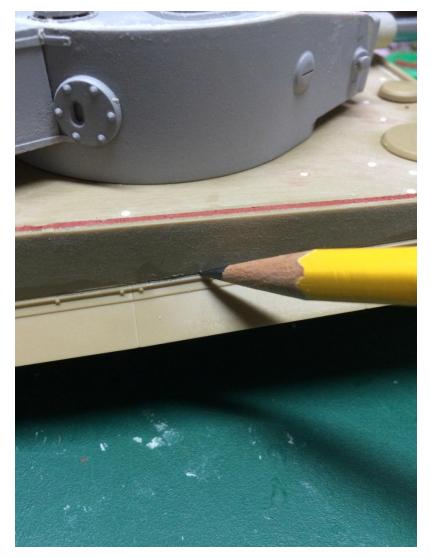
Adding the side fender mounts.



I used Modelkasten set no.SK-3 which have styrene fender mounts in the set



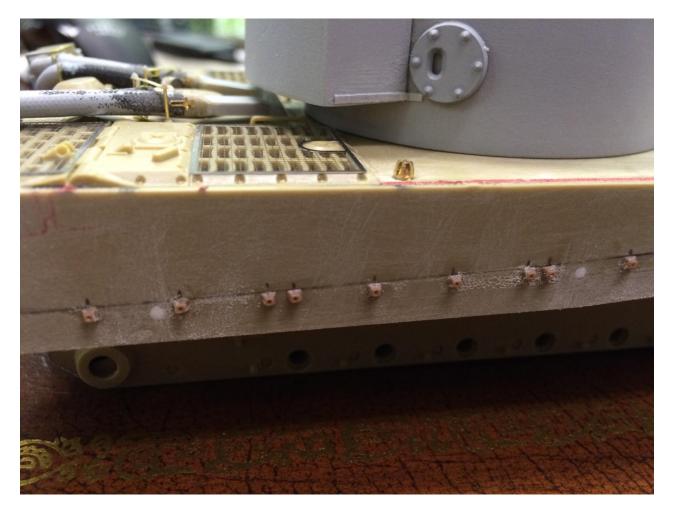
The first step was to lightly glue the kit side fenders into place. Then trace a line and mark where the fender mounts are by using the bolt location on the kit parts.



Then mark the location for the fender mounts.



The side fender mounts have been glued into place.



Part 5 will cover

- Add Rear tool Box
- Add rear and side fenders
- Begin to add the tool and cables