



Assembling the Cockpit



In this section we will assemble the cockpit and some parts on the left side of the fuselage. There are many small parts, so take care when handling them.

Tools Needed

The following tools are needed for this section. Please prepare them before starting assembly.

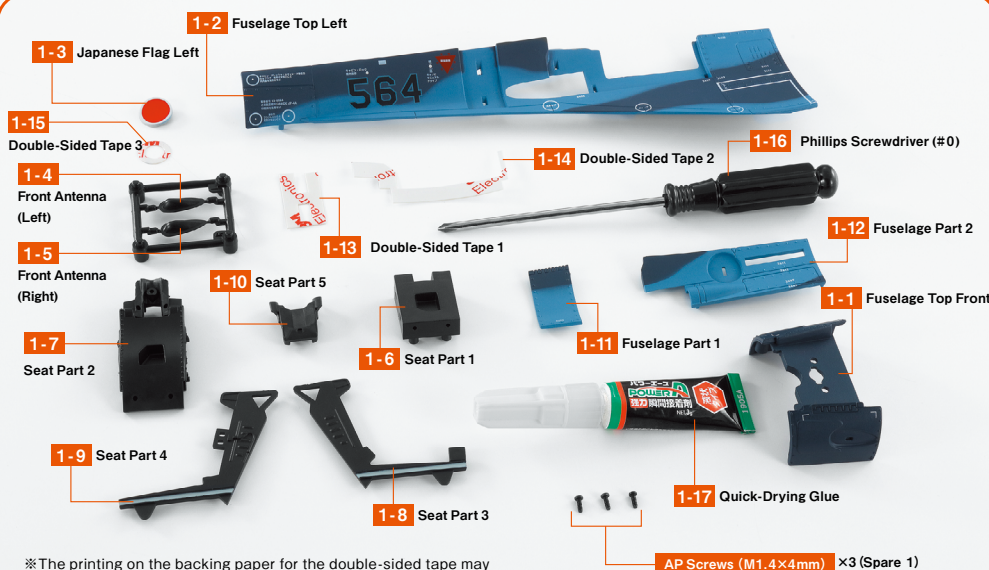
Modeling Nippers

For removing parts from the model sprues

ABS Cement

For joining ABS plastic parts

Demonstration videos



※ The printing on the backing paper for the double-sided tape may differ from the photos, but this does not affect assembly.

Explanation of Symbols



Indicates where to attach included screws.



Indicates when to use adhesive. The correct adhesive will be indicated for each instance.

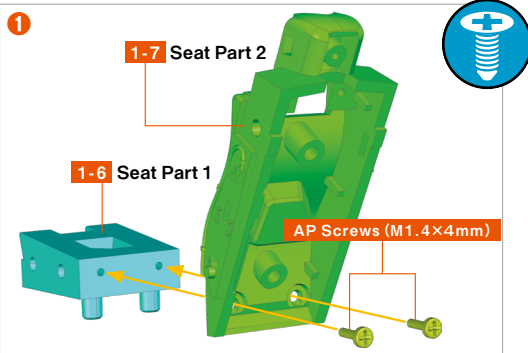


Cautions and Prohibitions

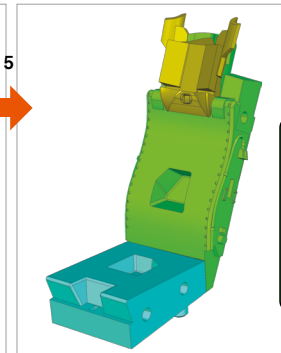
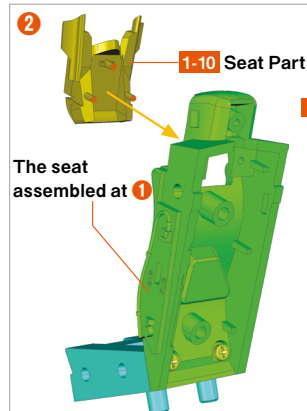


Key points for using tools and techniques.

1 Assembling the Seat

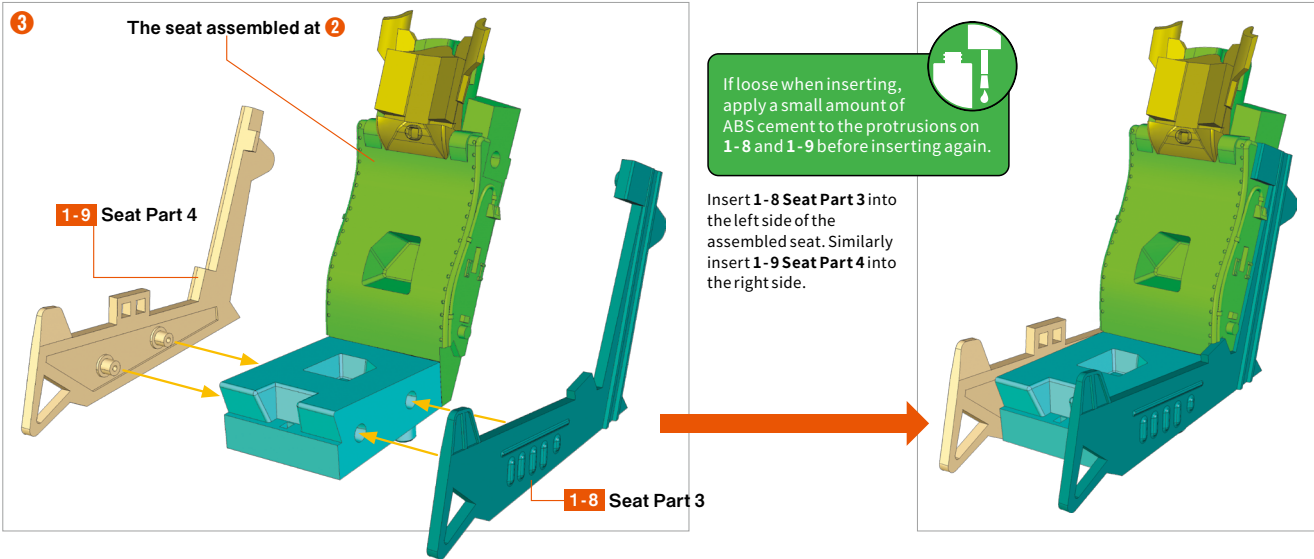


Assemble 1-6 Seat Part 1 and 1-7 Seat Part 2 as shown in the diagram, attaching from the 1-7 side with 2 AP screws (M1.4×4mm).

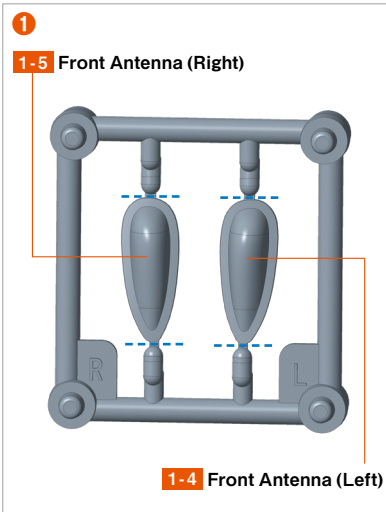


Insert 1-10 Seat Part 5 into the position shown on 1-7 of the assembled seat.

If loose when inserting, apply a small amount of ABS cement at the red positions on 1-10 before inserting again.

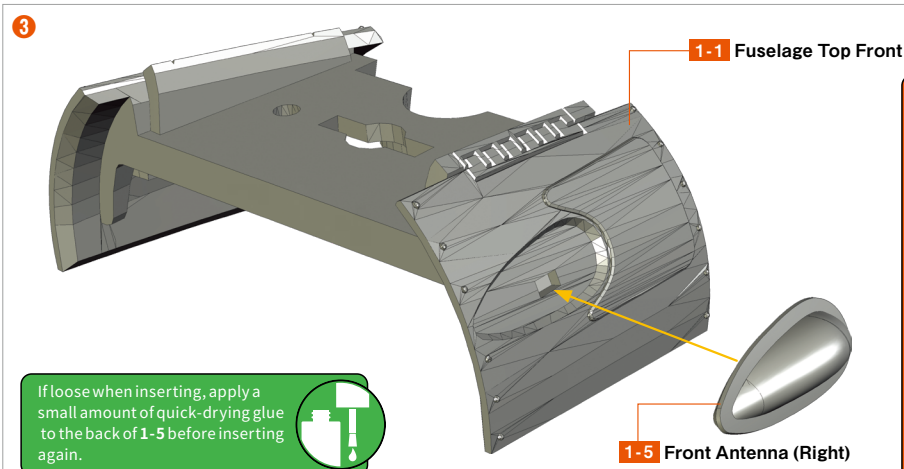
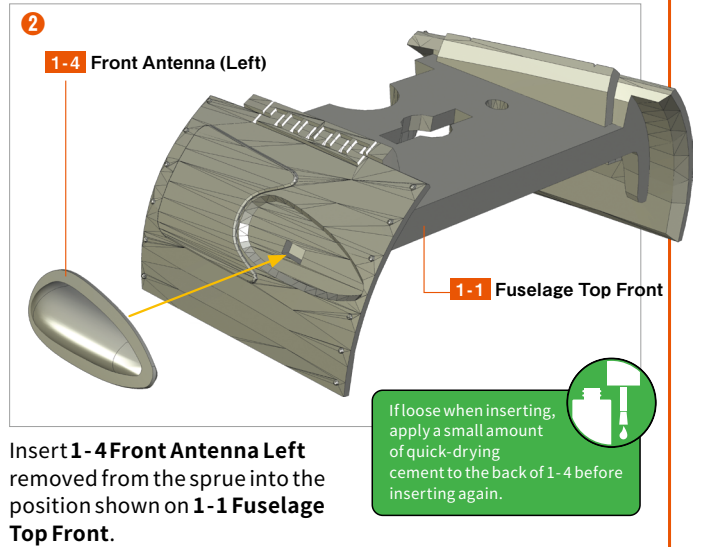


2 Assembling the Fuselage



Use nippers to remove **1-4 Front Antenna Left** and **1-5 Front Antenna Right** from the model sprues at the blue lines.

Mark an "L" on the reverse side of **1-4** and an "R" on **1-5**. This will help to avoid mixing up left and right pieces once they are removed from the sprue.



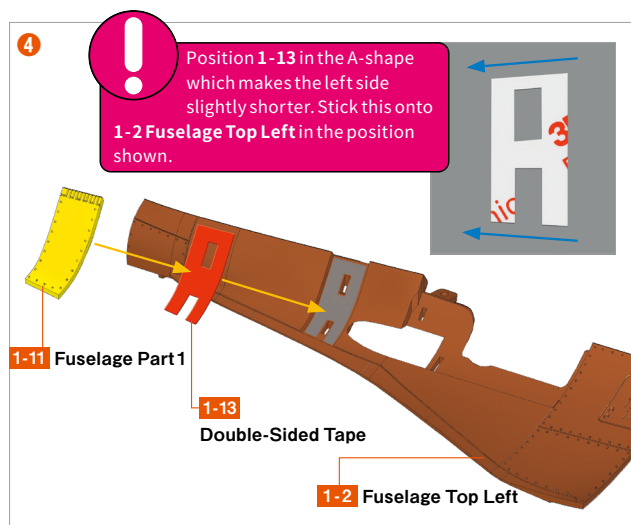
This issue includes quick-drying glue.

Please exercise the same caution you should with any super glue, taking care especially not to get it on your skin. **KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN.**

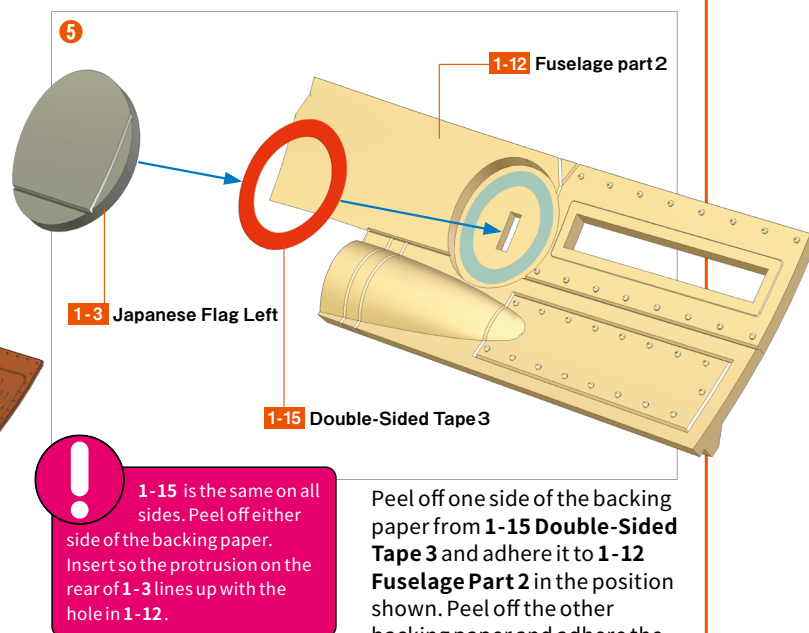
Use a toothpick to apply the right amount of glue to the correct area, as squeezing directly onto parts makes it hard to control. Avoid letting the glue overflow into visible areas of your model.

After use, replace the cap carefully and securely and store in a dry place, ideally in a zip-top-style bag.

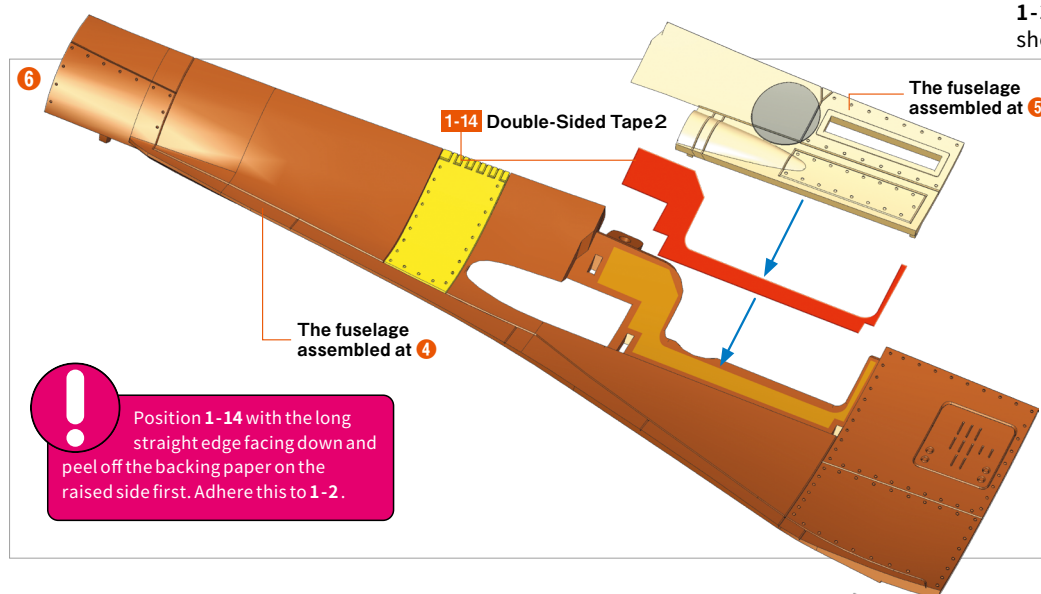
As in **2**, insert **1-5** Front Antenna (Right) removed from the sprue into the position shown on **1-1** Fuselage Top Front.



Peel off one side of the backing paper from **1-13 Double-Sided Tape** and adhere it to **1-2 Fuselage Top Left** in the position shown. Peel off the other backing paper and adhere **1-11 Fuselage Part 1** in the position shown.



Peel off one side of the backing paper from **1-15 Double-Sided Tape 3** and adhere it to **1-12 Fuselage Part 2** in the position shown. Peel off the other backing paper and adhere the **1-3 Japanese Flag Left** as shown.



Peel off one side of the backing paper from **1-14 Double-Sided Tape 2** and adhere it to **1-2 Fuselage Top Left** in the position shown. Peel off the other backing paper and adhere the assembled **1-12 Fuselage Part 2** as shown.

Done!

The assembly for this section is complete. The cockpit and part of the fuselage are assembled.

