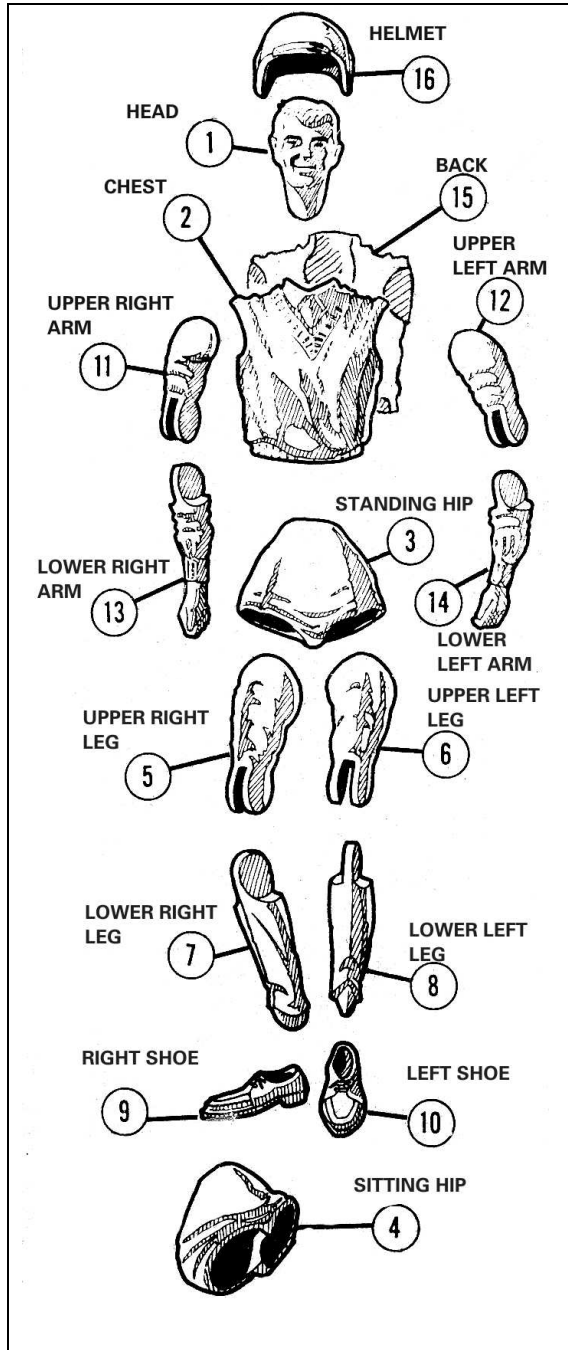


MINI-MEN INSTRUCTIONS

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These figures may be assembled in any position. Since they are molded in styrene, modification may be made to the joints as will be pointed out to achieve unusual attitudes.



Note: Use CA or a quality plastic cement or bonding agent.

1. Clean flash and parting lines off all parts with a hobby knife.
2. Cement back 15 to chest 2.
3. Slip arm elbow joints together 11-13 and 12-14 (do not cement). Slip leg knee joints together 5-7 and 6-8 (do not cement).
4. Hold these assemblies in position with the rest of the body and decide what attitude you wish to assume with the figure. For a standing or walking man use hip 3. For a sitting or bending man use hip 4.
5. After deciding on the attitude you wish, cement the knee joints (match pants crease on upper and lower leg). Then cement legs to the hip (pants crease goes to the front). Do not put on shoes. Fill in the slots of the joint with cement. When this has dried, paint the pants on.
6. Assemble the upper body by cementing the elbow joints. Then assemble and cement the shoulder joints to the body. When dry this may be painted.
7. Paint shoes 9-10 and the hair on the head 1 (do not install).
8. Assemble the upper body to the lower body and cement. This joint may be twisted from side to side or leaned back or forward as desired.
9. Cement head 1 in position. This may be leaned forward or back or turned from side to side.
10. Cement shoes 9-10 to bottom of lower legs. These will "float" at the ankle to assume any position. (If used for a driver, check for floorboard clearance before cement sets).
11. For kneeling, the shoes may be slotted and the toe swung up and cemented. If you desire to bend the arms and legs beyond those of the basic figure, increase the slots with a file or knife.
12. If you wish to use the figure for a race driver or mechanic, paint the entire body one color for coveralls or a racing suit. When this has dried, stripe the outside of the arms and legs with a narrow white line. Paint the helmet the same color as the suit and put a similar stripe from front to back. Do not cement the helmet to the head, this is removable.

See <http://www.ulrichmodels.com/minimen> for more information.