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Slyder Farm

Please read the instructions before starting construction.

When opening the kit you will notice the smell of burned wood. This is because the parts are laser-cut, which literally means a very tight light beam burns through the material. You may also notice some soot at the cut edges. The amount of soot depends on the material used. You can considerably reduce it by gently wiping at least the bigger and easy to reach edges with a soft cloth or household tissue.

PVA or equivalent glue will be required to glue parts together. Give glue enough time to dry. Wipe away any excess glue immediately using a fine cloth or the tip of a toothpick. A sharp hobby knife is needed to remove parts from the sheet. Be careful and always cut away from your body. Fine sandpaper may be useful to clean these areas or any tight-fitting joints. Clamps, pegs and elastic bands may help during the construction of the kit. Make sure that the parts are aligned correctly before applying any of these tools.

General pre-assembly preparations

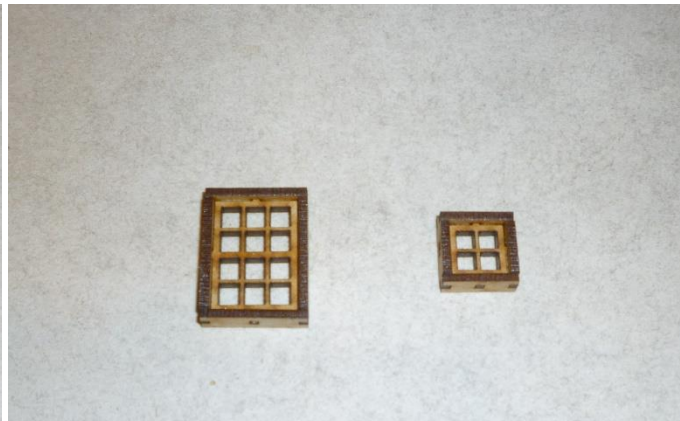
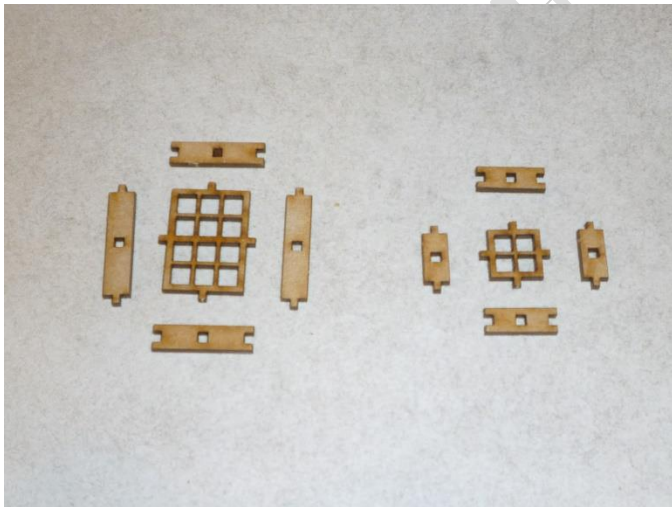
You will achieve the best results in finishing this kit when you follow the steps listed below. Always double check with the provided pictures before gluing parts together and moving on to the next step.

Please keep in mind that - in general - engraved sides of parts are considered “outside”; not engraved sides are “inside” or positioned less visible once the kit is finished.

Assembly

Slyder House

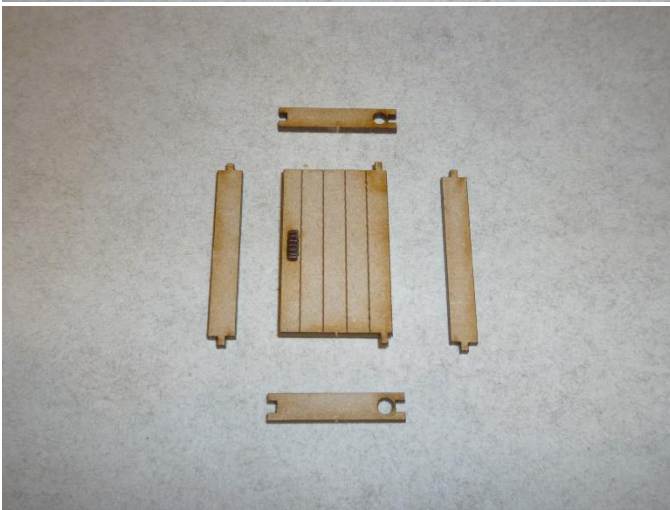
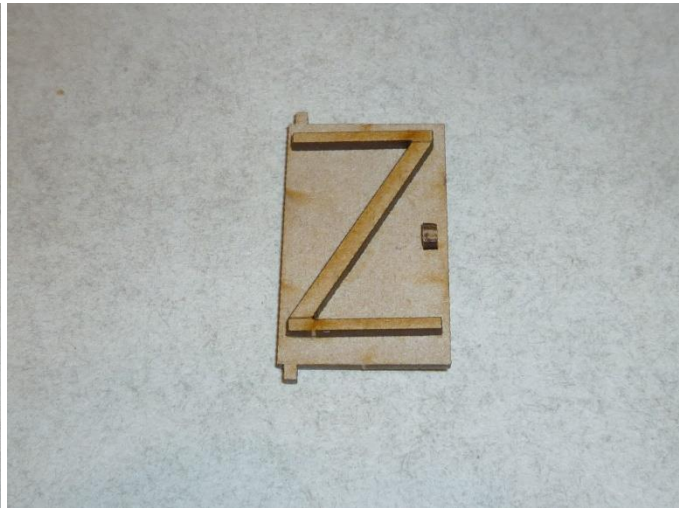
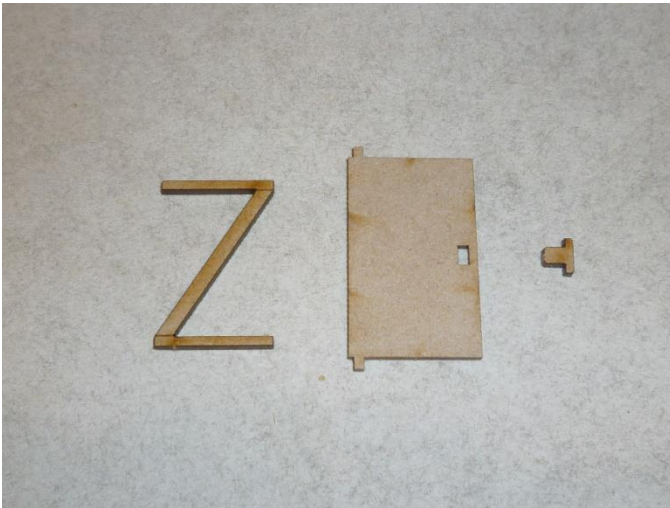
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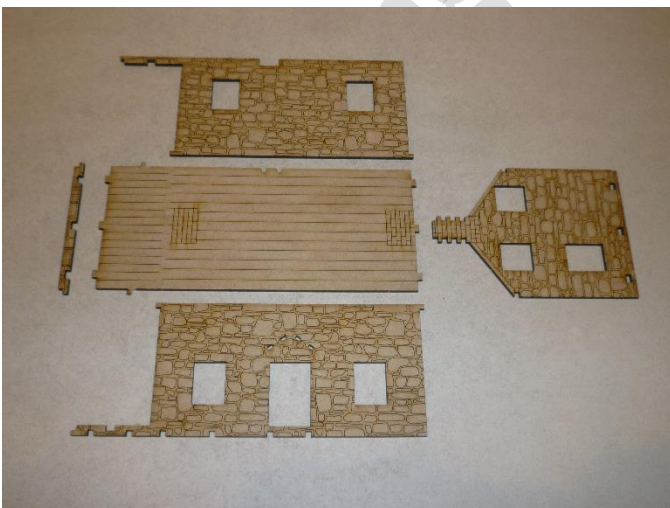
Tip: Using a try square helps aligning the pieces perpendicular. Tweezers and the Spot-On PVA Glue Applicator may come in handy.

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2. Moveable doors. Repeat for all doors!

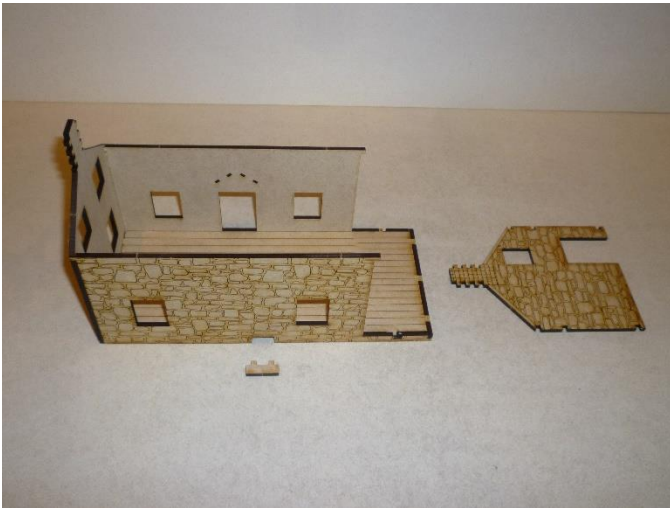


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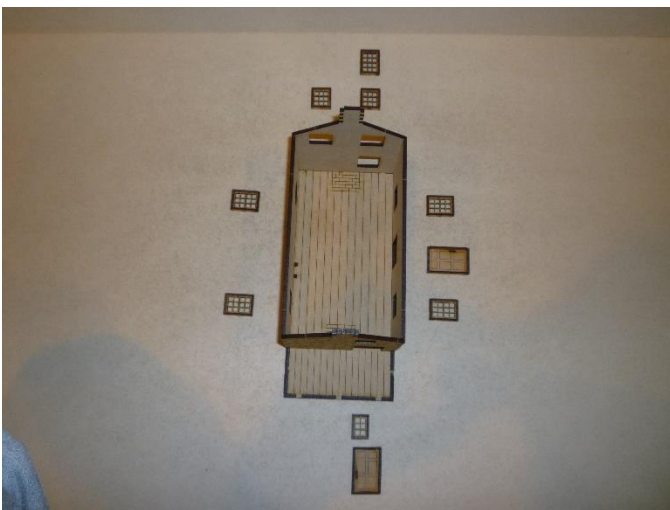


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4. Let dry thoroughly!



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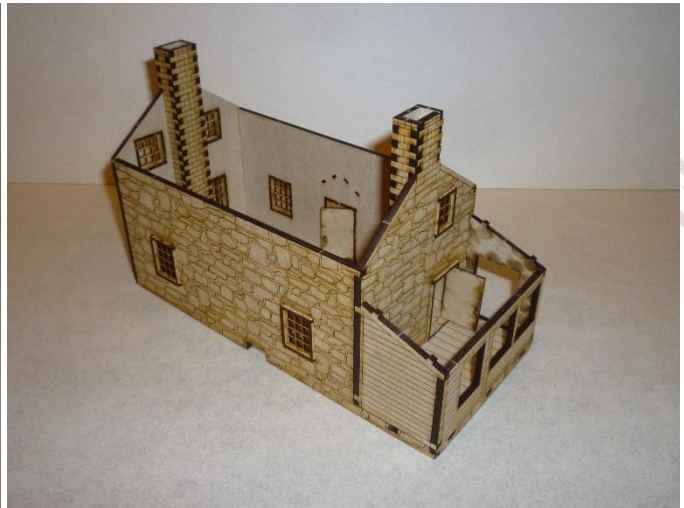


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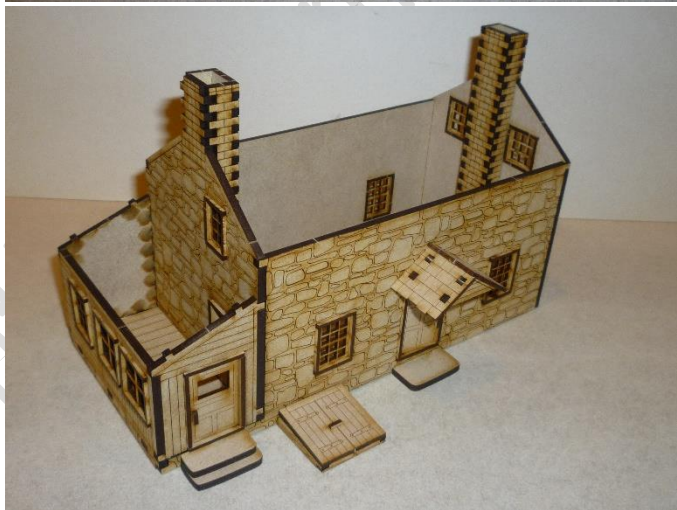
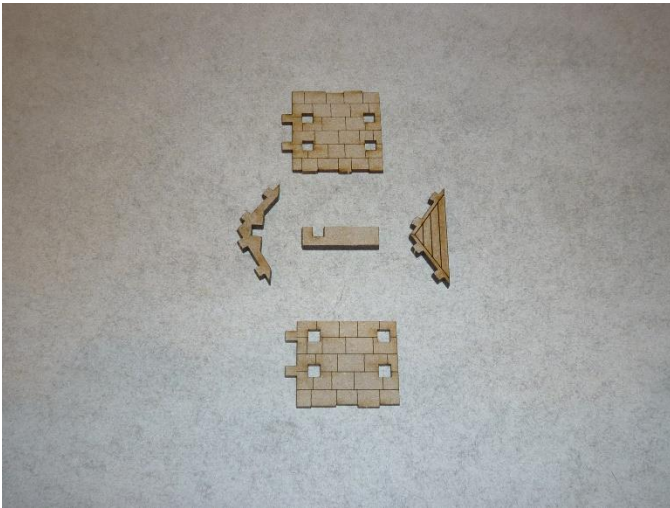


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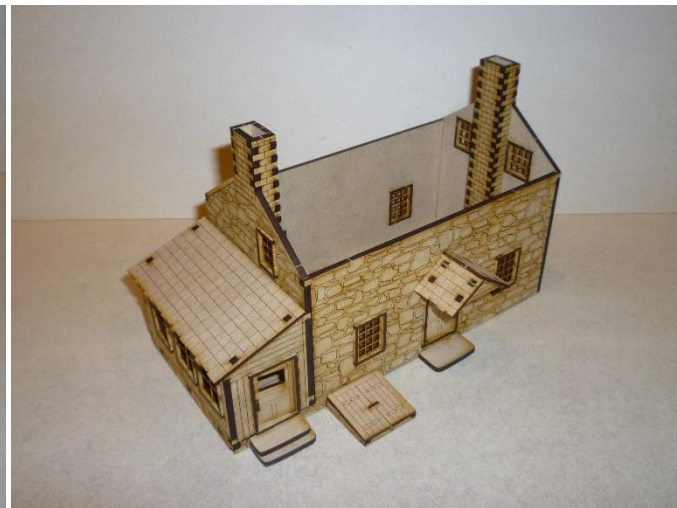


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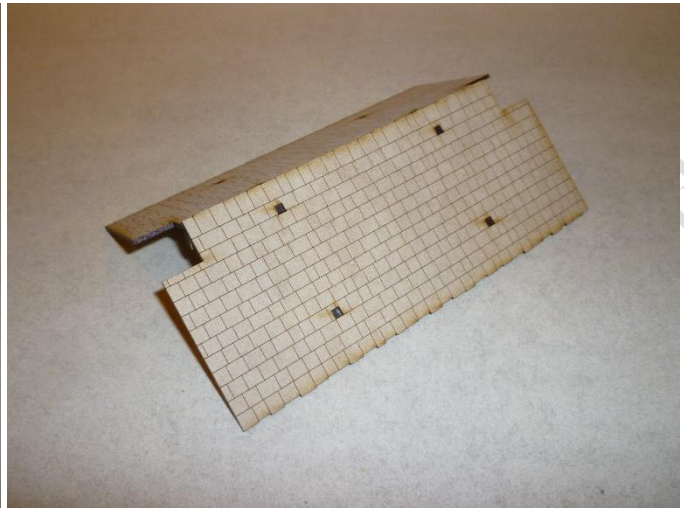
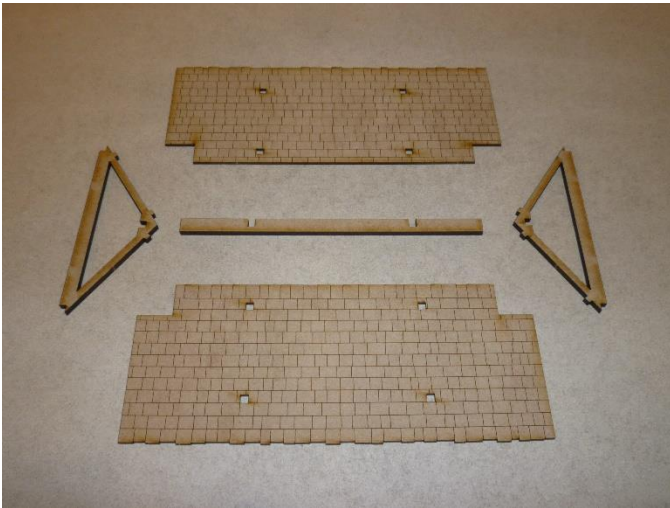


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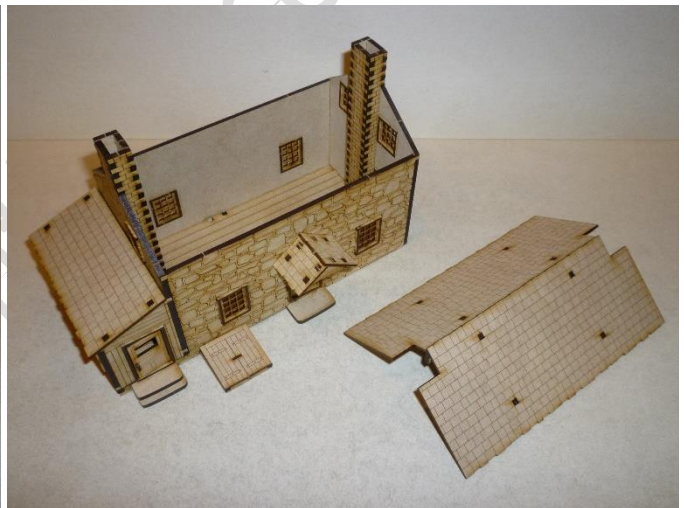


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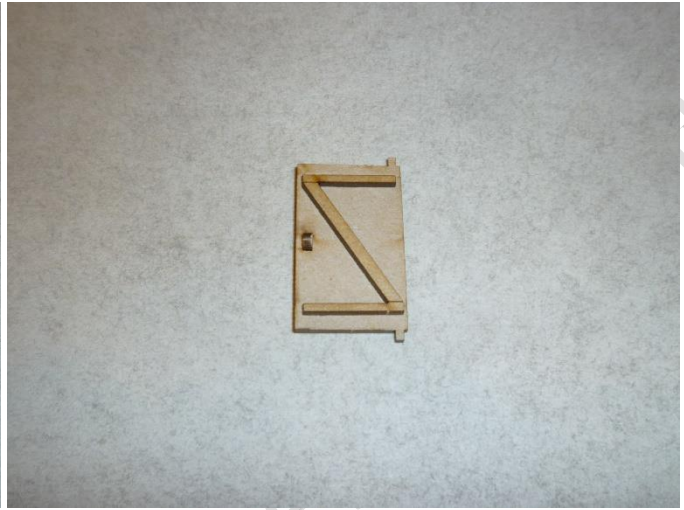
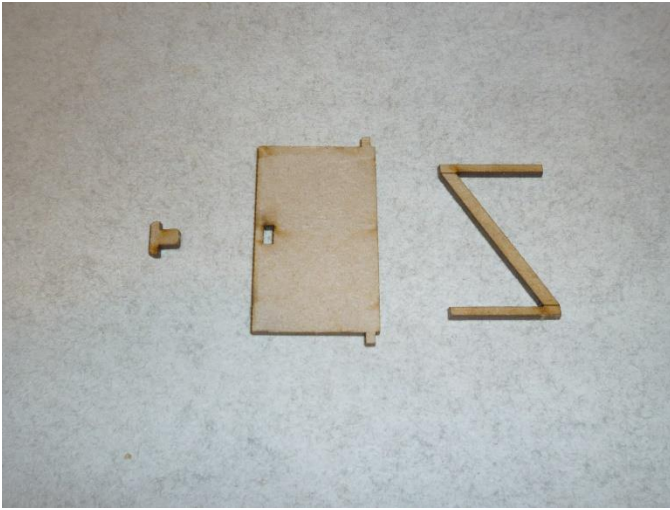
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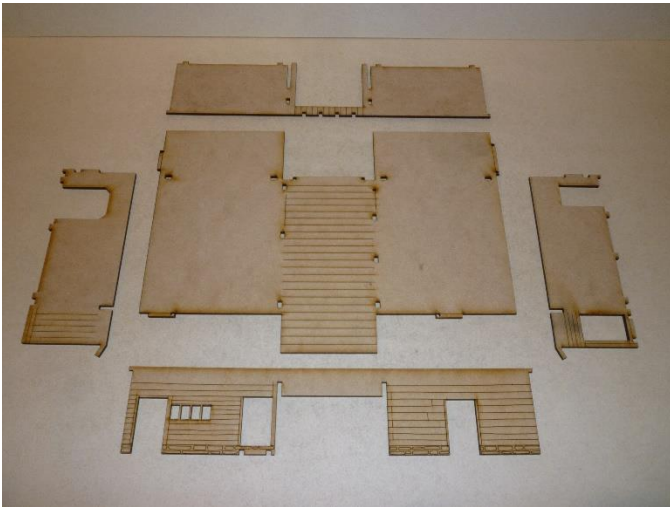
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Slyder Barn

1. Repeat for all doors!

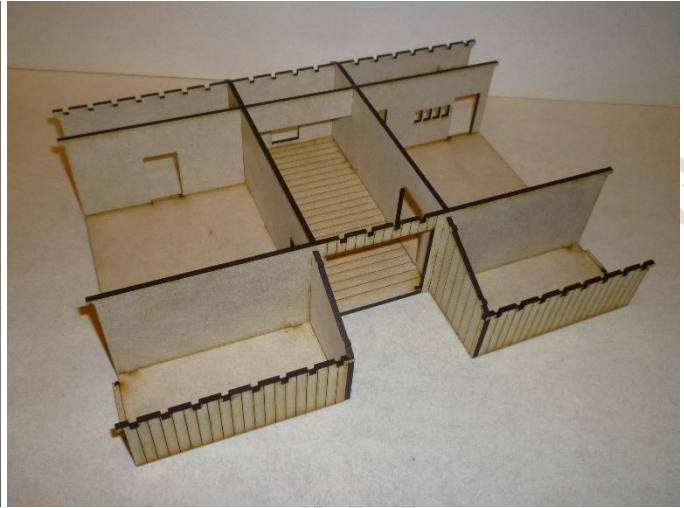
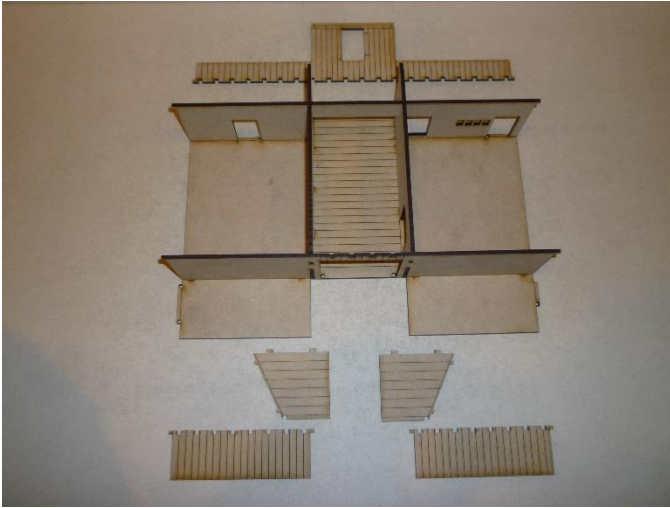


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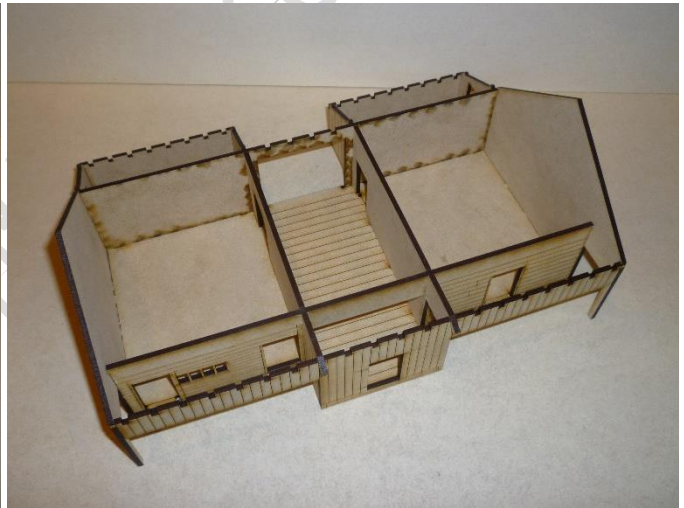


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4. Let dry thoroughly!

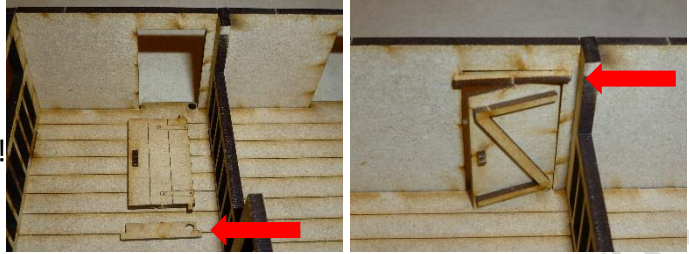


5. Moveable doors

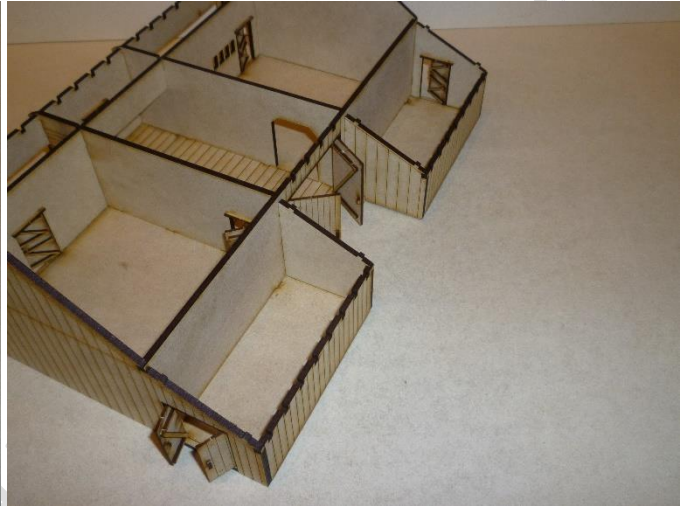


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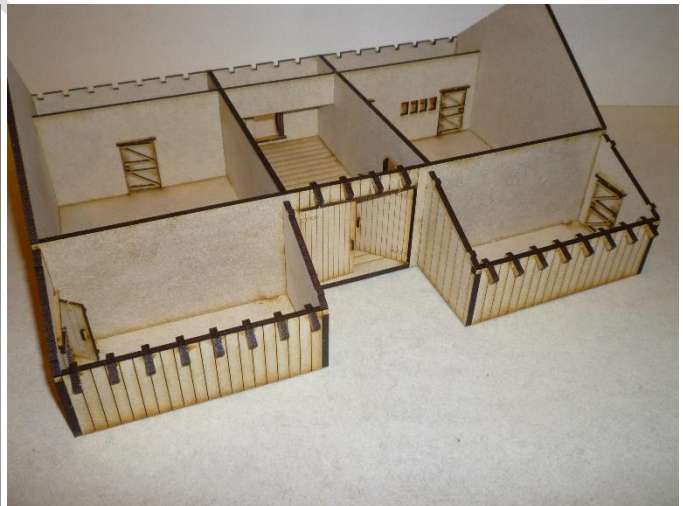
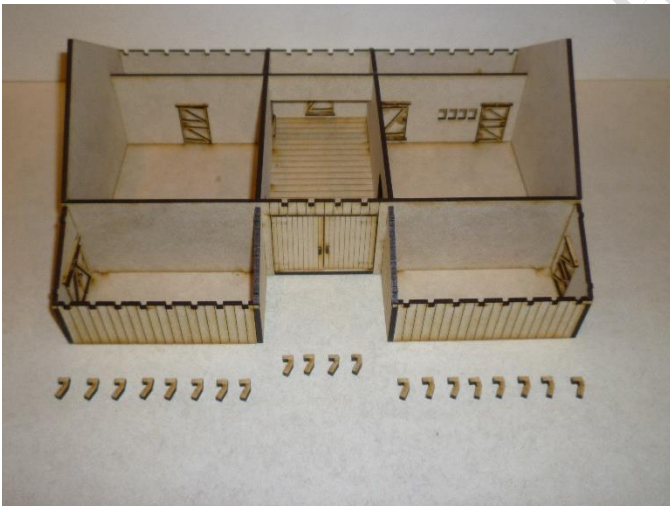
Detail: Insert lower door pin in floor hole or lower frame hole.
Insert upper door pin in frame hole.
Glue frame piece in wall opening from inside!
Again, tweezers and the Spot-On PVA Glue Applicator may come in handy.



6. Moveable doors



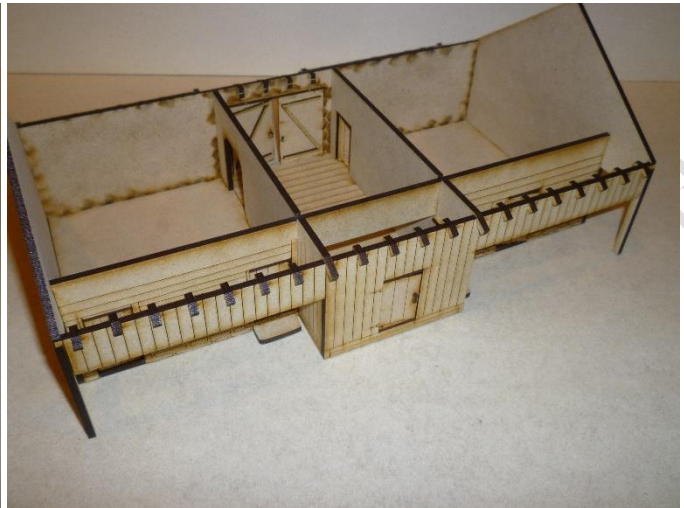
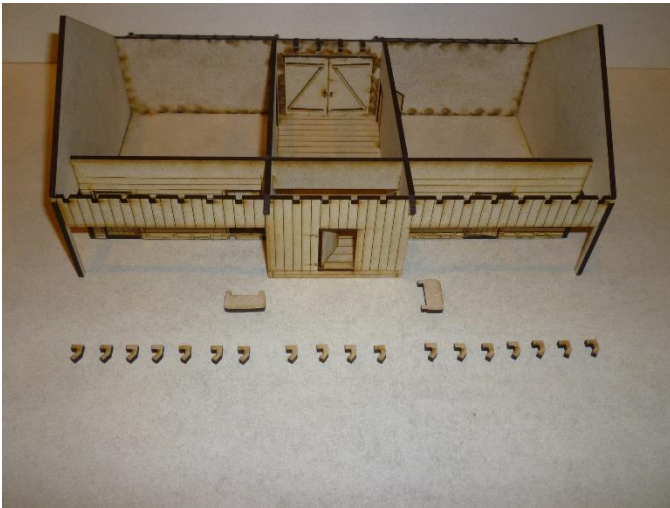
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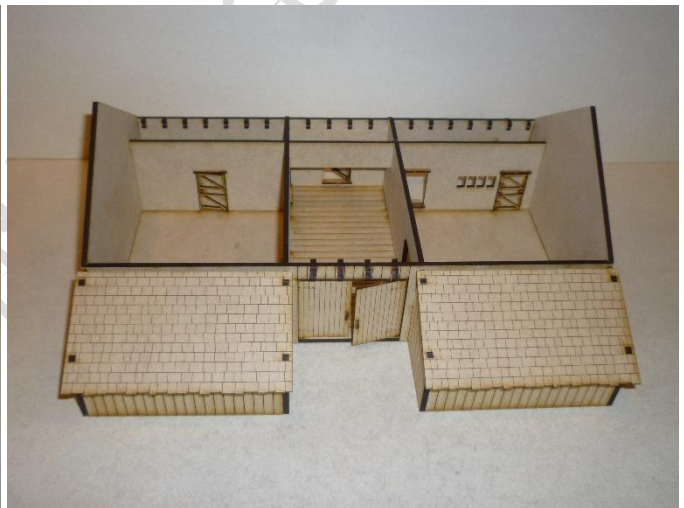
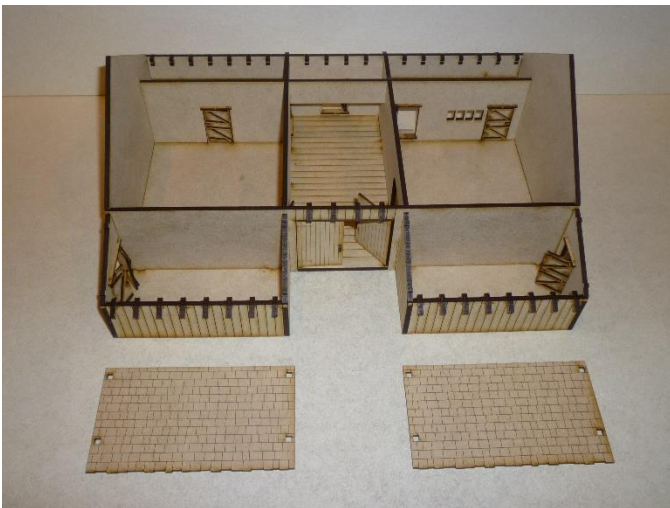
Use parts marked as "Small Roofs" for the two attached rooms
Use parts marked as "Big Roof" on wall section above the double doors!

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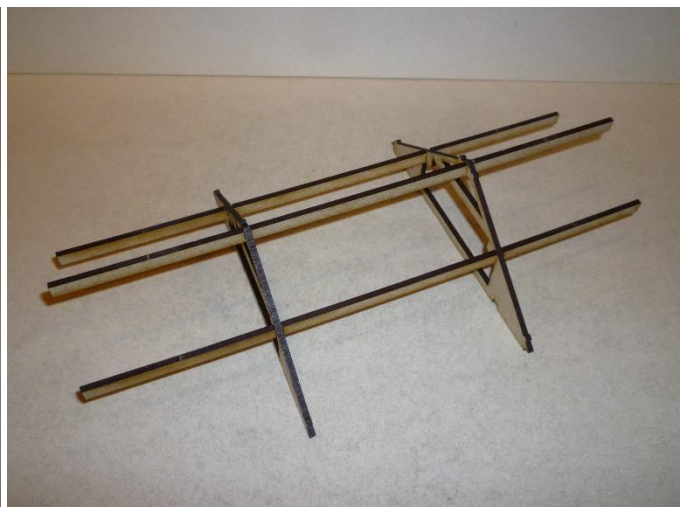
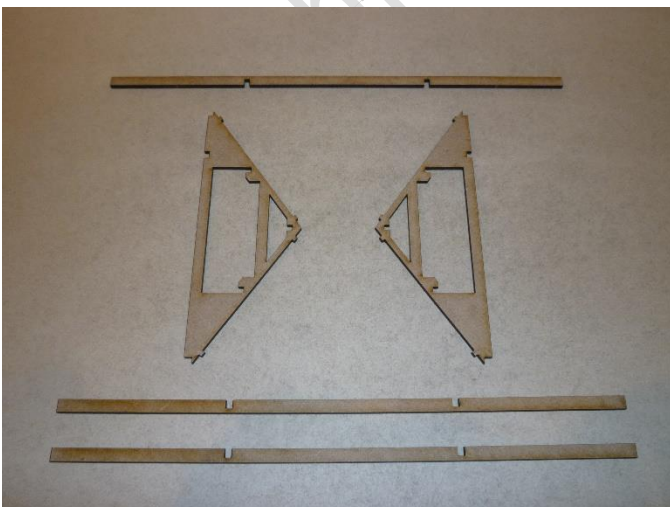
8. Use parts marked as “Big Roof”!



9. Do NOT glue roofs!

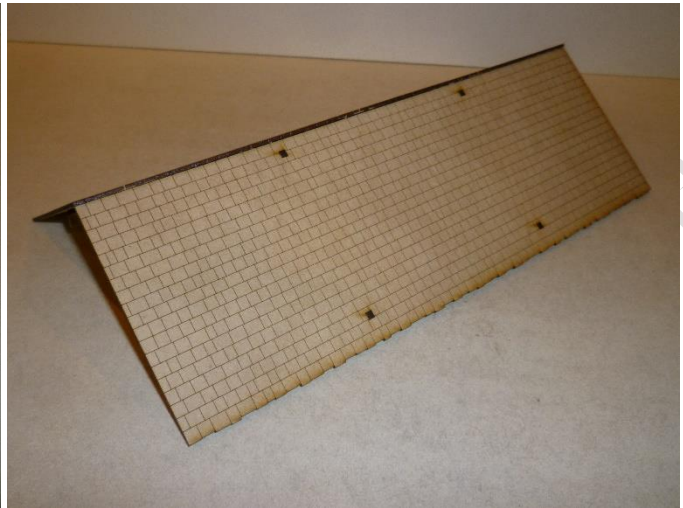
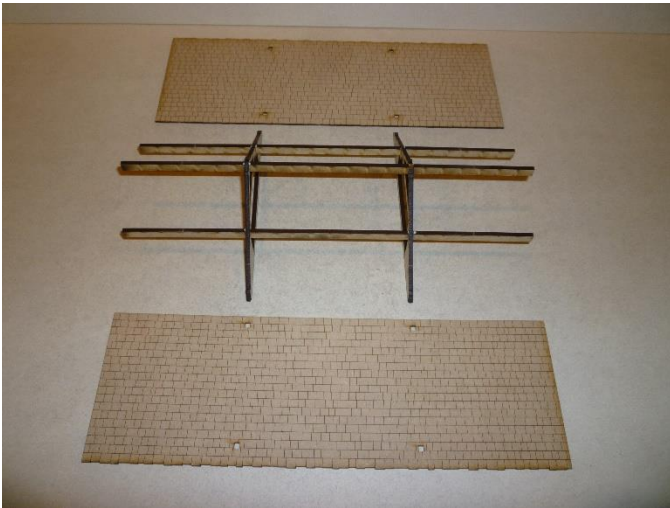


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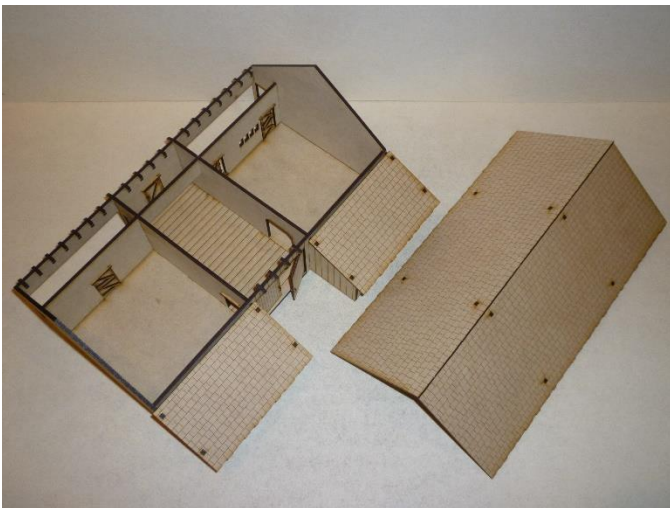


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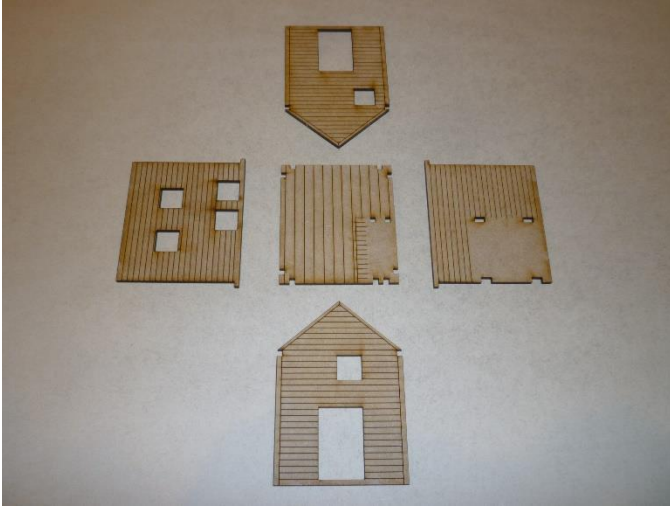


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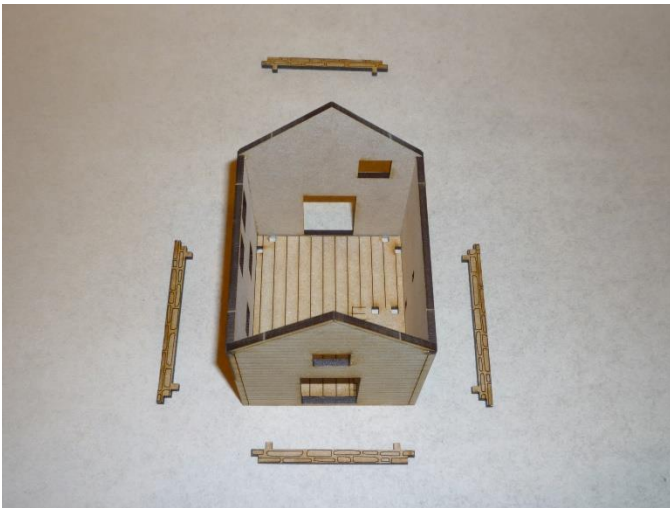
Summer Kitchen

See Slider House, step # 1 & 2 for window and moveable door assembly!

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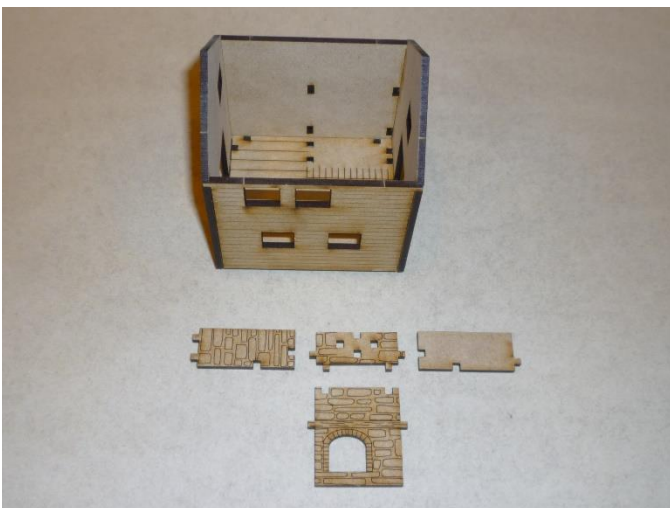


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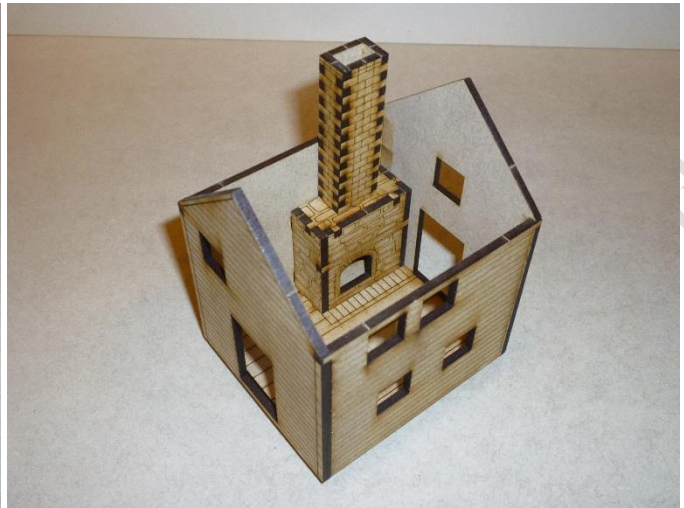
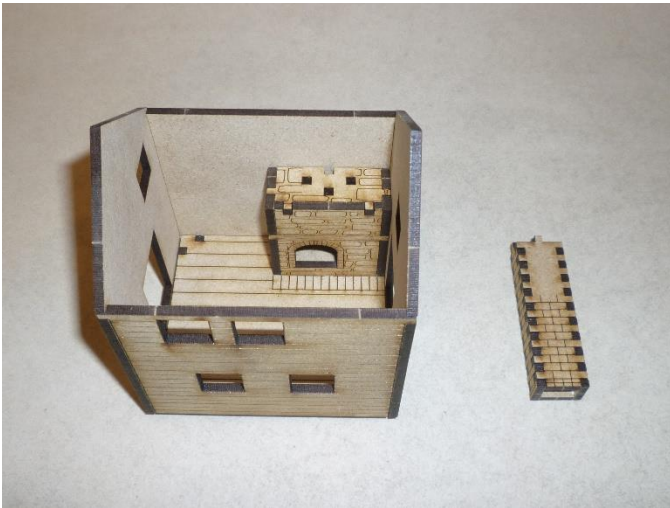


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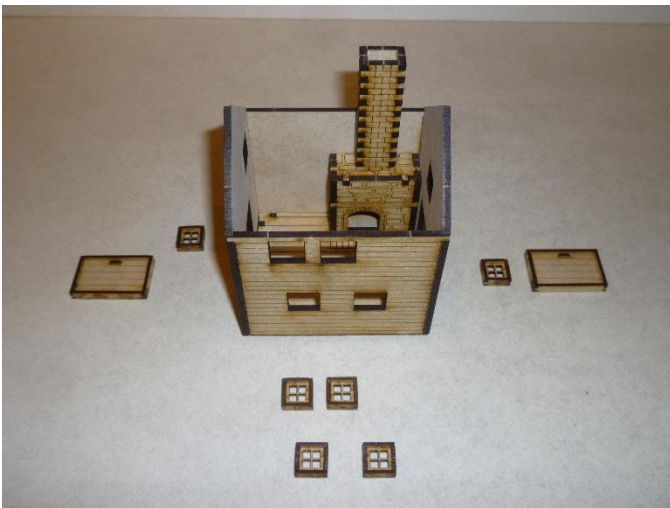


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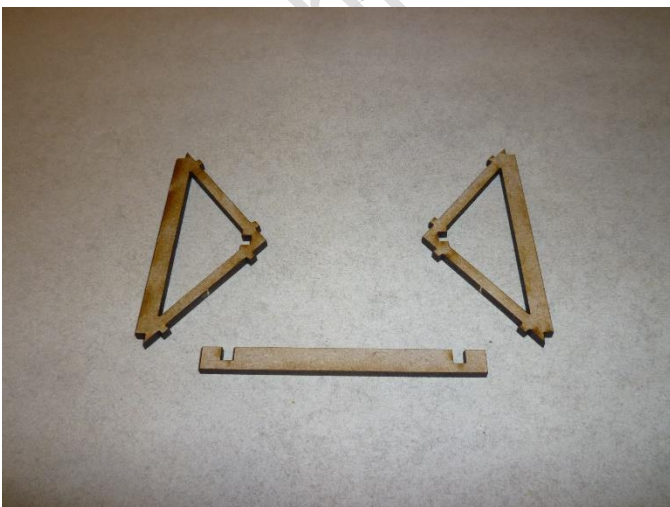
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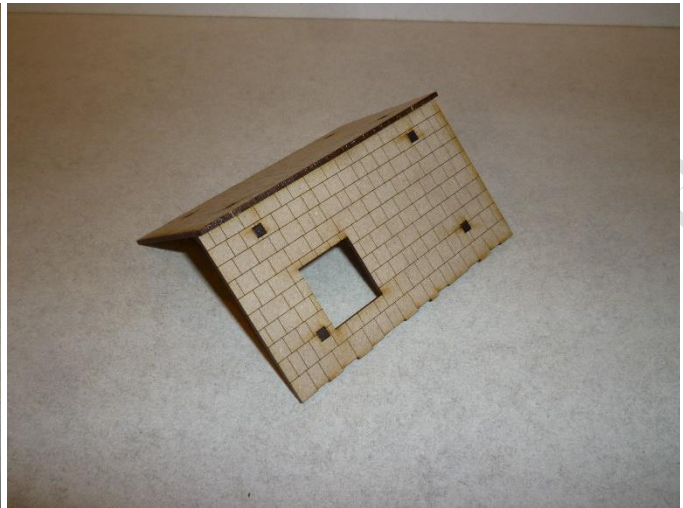
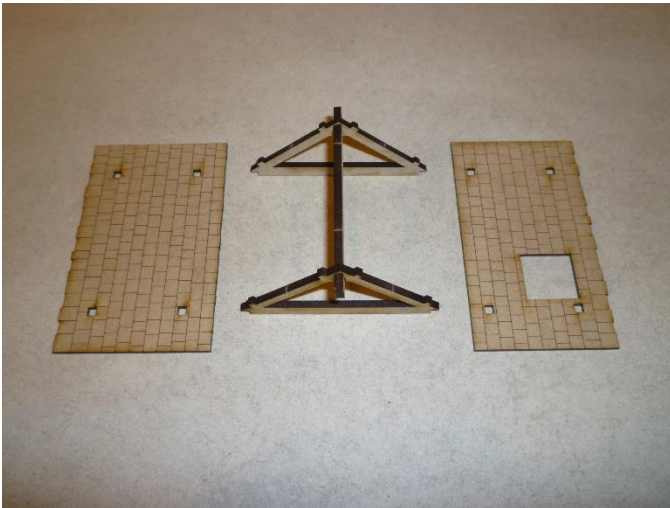


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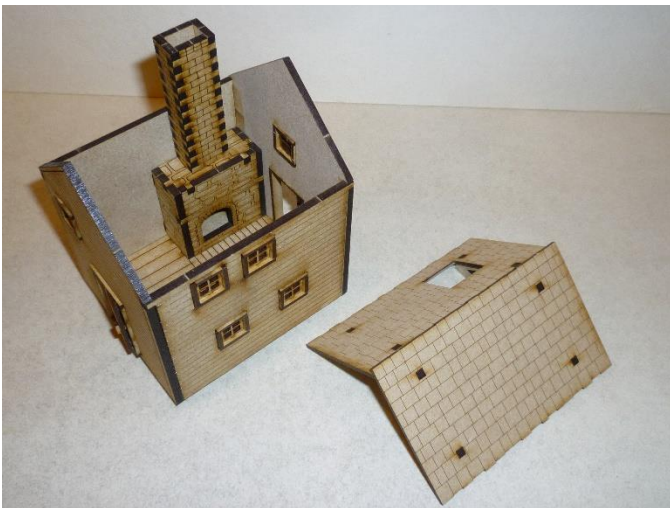


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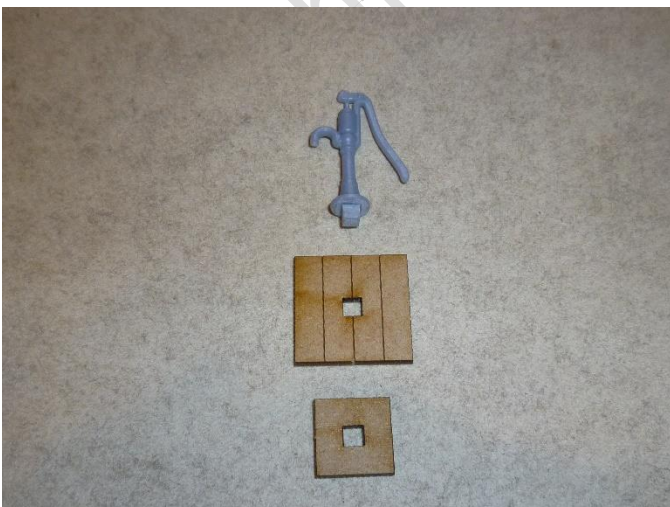
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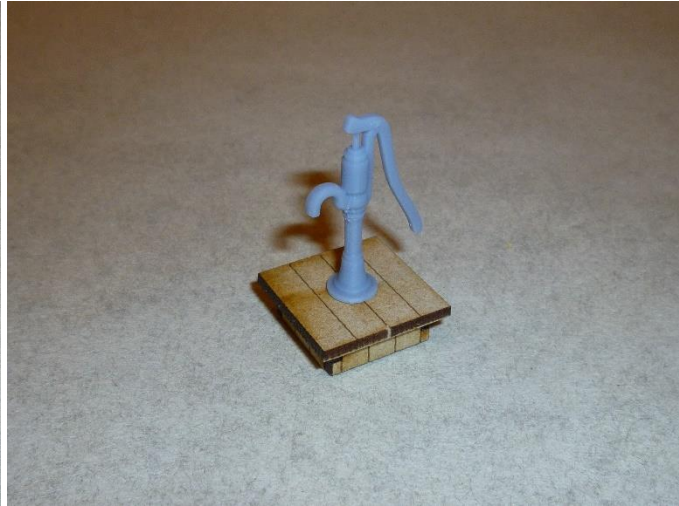
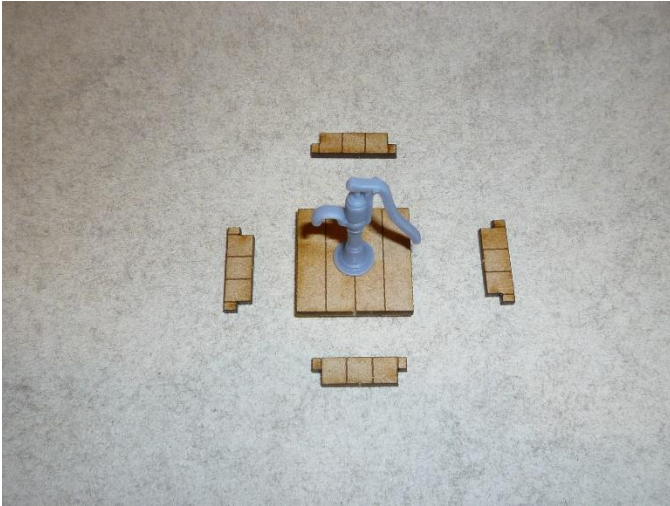
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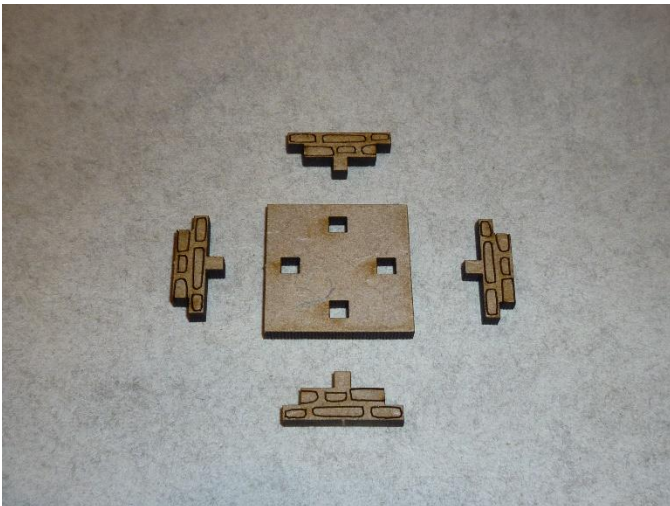
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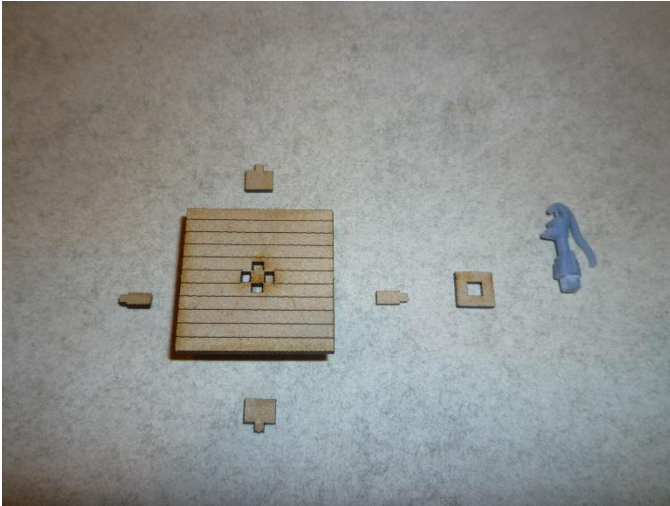
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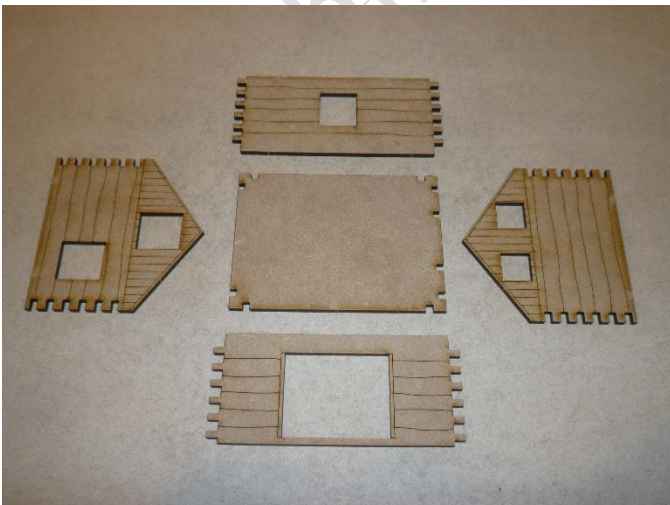
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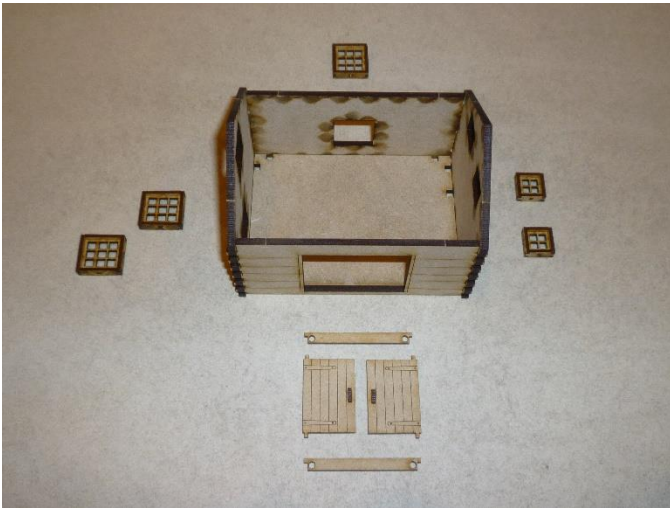
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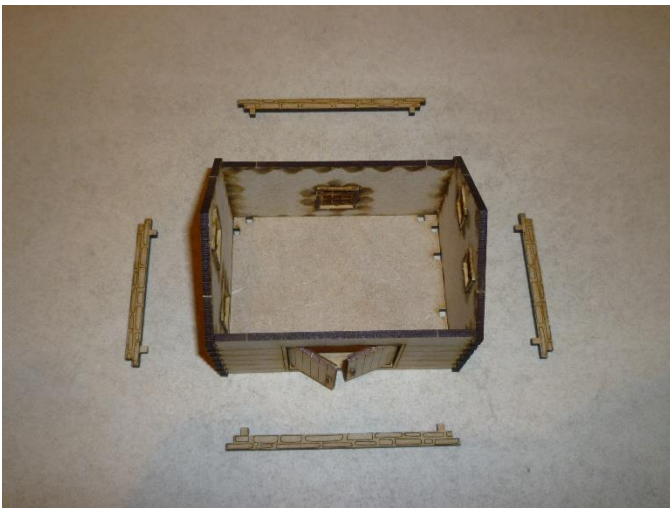


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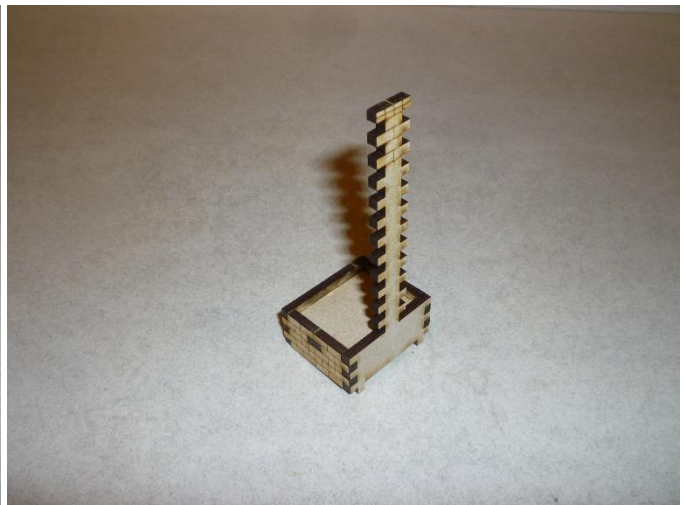
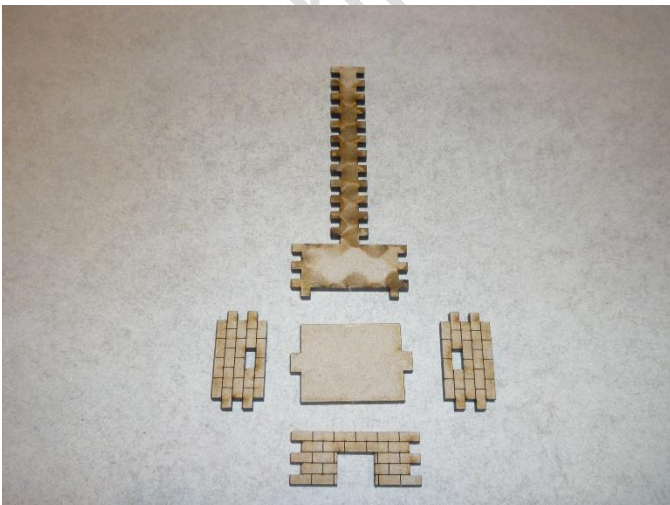
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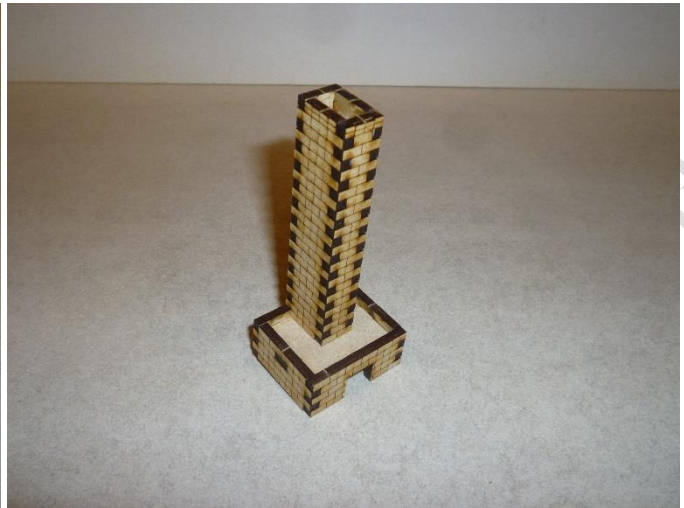
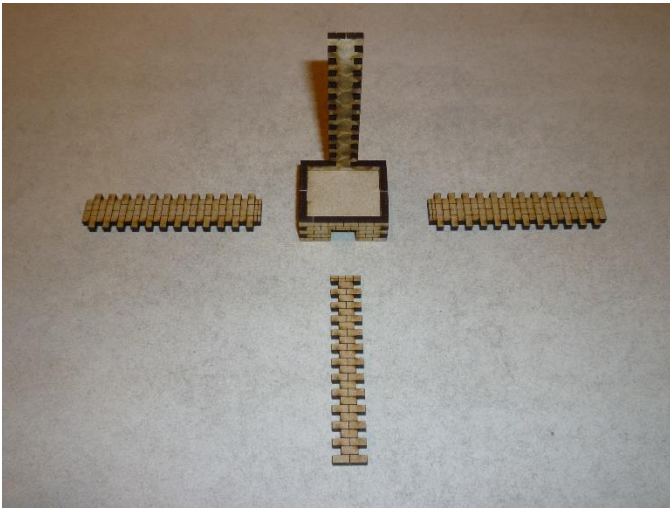


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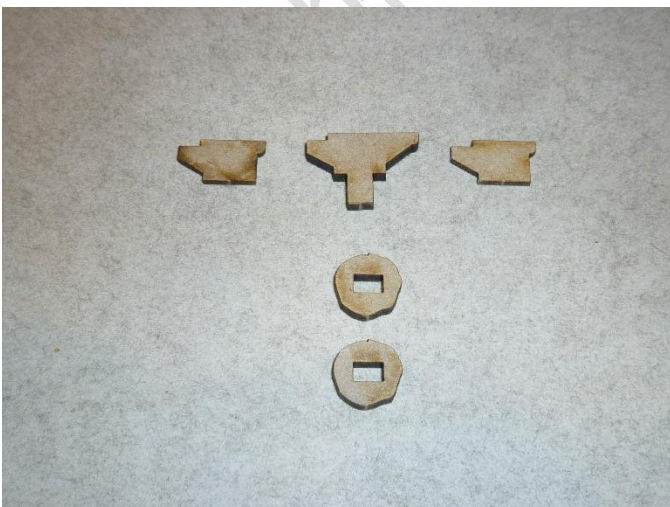
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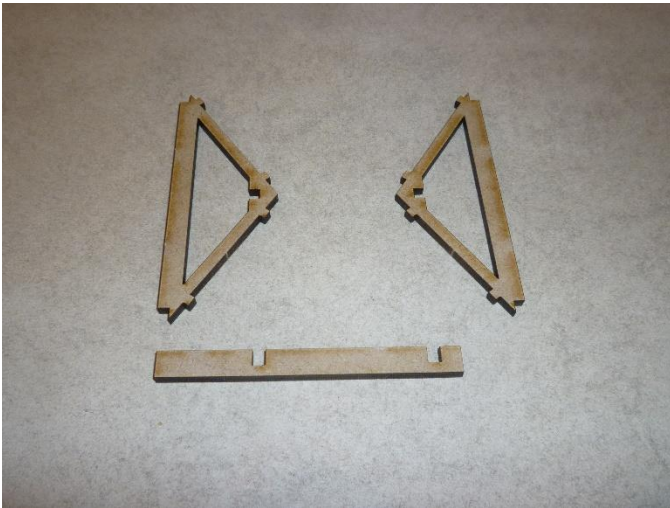


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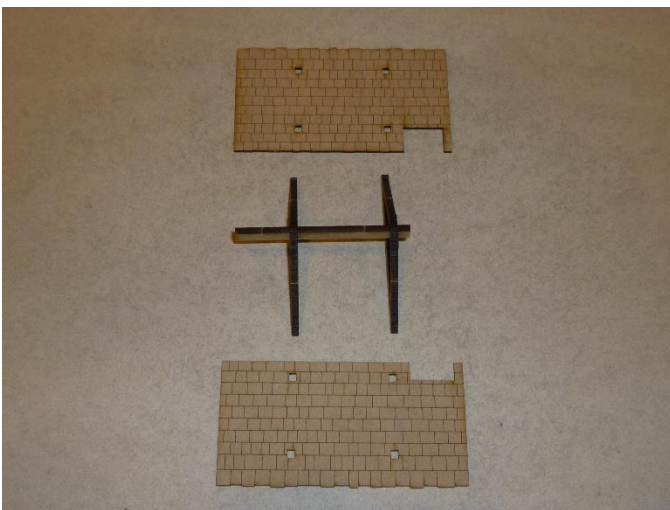


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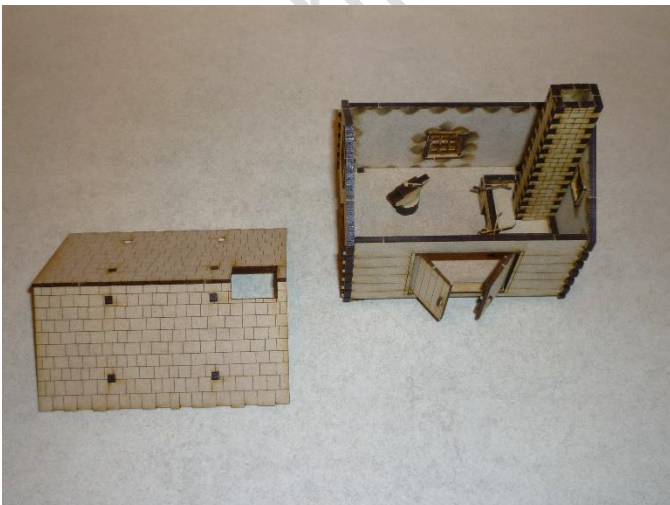
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10. Do NOT glue roof!



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Hog Pen & Chicken House

See Slider House, step # 1 for window assembly!

See Slider Barn, step # 1 for door assembly!

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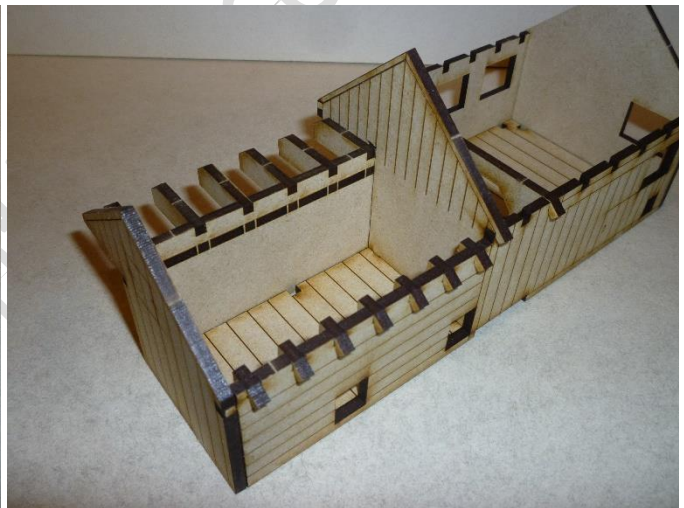
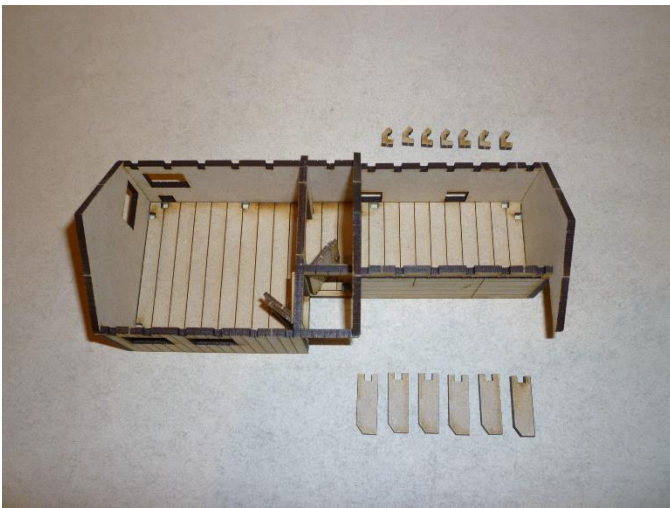


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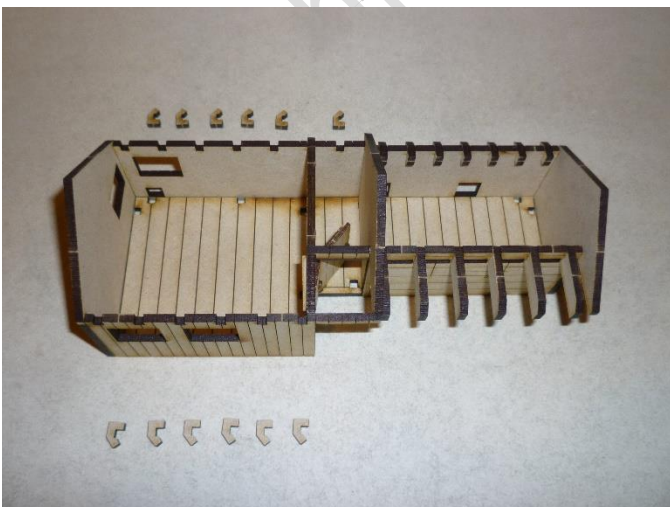
3. See Slider Barn, step # 5 for moveable door assembly!



4. Use parts marked as "Hog Pen"!

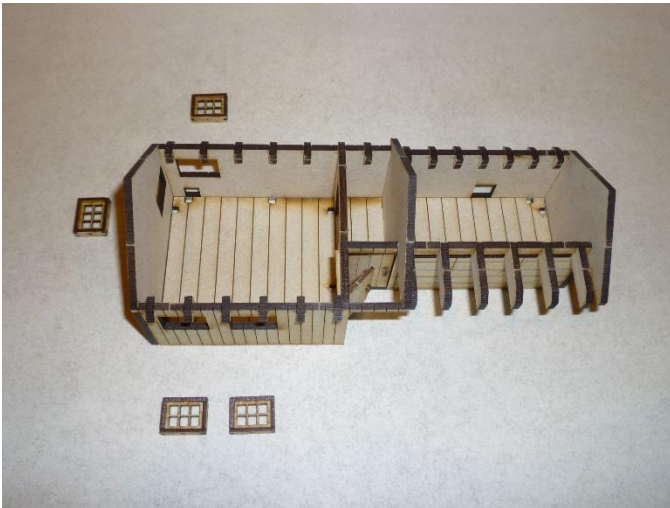


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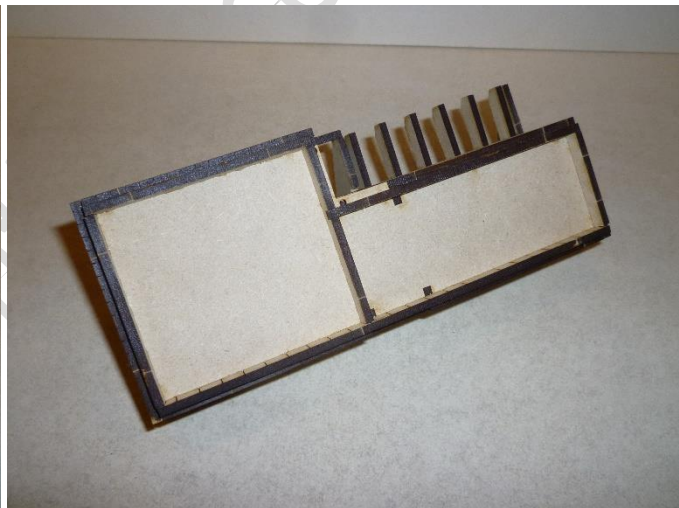
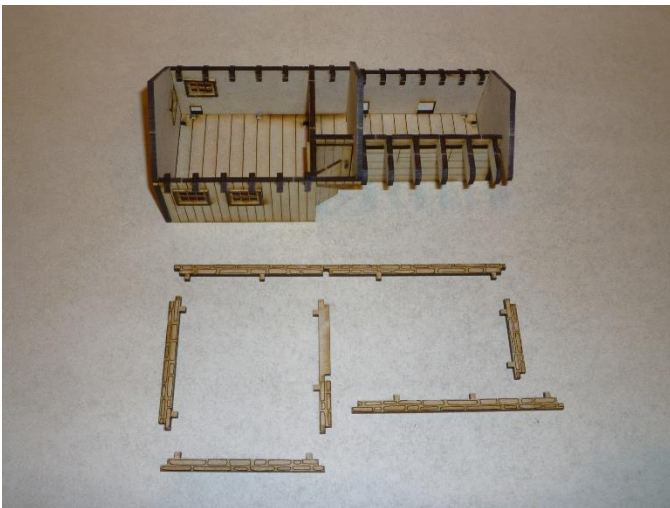


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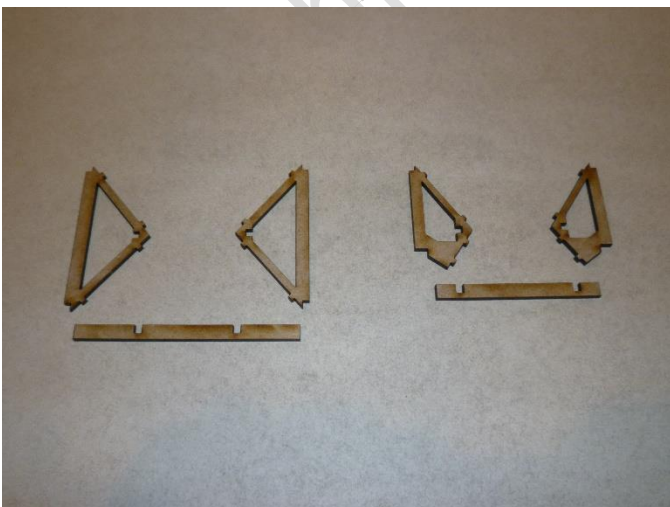
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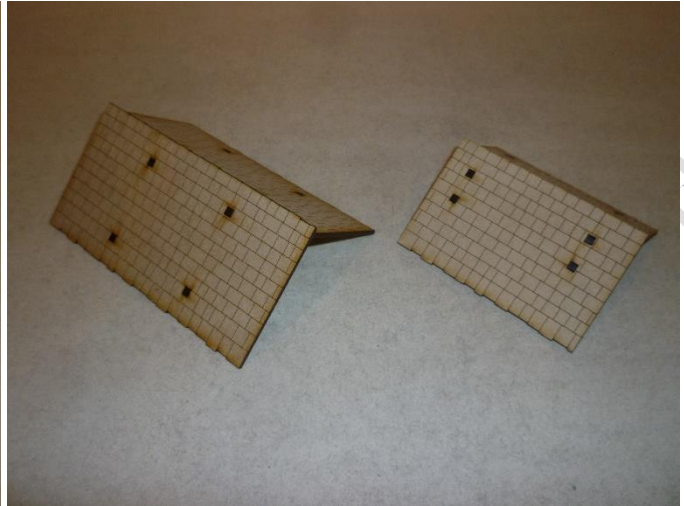
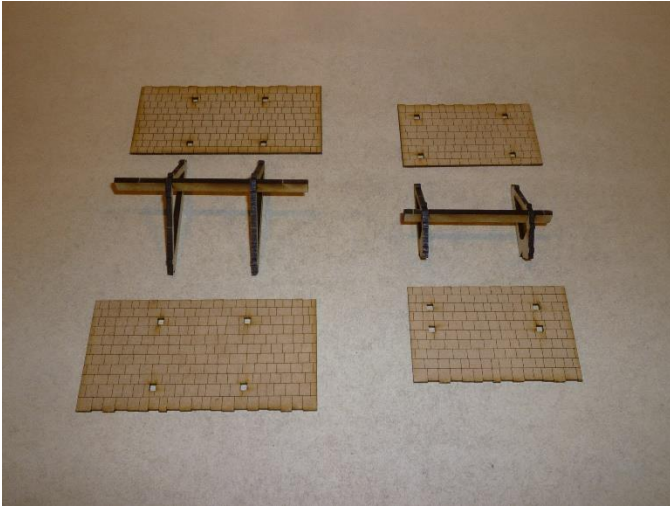


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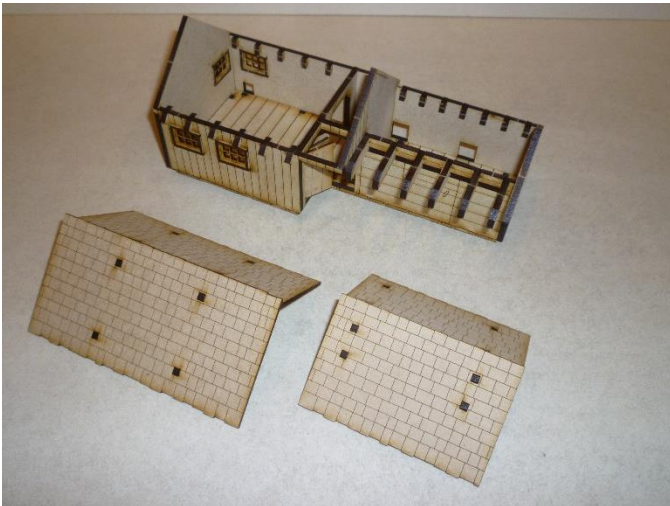


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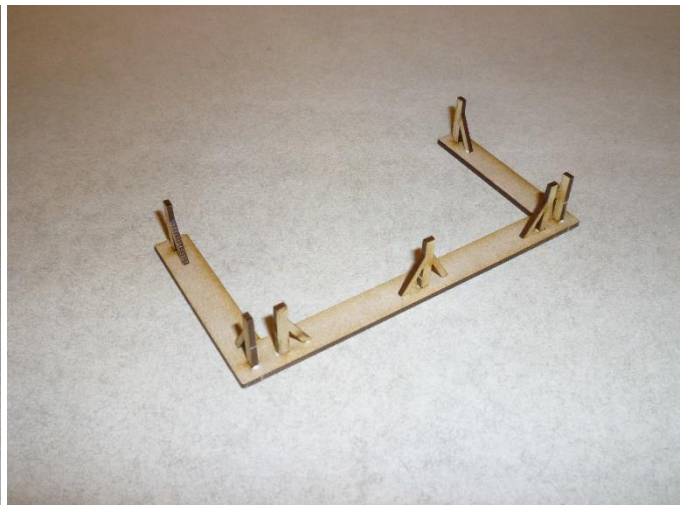
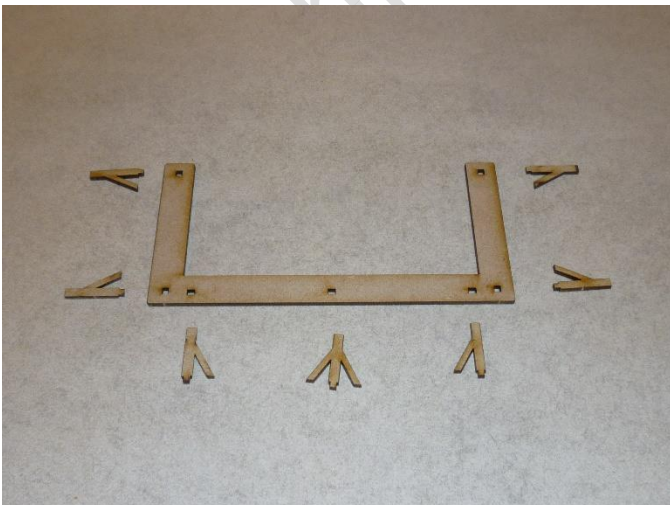
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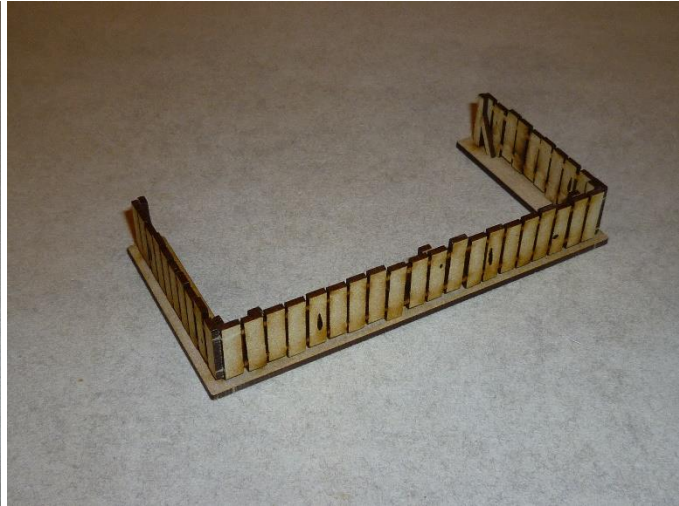
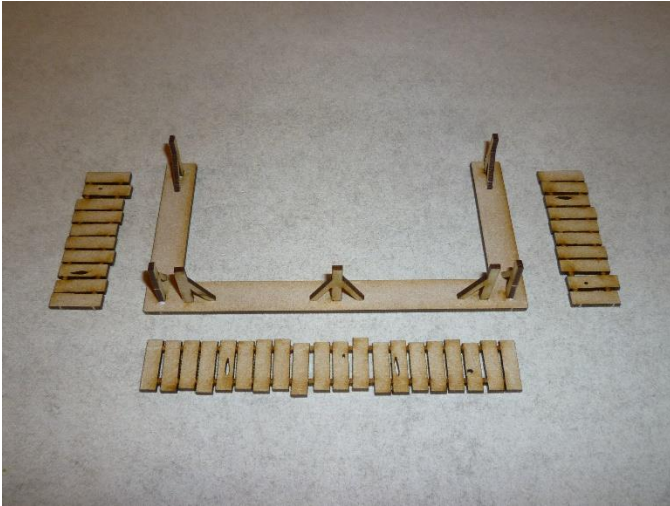
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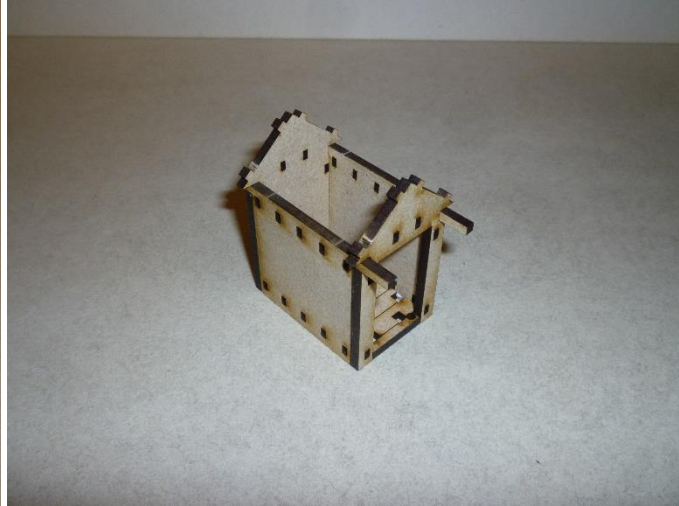
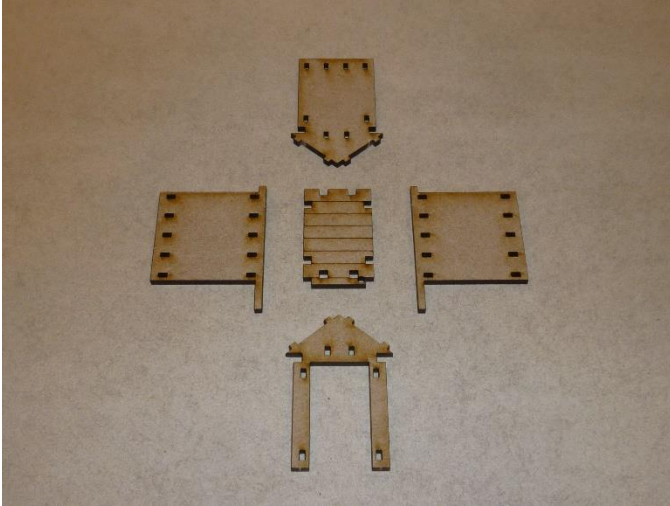


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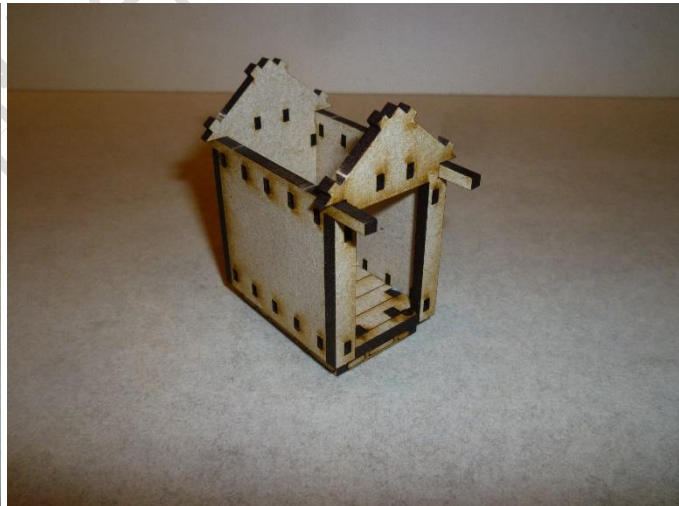
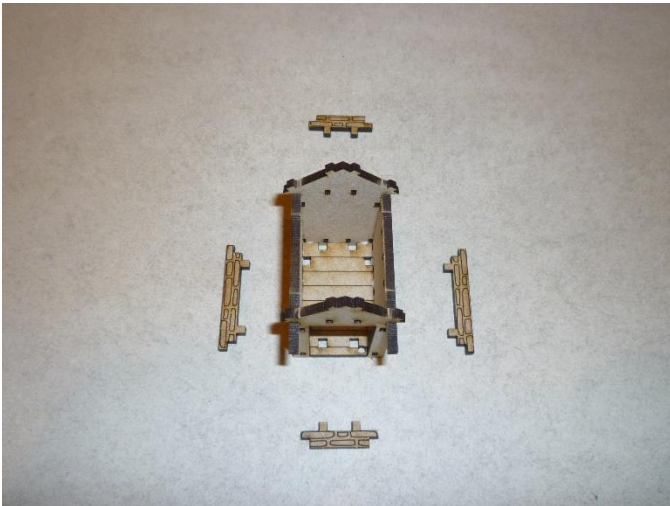
Smoke House

See Slider Barn, step # 1 for door assembly!

1. Let dry thoroughly!

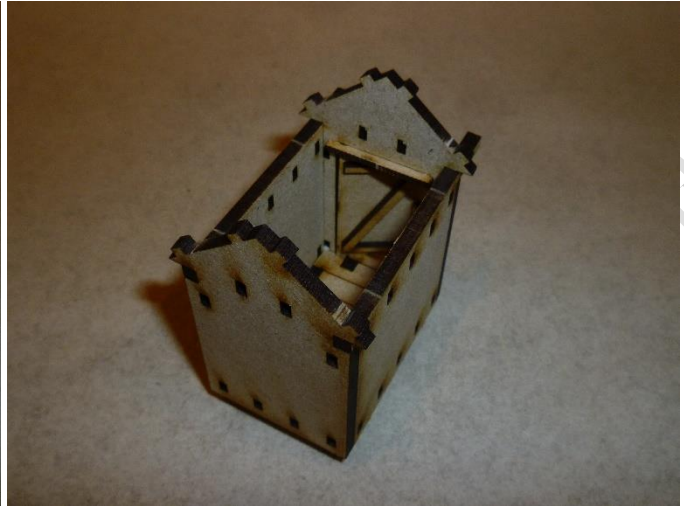


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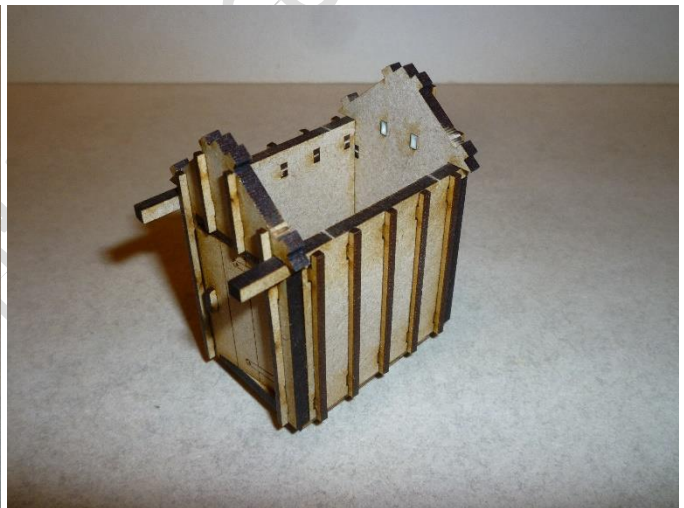
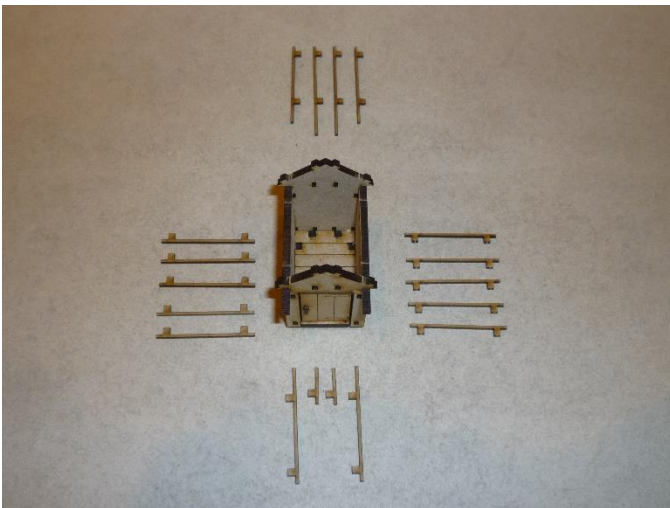


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3. See Slider Barn, step # 5 for moveable door assembly!



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If you ever experience problems or difficulties in finishing this kit don't become desperate! Just send me an email at thingsfromthebasement@gmail.com and I will help you get it done. Having designed the kit and then providing an instruction for everyone to understand is probably the hardest part of the whole project. I am ready for every kind of feedback to improve kit and instructions. I just need to know!

Photos of finished kit:



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