



INSTRUCTION MANUAL FOR X12'22 EU & US EDITION

BEFORE YOU START

This is a high-competition, high-quality RC car intended for persons aged 16 years and older with previous experience building and operating RC model racing cars. This is not a toy; it is a precision racing model. This model racing car is not intended for use by beginners, inexperienced customers, or by children without direct supervision of a responsible, knowledgeable adult. If you do not fulfill these requirements, please return the kit in unused and unassembled form back to the shop where you have purchased it.

Before building and operating your XRAY, <u>YOU MUST</u> read through all of the operating instructions and instruction manual and fully understand them to get the maximum enjoyment and prevent unnecessary damage.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

We have made every effort to make these instructions as easy to understand as possible. However, if you have any difficulties, problems, or questions, please do not hesitate to contact the XRAY support team at <u>info@teamxray.com</u>. Also, please visit our Web site at <u>www.teamxray.com</u> to find the latest updates, set-up information, option parts, and many other goodies. We pride ourselves on taking excellent care of our customers.

You can join thousands of XRAY fans and enthusiasts in our online community at: www.teamxray.com Carefully read and fully understand the instructions before beginning assembly.

Make sure you review this entire manual, download and use set-up book from the Web, and examine all details carefully. If for some reason you decide this is not what you wanted or expected, <u>do not continue any further</u>. Your hobby dealer can not accept your kit for return or exchange after it has been partially or fully assembled.

Contents of the box may differ from pictures. In line with our policy of continuous product development, the exact specifications of the kit may vary without prior notice.

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FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED AS ABUSE AND/OR NEGLECT.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Contains:

LEAD (CAS 7439-92-1) ANTIMONY (CAS 7440-36-0)

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

CAUTION: CANCER HAZARD

Contains lead, a listed carcinogen. Lead is harmful if ingested. Wash thoroughly after using. DO NOT use product while eating, drinking or using tobacco products. May cause chronic effects to gastrointestinal tract, CNS, kidneys, and blood. MAY CAUSE BIRTH DEFECTS.

When building, using and/or operating this model always wear protective glasses and gloves.

Take appropriate safety precautions prior to operating this model. You are responsible for this model's assembly and safe operation! Please read the instruction manual before building and operating this model and follow all safety precautions. Always keep the instruction manual at hand for quick

🛆 IMPORTANT NOTES – GENERAL

- This product is not suitable for children under 16 years of age without the direct supervision of a responsible and knowledgeable adult.
- Carefully read all manufacturers warnings and cautions for any parts used in the construction and use of your model.
- Assemble this kit only in places away from the reach of very small children.
- First-time builders and users should seek advice from people who have building experience in order to assemble the model correctly and to allow the model to reach its performance potential.
- Exercise care when using tools and sharp instruments.
- Take care when building, as some parts may have sharp edges.
- · Keep small parts out of reach of small children. Children must not be
- allowed to put any parts in their mouth, or pull vinyl bag over their head.Read and follow instructions supplied with paints and/or cement, if used (not included in kit).
- Immediately after using your model, do NOT touch equipment on the model such as the motor and speed controller, because they generate high temperatures. You may seriously burn yourself seriously touching them.
- Follow the operating instructions for the radio equipment at all times.
- Do not put fingers or any objects inside rotating and moving parts, as this may cause damage or serious injury as your finger, hair, clothes, etc. may get caught.
- Be sure that your operating frequency is clear before turning on or running your model, and never share the same frequency with somebody else at the same time. Ensure that others are aware of the operating frequency you are using and when you are using it.
- Use a transmitter designed for ground use with RC cars. Make sure that no
 one else is using the same frequency as yours in your operating area. Using
 the same frequency at the same time, whether it is driving, flying or sailing,
 can cause loss of control of the RC model, resulting in a serious accident.
- Always turn on your transmitter before you turn on the receiver in the car. Always turn off the receiver before turning your transmitter off.
- Keep the wheels of the model off the ground when checking the operation of the radio equipment.

reference, even after completing the assembly. Use only genuine and original authentic XRAY parts for maximum performance. Using any third party parts on this model will void guaranty immediately.

Improper operation may cause personal and/or property damage. XRAY and its distributors have no control over damage resulting from shipping, improper construction, or improper usage. XRAY assumes and accepts no responsibility for personal and/or property damages resulting from the use of improper building materials, equipment and operations. By purchasing any item produced by XRAY, the buyer expressly warrants that he/she is in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulation regarding the purchase, ownership and use of the item. The buyer expressly agrees to indemnify and hold harmless XRAY for all claims resulting directly or indirectly from the purchase, ownership or use of the product. By the act of assembling or operating this product, the user accepts all resulting liability. If the buyer is not prepared to accept this liability, then he/she should return this kit in new, unassembled, and unused condition to the place of purchase.

- Disconnect the battery pack before storing your model.
- When learning to operate your model, go to an area that has no obstacles that can damage your model if your model suffers a collision.
- Remove any sand, mud, dirt, grass or water before putting your model away.
- If the model behaves strangely, immediately stop the model, check and clear the problem.
- To prevent any serious personal injury and/or damage to property, be responsible when operating all remote controlled models.
- The model car is not intended for use on public places and roads or areas where its operation can conflict with or disrupt pedestrian or vehicular traffic.
- Because the model car is controlled by radio, it is subject to radio interference from many sources that are beyond your control. Since radio interference can cause momentary loss of control, always allow a safety margin in all directions around the model in order to prevent collisions.
 Do not use your model:
- Near real cars, animals, or people that are unaware that an RC car is being driven.
- In places where children and people gather
- In residential districts and parks
- In limited indoor spaces
- In wet conditions
- In the street
- In areas where loud noises can disturb others, such as hospitals and residential areas.
- At night or anytime your line of sight to the model may be obstructed or impaired in any way.

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🛆 IMPORTANT NOTES - ELECTRICAL

- Insulate any exposed electrical wiring (using heat shrink tubing or electrical tape) to prevent dangerous short circuits. Take maximum care in wiring, connecting and insulating cables. Make sure cables are always connected securely. Check connectors for if they become loose. And if so, reconnect them securely. Never use RC models with damaged wires. A damaged wire is extremely dangerous, and can cause short-circuits resulting in fire. Please have wires repaired at your local hobby shop.
- Low battery power will result in loss of control. Loss of control can occur due to a weak battery in either the transmitter or the receiver. Weak running battery may also result in an out of control car if your car's receiver power is supplied by the running battery. Stop operation immediately if the car starts to slow down.
- When not using RC model, always disconnect and remove battery.
- Do not disassemble battery or cut battery cables. If the running battery short-circuits, approximately 300W of electricity can be discharged, leading to fire or burns. Never disassemble battery or cut battery cables.
- Use a recommended charger for the receiver and transmitter batteries and follow the instructions correctly. Over-charging, incorrect charging,

or using inferior chargers can cause the batteries to become dangerously hot. Recharge battery when necessary. Continual recharging may damage battery and, in the worst case, could build up heat leading to fire. If battery becomes extremely hot during recharging, please ask your local hobby shop for check and/or repair and/or replacement.

- Regularly check the charger for potential hazards such as damage to the cable, plug, casing or other defects. Ensure that any damage is rectified before using the charger again. Modifying the charger may cause shortcircuit or overcharging leading to a serious accident. Therefore do not modify the charger.
- Always unplug charger when recharging is finished.
- Do not recharge battery while battery is still warm. After use, battery retains heat. Wait until it cools down before charging.
- Do not allow any metal part to short circuit the receiver batteries or other electrical/electronic device on the model.
- Immediately stop running if your RC model gets wet as may cause short circuit.
- Please dispose of batteries responsibly. Never put batteries into fire.

R/C & BUILDING TIPS

- Make sure all fasteners are properly tightened. Check them periodically.
- Make sure that chassis screws do not protrude from the chassis.
- For the best performance, it is very important that great care is taken to ensure the free movement of all parts.
- Clean all ball-bearings so they move very easily and freely.
- Tap or pre-thread the plastic parts when threading screws.
- Self-tapping screws cut threads into the parts when being tightened. Do not use excessive force when tightening the self-tapping screws because you may strip out the thread in the plastic. We recommended you stop tightening a screw when you feel some resistance.
- Ask your local hobby shop for any advice.

WARRANTY

XRAY guarantees this model kit to be free from defects in both material and workmanship within 30 days of purchase. The total monetary value under warranty will in no case exceed the cost of the original kit purchased. This warranty does not cover any components damaged by use or modification or as a result of wear. Part or parts missing from this kit must be reported within 30 days of purchase. No part or parts will be sent under warranty without proof of purchase. Should you find a defective or missing part, contact the local distributor. Service and customer support will be provided through local hobby store where you have purchased the kit, therefore make sure to purchase any XRAY products at your local hobby store. This model racing car is considered to be a high-performance racing vehicle. As such this vehicle will be used in an extreme range of conditions and situations, all which may cause premature wear or failure of any component. XRAY has no control over usage of vehicles once they leave the dealer, therefore XRAY can only offer warranty against all manufacturer's defects in materials, workmanship, and assembly at point of sale and before use. No warranties are expressed or implied that cover damage caused by what is considered normal use, or cover or imply how long any model cars' components or electronic components will last before requiring replacement.

Due to the high performance level of this model car you will need to periodically maintain and replace consumable components. Any and all warranty coverage will not cover replacement of any part or component damaged by neglect, abuse, or improper or unreasonable use. This includes Please support your local hobby shop. We at XRAY Model Racing Cars support all local hobby dealers. Therefore we ask you, if at all possible, to purchase XRAY products at your hobby dealer and give them your support like we do. If you have difficulty finding XRAY products, please check out www.teamxray. com to get advice, or contact us via email at info@teamxray.com, or contact the XRAY distributor in your country.

but is not limited to damage from crashing, chemical and/or water damage, excessive moisture, improper or no maintenance, or user modifications which compromise the integrity of components. Warranty will not cover components that are considered consumable on RC vehicles. XRAY does not pay nor refund shipping on any component sent to XRAY or its distributors for warranty. XRAY reserves the right to make the final determination of the warranty status of any component or part.

Limitations of Liability

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Disregard of the any of the above cautions may lead to accidents, personal injury, or property damage. XRAY MODEL RACING CARS assumes no responsibility for any injury, damage, or misuse of this product during assembly or operation, nor any addictions that may arise from the use of this product. All rights reserved.

QUALITY CERTIFICATE

XRAY MODEL RACING CARS uses only the highest quality materials, the best compounds for molded parts and the most sophisticated manufacturing processes of TQM (Total Quality Management). We guarantee that all parts of a newly-purchased kit are manufactured with the highest regard to quality. However, due to the many factors inherent in model racecar competition, we cannot guarantee any parts once you start racing the car. Products which have been worn out, abused, neglected or improperly operated will not be covered under warranty.

We wish you enjoyment of this high-quality and high-performance RC car and wish you best success on the track!

In line with our policy of continuous product development, the exact specifications of the kit may vary. In the unlikely event of any problems with your new kit, you should contact the model shop where you purchased it, quoting the part number.

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TOOLS REQUIRED



NOT INCLUDED



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Alexander Hagberg (Factory Driver)

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the code to be directed to an online video that explains that feature or adjustment in more detail. Make sure to watch all of the instructional videos to get the most performance out of your car.

OPTION	SAMPLE OF OPTIONAL PARTS						
	#37XXXX	TYPE1	OPTION 1				
	#37XXXX	TYPE2	OPTION 2				
	#37XXXX	TYPE3	INCLUDED				

XRAY offers wide range of **OPTIONAL TUNING PARTS** which are listed in a table like this. Please refer to the exploded view of each main section to verify which part is included in the kit while all other parts are available only as an optional part and must be purchased separately.

COLOR INDICATIONS

At the beginning of each section is an exploded view of the parts to be assembled. There is also a list of all the parts and part numbers that are related to the assembly of that section.

The part descriptions are color-coded to make it easier for you to identify the source of a part. Here are what the different colors mean:

 371212
 STYLE A - indicates parts that are included in the bag marked for the section.

 371116
 STYLE B - indicates parts that are included in the box.

 378002
 STYLE C - indicates parts that are already assembled from previous steps.

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* Kit includes smaller but sufficient amount of oil and grease to build the car.		Transmitter	Receiver	Speed Controller	Steering Servo
450cSt (#106345) HUDY Premium Silicone Oils	10.000cSt (#106510) HUDY Premium Silicone Oils	Ĩ			101
		Electric Motor & Pinion Gear with Setscrew	LiPo Battery	Battery Charger	Bearing Oil (HUDY #106230)
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ALSO REQUIRED

1. FRONT SUSPENSION







3x6mm



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SOFT - (NO BRACE)

conditions, and asphalt.

Makes the car initially less responsive, but will provide

more mechanical grip. Recommended for low-grip carpet

FRONT SUSPENSION FLEX SETTING



MEDIUM (INITIAL SETTING)

Brace mounted to the graphite arm with posts provides a balance between initial response and mechanical grip. Recommended for most conditions.

STIFF

Brace directly mounted to the graphite arm gives maximum responsiveness but decreases mechanical grip. Recommended for high-traction bite conditions (such as US black carpet).







1. FRONT SUSPENSION

Image: Strategy of the position of the stopper to adjust the maximum amount of steering lock. Image: Strategy of the position of the stopper to adjust the maximum amount of steering lock.







The front suspension arm includes adjustable steering lock limiters. These physically limit the maximum steering angle and improve consistency during cornering.

It is recommended to start with 27° steering lock for the EU Edition and 24° for the US Edition. Greater steering lock improves off power steering and reactivity in tight corners but can make the car more difficult to drive in chicanes.









2. REAR SUSPENSION



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PIVOT MOUNTING ALTERNATIVE

FORWARD:

REARWARD: (INITIAL SETTING)

Pivot mounted in rearward chassis holes, and 1mm shim used under the pivot ball. The rearward pivot mounting position gives the most steering and most free rear end. Recommended for high-traction conditions such as US black carpet.

Pivot mounted in forward chassis holes, with 3mm shims under the pivot ball. The forward pivot mounting position gives a good balance between front and rear traction.









ROLL CENTER ADJUSTMENT

The roll center can be adjusted by adding or removing shims from beneath the aluminum pivot mounts

LOWER ROLL CENTER

(INITIAL SETTING - NO SHIMS) will give more traction and increase chassis roll.

HIGHER ROLL CENTER

(adding shims) will increase steering by making the car rotate more on and off-power.

IMPORTANT! Always use same shim thickness on both sides of both aluminum holders.



















3. SOLID AXLE



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951438 BALL-BEARING 1/4" x 3/8" x 1/8" FLANGED - STEEL SEALED - OIL (2)

SOLID AXLE













5. FINAL ASSEMBLY



























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OPTION	#305968	18T	OPTION		#294137	37T	OPTION
	#305969	19T	OPTION		#294138	38T	OPTION
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Same.	#305971	21T	OPTION		#294140	40T	OPTION
	#305972	22T	OPTION		#294141	41T	OPTION
	#305973	23T	OPTION		#294142	42T	OPTION
	#305974	24T	OPTION		#294143	43T	OPTION
	#305975	25T	OPTION		#294144	44T	OPTION
	#305976	26T	OPTION		#294145	45T	OPTION
	#305977	27T	OPTION	ĺ	#305996	46T	OPTION
	#294128	28T	OPTION		#294147	47T	OPTION
	#294129	29T	OPTION		#294148	48T	OPTION
	#294130	30T	OPTION	1	#294149	49T	OPTION
	#294131	31T	OPTION		#294150	50T	OPTION
	#305982	32T	OPTION	ĺ	#294152	52T	OPTION
	#294133	33T	OPTION		#294154	54T	OPTION
	#305984	34T	OPTION		#294156	56T	OPTION
	#305985	35T	OPTION	ĺ	#294158	58T	OPTION
	#294136	36T	OPTION	ĺ	#294160	60T	OPTION



5. FINAL ASSEMBLY











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Battery Pack

Disconnect the shock absorber and position the pack at an angle to clear the surrounding brackets when installing or removing the battery.

BATTERY BACKSTOP

The new adjustable battery backstop system secures the battery in the car in a tweak-free, non-fixed manner to help improve traction and makes it more stable and easier to drive.

It is very important that battery has a very small amount of play in all directions so it does not tweak the car, but the play cannot be too much otherwise the battery may fall out in crashes.

Adjust the shim thickness to match battery pack height. If there is no play between the backstop and pack, use a thicker shim. If it is too loose, use a thinner shim to reduce the gap.

[note] Make sure to keep a small amount of play



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BATTERY MOUNTING POSITIONS

The X12'22 has 4 battery positions. The further forward the battery is positioned in the car, the easier it will be to drive but less responsive. The further rearward the battery is located, the more aggressive it will feel with more steering.









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