

# **AH-1Z Turret**

Designed for the Kitty Hawk 1/48th scale AH-1Z

## **General Notes:**

- -Your Werner's Wings AH-1Z Turret is designed to be used with the Kitty Hawk AH-1Z, however, it can also be used on any 1/48th AH-1J, AH-1T or AH-1W scale kit. The turret is cutout on the bottom to accurately represent the turret with the shroud. While designed to utilize the Kitty Hawk barrel assembly it can also be used with the Master turned metal barrels with minor modification.
- -As always, read and understand the instructions BEFORE you start to cut plastic!
- -CERTAIN PARTS ARE DELICATE! Please be careful with the slender parts.
- -Dry fit all parts first. Measure twice and cut once!

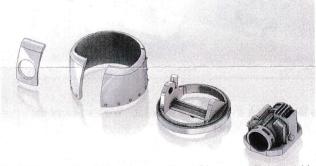
### **Construction Notes:**

- Construction begins by removing the items from the casting block. This is simply done by sanding on a flat surface.
- It is recommended to paint the inside of the parts now while they are separated and easy to get to.

**NOTE:** There are pins on the side of the gun assembly.

#### DO NOT REMOVE THEM.

- Add the gun assembly to the turret ring by simply spreading the ring carefully. It will move in elevation. You may elect to glue it in place.
- Slide the Front Fairing over the gun. **DO NOT GLUE** at this time then add either your kit gun or the Master barrels at this time to the Gun Assembly.
- Add the turret shroud to the Turret Ring, ensuring the gun assembly is centered in the opening. Glue in place.
- Center the Front Fairing in the opening. Temporarily align the top edge with the Turret Ring. Then carefully glue the front Fairing where it touches the Gun Assembly.
- Then just add it to the assembly to the model. You will have to glue the gun in a position if you don't want it to move in elevation.

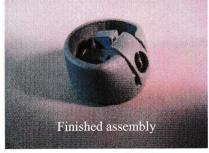




Turret Shroud

Turret Ring

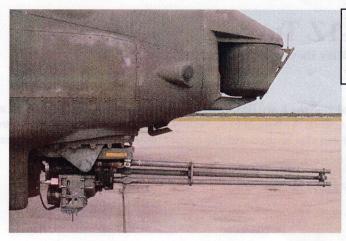
Gun Assembly





Just a cool Cobra shot.





This shows the Turret Ring on an AH-1F. It is the same style of gun and assembly. It is provided as a color guide for the set.



AH-1W Turret Assembly-It is the same as the AH-1Z Turret and essentially unchanged since the AH-1J.



AH-1Z Note the stowed position is slightly above the horizontal. The turret can rotate 110 degrees left and right and elevate 30 degrees up to 60 degrees down.



# **Additional Werner's Wings Products**

Don't forget that Werner's Wings also offers the AH-1Z Ammo Box (Stock # 48-11) for your kit. We also carry the External Aux Fuel Tank (Stock # 48-10) frequently seen on the wings of the Viper.

And don't forget the decals, AH-1Z Vipers Den (Stock # WW Decals 48-08) specifically designed for the Kitty Hawk AH-1Z.

# Recognition

This set would not have been possible without the masters from a friend who wishes to remain anonymous. He was quick and created a great product.

### **Contact information**

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