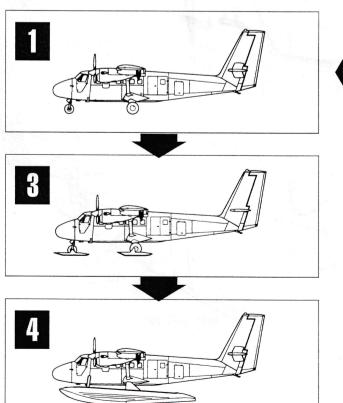


The de Havilland Twin Otter was designed in the early 1960s as the logical successor to its highly successful Otter. It improved on the Otter's design by including twin turboprop engines and tricycle landing gear. This enabled the Twin Otter to carry up to twenty passengers faster and more efficiently than any of it's short-haul competitors.

The first Twin Otter to fly was the CF-DHC-X, on May 20, 1965.

By the late 1960s, the Twin Otter had entered service as a short-haul airliner in the northeast U.S. corridor.

This remarkable STOL aircraft needs only 860 feet (262 m) for takeoff at maximum weight of 12,500 pounds (5670 kg). Its performance figures are especially impressive for any aircraft of its carrying capacity. It can land in only 950 feet (290 m). It cruises at 192 mph (309 km/h) with a maximum cruise speed of 210 mph (338 km/h) at 10,000 feet (3,048 m).



Twin Otter

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PRECISION 1/72 SCALE

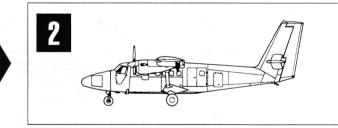


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It stalls at 65 mph (104.6 km/h) with flaps down. It has a service ceiling of 26,700 feet (8,140 m) and a range of 806 miles (1,297 km) with maximum payload.

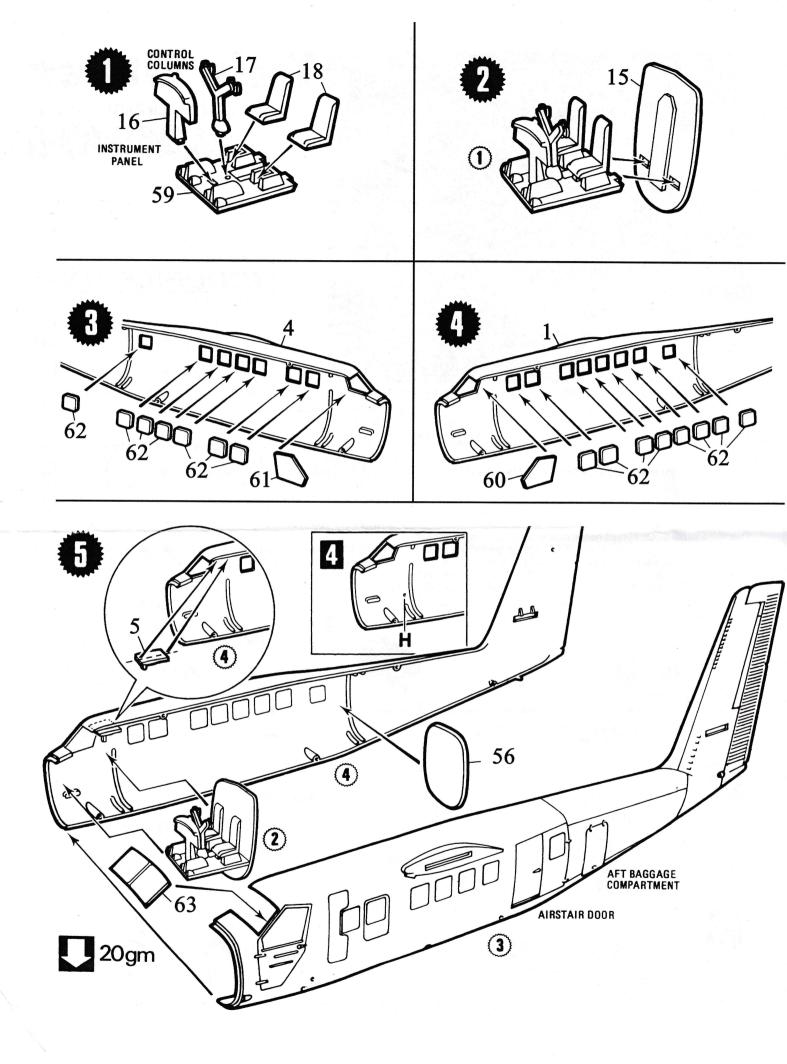
With 844 built before production ended in 1988, and over 740 of those still flying at the end of the century, the Twin Otter's reliability is beyond question. They were sold to over 80 countries and have flown in every corner of the world. Operating in Nepal, the Alps and Antarctica as well as the US, Canada, Central and South America, Europe, Asia and Pacific islands, the Twin Otter has earned the nickname "the universal airplane". It has even been copied by the Chinese as the "Twin Panda"!

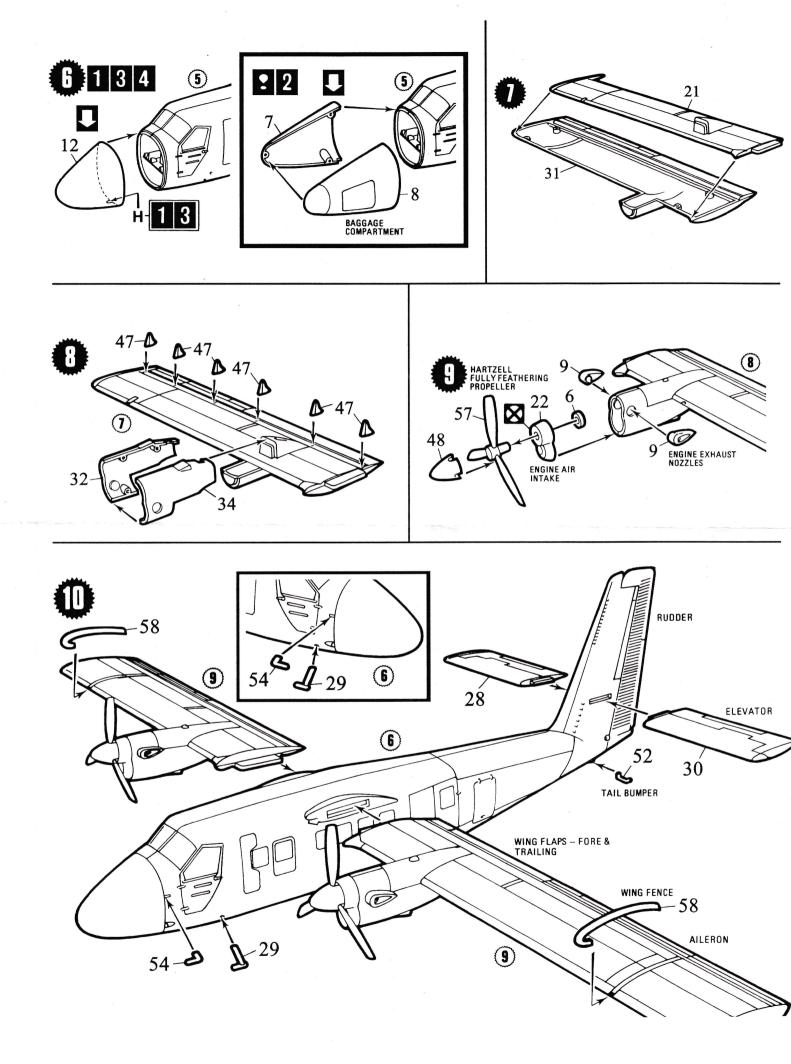
This 1/72 scale model kit includes three landing gear types: wheels, skiis and floats, and both the long and short nose versions. Decals are included for the Kenn Borek aircraft of the U.S. Antarctic Program as well as the NorOntair aircraft pictured on the box.

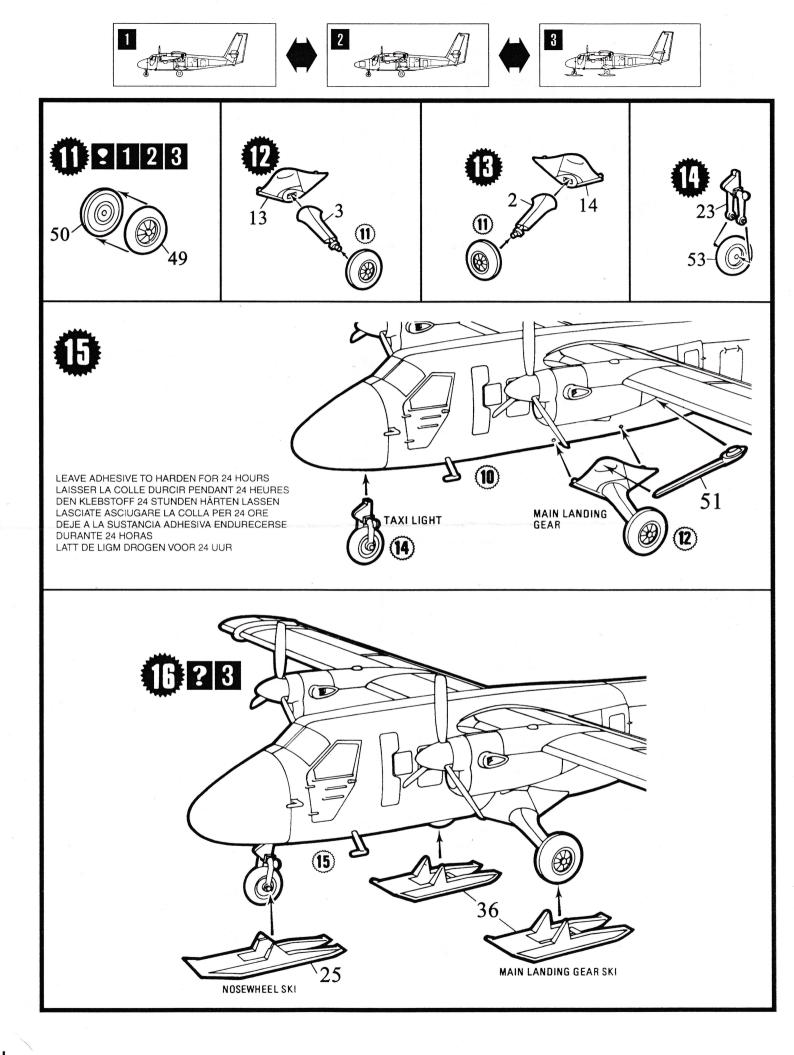


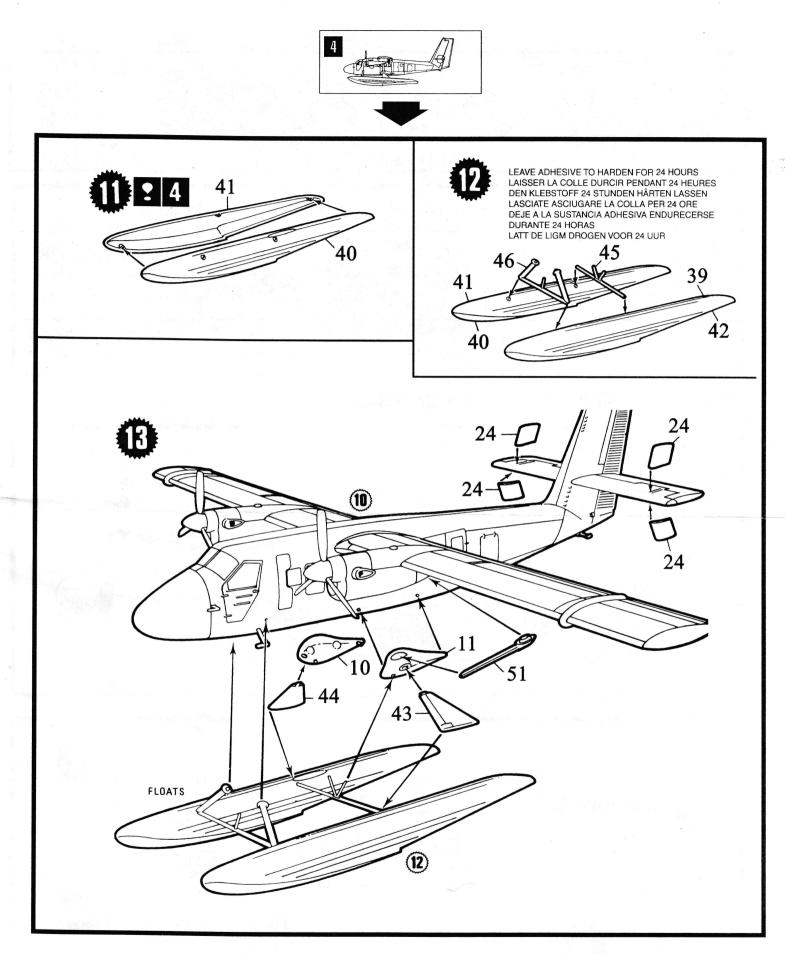
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