





Starter Set

# Build A Mega Track

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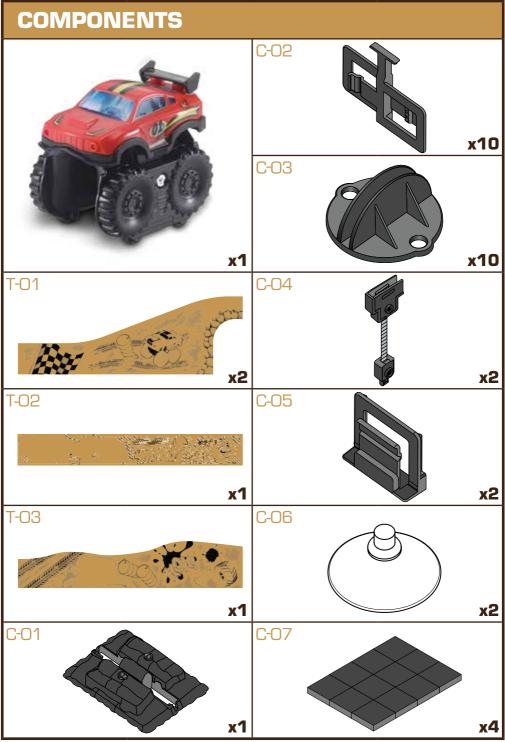


# Monster Truck & Track

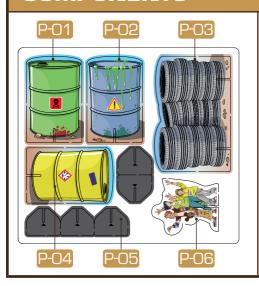








#### **COMPONENTS**



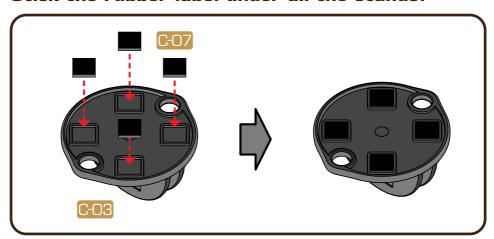


#### **INITIAL ASSEMBLY**

#### **ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS**

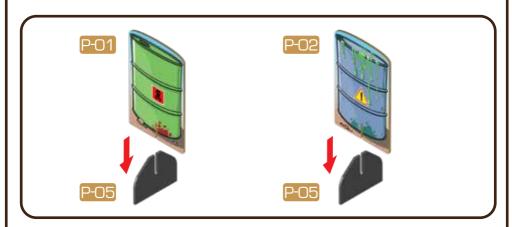
With the **Car-Board Racers Monster Truck & Track**, safety comes first. Adult assembly required. For your child's safety, do not let them play with this toy until the initial assembly steps are completed.

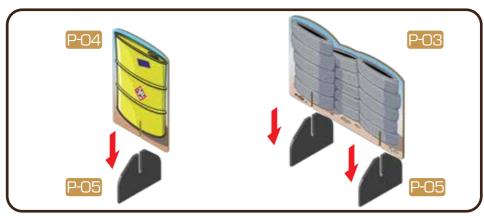
#### Stick the rubber label under all the stands.

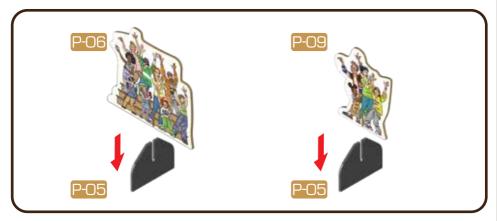


### **INITIAL ASSEMBLY**

#### **USING THE STANDS**

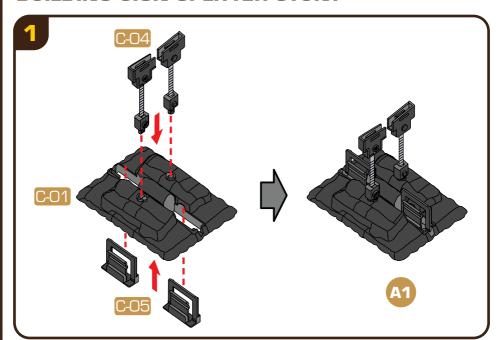


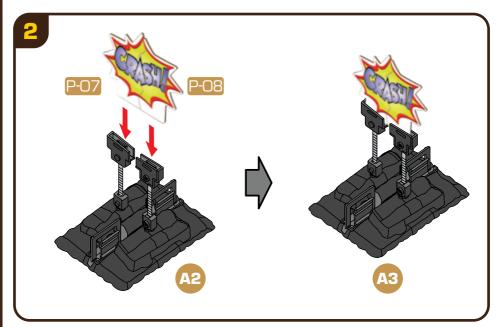




### **INITIAL ASSEMBLY**

#### **BUILDING SIGN SPLITTER STUNT**





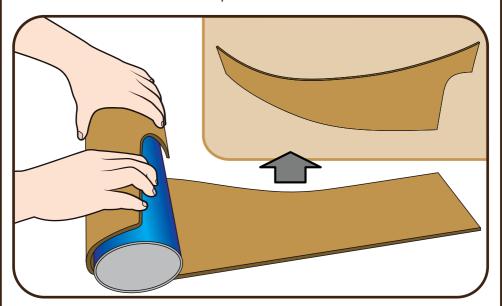
#### **INITIAL ASSEMBLY**

#### **COLOUR THE CARDBOARD.**



#### **ROLL UP THE CARDBOARD.**

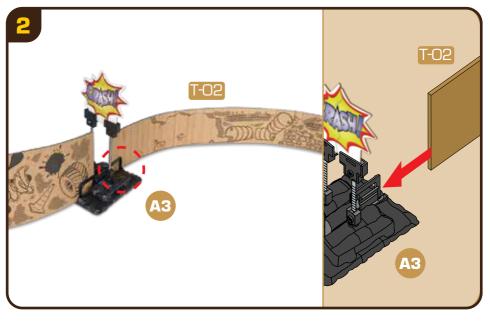
Roll T-01, T-02 and T-03 up with a can to make smooth curves.



## TRACK ASSEMBLY

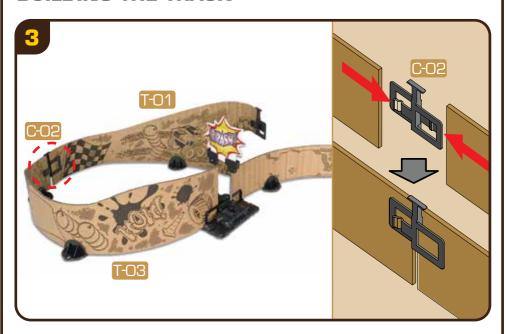
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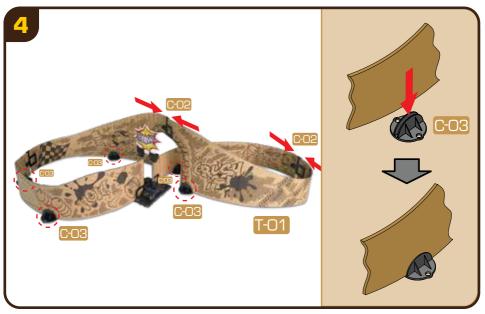




## TRACK ASSEMBLY

#### **BUILDING THE TRACK**



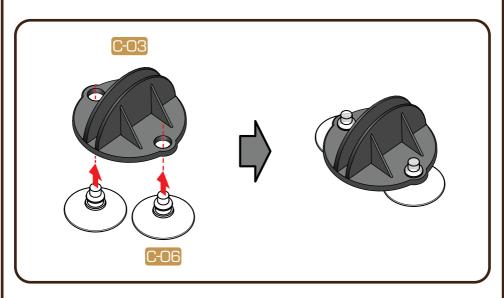


#### TRACK ASSEMBLY

#### **BUILDING THE TRACK**



If necessary, add suction cups to one stand to make it stay firmly on the floor.

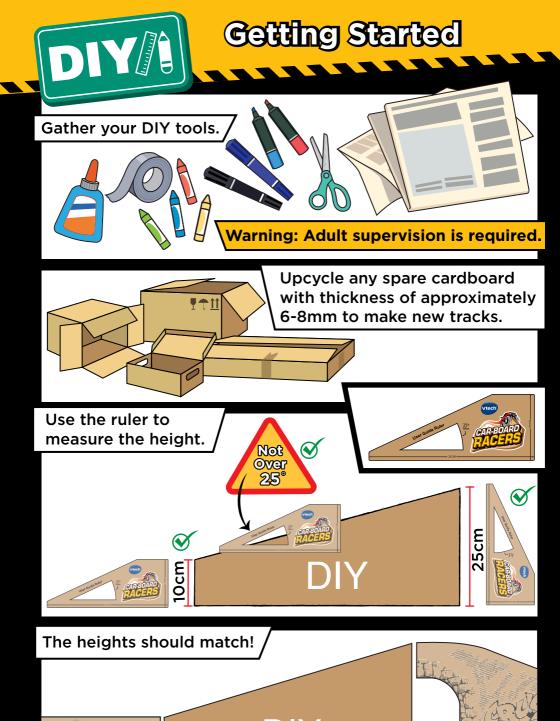


### LET'S GO!

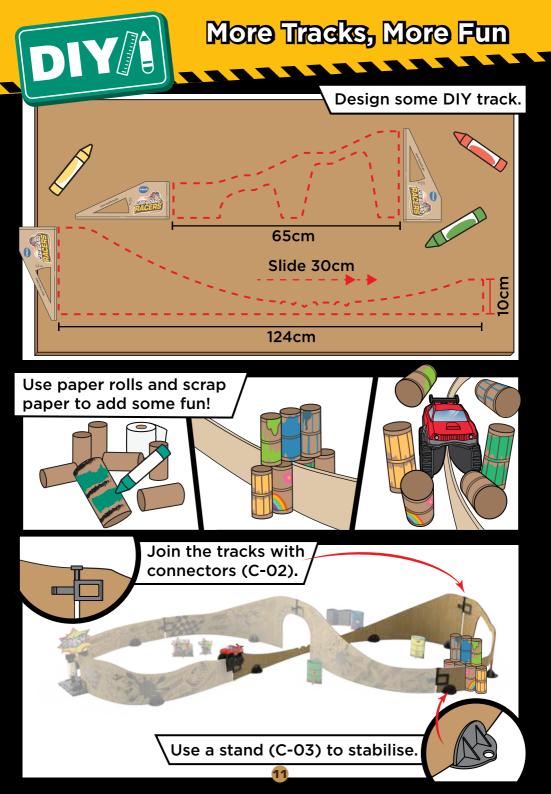
Switch the vehicle on and place it carefully on the track to start the fun.





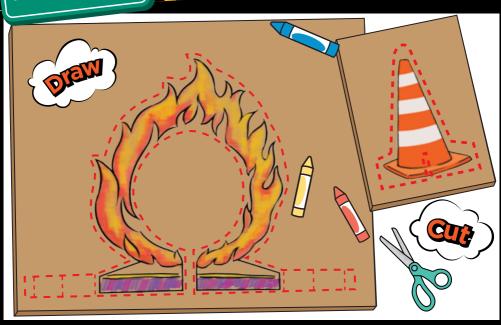


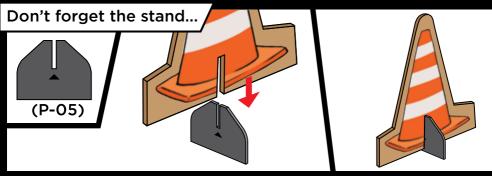


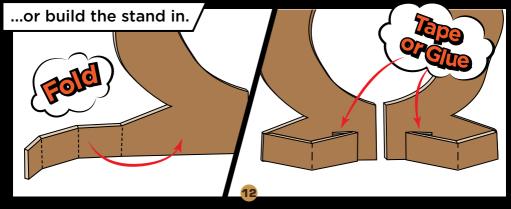




## Design Fun Accessories









# STEAM Think Like an Engineer!

The Engineering Design Process is a way of thinking to solve problems.

What Engineers Do?

Design
Build
Fix things

Start with a question

Example

How can I make a paper aeroplane that flies across the room?



There are no bad ideas in brainstorming.



Start by researching.



Write or sketch ideas.



Pick an idea to try.

Brainstorm

Different colours of paper

Throw plane harder

Use thick paper

Try new folding method

Change size of wings

Start to build

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Build

Ask an adult for help with safety. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Gather materials & start creating!



It doesn't have to be perfect!





Test your solution a few times.

- Take notes as you go.
- Set up testing environment.
- Test your solution in Gather testing tools. different ways.

## Reflect and Improve

Hmm.. my idea didn't work.

I wonder why...

What went well?

What could you do differently?

I have an idea to improve it!

I'll try wider wings next time.

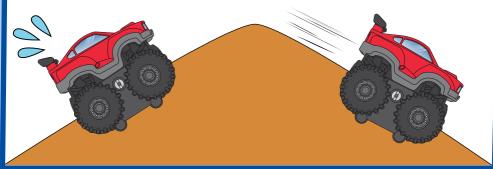
- Go back to the Plan and Design phase to make adjustments.
- Use what you learn on your next try.

# Activity 1



## **Knowledge Pit Stop 1**

- Gravity is the force that pulls objects to the Earth.
- When an object tries to go uphill, it must work harder to go against gravity.
- When an object goes downhill, it works with gravity.



# Engineering 2 Challenge



### Start with a question =

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How does the speed of a car change driving uphill versus downhill?

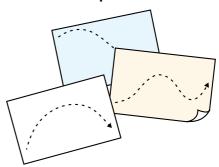
Uphill, downhill Hmm.. I wonder which path is faster?

# Activity 1

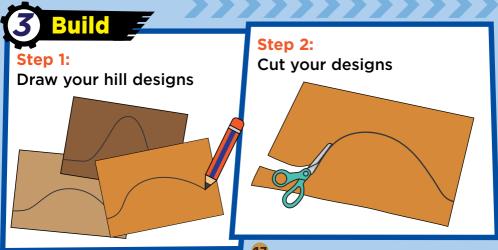
## Plan and Design 🖃

Sketch out track pieces with slopes that go uphill and slopes that go downhill.

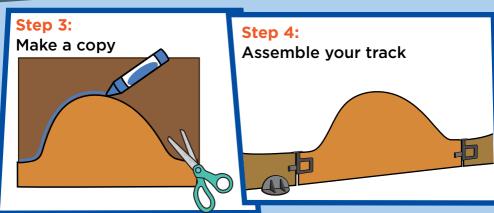
Try out slopes with different levels of steepness.







# Activity 1



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Faster going uphill or downhill?			
Hill A	Hill B	Hill C	Hill D
Rank the speed at the top or bottom of the slope you created from <b>1</b> (fastest) to <b>4</b> (slowest)			

# 5 Reflect



Is it faster for cars to go uphill or downhill?



How does the steepness of the slope change the speed?



Can you adjust the copy to make each hill too steep to climb?

# Activity 2



- When an object is fast, it has more momentum and force when it runs into another object.
- The force of the car sets off the car crash stunt.
- The amount of force applied can change the car crash stunt effect.



# Activity 2

# 2 Plan and Design

Design something to hold some confetti. Sketch out different designs to test.

What track design will make the car go faster? Look back at Challenge #1.

How can you store the confetti?

Try storing confetti on paper rolls

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# 3 Build =

#### Step 1:

Make your confetti by tearing paper



#### Step 2:

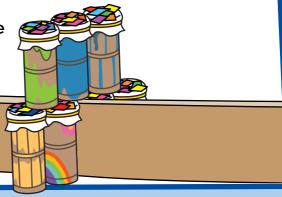
Find a way to hold the confetti



# Activity 2

#### Step 3:

Build the track and place the confetti stunt where you want it



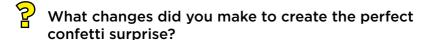
## 4 Test

Put the car on the track and test it out.

Adjust the track or the stunt if your confetti surprise isn't to your liking.



## **5** Reflect



- What was challenging about getting the confetti surprise to work?
- What would you do differently next time?

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