



Class 03 Diesel Shunter

Owner's Information

Welcome

Many thanks for purchasing one of our **Bachmann Branchline** Class 03 Diesel Shunter Locomotives. A lot of care was taken producing your model and we hope you enjoy it for many years to come.

Please note: This model has been designed to run on curves of **no less than 2nd Radius (438mm)**. We recommend that you don't use anything smaller as this may result in the model derailling.

1. Accessories

Although our models are highly detailed and ready to run straight from the box we also supply optional accessories to be fitted by the owner if they wish.

Buffer Beam Plate (Fig. 1)

Remove the Standard Coupling from its mount and push fit the Buffer Beam Plate into place.

There's a corresponding part for the cab end of the locomotive too.

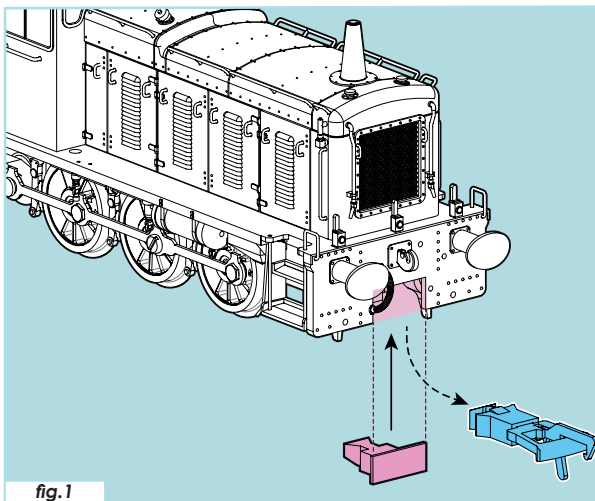


fig. 1

2. Running-in

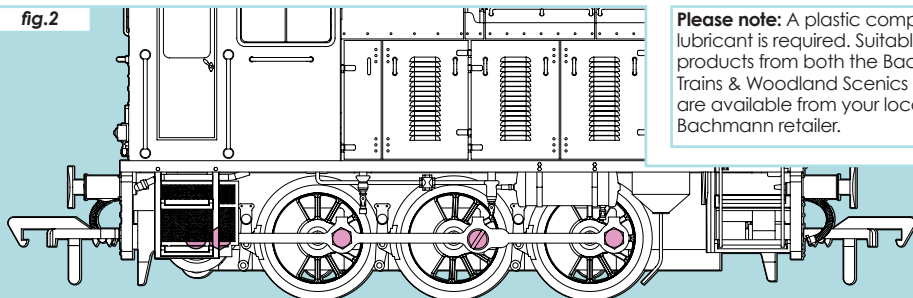
It is necessary that this Locomotive is 'run-in' to allow the mechanism and gears to settle. This requires the model to be run without a load (wagons, coaches, etc.) for 30 minutes in each direction at half speed.

3. Lubrication

All Bachmann Branchline Locomotives are supplied ready lubricated and can be used straight from the box. Over time your locomotive will require some additional lubrication, when will depend on the frequency of use and storage, so please inspect your model on a regular basis.

All moving parts of the connecting rods will occasionally need oiling. Apply a single drop of oil to the areas indicated in pink below (**fig.2**) and to the corresponding points on the other side.

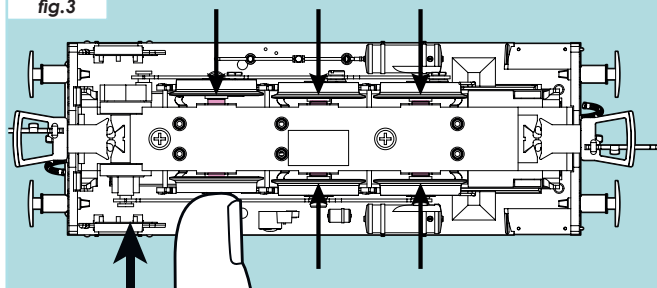
fig.2



Please note: A plastic compatible lubricant is required. Suitable products from both the Bachmann Trains & Woodland Scenics ranges are available from your local Bachmann retailer.

Lubrication - Continued.

fig.3



If the driving wheel axles appear dry and no lubricant is visible (where shown pink in **fig.3**), it would be advisable to lubricate your model.

Motor Bearing Lubrication

The motor bearing comes ready lubricated, however depending on frequency of use over time they may require further lubrication. To access the motor bearings a small amount of disassembly is required and is shown below.

1. To remove the body first remove the Standard Couplings and the Coupling Mounts. These can be easily prised out with a small flathead screwdriver. This will reveal the two screws that secure the body to the chassis (**figs.4 & 5**).

fig.4

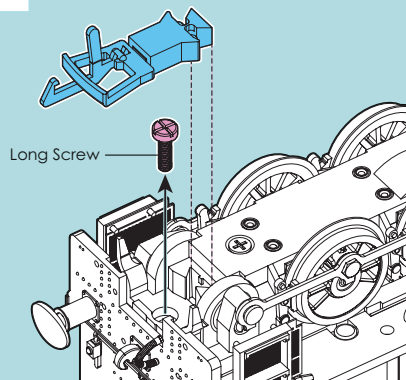
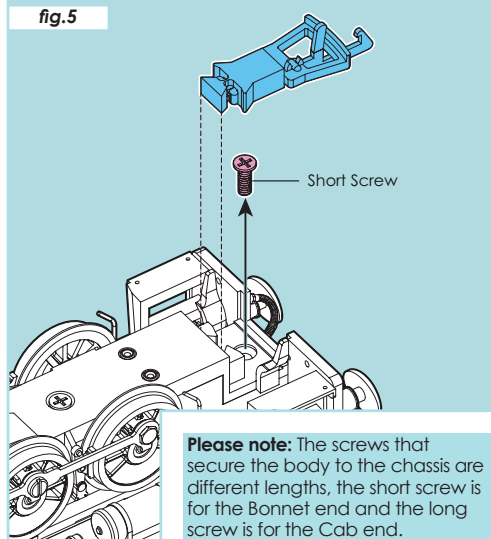


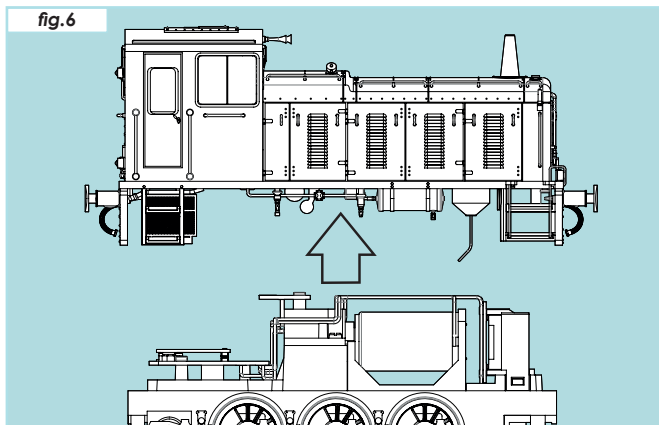
fig.5



Please note: The screws that secure the body to the chassis are different lengths, the short screw is for the Bonnet end and the long screw is for the Cab end.

2. Remove the body shell from the Chassis taking care not to damage any of the details (**fig.6**).

fig.6



3. Prise the Speaker Chamber from its securing points and move out of the way. This will reveal the rear of the Motor Bearing, if it appears dry apply one drop of lubricant (**fig.7**).

4. To access the front of the Motor Bearing remove the three screws that hold the Worm Gear & Motor Bearing Cover in place (**fig.8**).

fig.8

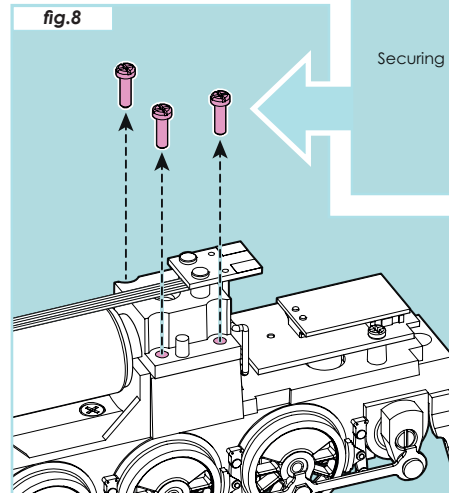


fig.7

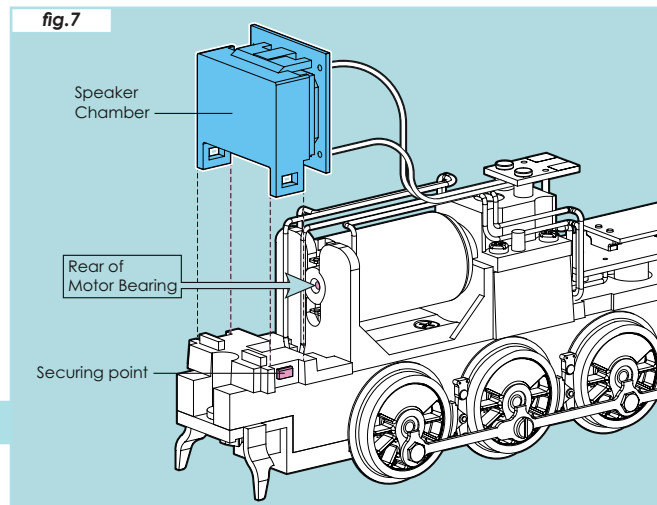
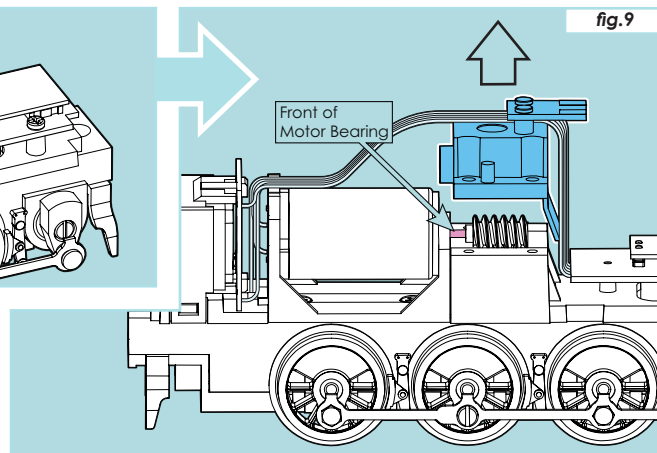


fig.9

5. Lift Motor Bearing Cover taking care not to damage the wires. This will expose the front of the Motor Bearing, if it appears dry apply one drop of lubricant (**fig.9**).



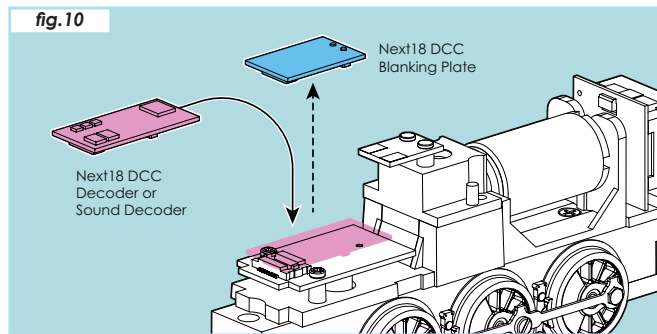
4. Fitting a DCC Decoder

Digital Command Control (DCC) allows for greater functionality and control over the models on your layout: such as the simultaneous control of speed & direction of multiple Locomotives and enables the use of DCC controlled track, points and other DCC Decoder fitted accessories. DCC also allows the addition of DCC Sound which brings a whole new level of realism to your model railway.

1. Remove the body shell as shown previously (**figs.4, 5 & 6**)

2. Remove the Next18 Blanking Plate and push fit your Next18 DCC Decoder (**fig.10**)

fig.10



5. DCC Sound - Installing DCC Sound

The following equipment is required for installing DCC Sound.

- 1 x Next18 DCC Sound Decoder (pre-programmed with the relevant sound file of your choice).
- 1 x Speaker 8 x 12mm.

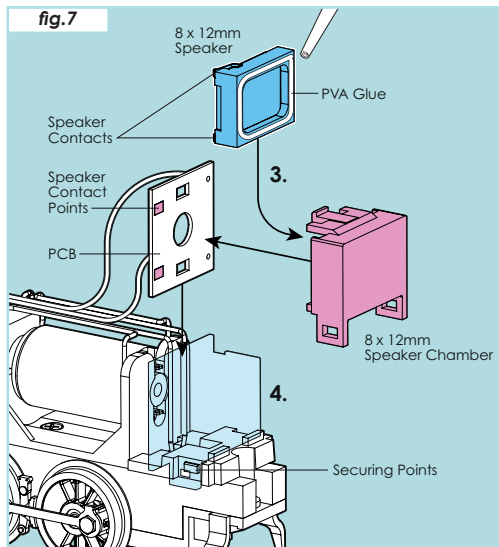
Please note: It's recommended that the DCC Decoder and Speaker are both from the same manufacturer and the speaker specifications are compatible with the decoder. Please consult your retailer for advice.

1. Remove the body shell as shown previously (figs.4, 5 & 6)

2. Prise the Speaker Chamber from it's securing points on Chassis and unclip it from the PCB.

3. If your speaker doesn't come with a self adhesive frame then attach it to the mount using a thin application of PVA glue. **Please ensure that the speaker contacts align to the contact points on the PCB.** (fig.7)

4. Clip the Speaker Chamber back onto the small PCB and fit to chassis. (fig.7)



6. Spare Parts

Selected spare parts are available from the Bachmann Europe Service Department. For further information and enquiries please contact the Service Department directly by email on service@bachmann-europe.co.uk or by phone **01455 245575**.

7. Warranty

This product has a Warranty for 12 months from the date of purchase against faulty materials or workmanship subject to the following conditions. During this period such defects that occur will be repaired or defective parts replaced free of charge.

1. This Warranty applies only if the item was purchased from an authorised retailer of Bachmann Europe plc ('Bachmann') within the United Kingdom, European Union & European Economic Area. This Warranty does not confer any rights other than those expressly set out above and does not cover any claims for consequential loss or damage. The Warranty is offered as an additional benefit and does not affect your statutory rights as a consumer.

2. For claims under this Warranty, in the first instance the product must be returned to the retailer with evidence of the purchase date in the form of retailer receipt/invoice accompanied by a letter or Service Request form setting out the date and place of purchase, giving a brief explanation of the problem that has led to the claim. It is essential that the claim reach the retailer on or before the last day of this Warranty period. Late claims will not be considered.

3. This Warranty is only available to the original retail purchaser of this product and is non-transferable.

4. The Warranty does not extend to cover damage resulting from misuse or careless handling, accidental damage, wear and tear, or use on a voltage supply other than that stamped on the product.

5. The Warranty may be considered void if repairs have been attempted other than by Bachmann staff.

6. The Warranty is on the original product in its entirety and does not extend to individual components removed from the product. In respect of train sets the warranty applies to motorized units and controllers only.

7. If Bachmann chooses to replace a product it will be with the nearest appropriate model of its choice.

8. Bachmann reserves the right to decline service to any model that has been fitted with a decoder after manufacture.

9. Bachmann will not be held responsible for damage to or loss of an after market decoder fitted to a model submitted for service under the Warranty.

10. The fitting of a Bachmann decoder with a current Warranty shall not be deemed to change the position regarding a product that is otherwise outside its own Warranty. It may be necessary to change decoder settings during service.

11. Bachmann's liability under this Warranty will in no case exceed the price paid for the product as originally manufactured.



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