





**INSTRUCTION MANUAL** 

### **FF210**

### FRONT-WHEEL-DRIVE CONVERSION KIT

#### INTRODUCTION

DEAR CUSTOMER,

ON BEHALF OF THE COMPANY I THANK YOU FOR YOUR PURCHASE AND AM PROUD TO OFFER YOU THE FF210 CONVERSION KIT.

FROM THE UNIQUE DRIVING EXPERIENCE OF THE FRONT-WHEEL-DRIVE CONCEPT TO THE USE OF ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING FOR THE MAJORITY OF THE COMPONENTS, THE FF210 PUSHES INNOVATION IN THE RC INDUSTRY. I HOPE YOU WILL ENJOY YOUR PURCHASE!

SINCERELY,



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DESIGNER AT & CO-OWNER OF ORB RACING

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#### KIT FEATURES

- FRONT-WHEEL DRIVE SYSTEM FOR HIGH CORNERING SPEEDS AND STABILITY.
- DESIGN SPECIALIZED FOR LOW-MEDIUM GRIP SURFACES AND CONDITIONS.
- EFRA-LEGAL (2015) DESIGN FOR THE 1/10 BUGGY 2-WHEEL-DRIVE CLASS.
- HIGHLY ADJUSTABLE DOUBLE-WISHBONE FRONT SUSPENSION AND SEMI-TRAILING REAR SUSPENSION.
- PRECISION CNC CUT CARBON-FIBRE PLATES AND LASER SINTERED NYLON (PA12) PARTS.
- TAILOR-MADE CAB FORWARD BODYSHELL.
- BATTERY CRADLE SUITABLE FOR SADDLE, SQUARE AND SHORTY 2S LIPO BATTERIES.

### FRONT-WHEEL-DRIVE CONVERSION KIT

### **REQUIRED PARTS/TOOLS**

TO COMPLETE THE BUILD OF YOUR FF210, YOU REQUIRE A DONOR CAR, SOME ADDITIONAL PARTS AND TOOLS.

YOU NEED EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING CARS TO COMPLETE THE CONVERSION:

- TEAM DURANGO DEX210V2 (RECOMMENDED)
- TEAM DURANGO DEX210 WITH:
  - LONG BALL DIFF OUTDRIVES (TD310417)
  - TYPE B RM MOTOR GUARD (TD320227)
  - TYPE B RR HANGER (TD330579)

IN ADDITION TO THIS, YOU WILL NEED TO COMPLETE THE KIT WITH THE PARTS AND USE THE TOOLS STATED IN THE BUILD MANUAL OF THE TEAM DURANGO DEX210/DEX210V2.

### **BUILD ADVICE**

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO BUILD THE CAR. CAREFULLY FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS IN THIS MANUAL AND MAKE SURE TO READ THE NOTES IN THE LEFT-BOTTOM CORNER OF EACH BUILD STEP.

BEFORE BUILDING THE CAR, WE RECOMMEND YOU TO SEAL THE EDGES OF THE CARBON FIBRE PLATES WITH CYANO-ACRYLATE GLUE IN ORDER TO INCREASE DURABILITY.

WE RECOMMEND THE USE OF HAND TOOLS WHILE BUILDING, TIGHTEN THE PARTS CARE-FULLY TO PREVENT DAMAGE TO THE THREAD IN THE PLASTIC.

FOR DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS OF THE GEARBOX AND DAMPER ASSEMBLY, PLEASE REFER TO THE INSTRUCTION MANUAL OF THE TEAM DURANGO DEX210/DEX210V2.

### **RUNNING THE CAR**

THE CAR DRIVES DINSTINCTLY DIFFERENT FROM RWD AND 4WD BUGGIES. AS SUCH, PLEASE TAKE YOUR TIME TO GET TO KNOW THE CAR, ADJUST YOUR DRIVING STYLE TO WORK WITH THE CAR AND BE PREPARED TO OPTIMIZE THE SETUP.

IN THE BACK OF THE MANUAL ARE SOME SETUP AND DRIVING TIPS TO HELP YOU GET STARTED WITH THE CAR.

#### **SERVICE & SUPPORT**

WE STRIVE TO GIVE YOU THE BEST PRODUCT EXPERIENCE AND CUSTOMER SERVICE. ANY FEEDBACK IS WELCOME AND WILL HELP US TO IMPROVE THE PRODUCTS WE MAKE.

AS SUCH, IF YOU HAVE ANY COMMENTS, QUESTIONS OR SUGGESTIONS, FEEL FREE TO CONTACT US:

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### FRONT SUSPENSION ARMS

4x CS M3x8MM

2x TD330037

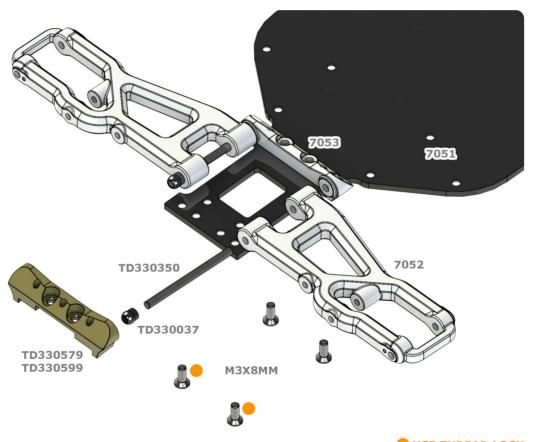


2x TD330350

**NOTES** 

TD330579 - 3° KICKUP TD330599 - 0° KICKUP

THE 3D PRINTED HANGER IN THE KIT CAN BE UPGRADED WITH A TD330579 HANGER (REQUIRES HANGER AND 2X TD330037 PIVOT BALL).





**USE THREAD LOCK** 

### **GEARBOX**

2x CS M3x8MM

2x CS M3x10MM

2x CS M3x25MM

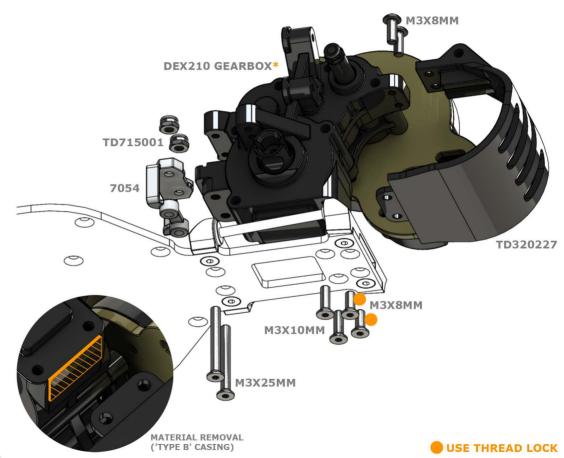
2x BH M3x8MM

2x TD715001

#### NOTES

\*USE GEARBOX WITH 'MM4' LAYOUT AND LONG BALL DIFF OUTDRIVES OR GEAR DIFFERENTIAL.

FOR THE 'TYPE B' GEAR CASING, FILE AWAY THE 'STEPPED' AREA ON THE FRONT EDGE OF THE CASING SO IT EASILY SLOTS INTO THE CHASSIS.





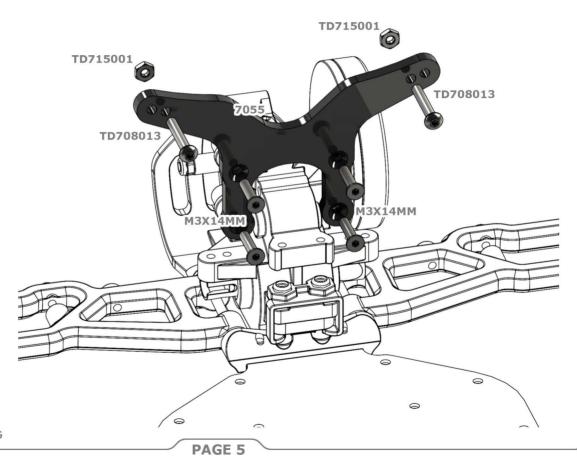
# FRONT SHOCK TOWER

4x CS M3x14MM

2x TD708013

2x TD715001





# **DRIVESHAFTS**

2x TD310113



2x TD310123

2x TD601003



4x TD601017



2x TD708005



NOTES
MAKE ASSEMBLY 2X, USING
ONE LEFT AND ONE RIGHT

ONE LEFT AND ONE RIGHT STEERING ARM.

USING THE TYPE-B CVD PIN (TD310120) AND A GRUB SCREW IN THE CVD JOINT WILL NOTICABLY INCREASE THE SERVICE LIFE OF THE CVD PIN.





## **C-HUBS**

4x BH M3x10MM

4x TD330035 TD330602



2x 7075

4x TD340004



4x TD705029

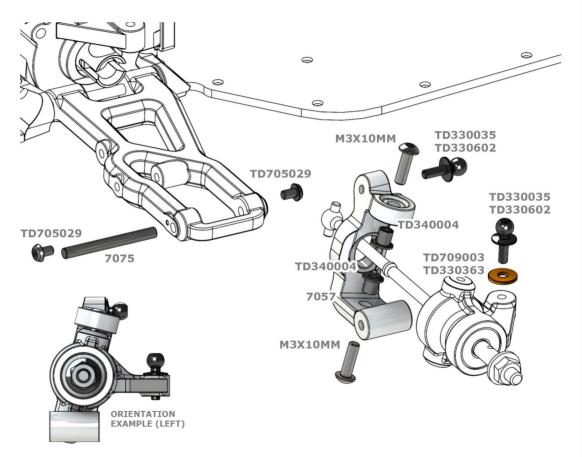


4x TD709003 TD330363

**NOTES** 

MAKE ASSEMBLY 2X, TAKE NOTE OF THE LEFT AND RIGHT ORIENTATION.

TIGHTEN THE M3X10MM SCREWS GENTLY SO THE STEERING ARMS MOVE FREELY.



# **CAMBER LINKS + TIE RODS**

2x M3X25MM ROD

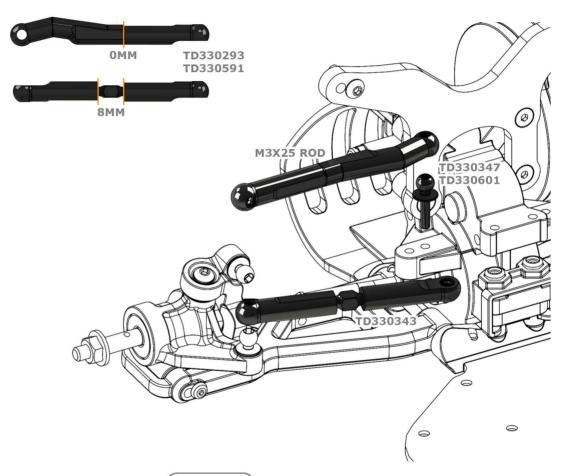
2x TD330343

2x TD330347 TD330601

2x TD709003

**NOTES** 

MAKE ASSEMBLY FOR THE LEFT AND FOR THE RIGHT SIDE.



## SIDEPODS + BATTERY CRADLE

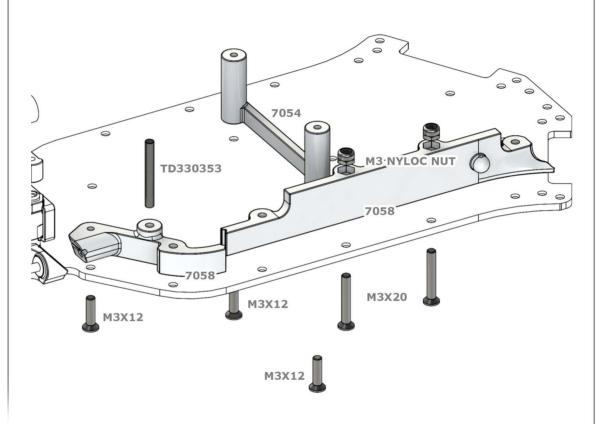
4x CS M3x12MM

4x CS M3x20MM

4x M3 NYLOC NUT

2x TD330353

NOTES
REPEAT THE SIDEPOD
ASSEMBLY ON THE RIGHT
SIDE (NOT DISPLAYED).



## STEERING RACK

2x BH M3X10MM



1x TD330035 TD330602



2x TD330347 TD330601



2x TD340004

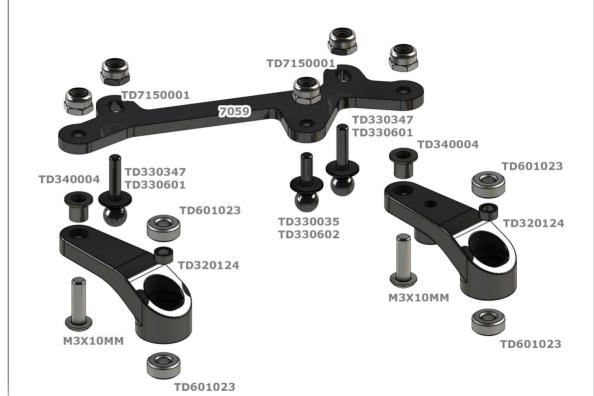


4X TD601023



5X TD715001







## **SERVO**

2x CS M3X10MM

**1x BH M3X6MM** 

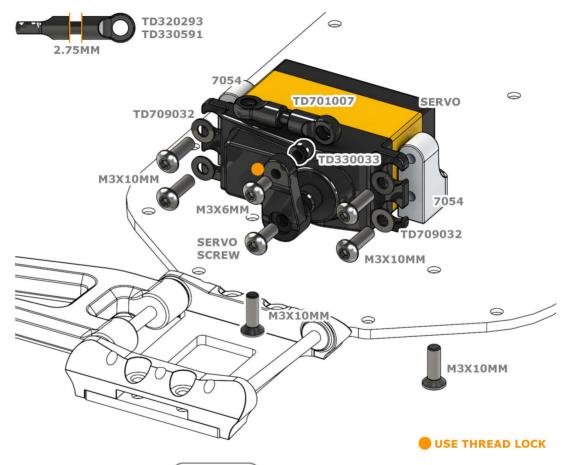
4x BH M3X10MM

1X TD330033

1X TD701007

4X TD709032





## FRONT BULKHEAD

2x CS M3X14MM

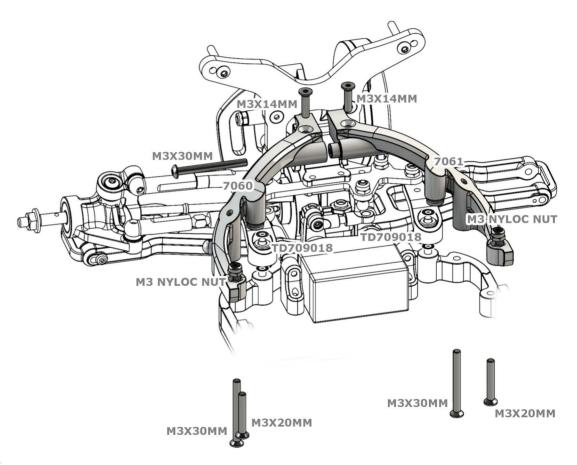
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2x CS M3X30MM

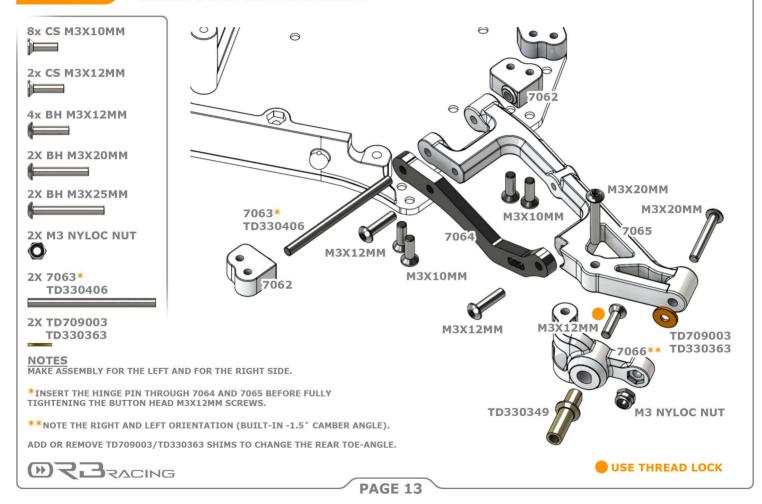
**1X BH M3X30MM** 

2X M3 NYLOC NUT

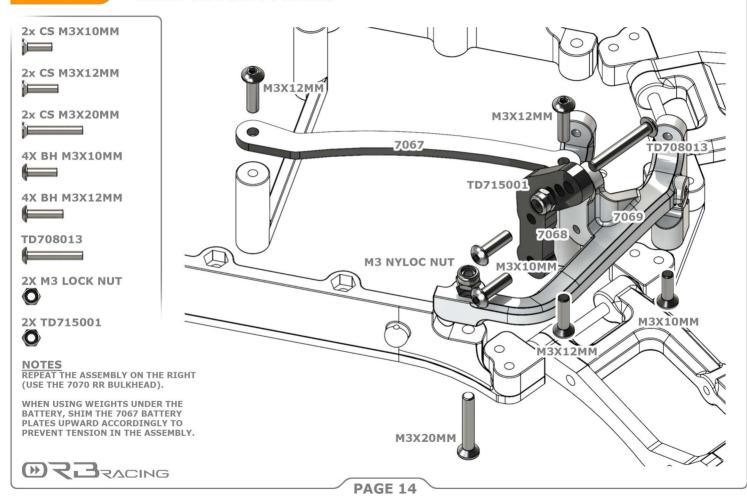
4X TD709018



### **REAR SUSPENSION ARMS**



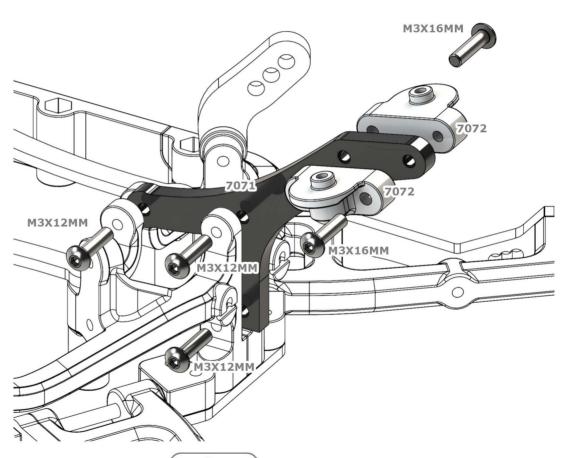
### **REAR SHOCK TOWERS**



# **WING MOUNT**

3x BH M3X12MM

2x BH M3X16MM



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### **FRONT DAMPERS**

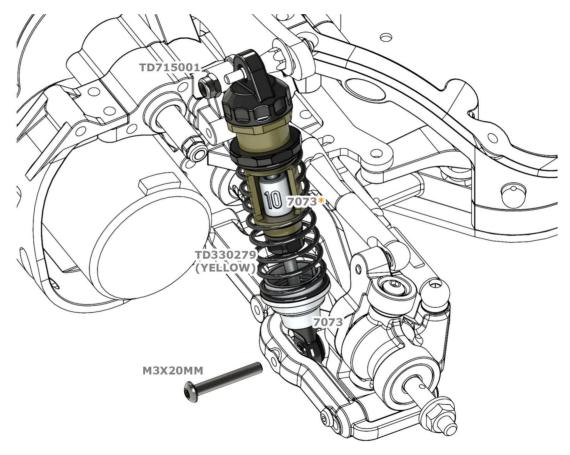
2x BH M3X20MM

2X TD715001



NOTES REPEAT THE ASSEMBLY ON THE RIGHT SIDE.

\*USE THE 10MM LIMITER FOR THE DEX210V2 (52MM SHOCK SHAFT) AND THE 13MM LIMITER WITH THE DEX210 (55MM SHOCK SHAFT).



## **REAR DAMPERS**

2x BH M3X16MM

2x M3 LOCK NUT

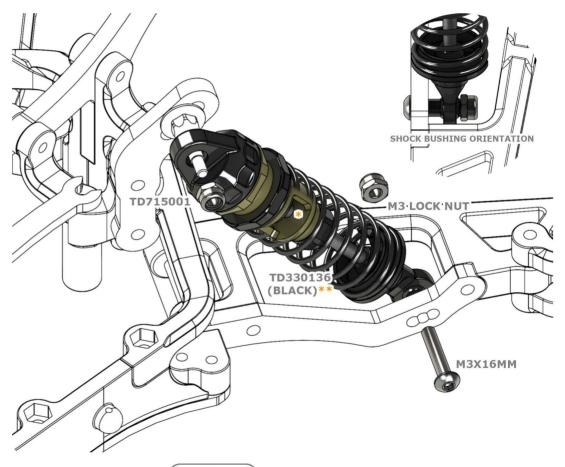
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4x TD715001

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NOTES
REPEAT THE ASSEMBLY ON THE RIGHT SIDE.

- \*USE NO LIMITER FOR DEX210V2 SHOCKS AND THE 3MM LIMITER (7073) WITH DEX210 SHOCKS.
- \*\*INCLUDED IN THE DEX210V2 KIT, AVAILABLE SEPERATELY FOR THE DEX210 KIT.



### **BODYSHELL + WING + RIMS**

2x CS M3X12MM

4x TD390003 TD390085

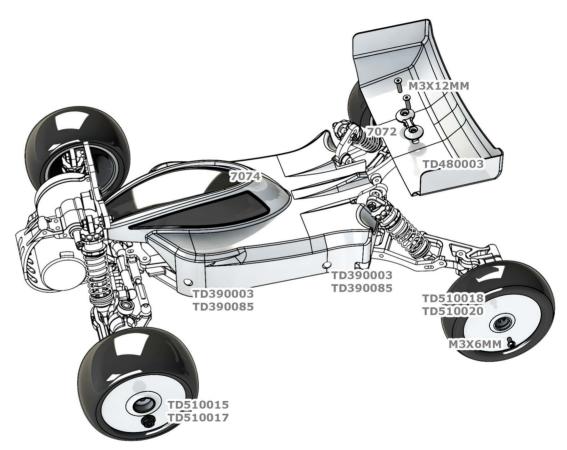
NOTES

FOLLOW THE WHEEL- & TIRE ASSEMBLY IN-STRUCTIONS OF THE DEX210/DEX210V2 KIT.

THE WING USES A 21MM DISTANCE BETWEEN THE MOUNTING HOLES (SAME AS DEX210/DEX210V2).

TRIM 2MM AROUND THE TRIM LINES OF THE BODYSHELL AND TRIM FURTHER AS NECESSARY. LOCATE AND ALIGN THE BODY MOUNT HOLES MANUALLY.

BEFORE PAINTING, MASK THE WINDOWS WITH MASKING TAPE. MAKE SURE TO ONLY USE POLY-CARBONATE PAINTS.



### **SETUP + DRIVING GUIDE**

#### **DRIVING GUIDE**

FRONT-WHEEL-DRIVEN CARS ARE FAST BY THEIR STABILITY AND KEEPING THE SPEEDS HIGHER THROUGH THE CORNERS. THIS GUIDE GIVES YOU SOME TIPS HOW TO ADJUST YOUR DRIVING STYLE AND MAXIMIZE THE PERFORMANCE OF YOUR FF210.

THE THROTTLE MUST BE APPLIED SMOOTHLY TO LIMIT WHEELSPIN AND MAXIMIZE ACCELERATION. ONCE RUNNING, YOU CAN APPLY THROTTLE THROUGH CORNERS TO KEEP UP YOUR SPEED AND APPLY IT SOONER OUT OF CORNERS TO ACHIEVE THE HIGHEST SPEEDS ON THE STRAIGHTS.

IN ADDITION, INCREASE CORNERING SPEEDS FURTHER BY USING SMOOTH, FLOWING RACING LINES WITH A WIDER CORNER ENTRY AND EXIT (THAT EFFECTIVELY MAKE THE CORNER RADIUS LARGER).

FOR JUMPING IT IS IMPORTANT TO USE YOUR HIGH CORNERING SPEEDS TO GAIN ENOUGH MOMENTUM AND CLEAR THE JUMPS. YOU MUST AVOID WHEELSPIN WHEN LEAVING THE GROUND: IT BOTH REDUCES SPEED AND MAKES IT HARD TO KEEP THE CAR HORIZONTAL.

IF NEEDED, YOU CAN ADJUST THE CAR IN THE AIR WITH THE THROTTLE (MORE THROTTLE IN THE AIR PUSHES THE NOSE UP, REDUCING THROTTLE PUSHES THE NOSE DOWN) AND STEERING (ADJUSTS THE ROLL OF THE CAR TO THE LEFT OR RIGHT).

DESPITE THE STABLE NATURE OF THE CAR, THE REAR END CAN BREAK OUT. IF THIS HAPPENS, APPLY THROTTLE TO PULL THE CAR STRAIGHT.

### **SETUP GUIDE**

THE FF210 IS A BUGGY DEVELOPED FOR LOW-MEDIUM GRIP CONDITIONS. THIS SETUP GUIDE EXPLAINS SOME ELEMENTARY THINGS TO KEEP IN MIND WHEN SETTING UP THE CAR.

### **WEIGHT BALANCE**

THE WEIGHT BALANCE SHOULD BE 65-70% FRONT / 30-35% REAR. OUT OF THE BOX THE CAR WILL HAVE THIS BALANCE USING A SQUARE PACK, SADDLE PACK OR A SHORTY PACK IN REARWARD ORIENTATION WITH A 80G UNDERLIPO WEIGHT.

MOVING THE BALANCE FORWARD WILL INCREASE FORWARD TRACTION/ACCELERATION BUT MAY COMPROMISE STABILITY OF THE REAR END, AND VICE VERSA WHEN MOVING THE BALANCE REARWARD.

FOR MEDIUM GRIP CONDITIONS IT IS USUALLY BETTER TO MOVE THE WEIGHT BALANCE FURTHER TO THE REAR.

#### TIRES

USE FIRM (PREFERABLY MOULDED) INSERTS FOR THE FRONT (WIDE) TIRES FOR A SHARP STEERING RESPONSE, MINIMUM TIRE BALLOONING AT HIGH THROTTLE AND TO COMPENSATE FOR THE FORWARD WEIGHT BALANCE.

ON THE REAR OF THE CAR, USE 2WD FRONT TIRES THAT PROVIDE HIGH AMOUNTS OF SIDEWAYS GRIP IN COMBINATION WITH SOFT INSERTS TO MAXIMIZE SIDEWAYS GRIP AND TO COMPENSATE FOR THE FORWARD WEIGHT BALANCE. USE 4WD FRONT TIRES ON THE REAR IF THE 2WD FRONT TIRES DO NOT PROVIDE ENOUGH GRIP.

#### **DAMPERS**

THE DAMPER (AND SPRING) SETUP SHOULD BE SOFT ENOUGH TO SOAK UP THE BUMPS AND RESPOND QUICKLY, YET BE FIRM ENOUGH TO PREVENT BOTTOMING OUT OVER BUMPS AND LANDING JUMPS.

FOR THE LATTER, 'PACK' (FAST DAMPING) IS IM-PORTANT. THE HIGH WEIGHT UP FRONT REQUIRES MORE PACK THAN CONVENTIONAL BUGGIES, THE LOW WEIGHT ON THE REAR END REQUIRES CONSIDERABLY LESS PACK THAN THE FRONT. THE PACK CAN BE LARGELY REGULATED BY THE CHOICE OF PISTONS.

PLEASE REFER TO THE SETUP SHEET INCLUDED IN THE KIT OR THE LATEST SETUP SHEETS ONLINE FOR MORE DETAILS.

#### **OTHER**

SET THE RIDE HEIGHT AT 20MM UP FRONT (UNDER THE DIFF) AND 23MM AT THE REAR (OUTERMOST EDGE) TO START OFF.

IF YOUR CAR SUFFERS FROM UNDERSTEER, INCREASE FRONT GRIP OR REDUCE REAR GRIP AND VICE VERSA FOR OVERSTEER.

THE FRONT SUSPENSION SETUP ATTRIBUTES TO THE MAJORITY OF THE PERFORMANCE. THE REAR END SHOULD STAY STABLE WITH A MINIMUM AMOUNT OF GRIP (TOO MUCH REAR GRIP MAY CAUSE UNDERSTEER).

### **SPARE + OPTION PARTS**

### **SPARE PARTS**

7001 FF210 - CONVERSION KIT 7051 MAIN CHASSIS PLATE 7052 FRONT SUSPENSION ARM 7053 PRINTED RR HANGER (0° & 3°) 7054 GEARBOX BRACKET, BATTERY **CRADLE & SERVO MOUNTS** 7055 FRONT SHOCK TOWER (LONG) 7056 STEERING ARMS (L+R) 7057 C-HUBS 14° (L+R) 7058 SIDEPODS (L+R) 7059 STEERING PLATE 7060 FRONT BULKHEAD (L) 7061 FRONT BULKHEAD (R) 7062 REAR SUSPENSION BLOCK (2pcs) 7063 HINGE PIN 3x45mm 7064 REAR SUSPENSION PLATE 7065 REAR SUSPENSION ARM 7066 REAR AXLE HOLDER (L+R) 7067 BATTERY PLATE 7068 REAR SHOCK TOWER 7069 LEFT REAR BULKHEAD 7070 RIGHT REAR BULKHEAD 7071 WING MOUNT PLATE 7072 WING MOUNT (SET) 7073 SPRING CUPS+LIMITERS (SET) 7074 BODYSHELL 7075 HINGE PIN 3X29MM 7077 MANUAL

### **OPTION PARTS**

7078 C-HUBS 11° (L+R)
7079 C-HUBS 17° (L+R)
7080 STABILIZER BAR (F+R SET)
7081 FRONT SHOCK TOWER (SHORT)
7082 REAR AXLE CONVERSION (AE 12MM HEX)

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