



The Proto-type

Scale Z N TT HO

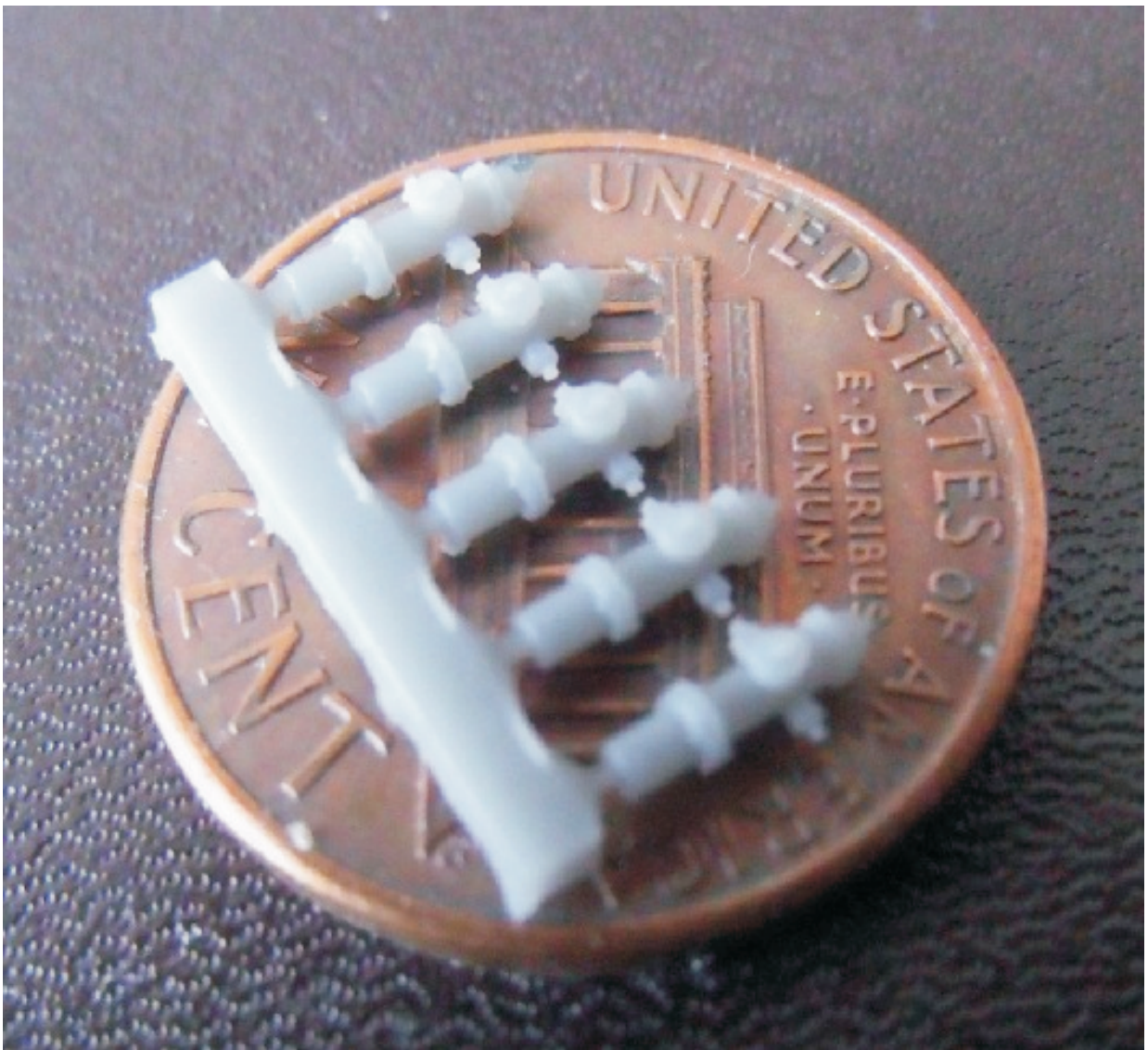
**B-62-B-5 Fire Hydrant  
for Model Railroads**

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# Introduction

The B-62-B-5 fire hydrant is manufactured by the American Cast Iron Pipe Company. This design was introduced in 1962 and has been in production for more than 50 years. This package contains 20 unpainted hydrants. The hydrants are attached to a plastic sprue in groups of 5. An N scale sprue is shown below:



# Painting

We recommend painting the hydrant before removing it from the plastic sprue. Hydrant color varies by location. A couple of examples are shown below. If you live in a city or town you can just walk outside and look at some hydrants.



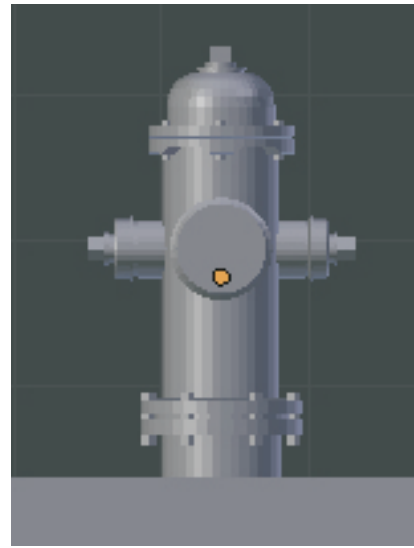
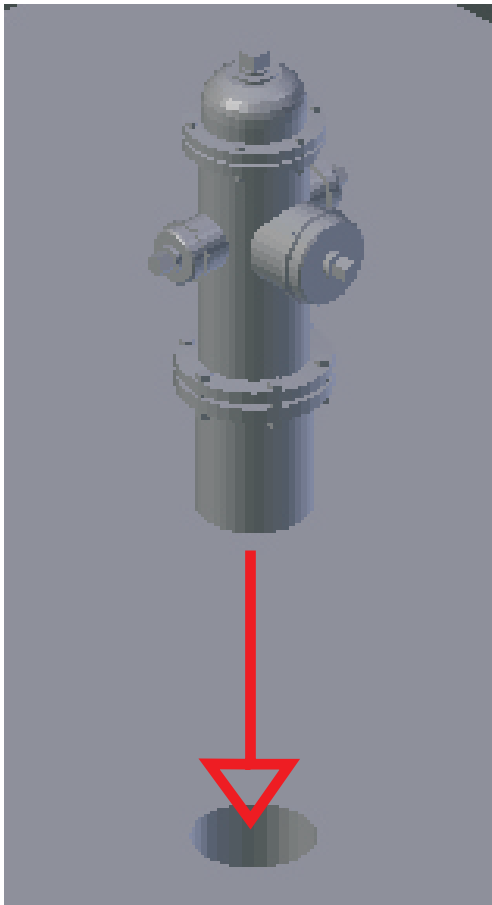
This is an HO scale hydrant painted in typical New York City colors, black with a silver cap. In Boston, black hydrants with yellow caps are common.



This Z scale hydrant is painted in red with a silver cap. This is the same as the hydrants on my street in a small town in Nova Scotia.

## Installing the hydrant

Drill a mounting hole at the hydrant location, see table below for hole sizes. Cut the painted hydrant from the sprue at the very base of the hydrant. Glue the hydrant into the hole using white canopy glue as show below.



Mounting Hole Sizes:  
HO - 3/32" (2.38 mm)  
TT - 1/16" (1.59 mm)  
N - #55 (1.32 mm)  
Z - #65 (.89 mm)

## WARNING

Note that these ARE NOT TOYS, AND ARE NOT INTENDED FOR USE BY CHILDREN UNDER AGE OF 14. These products are model railroad equipment and accessories intended for use by adults.