

## **Uskin Models**

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### **Guttering**

This range of guttering is based on traditional cast iron rainwater goods as used in the UK for many years

All of these parts are cast I brass for their durability in the garden railway environment assembly is best achieved by soldering the components together on the bench as a kit of parts before final assembly.

Clean up any feed sprues remaining and work out the lengths required and cut down to your requirements before soldering up the sections.

While the RW3 Gutter outlet is designed to be fitted as a stop end however this is a simple task to file of the stop end and this is then usable as a mid-section outlet, drill through the outlet hole for extra effect.

The RW4 fascia brackets come as a set of two this being normal for the standard gutter runs and by spacing these out along the length of the fascia will provide all the support required, the bracket has a couple of pre cast holes for fixing to a fascia and this is best done with a pair of flat headed track pin and epoxy adhesive.

When setting out your gutters make sure that the gutter tucks under the roof overhang so the "rain" will run into the gutter and not down the fascia.



The RW7 Offset bend will allow for adjustment on the position of the downpipe in relation to the gutter outlet – the offset is designed for a fascia set at 18mm off the building measured from the wall to the outside edge of the fascia

The RW2 Down pipe works best if it is cut down to adjust for the building height allowing for the RW6 Shoe to run off into a drain or onto the ground depending on your set up – the RW2 is fitted using the steel pins provided along with a touch of epoxy to hold everything in place.



It's a good plan to work out the fascia bracket locations and fix these in place making sure that the gutter tucks in under the roof overshoot – once the brackets are fixed in place its best these are all painted along with the gutter and downpipes, once these are dry then carefully fix in place with epoxy to the brackets and line up the downpipe assembly



As a finishing touch paint the inside of the gutter itself with a wash of brown / black paint then go over this with gloss varnish not forgetting the inside of the shoe, add in some scrunched up leaves in the gutter and fix with varnish.

