# Dingo Servo Mounts



Newsletter
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Hi, once again, fellow modellers.

I hope you are all enjoying the warm summer weather (Well in the UK at least)
We seem to have had a nice Spring but the weather is a bit iffy at present – well it is England

so I guess it's par for the course!

After a very hectic May, I am once again back to building kits and designing new products. I also very grateful to people who have helped by pointing out issues with some of the products so that they can be fixed or improved.

### 1. 4 Channel DCC decoder

We finally launched this product, but sadly had to do a quick recall as there was a bug in the firmware. However, thanks to the kind help of Julian Coles this has now been sorted and we are back in business so to speak.

If you have purchased one of these boards, could you please return it for updating to avoid any issues going forward.

The updated board has a blue dot on both board and packet.



The board features four different colour LED's to indicate that the respective channel has been switched.

This gives a clear indication of the status of the board and helps in identifying issues with layout operation.

#### 2. A New Servo Tester.

This product is now ready to rock and roll and should be in our store at the beginning of July.

I am selling this in kit form for the simple reason that in kit form it will go into a large letter box rather than a small parcel so makes postage a little bit cheaper





If you are buying on at a show, I am more than happy to assemble it for you.

It only takes the insertion of 3 screws and the fitting of a control knob – so not difficult at all

### 3. An Oops on the Uncoupler

Earlier on this year I discovered that the Uncoupler mounts we had been selling were a bit loose in the action of the slider.

Further investigation revealed that the sliders had been cut from the wrong material 1.2mm rather than the specified 1.5mm.

This extra amount of play shouldn't have a major impact but we have now rectified the issue and all future mounts will have the correct gauge of material.

I apologise for this mistake – but I'm only human (so they say)

### 4. The new slider signal mount.

I have been speaking about this new idea for a while and finally managed to produce a sample.

Initial tests look promising and as it stands it's just 30mm deep below the baseboard

The design centres around a 3mm hex spacer which forms the fixed part of the mount with a 3D printed slider that moves up and down along this spacer.

There is a short video of it in operation here.

#### https://youtu.be/f6bP9rrgfkM

I would love to get this tested in the field, so if you would like to try one for me, please let me know. (I only have a couple of samples so don't all rush at once.)

## 5. Good bye to Ebay.

Sadly, the latest revisions to Ebay's policy's have made it uneconomical for me to use this platform anymore and I am no longer selling products here.

Well, I think that's all for this time Have a wonderful Summer

With Kind Regards
Dave