



Review 8214: Lamborghini Gallardo LP560-4 Polizia

LEGO® RACERS presentation

Text by lluisgib

Pictures by lluisgib and LEGO® Systems A/S

Set: Lamborghini Gallardo LP560-4 Polizia
Set number: 8214
Number of parts: 801
Recommended retail price: 59,95€

LEGO® has fascinated fans of scale models of sports cars for many years. After its Ferrari license (from 2004 to 2009), which resulted in some marvelous sets, like the F430, the Enzo or the FFX, 2009 started with a new license: Lamborghini, another one of the mythical brands in the history of sports cars.

The first car to appear on the market was the Gallardo LP560-4, a beautiful yellow car with soft curves and an aggressive character. In 2010 LEGO surprises us again with a special version of the Gallardo.LP560-4 Polizia. In May 2004 with the occasion of the 152th anniversary of the Polizia, Lamborghini donated a Gallardo and in 2005, after this very positive experience, it donated another one. The cars are used primarily used for surveillance on the roads and for health emergencies, so each one of them carries an automatic defibrillator and special equipment for transporting organs and blood plasma [1].





Like all the cars in the RACERS line, the shape of the car is very well reproduced. Using curved slopes and tiles that fit with the curves of the car together with plates modified with clip and plates modified with handle, the design of the car is faithfully reflected in this model. The interior is superb. The seats, panels, manual brake.... every detail has been incorporated. In this case stickers are necessary to be able to reproduce the small gadgets in the interior. The interior can be accessed through the opening doors. The hood, located at the back, can also be opened to access the powerful V10 engine with a power of 550CV. The boot, at the front of the car opens up to show the fire extinguisher and – as a curious detail - the ice-box for donor transport.

The box is also special as it shows the car in the foreground and in the background an image of a typical Italian palace and stone paving.

The Lamborghini Gallardo Polizia combines a fantastic design with an original and interesting replica which will satisfy both those new to the car and collector of the RACERS theme.

Thanks to LEGO® Iberia for making the set available.

[1] source: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lamborghini_Gallardo
#

