



Sail Boats

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We continue with our TOPMOC section, on this occasion dedicated to sail boats. Sail boats encompasses any kind of ship using sails, from famous French galleons of the 17th and 18th centuries to more modern fishing boats. The condition for finding MOCs in this case was that the ships use sails as a method of propulsion.

We would like to remind you that the intention of this section isn't creating a ranking of the best MOCs, nor being exhaustive in our analysis of all the constructions we select. It is simply to show constructions of sailboats the HispaBrick Magazine® team thought were interesting, with appropriate pictures that could be included in this publication.

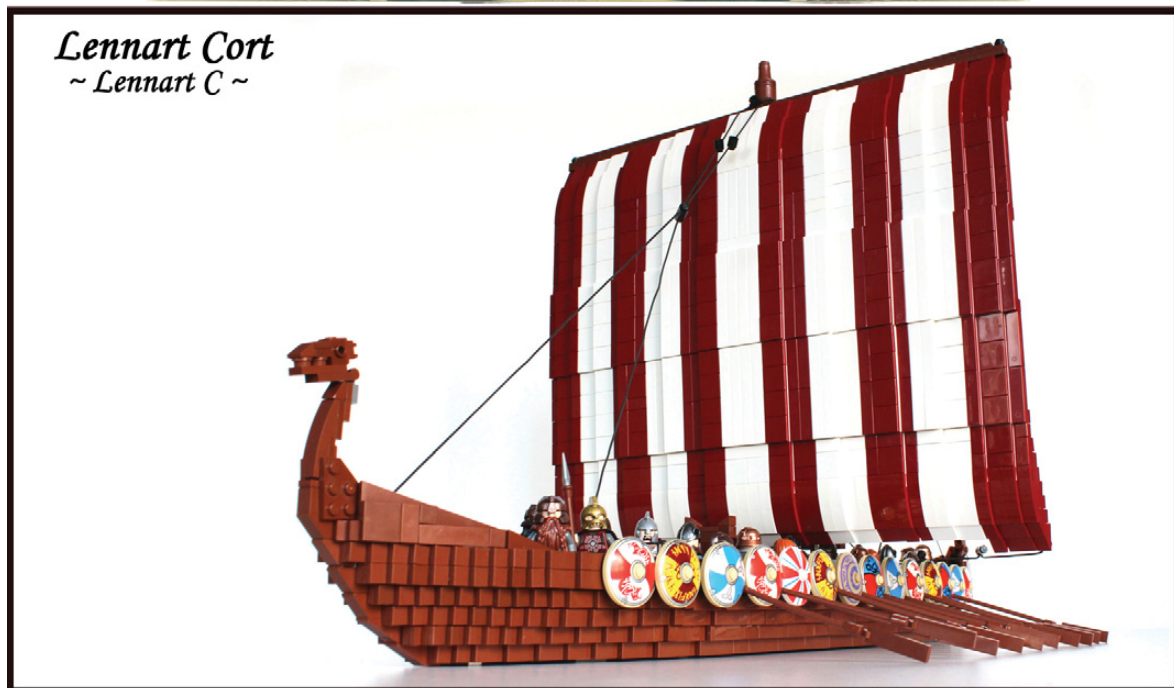
Boats are a type of construction that up until a few years ago were very limited by the available LEGO® parts. The curved shapes of the hull are hard to reproduce and except for a few specific parts with the shape of a hull, the result was often quite pixelated. Anyway, as techniques have evolved and new parts have been added to the existing ones, ship construction has evolved greatly in beauty and design.

Although there is a large number of ships of all kinds that would deserve to be in this section, we have tried to keep it as diverse as possible in order to show off different types of design, both in the kind of models as in the time frame they originally existed in. Undoubtedly, the large models with thousands of parts that have been exquisitely put together quickly attract attention. However, there is no less merit in other, smaller designs because of the techniques they have used and that have managed to capture the shape of the vessel in incredible ways.

But we have focussed on an essential element in the models that were chosen: the sails. That is where you can really see the talent of the builders of this kind of construction. There are builders who have decided to only show the masts and riggings, simulating folded sails. Others include cloth sails by LEGO® or by the makers themselves and there are even those who manage to build the sails from bricks. Other important aspects include decorative details some models display, showing off cabins and other interior areas of the vessel. Although most of the models are built at minifig scale, we have also seen some great models at much smaller scales with details that are on par with larger constructions.

From all the models that have been chosen by the HispaBrick Magazine® team and whose authors have authorised their publication, these are the MOCs that make up TOPMOC in this edition of magazine.

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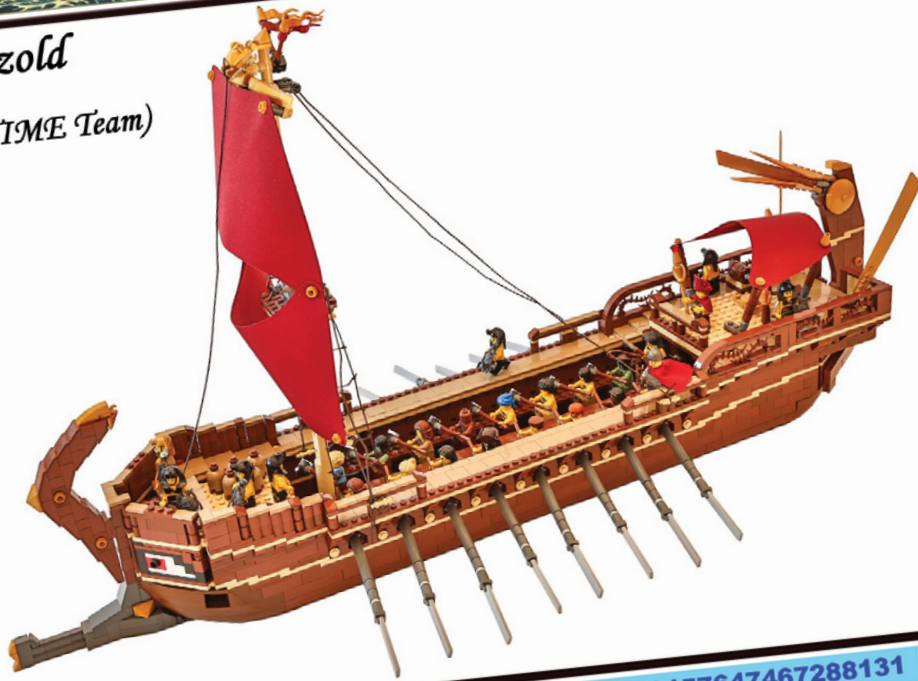


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