VW Beetle - Top Up or Top Down??? Posted by RVREVO - 10 Feb 2009 04:41

Here's one of the few models that have survived a good twenty years or more.



Problem is, could never decide if the top was going to be up...



...or down



No matter how you look at it...



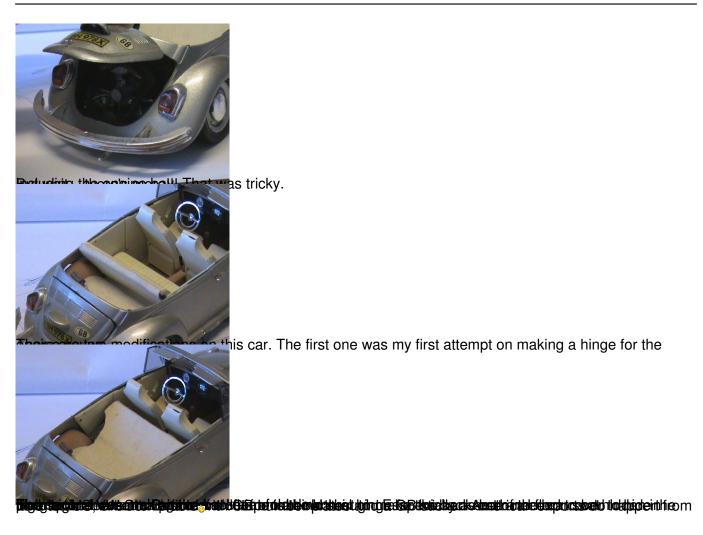
It looks really cool either way.



I tried to keep it real.

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Re:VW Beetle - Top Up or Top Down??? Posted by Baskingshark - 10 Feb 2009 15:00

That is a really nice Beetle, I love the opening engine cover. Who made it? The kit itself, I mean - I know you built it:)

Also, if I remember rightly, I think all the last Beetle convertibles were LHD, even the ones they sold here.

Re:VW Beetle - Top Up or Top Down??? Posted by RVREVO - 10 Feb 2009 15:23

oh, its just that I put a GB decal on the back. I had all these decals with numberplates and countries and just planted them on a lot of models when I was a teenager.

Can't remember who the manufacturer was. It will take some time to dig it up.

Re:VW Beetle - Top Up or Top Down??? Posted by Baskingshark - 10 Feb 2009 15:59

Ah right, sorry, I thought the plate decal had come with the kit.

I think this is Revell (although I'm not sure!)

Re:VW Beetle - Top Up or Top Down??? Posted by RVREVO - 10 Feb 2009 16:39

Could well be Revell. Very popular in the eighties. It would make sense 'cause I got the transporter only a few years before and repainted it with the same paint. That would be this Transporter.



Re:VW Beetle - Top Up or Top Down??? Posted by Modelguru - 18 Nov 2009 20:25

i have toi say both are a good look

Re:VW Beetle - Top Up or Top Down??? Posted by RVREVO - 18 Nov 2009 20:39

thanks, had to repaint the T3 'cause I needed the middle seat for a different project which I really should continue building.

Re:VW Beetle - Top Up or Top Down??? Posted by Nobleco - 18 Nov 2009 21:42

Well, pitter patter as they say and lets get atter. Pics too please.

Re:VW Beetle - Top Up or Top Down??? Posted by GunnerJim - 19 Nov 2009 06:57

Never mind Richard you have done a good job.

Re:VW Beetle - Top Up or Top Down??? Posted by RVREVO - 20 Nov 2009 23:16

thanks, the beetle turned out the way I liked it with whatever I had available.

The T3 microbus was basically restored and rebuild.

This is one of three model kits I didn't stick to specs.
