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## **1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW**

The Bandai Hobby Thousand Sunny (Land of Wano Ver.) is a highly detailed plastic model kit that allows enthusiasts to build a replica of the iconic ship from the One Piece series, specifically as it appears in the Land of Wano arc. This kit features newly designed marking stickers and water decals to replicate the ship's appearance, including battle damage. It also comes with miniature figures of all nine Straw Hat Pirates in their Land of Wano attire, along with various ship accessories.



Image 1.1: Fully assembled Thousand Sunny (Land of Wano Ver.) model kit on its display base.

## 2. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Your Bandai Hobby Thousand Sunny model kit package includes the following components:

- Thousand Sunny Land Of Wano Ver. Sailing Ship plastic parts (multiple runners)
- Newly designed figures of all nine Straw Hat Pirates in their Land of Wano arc attire
- White Hobby Horse No.1 accessory
- Mini Merry No.2 accessory
- Shark Submerge No.3 accessory

- Display base
- Interchangeable parts to recreate Gaon Cannon and paddles on the side of the ship
- Marking stickers and water decals
- Instruction manual (this document)



Image 2.1: Overview of included accessories such as White Hobby Horse No.1, Mini Merry No.2, Shark Submerge No.3, and the nine Straw Hat Pirate figures.

### 3. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

This model kit is designed for snap-fit assembly, meaning no glue is typically required. However, for enhanced durability or a more refined finish, model cement and paints can be used (sold separately). Please read all instructions carefully before beginning assembly.

#### 3.1. Preparation

1. **Unpack Components:** Carefully remove all plastic runners and parts from the box. Verify that all listed components are present.
2. **Prepare Workspace:** Ensure you have a clean, well-lit, and organized workspace. A cutting mat is recommended to protect your surface.
3. **Tools Recommended (Not Included):**

- Plastic nippers or side cutters for cleanly removing parts from runners.
- Hobby knife or sandpaper for trimming excess plastic (nubs).
- Tweezers for handling small parts and decals.

### 3.2. Assembly Steps

Follow the numbered steps in the included pictorial instructions. Each step will guide you through attaching specific parts. Pay close attention to part numbers and orientation.

1. **Hull Assembly:** Begin by assembling the main hull sections of the Thousand Sunny. Ensure parts snap together securely.
2. **Deck and Superstructure:** Attach the various deck pieces and the ship's superstructure, including the observation tower and cabins.
3. **Masts and Sails:** Assemble and attach the masts. The sails are pre-molded and can be attached to the masts.
4. **Figure Assembly:** Assemble the small Straw Hat Pirate figures. These are typically multi-part and may require careful handling.
5. **Accessory Integration:** Attach the White Hobby Horse No.1, Mini Merry No.2, and Shark Submerge No.3 to their designated locations on the ship or display them separately.
6. **Decal Application:** Apply the marking stickers and water decals as indicated in the instructions to add details and battle damage. For water decals, dip them in water for a few seconds, slide them onto the model, and gently blot excess water.
7. **Display Base:** Secure the completed Thousand Sunny model onto its dedicated display base.



Image 3.1: Illustrative image of a model kit part being assembled, demonstrating the precision required.

## 4. OPERATING AND FEATURES

The Thousand Sunny model kit includes several interactive features and display options:

- **Gaon Cannon:** Interchangeable parts are provided to recreate the Gaon Cannon, allowing you to display the ship with its powerful frontal weapon deployed.

- **Side Paddles:** The ship's side paddles can also be recreated using interchangeable parts, offering dynamic display possibilities.
- **Display Options:** The model comes with a sturdy display base, allowing for stable presentation on any flat surface.



Image 4.1: Close-up view of the Gaon Cannon feature on the Thousand Sunny model, demonstrating its detail.

## 5. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and appearance of your Thousand Sunny model kit, follow these maintenance guidelines:

- **Cleaning:** Dust the model regularly with a soft, dry brush or a can of compressed air. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive materials, as they can damage the plastic and paint.
- **Storage:** Store the model in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Prolonged exposure to sunlight can cause discoloration and material degradation.
- **Handling:** Handle the model with care, especially small or delicate parts. Avoid dropping or applying excessive force.

## 6. TROUBLESHOOTING

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While Bandai model kits are known for their precision, minor issues can sometimes arise during assembly or display. Here are some common troubleshooting tips:

- **Parts Not Fitting:** Ensure you are using the correct parts for each step. Check for any excess plastic (nubs) left from the runners and carefully trim them. If parts are still tight, gentle pressure or a small amount of sanding may be needed.
- **Loose Joints:** If a joint is too loose, a thin layer of clear nail polish or model cement on the peg (allow to dry before reassembly) can create a tighter fit.
- **Fragile Parts:** Some very thin or small parts may be delicate. Handle them with extreme care. If a part breaks, plastic cement can often repair it.
- **Decal Issues:** If water decals do not adhere properly, ensure the surface is clean and dry. A decal setting solution can help them conform to irregular surfaces and improve adhesion.

## 7. SPECIFICATIONS

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Attribute	Detail
Brand	BANDAI SPIRITS
Model Name	Bandai Hobby Sailing Ship Collection Thousand Sunny Land Of Wano Ver.
Item Model Number	BAS5060269
Material	Plastic
Dimensions (L x W x H)	5 x 5 x 9.84 inches (approximate assembled size)
Assembled Height	Approximately 36 cm (14.2 inches)
Item Weight	10.8 ounces / 306 Grams
Recommended Age	13 years and up
Special Features	Interchangeable parts for Gaon Cannon and paddles, exclusive character figures



Image 7.1: The assembled Thousand Sunny model kit with its approximate height of 36 cm indicated.

## 8. SAFETY INFORMATION

**WARNING: CHOKING HAZARD - Small parts. Not for children under 3 years. This model kit contains many small components that can pose a choking hazard if swallowed. Adult supervision is recommended during assembly, especially for younger builders.**

## 9. PRODUCT SUPPORT

For product support, missing parts, or inquiries regarding your Bandai Hobby model kit, please contact the authorized distributor in your region. For products purchased in the U.S. Markets, look for the Bluefin / Bandai Namco warning label on the product box, which indicates official licensing and entitles the purchaser to product support assistance within the United States.

You can often find contact information for Bandai Hobby or its distributors on their official websites or through the retailer where the product was purchased.

