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4-LOM



Model **Model**, Photo by **Photographer**



Description: 4-LOM

Prefix: BH

Detachment: Bounty Hunters Guild

Context: Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back

4-LOM was an ambitious protocol droid who overwrote his own programming in order to embark on a life of crime. Hard armor parts shall be made from one or all of these types of materials: Fiberglass, ABS (Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene), HIPS (High Impact Polystyrene), or Polyvinyl chloride (PVC). Some parts also maybe required to be rubber for mobility and comfort.

Head

For 501st approval:



- The head must be a high quality representation of the reference images made of plastic, resin or a fiberglass-like material.
- Shape and proportions must match the screen used mask.
- The large eyes have the appearance of a green crackled texture that resembles broken tempered glass.
- A large, circular cog with a red jewel shape in the center is attached to the middle of the face.
- Two tusks are attached to the front of each side of the face under the eyes and two more in the same place on the back of the head.
 - ◆ Tusks are conical at the tip.
- Must be weathered and should match the visual references as closely as possible, both in colors and weathering patterns.

For level two certification (if applicable):

- Tusks must be made of aluminum.

For level three certification (if applicable):



Torso

For 501st approval:

- Front Torso:
 - ◆ There are six chest scales.
 - ◆ A small gear is centered on the upper chest below the throat.
 - ◆ The belly circles are exact to the configuration on C-3PO's torso.
 - ◆ A stripe of red paint is on the left chest plate.
- Back Torso:
 - ◆ Consistent back torso plate as all Protocol Droids.
- Must be weathered and should match the visual references as closely as possible, both in colors and weathering patterns.

For level two certification (if applicable):

- The control panel on the back plate is removable.
- Rings between the torso and shoulder bells must be present.
- The shoulder bell is directly attached to the torso.

For level three certification (if applicable):



Abdomen

For 501st approval:

- A ribbed, rubber material is stretched around the stomach and attached in the back with velcro or hooks similar to a girdle.
- Various colored wires are attached on the surface of the mat and interwoven through each other to give the appearance of wiring inside the droid body.

For level two certification (if applicable):

For level three certification (if applicable):

Arms

For 501st approval:

- Arms consist of two solid parts: biceps and forearms that are identical to all protocol droids.
- Must be hinged at the elbow.
- Must have visible inner and outer pistons.



- A decorative piston permanently attached to each forearm.
- Must be weathered and should match the visual references as closely as possible, both in colors and weathering patterns.

For level two certification (if applicable):

- The inner and outer pistons must be working.

For level three certification (if applicable):

- The outer piston must slide along a track located on the outer bicep.



Hands

For 501st approval:

- A hand plate covers only the top of the hand.
- Individual armored pieces slip over each segment between the joints of the fingers and cover the finger tips.
- Three small stationary pistons are positioned on top the back of the hand.
- A black glove must be worn under the armored pieces.
 - ◆ Wire decorations must adorn the palm of the glove to replicate droid wiring.
- Must be weathered and should match the visual references as closely as possible, both in colors and weathering patterns

For level two certification (if applicable):

For level three certification (if applicable):



Shorts

For 501st approval:

- Must fit inside the legs freely and have a Phillip's head bolt on each hip.
- Rubber shorts can be worn for comfort and maneuverability.
- Must be weathered and should match the visual references as closely as possible, both in colors and weathering patterns.

For level two certification (if applicable):

- Must be constructed of ABS or fiberglass.

For level three certification (if applicable):



Legs

For 501st approval:

- The legs are identical to all Protocol Droids.
- Each Leg consist of a solid Thigh Piece and a hinged, two-part calf.
- A piston is attached to each outer knee joint.
- The thigh piece and the calf piece are held together by a bungy/elastic cord under the armor.
- Must be weathered and should match the visual references as closely as possible, both in colors and weathering patterns.

For level two certification (if applicable):

- The knee cap joints line up.

For level three certification (if applicable):



Feet
For 501st approval:

- The feet are identical to all Protocol Droids.
- Rubber style shoes or vacuum formed ABS shoe covers are acceptable.

For level two certification (if applicable):

- ABS shoe covers only.

For level three certification (if applicable):

- Shoe cover must be split in the back and tied together.



Under Suit
For 501st approval:

- Black non-textured material, either one-piece or two-piece construction with no visible zippers or logos/designs..

For level two certification (if applicable):

For level three certification (if applicable):

Optional Accessories

Items below are optional costume accessories. These items are not required for approval, but if present appear as described below.



DLT-19 Heavy Blaster Rifle
For 501st approval:

- Based on a real or replica MG-34 machine gun.

For level two certification (if applicable):

- A DLT-19 is an MG-34 with T-tracks on the barrel, ejection port cover added, and a small disk on left side.

For level three certification (if applicable):

The 501st approval requirements are listed in black.

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For 501st membership only the requirements in black need to be met.

- This CRL is a work in progress.

- As such, this costume must be approved by the Legion Membership Officer, via the appropriate section of the Legion forum.
 - If you have this costume and would like to assist with the completion of this library entry, please contact your detachment leader.
 - Please note that the use of the word "should" below does not indicate that the armor piece is considered open to interpretation. All instances of "should be" and "should have" will be replaced with "is" and "has", as this guide is completed.
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