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**MINITRIX**



Modell der Elektrolokomotive Re 484

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## **Informationen zum Vorbild**

Überall in Europa fahren heute Lokomotiven der TRAXX-Typen-Familie von Bombardier.

1994 erschien die AEG Versuchslokomotive 12X, die fortan als 128 001 bei der DB in Erprobung war. Die gewonnenen Erkenntnisse flossen in die Entwicklung der Baureihe 145.

Die eigentliche Erfolgsgeschichte begann jedoch im Jahr 2000. Bombardier stellte die Mehrsystemvariante vor: Die BR 185 war auch für die Stromsysteme der benachbarten Bahnverwaltungen ausgelegt. Insgesamt sollen 400 Maschinen der Baureihe 185 beschafft werden. Je nach Einsatzland werden die Loks mit den entsprechenden Zugsicherungssystemen und elektrischen Ausrüstungen „als Paket“ ausgestattet. So gibt es Loks mit zwei oder vier Stromabnehmern und unterschiedlicher Schleifstückbreite als augenscheinlichste äußere Unterschiede. Auch von der Baureihe 185.1 gibt es viele Lokomotiven bei den privaten Eisenbahnverkehrsunternehmen. Auch von dieser Version gibt es eine 160 km/h schnelle Ausführung für den Nahverkehr als BR 146.1.

Die nächste Evolutionsstufe bilden die ab 2005 ausgelieferten Lokomotiven der TRAXX-Familie auf europäischen Schienen: Sie bekamen einen crashoptimierten Lokkasten, der von vorne die Kontur der Lokomotive kraftvoller und bulliger erscheinen lässt. Andere Änderungen betreffen die elektrische Umrichteranlage. Nun als Baureihe 185.2 bezeichnet, stellt Railion im Augenblick 200 dieser Lokomotiven in Dienst. Auch hiervon gibt es eine Nahverkehrsversion für 160 km/h, die Baureihe 146.2. Zur Zeit werden diese Lokomotiven vor modernsten Doppelstockzügen im Raum Stuttgart, Freiburg und Nürnberg eingesetzt.

## **Information about the Prototype**

Locomotives from the TRAXX type family built by Bombardier are in operation everywhere in Europe today. In 1994, the AEG experimental 12X locomotive appeared, which then underwent testing as road no. 128 001 on the DB. The knowledge gained from this went into the development of the class 145.

The real success story began in 2000 however. Bombardier introduced the multiple system version: The class 185 was also designed for the power current systems of neighboring railroads. A total of 400 units of the class 185 are to be purchased. Depending on the country they will be used in, the locomotives are being equipped with the correct train safety systems and with electrical equipment as a "package". So, there are locomotives with two or four pantographs and different contact wiper widths as the most noticeable external difference. There are also many class 185.1 locomotives on private railroads. And, there is a class 146.1 160 km/h /

100 mph fast version of this locomotive for commuter service.

The TRAXX family locomotives delivered starting in 2005 formed the next evolutionary step on European railroads: They were equipped with locomotive bodies with improved ability to withstand crashes; the shape of these locomotive bodies looks more powerful and brawnier at the ends. Other changes have to do with the electrical rectifier layout. Railion is presently putting 200 of these locomotives into service as the class 185.2. There is also a commuter service version of this locomotive for 160 km/h / 100 mph, the class 146.2. These locomotives are currently being used as motive power for the latest bi-level trains in the areas of Stuttgart, Freiburg, and Nuremberg.

## **Informations concernant la locomotive réelle**

Aujourd'hui, les locomotives de la famille de type TRAXX de Bombardier circulent dans toute l'Europe.

En 1994 apparut la locomotive d'essai 12X d'AEG, dès lors testée par la DB sous l'immatriculation 128 001. Les résultats obtenus furent exploités pour la conception de la série 145.

La véritable «success-story» débute toutefois en l'an 2000 lorsque Bombardier présenta la variante polycourant : La BR 185 était conçue aussi pour les systèmes de courant des administrations ferroviaires voisines. Au total, 400 machines de la série 185 doivent être acquises. En fonction du pays d'utilisation, les locomotives sont équipées d'un «pack» comprenant le système d'arrêt d'urgence et les équipements électriques adéquats. Extérieurement, les locomotives se distinguent donc essentiellement par le nombre de pantographes (deux ou quatre) et la largeur de leurs semelles d'archet. La série 185.1 est elle aussi très représentée sur les chemins de fer privés. Il existe également une version rapide à 160 km/h de cette variante pour le trafic à petite distance, désignée comme BR 146.1.

Les locomotives de la famille TRAXX livrées à partir de 2005 sur les rails européens représentent l'étape d'évolution suivante : elles étaient équipées d'une superstructure particulièrement résistante en cas de collision leur conférant une allure plus puissante et plus massive. D'autres modifications concernent le convertisseur électrique. Railion utilise actuellement 200 de ces locomotives désormais immatriculées dans la série 185.2. Là encore, il existe une version à 160 km/h pour le trafic à petite distance, la série 146.2. Actuellement, ces locomotives sont utilisées pour remorquer les trains à deux niveaux les plus modernes dans la région de Stuttgart, Fribourg et Nuremberg.

## Safety Notes

- This locomotive is only to be used with the operating system it is designed for.
- This locomotive must not be supplied with power from more than one power pack.
- Pay close attention to the safety notes in the instructions for your operating system.
- Analog 14 volts DC, digital 22 volts AC.
- The feeder track must be equipped to prevent interference with radio and television reception, when the locomotive is to be run in conventional operation. The 14972 interference suppression set is to be used for this purpose. The interference suppression set is not suitable for digital operation.
- Do not expose the model to direct sunlight, extreme changes in temperature, or high humidity.
- The wire used for feeder connections to the track may be a maximum of 2 meters / 78 inches long.
- **WARNING!** Sharp edges and points required for operation.
- The LEDs in this item correspond to Laser Class 1 according to Standard EN 60825-1.

## Important Notes

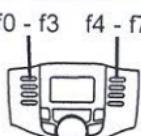
- The operating instructions and the packaging are a component part of the product and must therefore be kept as well as transferred along with the product to others.
- Please see your authorized Trix dealer for repairs or spare parts.
- The warranty card included with this product specifies the warranty conditions.
- Disposing: [www.maerklin.com/en/imprint.html](http://www.maerklin.com/en/imprint.html)

## Functions

- Built-in electronic circuit for optional operation with a conventional DC train controller (max.  $\pm 12$  volts), Trix Systems, Trix Selectrix (SX1), and Selectrix 2 (SX2), or digital systems adhering to the NMRA standards.
- Automatic system recognition between digital and analog operation.
- No automatic system recognition between the digital systems.
- Triple headlights in the front, dual red marker lights in the rear, that change over with the direction of travel.

## Notes on digital operation

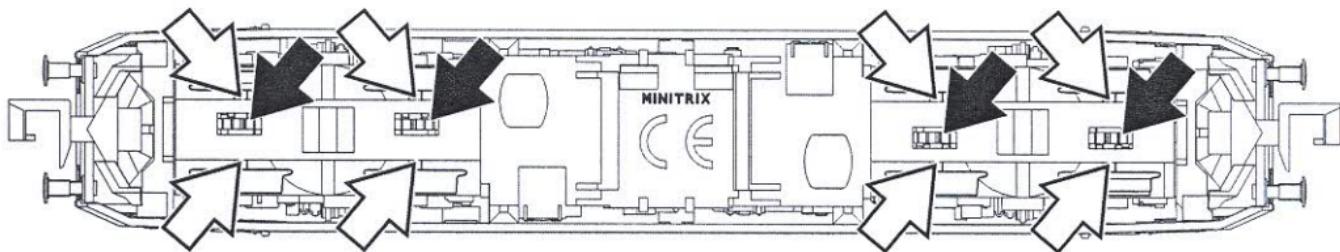
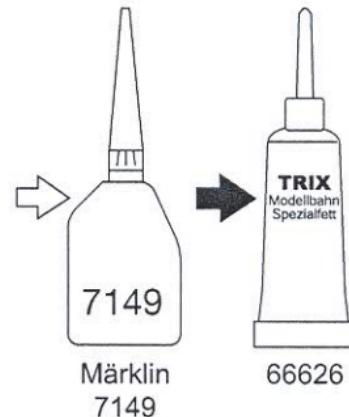
- When operating in a digital system for the first time (SX1, SX2, or DCC), the decoder must be set to this digital system. To do this, the decoder must be programmed once in this digital system (example: change the address).
- The setting done at the factory does not permit operation with opposite polarity DC power in the braking block. If you want this characteristic, you must do without conventional DC power operation (DCC: CV 29 / Bit 2 = 0).

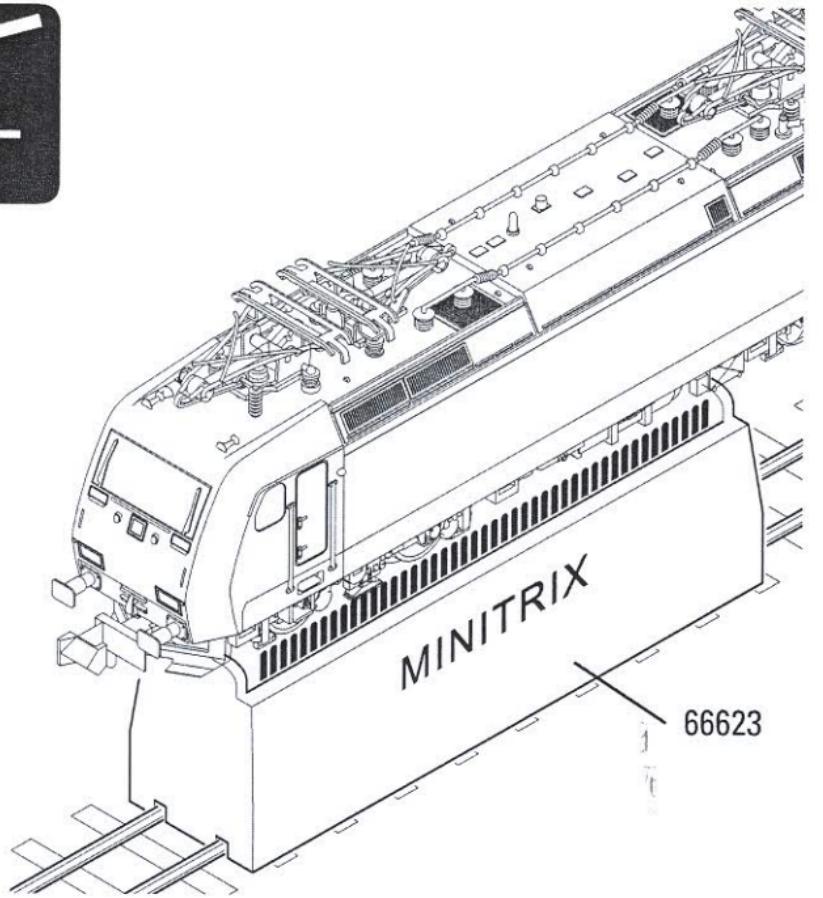
Controllable Functions			
Headlights	on		F0
Engineer's cab lighting	—		F1
Warning light(s) in Switzerland	—	—	F2
Switching marker lights (2 x red -> 1 x white)	—	—	F3
ABV, off	—	—	F4
Long distance headlights	—	—	F5
Headlights in the rear off	—	—	F6
Wrong track running in Switzerland (1 x red, 2 x white)	—	—	F7
Headlights in the front off	—	—	F8
Headlights in Italy	—	—	F9
Wrong track running in Italy	—	—	F10
Switching symbol in France	—	—	F11
Warning light(s) in France	—	—	F12
Warning light(s) in Sweden	—	—	F13
Warning light(s) in the Netherlands	—	—	F14
Wrong track running Denmark	—	—	F15

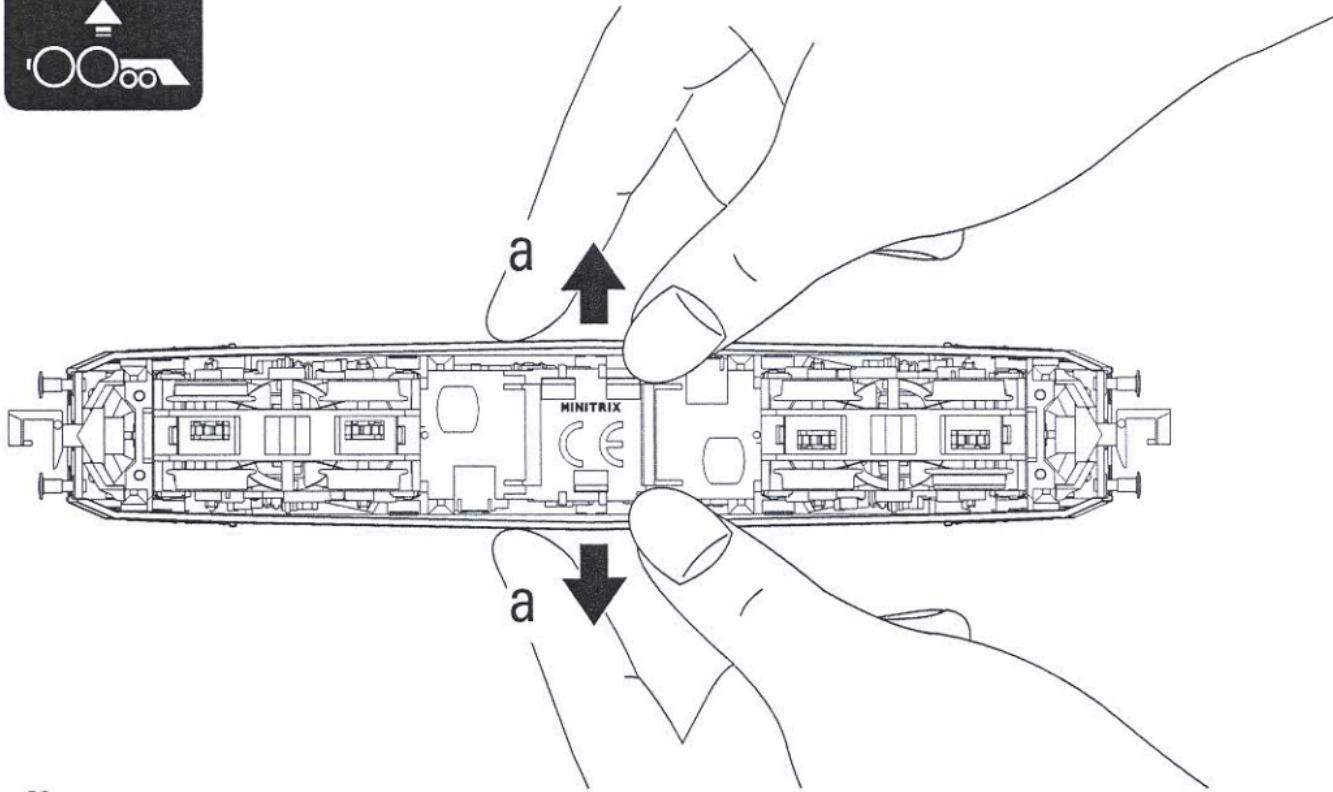
CV	Description	DCC Value	Factory Setting
1	Address	1 – 127	3
2	Minimum Speed	0 – 15	0
3	Acceleration delay	0 – 255	3
4	Braking delay	0 – 255	3
5	Maximum speed	0 – 127	92
17	Extendet address (upper part) (CV 29, Bit 5=1)	0 – 255	192
18	Extendet address (lower part) (CV 29, Bit 5=1)	0 – 255	0
19	Consist address (0 = inactive, Value + 128 = inverse direction)	0 – 127	0
21	Motive Power Mode; Bit 0 – 7 $\triangleq$ F1 – F8	0 – 255	0
22	Motive Power Mode; Bit 0 – 1 $\triangleq$ FLf – FLr, Bit 2 – 5 $\triangleq$ F9 – F12	0 – 63	0
29	Bit 0: Travel direction polarity reversal Bit 1: number of speed levels 14 – 28/126 Bit 2: DCC Operation with braking Block DCC-, Selectrix and DC power operation Bit 5: address size 17 Bit / 18 Bit	0 – 255	6

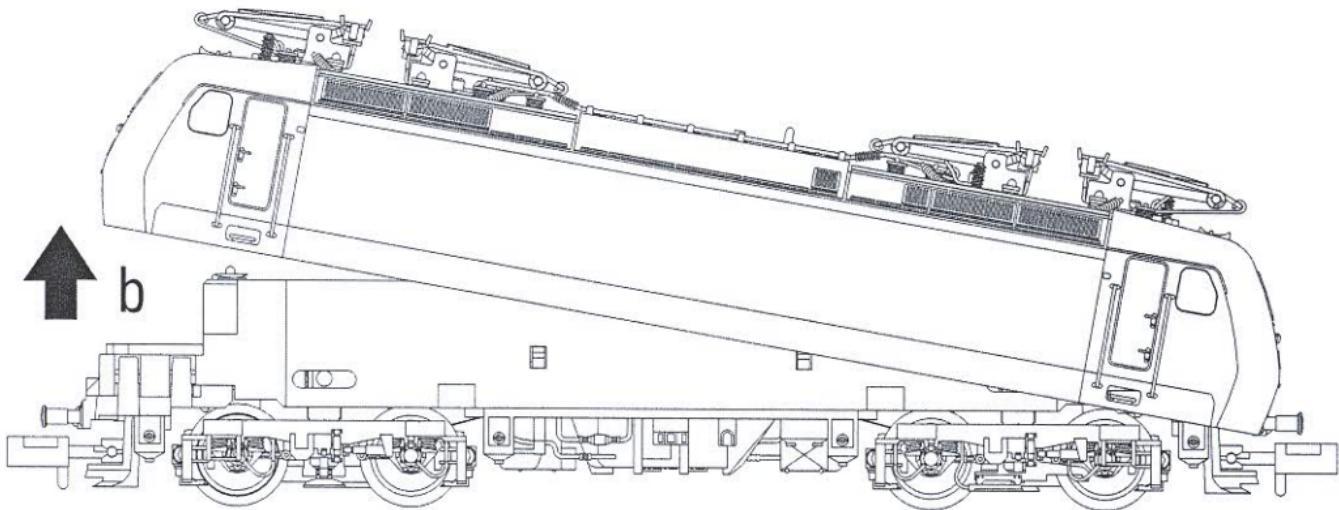
par	Description	SX2 Value	Factory Setting
001	Address for one and ten placeholder	0 – 99	1
002	Address for hundred and thousand placeholder	0 – 99	10
011	Acceleration delay	0 – 255	3
012	Braking delay	0 – 255	3
013	Maximum speed	0 – 127	92
014	Minimum speed	0 – 15	0
018	Speed for switching range	0 – 127	92
021	Braking section; 1 or 2	0, 1	1
081	Dimming of lights, normal	0 – 31	31
082	Dimming of lights, alternative	0 – 31	15

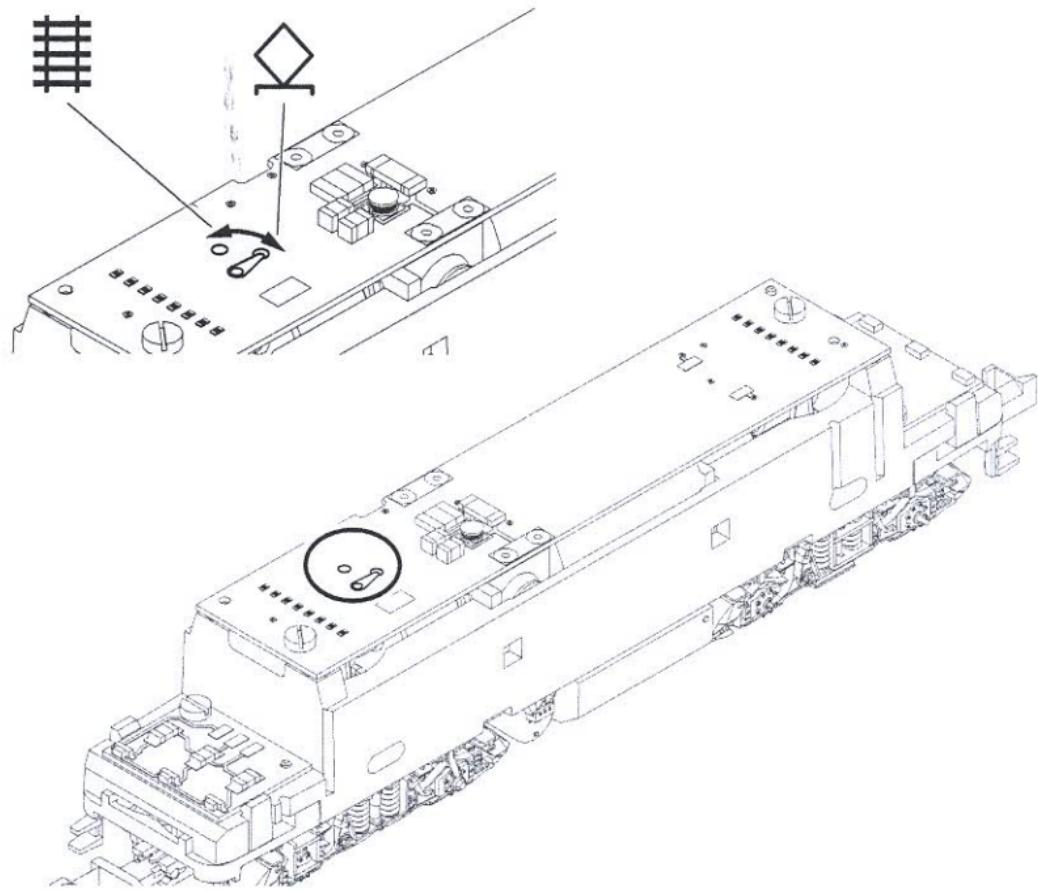
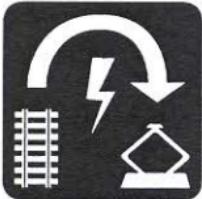
Factory setting for SX1: 01-732, advanced: 00-274













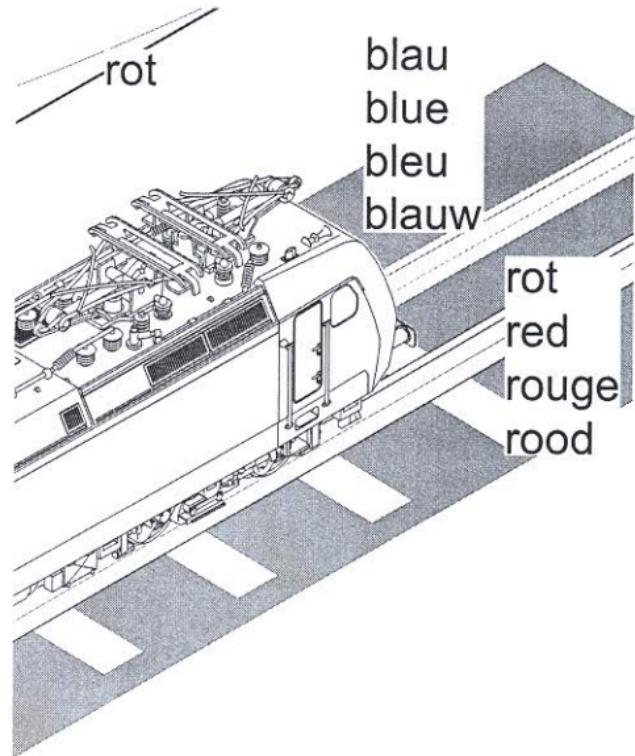
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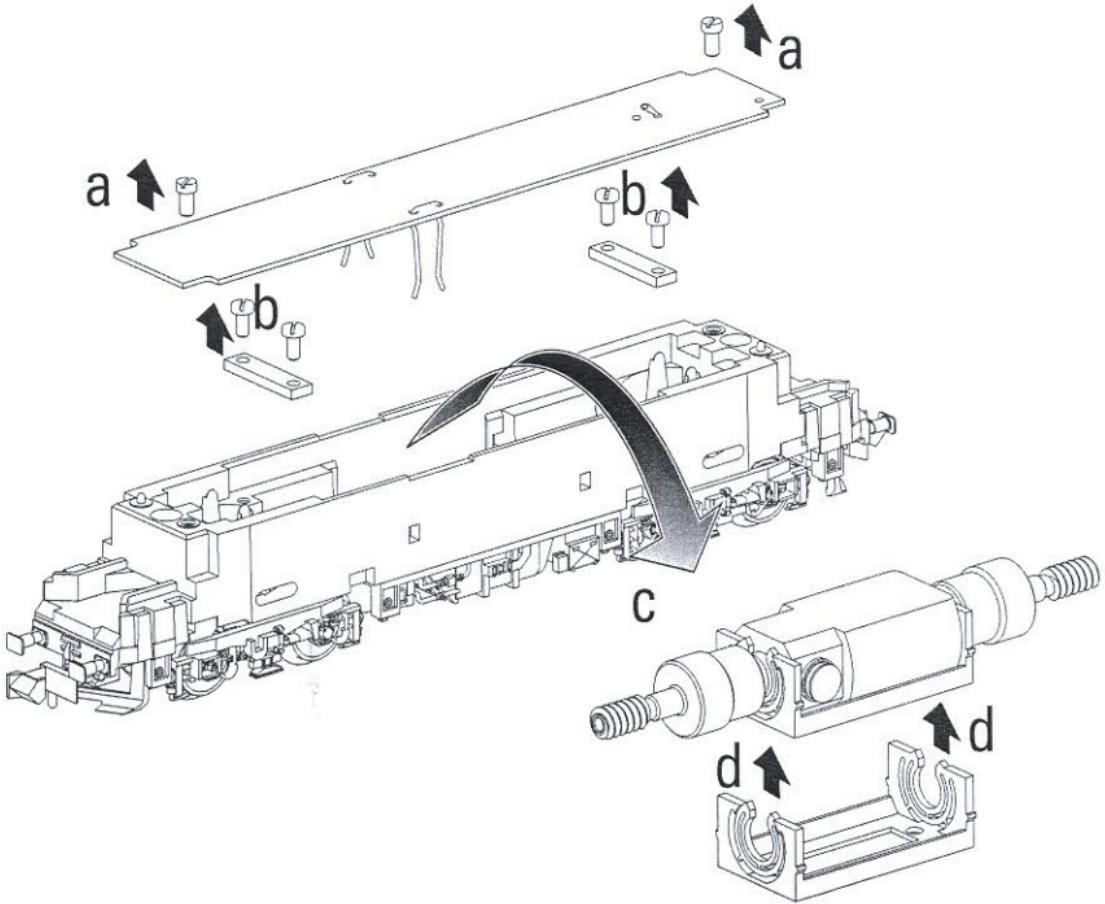
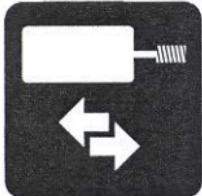
Lok in Fahrtrichtung 1 (Führerstand 1) mit den rechten Rädern auf die Schiene stellen, die mit dem blauen Kabel verbunden ist.

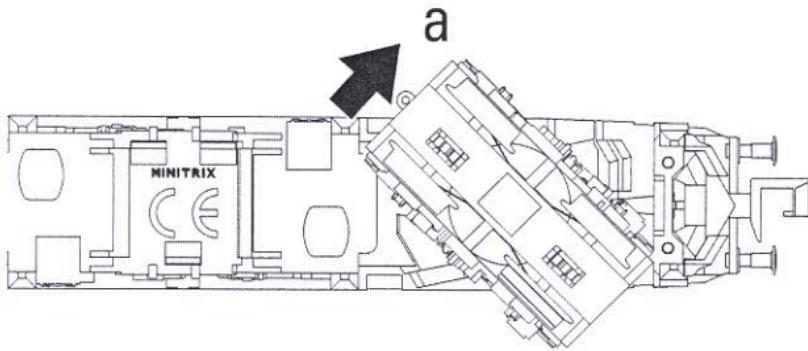
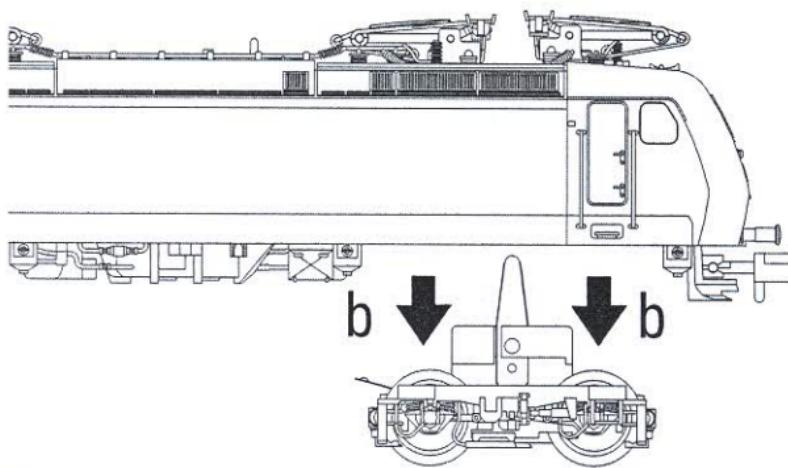
Please note when operating from catenary:

Place the locomotive in direction of travel 1 (engineer's cab 1) with the wheels on its right side on the rail connected to the blue wire.

En exploitation par caténaire, tenez compte de ceci: Poser la locomotive dans le sens de marche 1 (poste de conduite 1) avec les roues droites sur le rail qui est raccordé au câble bleu.

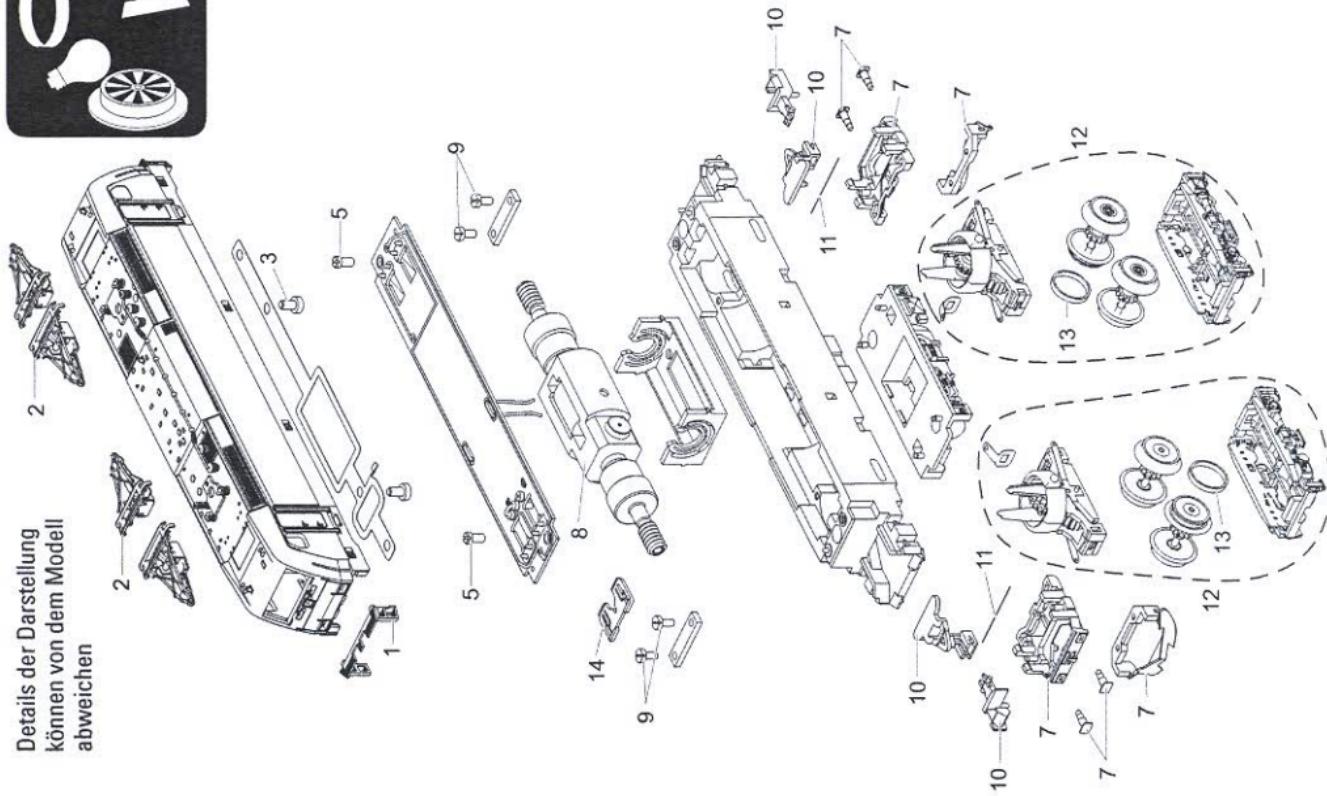








Details der Darstellung  
können von dem Modell  
abweichen



1	Treppe	E139 911
2	Stromabnehmer	E119 137
3	Schraube	E19 8004 28
4	—	—
5	Schraube	E19 7099 28
6	—	—
7	Pufferb/S.Räum.	E167 442
8	Motor	E115 480
9	Schraube	E19 8001 28
10	Kupplung	E175 466
11	Federstab	E15 0949 00
12	Drehgestell	E255 019
13	Haftreifen	E12 2258 00
14	Beleuchtungseinheit	E254 992
15	Decoder	—

Hinweis: Einige Teile werden nur ohne oder mit anderer Farbgebung angeboten.

Teile, die hier nicht aufgeführt sind, können nur im Rahmen einer Reparatur im Märklin-Reparatur-Service repariert werden.

Note: Several parts are offered unpainted or in another color. Parts that are not listed here can only be repaired by the Märklin repair service department.

Remarque : Certains éléments sont proposés uniquement sans livrée ou dans une livrée différente. Les pièces ne figurant pas dans cette liste peuvent être réparées uniquement par le service de réparation Märklin.

Due to different legal requirements regarding electro-magnetic compatibility, this item may be used in the USA only after separate certification for FCC compliance and an adjustment if necessary.

Use in the USA without this certification is not permitted and absolves us of any liability. If you should want such certification to be done, please contact us – also due to the additional costs incurred for this.

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