Subject: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 20:45:39 GMT

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3 Days ago I started making master chief's armor from halo 2, I found a pretty inexpensive way, it uses paper modeling of life sized peices, then resining the peices to make them hard, then fiberglass and bondo, and of course some paint, several masterchief Suits out there are made this way, and are very durable and cheap to make.

I started making the helmet and came out with this (without resin or fiberglass applied yet, just the paper model)

It is a 90-95% accurate helmet and is life sized. The only problem is...I'm not 7 feet tall like masterchief is, so this helmet is way to large for me, I'm only 5 feet 8 inches tall. So now I will be spending ANOTHER 3 days making a better helmet and one that does fit.

After I complete the helmet, I will be making the full armor, it'll take me probably 1-2 months to make, but, the top image is a good achievement, cutting out 21 pages of paper, folding over 1000 folds, and glowing 300+ tabs.

EDIT: the helmet wont actually be finished since it is kinda too big, also, the spikey peices of paper where the visor should be are just tabs to attack a paper visor. I decided not to attack it because IF THIS WAS usable, then I would have used a real plastic visor from a motorcycle/dirt bike helmet.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by BlueThen on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 20:46:55 GMT

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Wow...

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by Viking on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 20:56:00 GMT

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Thats better then anything I could do.

PS: Halo sux.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 20:58:50 GMT

I see others wearing their armor and it looks 1337, I see me wearing this, I look like a retard because of the size of the thing and the size of my own head, it's like those oversized toddler bike helmets, they look stupid, That was made from plain printer paper, the next one will be card stock which is more durable in paper modeling. Plus, when I resin it, cardstock doesnt absorb much liquid, so it wont bend over from having liquid on it, this first attempt would because it's super thin and absorbs tons of liquid.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by nikki6ixx on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 21:02:24 GMT

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GNC might be able to help you to grow into that outfit.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by Ryu on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 22:22:03 GMT

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Make me a helmet?

Looks pretty good though.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 22:38:37 GMT

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Give me 50 dollars and I'll do it. It took me 22 hours to build that thing, 22 hours in 3 days. I was planning on buying stormtrooper armor for 700 dollars, then I find a company who recasted some fancy high quality masterchief armor...for 700 dollars, same price. Full kit with enitre body and helmet unpainted, I think maybe in 1-2 more years I will buy that kit...or stick with stormtroopers since they are cool too, and you dont need to paint them since they are already glossy white.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by Zion on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 23:05:57 GMT

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I'll give you \$500 if you make me a fursuit!

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by Sn1per74* on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 23:15:22 GMT

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Whoa dude. That is amazing. You're a very creative dude.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 23:16:24 GMT

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I might actually attemt to make the suit as nice as possible from paper to plastic using bondo, fiberglass and all that hard stuff....

I saw a guy who in 3 days working nonstop, he made a fully accurate suit from cardbaord, bondo, and fiberglass and it looks nice, nothig of course beats the plastic formed suits because of their supurior quality, but these are almost as good. I'd say their 80-90% as good as the real deal.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by Oblivion165 on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 23:37:06 GMT

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AoBfrost wrote on Wed, 26 September 2007 19:16I'd say their 80-90% as good as the real deal.

Forget kevlar and other refined metals, at only a 20% loss in quality the military can just use cardboard and glue!

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by R315r4z0r on Wed, 26 Sep 2007 23:44:39 GMT

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You would need to make an under suit, then build around it. Making sure the joints over and under lap each other. That way you can bend without breaking things.

For example, if you wanted to make the knee, you would need to make "armor" on the thy, break it at the knee so it sticks out, then put more "armor" on the calf. Then just put a single piece of its own on the knee so that it moves freely over the thy and calf.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 02:16:37 GMT

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No masterchief isnt built like a robot, the undersuit can be easily bought for 80 dollars (I might just use black jogging pants and a black long sleeve tshirt lol)

I'm thinking of just going back to stormtroopers for the whole armor, their plastic quality is thicker and higher and glossier, so I guess maybe i'll just stick with what I loved in the begining....STOOOOORRRMTROOPERS.

Whatever I do get, I know the first thing I will do.

Go to work on a day I am off and demand a discount because I'm either a imperial trooper that will kill the cashier, or I am masterchief, so famous, If i dont get a discount, I'll just say "i'm freakin masterchief danggit!"

Then maybe go to the mall in it, then to a gamestop, then to my local grocery store...Oh the fun i will have when I buy a suit of armor.

Btw. Saw a video of a stormtrooper vs masterchief, stormtrooper armor is built to reflect laser blast as said in star wars, masterchief isnt. Masterchief shot everything at the trooper, trooper lived...trooper shot masterchief...chief died.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by R315r4z0r on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 02:45:59 GMT

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If you do attempt something like that (go to grocery store, or gamestop) you need to get someone to video tape it, and then upload it to Youtube.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 03:12:14 GMT

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I'll go rob gamestop and when police come they'll ask what the criminal looked like, and the cashier will say "he was umm green, he's MASTERCHIEF FROM THE VIDEO GAME HALO 3"

Police: "masterchief robbed you...."
Cashier: "No joke man, he did"

Police: "I was at a tim hortons eating donuts and you call me here to tell me a joke..."

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by Starbuzz on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 05:00:58 GMT

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Very nice job there, Frost!

Paper modelling is one of my treasured hobbies but I never attempted something life-size...though I would really love to make a Ramjet.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 13:07:12 GMT

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Send me the files to make a ramjet and i'll make one life sized.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by cheesesoda on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 14:01:59 GMT

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Way too much time on one's hands...

Also, anybody who makes/wears a furfag suit needs to be taken out back to be put down.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 15:03:31 GMT

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Whats furfag? sorry I dont know if it is slang or a actual term.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by cheesesoda on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 15:17:06 GMT

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Oh, that was just a comment directed towards The Merovingian's comment of saying how he'd pay you money if you made him a fursuit. A furfag is just a derogatory term for furries.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 15:24:24 GMT

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Since the helmet is too large for me and too useless I'm either giving it away finished or tossing it into the trash and have someone else at the dumps find it as a treasure.

I finished the helmet and have a picture of the visor on, the helmet is about 10 inches tall, maybe 11, not sure.

I'll post pictures soon.

(maybe someone on ebay will buy this =0....doubt it, even if they did 5\$ would be the most lol)

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by Zion on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 16:50:56 GMT

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Last i heard someone sold a suit like that for over \$6,000.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 17:49:28 GMT

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His suit was the most accurate there is, and it's made from heavy thick plastic to be really unbreakable from normal use.

Heres my pic of my finished helmet

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Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by SSnipe on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 18:45:04 GMT

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BlueThen wrote on Wed, 26 September 2007 15:46Wow...

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 19:13:39 GMT

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If i was 7 foot tall, I would resin and fiberglass this one, but since i'm not.....I'm going to walmart to buy come cardstock and reprint the lines and recut everything and REDO IT ALL.

I might just wait for microsoft's newest masterchief armor, since they will be mass producing it, it may be cheaper than a fanmade kit for 700 dollars.

Yep....the offical armor is always 1337er

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by jonwil on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 00:48:31 GMT

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AoBfrost wrote on Thu, 27 September 2007 11:12I'll go rob gamestop and when police come they'll ask what the criminal looked like, and the cashier will say "he was umm green, he's MASTERCHIEF FROM THE VIDEO GAME HALO 3"

Of course with all the people getting busted on "suspected terrorism" offenses these days, you might get arrested just for wearing the suit...

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 00:49:55 GMT

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Nah, theres tons of people who are rich enough to buy the real suits, they show off and walk around everywhere in them just because they can, so far I've never heard of anyone being arrested.

Oh shoot, I just checked the site where I got all my Armor parts from, someone just finished their armor and it looks super awsome, the best one made from paper to plastic yet. Heres a video from youtube that they posted.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HCOmephvEdg&eurl=http%3A%2F%2F405th%2Ecom%2Fforums%2Findex%2Ephp%3Fshowtopic%3D4561

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by R315r4z0r on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 01:15:31 GMT

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That suit looks great! It just seems a little plain. Maybe if it had some faded camo, and battle scratches. Instead of just solid green.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 01:36:16 GMT

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Thats a major problem with most of these kits, small kiddies make them and they dont know how to paint good, so they just spray can the entire thing 1 color after resining and fiberglassing. For me, IF I DO make the armor, I am going to buy several cans of paint so it looks more detailed, maybe a tanish green for the main color, a more light tan for the feet, calves like most people did with their plastic armor, and maybe some silver plastics paint, to use with a brush of course you can make a scratched metal effect with a spray can, so I'll probably be buying some little 2-3 ounce container to paint some of the edges silver to look like the green paint was chipped.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by R315r4z0r on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 02:57:12 GMT

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What you should do, is instead of a Master Chief suit, make a spartan suit. If you play halo multiplayer, make it the colors of your guy. Lol

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by JeepRubi on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 04:43:20 GMT

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Hey man, don't do the scratches on top of the the green. Spray the entire thing with multiple layers of silver, then do a layer or two of the colour you want, and scratch off where you want it to be worn with steel wool, I've made a computer case with this tequnique and it works really well. It also continues to get damages as you use it, and it if someone scratches it it look like real steel.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 13:17:05 GMT

I dont play halo, seriously, I dont know what the game is about, but from Tv ads, and watching my friends play, I fell inloe with the armor...

Really whats the difference between master chief and spartan? They both look the same to me, but different colors, I know some people who make the armor paint constantly to change their color, someone went from blue to red and it looked good, ithink maybe I'll either do a tan-ish green or a redish pink like the halo 3 screenshots....pink ftw....(although I'd rather actually have tanish green)

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by AoBfrost on Wed, 03 Oct 2007 00:47:44 GMT

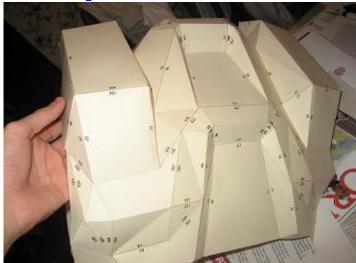
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masterchief torso/backpack 75% finished in 17 hours.

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1) backpack.JPG, downloaded 225 times



Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet

Posted by DrasticDR on Wed, 03 Oct 2007 01:24:16 GMT

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upload the prints so we can all have some fun.

Subject: Re: Master chief Suit/helmet Posted by AoBfrost on Wed, 03 Oct 2007 01:49:19 GMT

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I'm not allowed to rerelease the files because of them belonging to a certain group I am part of, but if you want them, I will PM the site and links to anyone who PM's me for the parts.

Dont ask how to do this or that, because the site I got the parts from has a perfect guide for every question and need.

Also, making the armor takes 1-1.5 months, i'm rushing to get mine done and quality looking for Halloween, I'm 17 and too old to trick or treat...but heck showing off 1337 armor infront of tons of kids will rock.