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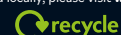


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CHILDREN OF THE REVOLUTION

The Doctor discovers the consequences of his actions from long ago.

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A large submarine, the *Argus*, moves through an ocean on the planet Kyrol. The Doctor has taken his companion Izzy Sinclair to meet a friend: Dr Alison Lavelle, a marine biologist. Izzy has recently been the victim of a body-swap with an aquatic alien girl known as Destrii. Izzy is now trying to cope with her new life in an amphibious body. Alison is helping her adjust with a series of tests.

Elsewhere on the *Argus*, the Doctor strolls down a corridor with the ship's captain, Julius Otago. The pair have become friends. The *Argus* is exploring the Asamda Ridge, a 2,500 kilometre-long area which the Kyrol authorities are hoping will be filled with valuable minerals.

The Doctor and Alison argue over her suggestion that Izzy venture out into the ocean. Alison wants to monitor Izzy's vital signs when she is swimming at full capacity. The Doctor is worried about the possible dangers of an alien ocean, but Izzy insists on trying. The following day, Izzy begins her test run outside the *Argus*. The Doctor and Alison monitor her on the roof of the submarine in pressure suits. Izzy becomes euphoric as she swims, her adrenaline surging. The Doctor is dismayed when Izzy swims away from the *Argus*.

The *Argus* is suddenly struck by a massive electromagnetic pulse coming from within the Asamda Ridge. The submarine suffers a massive systems failure and begins to sink. The Doctor and Alison, still attached to the ship by their tethers, are pulled down with it.



no effect. The humans are all cut down. The Daleks burn their way through to the command deck and tell Julius that the ship is now under their control.

The Doctor and Alison race to the reactor chamber to find the technicians dead from the heat. More Daleks appear and cool the fission rods down with a cryo-spray. The Daleks realise the Doctor's identity. "You are the Doctor!" one Dalek says. "You are the one foretold! The saviour of the Daleks!" All the Daleks begin to chant, "All hail the saviour! All hail the saviour!" The Doctor stares at his oldest enemies. "Well... this is new..." he says.

Izzy swims through the depths, happy and unaware of the desperate situation on the *Argus*. Her joy is cut short by the sudden appearance of seven Daleks.

The *Argus* hits the ocean bed. Many fires have broken out. The ship's communications systems are being jammed. Julius orders that a cache of pulse guns be issued. Elsewhere, one of the ship's crew, Carol, hears a tapping sound at an airlock. Carol opens it and is horrified to find three Daleks.

Izzy finds herself being pulled through an underground tunnel by a Dalek. She is stunned by what she sees at the end of the tunnel...

The Doctor and Alison enter the *Argus* through a rupture in the hull. Floating corpses surround them in a flooded compartment. The Doctor is concerned that the *Argus*' fission reactor might be about to overload.

The *Argus* crew tries to hold the Daleks off with the pulse guns but they have

The Daleks spend the next few hours attaching anti-gravity devices to the *Argus* and strengthening the ship's structural integrity. A suspicious Julius wants to know why the Daleks are calling the Doctor "saviour", but he has no answer. When the Doctor notes that the Daleks only stunned people when they boarded, Julius angrily points out that 15 of his crew were killed when the *Argus* crashed. The anti-gravity units move the *Argus* towards the Asamda Ridge. It passes through a holographic shield and surfaces in a huge underground cavern which houses a Dalek city, Azhra Korr. Thousands of Daleks watch as the humans leave the submarine. Alison notes that these Daleks have no weapons and are coloured in many different patterns.

The Doctor is reunited with Izzy. They are greeted by a red Dalek who knows the Doctor. It is Alpha – a Dalek the Doctor first met in his second incarnation. The Doctor explains that he gave Alpha the 'Human Factor' – an element that caused it to question its masters and gain a personality. Alpha and other humanised



Daleks started a revolution on Skaro. Alpha lifts the Doctor into the air with psychokinetic energy. Alpha explains that, after many years of meditation, the humanised Daleks have unlocked the complete power of their minds. The Daleks hail the Doctor as the "saviour" all over the city. Alpha makes it clear to the humans that they are welcome in Azhra Korr, but they will never be allowed to leave and reveal its existence. A Dalek cannon blasts the submarine in two and it sinks to the bottom of the bay.

Three days pass, and the crew of the *Argus* are given homes in Azhra Korr. Some of the Daleks distrust the humans and believe that they will attack them. The Doctor tries to convince Alpha to come to a compromise, but Alpha insists that total secrecy is the only way the Daleks can survive. Alpha explains how, after leaving Skaro, the humanised Daleks travelled across the stars until they received a psychic vision of Kyrol calling to them. They built their city, but a few decades later human colonists also arrived on Kyrol. The Doctor wants to trace the source of the EM pulse that

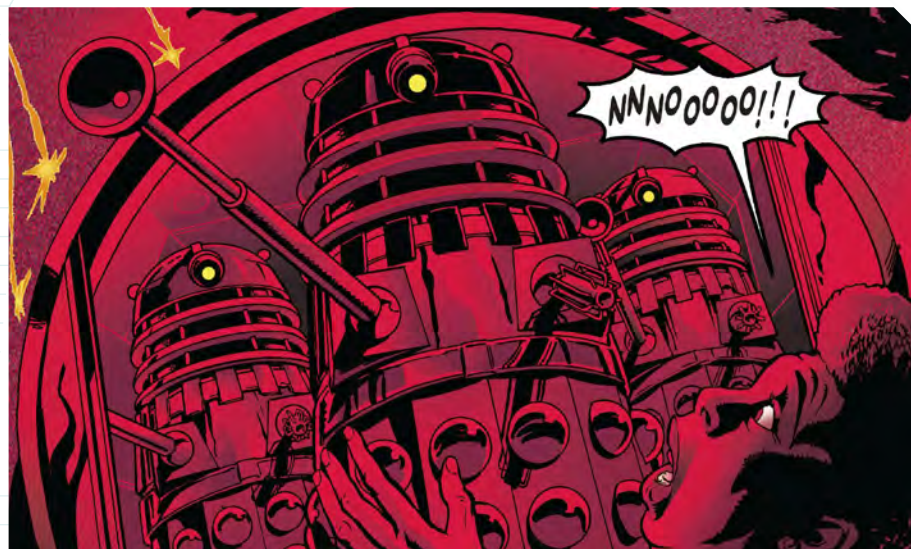


hit the *Argus* and asks for access to a laboratory. Alpha agrees, but makes the Doctor give his word that he will not help the humans try to communicate with the other colonists on Kyrol. Julius tries to calm the mounting hysteria of his crew. Julius and his assistant Theo refuse to tell the Doctor their plans. The Doctor asks Izzy to swim down to the wreck of the submarine and attach an anti-gravity device to the TARDIS. She does so, but is stunned by an electric shock coming from a large tentacle.

The Doctor and Alpha move through the depths, searching for the source of the

some skilful manoeuvring, tricks Alpha into hitting Kata-Phobus by mistake. The Doctor uses the TARDIS to slam Alpha aside. He and Izzy make their getaway.

Julius and Theo contact the human colony and warn them about the Daleks. Kata-Phobus rises up from the bay and announces to the city that, due to his injury, he must feast on all the Daleks' psychokinetic energy at once. He has been farming them for this purpose. The Daleks are frozen as their energy begins to drain into the creature. Kata-Phobus promises the Daleks that they will not die – he simply needs enough power to wipe



electromagnetic pulse. They find a gigantic multi-eyed creature who introduces itself as Kata-Phobus.

Julius attacks a Dalek guard with a scrambler device. They wrest off its gun-stick and use the weapon to destroy it. They invade the spacecraft the Daleks used to reach Tyrol. Theo sets to work activating its communicator. Elsewhere, Carol gives in to her paranoia and attacks another Dalek. This triggers a battle between humans and Daleks.

Kata-Phobus admits to attacking the *Argus*, stating that he only wishes to protect the Daleks. He shows the Doctor and Alpha a psychic image of the battle in Azhra Korr, claiming that humans will always be driven by hatred and fear. When the Doctor advises Alpha not to trust the creature, Kata-Phobus produces Izzy and the TARDIS. He accuses the Doctor of working with the humans against the Daleks, despite his promise to Alpha. The Dalek is stunned by this revelation, and screams, "The saviour is the betrayer!" Alpha starts firing at the Doctor who, with

out all the human colonists on Kyrol. Alpha is wrapped in one of Kata-Phobus' tentacles. It speaks to its people, telling them that they came to this world seeking the freedom to live in peace. "We must never be slaves again... we must never be weapons again..." Alpha says. "We have only one path left to us now... we must... have the courage to take it."

Alpha destroys itself. The other Daleks follow its example. One by one they all self-destruct. Explosions occur all over the cavern. The Doctor, Izzy and the *Argus* crew all dive for cover. Kata-Phobus cannot survive his feeding cycle being cut short so suddenly, and also explodes.

The humans stand among the wreckage of thousands of dead Daleks. The Doctor looks at the remains of Alpha. "The Daleks died as they lived... one people united to the end," he says. Julius can barely grasp the truth. "They did this... for us?" he asks.

Theo is considerably less moved. "If the only good Dalek's a dead one, I suppose these ones were as good as they come," he says with a smirk on his face. Izzy tells him to shut his mouth. The Doctor and Izzy walk off towards the TARDIS. Alison pleads with them to stay. "Izzy, you have to consider our work... we still have so much to learn..."

The Doctor barely turns his head as he replies. "Yes, Alison. We certainly do."



ENEMIES OF THE DALEKS: ABSLOM DAAK

Little is known of Abslom Daak's early years. He was born on Earth in the 26th century, at a time when the Dalek and Terran empires were waging a bitter war across the galaxy.

Born into a life of poverty, Abslom Daak became a career criminal. He worked as a mercenary, thief and pirate. After being captured by the Terran authorities, he was given a choice: death by vaporisation or DK (Dalek Killing) duties. Daak chose the latter, despite the job having a life expectancy of little over two-and-a-half hours.

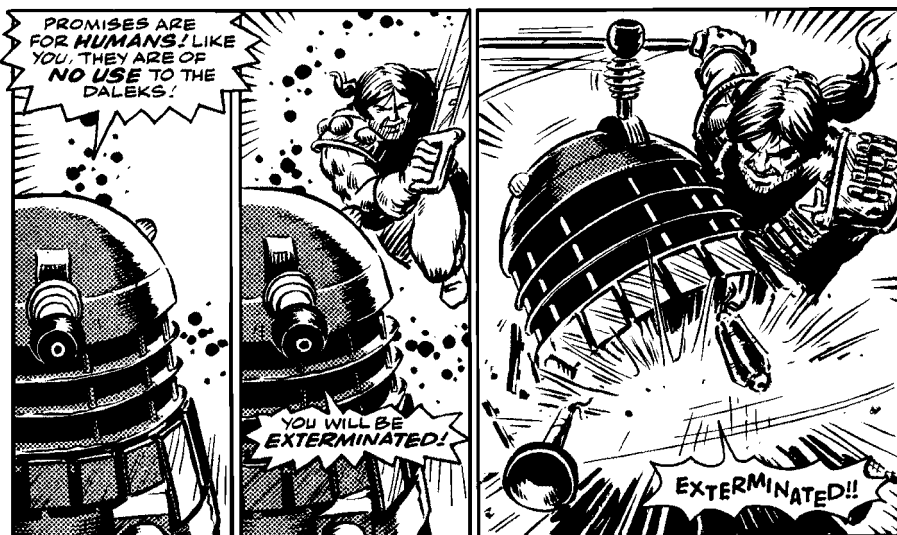
Taking his favourite weapon (a chainsword) with him, Daak was teleported to the planet Mazam which had been recently invaded by the Daleks. He appeared in the chamber of the beautiful Princess Taiyin, just as she was about to be killed by the Daleks. Daak destroyed them. Daak seemed happy to die in battle with the Daleks, but Taiyin knocked him unconscious and dragged him to her sky-sled where they made their escape. The sky-sled was shot down by flying Daleks, but the pair survived the crash thanks to Daak. Taiyin, now aware that Daak had a death wish, wondered why he had saved her.

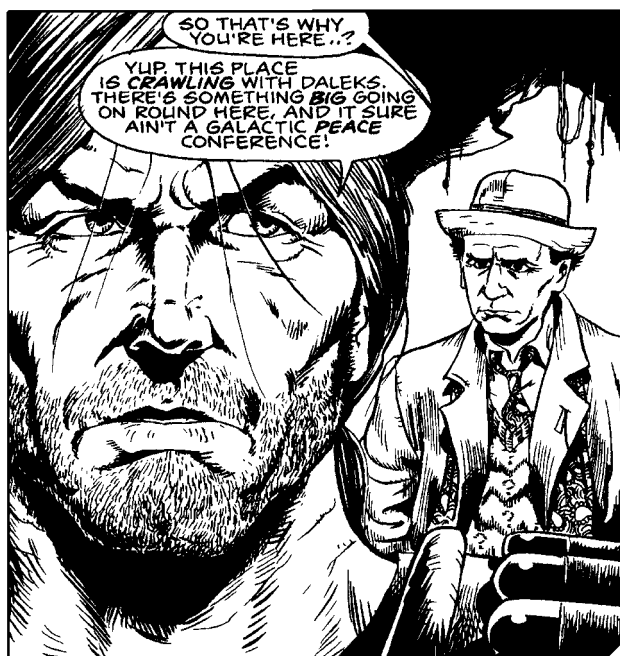
He admitted that she reminded him of a woman named Selene who had been important to him.

Taiyin took Daak to the Daleks' massive command ship and offered him a grand suicidal gesture. Taiyin found herself sympathising with Daak, sensing the obvious sorrow and self-hatred he was carrying within him. The pair shared a kiss and continued on the mission together. After blowing up a squadron of Dalek bombers, Daak sliced his way into the command ship. Taiyin located an escape capsule as Daak destroyed the ship's control room. The pair made their getaway as the command ship exploded.

Daak and Taiyin were happy for a few moments, but a stray Dalek emerged from the undergrowth and shot Taiyin in the back. After disposing of the Dalek, an anguished Daak cradled Taiyin's dying body. "But it should have been me!" he said. "I was the one under sentence of death..." Taiyin weakly replied, "No, Abslom... for you the sentence is harder... you have to live..." Daak, his eyes filled with tears, swore to destroy every Dalek in the galaxy.

Daak soon reappeared near the Draconian homeworld, being pursued by several Dalek ships. The Draconian Prince





Salander was impressed by the way Daak wiped out his attackers in the dogfight. Salander discovered that Daak had placed Taiyin's body in a cryogenic freezer unit in the hope that she could be somehow healed. A Draconian doctor was unable to help Taiyin. When Daak decided to head for Earth, he and Salander were arrested by one of Salander's political rivals. Salander showed Daak a defence cruiser his shipping company had built especially for combat with the Daleks. Salander agreed to join forces with Daak and they fled Draconia.

Daak and Salander travelled to the pleasure planet Paradise to recruit the Ice Warrior Harma and then to Dispatar, where Daak rescued Vol Mercurius from the Kill-Mechs. The foursome proved to be an effective team against the Daleks.

After a dogfight in space with a Dalek squadron, Daak's ship crash-landed on the planet Hell. Believing his three teammates to be dead, Daak allied himself with the Time Lord known as the Doctor, then in his seventh incarnation. The Daleks were mining deadly helkogen gas for use in a giant spacecraft called the *Death Wheel*. The Doctor, Daak and some Helkans tried to infiltrate the *Death Wheel* but were captured. The Doctor was interrogated by the Dalek Emperor but Daak managed to rescue him. They found their way to the *Death Wheel*'s central reactor. The Doctor intended to sacrifice himself by flying a Dalek hoverbout into the reactor, but Daak knocked him out and took his place. The *Death Wheel* was destroyed, and

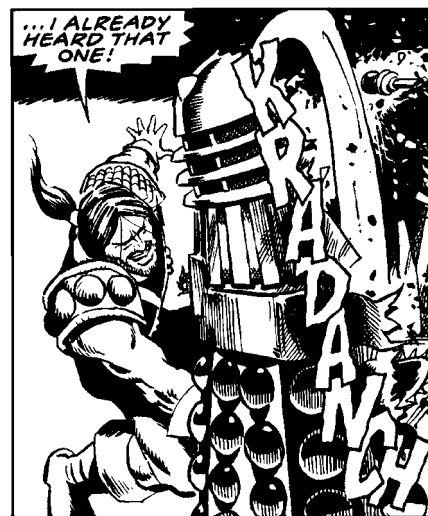
the Helkans hailed Abslom Daak as a hero.

The Doctor believed Daak was dead, but some temporal manipulation by the Daleks reversed his fate. Daak was spirited away from the *Death Wheel* just before the moment of impact on the orders of the Supreme Dalek. Daak was tricked into believing a group of humans had saved him so he could track down the Doctor. Daak found the Doctor and his new companion Bernice Summerfield back on Hell, and discovered

that his three teammates had survived their crash-landing after all. They were all transmatted to a secret location where the Doctor was questioned about the location of Davros. The Doctor exposed the humanoid robots being used by the Daleks, and the group realised that they were really on Skaro. The Doctor was subjected to a mind probe, and the Daleks learned that he had taken Davros to the planet Spiridon.

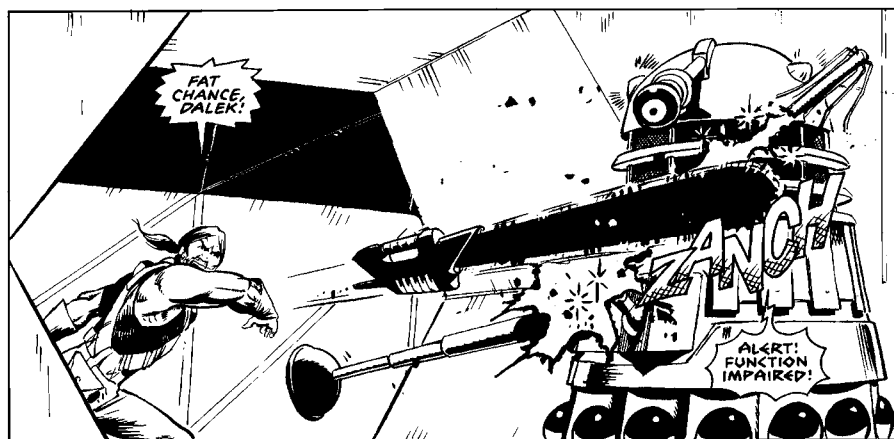
With Daak and the others being mind-controlled, the Doctor and the Daleks journeyed to Spiridon where they were confronted by Davros. He had revived the millions of Daleks that had been frozen there many years earlier. A huge battle between the two Dalek factions broke out. The Doctor, aided by the invisible natives of Spiridon, freed Daak, Bernice and others from the Daleks' control. Davros won the battle, wiping out the opposing Dalek forces.

Davros set course for Skaro with the Doctor, Daak and the others as his captives. Daak was happy to return to the Daleks' homeland as this was where Taiyin's body was being kept. Bernice pointed out that Taiyin was dead and that Daak had mourned her long enough. The Dalek Emperor was exterminated at Davros' command. The Doctor revealed that a computer virus he had planted earlier had now instructed the central power core of the Dalek city to self-destruct. Daak sliced Davros in two as the Doctor's group fled into the TARDIS.



The Doctor had planted the idea of finding the Hand of Omega in Davros' mind, thus stage-managing the events in London 1963 that he had already experienced.

Abslom Daak is a human being with above-average strength and stamina. He is an expert combat pilot and an experienced tactician. He has had extensive martial arts training in both hand-to-hand fighting and also weapons use. Daak's favoured weapon is his chainsword; a chainsaw-like device with blades capable of penetrating Dalek armour.



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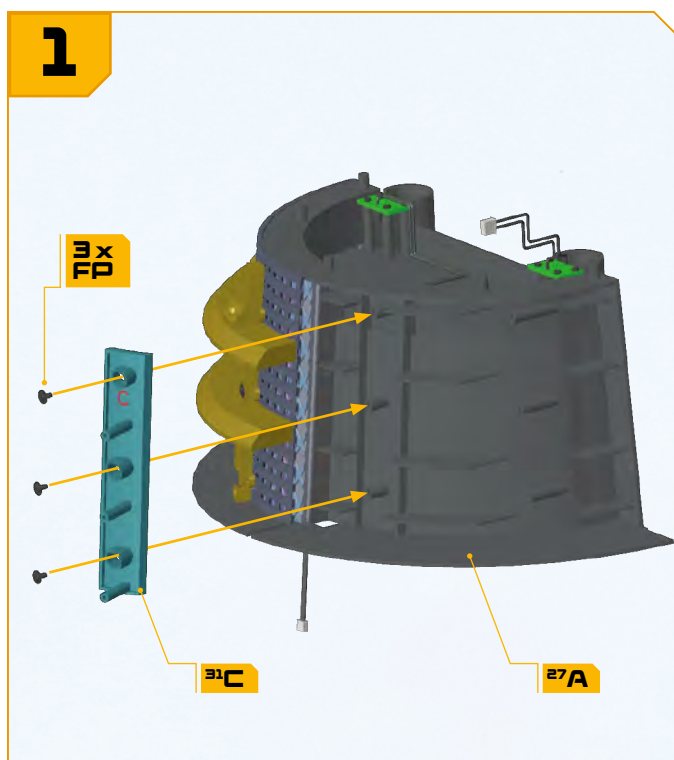
31C RAISED SCREW SOCKET STRIP, MARKED C

31D RAISED SCREW SOCKET STRIP, MARKED D

AP SEVEN 2.3 X 5MM PB SCREWS (1 SPARE)

FP SEVEN 2.6 X 4MM PWB SCREWS (1 SPARE)

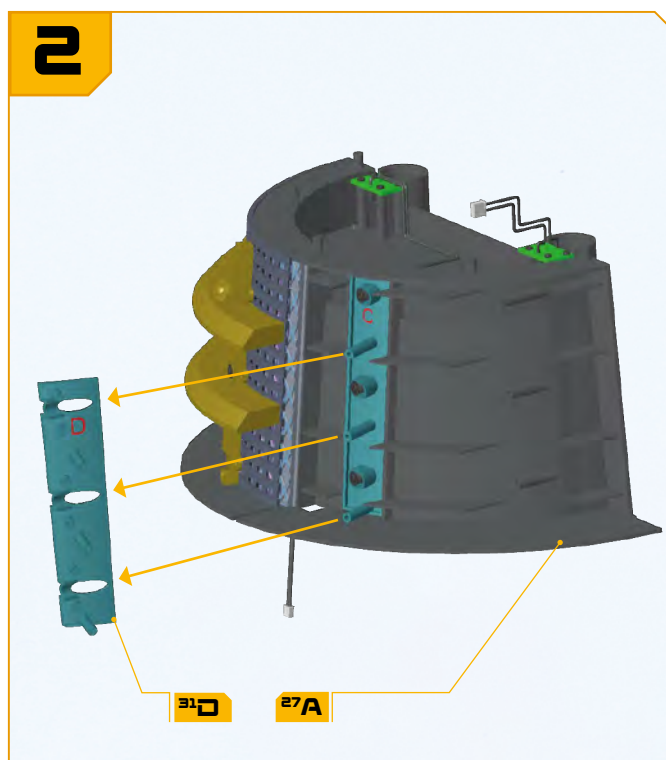
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Fit the socket strip **31C** (marked C) on to the side of the frame **27A** so that the raised screw sockets on part **27A** fit into the holes in part **28C**. Fix in place with three **FP** screws.

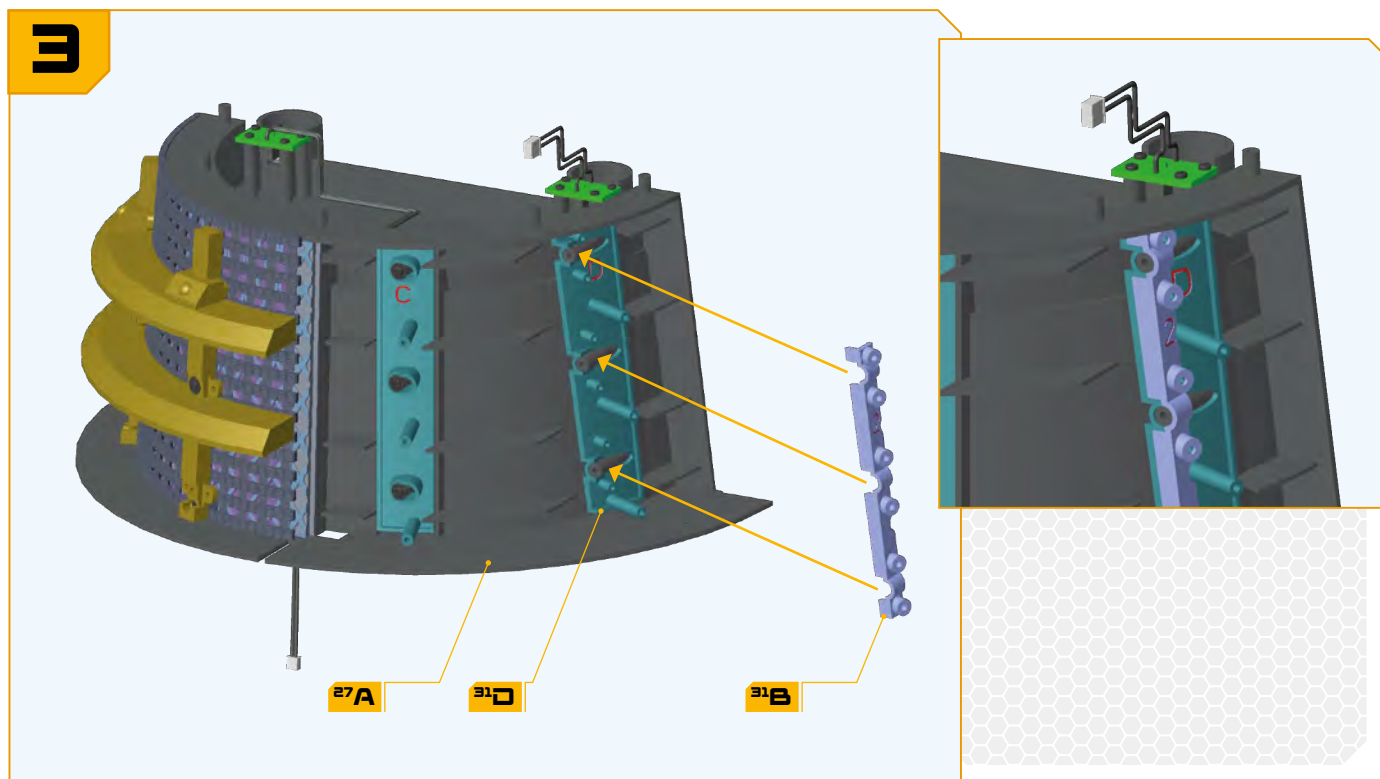
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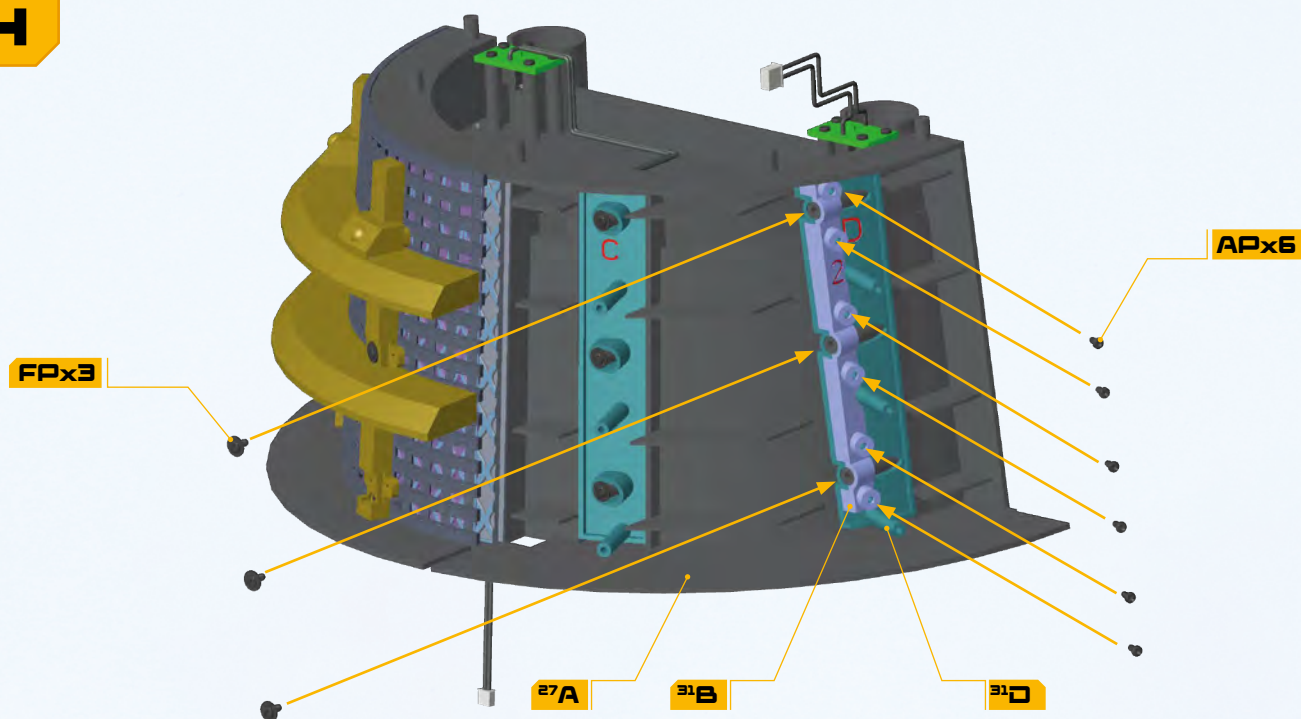
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#031-03

Position the fixing strip **31B** over the socket strip **31D** so that the short raised screw sockets on part **31D** fit into recesses in part **31B** and the high raised screw sockets on the frame **27A** fit into the recesses in part **31B**.

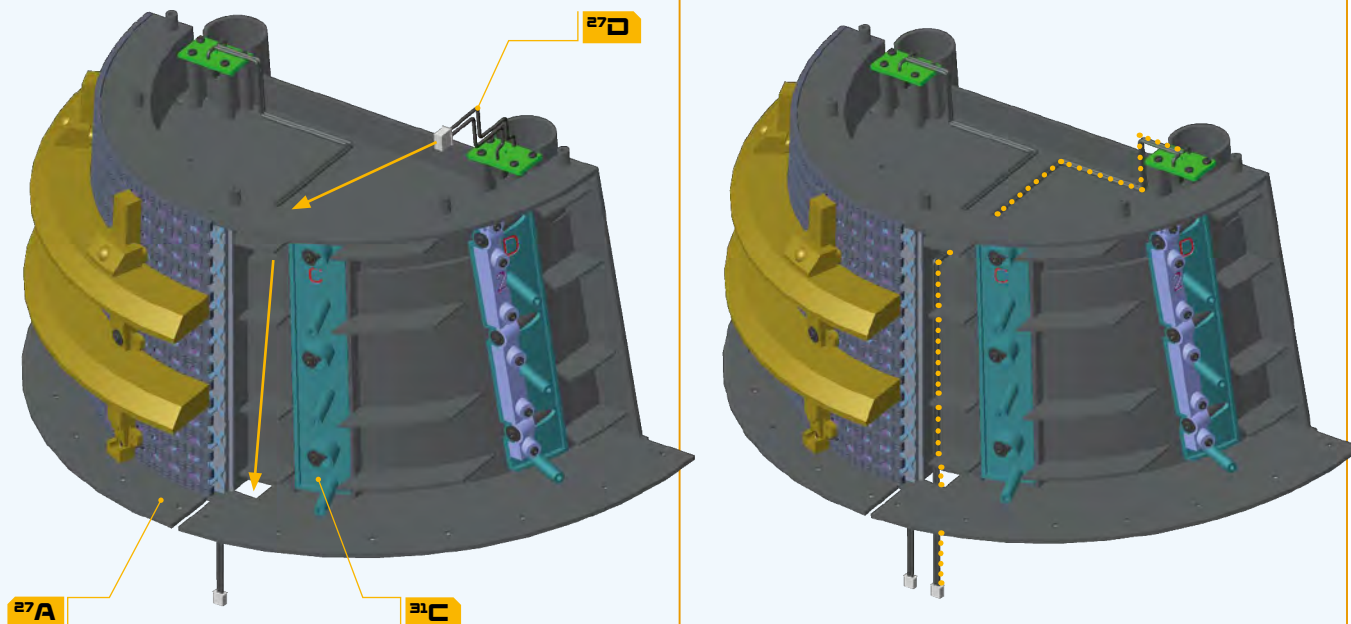
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Fasten the fixing strip **31B** in place with three **FP** (flange head) screws, fitted into the raised screw sockets on part **27A** and six **AP** screws, fitted through part **31B** and into the screw sockets in part **31D**.

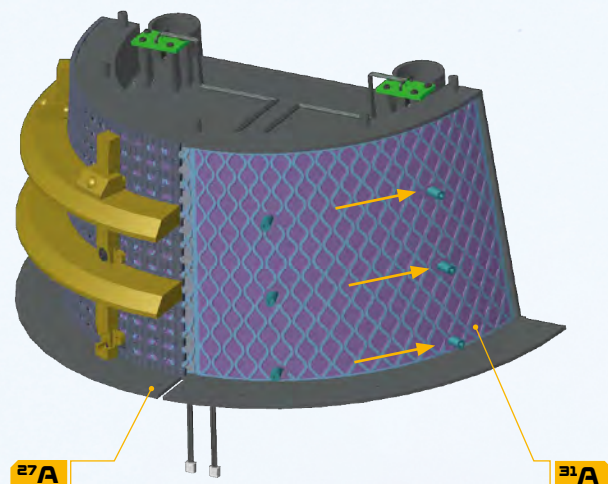
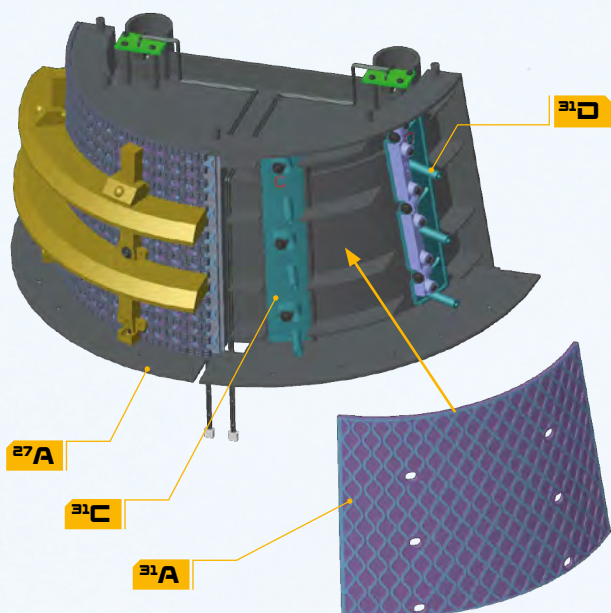
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Run the cable **27D** across the top of the frame **27A** and through the square hole near the upper rim, then down the outside of part **27A** next to strip **31C** and through the square hole in the lower rim of part **27A**. The position of the cable is highlighted by the yellow dotted line in the diagram above.

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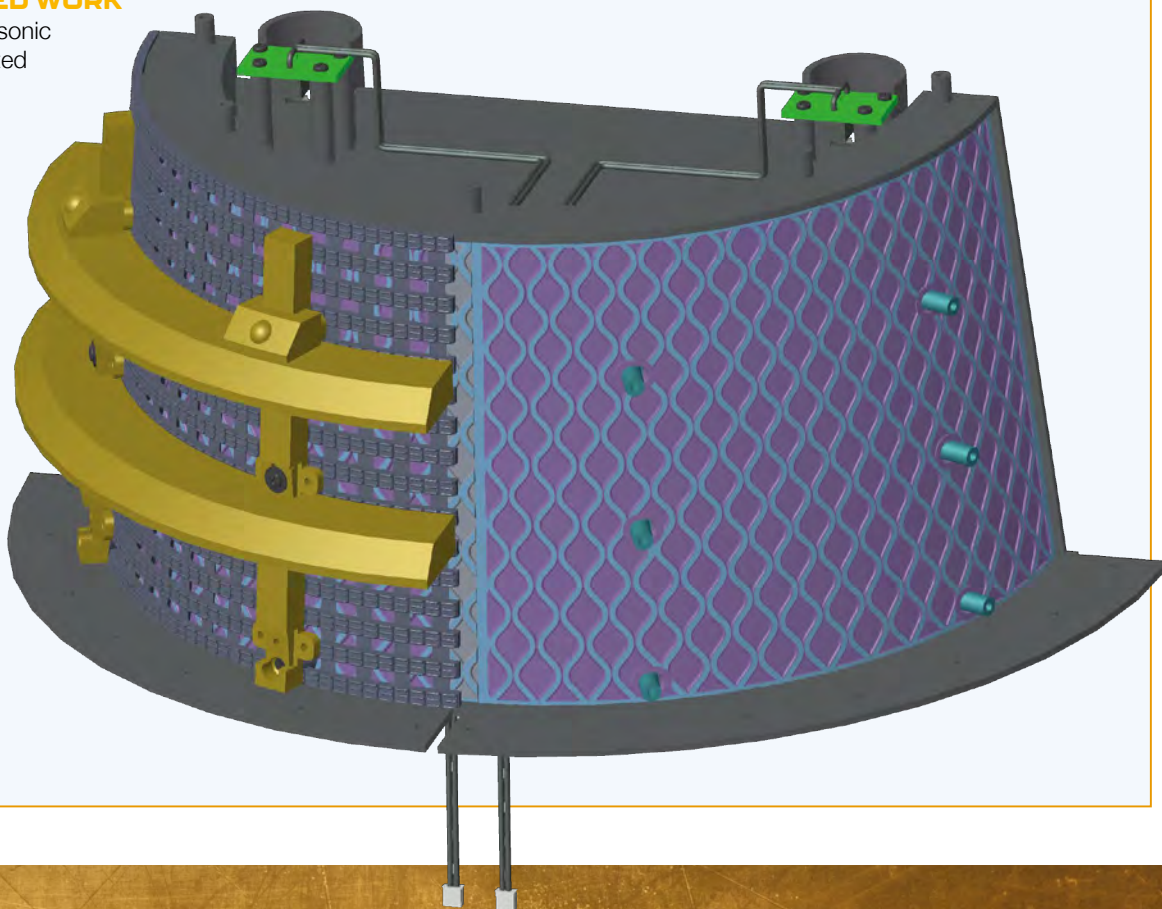
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Fit the photo-sonic screen **31A** on the assembly: fit the raised screw sockets on the strip **31C** through the holes first, then push the screen **31A** to the right so that the raised screw sockets on part **31D** fit through the second set of holes in part **31A**.

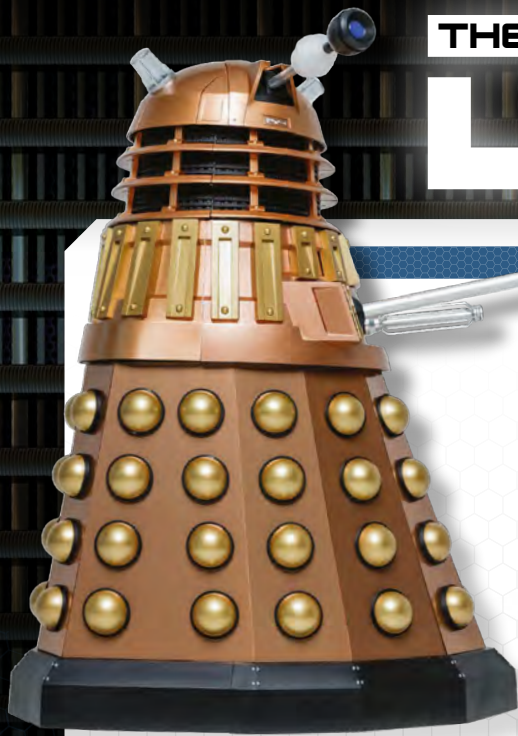
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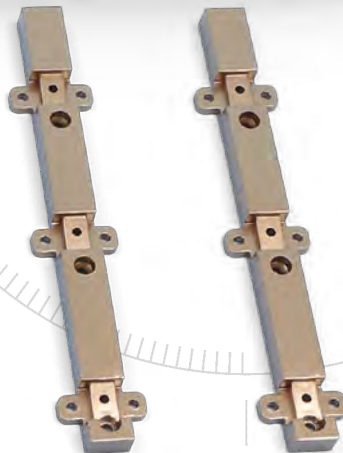
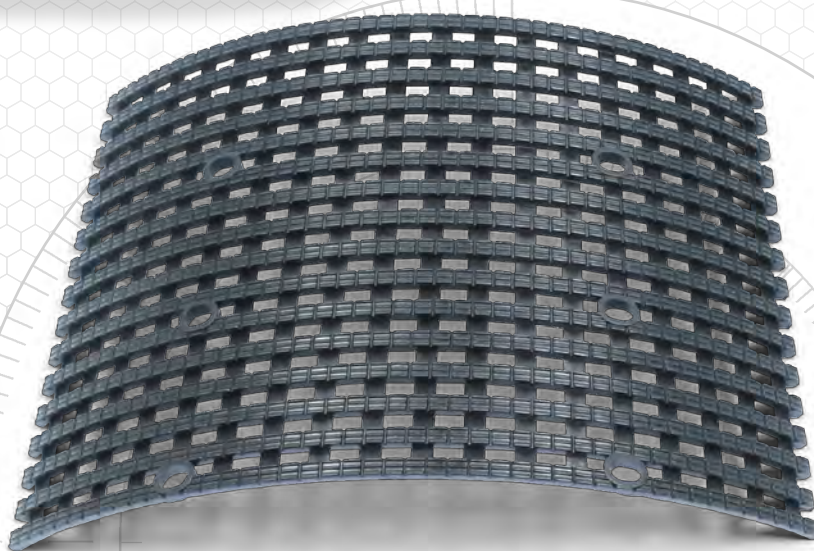
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