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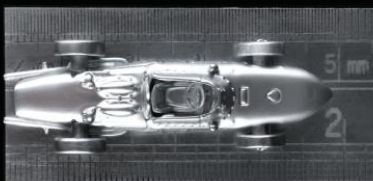
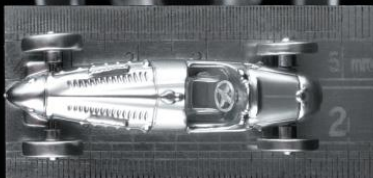


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Models



CMC is well known for producing some of the highest quality models in the world. But who would have thought a CMC replica could consist only of a handful of parts and cost less than \$50? Well that day has come in the form of an Auto Union Type C, 1936-1937 and a Ferrari Dino 156 F1, 1961 (Sharknose) in 1:87 scale.

These two models have been exclusively produced to celebrate CMC's 15th birthday and break new ground for the company.

Being 1:87 scale, don't expect opening or removable components. Don't expect the finesse we have all come to expect from CMC, like fully detailed cockpits, plumbed and wired engine bays, nor the diverse range of materials used in production of their museum class, world renowned replicas. Sounds disappointing? No not at all; these little gems are very special.

We at *The Diecast Magazine* weren't sure what to expect. Being a CMC model, you always expect the best and this is the case with these little cars. Molded detail, from a purist's point of view, is not to scale,

but in true 1:87 scale, the models would be a lump of polished metal with four wheels. In saying this, these mini-miniatures retain the look of their big brothers.

Measuring less than two inches long, the models are cute, quaint and have a strong visual elegance despite their small, simple form. There are only two celebratory models to collect, and both are limited to 5000 pieces and are beautifully packaged. For their size, they are heavy in hand and exceptionally crisp and cleanly modeled, and the more you hold and look at them, the more you'll like them.

We regard CMC models very highly and believe every collector should have at least one CMC model in their collection. If you haven't already due to CMC's relatively high price, this is certainly an affordable option.

These models mark a point in history, are limited in availability and unique. Therefore we highly recommended them for those looking for something different that won't break the bank.

Visit www.cmc-modelcars.de for more details.