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3. Definitely consider adding pieces or more dowels to add ROOF RIDGE supports (as you see here in this photo) as this helps a lot when glueing the roof planes together.

I also added "outrigger" pieces to help "catch" the outer corners of the roof planes.



4. The way you expect people to put the roof and roof shingles together is pretty crazy, I must admit. When working with the veneer roof and then glueing the strips

of veneer roof shingles, the

pieces want to curl. I did not follow your instructions here. I actually found it a lot easier to glue the diamond roof shingle strips to the roof piece first, then I put under a heavy book to flatten and dry.

Once piece was dry after 15 minutes, I would trim off the roof shingles that I ran long. I would cut at angles or sand at 45 degrees in appropriate spots, and this made everything put together really

well; plus, now I could apply good pressure to get pieces to stay.





