GREEN THING THAT GET IN THE WAY

To get this you will need trees, woods and forests. With 6, maybe 10mm figs and smaller (!!) you can get away with lichens and clusters of Woodland scenics.



TREE FACTORY 3 methods PIN

1 HOLE

with those which have a decent tail to plug in. Cut it to size then pierce a hole in hard card/ plasticard/ MDf if you have the tools.

2 PIN



Force the cut trunk (only works if wide enough) on a pin with a flat back, then stick the pin on its support.

My single trees are on MDF bases or on old coins.

Ok for big trees and not too many.

Everything should be done in an assembly line sort of way. Prepare enough space and all materials.

From these Aliexpresss <u>Chinese sellers</u>. Or Amazon and Ebay. Unbeatable prices. This https://www.tajima1.co.uk/tajima1-shop

is very good for bushes and of course Woodland Scenics for more clumps and flock (can be from Amazon if not in USA. This one has variety and quality in the UK



If you have a lot of trees to do, then big hedges, some rocks, and anything that need a strong sticking on any surface I recommend you buy a hot glue "gun". Finally, after years got a cheap one from LIDLL.

Have single trees a plenty, but do many bases' groups of 2-6 trees plus bushes. Too many, wide ones and you will have a problem putting them on hills. But groups immensely quicken installing and packing out a table. In XVIIIth century and later tables, you could have lots of trees. Lone trees along roads and in fields, partial hedges with trees will enhance the look of your table and make it more realistic/pleasing.

I remember a championship game held in a venue (model show) past century (not enough customers now) with 10000s of visitors, maybe 15 games, but only my table had a decent terrain and most people stopped and surrounded that table.



You will get 20 times the same from China, but you can paint the trunks (greyish), cut a bit (re use the bits) and spray or even brush paint them for variety.



Paint the ground in brownish colours. It will be partly covered with earth and stuff. Edges in dark brown. (or dark green)

You can put here bushes, rocks, dead branches, grass, but maybe not too crowded if you want to put minis. But if more thana few minis, you will end up taking that base away while they are there.

I use on all bases (figures and terrain) a thick, irregular layer of ceiling cement (can be any thickish water based). It works, can be easily twisted for some time (error hey!) cheap for the amount. While wet, flock sticks on it, and I end up putting thin earth on it. This will tint any free space, normally your paste whitish would not show.



Shown in progress. the edges will be at the end to mask any mishap and any forgotten bit.

Stick bushes, cement/ paste spreading. Water based wood glue, a bit diluted will help finish stick more stuff.

The way they arrive

