The Rainy Day Book

Cork Racing Cars

Racing cars

For each car:

2 corks. 2 paper clips. Piece of cardboard the width of the cork by 7 cm/ $2\frac{3}{4}$ ". Serrated knife. Paint. Thick needle.

Cut a third off one cork. Cut a slice off one side to make a flat surface for the base (fig 1).

Make a diagonal cut through the long piece of cork (fig 2).

Cut the other cork into 4 equal wheel sections. Paint them black and leave to dry.

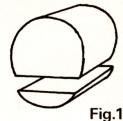
Make a hole with the needle through the middle of each wheel.

Straighten out 2 paper clips. Push each one through the wheels.

Bend the ends over at right-angles (fig 3).

Cut a groove across the flat side of each piece of cork. Glue the pieces onto the card, positioning the wire under the grooves (fig 4).

Paint the cars.



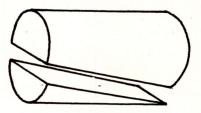


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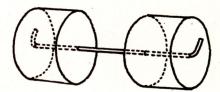


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