

## Spanish Trading Vessel by Richard Romaniak

Like so many of Richard Romaniak's models, this Heller kit underwent many upgrades before being completed. Referred to as a composite model, a considerable number of plastic components were replaced with wood, including the decks. This model is an excellent representation of a 16 Century Spanish Trading Vessel, ca 1525. There are very few accurate references dealing with this period, and Richard did extensive research during the model's construction. The realistic looking sails were made from tracing vellum.





1525

Model by R.J. Bennett  
and J.W. Lee, 1977

A SPANISH TRADING VESSEL  
or merchant ship in the early 16th century.

