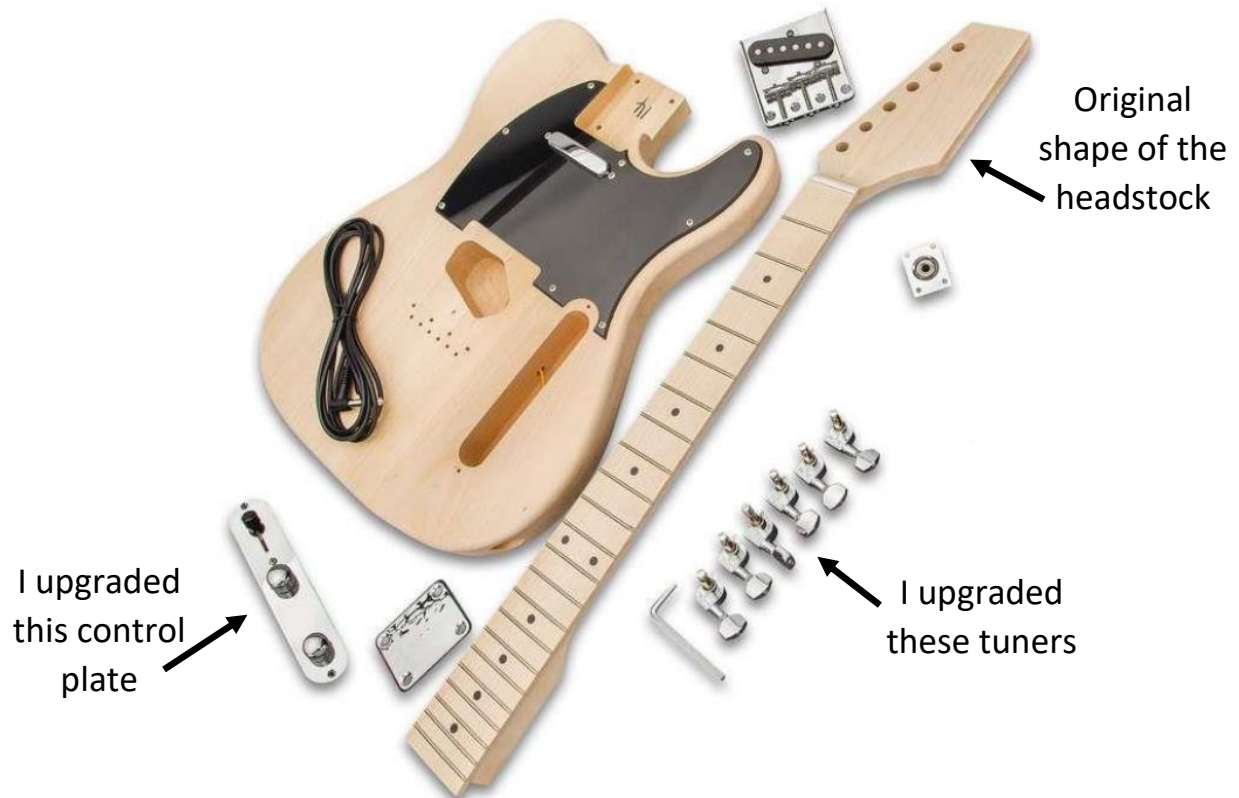


Telecaster-type Kit Build

Finished Result:



Started with this raw wood kit that was shaped and pre-drilled with finger board already attached:



1. Shaped the headstock
2. Pre-stain sanding
3. Hand-rub stain:
 - a. Body – Mixed 4 different colors wood stain to get desired result
 - b. Headstock – Used Natural color stain
4. Light sanding
5. 30 coats spray clear lacquer
6. Finish sanding: 800/1000/1200/1500/2000/3000/5000 grit
7. Buffed with 3 different grits polishing compounds (Medium, Fine, Swirl Remover)
8. Applied guitar wax
9. Treated fretboard
10. Installed:
 - a. Pickups
 - b. Upgraded tuners
 - c. Upgraded control panel with switch
 - d. Upgraded strap locks

11. Customized logo (available on internet) on body



12. Signature decal on headstock and added a string tree (both available on internet)

