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KAMIKAZE

MAY 1970 DESIGN OF THE MONTH WINNER

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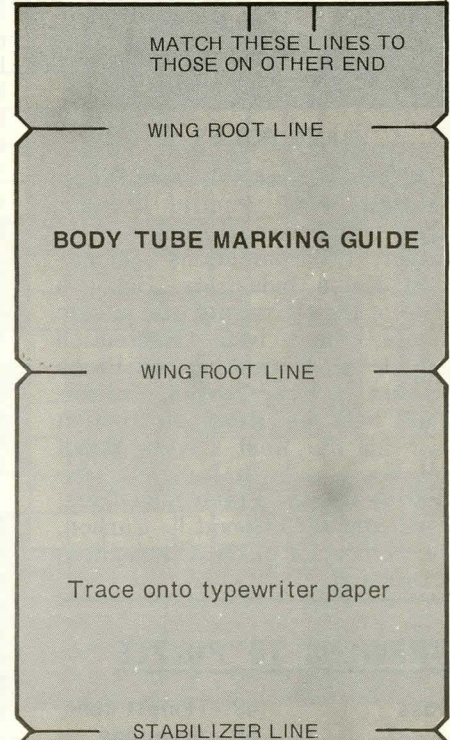
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The "Kamikaze Baka" presented here is a striking replica of one of the most fearful aerial weapons of World War II. Developed by the Japanese toward the end of the global conflict, this rocket-powered flying weapon was designed to be crashed onto the decks of American warships. It was flown by dedicated men who knew they would never come back from their suicidal missions.

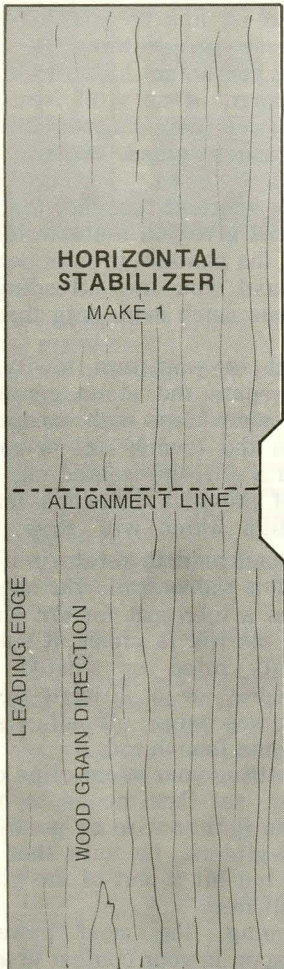
PARTS LIST

1	Nose Cone	BNC-60L
2	Sheet Balsa	BFS-30
1	Body Tube	BT-60D
1	Body Tube	BT-20B
4	Centering Ring	RA-2060
1	Clear Plastic Fin Stock	CFS-20
1	12" Parachute	PK-12
1	8" Parachute	PK-8
1	Engine Holder	EH-2
5	Balancing Weight	NCW-3
2	Nose Cone Weight	NCW-2
1	Screw Eye	SE-2
2	Launching Lug	LL-2A
1	Shock Cord	SC-1

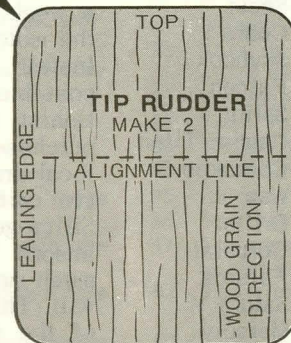
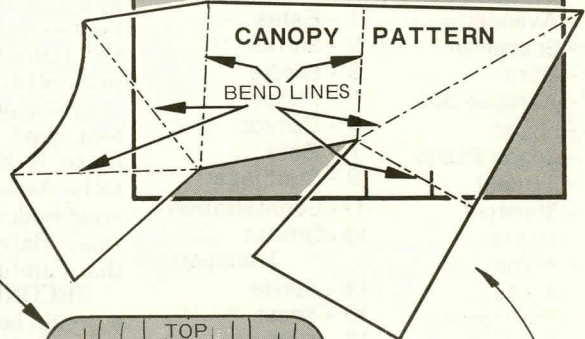
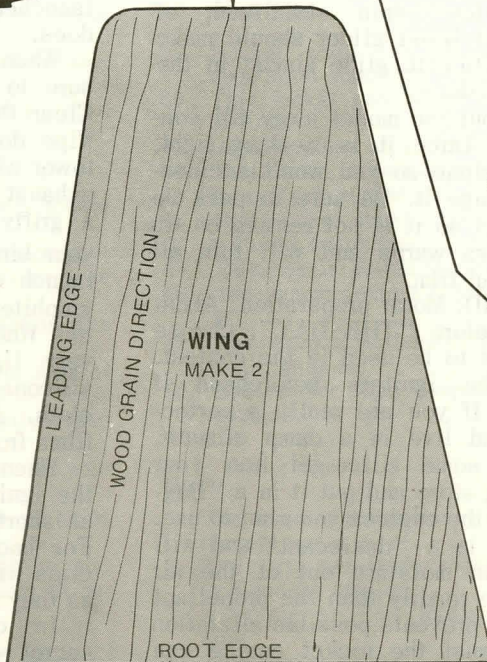
In addition to the parts listed, you will need white glue, model knife, sandpaper, masking tape, white and red enamel or dope and a 3" x 3" piece of scrap PRM-1 for insignia.



Trace onto typewriter paper

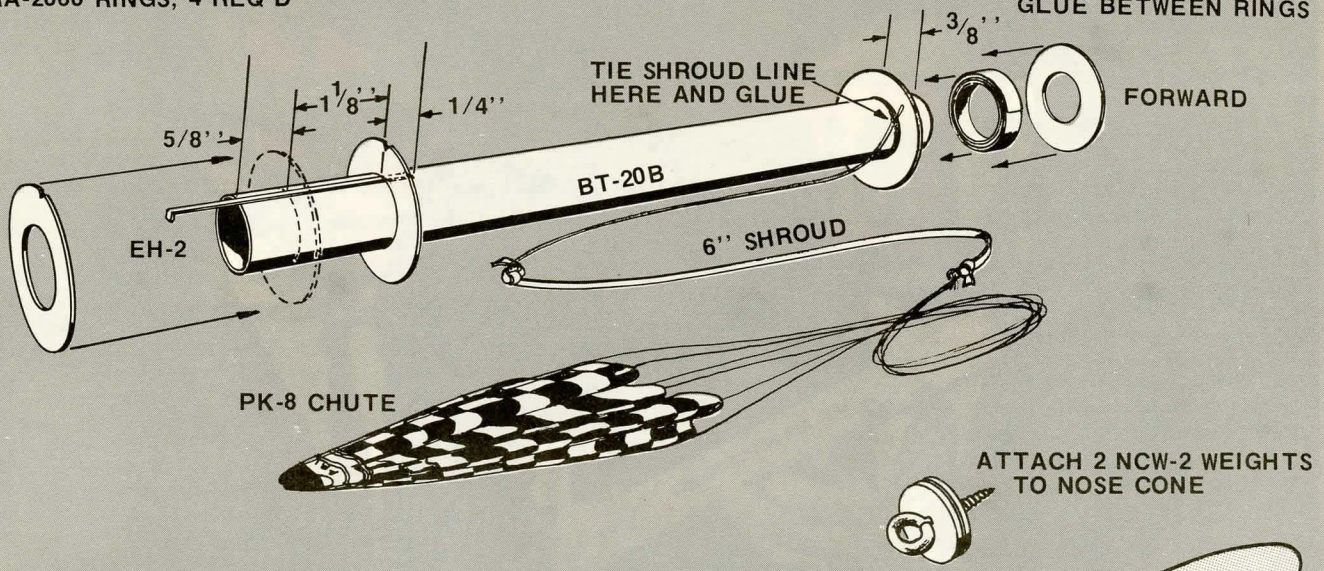


Trace these patterns directly onto the sheet balsa

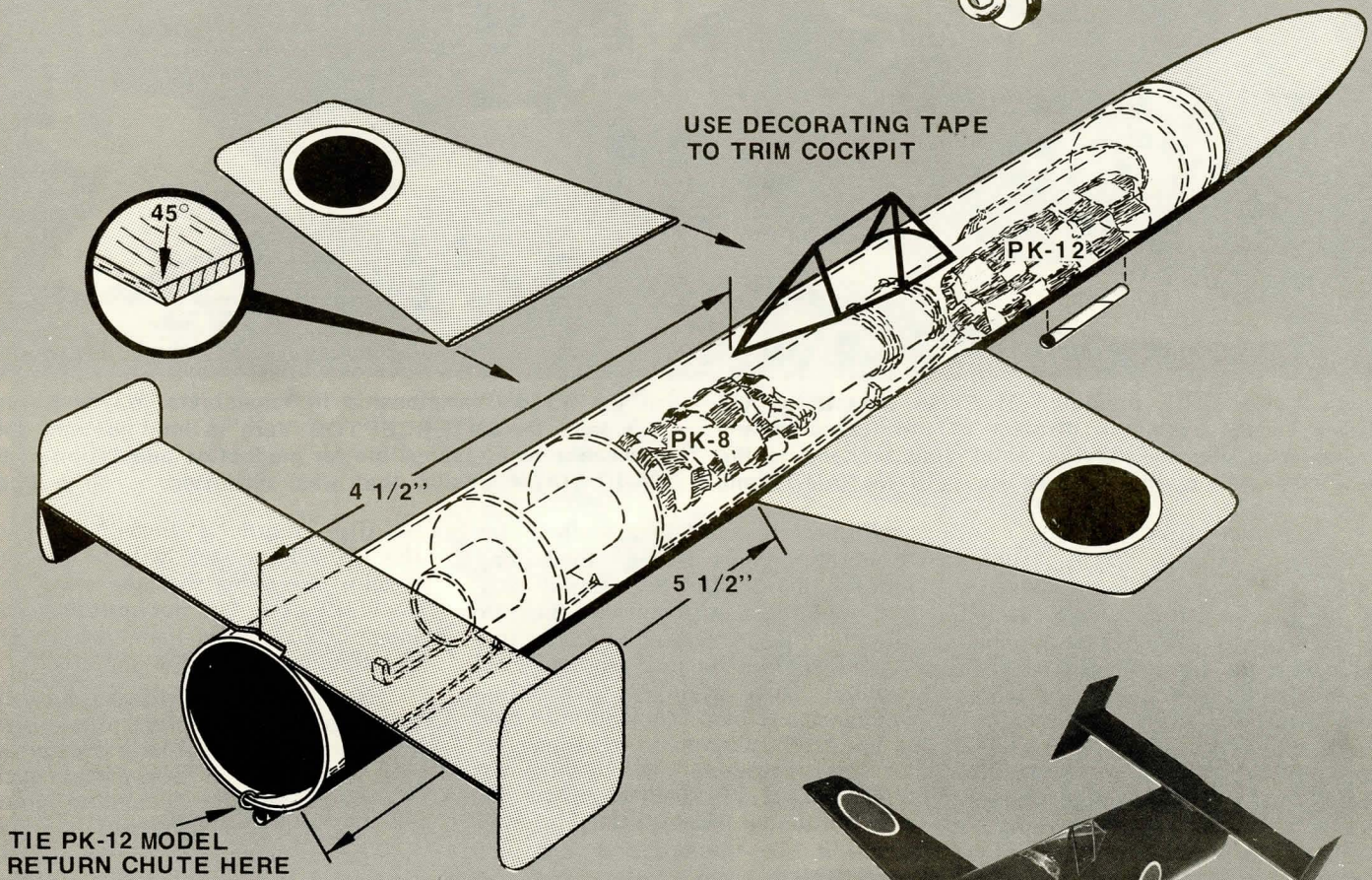


Tape clear fin stock over canopy pattern. Cut on heavy outlines. Bend on bend lines, tape joints, and apply clear dope to inside of joint edges.

RA-2060 RINGS, 4 REQ'D



USE DECORATING TAPE TO TRIM COCKPIT



CONSTRUCTION NOTES

Rings must be sanded to slightly smaller diameter for slip fit in BT-60.

Do not wrap model return chute around tube or the 2 parts won't separate. Just pack the chute normally and stuff it in the center space.

The booster chute can be simply rolled around the booster tube.

Balance point "loaded" must be no further aft than 7 1/8" forward of rear of tube.

