



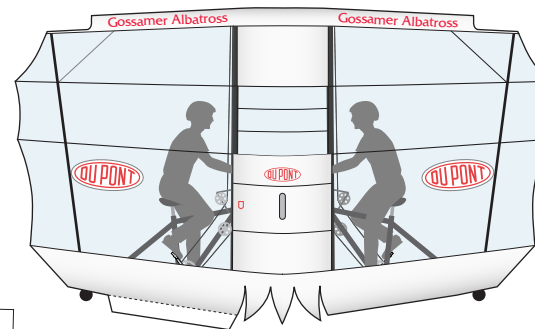
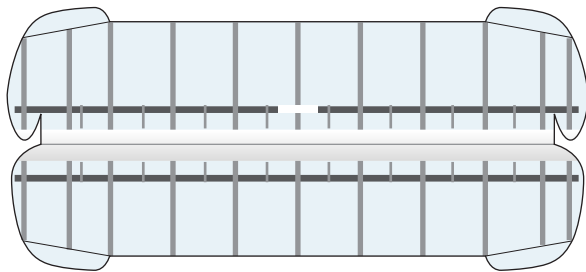
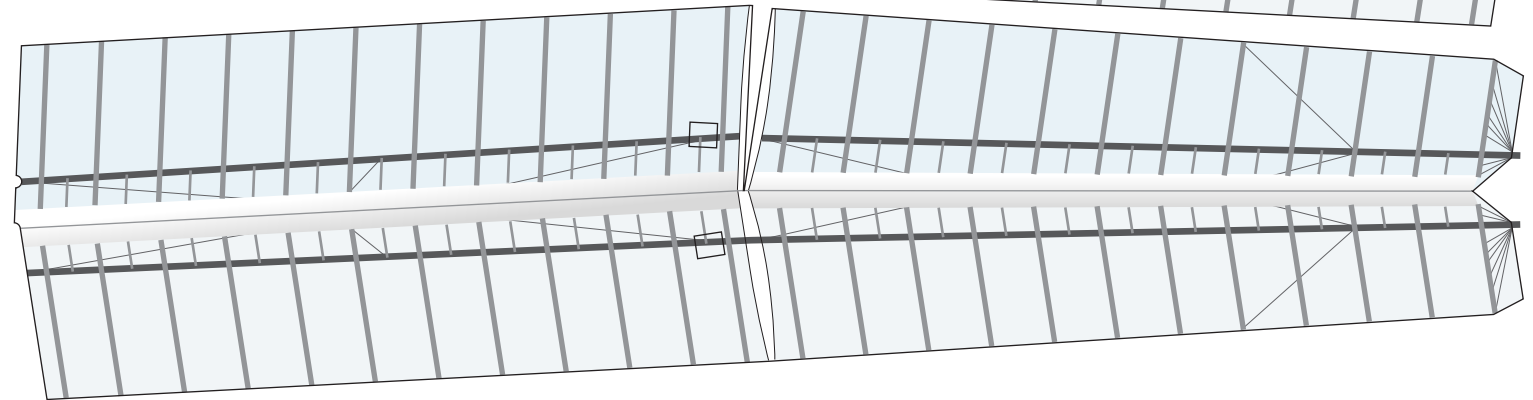
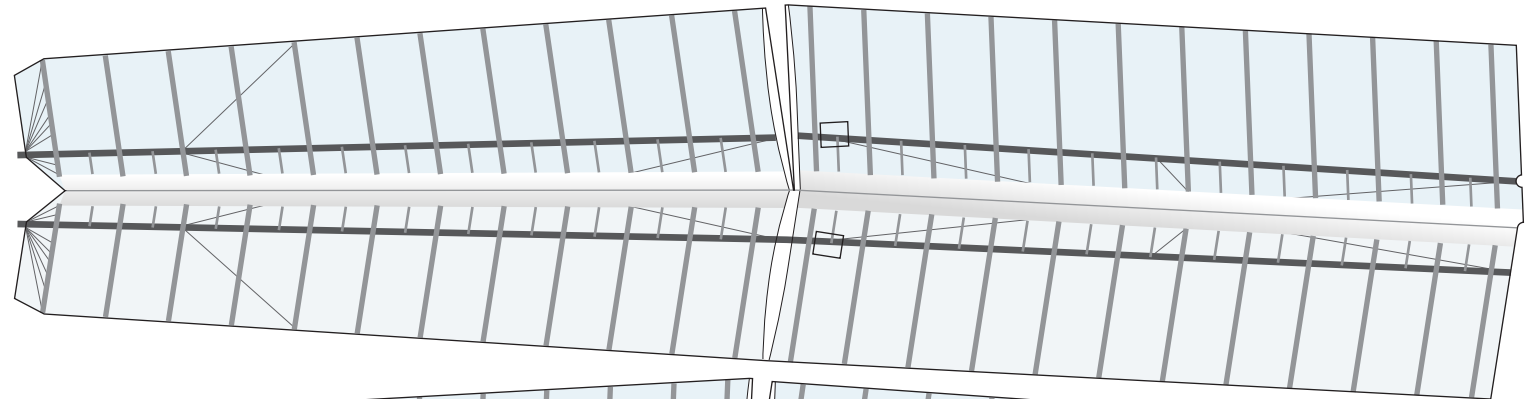
# Gossamer Albatross

Scale = 1:72

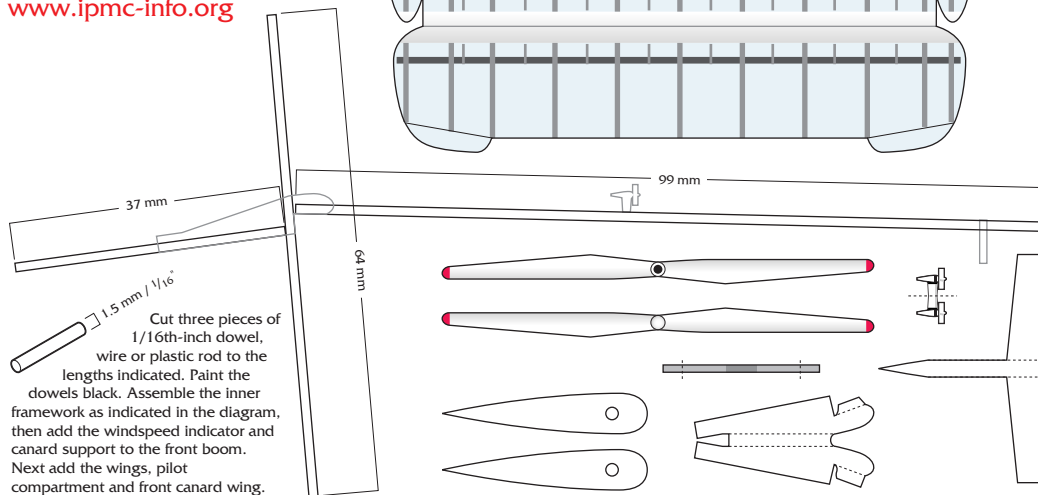
The annual Paper Modelers Convention takes place in Sterling, Virginia on October 22, 2011, where you can see amazing paper creations and meet paper modelers, designers and collectors.

After visiting the convention, stop at the Smithsonian Museum's Udvar-Hazy Center just down the road, to see the Gossamer Albatross, which made the first human-powered flight across the English Channel on June 12, 1979.

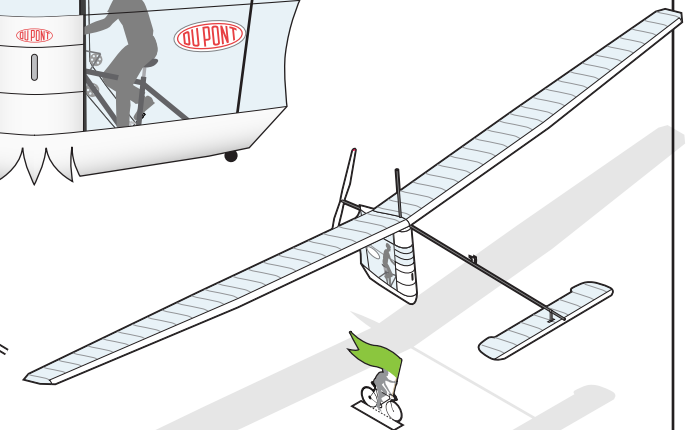
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Cut three pieces of 1/16th-inch dowel, wire or plastic rod to the lengths indicated. Paint the dowels black. Assemble the inner framework as indicated in the diagram, then add the windspeed indicator and canard support to the front boom. Next add the wings, pilot compartment and front canard wing.



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