**Improving Aircraft Models**

1. **Drill out gun barrels and exhausts**
2. **Add seat belts**
* Use commercial seat belts
* Make your own using 3M Durapore and Waldron or Eduard buckles
* Use 1/32" strips from lead foil with wire buckles formed on a .030

styrene block.

* Make your own using tape and 32-gauge floral wire for buckles and clasps. Copper or lead wire is also suitable
1. **Add brake lines/radio wires/battery wires**
* Use 22-gauge floral wire for brake lines. Copper or lead wire is also suitable
* Make aerial wire insulators from Krystal Klear or PVA glue
* Make larger insulators by placing two balls of material slight bit apart. Infill after two balls are dry
* Paint with ivory color
1. **Add fuel connection lines to drop tanks**
* Drill holes in drop tank and wings
* Use floral, copper, or lead wire for connection
1. **Add a figure**
2. **Detail the radial engine**
* Radial engine cylinders had 2 spark plugs (front & back)
* Only necessary to drill fa hole or the front spark plug wire
* Drill two holes in the ignition ring for each cylinder
* Use 22-gauge floral wire. Copper or lead wire is also suitable
* Insert every other ignition wire to start
* Trim and insert in cylinders
* Bend the remaining wires over the top of the cylinder heads for the rear spark plug wires