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SPARROWHAWK

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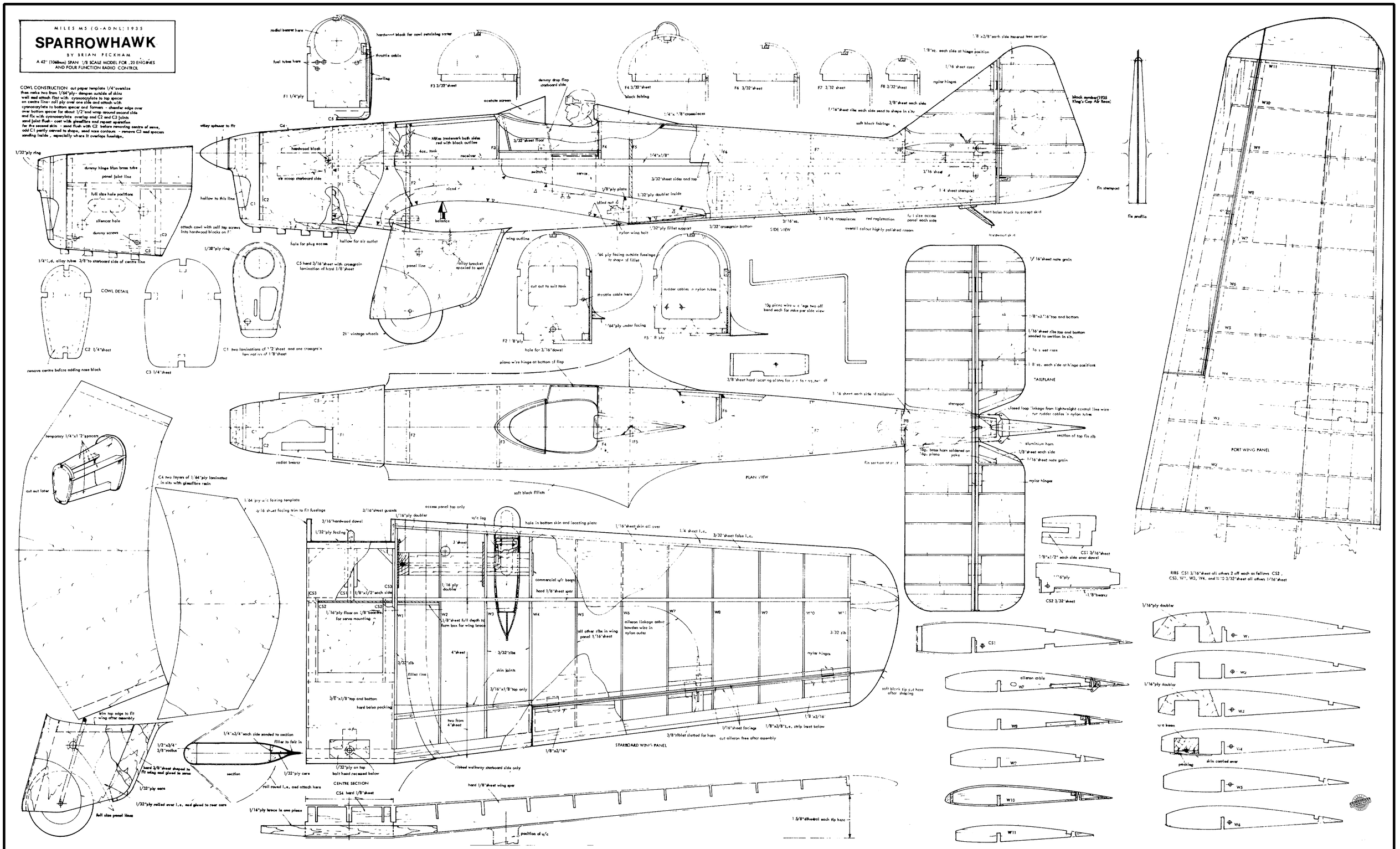
A 42" (1066mm) SPAN 1/8 SCALE MODEL FOR .20 ENGINES AND FOUR FUNCTION RADIO CONTROL

COWL CONSTRUCTION - cut paper template 1/4"-oversize then make two from 1/64"-ply - dampen outside of skins well and attach first with cyanoacrylate to top spacer on centre line - roll ply over one side and attach with cyanoacrylate to bottom spacer and formers - chamfer edge over over bottom spacer for about 1/2" and wrap around second side and fix with cyanoacrylate - overlap and C2 and C3 joints sand joint flush - coat with glassfibre and repeat operation for the second skin - sand flush with C2 before removing centre of servo, add C1 partly carved to shape, sand nose contours - remove C3 and spacers sanding inside, especially where it overlaps fuselage.