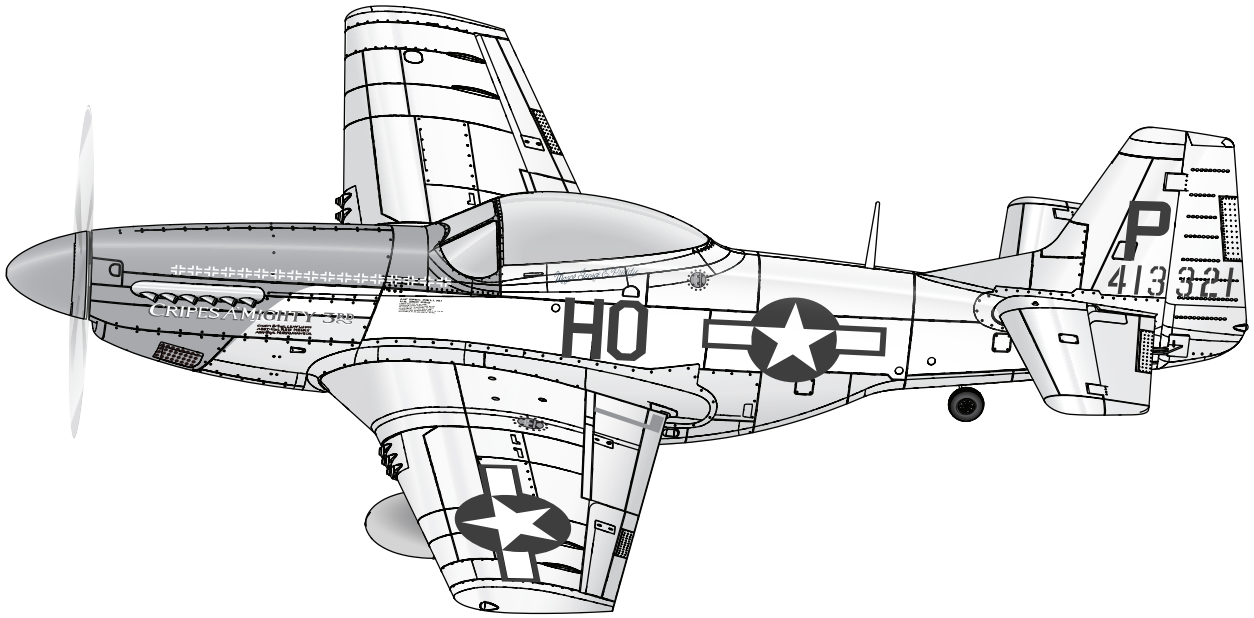
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- Always carefully follow the directions and warnings for this and any optional support equipment (chargers, rechargeable battery packs, etc.).
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- Always avoid water exposure to all equipment not specifically designed and protected for this purpose. Moisture causes damage to electronics.
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- Always keep aircraft in sight and under control.
- Always use fully charged batteries.
- Always keep transmitter powered on while aircraft is powered.
- Always remove batteries before disassembly.
- Always keep moving parts clean.
- Always keep parts dry.
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- Always remove batteries after use.
- Always ensure failsafe is properly set before flying.
- Never operate aircraft with damaged wiring.
- Never touch moving parts.

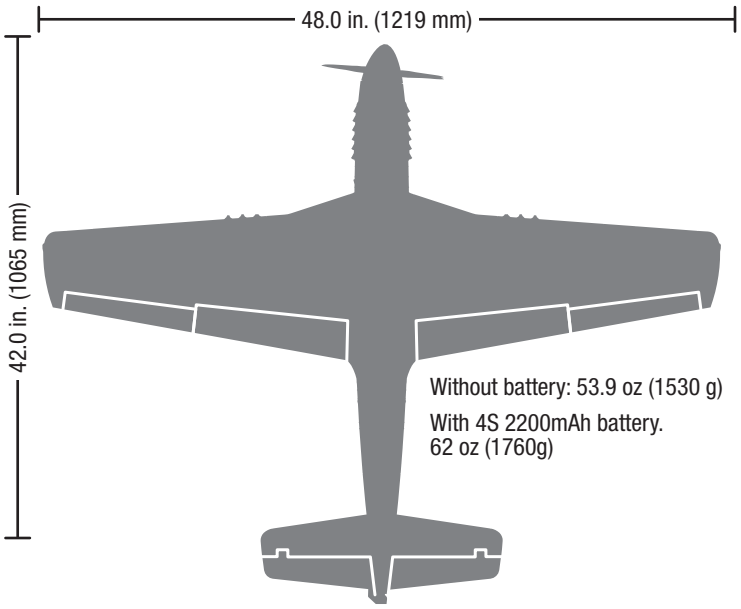
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Included / Recommended Equipment

	BNF BASIC	PNP PLUG-N-PLAY
Motor: 3226-850Kv Outrunner Motor, 14 pole (EFLM4115)	**Included**	**Included**
ESC: Avian 70-Amp Smart Lite Brushless ESC; 3S-6S, IC3 (SPMXAE70B)	**Installed**	**Installed**
Servos: A330 9g Sub-Micro servo: 140mm Lead (SPMSA330) Aileron: (2) Rudder: (1) Elevator: (1) Flaps: (2)	**Installed**	**Installed**
Receiver: AR631 6-Channel AS3X/SAFE Telemetry Receiver (SPMAR631)	**Installed**	**Required**
Recommended Battery: 4S 2200mAh 30C (SPMX22004S30)	**Required**	**Required**
Recommended Battery Charger: 3-4-cell Li-Po battery balancing charger	**Required**	**Required**
Recommended Transmitter: Full range 6-channel 2.4GHz with Spektrum DSMX®/DSM2 technology with adjustable Dual Rates.	**Required**	**Required**

Specifications



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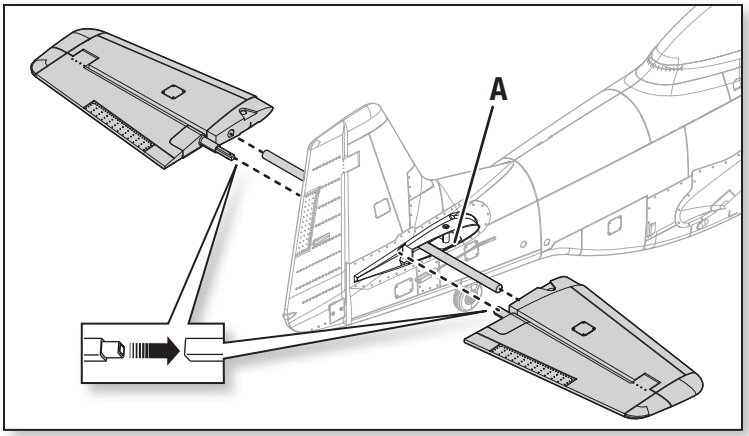
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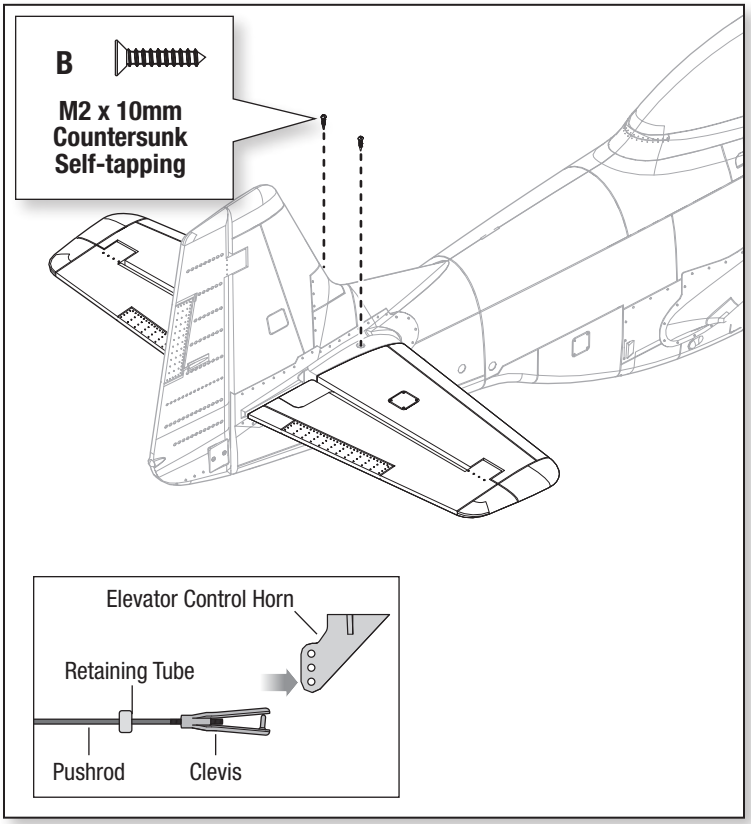
Model Assembly

Horizontal Stabilizer Installation

1. Slide the horizontal stabilizer tube **(A)** into the hole in the rear of the fuselage.
2. Install the 2 piece (left and right) horizontal stabilizer as shown. Ensure the control horn faces down.
3. Secure the two horizontal stabilizer pieces in place using the 2 included M2mm x 10mm countersunk self-tapping screws **(B)**. (Use a #0 phillips screwsdriver)
4. Attach the clevis to the elevator control horn (see instructions for clevis connection).

Disassemble in reverse order.





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Wing Installation

1. Remove the canopy hatch.
2. Guide the flap, retract and aileron servo connectors **(A)** through the hole **(B)** located in the bottom of the fuselage as shown.

Tip: If needed, use hemostats or pliers to pull the servo connectors into the fuselage.

3. Connect the flap, retract and aileron connectors to the their respective ports on the receiver.

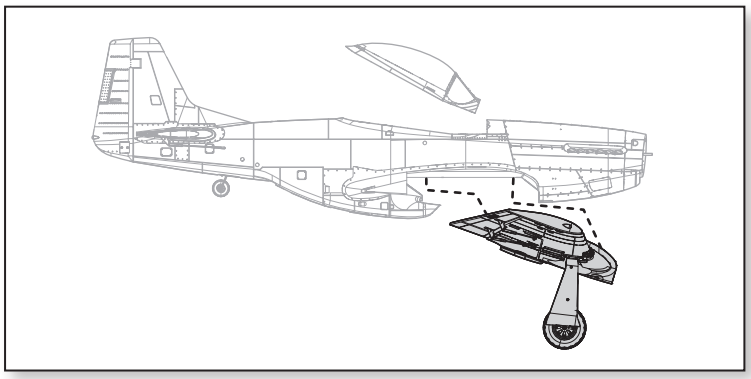
IMPORTANT: The ailerons must be connected to the receiver's AILE (#2 channel) with a Y-harness (included) for the AS3X® system to function properly.

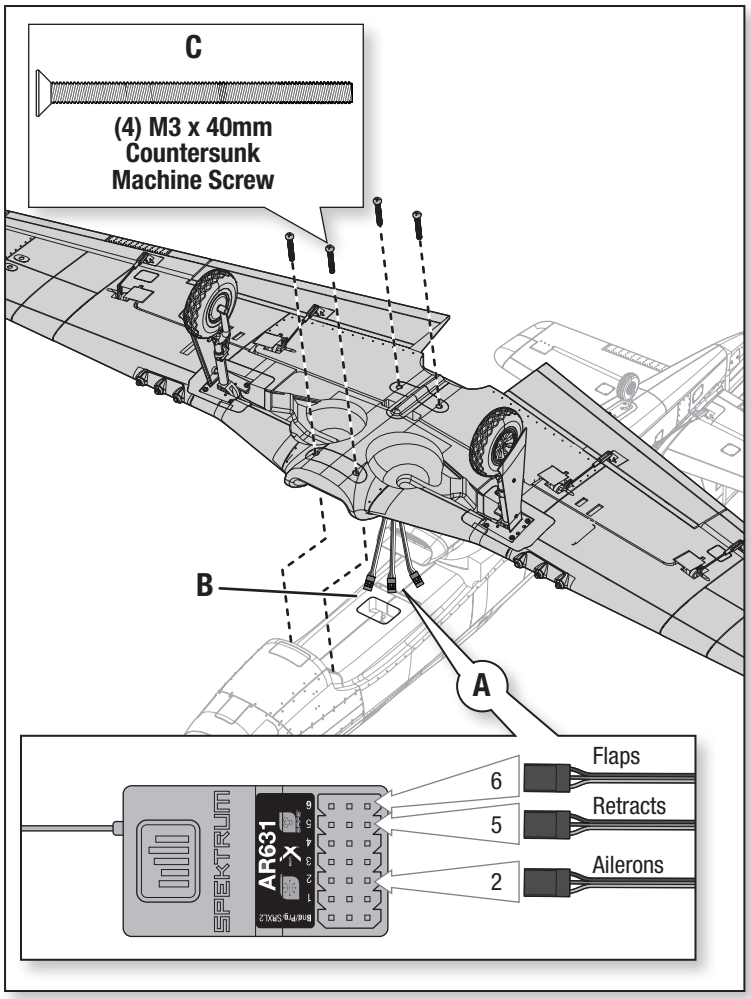
4. Align the wing with the fuselage and secure it into position using the 4 included M3 x 40mm countersunk machine screws **(C)**. (Use a 2mm allen driver.)

CAUTION: DO NOT crush or otherwise damage the wiring when attaching the wing to the fuselage.

5. Reinstall the canopy hatch on the fuselage.

Disassemble in reverse order.





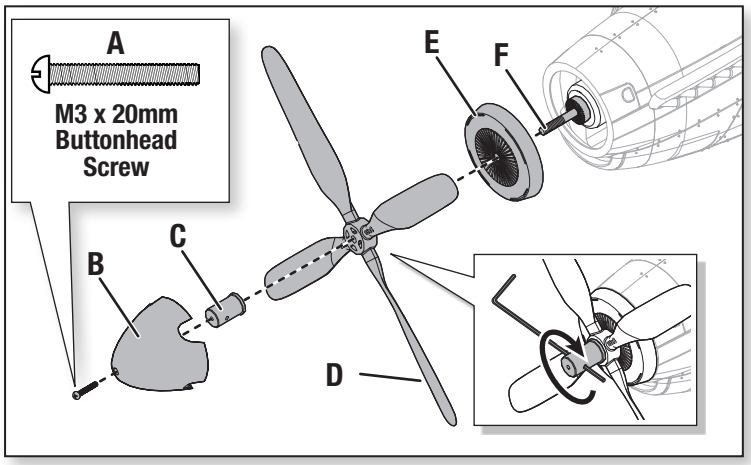
Propeller Installation

IMPORTANT: It is recommended to install the propeller after all system setups are completed to reduce the chance of accidental propeller strike.

1. Install the spinner back plate **(E)**, propeller **(D)** and propeller nut **(C)** onto the motor shaft **(F).** The propeller size numbers (10.5 x 8) must face forward for correct propeller operation.

2. Tighten the propeller nut by using a small screw driver or hex wrench inserted into the small hole (inset).

3. Align and install the spinner **(B)** with a M3 x 20mm button head screw **(A)**. (Use #1 Phillips screwdriver)

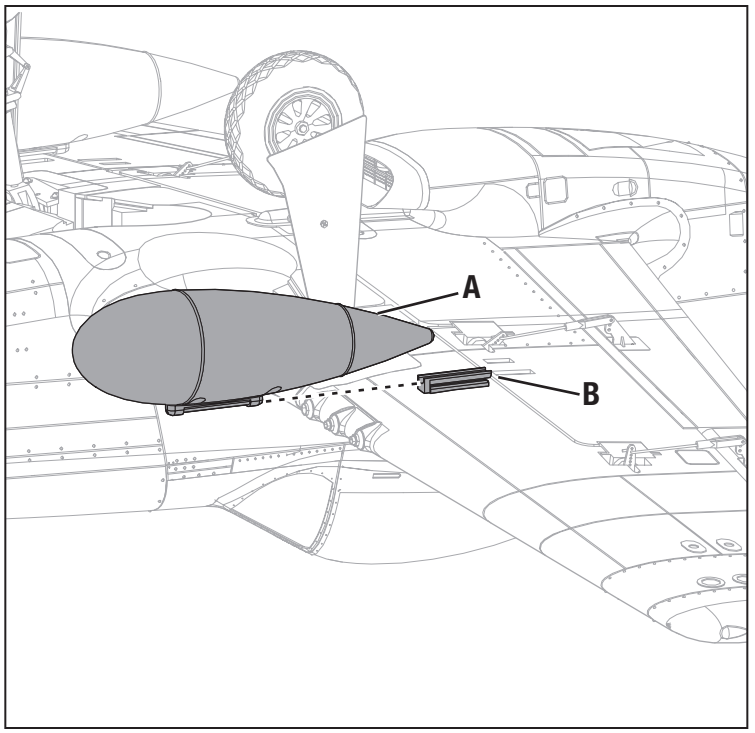


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Optional Drop Tank

Slide the optional drop tanks **(A)** into the rails **(B)** on each wing.

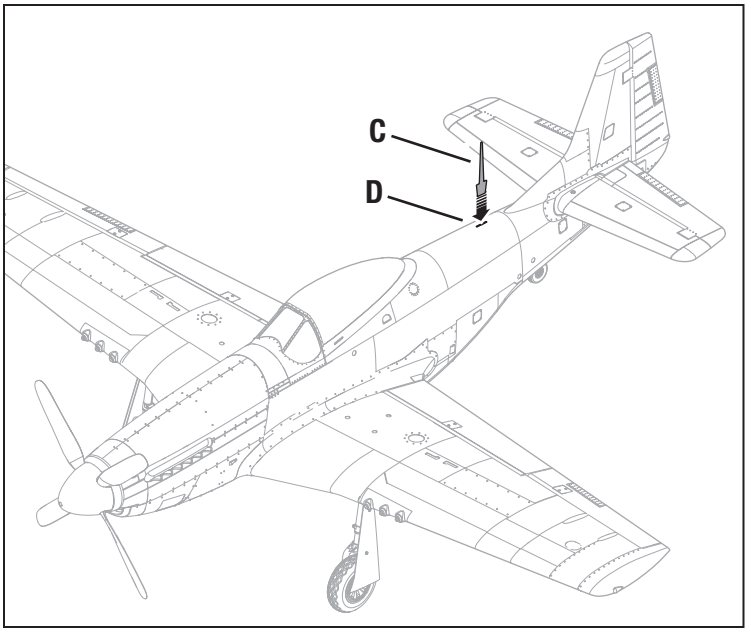
Check the Center of Gravity with the drop tanks installed.
See the Adjusting the Center of Gravity instructions for more information.



Optional Antenna Mast

1. Slide the antenna mast **(C)** into the slot **(D)** on top of the fuselage.

Disassemble in reverse order.



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Transmitter Setup

⚠ **WARNING**: Enable the throttle cut feature. Always engage throttle cut before approaching the aircraft.

⚠ **WARNING**: Never assign Aux 2 to SAFE Select during transmitter setup with any model transmitter. If SAFE Select is assigned to Aux 2, the throttle channel/motor will reverse in flight once SAFE is enabled. Motor reversing is assigned to Aux 2/channel 7 by default in the Smart ESC.

IMPORTANT: After you set up your model, always rebind the transmitter and receiver to set the desired failsafe positions.

IMPORTANT: The included receiver has been programmed specifically for operation in this aircraft.

The GEAR Channel (CH 5) controls the retractable landing gear.
The FLAP Channel (CH 6) controls the flaps.

‡ For DX6e, DX6, and DX7 setups, The FLAP Channel (CH 6) can be used to toggle SAFE Select. With the values listed in the radio setup table, it will turn SAFE ON for half and full flap positions and AS3X will be ON for no flaps position.To use the flap channel for SAFE Select, the switch values must be set to +100 and -100 and the speed set to 0 temporarily to assign the SAFE switch in the flap system menu. Then change the flap system values back to the listing in the Tx setup. See the *SAFE Select Switch Designation* section of this manual to assign the switch for SAFE Select.

† Some of the terminology and function locations used in the iX12 and iX20 programming may be slightly different than other Spektrum AirWare™ radios. The names given in parentheses correspond to the iX12 and iX20 programming terminology. Consult your transmitter manual for specific information about programming your transmitter.

Pre-Programmed Transmitter Setup Files

To save time when setting up your transmitter for this model, visit www.SpektrumRC.com to download the latest pre-programmed transmitter setup files. The files are found under “SETUPS/UPDATES” and the “AIR TRANSMITTER SETUPS” link. Select your radio/transmitter, then on the corresponding page under “SETUPS & DOWNLOADS” click the “DOWNLOAD SETUPS” button to view the available files in the drop down list. Locate the file for this model using the item number. Download the correct model file to and install it in your transmitter using an SD card.

Dual Rates

Low rate is recommended for the initial flights.

NOTICE: To ensure AS3X® technology functions properly, do not lower rate values below 50%. If lower rates are desired, manually adjust the position of the pushrods on the servo arm.

NOTICE: If oscillation occurs at high speed, refer to the Troubleshooting Guide for more information.

Computerized Transmitter Setup		
Start all transmitter programming with a blank ACRO model (perform a model reset), then name the model.		
Set Dual Rates to	2 Position switch	3 Position switch
	HIGH 100%	HIGH 100%
		MID 70%
	LOW 70%	LOW 50%
Set Servo Travel to	100%	
Set Throttle Cut to	-100%	
DX6e ‡ DX6 ‡ (Gen2) DX7‡ (Gen2) NX6‡ DX8e DX8 (Gen2) DX9 DX10t DX18 DX20 iX12 † iX20 † NX8 NX10	1. Go to the SYSTEM SETUP (Model Utilities)†	
	2. Set MODEL TYPE: AIRPLANE	
	3. Set AIRCRAFT TYPE: (Model Setup, Aircraft Type)†: WING: 1 AIL 1 FLAP	
	5. Go to the FUNCTION LIST (Model Adjust)†	
	6. Select Servo Setup -> Reverse -> Reverse GEAR (CH5)	
	7. Select FLAP SYSTEM: Set Switch; SWITCH D Pos 0: 100% FLAP Pos 1: 0% FLAP Pos 2: -100% FLAP Switch: Switch D Speed: 2.0s	

Exponential

After first flights, you may adjust exponential in your transmitter.

Transmitter Telemetry Setup

If the transmitter that you intend to use with this aircraft is not displaying telemetry data, visit www.SpektrumRC.com and update your firmware. With the latest firmware installed on your transmitter the telemetry option should now be functional on your transmitter.

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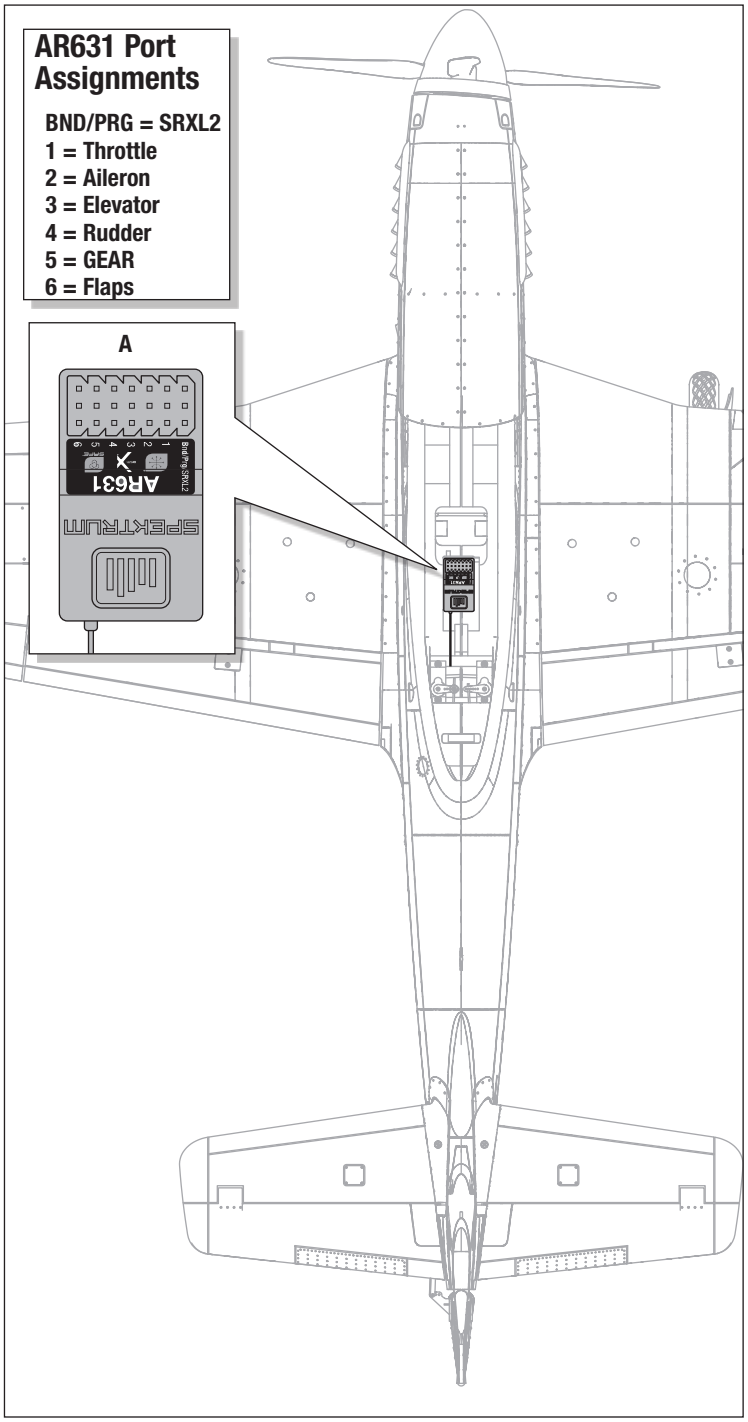
PNP Receiver Selection and Installation

The recommended receiver for this aircraft is the Spektrum AR631. If you choose to install a different receiver, ensure that it is at least a 6-channel full range receiver. Refer to the manual of your chosen receiver for correct installation and operation instructions.

AR631 Installation

1. Remove the hatch by pulling up on the back of the hatch to expose the receiver compartment.
2. Connect the control surface servos to the their respective ports on the receiver using the table at the right.
3. Using double-sided servo tape (not included) mount the receiver to the flat area of the receiver compartment, as shown. The receiver (A) should be mounted in the orientation shown, parallel to the length of the fuselage, with the label facing up and the servo ports towards the front of the aircraft. The orientation of the receiver is critical for all AS3X® and SAFE® technology setups.

⚠ **CAUTION:** Incorrect installation of the receiver could cause a crash.



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Battery Installation and ESC Arming

Battery Selection

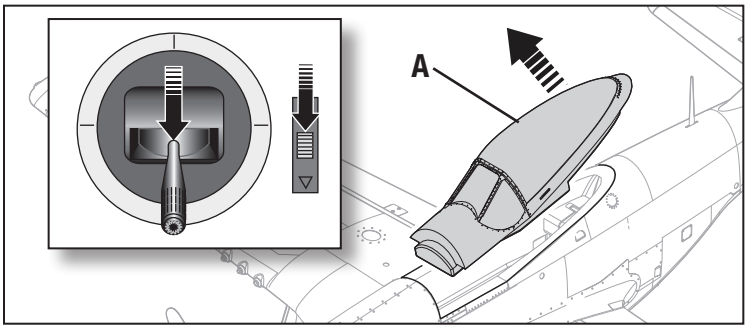
We recommend the 4S 2200mAh 30C Smart LiPo Battery. Refer to the Optional Parts List for other recommended batteries. If using a battery other than those listed, the battery should be within the range of capacity, dimensions and weight of the Spektrum Li-Po battery packs to fit in the fuselage. Be sure the model balances at the recommended CG.

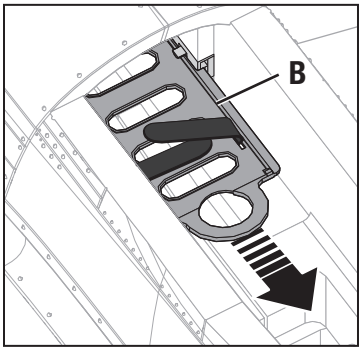
1. Lower the throttle and throttle trim to the lowest settings. Power on theTransmitter, then wait 5 seconds.
2. Carefully lift the back of the canopy hatch **(A)** to remove.
3. Slide the battery tray **(B)** out of the battery compartment.
4. For added security apply the loop side (soft side) of the optional hook and loop tape **(C)** to the bottom of your battery and the hook side to the battery tray.
5. Install a fully charged battery **(D)** on the front edge of the battery tray as shown and secure it using the hook and loop straps **(E)**.
6. Align the battery tray with the tracks in the battery compartment and slide the tray all the way forward until the tray locks.
7. Connect the battery to the ESC (the ESC is now armed).
8. Keep the aircraft immobile and away from wind or the system will not initialize.

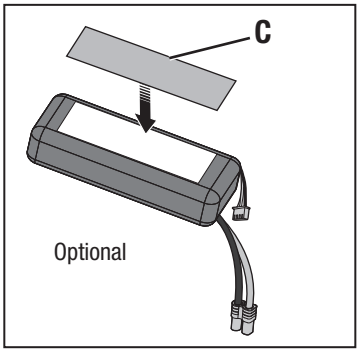
- The ESC will sound a series of tones (refer to step 6 of the binding instructions for more information).
- An LED will light on the receiver.

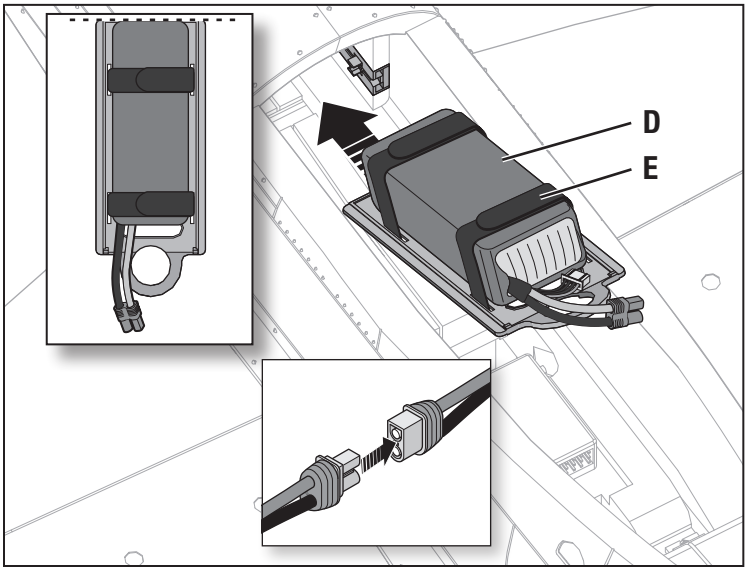
If the ESC sounds a continuous double beep after the flight battery is connected, recharge or replace the battery.

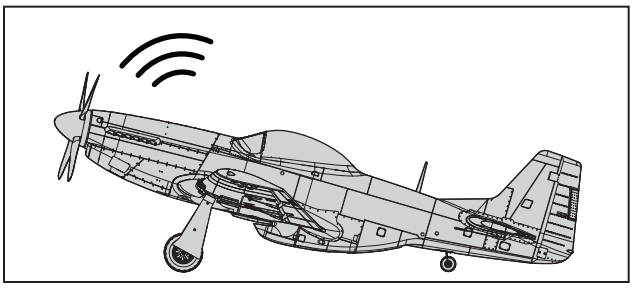
9. Reinstall the canopy hatch.











CAUTION: Always keep hands away from the propeller. When armed, the motor will turn the propeller in response to any throttle movement.

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Binding

General Binding Tips and Failsafe

- The included receiver has been specifically programmed for operation of this aircraft. Refer to the receiver manual for correct setup if the receiver is replaced.
- Keep away from large metal objects while binding.
- Do not point the transmitter's antenna directly at the receiver while binding.
- The orange LED on the receiver will flash rapidly when the receiver enters bind mode.
- Once bound, the receiver will retain its bind settings for that transmitter until you re-bind.
- If the receiver loses transmitter communication, the failsafe will activate. Failsafe moves the throttle channel to low throttle. Pitch and roll channels move to actively stabilize the aircraft in a descending turn.
- If problems occur, refer to the troubleshooting guide or if needed, contact the appropriate Horizon Product Support office.

Transmitter and Receiver Binding / Enabling SAFE Select

The BNF Basic version of this airplane includes SAFE Select technology, enabling you to choose the level of flight protection. SAFE mode includes angle limits and automatic self leveling. AS3X mode provides the pilot with a direct response to the control sticks. SAFE Select is enabled or disabled during the bind process.

With SAFE Select disabled the aircraft is always in AS3X mode. With SAFE Select enabled the aircraft will be in SAFE Select mode all the time, or you can assign a switch to toggle between SAFE Select and AS3X modes.

IMPORTANT: Before binding, read the transmitter setup section in this manual and complete the transmitter setup table to ensure your transmitter is properly programmed for this aircraft.

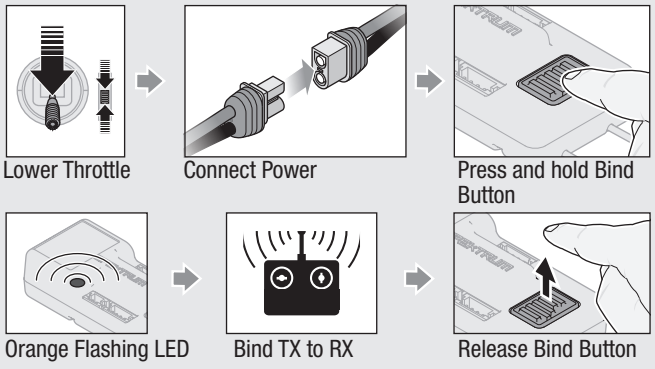
IMPORTANT: Move the transmitter flight controls (rudder, elevators, and ailerons) and the throttle trims to neutral. Move the throttle to low before and during binding.

You can use either the bind button on the receiver or the conventional bind plug to complete the binding process.

A bind plug extension has been provided in BNF Basic version models. It will be labeled and located in the battery or radio compartment for easy access.

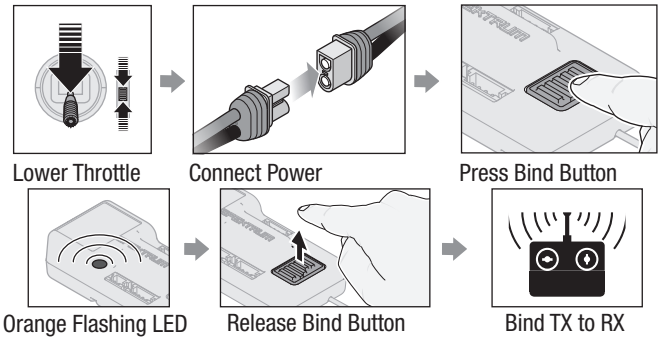
Using Bind Button

SAFE Select Enabled



SAFE Select Enabled: The control surfaces cycle back and forth **twice** with a slight pause at neutral position every time the receiver is powered on.

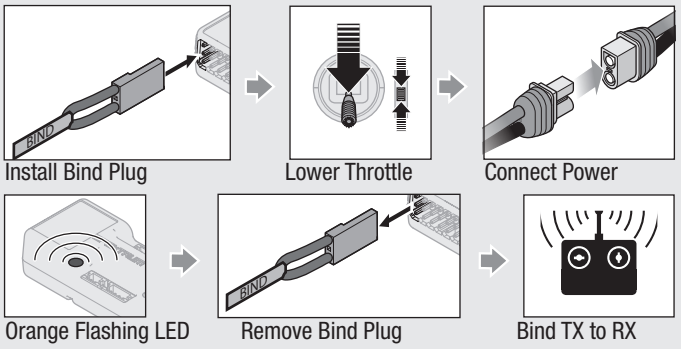
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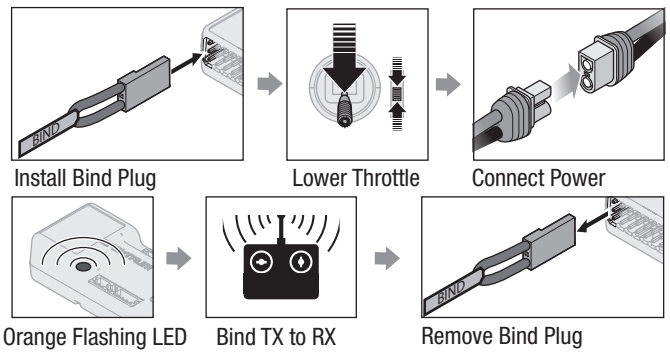
Using Bind Plug

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SAFE Select Disabled



SAFE Select Disabled: The control surfaces cycle back and forth **once** every time the receiver is powered on.

SAFE Select can also be activated via Forward Programming in compatible transmitters.

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SAFE® Select Switch Designation *BNF*

Stick Inputs

Once SAFE Select is enabled, you can choose to fly in SAFE mode full-time, or assign a switch. Any switch on any channel between 5 and 9 can be used on your transmitter.

If the aircraft is bound with SAFE Select disabled, the aircraft will be in AS3X mode exclusively.

⚠ **CAUTION:** Keep all body parts well clear of the propeller and keep the aircraft securely restrained in case of accidental throttle activation.

IMPORTANT: To be able to assign a switch, first verify:

- The aircraft was bound with SAFE Select enabled.
- Your choice for the SAFE Select switch is assigned to a channel between 5 and 9 (Gear, Aux1-4), and travel is set at 100% in each direction.
- The aileron, elevator, rudder and throttle direction are set to normal, not reverse.
- The aileron, elevator, rudder and throttle are set to 100% travel. If dual rates are in use, the switches need to be in the 100% position.

See your transmitter manual for more information about assigning a switch to a channel.

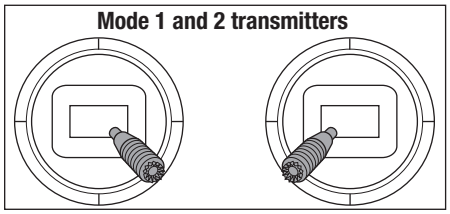
TIP: If a SAFE Select switch is desired for your 6-function aircraft, and you are using a 6 channel transmitter, the SAFE Select switch channel will have to be shared with either channel 5 or 6 of the transmitter.

Assigning a Switch

1. Power on the transmitter.
2. Power on the aircraft.
3. Hold both transmitter sticks to the inside bottom corners, and toggle the desired switch 5 times quickly (1 toggle = full up and down).
4. The control surfaces of the aircraft will move, indicating the switch has been selected.

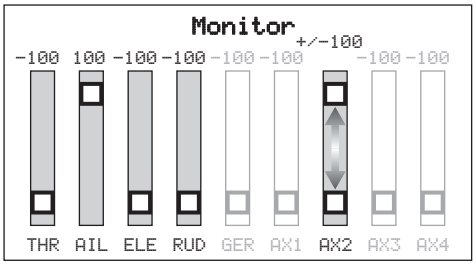
Repeat the process to assign a different switch or to deactivate the current switch.

SAFE Select Switch Assignment Stick Positions



TIP: Use the channel monitor to verify channel movement.

This example of the channel monitor shows the stick positions for assigning a switch, the switch selection on Aux2, and +/- 100% travel on the switch.



Forward Programming

Assign the SAFE Select channel through forward programming on your compatible Spektrum transmitter.

For more information about setting SAFE Select and using Forward Programming, please refer to the following link for a detailed video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o-46P066cik

Forward Programming SAFE Select Setup	
DX series, NX series, iX series	1. Begin with the transmitter bound to the receiver.
	2. Power ON the transmitter.
	3. Assign a switch for SAFE Select that is not already in use for another function. Use any open channel between 5 and 9 (Gear, Aux1-4).
	4. Set switch H (throttle cut) to prevent accidental motor operation.
	5. Power ON the aircraft. A signal bar appears on your transmitter's main screen when the telemetry information is being received.
	6. Go to the FUNCTION LIST (Model Setup)
	7. Select Forward Programming; Select Gyro Settings, Choose SAFE Select to enter the menu.
	8. Set SAFE Select Ch: To the channel you have chosen for SAFE Select.
	9. Set AS3X and SAFE On or Off as desired for each switch position.

Integrated ESC Telemetry

BNF: This aircraft includes telemetry between the ESC and receiver, which can provide information including RPM, voltage, motor current, throttle setting (%), and FET (speed controller) temperature.

PNP: The ESC in this aircraft is capable of delivering telemetry information over the throttle connection when paired with a Smart compatible Spektrum telemetry receiver. It will function with a normal PWM servo signal for common radio control systems.

For more information about compatible transmitters, firmware updates, and how to use the telemetry technology on your transmitter, visit www.SpektrumRC.com.

Telemetry Setup	
DX series, NX series, iX series	1. Begin with the transmitter bound to the receiver.
	2. Power ON the transmitter.
	3. Set switch H (throttle cut) to prevent accidental motor operation.
	4. Power ON the aircraft. A signal bar appears on your transmitter's main screen when the telemetry information is being received.
	5. Go to the FUNCTION LIST (Model Setup)
	6. Select TELEMETRY; Smart ESC
	7. Set Total Cells: 4
	8. Set LVC Alarm: 3.4V Set Alarm; Voice/Vibe
	9. Set pole count; 14 pole

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Control Direction Test

Switch on the transmitter and connect the battery. Use the transmitter to operate the aileron, elevator and rudder controls. View the aircraft from the rear when checking the control directions.

The BNF Basic version of this model has a built in aileron to rudder mix, when the ailerons are deflected the rudder will move.

Elevator

1. Pull the elevator stick back. The elevators should move up, which will cause the aircraft to pitch up.
2. Push the elevator stick forward. The elevators should move down, which will cause the aircraft to pitch down.

Ailerons

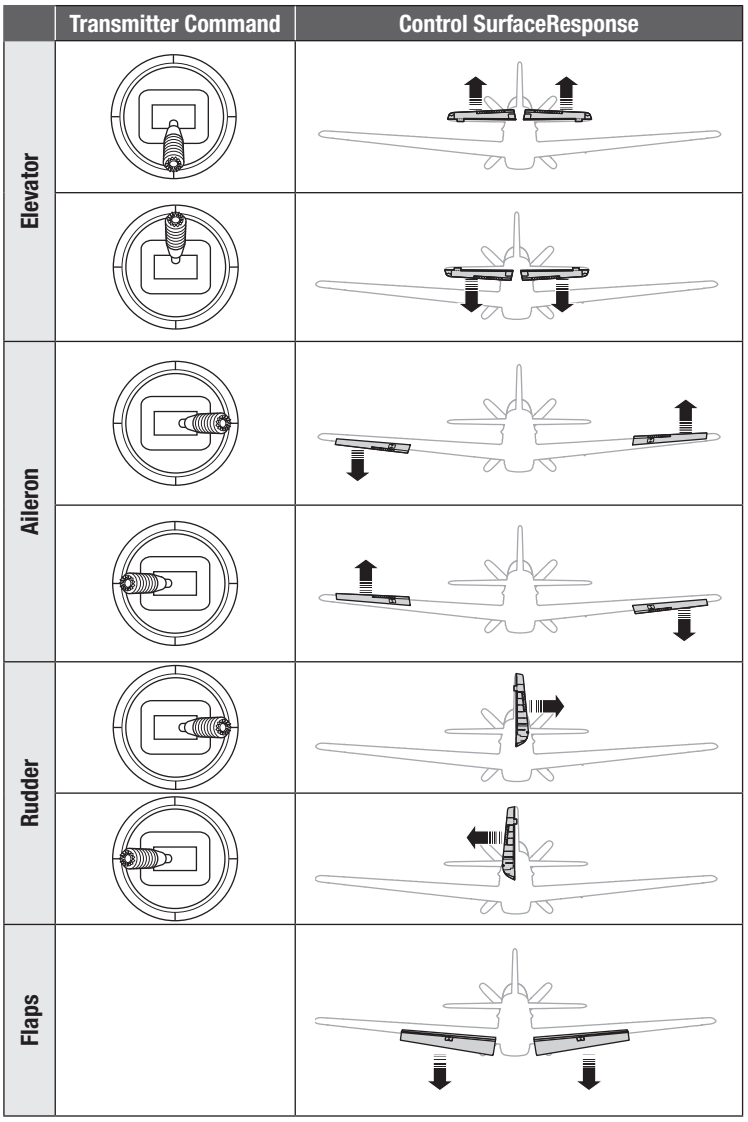
1. Move the aileron stick to the right. The right aileron should move up and the left aileron down, which will cause the aircraft to bank right.
2. Move the aileron stick to the left. The left aileron should move up and the right aileron down, which will cause the aircraft to bank left.

Rudders

1. Move the rudder stick to the right. The rudders should move to the right, which will cause the aircraft to yaw right.
2. Move the rudder stick to the left. The rudders should move to the left, which will cause the aircraft to yaw left.

Flaps

1. Move your flap control switch to the partial flaps position.
2. Confirm that the flaps move down.
3. Move flap control switch to the full flaps position.
4. Confirm the flaps move farther down than in step two.



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AS3X Response Test

This test ensures that the AS3X® control system is functioning properly. Assemble the aircraft and bind your transmitter to the receiver before performing this test.

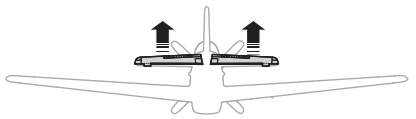
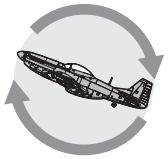
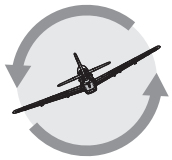
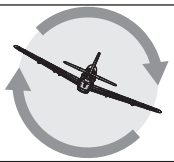
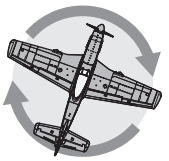
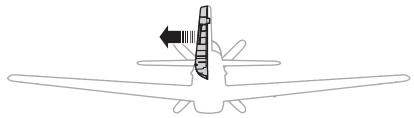
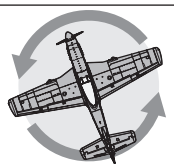
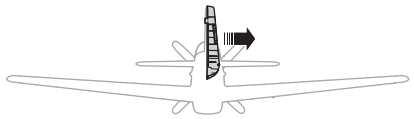
1. Raise the throttle just above 25%, then lower the throttle to activate AS3X.

CAUTION: Keep all body parts, hair and loose clothing away from a moving propeller, as these items could become entangled.

2. Move the entire aircraft as shown and ensure the control surfaces move in the direction indicated in the graphic. If the control surfaces do not respond as shown, do not fly the aircraft. Refer to the receiver manual for more information.

Once the AS3X system is active, control surfaces may move rapidly. This is normal. AS3X remains active until the battery is disconnected.

Due to different effects of torque, lift, and drag some aircraft require trim changes with different speeds and throttle settings. Mixes are preloaded into the receiver to compensate for these changes. The mixes become active the first time the throttle is raised above 25%. The control surfaces may be offset slightly at different throttle settings after the first time throttle is raised. Trimming the plane in flight should be done at 80-100% throttle for best results.

	Aircraft movement	AS3X Reaction
Elevator		
		
Aileron		
		
Rudder		
		

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Control Surface Centering and Adjusting a Clevis

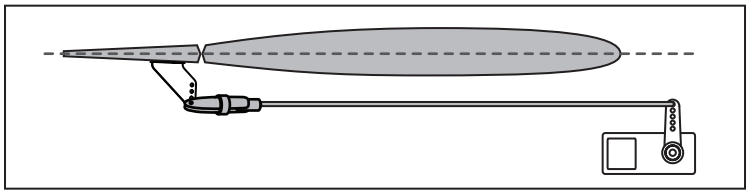
IMPORTANT: Perform the Control Direction Test before performing control surface centering.

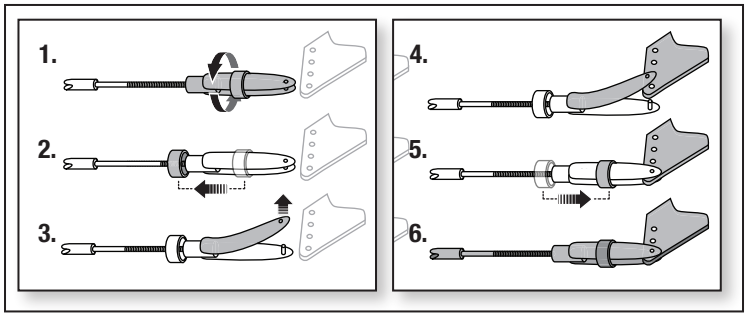
While SAFE is inactive, mechanically center the control surfaces.

IMPORTANT: Correct operation of the SAFE system requires sub-trim and trim at 0.

After binding a transmitter to the receiver, set the trims and sub-trims to 0, ensure the servo arms are in the correct positions, then adjust the linkages to center the control surfaces.

- Slide the retaining tube off the clevis.
- Carefully spread the clevis, then insert the clevis pin into the desired hole in the control horn.
- Move the retaining tube to hold the clevis on the control horn.

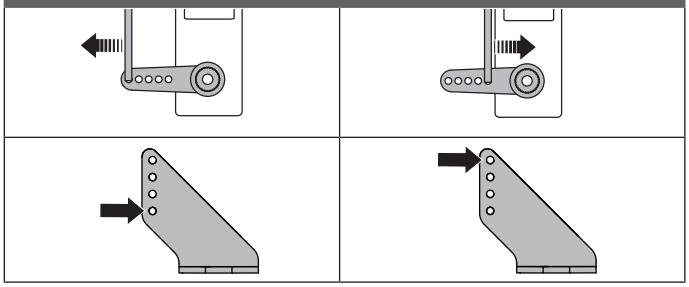


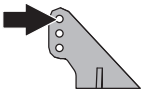
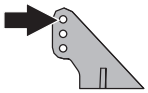
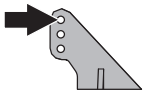
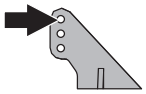


Control Horn and Servo Arm Factory Settings

The table to the right shows the factory settings for the control horns and servo arms. Fly the aircraft at factory settings before making changes.

After flying, you may choose to adjust the linkage positions for the desired control response. See the table to the right.

More control throw	Less control throw
	

	Control Horns	Servo Arms
Elevator		
Rudder		
Ailerons		
Flaps		

Dual Rates and Control Throws

Program your transmitter to set the rates and control throws to the values given. These values have been tested and are a good starting point to achieve successful flight.

After flying, you may choose to adjust the values for the desired control response.

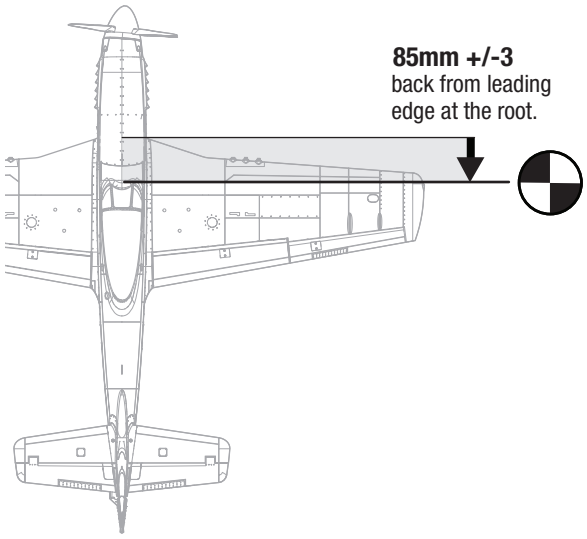
	High Rate	Low Rate
Aileron	▲ = 12mm ▼ = 12mm	▲ = 8mm ▼ = 8mm
Elevator	▲ = 15mm ▼ = 15mm	▲ = 11mm ▼ = 11mm
Rudder	▶ = 20mm ◀ = 20mm	▶ = 10mm ◀ = 10mm
Flaps	Partial	Full
	▼ = 30mm	▼ = 60mm

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Center of Gravity (CG)

The CG location is measured from the leading edge of the wing at the root. This CG location has been determined with the recommended Li-Po battery (SPMX22004S30) installed to the front edge of the battery tray. Check the CG with the model inverted, with the landing gear retracted. Adjust the battery forward or aft as needed to achieve the proper CG location.

CAUTION: Install the battery but do not arm the ESC while checking the CG. Personal injury may result.



SAFE Select Flying Tips *BNF*

When flying in SAFE Select mode the aircraft will return to level flight any time the aileron and elevator controls are at neutral. Applying aileron or elevator control will cause the airplane to bank, climb or dive. The amount the stick is moved will determine the attitude the airplane flies. Holding full control will push the aircraft to the pre-determined bank and roll limits, but it will not go past those angles.

When flying with SAFE Select, it is normal to hold the control stick deflected with moderate aileron input when flying through a turn. To fly smoothly with SAFE Select, avoid making frequent control changes and don't attempt to correct for minor deviations. Holding deliberate control inputs will command the aircraft to fly at a specific angle, and the model will make all corrections to maintain that flight attitude.

When flying with SAFE Select, throttle will make the aircraft climb or descend. Full throttle will cause the aircraft to pitch up and climb slightly. Mid throttle will keep the airplane flying level. Low throttle will cause the airplane to descend slightly nose-down.

Return the elevator and aileron controls to neutral before switching from SAFE Select mode to AS3X mode. If you do not neutralize controls when switching into AS3X mode, the control inputs used for SAFE Select mode will be excessive for AS3X mode and the aircraft will react immediately.

Differences between SAFE Select and AS3X modes

This section is generally accurate but does not take into account flight speed, battery charge status, and other limiting factors.

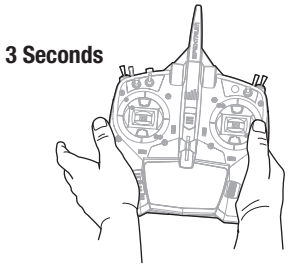
		SAFE Select	AS3X
Control Input	Control stick is neutralized	Aircraft will self level	Aircraft will continue to fly at its present attitude
	Holding a small amount of control	Aircraft will bank or pitch to a moderate angle and maintain the attitude	Aircraft will continue to pitch or roll slowly
	Holding full control	Aircraft will bank or pitch to the predetermined limits and maintain the attitude	Aircraft will continue to roll or pitch rapidly
	Throttle	Full throttle: Climb Neutral: Level flight Low throttle: Descend	Throttle will not affect flight response.

In-Flight Trimming

During your first flight, trim the aircraft for level flight at 80-100% throttle. Make small trim adjustments with your transmitter's trim switches to achieve straight and level flight.

After adjusting trim do not touch the control sticks for 3 seconds. This allows the receiver to learn the correct settings to optimize AS3X performance.

Failure to do so could affect flight performance.



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Post Flight

1. Disconnect the flight battery from the ESC (Required for Safety and battery life).
2. Power OFF the transmitter.
3. Remove the flight battery from the aircraft.
4. Recharge the flight battery.
5. Repair or replace all damaged parts.
6. Store the flight battery apart from the aircraft and monitor the battery charge.
7. Make note of the flight conditions and flight plan results, planning for future flights.

Motor Service

CAUTION: Always disconnect the flight battery before performing motor service.

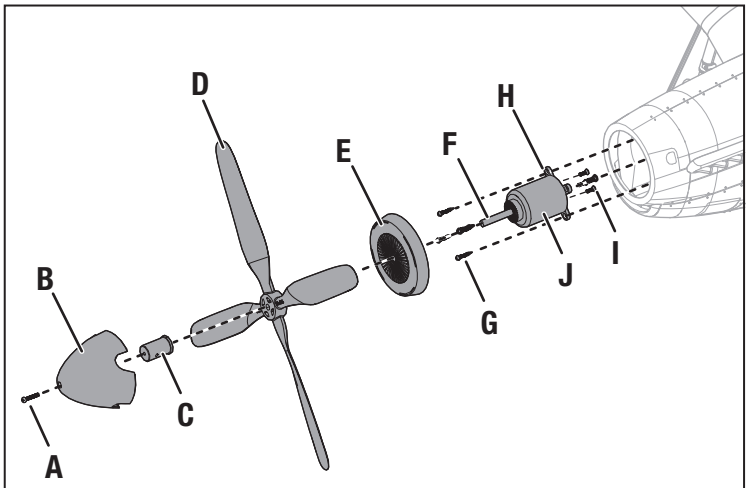
Disassembly

1. Remove the screw **(A)** and spinner **(B)** from the propeller nut **(C)**.
2 Remove the propeller **(D)**, backplate **(E)** from the motor shaft **(F)**.
3. Remove the 4 screws **(G)** from the motor mount **(H)** and the fuselage.
4. Disconnect the motor wires from the ESC wires.
5. Remove the 4 screws **(I)** and motor **(J)** from the motor mount.

Assembly

Assemble in reverse order.

- Correctly align and connect the motor wire colors with the ESC wires.
- Install the propeller with the size numbers (10.5 x 8) facing forward.
- Tighten the propeller nut by using a small screw driver or hex wrench inserted into the small hole.



Wiring not shown

Servo Service

Control Surface	Replacement Servo	Description	Replacement Adhesive
Aileron	SPMSA330	A330 9g Sub-Micro Servo	Deluxe Materials Foam 2 Foam (DLMAD34)
Elevator			
Rudder			
Flaps			

Troubleshooting Guide AS3X

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Oscillation	Damaged propeller or spinner	Replace propeller or spinner
	Imbalanced propeller	Balance the propeller.
	Motor vibration	Replace parts or correctly align all parts and tighten fasteners as needed
	Loose receiver	Align and secure receiver in fuselage
	Loose aircraft controls	Tighten or otherwise secure parts (servo, arm, clevis, horn and control surface)
	Worn parts	Replace worn parts (especially propeller, spinner or servo)
	Irregular servo movement	Replace servo
Inconsistent flight performance	Trim is not at neutral	If you adjust trim more than 8 clicks, adjust the clevis to remove trim
	Sub-Trim is not at neutral	No Sub-Trim is allowed. Adjust the servo linkage
	Aircraft was not kept immobile for 5 seconds after battery connection	With the throttle stick in lowest position. Disconnect battery, then reconnect battery and keep the aircraft still for 5 seconds
Incorrect response to the AS3X Control Direction Test	Incorrect direction settings in the receiver, which can cause a crash	DO NOT fly. Contact Product Support for a solution.

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Troubleshooting Guide

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Aircraft will not respond to throttle but responds to other controls	Throttle not at idle and/or throttle trim too high	Reset controls with throttle stick and throttle trim at lowest setting
	Throttle servo travel is lower than 100%	Make sure throttle servo travel is 100% or greater
	Throttle channel is reversed	Reverse throttle channel on transmitter
	Motor disconnected from ESC	Make sure motor is connected to the ESC
Extra propeller noise or extra vibration	Damaged propeller and spinner, prob adapter or motor	Replace damaged parts
	Propeller is out of balance	Balance or replace propeller
	Prop nut is too loose	Tighten the prop nut
Reduced flight time or aircraft underpowered	Flight battery charge is low	Completely recharge flight battery
	Propeller installed backwards	Install propeller with numbers facing forward
	Flight battery damaged	Replace flight battery and follow flight battery instructions
	Flight conditions may be too cold	Make sure battery is warm before use
	Battery capacity too low for flight conditions	Replace battery or use a larger capacity battery
Aircraft will not Bind (during binding) to transmitter	Transmitter too near aircraft during binding process	Move powered transmitter a few feet from aircraft, disconnect and reconnect flight battery to aircraft
	Aircraft or transmitter is too close to large metal object, wireless source or another transmitter	Move aircraft and transmitter to another location and attempt binding again
	The bind plug is not installed correctly in the bind port	Install bind plug in bind port and bind the aircraft to the transmitter
	Flight battery/transmitter battery charge is too low	Replace/recharge batteries
	Bind switch or button not held long enough during bind process	Power off transmitter and repeat bind process. Hold transmitter bind button or switch until receiver is bound
Aircraft will not connect (after binding) to transmitter	Transmitter too near aircraft during connecting process	Move powered transmitter a few feet from aircraft, disconnect and reconnect flight battery to aircraft
	Aircraft or transmitter is too close to large metal object, wireless source or another transmitter	Move aircraft and transmitter to another location and attempt connecting again
	Bind plug left installed in bind port	Rebind transmitter to the aircraft and remove the bind plug before cycling power
	Aircraft bound to different model memory (ModelMatch™ radios only)	Select correct model memory on transmitter
	Flight battery/Transmitter battery charge is too low	Replace/recharge batteries
	Transmitter may have been bound to a different aircraft using different DSM protocol	Bind aircraft to transmitter
Control surface does not move	Control surface, control horn, linkage or servo damage	Replace or repair damaged parts and adjust controls
	Wire damaged or connections loose	Do a check of wires and connections, connect or replace as needed
	Transmitter is not bound correctly or the incorrect airplanes was selected	Re-bind or select correct airplanes in transmitter
	Flight battery charge is low	Fully recharge flight battery
	BEC (Battery Elimination Circuit) of the ESC is damaged	Replace ESC
Controls reversed	Transmitter settings are reversed	Perform the Control Direction Test and adjust the controls on transmitter appropriately
Motor pulses then motor loses power	ESC uses default soft Low Voltage Cutoff (LVC)	Recharge flight battery or replace battery that is no longer performing
	Weather conditions might be too cold	Postpone flight until weather is warmer
	Battery is old, worn out, or damaged	Replace battery
	Battery C rating might be too low	Use recommended battery

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Replacement Parts

Part #	Description
EFL089501	Painted Fuselage: P-51D
EFL089502	4-Blade Spinner 75mm: P-51D 1.2
EFL089503	Painted Wing: P-51D 1.2m
EFL089504	Canopy Hatch with Pilot: P-51D
EFL089505	Servo Wire Tape: P-51D 1.2m
EFL089506	Horizontal Tail Set: P-51D 1.2m
EFL089507	Decal Sheet: P-51D 1.2m
EFL1228	Motor X-Mount
EFL8207	Landng Gear Struts and Door Set: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8210	Wheel Set: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8213	Battery Tray: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8214	Drop Tanks: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8222	Pushrod Set with Clevis:P-51D 1.2m
EFL8223	Hardware Set: P-51D 1.2m
EFLG1590M	15-Size 90-Degree Main Retract Unit
EFLM4115	3226-850Kv Outrunner Motor
EFLP105084BL	Propeller 4 Blade 10.5x8: P-51D 1.2m
SPMSA330	A330 9g Sub-Micro Servo
SPMXAE70B	Avian 70-Amp Smart Lite Brushless ESC; 3S-6S, IC3

Recommended Items

Part #	Description
SPMR6775	NX6 6-Ch Transmitter Only
SPMX22004S30	2200mAh 4S 14.8V Smart 30C; IC3
SPMXC2080	S1100 G2 100W Smart Charger

Optional Parts

Part #	Description
SPMR8105	NX8e 8 Ch Transmitter Only
SPMR8200	NX8 8 Ch Transmitter Only
SPMXC2010	Smart S2200 G2 AC Charger, 2x200W
SPMX22003S30	2200mAh 3S 11.1V Smart 30C; IC3
SPMX223S30	2200mAh 3S 11.1V Smart G2 30C;
SPMX224S30	2200mAh 4S 14.8V Smart G2 30C

Important Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Information

Use the QR code below to learn more about the **Recreational UAS Safety Test (TRUST),** as was introduced by the 2018 FAA Reauthorization Bill. This free test is required by the FAA for all recreational flyers in the United States. The completed certificate must be presented upon request by any FAA or law enforcement official.

If your model aircraft weighs more than .55lbs or 250 grams, you are required by the FAA to register as a recreational flyer and apply your registration number to the outside of your aircraft. To learn more about registering with the FAA, use the QR code below.

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As an AMA member I agree:

- I will not fly a model aircraft in a careless or reckless manner.
- I will not interfere with and will yield the right of way to all human-carrying aircraftusing AMA's See and Avoid Guidance and a spotter when appropriate.
- I will not operate any model aircraft while I am under the influence of alcohol or any drug that could adversely affect my ability to safely control the model.
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- I will fly Free Flight (FF) and Control Line (CL) models in compliance with AMA's safety programming.
- I will maintain visual contact of an RC model aircraft without enhancement other than corrective lenses prescribed to me. When using an advanced flight system, such as an autopilot, or flying First-Person View (FPV), I will comply with AMA's Advanced Flight System programming.
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- I will use an established safety line to separate all model aircraft operations from spectators and bystanders.

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WARRANTY SERVICES

Questions, Assistance, and Services

Your local hobby store and/or place of purchase cannot provide warranty support or service. Once assembly, setup or use of the Product has been started, you must contact your local distributor or Horizon directly. This will enable Horizon to better answer your questions and service you in the event that you may need any assistance. For questions or assistance, please visit our website at www.horizonhobby.com, submit a Product Support Inquiry, or call the toll free telephone number referenced in the Warranty and Service Contact Information section to speak with a Product Support representative.

Inspection or Services

If this Product needs to be inspected or serviced and is compliant in the country you live and use the Product in, please use the Horizon Online Service Request submission process found on our website or call Horizon to obtain a Return Merchandise Authorization (RMA) number. Pack the Product securely using a shipping carton. Please note that original boxes may be included, but are not designed to withstand the rigors of shipping without additional protection. Ship via a carrier that provides tracking and insurance for lost or damaged parcels, as Horizon is not responsible for merchandise until it arrives and is accepted at our facility. An Online Service Request is available at http://www.horizonhobby.com/content/service-center_render-service-center. If you do not have internet access, please contact Horizon Product Support to obtain a RMA number along with instructions for submitting your product for service. When calling Horizon, you will be asked to provide your complete name, street address, email address and phone number where you can be reached during business hours. When sending product into Horizon, please include your RMA number, a list of the included items, and a brief summary of the problem. A copy of your original sales receipt must be included for warranty consideration. Be sure your name, address, and RMA number are clearly written on the outside of the shipping carton.

NOTICE: Do not ship LiPo batteries to Horizon. If you have any issue with a LiPo battery, please contact the appropriate Horizon Product Support office.

Warranty Requirements

For Warranty consideration, you must include your original sales receipt verifying the proof-of-purchase date. Provided warranty conditions have been met, your Product will be serviced or replaced free of charge. Service or replacement decisions are at the sole discretion of Horizon.

Non-Warranty Service

Should your service not be covered by warranty, service will be completed and payment will be required without notification or estimate of the expense unless the expense exceeds 50% of the retail purchase cost. By submitting the item for service you are agreeing to payment of the service without notification. Service estimates are available upon request. You must include this request with your item submitted for service. Non-warranty service estimates will be billed a minimum of ½ hour of labor. In addition you will be billed for return freight. Horizon accepts money orders and cashier's checks, as well as Visa, MasterCard, American Express, and Discover cards. By submitting any item to Horizon for service, you are agreeing to Horizon's Terms and Conditions found on our website http://www.horizonhobby.com/content/service-center_render-service-center.

ATTENTION: Horizon service is limited to Product compliant in the country of use and ownership. If received, a non-compliant Product will not be serviced. Further, the sender will be responsible for arranging return shipment of the un-serviced Product, through a carrier of the sender's choice and at the sender's expense. Horizon will hold non-compliant Product for a period of 60 days from notification, after which it will be discarded.

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Contact Information

Country of Purchase	Horizon Hobby	Contact Information	Address
United States of America	Horizon Service Center (Repairs and Repair Requests)	servicecenter.horizonhobby.com/RequestForm/	2904 Research Rd Champaign, Illinois, 61822 USA
	Horizon Product Support (Product Technical Assistance)	productsupport@horizonhobby.com 877-504-0233	
	Sales	websales@horizonhobby.com 800-338-4639	
European Union	Horizon Technischer Service	service@horizonhobby.de	Hanskampring 9 D 22885 Barsbüttel, Germany
	Sales: Horizon Hobby GmbH	+49 (0) 4121 2655 100	

FCC Information

FCC ID: BRWSPMSR6200A

Supplier's Declaration of Conformity

EFL P-51D Mustang 1.2M BNF Basic and PNP (EFL089500/EFL08975)

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

CAUTION: Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

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IC Information

IC: 6157A-SPMSR6200A
CAN ICES-3 (B)/NMB-3(B)

This device contains license-exempt transmitter(s)/receivers(s) that comply with Innovation, Science, and Economic Development Canada's license-exempt RSS(s). Operation is subject to the following 2 conditions:

1. This device may not cause interference.
2. This device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Compliance Information for the European Union

EU Compliance Statement:
EFL P-51D Mustang 1.2M PNP (EFL08975); Hereby, Horizon Hobby, LLC declares that the device is in compliance with the following: EU EMC Directive 2014/30/EU. RoHS 2 Directive 2011/65/EU, RoHS 3 Directive - Amending 2011/65/EU Annex II 2015/863

EFL P-51D Mustang 1.2M BNF Basic (EFL089500); Hereby, Horizon Hobby, LLC declares that the device is in compliance with the following: EU Radio Equipment Directive 2014/53/EU, RoHS 2 Directive 2011/65/EU, RoHS 3 Directive - Amending 2011/65/EU Annex II 2015/863

The full text of the EU declaration of conformity is available at the following internet address: https://www.horizonhobby.com/content/support-render-compliance.

Wireless Frequency Range and Wireless Output Power:
2404-2476MHz
5.58dBm

WEEE NOTICE:

This appliance is labeled in accordance with European Directive 2012/19/EU concerning waste of electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE). This label indicates that this product should not be disposed of with household waste. It should be deposited at an appropriate facility to enable recovery and recycling.

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Horizon Hobby, LLC
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