
FW: 70 Bomber's Fuselage First Covering Finished and Doped

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Last night I finished applying the third coat of clear dope to the fuselage's first covering of Polyspan Lite on the sides and silk on the pylon. The weight is now 356 grams (12.56 oz). Remembering that the bare undoped fuselage's structure weighed 323 grams (11.39 oz), the first complete covering doped three times added just over an ounce (1.17 oz) to the fuselage weight.

Today, I cut up a two yard package of Model Airplane Covering Company white silk into four side pieces, two pylon pieces, and wing and stab platform pieces. The side piece for the lower left fuselage side is shown below. I will start the second covering tomorrow morning.....Tandy

