12NPR 04-03-14-1 Reason For Revision

- 1) RV-12 SkyView Touch Avionics Kit
- 2) RV-12 SkyView AP-Knob Panels Kit (58)
- 3) Add instructions for installation of F-00062.
- 4) Allow use of lighter springs on RV-12 throttle
- **5)** Improve functionality of canopy latch. Add switch to detect open canopy before takeoff. Re-Write ditching instructions in POH.
- 6) Placarding changes to match KAI and POH to the actual placarding on the aircraft.
- 7) Make a new optional section for installation of a rudder trim tab.

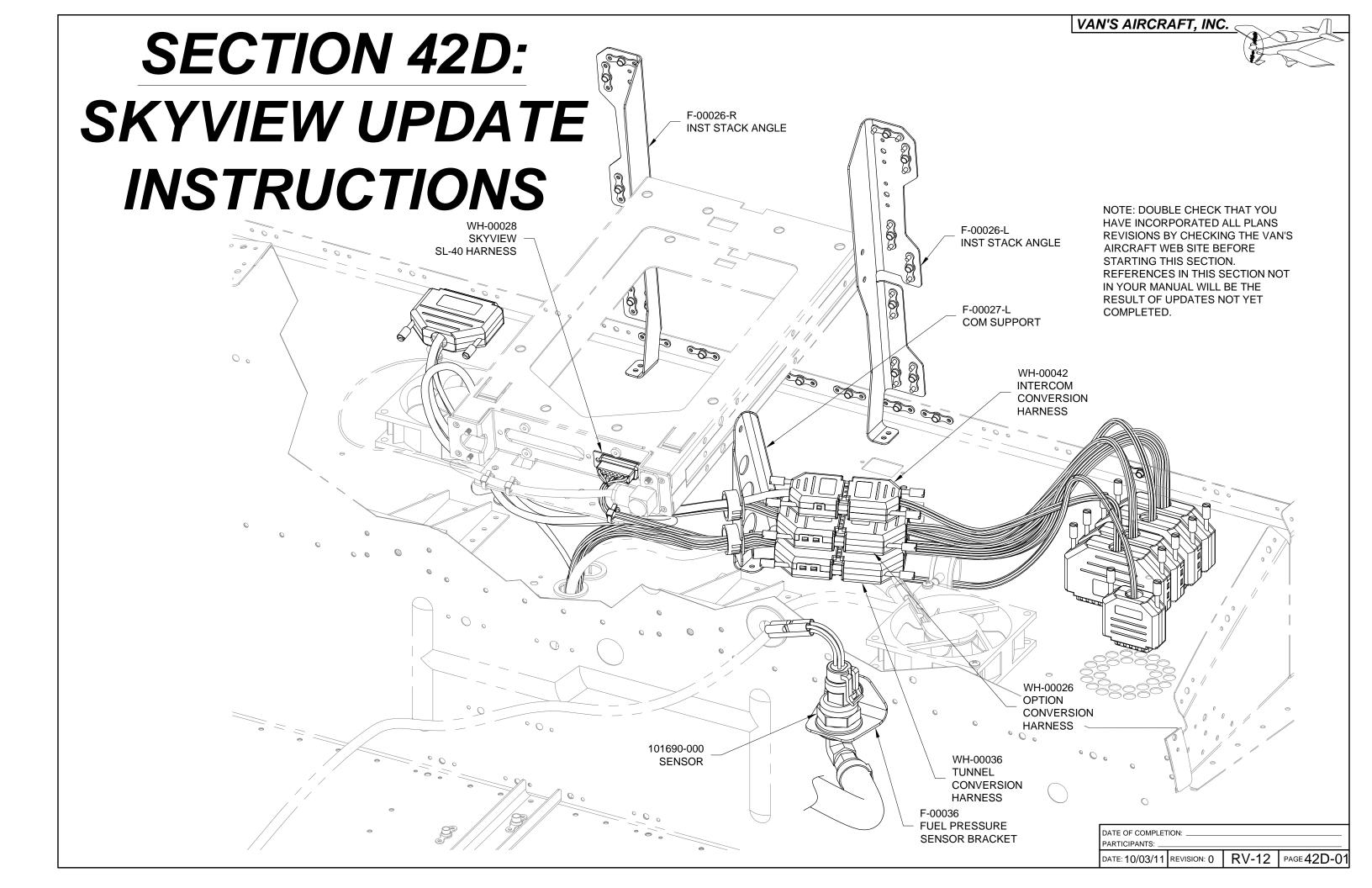
KAI Page 42D-29 Rev 2: Replace references to "SV-D1000" with "display".

"CAUTION: Only use a battery..." was "NOTE: Only use battery..."

Add before Step 6 "NOTE: If the SkyView AP-Knob Panels kit Section 58 has been installed, skip Step 2. When using the knobs modules the trim rate will be controlled by the SV-AP-PANEL module which is pre-set with factory settings when the latest firmware-settings file is installed from the Van's Aircraft web site."

KAI Page 42D-30 Rev 2: Replace references to "SV-D1000" with "display".

In Step 5 "Section 42M" was "Page 42C-02"



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Step 1: Record hobbs time from the IF DYNON DEK 180-12 Dynon EFIS/EMS. If autopilot servos are installed update the firmware in the Dynon EFIS/EMS (and subsequently servos) to the latest release.

Step 2: Remove the WH-P149 (WHT) Battery Ground Cable from the negative battery terminal as shown on Page 45-03, Figure 3.

Step 3: Remove the F-1240 Assembly (Forward Top Skin). See Page 29-07, Figure 2.

Step 4: Disconnect the WH-RV12-DYNON harness from the back of the IF DYNON DEK 180-12 Dynon EFIS/EMS and the AV CONTROL BOARD 12 as shown on Page 42-05, Figure 1.

Disconnect the WH-RV12-EGT Exhaust Gas Temp Wiring Harness from the Dynon EFIS/EMS as shown on Page 45-04, Figure 1.

Disconnect Pitot and Static lines from Dynon EFIS/EMS as shown on Page 45-04, Figure 2.

Step 5: Remove the cushioned clamp near the ES CPU FAN as shown on Page 45-04, Figure 2 and set it aside for later use.

Step 6: Cut the Static Line approximately three inches outboard from where it passes through the snap bushing in the F-1202K-L Inst Stack Support as shown on Page 42-05, Figure 1.

Step 7: Remove the IF DYNON DEK 180-12 Dynon EFIS/EMS from the Dynon 100422-000 D-100 Series Mounting Tray. The Dynon EFIS/EMS will not be used again.

IF the Section 29 Mapbox is Installed AND...

you would like the ELT remote and intercom to remain in the right panel: The location of the intercom and ELT remote has moved to the left side of the panel in a standard SkyView panel. To avoid detaching and reattaching the mapbox use the F-00031 SkyView Update Panel provided in this kit. This panel does not have the holes for the ELT remote and intercom.

you would like the ELT remote and intercom (if applicable) in the left panel: Detach the mapbox from the F-1202U Inst Panel Right Mapbox and discard the panel and mapbox door. Reinstall the new style mapbox by ordering the following (assuming you still have all the parts and hardware originally supplied in the Fuselage kit):

F-00035 SkyView Inst Panel Right Mapbox 6 inches of AN257-P3 Hinge F-00021 Map Box Door Printed copy of Section 29A

IF the Section 43 Dual Display is installed: The IF DYNON-D100 EFIS is not compatible with SkyView. This screen may also exceed the power limitations of the RV-12 electrical system depending upon the other options installed in the aircraft.

Remove the electrical connectors, pitot line, and static line from the IF DYNON D100 EFIS. Remove the Dynon D100 EFIS from its mounting tray and install one of the mapbox choices above. See Page 43-08, Figure 1 and Page 43-10, Figure 2.

Step 8: Disconnect all antenna's on Page 42-13, Step 2 and the WH-RV12-296-496 GPS Wiring Harness from the back of the AV GARMIN X96 GPS. Remove the AV GARMIN X96 GPS unit as shown on Page 42-13, Figure 1.

Step 9: Slide the AV GARMIN SL40 Com Radio out of its tray as shown on Page 42-09 Figure 1. Set the com radio aside in a safe location.

Step 10: Disconnect the WH-RV12-GTX327 Transponder Wiring Harness and WH-RV12-TX-ANT Transponder Antenna Cable from the back of the AV GARMIN GTX327 Transponder.

Slide the AV GARMIN GTX327 Digital Transponder out of its tray. See Page 42-06, Figure 1. Set the transponder aside in a safe location.

Step 11: Remove the F-1202S GPS Mounting Bracket and the F-12121 Standoffs from the back of F-1202A-1 Instrument Panel as shown on Page 42-12, Figure 4.ure 4

NOTE: As an option the AV GARMIN X96 GPS may be installed with new SkyView Avionics kit. Keep all harnesses installed in the aircraft if using the GPS in the future, otherwise remove all antennas and WH-RV12-296-496 GPS Wiring Harnesses.

<u>Step 12:</u> Disconnect the WH-RV12-SL-40 Com Wiring Harness from the back of the AV CONTROL BOARD 12. See Page 42-09, Figure 1. Remove the com wiring harness from the AV GARMIN SL40 Com Radio Tray. The com wiring harness will not be used again, but be sure to set aside the hardware that secured the com wiring harness to com radio tray for later use.

Remove the hardware securing the com radio tray to the aircraft structure then fold the com radio tray and WH-RV12-SL40-ANT Com Antenna Cable forward against the firewall. The tray/antenna cable assembly will later be reinstalled.

<u>Step 13:</u> Disconnect the WH-RV12-TX-ANT Transponder Antenna Cable from the back of the transponder. See Page 42-06, Figure 1 for AV GARMIN GTX327 Digital Transponder or Page 42-08, Figure 1 for AV GARMIN GTX328 Digital Mode S Transponder.

Disconnect the transponder wiring harness from the back of the AV CONTROL BOARD 12. See Page 42-06, Figure 1 for AV GARMIN GTX327 Digital Transponder or Page 42-08, Figure 1 for AV GARMIN GTX328 Digital Mode S Transponder.

Remove the transponder tray from the F-1202J-L & -R Inst Stack Angles and the F-1202K-L & -R Inst Stack Supports (see Page 42-06, Figure 1 for Garmin GTX-327) or F-12328 Brackets (see Page 42-08, Figure 1 for Garmin GTX-328).

Step 14: Remove the SB750-10 Snap Bushings from the F-1202K-L & -R Inst Stack Angles and set them aside for later use.

Step 15: Remove the F-1202T Inst Panel Left D-180 from the AV CONTROL BOARD 12 and F-1202B Panel Base. See Page 42-04, Figure 2. The inst panel left D-180 will not be used again.

Step 16: Detach any remaining harnesses from the back of the AV CONTROL BOARD 12. Detach the AV CONTROL BOARD 12 ground wire from the left ES CPU FAN screw. See Page 42-03, Figures 1 and 2.

Step 17: Remove the AV CONTROL BOARD 12. The control board will not be used again.

NOTE: Throughout this section the CT CHOKE CABLE-12 Rotax Carb Choke Cable will be referred to as Choke Cable. The CT THROTTLE CABLE-12 Rotax Carb Throttle Cable will be referred to as the Throttle Cable. The CT A-740 BLACK Push Pull Cable will be referred to as the Cabin Heat Cable.

Step 18: Loosen the CT-00100 Outer Set Screw. See Page 50-06, Figure 2.

Pull the Choke Cable from the cable mount tube and conduit.

Step 19: Loosen the Rotax Locking Nut on the Throttle Cable. See Page 50-05 Figure 1.

Loosen and remove the M6 Nut and the CT-00101 Stop Nut.

Step 20: Loosen the cushioned clamps that hold the Throttle Cable and Choke Cable as they pass over the WD-1221 Engine Mount Standoff. See Page 50-04, Figure 1.

Step 21: Loosen the cushioned clamps that hold the Throttle Cable, Choke Cable, and the Cabin Heat Cable to the bottom of the F-1202B Panel Base. See Page 50-03, Figure 1 and Page 49-08, Figure 2.

Loosen the nuts on the forward side of the F-1202A-1 Instrument Panel which attach the Throttle Cable, Choke Cable, and the Cabin Heat Cable to the aft side of the instrument panel. See Page 50-03, Figure 1.

Step 22: Remove the Choke Cable and set aside for later use.

Remove the Throttle Cable and set aside for later use.

Step 23: Loosen the rod-end bearing jam nut that bears against the FF-1210 Cable End. See Page 49-10, Figure 3.

Un-thread the cable end from the rod-end bearing enough to relieve the pressure on the cotter pin then remove the cotter pin from the cable end.

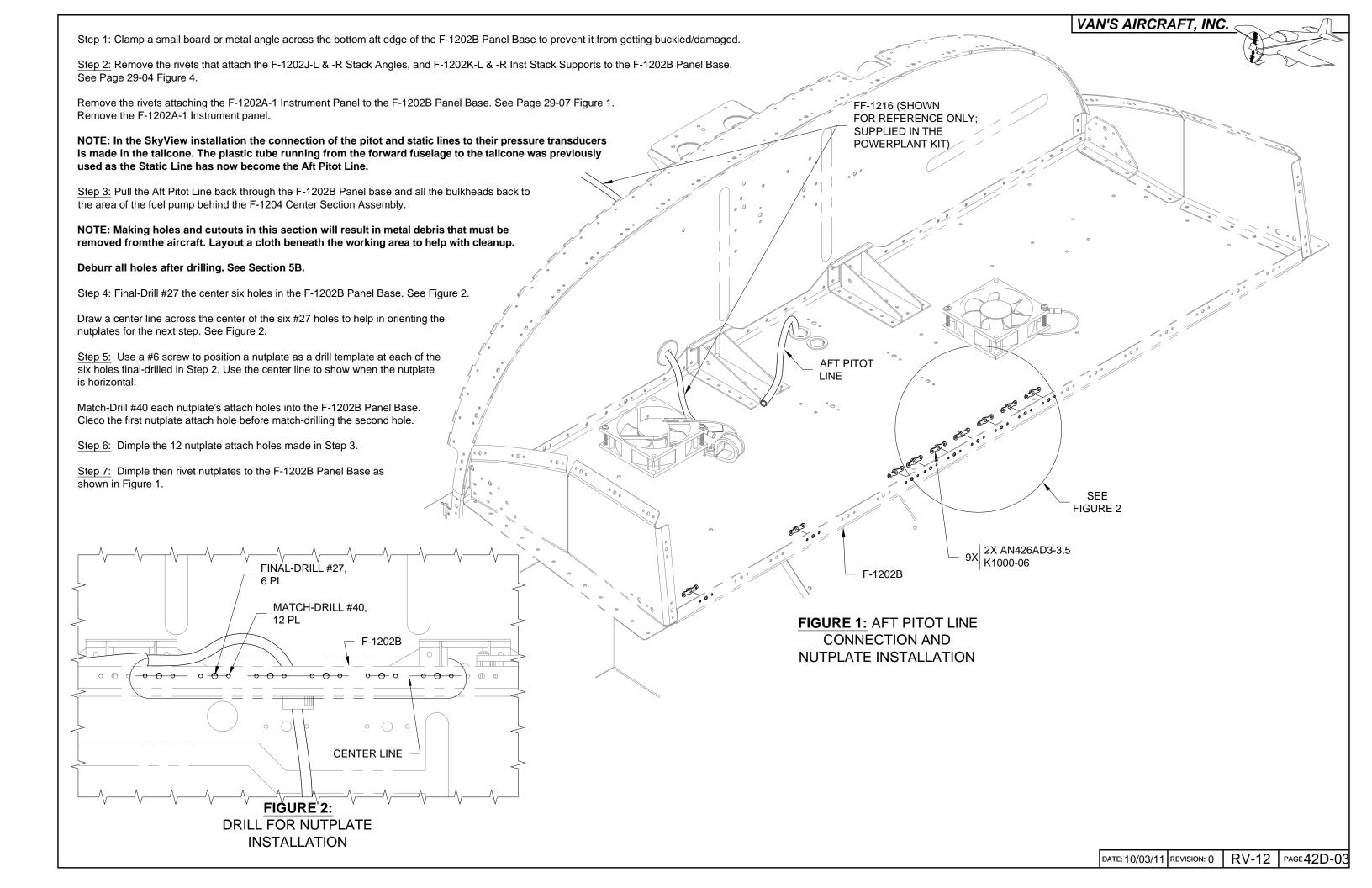
Remove the safety wire from the cushion clamp shown on Page 49-10, Figure 3.

Step 24: Remove the FF-00002 Friction Comb and set aside for later use. See Page 49-09, Figure 1.

Step 25: Remove the Cabin Heat Cable and set aside for later use. See Page 49-08, Figure 2.

Step 26: Label then cut the wires coming from the WH-RV12-APDC Autopilot Disconnect six inches behind the F-1202A-1 Instrument Panel. Remove the autopilot disconnect and set aside for later use. See Page 31-07.

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NOTE: Beginning on this page the use of the F-00011 SkyView Template for adding required holes is depicted. If your kit was supplied with parts already having the holes you are instructed to make using the template, ignore that step and continue.

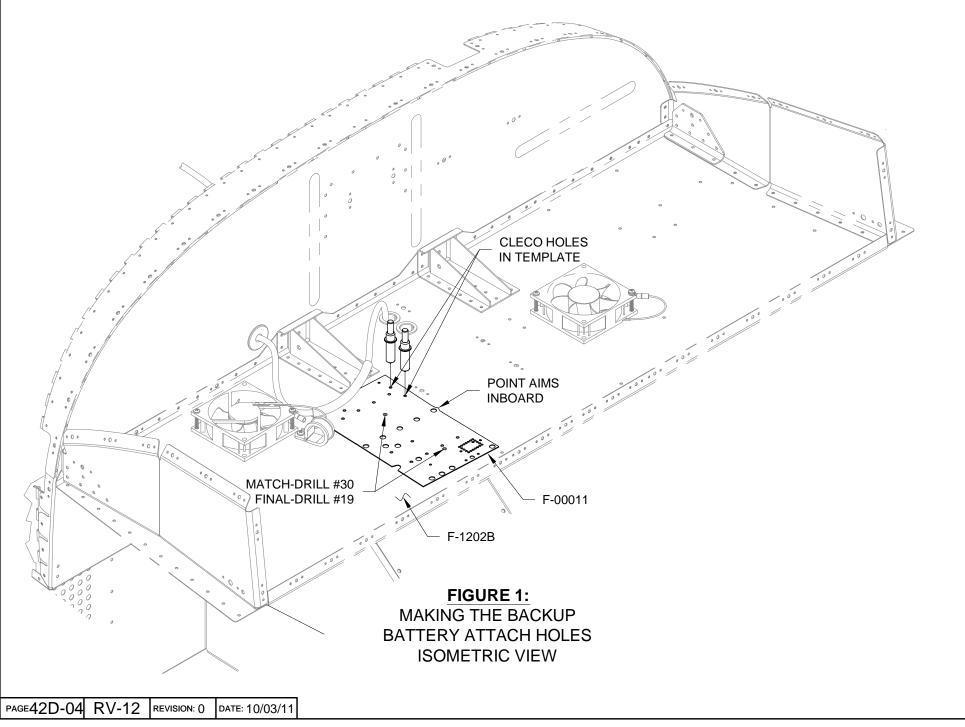
The F-00011 SkyView Template has many holes. This could become confusing because only a few holes in the template are used for any given step. Before drilling a set of holes, study the plans carefully and mark the holes to be drilled on the template. When drilling is complete remove the marks on the template with solvent before moving on to the next drilling operation.

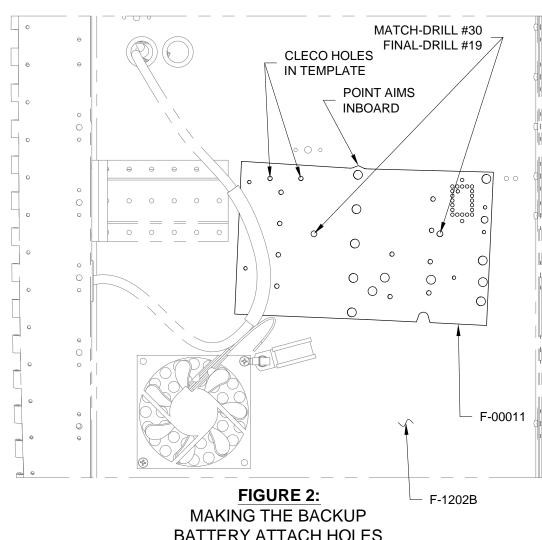
Step 1: Cleco the F-00011 SkyView Template to the two referenced rivet holes in the F-1202B Panel Base as shown in Figure 1.

Step 2: Match-Drill #30 the two locations indicated in Figures 1 and 2.

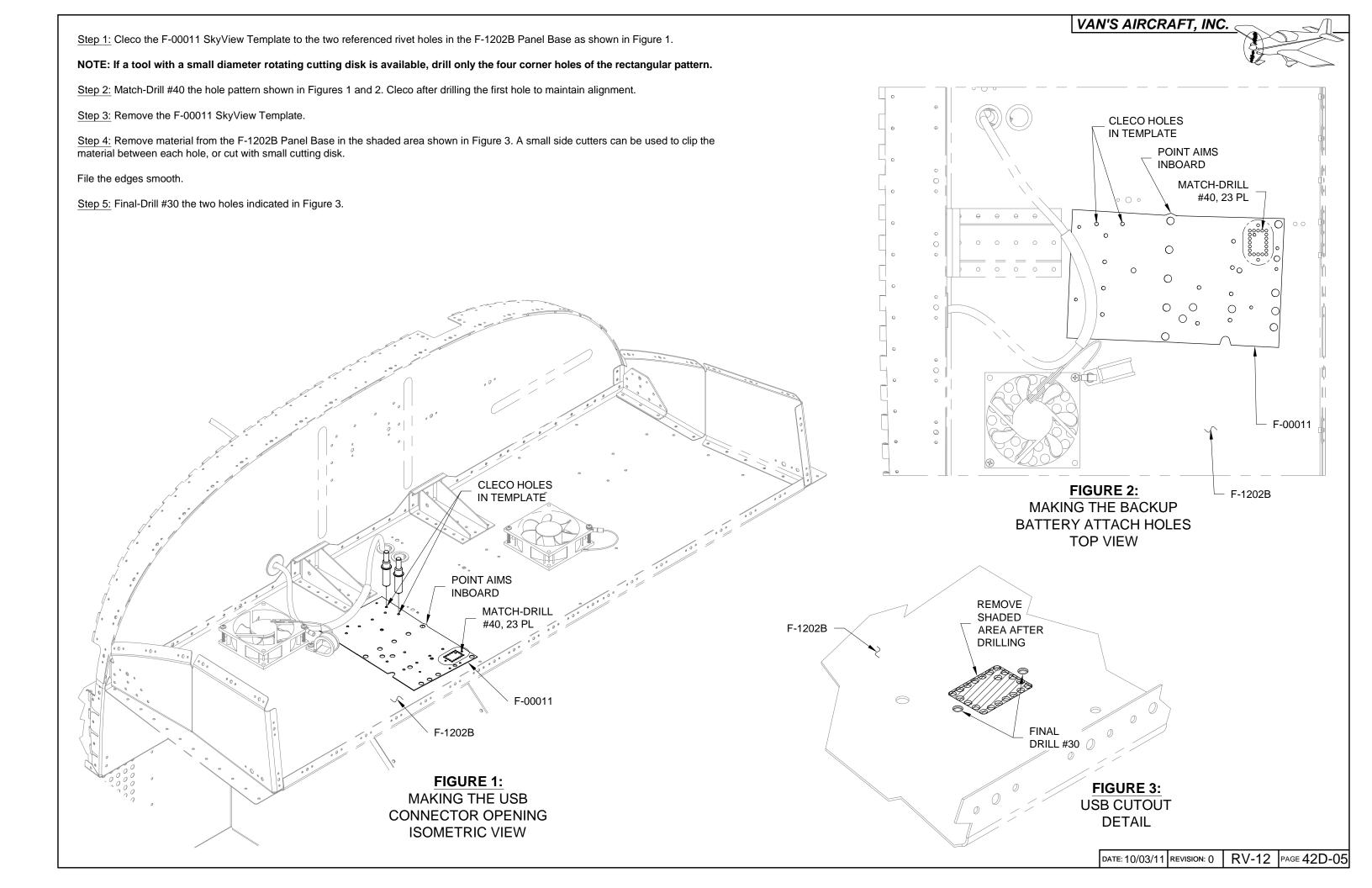
Step 3: Remove the F-00011 SkyView Template.

Step 4: Final-Drill #19 the two #30 holes drilled in Step 2.





BATTERY ATTACH HOLES TOP VIEW



CAUTION: Use care when drilling through the drill guide to prevent damage to the brake reservoir and brake lines (if installed).

Step 1: Position the ES-50029 AV-50000 Drill Guide as shown in Figures 1 and 2. Measure from the fan to the drill guide as shown in Figure 2.

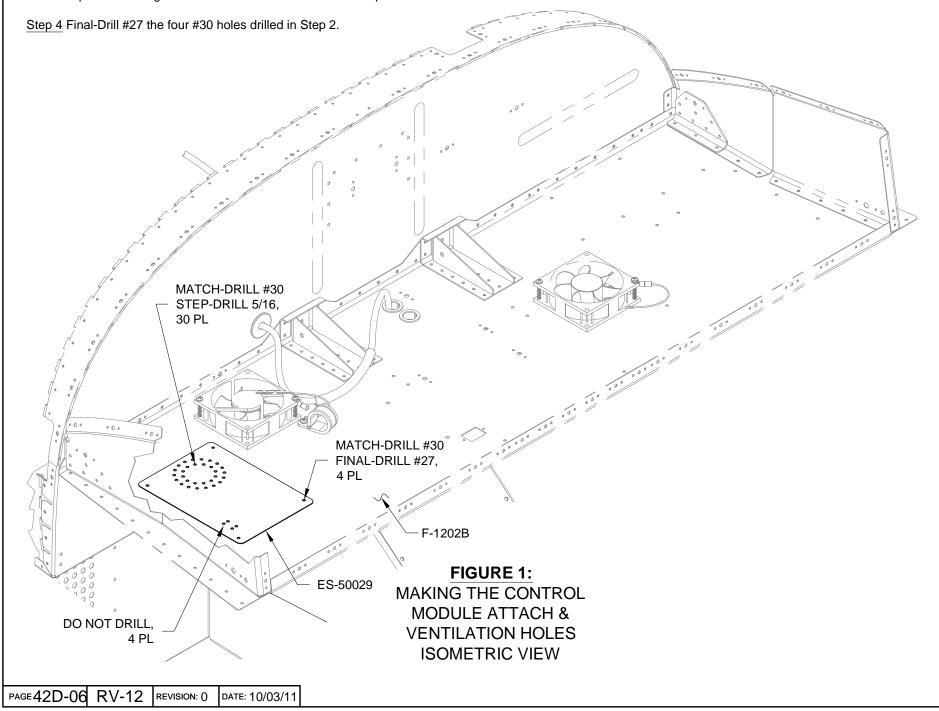
Make sure the fwd edge of the drill guide is parallel with the aft surface of the firewall.

<u>Step 2:</u> Match-Drill #30 the four corner holes shown in Figure 1 from the ES-50029 AV-5000 Drill Guide into the F-1202B Panel Base. Cleco each hole as you drill.

Step 3: Match Drill #30 the circular pattern of holes from the ES-50029 AV-50000 Drill Guide into the F-1202B Panel Base.

Remove the AV-50000 drill guide.

Use a step drill to enlarge the #30 holes in the the circular hole pattern to 5/16.



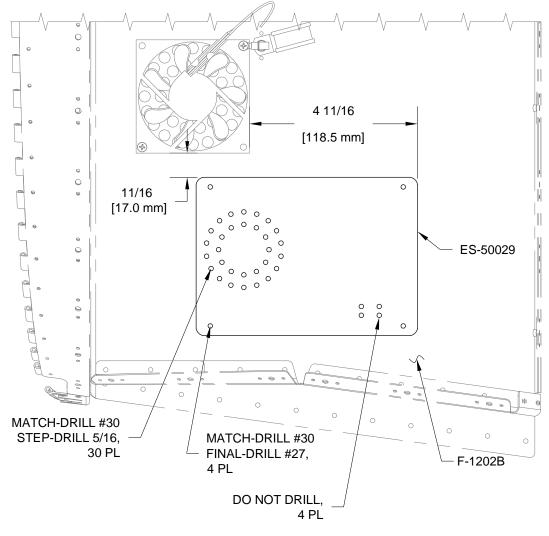


FIGURE 2:
MAKING THE CONTROL
MODULE ATTACH &
VENTILATION HOLES
TOP VIEW

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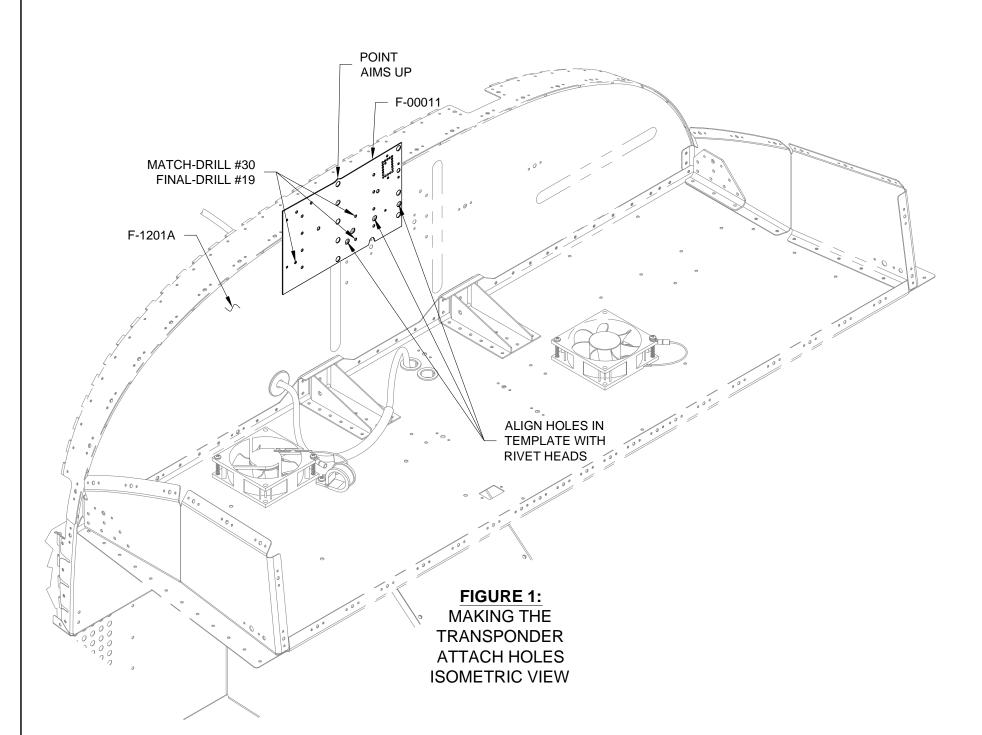
NOTE: When drilling stainless steel (F-1201A Firewall Upper) use a lubricant such as BOELUBE on bits. During the drilling process firmly hold a block of wood on the opposite side of the Firewall Upper from the location being drilled.

<u>Step 1:</u> Align the F-00011 SkyView Template to the F-1201A Firewall Upper by placing the holes in the template over the rivet heads in the firewall as shown in Figures 1 and 2.

Step 2: Match-Drill #30 the three locations indicated in Figures 1 and 2. Cleco each hole as you drill.

Step 3: Remove the F-00011 SkyView Template.

Step 4: Final-Drill #19 the three #30 holes drilled in Step 2.



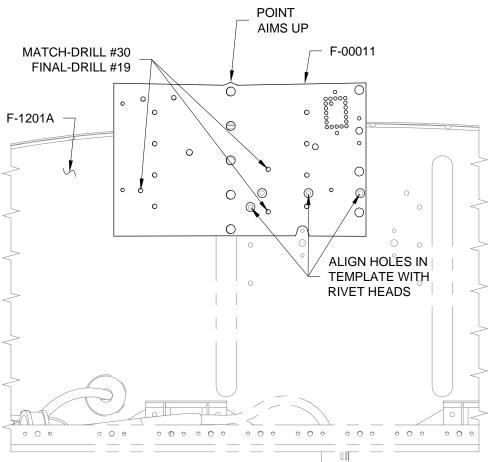


FIGURE 2: MAKING THE TRANSPONDER ATTACH HOLES TOP VIEW

Step 1: Remove the cushioned clamp which holds the fuel pressure sensor (if installed) from the firewall. See Page 45-02, Figure 3.

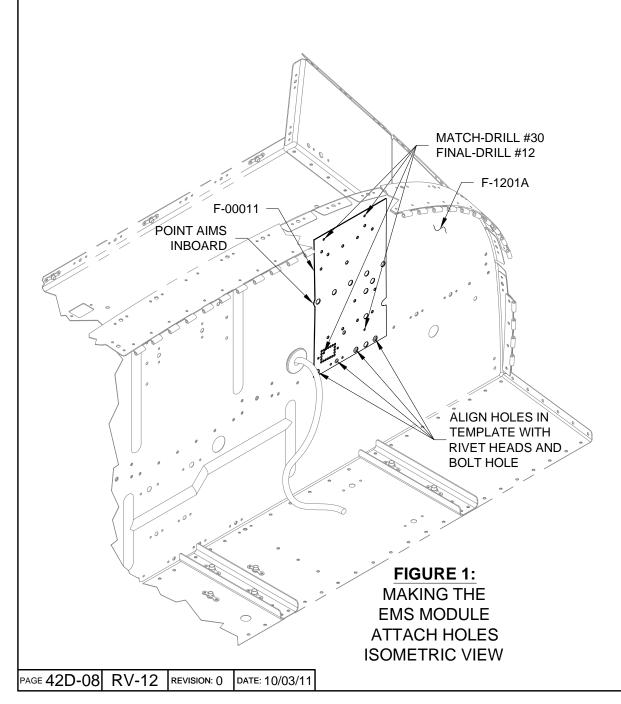
Align the F-00011 SkyView Template to the F-1201A Firewall Upper by placing the holes in the template over the rivet heads and bolt hole in the firewall as shown in Figures 1 and 2.

Step 2: Match-Drill #30 the four locations indicated in Figures 1 and 2. Cleco each hole as you drill.

Step 3: Remove the F-00011 SkyView Template.

Step 4: Final-Drill #12 the four #30 holes drilled in step 2.

Step 5: Re-install the cushioned clamp and fuel pressure sensor to the firewall as shown on Page 45-02, Figure 3.



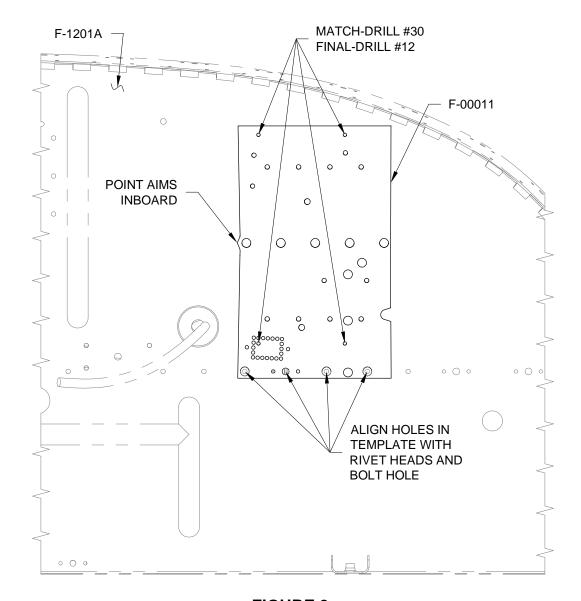
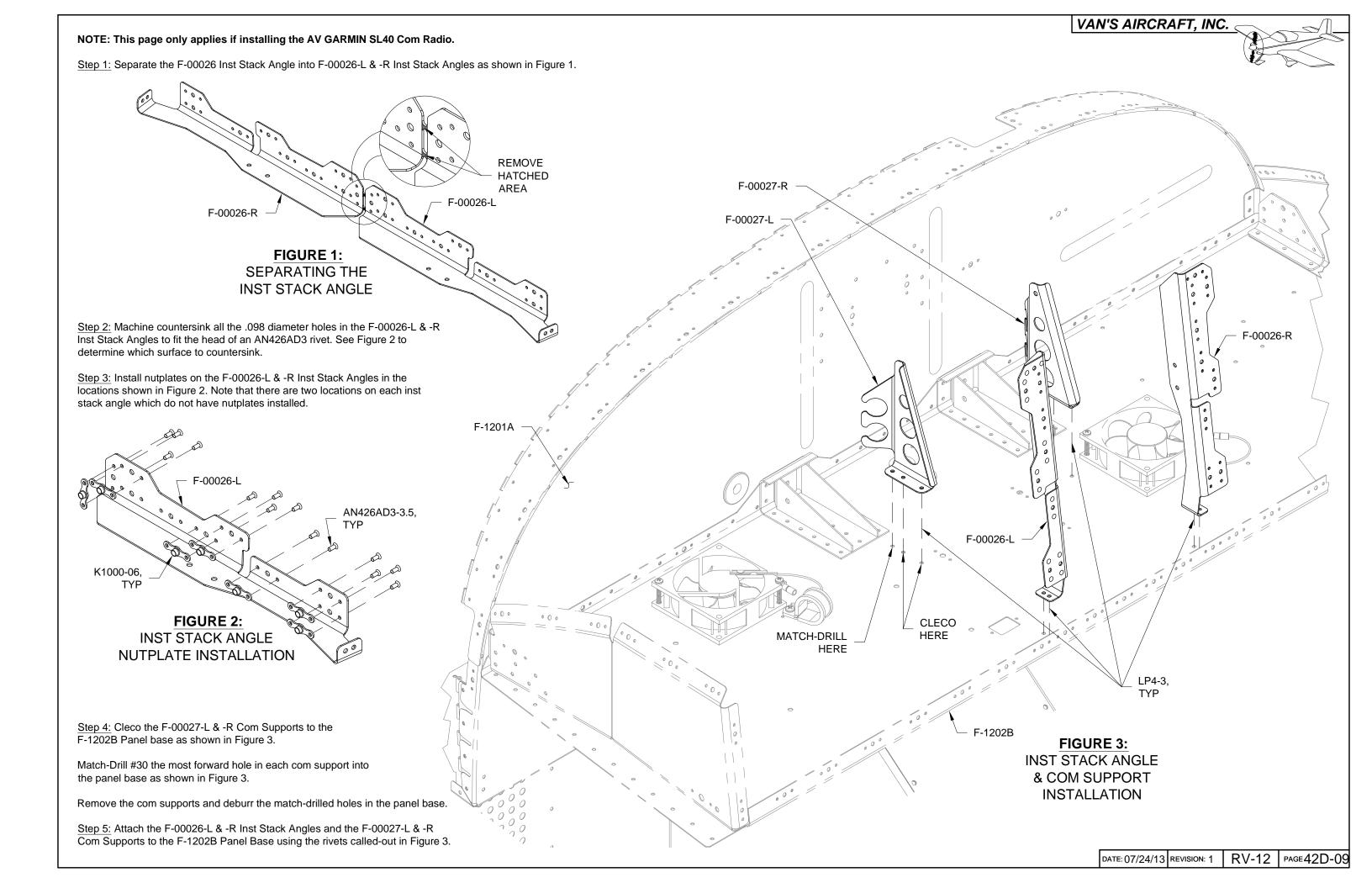
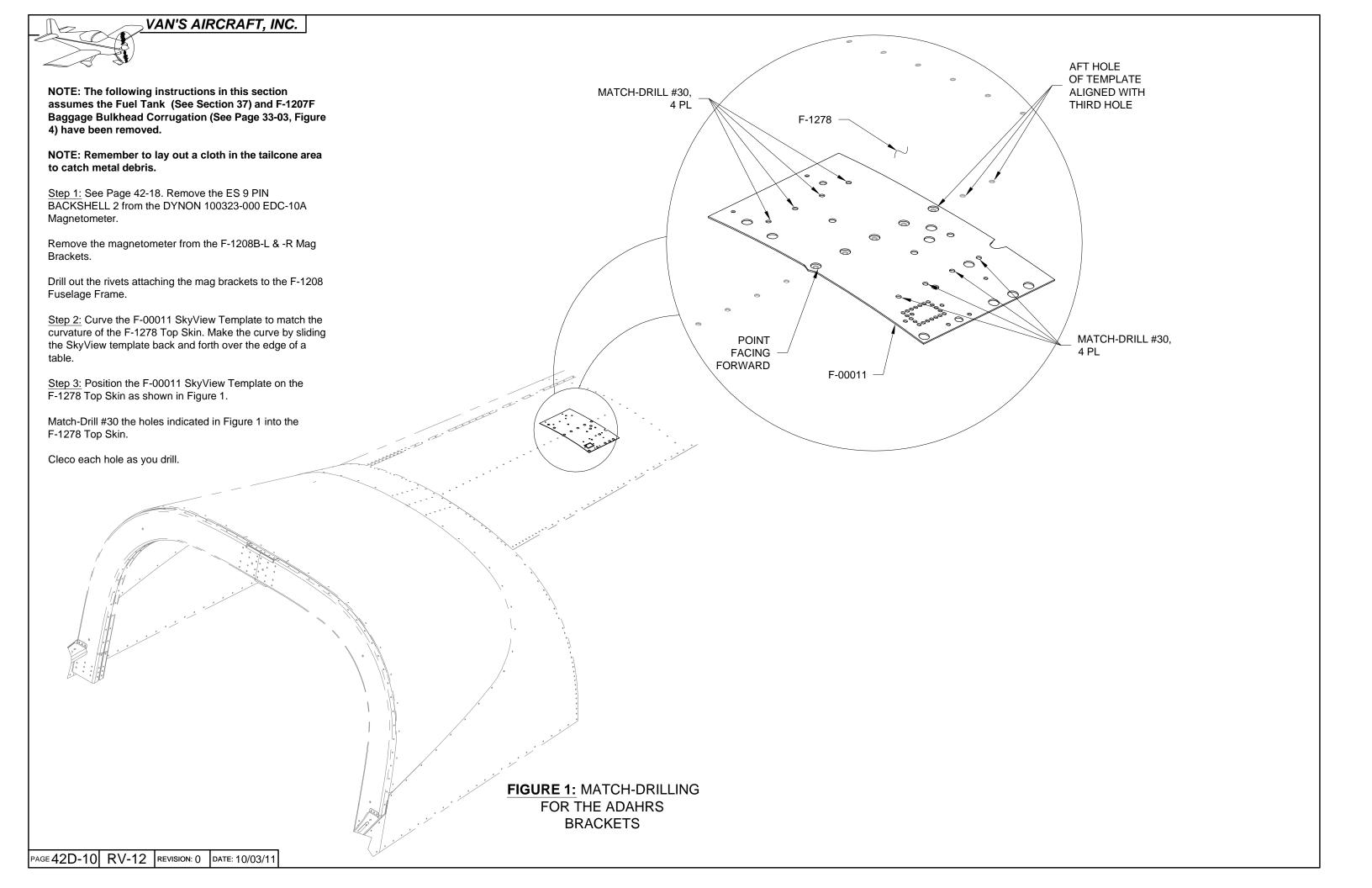
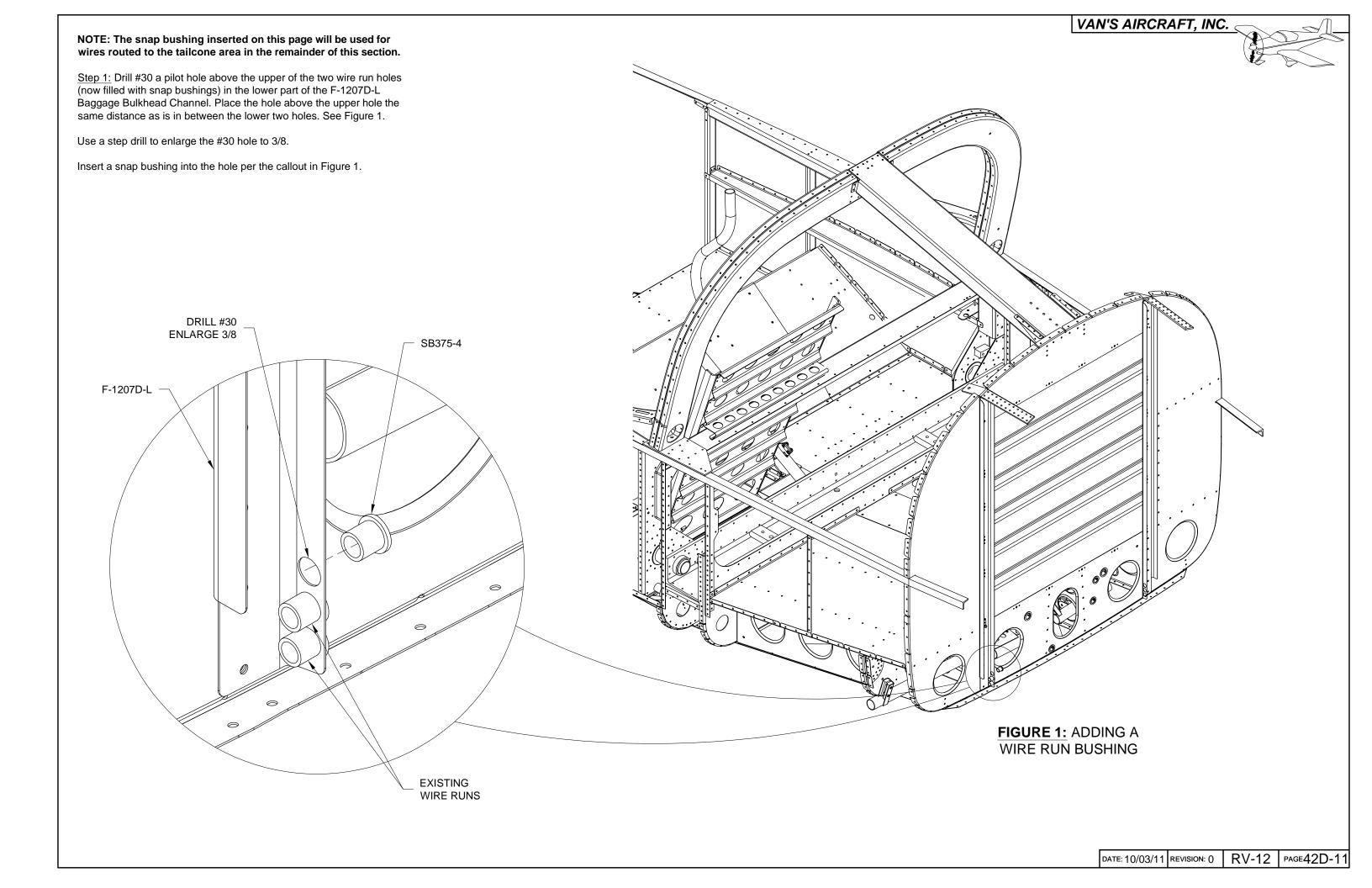
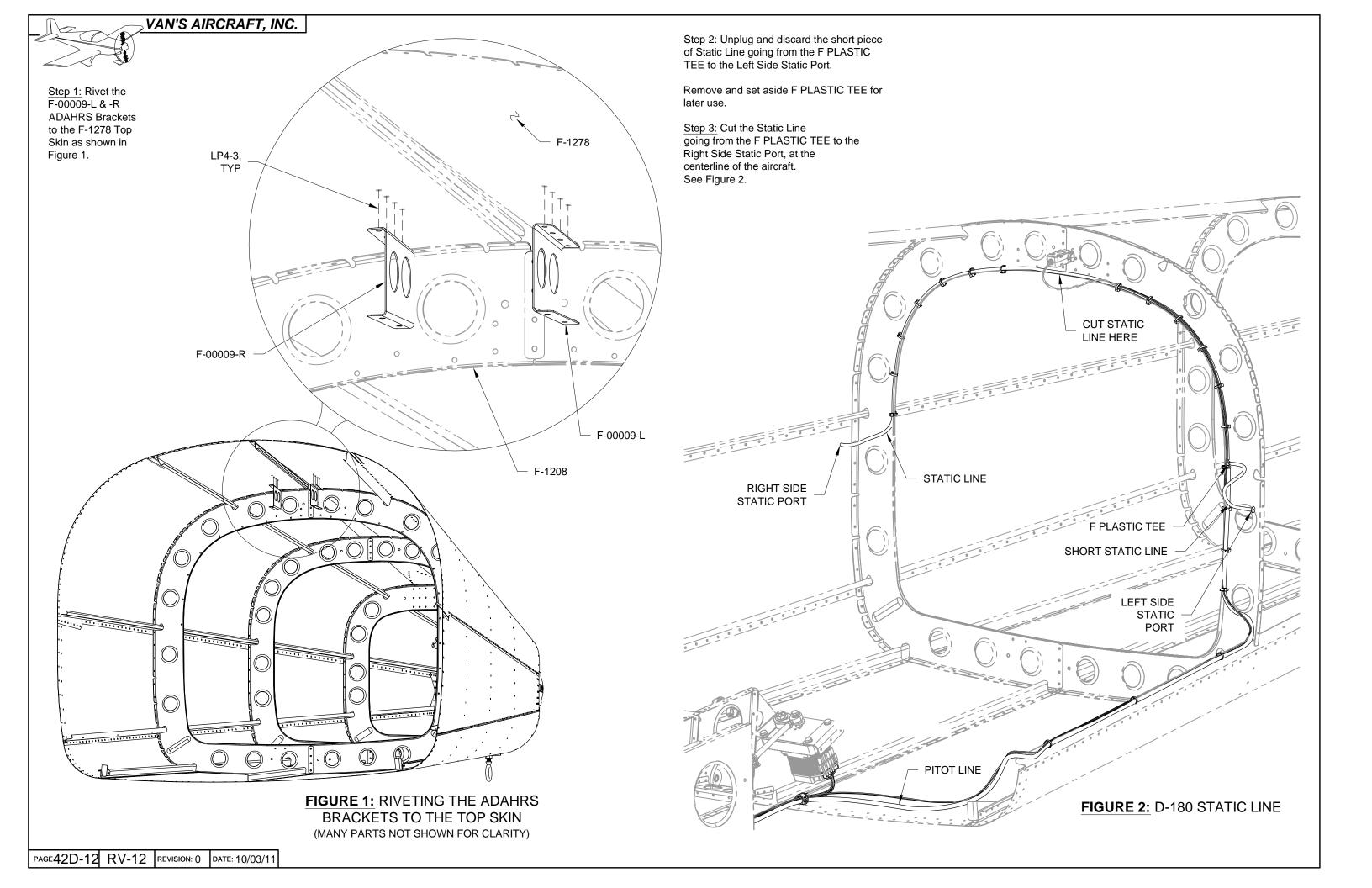


FIGURE 2:
MAKING THE
EMS MODULE
ATTACH HOLES
FRONT VIEW









Step 1: Cut a length of PT 1/8 CLR PLASTIC 24 inches long to make the F-00012 Static Line Port - Tee.

<u>Step 2:</u> Cut a length of PT 1/8 CLR PLASTIC 7/16 inches long to make the F-00014 Static Line Tee Upsize.

 $\underline{\text{Step 3:}}$ Cut a length of PT 1/4 OD TUBE 15 inches long to make the F-00013 Static Line Tee - ADAHRS.

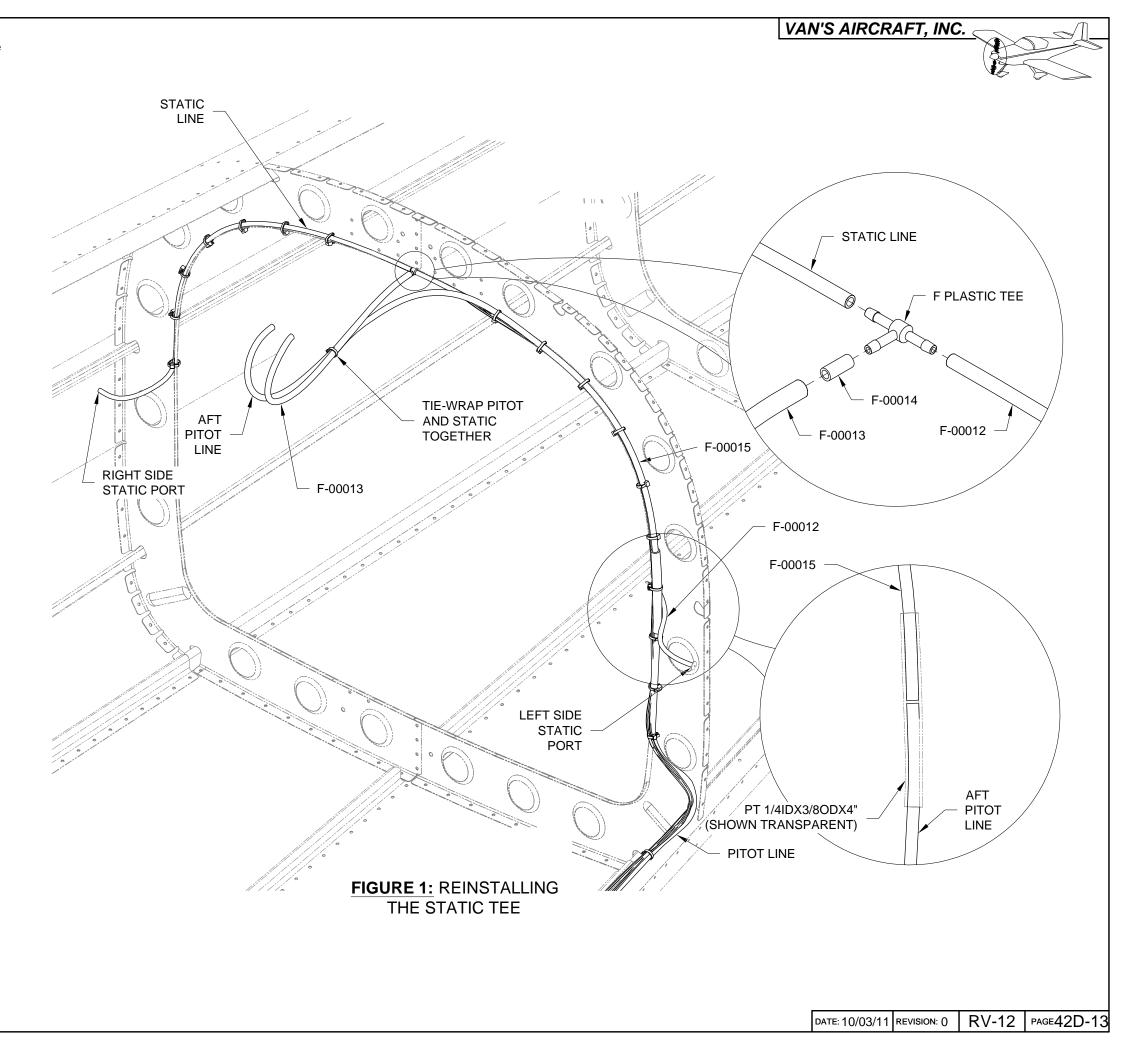
 $\underline{\text{Step 4:}}$ Cut a length of PT 1/4 OD TUBE 33 inches long to make the F-00015 Pitot Line Extension.

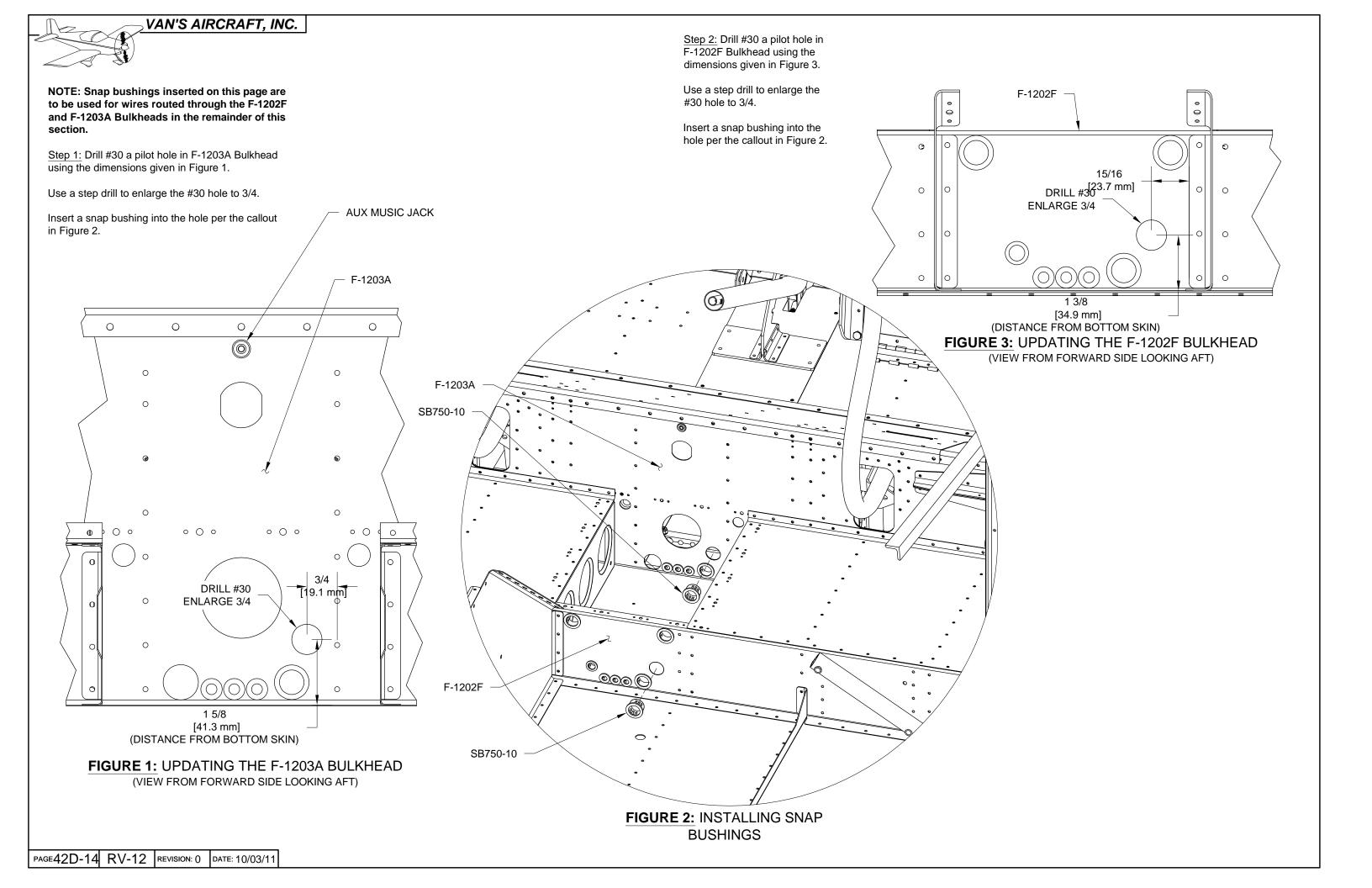
<u>Step 5:</u> Heat then slide the F-00014 Static Line Tee Upsize and F-00013 Static Line Tee - ADAHRS over the forward facing leg of the F PLASTIC TEE as shown in the detail view in Figure 1.

Heat then slide the F-00012 Static Line Port - Tee onto the left leg of the F PLASTIC TEE.

Heat then slide the Static Line onto the right leg of the F PLASTIC TEE.

<u>Step 6:</u> Heat a PT 1/4IDX3/8ODX4" Pitot Tube Joiner. Use the pitot tube joiner to join the F-00015 Pitot Line Extension and Aft Pitot Tube together. See the detail view in Figure 1.





NOTE: There are three paths to choose from when upgrading the wiring:

Conversion Harnesses) This update kit supplies the conversion harnesses necessary for an easy transition to SkyView. Simply plug the harnesses into the existing harnesses in your kit and after routing a few new wires included in these harnesses your wiring will be updated.

Pin Swaps) Use the PDF posted at www.vansaircraft.com/..... to convert your own harnesses pin by pin. Van's Aircraft does not recommend this option as there are many chances of error. Van's Aircraft will not be held responsible for any errors made using this method and also reserves the right to provide limited or no technical support for this method...you are on your own!

Harness Replacement) As a more expensive and time consuming option the wiring harnesses and plans from Section 31B may be purchased from the Finish Kit. This option would replace all the wiring in the fuselage of the aircraft.

Q: Will I lose any functionality with the conversion harnesses or pin swaps versus harness replacement?

A: Your functionality will be slightly different, read below.

- 1) The headphone jack was grounded to the seat pan. In the new SkyView system both headphone and mic jacks have been isolated with their grounds going back to the AV-50000A RV-12 Control Module. This change will have no affect on system performance if your system was working correctly already using the old configuration.
- 2) The Aux Music Jack (see Page 31-10) will not be upgraded from a TRS jack to a TRRS jack. The letters stand for tip, ring and sleeve. The extra ring on the new jack may be used to remotely control devices connected to the jack such as a compatible smart phone or music player. For further information see Section 42C and 31B. If you wish to have this upgraded functionality order:

WH-00056 Aux Music Jack
ES-00044 Molex Plug 6 Position Micro-Fit
ES-00045 Molex Receptacle 6 Position Micro-Fit
Two (or more if you are not used to crimping these) ES-00046 Molex
Micro-Fit Sockets (20-24). See section 5W Crimping Open-Barreled
Connectors for further crimping information.

NOTE: This section will require crimping of several open barreled crimps. Please read chapter 5W Open Barrel Crimp before continuing.

ES HST-3/16X1' shall be referred to as heat shrink for the remainder of this document.

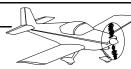
For the remainder of this section figures may not always be given in conjunction with the text. Use other sections in your manual such as Sections 31,40,42,43,44 and 45 for figures to help understand the text.

Harness Equivalents

The following list lists equivalents to new updated SkyView harnesses. This reference information will be useful when completing Section 42C.

WH-RV12-TUNNEL + WH-00036 = WH-00046 WH-RV12-OPTIONAL + WH-00026 = WH-00045 & WH-00025 (SEE BELOW) WH-RV12-FLIGHTCOM403 + WH-00042 = WH-00027 WH-RV12-TX-ANT + WH-00055 = WH-00050 WH-RV12-SL40-ANT = WH-00051 WH-RV12-OAT + WH-00008 = WH-00060 AV AV-17 = AV-00008

The WH-00026 Option Conversion Harness combines both the WH-00045 Options Harness and WH-00025 SkyView AutoPilot Harnesses into one harness that make the same two connections to the AV-50000A RV-12 Control Module. When asked in Section 42C to install either the options or autopilot harnesses simply install the appropriately labeled harness on the WH-00025 instead.



Step 1: Remove the backshell from the main 25-pin d-sub on the WH-RV12-OPTIONAL harness. See Section 5W Electrical Wiring Notes, Backshell Assembly.

Check that WH-F193 (WHT/BLK) and WH-F192 (ORN) are installed as shown in Figure 1.

If the wires are not installed but loose in the harness install ES SA-1017 Female D-Sub Sockets on the end of each wire per the instructions in Section 5W Electrical Wiring Notes, Repairing D-Sub Pins then insert them into the correct locations as shown in Figure 1.

Step 2: Find the wires going to the AP-74 25-pin d-sub from the main 25-pin d-sub on the WH-RV12-OPTIONAL harness. The AP-74 25-pin d-sub will be no longer used with the SkyView system. Coil and tie-wrap this d-sub in a safe location. As an option cut off this d-sub and heat shrink over the end of each wire.

Step 3: Install the backshell assembly back onto the main 25-pin d-sub on the WH-RV12-OPTIONAL harness.

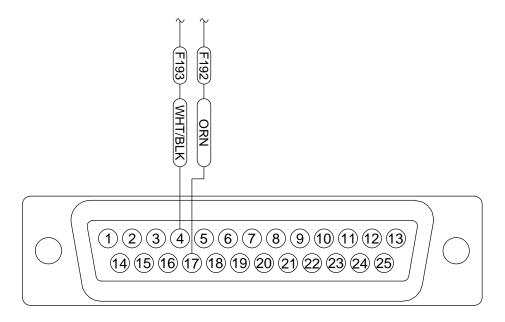
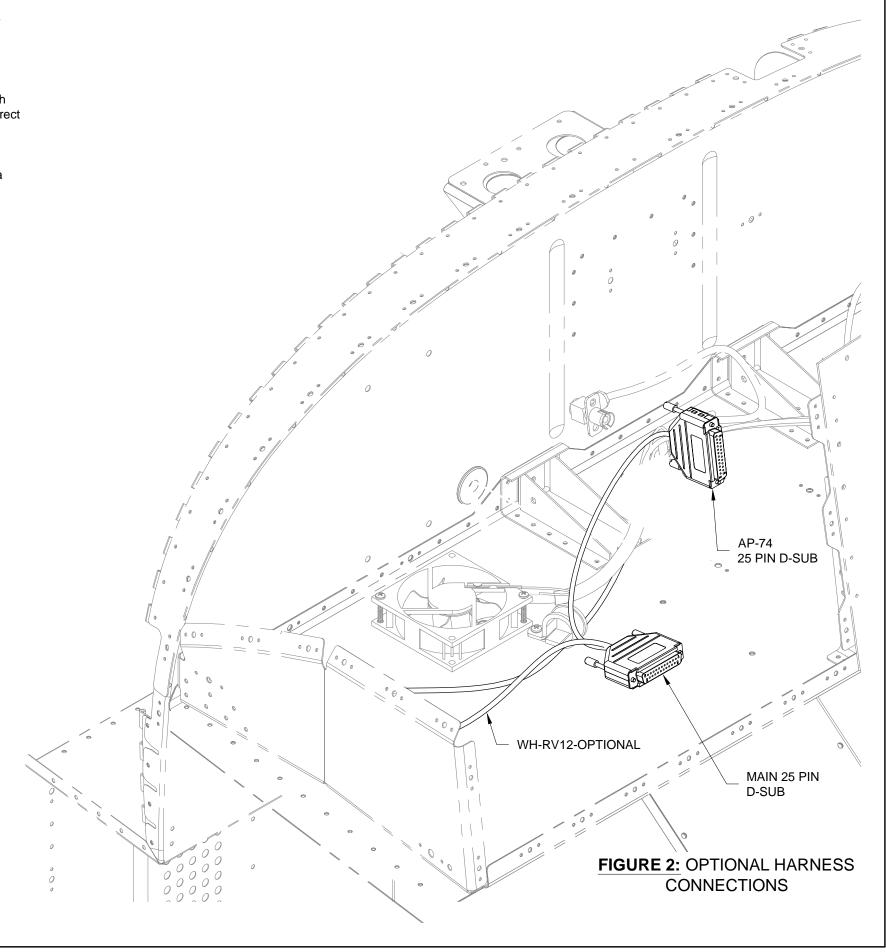


FIGURE 1: INSTALLING WIRES IN THE OPTIONAL HARNESS D-SUB (REAR VIEW / PIN INSERTION SIDE)



NOTE: This page only applies if installing the AV GARMIN SL40 Com Radio.

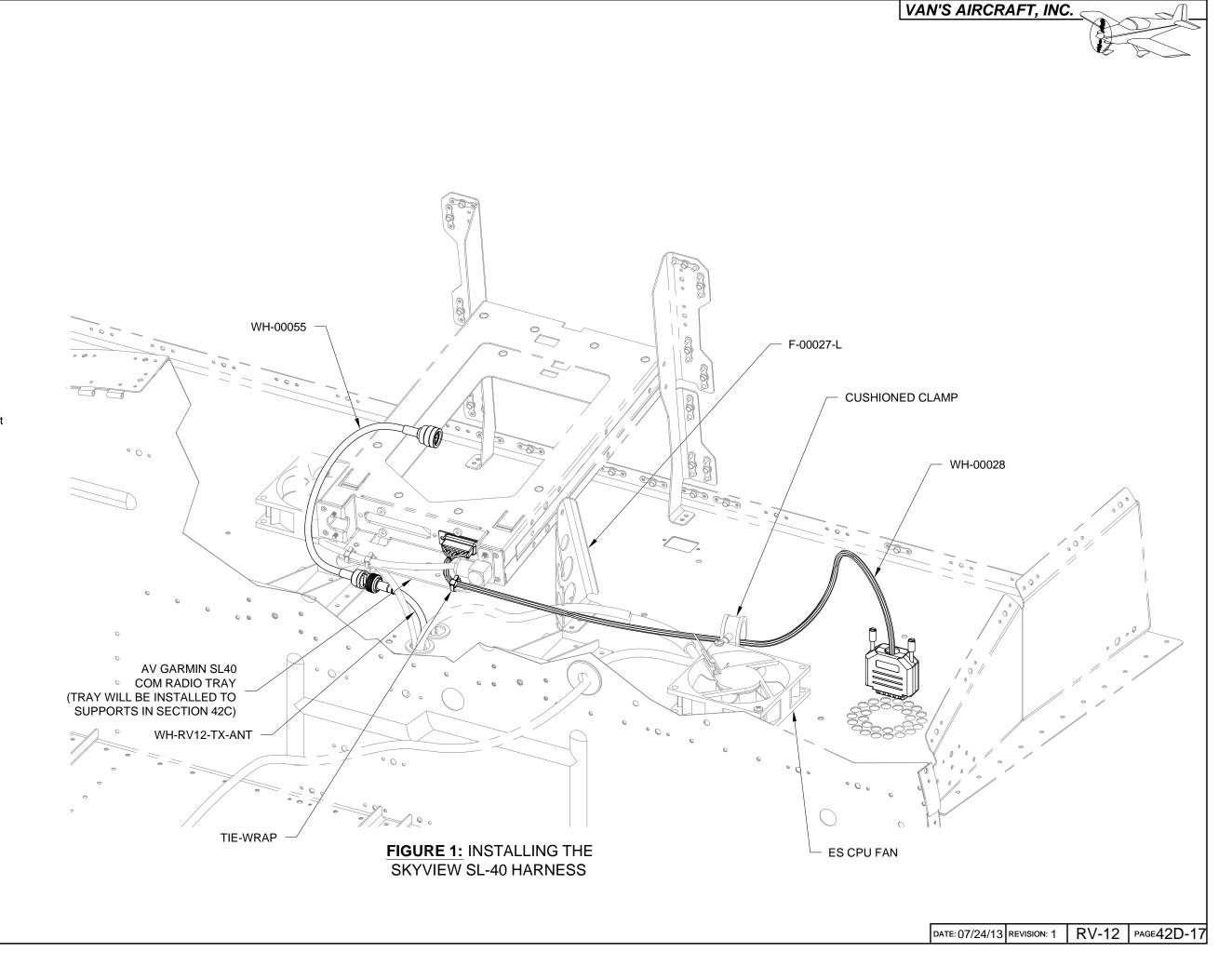
NOTE: This summarizes the replacement of the WH-RV12-SL40 COM Wiring Harness. Skip Step 1 and Step 2 on this page if you have not yet installed an avionics kit.

Step 1: Attach the 25-pin d-sub on the WH-00028 SkyView SL-40 Harness without a backshell to the back of the AV GARMIN SL40 Com Radio tray. Use the hardware previously removed in this section when detaching the WH-RV12-SL40 Com Wiring Harness. See Figure 1.

Step 2: Tie-Wrap the WH-00028 SkyView SL-40 Harness to the back of the AV GARMIN SL40 Com Radio tray as shown in Figure 1.

Route the SkyView SL-40 harness through the cushioned clamp near the left ES CPU FAN.

Step 3: Install the WH-00055 Xpndr Ant Cable Extension onto the end of the WH-RV12-TX-ANT Transponder Antenna Cable as shown in Figure 1.



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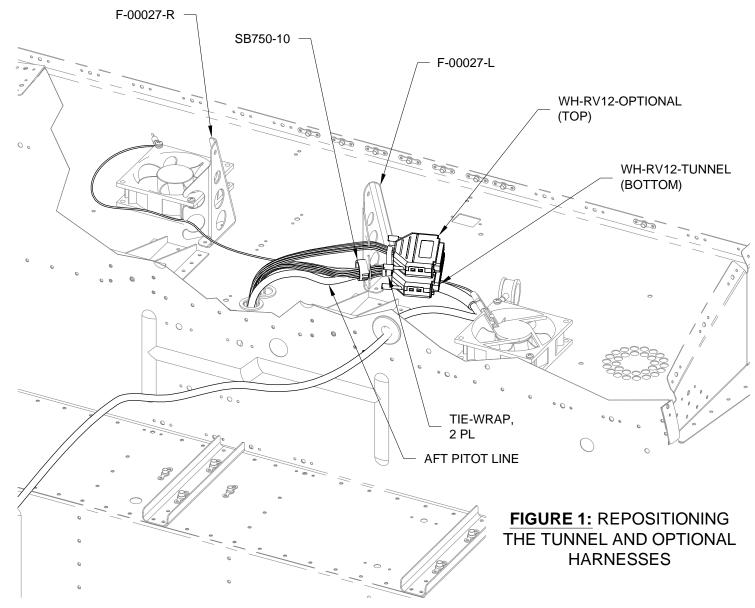
<u>Step 1:</u> Pull excess wire from the WH-RV12-TUNNEL and WH-RV12-OPTIONAL harnesses down through the F-1202B Panel Base until the backshells of these harnesses are in the approximate location shown in Figure 1.

Route the WH-RV12-TUNNEL and WH-RV12-OPTIONAL wiring harnesses through the slots for snap bushings in the F-00027-L Com Support as shown in Figure 1.

Step 2: Slit a snap bushing saved from the F-1202K-L & -R Inst Stack Supports previously in this section then install it around all wires and the Aft Pitot Tube going through the F-00027-L Com Support except the WH-RV12-OPTIONAL harness. Insert the bushing into the lower snap bushing slot in the com support. See Figure 1.

Step 3: Tie-Wrap the WH-RV12-TUNNEL harness to the Aft Pitot Line where the wires exit the backshell on the harness.

Tie-Wrap the WH-RV12-OPTIONAL harness to the WH-RV12-TUNNEL harness where the wires exit the backshell on both harnesses.

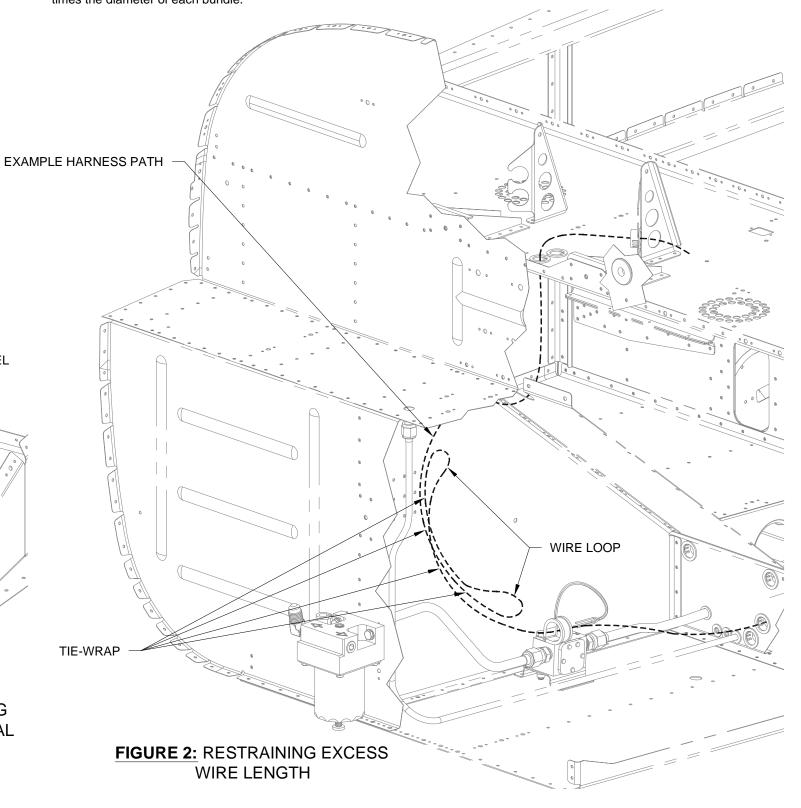


Step 4: Loosen the F-12125 Over Rudder Wireway. See Page 31-13 Figure 1.

NOTE: When making loops in wires do not loop wires around other wires! This may induce errant electrical signals into data or audio wires.

<u>Step 5:</u> Pull the excess wires from the WH-RV12-TUNNEL and WH-RV12-OPTIONAL wiring harnesses into the tunnel area.

Loop then tie-wrap the excess wires back on themselves as shown in Figure 2. Use a generous radius six times the diameter of each bundle.

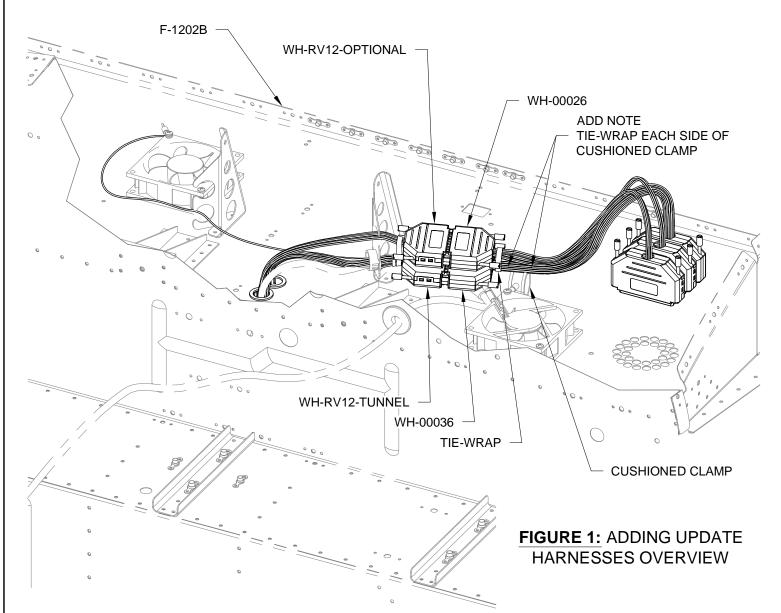


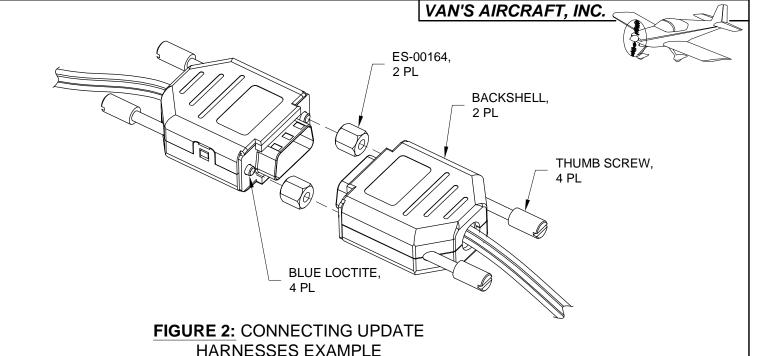
Step 1: Attach the WH-00036 Tunnel Conversion Harness to the WH-RV12-TUNNEL harness using ES-00164 4-40 F/F .250 1/4 Hex Standoff. Place a drop of blue Loctite on the threads of each thumb screw then fully tighten them into the d-sub backshell interconnects. See Figures 1 and 2.

<u>Step 2:</u> Attach the WH-00026 Option Conversion Harness to the WH-RV12-OPTIONAL harness using ES-00164 D-Sub Backshell Interconnects. Place a drop of blue Loctite on the threads of each thumb screw then fully tighten them into the d-sub backshell interconnects. See Figures 1 and 2.

<u>Step 3:</u> Tie-Wrap the WH-00036 Tunnel Conversion Harness to the WH-00026 Option Conversion Harness where the wires exit each backshell.

<u>Step 4:</u> Tie a note to the cushioned clamp to tie-wrap the WH-RV12-TUNNEL harness to the wires going through the cushioned clamp near the left ES CPU FAN on either side of the clamp when all wiring has been completed in Section 42C. This will allow the update harnesses to be moved during installation of the SkyView avionics system.





Step 5 (No Lighting Kit Installed): Route WH-L435 (YEL/PRP) and WH-L436 (YEL/GRN) wires coming from the WH-00026 RV-12 Option Conversion Harness down through the F-1202B Panel Base. Follow the ES RS 279-374 Phone Cable as described on Page 31-03 to the location of the ELT.

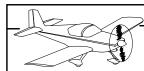
Cover the exposed end of each wire in heat shrink, coil the wire and tie-wrap the wire to the wires going to the ELT.

Step 5 (Lighting Kit Installed): Find the WH-L435 (YEL/PRP) and WH-L436 (YEL/GRN) wires coming from the WH-00026 RV-12 Option Conversion Harness.

Cut both wires three inches from the d-sub connector they are attached to.

Cover the end of each wire in heat shrink.

Step 6: There are several long wires left coming from the WH-00026 Option Conversion Harness and WH-00036 Tunnel Conversion Harness. Route these wires down through a snap bushing in the F-1202B Panel Base then follow the path of the WH-RV12-TUNNEL harness through the to the F-1202F Bulkhead. Use the new wire run holes made in this section to route the harnesses to the aft side of the F-1203A Bulkhead.



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NOTE: Steps 1-4 on this page only apply if you have already purchased an avionics kit. Steps 5-6 apply if you have not yet purchased an avionics kit.

CAUTION: The AV GARMIN SL40 Com Radio emits a large electromagnetic field when transmitting. Avoid routing excess wire beneath the com radio if possible. See 42D-17 for reference.

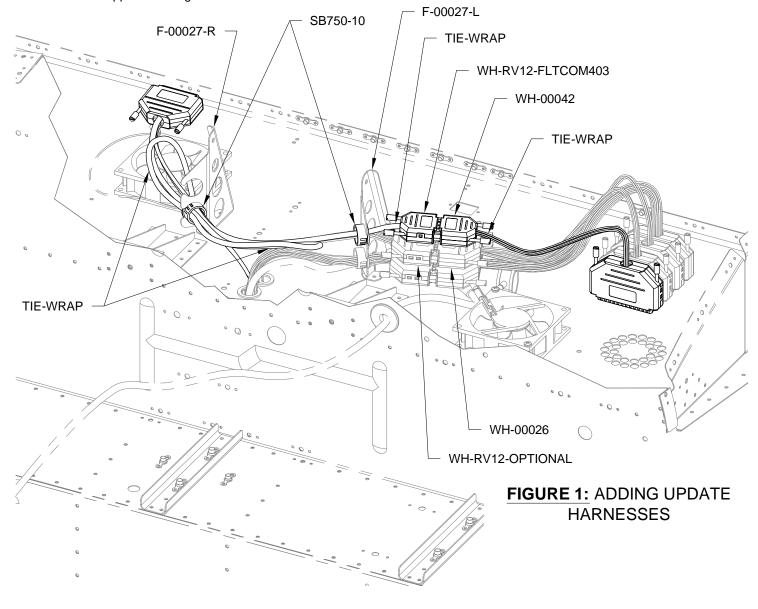
Step 1 (D-180 Avionics Kit): Route the WH-RV12-FLTCOM403 Intercom Wiring Harness through the snap bushing slot in the F-00027-L & -R Com Stack Supports as shown in Figure 1.

Fold extra wire length from the intercom wiring harness back along its own length then tie-wrap the harness to itself.

Tie-wrap the harness to the WH-RV12-OPTIONAL harness where the wires exit each backshell.

Step 2 (D-180 Avionics Kit): Slit snap bushings saved from the F-1202K-L & -R Inst Stack Supports previously in this section and install one around all wires going through the F-00027-R Com Support. Insert the snap bushing into the lower snap bushing slot in the com support. See Figure 1.

Install the second snap bushing around the WH-RV12-OPTIONAL harness and WH-RV12-FLTCOM403 Intercom Wiring Harness going through the F-00027-L Com Support. Insert the snap bushing into the upper snap bushing slot in the com support. See Figure 1.



Step 3 (D-180 Avionics Kit): Attach the WH-00042 Intercom Conversion Harness to the WH-RV12-FLTCOM403 Intercom Wiring Harness using ES-00164 4-40 F/F .250 1/4 Hex Standoff by placing a drop of blue Loctite on the threads of each thumb screw then fully tightening them into the d-sub backshell interconnects. See Page 42-19, Figure 2.

Step 4 (D-180 Avionics Kit): Tie-Wrap the WH-00042 Intercom Conversion Harness to the WH-00026 Option Conversion Harness where the wires exit each backshell.

Crimp splices to the ends of the WH-RZ941 (WHT/GRN) and wires coming from WH-RZ942 (WHT) and WH-RZ943 (WHT).

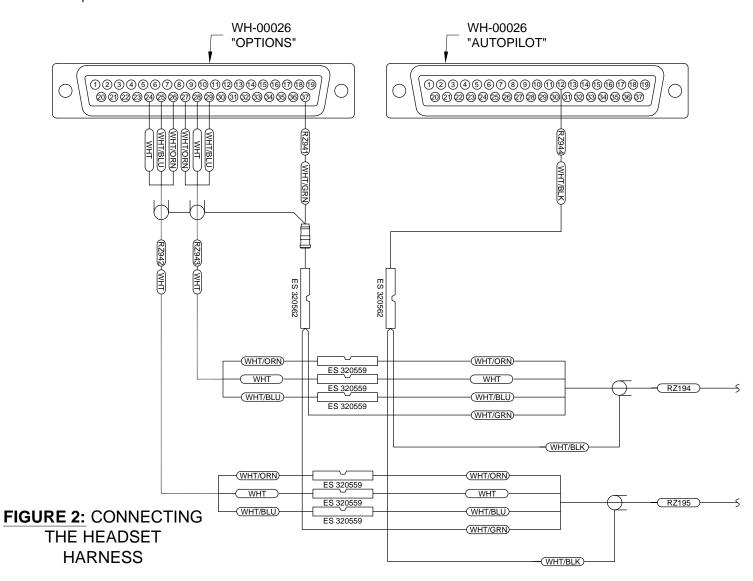
Step 5 (No D-180 Avionics Kit): Find the WH-RV12-HEADSET wiring harness routed up through the F-1202B Panel Base comprised of two four conductor shielded wires WH-RZ194 (WHT) and WH-RZ195 (WHT). Cut off any connectors leaving as much wire as possible.

Crimp the (WHT/BLK) shield wire coming from WH-RZ194 (WHT) and WH-RZ195 (WHT) into one end of a splice. Find the WH-RZ944 (WHT/BLK) wire coming from the WH-00026 Option Conversion Harness, strip then double this wire over and crimp the doubled wire into the other end of the splice. See Figure 2.

Crimp the (WHT/GRN) conductor wire coming from WH-RZ194 (WHT) and WH-RZ195 (WHT) into one end of a splice. Find the WH-RZ941 (WHT/GRN) wire coming from the option conversion harness, strip then double this wire over and crimp the doubled wire into the other end of the splice. See Figure 2.

Strip the ends of the (WHT/ORN), (WHT) and (WHT/BLU) wires coming from the WH-RZ942 (WHT) and WH-RZ943 (WHT) three conductor shielded wires in the option conversion harness. Crimp these wires to the remaining wires coming from the headset wiring harness as shown in Figure 2.

Step 6 (No D-180 Avionics Kit): Tie-wrap the wires from Step 5 to the wires coming from the backshells at the junction of the WH-00026 Option Conversion harness and the WH-RV12-OPTIONAL harness.



<u>Step 1:</u> Find the wires that were routed from the WH-00026 Option Conversion Harness and WH-00036 Tunnel Conversion Harness through the F-1203A Bulkhead.

Step 2: Route the WH-P325 (WHT/RED) wire along the path of the ES RS 279-374 Phone Cable as described on Page 31-03 to the location of the ELT.

Strip the routed end of the wire then crimp on a ES-320559 Splice.

For future use tie-wrap the wire to other wires going to the ELT.

Step 3: Route the WH-P323 (WHT) four conductor shielded wire, twisted WH-F319 (GRN) and WH-F320 (BLU) wires and twisted WH-F321 (WHT/GRN) and WH-322 (WHT/BLU) wires along the path of the WH-RV12-TUNNEL wiring harness to the tailcone area location of the magnetometer. See Page 31-05 and 31-12.

Step 4: Tie-wrap routed wires as required.

NOTE: Reference Page 31-12 for the remaining steps on this page.

<u>Step 5:</u> Find the ES 9 PIN BACKSHELL 2 on the end of the WH-RV12-TUNNEL wiring harness disconnected previously from the DYNON 100323-000 EDC-10A Magnetometer.

Remove and set aside the backshell for use in the following steps. See Section 5W Electrical Wiring Notes, Backshell Assembly.

Extract the YEL, RED and BLU pins from positions 2, 7 and 8 respectively using the TOOL ICM INSERT/EXTRACT D-Sub Tool provided in the kit. Separate these wires for later conversion of the OAT.

Extract the remaining wires from the ES-205203-3 9-Pin D-Sub. These wires will no longer be used or connected at the AV-50000A RV-12 Control Module. Fold the wires back and tie-wrap them to the wire run along the F-1208 Bulkhead.

Set aside the 9-pin d-sub for use in the following steps.

Step 6: Find the WH-P323 (WHT) four conductor shielded wire, twisted WH-F319 (GRN) and WH-F320 (BLU) wires and twisted WH-F321 (WHT/GRN) and WH-322 (WHT/BLU) wires routed previously to the tailcone area coming from the WH-00036 RV-12 Tunnel Conversion Harness and insert them into the ES-205203-3 9-Pin D-Sub as shown in Figure 1.

Install the ES 9 PIN BACKSHELL 2 onto the 9-Pin D-Sub.

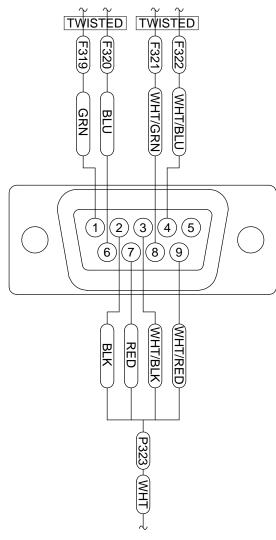


FIGURE 1: INSTALLING PINS INTO THE ADAHRS D-SUB CONNECTOR (REAR VIEW / PIN INSERTION SIDE)

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Step 7: Separate out the WH-RV12-OAT wiring harness RED, YEL and BLU from the wires removed in Step 5. These come from a multi conductor shielded wire.

Remove 3 inches of the shield then clip the RED wire 1 inch from the end of the shield.

Cover the exposed shield (and RED wire) with a piece of heat shrink. See Section 5W Electrical Wiring Notes, Shielded Wires.

Clip off the d-sub sockets from the end of the BLU and YEL wires.

Strip the ends of the BLU and YEL wires.

Attach the BLU and YEL wires to the WH-00008 SkyView OAT Connector Harness using the butt splices called out in Figure 2.

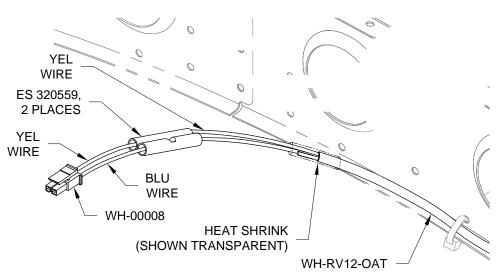
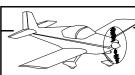


FIGURE 2: CONVERTING THE OAT



Step 1: Find the WH-P350 (WHT) Power Outlet Wire coming from the WH-00026 RV-12 Option Conversion Harness previously routed through the F-1203A Bulkhead.

Strip the routed end of the WH-P350 (WHT) wire and crimp on a spade connector as shown in Figure 1.

Disconnect the WH-B148 (WHT) wire from the back of the power outlet and connect the WH-P350 (WHT) in its place.

Tie-Wrap the WH-P350 (WHT) to itself as shown in Figure 1.

Step 2: Using Page 31-10 and Section 45 as a guide remove the WH-B148 (WHT) Power Outlet +V Wire and ES ZC-210B In-Line Fuse Holder from the aircraft.

Step 3: The WH-P440 (ORN/BLK) Audio Power wire coming from the WH-00026 RV-12 Option Conversion Harness splits near the F-1203A Bulkhead into the shorter WH-P600 (ORN/BLK) wire and longer WH-P601 (ORN/BLK) wire. The split in the wire needs be located between the F-1202F Bulkhead and the F-1203A Bulkhead.

Route the longer wire to the right side F-00032 Fuselage Side Cover opening through the snap bushings in the F-1215-L & -R Seat Ribs. See Page 31-09, Figure 1.

Route the shorter wire to the left side opening.

Cover the ends of each wire with heat shrink then tie-wrap them to the headset jacks. See Page 31-10.

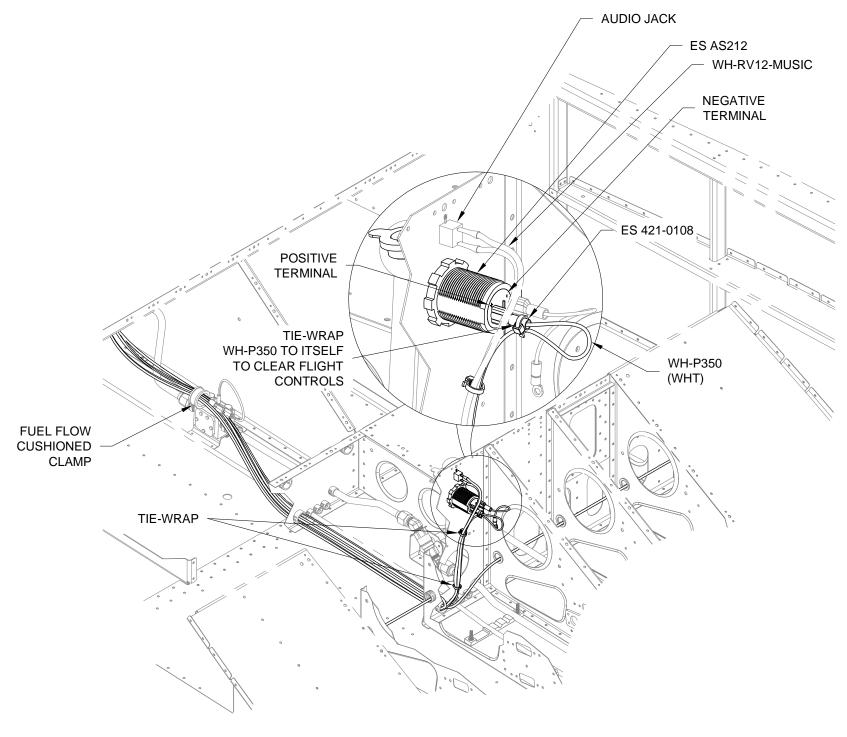


FIGURE 1: REPLACING THE POWER OUTLET WIRE

NOTE: This page is intended for builders who have completed the steps marked D-180 EFIS in Section 31A Wing Electrical Interconnect Update, Page 31A-08. If Section 31A was completed with the intent of updating your system directly to SkyView (Page 31A-08 steps marked SV-D1000 EFIS) then ignore the steps on this page.

<u>Step 1:</u> Remove the WH-B268 (WHT) Lighting Power Jumper Wire and corresponding ES-00079 Floating Connector Pin 16-20 AWG from the left side ES-00077 Floating 8 Pos Connector Female position 6 as shown in Figure 2. See Figure 1 for reference on the overall fuselage configuration.

Cut off the floating connector and cover the end of the wire in heat shrink.

<u>Step 2:</u> Remove the WH-B268 (WHT) Lighting Power Jumper Wire and corresponding ES-00079 Floating Connector Pin 16-20 AWG from the right side ES-00078 Floating 8 Pos Connector Male position 6 as shown in Figure 3.

Cut off the floating connector and cover the end of the wire in heat shrink.

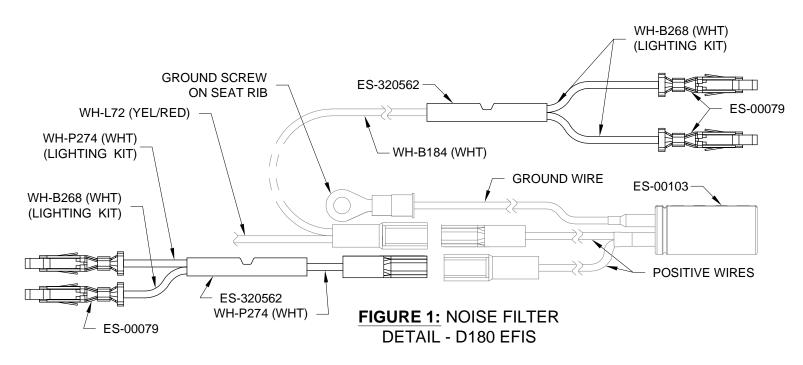
<u>Step 3:</u> Find the WH-L439 (YEL/RED) Nav Power Wire coming from the WH-00026 RV-12 Option Conversion Harness previously routed through the F-1203A Bulkhead.

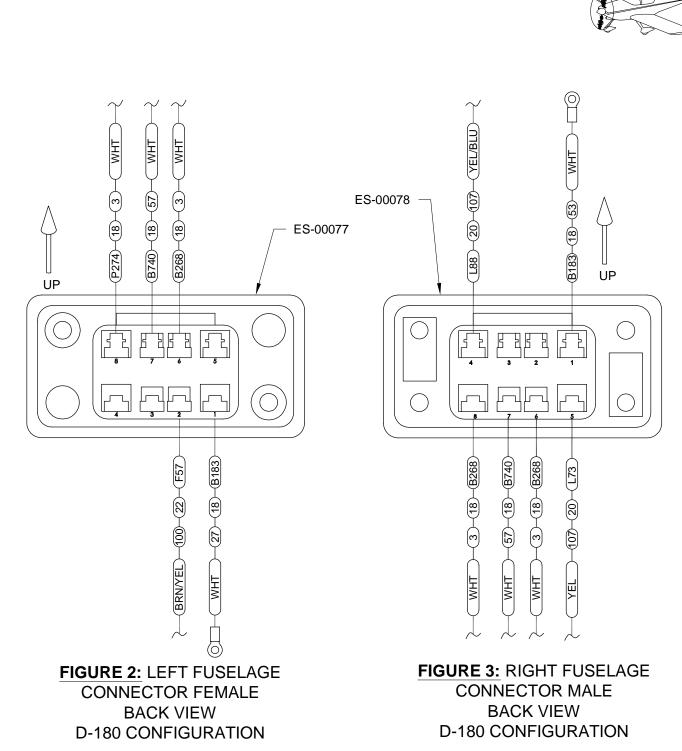
The nav power wire splits near the F-1203A Bulkhead into the shorter WH-L456 (YEL/RED) wire and longer WH-L458 (YEL/RED) wire. The split in the wire needs to be located between the F-1202F Bulkhead and the F-1203A Bulkhead.

Route the longer wire to the right side F-00032 Fuselage Side Cover opening through the snap bushings in the F-1215-L & -R Seat Ribs. See Page 31-09, Figure 1.

Route the shorter wire to the left side opening.

Crimp a ES-00079 Floating Connector Pin 16-20 AWG on the end of each wire then insert them into position 6 on the floating 8 position connectors.

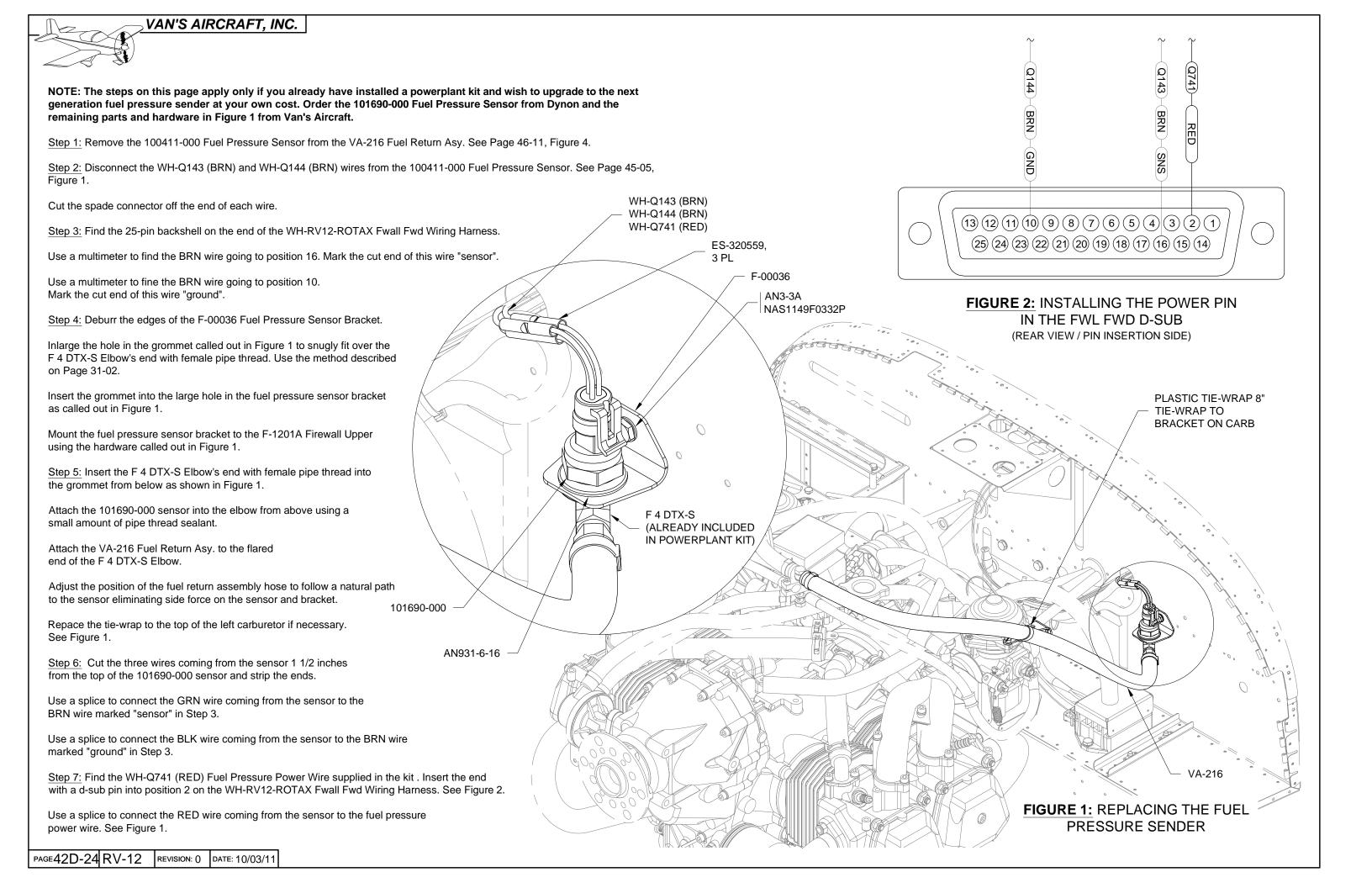




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NOTE: The steps on this page apply only if you already have installed a powerplant kit.

Step 1: Locate the WH-K47 (ORN) wire going to the ES 421-0108 spade connector on the 992 819 Relay. Some engines may also have a WH-00007 (PRP) wire going to this spade connector.

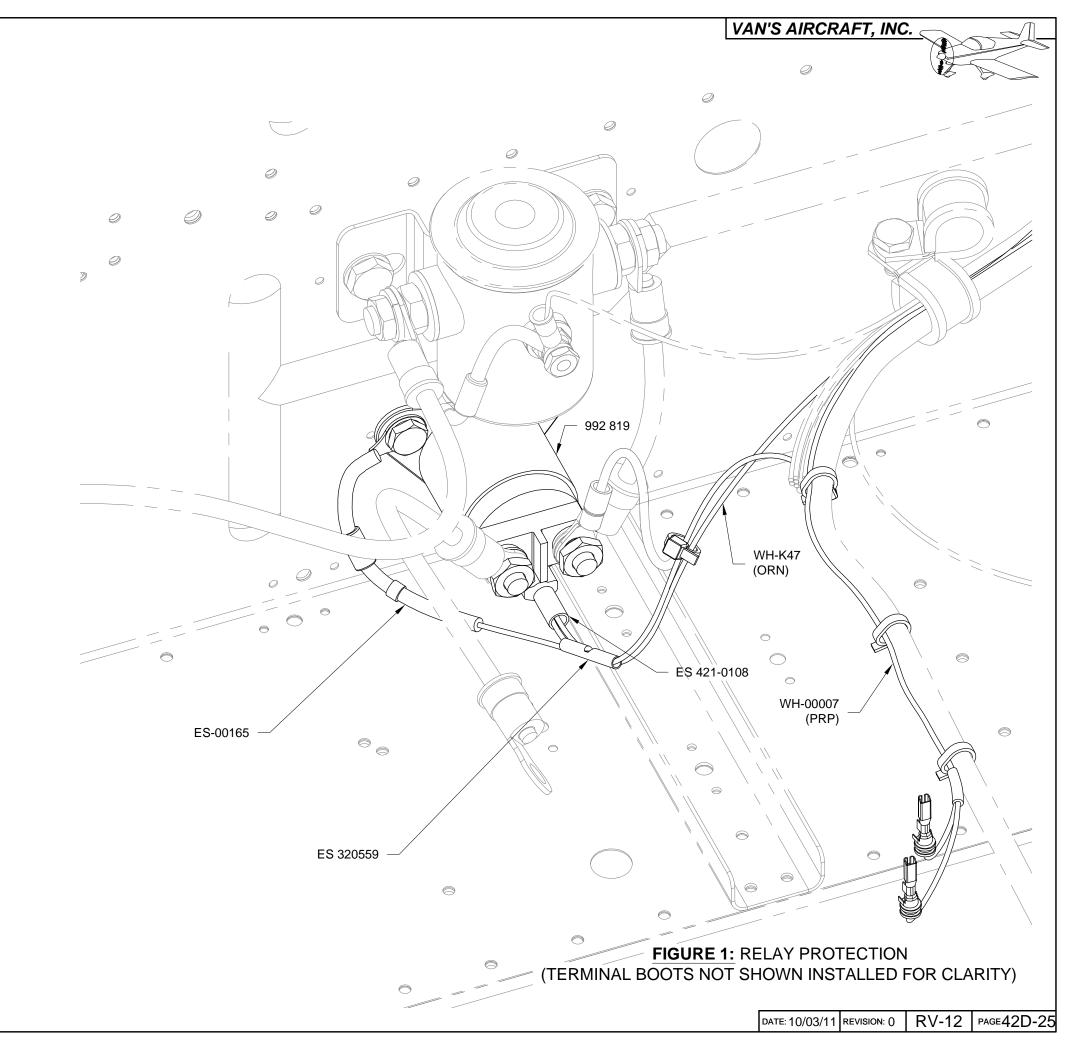
Cut the WH-K47 (ORN) wire roughly two inches from where the wire exits the spade connector.

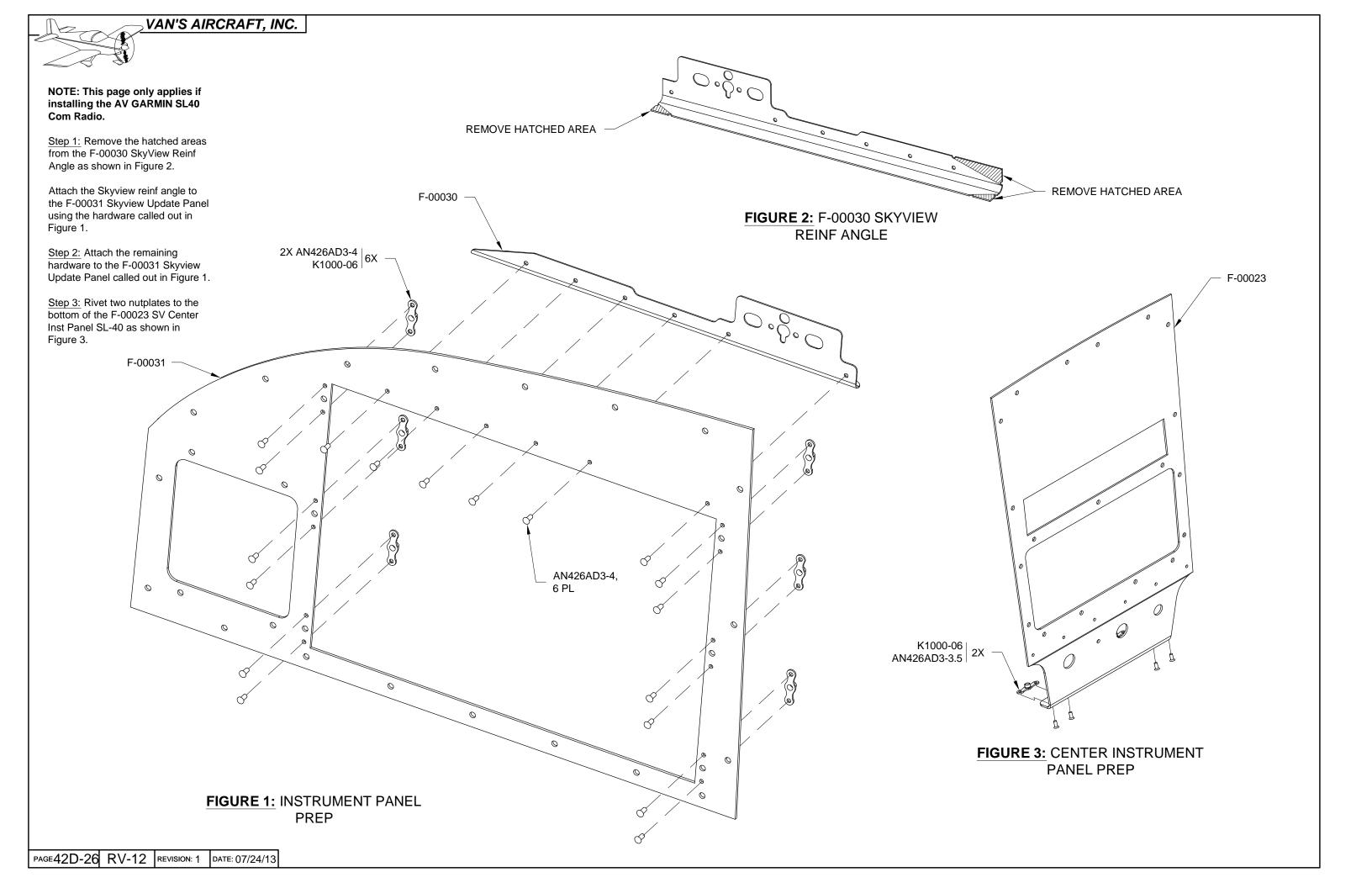
Strip both ends of the cut WH-K47 (ORN) wire.

Step 2: Crimp a splice called out in Figure 1 to the cut WH-K47 (ORN) wire coming from the spade connector and the wire coming from the ES-00165 Starter Relay Protection Diode.

Crimp the remaining cut WH-K47 (ORN) wire into the other end of the splice.

Remove the right bolt and washer holding the 992 819 Relay to the firewall. Slip the washer and ring terminal on the starter relay protection diode over the bolt then re-install the bolt.





Step 1: Find the wires previously cut in Page 42D-02, Step 26 for the WH-RV12-APDC Autopilot Disconnect that are still attached to the fuselage.

Crimp ES-00006 Molex Sockets to the end of each of autopilot disconnect wires.

Insert each wire into a ES-00007 Molex Receptacle as shown in Figure 1.

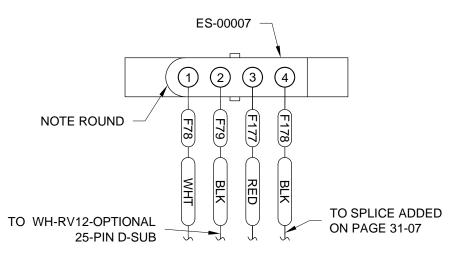
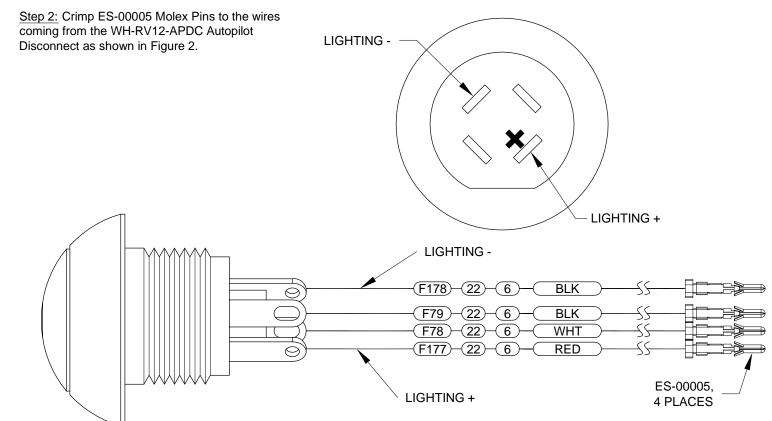


FIGURE 1: AUTOPILOT HARNESS DIAGRAM (VIEW FROM WIRE INSERTION SIDE)



Step 3 (No Autopilot): Store the autopilot disconnect switch for later use.

Fill the autopilot disconnect switch pilot hole with a rivet.

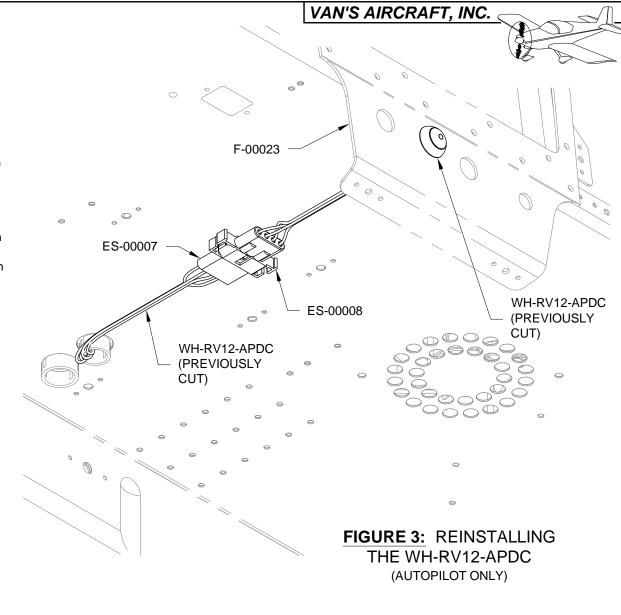
Step 3 (Autopilot): Use a step-drill to enlarge the existing pilot hole for the WH-RV12-APDC Autopilot Disconnect in the F-00023 SV Inst Panel SL-40 to 1/2 inch diameter.

Deburr the hole.

Install the autopilot disconnect into the F-00023 SV Inst Panel SL-40 as shown in Figure 3.

Insert the pins on the end of the autopilot disconnect into a ES-00008 Molex Plug as shown in Figure 4.

Insert the ES-00007 Molex Receptacle into the Molex plug as shown in Figure 3.



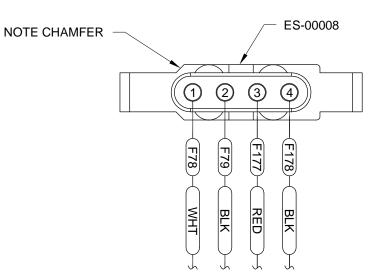


FIGURE 4: AUTOPILOT DISCONNECT DIAGRAM (VIEW FROM WIRE INSERTION SIDE)

VAN'S AIRCRAFT, INC. **COM SUPPORT** Step 1: Install the WH-RV12-ROTAX Fwall Fwd Wiring Harness 25-pin d-sub to the top of the AV-50000A RV-12 Control Module as shown in **BRACKET** Step 2: Install the WH-RV12-POWER wiring harness to the back of the AV-50001 Power & Switch Module as shown in Figure 1 and Page 45A-01. **AFT PITOT** SV-EMS-220 LINE Route the power wiring harness through a snap bushing in the com support FF-1216 (SHOWN FIREWALL Step 3: Install the WH-RV12-EGT Exhaust Gas Temp Wiring Harness to the FOR REFERENCE ONLY; PENETRATION SV-EMS-220 Engine Monitoring Module as shown in Figure 1. SUPPLIED IN THE GROMMET POWERPLANT KIT) Step 4: Route the Aft Pitot Line forward through bulkheads from behind the F-1204 Center Section Assembly (see Page 42D-03) up through the F-1202B Panel Base and through the com support bracket as shown in Figure 1. WH-RV12-EGT Step 5: Install the PT 1/4 ID X 3/8 OD X4" Pitot Tube Joiner by inserting two inches of the Aft Pitot Line into one end of the pitot tube joiner. If the FF-1216 Pitot Line has already been installed, insert it into the other end of the pitot tube joiner until the ends of the pitot line and aft pitot line are within 1/4 inch of each other. See Figure 1. If the pitot tube joiner is difficult to install, it can be warmed in hot water prior to inserting the pitot lines. WH-RV12-POWER AV-50001 PT 1/4 ID X 3/8 OD X4" ES CPU FAN **CUSHIONED CLAMP** WH-RV12-ROTAX AV-50000A **FIGURE 1: INSTALLING** THE POWER AND FWL **FWD HARNESSES** PAGE42D-28 RV-12 REVISION: 1 DATE: 07/24/13

NOTE: Steps on this page are for builders who have completed the powerplant kit installation ahead of the avionics kit and builders with flying aircraft.

<u>Step 1:</u> Leave the WH-P149 (WHT) Battery Ground Cable disconnected from the negative battery ground cable until section 42C is complete then reinstall the cable as shown on Page 45-03, Figure 3.

Step 2: Re-install the Choke Cable, Throttle Cable and Cabin Heat Cable in the reverse order that they were removed. See Page 42D-02, Steps 18 through 25.

Step 3: Rebalance the carburetors on the Rotax engine.

Step 4: Update the hobbs time on the SkyView EFIS system to match the hobbs time from the D-180.

CAUTION: Do not un-plug or plug in any connector in the aircraft electrical system with the electrical system turned on or any avionics component running off a backup battery!

Only adjust potentiometers using the TOOL-00000 Trimmer Adjustment Tool. If necessary carefully sand down the tip diameter of the trimmer adjustment tool to fit within the adjustment holes in the case of the AV-50000A Control Module.

When adjusting the potentiometers it is possible to run off the end of the adjustment range. The item being adjusted will then be completely turned off. If this happens turn the pot back into the normal adjustment range. The potentiometer has a built in clutch system which prevents damage if the potentiometer is turned past the end of its travel.

The four screws that attach the AV-50000A Control Module to the F-1202B Panel Base provide a ground connection. Do not power up the electrical system without the control module attached to the panel base!

<u>Step 5:</u> Make the potentiometers easily accessible. Remove the SkyView display then temporarily remove the four mounting screws that retain the AV-50000A Control Module. Gently pull the control module through the display opening in the panel leaving all the harnesses attached. If the routing of your harnesses prevent this remove the F-1240 Upper Forward Fuselage Skin to grant easy access to the control module.

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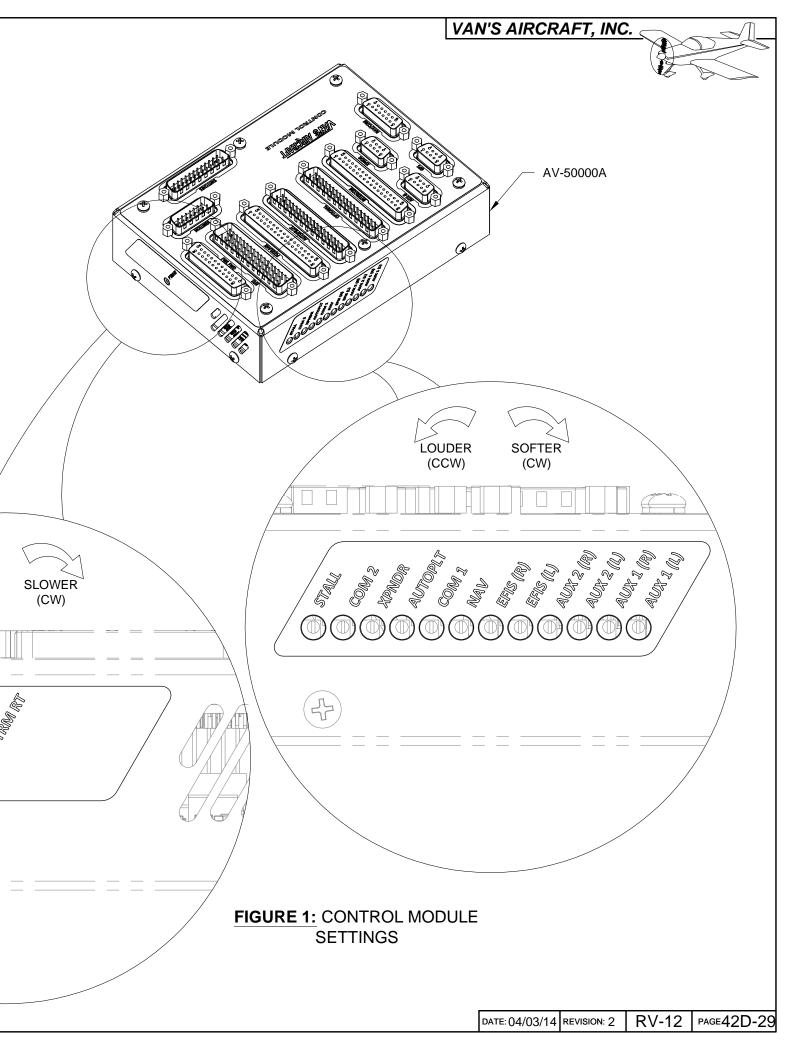
CAUTION: Only use a battery charger compatible with your battery's specifications.

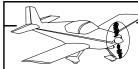
NOTE: If the SkyView AP-Knob Panels kit Section 58 has been installed, skip Step 2. When using the knobs modules the trim rate will be controlled by the SV-AP-PANEL module which is pre-set with factory settings when the latest firmware-settings file is installed from the Van's Aircraft web site.

Step 6: Double check that trim tab motion properly corresponds to trim switch input.

Use a battery charger to bring the bus voltage to approximately 13.6 volts.

Verify the time to run the trim motor stop to stop is approximately 25 seconds. The potentiometer is a 25 turn device. Turning the potentiometer clockwise will slow the motor travel, conversely turning it counter clockwise will speed the motor travel. After the first flight this setting may be fine tuned to builder preference.





NOTE: This page describes how to make final adjustments to obtain the best performance from the audio mixer.

Before starting remove any outside voltage sources such as a battery charger.

What is an audio mixer? The design intent of an audio mixer is to combine audio signals together from many different sources into one balanced signal that then will be fed into an intercom. The potentiometers over which you have control first reduce each audio signal, the signals are combined then amplified back to a useable output level for the intercom.

The following is a list of the factory preset levels for the audio mixer. Levels are preset at the factory and should work well "out of the box". Levels are included here for future reference.

Volume max = 25 turns counter clockwise (CCW) Volume off = 25 turns clockwise (CW)

Turning more than 25 turns will ensure the max or off condition.

Stall	Volume max
Com 2	Volume off
Xpndr	Volume off
AutoP	Volume off
Com 1	Volume max
Nav	Volume off
EFIS (R)	Volume 3 turns CCW from o
EFIS (L)	Volume 3 turns CCW from o
Aux 2 (R)	Volume off
Aux 2 (L)	Volume off
Aux 1 (R)	Volume max
Aux 1 (L)	Volume max

Step 1: Plug in and turn on a music device such as an iPod to the auxiliary music jack. Set the output volume of the device to 75% of full. Practice turning the potentiometers that control the Aux 1 (L) and Aux 1 (R) levels. Become familiar with the feel when tool is actually engaging the potentiometers and changing the output volume.

Notice that a very small range (possibly 6 depending on the music device you are using) of the pots 25 available turns are useful. Going back to the description of an audio mixer this means that some audio signals may need large reductions (more turns of the potentiometer) to match the strength of a weak audio signal.

Step 2: When you are comfortable adjusting the potentiometers make the following changes to the EFIS (L) and EFIS (R) levels. The goal is to maximize the EFIS alert output level while minimizing the background noise. There are background "noises" inherent to SkyView. By turning the EFIS (L) and (R) levels down as far as possible the "noise" is reduced as much as possible. To make the EFIS audio alerts loud enough to hear, turn the volume output up within the SkyView itself. Note the SkyView volume control only affects the volume of the alerts not the "noise". We have then minimized the noise while maximizing the audio alert volume.

Enter the Audio Setup menu within the SkyView display and set the Volume Control / Test to 100%. See Figure 1. If the audio from the display sounds distorted the audio mixer potentiometers in the control module are now set too high.

Slowly turn both the EFIS (L) and (R) levels down 1/2 turn at a time until the distortion disappears. Note that if the volume disappears altogether you have turned the potentiometer completely off. Turn the potentiometer back CCW until the volume comes back.

It may not be possible to obtain the perfect level setting. In this case turn down the volume within the display to remove the last hint of distortion. This should result in a sound level of 80% - 100% within the screen. The closer to 100% the quieter the "noise" will be.

Now that the setup has been maximized and distortion removed turn the screen volume level down even further if the maximized level is too loud for your combination of hearing health and headset quality.

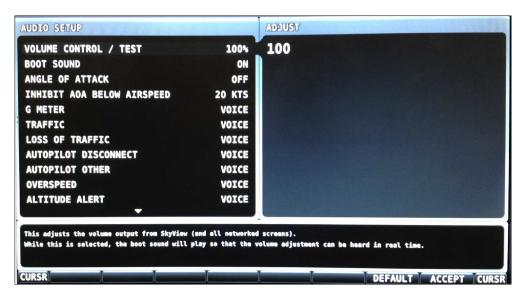
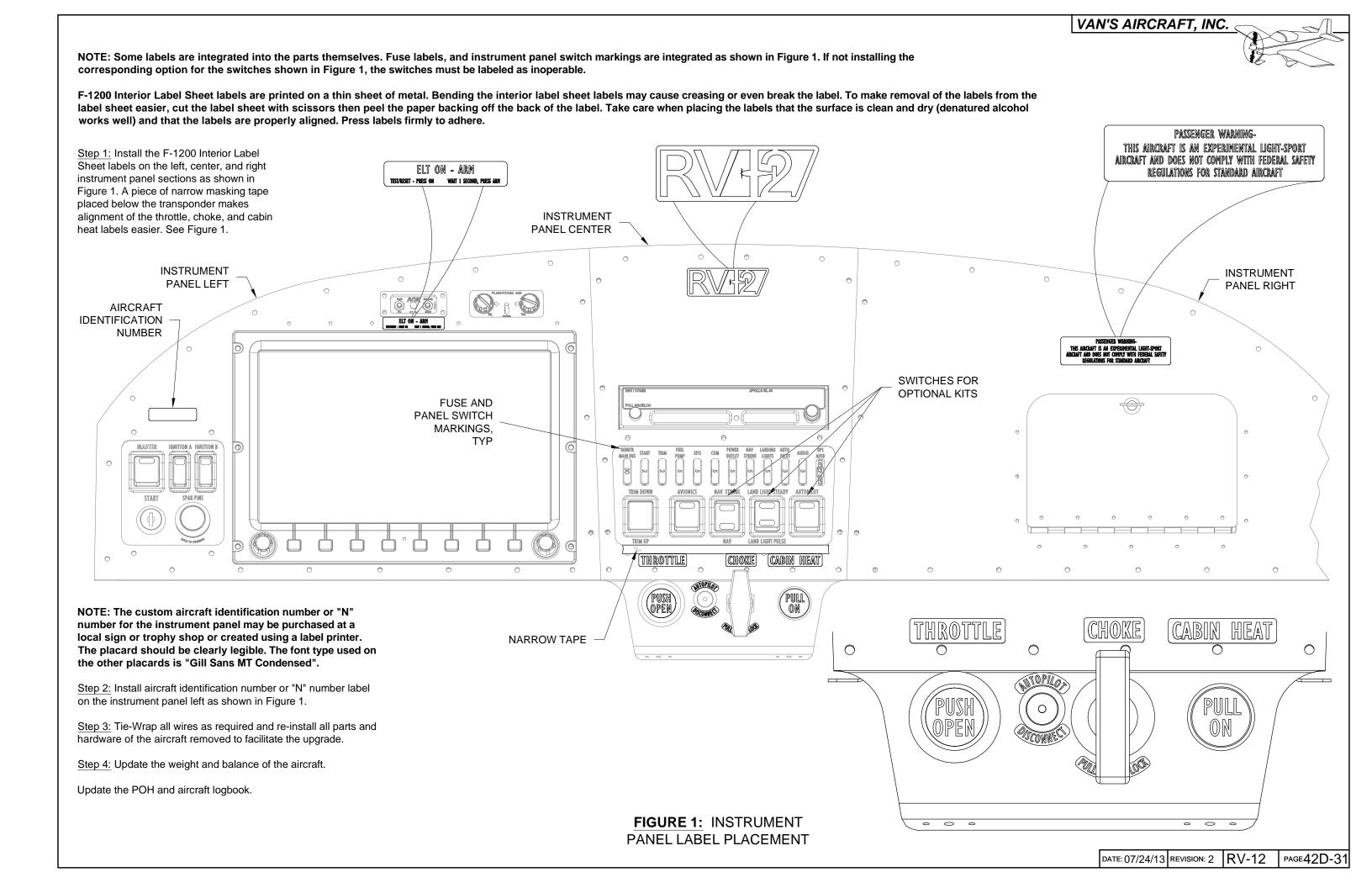


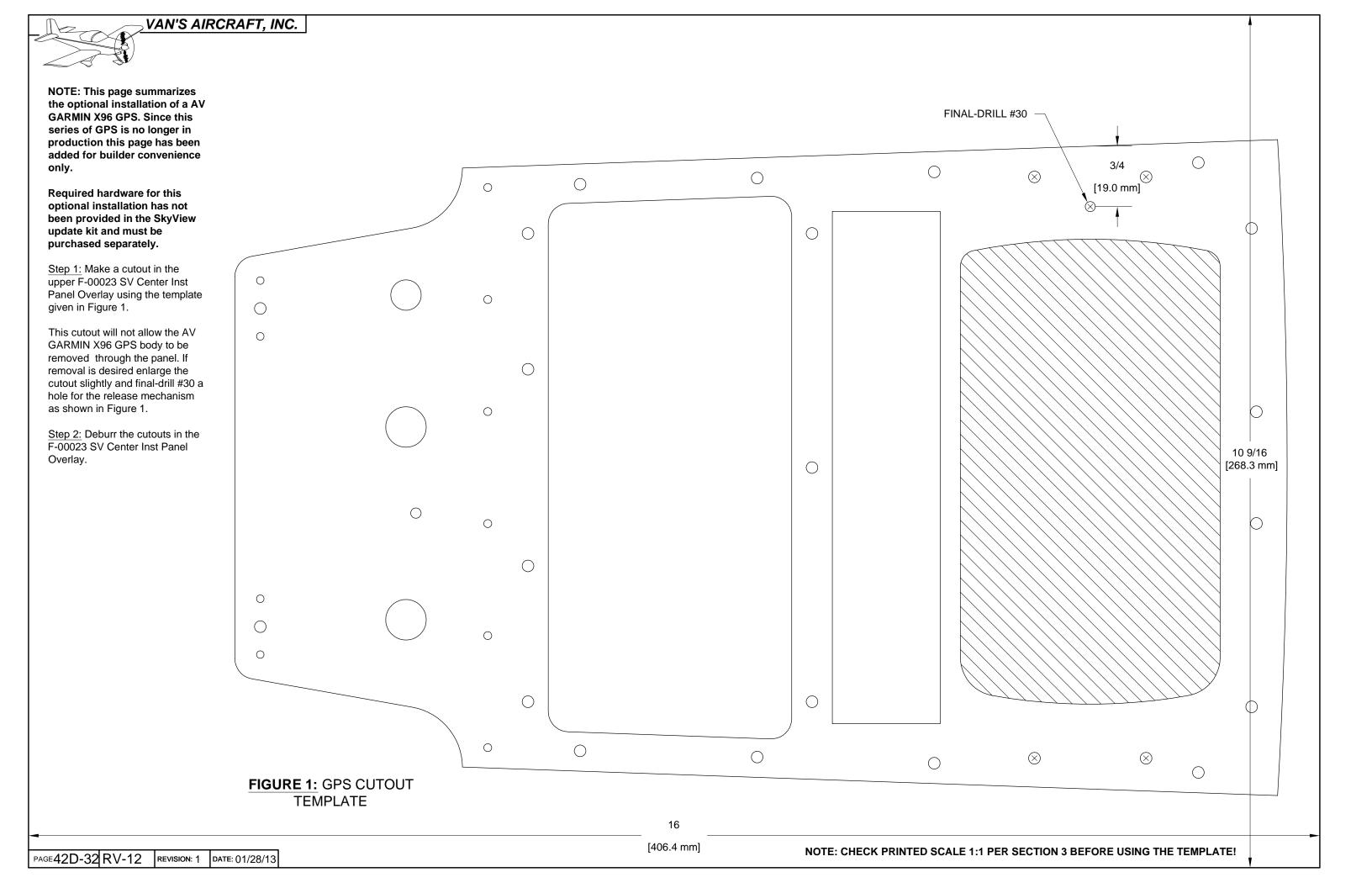
FIGURE 1: SKYVIEW VOLUME CONTROL

Step 3: Plug a headset into the pilot headset jacks. If the headset has volume control adjust the volume to the middle of the range. Turn on all audio devices connected to the board. Use a local ATIS or AWOS for radio input.

<u>Step 4:</u> Adjust the radio volume knob to full volume. Adjust the Com 1 sound level potentiometer on the AV-50000A Control Module until the radio is too loud and slightly distorted.

Step 5: Install the AV-50000A back onto the F-1202B Panel Base as shown in Section 42M.





NOTE: This page summarizes the optional installation of a **AV GARMIN X96 GPS. Since** this series of GPS is no longer in production this page has been added for builder convenience only.

Step 1: The Garmin 295 through 496 series GPS has been discontinued from production. Van's Aircraft will no longer produce the F-1201Z Retaining Plate and F-1202S GPS Mount Bracket.

If needed use the flat patterns in Figure 1 and Figure 2 to produce the retaining plate and GPS mount bracket.

Step 2: Install the 145-00452-00 Dock supplied with the AV GARMIN X96 GPS as shown on Page 42-12.

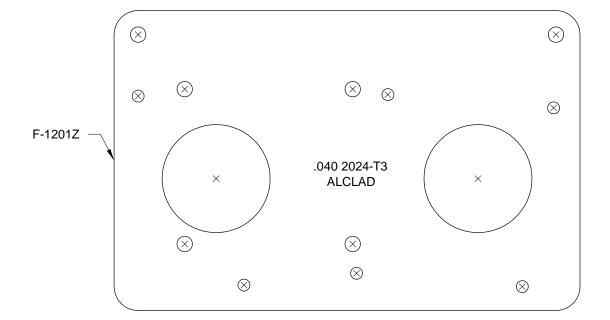


FIGURE 1: RETAINING PLATE TEMPLATE

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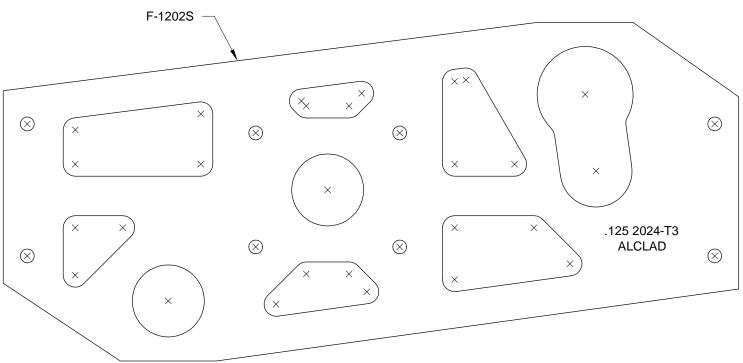
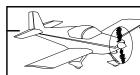


FIGURE 2: GPS MOUNT BRACKET TEMPLATE



NOTE: This page summarizes the optional installation of a AV GARMIN X96 GPS. Since this series of GPS is no longer in production this page has been added for builder convenience only.

Step 1: Remove the backshell, heatshrink and d-sub pins from the end of the WH-RV12-296-496 GPS Wiring Harness using the TOOL ICM INSERT/EXTRACT D-Sub Tool. See Page 42-13.

Step 2: Find the short green shield wire coming from the wires going to the 1/8 Inch Audio Plug on the WH-RV12-296-496 GPS Wiring Harness and cut off the pin.

Strip the end of this wire.

Step 3: Find the black wire coming from the Garmin Power Data Cable Connector on the WH-RV12-296-496 GPS Wiring Harness.

Cut this wire two inches from the d-sub pin.

Strip both the cut wire with the d-sub pin and the wire going to Garmin Power Data Cable Connector.

Crimp the black wire with d-sub pin and the shield wire from Step 2 into one end of a splice as shown in Figure 1.

Crimp the black wire going to the Garmin Power Data Cable Connector into the other end of the splice.

Insert this wire into the ES-00140 9-Pin Male D-Sub on the WH-00034 SkyView GPS-250 Harness as shown in Figure 1.

Step 4: Cover the ends of the blue and yellow wires coming from the Garmin Power Data Cable Connector on the WH-RV12-296-496 GPS Wiring Harness in heat shrink.

Fold the blue and yellow wires back and tie-wrap them to the GPS wiring harness.

Step 5: Insert the remaining wires coming from the WH-RV12-296-496 GPS Wiring Harness into the ES-00140 9-Pin Male D-Sub on the WH-00034 SkyView GPS-250 Harness as shown in Figure 1.

