ALTIMETER BAY DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

- Layout & configuration
 - ➤ Simple is good
 - Minimize the obstructions, extra work, complex finger gymnastics
- ▶ Port hole layout
- > Altimeter access
 - ▶ Configuration
 - ▶ Data acquisition
 - ► E-match and ejection charge loading
 - ▶ Arming

COMPONENTS

- Altimeter Power sources
 - ▶ Battery Considerations
 - ► E-match/igniter variables
 - ▶ LiPo
 - ► NiCad
 - > Alkaline

POWER SOSURCES

- LiPo Batteries
 - Advantages
 - Light Weight
 - ▶ Compact
 - ▶ lifespan
 - ▶ Disadvantages
 - Less rigid case
 - ▶ Non-traditional form factor
 - Bursting into flames

- Arming
 - **Timer**
 - G-Switch
 - ► Pull pin
 - > Breakwire
 - "Twist & tuck"
 - > Key switches
 - > Phono plugs
 - > Micro switches
 - > Screw switches
- ➤ Wiring

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