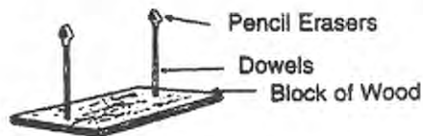


Model Balancing



Balancing a new model aircraft correctly is very important. Proper balancing can have a profound effect on the character of your aircraft in flight. A popular way to balance the model is on your fingertips and eyeballing it, but I like to use a fixture made for this purpose and get it more accurate. Two dowels, two pencil erasers and a block of wood is all you need. This needs no instructions. The diagram below tells it all. Just remember: Always measure the CG with no fuel on board and start with the CG point suggested by the manufacturer.



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