ENGINE CLEANING — EASY

In the July 2009 issue of Flying Models, Larry Kruse announced his discovery of a product which apparently makes the job of cleaning that brownish crud that seems to get baked onto your engines after a few flights. He recommends “Dawn Power Dissolver,” which is made by Proctor and Gamble. He cautions that there are several “Dawn” dishwashing products which use the phrase “Power Scrubber,” but this one comes in a blue plastic bottle and shouldn’t be confused with others. He found his at an Ace Hardware store. He says you just spray the stuff on, wait 20 minutes and come back and rub the gunk off with a paper towel.