

Step 1: Set aside two Seat Rib Assemblies (one left and one right). In the remaining two Seat Rib Assemblies (one left and one right), final-drill #19 the screw holes for the nine nutplates depicted in Figure 1. Note that in the case of the MS21051-L08 nutplate, the screw hole is NOT the center hole.

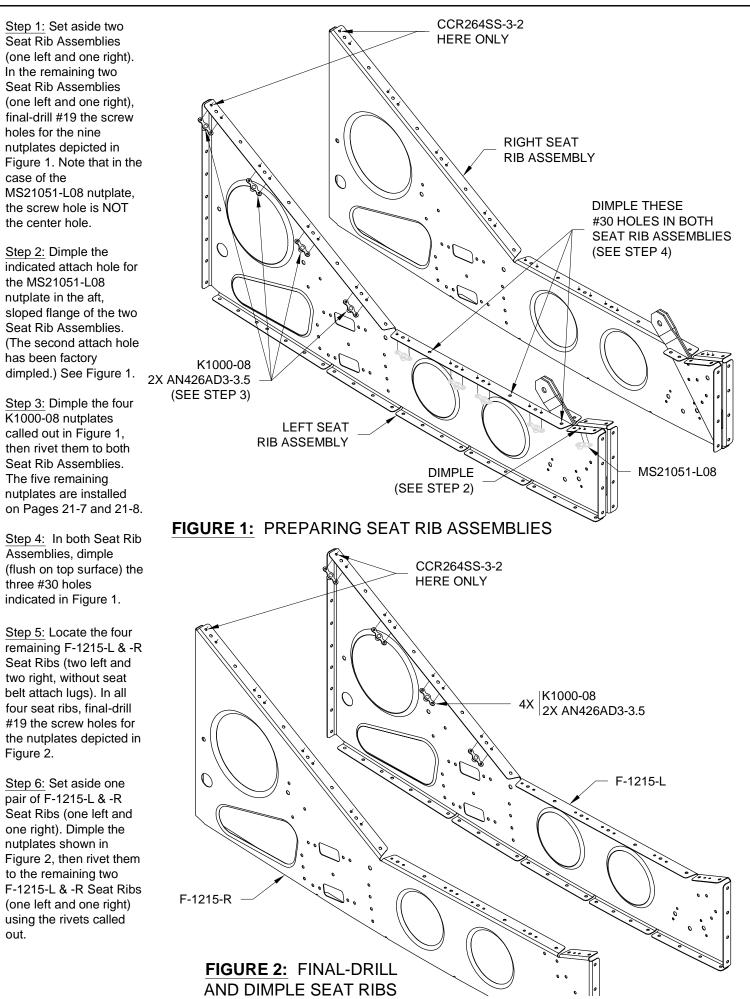
Step 2: Dimple the indicated attach hole for the MS21051-L08 nutplate in the aft, sloped flange of the two Seat Rib Assemblies. (The second attach hole has been factory

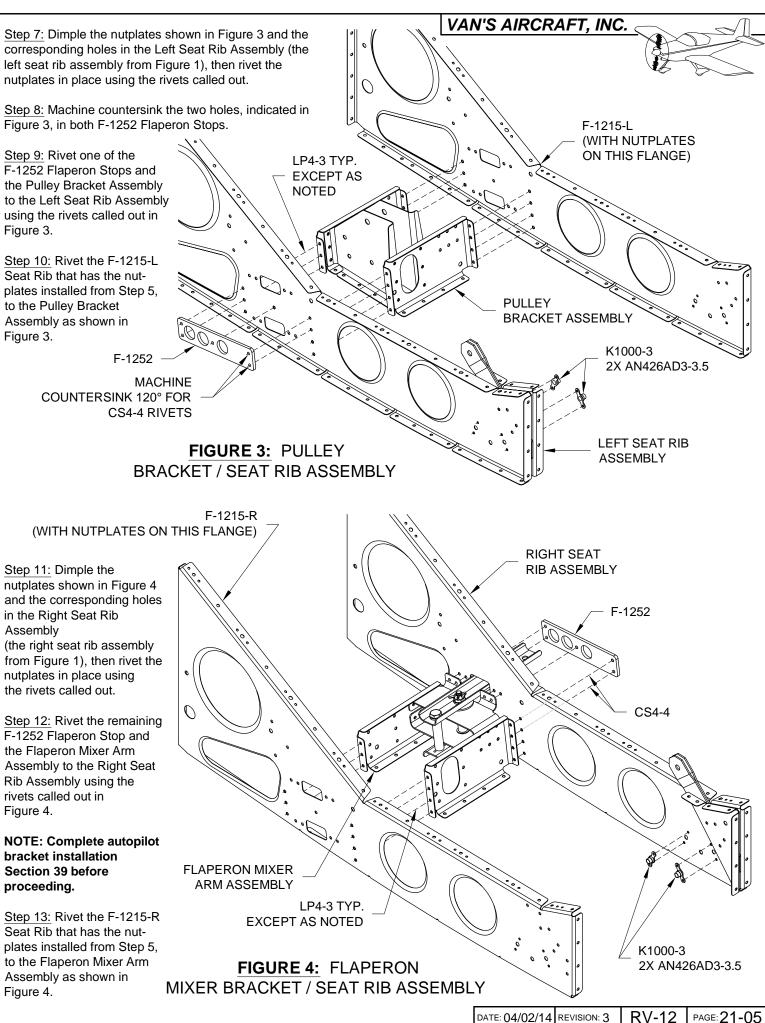
Step 3: Dimple the four K1000-08 nutplates called out in Figure 1, then rivet them to both Seat Rib Assemblies. The five remaining nutplates are installed on Pages 21-7 and 21-8.

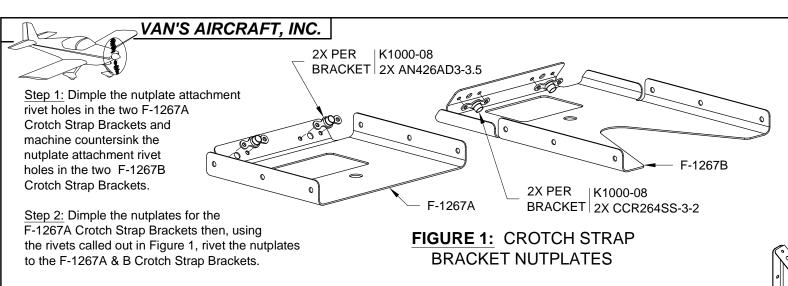
Step 4: In both Seat Rib Assemblies, dimple (flush on top surface) the three #30 holes indicated in Figure 1.

Step 5: Locate the four remaining F-1215-L & -R Seat Ribs (two left and two right, without seat belt attach lugs). In all four seat ribs, final-drill #19 the screw holes for the nutplates depicted in Figure 2.

Step 6: Set aside one pair of F-1215-L & -R Seat Ribs (one left and one right). Dimple the nutplates shown in Figure 2, then rivet them to the remaining two F-1215-L & -R Seat Ribs (one left and one right) using the rivets called out.

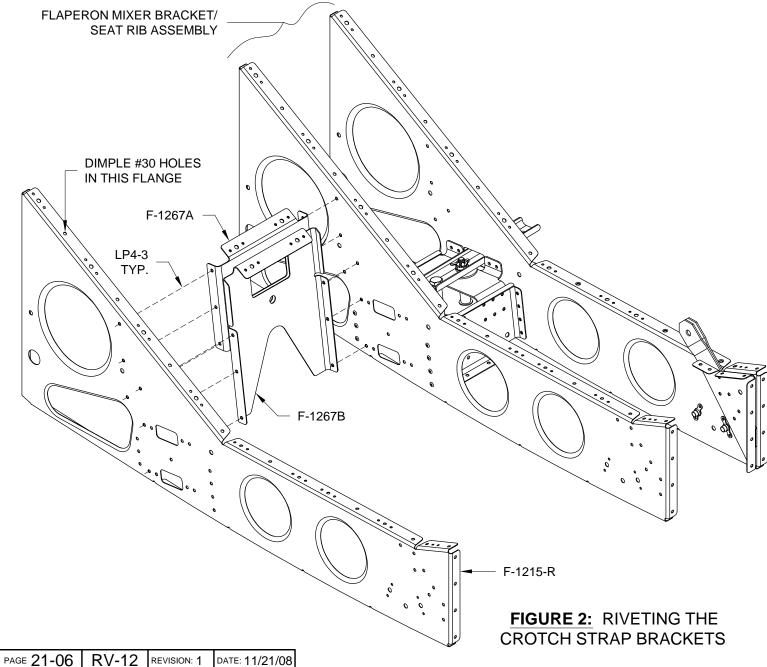


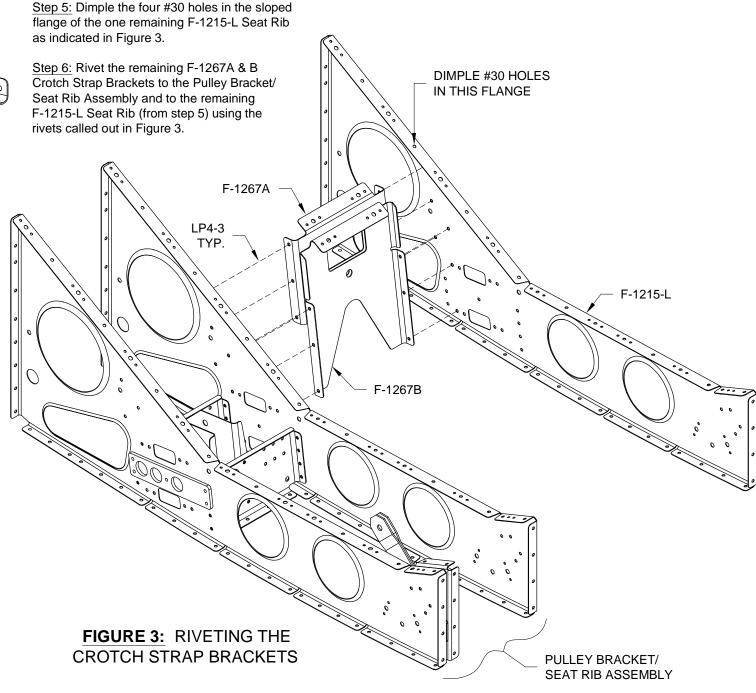




Step 3: Dimple the four #30 holes in the sloped flange of the one remaining F-1215-R Seat Rib as indicated in Figure 2.

<u>Step 4:</u> Rivet one each of the F-1267A & B Crotch Strap Brackets to the Flaperon Mixer Bracket/ Seat Rib Assembly and to the remaining F-1215-R Seat Rib (from step 3) using the rivets called out in Figure 2.





CAUTION: When cutting lengths of AN257-P3 hinge, be sure enough remains to account for the length requirements of the parts given on Pages 23-08, 26-02, and 29-02.

<u>Step 7:</u> Cut a 20 inch length of AN257-P3 hinge and remove the hinge pin. From these two hinge halves, make four F-1237E Seatback Hinges using the dimensions given in Figure 4.

<u>Step 8:</u> As shown in Figure 4, draw a line on the flush side of the F-1237E Seatback Hinges centered on the locating hole drilled in the previous step.

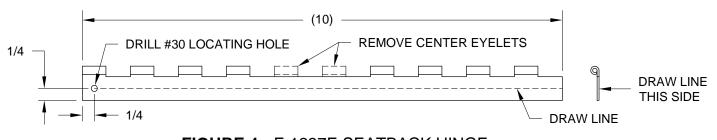


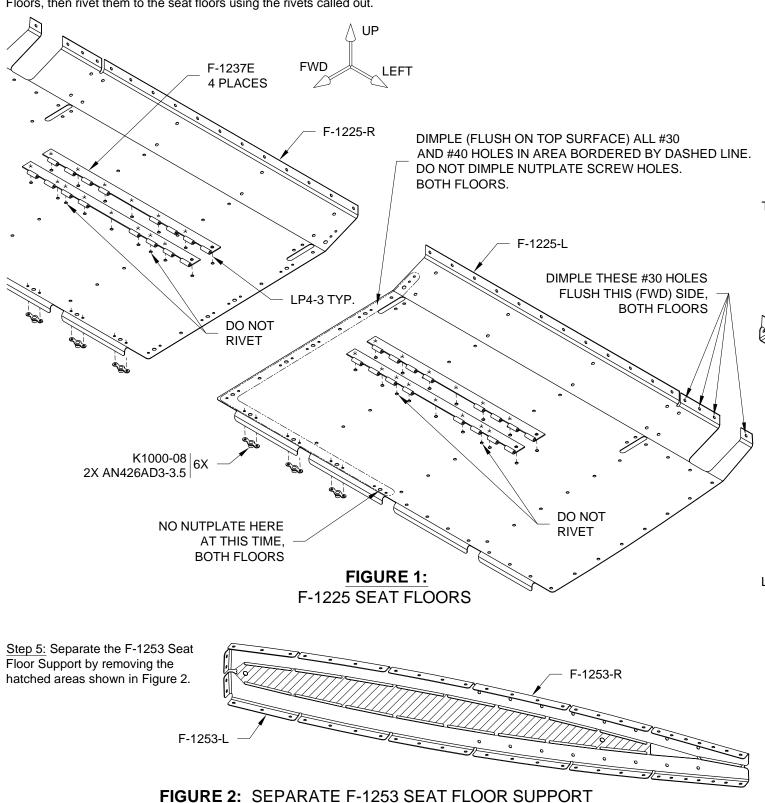
FIGURE 4: F-1237E SEATBACK HINGE

Step 1: Using the locating holes drilled on Page 21-6 Step 7, cleco the F-1237E Seatback Hinges to the F-1225-L & -R Seat Floors as shown in Figure 1. Center the lines drawn on Page 21-6 Step 8 on the holes in the seat floors, then match-drill #30 the holes into the seatback hinges. Remove and deburr the holes.

Step 2: Except for the holes that will be used to attach the seat floor ribs (indicated in Figure 1), rivet the F-1237E Seatback Hinges to the F-1225-L & -R Seat Floors using the rivets called out.

<u>Step 3:</u> In both F-1225-L & -R Seat Floors, dimple the four holes in the aft flanges and the holes along the forward and inboard edges as indicated in Figure 1.

<u>Step 4:</u> Dimple the six nutplates, shown in Figure 1, along the forward edge of the F-1225-L & -R Seat Floors, then rivet them to the seat floors using the rivets called out.



<u>Step 6:</u> Rivet the F-1225-L Seat Floor to the remaining Left Seat Rib Assembly (except for the hole indicated) and the Flaperon Mixer Bracket / Seat Rib Assembly using the rivets called out in Figure 3.

Step 7: Dimple the nutplates shown in Figure 3, then rivet them to the Flaperon Mixer Bracket / Seat Rib Assembly and to the F-1225-L Seat Floor using the rivets called out. Temporarily install an 8-32 screw in the MS21051-L08 nutplate to prevent misalignment while riveting.

<u>Step 8:</u> Using the rivets called out in Figure 3, rivet the F-1253-L Seat Floor Support to the bottom of the F-1225-L Seat Floor as shown. Do not install a rivet in the aft most and forward most hole as indicated.

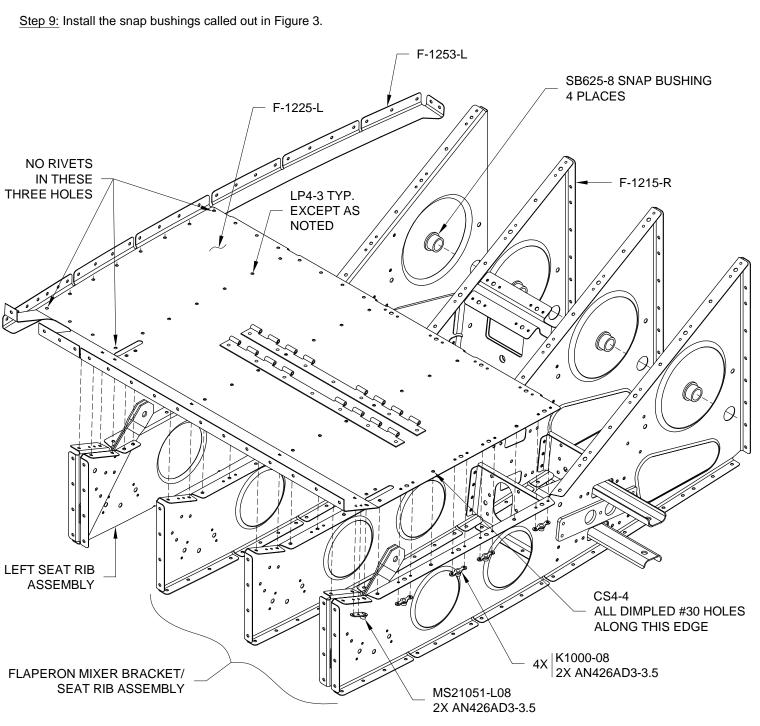


FIGURE 3: LEFT SEAT FLOOR ASSEMBLY

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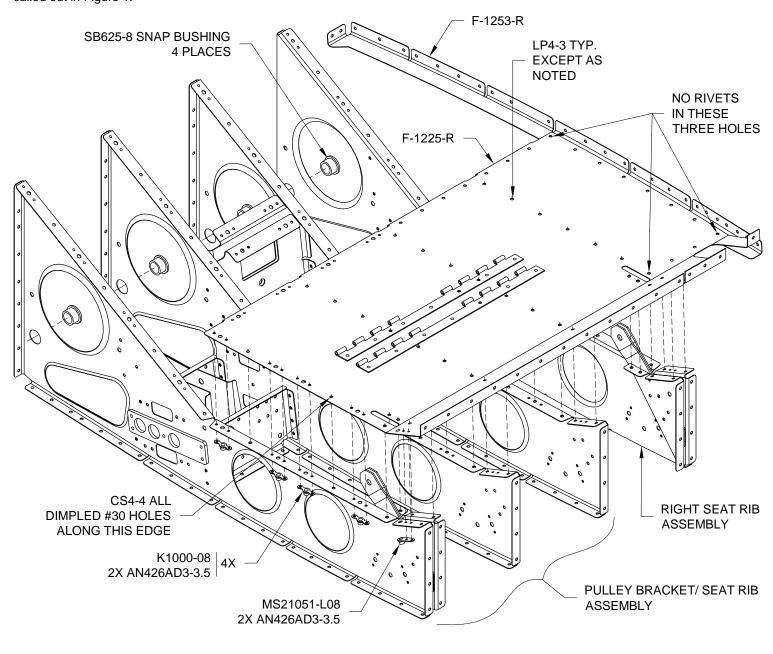
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Step 1: Rivet the F-1225-R Seat Floor to the remaining Right Seat Rib Assembly (except the hole indicated) and the Pulley Bracket / Seat Rib Assembly using the rivets called out in Figure 1.

Step 2: Dimple the nutplates shown in Figure 1, then rivet them to the Pulley Bracket / Seat Rib Assembly and to the F-1225-R Seat Floor using the rivets called out. Again, temporarily install an 8-32 screw in the MS21051-L08 nutplate to prevent misalignment while

Step 3: Using the rivets called out in Figure 1, rivet the F-1253-R Seat Floor Support to the bottom of the F-1225-R Seat Floor as shown. Do not Install a rivet in the aft most and forward most hole as indicated.

Step 4: Install the snap bushings called out in Figure 1.



F-1204A LP4-3 ALL F-1215 AND F-1216 TO F-1204A RIVETS CS4-4 LP4-3 TYP. ALONG FLANGE RIGHT SEAT FLOOR **ASSEMBLY** LEFT SEAT FLOOR

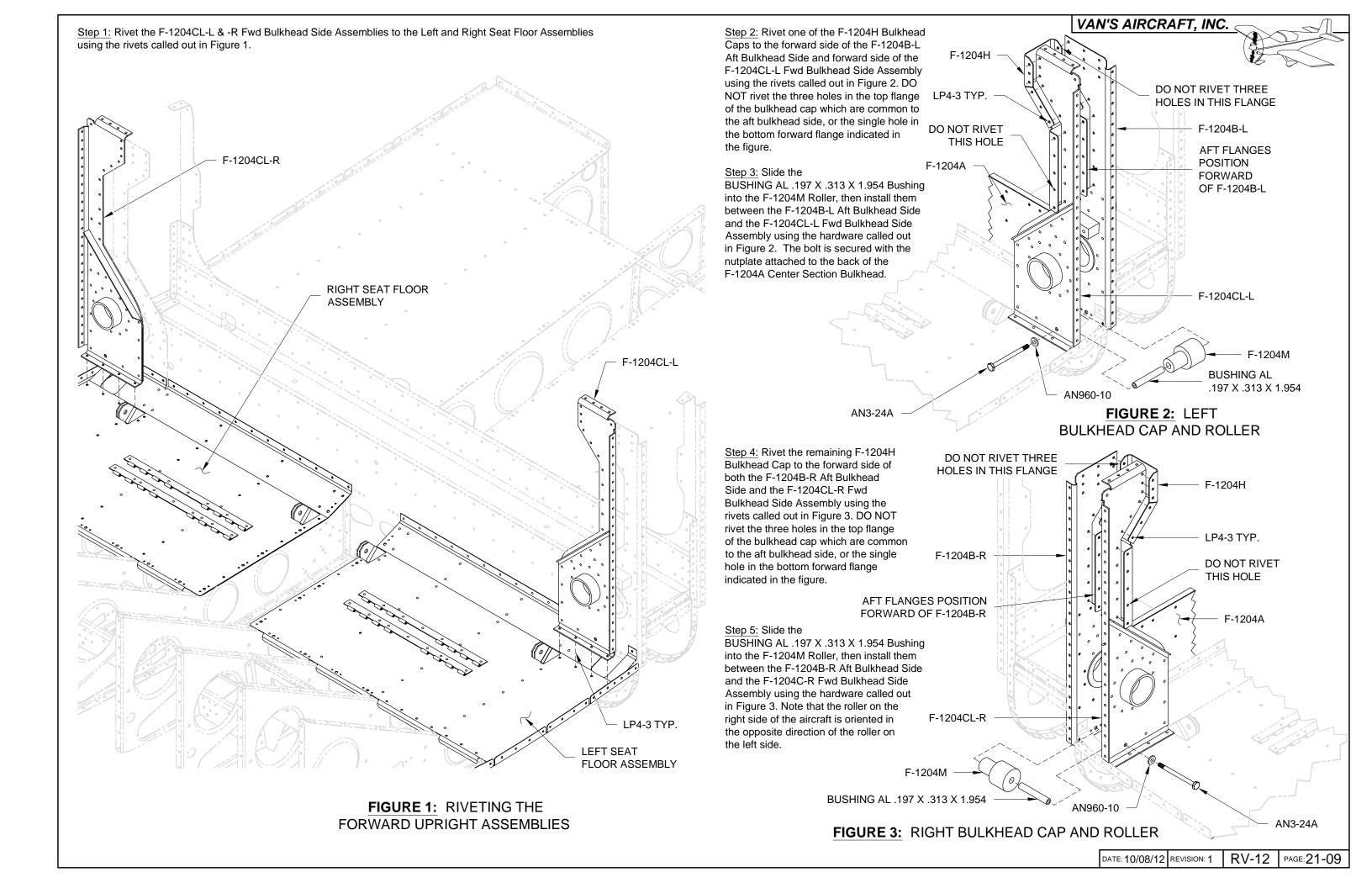
Step 5: Rivet the Left and Right Seat Floor Assemblies to the F-1204A Center Section Bulkhead using the rivets called out in Figure 2. Rivet call-outs apply to

both sides of the fuselage.

FIGURE 1: RIGHT SEAT FLOOR ASSEMBLY

FIGURE 2: RIVET SEAT FLOOR ASSEMBLIES

ASSEMBLY



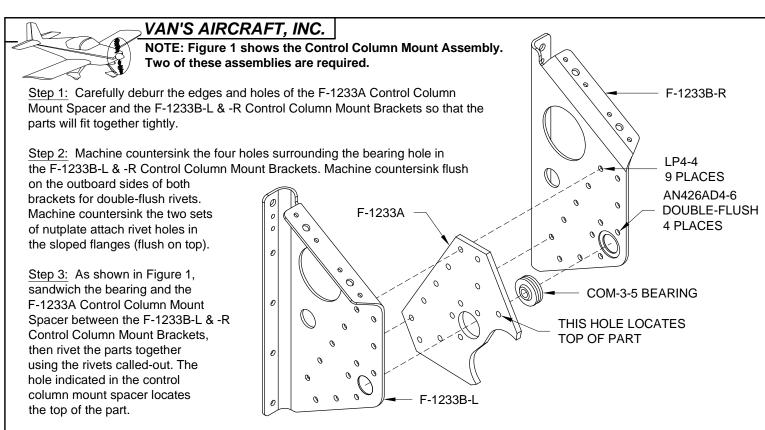


FIGURE 1: CONTROL COLUMN MOUNT ASSEMBLY
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Step 4: Separate the F-1203B Bulkhead Flange by removing the hatched area shown in Figure 2.

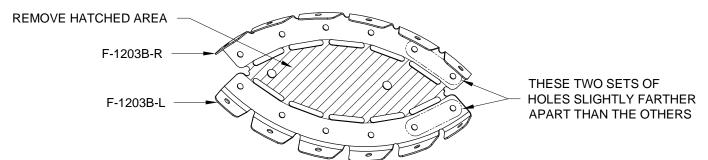


FIGURE 2: F-1203B BULKHEAD FLANGE

Step 5: Separate the F-1203D Stub Spar Receptacle Support by removing the material shown in Figure 3.

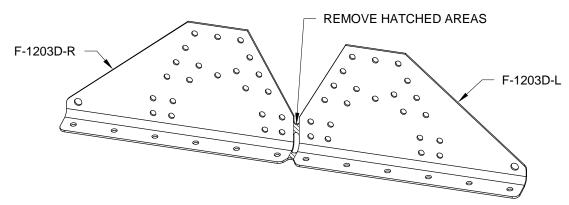
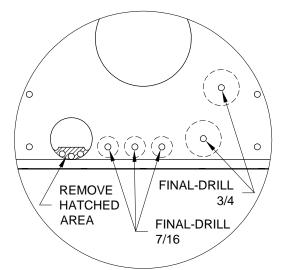


FIGURE 3: F-1203D STUB SPAR RECEPTACLE SUPPORT

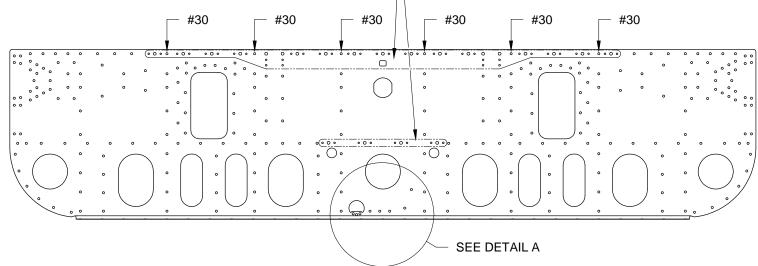
Step 6: Figure 4 depicts the forward face of the F-1203A Bulkhead. The bottom flange is bent back, into the page. Machine countersink all of the #40 nutplate attach rivet holes and the six #30 holes in the areas indicated. Machine countersink the #30 holes 120°.

Step 7: As shown in Detail A, drill the five 1/8 inch holes to the sizes indicated and remove the hatched area from the 7/8 inch hole to make it completely circular. The hatched area can be removed by snipping between the small holes using dikes / wire cutters, then finishing with a round file.

MACHINE COUNTERSINK, FLUSH ON THIS (FWD) SIDE, ALL #30 AND #40 HOLES IN THESE AREAS. DO NOT MACHINE COUNTERSINK THE #19 NUTPLATE SCREW HOLES



DETAIL A



Step 8: As shown in Figure 5, rivet the F-1203B-L Bulkhead Flange to the left, aft side of the F-1203A Bulkhead using the rivets called out.

Repeat this step for the right side of the bulkhead using the F-1203B-R Bulkhead Flange.

Step 9: File the curved recess of both F-1203C Stub Spar Receptacles (the bevel locates the top of the part, see Figure 5) to closely fit the rounded mating ends of the Stub Spar Assemblies of both wings. Once filed, mark the parts so that they will be assembled on the side they were fitted to.

Step 10: Cleco the F-1203C Stub Spar Receptacle and the F-1203D-L Stub Spar Receptacle Support to the F-1203A Bulkhead as shown in Figure 5. Rivet the parts together using the two

rivets called-out. Final-Drill #30 any holes too tight to accept a rivet.

Repeat this step for the right side of the bulkhead using the remaining F-1203C Stub Spar Receptacle and the F-1203D-R Stub Spar Receptacle Support.

FIGURE 4: F-1203A BULKHEAD

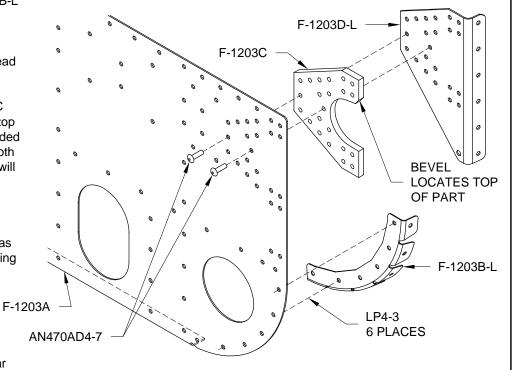
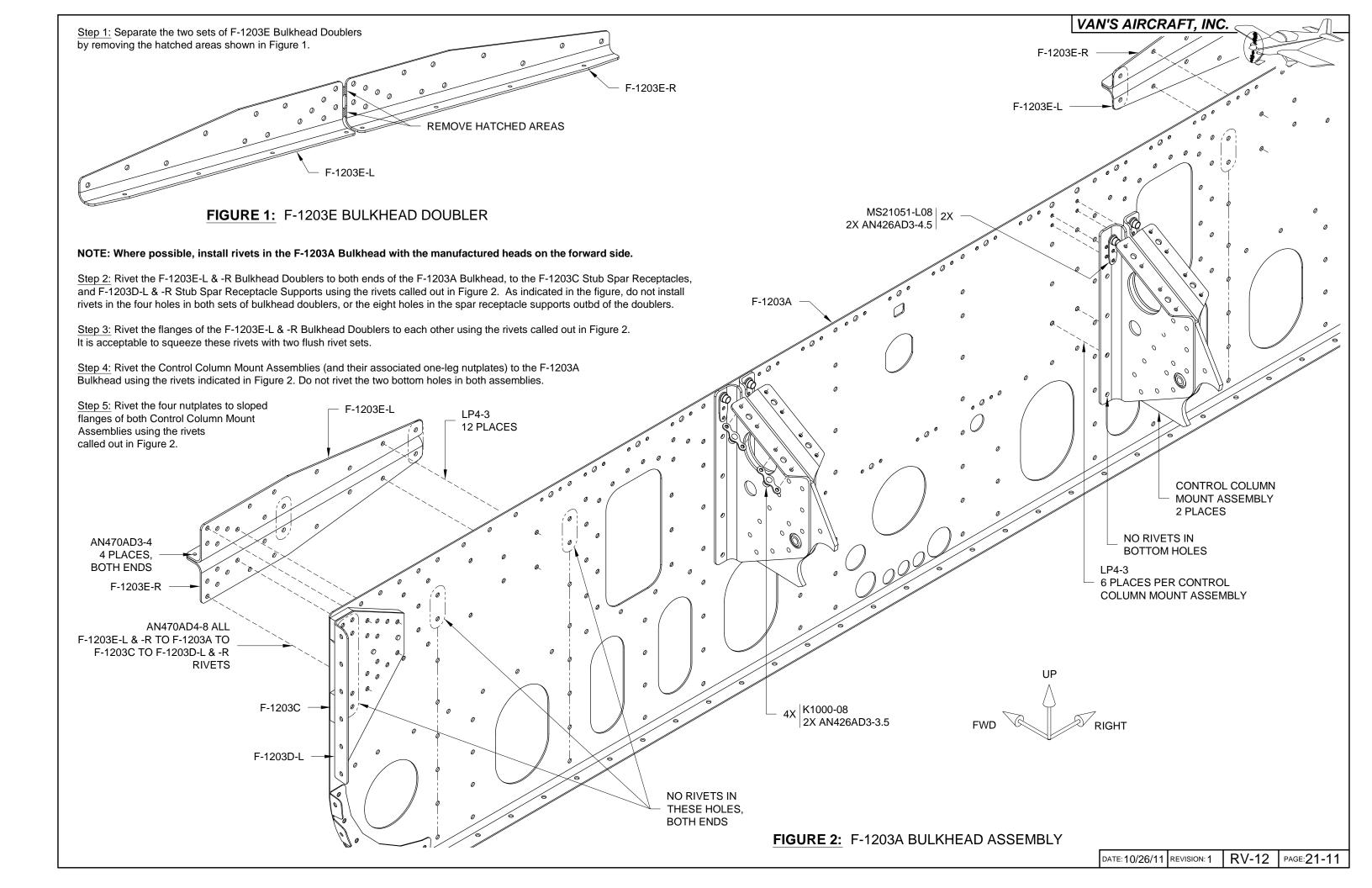
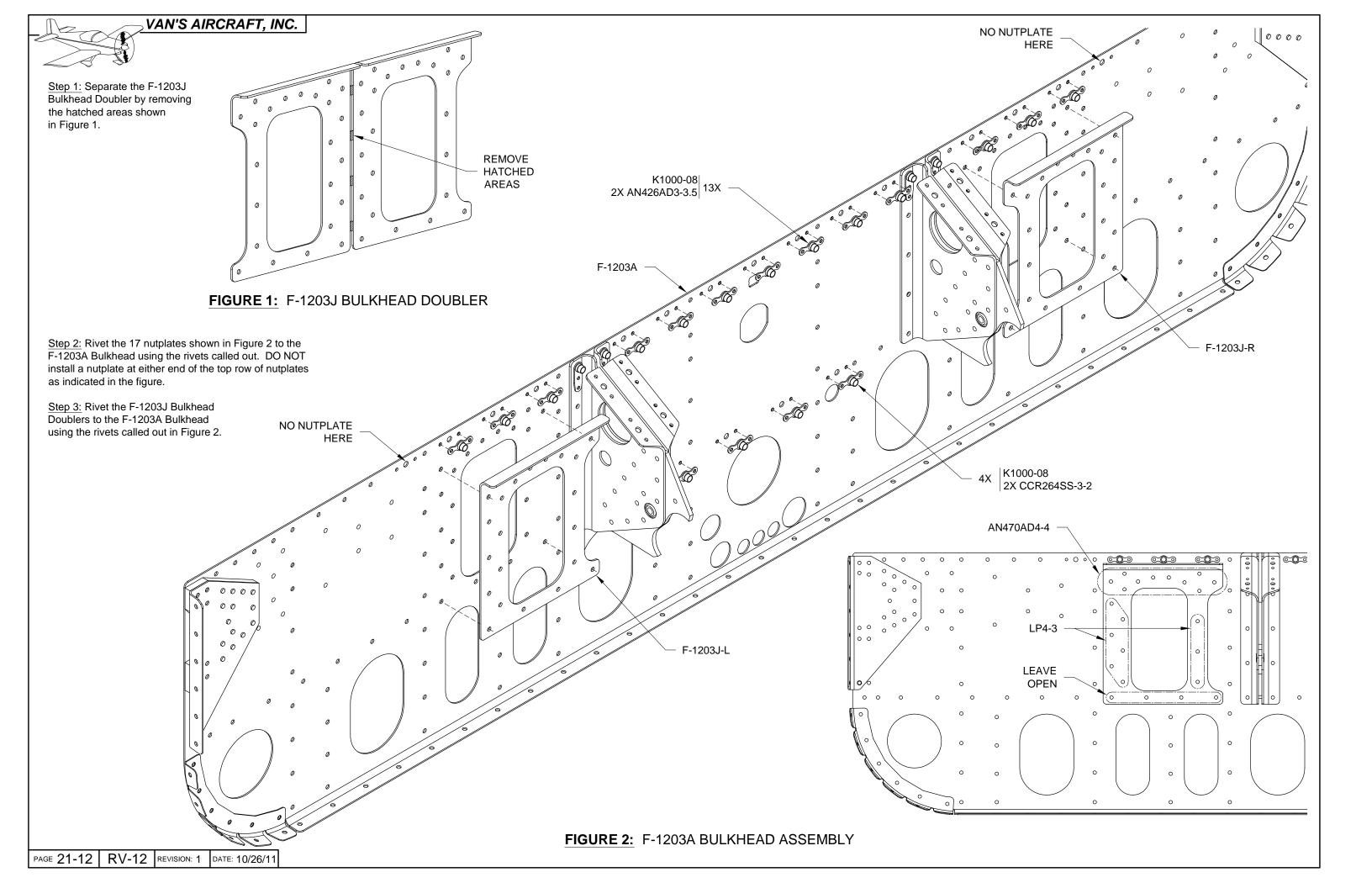
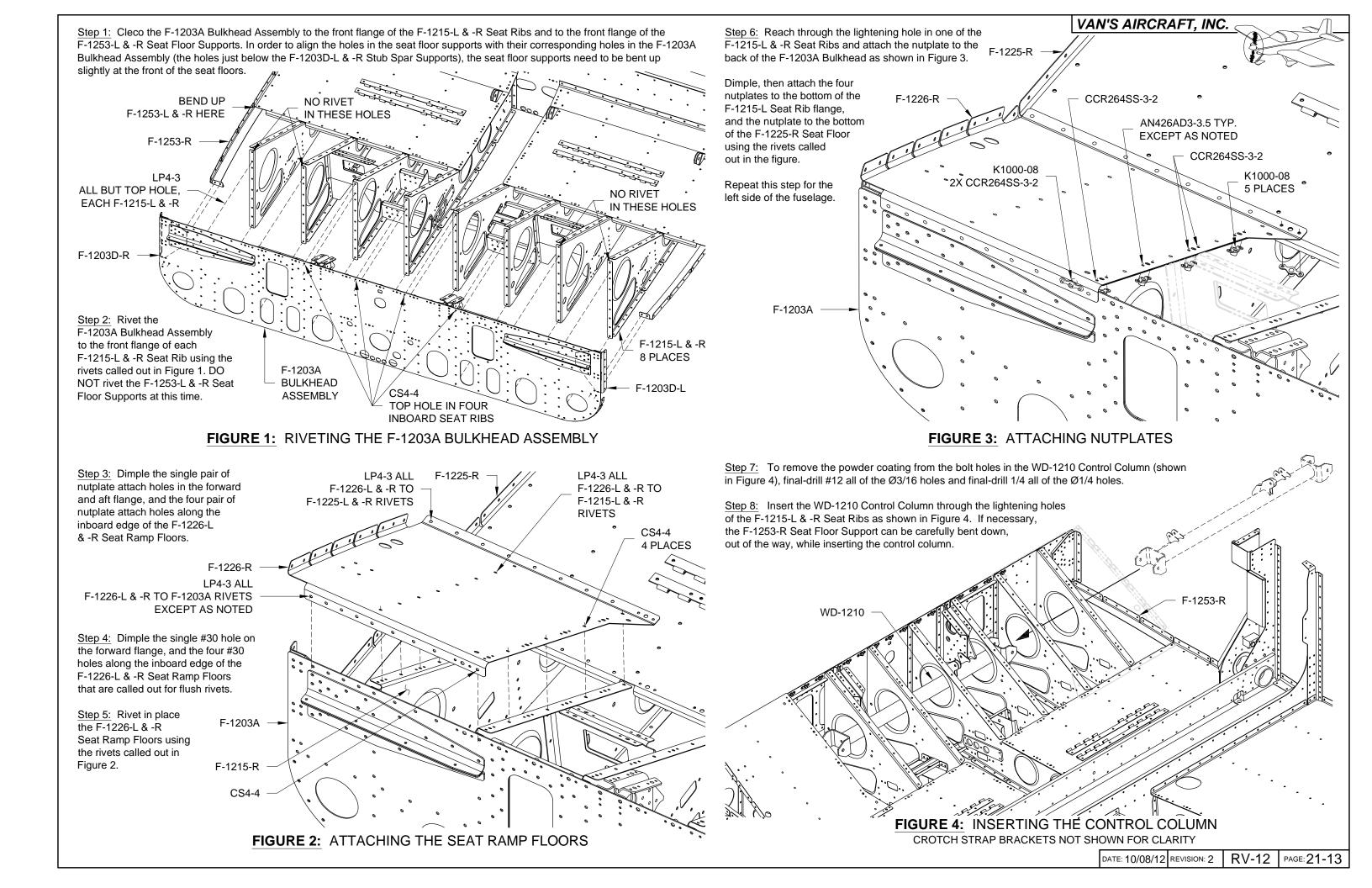
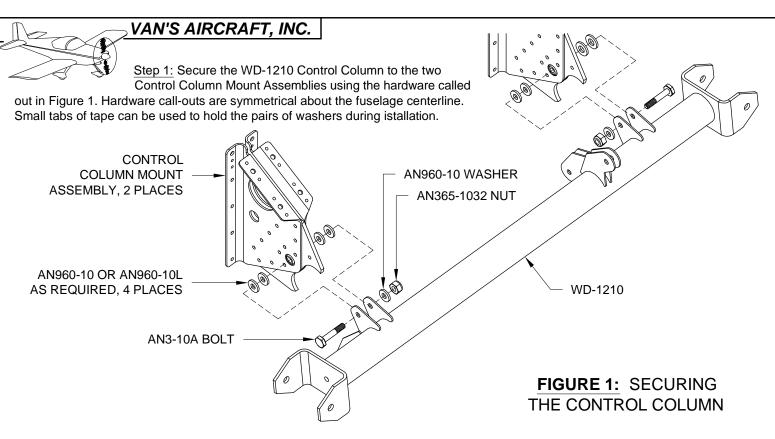


FIGURE 5: RIVETING THE F-1203A BULKHEAD





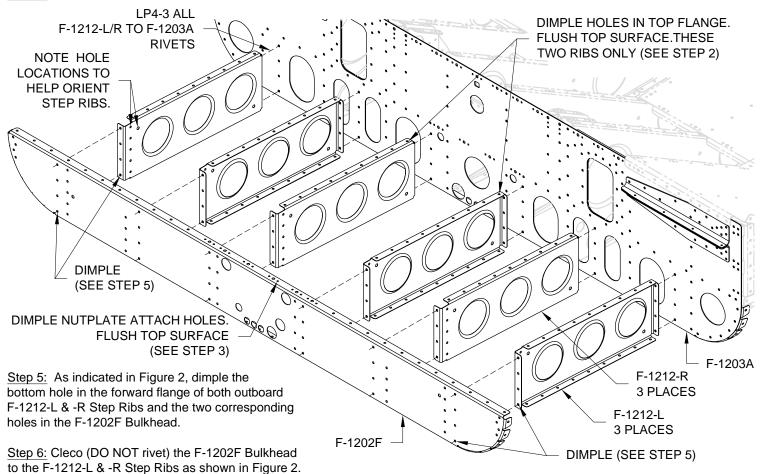




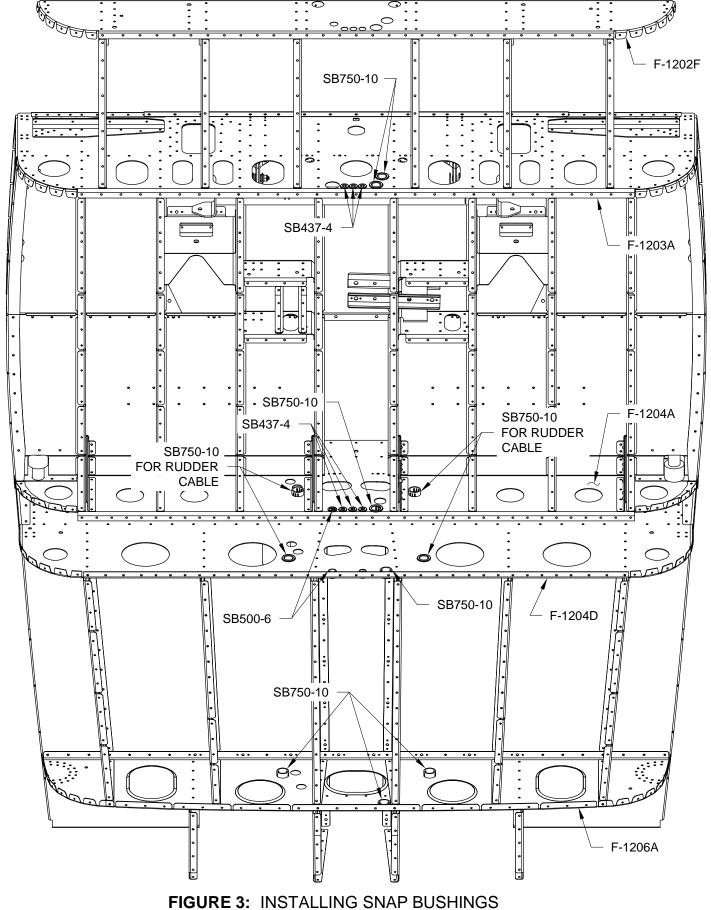
Step 2: Dimple the holes in the top flange of both inboard F-1212-L & -R Step Ribs indicated in Figure 2.

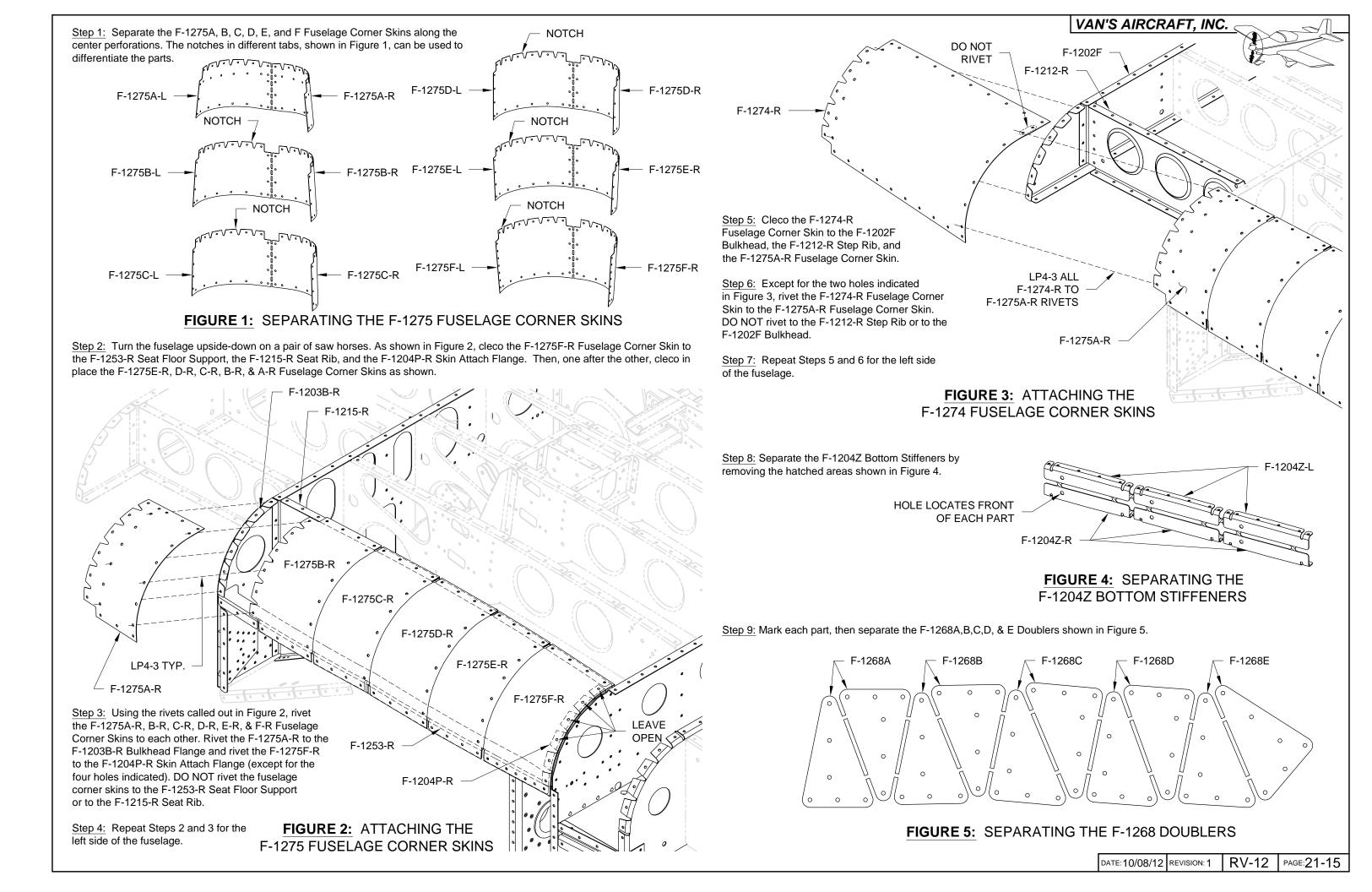
Step 3: Dimple the six sets of nutplate attach rivet holes in the top flange of the F-1202F Bulkhead.

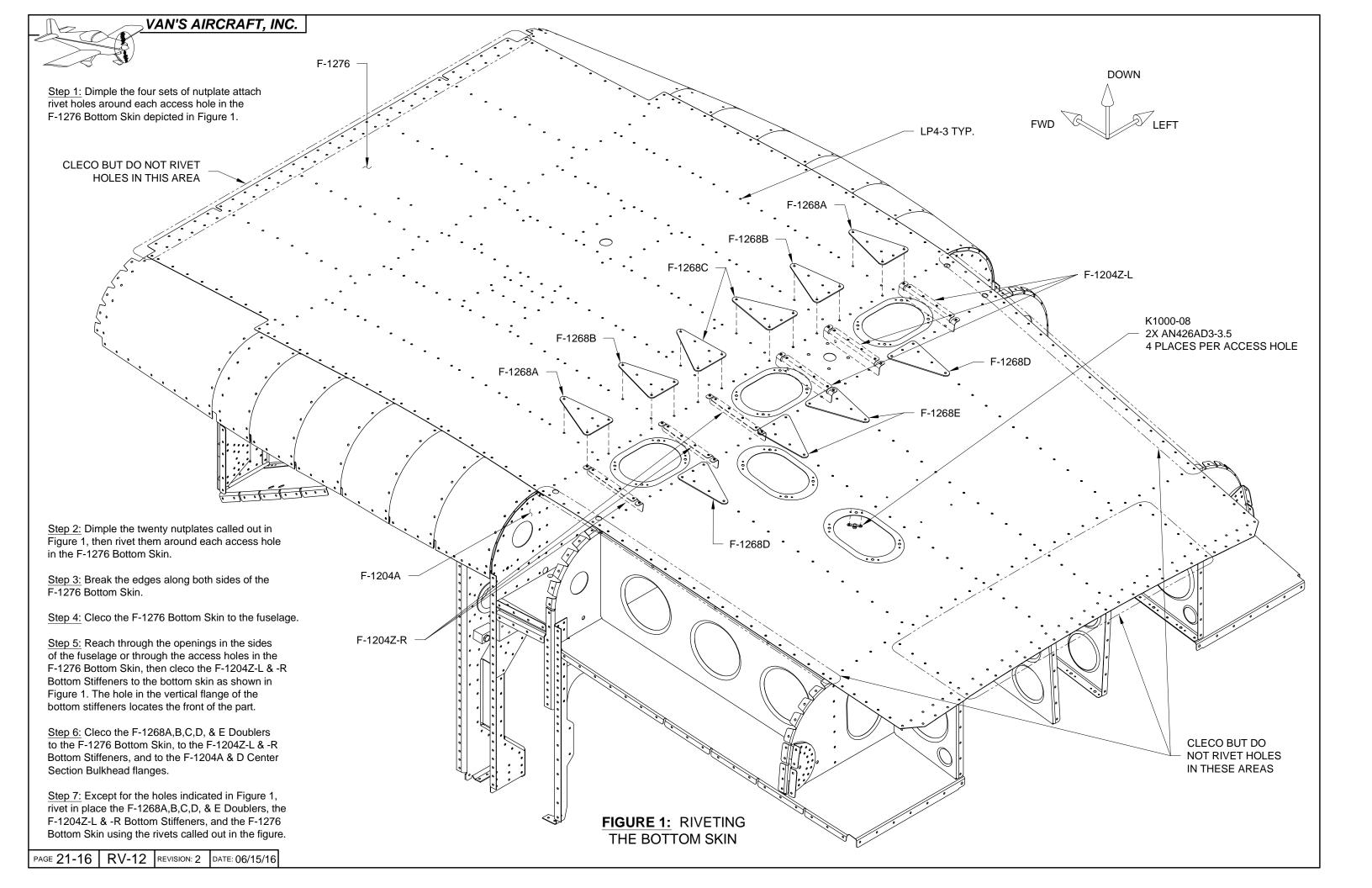
Step 4: Rivet the F-1212-L & -R Step Ribs to the F-1203A Bulkhead using the rivets called out in Figure 2.



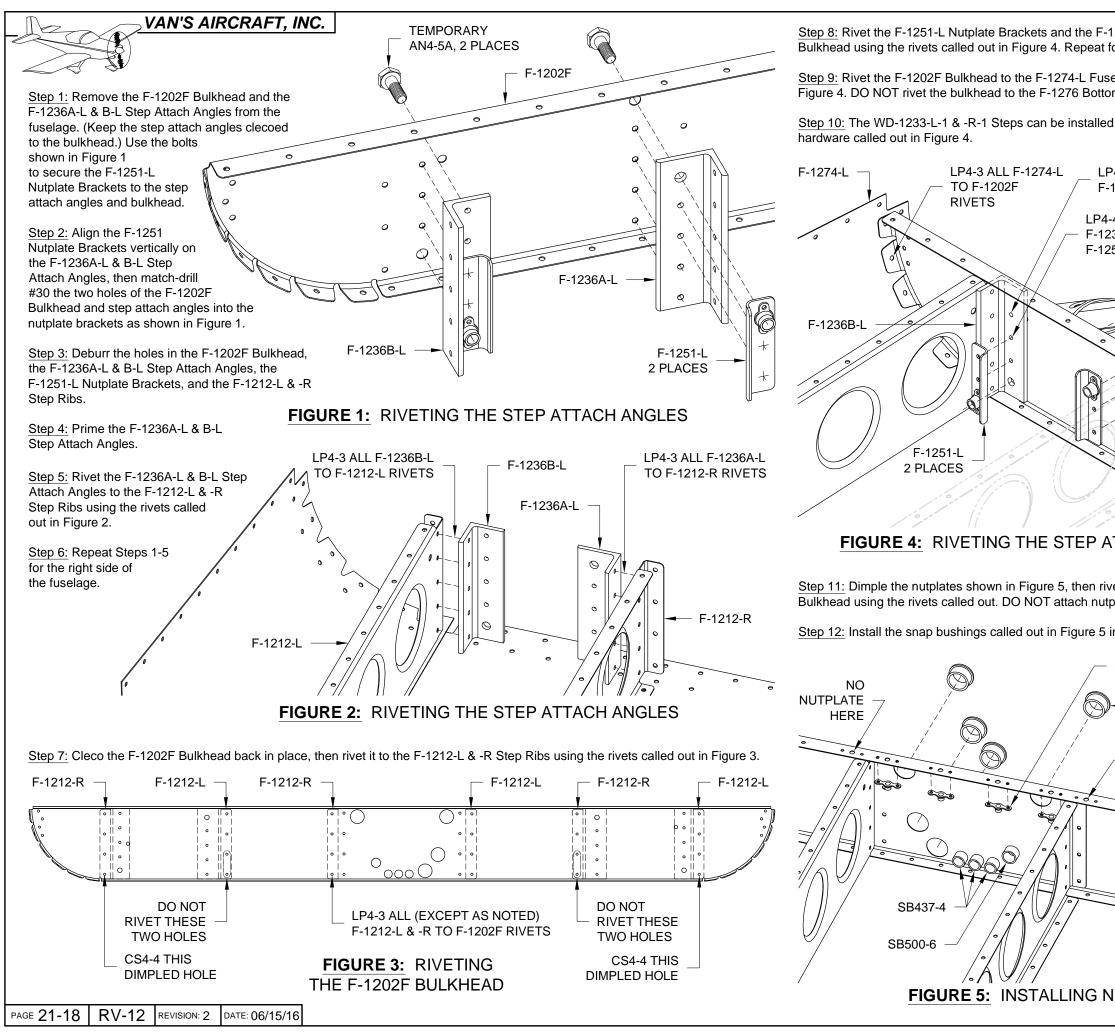
Step 7: Figure 3 shows a bottom view of the fuselage. Install the snap bushings that are called out into the holes of the bulkheads







VAN'S AIRCRAFT, INC. Step 1: Separate the F-1236 Step Attach Angles by removing the hatched areas shown in Figure 1. Step 5: Cleco the F-1236A-L Inbd Step Attach Angle to the F-1212-R Step Rib and the F-1236B-L Outbd Step Attach Angle to the F-1212-L Step Rib as shown in Figure 4, then match drill #30 the indicated holes of the F-1202F Bulkhead into the step attach angles. F-1236A-L MATCH-DRILL F-1236B-L THESE 4 HOLES Cleco the holes, then repeat this step for the MATCH-DRILL INTO F-1236A-L right side of the fuselage. THESE 5 HOLES F-1202F INTO F-1236B-L FIGURE 1: SEPARATE THE F-1236 STEP ATTACH ANGLES 0 0 Step 2: As shown in Figure 2, make the F-1236B-L & -R Outbd Step Attach Angles 0 by trimming the flanges of two of the angles separated in Step 1. (At this point these two parts are identical, but will become left and right once they are drilled in a later step.) F-1212-L F-1212-R The two, remaining, untrimmed angles separated in Step 1 are designated FIGURE 4: DRILLING THE STEP ATTACH ANGLES F-1236A-L & -R Inbd Step Attach Angles. **CORNER EVEN WITH** MATCH-DRILL OR BELOW BEGINNING F-1236A-L (STEP 8) OF RADIUS FIGURE 2: F-1236B OUTBD STEP ATTACH ANGLES Step 6: Final-Drill 1/4 the hole in the F-1202F Bulkhead and F-1236B-L Outbd Step Attach Angle that is indicated in Figure 5. Step 3: Separate the F-1251 Nutplate Bracket into individual parts by removing Step 7: Temporarily bolt the WD-1233-L-1 Step to F-1202F the F-1202F Bulkhead and F-1236B-L Outbd Step the hatched areas shown in Figure 3. Attach Angle. F-1236B-L F-1251-L Step 4: Machine countersink the F-1251-L & -R Nutplate Brackets for the nutplate Step 8: Make the pad of the WD-1233-L-1 0 Step horizontal, however, the inbd, top corner of FINAL-DRILL attach rivets called out in Figure 3, then SEAL rivet the nutplates in place. the step is to remain even with or below (STEP 6) GAP 0 the beginning of the radius of the F-1202F Bulkhead. See Figure 5. Once the step is **TEMPORARY** positioned, match-drill 1/4 the inboard hole of the AN4-11A step into the bulkhead and F-1236A-L Inbd Step MAKE PAD Attach Angle. Remove the step. **HORIZONTAL** WD-1233-L-1 Step 9: Seal the gap between the fuselage and the WD-1233-L-1 Step with fuel tank sealant after final installation. See Figure 5. F-1251-R 4X MK1000-428 2X AN426AD3-3.5 Step 10: Repeat Steps 6 through 9 for the right side of the fuselage using the WD-1233-R-1 Step. FIGURE 5: DRILLING FOR THE STEP FIGURE 3: F-1251 NUTPLATE BRACKET DATE: 06/15/16 REVISION: 3 RV-12 | PAGE:21-17



Step 8: Rivet the F-1251-L Nutplate Brackets and the F-1236A-L & B-L Step Attach Angles to the F-1202F Bulkhead using the rivets called out in Figure 4. Repeat for the right side of the fuselage.

Step 9: Rivet the F-1202F Bulkhead to the F-1274-L Fuselage Corner Skin using the rivets called out in Figure 4. DO NOT rivet the bulkhead to the F-1276 Bottom Skin. Repeat for the right side of the fuselage.

Step 10: The WD-1233-L-1 & -R-1 Steps can be installed at any time during the building process using the

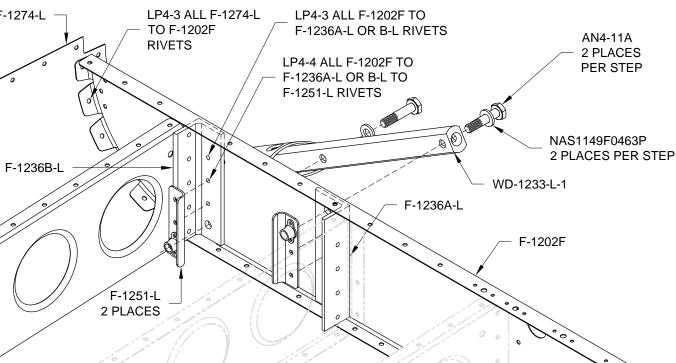
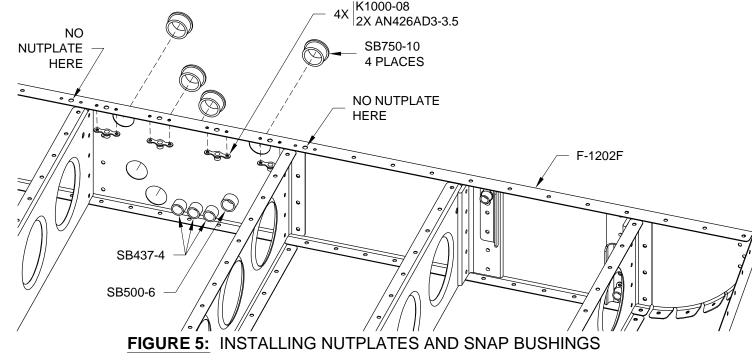
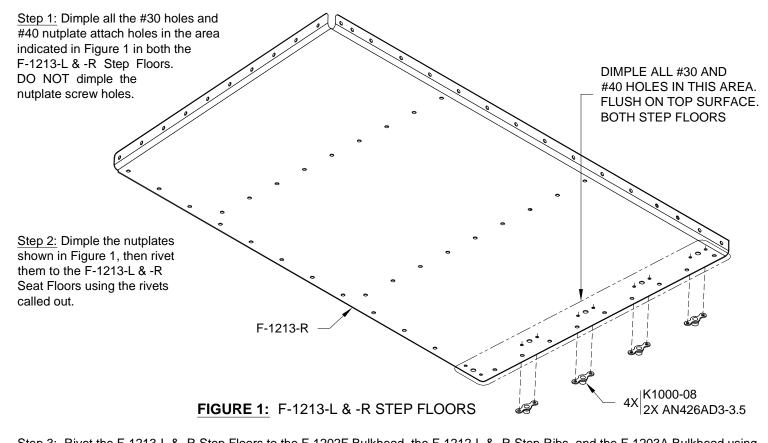


FIGURE 4: RIVETING THE STEP ATTACH ANGLES AND FUSELAGE CORNER SKINS

Step 11: Dimple the nutplates shown in Figure 5, then rivet them to the top flange of the F-1202F Bulkhead using the rivets called out. DO NOT attach nutplates at the indicated hole locations.

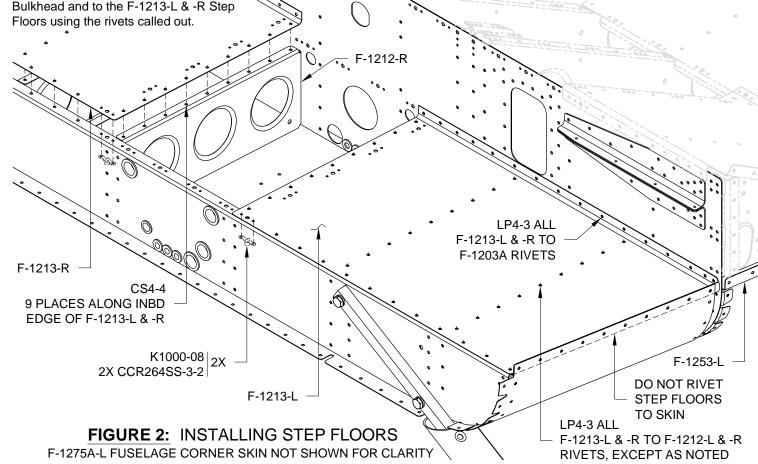
Step 12: Install the snap bushings called out in Figure 5 into the holes indicated.





Step 3: Rivet the F-1213-L & -R Step Floors to the F-1202F Bulkhead, the F-1212-L & -R Step Ribs, and the F-1203A Bulkhead using the rivets called out in Figure 2. Be sure to capture the two holes in the front flange of the F-1253-L & -R Seat Floor Supports when riveting the two outbd holes of the step floors to the bulkhead.

Step 4: Dimple the nutplates shown in Figure 2, then reach through the lightening holes in the F-1212-L & -R Step Ribs and rivet the nutplates to the top flange of the F-1202F Bulkhead and to the F-1213-L & -R Step Floors using the rivets called out.



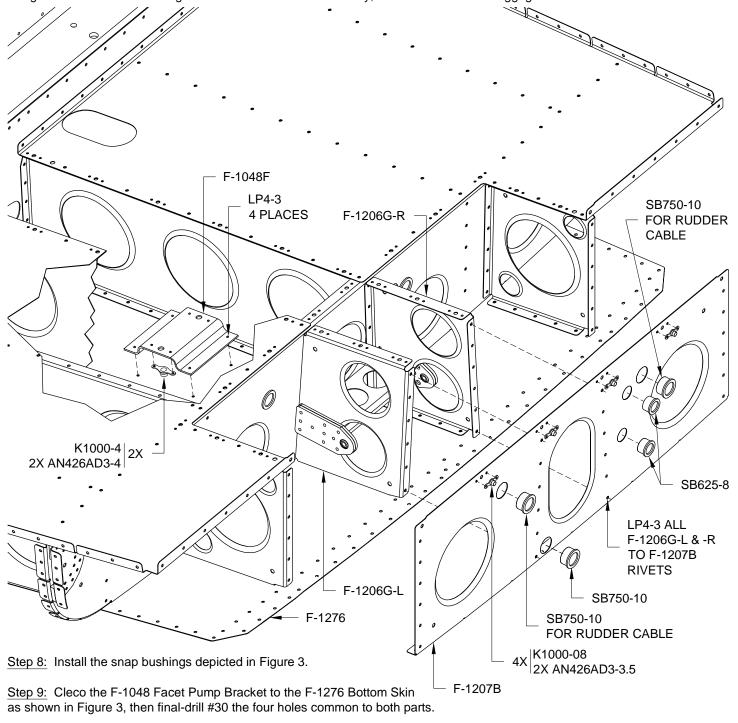
Step 5: Dimple the four sets of nutplate attach rivet holes in the F-1207B Baggage Bulkhead for the nutplates shown in Figure 3.

<u>Step 6:</u> Dimple the nutplates, then rivet them to the F-1207B Baggage Bulkhead using the rivets called out in Figure 3.

NOTE: For autopilot bracket installation refer to Section 39.

Step 7: Cleco the F-1207B Baggage Bulkhead in place, then rivet the baggage bulkhead to the F-1206G-L & -R Baggage Ribs using the rivets called out in Figure 3. Rivet to these two ribs only, leave the rest of the baggage bulkhead clecoed.

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<u>Step 10:</u> Remove the F-1048 Facet Pump Bracket, final-drill #40 and machine countersink the nutplate attach rivet holes, then attach the nutplates shown in Figure 3 with the rivets called out.

Step 11: Rivet the F-1048 Facet Pump Bracket to the F-1276 Bottom Skin using the rivets called out in Figure 3.

FIGURE 3: ATTACHING THE F-1207B BULKHEAD

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