

## **Dexter Labs WhipperSnapper Rocket Kit Features**

- Specifically designed for any Rene Caldera-style micro-hybrid motor
- Altimeter deployment – ideal for use with the Altus Metrum Easy Mini, Stratologger CF or Eggtimer Quark altimeter and thin-mil parachute (15-18"). This kit is not intended for use with motor deployment!
- Robust components to handle the heavier micro-hybrid motor
- High fineness ratio airframe – helps keep the CG forward with the heavier motor
- Extended stump tail
  - Provides for an alternative motor retention method
  - Provides impact protection to the fin can
  - Serves as an igniter lead anchor mandrel
- Near- minimal diameter for low drag
- Low launch weight to showcase the micro-hybrid capabilities
- Molded quad-fin can, far more durable than glued-on balsa
- Molded nose cone
- Unique wire motor retention
- Kevlar and elastic shock cord
- Rocket diameter = 0.98" (25 mm)
- Rocket length = 27.25" (69.2 cm)
- Rocket weight = 2.1 oz (60 g) to 2.5 oz (70 g) depending on finish
- Rocket CP = 23.6" (60 cm)
- Coefficient of drag = 0.5 (estimated)
- Approximate launch weight = 5.7 oz (162 g) to 6.1 oz (172 g)
- Approximate launch CG = 19.0" (48.3 cm)
- Design motor = 7/8" diameter Dexter Labs lightweight micro-hybrid using bag-paper fuel w/ 8 gm N<sub>2</sub>O whip cream charger oxidizer, D class
- Inexpensive to fly, about \$1 to \$2 per flight
- Typical peak altitude = 500-1,000' (152-305 m)
- Skill level 3 (some tube cutting required but otherwise easily assembled)



***A completed Dexter Labs WhipperSnapper kit shown  
with a standard cased micro-hybrid motor***