

Spinners

I thought I might fit a scalish three blade prop to my Seagull Extra 360, if the motor proves to have enough power to lose a little. Spinners are a pain to cut so I looked for a supplier. On eBay I found one in China called okey100c. They sold me a 70 mm aluminium spinner for £11 but there was a £5 carriage charge. Even so this was a very good total price. It arrived about a week later but with the bolts missing. After an email they speedily sent another complete spinner with bolts. As you see from the picture, the finish is superb and it fits perfectly around a Master Airscrew 16 x 10 three bladed prop.



Finding the right spinner for larger scale models can be difficult. Sarik Hobbies sells a range of metal spinners and prop nuts at about £25. These are for their own kits but detailed dimensions are listed and there are good photographs to check the shape and profile. It is possible you might find the correct size for your next project. I found exactly the one for my Mosquito. They are not cut out for the propellor so you can use them for multi-blade props as well.

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