

CANOPY PROGRESSION

USEFUL LINKS





Articles and videos with advice on canopy progression:

[Dying for Airspeed - Brian Vacher](#)

[Girls Can't Fly Parachutes - Laura Golly](#)

[Downsizing - Paul Dorward](#)

[Finding Your Perfect Canopy - Pete Allum](#)

[The Road to Nowhere - Julian Barthel](#)

[Five things to ask yourself before downsizing](#)

[Safety Check - Downsizing](#)

[The Downsizing Checklist - Bill Von Novak](#)

[PD Raw - Shannon Pilcher on Downsizing](#)

[PD Raw - Jason Moledzki on Downsizing](#)

[PD - Wingloading and its Effects](#)

[PD - Choosing the Right Canopy Part 1](#)

[PD - Choosing the Right Canopy Part 2](#)

[Valkyrie Sizing - PD](#)

Canopy Courses from:

[Flight-1 - Find A Course](#)

Your Association:

[USPA](#)



Association Resources:

[USPA Canopy Sizing Chart in SIM 5.3B](#)

[USPA Canopy Flight Progression SIM 6.10](#)

[USPA 2021 Non-Fatal Incident Summary](#)

[USPA 2020 Non-Fatal Incident Summary](#)

[Wingloading Advice from USPA](#)

[British Skydiving Canopy Size Chart](#)

[British Skydiving Canopy Size Chart after attending a Canopy Course](#)

[Netherlands Association Matrix for Canopy Progression](#)

[Netherlands Association Classification of Canopy Type](#)

[CSPA Canopy Size Recommendations Pages 22-23](#)

[APF Canopy Downsizing Chart Part 6](#)

[French Federation Canopy Sizing Chart](#)



Manufacturer's Advice and Wingloading Charts:

PD Wingload Charts

Choose your canopy from this page and scroll down to the Wingload Chart

Fly Aerodyne

Go to this page, choose your canopy in the main menu, scroll down to 'Full Specs and Support Documents' and find Canopy Selection Chart

NZ Aerosports Canopy Selector

Follow the quiz to find out your choice of canopy from NZA

Fluid Wings Canopies

Choose each canopy from the menu to find out the recommended jump range for each canopy

IPT Canopies

Choose each type of canopy from the main menu and scroll down to see the canopy size chart based on experience

Icarus World canopies

Choose the canopy from the main menu, scroll down and choose 'Canopy Sizes' to find the sizing chart