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Web Site	Notes
<p>Aerotech Consumer Aerospace http://www.aerotechrocketry.com</p> 	<p>When you've outgrown basic hobby kits, these people can help take you to the next level with their high power rocket kits. They can also take you to the next level with their high power rocket engines. Some of the bigger hobby stores carry Aerotech products or you can get them online from a variety of web stores.</p> <p><i>Not suggested for beginners!</i></p>
<p>Estes Rockets http://www.estesrockets.com</p> 	<p>Considered the Granddaddy of model rocketry in the US, Estes has been in the business a long time. Estes provides a full line of kits and motors for the typical model rocketeer and all the ground support equipment needed to get started. Available at most hobby stores or various online stores.</p>
<p>Quest Rockets http://www.questaerospace.com</p> 	<p>Probably the second best known name in model rocketry. Quest is a very nice line of kits and good alternate source of rocket motors and launching accessories. Kits are available as ready to fly through difficult to assemble. May be found at most hobby shops or online.</p>

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<p>Apogee Rockets http://www.apogeerockets.com</p> 	<p>You've got the rocket building bug big time and want to build your own kits from scratch? These people can help. Makers of RockSim, a sophisticated program that allows you to design and fly model simulations on your computer, then generate templates to help you assemble your own creation. Many web sites have RockSim files for free download of popular ready made kits so you can also create modifications.</p> <p>To help you become a better rocketeer, Apogee publishes a free newsletter with tips on building and designing rockets.</p> <p>While they do not have kits under their own name, Apogee does carry a broad selection for every building ability, from beginner to complex higher power rockets.</p> <p>Apogee also sells all the parts to assemble your own creations or repair your existing fleet. When you're ready, Apogee also makes a line of long burning rocket engines that are used for many altitude record setting flights.</p>
<p>Essence's Model Rocketry Reviews and Resources http://www.rocketreviews.com</p>	<p>Want to find out what other people say about a particular kit before you buy it? Check out the reviews here! Lots of good information on popular kits as well as less well known models. Excellent library of RockSim files for existing kits and custom kits.</p>
<p>Flis Kits http://www.fliskits.com</p> 	<p>One of the newest model rocket companies and makers of some really innovative designs. All levels of building ability are found here. Excellent source of parts. Kits may be found locally, but online ordering is your best bet.</p>
<p>National Association of Rocketry http://www.nar.org</p>	<p>Every hobby has a ruling body and this is it for lower powered model rockets.</p>
<p>Tripoli http://www.tripoli.org http://www.tripoli-pgh.org</p>	<p>If you need to apply for flight clearance before you launch, this is the organization for you. These people are SERIOUS about their rockets.</p>