

**PILOT'S OPERATING HANDBOOK**

Cessna. 1977

**Hawk XP**

CESSNA MODEL R172K

NORTHEAST REGION, CAP



R172K

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## PERFORMANCE - SPECIFICATIONS

### SPEED:

Maximum at Sea Level . . . . . 133 KNOTS  
Cruise, 80% Power at 6000 Ft . . . . . 130 KNOTS

CRUISE: Recommended Lean Mixture with fuel allowance for engine start, taxi, takeoff, climb and 45 minutes reserve at 45% power.

80% Power at 6000 Ft . . . . . Range 480 NM  
49 Gallons Usable Fuel . . . . . Time 3.7 HRS  
Maximum Range at 10,000 Ft . . . . . Range 575 NM  
49 Gallons Usable Fuel . . . . . Time 6.1 HRS

RATE OF CLIMB AT SEA LEVEL . . . . . 870 FPM  
SERVICE CEILING . . . . . 17,000 FT

### TAKEOFF PERFORMANCE:

Ground Roll . . . . . 800 FT  
Total Distance Over 50-Ft Obstacle . . . . . 1360 FT

### LANDING PERFORMANCE:

Ground Roll . . . . . 620 FT  
Total Distance Over 50-Ft Obstacle . . . . . 1270 FT

### STALL SPEED (CAS):

Flaps Up, Power Off . . . . . 53 KNOTS  
Flaps Down, Power Off . . . . . 46 KNOTS

MAXIMUM WEIGHT . . . . . 2550 LBS

### STANDARD EMPTY WEIGHT:

Hawk XP . . . . . 1549 LBS  
Hawk XP II . . . . . 1573 LBS

### MAXIMUM USEFUL LOAD:

Hawk XP . . . . . 1001 LBS  
Hawk XP II . . . . . 977 LBS

BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE . . . . . 200 LBS

WING LOADING: Pounds/Sq Ft . . . . . 14.7

POWER LOADING: Pounds/HP . . . . . 13.1

FUEL CAPACITY: Total . . . . . 52 GAL.

OIL CAPACITY . . . . . 8 QTS

ENGINE: Teledyne Continental, Fuel Injection . . . . . IO-360-K  
195 BHP at 2600 RPM

PROPELLER: Constant Speed, Diameter . . . . . 76 IN.

## AIRSPEED LIMITATIONS

Airspeed limitations and their operational significance are shown in figure 2-1.

	SPEED	KCAS	KIAS	REMARKS
V <sub>NE</sub>	Never Exceed Speed	161	163	Do not exceed this speed in any operation.
V <sub>NO</sub>	Maximum Structural Cruising Speed	127	129	Do not exceed this speed except in smooth air, and then only with caution.
V <sub>A</sub>	Maneuvering Speed: 2550 Pounds 2150 Pounds 1750 Pounds	103 94 85	105 96 87	Do not make full or abrupt control movements above this speed.
V <sub>FE</sub>	Maximum Flap Extended Speed	84	85	Do not exceed this speed with flaps down.
	Maximum Window Open Speed	161	163	Do not exceed this speed with windows open.

Figure 2-1. Airspeed Limitations

## AIRSPEED INDICATOR MARKINGS

Airspeed indicator markings and their color code significance are shown in figure 2-2.

MARKING	KIAS VALUE OR RANGE	SIGNIFICANCE
White Arc	46 - 85	Full Flap Operating Range. Lower limit is maximum weight V <sub>S0</sub> in landing configuration. Upper limit is maximum speed permissible with flaps extended.
Green Arc	54 - 129	Normal Operating Range. Lower limit is maximum weight V <sub>S</sub> at most forward C.G. with flaps retracted. Upper limit is maximum structural cruising speed.
Yellow Arc	129 - 163	Operations must be conducted with caution and only in smooth air.
Red Line	163	Maximum speed for all operations.

Figure 2-2. Airspeed Indicator Markings

## POWER PLANT LIMITATIONS

Engine Manufacturer: Teledyne Continental.

Engine Model Number: IO-360-K.

Engine Operating Limits for Takeoff and Continuous Operations:

Maximum Power: 195 BHP.

Maximum Engine Speed: 2600 RPM.

Maximum Cylinder Head Temperature: 238°C (460°F).

Maximum Oil Temperature: 116°C (240°F).

Oil Pressure, Minimum: 10 psi.

Maximum: 100 psi.

Fuel Pressure, Minimum: 3 psi.

Maximum: 17 psi (17 gal/hr).

Propeller Manufacturer: McCauley Accessory Division.

Propeller Model Number: 2A34C203/90DCA-14.

Propeller Diameter, Maximum: 76 inches.

Minimum: 74.5 inches.

Propeller Blade Angle at 30 Inch Station, Low: 12.0°.

High: 25.1°.

**POWER PLANT INSTRUMENT MARKINGS**

Power plant instrument markings and their color code significance are shown in figure 2-3.

INSTRUMENT	RED LINE	GREEN ARC	RED LINE
	MINIMUM LIMIT	NORMAL OPERATING	MAXIMUM LIMIT
Tachometer	---	2200 - 2600 RPM	2600 RPM
Manifold Pressure	---	15 - 25 in. Hg	---
Oil Temperature	---	100° - 240°F	240°F
Cylinder Head Temperature	---	300° - 460°F	460°F
Fuel Flow (Pressure)	(3 psi)	4.5 - 11.5 gal/hr	17 gal/hr (17 psi)
Oil Pressure	10 psi	30 - 60 psi	100 psi

Figure 2-3. Power Plant Instrument Markings

**WEIGHT LIMITS****NORMAL CATEGORY**

Maximum Takeoff Weight: 2550 lbs.

Maximum Landing Weight: 2550 lbs.

Maximum Weight in Baggage Compartments:

Baggage Area 1 (or passenger on child's seat)-Station 82 to 108: 200 lbs. See note below.

Baggage Area 2 - Station 108 to 142: 50 lbs. See note below.

**NOTE**

The maximum combined weight capacity for baggage areas 1 and 2 is 200 lbs.

**UTILITY CATEGORY**

Maximum Takeoff Weight: 2200 lbs.

Maximum Landing Weight: 2200 lbs.

Maximum Weight in Baggage Compartment: In the utility category, the baggage compartment and rear seat must not be occupied.

**CENTER OF GRAVITY LIMITS****NORMAL CATEGORY**

Center of Gravity Range:

Forward: 35.0 inches aft of datum at 1950 lbs. or less, with straight line variation to 41.0 inches aft of datum at 2550 lbs.

Aft: 47.3 inches aft of datum at all weights.

Reference Datum: Lower portion of front face of firewall.

**UTILITY CATEGORY**

Center of Gravity Range:

Forward: 35.0 inches aft of datum at 1950 lbs. or less, with straight line variation to 37.5 inches aft of datum at 2200 lbs.

Aft: 40.5 inches aft of datum at all weights.

Reference Datum: Lower portion of front face of firewall.

**MANEUVER LIMITS****NORMAL CATEGORY**

This airplane is certificated in both the normal and utility category. The normal category is applicable to aircraft intended for non-aerobatic operations. These include any maneuvers incidental to normal flying, stalls (except whip stalls), lazy eights, chandelles, and turns in which the angle of bank is not more than 60°. Aerobatic maneuvers, including spins, are not approved.

**UTILITY CATEGORY**

This airplane is not designed for purely aerobatic flight. However, in the acquisition of various certificates such as commercial pilot, instrument pilot and flight instructor, certain maneuvers are required by the FAA. All of these maneuvers are permitted in this airplane when operated in the utility category.

In the utility category, the baggage compartment and rear seat must not be occupied. No aerobatic maneuvers are approved except those listed below:

MANEUVER	RECOMMENDED ENTRY SPEED*
Chandelles . . . . .	110 knots
Lazy Eights . . . . .	110 knots
Steep Turns . . . . .	105 knots
Spins . . . . .	Slow Deceleration
Stalls (Except Whip Stalls) . . . . .	Slow Deceleration

\*Abrupt use of the controls is prohibited above 105 knots.

Aerobatics that may impose high loads should not be attempted. The important thing to bear in mind in flight maneuvers is that the airplane is clean in aerodynamic design and will build up speed quickly with the nose down. Proper speed control is an essential requirement for execution of any maneuver, and care should always be exercised to avoid excessive speed which in turn can impose excessive loads. In the execution of all maneuvers, avoid abrupt use of controls. Intentional spins with flaps extended are prohibited.

## FLIGHT LOAD FACTOR LIMITS

### NORMAL CATEGORY

Flight Load Factors (Gross Weight - 2550 lbs.):

*Flaps Up . . . . .	+3.8g, -1.52g
*Flaps Down . . . . .	+3.0g

\*The design load factors are 150% of the above, and in all cases, the structure meets or exceeds design loads.

### UTILITY CATEGORY

Flight Load Factors (Gross Weight - 2200 lbs.):

*Flaps Up . . . . .	+4.4g, -1.76g
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## KINDS OF OPERATION LIMITS

The airplane is equipped for day VFR and may be equipped for night VFR and/or IFR operations. FAR Part 91 establishes the minimum required instrumentation and equipment for these operations. The reference to types of flight operations on the operating limitations placard reflects equipment installed at the time of Airworthiness Certificate issuance.

Flight into known icing conditions is prohibited.

## FUEL LIMITATIONS

- 2 Standard Tanks: 26 U.S. gallons each.
- Total Fuel: 52 U.S. gallons.
- Usable Fuel (all flight conditions): 49 U.S. gallons.
- Unusable Fuel: 3.0 U.S. gallons.

### NOTE

To ensure maximum fuel capacity when refueling, place the fuel selector valve in either LEFT or RIGHT position to prevent cross-feeding.

### NOTE

Takeoff, climb and land with the fuel selector valve handle in the BOTH position.

- Approved Fuel Grades (and Colors):
- 100LL Grade Aviation Fuel (Blue).
  - 100 (Formerly 100/130) Grade Aviation Fuel (Green).

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## PLACARDS

The following information is displayed in the form of composite or individual placards.

(1) In full view of the pilot: (The "DAY-NIGHT-VFR-IFR" entry, shown on the example below, will vary as the airplane is equipped.)

This airplane must be operated in compliance with the operating limitations as stated in the form of placards, markings, and manuals.

—————MAXIMUMS—————

	Normal Category	Utility Category
MANEUVERING SPEED (IAS)	105 knots	105 knots
GROSS WEIGHT	2550 lbs.	2200 lbs.
FLIGHT LOAD FACTOR		
Flaps Up	+3.8, -1.52	+4.4, -1.76
Flaps Down	+3.0	+3.0

Normal Category - No acrobatic maneuvers including spins approved.

Utility Category - Baggage compartment and rear seat must not be occupied.

—————NO ACROBATIC MANEUVERS APPROVED—————  
EXCEPT THOSE LISTED BELOW

<u>Maneuver</u>	<u>Recm. Entry Speed</u>	<u>Maneuver</u>	<u>Recm. Entry Speed</u>
Chandelles	110 knots	Spins	Slow Deceleration
Lazy Eights	110 knots	Stalls (except	
Steep Turns	105 knots	whip stalls)	Slow Deceleration

Altitude loss in stall recovery -- 160 feet.

Abrupt use of controls prohibited above 105 knots.

Spins Recovery: opposite rudder - forward elevator - neutralize controls. Intentional spins with flaps extended are prohibited. Flight into known icing conditions prohibited.

This airplane is certified for the following flight operations as of date of original airworthiness certificate:

DAY - NIGHT - VFR - IFR

(2) Near flap indicator:

AVOID SLIPS WITH FLAPS EXTENDED

(3) On the fuel selector valve:

BOTH - 49 GAL.  
LEFT - 24.5 GAL.  
RIGHT - 24.5 GAL.

(4) On the fuel selector valve:

WHEN SWITCHING FROM DRY TANK,  
TURN PUMP ON HIGH MOMENTARILY.

(5) Near fuel tank filler cap:

FUEL  
100/130 MIN. GRADE AVIATION GASOLINE  
CAP. 26 U.S. GAL.

(6) On control lock:

CONTROL LOCK  
REMOVE BEFORE STARTING ENGINE.

(7) In baggage compartment:

200 POUNDS MAXIMUM  
BAGGAGE OR 120 LBS AUX SEAT PASSENGER  
FORWARD OF BAGGAGE DOOR LATCH

50 POUNDS MAXIMUM  
BAGGAGE AFT OF BAGGAGE DOOR LATCH

MAXIMUM 200 POUNDS COMBINED

FOR ADDITIONAL LOADING INSTRUCTIONS  
SEE WEIGHT AND BALANCE DATA

(8) Near manifold pressure/fuel flow gage:

FUEL FLOW  
AT FULL THROTTLE

	2600 RPM
SL . . . . .	16 GPH
4000 FT . . . . .	14 GPH
8000 FT . . . . .	12 GPH
12000 FT . . . . .	10 GPH

# SECTION 3 EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

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### ENGINE FAILURE IMMEDIATELY AFTER TAKEOFF

- (1) Airspeed -- 70 KIAS (flaps UP).  
65 KIAS (flaps DOWN).
- (2) Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
- (3) Fuel Shutoff Valve -- OFF (pull out).
- (4) Ignition Switch -- OFF.
- (5) Wing Flaps -- AS REQUIRED (full down recommended).
- (6) Master Switch -- OFF.

### ENGINE FAILURE DURING FLIGHT

- (1) Airspeed -- 75 KIAS.
- (2) Primer -- IN and LOCKED.
- (3) Fuel Shutoff Valve -- ON (push full in).
- (4) Fuel Selector Valve -- BOTH.
- (5) Mixture -- RICH.
- (6) Throttle -- 1/2 OPEN.
- (7) Auxiliary Fuel Pump -- LOW for 3-5 seconds then OFF.
- (8) Ignition Switch -- BOTH (or START if propeller is stopped).

### FORCED LANDINGS

#### EMERGENCY LANDING WITHOUT ENGINE POWER

- (1) Airspeed -- 70 KIAS (flaps UP).  
65 KIAS (flaps DOWN).
- (2) Seat Belts and Shoulder Harnesses -- SECURE.
- (3) Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
- (4) Fuel Shutoff Valve -- OFF.
- (5) All Switches (except master switch) -- OFF.
- (6) Wing Flaps -- AS REQUIRED (full down recommended).
- (7) Master Switch -- OFF.
- (8) Doors -- UNLATCH PRIOR TO TOUCHDOWN.
- (9) Touchdown -- SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW.
- (10) Brakes -- APPLY HEAVILY.

#### PRECAUTIONARY LANDING WITH ENGINE POWER

- (1) Seat Belts and Shoulder Harnesses -- SECURE.
- (2) Wing Flaps -- 20°.
- (3) Airspeed -- 65 KIAS.
- (4) Selected Field -- FLY OVER, noting terrain and obstructions, then retract flaps upon reaching a safe altitude and airspeed.
- (5) All Switches (except master and ignition switches) -- OFF.

- (6) Wing Flaps -- FULL DOWN (on final approach).
- (7) Airspeed -- 65 KIAS.
- (8) Master Switch -- OFF.
- (9) Doors -- UNLATCH PRIOR TO TOUCHDOWN.
- (10) Touchdown -- SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW.
- (11) Ignition Switch -- OFF.
- (12) Brakes -- APPLY HEAVILY.

### DITCHING

- (1) Radio -- TRANSMIT MAYDAY on 121.5 MHz, giving location and intentions.
- (2) Heavy Objects (in baggage area) -- SECURE or JETTISON.
- (3) Seat Belts and Shoulder Harnesses -- SECURE.
- (4) Wing Flaps -- 20° - 40°.
- (5) Power -- ESTABLISH 300 FT/MIN DESCENT at 55 KIAS.
- (6) Approach -- High Winds, Heavy Seas -- INTO THE WIND.  
Light Winds, Heavy Swells -- PARALLEL TO SWELLS

#### NOTE

If no power is available, approach at 65 KIAS with flaps up or at 60 KIAS with 10° flaps.

- (7) Cabin Doors -- UNLATCH.
- (8) Face -- CUSHION at touchdown with folded coat.
- (9) Touchdown -- LEVEL ATTITUDE AT ESTABLISHED DESCENT.
- (10) Airplane -- EVACUATE through cabin doors. If necessary, open window to flood cabin to equalize pressure so doors can be opened.
- (11) Life Vests and Raft -- INFLATE.

### FIRES

#### DURING START ON GROUND

- (1) Auxiliary Fuel Pump -- OFF.
- (2) Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
- (3) Parking Brake -- RELEASE.
- (4) Fire Extinguisher -- OBTAIN (have ground attendants obtain if not installed).
- (5) Airplane -- EVACUATE.
- (6) Fire -- EXTINGUISH.

NOTE

If sufficient ground personnel are available (and fire is on ground and not too dangerous) move airplane away from the fire by pushing rearward on the leading edge of the horizontal stabilizer.

- (7) Fire Damage -- INSPECT, repair damage or replace damaged components or wiring before conducting another flight.

ENGINE FIRE IN FLIGHT

- (1) Throttle -- CLOSE.
- (2) Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
- (3) Fuel Shutoff Valve -- OFF.
- (4) Master Switch -- OFF.
- (5) Cabin Heat and Air -- OFF (except overhead vents).
- (6) Airspeed -- 105 KIAS (If fire is not extinguished, increase glide speed to find an airspeed which will provide an incombustible mixture).
- (7) Forced Landing -- EXECUTE (as described in Emergency Landing Without Engine Power). Do not attempt to restart engine.

ELECTRICAL FIRE IN FLIGHT

- (1) Master Switch -- OFF.
- (2) All Other Switches (except ignition switch) -- OFF.
- (3) Vents/Cabin Air/Heat -- CLOSED.
- (4) Fire Extinguisher -- ACTIVATE (if available).

**WARNING**

After discharging an extinguisher within a closed cabin, ventilate the cabin.

If fire appears out and electrical power is necessary for continuance of flight:

- (5) Master Switch -- ON.
- (6) Circuit Breakers -- CHECK for faulty circuit, do not reset.
- (7) Radio/Electrical Switches -- ON one at a time, with delay after each until short circuit is localized.
- (8) Vents/Cabin Air/Heat -- OPEN when it is ascertained that fire is completely extinguished.

CABIN FIRE

- (1) Master Switch -- OFF.

- (2) Vents/Cabin Air/Heat -- CLOSED (to avoid drafts).
- (3) Fire Extinguisher -- ACTIVATE (if available).

**WARNING**

After discharging an extinguisher within a closed cabin, ventilate the cabin.

- (4) Land the airplane as soon as possible to inspect for damage.

WING FIRE

- (1) Navigation Light Switch -- OFF.
- (2) Strobe Light Switch (if installed) -- OFF.
- (3) Pitot Heat Switch (if installed) -- OFF.

NOTE

Perform a sideslip to keep the flames away from the fuel tank and cabin, and land as soon as possible using flaps only as required for final approach and touchdown.

ICING

INADVERTENT ICING ENCOUNTER

- (1) Turn pitot heat switch ON (if installed).
- (2) Turn back or change altitude to obtain an outside air temperature that is less conducive to icing.
- (3) Pull cabin heat control full out to obtain maximum windshield defroster airflow.
- (4) Increase engine speed to minimize ice build-up on propeller blades.
- (5) Watch for signs of induction air filter ice and regain manifold pressure by increasing the throttle setting.
- (6) Plan a landing at the nearest airport. With an extremely rapid ice build-up, select a suitable "off airport" landing site.
- (7) With an ice accumulation of 1/4 inch or more on the wing leading edges, be prepared for significantly higher stall speed.
- (8) Leave wing flaps retracted. With a severe ice build-up on the horizontal tail, the change in wing wake airflow direction caused by wing flap extension could result in a loss of elevator effectiveness.
- (9) Open left window and, if practical, scrape ice from a portion of the windshield for visibility in the landing approach.

- (10) Perform a landing approach using a forward slip, if necessary, for improved visibility.
- (11) Approach at 80 to 90 KIAS, depending upon the amount of the accumulation.
- (12) Perform a landing in level attitude.

### STATIC SOURCE BLOCKAGE (Erroneous Instrument Reading Suspected)

- (1) Alternate Static Source Valve -- PULL ON.
- (2) Airspeed -- Consult appropriate calibration table in Section 5 or climb and approach 3 knots faster than normal.
- (3) Altitude -- Cruise and approach 25 feet higher than normal.

### LANDING WITH A FLAT MAIN TIRE

- (1) Approach -- NORMAL.
- (2) Wing Flaps -- FULL DOWN.
- (3) Touchdown -- GOOD TIRE FIRST, hold airplane off flat tire as long as possible with aileron control.

### ELECTRICAL POWER SUPPLY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS

#### OVER-VOLTAGE LIGHT ILLUMINATES

- (1) Master Switch -- OFF (both sides).
- (2) Master Switch -- ON.
- (3) Over-Voltage Light -- OFF.

If over-voltage light illuminates again:

- (4) Flight -- TERMINATE as soon as possible.

#### AMMETER SHOWS DISCHARGE

- (1) Alternator -- OFF.
- (2) Nonessential Electrical Equipment -- OFF.
- (3) Flight -- TERMINATE as soon as practical.

## AMPLIFIED PROCEDURES

### ENGINE FAILURE

If an engine failure occurs during the takeoff run, the most important thing to do is stop the airplane on the remaining runway. Those extra items on the checklist will provide added safety during a failure of this type.

Prompt lowering of the nose to maintain airspeed and establish a glide attitude is the first response to an engine failure after takeoff. In most cases, the landing should be planned straight ahead with only small changes in direction to avoid obstructions. Altitude and airspeed are seldom sufficient to execute a 180° gliding turn necessary to return to the runway. The checklist procedures assume that adequate time exists to secure the fuel and ignition systems prior to touchdown.

After an engine failure in flight, the best glide speed as shown in figure 3-1 should be established as quickly as possible. While gliding toward a suitable landing area, an effort should be made to identify the cause of the failure. If time permits, an engine restart should be attempted as shown in the checklist. If the engine cannot be restarted, a forced landing without power must be completed.

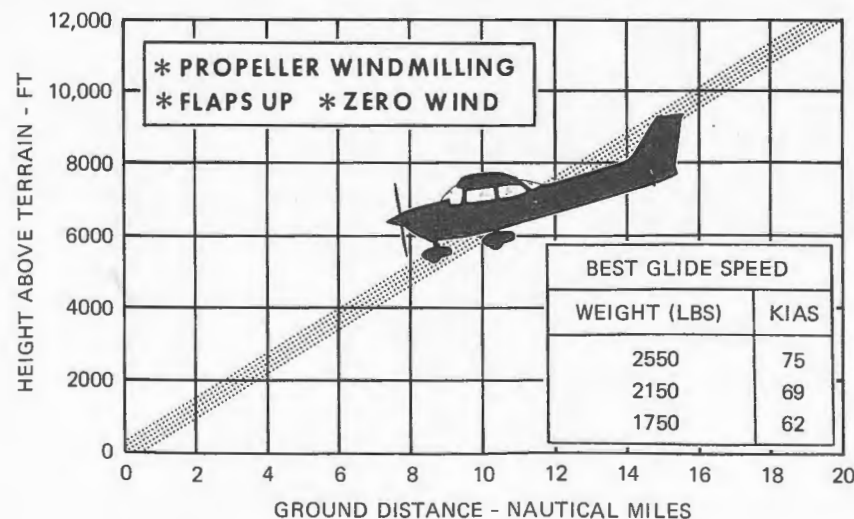


Figure 3-1. Maximum Glide

## FORCED LANDINGS

If all attempts to restart the engine fail and a forced landing is imminent, select a suitable field and prepare for the landing as discussed in the checklist for engine-off emergency landings.

Before attempting an "off airport" landing with engine power available, one should drag the landing area at a safe but low altitude to inspect the terrain for obstructions and surface conditions, proceeding as discussed under the Precautionary Landing With Engine Power checklist.

Prepare for ditching by securing or jettisoning heavy objects located in the baggage area and collect folded coats for protection of occupants' face at touchdown. Transmit Mayday message on 121.5 MHz giving location and intentions. Avoid a landing flare because of difficulty in judging height over a water surface.

## LANDING WITHOUT ELEVATOR CONTROL

Trim for horizontal flight to an airspeed of approximately 65 KIAS with flaps set to 20° by using throttle and elevator trim control. Then do not change the elevator trim control setting; control the glide angle by adjusting power exclusively.

At flareout, the nose-down moment resulting from power reduction is an adverse factor and the airplane may hit on the nose wheel. Consequently, at flareout, the elevator trim control should be adjusted toward the full nose-up position and the power adjusted so that the airplane will rotate to the horizontal attitude for touchdown. Close the throttle at touchdown.

## FIRES

Improper starting procedures involving the excessive use of auxiliary fuel pump operation can cause engine flooding and subsequent puddling of fuel on the parking ramp as the excess fuel drains overboard from the intake ports. This is sometimes experienced in difficult starts in cold weather where preheat service is not available. If this occurs, the airplane should be pushed away from the fuel puddle before another engine start is attempted. Otherwise, there is a possibility of raw fuel accumulations in the exhaust system igniting during an engine start, causing a long flame from the tailpipe, and possibly igniting the fuel puddle on the pavement. In the event that this occurs, proceed in accordance with the Fire During Start On Ground checklist.

Although engine fires are extremely rare in flight, the steps of the appropriate checklist should be followed if one is encountered. After completion of this procedure, execute a forced landing as soon as possible. Do not attempt to restart the engine.

The initial indication of an electrical fire is usually the odor of burning insulation. The checklist for this problem should result in elimination of the fire.

## EMERGENCY OPERATION IN CLOUDS (Vacuum System Failure)

In the event of a vacuum system failure during flight in marginal weather, the directional indicator and attitude indicator will be disabled, and the pilot will have to rely on the turn coordinator or the turn and bank indicator if he inadvertently flies into clouds. The following instructions assume that only the electrically-powered turn coordinator or the turn and bank indicator is operative, and that the pilot is not completely proficient in instrument flying.

## EXECUTING A 180° TURN IN CLOUDS

Upon inadvertently entering the clouds, an immediate plan should be made to turn back as follows:

- (1) Note the time of the minute hand and observe the position of the sweep second hand on the clock.
- (2) When the sweep second hand indicates the nearest half-minute, initiate a standard rate left turn, holding the turn coordinator symbolic airplane wing opposite the lower left index mark for 60 seconds. Then roll back to level flight by leveling the miniature airplane.
- (3) Check accuracy of the turn by observing the compass heading which should be the reciprocal of the original heading.
- (4) If necessary, adjust heading primarily with skidding motions rather than rolling motions so that the compass will read more accurately.
- (5) Maintain altitude and airspeed by cautious application of elevator control. Avoid overcontrolling by keeping the hands off the control wheel as much as possible and steering only with rudder.

## EMERGENCY DESCENT THROUGH CLOUDS

If conditions preclude reestablishment of VFR flight by a 180° turn,



a descent through a cloud deck to VFR conditions may be appropriate. If possible, obtain radio clearance for an emergency descent through clouds. To guard against a spiral dive, choose an easterly or westerly heading to minimize compass card swings due to changing bank angles. In addition, keep hands off the control wheel and steer a straight course with rudder control by monitoring the turn coordinator. Occasionally check the compass heading and make minor corrections to hold an approximate course. Before descending into the clouds, set up a stabilized let-down condition as follows:

- (1) Reduce power to set up a 500 to 800 ft./min. rate of descent.
- (2) Adjust the mixture as required for smooth engine operation.
- (3) Adjust the elevator and rudder trim for a stabilized descent at 75 KIAS.
- (4) Keep hands off control wheel.
- (5) Monitor turn coordinator and make corrections by rudder alone.
- (6) Adjust rudder trim to relieve unbalanced rudder force, if present.
- (7) Check trend of compass card movement and make cautious corrections with rudder to stop turn.
- (8) Upon breaking out of clouds, resume normal cruising flight.

### RECOVERY FROM A SPIRAL DIVE

If a spiral is encountered, proceed as follows:

- (1) Close the throttle.
- (2) Stop the turn by using coordinated aileron and rudder control to align the symbolic airplane in the turn coordinator with the horizon reference line.
- (3) Cautiously apply elevator back pressure to slowly reduce the airspeed to 75 KIAS.
- (4) Adjust the elevator trim control to maintain a 75 KIAS glide.
- (5) Keep hands off the control wheel, using rudder control to hold a straight heading. Use rudder trim to relieve unbalanced rudder force, if present.
- (6) Clear engine occasionally, but avoid using enough power to disturb the trimmed glide.
- (7) Upon breaking out of clouds, resume normal cruising flight.

### FLIGHT IN ICING CONDITIONS

Intentional flight into known icing conditions is prohibited in this airplane. During instrument flights, however, icing conditions may be encountered inadvertently and therefore some corrective action will be required as shown in the checklists. Initiation of a climb is usually the

best ice avoidance action to take; however, alternatives are descent to warmer air or to reverse course.

### STATIC SOURCE BLOCKED

If erroneous instrument readings are suspected due to water, ice, or other foreign matter in the pressure lines going to the standard external static pressure sources, the alternate static source valve should be pulled on.

A calibration table is provided in Section 5 to illustrate the effect of the alternate static source on indicated airspeeds. With the windows and vents closed the airspeed indicator may typically read as much as 4 knots slower and the altimeter 50 feet lower in cruise. With the vents open and heater on, these variations increase to 7 knots slower and 50 feet lower respectively. If the alternate static source must be used for landing, airspeed errors of up to 10 knots slower with vents open and 4 knots slower with vents closed can be expected. Altimeter errors remain 50 feet low.

#### NOTE

In an emergency on airplanes not equipped with an alternate static source, cabin pressure can be supplied to the static pressure instruments by breaking the glass in the face of the rate-of-climb indicator.

### SPINS

Should an inadvertent spin occur, the following recovery procedure should be used:

- (1) RETARD THROTTLE TO IDLE POSITION.
- (2) PLACE AILERONS IN NEUTRAL POSITION.
- (3) APPLY AND HOLD FULL RUDDER OPPOSITE TO THE DIRECTION OF ROTATION.
- (4) JUST AFTER THE RUDDER REACHES THE STOP, MOVE THE CONTROL WHEEL BRISKLY FORWARD FAR ENOUGH TO BREAK THE STALL. Full down elevator may be required at aft center of gravity loadings to assure optimum recoveries.
- (5) HOLD THESE CONTROL INPUTS UNTIL ROTATION STOPS. Premature relaxation of the control inputs may extend the recovery.
- (6) AS ROTATION STOPS, NEUTRALIZE RUDDER, AND MAKE A SMOOTH RECOVERY FROM THE RESULTING DIVE.

NOTE

If disorientation precludes a visual determination of the direction of rotation, the symbolic airplane in the turn coordinator or the needle of the turn and bank indicator may be referred to for this information.

For additional information on spins and spin recovery, see the discussion under SPINS in Normal Procedures (Section 4).

## ROUGH ENGINE OPERATION OR LOSS OF POWER

### SPARK PLUG FOULING

A slight engine roughness in flight may be caused by one or more spark plugs becoming fouled by carbon or lead deposits. This may be verified by turning the ignition switch momentarily from BOTH to either L or R position. An obvious power loss in single ignition operation is evidence of spark plug or magneto trouble. Assuming that spark plugs are the more likely cause, lean the mixture to the recommended lean setting for cruising flight. If the problem does not clear up in several minutes, determine if a richer mixture setting will produce smoother operation. If not, proceed to the nearest airport for repairs using the BOTH position of the ignition switch unless extreme roughness dictates the use of a single ignition position.

### MAGNETO MALFUNCTION

A sudden engine roughness or misfiring is usually evidence of magneto problems. Switching from BOTH to either L or R ignition switch position will identify which magneto is malfunctioning. Select different power settings and enrichen the mixture to determine if continued operation on BOTH magnetos is practicable. If not, switch to the good magneto and proceed to the nearest airport for repairs.

If ignition system malfunctions occur at high altitude and high power, as evidenced by roughness and possible backfiring on one or both magnetos, the power should be reduced as required. This condition is an indication of excessive spark plug gaps which, in turn, causes arcing across the magneto points.

## ENGINE-DRIVEN FUEL PUMP FAILURE

Failure of the engine-driven fuel pump will be evidenced by a sudden reduction in the fuel flow indication prior to a loss of power, while operating with adequate fuel in either or both fuel tanks.

In the event of an engine-driven fuel pump failure during takeoff, immediately hold the auxiliary fuel pump switch in the HIGH position until the airplane is well clear of obstacles. Upon reaching a safe altitude, and reducing power to cruise settings, placing the switch in the LOW position will then provide sufficient fuel flow to maintain engine operation while maneuvering for a landing.

If an engine-driven fuel pump failure occurs during cruising flight, apply full rich mixture and hold the auxiliary fuel pump switch in the HIGH position to re-establish fuel flow. Then the LOW position of the fuel pump switch may be used to sustain level flight. If necessary, additional fuel flow is obtainable by holding the pump switch in the HIGH position. If either LOW or HIGH fuel pump switch positions results in rough engine operation, lean the mixture as required for smooth operation.

### LOW OIL PRESSURE

If low oil pressure is accompanied by normal oil temperature, there is a possibility the oil pressure gage or relief valve is malfunctioning. A leak in the line to the gage is not necessarily cause for an immediate precautionary landing because an orifice in this line will prevent a sudden loss of oil from the engine sump. However, a landing at the nearest airport would be advisable to inspect the source of trouble.

If a total loss of oil pressure is accompanied by a rise in oil temperature, there is good reason to suspect an engine failure is imminent. Reduce engine power immediately and select a suitable forced landing field. Use only the minimum power required to reach the desired touchdown spot.

## ELECTRICAL POWER SUPPLY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS

Malfunctions in the electrical power supply system can be detected by periodic monitoring of the ammeter and over-voltage warning light; however, the cause of these malfunctions is usually difficult to determine. A broken alternator drive belt or wiring is most likely the cause of alternator failures, although other factors could cause the problem.



A damaged or improperly adjusted voltage regulator can also cause malfunctions. Problems of this nature constitute an electrical emergency and should be dealt with immediately. Electrical power malfunctions usually fall into two categories: excessive rate of charge and insufficient rate of charge. The following paragraphs describe the recommended remedy for each situation.

### EXCESSIVE RATE OF CHARGE

After engine starting and heavy electrical usage at low engine speeds (such as extended taxiing) the battery condition will be low enough to accept above normal charging during the initial part of a flight. However, after thirty minutes of cruising flight, the ammeter should be indicating less than two needle widths of charging current. If the charging rate were to remain above this value on a long flight, the battery would overheat and evaporate the electrolyte at an excessive rate. Electronic components in the electrical system could be adversely affected by higher than normal voltage if a faulty voltage regulator setting is causing the overcharging. To preclude these possibilities, an over-voltage sensor will automatically shut down the alternator and the over-voltage warning light will illuminate if the charge voltage reaches approximately 16 volts. Assuming that the malfunction was only momentary, an attempt should be made to reactivate the alternator system. To do this, turn both sides of the master switch off and then on again. If the problem no longer exists, normal alternator charging will resume and the warning light will go off. If the light comes on again, a malfunction is confirmed. In this event, the flight should be terminated and/or the current drain on the battery minimized because the battery can supply the electrical system for only a limited period of time. If the emergency occurs at night, power must be conserved for later use of landing lights and flaps during landing.

### INSUFFICIENT RATE OF CHARGE

If the ammeter indicates a continuous discharge rate in flight, the alternator is not supplying power to the system and should be shut down since the alternator field circuit may be placing an unnecessary load on the system. All nonessential equipment should be turned off and the flight terminated as soon as practical.

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## INTRODUCTION

Section 4 provides checklist and amplified procedures for the conduct of normal operation. Normal procedures associated with Optional Systems can be found in Section 9.

## SPEEDS FOR NORMAL OPERATION

Unless otherwise noted, the following speeds are based on a maximum weight of 2550 pounds and may be used for any lesser weight. However, to achieve the performance specified in Section 5 for takeoff distance, the speed appropriate to the particular weight must be used.

Takeoff, Flaps Up:	
Normal Climb Out	75-85 KIAS
Short Field Takeoff, Flaps 10°, Speed at 50 Feet	60 KIAS
Enroute Climb, Flaps Up:	
Normal	85-95 KIAS
Best Rate of Climb, Sea Level	81 KIAS
Best Rate of Climb, 10,000 Feet	76 KIAS
Best Angle of Climb, Sea Level	59 KIAS
Best Angle of Climb, 10,000 Feet	65 KIAS
Landing Approach:	
Normal Approach, Flaps Up	65-75 KIAS
Normal Approach, Flaps Full Down	60-70 KIAS
Short Field Approach, Flaps Full Down	63 KIAS
Balked Landing:	
Maximum Power, Flaps 20°	55 KIAS
Maximum Recommended Turbulent Air Penetration Speed:	
2550 Lbs	105 KIAS
2150 Lbs	96 KIAS
1750 Lbs	87 KIAS
Maximum Demonstrated Crosswind Velocity:	
Takeoff and Landing	20 KNOTS

### TEMPERATURE CONVERSION CHART

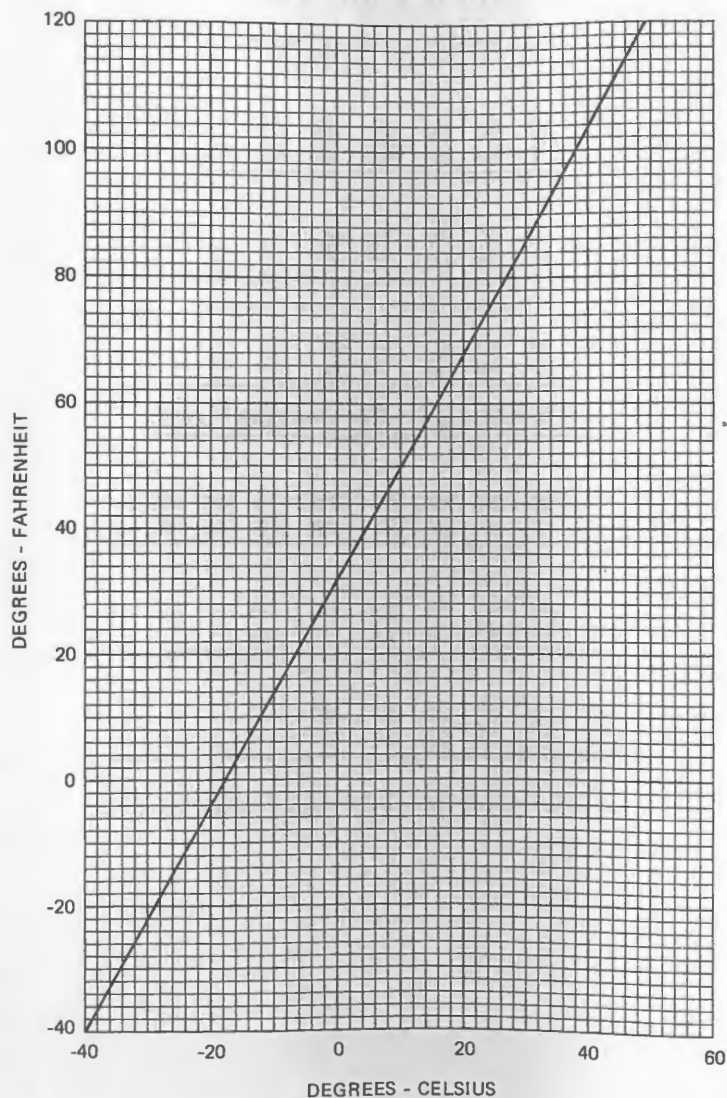


Figure 5-2. Temperature Conversion Chart

### STALL SPEEDS

CONDITIONS:  
Power Off

NOTES:

1. Maximum altitude loss during a stall recovery may be as much as 160 feet.
2. KIAS values are approximate.

#### MOST REARWARD CENTER OF GRAVITY

WEIGHT LBS	FLAP DEFLECTION	ANGLE OF BANK							
		0°		30°		45°		60°	
		KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS
2550	UP	49	53	53	57	58	63	69	75
	10°	41	50	44	54	49	59	58	71
	40°	44	46	47	49	52	55	62	65

#### MOST FORWARD CENTER OF GRAVITY

WEIGHT LBS	FLAP DEFLECTION	ANGLE OF BANK							
		0°		30°		45°		60°	
		KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS
2550	UP	54	56	58	60	64	67	76	79
	10°	43	51	46	55	51	61	61	72
	40°	46	48	49	52	55	57	65	68

Figure 5-3. Stall Speeds

# TAKEOFF DISTANCE

## MAXIMUM WEIGHT 2550 LBS

### SHORT FIELD

SECTION 5  
PERFORMANCE

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CONDITIONS:  
 Flaps 10°  
 2600 RPM and Full Throttle Prior to Brake Release  
 Mixture Set at Placard Fuel Flow  
 Cowl Flap Open  
 Paved Level, Dry Runway  
 Zero Wind

MIXTURE SETTING	
PRESS ALT	GPH
S.L.	16
2000	15
4000	14
6000	13
8000	12

**NOTES:**

1. Short field technique as specified in Section 4.
2. Decrease distances 10% for each 9 knots headwind. For operation with tail winds up to 10 knots, increase distances by 10% for each 2 knots.
3. For operation on a dry, grass runway, increase distances by 15% of the "ground roll" figure.

WEIGHT LBS	TAKEOFF SPEED KIAS		PRESS ALT FT	0°C		10°C		20°C		30°C		40°C	
				GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS
	LIFT OFF	AT 50 FT											
2550	56	60	S.L.	715	1225	770	1315	830	1410	895	1510	960	1625
			1000	780	1335	840	1435	905	1540	975	1655	1050	1780
			2000	855	1460	920	1570	995	1690	1070	1820	1150	1960
			3000	935	1600	1010	1725	1090	1860	1175	2005	1265	2165
			4000	1025	1760	1110	1900	1195	2055	1290	2220	1390	2405
			5000	1125	1945	1220	2105	1315	2280	1420	2470	1530	2685
			6000	1240	2155	1340	2340	1450	2540	1565	2765	1690	3015
			7000	1365	2405	1480	2615	1600	2850	1730	3115	1870	3415
			8000	1510	2695	1635	2945	1770	3225	1915	3545	2075	3920

Figure 5-4. Takeoff Distance (Sheet 1 of 2)

# TAKEOFF DISTANCE

## 2400 LBS AND 2200 LBS

### SHORT FIELD

REFER TO SHEET 1 FOR APPROPRIATE CONDITIONS AND NOTES.

WEIGHT LBS	TAKEOFF SPEED KIAS		PRESS ALT FT	0°C		10°C		20°C		30°C		40°C	
				GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS
	LIFT OFF	AT 50 FT											
2400	54	58	S.L.	620	1070	670	1145	720	1225	775	1315	835	1410
			1000	680	1165	730	1250	790	1340	845	1435	910	1540
			2000	740	1270	800	1365	860	1465	925	1575	995	1690
			3000	810	1390	875	1495	945	1605	1015	1730	1095	1860
			4000	890	1520	960	1640	1035	1765	1115	1905	1200	2055
			5000	975	1675	1055	1805	1135	1950	1225	2110	1320	2280
			6000	1070	1850	1160	2000	1250	2165	1350	2345	1455	2540
			7000	1180	2050	1275	2220	1380	2410	1490	2620	1610	2850
			8000	1305	2280	1410	2480	1525	2700	1650	2950	1780	3225
			2200	52	56	S.L.	510	880	550	940	590	1005	635
1000	555	955				600	1025	645	1095	690	1175	740	1255
2000	605	1040				655	1115	705	1195	755	1280	810	1370
3000	660	1135				715	1215	770	1305	825	1400	890	1500
4000	725	1240				780	1330	840	1430	905	1535	975	1650
5000	795	1355				855	1460	925	1570	995	1690	1070	1820
6000	870	1490				940	1605	1015	1730	1095	1865	1175	2010
7000	955	1645				1035	1770	1115	1915	1205	2065	1295	2235
8000	1055	1815				1140	1965	1230	2125	1330	2300	1430	2495

Figure 5-4. Takeoff Distance (Sheet 2 of 2)

**RATE OF CLIMB**

**MAXIMUM**

**CONDITIONS:**

Flaps Up  
2600 RPM  
Full Throttle  
Mixture Set at Placard Fuel Flow  
Cowl Flap Open

MIXTURE SETTING	
PRESS ALT	GPH
S.L.	16
4000	14
8000	12
12,000	10

WEIGHT LBS	PRESS ALT FT	CLIMB SPEED KIAS	RATE OF CLIMB - FPM			
			-20°C	0°C	20°C	40°C
2550	S.L.	81	1040	945	845	750
	2000	80	925	830	740	650
	4000	79	810	720	635	545
	6000	78	695	615	530	445
	8000	77	585	505	425	345
	10,000	76	480	400	320	---
	12,000	75	370	295	220	---

Figure 5-5. Rate of Climb

**TIME, FUEL, AND DISTANCE TO CLIMB**

**MAXIMUM RATE OF CLIMB**

**CONDITIONS:**

Flaps Up  
2600 RPM  
Full Throttle  
Mixture Set at Placard Fuel Flow  
Cowl Flap Open  
Standard Temperature

MIXTURE SETTING	
PRESS ALT	GPH
S.L.	16
4000	14
8000	12
12,000	10

**NOTES:**

1. Add 1.4 gallons of fuel for engine start, taxi and takeoff allowance.
2. Increase time, fuel and distance by 10% for each 10°C above standard temperature.
3. Distances shown are based on zero wind.

WEIGHT LBS	PRESSURE ALTITUDE FT	TEMP °C	CLIMB SPEED KIAS	RATE OF CLIMB FPM	FROM SEA LEVEL		
					TIME MIN	FUEL USED GALLONS	DISTANCE NM
2550	S.L.	15	81	870	0	0	0
	1000	13	80	825	1	0.3	2
	2000	11	80	780	2	0.6	3
	3000	9	79	735	4	1.0	5
	4000	7	79	690	5	1.3	7
	5000	5	79	645	7	1.6	9
	6000	3	78	600	8	2.0	11
	7000	1	78	555	10	2.4	14
	8000	-1	77	510	12	2.7	16
	9000	-3	77	465	14	3.2	19
	10,000	-5	76	420	16	3.6	23
	11,000	-7	76	375	19	4.0	26
12,000	-9	75	330	22	4.5	31	

Figure 5-6. Time, Fuel, and Distance to Climb (Sheet 1 of 2)



### TIME, FUEL, AND DISTANCE TO CLIMB

**NORMAL CLIMB - 95 KIAS**

CONDITIONS:  
Flaps Up  
2600 RPM  
Full Throttle  
Mixture Set at Placard Fuel Flow  
Cowl Flap Open  
Standard Temperature

MIXTURE SETTING	
PRESS ALT	GPH
S.L.	16
4000	14
8000	12
12,000	10

- NOTES:
1. Add 1.4 gallons of fuel for engine start, taxi and takeoff allowance.
  2. Increase time, fuel and distance by 10% for each 10°C above standard temperature.
  3. Distances shown are based on zero wind.

WEIGHT LBS	PRESSURE ALTITUDE FT	TEMP °C	RATE OF CLIMB FPM	FROM SEA LEVEL		
				TIME MIN	FUEL USED GALLONS	DISTANCE NM
2550	S.L.	15	860	0	0	0
	1000	13	805	1	0.3	2
	2000	11	755	3	0.6	4
	3000	9	700	4	1.0	6
	4000	7	645	5	1.3	8
	5000	5	595	7	1.7	11
	6000	3	540	9	2.1	14
	7000	1	485	11	2.5	17
	8000	-1	435	13	3.0	20
	9000	-3	380	16	3.5	25
	10,000	-5	325	18	4.0	30
11,000	-7	275	22	4.6	36	
12,000	-9	220	26	5.3	44	

Figure 5-6. Time, Fuel, and Distance to Climb (Sheet 2 of 2)

### CRUISE PERFORMANCE PRESSURE ALTITUDE 2000 FEET

CONDITIONS:  
2550 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture  
Cowl Flap Closed

NOTE  
For best fuel economy at 70% power or less, operate at 1 GPH leaner than shown in this chart or at peak EGT if an EGT indicator is installed.

RPM	MP	20°C BELOW STANDARD TEMP -9°C			STANDARD TEMPERATURE 11°C			20°C ABOVE STANDARD TEMP 31°C		
		% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH
2600	24	---	---	---	81	126	11.4	78	127	11.0
	23	78	122	11.1	76	122	10.7	73	123	10.3
	22	73	118	10.3	71	119	10.0	68	119	9.6
	21	68	114	9.6	65	114	9.3	63	114	9.0
2500	25	---	---	---	81	126	11.5	79	127	11.1
	24	80	122	11.2	77	123	10.8	74	124	10.5
	23	75	119	10.6	72	120	10.2	70	120	9.9
	22	70	116	9.9	67	116	9.5	65	116	9.2
2400	25	79	122	11.2	76	123	10.8	74	123	10.4
	24	74	119	10.5	72	120	10.2	69	120	9.8
	23	70	116	9.9	67	116	9.5	65	116	9.2
	22	65	112	9.2	63	112	8.9	61	112	8.6
2300	25	74	119	10.5	72	119	10.1	69	120	9.8
	24	70	116	9.9	67	116	9.5	65	116	9.2
	23	65	112	9.2	63	112	8.9	61	112	8.7
	22	61	108	8.6	59	108	8.4	57	107	8.1
2200	25	69	115	9.8	67	115	9.4	64	115	9.1
	24	65	112	9.2	63	112	8.9	61	111	8.6
	23	61	108	8.6	59	108	8.3	57	107	8.1
	22	57	104	8.1	55	103	7.8	53	102	7.6
	21	52	99	7.6	51	98	7.3	49	97	7.1
	20	48	94	7.0	47	93	6.8	45	91	6.6
	19	44	88	6.5	43	87	6.3	41	86	6.2

Figure 5-7. Cruise Performance (Sheet 1)



**CRUISE PERFORMANCE**  
PRESSURE ALTITUDE 4000 FEET

CONDITIONS:  
2550 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture  
Cowl Flap Closed

**NOTE**  
For best fuel economy at 70% power or less, operate at 1 GPH leaner than shown in this chart or at peak EGT if an EGT indicator is installed.

RPM	MP	20°C BELOW STANDARD TEMP -13°C			STANDARD TEMPERATURE 7°C			20°C ABOVE STANDARD TEMP 27°C		
		% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH
2600	23	81	126	11.5	79	127	11.1	76	127	10.7
	22	76	122	10.8	73	123	10.4	71	123	10.0
	21	71	119	10.0	68	119	9.7	66	119	9.3
	20	66	114	9.3	63	114	9.0	61	113	8.7
2500	24	82	126	11.6	79	127	11.2	77	128	10.8
	23	77	123	11.0	75	124	10.6	72	124	10.2
	22	73	120	10.3	70	120	9.9	68	120	9.6
	21	68	116	9.6	65	116	9.3	63	116	9.0
2400	24	77	123	10.9	74	124	10.5	72	124	10.2
	23	72	120	10.2	70	120	9.9	68	120	9.5
	22	68	116	9.6	65	116	9.2	63	116	9.0
	21	63	112	8.9	61	111	8.6	59	110	8.4
2300	24	72	120	10.2	70	120	9.9	67	120	9.5
	23	68	116	9.6	65	116	9.3	63	116	9.0
	22	63	112	9.0	61	112	8.7	59	111	8.4
	21	59	108	8.4	57	107	8.1	55	106	7.9
2200	24	68	116	9.6	65	116	9.2	63	115	8.9
	23	63	112	9.0	61	112	8.7	59	111	8.4
	22	59	108	8.4	57	107	8.1	55	106	7.9
	21	55	103	7.9	53	102	7.6	51	101	7.4
	20	51	98	7.3	49	97	7.1	47	95	6.9
	19	46	92	6.8	45	91	6.6	43	89	6.4

Figure 5-7. Cruise Performance (Sheet 2 of 6)

**CRUISE PERFORMANCE**  
PRESSURE ALTITUDE 6000 FEET

CONDITIONS:  
2550 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture  
Cowl Flap Closed

**NOTE**  
For best fuel economy at 70% power or less, operate at 1 GPH leaner than shown in this chart or at peak EGT if an EGT indicator is installed.

RPM	MP	20°C BELOW STANDARD TEMP -17°C			STANDARD TEMPERATURE 3°C			20°C ABOVE STANDARD TEMP 23°C		
		% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH
2600	23	---	---	---	81	131	11.5	79	131	11.1
	22	79	126	11.2	76	127	10.8	74	127	10.4
	21	74	123	10.5	71	123	10.1	69	123	9.7
	20	69	119	9.7	66	118	9.3	64	118	9.1
2500	23	80	127	11.3	77	128	10.9	75	128	10.6
	22	76	124	10.7	73	124	10.3	70	124	9.9
	21	71	120	10.0	68	120	9.6	66	120	9.3
	20	66	116	9.3	63	116	9.0	61	115	8.7
2400	23	75	124	10.6	72	124	10.2	70	124	9.9
	22	70	120	9.9	68	120	9.6	65	120	9.3
	21	65	116	9.3	63	115	9.0	61	114	8.7
	20	61	111	8.6	59	110	8.4	57	109	8.1
2300	23	71	120	10.0	68	120	9.6	66	120	9.3
	22	66	116	9.3	64	116	9.0	61	115	8.7
	21	61	112	8.7	59	111	8.4	57	110	8.2
	20	57	107	8.1	55	105	7.9	53	105	7.6
2200	23	66	116	9.3	63	116	9.0	61	115	8.7
	22	62	112	8.7	59	111	8.4	57	110	8.2
	21	57	107	8.2	55	106	7.9	53	105	7.7
	20	53	102	7.6	51	101	7.4	49	99	7.2
	19	49	96	7.1	47	95	6.8	45	93	6.7
	18	44	90	6.6	43	89	6.4	41	87	6.2

Figure 5-7. Cruise Performance (Sheet 3 of 6)

**CRUISE PERFORMANCE**  
PRESSURE ALTITUDE 8000 FEET

CONDITIONS:  
2550 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture  
Cowl Flap Closed

NOTE  
For best fuel economy at 70% power or less, operate at 1 GPH leaner than shown in this chart or at peak EGT if an EGT indicator is installed.

RPM	MP	20°C BELOW STANDARD TEMP -21°C			STANDARD TEMPERATURE -1°C			20°C ABOVE STANDARD TEMP 19°C		
		% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH
2600	21	77	127	10.9	74	128	10.5	72	127	10.1
	20	72	123	10.1	69	123	9.8	67	122	9.4
	19	66	118	9.4	64	118	9.0	62	116	8.8
	18	61	113	8.6	59	111	8.3	57	110	8.1
2500	21	74	125	10.4	71	125	10.0	69	124	9.7
	20	69	120	9.7	66	120	9.4	64	119	9.1
	19	64	116	9.0	61	115	8.7	59	113	8.4
	18	59	110	8.4	56	109	8.1	54	108	7.8
2400	21	68	120	9.6	65	119	9.3	63	118	9.0
	20	63	115	9.0	61	114	8.6	59	113	8.4
	19	58	110	8.3	56	108	8.0	54	107	7.8
	18	54	104	7.7	52	103	7.5	50	101	7.2
2300	21	64	116	9.1	62	115	8.7	59	114	8.5
	20	59	111	8.5	57	109	8.2	55	109	7.9
	19	55	105	7.9	53	104	7.6	51	103	7.4
	18	50	100	7.3	48	98	7.0	47	96	6.8
2200	21	60	111	8.5	57	110	8.2	55	109	7.9
	20	55	106	7.9	53	105	7.7	51	103	7.4
	19	51	100	7.4	49	99	7.1	47	97	6.9
	18	47	94	6.8	45	93	6.6	43	91	6.4

Figure 5-7. Cruise Performance (Sheet 4 of 6)

**CRUISE PERFORMANCE**  
PRESSURE ALTITUDE 10,000 FEET

CONDITIONS:  
2550 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture  
Cowl Flap Closed

NOTE  
For best fuel economy at 70% power or less, operate at 1 GPH leaner than shown in this chart or at peak EGT if an EGT indicator is installed.

RPM	MP	20°C BELOW STANDARD TEMP -25°C			STANDARD TEMPERATURE -5°C			20°C ABOVE STANDARD TEMP 15°C		
		% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH
2600	19	69	123	9.8	67	122	9.4	64	121	9.1
	18	64	117	9.0	61	116	8.7	59	115	8.4
	17	58	110	8.3	56	109	8.0	54	108	7.8
	16	53	104	7.6	51	102	7.3	49	100	7.1
2500	19	67	120	9.4	64	119	9.1	62	118	8.8
	18	62	115	8.7	59	113	8.4	57	112	8.2
	17	56	108	8.0	54	107	7.8	52	105	7.5
	16	50	101	7.3	49	99	7.1	47	97	6.8
2400	19	61	114	8.6	59	112	8.3	56	111	8.1
	18	56	108	8.0	54	107	7.8	52	105	7.5
	17	51	102	7.4	49	100	7.2	48	99	7.0
	16	47	95	6.8	45	94	6.6	43	91	6.4
2300	19	57	109	8.2	55	108	7.9	53	107	7.7
	18	53	104	7.6	51	102	7.3	49	100	7.1
	17	48	97	7.0	46	95	6.8	45	94	6.6
2200	19	53	104	7.7	51	103	7.4	49	101	7.2
	18	49	98	7.1	47	97	6.9	45	95	6.7
	17	45	92	6.6	43	90	6.4	42	88	6.2

Figure 5-7. Cruise Performance (Sheet 5 of 6)

**CRUISE PERFORMANCE**  
PRESSURE ALTITUDE 12,000 FEET

CONDITIONS:  
2550 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture  
Cowl Flap Closed

NOTE

For best fuel economy at 70% power or less, operate at 1 GPH leaner than shown in this chart or at peak EGT if an EGT indicator is installed.

RPM	MP	20°C BELOW STANDARD TEMP -29°C			STANDARD TEMPERATURE -9°C			20°C ABOVE STANDARD TEMP 11°C		
		% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH	% BHP	KTAS	GPH
2600	18	67	122	9.4	64	121	9.1	62	120	8.8
	17	61	115	8.7	59	114	8.4	57	113	8.1
	16	55	108	7.9	53	107	7.7	51	105	7.4
	15	50	100	7.2	48	99	7.0	46	97	6.7
2500	18	64	119	9.1	62	118	8.8	60	117	8.5
	17	59	112	8.4	57	112	8.1	55	110	7.8
	16	53	106	7.7	51	104	7.4	49	102	7.2
	15	47	97	6.9	45	95	6.7	44	93	6.5
2400	18	58	112	8.3	56	111	8.0	54	109	7.8
	17	54	106	7.7	52	104	7.5	50	103	7.2
	16	49	100	7.1	47	98	6.9	46	96	6.7
	15	44	93	6.6	43	90	6.4	41	88	6.2
2300	18	55	108	7.9	53	106	7.6	51	104	7.4
	17	50	101	7.3	48	100	7.1	47	98	6.8
	16	46	95	6.7	44	93	6.5	43	90	6.3
2200	18	51	103	7.4	49	101	7.1	47	99	6.9
	17	47	96	6.8	45	94	6.6	44	92	6.4

Figure 5-7. Cruise Performance (Sheet 6 of 6)

**RANGE PROFILE**  
45 MINUTES RESERVE  
49 GALLONS USABLE FUEL

CONDITIONS:  
2550 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture for Cruise  
Standard Temperature  
Zero Wind

- NOTES:
- This chart allows for the fuel used for engine start, taxi, takeoff and climb, and the distance during a normal climb as shown in figure 5-6.
  - Reserve fuel is based on 45 minutes at 45% BHP and is 5.0 gallons.

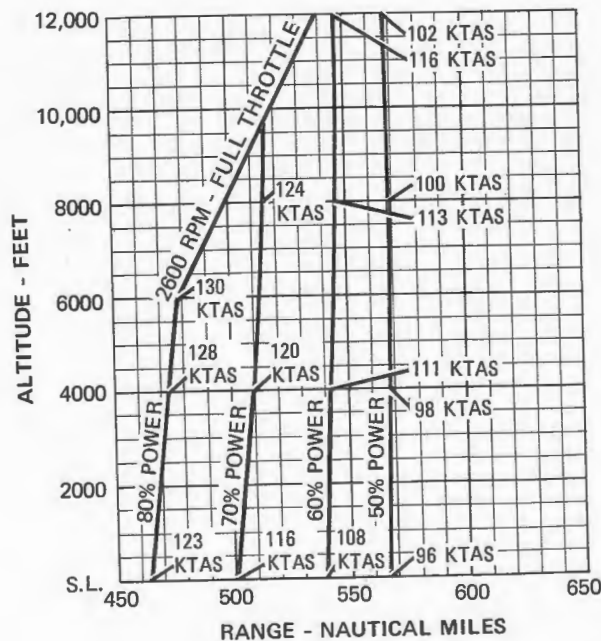


Figure 5-8. Range Profile

**ENDURANCE PROFILE**  
45 MINUTES RESERVE  
49 GALLONS USABLE FUEL

CONDITIONS:  
2550 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture for Cruise  
Standard Temperature

- NOTES:  
1. This chart allows for the fuel used for engine start, taxi, takeoff and climb, and the time during a normal climb as shown in figure 5-6.  
2. Reserve fuel is based on 45 minutes at 45% BHP and is 5.0 gallons.

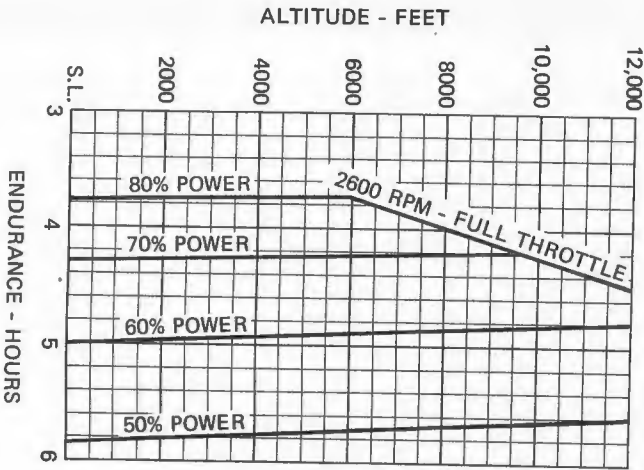


Figure 5-9. Endurance Profile

**LANDING DISTANCE**

**SHORT FIELD**

CONDITIONS:  
Flaps 40°  
Power Off  
Maximum Braking  
Paved, Level, Dry Runway  
Zero Wind

- NOTES:  
1. Short field technique as specified in Section 4.  
2. Decrease distances 10% for each 9 knots headwind. For operation with tailwinds up to 10 knots, increase distances by 10% for each 2 knots.  
3. For operation on a dry, grass runway, increase distances by 40% of the "ground roll" figure.

WEIGHT LBS	SPEED AT 50 FT KIAS	PRESS ALT FT	0°C		10°C		20°C		30°C		40°C	
			GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS
			2550	63	S.L.	590	1225	610	1255	630	1285	650
		1000	610	1255	630	1285	655	1320	675	1350	700	1390
		2000	630	1285	655	1320	680	1360	700	1390	725	1425
		3000	655	1320	680	1360	705	1395	730	1430	750	1465
		4000	680	1360	705	1395	730	1435	755	1470	780	1505
		5000	705	1395	730	1435	760	1475	785	1515	810	1550
		6000	735	1440	760	1475	785	1515	815	1560	840	1595
		7000	760	1480	790	1520	815	1560	845	1605	875	1645
		8000	790	1520	820	1565	850	1610	880	1655	905	1690

Figure 5-10. Landing Distance