



Complex Aircraft Checkout

Aircraft Make and Model _____
Engine Make and Model _____
Rated Horsepower _____ BHP at _____ RPM
Propeller Type _____
Maximum Gross Weight _____ LB. Maximum Weight in Baggage _____ LB.
Basic Empty Weight for N _____ is _____ LB.
Useful Load for N _____ is _____ LB.

Speeds

V_{nc} _____ KIAS V_{fe} _____ KIAS V_r _____ KIAS
V_{no} _____ KIAS V_y _____ KIAS V_{so} _____ KIAS
V_a _____ KIAS at _____ LB. V_x _____ KIAS V_{s1} _____ KIAS
Enroute Climb Speed _____ KIAS V_{lo} _____ KIAS V_{le} _____ KIAS
Final Approach Speed with Flaps Down _____ KIAS
Final Approach Speed with Flaps up _____ KIAS
Demonstrated Crosswind Component _____ KIAS
Best Glide Speed _____ KIAS

Fuel/Oil System

Number of Fuel Tanks _____
Total Capacity of each Tank _____
Total Usable Fuel _____ Gallons
Where are the fuel drains located? _____
Fuel Grade and color _____
Oil Capacity _____ Qt.
Minimum Oil Quantity for Flight _____ Qt.
Oil Type Used _____ 50 Wt.

Electrical System

_____ Volt Battery _____ Volt Alternator
If the ammeter is indicating a Discharge, what might this be indicative of?
1. _____ or
2. _____
Where is the battery Located _____
Where is the External Power Receptacle Located _____

Landing Gear

1. What are the unsafe gear indications? _____
2. What is the procedure for emergency gear extension? _____

Power Setting and Engine Care

1. What is Climb Power Setting? _____ MP _____ RPM.
2. What is Cruise Power Setting? _____ MP _____ RPM.
3. During a descent from cruise altitude, the engine should be "stage cooled" at _____ inches of manifold per _____ minute (s).
4. What power setting should be established for entering the traffic pattern?
Approximate MP _____ and RPM _____.

This information is to be used as a guide only. It does not replace the pilot's responsibility to be familiar with and follow the procedures outlined in the aircraft's P.O.H. ©2002 Golden Wings, Inc.

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5. Cowl Flaps should be OPEN/CLOSED.....

- _____ While Taxiing
- _____ During Climb to Altitude
- _____ During Cruise Flight
- _____ During Descent from Altitude
- _____ After Landing and Clear of Runway

Aircraft Performance

1. Complete the following Weight and Balance

Basic Empty Weight	_____ LB.	Moment	_____
Usable Fuel	_____ LB.	Moment	_____
Pilot and Front Passenger	_____ LB.	Moment	_____
Rear Passengers	_____ LB.	Moment	_____
Baggage	_____ LB.	Moment	_____

Total Weight _____ LB. divide by Total Moment _____ = _____ CG

2. Takeoff

Calculate the ground roll and total to clear a 50 foot obstacle takeoff distances at maximum gross weight, departing from a field elevation of 2500 feet. ATIS reports wind calm and temperature 20 degrees C.

3. Enroute:

Calculate the maximum endurance and fuel flow per hour at 7500 feet cruise altitude, using a cruise power setting of 21 inches MP and 2400 RPM.

What percentage BHP and TAS can you expect with this pressure and 2300 RPM?

4. Landing:

Calculate the ground roll and total to clear a 50 foot obstacle landing distance at maximum gross weight, sea level field elevation, standard temperature, wind calm.

5. What is the recommended short field approach airspeed and configuration? _____

6. What is the recommended soft field take off and landing procedure? _____

7. Describe the "Go Around" procedure: _____

Pilots Name _____

Date _____

Instructor _____



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Name _____
 Date Last Biennial _____ or Date Last Annual _____
 Date Last Medical _____ Class _____ Pilot Cert.# _____
 Hours PIC _____ Hours last 6 months _____ Pilot Ratings _____
 Aircraft Check Out (Date) _____ Type A/C _____ N _____

Phase I: Oral Operational Quiz Check if satisfactory

Recent changes in FAR's _____
 Airspace, controlled and uncontrolled _____
 Airplane and equipment documents _____
 Airplane performance and proper operation of all installed equipment _____
 Airplane loading, weight and balance _____
 Preflight line check _____
 High Altitude operations (density altitude) _____

Phase II: Basic Piloting Technique

Normal and crosswind takeoffs and landings _____
 Short field takeoff and landing over 50' obstacle _____
 Soft field takeoff and landing _____
 Flight at minimum controllable airspeeds _____
 Stalls from all normally anticipated flight attitudes _____
 Go-arounds _____
 720° steep turns(45° bank minimum) _____
 Slips to a landing _____
 In-flight emergency procedures _____
 Simulated equipment failures _____
 Radio communication and navigation _____
 High Density Altitude Operations _____
 Other (specify) _____

Phase III: Instrument Flight

Straight and level, shallow climbing and descending turns to given altitude heading _____
 Approaches (# _____, type _____), for IFR pilots _____
 Recovery from start of power-on spiral _____
 Recovery from the approach to a climbing stall _____
 High Density Altitude Flight Operations _____
 Emergency descents _____
 Other (specify) _____

Comments _____

Instructor Name _____ Signature _____

CFI No. _____ Expiration Date _____

Signature of pilot _____ Date _____