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with an electrical load on the system, such as during a low
RPM taxi. Under these conditions, the light will go out at
higher RPM. The master switch need not be recycled since
an over-voltage condition has not occurred to de-activate
the alternator system.

If the over-voltage sensor should shut down the alternator, a discharge
rate will be shown on the ammeter followed by illumination of the low-
voltage warning light. Since this may be a “nuisance” trip-out, an attempt
should be made to reactivate the alternator system. To do this, turn the
avionics power switch off, then 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 low-voltage light will go off. The avionics power
switch may then be turned back on. If the light illuminates 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 the
landing lights and flaps during landing.

CARGO DOOR EMERGENCY EXIT

If it is necessary to use the cargo doors as an emergency exit and the
wing flaps are not extended, open the forward door and exit. If the wing
flaps are extended, open the doors in accordance with the instructions
shown on the placard which is mounted on the forward cargo door.

EXCESSIVE FUEL VAPOR INDICATIONS

Excessive fuel vapor indications are most likely to appear during
climb and the first hour of cruise on each tank, especially when operating
at higher altitudes or in unusually warm temperatures.

Indications of excessive fuel vapor accumulation are fuel flow gage
fluctuations greater than 1 gal./hr. This condition with leaner mixtures or
with larger fluctuations may result in power surges, and if not corrected,
can cause a large or total power loss.

To eliminate vapor and stabilize fuel flows, follow the Fuel Flow
Stabilization Procedures checklist. If a large or total power loss occurs
before the stabilization procedures can be started, immediately perform
the In-Flight Engine Restarting Procedures checklist for prompt restora-
tion of power.

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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 monitor the mixture to determine if continued opera-
ton on BOTH magneto is practicable. If not, switch to the good magneto
and proceed to the nearest airport for repairs.

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 from a fuel tank containing adequate fuel.

In the event of an engine-driven fuel pump failure during takeoff,
immediately hold the left half of the auxiliary fuel pump switch in the HI
position until the airplane is well clear of obstacles. Upon reaching a safe
altitude, and reducing the power to a cruise setting, release the HI side of
the switch. The ON 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 left half of the auxiliary fuel pump
switch in the HI position to re-establish fuel flow. Then the normal ON
position (the right half of the fuel pump switch) may be used to sustain
level flight. If necessary, additional fuel supply is obtainable by holding the
left half of the pump switch in the HI position.

LOW OIL PRESSURE

If low oil pressure is accompanied by normal oil temperature, there is a
possibility the oil pressure gage or relief valve may be malfunctioning. A leak
in the line to the gage is not necessarily cause for an immediate pre-
cationary landing because an orifice in the 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 tempera-
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PERFORMANCE - SPECIFICATIONS

SPEED:
- Maximum at Sea Level: 156 Knots
- Cruise: 147 Knots

CRUISE: Recommended lean mixture with fuel allowance for engine start, taxi, takeoff, climb and 45 minutes reserve at 45% power.
- 70% Power at 6500 Ft: Range 725 NM, Time 5.0 HRS
- 88 Gallons Usable Fuel: Maximum Range at 10,000 Ft: Range 500 NM, Time 7.8 HRS
- 88 Gallons Usable Fuel: Rate of Climb at Sea Level: 14800 FT

SERVICE CEILING:
- 18000 FT

TAKEOFF PERFORMANCE:
- Ground Roll: 600 FT
- Total Distance Over 50 Ft Obstacle: 1780 FT

LANDING PERFORMANCE:
- Ground Roll: 735 FT
- Total Distance Over 50 Ft Obstacle: 1305 FT

STALL SPEED (CAS):
- Flaps Up, Power Off: 60 Knots
- Flaps Down, Power Off: 54 Knots

MAXIMUM WEIGHT:
- Ramp Takeoff: 3015 LBS
- Takeoff or Landing: 2980 LBS

STANDARD EMPTY WEIGHT:
- Stationair 6 (6 Seats): 1915 LBS
- Stationair 6 II (6 Seats): 1920 LBS
- Utility Option (1 Seat): 1877 LBS
- Utility Option (1 Seat): 1877 LBS

MAXIMUM USEFUL LOAD:
- Stationair 6 (6 Seats): 1685 LBS
- Stationair 6 II (6 Seats): 1625 LBS
- Utility Option (1 Seat): 1795 LBS
- Utility Option (1 Seat): 1795 LBS

BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE:
- 180 LBS

WING LOADING: Pounds/Sq Ft: 20.7

POWER LOADING: Pounds/HP:
- 19.0

FUEL CAPACITY:
- Total: 95 GALL.

OIL CAPACITY:
- 15 QTS

ENGINE:
- Tefodyne Continental, Fuel Injection
- 300 BHP at 5850 RPM (5-Minute Takeoff Rating)
- 295 BHP at 2700 RPM (Maximum Continuous Rating)

PROPELLER: 3-Bladed Constant Speed, Diameter: 80 IN
STANDARD AIRPLANE WEIGHTS

- Standard Empty Weight, Station Air 6 (6 Seats): 1919 lbs.
- Station Air 6 II (6 Seats): 1980 lbs.
- Utility Option (1 Seat): 1817 lbs.
- II Utility Option (1 Seat): 1877 lbs.
- Maximum Useful Load, Station Air 6 (6 Seats): 1093 lbs.
- Station Air 6 II (6 Seats): 1632 lbs.
- Utility Option (1 Seat): 1765 lbs.
- II Utility Option (1 Seat): 1786 lbs.

CABIN AND ENTRY DIMENSIONS

Detailed dimensions of the cabin interior and entry door opening are illustrated in Section 6.

BAGGAGE SPACE AND CARGO DOOR ENTRY DIMENSIONS

Dimensions of the baggage/cargo area and cargo door opening are illustrated in detail in Section 6.

SPECIFIC LOADINGS

- Wing Loading: 20.7 lbs./sq. ft.
- Power Loading: 18.0 lbs./hp.

SYMBOLS, ABBREVIATIONS AND TERMINOLOGY

GENERAL AIRSPEED TERMINOLOGY AND SYMBOLS

- KCAS: Knots Calibrated Airspeed is indicated airspeed corrected for position and instrument error and expressed in knots. Knots calibrated airspeed is equal to KTAS in standard atmosphere at sea level.
- KIAS: Knots Indicated Airspeed is the speed shown on the airspeed indicator and expressed in knots.
- KTAS: Knots True Airspeed is the airspeed expressed in knots relative to undisturbed air which is KCAS corrected for altitude and temperature.
- VA: Maneuvering Speed is the maximum speed at which you may use abrupt control travel.

INTRODUCTION

This handbook contains 9 sections, and includes the material required to be furnished to the pilot by CAR Part 3. It also contains supplemental data supplied by Cessna Aircraft Company.

Section 1 provides basic data and information of general interest. It also contains definitions or explanations of symbols, abbreviations, and terminology commonly used.

DESCRIPTIVE DATA

ENGINE

- Number of Engines: 1.
- Engine Manufacturer: Teledyne Continental.
- Engine Model Number: IO-520-F.
- Engine Type: Normally-aspirated, direct-drive, air-cooled, horizontally-opposed, fuel-injected, six-cylinder engine with 520 cu. in. displacement.
- Horsepower Rating and Engine Speed:
  - Maximum Power (5 minutes - takeoff): 300 rated BHP at 2850 RPM.
  - Maximum Continuous Power: 285 rated BHP at 2700 RPM.

PROPELLER

- Propeller Manufacturer: McCauley Accessory Division.
- Propeller Model Number: D3A34C404/80VA-0.
- Number of Blades: 3.
- Propeller Diameter, Maximum: 80 inches.
- Propeller Diameter, Minimum: 78.5 inches.
- Propeller Type: Constant speed and hydraulically actuated, with a low pitch setting of 11.0° and a high pitch setting of 27.0° (30 inch station).

FUEL

- Approved Fuel Grades (and Colors):
  - 100LL Grade Aviation Fuel (Blue).
  - 100 (Formerly 100/120) Grade Aviation Fuel (Green).
- Total Capacity: 62 gallons.
- Total Capacity Each Tank: 46 gallons.
- Total Usable: 88 gallons.

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VFE

Maximum Flap Extended Speed is the highest speed permissible with wing flaps in a prescribed extended position.

VNO

Maximum Structural Cruising Speed is the speed that should not be exceeded except in smooth air, then only with caution.

VNE

Never Exceed Speed is the speed limit that may not be exceeded at any time.

VS

Stalling Speed or the minimum steady flight speed at which the airplane is controllable.

VSO

Stalling Speed or the minimum steady flight speed at which the airplane is controllable in the landing configuration at the most forward center of gravity.

VX

Best Angle-of-Climb Speed is the speed which results in the greatest gain of altitude in a given horizontal distance.

VY

Best Rate-of-Climb Speed is the speed which results in the greatest gain in altitude in a given time.

METEOROLOGICAL TERMINOLOGY

OAT

Outside Air Temperature is the free air static temperature. It is expressed in either degrees Celsius or degrees Fahrenheit.

Standard Temperature

Standard Temperature is 15°C at sea level pressure altitude and decreases by 2°C for each 1000 feet of altitude.

Pressure Altitude

Pressure Altitude is the altitude read from an altimeter when the altimeter's barometric scale has been set to 29.92 inches of mercury (1013 mb).

ENGINE POWER TERMINOLOGY

BHP

Brake Horsepower is the power developed by the engine. Percent power values in this handbook are based on the maximum continuous power rating.

RPM

Revolutions Per Minute is engine speed.

MP

Manifold Pressure is a pressure measured in the engine's

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OIL

Oil Grade (Specification):
MIL-L-6082 Aviation Grade Straight Mineral Oil. Use to replenish supply during first 25 hours and at the first 25-hour oil change. Continue to use until a total of 50 hours has accumulated or oil consumption has stabilized.

NOTE

The airplane was delivered from the factory with a corrosion preventive aircraft engine oil. This oil should be drained after the first 25 hours of operation.

Continental Motors Specification MHS-24 (and all revisions thereto), Additive Dispersant Oil. This oil must be used after first 60 hours or oil consumption has stabilized.

Recommended Viscosity for Temperature Range:
SAE 50 above 4°C (40°F).
SAE 10W30 or SAE 30 below 4°C (40°F).

NOTE

Multi-viscosity oil with a range of SAE 10W30 is recommended for improved starting in cold weather.

Oil Capacity:
Sump: 12 Quarts.
Total: 12 Quarts (if oil filter installed).

MAXIMUM CERTIFICATED WEIGHTS

Ramp: 3612 lbs.
Takeoff: 3900 lbs.
Landing: 3600 lbs.
Weight in Baggage Compartment - Station 109 to 145: 180 lbs maximum

NOTE

Refer to Section 6 of this handbook for loading arrangements with one or more seats removed for cargo accommodation.

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induction system and is expressed in inches of mercury (Hg).

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Demonstrated Crosswind Velocity is the velocity of the
crosswind component for which adequate control of the
airplane during takeoff and landing was actually demon-
strated during certification tests. The value shown is not
considered to be limiting.

Usable Fuel

Usable Fuel is the fuel available for flight planning.

Unusable Fuel

Unusable Fuel is the quantity of fuel that cannot be safely
used in flight.

GPH

Gallons Per Hour is the amount of fuel (in gallons)
consumed per hour.

NMPG

Nautical Miles Per Gallon is the distance (in nautical
miles) which can be expected per gallon of fuel consumed
at a specific engine power setting and/or flight configura-
tion.

\[ g \]

\( g \) is acceleration due to gravity.

WEIGHT AND BALANCE TERMINOLOGY

Reference Datum

Reference Datum is an imaginary vertical plane from
which all horizontal distances are measured for balance
purposes.

Station

Station is a location along the airplane fuselage given in
terms of the distance from the reference datum.

Arm

Arm is the horizontal distance from the reference datum to
the center of gravity (C.G.) of an item.

Moment

Moment is the product of the weight of an item multiplied
by its arm. (Moment divided by the constant 1000 is used in
this handbook to simplify balance calculations by reduc-
ing the number of digits.)

Center of Gravity

Center of Gravity is the point at which an airplane, or
equipment, would balance if suspended. Its distance from
the reference datum is found by dividing the total moment.
by the total weight of the airplane.

**Center of Gravity Arm** is the arm obtained by adding the airplane's individual moments and dividing the sum by the total weight.

**Center of Gravity Limits** are the extreme center of gravity locations within which the airplane must be operated at a given weight.

**Standard Empty Weight** is the weight of a standard airplane, including unusable fuel, full operating fluids and full engine oil.

**Basic Empty Weight** is the standard empty weight plus the weight of optional equipment.

**Useful Load** is the difference between ramp weight and the basic empty weight.

**Maximum Ramp Weight** is the maximum weight approved for ground maneuver. (It includes the weight of start, taxi and runup fuel.)

**Maximum Takeoff Weight** is the maximum weight approved for the start of the takeoff run.

**Maximum Landing Weight** is the maximum weight approved for the landing touchdown.

**Tare** is the weight of chocks, blocks, stands, etc. used when weighing an airplane, and is included in the scale readings. Tare is deducted from the scale reading to obtain the actual (net) airplane weight.
SECTION 2
LIMITATIONS

INTRODUCTION

Section 2 includes operating limitations, instrument markings, and basic placards necessary for the safe operation of the airplane, its engine, standard systems and standard equipment. The limitations included in this section and in Section 9 have been approved by the Federal Aviation Administration. Observance of these operating limitations is required by Federal Aviation Regulations.

NOTE

Refer to Section 9 of this Pilot's Operating Handbook for amended operating limitations, operating procedures, performance data and other necessary information for airplanes equipped with specific options.

NOTE

The airspeeds listed in the Airspeed Limitations chart (figure 2-1) and the Airspeed Indicator Markings chart (figure 2-2) are based on Airspeed Calibration data shown in Section 5 with the normal static source. If the alternate static source is being used, ample margins should be observed to allow for the airspeed calibration variations between the normal and alternate static sources as shown in Section 5.

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<td>Normal Operating Range. Lower limit is maximum weight V5 at most forward C.G. with flaps retracted. Upper limit is maximum structural cruising speed.</td>
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<td>Operations must be conducted with caution and only in smooth air.</td>
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<td>Maximum speed for all operations.</td>
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Figure 2-2. Airspeed Indicator Markings

POWER PLANT LIMITATIONS

Engine Manufacturer: Teledyne Continental.
Engine Model Number: IO-520-F.
Engine Operating Limits for Takeoff and Continuous Operations:
- Maximum Power, 5 Minutes - Takeoff: 300 BHP.
- Continuous: 285 BHP
- Maximum Engine Speed, 5 Minutes - Takeoff: 2350 RPM.
- Continuous: 2700 RPM.
- Maximum Cylinder Head Temperature: 480°F (249°C).
- Maximum Oil Temperature: 840°F (113°C).
- Oil Pressure, Minimum: 15 psig.
- Maximum: 100 psig.
- Fuel Pressure, Minimum: 3.5 psig.
- Maximum: 19.5 psig (25.2 gal/hr).
Engine Cylinders: Eight.
Propeller Manufacturer: McCauley Accessory Division.
Propeller Model Number: DA34C404/80VA-0.
Propeller Diameter, Maximum: 90 inches.
Propeller Diameter, Minimum: 78.5 inches.
Propeller Blade Angle at 30 Inch Station, Low: 11.0°.
High: 97.0°.

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POWER PLANT INSTRUMENT MARKINGS

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

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Figure 2-3. Power Plant Instrument Markings

AIRSPEED LIMITATIONS

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

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Figure 2-1. Airspeed Limitations

AIRSPEED INDICATOR MARKINGS

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

The following information must be 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.)

The markings and placards installed in this airplane contain operating limitations which must be complied with when operating this airplane in the Normal Category. Other operating limitations which must be complied with when operating this airplane in this category are contained in the Pilot's Operating Handbook and FAA Approved Airplane Flight Manual.

No aerobatic maneuvers, including spins, approved.

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. On control lock:

CONTROL LOCK - REMOVE BEFORE STARTING ENGINE.

3. On fuel selector plate, at appropriate locations:

WHEN SWITCHING FROM DRY TANK TURN AUX FUEL PUMP "ON" MOMENTARILY.

TAKEOFF AND LAND ON FULLER TANK.
LEFT ON -- 44.0 GAL
RIGHT ON -- 44.0 GAL
OFF.

NOTE

Refer to Section 6 of this handbook for loading arrangements with one or more seats removed for cargo accommodation.

CENTER OF GRAVITY LIMITS

Center of Gravity Range:
Forward: 33.0 inches aft of datum at 2500 lbs. or less, with straight line variation to 42.5 inches aft of datum at 3000 lbs.
Aft: 49.7 inches aft of datum at all weights.
Reference Datum: Lower portion of front face of firewall.

MANEUVER LIMITS

This airplane is certified in the normal 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, chandelies, and turns in which the angle of bank is not more than 60°.

Aerobatic maneuvers, including spins, are not approved.

FLIGHT LOAD FACTOR LIMITS

Flight Load Factors:
*Flaps Up: +3.8g - 1.32g
*Flaps Down: +2.0g

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

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.

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FUEL LIMITATIONS

2 Standard Tanks: 46.0 U.S. gallons each.
Usable Fuel (all flight conditions): 88 U.S. gallons,
Unusable Fuel: 4.0 U.S. gallons.

With low fuel reserves, do not allow the airplane to remain in uncoordinated flight for periods in excess of one minute.

Use fuller tank for takeoff and landing.

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

OTHER LIMITATIONS

FLAP LIMITATIONS

Approved Takeoff Range: 0° to 20°.
Approved Landing Range: 0° to 40°.

EMERGENCY EXIT OPERATION

1. ROTATE FORWARD CARGO DOOR HANDLE FULL FORWARD,
THEN FULL AFT.
2. OPEN FORWARD CARGO DOOR AS FAR AS POSSIBLE.
3. ROTATE RED LEVER IN REAR CARGO DOOR FORWARD.
4. FORCE REAR CARGO DOOR FULL OPEN.

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**Notes:**

9. A calibration card is provided to indicate the accuracy of the magnetic compass in 30° increments.

10. On oil filler cap:

OIL
12 QTS

11. Near airspeed indicator:

MANEUVER SPEED
120 KIAS

12. In full view of the pilot:

**Major Fuel Flow Fluctuations/Powe Surges**

1. AUX FUEL PUMP - ON, ADJUST MIXTURE.
2. ELECT OPPOSITE TANK.
3. WHEN FUEL FLOW STEADY, RESUME NORMAL OPERATIONS. SEE P.O.H. FOR EXPANDED INSTRUCTIONS.

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9. Touchdown -- SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW.
10. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
11. Brakes -- APPLY HEAVILY.

DITCHING

1. Radio -- TRANSMIT MAYDAY on 121.5 MHz, giving location and intentions, and SQUAWK 7700 if transponder is installed.
2. Heavy Objects (in baggage area) -- SECURE OR JETTISON.
3. Wing Flaps -- 40°.
4. Approach -- High Winds, Heavy Seas -- INTO THE WIND.
   Light Winds, Heavy Swells -- PARALLEL TO SWELLS.
5. Power -- ESTABLISH 200 FT/MIN DESCENT AT 65 KIAS.
6. Cabin Doors -- UNLATCH.
7. Touchdown -- LEVEL ATTITUDE AT 300 FT/MIN DESCENT.
8. Face -- CUSHION at touchdown with folded coat.
9. Airplane -- EVACUATE through cabin doors. If necessary, open window and flood cabin to equalize pressure so doors can be opened.
10. Life Vests and Raft -- INFLATE.

FIRES DURING START ON GROUND

1. Ignition Switch -- START (continue cranking to obtain start).
2. Auxiliary Fuel Pump -- OFF.

If engine starts:

3. Power -- 1700 RPM for a few minutes.
4. Engine -- SHUTDOWN and inspect for damage.

If engine fails to start:

3. Ignition Switch -- START (continue cranking).
4. Throttle -- FULL OPEN.
5. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
6. Fire Extinguisher -- OBTAIN (have ground attendants obtain if not installed).
7. Engine -- SECURE.
   a. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
   b. Master Switch -- OFF.
   c. Fuel Selector Valve -- OFF.

INTRODUCTION

Section 3 provides checklist and amplified procedures for coping with emergencies that may occur. Emergencies caused by airplane or engine malfunctions are extremely rare if proper preflight inspections and maintenance are practiced. Enroute weather emergencies can be minimized or eliminated by careful flight planning and good judgment when unexpected weather is encountered. However, should an emergency arise, the basic guidelines described in this section should be considered and applied as necessary to correct the problem. Emergency procedures associated with ELT and other optional systems can be found in Section 9.

AIRSPEEDS FOR EMERGENCY OPERATION

- Engine Failure After Takeoff:
  - Wing Flaps Up: 80 KIAS
  - Wing Flaps Down: 70 KIAS

- Maneuvering Speed:
  - 3000 Lbs: 120 KIAS
  - 2500 Lbs: 106 KIAS
  - 2000 Lbs: 93 KIAS

- Maximum Glide:
  - 3500 Lbs: 75 KIAS
  - 3000 Lbs: 70 KIAS
  - 2500 Lbs: 65 KIAS

- Precautionary Landing With Engine Power:
  - Landing Without Engine Power:
    - Wing Flaps Up: 80 KIAS
    - Wing Flaps Down: 70 KIAS

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ENGINE FAILURES

ENGINE FAILURE DURING TAKEOFF RUN

1. Throttle -- IDLE.
2. Brakes -- APPLY.
3. Wing Flaps -- RETRACT.
4. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
5. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
6. Master Switch -- OFF.

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8. Fire -- **EXTINGUISH** using fire extinguisher, wool blanket or dirt.

**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 tail.

9. Fire Damage -- **INSPECT**, repair damage or replace damaged components or wiring before conducting another flight.

**ENGINE FIRE IN FLIGHT**

1. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
2. Fuel Selector Valve -- OFF.
3. Master Switch -- OFF.
4. Cabin Heat and Air -- OFF (except overhead vents).
5. Airspeed -- 100 KIAS (If fire is not extinguished, increase glide speed to find an airspeed which will provide an incombustible mixture).
6. Forced Landing -- **EXECUTE** (as described in Emergency Landing Without Engine Power).

**ELECTRICAL FIRE IN FLIGHT**

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

**WARNING**

If an oxygen system is available, occupants should use oxygen masks until smoke and discharged dry powder clears. After discharging an extinguisher within a closed cabin, ventilate the cabin.

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

6. Master Switch -- ON.
7. Circuit Breakers -- **CHECK** for faulty circuit; do not reset.
8. Radio Switches -- OFF.

**ENGINE FAILURE IMMEDIATELY AFTER TAKEOFF**

1. Airspeed -- 80 KIAS.
2. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
3. Fuel Selector Valve -- OFF.
4. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
5. Wing Flaps -- AS REQUIRED (40° recommended).
6. Master Switch -- OFF.

**ENGINE FAILURE DURING FLIGHT**

1. Airspeed -- 75 KIAS.
2. Fuel Selector Valve and Quantity -- CHECK.
3. Mixture -- RICH.
4. Auxiliary Fuel Pump -- ON for 3-5 seconds with throttle 1/2 open; then OFF.
5. Ignition Switch -- BOTH (or START if propeller is stopped).
6. Throttle -- ADVANCE slowly.

**FORCED LANDINGS**

**EMERGENCY LANDING WITHOUT ENGINE POWER**

1. Airspeed -- 80 KIAS (flaps UP).
2. 70 KIAS (flaps DOWN).
3. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
4. Fuel Selector Valve -- OFF.
5. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
6. Wing Flaps -- AS REQUIRED (40° recommended).
7. Master Switch -- OFF.
8. Doors -- **UNLATCH** PRIOR TO TOUCHDOWN.
9. Touchdown -- SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW.
10. Brakes -- APPLY HEAVILY.

**PRECAUTIONARY LANDINGS WITH ENGINE POWER**

1. Airspeed -- 80 KIAS.
2. Wing Flaps -- 30°.
3. Selected Field -- FLY OVER, noting terrain and obstructions; then retract flaps upon reaching a safe altitude and airspeed.
4. Electrical Switches -- OFF.
5. Wing Flaps -- 40° (on final approach).
6. Airspeed -- 70 KIAS.
7. Avionics Power and Master Switches -- OFF.
8. Doors -- **UNLATCH** PRIOR TO TOUCHDOWN.
LANDING WITH A FLAT MAIN TIRE
1. Wing Flaps -- AS DESIRED (0° - 10° below 140 KIAS, 10° - 40° below 100 KIAS).
2. Make a normal approach.
3. Touchdown -- GOOD TIRE FIRST, hold airplane off flat tire as long as possible with aileron control.

ELECTRICAL POWER SUPPLY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS
AMMETER SHOWS EXCESSIVE RATE OF CHARGE (Full Scale Deflection)
1. Alternator -- OFF.
2. Nonessential Radio/Electrical Equipment -- OFF.
3. Flight -- TERMINATE as soon as practical.

LOW-VOLTAGE LIGHT ILLUMINATES DURING FLIGHT (Ammeter Indicates Discharge)
NOTE
Illumination of the low-voltage light may occur during low RPM conditions with an electrical load on the system such as during a low RPM taxi. Under these conditions, the light will go out at higher RPM. The master switch need not be recycled since an over-voltage condition has not occurred to de-activate the alternator system.
4. Avionics Power Switch -- OFF.
5. Master Switch -- OFF (both sides).
6. Master Switch -- ON.
7. Low-Voltage Light -- CHECK OFF.
8. Avionics Power Switch -- ON.
If low-voltage light illuminates again:
9. Alternator -- OFF.
10. Nonessential Radio and Electrical Equipment -- OFF.
11. Flight -- TERMINATE as soon as practical.

WARNING
If an oxygen system is available, occupant should use oxygen masks until smoke and discharged dry powder clears. After discharging an extinguisher within a closed cabin, ventilate the cabin.

CABIN FIRE
1. Master Switch -- OFF.
2. Vents/Cabin Air/Heat -- CLOSED (to avoid drafts).
3. Fire Extinguisher -- ACTIVATE (if available).

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

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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 and rotate defrost knob clockwise to obtain maximum windshield defroster effectiveness.
4. Increase engine speed to minimize ice build-up on propeller blades. If excessive vibration is noted, momentarily reduce engine speed to 2200 RPM with the propeller control, and then rapidly move the control full forward.

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EXCESSIVE FUEL VAPOR

FUEL FLOW STABILIZATION PROCEDURES
(If Fuel Flow Fluctuations Of 1 Gal/Hr Or More Or Power Surges Occur)

1. Auxiliary Fuel Pump -- ON.
2. Mixture -- RESET as required.
3. Fuel Selector Valve -- SELECT OPPOSITE TANK if vapor symptoms continue.

NOTE
If the opposite tank cannot be used because of a lack of fuel, then retarding the throttle quickly to 10 inches or less of manifold pressure for 30 seconds will also aid in eliminating vapor in the system. To restore power, switch auxiliary fuel pump OFF, advance the throttle (slowly at higher altitudes) and adjust the mixture as required to aid power restoration.

4. Auxiliary Fuel Pump -- OFF after fuel flow has stabilized.
5. Mixture -- RESET as required.
6. Fuel Selector Valve -- AS DESIRED after fuel flow has stabilized for one minute, provided there is fuel in the other tank.

IN-FLIGHT ENGINE RESTARTING PROCEDURES
(If Large Or Total Power Loss Occurs From Excessive Vapor Accumulations)

1. Auxiliary Fuel Pump -- ON.
2. Fuel Selector Valve -- OPPOSITE TANK.
3. Throttle -- HALF OPEN.
4. Auxiliary Fuel Pump -- OFF.
5. Mixture -- LEAN from full rich until restart occurs.

NOTE
If propeller is windmilling, engine will restart automatically within a few seconds. If propeller has stopped (possible at low speeds), turn ignition switch to START, advance throttle slowly from idle, and (at higher altitudes) lean the mixture from full rich.

6. Mixture -- ADJUST as required as power is restored.
7. Throttle -- ADJUST power as required.
8. Fuel Selector Valve -- AS DESIRED after fuel flow is stabilized.

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EMERGENCY OPERATION IN CLOUDS
(Vacuum System Failure)

In the event of a vacuum system failure during flight, 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 enters the 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 compass heading.
2. Note the time of the minute hand and observe the position of the sweep second hand on the clock.
3. When the sweep second hand indicates the nearest half-minute, initiate a standard rate left turn, holding the turn coordinator parallel to the symbolic airplane wing opposite the lower left index mark for 30 seconds. Then roll back to level flight by leveling the miniature airplane.
4. Check accuracy of the turn by observing the compass heading which should be the reciprocal of the original heading.
5. If necessary, adjust heading primarily with skidding motions rather than rolling motions so that the compass will read more accurately.
6. Maintain altitude and airspeed by cautious application of elevator control. Avoid overcontrolling by keeping 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 spiraling 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:

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AMPLIFIED PROCEDURES

ENGINE FAILURE

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

Prompt lowering of the nose to maintain airspeed and establish a glide altitude 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.

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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 under the Emergency Landing Without Engine Power checklist.

Before attempting an “off airport” landing with engine power available, one should fly over 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 Without 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 and squawk 7700 if a transponder is installed. Avoid a landing flare because of difficulty in judging height over a water surface.

LANDING WITHOUT ELEVATOR CONTROL

Trim for horizontal flight (with an airspeed of approximately 90 KIAS and flaps set to 20°) by using throttle and trim tab controls. Then do not change the trim tab setting and 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 trim tab should be set at 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 such as excessive use of the auxiliary fuel pump during a cold weather start can cause a backfire which could ignite fuel that has accumulated in the intake duct. In this event, follow the prescribed 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. 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.

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1. Reduce power to set up a 500 to 800 ft./min. rate of descent.
2. Apply full rich mixture.
3. Adjust the elevator and rudder trim control wheels for a stabilized descent at 95 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 control wheel back pressure to slowly reduce the indicated airspeed to 85 KIAS.
4. Adjust the elevator trim control to maintain a 95 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.

INADVERENT FLIGHT INTO ICING CONDITIONS

Flight into icing conditions is prohibited. An inadvertent encounter with these conditions can best be handled using the checklist procedures. The best procedure, of course, is to turn back or change altitude to escape icing conditions.

STATIC SOURCE BLOCKED

If erroneous readings of the static source instruments (airspeed, altimeter and rate-of-climb) are suspected, the alternate static source valve should be pulled on, thereby supplying static pressure to these instruments from the cabin.

NOTE

In an emergency on airplanes not equipped with an...
there is good reason to suspect that 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 low-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 alternator control unit 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 paragraphs below 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 too low to accept 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. The alternator control unit includes an over-voltage sensor which will automatically shut down the alternator if the voltage reaches approximately 31.5 volts. If the over-voltage sensor malfunctions or is improperly adjusted, as evidenced by an excessive rate of charge shown on the ammeter, the alternator should be turned off, nonessential electrical equipment turned off and the flight terminated as soon as practical.

INSUFFICIENT RATE OF CHARGE

If the low-voltage light and ammeter discharge indications may occur during low RPM conditions.

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.

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...
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PROPELLER CARE

Pre-flight inspection of propeller blades for nicks, and wiping them occasionally with an oily cloth to clean off grass and bug stains, will assure long, trouble-free service. Small nicks on the propeller, particularly near the tips and on the leading edges, should be dressed out as soon as possible since these nicks produce stress concentrations, and if ignored, may result in cracks. Never use an alkaline cleaner on the blades: remove grease and dirt with Stoddard solvent.

ENGINE CARE

The engine may be cleaned with Stoddard solvent, or equivalent, then dried thoroughly.

CAUTION

Particular care should be given to electrical equipment before cleaning. Cleaning fluids should not be allowed to enter magnetos, starter, alternator and the like. Protect these components before saturating the engine with solvents. All other openings should also be covered before cleaning the engine assembly. Caustic cleaning solutions should be used cautiously and should always be properly neutralized after their use.

INTERIOR CARE

To remove dust and loose dirt from the upholstery and carpet, clean the interior regularly with a vacuum cleaner.

Blot up any spilled liquid promptly with cleansing tissue or rags. Don't pat the spot; press the blotting material firmly and hold it for several seconds. Continue blotting until no more liquid is taken up. Scrape off sticky materials with a dull knife, then spot-clean the area.

Oily spots may be cleaned with household spot removers, used sparingly. Before using any solvent, read the instructions on the container and test it on an obscure place on the fabric to be cleaned. Never saturate the fabric with a volatile solvent; it may damage the padding and backing materials.

Soiled upholstery and carpet may be cleaned with foam-type detergent, used according to the manufacturer's instructions. To minimize wetting the fabric, keep the foam as dry as possible and remove it with a vacuum cleaner.

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Section 4 provides checklist and simplified procedures for the conduct of normal operation. Normal procedures associated with optional systems can be found in Section 6.

SPEEDS FOR NORMAL OPERATION

Unless otherwise noted, the following speeds are based on a maximum weight of 3600 pounds and may be used for any lesser weight. However, to achieve the performance specified in Section 6 for takeoff distance and climb performance, the speed appropriate to the particular weight must be used.

Takeoff:
- Normal Climb Out: 70-80 KIAS
- Short Field Takeoff, Flaps 20°, Speed at 50 Feet: 65 KIAS
- Enroute Climb, Flaps Up: 95-105 KIAS
- Best Rate of Climb, Sea Level: 84 KIAS
- Best Rate of Climb, 10,000 Feet: 78 KIAS
- Best Angle of Climb, Sea Level: 66 KIAS
- Best Angle of Climb, 10,000 Feet: 70 KIAS

Landing Approach:
- Normal Approach, Flaps Up: 75-85 KIAS
- Normal Approach, Flaps 40°: 65-75 KIAS
- Short Field Approach, Flaps 40°: 64 KIAS

Balked Landing:
- Maximum Power, Flaps 20°: 80 KIAS

Maximum Recommended Turbulent Air Penetration Speed:
- 3600 Lbs: 120 KIAS
- 2900 Lbs: 106 KIAS
- 2200 Lbs: 93 KIAS

Maximum Demonstrated Crosswind Velocity:
- Takeoff or Landing: 20 KNOTS

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NOTE

Visually check airplane for general condition during walk-around inspection. In cold weather, remove even small accumulations of frost, ice or snow from wing, tail and control surfaces. Also, make sure that control surfaces contain no internal accumulations of ice or debris. Prior to flight, check that pitot heater (if installed) is warm to touch within 30 seconds with battery and pitot heat switches on. If a night flight is planned, check operation of all lights, and make sure a flashlight is available.

Figure 4-1. Preflight Inspection
CHECKLIST PROCEDURES

PREFLIGHT INSPECTION

1. Cabin
   1. Pilot's Operating Handbook -- AVAILABLE IN THE AIRPLANE.
   2. Control Wheel Lock -- REMOVE.
   3. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
   4. Avionics Power Switch -- OFF.
   5. Master Switch -- ON.

   **WARNING**

   When turning on the master switch, using an external power source, or pulling the propeller through by hand, treat the propeller as if the ignition switch were on. Do not stand, nor allow anyone else to stand, within the arc of the propeller, since a loose or broken wire, or a component malfunction, could cause the propeller to rotate.

   6. Fuel Quantity Indicators -- CHECK QUANTITY.
   7. Master Switch -- OFF.
   8. Fuel Selector Valve -- FULLER TANK.
   9. Trim Controls -- NEUTRAL.
   10. Static Pressure Alternate Source Valve (if installed) -- OFF.

2. Empennage
   1. Rudder Gust Lock -- REMOVE.
   2. Tail Tie-Down -- DISCONNECT.
   3. Control Surfaces -- CHECK freedom of movement and security.
   4. Check cargo doors securely latched and locked (right side only). If cargo load will not permit access to the front cargo door inside handle, lock the door from the outside by pulling the handle from its recess, pulling outward on the vertical tab behind the handle, and pushing the handle back into its recess. Door locking can be verified by observing that the inside door handle has rotated toward the locked position. The outside handle can then be locked using the key.

   **NOTE**

   The cargo doors must be fully closed and latched before
operating the electric wing flaps. A switch in the upper door sill of the front cargo door interrupts the wing flap electrical circuit when the front door is opened or removed, thus preventing the flaps being lowered with possible damage to the cargo door or wing flaps when the cargo door is open. If operating with the cargo doors removed and the optional spoiler kit installed, check that the wing flap interrupt switch cover plate is installed so that the wing flaps can be lowered in flight.

3 RIGHT WING Trailing Edge
1. Aileron -- CHECK freedom of movement and security.

4 RIGHT WING
1. Wing Tie-Down -- DISCONNECT.
2. Fuel Tank Vent -- CHECK for stoppage.
3. Main Wheel Tire -- CHECK for proper inflation.
4. Before first flight of the day and after each refueling, use sampler cup and drain small quantity of fuel from fuel tank sump quick-drain valve to check for water, sediment, and proper fuel grade.
5. Fuel Quantity -- CHECK VISUALLY for desired level.

5 NOSE
1. Static Source Opening (both sides of fuselage) -- CHECK for stoppage.
2. Propeller and Spinner -- CHECK for nicks, security and oil leaks.
3. Landing and Taxi Lights -- CHECK for condition and cleanliness.
4. Nose Wheel Strut and Tire -- CHECK for proper inflation.
5. Nose Tie-Down -- DISCONNECT.
6. Engine Oil Level -- CHECK, do not operate with less than nine quarts. Fill to twelve quarts for extended flight.
7. Before first flight of the day and after each refueling, pull out strainer drain knob for about four seconds to clear fuel strainer of possible water and sediment. Check strainer drain closed. If water is observed, the fuel system may contain additional water, and further draining of the system at the strainer, fuel tank sumps and reservoirs will be necessary.

6 LEFT WING
1. Main Wheel Tire -- CHECK for proper inflation.
2. Before first flight of the day and after each refueling, use sampler cup and drain small quantity of fuel from fuel tank sump quick-
TAKEOFF

NORMAL TAKEOFF
1. Wing Flaps -- 0° - 20°.
2. Power -- FULL THROTTLE and 2850 RPM.
3. Mixture -- LEAN for field elevation per fuel flow placard.
4. Elevator Control -- LIFT NOSE WHEEL at 50 KIAS.
5. Climb Speed -- 70-80 KIAS.
6. Wing Flaps -- RETRACT after obstacles are cleared.

SHORT FIELD TAKEOFF
1. Wing Flaps -- 20°.
2. Brakes -- APPLY.
3. Power -- FULL THROTTLE and 2850 RPM.
4. Mixture -- LEAN for field elevation per fuel flow placard.
5. Brakes -- RELEASE.
6. Elevator Control -- SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW ATTITUDE.
7. Climb Speed -- 65 KIAS until all obstacles are cleared.
8. Wing Flaps -- RETRACT after obstacles are cleared and 80 KIAS is reached.

NOTE
Do not reduce power until wing flaps have been retracted.

ENROUTE CLimb

NORMAL CLimb
1. Airspeed -- 95-105 KIAS.
2. Power -- 28 INCHES Hg and 2550 RPM.
3. Mixture -- LEAN to 18.0 gal/hr fuel flow.
4. Cowl Flaps -- OPEN as required.

MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE CLimb
1. Airspeed -- 84 KIAS at sea level to 78 KIAS at 10,000 feet.
2. Power -- FULL THROTTLE and 2700 RPM.
3. Mixture -- LEAN for altitude per fuel flow placard.
4. Cowl Flaps -- OPEN.

7 LEFT WING Leading Edge
1. Pitot Tube Cover -- REMOVE and check opening for stoppage.
2. Stall Warning Vane -- CHECK for freedom of movement while master switch is momentarily turned on (horn should sound when vane is pushed upward).
3. Wing Tip-Down -- DISCONNECT.

8 LEFT WING Trailing Edge
1. Aileron -- CHECK freedom of movement and security.

BEFORE STARTING ENGINE
1. Preflight Inspection -- COMPLETE.
2. Seats, Belts, Shoulder Harnesses -- ADJUST and LOCK.
3. Brakes -- TEST and SET.
4. Cowl Flaps -- OPEN (move lever out of locking hole to reposition).
5. Avionics Power Switch, Autopilot (if installed), Electrical Equipment -- OFF.

CAUTION
The avionics power switch must be OFF during engine start to prevent possible damage to avionics.

6. Master Switch -- ON.
7. Fuel Selector Valve -- FULLER TANK.
8. Circuit Breakers -- CHECK IN.

STARTING ENGINE
1. Mixture -- HIGH.
2. Propeller -- HIGH RPM.
3. Throttle -- CLOSED.
4. Auxiliary Fuel Pump -- ON.
5. Throttle -- ADVANCE to obtain 8-10 gal/hr fuel flow, then return to CLOSED position.

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CRUISE
1. Power -- 15-25 INCHES Hg, 2200-2850 RPM (no more than 75%).
2. Mixture -- LEAN for cruise fuel flow as determined from your Cessna Power Computer, or in accordance with the Cruise data in Section 5.
3. Elevator and Rudder Trim -- ADJUST.
4. Cowl Flaps -- AS REQUIRED.

DESCENT
1. Power -- AS DESIRED.
2. Mixture -- LEAN for smoothness in power descent. Use full rich mixture for idle power.
3. Cowl Flaps -- CLOSED.

BEFORE LANDING
1. Fuel Selector Valve -- FULLER TANK.
2. Mixture -- RICH (below 3000 ft.).
3. Propeller -- HIGH RPM.
4. Autopilot (if installed) -- OFF.

LANDING
NORMAL LANDING
1. Airspeed -- 75-85 KIAS (flaps UP).
2. Wing Flaps -- AS DESIRED (0° - 10° below 140 KIAS, 10° - 40° below 100 KIAS).
3. Airspeed -- 65-70 KIAS (flaps DOWN).
4. Elevator Trim -- ADJUST.
5. Touchdown -- MAIN WHEELS FIRST.
6. Landing Roll -- LOWER NOSE WHEEL GENTLY.
7. Braking -- MINIMUM REQUIRED.

SHORT FIELD LANDING
1. Airspeed -- 75-85 KIAS (flaps UP).
2. Wing Flaps -- 40° (below 100 KIAS).
3. Airspeed -- MAINTAIN 64 KIAS.

BEFORE TAKEOFF
1. Parking Brake -- SET.
2. Cabin Doors and Window -- CLOSED and LOCKED.
3. Cowl Flaps -- OPEN.
4. Flight Controls -- FREE and CORRECT.
5. Flight Instruments -- CHECK.
6. Fuel Selector Valve -- FULLER TANK.
7. Mixture -- RICH (below 3000 ft.).
8. Elevator and Rudder Trim -- TAKEOFF setting.
9. Throttle -- 1700 RPM.
   a. Magnetos -- CHECK (RPM drop should not exceed 150 RPM on either magnetos or 80 RPM differential between magnetos).
   b. Propeller -- CYCLE from high to low RPM; return to high RPM (full forward).
   c. Engine Instruments and Ammeter -- CHECK.
   d. Suction Gage -- CHECK (4.6 to 5.4 in. Hg).
10. Avionics Power Switch -- ON.
11. Radios -- SET.
12. Autopilot (if installed) -- OFF.
13. Flashing Beacon, Navigation Lights and/or Strobe Lights -- ON as required.
14. Throttle Friction Lock -- ADJUST.
15. Parking Brake -- RELEASE.
AMPLIFIED PROCEDURES

STARTING ENGINE

Proper fuel management and throttle adjustments are the determining factors in securing an easy start from your continuous-flow fuel injection engine. The procedure outlined in this section should be followed closely as it is effective under nearly all operating conditions.

Conventional full rich mixture and high RPM propeller settings are used for starting; the throttle, however, should be fully closed initially. When ready to start, place the auxiliary fuel pump switch in the ON position and advance the throttle to obtain 8-9 gal/hr fuel flow. Then close the throttle and turn off the auxiliary fuel pump. Place the ignition switch in the START position. While cranking, slowly advance the throttle until the engine starts. Slow throttle advancement is essential since the engine will start readily when the correct fuel/air ratio is obtained. When the engine has started, reset the throttle to the desired idle speed.

When the engine is hot or outside air temperatures are high, the engine may die after running several seconds because the mixture became either too lean due to fuel vapor, or too rich due to excessive prime fuel. The following procedure will prevent overpriming and alleviate fuel vapor in the system:

1. Set the throttle 1/3 to 1/2 open.
2. When the ignition switch is on BOTH and you are ready to engage the starter, place the right half of the auxiliary fuel pump switch ON until the indicated fuel flow comes up to 4 to 6 gal/hr; then turn the switch off.

NOTE

During a restart after a brief shutdown in extremely hot weather, the presence of fuel vapor may require the auxiliary fuel pump to operate in the ON position for up to 1 minute or more before the vapor is cleared sufficiently to obtain 4 to 6 gal/hr for starting. If the above procedure does not obtain sufficient fuel flow, fully depress and hold the left half of the switch in the HI position to obtain additional fuel pump capability.

3. Without hesitation, engage the starter and the engine should start in 3 to 5 revolutions. Adjust throttle for 1200 to 1400 RPM.

4. Elevator Trim -- ADJUST.
5. Power -- REDUCE TO IDLE as obstacle is cleared.
6. Touchdown -- MAIN WHEELS FIRST.
7. Brakes -- APPLY HEAVILY.
8. Wing Flaps -- RETRACT for maximum brake effectiveness.

BALKED LANDING

1. Power -- FULL THROTTLE and 2850 RPM.
2. Wing Flaps -- RETRACT to 20°.
3. Airspeed -- 80 KIAS.
4. Wing Flaps -- RETRACT slowly.
5. Cowl Flaps -- OPEN.

AFTER LANDING

1. Wing Flaps -- RETRACT.
2. Cowl Flaps -- OPEN.

SECURING AIRPLACE

1. Parking Brake -- SET.
2. Avionics Power Switch and Electrical Equipment -- OFF.
3. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF (pull full out).
4. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
5. Master Switch -- OFF.
6. Control Lock -- INSTALL.
4. If there is fuel vapor in the lines, it will pass into the injector nozzles in 2 to 3 seconds and the engine will gradually slow down and stop. When engine speed starts to decrease, hold the left half of the auxiliary fuel pump switch in the HI position for approximately one second to clear out the vapor. Intermittent use of HI boost is necessary since prolonged use of the HI position after vapor is cleared will flood out the engine during a starting operation.

5. Let the engine run at 1300 to 1400 RPM until the vapor is eliminated and the engine idles normally.

If prolonged cranking is necessary, allow the starter motor to cool at frequent intervals, since excessive heat may damage the armature.

After starting, if the oil pressure gage does not begin to show pressure within 30 seconds in normal temperatures and 60 seconds in very cold weather, shut off the engine and investigate. Lack of oil pressure can cause serious engine damage.

TAXIING

Taxiing over loose gravel or cinders should be done at low engine speed to avoid abrasion and stone damage to the propeller tips. Refer to figure 4-2 for additional taxiing instructions.

BEFORE TAKEOFF

WARM-UP

Since the engine is closely cowled for efficient in-flight cooling, precautions should be taken to avoid overheating on the ground. Full throttle checks on the ground are not recommended unless the pilot has good reason to suspect that the engine is not turning up properly.

MAGNETO CHECK

The magneto check should be made at 1700 RPM as follows. Move ignition switch first to R position and note RPM. Next move switch back to BOTH to clear the other set of plugs. Then move switch to L position, note RPM and return the switch to the BOTH position. RPM drop should not exceed 150 RPM on either magneto or show greater than 50 RPM differential between magnetos. If there is a doubt concerning operation of the ignition system, RPM checks at higher engine speeds will usually confirm whether a deficiency exists.
Airplane should be leveled off immediately to accelerate to a safe climb speed.

If 20° wing flaps are used for takeoff, they should be left down until all obstacles are cleared. To clear an obstacle with 20° flaps, a 65 KIAS climb speed should be used. If no obstructions are ahead, a best rate-of-climb speed of 84 KIAS would be most efficient. Flap deflections greater than 20° are not approved for takeoff.

**CROSSWIND TAKEOFF**

Takeoffs into strong crosswinds normally are performed with the minimum flap setting necessary for the field length, to minimize the drift angle immediately after takeoff. With the ailerons partially deflected into the wind, the airplane is accelerated to a speed slightly higher than normal, and then pulled off abruptly to prevent possible settling back to the runway while drifting. When clear of the ground, make a coordinated turn into the wind to correct for drift.

**ENROUTE CLimb**

A cruising climb at 25 inches of manifold pressure, 2500 RPM (approximately 75% power) and 65-105 KIAS is normally recommended. This type of climb provides better engine cooling, less engine wear, and more passenger comfort due to lower noise level, in addition to improved visibility ahead.

Cruising climbs should be conducted at 18 gal/hr up to 4000 feet and then at the fuel flow shown on the normal climb chart in Section 5 for higher altitudes.

If it is necessary to climb rapidly to clear mountains or reach favorable winds at high altitudes, the best rate-of-climb speed should be used with maximum continuous power (full throttle and 2700 RPM). This speed is 84 KIAS at sea level, decreasing to 78 KIAS at 10,000 feet. The mixture should be leaned as shown by the fuel flow placard located adjacent to the fuel flow indicator.

If an obstruction dictates the use of a steep climb angle, climb with flaps retracted and maximum continuous power at 66 KIAS at sea level to 70 KIAS at 10,000 feet.

**CRUISE**

Normal cruising is performed between 65% and 75% power. The
corresponding power settings and fuel consumption for various altitudes can be determined by using your Cessna Power Computer or the data in Section 5.

NOTE

Cruising should be done at 65% to 75% power until a total of 50 hours has accumulated or oil consumption has stabilized. This is to ensure proper seating of the rings and is applicable to new engines, and engines in service following cylinder replacement or top overhaul of one or more cylinders.

The Cruise Performance Table, figure 4-3, illustrates the advantage of higher altitude on both true airspeed and nautical miles per gallon. In addition, the beneficial effect of lower cruise power on nautical miles per gallon at a given altitude can be observed. This table should be used as a guide along with the available winds aloft information, to determine the most favorable altitude and power setting for a given trip. The selection of cruise altitude on the basis of the most favorable wind conditions and the use of low power settings are significant factors that should be considered on every trip to reduce fuel consumption.

For reduced noise levels, it is desirable to select the lowest RPM in the green arc range for a given percent power that will provide smooth engine operation. The cowl flaps should be opened, if necessary, to maintain the cylinder head temperature at approximately two-thirds of the normal operating range (green arc).

For best fuel economy at 65% power or less, the engine may be operated at one gallon per hour leaner than shown in this handbook and on the power computer. This will result in approximately 6% greater range than

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Standard Conditions Zero Wind

Figure 4-3. Cruise Performance Table

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An absence of RPM drop may be an indication of faulty grounding of one side of the ignition system or should be cause for suspicion that the magneto timing is set in advance of the setting specified.

ALTERNATOR CHECK

Prior to flights where verification of proper alternator and alternator control unit operation is essential (such as night or instrument flights), a positive verification can be made by loading the electrical system momentarily (3 to 5 seconds) with the landing light during the engine runup (1700 RPM). The ammeter will remain within a needle width of its original position if the alternator and alternator control unit are operating properly.

TAKEOFF

POWER CHECK

It is important to check takeoff power early in the takeoff run. Any sign of rough engine operation or sluggish engine acceleration is good cause for discontinuing the takeoff.

Full power runups over loose gravel are especially harmful to propeller tips. When takeoffs must be made over a gravel surface, it is very important that the throttle be advanced slowly. This allows the airplane to start rolling before high RPM is developed, and the gravel will be blown back of the propeller rather than pulled into it.

After full power is applied, adjust the throttle friction lock clockwise to prevent the throttle from creeping from a maximum power position. Similar friction lock adjustments should be made as required in other flight conditions to maintain a fixed throttle setting.

For maximum engine power, the mixture should be adjusted during the initial takeoff roll to the fuel flow corresponding to the field elevation. (Refer to the fuel flow placard located adjacent to the fuel flow indicator.) The power increase is significant above 3000 feet and this procedure should always be employed for field elevations greater than 5000 feet above sea level.

WING FLAP SETTINGS

Using 20° wing flaps reduces the ground run and total distance over the obstacle by approximately 10 percent. Soft field takeoffs are performed with 20° flaps by lifting the nose wheel off the ground as soon as practical and leaving the ground in a slightly tail-low attitude. However, the
COLD WEATHER OPERATION

The use of an external pre-heater and an external power source is recommended whenever possible to reduce wear and abuse to the engine and the electrical system. Pre-heat will thaw the oil trapped in the oil cooler, which probably will be congealed prior to starting in extremely cold temperatures. When using an external power source, the position of the master switch is important. Refer to Section 9, Supplements, for Ground Service Plug Receptacle operating details.

In very cold weather, no oil temperature indication need be apparent before takeoff. After a suitable warm-up period (2 to 5 minutes at 1000 RPM), the engine is ready for takeoff if it accelerates smoothly and the oil pressure is normal and steady.

During let-down, observe engine temperatures closely and carry sufficient power to maintain them in the recommended operating range.

HOT WEATHER OPERATION

The general warm temperature starting information in this section is appropriate. Avoid prolonged engine operation on the ground.

FLIGHT WITH CARGO DOORS REMOVED

When operating with the cargo doors removed, an optional spoiler kit must be installed to minimize strong air flow buffeting within the cabin. In addition, all loose equipment, including head rests, rear window sun shade, removable arm rests, safety belts, etc., should be removed or secured. Fifth and sixth seat passengers will receive a strong air blast, and face protection in the form of goggles or helmet is recommended.

The electric wing flap circuit is interrupted by a push-button switch (mounted on the upper sill of the cargo door opening) when the front cargo door is open or removed. Therefore, to have the use of wing flaps when the

shown in this handbook accompanied by approximately a 4 knot decrease in speed.

The fuel injection system employed on this engine is considered to be non-icing. In the event that unusual conditions cause the intake air filter to become clogged or iced over, an alternate intake air valve opens automatically for the most efficient use of either normal or alternate air, depending on the amount of filter blockage. Due to the lower intake pressure available through the alternate air valve or a partially blocked filter, full throttle manifold pressure can decrease approximately 1.5 in. Hg.

LEANING WITH A CESSNA ECONOMY MIXTURE INDICATOR (EGT)

Exhaust gas temperature (EGT) as shown on the optional Cessna Economy Mixture Indicator may be used as an aid for mixture leaning in cruising flight at 75% power or less. To adjust the mixture, using this indicator, lean to establish the peak EGT as a reference point and then enrich the mixture by a desired increment based on the table below.

Continuous operation at peak EGT is authorized only at 65% power or less. This best economy mixture setting results in approximately 8% greater range than shown in this handbook accompanied by approximately a 4 knot decrease in speed.

NOTE

Operation on the lean side of peak EGT is not approved.

When leaning the mixture, if a distinct peak is not obtained, use the corresponding maximum EGT as a reference point for enriching the mixture to the desired cruise setting. Any change in altitude or power will require a recheck of the EGT indication.

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Figure 4-4. EGT Table
cargo doors are removed, it is necessary to install a switch depressor plate over the door switch button. Two screws secure the plate in position, depressing the switch button. Without this plate, the wing flaps could not be used unless a rear passenger was available to manually depress the door switch button during flap operation.

With the cargo doors removed, flight characteristics are essentially unchanged, except that a slightly different directional trim setting may be needed. With cargo doors removed, do not exceed 130 KIAS.

NOISE ABATEMENT

Increased emphasis on improving the quality of our environment requires renewed effort on the part of all pilots to minimize the effect of airplane noise on the public.

We, as pilots, can demonstrate our concern for environmental improvement, by application of the following suggested procedures, and thereby tend to build public support for aviation:

1. Pilots operating aircraft under VFR over outdoor assemblies of persons, recreational and park areas, and other noise-sensitive areas should make every effort to fly not less than 2000 feet above the surface, weather permitting, even though flight at a lower level may be consistent with the provisions of government regulations.

2. During departure from or approach to an airport, climb after takeoff and descent for landing should be made so as to avoid prolonged flight at low altitude near noise-sensitive areas.

NOTE

The above recommended procedures do not apply where they would conflict with Air Traffic Control clearances or instructions, or where, in the pilot's judgment, an altitude of less than 3000 feet is necessary for him to adequately exercise his duty to see and avoid other aircraft.

The certificated noise level for the Model U206G at 3000 pounds maximum weight is 76.4 dBA. No determination has been made by the Federal Aviation Administration that the noise levels of this airplane are or should be acceptable or unacceptable for operation at, into, or out of any airport.

LANDINGS

Landings should be made on the main wheels first to reduce the landing speed and subsequent need for braking in the landing roll. The nose wheel is lowered to the runway after the speed has diminished to avoid unnecessary nose gear load. This procedure is especially important in rough field landings.

SHORT FIELD LANDING

For short field landings, make a power approach at 84 KIAS with full flaps. After all approach obstacles are cleared, progressively reduce power. Maintain 64 KIAS approach speed by lowering the nose of the airplane. Touchdown should be made with the throttle closed, and on the main wheels first. Immediately after touchdown, lower the nose gear and apply heavy braking as required. For maximum brake effectiveness after all three wheels are on the ground, retract the flaps, hold full nose up elevator and apply maximum possible brake pressure without sliding the tires.

At light operating weights, during ground roll with full flaps, hold the control wheel full back to ensure maximum weight on the main wheels for braking. Under these conditions, full nose down elevator (control wheel full forward) will raise the main wheels off the ground.

CROSSWIND LANDING

When landing in a strong crosswind, use the minimum flap setting required for the field length. Although the crab or combination method of drift correction may be used, the wing-low method gives the best control. After touchdown, hold a straight course with the steerable nose wheel and occasional braking if necessary.

BALANCED LANDING

In a balanced landing (go-around) climb, the wing flap setting should be
INTRODUCTION

Performance data charts on the following pages are presented so that you may know what to expect from the airplane under various conditions, and also, to facilitate the planning of flights in detail and with reasonable accuracy. The data in the charts has been computed from actual flight tests with the airplane and engine in good condition and using average piloting techniques.

It should be noted that the performance information presented in the range and endurance profile charts allows for 45 minutes reserve fuel based on 45% power. Fuel flow data for cruise is based on the recommended lean mixture setting. Some indeterminate variables such as mixture leaned technique, fuel metering characteristics, engine and propeller condition, and air turbulence may account for variations of 10% or more in range and endurance. Therefore, it is important to utilize all available information to estimate the fuel required for the particular flight.

USE OF PERFORMANCE CHARTS

Performance data is presented in tabular or graphical form to illustrate the effect of different variables. Sufficiently detailed information is provided in the tables so that conservative values can be selected and used to determine the particular performance figure with reasonable accuracy.

SAMPLE PROBLEM

The following sample flight problem utilizes information from the various charts to determine the predicted performance data for a typical flight. The following information is known:

AIRPLANE CONFIGURATION
Takeoff weight 3500 Pounds
Usable fuel 88 Gallons

TAKEOFF CONDITIONS
Field pressure altitude 1500 Feet
Temperature 28° C (16° C above standard)
Wind component along runway 12 Knot Headwind
Field length 3500 Feet

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SECTION 5
PERFORMANCE

CRUISE CONDITIONS

Total distance 700 Nautical Miles
Pressure altitude 7500 Feet
Temperature 16°C (19°C above standard)
Expected wind enroute 10 Knot Headwind

LANDING CONDITIONS

Field pressure altitude 2000 Feet
Temperature 25°C
Field length 3000 Feet

TAKEOFF

The takeoff distance chart, figure 5-4, should be consulted, keeping in mind that the distances shown are based on the short field technique. Conservative distances can be established by reading the chart at the next higher value of weight, altitude and temperature. For example, in this particular sample problem, the takeoff distance information presented for a weight of 3000 pounds, pressure altitude of 2000 feet and a temperature of 30°C should be used and results in the following:

Ground roll 1200 Feet
Total distance to clear a 50-foot obstacle 2430 Feet

These distances are well within the available takeoff field length. However, a correction for the effect of wind may be made based on Note 3 of the takeoff chart. The correction for a 12 knot headwind is:

\[ \frac{12 \text{ Knots}}{10 \text{ Knots}} \times 10\% = 12\% \text{ Decrease} \]

This results in the following distances, corrected for wind:

Ground roll, zero wind 1200 Feet
Decrease in ground roll (1200 feet \times 12\%) 144 Feet
Corrected ground roll 1056 Feet
Total distance to clear a 50-foot obstacle, zero wind 2430 Feet
Decrease in total distance (2430 foot \times 12\%) 292 Feet
Corrected total distance to clear a 50-foot obstacle 2138 Feet

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The total estimated fuel required is as follows:

- Engine start, taxi, and takeoff: 2.0
- Climb: 3.9
- Cruise: 56.4
- Total fuel required: 76.3 Gallons

This will leave a fuel reserve of:

- 88.0
- 75.3
- 12.7 Gallons

Once the flight is underway, ground speed checks will provide a more accurate basis for estimating the time enroute and the corresponding fuel required to complete the trip with ample reserve.

**LANDING**

A procedure similar to takeoff should be used for estimating the landing distance at the destination airport. Figure 5-10 presents landing distance information for the short field technique. The distances corresponding to 2000 feet pressure altitude and a temperature of 30°C are as follows:

- Ground roll: 830 Feet
- Total distance to clear a 50-foot obstacle: 1530 Feet

A correction for the effect of wind may be made based on Note 2 of the landing chart using the same procedure as outlined for takeoff.

**DEMONSTRATED OPERATING TEMPERATURE**

Satisfactory engine cooling has been demonstrated for this airplane with an outside air temperature 23°C above standard. This not to be considered as an operating limitation. Reference should be made to Section 2 for engine operating limitations.

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of 3000 pounds requires 3.4 gallons of fuel. The corresponding distance during the climb is 21 nautical miles. These values are for a standard temperature and are sufficiently accurate for most flight planning purposes. However, a further correction for the effect of temperature may be made as noted on the climb chart. The approximate effect of a non-standard temperature is to increase the time, fuel, and distance by 10% for each 10°C above standard temperature, due to the lower rate of climb. In this case, assuming a temperature 16°C above standard, the correction would be:

\[
\frac{16°C}{10°C} 	imes 10\% = 16\% 
\]

With this factor included, the fuel estimate would be calculated as follows:

- Fuel to climb, standard temperature: 3.4 gallons
- Increase due to non-standard temperature: 0.5 gallons (3.4 × 16%)
- Corrected fuel to climb: 3.9 gallons

Using a similar procedure for the distance during climb results in 24 nautical miles.

The resultant cruise distance is:

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{Total distance} & = 700 \\
\text{Climb distance} & = 24 \\
\text{Cruise distance} & = 876 \text{ Nautical Miles}
\end{align*}
\]

With an expected 10 knot headwind, the ground speed for cruise is predicted to be:

\[
\frac{142}{10} = 132 \text{ Knots}
\]

Therefore, the time required for the cruise portion of the trip is:

\[
\frac{876 \text{ Nautical Miles}}{132 \text{ Knots}} = 5.1 \text{ Hours}
\]

The fuel required for cruise is:

\[
5.1 \text{ hours} \times 13.6 \text{ gallons/hour} = 69.4 \text{ Gallons}
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### AIRSPEED CALIBRATION

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### Rate of Climb

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- Flaps Up
- 2700 RPM
- Full Throttle
- Mixture Set at Placard Fuel Flow
- Cowl Flaps Open

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Figure 5-5. Rate of Climb

### Temperature Conversion Chart

**Figure 5-2. Temperature Conversion Chart**
## TIME, FUEL, AND DISTANCE TO CLimb

### MAXIMUM RATE OF CLimb

#### CONDITIONS:
- Flaps Up
- 2700 RPM
- Full Throttle
- Mixture Set at Placed Fuel Flow
- Goat Flaps Open
- Standard Temperature

#### NOTES:
1. Add 2.0 gallons of fuel for engine start, taxi and takeoff allowance.
2. Increase time, fuel and distance by 10% for each 10°F above standard temperature.
3. Distances shown are based on zero wind.

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

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## STALL SPEEDS

#### CONDITIONS:
- Power Off

#### NOTES:
1. Maximum altitude loss during a stall recovery may be as much as 240 feet.
2. KIAS values are approximate.

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Figure 5-3. Stall Speeds

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# Time, Fuel, and Distance to Climb

## Normal Climb - 95 KIAS

**Conditions:**
- Flaps Up
- 2550 RPM
- 25 inches Hg or Full Throttle
- Cowl Flaps Open
- Standard Temperature

**Notes:**
1. Add 2.0 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.

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

**Pressure Altitude 6000 Feet**

**Conditions:**
- 3600 Pounds
- Recommended Lean Mixture
- Cowl Flaps Closed

**Note:**
For best fuel economy at 65% power or less, operate at 1 GPH leaner than shown in this chart or at peak EGT if an EGT indicator is installed.

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**Pressure Altitude 2000 Feet**

**Conditions:**
- 3600 Pounds
- Recommended Lean Mixture
- Cowl Flaps Closed

**Note:**
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### CRUISE PERFORMANCE

**PRESSURE ALTITUDE 8000 FEET**

**CONDITIONS:**
3600 Pounds
Recommended Lean Mixture
Cowl Flaps Closed

**NOTE:**
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### CRUISE PERFORMANCE

**PRESSURE ALTITUDE 4000 FEET**

**CONDITIONS:**
3600 Pounds
Recommended Lean Mixture
Cowl Flaps Closed

**NOTE:**
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RANGE PROFILE
45 MINUTES RESERVE
88 GALLONS USABLE FUEL

CONDITIONS:
3600 Pounds
Recommended Lean Mixture for Cruise
Standard Temperature
Zero Wind

NOTES:
1. 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.
2. Reserve fuel is based on 45 minutes at 45% BHP and is 7.4 gallons.

Figure 5-8. Range Profile

Cruise Performance
PRESSURE ALTITUDE 10,000 FEET

CONDITIONS:
3600 Pounds
Recommended Lean Mixture
Cowl Flaps Closed

NOTE
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ENDURANCE PROFILE
45 MINUTES RESERVE
88 GALLONS USABLE FUEL

CONDITIONS:
3600 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 7.4 gallons.

CRUISE PERFORMANCE
PRESSURE ALTITUDE 12,000 FEET

CONDITIONS:
3600 Pounds
Recommended Lean Mixture
Cowl Flaps Closed

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1. **Preparation:**
   a. Inflate tires to recommended operating pressures.
   b. Remove the fuel tank sump quick-drain fittings and reservoir tank quick-drain fittings to drain all fuel.
   c. Remove oil sump drain plug to drain all oil.
   d. Move sliding seat to the most forward position.
   e. Raise flaps to the fully retracted position.
   f. Place all control surfaces in neutral position.

2. **Leveling:**
   a. Place scales under each wheel (minimum scale capacity, 1000 pounds).
   b. Deflate nose tire and/or lower or raise the nose strut to properly center the bubble in the level (see figure 6-1).

3. **Weighing:**
   a. With the airplane level and brakes released, record the weight shown on each scale. Deduct the tare, if any, from each reading.

4. **Measuring:**
   a. Obtain measurement A by measuring horizontally (along the airplane center line) from a line stretched between the main wheel centers to a plumb bob dropped from the firewall.
   b. Obtain measurement B by measuring horizontally and parallel to the airplane center line, from center of nose wheel axle, left side, to a plumb bob dropped from the line between the main wheel centers. Repeat on right side and average the measurements.

5. **Using weights from item 3 and measurements from item 4, the airplane weight and C.G. can be determined.

6. **Basic Empty Weight** may be determined by completing figure 6-1.
WEIGHT AND BALANCE

The following information will enable you to operate your Cessna within the prescribed weight and center of gravity limitations. To figure weight and balance, use the Sample Problem, Loading Graph, and Center of Gravity Moment Envelope as follows:

Take the basic empty weight and moment from appropriate weight and balance records carried in your airplane, and enter them in the column titled YOUR AIRPLANE on the Sample Loading Problem.

NOTE

In addition to the basic empty weight and moment noted on these records, the C.G. arm (fuselage station) is also shown, but need not be used on the Sample Loading Problem. The moment which is shown must be divided by 1000 and this value used as the moment/1000 on the loading problem.

Use the Loading Graph to determine the moment/1000 for each additional item to be carried; then list these on the loading problem.

NOTE

Loading Graph information for the pilot, passengers and baggage or cargo is based on seats positioned for average occupants and baggage or cargo loaded in the center of these areas as shown on the Loading Arrangements diagram. For loadings which may differ from these, the Sample Loading Problem lists fuselage stations for these items to indicate their forward and aft C.G. range limitation (seat travel or baggage/cargo area limitation. Additional moment calculations, based on the actual weight and C.G. arm of the item being loaded, must be made if the position of the load is different from that shown on the Loading Graph.

When a cargo pack is installed, it is necessary to determine the C.G. arm and calculate the moment/1000 of items carried in the pack. The arm for any location in the pack can be determined from the diagram on figure 6-5. Multiply the weight of the item by the C.G. arm, then divide by 1000 to get the moment/1000. The maximum loading capacity of the pack is 300 pounds.

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<td>W</td>
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\[
X \cdot \text{ARM} = \left( \frac{(A) \times (B)}{W} \right) \times \left( \frac{1}{1000} \right) \times \left( \frac{1}{\text{IN}} \right)
\]

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Figure 6-1. Sample Airplane Weighing
Since your Cessna is capable of carrying large amounts of cargo, it will be necessary to properly secure this load before flight. A tie-down kit is available from any Cessna Dealer for airplanes with normal seating and airplanes with club seating. Provided in each kit are 12 tie-down blocks that fasten to the seat rails and three “D” rings on the floor at fuselage station 124. On airplanes equipped with club seating, eight of the tie-down blocks are designed for use on the larger seat rails used with the aft facing seats. Care must be taken to ensure that the proper sized tie-down blocks are used. If more tie-down points are needed, the seat belt attaching points, as well as shoulder harness attaching points, may be used. Rope, strap, or cable used for tie-down should be rated at a minimum of ten times the load weight capacity of the tie-down fittings used.

The following table shows the maximum allowable cargo weight for each type of attachment:

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<td>Shoulder Strap</td>
<td>Cabin Top</td>
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*Rated load per attachment (Cargo Item Wt. + No. Tie-Downs). A sufficient number of attachments to restrain the cargo from shifting should be used in addition to load requirements.

*Example:

A 400 lb. load would require a minimum of four (4) tie-downs rated at 100 lb. each.

MUST BE TIGHTENED TO A MINIMUM OF 30 INCH POUNDS.

SEAT RAIL TIE-DOWN ASSEMBLY (TWO SIZES REQUIRED FOR CLUB SEATING)

Figure 6-4. Cargo Loading

NOTE

Each loading should be figured in accordance with the above paragraphs. When the loading is light (such as pilot and copilot, and no rear seats or cargo), be sure to check the forward balance limits. When loading is heavy (near gross weight), be sure to check the aft balance limits.

To avoid time consuming delays in cargo and/or passenger shifting, plan your load so that the heaviest cargo and/or passengers are in the forward part of the airplane or cargo pack, and the lightest in the rear. Always plan to have any vacant space at the rear of the airplane or pack. For example, do not have passengers occupy the aft seat unless the front and center seats are to be occupied.

Total the weights and moments/1000 and plot these values on the Center of Gravity Moment Envelope to determine whether the point falls within the envelope, and if the loading is acceptable.
Figure 6-5. Cargo Pack
**SAMPLE LOADING PROBLEM**

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<td>2. Usable Fuel (At 6 Lbs./Gal.)</td>
<td>528</td>
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10. Locate this point (3600 at 176.5) on the Center of Gravity Moment Envelope, and since this point falls within the envelope, the loading is acceptable.

*Maximum allowable cargo loads will be determined by the type and number of tie-downs used, as well as by the airplane weight and C.G. limitations. Floor loading must not exceed 200 lbs. per square foot.*

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**Figure 6-7. Sample Loading Problem**

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**Figure 6-9. Center of Gravity Moment Envelope**
EQUIPMENT LIST

The following equipment list is a comprehensive list of all Cessna equipment available for this airplane. A separate equipment list of items installed in your specific airplane is provided in your aircraft file. The following list is the specific list for your airplane and has a similar order of listing.

This equipment list provides the following information:

An item number gives the identification number for the item. Each number is prefixed with a letter which identifies the descriptive grouping (example: A, Powerplant & Accessories) under which it is listed. Suffix letters identify the equipment as a required item, a standard item or an optional item. Suffix letters are as follows:
- R = required items of equipment for FAA certification
- S = standard equipment items
- O = optional equipment items replacing required or standard items
- A = optional equipment items which are in addition to required or standard items

A reference drawing column provides the drawing number for the item.

NOTE

If additional equipment is to be installed, it must be done in accordance with the reference drawing, accessory kit instructions, or a separate FAA approval.

Columns showing weight (in pounds) and arm (in inches) provide the weight and center of gravity location for the equipment.

NOTE

Unless otherwise indicated, true values (not net change values) for the weight and arm are shown. Positive arms are distances aft of the airplane datum; negative arms are distances forward of the datum.

NOTE

Asterisks (*) after the item weight and arm indicate complete assembly installations. Some major components of the assembly are listed on the lines immediately following. The summation of these major components does not necessarily equal the complete assembly installation.

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**NOTE:**
- WT LBS: Weight in pounds
- WEIGHTS: Total weight of all tanks
- SAFETY BELTS: Belts for passengers
- CABIN ACCOMMODATIONS: Interior furnishings
- SEATS: Seats for passengers
- ENSIGN: National emblem
- OUTDOOR LIGHTS: Exterior lighting
- TANKS: Fuel tanks

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ELEVATOR CONTROL SYSTEM

INDUCTION

The ELEVATOR CONTROL SYSTEM provides description and operation of the airplane and its systems. The equipment described herein is optional and may not be on the airplane. Refer to Section 9, Supplements, for details of other systems and equipment.

AIME

The airplane is an all-metal, six-place, high-wing, single-engine aircraft equipped with tricycle landing gear and designed for general purposes.

The fuselage is a conventional formed sheet metal monocoque, and skin design referred to as semimonocoque. Major structural elements are the front and rear carry-through spars. To these are attached bulkheads and fittings for main landing gear and the floorboard aft of the pilot and front passenger seats.

The wing structure is attached to the fuselage with attaching plates at its base strut-to-fuselage attachment of the wing struts. Structural elements are also incorporated on this airplane.

Externally braced wings, containing integral fuel tanks, are composed of a front and rear spar with formed sheet metal ribs. The entire structure is covered with aluminum skin. The ends are equipped with wing-to-fuselage and wing-to-strut attach fittings for the trailing edge of the wings. The ailerons are constructed of cloth and flat spar, formed sheet metal ribs, and the skin joined together at the trailing edge, and a formed leading edge stabilizing balance weights. The flaps are constructed basically the same as the ailerons, with the exception of the balance weights and the addition of a trailing edge stiffener.

The rudder (tail assembly) consists of a conventional vertical stabilizer, rudder, horizontal stabilizer, and elevator. The vertical stabilizers of a forward and aft spar, formed sheet metal ribs and rudder, four skin panels, formed leading edge skins, and a dorsal fin is constructed of a forward and aft spar, formed sheet metal ribs, and a wrap-around skin panel. The top of the rudder is a leading edge extension which contains a balance weight. The horizontal stabilizer is constructed of a forward and aft spar, ribs and skin, center upper skin panel, and two left and two right wrap-around skins which also form the leading edges. The horizontal stabilizer...

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GROUND CONTROL

Effective ground control while taxiing is accomplished through nose wheel steering by using the rudder pedals. Left rudder pedal parallels and right rudder pedal deflection provides d e f l e c t ion. The nose wheel is connected in the nose gear strut to a control yoke, which also serve as control yokes to which these levers are notated.

For details concerning the instruments, switches, circuit breakers, and control knob may also be installed beneath the switch and control panel.

Mowing the airplane by means of the rudder pedals is not available on all airplanes. Do not use the vertical or horizontal tail surfaces to move the airplane. If the airplane is to be towed or structural damage may result.

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also contains the elevator trim tab actuator. Construction of the elevator consists of a forward and aft spar, ribs, torque tube and bellcrank, left upper and lower skin panels, a formed one-piece left trailing edge, right upper and lower skin panels, and right inboard and outboard formed trailing edges. The elevator trim tab consists of a bracket assembly, hinge half, and a wrap-around skin panel. Both elevator tip leading edge extensions incorporate balance weights.

**FLIGHT CONTROLS**

The airplane's flight control system (see figure 7-1) consists of conventional aileron, elevator and rudder control surfaces. The control surfaces are manually operated through mechanical linkage using a control wheel for the ailerons and elevator, and rudder/braeke pedals for the rudder. The elevator control system is equipped with downsprings which provide improved stability in flight.

Extensions are available for the rudder/braeke pedals. They consist of a rudder pedal face, two spacers and two spring clips. To install an extension, place the clip on the bottom of the extension under the bottom of the rudder pedal and snap the top clip over the top of the rudder pedal. Check that the extension is firmly in place. To remove the extensions, reverse the above procedures.

**TRIM SYSTEMS**

Manually-operated rudder and elevator trim is provided (see figure 7-1). Rudder trimming is accomplished through a bungee connected to the rudder control system and a trim control wheel mounted on the control pedestal. Rudder trimming is accomplished by rotating the horizontally mounted trim control wheel either left or right to the desired trim position. Rotating the trim wheel to the right will trim nose-right; conversely, rotating it to the left will trim nose-left. Elevator trimming is accomplished through the elevator trim tab by utilizing the vertically mounted trim control wheel. Forward rotation of the trim wheel will trim nose-down; conversely, aft rotation will trim nose-up. The airplane may also be equipped with an electric elevator trim system. For details concerning this system, refer to Section 9, Supplements.

**INSTRUMENT PANEL**

The instrument panel (see figure 7-2) is designed around the basic "T" configuration. The gyros are located immediately in front of the pilot, and
Shock absorption is provided by the flat leaf spring-steel main landing gear struts and the air/oil nose gear shock strut. Each main gear wheel is equipped with a hydraulically actuated disc-type brake on the inboard side of each wheel. When wheel fairings are installed, an aerodynamic fairing covers each brake.

**BAGGAGE COMPARTMENT**

The baggage compartment consists of the area from the back of the rear passenger seats to the aft cabin bulkhead. Access to the baggage compartment is gained through the cargo doors on the right side of the airplane, or from within the airplane cabin. A baggage net with six tie-down straps is provided for securing baggage and is attached by tying the straps to tie-down rings provided in the airplane. When utilizing the airplane as a cargo carrier, refer to Section 9 for complete cargo loading details. When loading the airplane, children should not be placed or permitted in the baggage compartment, and any material that might be hazardous to the airplane or occupants should not be placed anywhere in the airplane. For baggage/cargo area and door dimensions, refer to Section 9.

**SEATS**

The airplane may be equipped with either the conventional or club style six seat arrangement. Conventional seating consists of six separate four-way adjustable seats, and the club style seating utilizes four forward facing four-way adjustable seats and two aft facing two-way adjustable seats. The pilot’s and front passenger’s seats are also available in a six-way adjustable configuration.

A club style seating arrangement featuring two aft facing two-way adjustable seats in the center passenger seat positions may be installed in the airplane. Details of this installation are presented in Section 9, Supplements.

The four-way seats, used with the conventional and club style seating arrangements, may be moved forward and aft, and the seat back angle changed. Position the seat by lifting up on the tubular handle under the center of the seat bottom of the pilot and front passenger’s seats, the handle under the left front corner of the center passenger’s seats, or the lever on the front outboard corner of the rear passenger’s seats and slide the seat.
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belt to a snug fit. To release the seat belts, grasp the top of the buckle opposite the link and pull upward.

SHOULDER HARNESS

Each front seat shoulder harness is attached above the aft edge of the front side window and is stowed behind a stowage sheet mounted above the side window. To stow the harness, fold it and place it behind the sheath. If the center and rear seats are equipped with shoulder harnesses, the center seat harnesses are attached above the window line aft of the seats and the rear seat harnesses are attached below the rear window. Center seat harnesses are stowed behind wire retaining clips above the window line, and rear seat harnesses are stowed behind clips located aft of the rear seats below the window line.

To use the shoulder harness, fasten and adjust the seat belt first. Lengthen the harness as required by pulling on the connecting link on the end of the harness and the narrow release strap. Snap the connecting link firmly onto the retaining stud on the seat belt link half. Then adjust to length. A properly adjusted harness will permit the occupant to lean forward enough to sit completely erect, but prevent excessive forward movement and contact with objects during sudden deceleration. Also, the pilot will want the freedom to reach all controls easily.

Removing the shoulder harness is accomplished by pulling upward on the narrow release strap, and removing the harness connecting link from the stud on the seat belt link. In an emergency, the shoulder harness may be removed by releasing the seat belt first and allowing the harness, still attached to the link half of the seat belt, to drop to the side of the seat.

INTEGRATED SEAT BELT/SHOULDER HARNESS WITH INERTIA REELS

Integrated seat belt/shoulder harnesses with inertia reels are available for the pilot and front seat passenger. The seat belt/shoulder harnesses extend from inertia reels located in the cabin top structure, through slots in the overhead console marked PILOT and COPILOT, to attach points inboard of the two front seats. A separate seat belt half and buckle is located outboard of the seats. Inertia reels allow complete freedom of body movement. However, in the event of a sudden deceleration, they will lock automatically to protect the occupants.

To use the seat belt/shoulder harness, position the adjustable metal link on the harness just below shoulder level, pull the link and harness downward, and insert the link in the seat belt buckle. Adjust belt tension across the lap by pulling upward on the shoulder harness. Removal is accomplished by releasing the seat belt buckle, which will allow the

into position; then release the handle and check that the seat is locked in place. The seat back angle may be adjusted by lifting the lever under the left front corner of the pilot and front passenger's seats, the aft inboard corner of the center passenger's seats or the front inboard corner of the rear passenger's seats. The seat back will also fold full forward.

The six-way adjustable pilot's seat may be moved forward or aft, adjusted for height, and the seat back angle is infinitely adjustable. Position the seat by lifting the tubular handle, under the center of the seat bottom, and slide the seat into position; then release the handle and check that the seat is locked in place. Raise or lower the seat by rotating a large crank under the right corner of the seat. Seat back angle is adjustable by rotating a small crank under the left corner of the seat. The seat back angle will change as the seat back angle changes, providing proper support. The seat back will also fold full forward. If the front passenger's seat is six-way adjustable, it will function the same as the pilot's seat except the height adjusting and back reclining cranks will be opposite the respective adjustment cranks of the pilot's seat.

Headrests are available for the four-way and six-way seat configurations only. To adjust the headrest, apply enough pressure to it to raise or lower it to the desired level. The headrest may be removed at any time by raising it until it disengages from the top of the seat back.

SEAT BELTS AND SHOULDER HARNESS

All seat positions are equipped with seat belts (see figure 7-4). The pilot's and front passenger's seats are also equipped with separate shoulder harnesses; separate shoulder harnesses are available for the remaining seat positions. If club seating is installed, no shoulder harness is available for the aft facing seats. Integrated seat belt/shoulder harnesses with inertia reels can be furnished for the pilot's and front passenger's seat positions if desired.

SEAT BELTS

The seat belts for all seat positions are attached to fittings on the floorboard. However, if club seating is installed, the seat belts for the aft facing seats are attached to the seat frames. The buckle half is inboard of each seat and the link half is outboard of each seat.

To use the seat belts, position the seat as desired, then lengthen the link half of the belt as needed by grasping the sides of the link and pulling against the belt. Insert and lock the belt link into the buckle. Tighten the
NOTE

Since the key-operated outside lock engages the door handle only, the forward cargo door cannot be secured for flight using only the key lock.

The left entry door is equipped with an openable window which is held in the closed position by a detent equipped latch on the lower edge of the window frame. To open the window, rotate the latch upward. The window utilizes a spring-loaded retaining arm which will help rotate the window outward and hold it there. An openable window is also available for the right front passenger's seat position, and functions in the same manner as

inertia reel to pull the harness inboard of the seat.

ENTRANCE DOORS AND CABIN WINDOWS

Entry to, and exit from the airplane is accomplished through an entry door on the left side of the cabin at the pilot's seat position and through double cargo doors on the right side of the cabin at the center and rear seat passenger's positions (refer to Section 8 for cabin and cabin door dimensions). The left entry door incorporates a recessed exterior door handle, a conventional interior door handle, a key-operated door lock, a door stop mechanism, and an openable window. The forward cargo door is equipped with a recessed exterior door handle, conventional interior door handle, a key-operated door lock, and a door stop mechanism. The left door utilizes a locking pawl on the top and bottom of the door near the forward edge, a red handle on the forward edge of the door, and a door stop mechanism.

To open the left entry door from outside the airplane, utilize the recessed door handle near the aft edge of the door. Depress the forward end of the handle to rotate it out of its recess, and then pull outboard. To open or close the door from inside the airplane, use the conventional door handle, and arm rest. The inside door handle is a three-position handle having a placard at its base with the positions OPEN, CLOSE, and LOCK shown on it. The handle is spring-loaded to the CLOSE (up) position. When the door has been pulled shut and latched, lock it by rotating the door handle forward to the LOCK position (flush with the arm rest). When the handle is rotated to the LOCK position, an over-center action will hold it in that position. The door should be locked prior to flight, and should not be opened intentionally during flight.

NOTE

Accidental opening of the cabin door in flight due to improper closing does not constitute a need to land the airplane. The best procedure is to set up the airplane in a trimmed condition at approximately 90 knots, momentarily shove the door outward slightly, and forcefully close and lock the door. If the forward cargo door should come unlatched and open slightly in flight, it is suggested that a landing be made at a suitable airport to close and latch the door, unless a passenger is available to close it. It cannot be reached by the pilot. It should be remembered that the wing flaps will not operate with the cargo door open, even very slightly, and the landing should be planned accordingly.
The double cargo doors are opened from outside the airplane by utilizing the recessed door handle near the aft edge of the forward door. Depress the forward end of the handle to rotate it out of its recess, and then pull outboard. After the forward door is opened, the aft door may be opened by grasping the red handle on the forward edge of the door and pulling downward to release the locking pawls. To close the cargo doors from inside the airplane, close the aft door first, with enough force to latch both locking pawls, and then close the forward door. When the forward door is closed and latched, rotate the door handle, labeled OPEN, CLOSE, and LOCK, to the locked position. Both doors must be securely closed and the forward door locked prior to flight, and they must not be opened intentionally during flight.

NOTE

A flap interrupt switch, on the upper sill of the forward cargo door opening, will stop flap operation regardless of flap position any time the forward cargo door is unlatched. The switch is intended to prevent lowering the flaps into the cargo door when it is open.

Flight operations with the cargo doors removed are not approved, unless a depressor plate is installed over the wing flap interrupt switch and a spoiler is installed on the forward edge of the cargo door opening. With the cargo doors removed and the above items installed, flight is restricted to 130 knots.

If necessary, the outside door handle can be used to lock the forward cargo door. Simply lift the handle out of its recess and grasp the vertical tab of the connecting link behind the handle. Pull the tab outboard until the connecting link engages a detent at its aft end. Push the handle back into its recess while observing the inside handle rotating toward the locked position through the cargo door window. The inside handle will not rotate fully forward.

CAUTION

If the cargo door is closed from the outside with passengers occupying the middle or rear seat rows, the inside door handle must be rotated fully forward to disengage the outside closing mechanism and allow the door to be opened from the inside.

The loft entry door and the forward cargo door have key-operated locks which may be used to secure the aircraft during parking.
metered to the engine. The normal operating range (green arc) is from 7 to 17 gallons per hour, the minimum (red line) is 3.5 PSI, and the maximum (red line) is 23.2 gallons per hour (19.5 PSI).

An economy mixture (EGT) indicator is available for the airplane and is located on the extreme right side of the instrument panel. A thermocouple probe in the right exhaust collector measures exhaust gas temperature and transmits it to the indicator. This indicator serves as a visual aid to the pilot in adjusting cruise mixture. Exhaust gas temperature varies with fuel-to-air ratio, power, and RPM. However, the difference between the peak EGT and the EGT at the cruise mixture setting is essentially constant and this provides a useful leaning aid. The indicator is equipped with a manually positioned reference pointer.

NEW ENGINE BREAK-IN AND OPERATION

The engine underwent a run-in at the factory and is ready for the full range of use. It is, however, suggested that cruising be accomplished at 65% to 76% power until a total of 50 hours has accumulated or oil consumption has stabilized. This will ensure proper seating of the rings.

The airplane is delivered from the factory with corrosion preventive oil in the engine. If, during the first 25 hours, oil must be added, use only aviation grade straight mineral oil conforming to Specification No. MIL-L-6892.

ENGINE OIL SYSTEM

Oil for engine lubrication and propeller governor operation is supplied from a sump on the bottom of the engine. The capacity of the engine sump is 12 quarts (one additional quart is contained in the engine oil filter, if installed). Oil is drawn from the sump through a filter screen on the end of a pickup tube to the engine-driven oil pump. Oil from the pump passes through a pressure screen (full flow oil filter, if installed), a pressure relief valve at the rear of the right oil gallery, and a thermostatically controlled oil cooler. Oil from the cooler is then circulated to the left gallery and propeller governor. The engine parts are then lubricated by oil from the galleries. After lubricating the engine, the oil returns to the sump by gravity. If a full flow oil filter is installed, the filter adapter is equipped with a bypass valve which will cause lubricating oil to bypass the filter in the event the filter becomes plugged, or the oil temperature is extremely cold.

An oil dipstick is located at the rear of the engine on the left side, and an oil filler tube is on top of the crankcase near the front of the engine. The dipstick and oil filler are accessible through doors on the engine cowling. The engine should not be operated on less than 3 quarts of oil. To minimize

the window in the entry door. If required, either window may be opened at any speed up to 183 KIAS. All other cabin windows are of the fixed type and cannot be opened.

CONTROL LOCKS

A control lock is provided to lock the aileron and elevator control surfaces to prevent damage to these systems by wind buffeting while the airplane is parked. The lock consists of a shaped steel rod with a red metal flag attached to it. The flag is labeled CONTROL LOCK. REMOVE BEFORE STARTING ENGINE. To install the control lock, align the hole in the top of the pilot's control wheel shaft with the hole in the top of the shaft collar on the instrument panel, and insert the rod into the aligned holes. Installation of the lock will secure the ailerons in a neutral position and the elevators in a slightly trailing edge down position. Proper installation of the lock will place the red flag over the ignition switch. In areas where high or gusty winds occur, a control surface lock should be installed over the vertical stabilizer and rudder. The control lock and any other type of locking device should be removed prior to starting the engine.

ENGINE

The airplane is powered by a horizontally opposed, six-cylinder, overhead-valve, air-cooled, fuel injection engine with a wet sump oil system. The engine is a Continental IO-520-F and is rated at 300 horsepower at 2850 RPM for five minutes and 283 horsepower at 2700 RPM continuous. Major accessories include a propeller governor on the front of the engine and dual magneto, starter, and belt-driven alternator on the rear of the engine. Provisions are also made for a vacuum pump and a full flow oil filter.

ENGINE CONTROLS

Engine manifold pressure is controlled by a throttle located on the lower center portion of the instrument panel. The throttle operates in a conventional manner; in the full forward position, the throttle is open, and in the full aft position, it is closed. A friction lock, which is a round knurled disk, is located at the base of the throttle and is operated by rotating the lock clockwise to increase friction or counterclockwise to decrease it.

The mixture control, mounted above the right corner of the control pedestal, is a red knob with raised points around the circumference and is equipped with a lock button in the end of the knob. The rich position is full forward, and full aft is the idle cut-off position. For small adjustments, the control may be moved forward by rotating the knob clockwise, and aft by
IGNITION-STARTER SYSTEM

Engine ignition is provided by two engine-driven magnets and two spark plugs in each cylinder. The right magneto fires the lower left and upper right spark plugs, and the left magneto fires the lower right and upper left spark plug. Normal operation is conducted with both magnetos due to the more complete burning of the fuel-air mixture with dual ignition.

Ignition and starter operation is controlled by a rotary type switch located on the left switch and control panel. The switch is labeled clockwise, OFF, R, L, BOTH, and START. The engine should be operated on both magnetos (BOTH position) except for magneto checks. The R and L positions are for checking purposes and emergency use only. When the switch is rotated to the spring-loaded START position, the starter contactor is energized and the starter will crank the engine. When the switch is released, it will automatically return to the BOTH position.

AIR INDUCTION SYSTEM

The engine air induction system receives ram air through the left intake in the front of the engine cowling. Air of the engine cylinders is an air filter which removes dust and other foreign matter from the induction air. Airflow passing through the filter enters an airbox at the rear of the engine. The airbox has a spring-loaded alternate air door. If the air induction filter should become blocked, suction created by the engine will open the door and draw unfiltered air from inside the upper cowling area. An open alternate air door will result in an approximate 10% power loss at full power.

ENGINE INSTRUMENTS

Engine operation is monitored by the following instruments: oil pressure gage, oil temperature gage, cylinder head temperature gage, tachometer, and manifold pressure/fuel flow indicator. An economy mixture (EGT) indicator is also available.

The oil pressure gage, located on the upper right side of the instrument panel, is operated by oil pressure. A direct pressure oil line from the engine delivers oil at engine operating pressure to the oil pressure gage. Gage markings indicate that minimum operating pressure is 10 PSI (red line), the normal operating range is 30 to 60 PSI (green arc), and maximum pressure is 100 PSI (red line).

Oil temperature is indicated by a gage adjacent to the oil pressure gage. The gage is a Bourdon-type instrument connected by a capillary tube to a temperature bulb in the engine. Oil temperature limitations are the normal operating range (green arc) which is 190°F (88°C) to 240°F (116°C), and the maximum (red line) which is 240°F (116°C).

The cylinder head temperature gage, under the left fuel quantity indicator, is operated by an electrical-resistance type temperature sensor on the engine which receives power from the airplane electrical system. Temperature limitations are the normal operating range (green arc) which is 200°F (93°C) to 460°F (238°C) and the maximum (red line) which is 450°F (232°C).

The engine-driven mechanical tachometer is located on the lower right side of the instrument panel. The instrument is calibrated in increments of 100 RPM and indicates both engine and propeller speed. An hour meter below the counter of the tachometer dial records elapsed engine time in hours and tenths. Instrument markings include a normal operating range (green arc) of 2200 to 2350 RPM, a five minute maximum power range (yellow arc) of 2700 to 2350 RPM, and a maximum (red line) of 2850 RPM.

The manifold pressure gage is the left half of a dual-indicating instrument mounted above the tachometer. The gage is direct reading and indicates induction air manifold pressure in inches of mercury. It has a normal operating range (green arc) of 15 to 35 inches of mercury.

The fuel flow indicator is the right half of a dual-indicating instrument mounted above the tachometer. The indicator is a fuel pressure gage calibrated to indicate the approximate gallons per hour of fuel being
throttle. After passing through the airbox, induction air enters a fuel/air control unit behind the engine, and is then ducted to the engine cylinders through intake manifold tubes.

**EXHAUST SYSTEM**

Exhaust gas from each cylinder passes through riser assemblies to a collector and muffler on each side of the engine. The left muffler is constructed with a shroud around the outside which forms a heating chamber for cabin heater air.

**FUEL INJECTION SYSTEM**

The engine is equipped with a fuel injection system. The system is comprised of an engine-driven fuel pump, fuel/air control unit, fuel manifold, fuel flow indicator, and air-bled type injector nozzles.

Fuel is delivered by the engine-driven fuel pump to the fuel/air control unit behind the engine. The fuel/air control unit correctly proportions the fuel flow to the induction air flow. After passing through the control unit, induction air is delivered to the cylinders through intake manifold tubes, and metered fuel is delivered to a fuel manifold. The fuel manifold, through spring tension on a diaphragm and valve, evenly distributes the fuel to an air-bled type injector nozzle in the intake valve chamber of each cylinder. A pressure line is also attached to the fuel manifold, and is connected to a fuel flow indicator on the instrument panel.

**COOLING SYSTEM**

Ram air for engine cooling enters through two intake openings in the front of the engine cowling. The cooling air is directed around the cylinders and other areas of the engine by baffling, and is then exhausted through cowling flaps on the lower aft edge of the cowling. The cowling flaps are mechanically operated from the cabin by means of a cowl flap lever on the right side of the control pedestal. The pedestal is labeled COWL FLAP OPEN, CLOSED. During takeoff and high power operation, the cowl flap lever should be pulled to the OPEN position for maximum cooling. This is accomplished by moving the lever to the right to clear a detent, then moving the lever up to the OPEN position. Anytime the lever is repositioned, it must first be moved to the right. While in cruise flight, cowl flaps should be adjusted to keep the cylinder head temperature at approximately two-thirds of the normal operating range (green arc). During extended let-downs, it may be necessary to completely close the cowl flaps by pushing the cowl flap lever down to the CLOSED position.

A winterization kit is available for the airplane. Details of this kit are presented in Section 9, Supplements.
Figure 7-6. Fuel Quantity Data

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Fuel cannot be used from both fuel tanks simultaneously.

Fuel system venting is essential to system operation. Complete blockage of the venting system will result in decreasing fuel flow and eventual engine stoppage. Venting is accomplished by check valve equipped vent lines, one from each fuel tank, which protrude from the bottom surface of each wing at the wing strut attach point. The fuel filler caps are equipped with vacuum operated vents which open, allowing air into the tanks, should the fuel tank vent lines become blocked.

Fuel quantity is measured by two float-type fuel quantity transmitters (one in each tank) and indicated by two electrically-operated fuel quantity indicators on the right side of the instrument panel. The fuel quantity indicators are calibrated in gallons (lower scale) and pounds (upper scale). An empty tank is indicated by a red line and the letter E. When an indicator shows an empty tank, approximately 2.0 gallons remain in the tank as unusable fuel. The indicators cannot be relied upon for accurate readings during skids, slips, or unusual attitudes. If both indicator pointers should rapidly move to a zero reading, check the cylinder head temperature and oil temperature gages for operation. If these gages are not indicating, an electrical malfunction has occurred.

The airplane may be serviced to a reduced capacity to permit heavier cabin loadings. This is accomplished by filling each tank to the bottom edge of the fuel filler collar, thus giving a reduced fuel load of 32.0 gallons in each tank (30.0 gallons usable in all flight conditions).

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FUEL SYSTEM

The airplane model fuel system (see Figure 7-5) consists of two vented integral fuel tanks (one in each wing), two fuel reservoir tanks, a fuel tank selector valve, auxiliary fuel pump, fuel strainer, engine-driven fuel pump, fuel/injector control unit, fuel manifold, and fuel injector nozzles.

NOTE
Unusable fuel is at a minimum due to the design of the fuel system. However, with 1/4 tank or less, prolonged uncoordinated flight such as slips or skids can uncover the fuel tank outlets, causing fuel starvation and engine stoppage. Therefore, with low fuel reserves, do not allow the airplane to remain in uncoordinated flight for periods in excess of one minute.

Fuel flows by gravity from the two wing tanks to two reservoir tanks, and from the reservoir tanks to a three-position selector valve labeled LEFT ON, RIGHT ON, and OFF. With the selector valve in the LEFT ON or RIGHT ON position, fuel from the left or right tank flows through a bypass in the auxiliary fuel pump (when it is in operation), and through a strainer to an engine-driven fuel pump. The engine-driven fuel pump delivers the fuel to the fuel/injector control unit where it is metered and directed...
ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

The airplane is equipped with a 28-volt, direct-current electrical system (see figure 7-7). The system uses a battery, located on the upper left forward portion of the firewall, as the source of electrical energy and an engine-driven, 60-amp alternator to maintain the battery's state of charge. Power is supplied to most general electrical and avionics circuits through the primary bus bar and the avionics bus bar, which are interconnected by an avionics power switch. The primary bus is on anytime the master switch is turned on, and is not affected by starter or external power usage. Both bus bars are on anytime the master and avionics power switches are turned on.

CAUTION

Prior to turning the master switch on or off, starting the engine, or applying an external power source, the avionics-power switch, labeled AVIONICS POWER, should be turned off to prevent any harmful transient voltage from damaging the avionics equipment.

MASTER SWITCH

The master switch is a split-rocker type switch labeled MASTER, and is ON in the up position and off in the down position. The right half of the switch, labeled BAT, controls all electrical power to the airplane. The left half, labeled ALT, controls the alternator.

Normally, both sides of the master switch should be used simultaneously; however, the BAT side of the switch could be turned ON separately to check equipment while on the ground. To check or use avionics equipment or radios while on the ground, the avionics power switch must be turned on. The ALT side of the switch, when placed in the off position, removes the alternator from the electrical system. With this switch in the off position, the entire electrical load is placed on the battery. Continued operation with the alternator switch in the off position will reduce battery life.

NOTE

If the engine-driven fuel pump is functioning and the auxiliary fuel pump switch is placed in the ON position, an excessively rich fuel-air ratio is produced unless the mixture is leaned. Therefore, this switch should be turned off during takeoff.

NOTE

If the auxiliary fuel pump switch is accidentally placed in the ON position with the master switch on and the engine stopped, the intake manifolds will be flooded.

The red left half of the switch is labeled EMERG, and its upper HI position is used in the event of an engine-driven fuel pump failure during takeoff or high power operation. The HI position may also be used for extreme vapor purging. Maximum fuel flow is produced when the left half of the switch is held in the spring-loaded HI position. In this position, an interlock within the switch automatically trips the right half of the switch to the ON position. When the spring-loaded left half of the switch is released, the right half will remain in the ON position until manually returned to the off position.

If it is desired to completely exhaust a fuel tank quantity in flight, the auxiliary fuel pump will be needed to assist in restarting the engine when fuel exhaustion occurs. Therefore, it is recommended that proper operation of the auxiliary fuel pump be verified prior to running a fuel tank dry by turning the auxiliary fuel pump ON momentarily and checking for a slight rise in fuel flow indication.

To ensure a prompt engine restart in flight after running a fuel tank dry, immediately switch to the tank containing fuel at the first indication of
fuel pressure fluctuation and/or power loss. Then place the right half of the auxiliary fuel pump switch in the ON position momentarily (3 to 5
seconds) with the throttle at least 1/2 open. Excessive use of the ON
position at high altitude and full rich mixture can cause flooding of the
engine as indicated by a short (1 to 2 seconds) period of power followed by a
loss of power. This can later be detected by a fuel flow indication
accompanied by a lack of power. If flooding does occur, turn off the
auxiliary fuel pump switch, and normal propeller windmilling should
start the engine in 1 to 2 seconds.

If the propeller should stop (possible at very low airspeeds) before
the tank containing fuel is selected, place the auxiliary fuel pump switch in
the ON position and advance the throttle promptly until the fuel flow indicator
registers approximately 1/2 way into the green arc for 1 to 2 seconds
duration. Then retard the throttle, turn off the auxiliary fuel pump, and use
the starter to turn the engine over until a start is obtained.

The fuel system is equipped with drain valves to provide a means for
the examination of fuel in the system for contamination and grade. The
system should be examined before the first flight of every day and after
each refueling. By using the fuel sample cup provided to drain fuel from the
wing tank sumps, and by utilizing the fuel strainer drain under an access
panel on the left side of the engine cowling. Quick-drain valves are also
provided for the fuel reservoir tanks. The valves are located under plug
bottles in the belly skin of the airplane, and are used to facilitate purging
of the fuel system in the event water is discovered during the preflight fuel
system inspection. The fuel tanks should be filled after each flight to
prevent condensation.

BRAKE SYSTEM

The airplane has a single-disc, hydraulically-actuated brake on each
main landing gear wheel. Each brake is connected, by a hydraulic line, to
a master cylinder attached to each of the pilot's rudder pedals. The brakes
are operated by applying pressure to the top of either the left (pilot's) or
right (copilot's) set of rudder pedals, which are interconnected. When
the airplane is parked, both main wheel brakes may be set by utilizing the
parking brake which is operated by a handle under the left side of the
instrument panel. To apply the parking brake, set the brakes with the
rudder pedals, pull the handle aft, and rotate it 90° down.

For maximum brake life, keep the brake system properly maintained,
and minimize brake usage during taxi operations and landings.

Some of the symptoms of impending brake failure are: gradual
LIGHTING SYSTEMS

EXTERIOR LIGHTING

Conventional navigation lights are located on the wing tips and tail stinger, dual landing lights are installed in the cowl nose cap, and a flashing beacon is mounted on top of the vertical stabilizer. Additional lighting is available and includes a strobe light on each wing tip and direct courtesy lights, one under each wing, just outboard of the cabin. Details of the strobe light system are presented in Section 8, Supplements. The courtesy lights are operated by a switch located on the left rear door post. All exterior lights, except the courtesy lights, are controlled by rocker type switches on the left switch and control panel. The switches are ON in the up position and off in the down position.

The flashing beacon should not be used when flying through clouds or overcast; the flashing light reflected from water droplets or particles in the atmosphere, particularly at night, can produce vertigo and loss of orientation.

INTERIOR LIGHTING

Instrument and control panel lighting is provided by flood, and integral lighting, with electroluminescent and post lighting also available. Rheostats and control knobs, located on the left switch and control panel, control the intensity of all lighting. The following paragraphs describe the various lighting systems and their controls.

The left and right sides of the switch and control panel, and the marker beacon/audio control panel may be lighted by electroluminescent panels which do not require light bulbs for illumination. To utilize this lighting, turn the NAV light rocker switch to the ON position and rotate the inner knob labeled EL PANEL, ENG-RADIO, on the right dimming rheostat, clockwise to the desired light intensity.

Instrument panel flood lighting consists of four red flood lights on the underside of the glare shield, and two red flood lights in the forward part of the overhead console. The lights are utilized by adjusting light intensity with the large (outer) control knob of the concentric control knobs labeled POST, FLOOD. Flood lighting may be used in combination with post lighting by adjusting post light intensity with the small (inner) control knob.

The instrument panel may be equipped with post lights which are mounted at the edge of each instrument or control and provide direct lighting. To operate the post lights, adjust light intensity with the small (inner) control knob of the concentric control knobs labeled POST, FLOOD.

AVIONICS POWER SWITCH

Power low enough to open the battery contactor, remove power from the alternator field, and prevent alternator restart.

Power from the airplane primary bus to the avionics bus (see Figure 7-C) is controlled by a toggle-type circuit breaker-switch labeled AVIONICS POWER. The switch is located on the left side of the switch and control panel and is ON in the up position and off in the down position. With the switch in the off position, no electrical power will be applied to the avionics equipment, regardless of the position of the master switch or the individual equipment switches. The avionics power switch also functions as a circuit breaker. If an electrical malfunction should occur and cause the circuit breaker to open, electrical power to the avionics equipment will be interrupted and the switch toggle will automatically move to the off position. If this occurs, allow the circuit breaker to cool approximately two minutes before placing the toggle in the on position again. If the circuit breaker opens again, do not reset it. The avionics power switch should be placed in the off position prior to turning the master switch on or off, starting the engine, or applying an external power source, and may be utilized in place of the individual avionics equipment switches.

AMMETER

The ammeter, located on the upper right portion of the instrument panel, indicates the amount of current, in amperes, from the alternator to the battery or from the battery to the airplane electrical system. When the engine is operating and the master switch is turned on, the ammeter indicates the charging rate applied to the battery. In the event the alternator is not functioning or the electrical load exceeds the output of the alternator, the ammeter indicates the battery discharge rate.

ALTERNATOR CONTROL UNIT AND LOW-VOLTAGE WARNING LIGHT

The airplane is equipped with a combination alternator regulator high-low voltage control unit mounted on the engine side of the firewall and a red warning light, labeled LOW VOLTAGE, under the oil temperature gauge on the instrument panel.

In the event an over-voltage condition occurs, the alternator control unit automatically removes alternator field current which shuts down the alternator. The battery will then supply system current as shown by a discharge rate on the ammeter. Under these conditions, depending on electrical system load, the low-voltage warning light will illuminate when system voltage drops below normal. The alternator control unit may be

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To combine post and flood lighting, adjust flood light intensity with the large (outer) control knob.

The engine instrument cluster, digital clock, radio equipment, and magnetic compass have integral lighting and operate independently of post or flood lighting. The light intensity of instrument cluster, digital clock, magnetic compass, and radio equipment lighting is controlled by the large (outer) control knob of the concentric control knobs labeled EL PANEL, ENG-RADIO. If the airplane is equipped with avionics incorporating incandescent digital readouts, the ENG-RADIO (large outer) control knob controls the light intensity of the digital readouts. For daylight operation, the control knob should be rotated full counterclockwise to produce maximum light intensity for the digital readouts only. Clockwise rotation of the control knob will provide normal variable light intensity for nighttime operation.

The control pedestal has two post lights and, if the airplane is equipped with oxygen, the overhead console is illuminated by post lights. Pedestal and console light intensity is controlled by the large (outer) control knob of the concentric control knobs labeled EL PANEL, ENG-RADIO.

Map lighting is provided by overhead console map lights and a glare shield mounted map light. The airplane may also be equipped with a control wheel map light. The overhead console map lights operate in conjunction with instrument panel flood lighting and consist of two openings just aft of the red instrument panel flood lights. The map light openings have sliding covers controlled by small round knobs which uncover the openings when moved toward each other. The covers should be kept closed unless the map lights are required. A map light and toggle switch, mounted in front of the pilot on the underside of the glare shield, is used for illuminating approach plates or other charts when using a control wheel mounted approach plate holder. The switch is labeled MAP LIGHT ON, OFF and light intensity is controlled by the FLOOD (large outer) control knob. A map light mounted on the bottom of the pilot’s control wheel illuminates the lower portion of the cabin in front of the pilot, and is used for checking maps and other flight data during night operation. The light is utilized by turning on the NAV LIGHTS switch, and adjusting light intensity with the rheostat control knob on the bottom of the control wheel.

The airplane is equipped with a dome light aft of the overhead console, which is operated by a slide-type switch, adjacent to the dome light.

The most probable cause of a light failure is a burned-out bulb; however, in the event any of the lighting systems fail to illuminate when turned on, check the appropriate circuit breaker. If the circuit breaker has opened (while button popped out), and there is no obvious indication of a short circuit (smoke or odor), turn off the light switch of the affected lights.

reset by turning the master switch off and back on again. If the warning light does not illuminate, normal alternator charging has resumed. However, if the light does illuminate again, a malfunction has occurred, and the flight should be terminated as soon as practicable.

NOTE

Illumination of the low-voltage light and ammeter discharge indications may occur during low RPM conditions with an electrical load on the system, such as during a low RPM taxi. Under these conditions, the light will go out at higher RPM. The master switch need not be recycled since an over-voltage condition has not occurred to de-activate the alternator system.

The warning light may be tested by turning on the landing lights and momentarily turning off the ALT portion of the master switch while leaving the BAT portion turned on.

CIRCUIT BREAKERS AND FUSES

Most of the electrical circuits in the airplane are protected by “push-to-reset” circuit breakers mounted on the lower left side of the instrument panel. The electric elevator trim system (if installed) is protected by a circuit breaker on the control pedestal. In addition to the individual circuit breakers, a toggle type circuit breaker-switch, labeled AVIONICS POWER, on the left switch and control panel also protects the avionics systems. The cigar lighter is protected a manually-reset type circuit breaker on the back of the lighter, and a fuse behind the instrument panel. The control wheel map light (if installed) is protected by the NAV LIGHTS circuit breaker and a fuse behind the instrument panel. Electrical circuits which are not protected by circuit breakers are the battery contact closing (external power) circuit, clock circuit, and flight hour recorder circuit. These circuits are protected by fuses mounted adjacent to the battery.

GROUND SERVICE PLUG RECEPTACLE

A ground service plug receptacle may be installed to permit the use of an external power source for cold weather starting and during lengthy maintenance work on the electrical and electronic equipment. Details of the ground service plug receptacle are presented in Section 9, Supplements.