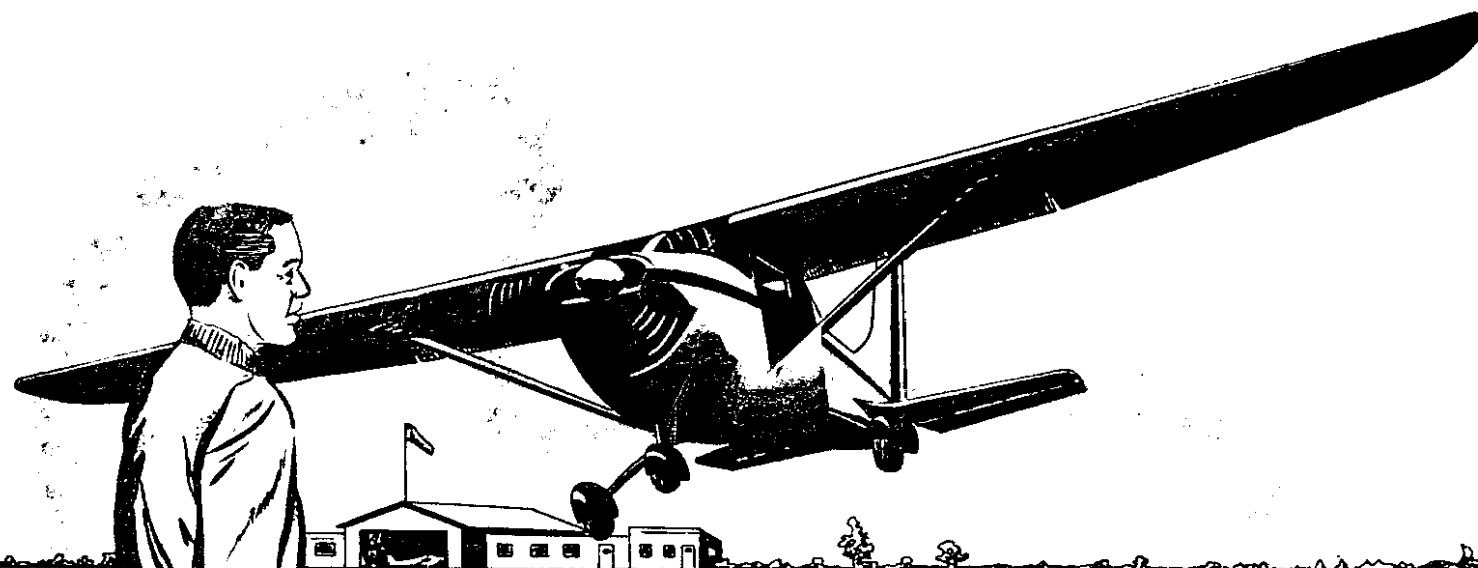


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## FOREWORD

The *Private Pilot Written Examination Guide*, prepared by the Federal Aviation Administration, presents a wide variety of learning experiences designed to assist applicants who are preparing for the Private Pilot (Airplane) Written Examination. Included in the Guide are:

- a. Seventy-one exercises which cover the material presented in each section and chapter of the *Private Pilot's Handbook of Aeronautical Knowledge*.
- b. A sample written examination presented in a fashion similar to the current Private Pilot Written Examination.

Source material for the exercises and sample examination may be found in the *Private Pilot's Handbook of Aeronautical Knowledge*.

The treatment of this guide is such that an applicant may record the results of his study and problem solving with a minimum amount of writing.

Conscientious study of the *Private Pilot's Handbook of Aeronautical Knowledge*, and the problem solving practice provided in this Guide, should lay a firm foundation of aeronautical knowledge for the prospective private pilot and enhance his ability to apply this knowledge in a manner that will contribute to his competence as a private pilot.

The *Private Pilot's Handbook of Aeronautical Knowledge* makes no attempt to cover the Federal Aviation Regulations appropriate to the private pilot; therefore, a thorough study of these regulations will be required, since they are part of the aeronautical knowledge requirement for certification as a private pilot. (See list of additional study materials on pages 81 and 82.)

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# Exercises

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE EXERCISES

These exercises are organized by section and chapter to parallel the arrangement of material in the 1965 edition of the *Private Pilot's Handbook of Aeronautical Knowledge*. For example: Exercise 8, Chapter 4, Section II, refers to the same chapter and section in the Handbook. Directions accompany each exercise and should provide adequate guidance for their completion.

Although some exercises contain statements which require completion in your own words, they are drawn directly from statements in the same chapter in the Handbook. If your words do not agree exactly with the answers given, but have the same meaning, they are acceptable. For those statements which require more than one word for completion, multiple spaces are provided as clues. (Note: The Private Pilot Written Examination is a multiple-choice type test and does not require statements in your own words.)

Review exercises are provided at the end of most sections. To derive the maximum benefit from these review exercises, it is recommended that you attempt to complete them without referring to the Handbook or to the preceding exercises.

# SECTION I. PRINCIPLES OF FLIGHT

## Chapter 1. Forces Acting on the Airplane

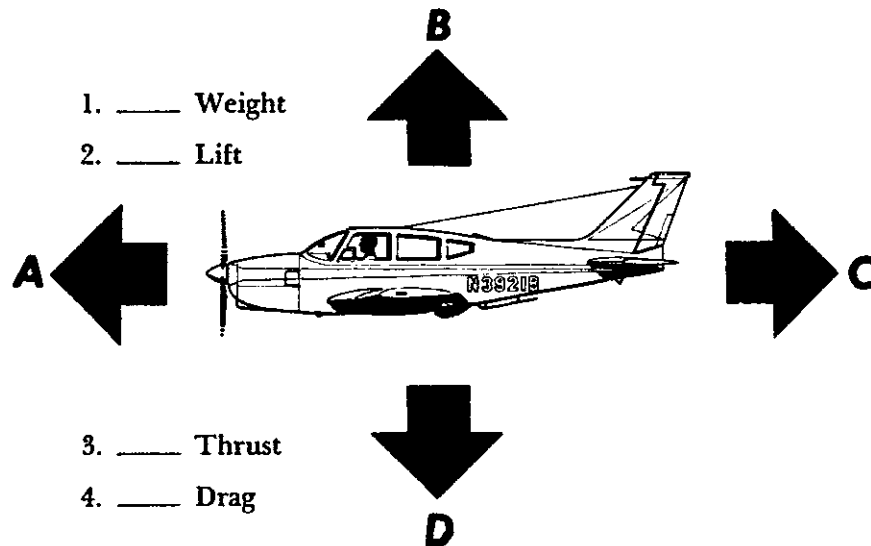
### Exercise 1. *Terms*

The following terms are important in this chapter. Write the letter corresponding to the correct definition or description in the space beside the term.

- |                             |  |   |
|-----------------------------|--|---|
| 1. _____ Lift               | a. A device which gets a useful reaction (produces lift) from air moving over its surface. | h. The upward acting force on an airplane in flight (opposes weight).   |
| 2. _____ Weight             |  |   |
| 3. _____ Thrust             | b. The angle between the wing chord line and the direction of the relative wind.           | i. The weight of air by volume (affected by pressure, temperature, and humidity).   |
| 4. _____ Drag               |  |   |
| 5. _____ Airfoil            | c. The forward acting force on an airplane in flight (opposes drag).                       | j. The angle formed by the longitudinal axis of the airplane and the chord line of the wing (angle at which wing is mounted on fuselage). |
| 6. _____ Angle of Incidence |  |   |
| 7. _____ Relative Wind      | d. An imaginary straight line joining the leading and trailing edges of an airfoil.        | k. The forward edge of an airfoil.  |
| 8. _____ Angle of Attack    |  |   |
| 9. _____ Airspeed           | e. The direction of air flow with respect to the wing.                                     | l. The velocity (speed) of air passing over the wing.   |
| 10. _____ Burble Point      |  |   |
| 11. _____ Camber            | f. That angle of attack which causes a swirling of air over the top surface of the wing.   | m. The downward acting force on an airplane in flight (opposes lift).   |
| 12. _____ Leading Edge      |  |   |
| 13. _____ Trailing Edge     | g. The curvature (as seen in a cross section) of an airfoil.                               | n. The rear edge of an airfoil.   |
| 14. _____ Chord             |  |   |
| 15. _____ Air Density       |  | o. The backward acting force on an airplane in flight (opposes thrust).   |

## Exercise 2. Identification

The following illustrations show significant items in this chapter. Beside each illustration, you will find terms which denote important parts of the illustration. Write the letter which correctly identifies the listed part in the space provided.



1. \_\_\_\_ Weight

2. \_\_\_\_ Lift

3. \_\_\_\_ Thrust

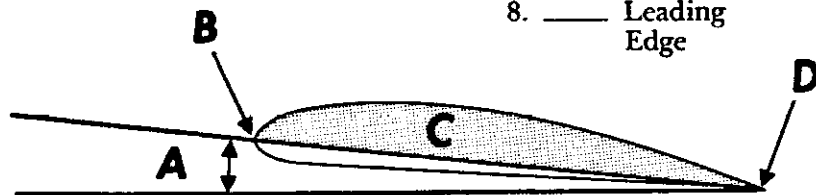
4. \_\_\_\_ Drag

5. \_\_\_\_ Trailing Edge

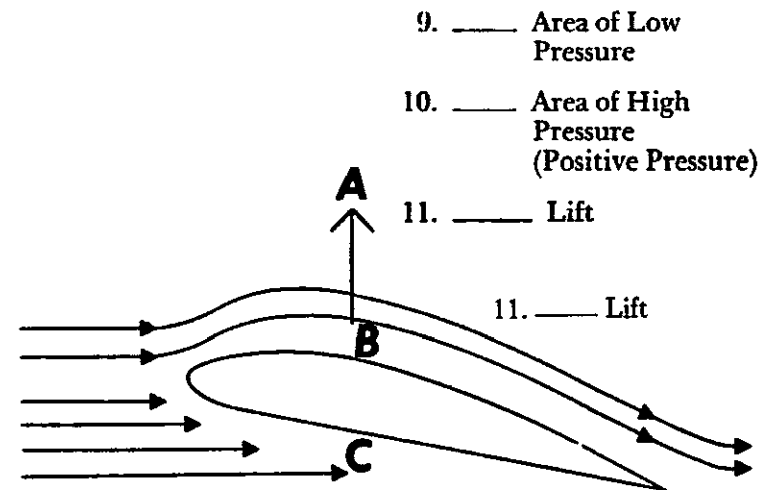
6. \_\_\_\_ Chord Line

7. \_\_\_\_ Angle of Incidence

8. \_\_\_\_ Leading Edge



LINE PARALLEL TO LONGITUDINAL AXIS



9. \_\_\_\_ Area of Low Pressure

10. \_\_\_\_ Area of High Pressure (Positive Pressure)

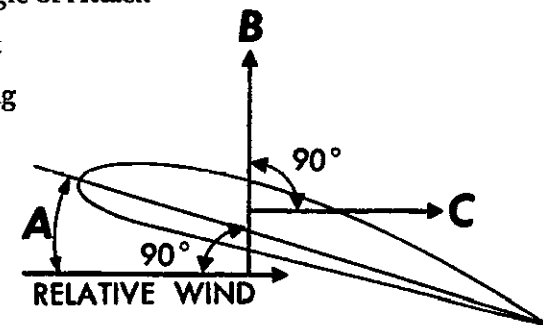
11. \_\_\_\_ Lift

11. \_\_\_\_ Lift

12. \_\_\_\_ Angle of Attack

13. \_\_\_\_ Lift

14. \_\_\_\_ Drag



## Chapter 2. Function of the Controls

### Exercise 3. Terms

The following terms are important in this chapter. Choosing from the list below, write, in the space provided, the term which would correctly complete each statement.

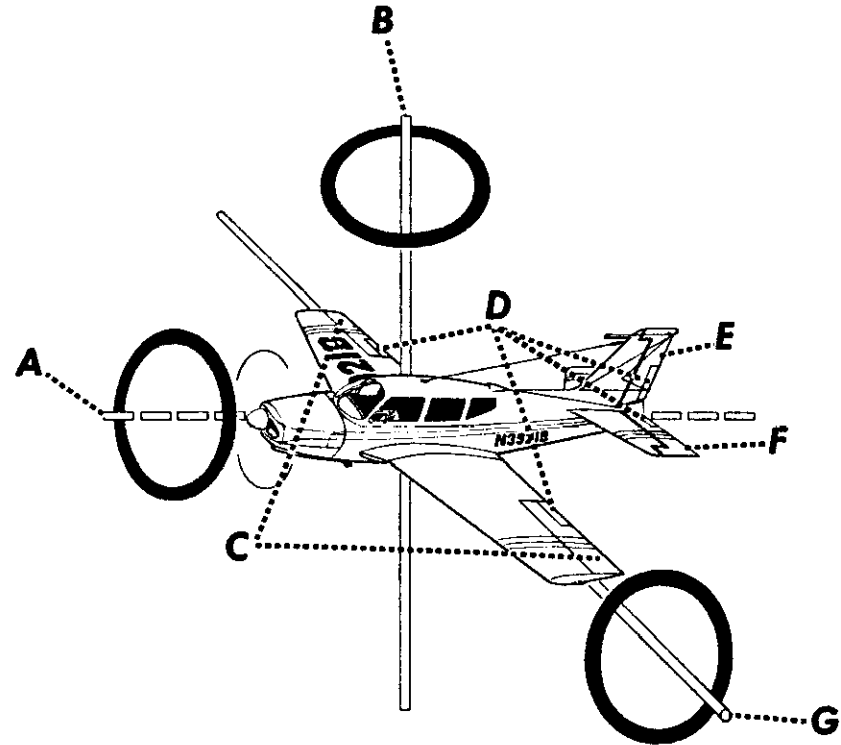
LONGITUDINAL AXIS	RUDDER
VERTICAL AXIS	TRIM TAB
LATERAL AXIS	ROLL
AILERONS	YAW
ELEVATORS	PITCH

1. The control surfaces which produce a rolling movement about the longitudinal axis are called \_\_\_\_\_
2. The imaginary line which extends crosswise wing-tip to wing-tip is the \_\_\_\_\_
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ control the movement or pitch of the airplane about its lateral axis.
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ is an imaginary line which passes vertically through the center of gravity.
5. The imaginary line that extends lengthwise through the fuselage from nose to tail is the \_\_\_\_\_
6. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a small adjustable hinged surface on the trailing edge of the aileron, elevator or rudder control surfaces.
7. The movement produced about the vertical axis by the rudder is \_\_\_\_\_.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ is movement about the lateral axis produced by the elevators.
9. The \_\_\_\_\_ controls the yawing movement about the vertical axis.
10. The ailerons produce \_\_\_\_\_ which is movement about the longitudinal axis.

### Exercise 4. Identification

The following illustration contains many of the items covered in Exercise 3. Write, in the spaces provided, the letters which correctly identify the items listed.

- |                            |                        |
|----------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. _____ Ailerons          | 4. _____ Rudder        |
| 2. _____ Trim Tabs         | 5. _____ Lateral Axis  |
| 3. _____ Longitudinal Axis | 6. _____ Vertical Axis |
|                            | 7. _____ Elevator      |



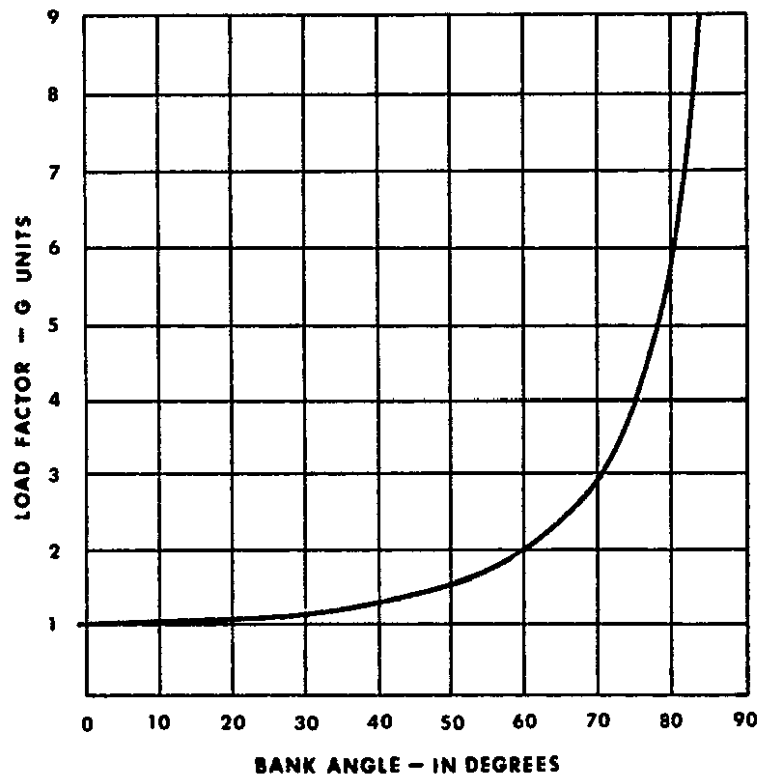


## Chapter 3. Loads and Load Factors

### Exercise 5. Interpretation

The chart below illustrates the increase in the load factor as the angle of bank increases. Write, in the spaces provided, the approximate load factor for the angles of bank listed.

**LOAD FACTOR CHART**



1. 20° \_\_\_\_\_

3. 60° \_\_\_\_\_

2. 40° \_\_\_\_\_

4. 80° \_\_\_\_\_

The chart below illustrates the increase in stall speed as the angle of bank increases. Write, in the spaces provided, the stall speeds with flaps at 40°, for the angles of bank listed.

<b>STALLING SPEEDS</b>				
<b>POWER OFF, MPH T.I.A.S.</b>				
<b>Gross Weight 2200 lbs</b>	<b>ANGLE OF BANK</b>			
	0°	20°	40°	60°
<b>CONDITION</b>				
<b>Flaps Up</b>	58	60	66	82
<b>Flaps Down 10°</b>	56	58	64	79
<b>Flaps Down 40°</b>	52	54	59	73

5. 0° \_\_\_\_\_

7. 40° \_\_\_\_\_

6. 20° \_\_\_\_\_

8. 60° \_\_\_\_\_

### Exercise 6. *Statements*

The following statements, when completed, will emphasize important points in this chapter. Write, in the blank spaces provided, the words which will correctly complete the statements.

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ is the actual load on the wings at any time divided by the normal or basic load (weight of the airplane).
2. Each airplane has a \_\_\_\_\_ (limit load factor) which should not be exceeded.
3. When the load on the wings increases, the \_\_\_\_\_ of the pilot also increases.
4. The load factor for an airplane in a 60° bank in level flight is \_\_\_\_\_.
5. One additional cause of large load factors is \_\_\_\_\_.
6. At high speeds the \_\_\_\_\_ of the wings is so great that a sudden movement of the controls may increase the load factor beyond safe limits.
7. The \_\_\_\_\_ speed is the maximum speed at which an airplane can safely execute certain maneuvers, withstand abrupt application of the controls, or fly in rough air.

## SECTION I. REVIEW

### Exercise 7. *Review*

The following statements concern items which you have already studied in completing Exercises 1 through 6. Underline the word of each pair in parentheses which will make the statement correct. (Remember the recommendation that you attempt to complete this exercise without referring to the Handbook or the preceding exercises.)

1. An airplane wing which is producing lift will have an area of low pressure on the (upper, lower) surface of the wing.
2. The angle between the wing chord line and the relative wind is the angle of (incidence, attack).
3. Lift, the upward acting force on an airplane in flight, opposes (weight, drag).
4. As the angle of bank increases, the stalling speed (increases, decreases).
5. The angle between the wing chord line and a line parallel to the longitudinal axis is the angle of (incidence, attack).
6. The (lateral, vertical) axis is an imaginary line which extends crosswise from wing-tip to wing-tip.
7. Limit load factors are more likely to be exceeded at (high, low) speeds.
8. The rudder produces a (rolling, yawing) movement of the airplane.
9. Trim tabs, which are adjustable from the cockpit, are usually placed on the (elevators, wings).
10. The (ailerons, elevators) produce a pitching movement of the airplane.

## Chapter 6. Significance of Atmospheric Pressure

### Exercise 10. *Statements*

The following statements, when completed, will emphasize important points in this chapter. Write, in the blank spaces provided, the words which will correctly complete the statements.

1. Although the average pressure exerted by the atmosphere is approximately 15 pounds per square inch at sea level, the actual pressure at a given place and time depends upon the altitude, \_\_\_\_\_, and density of the air column.
2. The standard sea level pressure is \_\_\_\_\_ inches of mercury at \_\_\_\_\_ degrees Fahrenheit.
3. In order to base atmospheric pressures on a common level, weather stations translate their barometer readings into terms of \_\_\_\_\_ pressure.
4. A difference of 1,000 feet of altitude makes a difference of approximately \_\_\_\_\_ inch(s) in the barometer reading.
5. Altitude has a significant effect on atmospheric pressure in that as the altitude increases, the atmospheric pressure \_\_\_\_\_.
6. A decrease in atmospheric pressure causes an increase in the \_\_\_\_\_ altitude.
7. As density altitude increases, aircraft performance (its ability to take off, climb, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_.
8. In addition to the atmospheric pressure effect, density altitude will also change as the \_\_\_\_\_ changes.
9. Normal atmospheric pressure at sea level expressed in millibars is \_\_\_\_\_.
10. As a space-saving measure, the weather bureau would show a barometric pressure of 1,033.2 millibars as \_\_\_\_\_; of 986.2 millibars as \_\_\_\_\_; of 964.5 millibars as \_\_\_\_\_.

## Chapter 7. Wind

### Exercise 11. *Terms*

The following terms are important in this chapter. Write the letter corresponding to the correct definition or description in the space beside the term.

- |                                       |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| 1. _____ Wind                         | a. General direction of air movement about a high pressure area.   |
| 2. _____ Earth's Rotation             | b. Causes air in the northern hemisphere to flow to the right of its normal pattern.   |
| 3. _____ "Low"                        | c. Rough air caused by convective currents or wind gusts.  |
| 4. _____ "High"                       | d. Air movement overland toward the water.   |
| 5. _____ Clockwise Circulation        | e. Recommended minimum clearance for crossing mountain ridges or peaks.  |
| 6. _____ Counterclockwise Circulation | f. Surface wind direction symbols on a weather map.  |
| 7. _____ Convection Currents          | g. Lines on a weather map connecting points of equal pressure and indicating approximate direction of winds above the surface. |
| 8. _____ On-shore Wind                | h. Air movement over water toward the land.  |
| 9. _____ Off-shore Wind               | i. The horizontal movement of air in the atmosphere.   |
| 10. _____ Turbulence                  | j. A region of pressure which is generally above normal.   |
| 11. _____ 2,000 Feet                  | k. General direction of air movement about a low pressure area.  |
| 12. _____ Isobars                     | l. A region of pressure which is generally below normal.   |
| 13. _____ Wind Arrows                 | m. Local circulations due to uneven heating of air over the surface.   |

## Chapter 8. Moisture and Temperature

### Exercise 12. *Statements*

The following statements, when completed, will emphasize important points in this chapter. Write, in the blank spaces provided, the words which will correctly complete the statements.

1. The amount of moisture that can be present in the atmosphere depends upon the \_\_\_\_\_ of the air.
2. The ratio of the amount of moisture present in any given volume of air to the amount of moisture possible under the same temperature and pressure is called \_\_\_\_\_
3. For the pilot, the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are the practical indicators of relative humidity.
4. When the temperature cools to the dewpoint, the water vapor present in the air will \_\_\_\_\_ in the form of fog or clouds.
5. Air may reach the saturation point by rising, since unsaturated air cools as it ascends at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_ degrees Fahrenheit for every 1,000 feet of altitude.
6. Air can rise for three reasons: Being \_\_\_\_\_ by the earth's surface; by moving \_\_\_\_\_ a sloping terrain; and by flowing over another \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_
7. Of greatest significance to the pilot is the likelihood of low clouds and \_\_\_\_\_ when the surface temperature and dewpoint are close together.
8. A temperature of 20 degrees Centigrade would equal \_\_\_\_\_ degrees Fahrenheit; minus 10 degrees Centigrade would equal \_\_\_\_\_ degrees Fahrenheit; 30 degrees Centigrade would equal \_\_\_\_\_ degrees Fahrenheit; 30 degrees Fahrenheit would equal \_\_\_\_\_ degree Centigrade; 102 degrees Fahrenheit would equal \_\_\_\_\_ degrees Centigrade; 48 degrees Fahrenheit would equal \_\_\_\_\_ degrees Centigrade.
9. Density altitude increases with temperature since heated air \_\_\_\_\_ and is therefore less dense.
10. As temperature increases, aircraft performance (ability to take off, climb, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_
11. Since aircraft performance also decreases with high humidity, it is apparent that air density \_\_\_\_\_ as humidity increases.
12. Pilots should beware particularly of "high, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_" conditions.

### Exercise 15. *Characteristics*

The following are descriptive statements of air masses. Write the word "COLD" in front of those which are characteristic of cold air masses and the word "WARM" in front of those which are characteristic of warm air masses.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Clouds are of the stratus and stratocumulus type.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Ceilings behind front are generally unlimited.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Precipitation is usually in the form of a drizzle.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Turbulence, if any, will be light.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Precipitation is usually in the form of showers or thunderstorms (hail).
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Ceilings are generally low.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Turbulence is usually pronounced, particularly in the lower levels.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Clouds are of the cumulus and cumulonimbus type.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Visibilities are normally excellent except during precipitation.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Visibilities are normally poor with possibility of fog, haze, smoke, etc.

## Chapter 11. Aviation Weather Forecasts and Reports

### Exercise 16. *Terms*

The following terms are important in this chapter. Choosing from the list below, write, in the spaces provided, the terms which will correctly complete the accompanying statements.

AREA FORECASTS

TERMINAL FORECASTS

SIGMET

AIRMET (ADVISORY FOR LIGHT AIRCRAFT)

AVIATION WEATHER REPORTS (SEQUENCE REPORTS)

WINDS ALOFT FORECASTS

1. A weather advisory announcing weather phenomena of such severity as to affect the safety of all aircraft (including transport category), is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ are transmitted hourly by teletype and *normally* represent the very latest weather information available.
3. Because of terrain effect, no \_\_\_\_\_ will be made for levels within 1,000 feet of station elevation.
4. \_\_\_\_\_, predicting the general weather for groups or portions of states, are issued every 6 hours for each of the 23 sections of the United States.
5. A warning of weather phenomena which is not considered severe enough to be classified as a SIGMET is called an \_\_\_\_\_.
6. \_\_\_\_\_, predicting weather for approximately 380 major airports of the United States, are issued every 6 hours for a 12-hour period.

### Exercise 17. Interpretation

The following is a sample Aviation Weather Report. Write the Plain Language Interpretations for the items listed below in the spaces provided. (See "Key to Aviation Weather Reports" on page 92.)



DCA M1002503R-F 986/72/50/1825633/988 CIG LWR S

1. Sky cover \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Visibility \_\_\_\_\_
3. Precipitation \_\_\_\_\_
4. Obstructions to vision \_\_\_\_\_
5. Barometric pressure \_\_\_\_\_
6. Temperature \_\_\_\_\_
7. Dew point \_\_\_\_\_
8. Wind \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
9. Altimeter setting \_\_\_\_\_
10. Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION II. REVIEW

### Exercise 18. Review

The following statements concern items which you have already studied in completing Exercises 8 through 17. These statements may be true or false. Circle the letter "T" preceding the statement if it is true, "F" if it is false.

1. T F The symbol  represents a cold front on the weather map.
2. T F Hazardous weather conditions are usually of little significance to a pilot.
3. T F Density altitude increases as atmospheric pressure decreases.
4. T F Rough air or turbulence can be extremely hazardous in the vicinity of thunderstorms.
5. T F The general direction of air movement about a high pressure area is in a clockwise direction.
6. T F An increase in humidity will normally result in an increase in aircraft performance.
7. T F Cumulonimbus clouds are usually layer-like in structure and occur mostly below 5,000 feet.
8. T F "Scattered clouds" would mean that less than six-tenths of the sky was covered.
9. T F Visibilities in a cold air mass are usually good except during precipitation.
10. T F A SIGMET has no significance for the private pilot.
11. T F Aviation Weather Reports are transmitted by teletype only twice daily.
12. T F The symbol  indicates a ceiling formed by broken clouds.
13. T F The normal lapse rate (temperature decrease with altitude) is  $3\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  F. per 1,000 ft.
14. T F An area where atmospheric pressures are generally below normal is called a "high."
15. T F A visibility figure of  $\frac{3}{4}$  in an Aviation Weather Report indicates three-fourths of a mile.

## SECTION III. NAVIGATION

### Chapter 12. Navigation Aids

#### Exercise 19. *Terms*

The following table contains a list of navigational methods and their uses. Choosing from the right-hand column, write the letter corresponding to the correct use in the space beside the method.

METHOD OF NAVIGATION	POSITION DETERMINED BY:
1. _____ Pilotage	a. Use of radio aids.
2. _____ Dead Reckoning	b. Reference to the sun, moon, stars, etc.
3. _____ Radio Navigation	c. Computing distance and direction from a known position.
4. _____ Celestial Navigation	d. Reference to visible landmarks.

#### Exercise 20. *Characteristics*

The following are descriptive terms or statements about the four aeronautical charts which are of greatest interest to private pilots. Write the letter denoting the appropriate chart (s) in the space in front of each term or statement. Use the following code:

S — SECTIONAL      A — AERONAUTICAL PLANNING  
W — WORLD      ALL — IF APPLICABLE TO ALL  
L — LOCAL      AERONAUTICAL CHARTS

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Scale: About 8 statute miles per inch.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Difficult for inexperienced pilots to use when navigating by pilotage.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Designed for planning long flights.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Identified by city name only.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Identified as AP-9.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Scale: About 80 statute miles per inch.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. More topographical detail than any other chart.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Scale: About 4 statute miles per inch.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Should be discarded when obsolete.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. For VFR flight use in highly congested areas.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. Primarily for use in pilotage.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. Most widely used by private pilots.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. Identified by names of principal cities or geographical features.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14. Identified by prefix WAC and number.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 15. Scale: About 16 statute miles per inch.

## Chapter 16. The Wind Triangle

### Exercise 27. Interpretation

Using the Dallas Sectional Chart supplied with this guide, determine the true course (TC), by use of a protractor, and the distance in statute miles for each of the following routes (direct except for number 5). Write your figures in the spaces beside each pair of airports. (Note: Be sure to use the center of the airport symbols when drawing your course lines, and the statute miles scale at the top or bottom of the chart for measuring distances. Draw the course lines in a prominent manner since these same routes will be used in later exercises.)

FROM	TO	TC	DIST (sm)
1. Taylor Airport (Albany) 32°44'N – 99°18'W	Graham Airport 33°06'N – 98°33'W	_____	_____
2. Sweetwater Airport 32°28'N – 100°28'W	Cisco Airport 32°25'N – 99°00'W	_____	_____
3. Mineral Wells Airport 32°47'N – 98°04'W	Kickapoo Airport (Wichita Falls) 33°52'N – 98°29'W	_____	_____
4. Kickapoo Airport 33°52'N – 98°29'W	Arledge Airport 32°54'N – 99°43'W	_____	_____
5. Kickapoo Airport 33°52'N – 98°29'W (via Guthrie VOR 33°47'N – 100°20'W)	Lubbock Muni. Aprt 33°40'N – 101°50'W	_____	_____

### Exercise 28. Problem Solving

Using the true courses and distances for the five routes designated in Exercise 27 (Kickapoo to Guthrie only in number 5), and the wind and true airspeed (TAS) information given in this exercise, construct a wind triangle for each route. Find the wind correction angle (WCA), true heading (TH), groundspeed (GS), and time en route and write your answers in the spaces provided. (Transfer your true course and distance figures from Exercise 27.)

	TC	WIND (mph)	TAS	WCA	TH	GS	DIST	TIME
1. Taylor to Graham	130° _____	25	140	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2. Sweetwater to Cisco	225° _____	14	155	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3. Mineral Wells to Kickapoo	355° _____	7	134	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4. Kickapoo to Arledge	082° _____	15	134	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
5. Kickapoo to Guthrie VOR	060° _____	18	162	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____



### SECTION III. REVIEW

#### Exercise 29. *Review*

The following statements concern items which you have already studied in completing Exercises 19 through 28. Underline the word of each pair in parentheses which would make the statement correct. (Remember the recommendation that you attempt to complete this exercise without referring to the Handbook or the preceding exercises.)

1. Aerial navigation solely by reference to visible landmarks is called (pilotage, dead reckoning).
2. The (Sectional, WAC) Chart is the most common chart in use by the private pilot.
3. The Sectional Chart has a scale of approximately (four, eight) miles to the inch.
4. The elevation of land surface (relief) on the Dallas Sectional Chart is shown by (blue, brown) contour lines.
5. Elevation figures accompanying obstructions represent height above (sea level, ground).
6. Measurement in degrees north or south of the equator is referred to as (longitude, latitude).
7. A true heading corrected for variation results in a (compass, magnetic) heading.
8. Easterly variation should be (added, subtracted) when it is applied to the true heading.
9. (Heading, Track) is the actual path made over the ground by an airplane in flight.
10. The rate of an airplane's progress through the air is called (groundspeed, airspeed).

#### Exercise 30. *Review*

Complete the following navigation problem through the use of a wind triangle and the other basic calculations which you have practiced in this section. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

GIVEN: TC	= 092°	FIND: TH =
Wind	= 136° - 18 mph	MH =
TAS	= 185 mph	CH =
Variation	= 12° E	GS =
Deviation	= See Page 20	Time =
Distance	= 294 statute miles	Fuel consumed =
Fuel rate	= 12 gph	

## SECTION IV. AIRCRAFT AND ENGINE OPERATION

### Chapter 17. Airplane Structure

#### Exercise 31. Statements

The following statements, when completed, will emphasize important points in this chapter. Write, in the blank spaces provided, the words which will correctly complete the statements.

1. Airplanes manufactured under a standard classification should not be subject to structural failure if properly maintained and flown within the \_\_\_\_\_ clearly specified.
2. The required structural strength is based on the airplane's \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Airplane strength is measured basically by the total \_\_\_\_\_ which the wings are capable of carrying without permanent damage. (See Exercise 6.)
4. The wing must support not only the weight of the airplane but also the additional loads imposed by turns, pull-outs from dives, and \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The positive limit load factors (introduced in Exercise 6) for the various categories of airplanes are: Normal, \_\_\_\_\_ times gross weight; Utility, \_\_\_\_\_ times gross weight; Acrobatic, \_\_\_\_\_ times gross weight.
6. FAA Regulations require that an aircraft shall not be flown unless within the preceding \_\_\_\_\_ calendar months it has been given an annual inspection.
7. An airplane that is used commercially, that is, to carry passengers for hire, or for flight instruction purposes, must have had an inspection within each \_\_\_\_\_ hours.
8. A careful pilot will always conduct a routine inspection \_\_\_\_\_ each flight.

#### Exercise 32. Terms

The following terms represent some of the significant items to be checked on a preflight inspection.\* Write the letter corresponding to the associated action in the space beside the term.

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| 1. _____ Master and ignition switches      | a. Check for nicks, cracks, hub security.                               |
| 2. _____ Landing gear handle               | b. Check for cowlings closed and secure, oil quantity.                  |
| 3. _____ Propeller                         | c. Check covering for holes, wrinkles, wear, and rot.                   |
| 4. _____ Engine                            | d. Check visually for quantity and contamination.                       |
| 5. _____ Fuel                              | e. Check that static vents are open and pitot tube is unobstructed.     |
| 6. _____ Landing gear                      | f. Check for proper movement, set tabs for takeoff.                     |
| 7. _____ Wing, fuselage, and tail surfaces | g. Check that weight and weight distribution do not exceed limitations. |
| 8. _____ Pitot-static system               | h. Check "off."   |
| 9. _____ Control surfaces                  | i. Check "down."  |
| 10. _____ Airplane loading                 | j. Check tire condition and inflation, strut and brake condition.       |

\* (This list is not to be considered complete. The applicable Airplane Flight Manual should be referred to for further items of importance.)

## Chapter 18. Engine Operation

### Exercise 33. Terms

The following terms are important in this chapter. Choosing from the list below, write, in the space provided, the term which will correctly complete the statement.\*

AIR COOLED	MAGNETOS
CARBURETOR HEAT	MANIFOLD PRESSURE
CARBURETOR ICING	MANIFOLD PRESSURE GAUGE
CHECKLIST	MIXTURE CONTROL
"CLEAR"	OCTANE RATINGS
DETONATION	OIL PRESSURE
DUAL IGNITION SYSTEM	OIL PRESSURE GAUGE
FUEL CONTAMINATION	QUICK-DRAIN VALVES
FUEL INJECTION	RPM
LEANING	TACHOMETER
LOWER RATING	TRANSPARENT CONTAINER
LOW PROPELLER RPM	VOLUME OF AIR

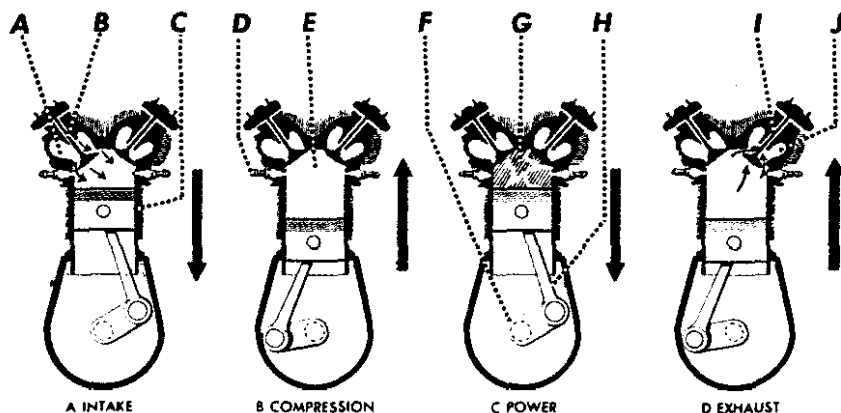
1. Most airplane engines are \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The pilot should be aware that a variation in \_\_\_\_\_ beyond normal limits indicates probable engine trouble.
3. Aviation gasoline is classified by \_\_\_\_\_ and performance number ratings.
4. Using aviation gasoline of a \_\_\_\_\_ than specified is harmful since it may cause loss of power, excessive heat, burned spark plugs, burned and stuck valves, high oil consumption and detonation.
5. The fuel-air mixture in most engines can be changed by adjusting the \_\_\_\_\_ in the cockpit.
6. The amount of fuel entering the carburetor depends on the \_\_\_\_\_ and not the weight of air.
7. The manufacturer's recommendations should always be followed in \_\_\_\_\_ the fuel mixture.
8. \_\_\_\_\_, which occurs when the fuel explodes instead of burning evenly, may be produced by low grade fuel.

\* Some items in this list are used twice.

9. Water is often the cause of \_\_\_\_\_.
10. In checking for fuel contamination, the pilot should drain fuel into a \_\_\_\_\_ and check for dirt or water.
11. It is recommended that airplane fuel tanks be equipped with \_\_\_\_\_.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ are self-contained units which supply current to the spark plugs without depending on the airplane battery.
13. Most modern airplane engines have a \_\_\_\_\_ which requires two spark plugs in each cylinder.
14. During low or closed throttle settings, with high humidity and a temperature of 20° F to 70° F, an engine induction system is particularly susceptible to \_\_\_\_\_.
15. When indications of icing are noted, \_\_\_\_\_ should be applied immediately.
16. The \_\_\_\_\_ system is generally considered to be less susceptible to icing than the carburetor system.
17. A standard precautionary call used by the pilot when preparing to start an engine is the word \_\_\_\_\_.
18. It is imperative that the \_\_\_\_\_ be checked for a pressure indication immediately after the engine starts.
19. Always follow the manufacturer's recommendations when performing checks (engine run-up, before takeoff, etc.) and use a \_\_\_\_\_. Do not rely on memory.
20. The throttle controls the power output of the engine which is registered on the \_\_\_\_\_ when the engine is equipped with a constant-speed propeller.
21. The \_\_\_\_\_ registers the engine RPM.
22. During engine operation, a combination to avoid is a high throttle setting and a \_\_\_\_\_.
23. When decreasing power on engines equipped with constant-speed propellers, you should first decrease \_\_\_\_\_, and then decrease \_\_\_\_\_.
24. When increasing power on engines equipped with constant-speed propellers, you should first increase \_\_\_\_\_ and then increase \_\_\_\_\_.

### Exercise 34. Identification

The following illustration shows the basic elements of airplane engine operation. Write, in the spaces provided, the letters which correctly identify the items listed.



1. \_\_\_\_\_ Spark plug
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Fuel mixture being drawn into cylinder
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Burned gases being expelled from cylinder
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Exhaust valve
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Piston
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Connecting rod
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Intake valve
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Fuel mixture being compressed
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Crankshaft
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Fuel mixture after being ignited

## SECTION IV. REVIEW

### Exercise 35. Review

The following statements concern items which you have already studied in completing Exercises 31 through 34. These statements may be true or false. Circle the letter "T" preceding the statement if it is true; circle the letter "F" if it is false. (Remember the recommendation that you attempt to complete this exercise without referring to the Handbook or to the previous exercises.)

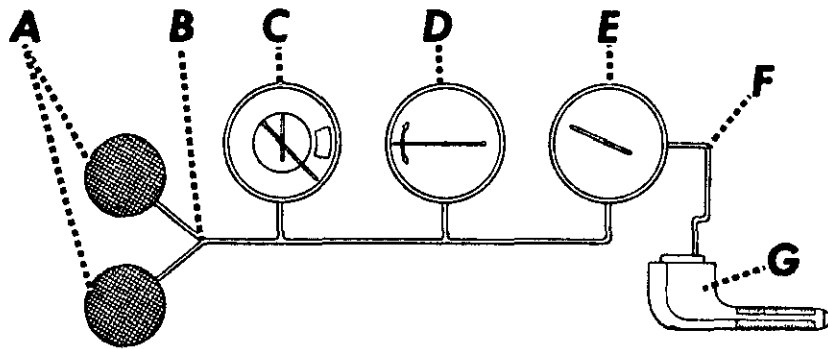
1. T F The required structural strength for an airplane is based on its intended use.
2. T F The wings support only a part of the weight of the airplane in flight.
3. T F FAA Regulations require that an aircraft to be flown must have had an "annual" inspection within the preceding 12 calendar months.
4. T F The preflight inspection of a propeller should include checking for nicks, cracks, and security.
5. T F The check for fuel contamination should utilize a transparent container to allow a visual inspection of a fuel sample.
6. T F Gross weight, regardless of weight distribution, is the only significant factor in loading an airplane.
7. T F The piston is moving toward the crankshaft during the power stroke of a four-cycle combustion engine.
8. T F The unburned fuel-air mixture enters the cylinder through the intake valve.
9. T F Aviation gasoline is classified by SAE weight.
10. T F Detonation occurs when the fuel-air mixture explodes instead of burning evenly.
11. T F Most modern airplane engines utilize a single ignition system.
12. T F During engine operation, a combination to avoid is a high manifold pressure setting and a low RPM setting.

## SECTION V. FLIGHT INSTRUMENTS

### Chapter 19. The Pitot-Static System Flight Instruments

#### Exercise 36. Identification

The following illustration shows a simplified diagram of a pitot-static system with the instruments operated from it. Write, in the spaces provided, the letters which correctly identify the items listed.



1. \_\_\_\_\_ Altimeter
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Airspeed Indicator
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Pitot Pressure Chamber  
(Pitot Tube)
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Static Line
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Vertical Speed Indicator
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Static Vents
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Pitot Line

#### Exercise 37. Statements

The following statements, when completed, will emphasize important points in this chapter. Write, in the blank spaces provided, the word which will correctly complete the statement.

1. Both the \_\_\_\_\_ tube openings and the \_\_\_\_\_ vent openings should be checked during the preflight inspection to see that they are not obstructed.
2. The difference in \_\_\_\_\_ at various levels causes the altimeter to indicate changes in altitude.
3. Colder than standard temperature will place the aircraft \_\_\_\_\_ than the altimeter indicates.
4. The altimeter indication, when set to the reported altimeter setting, should not differ from the field elevation by more than plus or minus \_\_\_\_\_ feet.
5. A change in the altimeter setting from 29.52 to 30.02 should cause a change of approximately \_\_\_\_\_ feet in the altimeter indication.
6. When a rapid or large \_\_\_\_\_ change is made by the aircraft, the vertical speed indicator may lag behind the correct indication.

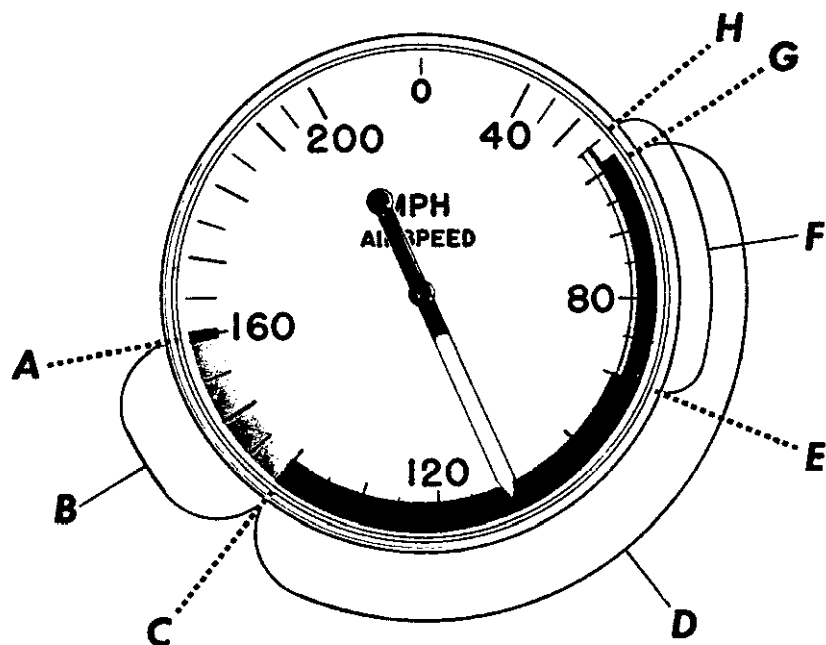
### Exercise 38. *Terms*

The following terms are important in this chapter. Write the letter corresponding to the correct definition or description in the space beside the term.

- |                               |   |  |
|-------------------------------|---|--|
| 1. _____ Absolute Altitude    | a. Indicated Airspeed corrected for installation and instrument error (sometimes referred to as True Indicated Airspeed).     | i. Pressure Altitude corrected for non-standard temperature. (Increases as temperature increases.) |
| 2. _____ Indicated Altitude   |   |  |
| 3. _____ Pressure Altitude    | b. The true height of the aircraft above sea level.   | j. The direct reading from the altimeter.  |
| 4. _____ True Altitude        | c. Mean Sea Level, 10,900 MSL is 10,900 feet above sea level.   | k. The direct reading from the altimeter when set to 29.92.  |
| 5. _____ MSL                  | d. The altitude of an aircraft above the surface of the terrain over which it is flying.                                      |  |
| 6. _____ Density Altitude     | e. The direct reading from the Airspeed Indicator.  |  |
| 7. _____ Pitot pressure       | f. Indicated (or Calibrated if there is an instrument or installation error) Airspeed corrected for pressure and temperature. |  |
| 8. _____ Static pressure      | g. Atmospheric pressure at flight level.  |  |
| 9. _____ Indicated Airspeed   | h. Impact pressure in flight.   |  |
| 10. _____ Calibrated Airspeed |   |  |
| 11. _____ True Airspeed       |   |  |

### Exercise 39. Identification

The following illustration shows an Airspeed Indicator with a color coded marking. Next follows a list of important airspeed limitations which can be determined from the color codings. Write the letter which identifies the correct limitation or range in the space provided.



1. \_\_\_\_\_ Maximum Flaps Extended Speed
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Normal Operating Range
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Power-Off Stall Speed in Landing Configuration
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Power-Off Stall Speed With Flaps Up And Gear Retracted (if retractable)
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Never Exceed Speed

6. \_\_\_\_\_ Caution Range
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Flap Operating Range
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Maximum Structural Cruising Speed
9. Write, in the following spaces, five airspeed limitations which are *not* marked on the Airspeed Indicator:

- a. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. \_\_\_\_\_
- c. \_\_\_\_\_
- d. \_\_\_\_\_
- e. \_\_\_\_\_

## Chapter 20. Gyroscopic Flight Instruments

### Exercise 40. Terms

The following terms are important in this chapter. Choosing from this list, write, in the space provided, the term which would correctly complete the statement.

TURN AND BANK INDICATOR

SKID

SLIP

COORDINATED TURN

3° PER SECOND

2-MINUTE TURN NEEDLE

HORIZON BAR

HEADING INDICATOR

"TUMBLE" OR "SPILL"

15 MINUTES

ATTITUDE INDICATOR

DIRECT INDICATION

STRAIGHT-AND-LEVEL FLIGHT

INDIRECT INDICATION

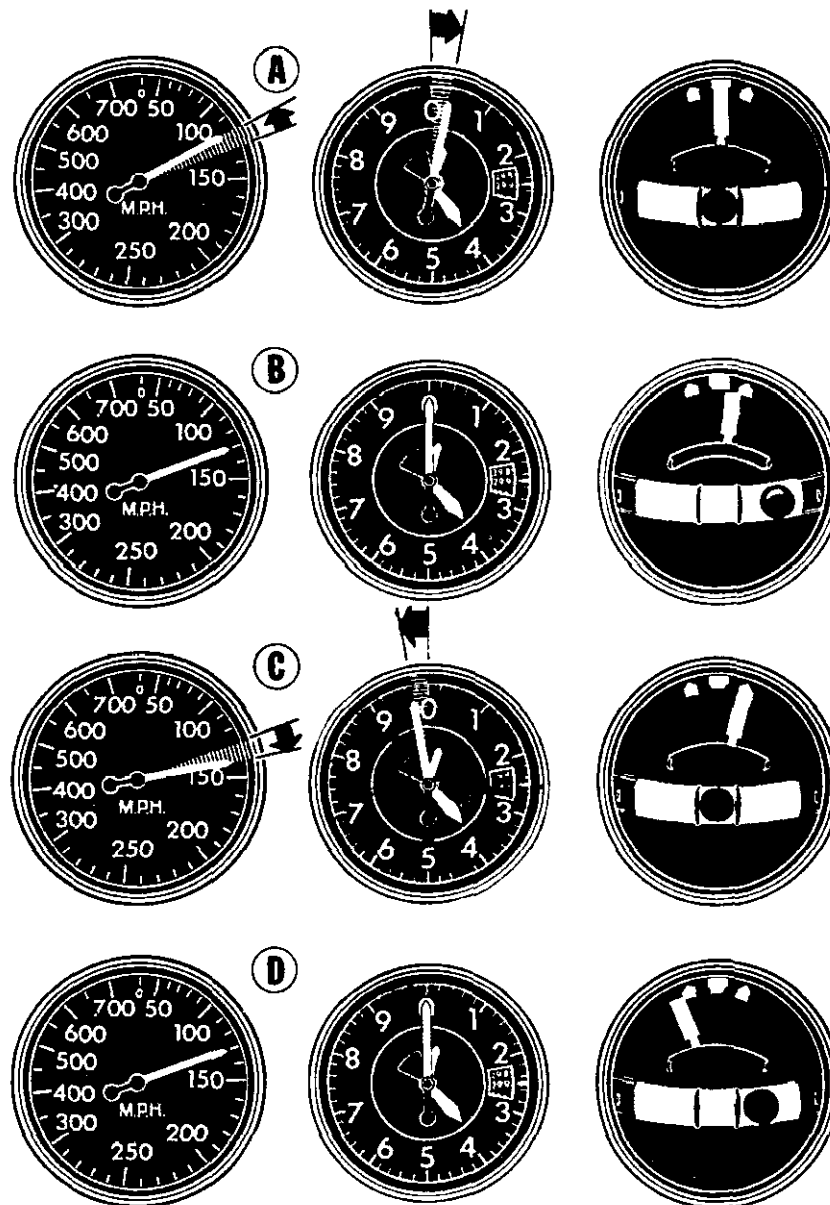
1. The \_\_\_\_\_ incorporates a needle and a ball and indicates both rate and quality of turn.
2. In a \_\_\_\_\_, the ball assumes a position midway between the reference markers.
3. During a \_\_\_\_\_, excessive centrifugal force causes the ball to move to the outside of the turn.
4. During a \_\_\_\_\_, the lack of centrifugal force causes the ball to move to the inside of the turn.
5. The turn needle gives only an \_\_\_\_\_ of the airplane's angle of bank.
6. A standard rate turn is \_\_\_\_\_.
7. The \_\_\_\_\_ normally requires a one needle width deflection for a standard rate turn.
8. The \_\_\_\_\_ is a directional instrument used to supplement the Magnetic Compass.
9. The Heading Indicator should be checked against the Magnetic Compass at least every \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Most gyro instruments found in light planes will \_\_\_\_\_ with excessive pitch or bank.
11. The \_\_\_\_\_, also called the artificial horizon, gives a picture of the attitude of the real aircraft.
12. The actual horizon is represented in the Attitude Indicator by a \_\_\_\_\_.
13. The Attitude Indicator gives a \_\_\_\_\_ of both the pitch and bank attitudes of the airplane.
14. The Attitude Indicator should be uncaged only in \_\_\_\_\_.



#### Exercise 44. Review

The illustrations on this page show 4 sets of flight instruments (Airspeed Indicator, Altimeter, and Turn-and-Bank Indicator). Write, in the space provided, the letter corresponding to the set which correctly indicates the flight maneuver listed.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ A skidding turn
2. \_\_\_\_\_ A right turn in level flight (although uncoordinated)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ A straight-ahead climb
4. \_\_\_\_\_ A slipping turn
5. \_\_\_\_\_ A descending right turn
6. \_\_\_\_\_ A left turn in level flight (although uncoordinated)



## SECTION VI. AIRCRAFT PERFORMANCE

### Chapter 22. Weight and Balance

#### Exercise 45. *Terms*

The following terms are important in this chapter. Write the letter corresponding to the correct definition or description in the space beside the term.

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| 1. ____ Empty weight                   | a. The empty weight plus the useful load.   |
| 2. ____ Useful load                    | b. A source for the latest empty weight and CG.   |
| 3. ____ Gross weight                   | c. Fuel included in the empty weight.   |
| 4. ____ Maximum allowable gross weight | d. Fuel included in the useful load.  |
| 5. ____ Unusable fuel                  | e. (Pay load). The weight of pilot, passengers, baggage, usable fuel and oil, cargo, etc. |
| 6. ____ Usable fuel                    | f. The maximum load for which the airplane is certificated.                               |
| 7. ____ "CG"                           | g. The point at which the airplane will balance.  |
| 8. ____ CG range                       | h. The allowable range of balance.  |
| 9. ____ Permanent aircraft record      | i. The weight of the basic airplane (includes unusable fuel).                             |
| 10. ____ Loading placards              | j. Signs posted in the aircraft to give directions for loading.                           |

#### Exercise 46. *Characteristics*

The following descriptive terms or statements pertain to the undesirable characteristics of an airplane which is loaded so that the "CG" falls outside the allowable range. Write the word "FORWARD" in the space in front of those which are characteristic of airplanes loaded so that the "CG" falls ahead of the allowable range; and the word "AFT" for those which are characteristic of airplanes loaded so that the "CG" falls behind the allowable range.

- |          |   |
|----------|---|
| 1. _____ | Higher stick forces                                       |
| 2. _____ | Violent stall characteristics                             |
| 3. _____ | Decreased performance                                     |
| 4. _____ | Very light stick forces (easy to overstress the airplane) |
| 5. _____ | Higher stalling speeds                                    |
| 6. _____ | Decreased longitudinal stability                          |
| 7. _____ | Excessive loads on the nose wheel                         |

### Exercise 47. Problem Solving

Given the following information, determine whether this airplane would be loaded within the maximum allowable gross weight. (Remember the weight of the unusable fuel is included in the empty weight.)

MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE GROSS WEIGHT	2,200 lbs.
Empty Weight	1,290 lbs.
Oil (8 quarts)	
Pilot and Front Seat Passenger	365 lbs.
Rear Seat Passengers	300 lbs.
Fuel (42 gallons total, only 37 gallons usable)	
Baggage	40 lbs.
TOTAL	

Based on your computations, underline the word or figure, of each pair in parentheses, which would make each of the following statements correct.

1. Eight quarts of oil would weigh (15, 60) pounds.
2. The usable fuel would weigh (252, 222) pounds.
3. This airplane would be (32, 62) pounds (over, under) the maximum allowable gross weight.

## Chapter 23. Aircraft Performance

### Exercise 48. Characteristics

The following terms describe factors which affect takeoff distances. In comparison with a standard sea-level, no-wind takeoff distance, write, in the space provided, the word "INCREASE" if the factor would lengthen the takeoff distance, or the word "DECREASE" if the factor would shorten the takeoff distance.

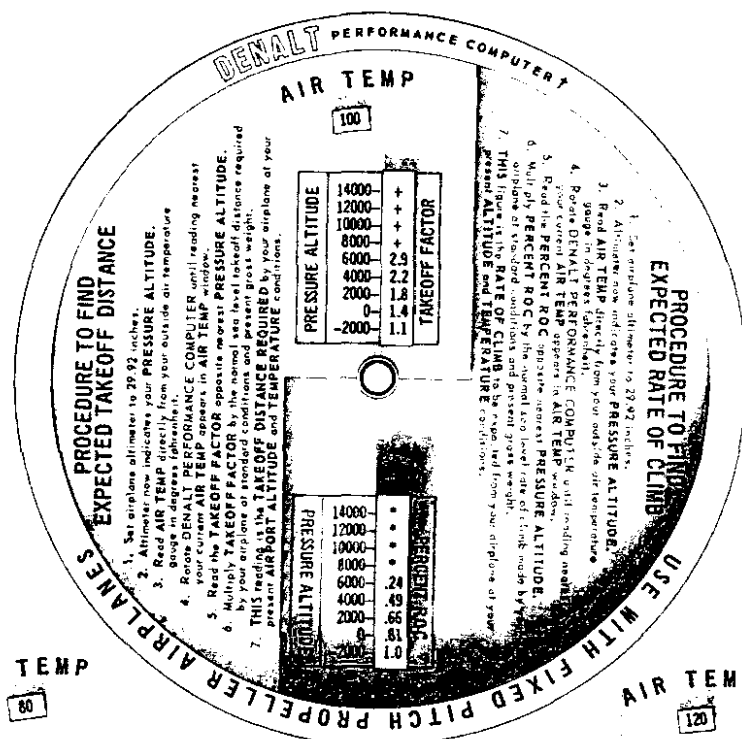
1. \_\_\_\_\_ Higher temperature
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Muddy runway
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Higher pressure altitude
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Higher humidity
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Lower gross weight
6. \_\_\_\_\_ 10-knot headwind component

# Exercise 49. Interpretation

Based on the information given in each of the following conditions, use the Denalt Computer \* readings on this page to determine the expected takeoff distance and rate of climb. Write the computed figures in the spaces provided. (Instructions are printed on the computer and the first item has been completed as an example.)

STANDARD SEA-LEVEL PERFORMANCE						
	TAKEOFF DISTANCE (ft)	RATE OF CLIMB (fpm)	PRESSURE ALTITUDE (ft)	TEMP (°f)	COMPUTED DIST (ft)	COMPUTED ROC (fpm)
1.	750	600	4,000	100	1,650	294
2.	1,000	550	2,000	100	_____	_____
3.	880	820	6,000	80	_____	_____
4.	1,250	725	8,000	80	_____	_____
5.	650	510	0	120	_____	_____
6.	1,150	940	4,000	120	_____	_____

\* This computer has been recently developed by the Federal Aviation Agency to replace the Koch Chart. Two versions are available. One is for fixed-pitch propeller aircraft, and the other is for variable pitch propellers. It is for sale by the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402. The price is 50¢. When ordering, specify either fixed pitch or variable pitch.



AIR TEMP  
80

PRESSURE ALTITUDE	TAKEOFF FACTOR
14000	+
12000	+
10000	+
8000	3.4
6000	2.5
4000	2.0
2000	1.6
0	1.2
-2000	-

PRESSURE ALTITUDE	TAKEOFF FACTOR
14000	+
12000	+
10000	+
8000	1.8
6000	.40
4000	.57
2000	.73
0	.90

## NOTES:

- + = Much greater than normal; check manufacturer's specifications.
- = Less than normal; check manufacturer's specifications.
- \* = General data not pertinent; check manufacturer's specifications.

† This computer has been developed by the Federal Aviation Agency. It is intended to supplement and NOT replace manufacturer's published performance information.

AIR TEMP  
120

PRESSURE ALTITUDE	TAKEOFF FACTOR
14000	+
12000	+
10000	+
8000	3.4
6000	2.4
4000	1.9
2000	1.6
0	1.2

PRESSURE ALTITUDE	TAKEOFF FACTOR
14000	+
12000	+
10000	+
8000	1.8
6000	.20
4000	.43
2000	.57
0	.73
	.92

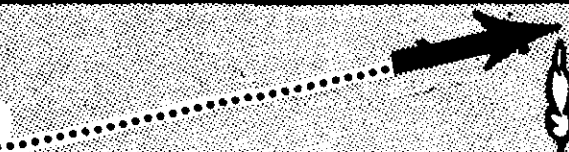
### Exercise 50. Interpretation

Based on the information given in each of the following conditions, use the Takeoff Data Chart below to determine the takeoff distances. Write the figures for the ground run and the distance required to clear a 50-foot obstacle in the spaces provided. Remember to increase distances 10% for each 25° Fahrenheit above standard temperature for the particular altitude. (The first item has been completed as an example.)

	GROSS WEIGHT (lbs)	PRESSURE ALTITUDE (ft)	TEMP °f	HEAD- WIND (mph)	GROUND ROLL (ft)	DISTANCE TO CLEAR 50-FT OBSTACLE (ft)
1.	2,200	5,000	65	15	825	1,551
2.	2,200	2,500	76	0	_____	_____
3.	2,200	7,500	84	30	_____	_____
4.	1,900	0	60	15	_____	_____
5.	2,200	5,000	90	0	_____	_____

# TAKE-OFF DATA

TAKE-OFF DISTANCE WITH FLAPS UP FROM HARD SURFACE RUNWAY



GROSS WEIGHT LBS.	IAS AT 50 FT.	HEAD WIND MPH	AT SEA LEVEL & 59°F		AT 2500 FT. & 50°F		AT 5000 FT. & 41°F		AT 7500 FT. & 32°F	
			GROUND RUN	TO CLEAR 50' OBSTACLE	GROUND RUN	TO CLEAR 50' OBSTACLE	GROUND RUN	TO CLEAR 50' OBSTACLE	GROUND RUN	TO CLEAR 50' OBSTACLE
1600	56	0	380	725	460	845	555	1000	680	1205
		15	215	470	265	560	330	670	415	820
		30	95	265	125	320	160	395	210	495
1900	61	0	560	1000	675	1185	820	1420	1015	1755
		15	335	675	415	805	515	980	645	1230
		30	165	400	210	490	275	610	360	785
2200	66	0	780	1370	945	1615	1155	1995	1435	2495
		15	490	945	605	1130	750	1410	950	1805
		30	280	590	330	710	425	915	560	1205

NOTE: INCREASE DISTANCE 10% FOR EACH 25°F. ABOVE STANDARD TEMPERATURE FOR PARTICULAR ALTITUDE.

### Exercise 51. Interpretation

Based on the information given in each of the following conditions, use the Climb Data Chart below to determine these two climb performance factors. Write the figures for best climb speed and rate of climb in the spaces provided. (The first item has been completed as an example.)

(The Climb Data Chart is primarily useful in determining Best Rate-of-Climb Airspeed and the resulting rate of climb.)

	GROSS WEIGHT (lbs)	PRESSURE ALTITUDE (ft)	BEST CLIMB SPEED (mph)	RATE OF CLIMB (fpm)
1.	2,200	5,000	77	520
2.	1,900	0	_____	_____
3.	1,900	10,000	_____	_____
4.	2,200	0	_____	_____
5.	1,600	10,000	_____	_____

## CLIMB DATA



GROSS WEIGHT LBS.	AT SEA LEVEL & 59°F			AT 5000 FT. & 41°F			AT 10000 FT. & 23°F			AT 15000 FT. & 50°F		
	BEST CLIMB IAS MPH	RATE OF CLIMB FT/MIN	GAL. OF FUEL USED	BEST CLIMB IAS MPH	RATE OF CLIMB FT/MIN	GAL. OF FUEL USED	BEST CLIMB IAS MPH	RATE OF CLIMB FT/MIN	GAL. OF FUEL USED	BEST CLIMB IAS MPH	RATE OF CLIMB FT/MIN	GAL. OF FUEL USED
1600	71	1220	1.0	69	955	1.8	67	690	2.6	65	425	3.8
1900	75	940	1.0	73	710	2.1	71	475	3.3	69	245	5.2
2200	78	730	1.0	77	520	2.4	75	310	4.1	74	105	7.6

NOTE: FLAPS UP, FULL THROTTLE, AND MIXTURE LEANED FOR SMOOTH OPERATION ABOVE 5000 FT.  
FUEL USED INCLUDES WARM-UP AND TAKEOFF ALLOWANCE.

### Exercise 52. Interpretation

Based on the information given in each of the following conditions, use the Cruise Performance Chart on this page to determine the significant factors related to cruising operation. Write the figures for the % BHP, TAS, and Gallons Per Hour Fuel Consumption in the spaces provided. If the condition given should fall in the shaded area, write "Not Recommended" across the spaces. (The first item has been completed as an example.)

MIXTURE	PRESSURE ALTITUDE (ft)	RPM	% BHP	TAS (mph)	FUEL USED (gph)
1. Rich	5,000	2,500	65	123	10.0
2. Lean	5,000	2,500	_____	_____	_____
3. Lean	7,500	2,300	_____	_____	_____
4. Rich	2,500	2,600	_____	_____	_____
5. Lean	10,000	2,650	_____	_____	_____

CRUISE PERFORMANCE WITH RICH MIXTURE								
ALT	RPM	BHP	% BHP	TAS MPH	Gal. / Hour	Endr. Hours	Mi. / Gal.	Range Miles
2500	2700	128	86	136	12.6	2.9	10.8	400
	2600	114	76	130	11.1	3.2	11.7	430
	2500	101	70	124	10.1	3.7	12.3	455
	2400	90	62	118	9.2	4.0	12.8	475
	2300	79	55	112	8.5	4.4	13.2	490
	2200	70	48	106	7.8	4.7	13.6	500
	2100	61	42	99	7.2	5.2	13.9	515
5000	2700	118	81	135	12.1	3.1	11.2	415
	2600	106	73	129	10.9	3.4	11.8	440
	2550	100	69	126	10.4	3.6	12.2	450
	2500	94	65	123	10.0	3.7	12.4	455
	2400	84	58	117	9.1	4.0	12.8	475
	2300	74	51	111	8.4	4.4	13.2	490
	2200	65	45	104	7.7	4.8	13.5	500
CRUISE PERFORMANCE WITH LEAN MIXTURE								
2500	2700	128	88	136	11.2	3.3	12.2	450
	2600	114	78	130	9.9	3.7	13.1	485
	2500	101	70	124	8.8	4.2	14.0	520
	2400	90	62	118	7.8	4.7	15.1	560
	2300	79	55	112	6.9	5.3	16.2	600
	2200	70	48	106	6.1	6.1	17.4	645
	2100	61	42	99	5.4	6.9	18.8	685
5000	2700	118	81	135	10.3	3.6	13.1	455
	2600	106	73	129	9.2	4.0	14.0	520
	2550	100	69	126	8.7	4.2	14.5	535
	2500	94	65	123	8.3	4.5	14.9	550
	2400	84	58	117	7.3	5.1	16.1	595
	2300	74	51	111	6.5	5.7	17.1	635
	2200	65	45	104	5.7	6.5	18.3	680
7500	2700	57	40	98	5.0	7.4	19.5	720
	2650	103	71	131	9.1	4.1	14.5	535
	2600	98	68	129	8.6	4.3	15.0	555
	2500	87	60	122	7.8	4.8	16.0	590
	2400	78	54	116	6.8	5.4	17.0	630
	2300	69	48	109	6.0	6.2	18.2	670
	2200	61	42	103	5.3	7.0	19.4	720
10,000	2700	54	37	96	4.7	7.9	20.5	755
	2650	96	66	130	8.4	4.4	15.5	575
	2600	91	63	127	7.9	4.7	16.0	590
	2500	81	56	120	7.1	5.2	17.0	630
	2400	73	50	115	6.4	5.8	18.0	665
	2300	64	44	108	5.6	6.6	19.2	710
	2200	57	39	101	5.0	7.4	20.3	750
12,500	2700	51	35	85	4.4	8.3	21.4	790
	2600	84	58	125	7.3	5.0	17.0	630
	2500	76	52	119	6.6	5.6	18.0	565
	2400	68	47	113	5.9	6.2	19.0	700
	2300	61	42	106	5.3	7.0	20.1	745
	2200	54	37	100	4.7	7.8	21.1	780

NOTE: Shaded areas are cruising RPM settings that are not recommended for the given altitude.

**Exercise 53. Interpretation**

Based on the information given in each of the following conditions, use the Landing Conditions Chart on this page to determine the significant factors related to landing. Write the figures for approach IAS, distance to clear a 50-foot obstacle, and landing roll in the spaces provided. Remember to reduce distances (only) 10% for each 6 mph of headwind. All conditions given are based on full (40°) flaps, power off, and a hard-surfaced runway. (The first item has been completed as an example.)

	GROSS WEIGHT (lbs)	PRESSURE ALTITUDE (ft)	HEAD- WIND (mph)	APPROACH IAS (mph)	DIST TO CLEAR 50 FT OBSTACLE (ft)	GROUND ROLL (ft)
1.	2,200	5,000	20	63	872	532
2.	2,200	5,000	0	_____	_____	_____
3.	1,600	2,500	11	_____	_____	_____
4.	2,200	0	18	_____	_____	_____
5.	1,600	7,500	0	_____	_____	_____



FIND:

1. Ground roll \_\_\_\_\_ ft.
2. Takeoff distance to clear 50-foot obstacle \_\_\_\_\_ ft.
3. Best initial rate of climb IAS \_\_\_\_\_ mph
4. Rate of climb (average sea level and 5,000 feet) \_\_\_\_\_ fpm
5. Time to climb to cruising altitude (compute from 4) \_\_\_\_\_ min.
6. Cruising rpm (5,000 ft.) \_\_\_\_\_ rpm
7. Cruising TAS (5,000 ft.) \_\_\_\_\_ mph
8. Rate of fuel consumption (5,000 ft.) \_\_\_\_\_ gph
9. Fuel used (add 2.3 gallons for climb) \_\_\_\_\_ gal.
10. Landing gross weight (compute) \_\_\_\_\_ lbs.
11. Approach IAS (use 1,600 lbs.) \_\_\_\_\_ mph
12. Landing distance to clear 50-foot obstacle (use 1,600 lbs.) \_\_\_\_\_ ft.
13. Landing ground roll (use 1,600 lbs.) \_\_\_\_\_ ft.

## SECTION VII. FLIGHT PUBLIC

### Chapter 24. Airman's Information Manual

#### Exercise 55. *Statements*

The following statements, when completed, will emphasize important points in this chapter. Write, in the blank spaces provided, the words which will correctly complete the statements.

1. The *Airman's Information Manual* (AIM) contains all the information necessary for the \_\_\_\_\_ and conduct of a flight in the United States.
2. The AIM is divided into \_\_\_\_\_ sections.
3. The AIM is revised periodically by sections to provide a completely new manual every \_\_\_\_\_ months.
4. Educational, instructional, and training information is primarily grouped in Section \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Section II, ATC Operations and Procedures, serves as an \_\_\_\_\_ means of publishing pertinent traffic control information of interest to all pilots.
6. Special notices are an important part of Section III which is entitled \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Changes to Sectional Charts, since date of publication, that present hazardous conditions or impose a restriction on the pilot, are contained in the \_\_\_\_\_, also a part of Section III.
8. Section IIIA contains \_\_\_\_\_ (NOTAMS) and is published every \_\_\_\_\_ days.
9. Permanent data appearing in the NOTAMS are preceded by a \_\_\_\_\_ and are usually cited only once.
10. Sections IV and IVA contain Directories of \_\_\_\_\_; Section IVA also contains a tabulation of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ facilities.

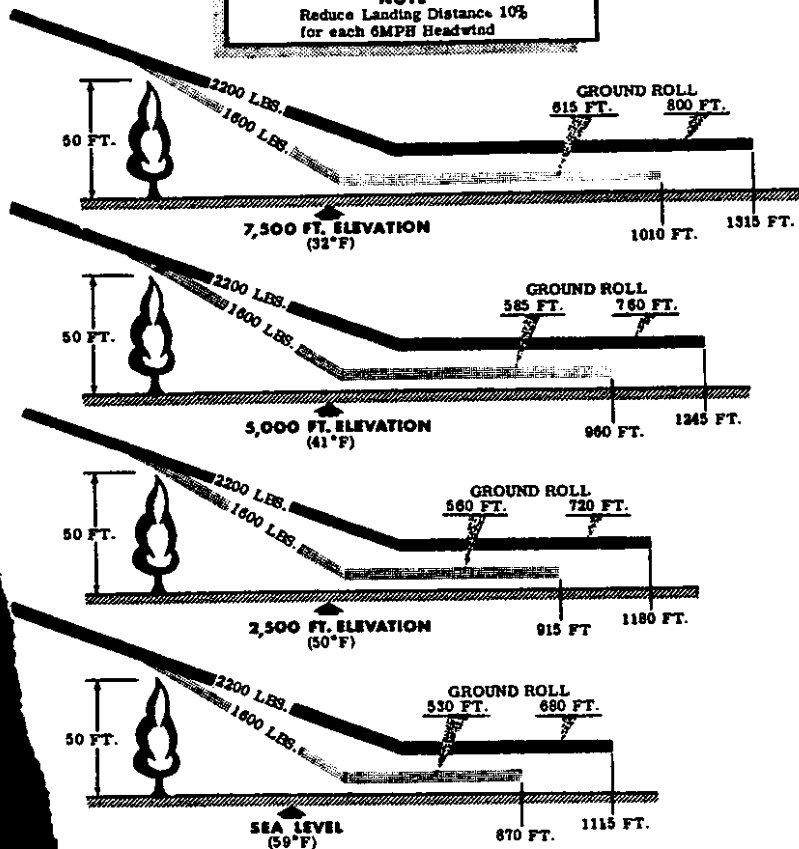
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ normally consists of a wind indicator, landing direction indicator, and traffic pattern direction indicator.
7. In a standard traffic pattern, a flight path at right angles to the landing runway off its approach end extending from the downwind leg to the intersection of the extended runway centerline is called the \_\_\_\_\_.
8. The airport \_\_\_\_\_ (121.7 mc or 121.9 mc) are normally provided to eliminate congestion on the tower frequency.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ may be provided by radar equipped approach control facilities, to include wind, runway, traffic, and NOTAM information.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ indicate locations for Military Low Level Navigational/Bombing Training Flights by jet aircraft.
11. A VHF omnidirectional range or \_\_\_\_\_ is a navigational radio facility often referred to as "omni."
12. \_\_\_\_\_ is the standard world-wide VHF emergency frequency.
13. VHF radio transmissions are subject to \_\_\_\_\_ restrictions.
14. \_\_\_\_\_ is the abbreviation for an FAA Flight Service Station.

# LANDING CONDITIONS

APPROACH IAS 63 MPH @ 2200 LBS.  
53 MPH @ 1600 LBS.

WING FLAPS — 40°  
POWER OFF  
HARD SURFACE RUNWAY

**NOTE**  
Reduce Landing Distance 10%  
for each 6MPH Headwind



## SECTION VI. REVIEW

### Exercise 54. *Review*

Based on the conditions given for the following hypothetical flight, use the charts in Exercises 50 through 53 to determine the performance in each phase. Write your figures in the spaces provided.

#### GIVEN:

TAKEOFF CONDITIONS		CRUISE CONDITIONS	
Gross Weight	1900 lbs.	Cruising Altitude	5,500 ft.
Pressure Altitude	0	Mixture	Lean
Temperature	60° F	% BHP	65%
Headwind	15 mph	Cruising duration (time)	4 hrs.

#### LANDING CONDITIONS

Pressure Altitude	2,500 ft.
Headwind	6 mph
Flaps	40°
Runway (Hard-Surfaced)	3,200 ft.

12. Abilene Municipal Airport—Type of servicing available:  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
and \_\_\_\_\_ repairs.

13. Abilene Municipal Airport—Communication Frequencies:  
Tower (primary) \_\_\_\_\_, Ground Control  
\_\_\_\_\_

14. Big Spring Radio Beacon (RBN)—Transcribed weather broadcast? \_\_\_\_\_

15. Britton VOR—Frequency \_\_\_\_\_

16. Dallas-Love Field—Remarks: Glide angle restriction on Runway \_\_\_\_\_

17. Fort Worth-Greater Southwest International Field—Tower voice call \_\_\_\_\_, Communication frequencies: Tower (primary) \_\_\_\_\_, Ground Control \_\_\_\_\_, Traffic Information \_\_\_\_\_

18. Wichita Falls Air Terminal—Remarks: Rectangular traffic pattern altitude \_\_\_\_\_ feet MSL, traffic direction Runways 17 and 33 \_\_\_\_\_

19. Standard FSS transmitting frequencies: Airport Advisories \_\_\_\_\_, Emergency \_\_\_\_\_

20. Dallas Flight Service Station telephone number \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Weather Bureau aviation weather restricted telephone number \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTIONAL CHART BULLETIN

The purpose of this Bulletin is to provide a tabulation of the major changes in aeronautical information that have occurred since the last publication date of each Sectional Aeronautical Chart. The general policy is to include only those changes to controlled airspace and special use airspace that present a hazardous condition or impose a restriction on the pilot; major changes to airports and radio navigational facilities, thereby providing the VFR pilot with the essential data necessary to update and maintain his chart current. When the Sectional Aeronautical Chart is republished, the corrective tabulation will be removed from this Bulletin.

### DALLAS

58th Edition, February 6, 1964

Add obstn 1268' MSL 32°01'40"N, 97°44'48"W. Add obstn 1113' MSL 32°29'52"N, 97°12'18"W. Delete UNICOM Turner Lodge arpt 33°35'N, 97°19'W. Delete Greater Southwest ctl twr freq 317. Delete UNICOM Sherman arpt 33°38'N, 96°35'W. Delete Love ctl twr freq 278. Delete Redbird ctl twr freq 248. Delete Dallas RBn 32°49'N, 96°52'W. Add obstn 1323' MSL 32°32'15"N, 97°24'46"W. Add Howard Co arpt ctl zone 5 mi radius with NW extsn 32°18'05"N, 101°26'20"W. Change Plainview VOR freq 110.6 to 112.9. Change Abilene VORTAC freq 112.6 ch 73 to 113.7 ch 84.

EXCERPTS

### Section III-A-NOTICES TO AIRMEN

This section is issued every 14 days and is primarily designed to supplement Section III of the AIM. It contains appropriate notices from the daily NOTAM Summary, Airman Advisories, new or revised Oil Burner Routes, hazardous airspace activities and other items considered essential to flight safety.

NOTE: Data preceded by a checkmark (✓) are considered permanent and will usually be cited only once. Such information should be noted on charts and records. Temporary information is continuously cited until the condition is no longer in effect.

NOTE: Data is arranged in alphabetical order by State (and within the State by City or locality).

NEW OR REVISED DATA: New or revised data are indicated by underlining the first line of the affected item. The new information is not necessarily limited to the underlined portion, which is used only to attract attention to the new insert.

### TEXAS

**BIG SPRING:** Due intsv jet t/c at Webb operg Mon-Fri during dalgt hrs it is suggested all acft operg VFR remain at or above 9000' MSL when traversing area encompassed by 15 nmi arc of BGS VOR, excluding any overlap of V-66, including area W along V-16S to point 20 nmi SW of BGS VOR, and an extsn E to include area bounded N by S bndry of Trng Area Webb AFB/Reese Three, bounded S by N bndry of V-66, to N-S line drawn through town of Lorraine, Tex. Concentrated jet trng within 10 nmi radius of Colorado City Aux Arpt lctd aprxly 38 nmi E Big Spring. VFR student jet t/c crossing airways within radius of 60 nmi BGS VOR utilizing appropriate VFR hemispherical crossing for t/c advisories.

**BIG SPRING HAMILTON FLD:** Caution, all alt 3,600' MSL and above intensive jet t/c. T-37 t/c pattern alt at Webb AFB 3,600' MSL.

**BIG SPRING HOWARD COUNTY ARPT.** Caution, all alt 4,100' MSL and above, intensive jet t/c. T-37 t/c pattern alt at Webb AFB 3,600' MSL.

**DALLAS-HIGHLAND PARK ARPT:** 110' of N end rwy 17 will be removed due highway constrn. Usable portion will be marked by threshold line.

**DALLAS, LOVE FLD:** Two bldgs being erected 5 nmi SSE (144°T) at lat 32°47'00", long 96°47'50". Bldg A max tmpry hgt 661' (1115' MSL). Completed bldg will be 595.5'. (1039' MSL). Bldg B will reach max tmpry hgt 710' (1149' MSL). Completed bldg will be 609.5' (1049' MSL).

**LUBBOCK MUN ARPT:** N 400' rwy 17L-35R clsd during constrn new E/W rwy. Usable lndg length both directions 3000'. Rwy 12-30 clsd indefinitely.

**MIDLAND AIR TRML:** Webb AFB T-38 acft will be making practice ILS apchs to transition from Webb 1 Intensive student jet trng area to the Midland ILS, acft will repart Webb 1 Intensive Student Jet Trng area northbound at 12,000' MSL descending to intercept W course of the Midland ILS lclzr. All transition and practice ILS apchs shall be during dalgt hrs in VFR conditions and only when Webb 1 Intensive Student Jet Trng Area is in use.

## AIRPORT FACILITY DIRECTORY LEGEND

### LOCATION

The airport location is given in nautical miles (to the nearest mile) and direction from center of referenced city.

### ELEVATION

Elevation is given in feet above mean sea level and is based on highest usable portion of the landing area. When elevation is sea level, elevation will be indicated as '00'. When elevation is below sea level, a minus sign (-) will precede the figure.

### RUNWAYS

The runway surface, length, reciprocal headings, and weight bearing capacity are listed for the longest instrument runway or sealane, or the longest active landing portion of the runway or strip, given to the nearest hundred feet, using 70 feet as the division point, i.e., 1468 feet would be shown as "14"; 1474 feet would be shown as "15." Runway lengths prefixed by the letter "H" indicates that runways are hard surfaced (concrete; asphalt; bitumen, or macadam with a seal coat). If the runway length is not prefixed, the surface is sod, clay, etc. The total number of runways available is shown in parenthesis. (However, only hard surfaced runways are counted at airfields with both hard surfaced and sod runways.)

### RUNWAY WEIGHT BEARING CAPACITY

Add 000 to figure following S, T, TT and MAX for gross weight capacity, e.g., (S-000).

S—Runway weight bearing capacity for aircraft with single-wheel type landing gear. (DC-3), etc.

T—Runway weight bearing capacity for aircraft with twin-wheel type landing gear. (DC-6), etc.

TT—Runway weight bearing capacity for aircraft with twin-tandem type landing gear. (707), etc.

Quadricycle and twin-tandem are considered virtually equal for runway weight bearing considerations, as are single-tandem and twin-wheel.

A blank space following the letter designation is used to indicate the runway weight bearing capacity to sustain aircraft with the same type landing gear, although definite figures are not available, e.g., (T-).

MAX—Maximum runway gross weight bearing capacity for all aircraft.

Omission of weight bearing capacity indicates information unknown. Footnote remarks are used to indicate a runway with a weight bearing greater than the longest runway.

### SEAPLANE BASE FACILITIES

A number preceding the parenthetical designation, indicates the number (quantity) available.

Beaching gear, consisting of the quantity and type of beaching gear available.

The number (quantity) if available, of Mooring Buoys (MB) and Crash Boats (CB) available. MB & CB indicates details of quantity are not available.

### LIGHTING

B: Rotating Light (Rotating beacon). Green and white, split-beam and other types.) Omission of B indicates rotating light is either not available or not operating standard hours (sunset-sunrise).

NOTE.—Code lights are not codified, and are carried in Remarks.

L: Field Lighting (when code L4-7 is indicated, lighting 4, 5, 6, 7 is available). An asterisk (\*) preceding an element indicates that it operates on prior request only (by phone call, telegram or letter). Where the asterisk is not shown, the lights are in operation or available sunset to sunrise or by request (circling the field or radio call). L by itself indicates temporary lighting, such as flares, smudge pots, lanterns.

1—Strip lights or portable runway lights (electrical)

2—Boundry

3—Runway Floods

4—Low Intensity Runway

5—Medium Intensity Runway

6—High Intensity Runway

7—Instrument Approach (neon)

8A, B, or C—High Intensity Instrument Approach

U.S. STANDARD (A)	LEFT SINGLE ROW (HIGH INTENSITY)	NEON LADDER

9—Sequence Flashing Lights (3,000' out unless otherwise stated)

10—Visual Approach Slope Indicator (VASI)

11—Runway end identification lights (threshold strobe) (REIL)

12—Short approach light systems (SALS)



# AIRPORT FACILITY DIRECTORY

## SERVICES AVAILABLE

(See ATC Operations and Procedures, Section II)

### TOWER

Clearance Delivery (CLRNC DEL).  
 Approach Control (APP CON) Radar and Non-Radar.  
 Departure Control (DEP CON) Radar and Non-Radar.  
 VFR Advisory Service (VFR ADV) Non-Radar.  
 Traffic Information Service (TFC INFO) Radar.  
 Surveillance Radar Approach (ASR).  
 Precision Radar Approach (PAR).  
 Ground Control (GND CON).  
 VHF Direction Finding (VHF/DF).

### RADAR APPROACH PROCEDURE MINIMA

Weather minima for precision and surveillance radar approaches (PAR/ASR) specify only the lowest straight-in authorized for the approach.

## FLIGHT SERVICE STATION (FSS)

Airport Advisory Service (AAS).  
 Flight Following Service.  
 Island, Mountain and Lake Reporting Service.

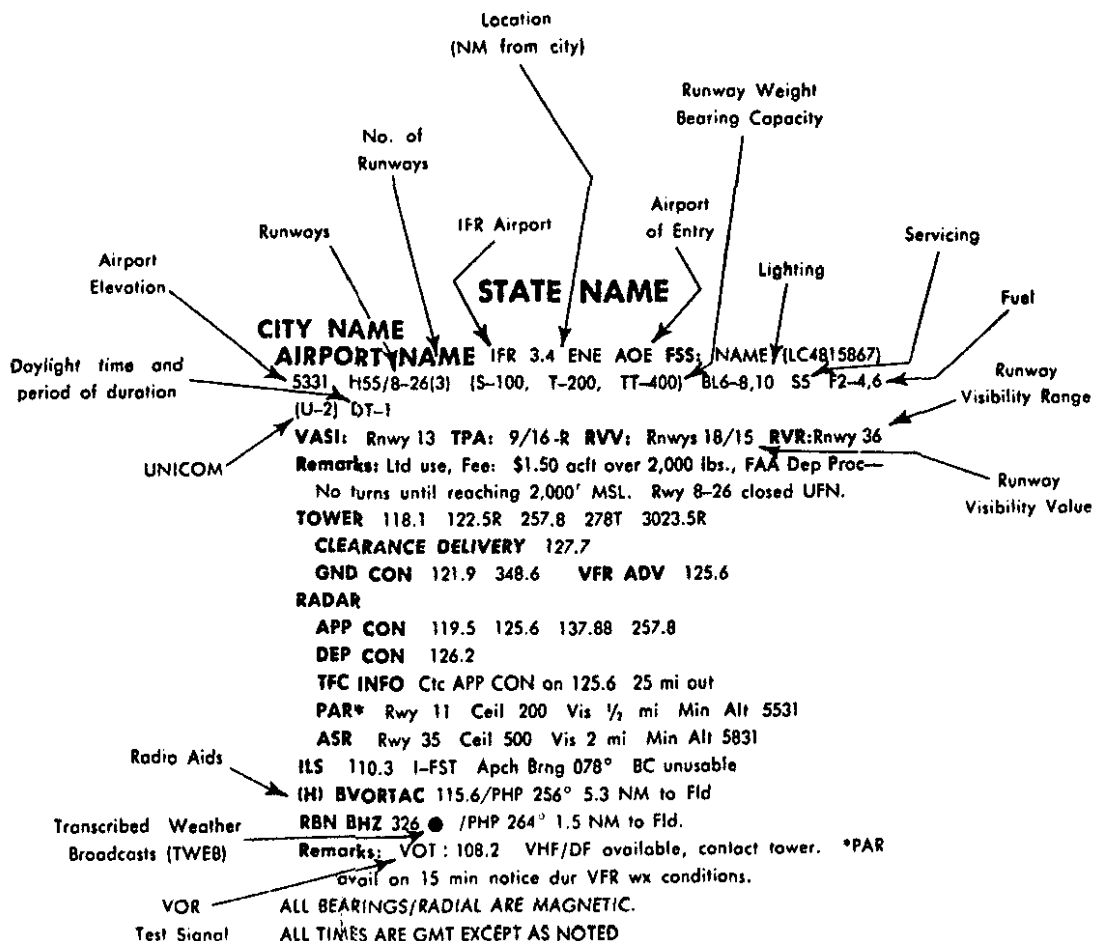
Standard Flight Service Station civil communications frequencies are: 123.6 126.7 122.2T 122.1R and emergency 121.5. These frequencies are normally available at all stations listed.

## UNICOM

Private aeronautical station, operates same hours as the airport, transmits and receives on one of the following frequencies:

U-1-122.8 mc (at airports without a control tower).  
 U-2-123.0 mc (at airports with a control tower).

## SAMPLE



# AIRPORT FACILITY DIRECTORY

## Lighting (Con't)

- 13-Runway alignment lights (RAIL)
- 14-Runway centerline
- 15-Touchdown zone

Because the obstructions on virtually all lighted fields are lighted, obstruction lights have not been included in the codification.

## SERVICING

- S1: Storage.
- S2: Storage, minor airframe repairs.
- S3: Storage, minor airframe and minor powerplant repairs.
- S4: Storage, major airframe and minor powerplant repairs.
- S5: Storage, major airframe and major powerplant repairs.

## FUEL

- F1 80 oct., at least.
- F2 80/87 oct., or lower
- F3 91/96 oct., or lower
- F4 100/130 performance rating, or lower.
- F5 115/145 performance rating, or lower.

## TURBINE FUELS

- TP-1 650 turbine fuels for civil jets.
- JP-1 (Kerosene), JP-3, JP-4, JP-5.

## DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

An airport located in a geographic area which normally converts to daylight saving time will be so identified by use of a code.

The two most common time periods during which daylight time is in effect in the conterminous United States are April 25-September 26 and April 25-October 31, and these are indicated as DT 1 and DT 2 respectively. The code "DT" by itself indicates that daylight time is in effect but not on the common time periods of DT 1 or DT 2. In such cases the applicable time period is footnoted in the airport remarks section.

Reference to daylight time will remain in the Airport Directory continuously.

## OTHER

- AOE-Airport of Entry.
- VASI-Visual Approach Slope Indicator, applicable runway provided.
- RVV-Runway visibility, applicable runway provided.
- RVR-Runway Visual Range, applicable runway provided.
- TPA-Traffic Pattern Altitude-This information is provided only at those airports without a 24-hour operating control tower or without an FSS providing Airport Advisory Service. Directions of turns are indicated only when turns of the pattern(s) are to the right (non-standard). TPA data are related to the runway listed under the tabulated airport information. Generally, only one altitude is listed; however, at some airports two altitudes have been established; one for conventional aircraft and one for high performance aircraft. They are shown in this manner, TPA 8/15-R (increments of 100 feet). The higher figure being the higher performance aircraft altitude.

FSS-The name of the controlling FSS is shown in all instances. When the FSS is located on the named airport, "on fld" is shown following the FSS name. When the FSS can be called through the local telephone exchange, (Foreign Exchange) at the cost of a local call, it is indicated by "(L.C)" (local call) with the phone number immediately following the name of the FSS, i.e., "FSS: WICHITA (L.C. 481-5867)." When an Intephone line exists between the field and the FSS, it is indicated by "(DL)" (direct line) immediately following the name of the FSS, i.e., "FSS: OTTO (DL)".

## AIRPORT REMARKS

"FEE" indicates landing charges for private or nonrevenue producing aircraft. In addition, fees may be charged for planes that remain over a couple of hours and buy no services, or at major airline terminals for all aircraft.

"Rgt t/c 13-31" indicates right turns should be made on landings and takeoffs on runways 13 and 31.

Limited-intended for private use, but use by public is not prohibited.

Remarks data is confined to operational items affecting the status and usability of the airport, traffic patterns and departure procedures.

Obstructions.-Because of space limitations only the more dangerous obstructions are indicated. Natural obstructions, such as trees, clearly discernible for contact operations, are frequently omitted. On the other hand, all pole lines within at least 15:1 glide angle are indicated.

## COMMUNICATIONS

Clearance is required prior to taxiing on a runway, taking off, or landing at a tower controlled airport.

When operating at an airport where the control tower is operated by the U.S. Government, two-way radio communication is required unless otherwise authorized by the tower. (When the tower is operated by someone other than the U.S. Government, two-way radio communication is required if the aircraft has the necessary equipment.)

Frequencies transmit and receive unless specified as: T-Transmit only, R-Receive only, X-On request. Primary frequencies are listed first in each frequency grouping, i.e., VHF, LF. Emergency frequency 121.5 is available at all TOWER, APPROACH CONTROL and RADAR facilities, unless indicated otherwise by a crossout: ~~121.5~~

Radar available is listed under "RADAR SERVICES" Radar beacons are indicated by "(BCN)" after "RADAR SERVICES", when available.

## VOICE CALL

The voice call for contact with the traffic control services listed at each airport is the airport name followed by the call of the particular service desired, i.e., "LAGUARDIA TOWER." In these instances, only the name of the service is listed. When the voice call of the facility is not the same as the airport name, the complete voice call is listed.

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**GRAHAM MUNI 2 E**  
1120 H33 (1) BL4 S3 F4 U-1 FSS: MINERAL WELLS  
Remarks: P-line W. Tower N. Soft when wet. 300' twr 3/4  
mi SW.

**GRAND PRAIRIE Adj S**  
550 H28 (3) \*L4 F4 U-1 FSS: DALLAS (LC FL 7-2825)  
Remarks: P-lines N, NE, SW; bldgs NW. 1521' (2349' MSL)  
twr 8 nmi SSE.

**GRAPEVINE**  
**SOUTH LAKE 4 W** FSS: FORT WORTH  
700 14 (1)  
Remarks: P-line NW.

**WRIGHT FARM 1 N**  
625 20 (1) F2 FSS: FORT WORTH  
Remarks: Trees NE end. Unattended. 1113' (1743' MSL)  
and 1074' (1679' MSL) twrs 9 nmi SSW.

**GREATER SOUTHWEST INTL, DALLAS-FT WORTH FLD**  
See FT WORTH, GREATER SOUTHWEST INTL, DALLAS-  
FT WORTH FLD in Section IV-A

**HAMILTON**  
**HAMILTON FLD** See BIG SPRINGS  
**HAMILTON MUNI 2 S**  
1320 30 (2) B\*L4 F2 FSS: WACO

**HOWARD CO** See BIG SPRING

**KICKAPOO** See WICHITA FALLS

**LAMESA**  
**JOHNSON FLYING SERVICE 2 N**  
3050 26 (2) F2 FSS: MIDLAND  
Remarks: Unltd twr S. E bldg. P-line W. Fuel emgcy.  
**LAMESA MUNI 1 E**  
2994 H42 (2) L4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: MIDLAND  
Remarks: Threshold displaced 270' rwy 15. P-lines  
opch rwy 24.

**LOVE FLD** See DALLAS, LOVE FLD in Section IV-A

**LUBBOCK**  
**LUBBOCK MUNI** See Section IV-A  
**TOWN AND COUNTRY APRK 6 S**  
3270 H21 (1) L4 S5 F4 FSS: LUBBOCK  
Remarks: P-line W 3200 strip.

**MIDLAND**  
**MIDLAND APRK 3 N**  
2805 H58 (3) L4 F4 U-1 FSS: MIDLAND (LC LO 3-2611)  
Remarks: Rgt tfc runways 25, 29 and 34. 1137' (4049' MSL)  
twr 10 nmi WNW.

**MIDLAND-AIR TERMINAL** See Section IV-A

**MINERAL WELLS IFR 3 SE**  
964 H42 (2) BL4 S5 F5 U-1 FSS: MINERAL WELLS on Fld  
Remarks: Rwy 17-35 clsd to air carrier use glide angle  
10:1. TV ant lctd on end rwy 17.

**NOCONA 1 SW**  
940 26 (1) FSS: WICHITA FALLS  
Remarks: P-line NW.

**OLNEY MUNI 3 SW**  
1274 H55 (3) F2 FSS: WICHITA FALLS  
Remarks: Use runways.

**RED BIRD** See DALLAS, RED BIRD in Section IV-A

**SAGINAW** See FT WORTH

**SHEPPARD AFB/WICHITA FALLS AIR TRML** See  
WICHITA FALLS, SHEPPARD AFB/WICHITA FALLS AIR  
TRML in Section IV-A

**SHERMAN MUNI IFR 1 SE**  
745 H40 (1) BL4 F4 FSS: ARDMORE  
VFR ADV: PERRIN APP CON 124.3, 135.9, 126.8, TPA 8  
Remarks: Rgt tfc rwy 34.

**SNYDER**  
**WINSTON FLD 2 SW**  
2434 H48 (2) BL4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: MIDLAND  
Remarks: Fence SE.

**STAMFORD**  
**ARLEDGE FLD 4 SE**  
1545 H23 (3) \*L F2 FSS: ABILENE

**STEPHENVILLE**  
**CLARK MUNI 1 E**  
1318 H42 (1) BL4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: MINERAL WELLS

**SWEETWATER MUNI 3 W**  
2386 H62 (3) BL4 F4 U-1 FSS: ABILENE  
Remarks: Lgts emgcy only. Rwy lgts dusk-8 PM and on  
prior req.

**TERRELL**  
**TERRELL MUNI 1 SE**  
479 H30 (2) L4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: DALLAS  
Remarks: P-line NW.

**WHITE ROCK** See DALLAS

**WICHITA FALLS**  
**KICKAPOO 3 S**  
985 H20 (1) L4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: WICHITA FALLS (LC 322-1302)  
Remarks: P-line NW, 3600' strip avbl. Atndd daylight  
hours. 1028' (2046' MSL) and 1049' (2049' MSL) twrs  
4.5 nmi WNW.

**SHEPPARD AFB/WICHITA FALLS AIR TRML** See  
Section IV-A

**WICHITA VALLEY IFR 6 NW**  
1020 H35 (1) L4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: WICHITA FALLS (LC 322-1302)  
Remarks: S bldg; P-lines S, SW, W, NW. Rwy lgts on req  
after 2230. Atndd daylight hours. 1028' (2046' MSL) and  
1049' (2049' MSL) twrs 5 nmi SE.

**WINSTON FIELD** See SNYDER

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\*\*\*TEXAS\*\*\*

TEXAS—Continued

**ABERNATHY MUNI** 4 E  
3327 H50 (3) S5 F4 FSS: LUBBOCK  
Remarks: Attended days.

**ABILENE**  
**ABILENE MUNI** See Section IV-A  
.....  
**BUTTERFIELD TRAIL** 5 NW  
1670 H25 (1) L4 \*S3 F4 U-1 FSS: ABILENE (LC OR 4-6915)  
Remarks: Rnwy 1 apch restricted by trees. Glide angle 0 to 1.

**ADDISON** See DALLAS, ADDISON in Section IV-A

**ALBANY**  
**TAYLOR** 1 N  
1429 H30 (1) S1 F4 FSS: ABILENE  
Remarks: S bldd.

**ANDREWS COUNTY** 1 E  
3176 H47 (3) L4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: MIDLAND  
Remarks: Flood lgts around area. Use rnwys. Displaced threshold 765 N rnwy 33.

**ARLINGTON**  
**ARLINGTON MUNI IFR** 4 S  
630 H40 (1) L4 S5 F4 FSS: FORT WORTH (LC MA 4-8444)  
VFR ADV For APP CON, DEP CON See FORT WORTH/  
GREATER SOUTHWEST INTL in Section IV-A  
Remarks: 1521' (2349' MSL) twr 6.5 nmi ESE. 1074'  
(1679' MSL) and 1113' 1743' MSL) twrs 10 nmi NW.

**BIG SPRING**  
**HAMILTON FLD** 1 N  
2517 H28 (1) S3 F4 FSS: MIDLAND  
Remarks: P-line N. Irregularly attended.

**HOWARD CO IFR** 3 NE  
2563 H55 (2) BL4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: MIDLAND  
VFR ADV WEBB APP CON; 126.2, 122.7R  
Remarks: Rgt tfe rnwy 24 & 34.

**BRECKENRIDGE**  
**STEPHENS CO** 2 S  
1282 H38 (3) BL4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: MINERAL WELLS

**CISCO MUNI** 3 NW  
1612 28 (4) F4 FSS: MINERAL WELLS  
Remarks: P-line N.

**CLARK (MUNI)** See STEPHENVILLE

**COLEMAN MUNI** 1 NE  
1697 H39 (1) BL4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: ABILENE  
Remarks: P-line N.

**CORSICANA**  
**CORSICANA MUNI** 5 SE  
440 H34 (1) BL4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: DALLAS  
Remarks: P-line NE.

**CROSBYTON**  
**PAULDER** 1 E  
3017 H26 (1) F4 FSS: LUBBOCK  
Remarks: Use rnwy. 3900' strip avbl.

**DALLAS**  
**ADDISON** See Section IV-A

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**DALLAS GARLAND IFR** 9 NE  
614 H34 (2) L4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: DALLAS (LC FL 7-2825)  
VFR ADV: For APP CON DEP CON See DALLAS/LOVE  
FLD in Section IV-A

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**HIGHLAND PARK** 8 N  
573 H23 (1) S5 F4 U-1 FSS: DALLAS (LC FL 7-2825)  
Remarks: Use rnwys, twys only.

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**HI-WAY 77** 9 S  
665 40 (5) S5 FSS: DALLAS (LC FL 7-2825)  
Remarks: P-lines SE, W. 1521' (2349' MSL) twr 8 nmi WSW.

**LOVE FLD** See Section IV-A

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**PARK CITIES** 9 NW  
483 H17 (1) L4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: DALLAS (LC FL 7-2825)  
Remarks: P-line NW. Rgt tfe rnwys 13 and 17.

**RED BIRD** See Section IV-A

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**WHITE ROCK** 6 NE  
543 H21 (1) S5 F4 U-1 FSS: DALLAS (LC FL 7-2825)

**DENTON MUNI** 3 W  
652 H41 (1) L4 S3 F4 FSS: FORT WORTH  
Remarks: P-lines E, SE.

**FORT WORTH**  
**GREATER SOUTHWEST INTL, DALLAS-FT WORTH FLD**  
See Section IV-A

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**LUCK** 10 S  
700 H30 (1) L4 S2 F4 FSS: FORT WORTH (LC MA 4-8444)  
Remarks: P-lines N and S. Attended days 1074' (1679'  
MSL) twr 9.5 nmi NNE. 1113' (1743' MSL) twr nmi  
NNE.

**MEACHAM FLD** See Section IV-A

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**OAK GROVE IFR** 11 S  
690 H20 (1) L4 S5 F4 U-1 FSS: FORT WORTH (LC MA 4-8444)  
VFR ADV: For APP CON, DEP CON See FORT WORTH/  
GREATER SOUTHWEST INTL in Section IV-A.  
Remarks: Rgt tfe N.

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**RUSSELL FLD** 6 S  
710 31 (2) S5 F4 FSS: FORT WORTH (LC MA 4-8444)  
Remarks: NE bldd. Extreme caution when wet. 1113'  
(1743' MSL) twr 8 nmi NNE. 1074' (1679' MSL) twr 7  
nmi NNE.

.....  
**SAGINAW** 8 N  
770 H26 (1) S5 F4 U-1 FSS: FORT WORTH (LC MA 4-8444)  
Remarks: P-lines S, SE. Rgt tfe strips 12, 18. 1113'  
(1743' MSL) and 1074' (1679' MSL) twr 9 nmi SE.

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TEXAS—Continued

ABILENE MUNI IFR 3 SE FSS: ABILENE on Fld

1778 H60/17-35 (2) (S-70, T-89, TT-145) BL4, 6, 8A

9 SS F4 JP-1 U2 RVV: Rnwy 35

REMARKS: NW-SE txwy used by lgt acft for Indg during  
high cross wind conditions. Rgt. t/c rnwys 4 & 35. VFR  
arriving acft requested ctc ABI APP CON 124.1 mc trans-  
mitt 122.5 and receive 124.1 mc 20 mi out.

TOWER 120.1 122.7R 110.3T 126.2 278T

GND CON 121.9

• RADAR SERVICES: (BCN)

APP CON 124.1 126.5 121.3 134.1 110.3T

DEP CON 125.0

122.5 and rcv

EXCERPTS

RADAR SERVICES:

DALLAS APP CON 123.7<sup>1</sup> 125.2 122.5R 119.8<sup>2</sup>  
114.4T 110.3T

DALLAS DEP CON 119.5

REMARKS: <sup>1</sup>127°-307° <sup>2</sup>308-126° <sup>3</sup>Oper 120-0400Z.

DYESS (L) VORW 109.2/DYS

RBn MHW 201/DYS

FORT WORTH

GREATER SOUTHWEST INTL DALLAS-FT. WORTH FLD

IFR 16 NE

FSS: FORT WORTH (LC MA 4-8444)

568 H90/17-35 (2) (S-83, T-120, TT-210) BL4, 6, 8A, 9

## FSS AND WEATHER BUREAU TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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Flight Service Stations (FSS) provide information on airport conditions, radio aids and other facilities, and process flight plans. Stations providing Airport Advisory Service (AAS) are indicated by the letters AAS following the FSS name. 122.2T is the standard FSS transmitting frequency for this service.

In addition, they provide an aviation weather briefing service. Flight and weather briefing service is provided on the telephone numbers listed. The telephone area code number is shown in parentheses. Each number given is the preferred telephone number to obtain flight weather information. Automatic answering devices are sometimes used on listed lines to give general local weather information during peak workloads. To avoid getting the recorded general weather announcement, use the selected telephone number listed.

★ Indicates Pilot's Automatic Telephone Weather Answering Service (PATWAS) available, providing transcribed aviation weather information.

◆ Indicates a restricted number, use for aviation weather information

■ Call FSS for "one call" FSS/WBAS briefing service.

Flight Service Stations are listed alphabetically, by state. The airport name, on which the FSS is located, is shown in parentheses when different from the FSS name.

Standard Flight Service Station civil communications frequencies are: 123.6 126.7 122.2T 122.1R and emergency 121.5. These frequencies are normally available at all stations listed.

### EXCERPTS

#### TEXAS

Location and Frequencies	Area Code	Telephone
Abilene.....	FSS (915)	OR 4-6915
	WB (915)	674-8844 ◆
Alice (AAS).....	FSS (512)	MO 4-4291
Amarillo (Air Terminal).....	FSS (806)	349-1608
	WB (806)	DI 9-2261
Austin (Robert Mueller).....	FSS (512)	GR 8-6695
	WB (512)	476-8554
Beaumont (Jefferson County).....	FSS (713)	RA 2-0288
	WB (713)	722-7011 ◆
Brownsville (Rio Grande Valley International).....	FSS (512)	LI 6-6421
	WB (512)	542-8231 ◆
Childress.....	FSS (817)	WE 7-3892
College Station (AAS) (Easterwood).....	FSS (713)	VI 6-8784/5
Corpus Christi.....	WB (512)	883-3008 ◆
Cotulla (AAS).....	FSS (512)	TR 9-2417
Dalhart.....	FSS (806)	CH 9-2006
Dallas Love Field.....	FSS (214)	FL 7-2825
	WB (214)	264-3481 ★
	(Transcribed from Ft. Worth)	
	WB (214)	749-3502 ◆
Del Rio.....	WB (512)	775-2115
El Paso (International).....	FSS (915)	PR 8-4447
	WB (915)	778-4487 ★
	WB (915)	772-3208 ◆
Fort Worth (AAS) (Meacham).....	FSS (817)	MA 4-8444
	WB (817)	283-1571 ★
	WB (817)	283-3961 ◆
Galveston (AAS) (Scholes).....	FSS (713)	SH 4-3255
	WB (713)	763-5670

#### TEXAS (Con't.)

Location and Frequencies	Area Code	Telephone
Gregg County (Longview).....	FSS (214)	MI 3-2612
Houston (International).....	FSS (713)	MI 5-6693
	WB (713)	644-1507 ★
	WB (713)	645-0178 ◆
Junction (AAS).....	FSF (713)	HI 6-3214 (1200-2400)
Laredo.....	WB (512)	473-5584 ◆
Lubbock.....	FSS (806)	PO 2-5065
	WB (806)	762-2380 ◆
Lufkin (AAS) (Angelena County).....	FSS (713)	NE 4-3544
McAllen (AAS) (Miller Field).....	FSS (512)	MU 6-2878
Midland (Air Terminal).....	FSS (915)	563-2611
	WB (713)	563-0850 ◆
Mineral Wells (AAS).....	FSS (713)	FA 5-5922
Odessa.....	WB (915)	563-0850 (Via Midland)
Palacios (AAS).....	FSS (713)	824-2218
Port Arthur.....	WB (713)	722-7011 ◆
San Angelo (Mathis).....	FSS (915)	655-5638
	WB (915)	655-9780 ◆
San Antonio (International).....	FSS (512)	826-6323 ■
Tyler (Pounds).....	FSS (214)	LY 4-6301
Victoria.....	WB (512)	445-1276 ◆
Waco.....	FSS (817)	PL 2-4811
	WB (817)	754-1582 ◆
Wichita Falls.....	FSS (817)	322-1302
	WB (817)	322-2011
Wink.....	FSS (915)	LA 7-3351

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ABILENE MUNI IFR 3 SE FSS: ABILENE on Fld  
1778 H60/17-35 (2) (S-70, T-89, TT-145) BL4, 6, 8A  
9 S5 F4 JP-1 U2 RVV: Rnwy 35

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REMARKS: NW-SE txy used by lgt acft for lndg during  
high cross wind conditions. Rgt. txc rwnys 4 & 35. VFR  
arriving acft requested etc ABI APP CON 124.1 mc trans-  
mitt 122.5 and receive 124.1 mc 20 mi out.

TOWER 120.1 122.7R 110.3T 126.2 278T  
GND CON 121.9

\* RADAR SERVICES: (BCN)

APP CON 124.1 126.5 121.3 134.1 110.3T

109.2T 113.7T DEP CON 125.0

TFC INFO Crc APP CON 121.3 or trans 122.5 and rcv  
121.3 mc 25 mi out

ILS 110.3 I-ABI Apch Brg 350° LOM: 353/AB

(H) BVORTAC 113.7/ABI 102° 9.5 NM to fld.

ADDISON (T) BVOR 111.4/ADS FSS: DALLAS

BIG SPRING (L) BVOR 114.3/BGS FSS: MIDLAND  
RBn SABH 326.4/BGS

BRIDGEPORT (L) BVORTAC 116.5/BPR FSS: FORT WORTH

BRITTON (L) BVOR 117.0/BRT FSS: FORT WORTH

## DALLAS

DALLAS LOVE FIELD IFR 5 NW FSS: DALLAS on Fld

485 H88/13R-31L (2) (S-100, T-150, TT-350) BL 4, 6,  
8A, 9, 10, 11, 14 S5 F5, JP1, 4 U2 VASl: Rnwy 31R

REIL: Rnwy 31 RVR: Rnwy 13L REIL: rwny 31R

REMARKS: Rnwy 36 apch restricted by poleline-glide  
angle 14 to 1. US Customs lndg rghts arpt 1230 am - 230  
pm Mon-Fri, 1230 am - 430 pm Sat. Reg arrival notice be  
forward customs when filing flt plan in Canada, Mexico  
or Cuba.

TOWER 126.2 122.5R 118.7

CLRNC DEL 121.6 GND CON 121.9

RADAR SERVICES:

DALLAS APP CON 125.2 123.7<sup>1</sup> 122.5R 119.8<sup>2</sup>

111.4T 110.3T

DALLAS DEP CON 119.5

TFC INFO Crc APP CON 25 mi out

PAR Rwnys 13L Coil 200 Vsby 1/2 mi Min Alt 685

ASR Rwnys 13, 18, 31<sup>1</sup>, 36 Coil 400 Vsby 1 mi Min  
Alt 885

ILS<sup>4</sup> 110.3 I-DAL Apch Brg 127° LOM: 371/OA

DALLAS (H) BVORTAC 114.6/DAL 219° 15.6 NM to fld

VHF/DF available, contact tower

REMARKS: <sup>1</sup>Maint at least 1400 til 3.5 mi from apch end  
of rwny 31 and 1000 til 1.4 mi from apch end of rwny 31.

<sup>2</sup>127°-307° <sup>3</sup>308°-126° <sup>4</sup>Glide slope unusable below

677' MSL due roughness. BC unusable for automatic

apchs. Acft apch Love field from W and S side of lclcr  
crs extended should etc Dallas APP CON on 123.7.

Acft approaching from N and E side of lclcr crs should  
etc Dallas APP CON on 119.8.

VOT: 111.0

RED BIRD IFR 6 SW FSS: DALLAS (LC FL 7-2825)

659 H44/13-31(2) BL4 S5 F4, JP1 U2

1521' (2349' MSL) twr 7.5 nmi SW.

TOWER<sup>1</sup> 120.3 122.6R GND CON 121.7

## RADAR SERVICES:

DALLAS APP CON 123.7<sup>1</sup> 125.2 122.5R 119.8<sup>2</sup>

114.4T 110.3T

DALLAS DEP CON 119.5

REMARKS: <sup>1</sup>127°-307° <sup>2</sup>308°-126° <sup>3</sup>Oper 120-0400Z.

DYESS (L) VORW 109.2/DYS

RBn MHW 201/DYS

## FORT WORTH

GREATER SOUTHWEST INTL DALLAS-FT. WORTH FLD

IFR 16 NE

FSS: FORT WORTH (LC MA 4-8444)

568 H90/17-35 (2) (S-83, T-120, TT-210) BL4, 6, 8A, 9

S3 F5, JP4 RVR: Rnwy 13

1074' (1679' MSL) twr 10.5 nmi WSW.

SOUTHWEST TOWER 118.9 126.2 122.7R

SOUTHWEST GND CON 121.8

RADAR SERVICES:

FORT WORTH APP CON 118.1 126.2 122.7R 119.6

109.5T

FORT WORTH DEP CON 123.9 122.7R

TFC INFO Crc APP CON 25 NM out on 118.1

ASR Rwnys 13, 17, 31, 35 Coil 400 Vsby 1 mi Min Alt  
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ILS 109.5 I-GSW Apch Brg 129° LOM: 219/GS

GREATER SOUTHWEST (L) BVORTAC 110.6/GSW at fld.

VHF/DF available, contact tower

VOT: 111.8

GUTHRIE (L) BVOR 112.4/GTH FSS: CHILDRESS

HYMAN (L) BVOR 110.4/HYM FSS: MIDLAND

LUBBOCK MUNI IFR 4 NE FSS: LUBBOCK on Fld

3269 H85/17R-35L (5) (S-30, T-40, TT ) BL5, 6, 8A, 9

S5 F4, JP1 U2

REMARKS: Rnwy 35L threshold displaced 900 ft N. 7602 ft  
avbl lndg rwny 35L. Clsd to mil jet acft

TOWER 119.9 126.2 122.5R

GND CON 121.9 APP CON 118.1 126.2 122.5R

110.8T 391T DEP CON 118.1

ILS 109.5 I-LBB Apch Brg 169° LOM: 219/LB

(L) BVORTAC 110.8/LBB 111.0 4.6 NM to fld.

MINERAL WELLS FSS: MINERAL WELLS

(H) BVORTAC 117.7/MWL

RBn (BMH) 284/MWL

## WICHITA FALLS

SHEPPARD AFB/WICHITA FALLS AIR TRML IFR 5 N

FSS: WICHITA FALLS on Fld

1015 H131/15-33 (2) (S-65, T-300, TT-530) BL4, 6, 8A,

9 S5 F5, JP1, 4, 5 U2 VASl: Rwnys 15, 33 RVV:

Rwnys 15, 33

REMARKS: Overhead txc ptn 2700 ft rectangular txc ptn  
2200 ft MSL. Rgt txc rwnys 17 & 33.

TOWER 119.1 126.2 122.5R 278T

GND CON 121.9 WICHITA FALLS APP CON 118.2

122.5R 109.7T WICHITA FALLS DEP CON 118.2

ILS 109.7 I-SP5 Apch Brg 328° LOM: 296/SP 29

WICHITA FALLS (H) BVORTAC 112.7/SP5 078° 5.1

NM to fld.

RBn HW 296/SP 328° 3.8 NM to fld.

REMARKS: LOM is HW

## SECTION VIII. FLIGHT COMPUTER

### Chapter 25. Slide Rule Face

#### Exercise 60. Problem Solving

The following problems are designed to be solved by a flight computer. (Note: In all cases, you are to write in the missing figures based on the information given. The first problem of each type has been completed as an example.)

#### TIME - SPEED - DISTANCE

	GROUND SPEED (mph)	TIME FLOWN	DISTANCE (statute miles)
1.	127	2:05	264
2.	184	_____	294
3.	146	_____	550
4.	172	_____	315
5.	155	_____	600
6.	168	_____	280
7.	110	3:08	_____
8.	133	4:26	_____
9.	_____	3:04	365
10.	_____	1:58	324

#### FUEL CONSUMPTION: TOTAL FLIGHT TIME AVAILABLE

	USABLE FUEL	RATE OF CONSUMPTION (gph)	TIME AVAILABLE
11.	42	13.7	3:04
12.	60	8.6	_____
13.	52	9.3	_____
14.	39	7.8	_____
15.	45	12.0	_____

#### FUEL CONSUMPTION: FUEL REQUIRED

	TIME TO FLY	RATE OF CONSUMPTION (gph)	FUEL REQUIRED (gal)
16.	4:04	9.5	38.6
17.	2:22	12.7	_____
18.	3:44	11.0	_____
19.	1:52	11.8	_____
20.	4:00	7.4	_____

#### TRUE AIRSPEED

	PRESSURE ALTITUDE	OUTSIDE AIR TEMPERATURE (°C)	INDICATED AIRSPEED (IAS)	TRUE AIRSPEED (TAS)
21.	6,500	0	140	154
22.	4,500	+20	160	_____
23.	9,500	-10	122	_____
24.	7,500	- 5	145	_____
25.	5,500	-15	145	_____

#### KNOTS/MPH

	KNOTS	MPH
26.	10	11.5
27.	22.5	_____
28.	50	_____
29.	24	_____
30.	_____	45



## Chapter 26. Wind Face

### Exercise 61. Problem Solving

The following wind triangle problems are to be solved on a flight computer. (Note: In all cases you are to determine and write in the missing figures based on the information given. Refer to the Compass Deviation Card on page 20 for deviation. Solution to the first problem is given as an example.)

	TRUE COURSE	TRUE AIRSPEED (mph)	WIND DIR./SPEED (knots)	TRUE HEADING	VARIA- TION	MAGNETIC HEADING	COMPASS HEADING	GROUND- SPEED (mph)
1.	270°	150	320°/20	277°	7° E	270°	268°	135
2.	095°	130	180°/10	_____	4° W	_____	_____	_____
3.	101°	124	260°/25	_____	12° W	_____	_____	_____
4.	340°	148	034°/33	_____	9° W	_____	_____	_____
5.	132°	100	360°/20	_____	17° E	_____	_____	_____

## SECTION IX. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

### Chapter 27. Radio Communications

#### Exercise 62. Terms

The following terms are important in this chapter. Choosing from the list below, write, in the space provided, the term which would correctly complete each statement.

SCHEDULED WEATHER BROADCASTS    AREA BROADCAST  
SPECIAL WEATHER REPORTS        IN-FLIGHT SERVICE  
AIRWAY BROADCAST                  PIREP

1. A radio report given by a pilot on weather conditions along his route of flight is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
are presented by Flight Service Stations at 15 and 45 minutes past each hour.
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
and advisories are broadcast when warranted by significant changes in the weather.
4. The Scheduled Weather Broadcast at 45 minutes past the hour is called an \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The term \_\_\_\_\_ refers to any information or assistance provided by a Flight Service Station via two-way radio.
6. The 15-minute-past-the-hour Scheduled Weather Broadcast is an \_\_\_\_\_ of weather reports from the stations within approximately a 150-mile radius of the broadcasting station.

#### Exercise 63. Identification—Radio Frequencies

The following table contains a list of frequency blocks assigned for aviation use. Choosing from the frequency list, write the corresponding letter in the space beside the assigned use.

ASSIGNED USE	FREQUENCIES
1. _____ Private aircraft to towers	a. 122.8, 123.0 mc
2. _____ Airport utility (ground control)	b. 200 to 415 kc
3. _____ VOR stations (may include any voice)	c. 108.20 through 117.90 mc
4. _____ Low and medium frequency beacons	d. 121.5 mc
5. _____ Emergency	e. 122.4, 122.5, 122.6 and 122.7 mc
6. _____ Aircraft to Flight Service Stations (FSS)	f. 121.7, 121.9 mc
7. _____ Air Traffic Control	g. 118.00 through 121.40 and 122.2, 126.7 mc.
8. _____ UNICOM	h. 122.1, 123.6, 126.7 mc

**Exercise 64. Characteristics**

The following table is to illustrate the reception distances for VHF radio transmissions. Write the figure representing the normal reception distance (maximum usable) in the blank spaces provided.

ALTITUDE OF AIRCRAFT (above ground station)	RECEPTION DISTANCE (statute miles)
1,000 feet	_____ miles
3,000 feet	_____ miles
5,000 feet	_____ miles
10,000 feet	_____ miles

**Exercise 65. Terms**

The following terms are commonly used radio-telephone phraseologies. Write the letter corresponding to the correct meaning in the space beside the term.

- |                          |   |
|--------------------------|---|
| 1. ____ Affirmative      | a. This conversation is ended. I do not expect a response from you. |
| 2. ____ Verify (confirm) | b. This transmission is ended and I expect a response from you.     |
| 3. ____ Over             | c. Check or confirm with originator.                                |
| 4. ____ Negative         | d. A change due to an error in earlier transmission.                |
| 5. ____ Roger            | e. Let me know that you have received and understand this message.  |
| 6. ____ Acknowledge      | f. Yes.   |
| 7. ____ Correction       | g. That is not correct; no.   |
| 8. ____ Out              | h. I have received all of your last transmission.                   |

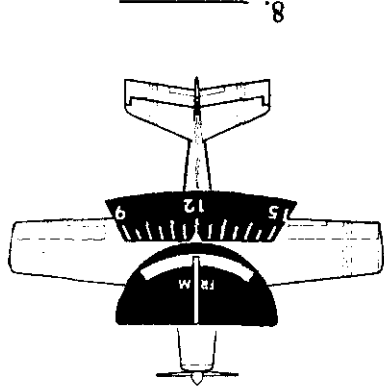
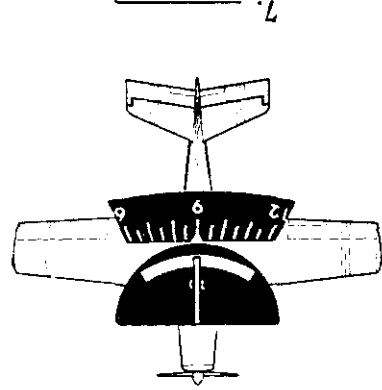
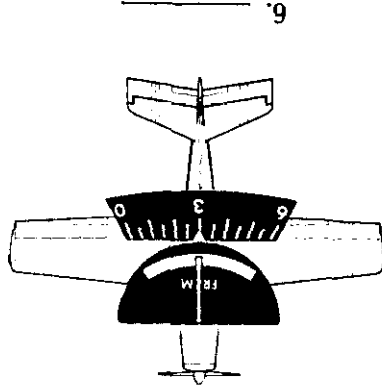
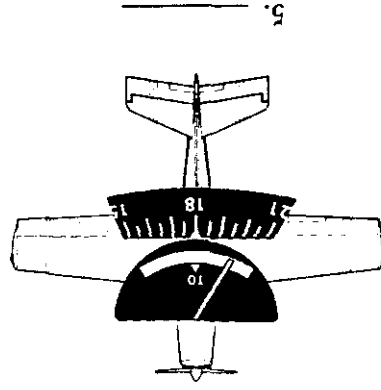
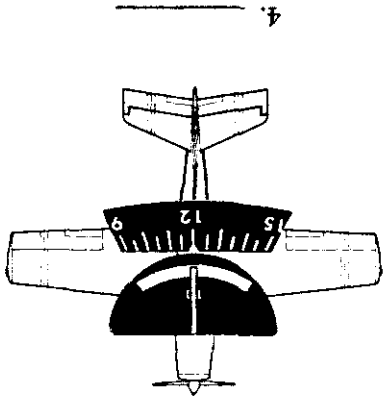
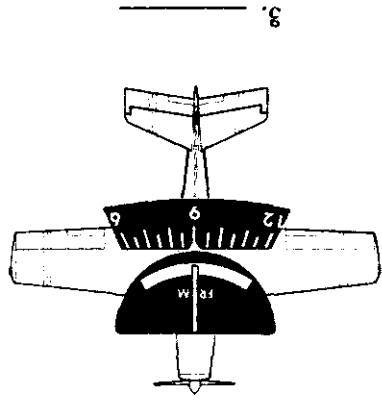
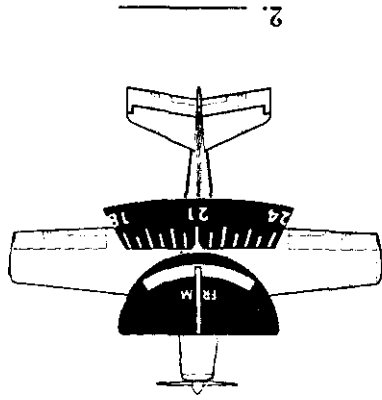
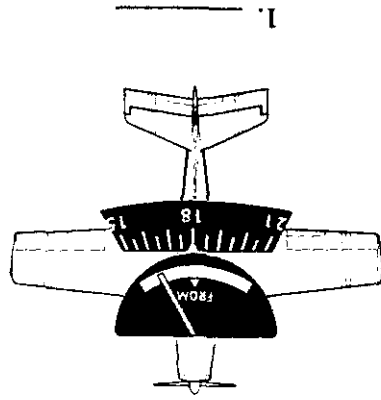
## Chapter 28. Radio Guidance in VFR Flying

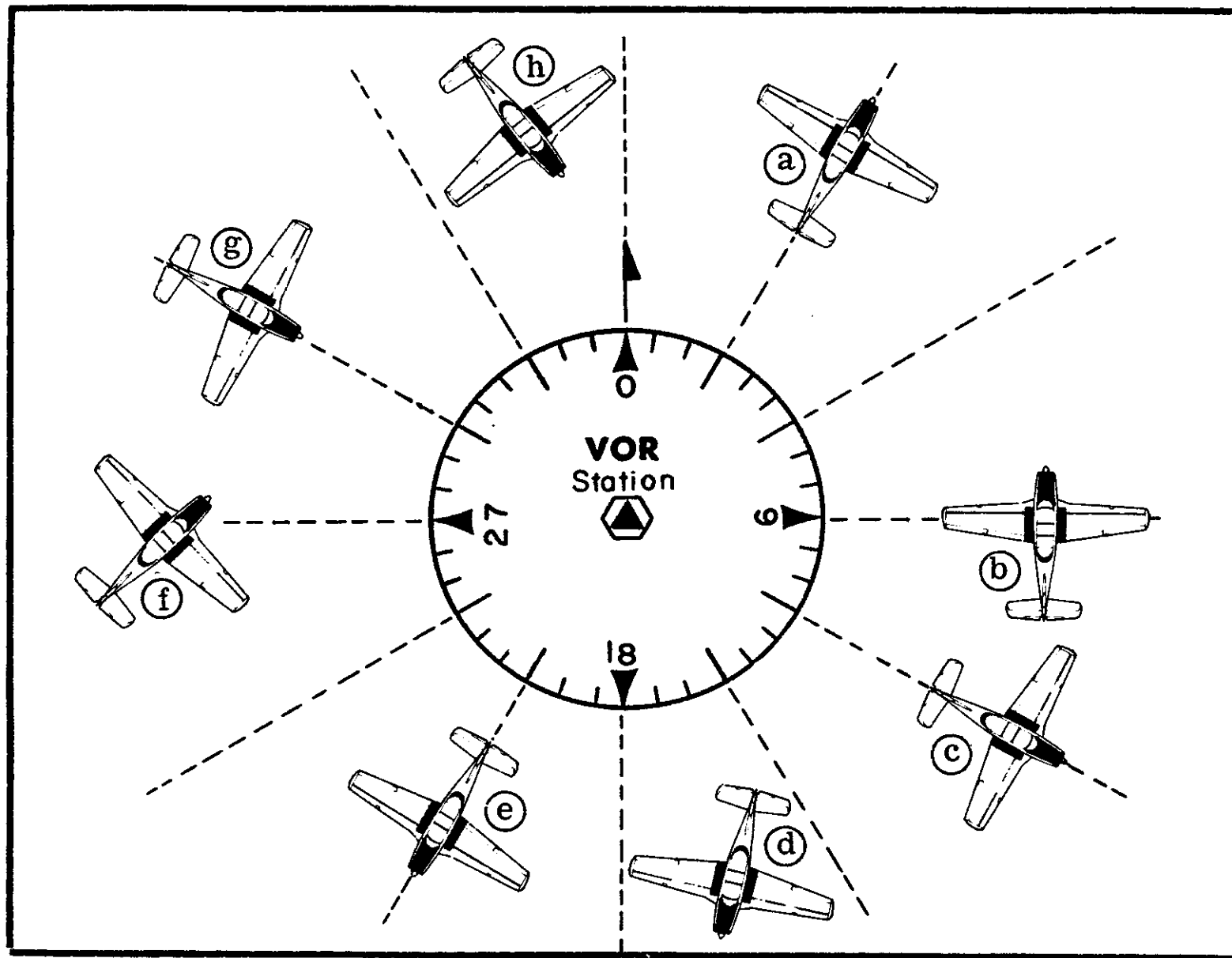
### Exercise 66. Statements

The following statements, when completed, will emphasize important points in this chapter. Write, in the blank spaces provided, the word or words which will correctly complete the statements.

1. In recent years the VHF \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ has replaced the low-frequency range as the basic radio aid to navigation.
2. An airplane equipped with a VOR receiver can still use a \_\_\_\_\_ station for bearing information just as it uses a normal VOR station.
3. VOR's project courses in all directions (360) from the station and these courses are called \_\_\_\_\_.
4. A radial is a line of \_\_\_\_\_ bearing extending \_\_\_\_\_ a VOR.
5. VOR signals, like other VHF transmissions, follow an approximate \_\_\_\_\_ course.
6. VOR stations are assigned a \_\_\_\_\_ letter identification which is normally broadcast in \_\_\_\_\_.
7. The \_\_\_\_\_ is the basic component of a VOR receiver which enables the pilot to select a course to fly.
8. The \_\_\_\_\_ Indicator or ambiguity meter tells the pilot whether his course is leading toward or away from the station.
9. The Deviation Indicator (vertical needle), another basic component of the VOR receiver, is commonly called the \_\_\_\_\_ Indicator.
10. A VOR station should be positively \_\_\_\_\_ by code or voice and the \_\_\_\_\_ Indicator should be stabilized to insure a *dependable* signal.
11. To fly a selected course *to* a VOR station, the omnibearing (course) selector should be set \_\_\_\_\_ degrees opposite the radial (the reciprocal). The Left-Right Needle should be \_\_\_\_\_ and the To-From Indicator should indicate \_\_\_\_\_.
12. To fly a selected course *from* a VOR station, the omnibearing (course) selector should be set the same as the \_\_\_\_\_ selected, the Left-Right Needle should be \_\_\_\_\_, and the To-From Indicator should indicate \_\_\_\_\_.
13. One of the advantages of an automatic direction finder (ADF) radio receiver is that it may be tuned to a commercial \_\_\_\_\_.
14. The most common use of ADF for the private pilot is that of \_\_\_\_\_ by flying the needle to the station.

**Exercise 67. Interpretation**  
 The illustration on page 63 shows eight airplanes in relation-  
 ship to a VOR station. Based on the simulated indications of  
 the omnireceivers below, numbered 1 through 8, write, in the  
 space provided, the letter corresponding to the appropriate air-  
 plane position.





## Chapter 29. Emergency Radio Procedures

### Exercise 68. Statements

The following statements, when completed, will emphasize important points in this chapter. Choosing from the list of terms below, write, in the blank spaces provided, the word or words which will correctly complete each statement.

ALTER	RIGHT
MAYDAY	LEFT
MAGNETIC	CONFESS
TRIANGULAR PATTERN	COMMUNICATE
VHF/DF STATION	CLIMB
HOMER	COMPLY

1. A pilot in distress who needs help immediately should begin his emergency message with the word \_\_\_\_\_
2. A ground-based VHF radio receiver capable of indicating the bearing from its antenna to a transmitting aircraft is known as a \_\_\_\_\_
3. A common voice call for a DF station is the location name followed by the word \_\_\_\_\_
4. A good rule to apply in most situations where the pilot thinks he is lost is "Don't \_\_\_\_\_ course radically without first determining position."
5. The course given by the DF station to the pilot is the \_\_\_\_\_ course to the station.

6. The \_\_\_\_\_ is designed to alert radar stations of an airplane in distress.
7. The triangular pattern should be flown to the \_\_\_\_\_ if both the radio transmitter and receiver are inoperative.
8. A triangular pattern should be flown to the \_\_\_\_\_ if the radio receiver is still operative.

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9. \_\_\_\_\_ your predicament to any ground station. You should not wait too long. Give search and rescue a chance.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ with the ground link station and pass as much of the distress message as possible on the first transmission. They need information for best search and rescue action.
11. \_\_\_\_\_ to a high altitude, if possible, to get better radar and DF (direction finding) detection.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ with advice and instructions received.

## SECTION IX. REVIEW

### Exercise 69. Review

The following statements concern items which you have already studied in completing Exercises 62 through 68. These statements may be true or false. Circle the letter "T" preceding the statement if it is true; circle the letter "F" if it is false. (Remember the recommendation that you first attempt to complete this exercise without referring to the Handbook or the previous exercises.)

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <p>1. T F Scheduled Weather Broadcasts by Flight Service Stations are presented on the hour and 30 minutes past the hour.</p> <p>2. T F 122.4, 122.5 122.6, and 122.7 mc are frequencies assigned to control towers.</p> <p>3. T F 121.7 and 121.9 mc are frequencies assigned to UNICOM stations.</p> <p>4. T F The VORTAC maximum VHF reception distance for an aircraft radio at 3,000 feet above the ground station is 100 statute miles.</p> <p>5. T F "Over" in radio-telephone phraseology means: "This transmission is ended and I expect a response from you."</p> <p>6. T F The common term for "yes" in radio-telephone phraseology is "affirmative."</p> <p>7. T F The basic aid to radio navigation is the VOR or VORTAC.</p> <p>8. T F Courses transmitted from a VOR station are commonly referred to as bearings.</p> | <p>9. T F Basic components of a VOR receiver are the omnibearing selector, the To-From Indicator, and the Left-Right Indicator.</p> <p>10. T F To fly a selected course (radial) to a VOR station, the omnibearing selector should be set to the reciprocal of the radial selected.</p> <p>11. T F To fly a selected course (radial) away from a VOR station, the omnibearing selector should be set to the radial selected.</p> <p>12. T F An ADF receiver cannot be tuned to a commercial broadcast station.</p> <p>13. T F An omnibearing selector can only be set to 180 different courses.</p> <p>14. T F "Mayday" is an emergency voice call.</p> <p>15. T F In situations where a pilot thinks he is lost, the best procedure is to alter course immediately.</p> <p>16. T F The course given to the pilot from a DF station is the "TRUE" course to the station.</p> <p>17. T F A triangular course, with both the radio transmitter and receiver inoperative, should be flown to the left.</p> <p>18. T F One of the most important things to remember in a lost situation is to confess your predicament to a ground station.</p> |
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## SECTION X. FLIGHT PLANNING

### Chapter 30. Preflight Planning

#### Exercise 70. Terms

The following terms are important in this chapter. Write the letter corresponding to the correct definition or description in the space beside the term.

- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| 1. ____ Alternate course of action                | a. Shows the most current airplane empty weight and C. G.   | j. Locations shown on an aeronautical chart which should be easily recognizable from the air.   |
| 2. ____ Necessary preflight planning materials    | b. Contains information that will assist search and rescue operations in the event of an emergency. (Use is recommended for all cross-country flights.) | k. A separate section of the <i>Airman's Information Manual</i> which includes numbers for aviation weather information only.                                       |
| 3. ____ Course line                               | c. Printed on the top and bottom of a Sectional Chart and should be used to measure distances on the Chart.   | l. Shows proper procedure for loading the airplane fuel, passengers and baggage.  |
| 4. ____ Check points                              | d. Air Defense Identification Zone.   | m. Issued every 14 days. Carry information on hazardous conditions or changes that have been made since issuance of the Airport/Facility Directory.                 |
| 5. ____ ADIZ                                      | e. Sectional Charts, <i>Airman's Information Manual</i> , computer, plotter, and appropriate special equipment.   | n. Shows airport location, elevation, runway and lighting facilities, UNICOM availability, fuel types, and other information on facilities available at an airport. |
| 6. ____ Military Climb Corridor                   | f. Closing the flight plan by notifying the FSS. DO NOT FORGET.   | o. The elevation (above terrain) at or above which an airplane must conform to an established cruising altitude.  |
| 7. ____ 3,000 feet                                | g. Line between airports or turning points to be drawn on the Sectional Chart or Charts.  |   |
| 8. ____ Airport/Facility Directory                | h. Restricted Area R-6309 shown 15 miles southeast of Big Spring on the Dallas Sectional Chart (supplied with this Guide).                              |   |
| 9. ____ NOTAMS                                    | i. A procedure to be followed if a flight cannot be completed as planned.   |   |
| 10. ____ Airplane Flight Manual                   |   |   |
| 11. ____ Permanent aircraft record                |   |   |
| 12. ____ FSS and Weather Bureau Telephone Numbers |   |   |
| 13. ____ Sectional Chart Distance Scale           |   |   |
| 14. ____ VFR flight plan                          |   |   |
| 15. ____ Arrival report                           |   |   |

**Exercise 71. Interpretation**

Based on the narrative information that follows, fill out completely the Flight Plan on page 69.

"This VFR flight will originate at the Wichita Falls Air Terminal and terminate at the Terrell Airport. Flight Following Service will be requested. The planned takeoff time is 0830 CST. The airplane will be flown at a true airspeed of 127 mph and an altitude of 5,500 feet which will result in a groundspeed of 135 mph. The route of flight will be from Wichita Falls to the Dallas VOR (DAL) via Victor Airway 15 West and thence direct to Terrell for a distance of 155 statute miles. The airplane will be a blue and gold "JOHNSTAR" based at Wichita Falls with an identification number of 2708B and will have three passengers aboard, in addition to yourself, the pilot, a resident of Wichita Falls. The fuel tanks will contain 37 gallons of usable fuel; fuel consumption rate will be 8.2 gph. Five minutes should be added to the computed cruising time for total time enroute. You will close your flight plan with the Dallas FSS, which has also been designated as your flight watch station.

FEDERAL AVIATION AGENCY <b>FLIGHT PLAN</b>				<i>FORM APPROVED</i> <i>BUDGET BUREAU NO. 04-R072.2</i>	
1. TYPE OF FLIGHT PLAN  <input type="checkbox"/> FVFR <input type="checkbox"/> VFR <input type="checkbox"/> IFR <input type="checkbox"/> DVFR		2. AIRCRAFT IDENTIFICATION		3. AIRCRAFT TYPE	
4. TRUE AIRSPEED          KNOTS		5. DEPARTURE TIME			
		PROPOSED (Z)		ACTUAL (Z)	
6. INITIAL CRUISING ALTITUDE		7. POINT OF DEPARTURE		8. ROUTE OF FLIGHT	
9. DESTINATION ( <i>Name of airport and city</i> )		10. ESTIMATED TIME EN ROUTE		11. FUEL ON BOARD	
		HOURS	MINUTES	HOURS	MINUTES
12. ALTERNATE AIRPORT(S)					
13. REMARKS					
14. PILOT'S NAME			15. PILOT'S ADDRESS OR AIRCRAFT HOME BASE		
17. COLOR OF AIRCRAFT			18. FLIGHT WATCH		

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**CLOSE FLIGHT PLAN UPON ARRIVAL**

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## ANSWERS TO EXERCISES

### Exercise 1

1. h
2. m
3. c
4. o
5. a
6. j
7. e
8. b
9. l
10. f
11. g
12. k
13. n
14. d
15. i

### Exercise 2

1. D
2. B
3. A
4. C
5. D
6. C
7. A
8. B
9. B
10. C
11. A
12. A
13. B
14. C

### Exercise 3

1. ailerons
2. lateral axis
3. elevators
4. vertical axis
5. longitudinal axis
6. trim tab
7. yaw
8. Pitch
9. rudder
10. roll

### Exercise 4

1. C
2. D
3. A
4. E
5. G
6. B
7. F

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### Exercise 5

1. 1.1
2. 1.3
3. 2.0
4. 5.8
5. 52
6. 54
7. 59
8. 73

### Exercise 6

1. load factor
2. maximum permissible load factor
3. effective weight
4. 2
5. severe vertical gusts
6. lifting capacity
7. maneuvering

### Exercise 7

1. upper
2. attack
3. weight
4. increases
5. incidence
6. lateral
7. high
8. yawing
9. elevators
10. elevators

### Exercise 8

1. weather
2. pilot
3. hour
4. four times
5. pilot

**Exercise 9**

1. e
2. b
3. f
4. a
5. d
6. c
7. g

**Exercise 10**

1. temperature
2. 29.92, 59
3. sea level
4. one
5. decreases
6. density
7. decreases
8. temperature
9. 1,013.2
10. 332, 862, 645

**Exercise 11**

1. i
2. b
3. l
4. j
5. a
6. k
7. m
8. h
9. d
10. c
11. e
12. g
13. f

**Exercise 12**

1. temperature
2. relative humidity
3. temperature, dewpoint
4. condense
5. 5½
6. heated, up, body, air
7. fog
8. 68, 14, 86, -1, 39, 9
9. expands
10. decreases
11. decreases
12. hot, humid

**Exercise 13**

1. condensation
2. precipitation
3. Frost
4. fog
5. cumulus
6. Stratus
7. altostratus
8. cirrus
9. cumulonimbus
10. squall lines
11. maneuvering speed
12. anvil shape
13. scattered
14. ceiling
15. broken
16. overcast
17. Visibility

**Exercise 14**

1. k
2. air mass
3. occluded front
4. Stable
5. T
6. front
7. w
8. warm front
9. m
10. stationary front
11. unstable
12. cold front
13. A
14. c
15. P

**Exercise 15**

1. warm
2. cold
3. warm
4. warm
5. cold
6. warm
7. cold
8. cold
9. cold
10. warm

**Exercise 16**

1. SIGMET
2. Aviation Weather Reports
3. Winds Aloft Forecasts
4. Area Forecasts
5. AIRMET
6. Terminal Forecasts

**Exercise 17**

1. measured ceiling 1,000 feet broken; overcast at 2,500 feet
2. 3 miles
3. light rain
4. fog
5. 998.6 millibars
6. 72
7. 50
8. 180° at 25 knots, Gusts to 33 knots
9. 29.88 inches
10. ceiling lower to the south

**Exercise 18**

- |      |       |
|------|-------|
| 1. T | 9. T  |
| 2. F | 10. F |
| 3. T | 11. F |
| 4. T | 12. T |
| 5. T | 13. T |
| 6. F | 14. F |
| 7. F | 15. T |

**Exercise 19**

1. d
2. c
3. a
4. b

**Exercise 20**

- |      |        |
|------|--------|
| 1. S | 9. All |
| 2. W | 10. L  |
| 3. A | 11. S  |
| 4. L | 12. S  |
| 5. A | 13. S  |
| 6. A | 14. W  |
| 7. L | 15. W  |

**Exercise 21**

1. road
2. landmarks
3. brown, 1,000
4. tints
5. blue
6. magenta
7. call sign
8. hard surfaced
9. control tower
10. sea level, top

**Exercise 22**

1. 20°E
2. 15°E
3. 10°E
4. 5°E
5. 5°W
6. 10°W
7. 15°W
8. 20°W

**Exercise 23**

- |      |       |
|------|-------|
| 1. c | 10. o |
| 2. m | 11. e |
| 3. p | 12. k |
| 4. n | 13. l |
| 5. r | 14. d |
| 6. b | 15. q |
| 7. i | 16. g |
| 8. h | 17. f |
| 9. a | 18. j |

**Exercise 24**

1. 150° 152°
2. 324° 322°
3. 050° 047°
4. 244° 244°
5. 359° 001°
6. 163° 165°
7. 078° 075°
8. 178° 181°

Exercise 25	Exercise 26		Exercise 27	Exercise 28
1. track	2. 176	12. 46	1. 60° 50	1. 60°, 10°R, 70°, 129, 50, :23
	3. 369	13. 53		
2. drift angle	4. 578	14. 39	2. 93° 86	2. 93°, 4°R, 97°, 164, 86, :32
	5. 2:54	15. 100		
3. wind correction angle	6. :12	17. 27.2	3. 341° 78	3. 341°, 1°R, 342°, 127, 78, :37
	7. 3:00	18. 20		
4. airspeed	8. 164	19. 12	4. 228° 96	4. 228°, 4°L, 224°, 146, 96, :40
	9. 160	20. 12.5		
5. groundspeed	10. 200	21. 2:36, 31	5. 267°/265° 192	5. 267°, 3°R, 270°, 177, 106, :36

Exercise 29	Exercise 30	Exercise 31	Exercise 32
1. pilotage	TH = 096°	1. limitations	1. h
2. Sectional		2. use	2. i
3. eight	MH = 084°	3. load	3. a
4. brown		4. rough air	4. b
5. sea level	CH = 082°	5. 3.8, 4.4, 6.0	5. d
6. latitude	GS = 171 mph	6. 12	6. j
7. magnetic		7. 100	7. c
8. subtracted	Time = 1:43	8. before	8. e
9. track			9. f
10. airspeed	Fuel Consumed = 20.6		10. g

Exercise 33			
1. air cooled	8. Detonation	15. carburetor heat	21. tachometer
2. oil pressure	9. fuel contamination	16. fuel injection	22. low propeller RPM
3. octane ratings	10. transparent container	17. "clear"	23. manifold pressure, RPM
4. lower rating	11. quick-drain valves	18. oil pressure gauge	
5. mixture control	12. Magnetos	19. checklist	24. RPM, manifold pressure
6. volume of air	13. dual ignition system	20. manifold pressure gauge	
7. leaning	14. carburetor icing		

**Exercise 34**

1. D
2. A
3. J
4. I
5. C
6. H
7. B
8. E
9. F
10. G

**Exercise 35**

1. T
2. F
3. T
4. T
5. T
6. F
7. T
8. T
9. F
10. T
11. F
12. T

**Exercise 36**

1. C
2. E
3. G
4. B
5. D
6. A
7. F

**Exercise 37**

1. pitot, static
2. pressure
3. lower
4. 75
5. 500
6. pitch

**Exercise 38**

1. d
2. j
3. k
4. b
5. c
6. i
7. h
8. g
9. e
10. a
11. f

**Exercise 39**

1. E
2. D
3. H
4. G
5. A
6. B
7. F
8. C
9. a. maneuvering speed  
b. best rate of climb speed  
c. best angle of climb speed  
d. landing gear operating speed  
e. minimum control speed

**Exercise 40**

1. Turn and Bank Indicator
2. coordinated turn
3. skid
4. slip
5. indirect indication
6. 3° per second
7. 2-minute turn needle
8. Heading Indicator
9. 15 minutes
10. "tumble" or "spill"
11. Attitude Indicator
12. horizon bar
13. direct indication
14. straight-and-level flight

**Exercise 41**

1. 30, 300
2. deviation
3. lags, opposite
4. greater
5. north, south
6. east, west; north, south
7. straight, level



Exercise 42	Exercise 43	Exercise 44	Exercise 45
1. Airspeed Indicator	1. 6,500	1. D	1. i
2. Turn and Bank Indicator	2. 2,500	2. B	2. e
3. lower	3. 6,000	3. A	3. a
4. increase	4. 5,500	4. B	4. f
5. Maneuvering	5. 7,880	5. C	5. c
6. skid	6. 15,500	6. D	6. d
7. east or west			7. g
8. 1,000			8. h
			9. b
			10. j

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Exercise 46	Exercise 47	Exercise 48	Exercise 49
1. forward	1. 15	1. increase	2. 1800, 363
2. aft		2. increase	3. 2200, 328
3. forward		3. increase	4. 4250, 130
4. aft	2. 222	4. increase	5. 1040, 372
5. forward		5. decrease	6. 2760, 404
6. aft		6. decrease	
7. forward	3. 32, over		

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Exercise 50	Exercise 51	Exercise 52	Exercise 53
2. 1040, 1777	2. 75, 940	2. 65, 123, 8.3	2. 63, 1245, 760
3. 672, 1446	3. 71, 475	3. 48, 109, 6.0	3. 53, 732, 448
4. 335, 675	4. 78, 730	4. Not Recommended	4. 63, 780, 476
5. 1386, 2394	5. 67, 690	5. 66, 130, 8.4	5. 53, 1010, 615

**Exercise 54**

1. 335
2. 675
3. 75
4. 825
5. 7
6. 2,500
7. 123
8. 8.3
9. 35.5
10. 1,687
11. 53
12. 824
13. 504

**Exercise 55**

1. planning
2. six
3. six
4. I
5. official
6. Flight Data and  
Special Operations
7. Sectional Chart  
Bulletin
8. Notices to Airmen,  
14
9. checkmark
10. Airports, navaid,  
communications

**Exercise 56**

1. Steady red
2. Flashing white
3. Steady green
4. Flashing red
5. Flashing green
6. Alternating red  
and green

**Exercise 57**

1. Airport Advisories
2. flashing amber light
3. rotating beacon
4. UNICOM (122.8 mc)
5. taxi clearance
6. segmented circle
7. base leg
8. ground control  
frequencies
9. VFR advisory  
information
10. Oil Burner  
routes
11. VOR
12. 121.5
13. line-of-sight
14. FSS

**Exercise 58**

1. e
2. i
3. a
4. c
5. b
6. f
7. d
8. k
9. h
10. j
11. g

**Exercise 59**

1. none
2. 113.7 mc
3. closed indefinitely
4. Runway 1 approach  
restricted by trees
5. 1, hard, 2,800 feet
6. 652, 100/130, lower
7. right, 1,137
8. rotating beacon, low  
intensity runway
9. No, 80/87, lower
10. Yes, 122.8 mc
11. six, NW, Wichita Falls
12. storage, major airframe,  
major powerplant
13. 120.1 mc, 121.9 mc
14. Yes
15. 117.0
16. 36
17. southwest, 118.9 mc,  
121.8 mc, 118.1 mc
18. 2,200, right
19. 122.2 mc, 121.5 mc
20. FL 7-2825, 749-3502

**Exercise 60**

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|----------|----------|
| 2. 1:36  | 17. 30   |
| 3. 3:46  | 18. 41   |
| 4. 1:50  | 19. 22   |
| 5. 3:52  | 20. 29.6 |
| 6. 1:40  | 22. 176  |
| 7. 345   | 23. 139  |
| 8. 590   | 24. 161  |
| 9. 119   | 25. 152  |
| 10. 165  | 27. 26   |
| 12. 6:58 | 28. 57.5 |
| 13. 5:36 | 29. 27.6 |
| 14. 5:00 | 30. 39   |
| 15. 3:45 |          |

Exercise 61	Exercise 62	Exercise 63	Exercise 64
2. 101°, 105°, 104°, 128	1. PIREP	1. e	45
	2. Scheduled Weather Broadcasts	2. f	
3. 106°, 118°, 118°, 151	3. Special Weather Reports	3. c	80
		4. b	
		5. d	
4. 352°, 001°, 003°, 122	4. Airway Broadcast	6. h	100
	5. In-flight service	7. g	
5. 122°, 105°, 104°, 114	6. Area Broadcast	8. a	140

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Exercise 65	Exercise 66	Exercise 67
1. f	1. omnirange, VOR	1. d
2. c	2. VORTAC	2. e
3. b	3. radials	3. b
4. g	4. magnetic, from	4. g
5. h	5. line-of-sight	5. h
6. e	6. three, code	6. a
7. d	7. omnibearing selector	7. f
8. a	8. To-From	8. c
	9. Left-Right	
	10. identified, To-From	
	11. 180, centered, To	
	12. radial, centered, From	
	13. broadcast station	
	14. homing	

**Exercise 68**

1. mayday
2. VHF/DF station
3. HOMER
4. alter
5. magnetic
6. triangular pattern
7. left
8. right
9. Confess
10. Communicate
11. Climb
12. Comply

**Exercise 69**

1. F
2. T
3. F
4. F
5. T
6. T
7. T
8. F
9. T
10. T
11. T
12. F
13. F
14. T
15. F
16. F
17. T
18. T

**Exercise 70**

1. i
2. e
3. g
4. j
5. d
6. h
7. o
8. n
9. m
10. l
11. a
12. k
13. c
14. b
15. f

**Exercise 71**

1. FVFR
2. 2708B
3. Johnstar
4. 110
5. 1430
6. 5,500
7. Wichita Falls  
Air Terminal
8. via V15 W DAL/  
direct Terrell
9. Terrell Airport,  
Texas
10. 1:14
11. 4:30
12. -----
13. Will close Flight  
Plan with Dallas  
FSS
14. Yourself
15. Wichita Falls,  
Texas
16. 4
17. Blue and Gold
18. DAL FSS

## ADDITIONAL STUDY MATERIALS

### REQUIRED

In addition to the *Private Pilot's Handbook of Aeronautical Knowledge*, portions of the Private Pilot Written Examination are also drawn from *Federal Aviation Regulations* and *Civil Aeronautics Board Regulations*. Applicants for the Private Pilot Certificate must demonstrate a knowledge of those Regulations applicable to his certificate.

#### Federal Aviation Regulations

*Part 1—Definitions and Abbreviations.* A listing of definitions and abbreviations applicable to all Federal Aviation Regulations (25¢).

*Part 61—Certification: Pilots and Flight Instructors.* Contains the requirements and procedures for pilot certification and the privileges and limitations of the various certificates (60¢).

*Part 91—General Operating and Flight Rules.* The applicant must demonstrate a thorough knowledge of this Regulation with the exception of that portion which pertains to Instrument Flight Rules (60¢).

#### Civil Aeronautics Board Safety Investigation Regulations

*Part 320—Rules pertaining to aircraft accidents, inflight hazards, overdue aircraft, and safety investigations* (05¢).

### OPTIONAL

The *Airman's Information Manual* has been designed as a pilot's operational manual for use primarily within the conterminous United States. Since May 1966 it has been divided into three basic parts, each of which may be purchased separately. Highlights of each part are described below. Although excerpts from *Airman's Information Manual* appear in the *Private Pilot's*

*Handbook of Aeronautical Knowledge*,\* you may wish to subscribe to this publication or parts of it for personal use. Whether you have your own manual or not, it is imperative that you use the *Airman's Information Manual* for all preflight planning.

#### Airman's Information Manual

*PART 1—Basic Flight Manual and ATC Procedures.* This part is issued quarterly and contains basic fundamentals required to fly in the National Airspace System; adverse factors affecting Safety of Flight; Health and Medical Facts of interest to pilots; ATC information affecting rules, regulations and procedures; a Glossary of Aeronautical Terms; U. S. Entry and Departure Procedures, including Airports of Entry and Landing Rights Airports; Air Defense Identification Zones (ADIZ); Designated Mountainous Areas; Scatana, and Emergency Procedures. Annual subscription price \$2.00. (Foreign mailing, 50 cents additional.)

*PART 2—Airport Directory.* This part is issued semiannually and contains a Directory of all Airports, Seaplane Bases, and Heliports in the conterminous United States, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands which are open to the general public. It includes all of their facilities and services, *except communications*, in codified form. Those airports with communications are also listed in Part 3 with their radio facilities. Also included in Part 2 is a list of selected Commercial Broadcast Stations of 100 watts or more power.

\* The make up of the *Airman's Information Manual* was changed in May 1966 to provide a better service to the public. The information in Section VII of the *Private Pilot's Handbook of Aeronautical Knowledge* was prepared prior to this change. Although there has been a rearrangement of material and some change in presentation, the information in the *Private Pilot's Handbook* is basically the same as in the current AIM.

Annual subscription price \$2.00. (Foreign mailing, 50 cents additional.)

**PARTS 3 AND 4—Operational Data and Notices to Airmen.** Part 3 is issued every 28 days and contains a Master Alphabetical Index covering all Parts of the AIM; an Airport/Facility Directory containing a list of all major airports with communications; a tabulation of Air Navigation Radio Aids and their assigned frequencies; Parachute Jump Areas; Preferred Routes; Standard Instrument Departures (SIDs); Substitute Route Structures; a Sectional Chart Bulletin, which updates Sectional charts cumulatively; Restrictions to Enroute Navigation Aids; VOR Receiver Check Points; Special General and Area Notices; New and Permanently Closed Airports, and Oil Burner Routes.

Part 3A is issued every 14 days and contains Notices to Airmen considered essential to the safety of flight as well as supplemental data to Part 3.

Annual subscription price \$9.00. (Foreign mailing, \$2.25 additional.)

#### VFR Pilot Exam-O-Grams

Exam-O-Grams are brief, timely, and graphic articles developed and published as an information service for individuals interested in Operations Airman Written Examinations. They relate to concepts, practices, and procedures critical to aviation safety and assist in the dissemination of safety information to airman applicants, practicing airmen (including Ground and Flight Instructors), airman training centers, and flying clubs. More specifically, they serve to:

- a. Clarify subjects critical to aviation safety that are not widely known, or are commonly misunderstood, as re-

vealed by analysis of accidents, incidents, and violations, and of incorrect answers on Operations Airman Written Examinations.

- b. Supply training information in aeronautical knowledge areas in which gaps exist.
- c. Disseminate new information to the aviation community.

Thirty-eight Exam-O-Grams have been published as of the date of this Guide. New Exam-O-Grams are prepared and published only as a need arises and not on a regularly scheduled basis. (free)

#### HOW TO OBTAIN

All study materials except Exam-O-Grams may be obtained by remitting a check or money order made payable to the SUPERINTENDENT OF DOCUMENTS, mailing address as follows:

Superintendent of Documents  
U. S. Government Printing Office  
Washington, D. C., 20402

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# THE PRIVATE PILOT WRITTEN EXAMINATION

## NATURE OF THE EXAMINATION

The Private Pilot Written Examination is based on a typical cross-country flight. Its approach is realistic in that the test items concern activities relating to a successfully planned and executed cross-country flight—preflight planning, starting, taxiing, takeoff and climb to altitude, radio communications, enroute navigation procedures, descent, landing, and post-flight procedures.

Great emphasis is given to systematic and thorough preflight planning. The pilot employs all pertinent flight information in planning his trip, and then applies his knowledge of air traffic rules, weather, navigation, radio, and operation of aircraft and engines, insofar as it contributes to safe efficient flight.

## TYPE OF TEST ITEMS

The examination contains only test items of the objective multiple-choice type as illustrated by the sample examination in this Guide. Test items can be answered by marking the appropriate space on a special answer sheet with a scoring pencil furnished with the examination. This method conserves the applicant's time, eliminates any element of individual judgment in determining grades, and saves time in scoring.

## TAKING THE EXAMINATION

The equipment the applicant should have for taking the examination (although not mandatory) is as follows:

1. An 18 inch or longer ruler or straight edge.
2. A navigation plotter or protractor.
3. A flight computer.

Scratch paper and a special scoring pencil will be furnished with the examination.

The applicant is allowed adequate time for taking the Private Pilot (Airplane) Written Examination, so do not rush. Hurrying

through the examination will only increase the probability of mistakes.

Keep in mind the following points when taking the examination:

1. There are no "trick" items in the examination. Each statement means exactly what it says and no more. Do not look for hidden meanings. The statements or questions do not concern exceptions to the rule; they refer to the general rule.

2. Always read the statement or question first—before you look at the alternate responses listed below it. Be sure you read the entire stem (initial statement or question of the test item) carefully, and understand its intent. Avoid "skimming" and hasty assumptions. This can lead to a completely erroneous approach to the test item or a failure to consider vital words.

3. Work out your own answer before choosing from the list of alternate responses the one which you consider to be the best. Remember that only one of the alternate answers or responses is completely correct. Others may be correct as far as they go, but are not complete or are answers based on erroneous assumptions, misconceptions, or incorrect procedures and interpretations.

4. Do not spend too much time on a test item which you cannot solve or on one where you have considerable doubt as to the correct response. By doing so you may deprive yourself of the opportunity to respond to all those test items which you can promptly solve or answer. You may always go back to the test items which you have skipped after you have finished those which you can readily answer. You might have completed 5 or 10 test items during the time you deliberate over one that you are not sure of.

5. In solving problems which require computations or the use of a computer or plotter, select the response which is nearest the result you get. Due to slight differences in individual computers and the small errors you may make in determining distances, courses, etc., it is possible that you will not get an exact agreement every time. However, sufficient spread is provided between the correct and incorrect responses so that the correct choice should be evident, provided you have used correct technique and reasonable care in making your computations. (Note: When the examination is constructed, problems

involving measurements and computations are double-checked by several types of plotters and computers. Any of the several types which are in common use should prove satisfactory.)

6. Test items which involve regulations should be considered on the basis of the current regulation at the time you take the examination. In the event there are no correct responses (examination not yet revised to reflect a recent change in regulations), you will automatically be given credit for that test item.



# **Sample Examination**

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SAMPLE EXAMINATION

The test items on the sample examination are presented for one purpose—to familiarize you with the nature of the FAA Written Examinations. Although the sample examination is longer than the present FAA Private Pilot (Airplane) Written Examination, the ability to answer these sample test items *does not* indicate that you are fully prepared to take the current examination.

You should concentrate on the material covered in the workbook section of this guide, plus the pertinent Regulations. A thorough knowledge of all of the topics covered in the workbook—not just the mastery of the sample test items—should be your criterion for determining that you are properly prepared for the examination. Proper preparation requires considerable time and effort and should be under the guidance of a competent instructor.

Correct answers to the sample test items, along with explanations or references for the answers, are presented at the end of the sample examination.

Supplementary information used for the sample examination includes some of the charts and illustrations in the workbook section; the Area Weather Reports and Forecasts (including key), the hypothetical airplane description on page 89; and the Dallas Sectional Chart (58th Edition) supplied with this guide. Appropriate references will be made to the supplementary material when it is necessary for the solution of a test item. (Note: The reader should bear in mind that the sample test items pertaining to Federal Aviation Regulations are based on regulations in effect on January 1, 1967.)

## PROPOSED CROSS-COUNTRY FLIGHT

You are a private pilot living in Lubbock, Texas. Since you have business appointments scheduled for the same day in Wichita Falls, Texas, and Grand Prairie, Texas, you decide to rent an airplane from a local flying service for the trip. You are to take three business associates with you and plan to make a passenger stop to leave one at Mineral Wells, Texas, enroute from Wichita Falls to Grand Prairie.

You realize the importance of careful flight planning and make sure that you have the latest Dallas Sectional Chart and *Airman's Information Manual*. You plan to file VFR flight plans for each flight and utilize VFR Flight Following Service.

The airplane you are assumed to be flying (herein designated as the Johnstar) is a single-engine, four-place airplane. It features a fixed, tricycle landing gear, four-position wing flaps, and a complete panel of flight instruments including Attitude Indicator (gyro-horizon) and a Heading Indicator (directional gyro).

You will construct your route as follows:

### LEG I

Lubbock Municipal Airport to Kickapoo Airport, Wichita Falls via Guthrie VOR

### LEG II

Kickapoo Airport direct to Mineral Wells Airport

### LEG III

Mineral Wells Airport direct to Greater Southwest International Airport (Dallas/Ft. Worth)

The places named can be located by referring to the following latitude and longitude coordinates:

	Latitude North	Longitude West
Lubbock Municipal Airport	33°40'	101°50'
Guthrie VOR	33°46'	100°20'
Kickapoo Airport, Wichita Falls	33°52'	98°29'
Mineral Wells Airport	32°47'	98°04'
Greater Southwest Intl. Airport, Dallas, Ft. Worth	32°50'	97°03'

NOTE: Compute all distances on the statute mile scale at the top or bottom of the chart. When airports are involved, the center of the airport symbol should be used as a measuring point.

Your preflight activities include:

1. A study of pertinent information in the *Airman's Information Manual*.
2. A review of the Airplane Flight Manual and Owner's Handbook.
3. A review of your map to familiarize yourself with the route topography, with particular emphasis on terrain and obstruction elevations.
4. A utilization of all available weather information; Weather Bureau or FSS briefings (in person or by phone), posted weather reports and forecasts, scheduled weather broadcasts, etc.
5. A check for pertinent NOTAMS other than those listed in AIM. (Flight Service Stations have the latest NOTAMS.)
6. A review of VOR checkpoints.
7. Filing of Flight Plan.
8. Preflight check of the Airplane.

The next pages are supplemental information to be used with the sample examination. GO NOW TO PAGE 97 FOR THE FIRST TEST ITEM.

## Excerpts from the Airplane Flight Manual

### JOHN AVIATION COMPANY NORMAL, OKLAHOMA

FAA IDENTIFICATION No. N2708B JOHN JR-9 (JOHNSTAR)  
NORMAL AND UTILITY CATEGORIES

#### AIRPLANE FLIGHT MANUAL

##### 1. LIMITATIONS

THE FOLLOWING LIMITATIONS MUST BE OBSERVED IN THE OPERATION OF THIS AIRPLANE:

##### MANEUVERS—NORMAL CATEGORY

GROSS WEIGHT—2,200 lbs.

FLIGHT LOAD FACTOR, FLAPS UP— +3.8 -1.52

FLIGHT LOAD FACTOR, FLAPS DOWN— +3.5

ENGINE LIMITS: 145 BHP AT 2700 RPM

AIRSPEED LIMITS (TIAS—TRUE INDICATED AIRSPEED IS INDICATED AIRSPEED CORRECTED FOR SYSTEM AND INSTRUMENT ERROR. THIS MAY ALSO BE REFERRED TO AS CALIBRATED AIRSPEED.)

##### TIAS

MAXIMUM—NEVER EXCEED — AS MARKED ON AIRSPEED INDICATOR.

CAUTION RANGE — AS MARKED ON AIRSPEED INDICATOR.

NORMAL OPERATING RANGE — AS MARKED ON AIRSPEED INDICATOR.

FLAP OPERATING RANGE — AS MARKED ON AIRSPEED INDICATOR.

MANEUVERING SPEED — 113 MPH

(NOTE: TIAS IS USED FOR ALL AIRSPEED INDICATOR MARKINGS)

MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE GROSS WEIGHT: 2,200 POUNDS

EMPTY WEIGHT: 1,290 POUNDS

##### 2. SPECIFICATIONS

FUEL: 80/87 OCTANE, TWO 21-GALLON WING TANKS WITH 18.5 GALLONS USABLE IN EACH TANK.

OIL: 2 GALLONS SAE 40 ABOVE 50°, SAE 20 BELOW 50°.

THE AIRPLANE IS TO BE FLOWN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FAA APPROVED AIRPLANE FLIGHT MANUAL WHICH MUST BE KEPT IN THE AIRPLANE.

#### RADIO EQUIPMENT

THE AIRCRAFT IS EQUIPPED WITH:

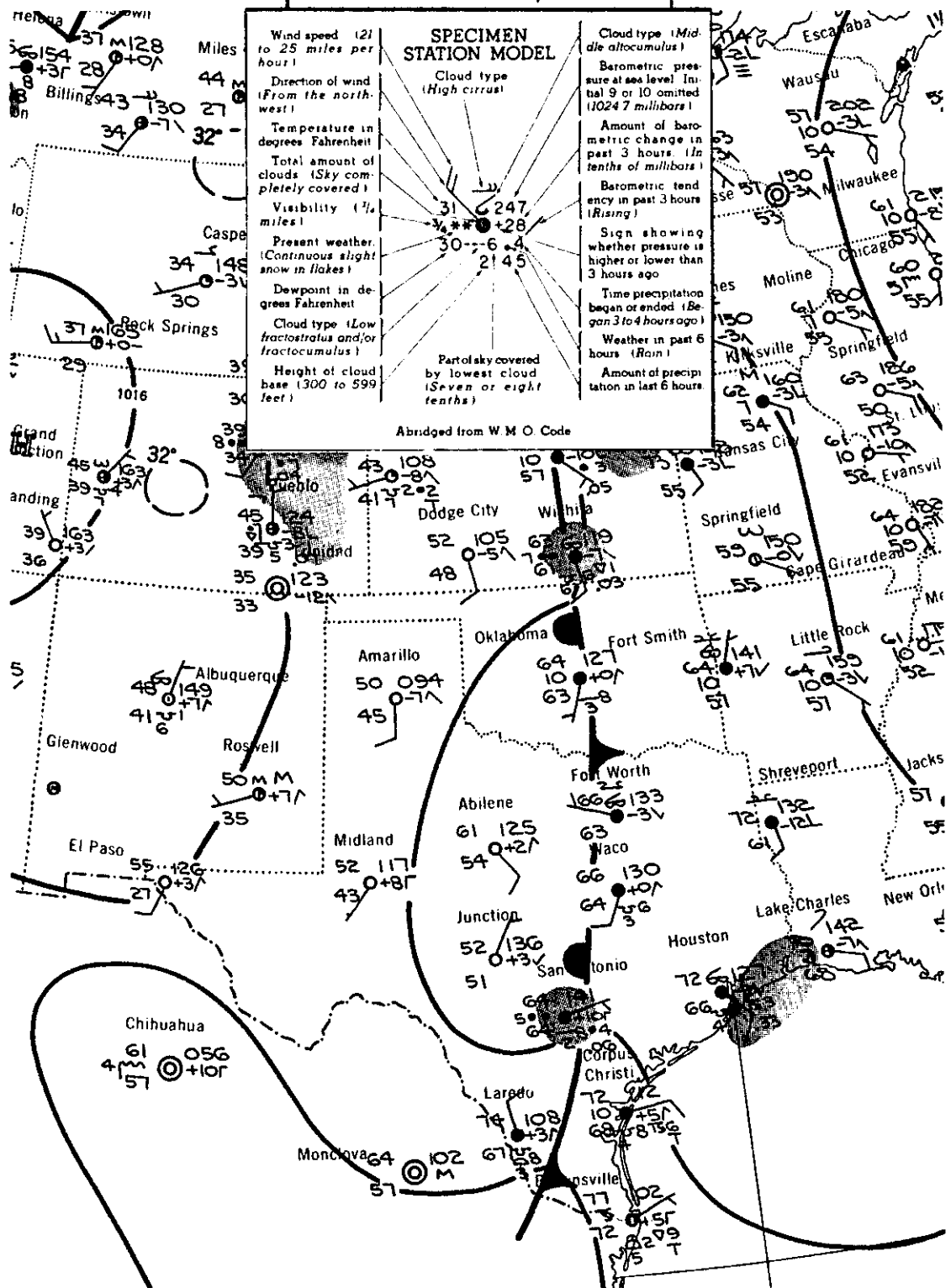
1. A COMMVOR MODEL D TRANSCEIVER MANUFACTURED BY THE SLOAN RADIO CORPORATION, COMBINING COMMUNICATION AND NAVIGATION (OMNI) FUNCTIONS IN ONE UNIT.

#### FREQUENCIES

TRANSMITTER		RECEIVER
118.3 MC	122.5 MC	108.1 MC TO 126.8 MC
119.9 MC	122.6 MC	
121.5 MC	122.7 MC	
121.7 MC	122.8 MC	
121.9 MC	123.0 MC	
122.1 MC	123.6 MC	

2. A POINTRITE ADF FREQUENCIES — (200 TO 1750 KC)

# **SURFACE WEATHER MAP AND STATION WEATHER AT 1:00 A. M., E. S. T.**



**Plain Language Interpretation of the Area Forecast  
For the Period 7 A.M. to 7 P.M., CST**

**For northwestern, northcentral, and northeastern Texas and  
Oklahoma**

**CLOUDS AND WEATHER:** THE STATIONARY FRONT WHICH WAS LOCATED ALONG THE OKLAHOMA CITY - SAN ANTONIO LINE AT MIDNIGHT IS NOW MOVING EASTWARD AS A WEAK COLD FRONT. THUNDERSTORMS WILL OCCUR ALONG AND AHEAD OF THE FRONT AND MOVE EASTWARD WITH THE FRONT. IN THE EARLY FORENOON, THUNDERSTORMS AND RAIN SHOWERS WILL BE LOCATED GENERALLY ALONG A LINE FROM OKLAHOMA CITY TO FORT WORTH TO WACO. BY MID-AFTERNOON, THE AREA OF THUNDERSTORMS SHOULD HAVE MOVED TO THE EXTREME EASTERN PORTION OF THE AREA. CEILINGS IN THE THUNDERSTORM AREAS MAY BE AS LOW AS 500 FEET, WITH VISIBILITIES OF  $\frac{1}{2}$  TO 1 MILE DUE TO RAIN AND FOG. FOLLOWING FRONTAL PASSAGE, CEILINGS SHOULD BE GENERALLY UNLIMITED AND VISIBILITIES GOOD. AHEAD OF THE FRONTAL SYSTEM, SURFACE WINDS SHOULD BE SOUTHEASTERLY AND GUSTY, TO 25 KNOTS. BEHIND THE FRONT, WINDS SHOULD BE WESTERLY TO NORTHWESTERLY, EXCEPT SOUTHERLY ALONG THE TEXAS - OKLAHOMA BORDER, AT APPROXIMATELY 10 TO 15 KNOTS.

**ICING:** THERE WILL BE LOCALLY MODERATE ICING IN CLOUDS ABOVE THE FREEZING LEVEL. THE FREEZING LEVEL WILL BE 13,000 TO 15,000 FEET.

**TURBULENCE:** TURBULENCE WILL BE MODERATE TO SEVERE IN THE VICINITY OF THUNDERSTORMS. BEHIND THE FRONT TURBULENCE SHOULD BE LIGHT.

**OUTLOOK:** FOR THE PERIOD 7 P.M. TODAY UNTIL 7 A.M. TOMORROW, THE FRONT WILL CONTINUE TO MOVE EASTWARD AND WILL BE BEYOND THIS AREA BY MIDNIGHT.

**Station Designers**

**LBB - LUBBOCK**

**ABI - ABILENE**

**MWL - MINERAL WELLS**

**FTW - FORT WORTH**

**GSW - GREATER SOUTHWEST INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**

**SPS - WICHITA FALLS**

# KEY TO AVIATION WEATHER REPORTS.....

LOCATION IDENTIFIERS	SPECIAL REPORT	SKY AND CEILING	VISIBILITY WEATHER AND OBSTRUCTION TO VISION	SEA LEVEL PRESSURE	TEMPERATURE AND DEW POINT	WIND	ALTIMETER SETTING	RUNWAY VISUAL RANGE	CODED PIREPS	REMARKS
MKC	S	150M250	4R-K	132	/58/56	/1807	/993/	VR32	/055	RB05 0V0
SKY AND CEILING			VISIBILITY			ALTIMETER SETTING				
Sky cover symbols are in ascending order. Figures preceding symbols are heights in hundreds of feet above station.			Reported in Statute Miles and Fractions (V = Variable)			The first figure of the actual altimeter setting is always omitted from the report.				
Sky cover Symbols are:			WEATHER SYMBOLS			RUNWAY VISUAL RANGE (RVR)				
○ = Clear: Less than 0.1 sky cover.			A - Hail L - Drizzle SP - Snow Pellets			RVR is reported only from selected stations. The value reported is a 10-minute mean of the visual range in hundreds of feet.				
⦶ = Scattered: 0.1 to less than 0.6 sky cover.			AP - Small Hail R - Rain SW - Snow Showers							
⊕ = Broken: 0.6 to 0.9 sky cover.			E - Sleet RW - Rain Showers T - Thunderstorm							
⊕ = Overcast: More than 0.9 sky cover.			EW - Sleet Showers S - Snow ZL - Freezing Drizzle							
- = Thin (When prefixed to the above symbols.)			IC - Ice Crystals SG - Snow Grains ZR - Freezing Rain							
-X - Partial Obscuration: 0.1 to less than 1.0 sky hidden by precipitation or obstruction to vision (bases at surface).			INTENSITIES are indicated thus:							
X - Obscuration: 1.0 sky hidden by precipitation or obstruction to vision (bases at surface).			-- Very Light - Light (no sign) Moderate + Heavy							
Letter preceding height of layer identifies ceiling layer and indicates how ceiling height was obtained. Thus:			OBSTRUCTION TO VISION SYMBOLS			Pilot reports of clouds not visible from ground are coded with MSL height data preceding and/or following sky cover symbol to indicate cloud bases and/or tops, respectively.				
A - Aircraft			D - Dust H - Haze BD - Blowing Dust			DECODED REPORT				
B - Balloon (Pilot or ceiling)			F - Fog IF - Ice Fog BN - Blowing Sand			Kansas City. Special observation, 1500 feet scattered clouds, measured ceiling 2500 feet overcast, visibility 4 miles, light rain, smoke, sea level pressure 1013.2 millibars, temperature 59°F, dewpoint 54°F, wind 180°, 7 knots, altimeter setting 29.93 inches. Runway Visual Range 7000 feet, pilot reports top of overcast 3500 feet, rain began 5 minutes past the hour, overcast variable broken				
C - Estimated height of cirrus clouds on basis of persistence.			GF - Ground Fog K - Smoke BS - Blowing Snow			-+S indicates that report contains important change				
E - Estimated heights of macroform clouds			WIND							
M - Measured			Direction in tens of degrees from true north, speed in knots. 0000 indicates calm. G indicates gusty. Peak speed of gusts follows G or Q when squall is reported. The continuous WKT followed by local time group in remarks indicates wind shift and its time of occurrence.							
R - Radiosonde Balloon or Radar			EXAMPLES: 3027 160 Degrees, 27 Knots,							
W - Unknown			0127 010 Degrees, 27 Knots,							
U - Height of cirrus ceiling layer unknown			1027 100 Degrees, 27 Knots,							
			3027G40 360 Degrees, 27 Knots Peak speed in gusts 40 Knots							

**TERMINAL FORECASTS** contain information for specific airports on ceiling, cloud heights, cloud amounts, visibility, weather condition and surface wind. They are written in a form similar to the AVIATION WEATHER REPORT.

**CEILING:** Identified by the letter "C"

**CLOUD HEIGHTS:** In hundreds of feet above the station

**CLOUD LAYERS:** Stated in ascending order of height

**VISIBILITY:** In statute miles, but omitted if over 8 miles

**SURFACE WIND:** In tens of degrees and knots; omitted when less than 10.

## Examples of TERMINAL FORECASTS:

C150	Ceiling 1500', broken clouds.	011/2GF	Clear, visibility one and one half miles, ground fog
C150M	Ceiling 1500' overcast, visibility 6 miles, smoke.	CSX1/45	Sky obscured, vertical visibility 500', visibility one fourth mile, moderate snow
20@C70@3230G	Scattered clouds at 2000', ceiling 7000' overcast, surface wind 320 degrees 30 knots, gusty		

**AREA FORECASTS** are 12-hour forecasts of cloud and weather conditions, cloud tops, fronts, icing and turbulence for an area the size of several states. A 12-hour **OUTLOOK** is added. Heights of cloud tops, icing, and turbulence are above **SEA LEVEL**.

**SIGMET** advisories include weather phenomena potentially hazardous to all aircraft.

**AIRMETs** include weather phenomena of less severity than that covered by **SIGMETs** which are potentially hazardous to aircraft having limited capability due to lack of equipment or instrumentation or pilot qualifications and are at least of operational interest to all aircraft.

**WINDS ALOFT FORECASTS** provide a 12-hour forecast of wind conditions at selected flight levels. Temperatures will be included to all levels above 3000, except 5000 feet when this is the lowest level forecast and 7000.

## EXAMPLE:

LVL 3000 5000FT 7000 10000FT 15000FT 20000FT 25000FT  
 MKC 2222 2220 +19 2220 2414 +10 2713 +01 2815-09 2815-17  
 3000FT (MSL) 220° 22KT  
 10000FT (MSL) 240° 14KT TEMP +10°C.

**PILOTS** report in-flight weather to nearest FSS.

# Terminal Forecasts

PERIOD 0500C-1700C (5 A.M.-5 P.M. CST)

FT1 181045  
11Z-23Z MON

LBB 5007. 0900C O 2710  
ABI C3506007 2415. 1000C 800 2612  
GSW 1002TRW 1320G25 VRBL 1620G25. 1100C FROPA 400C8007 OCNL R--  
2710G15. 1300C 900 3010G15.

# Aviation Weather Reports

(TELETYPE SEQUENCE REPORTS)

0700C

029 SA29181300 CIRCUIT R029, 18TH DAY OF MONTH, 1300 GREENWICH  
TIME (Z) OR 0700 CENTRAL STANDARD TIME (C)  
LBB 6007 129/54/46/2508/997  
ABI E90015 133/59/52/3404/997  
MWL S E501TRWF 128/64/63/3212G18/993/TB06 OVHD MOVG EWD LTGIC  
ALQDS  
FTW M13035010 127/70/68/1212G18/991/0V0  
GSW M1107 127/71/66/1315G24/993/RB27 RE43  
030 (CIRCUIT R030)  
SPS R00/-015+ 132/81/61/1922G27

0800C

029 SA29181400  
LBB 015+ 132/57/42/2708/998/FEW CU SE  
ABI E90015 133/61/50/2908/997/CLDS DRK SE  
MWL M250/010 129/65/59/3012G18/995/TSTM SE MOVG E  
FTW M20050010 128/72/65/2210G16/993/RB34 RE50 TSTM E MOVG SE  
CLDS DRK SW WSHFT 0740C  
GSW M2007TRW- 127/70/68/1620G26/993/LN TSTMS SW-NE MOVG E  
030  
SPS /015+ 135/R0/55/1715G20/998

1300C

029 SA29181900  
LBB 025 134/61/40/2710/999  
ABI 015+ 134/64/46/2810/999  
MWL E90015 133/66/50/3508G12/998  
FTW E100015 131/68/52/2906/997  
GSW 012 130/69/50/3110G15/996  
030  
SPS 020 135/78/50/1810/998



## In-flight Weather Advisories

FL GSW 181100 (5 A.M.)  
SIGMET ALFA 1. OVR N CNTRL AND NERN TEX ALG AND E OF CLD FRNT  
MOD TO SVR TURBC IN TSTMS WITH HAIL TO 1 INCH DIAM. TSTMS FRMG  
PSBLY SLD LNS.

### (INTERPRETATION OF ABOVE SIGMET)

OVER NORTH CENTRAL AND NORTHEASTERN TEXAS ALONG AND EAST  
OF COLD FRONT, MODERATE TO SEVERE TURBULENCE CAN BE EXPECTED  
IN THUNDERSTORMS WITH HAIL TO 1 INCH IN DIAMETER. THUNDER-  
STORMS FORMING POSSIBLY IN SOLID LINES.

FL GSW 181300 (7 A.M.)  
AIRMET ALPHA 2. IMDT FLWG TO 50 MI W OF CLD FRNT IN N CNTRL TEX  
OCNL MOD TURBC BLO 6000 DUE TO RTHR STG GUSTY SFC WINDS. LGT RN  
SHWRS MAY RMN BRFLY AFT FRPA.

### (INTERPRETATION OF ABOVE AIRMET—FORMERLY

#### DESIGNATED ADVISORIES FOR LIGHT AIRCRAFT)

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING TO 50 MILES WEST OF COLD FRONT IN  
NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS, OCCASIONAL MODERATE TURBULENCE WILL  
EXIST BELOW 6,000 FEET DUE TO STRONG, GUSTY SURFACE WINDS.  
RAIN SHOWERS MAY REMAIN BRIEFLY AFTER FRONTAL PASSAGE.

## Pilot Reports

SPS PIREP 0738 GTH-SPS BLO SCTD CLDS 55 LGT TURBC.BE35

### (INTERPRETATION OF SPS PIREP)

ORIGINATING STATION WICHITA FALLS. TIME 7:38 A.M. CST.  
FROM GUTHRIE TO WICHITA FALLS BELOW SCATTERED CLOUDS AT  
5,500 FEET MSL LIGHT TURBULENCE REPORTED BY A BEECH  
BONANZA.

GSW PIREP 0810 SPS-V61 GSW INCLR AT 115 TIL BPR @V@ HVY RN  
MOD TURBC TO GSW. DC-6

### (INTERPRETATION OF GSW PIREP)

ORIGINATING STATION GREATER SOUTHWEST. TIME 8:10 A.M.  
CST. FROM WICHITA FALLS TO GREATER SOUTHWEST AIRPORT  
VIA VICTOR 61 BRIDGEPORT DIRECT GREATER SOUTHWEST AT 11,500  
FEET MSL CLEAR UNTIL BRIDGEPORT. BROKEN CLOUDS VARIABLE  
TO OVERCAST FOR REMAINDER OF FLIGHT WITH HEAVY RAIN AND  
MODERATE TURBULENCE REPORTED BY A DC-6.

## SAMPLE TEST ITEMS

1. What principal advantage does the Sectional Aeronautical Chart have over the World Aeronautical Chart for the type of flight proposed in this examination?

- 1—More radio aids to navigation are presented on the Sectional Chart.
- 2—The larger scale allows the use of more detail in presenting ground features.
- 3—The solution of dead reckoning problems is simplified.
- 4—A larger surface area is covered by the Sectional Chart.

2. Approximately how much greater in statute miles is the distance for Leg I than the total distance for Legs II and III?

- 1—55 miles.
- 2—44 miles.
- 3—36 miles.
- 4—66 miles.

NOTE: See page 87

3. What is the elevation of the highest obstruction within 10 statute miles of either side of your proposed route from the Guthrie VOR to Kickapoo Airport?

- 1—2,049 feet above ground level.
- 2—2,049 feet above sea level.
- 3—1,803 feet above sea level.
- 4—1,803 feet above ground level.

4. Preflight action as required by Federal Aviation Regulations for all flights away from the vicinity of an airport shall include a study of the weather, taking into consideration fuel requirements and—

- 1—the filing of a VFR flight plan.
- 2—the designation of an alternate airport.
- 3—an operational check of your navigational radios.
- 4—an alternate course of action if the flight cannot be completed as planned.

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Federal Aviation Regulation Part 91 prescribes that, when an aircraft is operated VFR in level cruising flight at 3,000 feet or more above the surface, it must observe a cruising altitude appropriate to the magnetic course being flown.

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5. Since the magnetic course on all three legs of this flight will fall between 0° and 179°, which of the following suggested cruising altitudes would be appropriate?

- 1—Odd thousands.
- 2—Even thousands.
- 3—Even thousands plus 500 feet.
- 4—Odd thousands plus 500 feet.

NOTE: Assume that you maintain a terrain clearance of at least 3,000 feet.

6. Which altimeters on page 34 indicate an altitude that would be appropriate for all three legs of this proposed cross-country?

- 1—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6.
- 2—2 and 4.
- 3—4 and 6.
- 4—2, 4, and 6.

7. For VFR flight in a control area, the minimum flight visibility and proximity to cloud requirements are:

- 1—Visibility 3 miles; 500 feet under, 1,000 feet over, and 2,000 feet horizontally from the clouds.
- 2—Visibility 3 miles; clear of the clouds.
- 3—Visibility 1 mile; 500 feet under, 1,000 feet over, 2,000 feet horizontally from the clouds.
- 4—Visibility 1 mile; clear of the clouds.

8. Based on the information furnished you, which of the airports that you propose to use can be determined to have more than one hard-surfaced runway?

- 1—Lubbock, Mineral Wells, and Greater Southwest.
- 2—Mineral Wells and Greater Southwest only.
- 3—Lubbock and Greater Southwest only.
- 4—Greater Southwest only.

NOTE: See the Airmen's Information Manual excerpts on pages 49-56.

9. Federal Aviation Regulations are specific regarding right-of-way rules. Assume that during your flight you encounter a large 4-engine military transport at your altitude. The transport is approaching from your right on an apparent collision course. Which airplane should give way, and why should it give way?

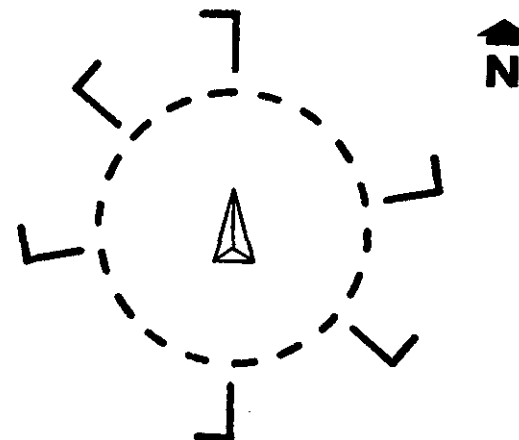
- 1—You should give way since it is a military airplane.

2—You should give way since your aircraft is in a different category.

3—You should give way since the military airplane is on your right.

4—The military airplane should give way since your airplane is to its left.

10. Assume your airport of intended landing displays this segmented circle.



What direction would traffic be for the northwest-southeast runway?

- 1—Left-hand for 13 and left-hand for 31.
- 2—Right-hand for 13 and right-hand for 31.
- 3—Left-hand for 13 and right-hand for 31.
- 4—Right-hand for 13 and left-hand for 31.

11. If the average groundspeed for the three legs is 123 mph and the average rate of fuel consumption is 8.6 gph, the total amount of fuel consumed (discounting that used for taxiing, takeoffs, and landings) should be approximately—

- 1—21 gallons.
- 2—25 gallons.
- 3—19 gallons.
- 4—23 gallons.

12. Which of the airports at which you propose to land should be able to supply fuel with the correct octane rating for your airplane?

- 1—All three of them.
- 2—Mineral Wells and Greater Southwest only.
- 3—Kickapoo and Greater Southwest only.
- 4—Greater Southwest only.

NOTE: See the Airplane Flight Manual excerpts, on page 89, and the AIM excerpts on pages 49–56.

13. Before beginning a cross-country flight, the pilot in command is required to familiarize himself with all available information appropriate to the intended flight. What is the most current source of airport runway information available to the pilot?

- 1—The WAC Chart.
- 2—Airman's Information Manual.
- 3—The front side of the Sectional Chart.
- 4—The back side of the Sectional Chart.

14. What is the only frequency which will allow you to receive both the VOR navigation signal and voice from Guthrie Radio?

- 1—122.2 mc.
- 2—122.1 mc.
- 3—112.4 mc.
- 4—121.5 mc.

15. What are the engine limitations that must be observed in the operation of the JOHNSTAR?

- 1—145 brake horsepower at 2,700 RPM.
- 2—135 brake horsepower at 2,750 RPM.
- 3—145 brake horsepower at 2,750 RPM.
- 4—135 brake horsepower at 2,700 RPM.

NOTE: See the Airplane Flight Manual excerpts on page 89.

16. In order to determine the amount of baggage that may be carried on this flight, you base your computations on the following known weights:

	<i>Pounds</i>
Airplane Empty Weight	1,290
Pilot	170
Three Passengers	
Passenger A	135
Passenger B	160
Passenger C	145
Fuel—42 gallons (5 gallons unusable and included in empty weight)	—
Oil—2 gallons (at 7.5 lbs./gal.)	—

What is the maximum allowable weight of baggage that you may carry?

- 1—69 pounds.
- 2—63 pounds.
- 3—33 pounds.
- 4—73 pounds.

NOTE: See the Airplane Flight Manual excerpts on page 89.

17. In order for an aircraft to carry passengers for hire, it must have been inspected and approved for return to service within the preceding—

- 1—12 calendar months and 100 hours of time in service.
- 2—6 calendar months.
- 3—100 hours of time in service.
- 4—12 calendar months.

18. Which of the airports at which you will be operating require a minimum ceiling of 1,000 feet and a minimum visibility of 3 miles for takeoff and landing if you do not have an air traffic control clearance?

- 1—Lubbock and Greater Southwest only.
- 2—Lubbock, Mineral Wells, and Greater Southwest.
- 3—Kickapoo, Mineral Wells, and Greater Southwest only.
- 4—All of them.

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Refer to altimeter illustration "2" on page 34 for the following test item.

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19. Assume this altimeter indication appeared in an airplane as it flew over Kickapoo Airport. Assume further that the altimeter setting is correct and the instrument is indicating an accurate elevation above sea level. What height would the aircraft be above the surface of the airport?

- 1—250 feet.
- 2—2,500 feet.

3—1,515 feet.

4—500 feet.

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Refer to the Airspeed Indicator on page 31 in answering test items 20 and 21.

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20. What is the power-off stalling speed (flaps up) as depicted by this Airspeed Indicator?

- 1—55 mph.
- 2—50 mph.
- 3—100 mph.
- 4—59 mph.

21. What is the maximum speed for normal operation?

- 1—130 mph.
- 2—140 mph.
- 3—150 mph.
- 4—160 mph.

22. If an airplane is in straight and level, undisturbed flight, the load factor is 1 since the wings are supporting the weight of the airplane only. The load factor is increased (greater than 1) in—

- 1—turns only.
- 2—pull-outs from dives and turns only.
- 3—rough (turbulent) air and turns only.
- 4—turns, pull-outs from dives, and rough (turbulent) air.

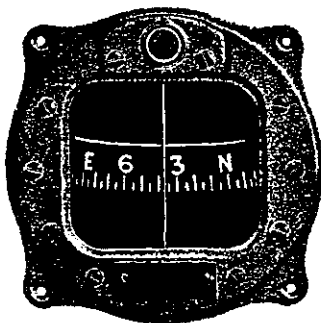
23. You check to determine that all required aircraft documents that must be carried in your airplane are aboard. These include—

- 1—current Airworthiness Certificate, Owner's Manual, and aircraft and engine logbooks.
- 2—Registration Certificate, current Airworthiness Certificate, and FAA approved Airplane Flight Manual or other placards, markings, and listings containing all the airplane operating limitations.
- 3—aircraft and engine logbooks, current Airworthiness Certificate, and Airplane Flight Manual.
- 4—Registration Certificate, current Airworthiness Certificate, and aircraft and engine logbooks.

24. Assume that the compass heading of an airplane in the Lubbock traffic pattern is the same as that indicated on the Magnetic Compass, below. What would be the approximate *true* heading of this same airplane?

- 1—50°.
- 2—28°.
- 3—48°.
- 4—46°.

NOTE: Use the Compass Deviation Card on page 20 to determine deviation.



25. Assume the elevation of the Guthrie VOR to be 2,400 feet. At what range could you expect normal voice reception from this station when cruising at the altitude indicated by altimeter "4" on page 34?

- 1—100 statute miles.
- 2—80 statute miles.
- 3—130 statute miles.
- 4—140 statute miles.

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You arrive at the airport at 7:00 a.m. (0700C) planning to take off at 0830C, weather permitting. This gives you ample time for flight planning, a weather briefing, and a thorough preflight inspection.

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The next 5 test items are based on the weather information on pages 90–95.

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26. The Area Forecast for the period 7 A.M. to 7 P.M. CST, on page 91, indicates that the front pictured on the weather map on page 90 will move eastward as a cold front. Should a squall line precede the front, it will normally be characterized by—

- 1—fog, low stratus clouds, and stable air.
- 2—hail, fog, and freezing precipitation.
- 3—cold surface temperatures and stratus clouds.
- 4—cumulus-type clouds, turbulence, and precipitation.

27. Your attention is naturally attracted to the In-flight Advisories, and the PIREPS, on page 94. Comparing the AIRMET ALPHA 2 with the PIREP from SPS you conclude that—

- 1—the PIREP concerns a flight conducted well above the altitudes designated by the AIRMET.
- 2—neither will be effective at your proposed takeoff time of 0830.
- 3—the turbulence which was forecast in the AIRMET does not affect the area west of Wichita Falls.
- 4—neither pertains to your proposed route of flight.

28. The Terminal Forecast on page 93 predicts a clear sky for Lubbock at 0800C. What visibility is forecast for 0800C?

- 1—15 miles.
- 2—6 miles.
- 3—10 miles.
- 4—Over 8 miles.

29. Referring to the Winds Aloft Forecast on page 95, you estimate the Winds Aloft for 0800C at 5,000 feet MSL for Lubbock to be from 280° at approximately 6 mph, and at 10,000 feet MSL to be from—

- 1—330° at 14 mph.
- 2—310° at 14 mph.
- 3—330° at 12 mph.
- 4—331° at 2 mph.

30. A check of the 7:00 A.M. Aviation Weather Report for Wichita Falls, on page 93, indicates that—

- 1—the ceiling was 8,000 feet.
- 2—an overcast ceiling existed.

3—the visibility was 8 miles.

4—there were scattered clouds at 8,000 feet and a high thin overcast but no ceiling existed.

31. You plan to monitor the voice feature of the Guthrie VOR enroute to Kickapoo to keep advised of the latest weather. Scheduled weather broadcasts will be available from Guthrie—

- 1—every 30 minutes at 15 and 45 minutes after the hour.
- 2—every hour at 30 minutes after the hour.
- 3—on the hour and on the half-hour.
- 4—every hour on the hour.

32. The Wichita Falls VOR could be utilized as an aid in locating the Kickapoo Airport. What radial of this VOR intersects the Kickapoo Airport?

- 1—317°.
- 2—137°.
- 3—147°.
- 4—127°.

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Following your study of the weather information at the Lubbock Weather Bureau Office, you received a briefing from the forecaster. His forecast indicates that the weather along your proposed route is VFR. You file your flight plan from Lubbock to Kickapoo with the Lubbock FSS (Flight Service Station) and request VFR Flight Following Service. Guthrie is designated as your flight watch station.

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It is good practice to compute takeoff performance, particularly when operating from short obstructed runways. This takes into consideration gross weight, atmospheric conditions, surface winds, and runway features.

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33. For a takeoff from a 2,500 foot runway, assuming a gross weight of 2,200 pounds, wind calm, elevation 2,500 feet, and temperature 50°F, approximately how much runway would be *remaining* at lift-off?

- 1—885 feet.
- 2—945 feet.
- 3—1,555 feet.
- 4—1,615 feet.

NOTE: Refer to the Takeoff Data Chart on page 40.

34. Assume a takeoff is made at maximum allowable gross weight from an airport with an elevation of 5,000 feet MSL and a temperature of 41°F. Climbing at full throttle and best climb airspeed, what approximate time would be required to climb to 10,000 feet MSL?

- 1—9½ minutes.
- 2—12 minutes.
- 3—16 minutes.
- 4—5 minutes.

NOTE: Refer to the Climb Data Chart on page 41.

35. Assume a cruising altitude of 7,500 feet, 60% BHP with lean mixture, and standard atmospheric conditions. What should be the approximate TAS and rate of fuel consumption?

- 1—127 mph and 7.9 gph.
- 2—124 mph and 7.5 gph.

3—120 mph and 5.2 gph.

4—122 mph and 7.6 gph.

NOTE: Refer to the Cruise Performance Chart on page 42.

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You choose 5,500 feet as a cruising altitude from Lubbock to Wichita Falls. Your TAS will be 120 mph and your rate of fuel consumption will be 7.2 gph.

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36. Based on the information given above, what should be your approximate groundspeed at cruising altitude from Lubbock to the Guthrie VOR?

- 1—114 mph.
- 2—126 mph.
- 3—136 mph.
- 4—134 mph.

NOTE: Use the 0600–1200C Lubbock Winds Aloft Forecast for 5,000 Feet on page 95.

37. Assume that enroute from Lubbock to Guthrie, you tune your VOR receiver to the Guthrie VOR when within reception distance and rotate the bearing selector until the LEFT-RIGHT needle centers with a “TO” indication. If on course, your bearing selector should then indicate approximately—

- 1—085°.
- 2—075°.
- 3—265°.
- 4—255°.



38. To carry passengers with you on this trip, you must meet certain recency of experience requirements. These requirements are that within the preceding 90 days, in an aircraft of the same category, class, and type, you must have made at least—

1—5 takeoffs and landings to a full stop.

2—3 takeoffs and landings to a full stop.

3—5 takeoffs and landings which may be either touch-and-go or full stop.

4—3 takeoffs and landings which may be either touch-and-go or full stop.

39. When tuned to the Guthrie VOR, how can you positively identify that you have the correct station?

1—Radio tuned to 112.4 mc.

2—Reception of a weather broadcast.

3—Reception of any transmission.

4—Radio tuned to 112.4 mc and reception of the coded signal.

40. If you have reason to utilize the Plainview VOR after departure from Lubbock, you should tune your receiver to a frequency of—

1—112.9 mc.

2—116.4 mc.

3—110.6 mc.

4—112.4 mc.

NOTE: Refer to the Sectional Chart Bulletin on page 49.

41. Assuming an average cruising groundspeed of 126 mph from Lubbock Airport to Kickapoo Airport with an additional 5 minutes estimated for takeoff and climb, what figure would you enter in Block 10 of the flight plan?

1—1:24.

2—1:37.

3—1:42.

4—1:32.

NOTE: See the Flight Plan on page 69.

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After filing your flight plan and conducting a thorough preflight inspection of the airplane, you start your engine and contact Lubbock tower for taxi and takeoff instructions.

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42. You should establish radio contact with Lubbock ground control by transmitting and receiving on the frequency—

1—122.5 mc.

2—121.7 mc.

3—121.9 mc.

4—121.5 mc.

NOTE: See the Radio Equipment data on page 89, and the Airport/Facility Directory excerpt on page 55.

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Lubbock Ground Control instructions are as follows: "CLEARED TO RUNWAY ONE SEVEN LEFT, WIND TWO TWO ZERO AT SEVEN, ALTIMETER TWO NINER NINER EIGHT, TIME ZERO EIGHT THREE ZERO."

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43. From Ground Control's instructions, you know that you are cleared to taxi to—

- 1—and line up on Runway 17L, but must await takeoff clearance.
- 2—Runway 17L, but must obtain clearance to cross any runway intersecting the taxi route.
- 3—Runway 17L and take off unless subsequently instructed otherwise.
- 4—but not on Runway 17L and to cross runways intersecting the taxi route.

44. The usable length of the runway to which you have been cleared is—

- 1—3,000 feet.
- 2—8,500 feet.
- 3—7,602 feet.
- 4—3,400 feet.

NOTE: See the NOTAM on page 49.

45. After adjusting your altimeter to the setting which was broadcast by Lubbock Ground Control, it should indicate approximately—

- 1—zero.
- 2—85 feet.
- 3—3,269 feet.
- 4—3,291 feet.

46. At 0850C, following takeoff from Lubbock and level-off at cruising altitude, you cross the highway north of Lorenzo on course. You next fix your position at 0858C as crossing the highway north of Crosbyton on course. Your groundspeed is approximately—

- 1—113 mph.
- 2—129 mph.
- 3—133 mph.
- 4—123 mph.

47. As you approach Guthrie, you prepare to call "Guthrie Radio" since this has been designated your flight watch station by the Lubbock FSS. The correct procedure for making this contact would be to transmit—

- 1—and receive on 122.1 mc.
- 2—on 122.1 mc and receive on 112.4 mc.
- 3—on 122.1 mc and receive on 122.2 mc.
- 4—on 121.5 mc and receive on 112.4 mc.

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You report your time over Guthrie and receive a weather briefing from the Childress FSS (controlling FSS for Guthrie) which indicates the weather is as forecast for the remainder of your route to Wichita Falls.

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48. While flying straight-and-level on this leg, you notice that your magnetic compass holds steady and appears to be giving a correct indication of your heading. You also notice that when the nose of the airplane is lowered and airspeed is increased, the Magnetic Compass indicates a turn toward the north; when the nose is raised and airspeed is decreased, the Magnetic Compass indicates a turn toward the south. This action of the compass is probably due to—

- 1—unusual mineral deposits in the area.
- 2—the yaw produced by torque when changing from level flight to a descent or climb.
- 3—a malfunctioning and it should not be relied on to give accurate indications of your heading.
- 4—the normal acceleration and deceleration error and it should give reliable indications of your heading while in steady, straight-and-level flight.

49. If you decided to detour by way of Munday, Texas, on the leg from Guthrie to Kickapoo Airport, what would be the approximate true course from the Guthrie VOR to the town of Munday?

- 1—109°.
- 2—129°.
- 3—119°.
- 4—139°.

NOTE: Munday is approximately 45 miles southeast of the Guthrie VOR.

50. Assuming a groundspeed of 130 mph and that you remain on course, what will be your approximate enroute time from over the Guthrie VOR until crossing Highway 283 north of Lake Kemp?

- 1—:29.

- 2—:27.
- 3—:33.
- 4—:31.

51. Kickapoo UNICOM advises that they have a temporary obstruction 200 feet from the south end of hard-surfaced Runway 14-32 and the turf runway is soft from rain. Assume the following conditions:

No landing obstacles (approach)  
Weight—1,900 lbs.  
Flaps—full  
Indicated airspeed—58 mph  
Elevation—2,500 feet (To allow margin of safety)  
Headwind component—12 mph

Based on these conditions, what would be your approximate landing roll?

- 1—512 feet.
- 2—448 feet.
- 3—576 feet.
- 4—878 feet.

NOTE: Use the Landing Conditions Chart on page 43. Interpolate between 2,200 and 1,600 pounds.

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You complete your business appointment at Wichita Falls and are back at the airport at 1330 to continue your trip to Greater Southwest with a passenger stop planned for Mineral Wells.

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52. Based on the 1300C Aviation Weather Reports on page 93, the surface wind at Mineral Wells should be from approximately—

- 1—080° at 12 knots.
- 2—350° at 8 knots and gusty.
- 3—350° at 8 mph and gusty.
- 4—300° at 12 mph and gusty.

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Your passenger stop is designated as your flight watch station.

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53. You departed Lubbock Airport with full fuel tanks and the flight to Kickapoo consumed 13 gallons. The total flying time remaining (Kickapoo to Greater Southwest including passenger stop) is estimated to be 1 hour and 30 minutes at an average fuel consumption rate of 8.5 gph. If you do not refuel, approximately how much endurance will you have after arrival over Greater Southwest Airport?

- 1—1:55.
- 2—1:00.
- 3—1:40.
- 4—1:20.

NOTE: Refer to the Airplane Flight Manual excerpts on page 89.

54. You may encounter areas of stratus clouds on this flight and you visualize the possibility of carburetor icing. Since your airplane is equipped with a fixed-pitch propeller, you realize that the indication of carburetor icing would likely be—

- 1—a decrease in engine RPM only.
- 2—engine roughness only.
- 3—a loss of power only.
- 4—any of the above.

55. If you determine that carburetor icing does exist, which of the following methods would constitute the best *immediate* procedure?

- 1—Apply full “hot” carburetor heat to remove the existing ice and then follow the procedure as recommended by the manufacturer.
- 2—Climb or descend to another cruising level.
- 3—Move the carburetor heat control toward the full “hot” position until you get the maximum RPM increase.
- 4—Alternately move the carburetor heat control from the full “cold” position to the full “hot” position until you’re sure the ice has been removed.

56. Flying at 5,500 feet MSL, with a true airspeed of 125 mph, what will be your approximate *compass* heading and groundspeed from Kickapoo Airport to Mineral Wells Airport?

- 1—148° and 126 mph.
- 2—175° and 136 mph.
- 3—154° and 136 mph.
- 4—161° and 125 mph.

NOTE: Use the GSW 1200C–1800C Winds Aloft Forecast for 5,000 Feet on page 95 and the Compass Deviation Card on page 20.

57. Assume you encounter severe turbulence in the wake of a large aircraft in the vicinity of Mineral Wells. You reduce your indicated airspeed to the maneuvering speed for the JOHNSTAR. This speed is—

- 1—113 mph.
- 2—100 mph.
- 3—140 mph.
- 4—80 mph.

You land at Mineral Wells and after leaving your passenger at the terminal are airborne again at 1450C.

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58. The *most* important rule to remember in the event of a power failure on takeoff after becoming *airborne*, is to—

- 1—maintain safe airspeed.
- 2—gain altitude immediately.
- 3—turn back to the takeoff field.
- 4—determine the wind direction.

59. Enroute to Greater Southwest Airport, you detour north of course to avoid Meacham Field on the north edge of Fort Worth. You decide to intercept and fly inbound to the GSW VORTAC on the 270° radial. Which VOR receiver indication(s) on page 62 would illustrate that you have used approved procedures and have intercepted this course?

- 1—3 and 7.
- 2—7 only.
- 3—3 only.
- 4—6 only.

60. In the event you were to *pass* within a 5 statute mile radius of Meacham Field, Regulations require, unless otherwise authorized, that your minimum altitude should be no less than—

- 1—2,000 feet MSL.
- 2—3,000 feet MSL.
- 3—2,692 feet MSL.
- 4—3,500 feet MSL.

61. Contemplating your final landing, you remember that stall speed increases as the bank increases. How much would the wings level stalling speed (10° flaps) of your airplane increase should you inadvertently progress to a 60° bank on the final turn with power off?

- 1—23 mph.
- 2—4 mph.
- 3—8 mph.
- 4—2 mph.

NOTE: Refer to the Stall Speed Chart on page 6.

62. Since you observe numerous aircraft in the Fort Worth Area, you decide to contact Fort Worth Approach Control for traffic information. The recommended procedure would be to transmit—

- 1—on 122.7 mc and receive on 118.1 mc.
- 2—and receive on 118.1 mc.
- 3—and receive on 121.5 mc.
- 4—on 118.3 and receive on 118.1 mc.

NOTE: Refer to the Radio Equipment data on page 89; and the Airport/Facility Directory on page 55.

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Approach Control provides you with numerous radar traffic advisories as you progress toward your destination, and then instructs you to contact Greater Southwest Tower approximately 5 miles west of the airport.

After reporting your position 5 miles west, you receive the following Tower message: "JOHNSTAR TWO SEVEN ZERO EIGHT BRAVO, GREATER SOUTHWEST TOWER, LEFT TRAFFIC RUNWAY THREE ONE, WIND THREE TWO ZERO AT ONE FIVE GUSTS TO TWO ZERO, ALTIMETER TWO NINER NINER SEVEN, NUMBER TWO TO LAND FOLLOW BOEING SEVEN - O - SEVEN ON THREE MILE FINAL."

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63. In compliance with the Greater Southwest Tower message, you should plan to land on Runway 31 turning on final approach from a—

- 1—right base leg heading of approximately 200°.
- 2—left base leg heading of approximately 040°.
- 3—left base leg heading of approximately 200°.
- 4—right base leg heading of approximately 040°.

64. As you enter the traffic pattern, you cannot recall the maximum speed for lowering the flaps, but then remember that this speed is—

- 1—marked by a radial yellow line on the airspeed indicator.
- 2—not marked on the airspeed indicator.
- 3—indicated only on a placard on the instrument panel.
- 4—represented by the higher airspeed limit of the white arc on the airspeed indicator.

65. Assume that after entering the traffic pattern, you hear no further radio transmissions. Just prior to turning onto final

approach, you observe an alternating red and green light signal from the control tower. You should interpret this to mean—

- 1—that the airport is unsafe and you should not land.
- 2—that you should give way to other aircraft and continue circling.
- 3—nothing if the last radio message received cleared you to land.
- 4—that you should proceed with your approach but exercise extreme caution.

66. Light aircraft are particularly susceptible to wing tip vortices or wake turbulence. The most severe wake turbulence is produced by—

- 1—small aircraft during takeoff or landing.
- 2—large aircraft during takeoff or landing.
- 3—small aircraft in cruising flight.
- 4—large aircraft in cruising flight.

67. As you turn on final approach, you note that your Turn and Bank Indicator appears as illustrated in "D" on page 35. You should interpret this indication to mean that you are probably in a—

- 1—slipping turn to the right.
- 2—skidding turn to the left due to excessive aileron pressure and insufficient rudder pressure.
- 3—skidding turn to the left due to excessive rudder pressure.
- 4—slipping turn to the left.

68. You receive a steady green light from the tower and land as cleared. While completing your landing roll on the runway, you notice a *flashing red light* from the tower. You should—

- 1—not use the first available taxiway—it is unsafe.
- 2—taxi clear of the runway on the first available taxiway or suitable area.
- 3—exercise extreme caution.
- 4—stop as soon as practicable.

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If a flight plan has been filed, it is mandatory that an arrival or completion notice be filed (flight plan closed).

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69. Relative to the preceding statement, which of the following statements is true?

- 1—At airports with control towers, the tower will automatically close your flight plan *only* if it is the airport of destination specified in the flight plan.
- 2—The arrival notice must be filed by the pilot within an hour after arrival on a standard form provided for this purpose.
- 3—The pilot should request the FSS to close the flight plan.
- 4—At all airports with a control tower, the tower automatically will close your flight plan as soon as the landing is complete.

70. The most important reason for servicing fuel tanks to full capacity upon completion of a flight is because this procedure—

- 1—prevents drying and cracking of the fuel cell inner liner which occurs when it is exposed to the air.
- 2—minimizes the possibility of corrosion and structural dam-

age due to moisture forming on and dripping from the outer walls of fuel tanks.

- 3—prevents the fuel evaporation which occurs in partially-filled tanks.
- 4—minimizes the possibility of fuel contamination from condensation of water on inner walls of partially-filled tanks.

## ANSWERS AND EXPLANATIONS FOR SAMPLE EXAMINATION TEST ITEMS

The correct response is listed immediately after the test item number. Explanatory statements will generally contain the reasoning for the correct solution or cite a reference for the source of the correct response. Instances where incorrect responses have been designed to show a misapplication of data such as reversing wind direction, adding rather than subtracting variation, etc., will be pointed out. (For brevity, the *Private Pilot's Handbook of Aeronautical Knowledge* will be referred to as the *Private Pilot's Handbook* and *Federal Aviation Regulations* will be referred to as FAR. When page number references are listed without further identification, they pertain to this Guide).

(1)—(2) *The Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 12, page 59 states: "Sectional Aeronautical Charts (scale: About 8 statute miles per inch)—fairly complete detail, primarily for use in pilotage, most widely used by private pilots." The WAC Chart contains all the radio aids to navigation that are contained on the Sectional Chart and covers a larger surface area. The solution of dead reckoning problems is the same regardless of the chart used as long as the true course and variation can be determined from the charts.

(58)—(1) **MAINTAIN SAFE AIRSPEED!** This is a cardinal rule. Leg III measures 59 statute miles. Legs II and III total 137 statute miles, or 55 miles less than the distance of Leg I. Forty-four (44) miles would have been your incorrect response if you had used the nautical mile scale rather than the statute mile scale on the Sectional Chart. (Remember, your statute mile solution may not agree exactly unless you used the mileage scale on the chart itself.)

3—(2) A tower which measures 2,049 feet *above sea level* appears approximately  $3\frac{1}{2}$  miles to the left of your course as you approach Kickapoo Airport. Elevations on Sectional Charts are always in feet above sea level (see back of Sectional Chart); therefore, response

number one is incorrect. There is another obstruction with an elevation of 1,803 feet about 2 miles left of course and 12 miles east of Guthrie, but it is not the highest.

4—(4) FAR 91.5 states in part: "Each pilot in command shall, before beginning a flight, familiarize himself with all available information concerning that flight. This information must include . . . alternatives available if the planned flight cannot be completed. . . ." Responses 1, 2, and 3 are not mandatory for a VFR cross-country.

5—(4) FAR 91.109 states in part: ". . . each person operating an aircraft under VFR in level cruising flight, at or above 3,000 feet above the surface, shall maintain the appropriate altitude prescribed below:

(a) When operating below 18,000 feet MSL and—

(1) On a magnetic course of zero degrees through 179 degrees, any odd thousand foot MSL altitude + 500 feet (such as 3,500, 5,500, or 7,500); . . . "

6—(3) Only altimeters 4 and 6 indicate altitudes of odd-thousand + 500 feet. Although altimeter 2 could be appropriate for a portion of your flight (since the aircraft would be less than 3,000 feet above the surface) the elevation for the beginning of the flight is greater than 2,500 feet.

7—(1) FAR 91.105 states in part:

"(a) *Distance from clouds.* Except as provided in FAR 91.107, no person may operate an aircraft under VFR—

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(2) Within any other controlled airspace [excludes continental control area] at a distance less than 500 feet below or 1,000 feet above, and 2,000 feet horizontally from, any cloud formation;"

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"(b) *Flight visibility*. Except as provided in FAR 91.107, no person may operate an aircraft under VFR—

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(2) In any other controlled airspace [excludes the continental control area] unless flight visibility is at least 3 statute miles; . . . ."

8—(1) The Airport Directory and Airport/Facility Directory excerpts furnished with this Guide on pages 53–55 indicate that Lubbock has 5 hard surfaced runways; Mineral Wells, 2; and Greater Southwest, 2.

9—(3) FAR 91.67 states in part:

"(c) *Converging*. When aircraft of the same category are converging at approximately the same altitude (except head-on, or nearly so) the aircraft to the other's right has the right of way."

FAR 1.1 defines "category" as follows:

"(1) As used with respect to the certification, ratings, privileges, and limitations of airmen, means a broad classification of aircraft. Examples include: airplane; rotocraft; glider; and lighter-than-air; . . . ."

10—(3) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 24, Figure 114, page 112, diagrams the meaning of the traffic pattern indicators in connection with a segmented circle. To specifically fix the proper runway on the illustration, the runway headings of 13 and 31 were supplied in the responses.

11—(4) At an average groundspeed of 123 mph for a distance of 329 statute miles, the enroute time would be 2:41. With a fuel consumption rate of 8.6 gph this results in 23 gallons.

12—(1) The Airport and Airport/Facility Directories on pages 53–55, show an F4 (100/130 or lower) fuel code for Kickapoo and an F5 (115/145 or lower) for Mineral Wells and Greater Southwest. The Airplane Flight Manual excerpt on page 89 indicates a fuel specification of 80/87 octane for the JOHNSTAR. The term "100/130 performance rating or lower" generally means the fuel available includes 100/130 and the lower octane ratings.

13—(2) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 24, page 128, presents a "Checklist for Maintaining Currency of Sectional Charts." The checklist points out that you should rely on the *Airman's Information Manual* for the most current airport information. Remember: NOTAMS are the source of the latest information.

14—(3) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 24, page 106, describes VOR operation. Except for stations with "no voice" the omnifrequency carries voice transmissions. The Sectional Chart and the Airport/Facility Directory on page 55 indicate the current frequency is 112.4 mc and this station is capable of voice transmissions. The station may be able to transmit voice on 122.2 mc or 121.5 mc, but not the navigational signal.

15—(1) The Airplane Flight Manual excerpt for the JOHNSTAR on page 89 gives the correct limitation. This is the normal source for airplane and engine limitations.

16—(2) Although the JOHNSTAR has a total fuel capacity of 42 gallons, 5 gallons are unusable and are therefore included in the empty weight. (See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 22, page 97.) Adding 222 pounds (37 gallons of fuel at 6 lbs/gal.) and 15 pounds (2 gallons of oil at 7.5 lbs/gal.) to the weights listed, the total is 2,137 pounds less baggage. Since the Airplane Flight Manual excerpt on page 89 indicates a maximum allowable gross weight of 2,200 pounds, this leaves 63 pounds for baggage. If you had incorrectly added the weight for the full 42 gallons, your answer would have been 33 pounds—a wrong answer.

17—(1) FAR 91.169 states in part:

"(a) . . . no person may operate an aircraft unless, within the preceding 12 calendar months, it has had—

(1) An annual inspection . . . and has been approved for return to service . . . ."

"(b) . . . no person may operate an aircraft carrying any person (other than a crewmember) for hire . . . unless, within the preceding 100 hours of time in service, it has been inspected . . . and approved for return to service . . . ."

Although responses 3 and 4 are partially true, they do not include the complete requirement as does response 1.

18—(2) Your Sectional Chart indicates that Lubbock, Mineral Wells, and Greater Southwest Airports all lie within Control Zones. (The areas outlined by dashed blue lines.) Kickapoo does not.

FAR 91.105 states in part:

"(a) *Distance from clouds.* Except as provided in FAR 91.107, no person may operate an aircraft under VFR—

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(3) Within a control zone, beneath the ceiling when the ceiling is less than 1,000 feet;"

Visibility requirements have been stated in the explanation to sample test item 7. FAR 91.107 does provide for operations within a control zone with minimums less than these, but only by an appropriate ATC clearance.

19—(3) Altimeter "2" indicates 2,500 feet above sea level (MSL). The Sectional Chart shows Kickapoo Airport to be at an elevation of 985 feet. The aircraft is therefore 1,515 feet above the surface at this point. Altimeters are set to indicate "feet above sea level," not "feet above ground."

20—(4) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 19, page 91, describes and illustrates the color-coded marking system of the air-speed indicator. The lower limit of the green arc depicts the power-off stalling speed with flaps up (landing gear not applicable in this case). Response 1, fifty-five (55) mph, is the power-off stalling speed with flaps down.

21—(2) The maximum speed for normal operation (Maximum Structural Cruising Speed) is depicted by the upper limit of the green arc. Response 4, one hundred sixty (160) mph, is the Never-Exceed Speed.

22—(4) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 3, pages 11 and 14, states:

"So long as the airplane is moving at a constant airspeed in a straight line, the load on the wings remains constant. When the airplane assumes a curved flight path—all types of turns, pullouts from dives, and abrupt or excessive back pressure on the elevator control—the actual load on the wings will be much greater because of the centrifugal force produced by the curved flight."

"One additional cause of large load factors is severe vertical gusts."

23—(2) FAR 91.27 states in part:

"(a) No person may operate a civil aircraft unless it has within it—

(1) An appropriate and current airworthiness certificate . . . and

(2) A registration certificate issued to its owner."

FAR 91.31 states in part:

"(b) No person may operate a U. S. registered civil aircraft unless there is available in the aircraft a current FAA approved Aircraft Flight Manual for that aircraft, placards, listings, instrument markings, or any combination thereof, containing each operating limitation prescribed for that aircraft by the Administrator, . . . ."

24—(1) To determine *true heading* from *compass heading*, both deviation and variation must be applied. Based on the deviation card, the magnetic heading in this case would be 39°. The Sectional Chart indicates the variation in the Lubbock area to be 11° E. Easterly variation is *subtracted* to convert TRUE to MAGNETIC. It must be *added* in this case since we are converting MAGNETIC to TRUE. Therefore, 50° is the correct response. Incorrect response 2, 28°, would result from a misapplication of the variation. Incorrect responses 3 and 4 could result from mis-reading the compass and/or misapplication of the deviation.

25—(2) Altimeter "4" indicates 5,500 feet above sea level or 3,100 feet above the assumed station elevation. The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 27, page 145, presents a table of normal VHF reception distances based on altitude above the station.

26—(4) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 10, page 43, states: "In some cases, an almost continuous line of thunderstorms may form along the front" [cold] "or ahead of it. These lines of thunderstorms, 'squall lines,' contain some of the most turbulent weather experienced by pilots." Fog and stratus type clouds as indicated by responses 1, 2, and 3 are generally associated with a warm front.

27—(3) Based on the weather forecast and Aviation Weather Reports available, it is doubtful that the moderate turbulence forecast by AIRMET ALPHA 2 would exist as far west as Wichita Falls. With the additional evidence of only light turbulence, as presented by the PIREP, you can safely conclude that the forecast moderate turbulence does not exist in the area west of Wichita Falls.

28—(4) Referring to the Key to Aviation Weather Reports on page 92, you note that the absence of a visibility figure in Terminal Forecasts indicates that the visibility is over 8 miles. (The Key to Aviation Weather Reports is always furnished with the Private Pilot Written Examination.) If you mistook the wind speed in the figure 2710 for visibility, you may have chosen incorrect response number 3.

29—(1) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 11, page 55, explains how to interpret Winds Aloft Forecasts. The figure representing the Lubbock 10,000-foot wind at 0800 is 3312. This indicates a direction of 330° at 12 knots. Twelve (12) knots is approximately 14 mph. If you had mistakenly interpreted the figure 12 as mph, you would have chosen incorrect response number 3. (The Key to Aviation Weather Reports also includes an explanation of the Winds Aloft Forecast.)

30—(4) The 0700C Aviation Weather Report for Wichita Falls shows a sky cover of 8,000 feet scattered high, thin overcast and a visibility of more than 15 miles. The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 9, page 39, states "The height above ground of the lowest layer of clouds reported as broken or overcast and not classified as 'thin' is the ceiling."

31—(1) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 27, page 144, explains the times for Scheduled Weather Broadcasts.

32—(2) If you draw a line from the Wichita Falls VOR, located approximately 11 statute miles NE of the Kickapoo Airport, through the Kickapoo Airport, you will note that it intersects the compass rose encircling the VOR at approximately the 137° point. This is the 137° radial of the Wichita Falls VOR. Response number 1, 317° is the magnetic course from Kickapoo Airport to the Wichita Falls VOR, not the radial.

33—(3) Since the temperature of 50° F is standard for the elevation of 2,500 feet, and the gross weight is given as 2,200 lbs., the takeoff ground run can be read directly from the Takeoff Data Chart without interpolation or treatment for temperature variation. (See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 23, page 100.) From the Takeoff Data Chart you determine that the ground run is 945 feet. Deducting this figure from a runway length of 2,500 feet and assuming you started your takeoff at the end of the runway, you should have 1,555 feet of runway remaining at lift-off. Incorrect responses 1, 2, and 4 might result from a careless or incomplete reading of the stem of the test item or the Takeoff Data Chart.

34—(2) The Climb Data Chart for the conditions given shows a rate of climb at 5,000 feet of 520 feet per minute and at 10,000 feet of 310 feet per minute. Since the climb is to be performed from 5,000 to 10,000 feet, you should interpolate and find a mid-figure of 415 feet per minute. Dividing 5,000 feet (the altitude to be gained) by 415 feet (the rate of climb in feet per minute) results in 12 minutes. If you had assumed the rate of climb to be 520 feet per minute for the entire 5,000 feet you would have chosen incorrect response number 1. If you had assumed the rate of climb for the entire 5,000 feet to be 310 feet per minute, you would have chosen incorrect response number 3.

35—(4) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 23, page 102, explains how to interpret a Cruise Performance Data Chart. Based on the conditions given, the Cruise Performance Chart indicates a true airspeed of 122 mph and a rate of fuel consumption of 7.6 gph. Again, it can be pointed out that an incomplete or careless reading of the test item stem or the Cruise Performance Chart could result in a choice of incorrect responses 1, 2, or 3. All of these conditions may be found on the Cruise Performance Chart, but not for the specific situation as outlined.

36—(2) This is a standard dead reckoning problem. (See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 16, page 72, or Chapter 26, page 138.) Given a true airspeed of 120 mph, and a cruising altitude of 5,500 feet, you must determine the other factors necessary for the dead reckoning computation. From the course drawn on the chart, and the wind given in the Winds Aloft Forecast, you determine the true course to be 085° and the wind to be from 280° at 5 knots or approximately 6 mph. The resulting groundspeed will be approximately 126 mph, whether you use a flight computer or the wind triangle method.

37—(2) You have determined that the true course from Lubbock to the Guthrie VOR is 085°. However, this is a magnetic course of approximately 075°, since Guthrie is in the area between the 10° and 10°30' variation lines. The back of the Sectional Chart indicates that bearings (radials) are magnetic at VOR stations. In other words, as you can note by studying those on the Sectional Chart, they are aligned with magnetic north, not true north. If you failed to take the variation into account, you might have chosen incorrect response number 1. Response number 4 is incorrect since this selection would give a "from" indication.

38—(1) FAR 61.47 states in part:

"... No person may act as pilot in command of an aircraft carrying passengers unless, within the preceding 90 days, he has made at least 5 takeoffs and 5 landings to a full stop in an aircraft of the same category, class, and type . . . ."

39—(4) The AIM excerpt, in the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Figure 106, Chapter 24, page 106, states: "The only positive method of identifying an omnirange is by its Morse Code identification or by the recorded automatic voice identification which is always indicated by use of the word 'VOR' following the range's name. Reliance on determining the identification of an omnirange should never be placed on listening to voice transmissions by the Flight Service Station (FSS) or approach control facility involved." Many VOR's are remotely controlled by a parent FSS. Some voice transmissions through the remotest station may carry the name of the parent facility only. As an example, the following might be heard from the Bridgeport VORTAC: "This is Fort Worth Area Radio."

40—(1) Although the Sectional Chart shows the frequency for the Plainview VOR, located approximately 30 miles north of the Lubbock Airport, to be 110.6 mc, the Sectional Chart Bulletin indicates this frequency has been changed to 112.9. Remember the checklist for maintaining currency of Sectional Charts in Chapter 24 of the *Private Pilot's Handbook*.

41—(2) Block 10 of the flight plan is for the estimated time enroute. You have determined the distance from the Lubbock Airport via the Guthrie VOR to the Kickapoo Airport to be 192 statute miles. Based on an average groundspeed of 126 mph, this results in a time of 1:32. Adding the 5 minutes as instructed, your response should be 1:37. If you used the nautical miles scale instead of the statute miles scale for measuring your distance, your result would be incorrect response number 1.

42—(3) The Airport/Facility Directory entry for Lubbock Airport indicates the ground control frequency of 121.9 mc. The description of the radio equipment aboard the JOHNSTAR shows that you have this frequency available. Remember, although 121.5 mc is a standard frequency for most facilities, it should be used only in an emergency.

43—(4) You should have no difficulty in interpreting your taxi instructions as cleared to Runway 17 Left. FAR 91.87 states in part:

"(h) *Clearances required.* . . . . A clearance to 'taxi to' the runway is a clearance to cross all intersecting runways but is not a clearance to 'taxi on' the assigned runway."

44—(1) The NOTAM for Lubbock Municipal Airport indicates that the north 400 feet of Runway 17L - 35R is closed temporarily leaving a usable landing length in both directions of 3,000 feet. The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 30, page 158, emphasizes the importance of checking NOTAMS, particularly for each airport at which you intend to operate.

45—(3) The altimeter setting as broadcast by Lubbock ground control is the station pressure corrected to Mean Sea Level. (See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 19, page 87.) If your altimeter is calibrated accurately, it should then indicate the elevation at Lubbock Municipal Airport. The Sectional Chart shows this to be 3,269 feet. Setting the altimeter to zero as in response 1 would be contrary to Federal Aviation Regulations.

46—(2) Since the stem of the test item states that you have leveled off at cruising altitude prior to the time check, you can assume that you are maintaining a constant airspeed. The distance travelled between the two checkpoints is slightly over 17 statute miles and the period of time was 8 minutes. This should result in a groundspeed of approximately 129 mph. When short distances such as this are involved, even a fraction of a mile or a minute should be considered for the utmost accuracy in groundspeed checks. See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 25, page 133, for an explanation of inflight groundspeed checks. If you had inadvertently used the nautical mile scale in measuring the distance, your result would have been incorrect response 1, 113 mph.

47—(2) This combination of frequencies provides you with voice communication as well as radio navigation guidance. (See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 27, page 145.) There is no assurance that Guthrie can transmit on 122.2 mc. This is normally used for Airport Advisory Service (AAS). Based on the Sectional Chart, this service is not available at Guthrie. Response 1 is incorrect since 122.1 mc is not a transmitting frequency for ground stations.

48—(4) This is a normal error of the magnetic compass and does not indicate malfunctioning. Yaw, when properly corrected for, should not produce a compass error. An unusual mineral deposit would normally cause the compass to swing or turn in only one direction. See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 21, page 95, for a complete explanation of the magnetic compass.

49—(3) Your first step should be to draw a line from the Guthrie VOR to the town of Munday. (See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 14, page 64.) Using a plotter or protractor, you measure the course angle as it crosses the 100° meridian. Another method would be to note the magnetic bearing at the point where the course line intersected the Guthrie VOR compass rose. However, if you failed to apply variation, you would have chosen incorrect response 1. Incorrect response 2 would have resulted from misapplying the variation.

50—(4) The distance involved is slightly over 67 statute miles. All that remains is a simple time-distance calculation based on the given groundspeed. Again, if you had inadvertently used the nautical mile distance scale, you would have chosen an incorrect response—in this case, response 2.

51—(1) See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 23, page 104, for an explanation of how to interpret a Landing Data Chart. The important thing to remember in using a chart of this type is that you must interpolate for weights between those listed for an accurate determination. Since only ground roll, not total landing distance, is requested, you can see that it lies halfway between 560 feet and 720 feet before applying headwind factor. Therefore, 640 feet reduced by 20% for the headwind component results in 512 feet. Incorrect responses 2 and 3 could have resulted from failure to interpolate.

52—(2) 3508 is properly interpreted only by response 2. Response 3 is incorrect since the wind is always reported in knots.

53—(4) The Airplane Flight Manual indicates the total usable fuel to be 37 gallons. Deducting 13 gallons, you have 24 gallons remaining. At 8.5 gph this should provide an endurance of 2:50. If you had mistakenly used 42 gallons as the total *usable* fuel, your result would have been incorrect response 1.

54—(4) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 18, page 84, states: "For airplanes with fixed-pitch propellers, the first indication of carburetor icing is loss of rpm . . . a roughness in engine operation may develop later." Concurrent with loss of rpm is loss of power.

55—(1) The reference for the correct response is the same as in item 54. A change in altitude might be a recommended procedure, in time, but it would not constitute the best immediate procedure. When ice is present, the full "hot" position should be used as the first step; not partial or alternating "hot" positions.

56—(3) This is another dead reckoning problem similar to the one in item 36, but with a different true airspeed and utilizing the Greater Southwest Winds Aloft Forecast. Again, the first step is to determine your true course; in this case, 161°. A flight computer or wind triangle solution based on a forecast wind of 330° at 11.5 mph (10 knots) should result in a true heading of 162° and a groundspeed of 136 mph. Applying a variation of 10°W (to the nearest full degree) and deviation as indicated by the card, you should arrive at the correct result. Misapplication of variation would result in incorrect response 2.

57—(1) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 3, page 14, explains the reason for this action. The Airplane Flight Manual excerpt is the only source in this instance for determining the maneuvering speed. Remember, it is not marked on the airspeed indicator. Incorrect responses 2 and 3 are maximum flaps extended speed and maximum structural cruising speed, respectively.

58—(1) MAINTAIN SAFE AIRSPEED! This is a cardinal rule. Without flying speed, other actions may be impossible. Remember, a successful emergency landing is usually possible, except perhaps in very rough terrain, if touchdown is made with the aircraft in a level attitude and at a reduced but safe airspeed.

59—(2) Only the indications shown in set 7 are correct. (See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 28, page 151.) Although the indications in set 3 show the correct course selection of 090°, the To-From indicator would place this position east of the station.

60—(3) FAR 91.85 states in part:

“(b) Unless otherwise authorized or required by ATC, no person may operate an aircraft within an airport traffic area except for the purpose of landing at, or taking off from, an airport within that area.”

FAR 1.1 defines a normal airport traffic area as follows:

“... that airspace within a horizontal radius of 5 statute miles from the geographical center of any airport at which a control tower is operating, extending from the surface up to, but not including, 2,000 feet above the surface.”

The Sectional Chart shows the elevation of Meacham Field to be 692 feet. Therefore, a minimum altitude of 2,692 feet is necessary to avoid the airport traffic area.

61—(1) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 3, page 14, explains the effect of increased bank on stall speed. The use of the Stall Speed Chart is self-explanatory. The incorrect responses could result from incomplete or careless reading of the test item stem or the Stall Speed Chart.

62—(1) The Airport/Facility Directory entry for Greater Southwest International lists 118.1 mc as the traffic information frequency. Although the radio equipment of the JOHNSTAR does not permit you to transmit on 118.1, you find that Fort Worth Approach Control also receives 122.7 mc, a frequency you do have available. Traffic advisories, furnished by radar equipped approach control facilities such as Fort Worth, are a valuable aid to the VFR pilot in avoiding other aircraft in high density terminal areas. (See *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 24, Figure 113, page 111.)

63—(2) The tower instruction clearly specifies “left traffic.” Therefore, your heading on a left base leg should be approximately 90° greater (or added clockwise) than the runway heading of 310°. Incorrect response 3 contains a heading for a right base leg. See *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 27, page 146, for a review of radio communication procedures.

64—(4) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 19, page 91, describes and illustrates the color-coded marking system of the airspeed indicator. Incorrect response 1 is completely fictitious. There is no

radial yellow line on the airspeed indicator. A yellow arc, however, marks the caution range.

65—(4) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 24, Figure 111, page 110, presents a chart of traffic control light signals. Incorrect response 1 would be indicated by a flashing red signal. Incorrect response 2 would be indicated by a steady red signal. NEVER DISREGARD A LIGHT SIGNAL AIMED AT YOU BY A CONTROL TOWER.

66—(2) See the *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 24, Figure 110, page 109, for an illustrated explanation of wake turbulence. The most severe wake turbulence is produced by large aircraft in landing or takeoff configuration. Light aircraft are especially affected if they should encounter this type of turbulence. The heavier and slower the aircraft, the greater the intensity of the air circulation in the vortex cores. Therefore, responses 1, 3, and 4 are incorrect. Since vortices are not formed until lift is produced, they will not be generated on a takeoff roll until just before liftoff, or by a landing aircraft after it is solidly on the ground. Vortices settle downward and spread laterally. When it is necessary to operate behind a large aircraft, try to remain above the flight path of that aircraft.

67—(3) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 20, page 92, explains the operation of the Turn and Bank (or Turn and Slip) Indicator. The left turn is uncoordinated since the bank is too shallow for the rate of turn. This condition is normally brought about by rudder pressure. A slipping turn in the same direction would be characterized by the ball being on the opposite side.

68—(2) See the reference for item 65. The use of caution should be a standard rule when observing any red light signal, but the signal in this case has a more specific meaning.

69—(3) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 30, page 159, states: “The one thing you must not forget is to close your flight plan upon arrival. Do this by telephone with the nearest FSS, if possible, to avoid radio congestion. If there is no FSS near your point of landing, you may close it by radio with the nearest FSS” [indicated in the remarks block of your flight plan] “on arriving over your destination.” Although a tower will close your flight plan and advise the FSS upon request, the best procedure is to contact the FSS directly. There is no standard form required.

The flight plan itself also carries in bold letters the reminder "CLOSE FLIGHT PLAN UPON ARRIVAL."

70—(4) The *Private Pilot's Handbook*, Chapter 18, page 83, states: "... have the fuel tanks completely filled after each flight, or at least after the last flight of the day. This will prevent moisture condensation within the tank since no airspace will be left." Incorrect responses 1 and 3 may occur with partially-full fuel tanks, but neither should be considered the *most* important reason for end-of-flight servicing to full capacity.

REMEMBER !! The mastery of the sample test items alone should not be used as a criterion for determining that you are properly prepared to take the actual FAA Written Examination. Your knowledge of the material on which the workbook section of this guide is based and of the appropriate Federal Aviation Regulations should be the final yardstick.