# C-172 CHECK LIST LN-ASY

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Δ	<b>RFFORF</b>	STARTIN	G ENGINE.
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- Preflight Inspection COMPLETE
- Papers CHECKED
- Flight Controls FREE and CORRECT
- Seats, Belts, Shoulder Harnesses - ADJUST and LOCK
- Radios OFF
- El. Equipment OFF
- Brakes TEST and SET
- Circuit Breakers CHECK IN
- Startup Clearance RECEIVED

<sup>\*</sup> Night Flight : SEE LAST PAGE

## **B. STARTING ENGINE.**

- Master Switch ..... ON
- Fuel Quantity ...... CHECKED, Reading .....
- Fuel Selector ..... BOTH
- Mixture ..... RICH
- Carburator Heat ..... COLD
- Prime ...... AS REQUIRED (0 6 strokes)
- Throttle ...... OPEN 1/4 INCH (When Hot: 2 3 mm)
- Rotating Beacon ...... ON
- Propeller Area ...... CLEAR
- Ignition Switch ..... START
- Oil Pressure ...... CHECK GREEN (within 30 sec.s)
- Throttle ..... 800 RPM, when cold

## C. AFTER START CHECK.

- Throttle ..... 1.200 RPM
- Radios ..... ON (as required)
- Transponder ...... STANDBY (7000 ?)
- Gyros ..... SET
- Lights ..... ON AS NECESSARY
- ATIS ..... RECEIVE (if avail.)
- Taxi Clearance ...... REQUEST
- Altimeter(s) ..... SET
- Brakes ..... RELEASE

## D. TAXI.

- Brakes ..... CHECK , both sides
- Gyros ..... CHECK OPERATION

## E. ENGINE RUNUP.

- Brakes ..... SET
- Warm Up at ..... 1200 RPM
- Throttle ..... 1700 RPM
- Suction ...... CHECK, ca 5"
- Oil Pressure ...... CHECK
- Oil Temperature ..... CHECK
- Alternator ..... CHECK
- Carburator Heat .... CHECK FOR DROP, THEN COLD
- Magnetos ..... CHECK : Max. drop : 125 RPM
  - Max. diff.: 50 RPM
- Throttle ...... IDLE, THEN 1200 RPM
- Engine Failure Briefing PERFORMED

F. BEFORE TAKE-OFF Flight Controls	
TAKE-OFF.	
G. NORMAL TAKE-OFF Gyro CHECK RWY heading	
- Landing lights ON	
- Wing Flaps UP - Throttle FULL	
- Elevator Control LIFT NOSE WHEEL (at 55 KIAS)	
- Climb Speed 73 KIAS (75-85 KIAS)	
G2. MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE TAKE-OFF.	
- Wing Flaps UP	
- Brakes APPLY - Throttle FULL OPEN	
- HITOLIE FULL OPEN - Brakes RELEASE	
- Elevator Control SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW	
- Climb Speed 59 KIAS (until clear of obstacles)	
H. NORMAL CLIMB.	
- Airspeed 80 KIAS	
- Landing lights OFF - Throttle FULL OPEN	
- Mixture FULL RICH (lean above 3.000 ft)	
- Engine instr CHECKED	
H2. ENROUTE CLIMB.	
- Airspeed 90 KIAS	
- Landing lights OFF	
- Throttle FULL OPEN - Mixture FULL RICH (lean above 3.000 ft)	
- Engine instr CHECKED	
I. CRUISE.	
- Power 2200 - 2700 RPM (max. 75 %)	
- Elevator Trim ADJUST	
- Mixture LEAN (above 3.000 ft)	
- Fuel Selector FULLEST TANK (L or R) - Engine instr CHECKED	
Engine man OTILONED	
J. DESCENT.	
- ATIS RECEIVE - Altimeter(s) QNH SET, Reading	
- Mixture RICH	
- Power 2.000 RPM / AS DESIRED	
- Carburator Heat AS REQUIRED (prevent icing)	

K. BEFORE LANDING.  - Seat Belts FASTENED  - Fuel Selector Valve BOTH  - Mixture RICH  - Carburator Heat ON  - Landing lights ON  - Magnetos BOTH  - Airspeed 60 - 70 KIAS (flaps UP)  - Wing Flaps AS DESIRED  - Airspeed 55 - 65 KIAS (flaps DOWN)		
L. BALKED LANDING.  - Throttle FULL OPEN  - Carburator Heat COLD  - Wing Flaps 20°  - Airspeed 55 KIAS  - Wing Flaps RETRACT SLOWLY		
M. NORMAL LANDING.  - Touchdown MAIN WHEELS FIRST  - Landing Roll LOWER NOSE WHEEL GENTLY  - Braking MINIMUM REQUIRED		
N. AFTER LANDING.  - Carburator Heat COLD  - Wing Flaps UP  - Landing Time CHECK  - Transponder STANDBY  - Landing lights OFF		
O. STOPPING ENGINE.  - Parking Brake ON  - Throttle 1200 RPM  - Radios, El. eq, OFF  - Mixture IDLE CUT-OFF  - Ignition Switch OFF, Key Out  - Master Switch OFF  - Lights OFF  - Control Lock INSTALL  - Logbook		
- Flight Plan CLOSED ??		
* NIGHT FLYING, PREFLIGHT CHECK.		
- Master Switch ON - Anti Coll. Lights CHECK - Nav. Lights CHECK - Landing -, Taxi lights - CHECK - Interior Lights CHECK - Flash Light CHECK AVAILABLE		

#### 1. ENGINE FAILURES

# 1.1 ENGINE FAILURE DURING TAKE-OFF RUN

- Throttle ..... IDLE
- Brakes ..... APPLY
- Wing Flaps ..... RETRACT
- Mixture ..... IDLE CUT-OFF
- Ignition Switch... OFF
- Master Switch ... OFF

## 1.2 ENGINE FAILURE IMMEDIATLY AFTER TAKE-OFF

- Airspeed ...... 65 KIAS (flaps UP)
- 60 KIAS (flaps DOWN)
   Mixture ...... IDLE CUT-OFF
- Fuel Selector Valve OFF
- Ignition Switch ..... OFF
- Wing Flaps ...... AS REQUIRED
- Master Switch ...... OFF

## 1.3 ENGINE FAILURE DURING FLIGHT

- Airspeed ..... 65 KIAS
- Carburator Heat ..... ON
- Fuel Selector Valve BOTH
- Mixture ..... RICH
- Ignition Switch ...... BOTH
  - (or START if prop. is stopped)
- Primer ..... IN and LOCKED

## 2. FORCED LANDINGS

## **2.1 EMERGENCY LANDING WITHOUT POWER**

- Airspeed ..... 65 KIAS (flaps UP)
  - 60 KIAS (flaps DOWN)
- Mixture ..... IDLE CUT-OFF
- Fuel Selector Valve OFF
- Ignition Switch ...... OFF
- Wing Flaps ..... AS REQUIRED
- Master Switch ...... OFF
- Doors ...... UNLATCH PRIOR TO TOUCHDOWN
- Touchdown ..... SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW
- Brakes ..... APPLY HEAVILY

## 2.2 PRECAUTIONARY LANDING WITH ENGINE POWER

- Wing Flaps ..... 20°
- Airspeed ..... 60 KIAS
- Selected Field ...... FLY OVER, note obstructions
- Radio and Elect. eq. OFF
- Wing Flaps ..... 40 ° (on final)
- Airspeed ..... 60 KIAS
- Master Switch ..... OFF
- Doors ...... UNLATCH PRIOR TO TOUCHDOWN
- Touchdown ..... SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW
- Ignition Switch ...... OFF
- Brakes ..... APPLY HEAVILY

## 2.3 DITCHING

- Radio ...... - MAYDAY , MAYDAY , MAYDAY ....

- Flaps ..... - 20 - 40 °

- Power ...... - ESTABLISH 300 ft/min DESCENT,

55 KIAS

- Approach ,High Winds - INTO THE WIND

Heavy Swells - PARALLEL TO THE SWELLS

- Cabin Doors ..... - UNLATCH

- Touchdown ...... - LEVEL ATTITUDE AT

**ESTABLISHED DESCENT** 

- Face ...... - CUSHION at touchdown

- Airplane ..... - EVACUATE

- Life Vests / Rafts ..... - INFLATE

#### 3. FIRES

## 3.1 ENGINE FIRE DURING START ON GROUND

- Cranking ...... - CONTINUE

## If engine starts:

- Power ..... - 1700 RPM for a few minutes

- Engine ...... - SHUTDOWN and inspect for damage

#### If engine fails to start:

- Throttle ..... - FULL OPEN

- Mixture ..... - IDLE CUT-OFF

- Cranking ...... - CONTINUE for 2-3 min.

- Fire extinguisher ... - OBTAIN

- Master Switch ...... - OFF

- Ignition Switch ..... - OFF

- Fuel Shutoff Valve - OFF

- Fire ...... - EXTINGUISH

- Fire damage ...... - INSPECT

## 3.2 ENGINE FIRE IN FLIGHT

- Mixture ..... - IDLE CUT-OFF

- Fuel Selector Valve - OFF

- Master Switch ...... - OFF

- Cabin Heat and Air - OFF (except overhead vents)

- Airspeed ..... - 100 KIAS

- Forced Landing ..... - EXECUTE

## 3.3 ELECTRICAL FIRE IN FLIGHT

- Master switch ..... - OFF

- All Other Switches .... - OFF (except IGNITION) - Vents/Cabin air/Heat - CLOSED

- Fire Extinguisher ...... - ACTIVATE

## If fire appears out and el. power

## is necessary for continuance:

- Master Switch ..... - ON

- Circuit Breakers ...... - CHECK for faulty circuit,

do not reset

- Radio/El. Switches ... - ON one at a time, with delay after each

until short circuit is localized

- Vents/Cabin air/Heat - OPEN when it is ascertained that fire is completely extinguished.

## 3.4 CABIN FIRE

- Master Switch ....... - OFF - Vents/Cabin air/Heat - CLOSED - Fire Extinguisher ...... - ACTIVATE

- Cabin ..... - VENTILATE

- Airplane ...... - LAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

#### 3.5 WING FIRE

- Navigation Light Switch... - OFF - Pitot Heat Switch ..... - OFF - Strobe Lights ..... - OFF

SIDESLIP to keep the flames away from fuel tank and cabin.

Land as soon as possible.

## 4. LANDING WITH A FLAT MAIN TIRE

- Approach ...... - NORMAL

- Touchdown ....... - GOOD TIRE FIRST, hold airplane off flat tire as long as possible.

# 5. ELECTRICAL POWER SUPPLY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS 5.1 OVER-VOLTAGE LIGHT ILLUMINATES

- Master Switch ...... - OFF (both sides)

- Master Switch ..... - ON

- Over-Voltage Light - OFF

If over-voltage light illuminates again:

- Flight ...... - TERMINATE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

## **5.2 AMMETER SHOWS DISCHARGE**

- Alternator ..... - OFF

- Non-essential El. eq. - OFF

- Flight ...... - TERMINATE AS SOON AS PRACTICAL

# **6. INADVERTENT ICING ENCOUNTER**

- Pitot Heat ..... - ON

- Flight ...... - 180 ° TURN / DESCEND

- Cabin Heat ...... - FULL OUT - Throttle ..... - INCREASE RPM

- Carb. Heat ..... - AS REQUIRED

- Oalb. Heat ...... - AO NE QUINED

- Landing ..... - AT NEAREST AIRPORT

- Flaps ..... - 0 ° (RETRACTED)

- Open Window ...... - SCRAPE ICE FROM WINDSHIELD - Approach ...... - WITH FORW. SLIP (VISIBILITY)

- Approach Speed .... - 65-75 KIAS (depending on ice)

- Landing ..... - LEVEL ATTITUDE

## 7. STATIC SOURCE BLOCKAGE

- Alternate Static Source - PULL ON

- Airspeed ..... - CONSULT APP. CALIBR. TABLE