

Cessna182S AIRCRAFT PERFORMANCE

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(tach) _____	
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Useful Load _____	
Max Baggage _____	

Weight and Balance Calculation

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Rear Seat Passengers	_____	74.0	_____
Baggage Area A (120 lbs.)	_____	97.0	_____
Baggage Area B (80 lbs.)	_____	116.0	_____
Baggage Area C (80 lbs.)	_____	129.0	_____
Fuel (88 gal usable)	_____	46.5	_____
Ramp Weight	_____		_____
Start, Taxi, & Runup	_____	46.5	_____
Takeoff Wt (3100 lbs.)	_____		_____
Takeoff C.G. (see chart)	_____		_____
Estimated Fuel Burn	_____	46.5	_____
Landing Weight	_____		_____
Landing C.G. (see chart)	_____		_____

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CESSNA 182S PRE-FLIGHT CHECKLIST

FLIGHT PLANNING

Airplane CHECK MAINTENANCE RECORDS
Route & Navigation Planning COMPLETE
Weather BRIEFING COMPLETE
Baggage WEIGHED
Weight & Balance / CG CALCULATED / WITHIN LIMITS
Performance Planning COMPLETE
Flight Plan FILED

INSIDE CABIN

Aircraft Papers ARROW
Aircraft Hobbs & Tachometer VERIFY
Fire Extinguisher (if aboard) CHECK
Headset, Charts, Lapboard ON BOARD
Baggage STOWED & SECURE
Control Lock REMOVE & STOW
Ignition Switch OFF
Avionics Power Switch OFF
Circuit Breakers IN
Compass Deviation Card CHECKED
Master Switch ON
Fuel Quantity Indicators CHECK QUANTITY (low fuel annunciators OFF)
Avionics Cooling Fan AVIONICS PWR ON – CHECK FAN – PWR OFF
Wing Flaps DOWN
External Lights / Pitot Heat CHECKED
Annunciator Panel Test TST then RELEASE
Master Switch OFF
Alternate Static Valve CHECK OPERATION (then closed)

EMPENNAGE – LEFT SIDE

Side and Rear Windows CHECK / CLEAN
Baggage Door CHECK
Empennage CHECK FOR DAMAGE
Horizontal Stabilizer – Leading Edge CHECK
Elevator – Left Side CHECK MOVEMENT / COUNTER-WEIGHT
Tail Tie Down / Rudder Gust Lock REMOVE
Rudder CHECK MOVEMENT / COUNTER-WEIGHT

EMPENNAGE – RIGHT SIDE

Elevator – Right Side CHECK MOVEMENT / COUNTER-WEIGHT
Elevator Trim Tab CHECK
Horizontal Stabilizer – Leading Edge CHECK
Empennage CHECK FOR DAMAGE
ELT Antenna CHECK SECURITY
Side and Rear Windows CHECK / CLEAN

CESSNA 182S PRE-FLIGHT CHECKLIST

RIGHT WING – TRAILING EDGE

Wing Flap CHECK SECURITY / FLAP TRACKS
Aileron CHECK MOVEMENT / COUNTER-WEIGHT
Wing Tip and Lights CHECK

RIGHT WING – LEADING EDGE

Leading Edge CHECK
Wing Tie Down / Chocks REMOVE
Right Main Tire, Brakes, Hyd. Line CHECK
Fuel Drain (5 Sumps) DRAIN / SAMPLE
Air Inlets CHECK
Fuel Tank CHECK QUANTITY / SECURE CAP (vented)

NOSE

Windshield CHECK / CLEAN
Engine Oil Level CHECK (4 – 9 quarts)
Fuel Drain (3 Sumps) DRAIN / SAMPLE
Cowling CHECK SECURE
Propeller & Spinner CHECK FOR NICKS & SECURITY
Carburetor Air Filter CHECK CLEAR
Nose Wheel Strut & Tire CHECK
Nose Wheel Damper CHECK SECURE
Exhaust CHECK
Static Source Opening (left side) CHECK FOR STOPPAGE

LEFT WING – LEADING EDGE

Air Inlets CHECK
Fuel Tank CHECK QUANTITY / SECURE CAP
Pitot Cover (if installed) REMOVE / CHECK FOR STOPPAGE
Fuel Tank Vent Opening CHECK FOR STOPPAGE
Stall Warning Opening CHECK FOR STOPPAGE
Landing Light(s) CHECK
Leading Edge CHECK
Wing Tip and Lights CHECK

LEFT WING – TRAILING EDGE

Aileron CHECK MOVEMENT / COUNTER-WEIGHTS
Wing Flap CHECK SECURITY / FLAP TRACKS
Wing Tie Down / Chocks REMOVE
Left Main Tire, Brakes, Hyd. Line CHECK
Fuel Drain (5 Sumps) DRAIN / SAMPLE

*** Push aircraft across **tie-down cable** if applicable ***

CESSNA 182S**Start / Takeoff / Cruise****BEFORE ENGINE START**

Preflight Inspection
 Cell Phones OFF
 Seat Belts & Harnesses
 Passenger Briefing
 Fuel Selector BOTH
 Avionics Power OFF
 Autopilot OFF
 Circuit Breakers
 Parking Brake SET
 Cowl Flaps OPEN
 ATIS / SET ALTIMETER

STARTING ENGINE

Mixture IDLE CUTOFF
 Throttle OPEN 1/4 INCH
 Propeller HIGH RPM
 Master Switch ON
 Rotating Beacon / NAV Lights
 Ignition Key IN
 Propeller Area "CLEAR"
 Aux Fuel Pump ON
 Mixture Adv 3-5 sec then IDLE CUTOFF
 Aux Fuel Pump OFF
 Ignition Switch START
 Mixture Adv to RICH then LEAN as req.
 Oil Pressure
 Ammeter
 Suction Gauge
 Wing Flaps UP

NAV/COMM

Avionics Power ON
 Intercom CHECK
 Marker Beacon TEST
 Com 1 SET
 Com 2 SET
 Nav 1 TEST / SET
 Nav 2 TEST / SET
 GPS SET
 DME SET
 ADF SET

BEFORE TAXI

Flight Instruments
 Transponder 1200 SBY
 Taxi Light ON
 Parking Brake OFF
 Permission to Taxi

RUNUP CHECK

Parking Brake SET
 Flight Controls & Trim
 Fuel Selector BOTH
 Fuel Quantity
 Autopilot / Air Cond OFF

Throttle 1800
 Mixture ADJUST
 Magnetos
 Propeller CYCLE
 Oil Pressure
 Oil Temperature
 Ammeter
 Suction Gauge
 Annunciator Panel
 Throttle IDLE
 Throttle 1000

Circuit Breakers
 Flight Instruments
 Radios
 Transponder ALT
 Landing Light / Strobes
 Cabin Doors & Windows
 Takeoff Briefing
 Wing Flaps SET
 Parking Brake OFF
 Permission to Take Off

NORMAL TAKEOFF

Throttle FULL
 Rotate 50 KIAS
 Trim for 70-80 KIAS
 Prop 2400 RPM at 500 AGL

CRUISE CLIMB

Airspeed 85-95 KIAS
 Power 23 INCHES / 2400 RPM
 Mixture Adjust

CRUISE

Power / Prop / Mixture
 Elevator & Rudder Trim
 Cowl Flaps CLOSED
 Engine Instruments
 Landing Light OFF

CESSNA 182S**Descent / Landing / Shutdown****DESCENT**

Fuel Selector Valve BOTH
 Power / Mixture
 Cowl Flaps CLOSED
 Landing Light ON

PATTERN ENTRY

Power 15 INCHES
 Flaps 10°

BASE LEG (Trim for 75 KIAS)

Flaps 20°

APPROACH

Gas BOTH
 Undercarriage
 Mixture
 Propeller HIGH RPM
 Safety SECURE
 Autopilot OFF

AFTER LANDING CHECK

Wing Flaps UP
 Cowl Flaps OPEN
 Mixture Adjust
 Landing Lights / Strobes OFF
 Taxi Lights ON
 Transponder STANDBY

SHUTDOWN

Throttle 1000 RPM
 Magneto Safety Check
 Throttle 1700 RPM
 Mixture LEAN MAX RPM
 Avionics Power Switch OFF
 Electrical Equipment OFF
 External Lights (except Beacon) OFF
 Throttle 1200 RPM
 Mixture IDLE CUTOFF
 Ignition Switch OFF
 Beacon Light OFF
 Master Switch OFF
 Cowl Flaps CLOSED
 Fuel Selector RIGHT or LEFT

SECURING AIRCRAFT

Chocks & Tie-downs
 Control Lock INSTALL
 Aircraft Hobbs & Tachometer RECORD
 Master Switch VERIFY OFF
 Doors and Baggage Door LOCK
 Post Flight Inspection

AIRSPEDS FOR SAFE OPERATION**Takeoff** – Flaps Up

Rotation55 KIAS
 Short Field 57 KIAS

Enroute Climb – Flaps Up

Normal Climbout 85-95 KIAS
 Best Rate (V_y) 75 KIAS
 Best Angle (V_x) 60 KIAS

Landing Approach

Normal – Flaps Up 75 KIAS
 Normal – Flaps 40° 65 KIAS
 Short Field – Flaps 40° 60 KIAS

Balked Landing

Max Pwr – Flaps 20° 55 KIAS

Maximum Maneuvering Speeds

3100 lbs. 110 KIAS
 2600 lbs. 101 KIAS
 2000 lbs. 88 KIAS

Best Glide

Flaps UP 75 KIAS
 Flaps DOWN 70 KIAS

Max Xwind 15 KIAS