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Piper Archer II PA28-181

Quick Reference Manual



**This maneuvers flow guide is intended to be used as a ready reference and provides only the basic steps and sequences. This guide should be used in conjunction with most current versions of FAA-H-8083-3, the FAA Airmen Certification Standards, Practical Test Standards, and the Pilot's Operating Handbook for the Piper Archer.**



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## Preflight/Normal Operations

### Weight and Balance

- |                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| 1. Max Gross Weight..... | 2550 lbs |
| 2. Taxi Fuel Burn.....   | 8 lbs    |

### V-Speeds

V <sub>S0</sub> .....	49
V <sub>S1</sub> .....	55
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### Leaning Procedures

- |                       |                               |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Lean Assist.....   | Hold                          |
| 2. Mixture Level..... | Lean Until 1st Cylinder Peaks |
| 3. Mixture Level..... | Enrich 100°F                  |





## Engine Starting

### Engine Start (Flooded)

1. Throttle..... Open Full
2. Fuel Pump..... On
3. Mixture ..... Idle Cut-Off
4. Engine/PFD Indicators..... Monitor/DECIDE
5. Magnetos..... Select Both/Start
6. Mixture (on Start) ..... Advance Full
7. Throttle..... Retard
8. Oil Pressure..... Check

### Engine Start (Fouled Spark Plugs)

1. Throttle..... Open 2000 RPM
  2. Mixture ..... Lean 50° of Peak
  3. Engine..... Run ~30 Seconds
  4. Engine RPM/PFD Indicators..... Monitor/DECIDE
  5. Magnetos (L/R)..... Max 175 RPM Drop / 50 RPM Difference
  6. Throttle..... Retard
  7. Mixture..... Advance to 100° Rich of Peak
- **If Roughness/RPM Difference Does Not Improve Seek Maintenance**





## Takeoff Operations

### Normal Takeoff

1. Flaps..... Up
2. Rotate..... 60 kts
3. Climb Out..... 80 kts

### Soft Field Takeoff

1. Flaps..... 25°
2. Pitch..... Start Yoke Full Back
3. Lift Off..... Early as Able
4. Flaps..... 10° with Positive Rate
5. Flaps..... Up at 75 kts
6. Climb Out..... 80 kts

### Short Field Takeoff

1. Flaps..... 25°
2. Full Stop..... Maximum Available Runaway
3. Takeoff Power..... Verify Set
4. Brakes..... Release
5. Rotate..... 55 kts
6. Climb Out..... 64 kts until clear, then 80 kts





## Performance Operations

### Flow Checklist

1. Fuel Selector..... Fullest Tank
2. Throttle..... 2300 RPM
3. Mixture..... As Required
4. Carb Heat..... As Required
5. Fuel Pump..... As Required
6. Clearing Turns..... Complete

### Performance Maneuvers Checklist

1. Flow Pattern.....Performed
2. Airspeed..... 90 kts
3. Throttle..... As Required (2300-2350 RPM)
4. Flaps..... As Required



## Slow Flight

\* Flow & Performance Maneuver Checklist

1. Altitude..... Above 1500' AGL
2. Throttle..... 1700 RPM
3. Flaps..... Full, Incrementally
4. Airspeed..... 55 kts
5. Throttle..... As Required (~2200 RPM)

### Recovery

6. Throttle..... Full
7. Flaps..... Retract, Incrementally

## Steep Turns

\* Flow & Performance Maneuver Checklist

1. Altitude..... Above 1500' AGL
2. Bank..... 45° or 50°
3. Trim..... 2 Full Swipes
4. Throttle..... Increase ~100 RPM
5. Recover..... Wings Level, Remove Throttle and Trim



## Power On Stall

\* Flow & Performance Maneuver Checklist

1. Altitude..... Above 1500' AGL
2. Throttle..... 1700 RPM
3. Airspeed..... 65 kts
4. Throttle..... Full
5. Pitch..... As Required to Induce Stall

**Recovery**

6. Unload Wing..... Nose Down, Wings Level
7. Cram..... Full Throttle
8. Climb..... Pitch Just Above Horizon
9. Clean..... Flaps & Carb Heat, Incrementally

## Power Off Stall

\* Flow & Performance Maneuver Checklist

1. Slow Flight..... Establish
2. Power..... 1700 RPM
3. Flaps..... Full, Incrementally
4. Airspeed..... Descend at 65 kts
5. Throttle..... Idle
6. Calls..... Call out horn and Buffet
7. Pitch..... To Hold Altitude

**Recovery**

8. Unload Wing..... Nose Down, Wings Level
9. Cram..... Full Throttle
10. Climb..... Pitch Just Above Horizon
11. Clean..... Flaps & Carb Heat, Incrementally





## Steep Spiral

\* Flow & Performance Maneuver Checklist

1. Altitude..... Above 4500' AGL
2. Reference..... Under Main Tire or Storm Window
3. Throttle..... Idle
4. Carb Heat..... On
5. Airspeed..... 80 kts
6. Throttle..... Clear engine every 1000'
7. Recover..... Above 1500' AGL

## Accelerated Stall

\* Flow & Performance Maneuver Checklist

1. Altitude..... Above 3000' AGL
2. Throttle..... 1700 RPM
3. Bank..... 45°
4. Throttle..... Idle
5. Pitch..... As Required to Induce Stall

### Recovery

6. Unload Wing..... Nose Down, Wings Level
7. Cram..... Full Throttle
8. Climb..... Pitch Just Above Horizon
9. Clean..... Flaps & Carb Heat, Incrementally



## Lazy Eights

\* Flow & Performance Maneuver Checklist

2. Altitude..... Above 1500' AGL
3. Airspeed..... 100 kts
4. Select Points..... 45°, 90°, 135°
5. Enter Climbing Turn..... Coordinated
  - A. 45°
    - a. Bank..... Increasing
    - b. Pitch Attitude..... Maximum
  - B. 90°
    - a. Pitch Attitude..... Hold
    - b. Bank..... Appx. 30
    - c. Airspeed..... 5-10 kts Above Stall
  - C. 135°
    - a. Pitch Attitude..... Lowest Point
    - b. Bank..... Decreasing
  - D. 180°
    - a. Pitch Attitude..... Level
    - b. Altitude..... Entry Level
    - c. Airspeed..... Entry Level
    - d. Heading..... 180° From Entry
  - E. Reverse Direction..... Repeat Maneuver
6. Resume Normal Cruise..... Establish



## Chandelles

\* Flow & Performance Maneuver Checklist

2. Altitude..... Above 1500' AGL
3. Reference Point..... Abeam Wing
4. Airspeed..... 100kts
  - A. Entry to 45°
    - a. Throttle..... Full
    - b. Bank..... 30°
    - c. Pitch..... Smoothly Increased
    - d. Coordination..... Verify
  - B. 90°
    - a. Pitch Attitude..... Hold 15°
    - b. Bank..... Hold 30°
    - c. Coordination..... Verify
  - C. 90° to 180°
    - a. Pitch Attitude..... Decreasing
    - b. Bank..... Decreasing
  - D. 180°
    - a. Pitch Attitude..... Level
    - b. Bank..... Level
    - c. Airspeed..... Just Above Stall
    - d. Heading..... 180° From Entry
5. Resume Normal Cruise..... Establish





## Landing Operations

### Normal Landing

1. Abeam..... 1500-1700 RPM, Flaps 10°, 85 kts
2. Base..... Flaps 25°, 75 kts
3. Final..... Flaps 40°, 65 kts

### Short Field Landing

1. Abeam..... 1500-1700 RPM, Flaps 10°, 85 kts
2. Base..... Flaps 25°, 75 kts
3. Final..... Flaps 40°, 62 kts

#### After Touchdown

4. Flaps..... Up
5. Brakes..... Maximum
6. Yoke..... Max Aerodynamics Braking



## Soft Field Landing

1. Abeam..... 1500-1700 RPM, Flaps 10°, 85 kts
2. Base..... Flaps 25°, 75 kts
3. Final..... 70 kts
4. Throttle..... As Needed through Touchdown
5. Nose Wheel..... Hold Off Long as Possible

## Go Around

1. Cram..... Full Power
2. Climb..... Pitch Just Above Horizon
3. Clean..... Flaps 25° Immediately
  - Carb Heat Off
  - Flaps 10° w/ Positive Climb
  - Flaps Up at 75 kts
4. Call..... Announce Go Around
5. Climb Out..... 80 kts



## Power Off 180°

1. Abeam..... Power to Idle, 76 kts, Trim
2. Base..... 10° (as Necessary)
3. Final..... 66 kts, Flaps/Slips (as Necessary)
4. Landing..... On Pre-Specified Point/Just Beyond



## Ground Reference Maneuvers

### Ground Reference Maneuvers

\* Perform Flow & Performance Maneuver Checklist

1. Altitude..... 1000' AGL

#### Turns Around a Point

- A. Enter Downwind
- B. Maintain Constant Radius by Changing Bank Angle
- C. Complete 2 Turns or as Specified by Instructor/Examiner
- D. Exit at Same Point of Entry

#### S-Turns

- A. Enter on the Downwind
- B. Maintain Constant Radius by Changing Bank Angle
- C. Make Left or Right Turns as Specified by Instructor/Examiner

#### Rectangular Course

- A. Enter 45° on the Downwind Leg
- B. Establish Adequate Wind Correction Angle
- C. Make Left or Right Turns as Specified by Instructor/Examiner

#### Eights on Pylon (Commercial)

- A. Calculate Pivotal Altitude (  $\text{Groundspeed}^2 / 11.3$  ) + 1000 = PA
- B. Airspeed Established at 90 kts
- C. Enter Downwind, Between Pylons
  - a. **Above** pivotal altitude: reference line move rearward
  - b. **At** pivotal altitude: aircraft pivots on reference line
  - c. **Below** pivotal altitude: reference line moves forward





# Instrument Procedures

## Instrument Procedures

### Procedure Turn Outbound

- A. Time..... Start
- B. Turn.....To Intercept Course
- C. Throttle.....Set Approach Airspeed / Power
- D. Tune.....To Outbound Radial / Frequency
- E. Talk.....Report if Required

**ACCOMPLISH PRE-LANDING CHECKLIST, REVIEW / BRIEF MISSED APPROACH PROCEDURE**

### Final Approach Inbound

- A. Time..... Start
- B. Throttle.....Set Approach Airspeed / Power
- C. Pitch.....Adjust
- D. Trim.....Adjust
- E. Tune.....Radio/Radial/Nav Source

### Reaching MDA & Level Off

- A. Throttle.....As Required
- B. Pitch.....Level Flight
- C. Trim.....Adjust
- D. Time.....Monitor

Upon Reaching MDA monitor outside aircraft for the runway environment. If 91.175 and all other requirements are met you may vacate minimums and continue to land. **If requirements are not met by the missed approach point (MAP) - EXECUTE MISSED APPROACH INSTRUCTIONS.**

### Reaching DA

Immediately upon reach DA if runway environment in sight and all other requirements met per 91.175 continue approach and land. **If requirements are not met at the DA - EXECUTE MISSED APPROACH INSTRUCTIONS.**

### Missed Approach

- A. Click.....Go Around Button
- B. Cram.....Full Power
- C. Climb.....Establish Vy
- D. Clean..... Flaps Up at 75 kts
  - 4a).....Carb Heat Off
- E. Call.....Report Going Missed
- F. Configure.....Navs/Radials/Radios





## Emergency Procedures

### Emergency (ABCD) Checklist

1. Airspeed..... Pitch Best Glide (76 kts)
2. Best Place to Land..... Choose & Fly Toward
3. Checklist (**Above 500' AGL Only**)..... Memory Items / List
4. Declare Emergency..... Call ATC / 121.5, Transponder 7700

### Engine Power Loss (Takeoff)

#### 1. Sufficient Runway Remains

- A. Power..... Idle
- B. Landing..... Land & Stop Straight Ahead
- C. Brakes..... As Required

#### 2. Insufficient Runway Remains

- A. Airspeed..... Maintain Safe Airspeed
- B. Landing..... Straight Ahead / Avoid Obstacles
- C. Flaps..... As Necessary

#### 3. Sufficient Altitude Gained (Attempt Restart)

- A. Emergency Flow Pattern..... Run **Flow Pattern**
- B. Fuel Selector..... Switch Tanks
- C. Fuel Pump..... Check ON
- D. Mixture..... Rich
- E. Carb Heat..... On

- **If Power is Not Regained, Proceed with Landing (No Engine Power)**



## Engine Power Loss (In Flight)

**\* Perform ABCD Checklist**

1. Airspeed..... Maintain 76 kts
2. Fuel Selector ..... Fullest Tank
3. Fuel Pump..... On
4. Mixture..... Full
5. Carb Heat..... On
6. Magnetos..... Off, then individually ON
  - **When Power is Restored**
8. Carb Heat..... Off
9. Fuel Pump..... Off
  - **Land as Soon as Practical**
  - **If Power is Not Restored - Landing (No Engine Power)**

## Landing (No Engine Power)

**\* Perform ABCD Checklist**

1. Airspeed..... Maintain 76 kts
2. Air Blower..... OFF
3. Landing Pattern..... Established 1000' AGL
  - **When Committed to Landing**
4. Airspeed..... 66 kts
5. Flaps..... As Desired
6. Throttle..... Closed
7. Mixture..... Idle Cut-Off
8. Magnetos..... Off
9. Master Switches..... Off
10. Fuel Selector..... Off
11. Seatbelts..... Secure



## Engine Fire (During Start)

1. Start Switch..... Continue to Crank
2. Mixture ..... Idle Cut-Off
3. Throttle..... Open
4. Fuel Pump..... Off
5. Fuel Selector..... Off
  - **Abandon if Fire Continues**

## Engine Fire (In Flight)

**\* Perform ABCD Checklist**

1. Fuel Selector..... Off
2. Throttle..... Closed
3. Mixture ..... Idle Cut-Off
4. Fuel Pump..... Off
5. Vents/Defroster..... Closed/Off
  - **If Fire Continues:**
6. Airspeed/Attitude..... Increase/Pitch Down
  - **Proceed with Landing (No Engine Power)**



## Engine Roughness

1. Carb Heat..... On
  - **If Roughness Continues After 1 Minute:**
2. Mixture ..... Max Smoothness
3. Carb Heat..... Off
4. Fuel Pump..... On
5. Fuel Selector..... Switch Tanks
6. Engine Indicators..... Monitor/DECIDE
7. Magnetos..... Verify
  - **Prepare for Engine Power Loss (In Flight)**





## Notes

