

**BAY AREA AERO CLUB**  
**AIRCRAFT WRITTEN EXAMINATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Membership Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Medical Class and Date \_\_\_\_\_ BFR Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Make and Model Aircraft \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Corrected by \_\_\_\_\_

1. What is the total usable fuel capacity? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What is the required fuel grade? What color? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What alternate grade(s) and color(s) of fuel are authorized if the above not available? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What is the oil capacity? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What is the minimum recommended oil level? \_\_\_\_\_
6. What is the maximum aircraft gross weight? \_\_\_\_\_
  
7. Give the following airspeeds for this aircraft. Indicate whether Kts or mph, IAS or CAS.
  - a. Stall speed, full flaps, wings level \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Stall speed, flaps up, wings level \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Stall speed, full flaps, 45-bank \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Stall speed, flaps up, 45-bank \_\_\_\_\_
  - e. Best angle-of-climb airspeed (Vx) \_\_\_\_\_
  - f. Best rate-of-climb airspeed (Vy) \_\_\_\_\_
  - g. Cruise climb airspeed \_\_\_\_\_
  - h. Maneuvering speed (Va) \_\_\_\_\_
  - i. "Normal" approach speed \_\_\_\_\_
  - j. Maximum flaps-extended speed (Vfe) \_\_\_\_\_
  - k. Short-field landing approach speed \_\_\_\_\_
    - i) Short-field landing flap setting \_\_\_\_\_
  - l. Short-field takeoff initial climb speed \_\_\_\_\_
    - i) Short-field takeoff initial flap setting \_\_\_\_\_
  - m. Airspeed for best glide \_\_\_\_\_
  - n. Maximum crosswind component \_\_\_\_\_
  
8. What is the endurance at 65% power (no reserve, 7500 feet) \_\_\_\_\_
9. What are the required takeoff and landings distances for maximum gross weight, no wind:
  - a. Sea level, std temp, ground roll 1. takeoff \_\_\_\_\_ 2. landing \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. 5000 ft, 80 deg F, 50-ft obstacle 1. takeoff \_\_\_\_\_ 2. landing \_\_\_\_\_
  
10. What are the power setting, fuel consumption and true airspeed for the following conditions?
  - a. 65% power, 7500 feet, STD temp  
MP/RPM \_\_\_\_\_ TAS \_\_\_\_\_ Fuel consumption \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. 75% power, 3000 feet, STD temp  
MP/RPM \_\_\_\_\_ TAS \_\_\_\_\_ Fuel consumption \_\_\_\_\_
  
11. Where are the fuel drains located? \_\_\_\_\_
  
12. What is the recommended oil viscosity? \_\_\_\_\_
  
13. Describe the procedure for leaning the mixture. \_\_\_\_\_
  
14. How do you detect carburetor ice? What corrective action should you take in case of carburetor ice?
  
15. Certain Club airplanes have tabs in the fuel tanks to facilitate partial fuel loads. Does this airplane have tabs? If so, what is the fuel capacity when filled to the tabs?
  
16. Does this airplane have an auxiliary fuel pump? If so, when is it used?

17. Use the space below to perform a weight and balance calculation, using full fuel and oil, your weight for the pilot and a 170-pound passenger in each additional seat. Are you within limits? If not, what must you delete or shift to fall within limits? Also figure weight and balance with one hour fuel remaining.

**The following questions apply only to complex/high performance airplanes.**

18. What is the procedure for starting a cold engine?
19. What is the procedure for starting a hot engine?
20. What is the recommended climb power setting (MP/RPM)? What mixture setting (fuel flow) should be used?
21. Fill in the blanks with either "MP" (manifold pressure) or "RPM" as appropriate:  
To increase power, first increase \_\_\_\_\_, and then increase \_\_\_\_\_  
To decrease power, first decrease \_\_\_\_\_, and then decrease \_\_\_\_\_
22. What are the maximum airspeeds for gear retraction, gear extension, and with gear down-and-locked?
23. Describe the type of landing gear system on this aircraft.
24. What are the indications if the landing gear is not "down-and-locked"?
25. What is the procedure for emergency gear extension?
26. When must the cowl flaps be open? When should they be closed? What engine instrument should you monitor to determine whether the cowl flaps might be opened?