

Preflight

Certificates/Documents.. ARROW  
Tach/Hobbs.....Recorded  
Control Lock.....Removed  
Emergency Equipment.....Check  
Magnetos.....Off  
Alternate Static.....Closed  
Circuit Breakers.....In  
Electrical Equipment.....Off  
Master Switch.....On  
Fuel Quantity.....Set  
Flaps.....Full  
Avionics Fan.....Audible  
Master Switch.....Off

Exterior Inspection

Walk Around.....Complete  
Fuel Sump.....Both Clear  
Dip Fuel.....Record  
Engine Oil.....Min. 10 Qts.  
Engine Fuel Flush.....No Water

Before Start

Preflight Inspection.....Complete  
Tiedowns/Chocks.....Out  
Towbar.....Stowed  
Baggage Door.....Secured  
Passenger Briefing.....Standard  
Seats/Seat Belts...Adj. & Secure  
Parking Break.....Set  
Circuit Breakers.....In  
Avionics.....Off  
Fuel Selector.....Both  
Cowl Flaps.....Open

Start

Throttle.....Open 1/4"  
Propellor.....Full Forward  
Mixture.....Full Rich  
Carburetor Heat.....Cold  
Battery Master.....On  
Beacon.....On  
Prime.....As Required  
Magnetos.....Clear Prop, Start  
Oil Pressure.....Green in 30s  
Ammeter.....Check, On, Check  
Ext. Lights.....On as Required  
Avionics.....ON, Set  
Flaps.....Retract  
Transponder.....ALT  
Parking Break.....Off  
Breaks.....Test

After Start	
Garmin database .....	Check
Garmin self-test .....	Check
ATIS .....	Copied
Transponder .....	Set
COM & NAV .....	Set
Initial altitude .....	Set
Initial heading .....	Set
Clearance .....	Recieved

Taxi	
Exterior lights .....	set
Brakes .....	check
Heading indicator .....	$\pm 5^{\circ}$
Attitude indicator .....	check
Turn coordinator .....	check

Engine Run-Up	
Seats/Belts .....	Secure
Cabin Doors .....	Closed
Flight Controls ....	Free & Correct
Autopilot .....	Check, Off
Flight Instruments ...	Check & Set
Fuel Quantity .....	Check
Fuel Selector .....	Both
<i>Runup Flow</i>	
Mixture .....	Full Rich
Throttle .....	Approx. 1700 RPM
Oil PressureTemp .....	Green
Cylinder Head Temp .....	Green
Ammeter .....	Check
Annunciators .....	Check
Vacuum .....	Green
Magnetos .....	Check R & L (max drop 150; max $\Delta$ 50)
Carburetor heat .....	Check
Propellor .....	Cycle 3X
Circuit Breakers .....	In
Alternate static .....	Check
Throttle .....	Idle
Mixture .....	Lean for Taxi

V-Speeds	
$V_{BG}$ .....	76 KIAS
$V_R$ (flaps 0°) .....	60 KIAS
$V_R$ (flaps 25°) .....	50 KIAS
$V_X$ .....	59 KIAS
$V_Y$ .....	80 KIAS
$V_{Ref}$ (flaps 40°) .....	95 KIAS
$V_A$ .....	89-110 KIAS
$V_{S0}/V_{S1}$ .....	48/53 KIAS

Takeoff	
Time off .....	Noted
Doors & windows .....	Secured
Exterior lights .....	Set
Mixture ..	Full Rich or Target EGT
Throttle .....	Full Power

**IF I LOSE THE ENGINE,  
I WILL PUSH IMMEDIATELY!**

Before Takeoff	
Carburetor heat .....	off
Flaps .....	set
Trim .....	set
<i>Departure briefing</i>	
Takeoff distance .....	briefed
Terrain & obstacles .....	briefed
Takeoff minimums .....	briefed
Departure procedure .....	briefed
<i>Abnormal operations</i>	
Rejected takeoff .....	briefed
Engine power loss .....	briefed
(below & above ≈ 600' AGL)	

**Before Approach**

NOTAMS .....briefed  
ATIS, arrival, & approach..briefed  
Terrain & taxi ..... briefed  
Specials ..... briefed

**Approach**

Altimeter ..... verify  
DA or MDA ..... verify MSL  
Throttle ..... 1800 RPM  
Airspeed ..... 90 KIAS  
Mixture ..... constant EGT

**After Landing**

Flaps ..... retract  
Mixture ..... lean for taxi  
Fuel pump..... off  
Carburetor heat.....off

**Engine Shutdown**

G5 & avionics master ..... Off  
Lights.....Off  
Throttle ..... 700 RPM  
Mixture..... Idle Cut-off  
Ignition.....Off, Show  
Master switch ..... off

**Electrical Fire (Smoke in Cabin)**

Master switch ..... off  
Avionics master.....off  
Electrical switches ..... off

**If no smoke:**

Circuit breakers ..... note tripped  
Circuit breakers.....off  
Master switch ..... on

**If no smoke:**

Avionics master ..... on

**Alternator Failure**

Verify failure .....  
Reduce electrical load as much as possible .....  
Alt circuit breakers .....check  
Alt switch.....off, wait, then on

**If no output:**

Alt switch ..... off  
Reduce electrical load and land as soon as practical .....

**Note:** Checklist is a WIP. Missing emergency procedures (like engine failure) as per 14 CFR § 91.503.

Table 1: Rate of climb/descent (ft. per min)

ft/NM	Ground speed (knots)					Angle
	60	75	90	105	120	
210	210	265	320	370	425	2.0°
318	318	398	478	557	637	3.0°
530	530	665	795	930	1065	5.0°
745	745	935	1120	1305	1490	7.0°

Table 2: Additional runway length required to clear low, close-in obstacle

	Climb Angle		
	745'/NM	530'/NM	318'/NM
200' obstacle	1,224'	1,720'	2,867'
150' obstacle	816'	1,147'	1,911'
100' obstacle	408'	574'	956'

**Note:**

- Assumes takeoff performance data is based on clearing a 50' obstacle.
- Subtract obstacle's distance from runway end from required runway length.
- Return back to the departure briefing.

Table 3: Archer flight maneuver entry speeds at 2,150 lbf

Maneuver	KIAS
Steep Turns	100
Steep Spiral	90
Chandelles	100
Lazy Eights	100
Eights on Pylons	100

**Note:**

- Design maneuvering speed ( $V_A$ ) at 2,150 lbf gross weight is  $\approx 102.5$  KIAS.
- Wings-level best glide speed ( $V_{bg}$ ) at 2,150 lbf gross weight is  $\approx 69$  KIAS.

Table 4: Speed versus pivotal altitude at 100' MSL elevation

Ground speed (knots)	Approximate pivotal pltitude (MSL)
80	650'
85	750'
90	800'
95	900'
100	1,000'
110	1,150'
115	1,250'
120	1,350'