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#### <u>Subject</u>: EC120 B, New edition of the Flight Manual (EDITION 2\_RN0\_Date Code 16-26)

Dear Customer,

Within the scope of harmonizing the AIRBUS HELICOPTERS' Aircrew technical publications, please find appended a complete new EC120 B Flight Manual (Edition 2 RNO) which cancels and replaces your current Flight Manual.

This new edition contains all the information in the previous Flight Manual.

Consequently, the old Flight Manual will no longer be updated.

#### <u>Main changes:</u>

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• This new Flight Manual has been completely restructured, and you will find below a cross-reference table which provides the links between the new and the old Flight Manuals.

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Revised information	All
Deleted information	None



# LIST OF MODIFICATIONS OR SERVICE BULLETINS MENTIONED IN THE FLIGHT MANUAL

This list includes all modifications or service bulletins that are or have been referenced in the Flight Manual.

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# GENERAL

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### **SECTION 1.1**

#### PRELIMINARY NOTES

### 1 GENERAL

To achieve the required degree of safety, this manual must be used in conjunction with the relevant regulations covering aircraft operation, such as aerial navigation laws in the operator's country.

It is essential for the crew to become familiar with the contents of this manual, particularly with the information specific to customized configurations, and to check all revisions and related requirements.

## **2 DESCRIPTION OF THE MANUAL**

This manual contains legally approved information, together with additional manufacturer's information not subject to approval.

- The approved information is contained in PART 1 "FLIGHT MANUAL", in SECTIONS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.1, in the Supplements and the Appendix.
- The information not subject to approval is contained in PART 2 "COMPLEMENTARY FLIGHT MANUAL", as a complement to PART 1. This information is covered by SECTIONS 5.2, 6, 7, 8, and 9.

Each PART, each Supplement and each Appendix of the manual makes up a whole and, for this reason, incorporates its own list of effective pages and is revised separately.

The list of effective pages (P5) identifies all the pages which compose the manual.

The total number of P5 pages is shown on the list of effective pages, identified 1/xy where xy is a number between 01 and 99 corresponding to the number of P5 pages.

#### 2.1 BASIC AIRCRAFT

The basic helicopter specifications are covered by SECTIONS 1 through 9.

#### 2.2 SPECIAL SYSTEMS AND PROCEDURES

Information concerning optional equipment systems and operational procedures is covered by Supplements. These are mini Flight Manuals covering any differences from the basic aircraft information, SECTION by SECTION. The Supplements are approved on an individual basis.

#### 2.3 ADAPTATION OF MANUAL TO CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Specific certification requirements may necessitate modifications to the text or layout of certain pages.

Therefore, a specific Flight Manual (PART 1) is drawn up for each certification.

Each Flight Manual includes its own particular title page; the alphabetical code, corresponding to the relevant certification, appears in the lower left-hand corner of each page of the approved PART 1.
# **SECTION 1.2**

#### UPDATING

# 1 GENERAL

This manual is updated periodically through Rush Revisions (RR) or Normal Revisions (RN).

# **2 REVISIONS**

The manufacturer makes every effort to keep this manual updated by revisions to complete the user's information and capabilities. Each revision is accompanied by instructions summarizing the major points affected by the change and advising the person responsible for incorporating the revised pages in the manual (the instruction sheet can be filed separately from the manual).

The user is responsible for ensuring proper updating of the manual complying with the list of pages given at the beginning of PART 1, PART 2 and of each Supplement, since each of the these PARTS or Supplements is revised separately.

The composition must be checked by page number and by the date code. The date code is composed of the last two digits of the year, followed by the number of the week in that year.

#### 2.1 NORMAL REVISIONS (RN) PRINTED ON WHITE PAPER

Normal Revisions fully or partially update the manual. The pages may be new pages or may supersede the existing pages.

They are printed on white paper.

The manual effectivity is specified on the new list of approved effective pages (0.0.P5, SUP.0.P5 and/or APP.X.X.P5).

Normal Revisions are identified in numerical order.

#### 2.2 RUSH REVISIONS (RR) PRINTED ON YELLOW PAPER

Rush Revisions partially update a few major points in the manual.

The new information is given on a page which must face the former text to be modified or completed.

The Rush Revision is printed on yellow paper.

No white page is deleted.

The revised pages are specified on a separate list (0.0.P4 or SUP.0.P4).

Rush Revisions are identified by the number of the next Normal Revision and a letter suffix in normal alphabetical order. Several Rush Revisions may be issued between two Normal Revisions. All Rush Revisions are cancelled when the Normal Revision bearing the same number is issued. If certain Rush Revision provisions remain after the subsequent Normal Revision, they are confirmed by a new Rush Revision with another identification code.

#### 2.3 CONDITIONAL REVISIONS (RC) PRINTED ON PINK PAPER

The revised manual issued on white pages, corresponds to the recommended standard.

For helicopters authorized to fly at an earlier standard, the Conditional Revision (RC) retains the previous standard.

The user is responsible for embodiment of the aircraft modification(s) required for compliance with the recommended standard, after which the pink pages may be deleted under the user's responsibility.

The pink pages are specified on a separate list (0.0.P3 or SUP.0.P3).

#### NOTE

#### These pages are unaffected by Normal and Rush Revisions or by customization.

#### 2.4 THE "ERRATUM" PROCEDURE

In the case of minor errors (typing errors, bad printing) likely to affect the understanding of the text, the "ERRATUM" procedures are used to make quick corrections between revisions. In this case, the pages affected by the procedures are re-issued completely and the date code is underlined for identification. These pages are summarized on an accompanying sheet which is not identified.

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# **SECTION 1.3**

# SYMBOLS AND CONVERSION FACTORS

## **1 SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS**

DESIGNATION	SYMBOL OR ABBREVIATION
SPEEDS	
Calibrated Airspeed	CAS
Indicated Airspeed	IAS
True Airspeed	TAS
Never Exceed Speed	VNE
Best Rate of Climb Speed	Vy
Rate of Climb/Descent	R/C, R/D
METEOROLOGY	
International Standard Atmosphere	ISA
Outside Air Temperature	OAT
Outside Air Pressure	p
Relative Air Density	σ
Wind Velocity	Vw
ALTITUDE / HEIGHT	
Geometric Altitude	Н
Pressure Altitude	Нр
Density Altitude	Ησ
Radio Altimeter Height	HRA
Height	h
POWER / ENGINE PARAMETERS	
Maximum Continuous Power	MCP
Maximum Takeoff Power (5 min.)	МТОР
Power	PWR
Engine Power Check	EPC
Rotor Speed	NR
Engine Generator Speed	Ng
Engine Generator Deviation Indication	ΔNg
Free Turbine Speed	Nf
Torque	Тq
Power Turbine Inlet Temperature	T4
First Limitation Indicator	FLI

DESIGNATION	SYMBOL OR ABBREVIATION
HOVER / TAKEOFF / LANDING	
Hover In Ground Effect	HIGE
Hover Out of Ground Effect	HOGE
WEIGHT AND BALANCE Center of Gravity Empty Weight Equipped Empty Weight Operating Empty Weight Useful Load Payload All-Up Weight Maximum Take-Off Weight	CG EW EEW OEW UL P/L AUW MTOW
MISCELLANEOUS Automatic Direction Finder Automatic Flight Control System Ancillary System Unit Battery Contactor Caution and Warning Panel Cockpit Circuit Breaker Panel Direct Current Emergency Locator Transmitter Electrical Master Box Engine Equivalent Essential Contactor External Power Line Contactor External Power Unit Generator Line Contactor Global Positioning System	ADF AFCS ASU BATC CWP CCBP DC ELT EMB ENG $\cong$ ESSC EPLC EPU GLC GPS

DESIGNATION	SYMB ABBRE	OL OR /IATION
MISCELLANEOUS (cont'd)		
Hall Effect Sensors	HECS	
High Load Contactor	HLC	
Horizontal Situation Indicator	HSI	
Height-Velocity	HV	
Intercommunication System	ICS	
Light and Ancillary Control Unit	LACU	
Main gear box	MGB	
Part per million	PPM	
Radio Magnetic Indicator	RMI	
Shed Bus Contactor	SBC	
Starting Contactor	SC	
To be defined	TBD	
Tail gear box	TGB	
Vehicle and Engine Multifunction Display	VEMD	
<ul> <li>Symbol used for switches or pushbuttons (example)</li> </ul>	: [HORN]	
- Symbol used for CWP	HYDR	HYDR
caution/warning lights (example)	Light ON	Light OFF
- Symbol used for VEMD indications	: <b>P2</b>	P2
(example)	indication	indication
(overlipio)		
	ON	OFF

# **2 CONVERSION FACTORS**

#### 2.1 METRIC UNITS TO OTHER UNITS

Multiply	Ву	To obtain
Centimeter (cm)	0.3937	Inch (in)
Meter (m)	3.2808	Foot (ft)
Meter per second (m/s)	196.85	Foot per minute (ft/min)
Kilometer (km)	0.5400	Nautical mile (Nm)
Liter (I)	0.2642	US gallon (US gal)
Liter (I)	0.2200	UK gallon (UK gal)
Kilogram (kg)	2.2046	Pound (lb)
Bars (bar)	14.504	Pound per Square Inch (psi)
Kilometer per hour (km/h)	0.5400	Knot (kt)
Hecto pascal (hPa)	0.02953	Inch of Mercury (inHg)

Conversion of degree centigrade (°C) into degree Fahrenheit (°F): °F = (°C x 9/5) + 32

#### 2.2 OTHER UNITS TO METRIC UNITS

Multiply	Ву	To obtain
Inch (in)	2.5400	Centimeter (cm)
Foot (ft)	0.3048	Meter (m)
Foot per minute (ft/min)	0.00508	Meter per second (m/s)
Nautical mile (Nm)	1.8520	Kilometer (km)
US gallon (US gal)	3.7850	Liter (I)
UK gallon (UK gal)	4.5460	Liter (I)
Pound (lb)	0.4536	Kilogram (kg)
Pound per Square Inch (psi)	0.0689	Bar (bar)
Knot (kt)	1.8520	Kilometer per hour (km/h)
Inch of Mercury (inHg)	33.864	Hecto pascal (hPa)

**Conversion of degree Fahrenheit (°F) into degree centigrade (°C):**  $^{\circ}C = 5/9 \times (^{\circ}F - 32)$ 

#### **SECTION 1.4**

#### TERMINOLOGY

#### 1 GENERAL

Unless otherwise specified in the text, altitudes are pressure-altitudes (Hp), speeds are indicated airspeeds (IAS).

Warnings, Cautions and Notes are used throughout this manual to emphasize important and critical instructions and are used as follows:

#### WARNING

# AN OPERATING PROCEDURE, PRACTICE, ETC., WHICH, IF NOT CORRECTLY FOLLOWED, COULD RESULT IN PERSONAL INJURY OR LOSS OF LIFE.

#### CAUTION

An operating procedure, practice, etc., which, if not strictly observed, could result in damage to, or destruction of helicopter parts or equipment.

#### NOTE

An operating procedure, condition, etc., which is essential to highlight.

# 2 USE OF PROCEDURAL WORDS

The concept of procedural word usage and intended meaning which has been adhered to in preparing this manual is as follows:

- "Shall" or "must" has been used only when application of a procedure is mandatory.
- "Should" has been used only when application of procedure is recommended.
- "May" and "Need not" have been used only when application of a procedure is optional.
- "Will" has been used only to indicate future event or action, never to indicate a mandatory procedure.

# **SECTION 2**

#### LIMITATIONS

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# RC a

The paragraph 1 - TYPE OF OPERATIONS, is superseded by:

# **1 TYPE OF OPERATIONS**

#### The helicopter is approved to operate:

- By day in VFR.

#### NOTE

#### Additional equipment may be required by operational regulations.

The following are forbidden:

- Night flight.
- Aerobatic maneuvers.
- Flight in freezing rain.
- Flight in icing conditions. (Visible moisture and temperatures conducive to producing ice).
- In-flight intentional VEMD complete cut-off (lane 1 + 2).

#### CAUTION

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# **SECTION 2.1**

#### **GENERAL LIMITATIONS**

The helicopter is approved in compliance with JAR part 27 issue 1. The helicopter shall be operated in compliance with the limitations of this section.

#### **1 TYPE OF OPERATIONS**

#### The helicopter is approved to operate:

- By day and night in VFR.

#### NOTE

#### Additional equipment may be required by operational regulations.

The following are forbidden:

- Aerobatic maneuvers.
- Flight in freezing rain.
- Flight in icing conditions.
   (Visible moisture and temperatures conducive to producing ice).
- In-flight intentional VEMD complete cut-off (lane 1 + 2).

# 2 OCCUPANTS

- Minimum flight crew ...... One pilot in right seat or one pilot in left seat when the removable dual controls are installed on the left

# **3 INSTRUMENT MARKINGS**

Limitations are marked on instruments with the following color code:



On the VEMD, related numerical values of parameters are underlined:

- In yellow, when the parameter is in caution or takeoff range,
- In red, when at or above a safety limit or maximum takeoff power. Moreover, to attract attention, red underlining flashes.

# **SECTION 2.2**

## WEIGHT AND BALANCE LIMITS

# **1 WEIGHT LIMITS**

- Maximum weight .....: 1715 kg (3780 lb).
- Minimum weight .....: 1035 kg (2284 lb).

# 2 LONGITUDINAL CG



Figure 1: Longitudinal CG Chart

#### NOTE

The datum is located 4 m forward of the main rotor head center line.

# **3 LATERAL CG**

- Maximum left CG .....: 0.09 m (3.54 in).
- Maximum right CG .....: 0.08 m (3.15 in).



Figure 2: Lateral CG Chart



The datum is located in the plane of symmetry of the helicopter.

# **SECTION 2.3**

#### **FLIGHT ENVELOPE LIMITS**

# **1 AIRSPEED LIMITS**

All airspeed limitations are Indicated Airspeeds.

#### 1.1 WITH DOORS CLOSED



The opening of the baggage compartment access panel in the cabin has no effect on closed doors airspeed limitations.

#### **1.2 WITH DOORS OPENED OR REMOVED**

#### NOTE

Flight with any configuration not shown is prohibited.

In configurations with at least one door opened or removed, loose objects shall not be in the cabin.

- For aircraft up to S/N 1677 except S/N 1674 and for aircraft S/N 8001 to 8034:

The VNE is the value as shown below (adapted to the doors configuration) or the VNE « doors closed », whichever is less.



#### - For aircraft S/N 1674 and from S/N 1678 except for aircraft S/N 8001 to 8034:

The VNE is the value as shown below (adapted to the doors configuration) or the VNE « doors closed », whichever is less.



# **2 ALTITUDE LIMITS**

Maximum operating altitude in flight ..... Hp = 20000 ft (6096 m)

# **3 TEMPERATURE LIMITS**

-	Minimum temperature	30°C
-	Maximum temperature	ISA+35°C
		limited to +50°C

For cold weather operations (-  $40^{\circ}C \le OAT < 30^{\circ}C$ ), refer to SUP.4.

# 4 LANDING AND ROTOR STOPPING LIMITATIONS ON SLOPE

-	Nose up	10°
-	Nose down	. 6°
-	Sideways	. 8°

# **5 MANEUVERING LIMITATIONS**

- Continued operation in servo transparency (where load feedback is felt in the controls) is prohibited.

Maximum load factor is a combination of TAS,  $H_{\sigma}$  and gross weight. Avoid such combinations at high values associated with high collective.

Transparency may be reached during maneuvers, steep turns, hard pull-up or when maneuvering near VNE. Self-correcting, the phenomenon will induce an uncommanded right cyclic load and an associated collective down reaction. However, even if the transparency feedback loads are fully controllable, immediate action is required to relieve the feed back loads: <u>reduce the severity of the maneuver</u>, follow the aircraft's natural reaction, let the collective decrease naturally (avoid low pitch) and smoothly counteract the right cyclic motion.

Transparency will disappear as soon as excessive loads are relieved.

- In maximum power configuration, decrease collective slightly before initiating a turn, as for this maneuver the power requirement is increased.
- In hover, avoid rotation faster than 6 sec. per full rotation.

# RC c

The paragraph **1** - **MAIN ROTOR LIMITATIONS**, is modified as follows:

Supersede the figure by the following:



The rest of the paragraph is unchanged

#### CAUTION

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# **SECTION 2.4**

#### **VEHICLE LIMITATIONS**

#### **1 MAIN ROTOR LIMITATIONS**

It is prohibited to use the rotor brake prior to engine shutdown. Minimum time between two consecutive brake applications: 5 min.





Low NR aural warning  $\leq$  370 rpm High NR aural warning  $\geq$  420 rpm

# **2 TAKEOFF POWER**

Use of takeoff power is limited to:

- Maximum airspeed Vy (65 kt at Hp = 0 ft 1 kt per 1000 ft) if Tq is in takeoff rating range.
- 5 min. continuous use if Ng and/or T4 are in takeoff rating range.

Use of the heating system is forbidden if Ng and/or T4 are above the engine maximum continuous rating.

# **3 FIRST LIMITATION INDICATION**



The values (Ng = 100 %, T4 = 680 °C, Tq = 90%) are given as examples.

# **4 MAIN TRANSMISSION LIMITATIONS**



# **5 ENGINE LIMITATIONS**

- Nf LIMITATIONS



# RC c

The paragraph 5 - ENGINE LIMITATIONS, is modified as follows:

**Nf LIMITATIONS** 

Supersede the figure by the following:



The rest of the paragraph is unchanged

#### CAUTION

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#### - Ng LIMITATIONS



Ng>63 % : Min. stabilized speed  $\Delta$  Ng = -1.5 % Max. continuous rating :  $\Delta$  Ng = -1.5 % to 0 % Takeoff power :  $\Delta$  Ng = 0 % Max. takeoff rating :  $\Delta$  Ng = +2.6 % Max. transient rating (5 sec.)

- T4 LIMITATIONS

Starting limitations:



#### Flight limitations:



- OIL TEMPERATURE LIMITATIONS



Minimum oil temperature before power application:

- 0°C (Oil 3 cSt),
- 10°C (Oil 5 cSt and 3.9 cSt).

During the oil warm up period, the engine must be run with the collective in its full low pitch position.

- OIL PRESSURE LIMITATIONS



: 1.7 bar (24.7 psi) Min. pressure for Ng ≥70 %

: 15 bar (217.6 psi) Max. pressure

# **6 ELECTRICAL CIRCUIT LIMITATIONS**

_	Maximum voltage	
	5	(Rated voltage 26 - 29 V)
-	Maximum current	
		240 A transient (2 min.)

# **7 BATTERY TEMPERATURE LIMITATION**

- (	Caution temperature	60°C
- 1	Vaximum temperature	75°C

# RC e

The paragraph **1** - **APPROVED FUEL**, is modified as following:

- NORMAL FUELS

Add the following NOTE:

#### NOTE 3

# The use of an anti-icing additive is compulsory for OAT $\leq$ + 0°C for all approved fuels which do not contain it.

The rest of the paragraph is unchanged.

#### CAUTION

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## **SECTION 2.5**

#### **MISCELLANEOUS LIMITATIONS**

# **1 APPROVED FUELS**

#### NOTE 1

# Commercial designations of authorized fuels and additives are specified in the TURBOMECA documentation.

- NORMAL FUELS

(Fuels approved to operate throughout the flight envelope with no restrictions).

Type of fuel	NATO code	ę	Anti-ice additive		
		FRANCE	USA	UK	included
Kerosene - 50 (AVTUR-FSII) JP8)	F 34	AIR 3405 F 34	MIL-T-83133 (JP8)	D.ENG. RD 2453	Yes
Kerosene - 50 (AVTUR) (JP1)	F 35	AIR 3405 F 35	ASTM-D- 1655 JET A1	D.ENG.RD 2494	No
Kerosene	-	-	ASTM-D- 1655 JET A	-	No
High flash point (JP5) (AVCAT)	F 43	AIR 3404 F 43	-	D.ENG. RD 2498	No
High flash point (JP5) (AVCAT SII)	F 44	AIR 3404 F 44	MIL-T-5624 (JP5)	D.ENG.RD 2452	Yes
Chinese fuel PRC National Standard N°3 Jet fuel	-	-	-	-	No

#### NOTE 2

All specifications are effective at latest issue or amendment.

#### - REPLACEMENT FUELS

USE FOR: -30°C ≤ OAT ≤ +30° AND FOR Hp ≤ 9842 ft (3000 m)							
Type of fuel	NATO Code		Anti-ice additive				
		FRANCE	USA	UK	RUSSIA	included	
Wide cut (AVTAG-FSII) (JP4)	F 40	AIR 3407	MIL-T-5624 (JP4)	D.ENG.RD 2454	-	Yes	
Wide cut (JET B) (AVTAG)	-	-	ASTM-D-1655 (JET B)	-	-	No	
Russian fuel Kerosene TS 1 (TC1)	-	-	-	_	GOST 10227	No	
Russian fuel Kerosene RT (PT)	-	-	-	-	GOST 10227	No	

# RC d

The paragraph **1** - **APPROVED FUEL**, is modified as following:

#### - REPLACEMENT FUELS

Supersede the table "USE FOR: -30°C  $\leq$  OAT  $\leq$  + 30° AND FOR Hp  $\leq$  9842 ft (3000 m)" by the following:

USE FOR: -30°C ≤ OAT ≤ + 30° AND FOR Hp ≤ 9842 ft (3000 m)							
Type of fuel	NATO Code		Anti-ice additive				
		FRANCE	USA	UK	RUSSIA	included	
Russian fuel Kerosene TS 1 (TC1)	-	-	-	-	GOST 10227	No	
Russian fuel Kerosene RT (PT)	-	-	-	-	GOST 10227	No	

#### CAUTION

THIS PAGE MUST NOT BE REMOVED FROM THE MANUAL UNTIL EMBODIMENT OF MODIFICATION SB No 28 007.

# RC e

The paragraph **1** - **APPROVED FUEL (cont'd)**, is modified as following:

- REPLACEMENT FUELS

Add the following NOTE

#### NOTE

# The use of an anti-icing additive is compulsory for OAT ≤ + 0°C for all approved fuels which do not contain it.

The rest of the paragraph is unchanged.

#### CAUTION

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# RC e

The paragraph **1** - **APPROVED FUEL (cont'd)**, is modified as following:

#### - ANTI-ICE ADDITIVES

Supersede the table **"COMPULSORY USE OF ANTI-ICE ADDITIVE"** by the following text:

Anti-ice additive : If the fuel does not contain a freezing inhibitor and if the OAT is below or equal to 0°C, the use of an anti-icing additive is compulsory.

The rest of the paragraph is unchanged.

#### CAUTION

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#### - ANTI-ICE ADDITIVES

COMPULSORY USE OF ANTI-ICE ADDITIVE					
	Airc fuel flov	raft without wmeter system	Aircraft with fuel flowmeter system (SB 28-006)		
Watar	Oţ	peration at	Operation at		
concentration in fuel	OAT ≤ -15°C	-15°C < OAT < 0°C	OAT ≤ 0°C		
> 30PPM	YES		VES		
< 30PPM YES		NO	TES		

Specifications	Concentration	
AIR 3652		
MIL-I 27686		
D-ENG-RD 2451	Between 0.10% and 0.15%	
MB-NATO- S 748		
MIL-I 85470A		
Fluid I :GOST 8313-88	Botwoon 0 10% and 0 20%	
Fluid I :TU 6-1061458-79		

# 2 APPROVED LUBRICANTS

- ENGINE LUBRICANTS

	NORMAL USE					
	NATO	Specification			Approved oil grades	
On type	Code	FRANCE	USA	UK		
Synthetic 5 cSt at 98.9° C	0.156	-	MIL-L-23699	-	AEROSHELL OIL/500/560 CASTROL/5000/AEROJET 5 ELF TURBOJET II ESSO TURBO OIL/II/2380/2197 MOBIL JET OIL/II/254/291 TOTAL AEROTURBINE 535 TURBONYCOIL 600	

	OTHER OILS (-30°C ≤ OAT ≤ +30°C)					
	ΝΑΤΟ		Specification		Approved oil grades	
On type	code	FRANCE	USA UK			
Synthetic	0.148	AIR 3513	MIL-L-7808	-	ESSO TURBO OIL 2389 MOBIL OIL AVREX 256 TURBONYCOIL 160	
3 to 3.5 cSt at 98.9° C	0.150	AIR 3514	-	-	ELF JET SYNTHETIC OIL 15 TOTAL AERO TURBINE 312 TURBONYCOIL 13B	
Synthetic 3.9 cSt at 98.9° C	-	-	-	DEF STAN 91-94	AEROSHELL TURBINE OIL 390	

#### NOTE 1

When the oil specification or grade/trademark differs from the approved one, TURBOMECA approval shall be obtained before using this oil.

#### NOTE 2

In case of oil change with trademark/NATO code/category/grade or specification change, apply instructions as prescribed in the TURBOMECA Maintenance Manual.

#### NOTE 3

All specifications are effective at latest issue or amendment.

#### - MAIN AND TAIL GEARBOX LUBRICANTS

NORMAL USE ( -25°C $\leq$ OAT $\leq$ +50°C )						
	ΝΑΤΟ	Specifications				
On type	Code	FRANCE	USA	UK	Approved lubricants	
Mineral	0.155	AIR 3525	MIL-L-6086	-	ESSO GEAR OIL MEDIUM NYCOLUBE 3525 TOTAL AEROGEAR 823	
NOTE : The « SHELL » trademark is prohibited						

	COLD WEATHER USE ( -30°C $\leq$ OAT $\leq$ +0°C )						
	ΝΑΤΟ	Specifications					
On type	Code	FRANCE	USA	UK Approved lubrica	Approved lubricants		
Synthetic	0.148	AIR 3513	MIL-L-7808	-	ESSO TURBO OIL 2389 MOBIL OIL AVREX 256 TURBONYCOIL 160		
	0.150	AIR 3514	-	-	ELF JET SYNTHETIC OIL 15 TOTAL AERO TURBINE 312 TURBONYCOIL 13B		

- SERVO CONTROL LUBRICANT

Hydraulic fluid: NATO H 537 or MIL-H-83282.

# **3 STARTER LIMITATIONS**

Starter shall not be energized more than 3 consecutive times. After the 3rd attempt, wait 30 minutes until next attempt.

# **4 CRASH RESISTANT REAR SEATS**

The safety belts of unoccupied rear seats must not be fastened and the button on the shoulder belt must not be visible.

# **5 BAGGAGE COMPARTMENT LOAD LIMITATIONS**

# **6 CABIN COMPARTMENT LOAD LIMITATIONS**

# **7 MANDATORY MINIMUM EQUIPMENT**

A minimum of two adequate radio/audio headsets shall be on-board the helicopter, one worn by the pilot at the controls to monitor the audio warnings delivered through the ICS system, and a spare one.

# **8 OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT**

When optional equipment items are installed, refer to supplements for additional limitations, procedures and performance data.

#### The paragraph **1** - **VNE PLACARDS**, is superseded by:

# **1 VNE PLACARDS**

VNE	POWER ON			
↓ HP				
0	150			
1000	147			
2000	144			
3000	141			
4000	138			
5000	135			
6000	132			
7000	129			
8000	126			
9000	123			
10000	120			
11000	117			
12000	114			
13000	111			
14000	108			
15000	105			
16000	102			
17000	99			
18000	96			
19000	93			
20000	90			
*VNE POWER OFF: LESS 30 KTS				

Location: Inside cabin, instrument panel RH side.

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# **SECTION 2.6**

# PLACARDS

All placards shown hereafter are usually presented in bilingual form French/English. However, the State of Registry may approve markings and placards in local language intended for:

- Emergency passenger information and instruction,
- Instruction for operation of passenger doors.

The following illustrations of placards and decals are typical presentations. Slight formal differences from the real placards and decals do not affect information presented therein.

# **1 VNE PLACARDS**

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V.N.E. P	OWER ON	, č	V.N.E. F	OWER ON
HP (ft)	Vi (kts)		HP (m)	VI (kmh)
0	150		0	278
2 000	144		500	269
4 000	138		1 000	260
	100		1 500	250
6 000	132		2 000	241
8 000	126		2 500	232
10 000	120		3 000	223
12 000	114		3 500	214
14 000	108		4 000	205
			4 500	196
16 000	102	0	5 000	187
18 000	96	0.071	5 500	178
20 000	90	120.0	6 100	167
* V.N.E. POWER OFF : LESS 30 kts		MV.EC.	POWEF – 56	R OFF : kmh

Location: Inside cabin, on center post, above standby compass.

# **2 OPERATING LIMITATION PLACARD**

THE HELICOPTER IS APPROVED TO OPERATE BY DAY AND NIGHT IN VFR. THE MARKINGS AND PLACARDS INSTALLED ON THIS HELICOPTER CONTAIN OPERATING LIMITATIONS WHICH MUST BE COMPLIED WITH WHEN OPERATING THIS ROTORCRAFT. OTHER OPERATING LIMITATIONS WHICH MUST BE COMPLIED WITH WHEN OPERATING THIS ROTORCRAFT ARE CONTAINED IN THE ROTORCRAFT FLIGHT MANUAL. THE "AIRWORTHINESS

≥ LIMITATIONS" SECTION OF THE ROTORCRAFT MAINTENANCE MANUAL MUST BE COMPLIED WITH.

Location: Inside cabin, near the overhead control quadrant.

# **3 OTHER PLACARDS DISPLAYED IN THE COCKPIT**



Location: Inside RH and LH front doors and inside sliding door.

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The paragraph **2** - **OPERATING LIMITATION PLACARD**, is superseded by:

# **2 OPERATING LIMITATION PLACARD**

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THE HELICOPTER IS APPROVED TO OPERATE BY DAY IN VFR. THE MARKINGS AND PLACARDS INSTALLED ON THIS HELICOPTER CONTAIN OPERATING LIMITATIONS WHICH MUST BE COMPLIED WITH WHEN OPERATING THIS ROTORCRAFT. OTHER OPERATING LIMITATIONS WHICH MUST BE COMPLIED

WITH WHEN OPERATING THIS ROTORCRAFT ARE CONTAINED IN THE ROTORCRAFT FLIGHT MANUAL. THE "AIRWORTHINESS

LIMITATIONS" SECTION OF THE ROTORCRAFT MAINTENANCE MANUAL MUST BE COMPLIED WITH.

Location: Inside cabin, near the overhead control quadrant.

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Location: Inside cabin near door jettisoning handle.



Location: - RH forward seat, at bottom RH side,

- LH forward seat, at bottom LH side,
- Bench seat LH side.



Location : Console RH side.



Location : Inside cabin, on center post, near standby compass.



Location : Inside cabin, on console lateral side.



Location : Inside cabin, near reading light.

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The paragraph **5** - **FUEL AND LUBRICANT PLACARDS**, is modified as following:

## **5 FUEL AND LUBRICANT PLACARDS**

The fuel placard is replaced by the following:

CARBURANT : JP1-JP5-JP8
JET A1-JET A
FUEL: F34-F35-F43-F44
PRC FUEL : N°3 JET FUEL
CAPACITE / CAPACITY :
109,9 U.S. GALLONS
91,6 IMP. GALLONS
416 LITRES / LITERS
324 KG

Location: RH side of filler neck, LH side.

#### NOTE

The total fuel capacities to be taken into account are those shown in Section 7.1 § 2.4.

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# 4 FLOOR LOADING PLACARD



Location : Console LH side, cargo hold, RH side.

# **5 FUEL AND LUBRICANT PLACARDS**



Location : LH filler neck, LH side.

	CARBURANT: JP1-JP4-JP5-JP8 JET A1-JET A - JET B
N	FUEL: F34-F35-F40-F43-F44
5.0	PRC FUEL : N 3 JET FUEL
900	CAPACITE / CAPACITY :
20.	108,5 U.S. GALLONS
ы С	90,4 IMP. GALLONS
١٧.	410.5 LITRES / LITERS
~	326,3 KG
	-

Location : RH of filler neck, LH side.



Location : RH of engine oil filler cap.



Location : Near TGB and MGB filler neck RH side.

# **6 ELECTRICAL PLACARDS**



Location : LH side of aircraft, above grounding point.

If installed:



Location : RH side, on ground power receptacle cover.

# **SECTION 3**

# **EMERGENCY PROCEDURES**

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2	NR INCREASE OR NR OSCILLATIONS LEADING TO NR/ Nf < 422 rpm	2

# **SECTION 3.1**

# **EMERGENCY PROCEDURES**

# 1 GENERAL

Emergency procedures describe the actions that the pilot must take relative to the various possible failures that can occur.

Meanwhile, depending on the many variable external environments, such as the type of terrain overflown, the pilot may have to adapt to the situation according to his experience.

To help the pilot in his decision process, four recommendations are used:

#### LAND IMMEDIATELY

Self explanatory.

#### LAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

Emergency conditions are urgent and require landing at the nearest landing site at which a safe landing can be made.

#### LAND AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE

Emergency conditions are less urgent and in the pilot's judgment, he may proceed to the nearest airfield where he can expect appropriate assistance.

#### **CONTINUE FLIGHT**

Continue flight as planned. Repair at the destination according to the maintenance manual.

#### NOTE

Immediate actions that the pilot shall take are written in bold characters.

# 2 AUDIO WARNINGS

On the LACU, a [HORN] pushbutton is used to activate the audio warning.

When [HORN] pushbutton is pressed in: HORN.

#### NOTE

The pilot at the controls shall wear an adequate radio/ICS audio headset to monitor the audio warnings through the ICS system.

#### - GONG

A gong is generated each time a red warning appears on the CWP.

#### - CONTINUOUS TONE

Two continuous tones can be heard:

- A 310 Hz tone when NR is below 370 rpm
- A 285 Hz tone when maximum takeoff rating is exceeded:
  - \* After 1.5 sec. delay if power remains within transient range
  - \* Immediately when max. transient rating is or will be exceeded during fast power increase.
- 1. Collective ......REDUCE to maintain NR in normal operating range or power within limitations
- 2. Engine parameters ..... CHECK

#### - INTERMITTENT TONE

An intermittent tone (310 Hz) is heard when the NR is above 420 rpm.

Collective ...... INCREASE to maintain NR in normal operating range

Apply procedure according to the situation.

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The paragraph **2** - **AUDIO WARNINGS**, is modified as follows:

The item "CONTINUOUS TONE" is superseded by:

# - CONTINUOUS TONE

Two continuous tones can be heard:

- A 310 Hz tone when NR is below 370 rpm.
- A 285 Hz tone when maximum takeoff rating is exceeded:
  - \* After 1.5 sec. delay if power remains within transient range.
  - \* Immediately when max. transient rating is exceeded.

The rest of the paragraph is unchanged.

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# **SECTION 3.2**

# **ENGINE FLAME-OUT**

# **1 CRUISE FLIGHT**

#### AUTOROTATION PROCEDURE OVER LAND

	1.	Collective	<b>.REDUCE</b> to maintain NR in normal operating range
	2.	IAS	.SET TO Vy
	3.	Twist grip	.SHUT OFF detent
	4.	Maneuver the aircraft into the wind on fina	al approach
_	ΔtΙ	height $\simeq 70$ ft (21 m)	
	<u>70</u>	Cyclic	FLARE
	5.		
-	<u>At 2</u>	20/25 ft (6/8 m) and at constant attitude	
	6.	Collective	. GRADUALLY INCREASE
			to reduce the rate of descent and forward speed
	7.	Cyclic	. FORWARD to adopt a slightly nose-up landing attitude
	8.	Pedals	. ADJUST
	_		to cancel any sideslip tendency
	9.	Collective	. INCREASE to cushion touch-down
-	<u>Aft</u>	er touch-down	
	10.	Cyclic, collective, pedals	.ADJUST
			to control ground run
-	<u>On</u>	ce the aircraft has stopped	
	11.	Collective	. FULL LOW PITCH
	12.	Rotor brake	APPLY below 150 rotor rpm

#### AUTOROTATION PROCEDURE OVER WATER

Before touch-down, apply same procedure as over land, but maneuver to head the aircraft equally between the wind and wave direction on final approach. Ditch with minimum forward speed (IAS < 30 kt (56 km/h)) and vertical speed. Then:

- After touch-down
  - 10. Collective ...... MAINTAIN
  - 11. Forward doors emergency handles ...... PULL-UP
  - 12. Doors ......JETTISON or OPEN
  - 13. Rotor brake ...... APPLY

Abandon aircraft once the rotor has stopped.

# 2 HOVER IGE

1.	Collective	. MAINTAIN
2.	Pedals	.CONTROL YAW
3.	Collective	. NCREASE as needed to cushion touch-down

# **3 HOVER OGE**

#### WARNING

SAFE AUTOROTATIVE LANDING CANNOT BE ENSURED IN CASE OF A FAILURE IN HOGE BELOW THE TOP POINT OF THE HV DIAGRAM (REFER TO SECTION 5.1) OR IN CONFINED AREA.

- 1. Collective ...... FULL LOW PITCH
- When NR stops decreasing
- 2. Cyclic ..... FORWARD

to gain airspeed according to available height

3. Autorotation procedure......APPLY

# **4 IN FLIGHT RELIGHTING**

When Ng is less than 10%, according to available height and cause of flame-out, try to relight using starting procedure.

At least 1000 ft (300 m) are necessary to complete relighting procedure after flame-out.

# **SECTION 3.3**

# TAIL ROTOR FAILURES

# **1 COMPLETE LOSS OF TAIL ROTOR THRUST**

Symptom: The helicopter will yaw to the left with a rotational speed depending on the amount of power and the forward speed set at the time of the failure.

#### WARNING

SAFE AUTOROTATIVE LANDING CANNOT BE ENSURED IN CASE OF A FAILURE IN HOGE BELOW THE TOP POINT OF THE HV DIAGRAM (REFER TO SECTION 5.1) OR IN CONFINED AREA.

## 1.1 HOVER IGE (OR OGE WITHIN HV DIAGRAM)

#### LAND IMMEDIATELY

1.	Twist Grip	IDLE position
2.	Collective	INCREASE to cushion touch-down

## 1.2 HOVER OGE (CLEAR AREA, OUTSIDE HV DIAGRAM)

Simultaneously,

1. Collective	
	height
2. Cyclic	FORWARD to gain speed
3. Airspeed	MAINTAIN Vy or higher
4. Collective	ADJUST to obtain minimum sideslip
	angle

#### LAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

If a go-around was performed, carry out an autorotative landing on an area suitable for the autorotation procedure.

# **1.3 IN CRUISE FLIGHT**

1. Airspeed	
2. Collective	
	sideslip angle.

# LAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

#### APPROACH AND LANDING

#### On a suitable area for autorotative landing:

- 1. Twist grip ..... IDLE position
- 2. Carry out an autorotative landing according to the autorotation procedure (Refer to SECTION 3.2 § 1).

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The paragraph **1** - **SOURCE NOT IDENTIFIED**, is modified as follows:

# **1 SOURCE NOT IDENTIFIED**



#### CAUTION

When [EMER SW] (if installed) is actuated or battery and generator are off line, the VEMD goes off. Apply the procedure for failure of both screens (SECTION 3.5 § 1 VEMD screen failure).

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# **SECTION 3.4**

# **SMOKE IN THE CABIN**

# **1 SOURCE NOT IDENTIFIED**



When [EMER SW] (if installed) is actuated or battery and generator are off line, the VEMD goes off. Apply the procedure for failure of both screens (SECTION 3.5 § 1 VEMD screen failure).

# **2 SOURCE IDENTIFIED**

#### 1. Corresponding system ...... OFF

2. Ventilate the cabin

# **CONTINUE FLIGHT**

depending on system failed.

# **SECTION 3.5**

# **VEMD FAILURES AND CAUTION MESSAGES**

# 1 VEMD SCREEN FAILURES

#### - Failure of one screen

[OFF1] or [OFF2].....OFF

Read all available information on the other screen.

Information is available using the [**SCROLL**] pushbutton either on the VEMD or on the collective grip.

#### - Failure of both screens

To avoid any power overlimit, the maximum authorized power will be the power needed to establish level flight with the following law:

IAS kt = 100 kt at 0 Hp - (2 kt / 1000 ft).

IAS km/h = 185 km/h at 0 Hp - (4 km/h per 300 m).

#### LAND AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE

Landing procedure: Carry out a no hover landing.

# **2 CAUTION MESSAGES ON VEMD**

When a parameter is off line, the parameter value is not displayed on the corresponding VEMD screen and the parameter scale symbology is displayed in yellow.

Caution messages are self explanatory and the pilot shall comply with the action requested. If no light is lit on the Caution and Warning Panel, no other action is required from the pilot.

LANE 1 (or 2) FAILED : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	Self explanatory
VEH PARAM OUT RANGE	Abnormal vehicle parameter
ENG PARAM OUT RANGE	Abnormal engine parameter
These messages appear when a parame limitation, as the relevant (vehicle or engin	eter usually displayed on this page reaches a ne) pages are not displayed.
- [SCROLL]	PRESS to reach the relevant page and check the parameter Self explanatory
BRT CNTRL FAILED	Brightness control failed
FLI FAILED	One power parameter (Ng, T4, Tq) not consistent
<ul> <li>Parameter consistency</li></ul>	CHECK APPLY
	Abnormal generator parameter

GEN PARAM OUT RANGE

BAT PARAM OUT RANGE

: Abnormal battery parameter

These messages appear when the relevant parameter is not displayed on the vehicle page and when an electrical limitation is reached.

- [V/A SELECT]	: ACTUATE, check electrical parameters
BAT.T	: Battery temperature probe off line
GPS NOT AVAILABLE	: GPS system not available.
	(no absolute time reference)
- GPS navigation system	: CHECK ON

**OVERLIMIT DETECTED** 

: Engine / vehicle overlimit recorded

This message appears as soon as a parameter over limit is recorded in the VEMD. It will be displayed on the FLI or engine page until 40 % Ng during the next engine start.

After the flight, check the recorded over limit data and perform the associated maintenance actions.

For all of these messages, unless otherwise required by accompanying caution/warning lights or procedures:

# **CONTINUE FLIGHT**
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The paragraph 2 - CAUTION MESSAGE ON VEMD, is modified as follows:

The paragraph is superseded by the following:

LANE 1 (or 2) FAILED : S > PRESS OFF 1 (or 2)	elf explanatory
VEH PARAM OVER LIMIT : A	bnormal parameter over limit
ENG PARAM OVER LIMIT	ingine parameter over limit
These messages appear when a paramet limitation, as the relevant (vehicle or engine	ter usually displayed on this page reaches a e) pages are not displayed.
- <b>[SCROLL]</b> P th	RESS to reach the relevant page and check ne parameter
CROSSTALK FAILED : S > PRESS OFF 1 (or 2)	self explanatory
BRT CNTRL FAILED : B	rightness control failed
FLI FAILED         C          > PRESS OFF 1 (or 2)         T	One power parameter (Ng, T4, q) not consistent
- Parameter consistency : C	HECK
- Relevant procedures in § ABNORMAL ENGINE PARAMETER INDICATION; SECTION 3 : A	PPLY
GEN PARAM OVER LIMIT	bnormal generator parameter
BAT PARAM OVER LIMIT : A	bnormal battery parameter
These messages appear when the releva page and when an electrical limitation is read	nt parameter is not displayed on the vehicle ached.
- <b>[V/A SEL]</b> : A	CTUATE, check electrical parameters

BAT.T

: Battery temperature probe off line

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# **3 ABNORMAL NR/Nf INDICATIONS**

#### - NR indication failure

Collective .....: MAINTAIN Tq > 10 % NR reading is given by Nf pointer

## LAND AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE

Nf indication failure
 NR indication .....: CHECK in normal operating range with Tq > 0

## **CONTINUE FLIGHT**

NOTE

After failure of the Nf indication, the FLI is replaced by the 3 data symbology (Ng/ $\Delta$ Ng, T4 and Tq) and a failure message is displayed.

# **4 ABNORMAL ENGINE PARAMETER INDICATIONS**

- Engine Oil Temperature > 110° C



#### - Loss of OAT, Ng, Tq or T4 parameters

When a parameter is off line, the parameter value is not displayed on the VEMD upper screen and the parameter scale symbology (if applicable) is displayed in yellow.

The First Limitation Indicator (FLI) is replaced by the 3-data symbology (Ng/ $\Delta$ Ng, T4 and Tq) and a failure message is displayed.

## **CONTINUE FLIGHT**

#### - OAT indicator failure

**OAT** appears in the lower right corner of the upper screen when OAT indication fails. The  $\Delta$ Ng scale is then displayed in yellow and  $\Delta$ Ng indication is lost.

Comply with the maximum Ng values given below:

- Maximum takeoff power (MTOP) ..... Ng = 100 %
- Maximum continuous power (MCP) ..... Ng = 98.5 %

#### - Ng indicator failure

Comply with the maximum T4 values given below:

#### NOTE

#### In this case, the T4 limitations displayed are the starting limitations.

An engine overlimit may be recorded and the message **OVERLIMIT DETECTED** displayed on VEMD if the T4 exceeds 750°C. This overlimit can be ignored.

#### - Torquemeter failure

Comply with the maximum Ng given in the following table:



#### - T4 indication failure

Comply with Ng and Tq limitations. Do not start the engine.

# **5 ABNORMAL ELECTRICAL PARAMETER INDICATIONS**

VEMD	CORRECTIVE ACTIONS
GEN 32.0 <b>∨</b>	Over voltage on the generator (> 31.5 V): 1. [GEN] or [GENE]OFF 2. CWPMONITOR for 3. GENE procedure case AApply
	LAND AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE
GEN 30.0 V	Over voltage on the generator (29.0 V < GEN ≤ 31.5 V): 1. GEN voltageMONITOR
	CONTINUE FLIGHT
	Under voltage on DC bus (≤ 24.0 V): 1. <b>GENE</b> procedureApply 2. GEN voltage CHECK > 24.0 V
GEN 24.0 <b>V</b>	YES NO
	3. GENE procedure case A Apply LAND AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE
	NOTE Probable cause of such a failure is a generator defect that does not make <b>GENE</b> come on.

VEMD	CORRECTIVE ACTIONS
GEN 210 A	Generator current over limit: 1. Unnecessary equipment OFF <b>CONTINUE FLIGHT</b>
Red underline is flashing	NOTE After engine starting on battery, a temporary high generator current is normal because the battery is being recharged. During this phase, avoid using high electrical load consumers.

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The paragraph 1 - ENGINE ALARMS , is modified as follows:

# 1 ENGINE ALARMS

Supersede the table

FIRE

by the following:

WARNING PANEL	CORRECTIVE ACTIONS	
ENG FIRE Fire in engine bay	<ul> <li>At Start-up:</li> <li>1. Twist gripOFF</li> <li>2. Emergency fuel shut-off handleAFT</li> <li>3. [PUMP]OFF</li> <li>4. [CRANK]OFF</li> <li>4. [CRANK]OFF</li> <li>6. Rotor brakeOFF</li> <li>6. Rotor brakeAPPLY (≤ 150 rpm)</li> <li>7. Evacuate aircraft and fight fire from outside.</li> </ul>	
	- Hover, Takeott, Final:	
	LAND IMMEDIATELY	
	Carry out a no hover powered landing. Once on ground, apply same procedure as above In Flight: LAND IMMEDIATELY	
	1. Collective	
	- After landing:	
	<ul> <li>7. [BAT.]OFF</li> <li>8. Rotor brakeAPPLY (≤ 150 rpm)</li> <li>9. Evacuate aircraft and fight fire from outside</li> </ul>	

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# **SECTION 3.6**

# CAUTION AND WARNING PANEL

## **1 ENGINE ALARMS**

WARNING PANEL	CORRECTIVE ACTIONS	
ENG FIRE Fire in engine bay	<ul> <li>At start-up:</li> <li>1. Twist grip OFF</li> <li>2. Emergency fuel shut-off handle AFT</li> <li>3. [FUEL P] OFF</li> <li>4. [CRANK] PRESS (10 sec.)</li> <li>5. [BAT/EPU] OFF</li> <li>6. Rotor brake APPLY (≤ 150 rpm)</li> <li>7. Evacuate aircraft and fight fire from outside</li> </ul>	
	- Hover, Takeoff, Final:	
	LAND IMMEDIATELY	
	Carry out a no hover powered landing. Once on ground, apply same procedure as above.	
	- In flight:	
	LAND IMMEDIATELY	
	1. Collective	
	- After landing:	
	<ul> <li>7. [BAT/EPU] OFF</li> <li>8. Rotor brake APPLY (≤ 150 rpm)</li> <li>9. Evacuate aircraft and fight fire from outside</li> </ul>	

WARNING PANEL	CORRECTIVE ACTIONS	
ENG	Oil pressureCHECK gauge	
P	LOW OR NIL	
Engine oil pressure below limit	LAND AS SOON AS	
	$\downarrow$	
	Autorotation procedure APPLY	
	↓ Shut down engine, time permitting	
TWT GRIP	Twist gripINCREASE to FLIGHT position	
Twist grip out of FLIGHT position		
ENG CHIP	CollectiveReduce power	
	LAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE	
Metal particles in engine oil	Low-power approach and landing. Be prepared in case of a loss of engine power.	
Circuit	NOTE	
	Takeoff is prohibited until checks specified in TURBOMECA Maintenance Manual have been completed.	

# **2 TRANSMISSION ALARMS**

WARNING PANEL	CORRECTIVE ACTIONS
MGB	CollectiveREDUCE power TqSet < 45%
Main gear box	LAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
low oil pressure	If a safe landing is not possible, continue flight to the nearest appropriate landing site, reduce power to fly at minimum power speed (Vy).
	NOTE
	At low power (Tq < 45%) a maximum of 30 min. of simulated flight time has been demonstrated during bench tests.
MGB TEMP	1. IASSET TO Vy 2. CWPMONITOR
Main gear box oil overheating	MGB TEMP ↓ ↓
	LAND AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE POSSIBLE
GB	IASSet to Vy
Metal particles in MGB or TGB oil circuit	MGB and MGB Monitor
	Be prepared to applyMGB PorMGB TEMPprocedure.Avoid prolonged hovering.
	LAND AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE

# **3 HYDRAULIC ALARM**

	CTIONS
Keep aircraft at a more or less level attitude.	
Avoid abrupt maneuvers.	
CAUTIO	N
Do not attempt to carr y out hove	r flight or an y low speed
maneuver.	· · ·
The intensity and direction of the co	o ntrol feedback forc e will
change rapidly. This will result in possible loss of control.	poor aircraft control and
NOTE 1	
The accumulators contain sufficient pr reach the hydraulic failure safety spee NOTE 2	essure to secure flight and to d.
Pushing down and locking simultan e hand is a difficult operation. The p ilot the engine then lock the collective.	ously the collective with one can decide to first shut dow n
- HIGE, Takeoff, Final: (if immediate lan	ding is possible)
1. Land normally	
2. Collective	
3. Engine shut down procedure	Арріу
- In flight: Smoothly	
1. IAS	SET to around Vy
	(hydraulic failure safety
2. Hydraulic out off switch	speed)
(collective grin)	OFF
Pilot has to exert forces: - On collecti	ve increase or decrease around
no force fe	eedback point
- On forwar	d and left cyclic
LAND AS SOON A	S POSSIBLE
NOTE	
Speed may be increased as nece se increase with speed.	sary but control loads will
<ol> <li>Approach and landing: Over a clear a - Perform a flat approach into wind</li> </ol>	and flat area
- Make a no-hover slow running landing at around 10 kt (18.5 km/h)	
- Do not hover or taxi without hydr	aulic pressure
4. <u>Atter landing</u> :	
- Collective	
	CORRECTIVE A Keep aircraft at a more or less level att Avoid abrupt maneuvers. CAUTIO Do not attempt to carr y out hove maneuver. The intensity and direction of the co- change rapidly. This will result in possible loss of control. NOTE 1 The accumulators contain sufficient pr reach the hydraulic failure safety speet NOTE 2 Pushing down and locking simultan e hand is a difficult operation. The p ilot the engine then lock the collective. - <u>HIGE, Takeoff, Final</u> : (if immediate lan 1. Land normally 2. Collective



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## 4 ELECTRICAL ALARMS



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# **4 ELECTRICAL ALARMS**



WARNING PANEL	CORRECTIVE ACTIONS	
BATT FUSE Battery fuse has blown. Battery is off line	LAND AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE	
OENE	1. GEN voltage on VEMD CHECK 2. [GENE] CHECK ON	
GENE	YES NO	
DC Generator	[GENE]ON	
off line.	[ELEC RST] ACTUATE	
	Case A: GENE Case B: GENE Unnecessary equipmentOFF BAT voltage on VEMDMONITOR LAND AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE	
	WARNING	
	IF THE BATTERY FAILS, THE VEMD WILL GO OUT AND NR/NF INDICATION IS LOST. APPLY THE PROCEDURE FOR FAILURE OF BOTH SCREENS (SECTION 3.5 §1 VEMD SCREEN FAILURE). AVOID AUTOROTATION, PERFORM A SHALLOW APPROACH WITH CAUTIOUS LANDING. BEFORE BATTERY FAILURE, NR AUDIO ALARM WILL COME ON (U < 18 V).	

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# **5 FUEL ALARMS**

WARNING PANEL	CORRECTIVE ACTIONS
<b>FUEL</b> Fuel quantity < 30 kg (66 lb)	LAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE NOTE 15 min of flight time remains at MCP. WARNING AVOID MAINTAINING SIDESLIP OVER 15° AS T HIS COULD LEAD TO AN ENGINE FLAME-OUT.
FUEL P Low fuel Pressure	- At engine start up: [FUEL P] or [PUMP]ON FUEL P
	- In flight: 1. Collective REDUCE POWER 2. [FUEL P] or [PUMP] ON LAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE Low power approach and landing. WARNING BE PREPARED IN CASE OF AN ENGINE FLAME-OUT.



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## **6 MISCELLANEOUS ALARMS**



## **SECTION 3.7**

## VARIOUS WARNINGS, FAILURES AND INCIDENTS NOT INDICATED ON THE CWP

## **1 ROTOR BRAKE INOPERATIVE**

#### WARNING

WAIT UNTIL ROTOR COMES TO A STANDSTILL BEFORE LEAVING THE AIRCRAFT.

Rotor stopping with wind blowing:

1. Aircraft	Head into the wind
2. Cyclic	Slightly into the wind

# **2 FLIGHT CONTROL HARDOVER OR SERVOJAM**

A hardover results in uncommanded movements of one or two flight controls (excluding yaw).

A servojam results in a higher than normal force to move the flight controls.

- HIGE, Takeoff, Final: (if immediate landing is possible)

#### LAND IMMEDIATELY

After landing:

- 1. Hydraulic cut-off switch (collective grip)..... OFF
- 2. Engine and rotor shutdown procedure ...... APPLY
- In flight:
- 1. IAS ...... SET to around Vy
- 2. Hydraulic cut-off switch (collective grip)...... OFF, apply HYDR procedure

## LAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

# **SECTION 3.8**

## **GOVERNOR FAILURES**

Engine governor failure leads either to NR drop, NR increase or NR oscillations.

# 1 NR DROP OR NR OSCILLATIONS LEADING TO NR/Nf < 365 rpm

## **1.1 IN CRUISE FLIGHT**

Simultaneously to maintain NR in normal operating range:

- 1. Collective ...... REDUCE
- 2. Twist grip..... CHECK in FLIGHT position



## 1.2 HOVER IGE

## LAND IMMEDIATELY

1. Collective	MAINTAIN
2. Yaw	CONTROL
3. Collective	INCREASE to cushion touch down

## 1.3 HOVER OGE

Simultaneously:

1. Collective ......FULL LOW PITCH

2. Twist grip ...... CHECK in FLIGHT position



# 2 NR INCREASE OR NR OSCILLATIONS LEADING TO NR/Nf < 422 rpm

To maintain NR in normal operating range:

#### 1. Collective ..... INCREASE

NR CAN BE KEPT IN NORMAL OPERATING RANGE



- I wist grip		SHUTOFF position
- Autorotation	procedure	APPLY

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# **SECTION 4**

# NORMAL PROCEDURES

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## **SECTION 4.1**

## GENERAL

This section contains instructions and procedures for operating the helicopter from the planning stage, through actual flight conditions, to securing the helicopter after landing.

Normal and standard conditions are assumed in these procedures. Pertinent data in other sections is referenced when applicable.

The instructions and procedures contained herein are written for the purpose of standardization and are not applicable to all situations.

## **1 OPERATING LIMITATIONS**

For minimum and maximum limits, refer to SECTION 2.

Each time an operating limitation is exceeded, an appropriate entry shall be made in the logbook (helicopter, engine, etc.). The entry shall state which limit was exceeded, the duration, the extreme value attained, and any additional information essential in determining the maintenance action required.

# 2 FLIGHT PLANNING

Each flight should be planned adequately to ensure safe operations and to provide the pilot with the data to be used during flight. Flight planning must comply with helicopter limitations and performance (Refer to SECTIONS 2, 5, 6 and Supplements).

# **3 TAKEOFF AND LANDING DATA**

**Refer to SECTION 2 - LIMITATIONS** 

and

SECTION 5 - REGULATORY & ADDITIONAL PERFORMANCE DATA.

## **4 WEIGHT AND BALANCE DATA**

Ascertain proper weight and balance of the helicopter as follows:

- Consult SECTION 6 WEIGHT AND BALANCE.
- Ascertain weight of fuel, oil, payload, etc.
- Compute takeoff and anticipated landing gross weights.
- Check helicopter center of gravity (CG) locations.
- Check that the weight and CG limitations in SECTION 2 are not exceeded.
# PREFLIGHT CHECK

- Make sure that all flightworthiness-required corrective maintenance operations have been performed.
- These preflight checks can be done without opening any cowlings unless the helicopter had been parked for more than 2 days or in case of any visible leak or doubt.
- Check that the aircraft area is clean and unobstructed.
- Remove all picketing items if applicable.
- Carry out the following checks:

# **1 EXTERIOR CHECK**



Figure 1: Sequence of checks

## Station 1

## Station 2

- Front door	Condition, jettison system check
- Sliding door	Condition, closed or open-locked
- MGB-Engine LH cowling	Open
- MGB	Oil level
- Hydraulic compact unit	Oil level
- Engine	Oil level
- Transmission deck and engine	Condition, cleanliness, no leaks
- Fuel filler plug	Closed, locked
- MGB-Engine LH cowling	Closed, correctly locked
- Landing gear and foot steps	Attachment - visual check
- Lower central cowling	Closed, correctly locked
- Fuel tank	Bled (before the first flight, if OAT ≥ 0°C), no leak at bleed valve
- Main rotor head	Visual inspection, rotor head, sleeves, spherical thrust bearing, adapters, bonding braids
- Main rotor blades	Condition, visual inspection from ground, no impact
- Static port	Cover removed, clear
- Exhaust pipe	Condition – Cover removed
- Maintenance steps	Closed
- Rear cargo door	Open, check battery attachment, connections Check for no snow in the tail boom. Closed, locked
- Tail boom	Condition, condition of antennas

## Station 3

- Stabilizer	General condition
- Tail rotor blades	Condition, no impact
- Tail rotor hub fairing	No rotation (paint marks)
- Keel and tail skid	Attachment - visual check

## Station 4

- Yaw control rod	Condition
- TGB	Oil level
- Stabilizer	General condition

- Tail boom ......Condition, condition of antennas

## Station 5

.Cover removed, clear
.Cleanliness, no foreign objects
.Open
.All set
.Carried objects stowed
.Closed and locked
.Open
.Condition, cleanliness, no leaks
.Closed and locked
.As required
.Attachment - visual check
.Closed
.Condition, jettison system check

# **2 INTERIOR CHECK**

- Cabin	.Clean
- Seats	.Condition
- Seat belts	.Condition
- Blanking plate of pedal unit	.Installed (if single pilot configuration).
- Fire extinguisher	.Secured - checked
- First aid kit (if installed)	.Attachment
- Breakers	.All set
- Loads and objects carried	.Stowed and secured
- Front door jettison systems	.Checked plastic guard condition, (snap wire checked for aircraft S/N 1674 and from S/N 1678 except S/N 8001 to 8034)
- Stretcher installation	,
(if installed)	.Condition, attachment
- ELT (if installed)	.Check control switch on instrument panel is set to "AUTO" or "ARMED"

# **3 TURN AROUND CHECK**

- Overall aspect ......Condition, cleanliness
- Engine / MGB .....Oil level
- Main and tail rotor blades
- (from ground) .....Condition
- Loads .....Stowed and secured
- All cowlings .....Locked
- Doors .....Closed or sliding door open-locked

### NOTE 1

If the aircraft is to be parked some time between flights, temporary picketing is recommended by fitting blanks, covers, and blade socks. In this case, perform a complete exterior check.

## NOTE 2

Perform a complete exterior check if the aircraft was parked in falling snow.



The paragraph **1** - **ENGINE PRESTART CHECK**, is modified as follows:

# **1 ENGINE PRESTART CHECK**

- Seats and control pedals.....ADJUST and SECURE
- Seat belts ..... FASTEN

#### NOTE 1

Copilot seat belts shall be fastened in all cases.

#### NOTE 2

The safety belts of unoccupied rear seats must not be fastened and the button on the shoulder belts must not be visible.

#### NOTE 3

Check that, when flying with doors open there are no loose objects in the cabin, and the belts of unoccupied rear seats are stowed between the backrest foam and the backrest.

1. Heating, demisting, air conditioning (if installed).....OFF 3. Fuel shut-off lever ...... FORWARD LOCKWIRED 4. [OFF/DAY/NIGHT/NVG] light selector ...... SET to OFF or DAY 5. [BAT], [GENE] and [HORN] ......ON, check BAT voltage 6. [LIGHT TEST] ..... PERFORM 7. [FIRE TEST] ...... PERFORM, check gong 9. GPS navigation system......ON (if fitted) 10. CWP.....CHECK: • With battery power ..... GENE **PITOT** FUEL P HYDR • With EPU power .....: Same lights as above + BATT

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# **START UP**

# **1 ENGINE PRESTART CHECK**

- Seats and control pedals.....ADJUST and SECURE
- Seat belts ......FASTEN

#### NOTE 1

Copilot seat belts shall be fastened in all cases.

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#### NOTE 3

Check that, when flying with doors open there are no loose objects in the cabin, and the belts of unoccupied rear seats are stowed between the backrest foam and the backrest.

- 1. Heating, demisting, air conditioning (if installed).....OFF
- 2. Rotor brake ......FORWARD
- 3. Fuel shut-off lever ......FORWARD LOCKWIRED
- 4. [EMER SW] (if fitted).....ON
- 5. Light selector.....SET to OFF or DAY
- 6. [BAT/EPU], [GENE] and [HORN] .....ON, check BAT voltage > 22V
- 7. [LIGHT TST].....PERFORM
- 8. [FIRE TST].....PERFORM, check gong
- 9. Electrical mirror (if fitted) ......SET to avoid dazzling (night flight)
- 10. ICS and GPS navigation system ......ON (if fitted)
- 11. CWP.....CHECK:
  - With battery power......

		GENE	ΡΙΤΟΤ	ENG P		
	FUEL P			MGB P		
				TWT GRIP	HYDR	
•	With EPU power		: Sam	e lights as abo	ove +	BATT

12.	VEMD	.Engine page DISPLAYED, check no message
13.	Control pedals	.Free travel, then NEUTRAL
14.	Collective	.LOCK
15.	Twist grip	Free travel, check time-delay mechanism then SHUT OFF position
16.	Hydraulic cut-off switch (both collective grips)	.ON, guarded
17.	Cyclic	CENTER, friction adjusted

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The paragraph 2 - ENGINE STARTING, is superseded by the following:

## 2 ENGINE STARTING

## CAUTION

In case of any doubt on the success of the start, abort starting procedure:

- Keep the starter button pressed,
- Set twist grip to OFF position,

- Release the starter button, then [FUEL P] OFF, [GENE] OFF.

In case of residual T4 higher than 200°C or aborted start due to excessivel y high T4, check the BAT voltage:

- Voltage normal:

- Press [CRANK] during 10 sec.
- Apply normal starting procedure.
- Voltage under 15 VDC when starting:

If BAT voltage < 15 VDC durin g start, abort the starting procedure immediately, set the twist grip to OFF position, release the starter button.

- 1. [PUMP] .....ON, check FUEL P
- 2. **[A.COL LIGHT]**.....ON

<u>/ (1101 00 000.</u> )	-	After	30	sec.:
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- 3. Starter ......PRESS
- 4. Twist grip.....IDLE position

#### NOTE

## If remaining T4 is above 150°C wait until 10% Ng before actuating twist grip

- 5. Twist grip......CONTROL to maintain T4 within limits
- When Ng = 50% :
- 6. Starter ......RELEASE
- 7. Twist grip.....Progressively to IDLE position, check:
  - ENG P HYDR MGB P
- 8. [HORN] .....OFF, check HORN

#### NOTE

At Ng > 60 % the VEMD upper screen automatically switches to FLI display.

- If EPU is used:
- EPU.....DISCONNECT, check GENE BATT

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# **2 ENGINE STARTING**

## CAUTION

In case of any doubt on the success of the start, abort starting procedure:

- Keep the starter button pressed,
- Set twist grip to OFF position,
- Release the starter button, then [FUEL P] OFF, [GENE] OFF.

In case of residual T4 higher than 200°C or aborted start due to excessively high T4, check the BAT voltage:

### - Voltage normal:

- Press [CRANK] during 10 sec.
- Apply normal starting procedure.
- Voltage under 15 VDC when starting:

If BAT voltage < 15 VDC during start, abort the starting procedure immediately, set the twist grip to OFF position, release the starter button.

- 1. [FUEL P].....ON, check FUEL P
- 2. **[A/COL LT]**.....ON
- After 30 sec.:
- 3. Twist grip......TURN slowly to START position (white index)
- 4. Starter ......PRESS
- <u>When Ng = 50%</u>:
- 7. Twist grip.....Progressively to IDLE position, check:
  - ENG P HYDR MGB P
- 8. [HORN].....OFF, check HORN

## NOTE

## At Ng > 60 % the VEMD upper screen automatically switches to FLI display.

- <u>If EPU is used</u>: EPU.....DISCONNECT, check **GENE BATT** 

# **3 RUN-UP CHECK**

### NOTE 1

For aircraft equipped with spot light only: If a flight under night conditions is envisaged adjust the right map light so that it illuminates the pilot's side of the instrument panel and dim it to minimum necessary level before switching the spot light on.

### NOTE 2

Do not use the windshield wiper on a dry windshield or in light rain.

- 1. [PITOT] ...... ON, check PITOT
- 2. **[FUEL P]** or **[PUMP]**......OFF
- 3. [V/A SELECT]:
  - Check electrical system voltage and current
- 4. Check ENG OIL pressure
- 6. Hydraulic checks:

## CAUTION

If not locked, the collective lever will move up when the accumulators are depleted or when the hydraulic cut-off switch on the collective grip is set to OFF.

- Accumulator checks:
  - Collective..... CHECK correctly locked
  - [ACCU TST] or [HYDR] .....ON
  - CWP ..... CHECK HYDR
  - Move the cyclic 2 or 3 times on each axis ± 10 % of total travel (± 2.5 cm, 1 inch) and check for accumulator hydraulic assistance on pitch and roll (no control loads).
  - [ACCU TST] or [HYDR] ..... RESET to OFF position
  - CWP ..... CHECK HYDR

#### - Hydraulic cut-off test:

- Collective ...... CHECK correctly locked
- Hydraulic cut-off switch (collective grip)..... OFF
- CWP ..... CHECK HYDR
- Check that loads are felt immediately and that cyclic can be moved in pitch and roll with normal feedback loads.
- Hydraulic cut-off switch (collective grip)..... ON, guarded

(\*) If installed

• CWP	CHECK HYDR after 2 to 3 sec.
	Maintenance action must be performed prior to flight if this time is reduced to 1 sec. or greater than 3 sec. (at least one of the accumulators is faulty)
7. Twist grip	Progressively to FLIGHT position
	Maintain Tq < 40 %
<ul> <li>When NR = 350 rpm:</li> </ul>	
• [HORN]	ON, check:
Low ND oudio worning counds for ND	< 270 mm

- $\,\circ\,$  Low NR audio warning sounds for NR < 370 rpm
- HORN
- When twist grip is in flight position:

8. Parameter checks ......

Electrical system voltage and current, Engine oil pressure.

### NOTE

In strong wind, perform the hydraulic tests at the nominal power rating, apply a small cyclic input into the wind direction and accelerate the engine to NR  $\approx$  320 rpm, as fast as compatible with T4 limitations, then follow the normal procedure (refer to SECTION 4.8.1).

# 4 CRANKING

The cranking procedure shall be performed after a failed or aborted start and can be used for check or maintenance purposes.

Proceed as follows:

- Check:

1. T	「wist grip	.OFF
2. <b>[</b>	FUEL P] or [PUMP]	.ON
3. E	Engine starting selector	.OFF
4. E	Emergency fuel shut-off lever	FORWARD
5. N	۱g	.CHECK ≤ 10 %
6. <b>[</b> 0	CRANK]	PRESS for 20 sec. max.
7. <b>[</b>	FUEL P] or [PUMP]	.OFF

## CAUTION

Do not crank the engine with the emergency fuel shutoff valve closed as this could damage the engine high pressure fuel pump.

# TAKEOFF

# **1 BEFORE TAKEOFF CHECK**

- 1. Doors .....CLOSED or sliding door OPEN LOCKED
- 2. Cyclic and collective frictions ......AS REQUIRED
- 3. Landing light.....AS REQUIRED
- 4. Temperatures and pressures ......NORMAL RANGE
- 5. CWP.....All lights OFF
- 6. Collective .....UNLOCKED

#### NOTE

Adjust collective and cyclic frictions so that friction loads are felt by the pilot when moving the flight controls.

# 2 TAKEOFF CHECK AND PROCEDURE

## CAUTION

The heating system is forbidden if Ng and/or T4 are above t he engine maximum continuous rating.

- Gradually increase collective to hover at 5 ft (1.5 m).
- Check NR, engine and mechanical parameters, no warning caution light.
- Increase airspeed with the HIGE power until IAS = 40 kt (74 km/h), then begin to climb so as to clear 20 ft (6 m) at IAS = 65 kt (120 km/h).



Figure 1: Takeoff procedure

## CAUTION

For safe operation, takeoff path should avoid HV diagram (refer to SECTION 5).



# **CLIMB - CRUISE - APPROACH - LANDING**

# 1 CLIMB

Above 100 ft (30 m), for maximum climb performance, select up to Maximum Continuous Power and optimum climbing speed (Vy):

IAS kt = 65 kt at 0 Hp - (1 kt / 1000 ft).

IAS km/h = 120 km/h at 0 Hp - (2 km/h per 300 m).

# 2 CRUISE

Fast cruise is obtained by the first limitation reached corresponding to the beginning of the FLI amber area:

Corresponding mechanical or engine limits (Tq, Ng, T4) are indicated by an underlined numerical value.

Economic cruise: Set Tq to 10% less than MCP Tq.

Reduce indicated airspeed in turbulence.

# 3 APPROACH

#### CAUTION

The heating system is forbidden if Ng and/or T4 are above the engine maximum continuous rating.

- Begin approach at Vy.
- At approximately 100 ft (30 m), reduce airspeed down to HIGE at 5 ft (1.5 m).
  - <u>Approach check</u>:
    - 1. Landing light .....AS REQUIRED
    - 2. All parameters.....CHECK

# 4 LANDING

- In hover, gradually reduce collective until touch-down, then fully reduce collective.

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The paragraph **1- ENGINE AND ROTOR SHUTDOWN**, is superseded by:

## **1 ENGINE AND ROTOR SHUTDOWN**

- 1. Cyclic .....CENTER
- 2. Collective .....LOCK
- 3. [PITOT], [HORN], landing light .....OFF
- 4. Twist grip.....IDLE position

66 %  $\leq$  Ng  $\leq$  70 %, wait 30 sec. for temperature stabilization

- 5. All unnecessary systems......OFF
- 6. **[GENE]**.....OFF

### CAUTION

# If, after 30 sec. with twist grip in IDLE position, Ng remains higher than 80 %, maintenance action shall be performed before next engine start.

7. Twist grip.....OFF position

Cancel the IDLE stop by briefly pressing on the starter pushbutton. The twist grip must be turned to OFF position with no delay.

- <u>At NR ≤ 150 rpm:</u>
- 8. Rotor brake .....APPLY
  - When rotor is stopped:
- 9. GPS navigation system (if installed). .....OFF
- 10. [A.COL LIGHT].....OFF

## BEFORE LEAVING HELICOPTER

- 11. VEMD.....CHECK FLIGHT REPORT page data:
  - Operating time (counted from Ng > 60 % until Ng < 50 %)
  - Ng and Nf cycles ......CHECK (indicated in white characters and above 0)

## - Messages: FAILURE DETECTED or OVERLIMIT DETECTED

- 12. **[BAT]**.....OFF
- 13. Map lights.....OFF
- 14. Pitot, static ports, intake, exhaust covers, blade socks as required
- 15. Battery (or batteries) .....DISCONNECT (if necessary)

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# **ENGINE AND ROTOR SHUTDOWN**

# **1 ENGINE AND ROTOR SHUTDOWN**

- 1. Cyclic .....CENTER
- 2. Collective .....LOCK
- 3. [**PITOT**], [**HORN**], landing light .....OFF
- 4. Twist grip.....IDLE position

66 %  $\leq$  Ng  $\leq$  70 %, wait 30 sec. for temperature stabilization

- 5. All unnecessary systems......OFF
- 6. [AVIONIC] (if installed) .....OFF
- 7. **[GENE]**.....OFF

### CAUTION

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8. Twist grip.....OFF position

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- Messages: FAILURE DETECTED or OVERLIMIT DETECTED

- 13. Light selector.....OFF
- 14. [BAT/EPU].....OFF
- 15. Map lights.....OFF
- 16. Pitot, static ports, intake, exhaust covers, blade socks as required
- 17. Battery (or batteries) ......DISCONNECT (if necessary)

# **MISCELLANEOUS PROCEDURES AND DATA**

# **1 TANK CAPACITY**

## - Maximum capacity

410.5 litres (326.3 kg - 108.5 US gal - 719.5 lb).

- Fuel gauge



## NOTE 1

The unusable fuel quantity is reached when zero is indicated on the fuel gauge.

## NOTE 2

Fuel quantity indication in kg and fuel flow indication in kg/h is based on a fuel density of 0.79 kg/l.

## EXTREME WEATHER OPERATIONS

# 1 HIGH WIND OPERATION (WIND ABOVE 30 kt (56 km/h))

#### - Parking

- Park the helicopter head into the wind. Maintain rotor brake applied with one blade at 12 o'clock. Keep blade socks until start up.
- For wind above 50 kt (93 km/h) the helicopter must be tied down.

#### - Start up

- Before engaging the starter switch, push and maintain the cyclic in the wind direction.
- Apply engine start up procedure and accelerate the engine to reach NR = 320 rpm as quickly as possible within T4 limits and Tq  $\leq$  40%.
- Then carry out the normal procedure.

#### - Run up check

• Perform the hydraulic checks with the twist grip in FLIGHT position and NR at nominal speed.

#### - Shutdown

- After engine shutdown, push and maintain the cyclic slightly in the wind direction.
- Apply rotor brake at NR = 150 rpm and maintain cyclic position until the rotor stops with one blade in 12 o'clock position.

## NOTE

Start up and shutdo wn have been demonstrated up to 55 kt (102 km/h) of w ind from all directions.

# **2 COLD WEATHER OPERATION**

Refer to SUP. 4: "INSTRUCTIONS FOR OPERATIONS IN COLD WEATHER"

# **SECTION 5.1**

# **REGULATORY PERFORMANCE DATA**

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The paragraph **1.0.0 - INTRODUCTION**, is superseded by the following:

## **1 INTRODUCTION**

The following performance curves apply to the basic version of the aircraft.

Refer to Supplement when optional equipment is fitted.

#### NOTE

Values obtained on VEMD PERFORMANCE and ENGINE POWER CHECK pages can be checked with the ENGINE POWER CHECK, T4 CHECK, HOVER IN GROUND EFFECT, and HOVER OUT OF GROUND EFFECT curves.

For AUW over 1680 kg, the performance has to be checked manually with Figures 6, 7 and 8.

### CAUTION

Pilot shall limit the flight envelope and weight displayed on VEMD performance pages to the relevant limitations of SECTION 2.

## CAUTION

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# **SECTION 5.1**

# **REGULATORY PERFORMANCE DATA**

# **1 INTRODUCTION**

The following performance curves apply to the basic version of the aircraft. Refer to Supplements when optional equipment is fitted.

### CAUTION

Pilot shall limit the flight envelope an d weight displayed on VEMD performance pages to the relevant limitations of SECTION 2.

# 2 DEMONSTRATED WIND ENVELOPES

## 2.1 STARTING AND STOPPING ROTOR WIND ENVELOPE

Starting and stopping the rotor has been demonstrated up to 55 kt (102 km/h) of wind from all directions.

# **3 ENGINE POWER CHECK**

## 3.1 BEFORE TAKEOFF

In HIGE at 5 ft (1.5 m) and before initiating forward flight, pull the collective slightly to ensure that the Ng can increase by at least 1%, without exceeding the max. transient rating.

## 3.2 ENGINE POWER CHECK PROCEDURE

The engine power check consists in checking the power margin:

- TRQ margin,
- T4 margin.

Checking can be performed using the VEMD data (refer to paragraph 3.2.1) or manually recorded parameters (refer to paragraph 3.2.2).

## 3.2.1 VEMD procedure

- The engine power check is performed in level flight at MCP, heating system OFF.
- Prefer an altitude where the engine is operating close to the Ng MCP limit with Hp  $\leq$  12000 ft (3657 m).
- Stabilize level flight at MCP for at least 2 min. before initiating the engine power check.
- Read the results displayed on VEMD at the end of the procedure.
- The engine power check is satisfactory if:
  - The **"TRQ MARGIN"** value is positive \_\_\_\_\_ **"GOOD"** displayed, <u>and</u>
  - The **"T4 MARGIN"** value is negative **"GOOD"** displayed.

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The paragraph **3.2.1 - VEMD Procedure**, is superseded by the following:

## 3.2.1 VEMD procedure

- The engine power check is performed in level flight at MCP, heating system OFF.
- Prefer an altitude where the engine is operating close to the Ng MCP limit with Hp  $\leq$  12000 ft (3657 m).
- Stabilize level flight at MCP for at least 2 min. before initiating the engine power check.
- Read the results displayed on VEMD at the end of the procedure.
- The engine power check is satisfactory if:
  - The **"TRQ MARGIN"** value is positive \_\_\_\_\_ **"GOOD"** displayed, and
  - The **"T4 MARGIN"** value is negative \_\_\_\_\_ **"GOOD"** displayed.

## NOTE

To obtain the actual Tq and T4 margins val ues and/or if the TRQ MARGIN is negative (BAD) and/or T4 MARGIN is positive (BAD), calculate the <u>corrected</u> TRQ and/or T4 margin as per paragraph 3.2.3.

If the <u>corrected</u> TRQ margin is positive <u>and corrected</u> T4 margin is negative, the result is acceptable.

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The paragraph **3.2.2 - Manual Procedure**, is superseded by the following:

#### 3.2.2 Manual procedure

- The engine power check is performed in level flight at MCP, heating system OFF.
- Prefer an altitude where the engine is operating close to the Ng MCP limit with Hp  $\leq$  12000 ft (3657 m).
- Stabilize level flight at MCP for at least 2 min. before recording the following parameters: Tq, Ng, NR, Hp, OAT and T4.

#### NOTE

#### The altimeter must be set to 1013.2 hPa to display Hp.

Refer to the ENGINE POWER CHECK chart (Fig 1 and 2) and the T4 CHECK chart (Fig 3). Use the chart in the direction shown by the arrows in the example.

The engine power check is satisfactory if:

 The point "P" is located in the "CORRECT" area of the ENGINE POWER CHECK chart —> positive Tq margin,

<u>and</u>

The point "T" is located in the "CORRECT" area of the T4 CHECK chart — negative T4 margin.

### NOTE

# No correction is to be applied to the values obtained by a <u>manual</u> engine power check.

Tq Margin Calculation:

- Mark the point "P" on the chart according to the recorded parameters.
- Mark the point "P' " on the separation line between the "CORRECT" and "INCORRECT" zones according to the recorded Ng and OAT values. Then carry over to the Tq scale according to the recorded NR and Hp values.
- The Tq margin is given by the torque value difference "P" "P' " measured on the torque scale.

T4 Margin Calculation:

- Mark the point "T" on the chart according to the recorded parameters.
- Mark the point "T' " on the separation line between the "CORRECT" and "INCORRECT" zones according to the recorded Ng and OAT values. Carry over to the T4 scale according to the recorded Hp value.
- The T4 margin is given by the T4 value difference "T' " "T" measured on the T4 temperature scale on the LH side.

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#### 3.2.2 Manual procedure

- The engine power check is performed in level flight at MCP, heating system OFF.
- choose an altitude where the engine is operating close to the Ng MCP limit with Hp  $\leq$  12000 ft (3657 m).
- Stabilize level flight at MCP for at least 2 min. before recording the following parameters: Tq, Ng, NR, Hp, OAT and T4.

NOTE

#### The altimeter must be set to 1013.2 hPa to display Hp.

Refer to the ENGINE POWER CHECK charts (Fig. 1 and Fig. 2). Use the charts in the direction shown by the arrows in the examples.

The engine power check is satisfactory if:

 The point "P" is located in the "CORRECT" area of the ENGINE POWER CHECK chart —> positive Tq margin,

<u>and</u>

The point "T" is located in the "CORRECT" area of the T4 CHECK chart — negative T4 margin.

Tq Margin Calculation:

- Mark the point "P" on the chart according to the recorded parameters.
- Mark the point "P' " on the separation line between the "CORRECT" and "INCORRECT" zones according to the recorded Ng and OAT values. Then carry over to the Tq scale according to the recorded NR and Hp values.
- The Tq margin is given by the torque value difference "P" "P' " measured on the torque scale.

T4 Margin Calculation:

- Mark the point "T" on the chart according to the recorded parameters.
- Mark the point "T' " on the separation line between the "CORRECT" and "INCORRECT" zones according to the recorded Ng and OAT values. Carry over to the T4 scale according to the recorded Hp value.
- The T4 margin is given by the T4 value difference "T' " "T" measured on the T4 temperature scale on the LH side.



Figure 1



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#### FLIGHT MANUAL



Figure 3

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The paragraph **3.2.3 - Corrected Tq and T4 margin calculation**, is added as follows:

#### 3.2.3 <u>Corrected</u> Tq and T4 margin calculation

- Apply to the Tq (TRQ MARGIN) given by the VEMD, a correction factor (Hp, Tq) as given in the table below:

Hp (ft)	0	1000	2000 3	000 4000		≥ 5000
Tq (%)	+ 1.7	+ 1.3	+ 1	+ 0.7	+ 0.4	0

- <u>Corrected</u> Tq margin = Tq margin + correction factor.
- Apply to the T4 (T4 MARGIN) given by the VEMD, a correction of  $-20^{\circ}$ C:
  - <u>Corrected</u> T4 margin = T4 margin 20°C.

#### Example of VEMD results:

	ENGINE POWER CHECK RESULT						
	NG 98.7 % T4 782 °C	NF 411 RPM Zp 1000 Ft					
MV.EC120.0140.01	TRQ 97.0 % T4 MARGIN + 5 °C BAD EXIT -> PF	OAT + 20.0 °C TRQ MARGIN +1.0 % GOOD RESS RESET					

- Corrected Tq margin calculation:
  - Enter (Hp, Tq) table, find:

Hp = 1000 ft gives a correction factor of + 1.3 %

• <u>Corrected</u> Tq margin = Tq margin + correction factor.

- Corrected T4 margin calculation:
  - <u>Corrected</u> T4 margin = T4 margin 20°C.

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## **4 AIR DATA SYSTEM CALIBRATION**



Figure 4

### **5 HEIGHT - VELOCITY DIAGRAM**

The avoidance zone is defined by four points: A, B, C, D (refer to Figure 5)

- Point A: low hover point

Point A is at 6 ft (1.80 m) skid height at zero airspeed.

- Point B:

Point B is defined by:

- A variable height (18 ft ≤ height ≤ 24 ft) depending on the pressure altitude, OAT and on the aircraft weight as determined by line (C).
- A variable airspeed (50 kt ≤ IAS ≤ 60 kt) depending on the pressure altitude, OAT and on the aircraft weight as determined by line (C).
- Point C:

Point C is defined by:

- A constant height of 50 ft (15 m).
- A variable airspeed (50 kt ≤ IAS ≤ 60 kt) depending on the pressure altitude, OAT and on the aircraft weight as determined by line (C).
- Point D:

Point D is defined by:

- A variable height (500 ft ≤ height ≤ 800 ft) depending on the pressure altitude, OAT and on the aircraft weight as determined by line (D).
- A constant zero airspeed.



Figure 5

#### **6 HOVER IN GROUND EFFECT**



Figure 6

## **7 HOVER OUT OF GROUND EFFECT**



#### **8 CORRECTED WEIGHT**



Figure 8

## 9 RATE OF CLIMB



Figure 9

## **10 GLIDE DISTANCE IN AUTOROTATION**

The distance flown in autorotation is:

0.7 Nm (1300 m) per 1000 ft (300 m) at Vy and NR  $\cong$  410 rpm.

## 11 NOISE LEVEL

Noise characteristics defined by chapter 11 of the ICAO annex 16 and JAR 36 subpart E are as follows:

Measurement	Noise Level	ICAO Noise Limits	
Reference Point	SEL (dBA)	SEL (dBA)	
Overflight (at Max. gross weight)	78.7	85.4	