# Aviat Husky A-1C-180 Amphibious Floats G-ODIP Normal Checklist

#### **External Checks**

Fabric
Screws / Cowl Fasteners
Fuel Quantity / Fuel Vents
Fuel Caps (2) / Drains (3)
Oil 6 - 8 US Qts
Propeller / Spinner
Exhaust / Air Intakes
Surfaces / Controls
Floats - Check, Drain
Pitot / Static
Tyres 50 psi ±5
Brakes
Tie-Downs

#### **Internal Checks**

Hatches – Open
Harness - Ready, Unfastened
Instruments - Check, Set Alt
Controls - Full & Free
Water Rudder - Check, Set
Flaps - Check, Up
Trim - Free, Set Aft of Neutral
Circuit Breakers - Check
Fuel – On
Avionics - Off
Electrical Equipment – Off
Landing Gear:
Down (Land) - Up (Water)
Brakes - On (land) - Off (Water)

## **Starting Engine**

Mixture - Free, Rich Carb Heat - Free, Cold Propeller - Full Increase Master Switch – On Throttle - Free, 1/4 inch Open Prime if Cold 1 - 4 Strokes Propeller Area - Clear Cast Off / Board then: Starter - Operate

### **After Engine Start**

Avionics Master - On

On Water: Throttle 800 RPM
On Land: Throttle - 1000 RPM Water
Rudders - Down (Water)
Stick - Fully Back (Water)
Temp & Press - Check
Alternator Field Switch - On
Ammeter - Check
Magnetos - Check
Hatches & Harness – Secure

#### **Taxying**

**Landing Gear:** 

Down (Land) - Up (Water) Check Visually Rudder - Full Movement Instruments - Check

#### **Power Check**

Fuel - ON
Mixture - Rich
Temp & Press - Check
Stick - Fully Back (Water)
Throttle - 1900 RPM
Carb Heat - Check then Cold
Magnetos - Check,
Max drop 150 RPM
Difference 50 RPM
Ammeter - Positive Charge
Propeller - Exercise, Full Increase
Throttle Idle - 600 ±25 RPM

#### **Pre-Take Off**

Trim - Set Aft of Neutral Flight Instruments - Check Hatches & Harness - Secure Flying Controls - Full & Free

Set 800 RPM (Water)

Set 1000 RPM (Land)

#### **FCARS**

F - Flaps 30° C - Carb Heat - Cold A - Area Clear R - Water Rudder Up S - Stick Fully Back

#### **Cruise**

Fuel - Contents
Radio - Set
Engine - 2350 RPM / 23 MP
Mixture,
Carb Heat
DI - Set with Compass
Altimeter - Set

#### **Pre-Landing Check**

Mixture - Rich

Carb Heat - Hot Propeller - Full Increase Landing Gear: Up (Water) - Down (Land) Check Visually Landing Lights - On Hatches & Harness - Secure

#### **FCARS**

F - Flaps as Required
C - Carb Heat – Cold @ 300ft
A - Area Clear
R - Water Rudder Up
S - Stick

# **After Landing Check**

Flaps - Up Carb Heat - Cold **Water Rudder:** Down (Water) - Up (Land)

#### **Closing Down**

Throttle - 1000 RPM
Magnetos - Check
Temp & Press - Check
Avionics Master - Off
Electrical Equipment – Off
Mixture - ICO
Magnetos - Off
Master Switch - Off
Water Rudder - As required
Harness - Leave tidy

#### **Water to Land Transition**

Approaching Ramp: Landing Gear – Down Throttle - Idle Anticipate Front Wheels Touch: Throttle - Increase

### Approach Dock / Buoy / Shore

Carb Heat - Hot Throttle - Close Magnetos - Single selected Headset - Remove Harness - Unfasten Hatch - Open

# Aviat Husky A-1C-180 Amphibious Floats G-ODIP Emergency Check List

#### **Engine Failure During T/O**

Throttle - Idle Control Column - Fully Back Mixture - ICO Magnetos - Off Master Switch - Off

#### **Engine Failure In Flight**

Glide 65 Kts Clean
Glide 56 Kts Flaps Down
Propeller - Full Increase
Carb Heat – Hot
Fuel - On
Mixture - Rich
Magnetos - Both / Start
If engine will not start complete
FORCED LANDING

#### **FORCED LANDING (Water)**

Glide 65 Kts Clean
Glide 56 Kts Flaps Down
Plan Descent
Landing Gear - Up (4 blue light)
Mixture - ICO
Fuel - Off
Magnetos - Off
Water rudders - Up
Flaps - As required (Rec 30°)
Mayday call
Master Switch – Off
Doors - Unlatch

#### **FORCED LANDING (Land)**

Glide 65 Kts Clean
Glide 56 Kts Flaps Down
Plan Descent
Landing Gear (Terrain):
Smooth - Down (4 green light)
Rough - Up (4 blue light)
Mixture - ICO
Fuel - Off
Magnetos - Off
Water Rudders - Up
Flaps - As Required (Rec 30°)
Mayday Call
Master Switch – Off
Doors - Unlatch

#### **Engine Fire During Start**

Continue to Crank Engine If it starts:

Throttle - 1700 RPM (2 min) Mixture – ICO Throttle - Full open Obtain fre extinguisher

#### If it does not start:

Continue to crank engine for 2-3 minutes then: Mixture - ICO Throttle - Full Open Obtain fire extinguisher

When ready to extinguish fire:

Master switch - Off

#### Engine Fire on Take-Off

#### **Before Lift-Off:**

Fuel - Off

Throttle - Idle Mixture - ICO After Engine Stops: Switches - Off

#### After Lift-Off:

Throttle - Idle Complete Engine Fire Inflight and Forced Landing Land ASAP

#### **Engine Fire Inflight**

Fuel - Off
Mixture - ICO
Switches - Off
Cabin Heat - Off
Airspeed to blow out fire
Complete Forced Landing
Land ASAP

### **Electrical Fire Inflight**

Master Switch - Off All Radio / Electrical switch - Off Fire Extinguisher – Operate Land ASAP

# Landing Gear Fails to Retract or Extend

Master Switch - On Gear Switch - Correct Position Gear C/B - Made Gear Lights: 4 blue = Gear Up 4 Green = Gear Down Gear Position - Check Visually

# If Gear still in improper position:

Gear Switch – Recycle Gear Motor - Red light on Airspeed - Reduce to minimise loads on landing gear

# If Gear Motor in-op or gear still in improper position:

Gear C/B - Pull
Gear Switch - Desired Position
Emergency Valve - Desired
Position
Emergency Handpump - Pump
(120 cycles)

Gear Position Lights - Check Gear Position - Confirm visual

# DO NOT LAND ON WATER UNLESS GEAR FULLY RETRACTED

### Gear Up or Partial Extended Landing on Land only

Harness - Secure Runway - Long, Smooth, Grass Gear Switch - Up Flaps / IAS - 30° / 52 Kts Doors - Unlatch Master Switch - Off Land - Level / Min ROD Control Column - Full back Mixture - ICO Fuel - Off