Mooney M20J	
V <sub>speeds</sub>	KIAS
V <sub>X (Sea Level)</sub>	66
V <sub>X</sub> (each 5,000 ft MSL)	+1
V <sub>Y</sub> (Sea LeveL)	86
V <sub>Y (10,000 ft MSL)</sub>	80
$ m V_{FE}$	112
$\mathbf{V}_{LE}$	132
V <sub>LO (EXT)</sub>	132
V <sub>LO (RET)</sub>	107
$V_{S}$	62
V <sub>so</sub>	58
V <sub>A (2,250 lbs)</sub>	104
V <sub>A (2,470 lbs)</sub>	109
V <sub>A (2,740 lbs)</sub>	115
V <sub>A (2,900 lbs)</sub>	118
$V_{NO}$	174
$V_{NE}$	196
V <sub>glide (2,900 lbs)</sub>	93
V <sub>glide (2,740 lbs)</sub>	90
V <sub>glide (2,500 lbs)</sub>	87
V <sub>glide (2,300 lbs)</sub>	84
V <sub>Rotate</sub>	60
${ m V_{Approach}}$	90 - 100
$ m V_{final}$	75 - 80

Mooney M20J	
Arcs	KIAS
White	58 - 112
Green	62 - 174
Yellow	174 - 196
Red Line	196

Mooney M20J	
<b>Emergency Speeds</b>	KIAS
Engine Failure after Takeoff	
Flaps Up	85
Flaps Down	75
<b>Emergency Descent</b>	
Smooth - Gear Up	196
Smooth - Gear Down	132
Turbulent @ 2,900 lbs	120
Turbulent @ 2,740 lbs	115
Turbulent @ 2,470 lbs	109
Turbulent @ 2,250 lbs	104
Maneuvering Speed	
V <sub>A</sub> @ 2,900 lbs	118
V <sub>A</sub> @ 2,740 lbs	115
V <sub>A</sub> @ 2,470 lbs	109
V <sub>A</sub> @ 2,250 lbs	104
Glide Speed	
Glide @ 2,900 lbs	93
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Mooney M20J			
Other	KIAS	MP	RPM
<b>Enroute Climb</b>	100	26"	2600
Descent	100		
	132	22"	2200
Approach	90		
	100	19"	2200
Final	75	15"	Full
	80		

1.	Cockpit	
	Gear Switch	Down
	Magneto/Starter Switch	Off
	Master Switch	On

Wing Flaps Check operation

Rocker Switches Off Circuit Breakers In

Battery Voltage Check (22 - 24 Volts)
Internal/External Lights Check Operation

Fuel Gauges / Quantity Check

Pitot Heat Switch Check Annunciator

Master Switch Off

2. Right Fuselage / Tail Cone

Static Port Unobstructed Access Panels Secure Tie Down Remove

3. Empennage

Elevator and Rudder attach points Inspect Control Linkage attachments Inspect

4. Left Fuselage / Tail Cone

Fresh Air Vent (Dorsal Fin) Clear

Static Port Unobstructed Access Doors Secure

Static System Drain Valve Push up for 5 seconds

5. Left Wing

Flap and attach points

Aileron and attach points

Control Linkages

Wing Tip, Lights, and Lens

Pitot Tube

Landing / Taxi Lights

Stall Warning Vane

Inspect

Unobstructed

Unobstructed

Unobstructed

Fuel Tank Check Quantity / Secure Cap

Tie Down Remove
Tank Vent Unobstructed
Wheel Chock Remove

Left Main Gear, Shock Discs, Tires,

Doors, and Linkages Inspect

Fuel Tank Sump Drain Drain until Clear

Pitot System Drain Valve

Gascolator Drain Valve

Push up for 3 - 5 seconds
Closed, Check for drips

6. Left Cowl Area

Windshield Clean
Cabin Air Inlet Unobstructed
Engine Cowl Fasteners Secure
Cowl Flap Inspect

7. Propeller / Spinner & Front Cowl

Blades Inspect for nicks & oil leaks
Spinner Secure, Inspect for cracks

Intake Unobstructed

Nose Gear, Shock Discs, Tires,

Doors, and Linkages Inspect Wheel Chock Remove

8. Right Cowl Area

Engine Cowl Fasteners Secure

Engine Oil Level Check (6 qts min)

Exhaust Pipe Secure
Cowl Flap Inspect
Windshield Clean

Cabin Air Inlet Unobstructed

9. Right Wing

Fuel Tank Sump Drain Drain until Clear

Right Main Gear, Shock Discs, Tires,

Doors, and Linkages Inspect
Wheel Chock Remove
Tank Vent Unobstructed
Tie Down Remove
Landing / Taxi Lights Inspect

Fuel Tank Check Quantity / Secure Cap

Wing Tip, Lights, and Lens
Aileron and attach points
Flap and attach points
Control Linkages
Inspect
Inspect
Secured

11. Cockpit

Fuel Selector (Select Right)

Pull gascolator ring 5 seconds

Fuel Selector (Select Left)

Pull gascolator ring 5 seconds

Master Switch Off

## **Before Starting Check**

Preflight Inspection Completed

Seats, Seat Belts, & Shoulder Harnesses Adjusted & Secured

Magneto/Starter Switch Off Off Master Switch Alternator Field Switch Off Radio Master Switch Off Alternate Static Source Push Off **Rocker Switches** Off Directional Gyro Slaved Circuit Breakers Check **ELT** Arm Throttle Closed Propeller High RPM Mixture Idle Cutoff Cowl Flaps Open Parking Brake Set Wing Flap Switch Flaps Up

Cabin Vent As desired
Cabin Heat Off
Defrost Off

Fuel Selector Emptiest Tank

Landing Gear Switch Down

RED Emergency Gear Handle Down & Latched

Internal LightsOffPassengersBriefedMaster SwitchOnAlternator Field SwitchOn

Annunciator Lights Press to Test

# **Cold Engine Start**

Before Starting Checklist

Throttle
Propeller
Mixture

Completed

'4 open

Full Forward

Full Forward

Fuel Boost Pump On

Mixture Idle Cutoff
Propeller Area Clear

Magneto/Starter Switch Turn & Push to Start

Mixture Move slowly & smoothly to Rich

#### Flooded Engine Start

Before Starting Checklist Completed

Fuel Boost Pump Off

Throttle Full Forward
Propeller Full Forward
Mixture Idle Cutoff
Propeller Area Clear

Magneto/Starter Switch Turn & Push to Start

Mixture Move slowly & smoothly to Rich

#### **Warm Engine Start**

Before Starting Checklist Completed

Fuel Boost Pump Off

Throttle Slightly Open
Propeller Full Forward
Mixture Idle Cutoff
Propeller Area Clear

Magneto/Starter Switch Turn & Push to Start

Mixture Move slowly & smoothly to Rich

## **After Engine Start**

Throttle Set at 1000 - 1200 RPM Engine Oil Pressure Green Arc in 30 seconds

Ammeter Turn on landing light

observe negative needle movement

Internal/External Lights As desired
Engine Instruments Checked
MiniFlo Fuel Flow System Reset for Fuel Status

Tanks Topped Off Move toggle switch to **Full Fuel**Window displays **64** gallons

Press Enter

Center the toggle switch

to verify Move toggle switch to **Fuel Rem**Tanks to Tabs Hold toggle switch on **Add Fuel**Move toggle switch to **Fuel Rem**,

Hold until 50 gallons in Window

Press Enter

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Engine Start Checklist Completed Radio Master Switch On

Elevator Trim Switch On

Flight Director Control Panel - Trim
Annunciator Panel
Internal/External Lights
Rotating Beacon & Strobes
Directional Gyro
Press to Test
As desired
On
Slaved

Instruments
Normal indications
Fuel Selector
Switch to fullest tank
Cowl Flaps
Check operation, Full open

Fuel Boost Pump Off

#### Taxi

Before Taxi Checklist Completed Parking Brake Release

Brakes Check during taxi

Directional Gyro Proper indication during turns
Turn Coordinator Proper indication during turns

Flight Director Erect during turns
Throttle Minimum Power
Cowl Flaps Full Open
Propeller Full Forward

#### **Before Takeoff**

Taxi Checklist Completed Parking Brake Set

DoorClosed and LatchedFlight ControlsFree and CorrectSeat Belts & Shoulder HarnessesFastened and SecureFuel SelectorFullest Tank

Propeller High RPM
Mixture Full Forward
Throttle 1900 - 2000 RPM

Magnetos Both to L, Both to R, Both

Max Drop 175 RPM, Max Diff 50 RPM

Propeller Cycle / return High RPM 3 times

Max Diff 500 RPM

Ammeter Check positive charge indication

Annunciator Panel Check Alt Volts lights off
Check Hi / Lo Vac lights off

Throttle Close

Throttle Reset to 1000 - 1200 RPM

Trim Takeoff setting

Wing Flaps Set to Takeoff position

Avionics & Auto Pilot Check & Set

Radios Check, Set frequencies
Altimeter Set to field elevation

Set to Altitude

Transponder Set to Altitude

VORs Set
LORAN Set
Pilot's Window Closed

RED Emergency Gear Handle Down & Latched

Speed Brakes Retracted
Fuel Boost Pump On

Annunciator Lights Check proper indications

Parking Brake Release

## Takeoff (Normal)

Before Takeoff Checklist Completed

Power Full Throttle (2700 RPM)
Mixture Full Rich (Lean high elevation)
Annunciator Panel Check proper indications
Engine Instruments Check proper indications

Liftoff / climb speed 60 KIAS

Landing Gear Retract when no runway available

Wing Flaps Retract

# Cruise Climb (Above 500 ft AGL)

Fuel Boost Pump Off

Throttle 26" Hg MP Propeller 2600 RPM

Mixture Full Rich (Lean high elevation)

Cowl Flaps Full Open Airspeed 100 KIAS

Maintain these power settings and attitude until 3000 ft AGL or cruise altitude.

Manifold pressure will drop with increasing altitude at any throttle setting. Power can be restored by gradually opening the throttle.

Climb (Best Rate V<sub>Y</sub>)

Power Full Throttle and 2700 RPM
Mixture Full Rich (Lean high elevation)

Cowl Flaps Full Open

Airspeed 86 KIAS at sea level

decreasing to 80 KIAS at 10,000 ft

Climb (Best Angle V<sub>X</sub>)

Power Full Throttle and 2700 RPM Mixture Full Rich (Lean high elevation)

Cowl Flaps Full Open

Airspeed 66 KIAS at sea level

**Enroute Cruise** 

At cruise altitude Accelerate to cruise airspeed
Throttle Set MAP per Cruise Power Chart
Propeller Set RPM per Cruise Power Chart

Mixture Lean using EGT gauge

Economy Cruise 14°C (25°F) below peak

Best Power Mixture 55°C (100°F) below peak

Cowl Flaps Closed

**Increasing Power** 

Mixture Return to full rich
 Propeller increase RPM

3. Throttle increase manifold pressure

**Decreasing Power** 

1. Throttle decrease manifold pressure

2. Propeller decrease RPM

**Final Approach to Landing** 

Internal/External Lights As desired

Seat Belts & Shoulder Harnesses Fastened and Secure
Speed Brakes Extend if necessary

Wing Flaps Full down below 112 KIAS

Throttle 15" Hg MP
GUMP Check Perform
Gas Boost pump on

Switch tanks if necessary
Undercarriage Gear down below 132 KIAS

Gear down light on

Check floor visual indicator

 $\underline{\mathbf{M}}$ ixtureFull rich $\underline{\mathbf{P}}$ ropellerFull ForwardAirSpeed75 - 80 KIASTrimAs necessaryParking BrakeVerify Off

Go Around (Balked Landing)

Power Full Throttle / 2700 RPM

MixtureFull richSpeed BrakesRetractAirSpeed65 KIAS

Wing Flaps Centered after climb established
Trim Nose down to reduce control force

AirSpeed Accelerate to 76 KIAS

Landing GearRetractWing FlapsRetractCowl FlapsFull Open

AirSpeed Accelerate to 86 KIAS

**Taxi After Landing** 

Throttle 1000 - 1200 RPM

Wing Flaps Retract
Cowl Flaps Full Open
Trim Reset to Takeoff
Radios As required
Internal/External Lights As required

ShutDown

Parking Brake Set

Throttle 1000 - 1200 RPM

Radio Master Off
Internal/External Lights Off

Magneto/Starter Switch Grounding Check
Mixture Idle Cutoff

Magneto/Starter Switch Off when propeller stops

Alternator Field Switch Off Off Master Switch

**Securing Aircraft** 

Magneto/Starter Switch Off / key removed

Master Switch Verify Off Verify Off Radio Master **Electrical Switches** Verify Off

Release and install wheel chocks Parking Brake

Cover if parked outside Pitot Tube Control Wheel Secure with seat belts if parked outside

Cabin Vents Close if parked outside

**Emergency Procedures for an in flight engine failure** 

1. Establish best glide speed for flying weight.

2. Select suitable landing field. Head to field immediately.

3. Attempt to restart engine:

Fuel Selector Switch tanks. Fuel Pressure Verify in Green arc On, if required. **Boost Pump** Throttle Full Forward Propeller Full Forward Mixture Full Forward Magneto/Starter Switch Verify on both

4. If engine does not restart after initial attempt:

Mixture Idle Cutoff

Mixture Move slowly to Rich 5. Initiate distress call: Frequency 121.5 Broadcast Mayday! Location Squawk 7700. Transponder

6. Establish landing approach to selected field: **ELT** 

Fastened and Secure Seat Belts & Shoulder Harnesses

Arm

Cabin Door Unlatch Mixture Idle cutoff

Fuel selector Off

Off Magneto/Starter Switch

Speed Brakes Extend if necessary

Wing Flaps Full (33°) Landing Gear Down or Up

Depending on terrain

Approach Speed As slow as possible

Master Switch Off

> Wings level Slightly tail low

Brakes Apply heavily, if gear down

Failure of Landing Gear to Extend

Landing Attitude

Airspeed 132 KIAS or less.

Landing Gear Actuator Circuit Breaker Pull. Gear Switch Down. Manual Gear Extension MechanismLatch Forward

Lever Back

T-Handle Pull 7 - 20 times

Stop at resistance

Gear Down light Illuminated Green

Visual Gear Down Indicator Check

Manual Gear Extension Mechanism Lever to Normal Position

Latch Secured.

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Landing Gear Actuator Circuit Breaker Reset.

Failure of Landing Gear to Retract

Return to airport, Otherwise If possible

Airspeed Below 107 KIAS.

Gear Switch Up.

Press, Hold until gear retracted Gear Safety Bypass Switch

Gear Down light Extinguished Gear Unsafe Light Extinguished

Landing Gear Relays Circuit Breaker Pull