## PILOT'S OPERATING HANDBOOK

and
FAA APPROVED AIRPLANE FLIGHT MANUAL



CESSNA AIRCRAFT COMPANY

1979 MODEL 152

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This Pilot's Operating Handbook has been prepared as a guide to help you get the mospleasure and utility from your airplane. It contains information about your Cessna's equipment, operating procedures, and performance; and suggestions for its servicing and care. We urge you to read it from cover to cover, and to refer to it frequently.

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### PERFORMANCE - SPECIFICATIONS

*SPEED:	
Maximum at Sea Level	110 KNOTS
Cruise, 75% Power at 8000 Ft	
CRUISE: Recommended lean mixture with fuel allowance for	
engine start, taxi, takeoff, climb and 45 minutes	
reserve at 45% power.	
75% Power at 8000 Ft Range	350 NM
24.5 Gallons Usable Fuel Time 75% Power at 8000 Ft	3.4 HRS
	580 NM
37.5 Gallons Usable Fuel Time	5.5 HRS
Maximum Range at 10,000 Ft Range	415 NM
24.5 Gallons Usable Fuel Time	5.2 HRS
Maximum Range at 10,000 Ft Range	690 NM
37.5 Gallons Usable Fuel Time	8.7 HRS
RATE OF CLIMB AT SEA LEVEL	715 FPM
SERVICE CEILING	14,700 FT
TAKEOFF PERFORMANCE:	
Ground Roll	725 FT
Total Distance Over 50-Ft Obstacle	1340 FT
LANDING PERFORMANCE:	
Ground Roll	475 FT
Total Distance Over 50-Ft Obstacle	1200 FT
STALL SPEED (CAS):	
Flaps Up, Power Off	48 KNOTS
Flaps Down, Power Off	43 KNOTS
MAXIMUM WEIGHT:	
Ramp	1675 LBS
Takeoff or Landing	1670 LBS
STANDARD EMPTY WEIGHT:	
152	1101 LBS
152 II	1133 LBS
MAXIMUM USEFUL LOAD:	
152	574 LBS
152 II	542 LBS
BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE	120 LBS
WING LOADING: Pounds/Sq Ft	10.5
POWER LOADING: Pounds/HP	15.2
FUEL CAPACITY: Total	
Standard Tanks	26 GAL.
Long Range Tanks	39 GAL.
OIL CAPACITY	6 QTS
ENGINE: Avco Lycoming	O-235-L2C
110 BHP at 2550 RPM	
PROPELLER: Fixed Pitch, Diameter	69 IN.

<sup>\*</sup>Speed performance is shown for an airplane equipped with optional speed fairings, which increase the speeds by approximately 2 knots. There is a corresponding difference in range, while all other performance figures are unchanged when speed fairings are installed.

#### COVERAGE

The Pilot's Operating Handbook in the airplane at the time of delivery from Cessna Aircraft Company contains information applicable to the 1979 Model 152 airplane designated by the serial number and registration number shown on the Title Page of this handbook.

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