

IFR Processes

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Pre-Departure

- Pitot heat
- Instruments
- VOR check
- Nav Radios & Radials set
- Com Radio set for departure

Arrival

- 4 M's before approach
- mag compass set
- markers test & on
- Minimums memorized
- Missed approach: radios set, memorize

Enroute

- ATIS
- Review App. plate
- Set & ID Radios
- 5 T's over major fixes
- Time, turn, twist, throttle, talk

Approach

At intercept:
descent to
pub. altitude

Outbound
Prior to intercept:
Check DG
slow down
landing checklist
twist OBS to
inbound heading

IAF

5 T's inbound & outbound
Time, turn, twist, throttle, talk

MAP

Missed Approach

- Disc. Autopilot
- Climb power & PITCH UP Immediately.
- Climb at Vy

Takeoff

- Vy Climb
- ID Radios before use

- Level off +/- 100 ft
- Cruise checklist