- (v) Takeoffs, landings, and go-arounds;
- (vi) Performance maneuvers;
- (vii) Navigation;
- (viii) Emergency operations;
- (ix) Night operations, except as provided in § 61.110 of this chapter; and
 - (x) Postflight procedures.
- (4) Areas of operation for a rotorcraftgyroplane course: Areas of operation for a rotorcraft-gyroplane course are the following—
 - (i) Preflight preparation;
 - (ii) Preflight procedures;
 - (iii) Airport operations;
- (iv) Takeoffs, landings, and go-arounds;
- (v) Performance maneuvers;
- (vi) Ground reference maneuvers;
- (vii) Navigation;
- (viii) Flight at slow airspeeds;
- (ix) Emergency operations;
- (x) Night operations, except as provided in § 61.110 of this chapter; and
 - (xi) Postflight procedures.
- (5) Areas of operation for a powered-lift course:

Areas of operation for a powered-lift course are the following—

- (i) Preflight preparation;
- (ii) Preflight procedures;
- (iii) Airport and heliport operations;
- (iv) Hovering maneuvers;
- (v) Takeoffs, landings, and go-arounds;
- (vi) Performance maneuvers;
- (vii) Ground reference maneuvers;
- (viii) Navigation;
- (ix) Stalls and slow flight;
- (x) Basic instrument maneuvers;
- (xi) Emergency operations;
- (xii) Night operations, except as provided in §61.110 of this chapter; and
 - (xiii) Postflight procedures.
- (6) Areas of operations for a glidernonpowered course: Areas of operation for a glider-nonpowered course are the following—
 - (i) Preflight preparation;
 - (ii) Preflight procedures;
 - (iii) Airport and gliderport operations;
 - (iv) Launches and landings;
 - (v) Performance speeds;
 - (vi) Soaring techniques;
 - (vii) Performance maneuvers;
 - (viii) Navigation;
 - (ix) Stalls and slow flight;
 - (x) Emergency operations; and
 - (xi) Postflight procedures.
- (7) Areas of operation for a glider-powered course: Areas of operation for a glider-powered course are the following—
 - (i) Preflight preparation;
 - (ii) Preflight procedures;
 - (iii) Airport and gliderport operations;
 - (iv) Takeoffs, landings, and go-arounds;
 - (v) Performance speeds;
 - (vi) Soaring techniques;
 - (vii) Performance maneuvers;
 - (viii) Navigation;
 - (ix) Stalls and slow flight;
 - (x) Emergency operations; and
 - (xi) Postflight procedures.
- (8) Areas of operation for a lighter than airairship course: Areas of operation for a lighter than air-airship course are the following—
 - (i) Preflight preparation;
 - (ii) Preflight procedures;

- (iii) Airport operations;
- (iv) Takeoffs, landings, and go-arounds;
- (v) Performance maneuvers;
- (vi) Ground reference maneuvers;
- (vii) Navigation;
- (viii) Emergency operations; and
- (ix) Postflight procedures.
- (9) Areas of operation for a lighter than airballoon course: Areas of operation for a lighter than air category-balloon course are the following—
 - (i) Preflight preparation;
 - (ii) Preflight procedures;
 - (iii) Balloonport operations;
 - (iv) Lift-offs and landings;
 - (v) Performance maneuvers;
 - (vi) Navigation;
 - (vii) Emergency operations; and
 - (viii) Postflight procedures.
- 5. Supervised pilot-in-command practice. Each approved course must include the following supervised pilot-in-command practice on the areas of operation listed in section 4.(c) of this appendix, appropriate to the aircraft category and class rating for which the course applies, and must include:
- (a) For an airplane-single engine course. At least 5 hours of supervised pilot-in-command time, on the approved areas of operation in section 4.(c)(1) of this appendix, and the training must include at least—
- (1) One supervised PIC cross-country flight of at least more than 100 nautical miles duration, landings at a minimum of three points, and one route of the flight being a straight line distance of at least 50 nautical miles between the takeoff and landing locations; and
- (2) Three takeoffs and three landings to a full stop (with each landing involving a flight in the traffic pattern) at an airport with an operating control tower.
- (b) For an airplane-multiengine course. At least 5 hours of supervised pilot-in-command time, on the approved areas of operation in section 4.(c)(2) of this appendix, and the training must include at least—
- (1) One supervised PIC cross-country flight over 100 nautical miles duration, landings at a minimum of three points, and one route of the flight being a straight line distance of at least 50 nautical miles between the takeoff and landing locations; and
- (2) Three takeoffs and three landings to a full stop (with each landing involving a flight in the traffic pattern) at an airport with an operating control tower.
- (c) For a rotorcraft-helicopter course. At least 5 hours of supervised pilot-in-command time, on the approved areas of operation in section 4.(c)(3) of this appendix, and the training must include at least—
- (1) One supervised PIC cross-country flight over 50 nautical miles duration, landings at a minimum of three points, and one route of the flight being a straight line distance of at least 25 nautical miles between the takeoff and landing locations; and
- (2) Three takeoffs and three landings to a full stop (with each landing involving a flight in the traffic pattern) at an airport with an operating control tower.
- (d) For a rotorcraft-gyroplane course. At least 5 hours of supervised pilot-in-command time, on the approved areas of operation in section 4.(c)(4) of this appendix, and the training must include at least—

- (1) One supervised PIC cross-country flight over 50 nautical miles duration, landings at a minimum of three points, and one route of the flight being a straight line distance of at least 25 nautical miles between the takeoff and landing locations; and
- (2) Three takeoffs and three landings to a full stop (with each landing involving a flight in the traffic pattern) at an airport with an operating control tower.
- (e) For a powered-lift course. At least 5 hours of supervised pilot-in-command time, on the approved areas of operation in section 4.(c)(5) of this appendix, and the training must include at least—
- (1) One supervised PIC cross-country flight over 100 nautical miles duration, landings at a minimum of three points, and one route of the flight being a straight line distance of at least 50 nautical miles between the takeoff and landing locations; and
- (2) Three takeoffs and three landings to a full stop (with each landing involving a flight in the traffic pattern) at an airport with an operating control tower.
- (f) For a glider-nonpowered course.
 (1) At least 2 flights of supervised pilot-incommand time, on the approved areas of operation in section 4.(c)(6) of this appendix; and
- (2) If the course covers ground launch procedures, the supervised pilot in command time must include at least 2 flights using a winch or auto tow on the approved areas of operation in section 4.(c)(6) of this appendix.
- (g) For a glider-powered course. At least 2 flights of supervised pilot-in-command time, on the approved areas of operation in section 4.(c)(7) of this appendix.
- (h) For a lighter than air-airship course. At least 5 hours of supervised pilot-in-command time with an authorized flight instructor, on the approved areas of operation in section 4.(c)(8) of this appendix.
- (i) For a lighter than air-balloon course. At least 2 flights of supervised pilot-in-command time, on the approved areas of operation in section 4.(c)(9) of this appendix, in the balloon for which the course applies.
- 6. Stage checks and end-of-course tests.
 (a) Each student enrolled in a private pilot course must satisfactorily accomplish the stage checks and end-of-course tests, in accordance with the school's approved training course, and must consist of the approved areas of operation of section 4 of
- class rating for which the course applies.
 (b) Each student must demonstrate
 satisfactory proficiency prior to being
 endorsed to operate an aircraft in supervised
 PIC flight.

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Appendix C—Instrument Rating Course

- 1. Applicability. This appendix prescribes the minimum curriculum for an instrument rating course and an additional instrument rating course, required under this part, for:
 - (a) Instrument-airplane single-engine.
 - (b) Instrument-airplane multiengine.
 - (c) Instrument-helicopter.
 - (d) Instrument-airship.
 - (e) Instrument-powered-lift.