

Takeoff distances calculation for a Cessna 150H field elevation 1,114' temperature 88° F at gross weight and flaps retracted.

Gross Weight	IAS 50' MPH	Head Wind	Sea Level & 59°F		At 2,500 ft & 50° F	
			Ground roll	Total to Clear 50' Obs	Ground roll	Total to Clear 50' Obs
1,600	64	0	735	1385	910	1,660

#### Notes from Manual:

Increase the distance 10% for each 35° F increase in temperature above standard for the altitude.

For operation on dry, grass runway, increase distance of (both "ground roll and total to clear 50' obstacle") by 7% of the total to clear 50' obstacle figure.

#### Performance Calculations:

Ground roll at 2,500 – ground roll at sea level then divide by 2 and add that number to the ground roll at sea level which will give you an interpolated estimate of the ground roll under standard day conditions.  
See below

$910 - 735 = 175$  then  $175/2 = 87.5$  then add  $735 + 87.5 = 822.5$

823' ground roll standard day

Then you add the factors for the notes in the Owner's Manual page 5-3 10%

$823 \times 1.1 = 905.3$  this ground roll for the above temperature and increase in altitude.

The 50' obstacle

$1660 - 1385 = 275$  then  $275/2 = 137.5 + 1385 = 1522.5$  distance to clear 50' obstacle.

$1522.5 \times 1.1 = 1,674.75'$

Then you add the factors for the notes in the Owner's Manual page 5-3 of 7%

Then the increase for the dry grass runway which add 7% of the 50' obstacle to both numbers

**$905.3 + 117 = 1,022.5'$  ground roll**

**$1,675 + 117 = 1,792'$  to clear the 50' obstacle**

— TAKE-OFF DISTANCE —										
FLAPS RETRACTED      HARD SURFACE RUNWAY										
GROSS WT. LBS.	IAS 50 FT. MPH	HEAD WIND KNOTS	AT SEA LEVEL & 59° F.		AT 2500 FT. & 50° F.		AT 5000 FT. & 41° F.		AT 7500 FT. & 32° F.	
			GROUND RUN	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT. OBS	GROUND RUN	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT. OBS	GROUND RUN	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT. OBS	GROUND RUN	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT. OBS
1600	64	0 10 20	735 500 305	1385 1035 730	910 630 395	1660 1250 890	1115 780 505	1985 1510 1090	1360 970 640	2440 1875 1375

NOTES: 1. Increase the distances 10% for each 35°F. increase in temperature above standard for the particular altitude.  
2. For operation on a dry, grass runway, increase distances (both "ground run" and "total to clear 50 ft. obstacle") by 7% of the "total to clear 50 ft. obstacle" figure.

— MAXIMUM RATE-OF-CLIMB DATA —										
GROSS WEIGHT LBS.	AT SEA LEVEL & 59° F.			AT 5000 FT. & 41° F.			AT 10000 FT. & 23° F.			
	IAS, MPH	RATE OF CLIMB FT./MIN.	FUEL USED, GAL.	IAS, MPH	RATE OF CLIMB FT./MIN.	FUEL USED FROM S.L., GAL.	IAS, MPH	RATE OF CLIMB FT./MIN.	FUEL USED FROM S.L., GAL.	
1600	73	670	0.6	69	440	1.6	65	220	3.0	

NOTES: 1. Flaps retracted, full throttle, mixture leaned to smooth operation above 5000 ft.  
2. Fuel used includes warm-up and take-off allowances.  
3. For hot weather, decrease rate of climb 15 ft./min. for each 10°F above standard day temperature for particular altitude.

— LANDING DISTANCE —										
FLAPS LOWERED TO 40° - POWER OFF HARD SURFACE RUNWAY - ZERO WIND										
GROSS WEIGHT LBS.	APPROACH SPEED, IAS, MPH	AT SEA LEVEL & 59° F.		AT 2500 FT. & 50° F.		AT 5000 FT. & 41° F.		AT 7500 FT. & 32° F.		
		GROUND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT. OBS	GROUND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT. OBS	GROUND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT. OBS	GROUND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT. OBS	
1600	58	445	1075	470	1135	495	1195	520	1255	

NOTES: 1. Decrease the distances shown by 10% for each 4 knots of headwind.  
2. Increase the distance by 10% for each 60°F. temperature increase above standard.  
3. For operation on a dry, grassy runway, increase distances (both "ground roll" and "total to clear 50 ft. obstacle") by 20% of the "total to clear 50 ft. obstacle" figure.

Figure 5-3.

- (2) Mixture -- Rich.
- (3) Primer -- As required.
- (4) Ignition Switch -- "BOTH."
- (5) Throttle -- Open 1/4".
- (6) Propeller Area -- Clear.
- (7) Starter Handle -- Pull.

## **BEFORE TAKE-OFF.**

- (1) Throttle Setting -- 1700 RPM.
- (2) Engine Instruments -- Within green arc.
- (3) Magnetos -- Check (75 RPM maximum differential between magnetos)
- (4) Carburetor Heat -- Check operation.
- (5) Suction Gage -- Check (4.6 to 5.4 inches of mercury).
- (6) Flight Controls -- Check.
- (7) Trim Tab -- "TAKE-OFF" setting.
- (8) Cabin Doors -- Latched.
- (9) Flight Instruments and Radios -- Set.
- (10) Optional Wing Leveler -- "OFF."

## **TAKE-OFF.**

### **NORMAL TAKE-OFF.**

- (1) Wing Flaps -- Up.
- (2) Carburetor Heat -- Cold.
- (3) Throttle - Full "OPEN."
- (4) Elevator Control -- Lift nose wheel at 50 MPH.
- (5) Climb Speed -- 73 MPH until all obstacles are cleared, then set up climb speed as shown in "NORMAL CLIMB" paragraph.

### **MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE TAKE-OFF.**

- (1) Wing Flaps - Up.
- (2) Carburetor Heat -- Cold.
- (3) Brakes -- Hold.
- (4) Throttle -- Full "OPEN."
- (5) Brakes -- Release.
- (6) Elevator Control -- Slightly tail low.
- (7) Climb Speed -- 57 MPH (with obstacles ahead).

## **CLIMB.**

### **NORMAL CLIMB.**

- (1) Air Speed -- 75 to 80 MPH.