Preface

FOR SIMULATION USE ONLY - DESIGNED FOR SINGLE-PILOT OPERATIONS

This guide is designed to help provide a straightforward set of instructions to aid in operating the Grumman G-21A Goose. It has been produced using multiple real-world G-21A Operator manuals from various dates, with modifications to various procedures to make them more manageable in-game.

PHOTOSENSITIVE SEIZURE WARNING

A very small percentage of people may experience a seizure when exposed to certain visual images, including flashing lights or patterns that may appear in video games. Even people who have no history of seizures or epilepsy may have an undiagnosed condition that can cause these “photosensitive epileptic seizures” while playing video games.

Immediately stop playing and consult a doctor if you experience any symptoms.

These seizures may have a variety of symptoms, including light-headedness, altered vision, eye or face twitching, jerking, or shaking of arms or legs, disorientation, confusion, or momentary loss of awareness. Seizures may also cause loss of consciousness or convulsions that can lead to injury from falling down or striking nearby objects.

Parents should watch for or ask their children about the above symptoms. Children and teenagers are more likely than adults to experience these seizures.

You may reduce risk of photosensitive epileptic seizures by taking the following precautions:

• Play in a well-lit room.
• Do not play if you are drowsy or fatigued.

If you or any of your relatives have a history of seizures or epilepsy, consult a doctor before playing video games.
Aircraft Selection and Liveries

To fly the Grumman G-21A Goose, you need to select it from the Aircraft Selection menu. Click on World Map from the Main Menu and click the Aircraft selection icon in the top left.

Scroll until you see the G-21A Goose or type in the search bar “Goose” or “G-21A” and the aircraft will show.
Cockpit Interaction

Some switches, levers and knobs within the cockpit have interaction where you can push, pull, or scroll them for certain functions.

On the PC, left click the knob and push the mouse for "push" interaction and pull the mouse for "pull" interaction whilst holding the mouse button down. Some functions also may have middle-mouse button "scroll" or right-mouse click "set" functions.

On the Xbox, press A to interact with the knob and use A to "push", X to "pull", Right Stick to "scroll" and B to finish the interaction.
Checklists

Whilst this guide offers comprehensive details along with the Quick Reference Card (QRC), there are handy procedure checklists built within the simulator which can be found from the top-of-screen drop down menu and selecting the Checklist option.

Clicking the blue eye icon to the right of the checklist item will switch your view to the correct panel where the button/switch/dial/gauge is located. You can use the TICK ITEM option to tick off the item from the checklist as handy reference.

Important Notes and Substitutions

The aircraft has a high centre of gravity (COG) and therefore is not designed to be taxied at high speed as it could tip over. Taxiing should be carried out at low speed.

Some features of the aircraft, such as the old-style radio navigation are not functional due to those systems not existing in real world anymore or some functions have been removed for gameplay purposes.

Any gauge, switch, dial or lever that is not animated should be considered as Inoperative [INOP].
Grumman G-21A Goose Specifications

Cruise Speed: 145 MPH
Max Altitude: 24,000 Ft
Max Weight: 8000 Lb
Range: 800 Miles
Fuel Capacity: 220 Gal
Length: 38 Ft
Wingspan: 49 Ft
Cockpit Layout

Main Panel

1. Main Instruments
2. Switch Panel
3. Tail Lock Lever

4. Parking Brake
Overhead Panel

1. Throttle and Mixture Levers
2. Propeller and Carb Heat Levers
3. Flaps Lever
4. Pressure and Temperature Gauges
5. Magnetos and Starter Switches
6. Manifold and RPM Gauges
Fuel Panel and Landing Gear Lever (rear wall of cockpit)

1. Right Tank Fuel Quantity Indicator
2. Left Tank Fuel Quantity Indicator
3. Fuel Valves and Wobble Fuel Pump
4. Fuel Tank Selector
5. Cockpit/Cabin Door Handle
6. Landing Gear Lever
Rear Passenger Cabin

1. Rear Cabin Light Switch
2. Front Cabin Light Switch
1. Main Cabin Door Handle
2. Emergency Cabin Door Handle
**Pre-Start**

- Battery: ON
- Generator: ON
- Push Volt Button to check: 10-30 VOLTS
- Fuel Valves: Open
- Prop levers: Fully Forward
- Carb Heat Levers: As Required
- Mixture Levers: Fully Forward (Rich)
- Throttles: Closed
- Mixture/Choke: Fully Out
- Engine Start Button: Press
- Wobble Fuel Pump: Look for > 5 PSI
- Engine Gauges: Check within limits

**Right Engine Start**

- Beacon Light: ON
- Right Magneto: BOTH
- Engine Start Button: Press
- Throttle: Open ½ inch
- Monitor RPM and Manifold Pressure: For Good Start

**Left Engine Start**

- Left Magneto: BOTH
- Engine Start Button: Press
- Mixture/Choke: Fully Out
- Throttle: Open ½ inch
- Monitor RPM and Manifold Pressure: For Good Start

**Normal Taxi, Take Off & Climb (Water and Land)**

- Flight Controls: Free and Correct Movement
- NAV Light: ON
- Parking Brake: Release

**Initiate Taxi, Start, Takeoff & Climb**

- Throttle: Moderate Increase Until Full for Takeoff
- Stick: Hold Slightly Back
- Rudder: Hold Slightly Left
- Flaps: Fully Up
- Tail Wheel Lock: On

**Descent and Approach**

- Prop levers: Fully Forward
- Descent Speed: 80-100 MPH
- Flaps Stage 1: Below 100 MPH
- Tail Wheel Lock: On

**Water Landing & Taxi**

- Tail Wheel Lock: OFF
- Gear: UP
- Stick Maintain Back Pressure: ½ Inch
- Maintaining Descent and Touch Down Speed: 70-80 MPH
- Flaps Fully Down: Not Above 200ft AGL
- At Touch Down: Throttle IDLE
- Flaps Fully Up: As soon as possible whilst on the water
- Stick Slowly Back: As Speed Decreases
- Steering: With Rudder and Differential Throttle as Required

**Final Taxi, Start, Takeoff & Climb (Water and Land)**

- Throttle: Advance
- Taxi: Slowly
- Stick: Hold Slightly Back
- Rudder: Hold Slightly Left
- Gear: UP as appropriate

**Cruise**

- RPM: 27 Inches
- Engine Gauges: Check within limits

**Goose G-21A Quick Reference Card**
**Water Transition at Shoreline**

Upon Reaching Shore and Traversing to Land.........................................................Gear DOWN
Throttle .................................................................................................................Advance Slowly
Taxi .........................................................................................................................As Normal

**Hard/Soft Surface Landing & Taxi (non-water)**

Straight in Approach to the Runway................................................................. Carry Out
Maintain Speed in Downwind Leg ................................................................. 80-100 MPH
Tail Wheel Lock ................................................................................................. As Required
Gear .........................................................................................................................DOWN
Flaps Fully Down .......................................................................................... Not Above 200ft AGL
Maintain Descent and Touch Down Speed....................................................... 70-80 MPH
At Touch Down............................................................................................... Throttle IDLE
Stick Slowly Back ............................................................................................ As Speed Decreases
Toe Brakes ....................................................................................................... Gently Apply as Required
Flaps .........................................................................................................................UP
Steering .................................................. With Rudder and Differential Throttle as Required
Taxi .........................................................................................................................As Normal
NAV Lights ...........................................................................................................OFF
Parking Brake .....................................................................................................ON

**After Landing & Shutdown**

Fuel Valves ...........................................................................................................OFF
Fuel Pressure...................................................................................................... Monitor at Zero
Throttles............................................................................................................... Closed
Magnetos (Both) ..................................................................................................OFF
Generator ............................................................................................................ OFF
Battery ..................................................................................................................OFF