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Logging of Flight Time



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1 Logging of Flight Time Ch. 1 ISS 1 / REV 0 / 01.10.2018

A pilot shall keep a reliable record of the details of all flights flown in a form and manner established by the competent authority. All hours flown shall be logged according to the provisions laid down in AMC1 FCL.050.

For flight instruction according to Swiss national law, as logging of flight time is concerned, EASA regulations apply.

Hours flown in an operation according to Regulation (EU) No 965/2012 that require a second pilot in a defined function (such as training captain or HESLO instructor) may be logged as PIC when occupying either pilot seat.

The following table intends to clarify the logging of flight time:

Type of Instruction / Check	Pilot may log as	TC / Instructor / Examiner may log as
MOU / HDF	Dual	PIC & Instructor
HESLO	PIC	PIC
LIFUS	PIC or COPI	PIC
OPC	PIC or COPI	PIC & Instructor
LC	PIC or COPI	PIC

2 Logbook Single Engine/VFR pilots

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The AeCS (Aeroclub of Switzerland) reissued a simple logbook without the column 5, Part IFR in column 9, Part Copilot and Instructor in column 10. This logbook is strictly limited to SE/VFR pilots. An AltMoC for the AeCS is published with the EASA reference 2019-00009.

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