

MFC0007 Short Fields-BC Interior (BT67, C47, DC3)

Every student who has spent more than 20 hours flying an airplane has received some instruction in short- and soft-field landings. It's part of the private pilot tradition, as well as a required training subject. Of course, few instructors—and even fewer of their students—have ever actually landed on a runway either shorter than 1,500 feet, or with six inches of snow, mud, or water standing on it.

The soft/short-field thing is a training exercise that's fun to do—and it will pay off if the skills are ever needed in a real-life situation. The difference between practice and real in the short/soft-field game is that in the real world there is something at stake other than the disappointment of rolling past a specific runway light, or not turning off before passing a designated intersection.

When it's actually a short or soft field, the ante is pretty high—you're putting your airplane and maybe your neck on the line. For that reason, we're going to develop some guidelines that can be used to get you in and out with a minimum of hassle and risk. They'll work in the sort-of-short/soft-field situations that we're likely to see.

This trip takes us into the Alaskan Interior: landing and taking off from some of the shorter fields up here. Note Some airports are defaults but others are RTMM fields so you will require the RTMM scenery to be able to see these strips.

A few of these strips are a real challenge especially in the designated aircraft for this excursion: The Basler BT67, Douglas DC-3 or the Douglas C-47 Skytrain.

Low and slow for scenic viewing still applies but some of the landings are extremely difficult in this aircraft. Find the ideal approach to be able to safely land.

A tour download for this excursion is available in the Tour downloads section which contains the all the tour details, sky vector map links as well as the award for completion. Make sure you obtain the tour download for all of the tour specifics.



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Leg:	Departure Airport Name/ ICAO	Destination Airport Name/ ICAO	Airline	Flight #:	Aircraft	Distance:
	All are Land Moorings	All are Land Moorings		For Tour Leg use the Tour Center generated Flight#. If single leg use flight # as listed below:		
1	Misty's (PF20)	Klawock (PAKW)	MFC	T00071-6A0	C-47	55.9652
2	Klawock (PAKW)	Annette Island (PANT)	MFC	T00072-6A0	C-47	69.9447
3	Annette Island (PANT)	Masset (CZMT)	MFC	T00073-6A0	C-47	73.631
4	Masset (CZMT)	Sewell Airstrip (PF24)	MFC	T00074-6A0	C-47	39.6621
5	Sewell Airstrip (PF24)	Sandspit (CYZP)	MFC	T00075-6A0	C-47	20.3935
6	Sandspit (CYZP)	Masset (CZMT)	MFC	T00076-6A0	C-47	54.9822
7	Masset (CZMT)	Prince Rupert (CYPR)	MFC	T00077-6A0	C-47	70.357
8	Prince Rupert (CYPR)	Terrace (CYXT)	MFC	T00078-6A0	C-47	76.3459

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9	Terrace (CYXT)	Khutze River (PF17)	MFC	T00079-6A0	C-47	68.0 nm
10	Khutze River (PF17)	Kimsquit River Logging Camp (P32B)	MFC	T00080-6A0	C-47	64.5 nm
11	Kimsquit River Logging Camp (P32B)	Bella Coola (CYBD)	MFC	T00081-6A0	C-47	40.0 nm
12	Bella Coola (CYBD)	Kwatna River Airstrip (KR01)	MFC	T00082-6A0	C-47	36.5 nm
13	Kwatna River Airstrip (KR01)	Anahim Lake (CAJ4)	MFC	T00083-6A0	C-47	88.6 nm
14	Anahim Lake (CAJ4)	Puntzi Mountain (CYPY)	MFC	T00084-6A0	C-47	54.3 nm
15	Puntzi Mountain (CYPY)	Quesnel (CYQZ)	MFC	T00085-6A0	C-47	93.3 nm
16	Quesnel (CYQZ)	Prince George (CYXS)	MFC	T00086-6A0	C-47	60.1 nm
17	Prince George (CYXS)	Fraser Lake (CBZ9)	MFC	T00087-6A0	C-47	85.4 nm
18	Fraser Lake (CBZ9)	Moose Lake Lodge Airstrip (CAS2)	MFC	T00088-6A0	C-47	70.1 nm
19	Moose Lake Lodge Airstrip (CAS2)	Burns Lake (CYPZ)	MFC	T00089-6A0	C-47	92.8 nm
20	Burns Lake (CYPZ)	Fort St. James (Perison) Airport (CYJM)	MFC	T00090-6A0	C-47	62.2 nm
Total Miles: 1128.3 nm						

We hope that you enjoy flying this short fields excursion into the BC Interior.

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