

Instrument Rating (IFR) – Group 3

Requirements

- Valid PPL or CPL
- Valid, appropriate Medical Certificate
- Completed WWFC Customer Application
- Completed WWFC Rules & Regulations Package

Knowledge

An applicant for a Group 3 Instrument Rating must have obtained a minimum of 70% on the written examination for Instrument Rating (INRAT). Ground school is not required, but is highly recommended. The study and reference guide is available at: <http://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/civilaviation/publications/tp691-menu-5051.htm>

Experience

An applicant shall have completed a minimum of:

- 50 hours of cross-country flight time as pilot-in-command in aeroplanes
- 40 hours instrument time of which a maximum of 20 hours may be instrument ground time, including one dual cross-country flight under simulated or actual IMC conditions to a point a minimum of 100 nautical miles radius from the point of departure. The flight is to be conducted in accordance with an IFR flight plan and must include, at 2 different locations, an instrument approach to minima.

Skill

An applicant shall successfully complete a flight test to the standard outlined in the Flight Test Standard – Instrument Rating (TP9939E): <http://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/civilaviation/publications/tp9939-menu-965.htm>

Privileges

The holder of a Group 3 Instrument Rating may operate single-engine aeroplanes in IMC in accordance with Instrument Flight Rules.

Group 3 IFR – Approximate Cost

WWFC Client Access Fee	\$150 annually	\$150
20 hours Dual Arrow	\$288 per hour	\$5,760
20 hours Dual Simulator (ALSIM)	\$203 per hour	\$4,060
10 hours Ground Briefing	\$78 per hour	\$780
Ground School (Recommended)		\$479
Books & Reference Material		\$100
TC Exam Fee, PE Fee, TC Licence Fee		\$570
	Sub-Total	\$11,899
	HST	\$1,547
	Total	\$13,446

Program costs may vary depending on student's performance, frequency of flights, and substitution of aircraft. Credits may be available to applicants with previous foreign or military experience. Please speak with your instructor if you believe you may qualify.