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Test laboratory for paragliders, paraglider harnesses and paraglider reserve parachutes



Flight test report: EN 926-2:2013 & LTF 91/09

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Manufacturer Niviuk Gliders / Air Games S.L.		Certification number	F	PG_1569.2019	
Address C. Del Ter, 6 Nave D 17165 La Cellera de Ter Girona Spain		Flight test	04.09.2019		
Glider model Skin3 P 18		Classification	В		
Serial number	OIKT188V121	Representative	N	None	
	no	Place of test		Villeneuve	
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Test pilot		Philippe Dupont	A	Alain Zoller	
Harness		Supair - Altiplume S	S	Supair - Altiplume M	
Harness to risers distance (cm)		44	4	44	
Distance between risers (cm)		40	Δ	44	
Total weight in flight (kg)		70	-	90	
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1. Inflation/Take-off		A			
Rising behaviour		Smooth, easy and constant rising	Α	Smooth, easy and constant rising	Α
Special take off technique required		No	Α	No	Α
2. Landing		A			
Special landing technique required		No	Α	No	Α
3. Speed in straight flight		В			
Trim speed more than 30 km/h		Yes	Α	Yes	Α
Speed range using the controls larger than 10 km/h		Yes	Α	Yes	Α
Minimum speed		Less than 25 km/h	Α	25 km/h to 30 km/h	В
4. Control movement		Α			
Max. weight in flight up to	80 kg				
Symmetric control pressure / travel		Increasing / greater than 55 cm	Α	not available	0
Max. weight in flight 80 kg to 100 kg					
Symmetric control pressure / travel		not available	0	Increasing / greater than 60 cm	Α
Max. weight in flight greater than 100 kg					
Symmetric control pressure / travel		not available	0	not available	0
	5. Pitch stability exiting accelerated flight				
Dive forward angle on exit		not available	0	not available	0
Collapse occurs		not available	0	not available	0
flight	controls during accelerated	0			
Collapse occurs		not available	0	not available	0
7. Roll stability and damping		A Doducing		Doducing	
Oscillations 9. Stability in gentle onigned		Reducing	А	Reducing	Α
8. Stability in gentle spirals Tendency to return to straight flight		A Spontaneous exit	Α	Spontaneous exit	Α
Tendency to return to straight flight 9. Behaviour exiting a fully developed spiral dive		A		Oponianious GAIL	
Initial response of glider (first 180°)		Immediate reduction of rate of turn	Α	Immediate reduction of rate of turn	Α
Tendency to return to straight flight		Spontaneous exit (g force decreasing, rate of turn decreasing)	A	Spontaneous exit (g force decreasing, rate of turn decreasing)	A
Turn angle to recover normal flight		Less than 720°, spontaneous recovery	Α	Less than 720°, spontaneous recovery	Α
10. Symmetric front collaps	se	A			

Entry	Rocking back less than 45°	Α	Rocking back less than 45°	Α
Recovery	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	Α	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	Α
Dive forward angle on exit Change of course	Dive forward 0° to 30° Keeping course	Α	Dive forward 0° to 30° Keeping course	Α
Cascade occurs	No	Α	No	Α
Folding lines used	No		No	
At least 50% chord				
Entry	Rocking back less than 45°	Α	Rocking back less than 45°	Α
Recovery	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	Α	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	Α
Dive forward angle on exit / Change of course	Dive forward 0° to 30° / Keeping course	Α	Dive forward 0° to 30° / Keeping course	Α
Cascade occurs	No	Α	No	Α
Folding lines used	No		No	
With accelerator				
Entry	not available	0	not available	0
Recovery	not available	0	not available	0
•		0	not available	0
Dive forward angle on exit / Change of course	not available			
Cascade occurs	not available	0	not available	0
Folding lines used	Not available		Not available	
11. Exiting deep stall (parachutal stall)	В		V	
Deep stall achieved	Yes	A	Yes	A
Recovery	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	Α -	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	Α
Dive forward angle on exit	Dive forward 30° to 60°	В	Dive forward 0° to 30°	Α
Change of course	Changing course less than 45°	Α	Changing course less than 45°	Α
Cascade occurs	No	Α	No	Α
12. High angle of attack recovery	A			
Recovery	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	Α	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	Α
Cascade occurs	No	Α	No	Α
13. Recovery from a developed full stall	В			
Dive forward angle on exit	Dive forward 0° to 30°	Α	Dive forward 30° to 60°	В
Collapse	No collapse	Α	No collapse	Α
Cascade occurs (other than collapses)	No	Α	No	Α
Rocking back	Less than 45°	Α	Less than 45°	Α
Line tension	Most lines tight	Α	Most lines tight	Α
14. Asymmetric collapse	В			
Small asymmetric collapse				
Change of course until re-inflation / Maximum dive forward or roll angle	Less than 90° / Dive or roll angle 0° to 15°	Α	Less than 90° / Dive or roll angle 0° to 15°	Α
Re-inflation behaviour	Spontaneous re-inflation	Α	Spontaneous re-inflation	Α
Total change of course	Less than 360°	Α	Less than 360°	Α
Collapse on the opposite side occurs	No (or only a small number of collapsed cells with a spontaneous reinflation)	Α	No (or only a small number of collapsed cells with a spontaneous reinflation)	Α
Twist occurs	No	Α	No	Α
Cascade occurs	No	Α	No	Α
Folding lines used	No		No	
Large asymmetric collapse				
Change of course until re-inflation / Maximum dive forward or roll angle	Less than 90° / Dive or roll angle 15° to 45°	Α	90° to 180° / Dive or roll angle 15° to 45°	В
Re-inflation behaviour	Spontaneous re-inflation	Α	Spontaneous re-inflation	Α
Total change of course	Less than 360°	Α	Less than 360°	Α
Collapse on the opposite side occurs	No (or only a small number of collapsed cells with a spontaneous reinflation)	Α	No (or only a small number of collapsed cells with a spontaneous reinflation)	Α
Twist occurs	No	Α	No	Α
Cascade occurs	No	Α	No	Α
Folding lines used	No		No	
Small asymmetric collapse with fully activated accelerator				
Change of course until re-inflation / Maximum dive forward or roll angle	not available	0	not available	0

Re-inflation behaviour	not available	0	not available	0
Total change of course	not available	0	not available	0
Collapse on the opposite side occurs	not available	0	not available	0
Twist occurs	not available	0	not available	0
Cascade occurs	not available	0	not available	0
Folding lines used	Not available		Not available	
Large asymmetric collapse with fully activated accelerator				
Change of course until re-inflation / Maximum dive forward or roll angle	not available	0	not available	0
Re-inflation behaviour	not available	0	not available	0
Total change of course	not available	0	not available	0
Collapse on the opposite side occurs	not available	0	not available	0
Twist occurs	not available	0	not available	0
Cascade occurs	not available	0	not available	0
Folding lines used	Not available		Not available	
15. Directional control with a maintained asymmetric collapse	A			
Able to keep course	Yes	Α	Yes	Α
180° turn away from the collapsed side possible in 10 s	Yes	Α	Yes	Α
Amount of control range between turn and stall or spin	More than 50 % of the symmetric control travel	Α	More than 50 % of the symmetric control travel	Α
16. Trim speed spin tendency	A			
Spin occurs	No	Α	No	Α
17. Low speed spin tendency	A			
Spin occurs	No	Α	No	Α
18. Recovery from a developed spin	A	, ,		• •
Spin rotation angle after release	Stops spinning in less than 90°	Α	Stops spinning in less than 90°	Α
Cascade occurs	No	Α	No	Α
19. B-line stall	A		140	
Change of course before release	Changing course less than 45°	Α	Changing course less than 45°	Α
Behaviour before release	Remains stable with straight span	Α	Remains stable with straight span	A
Recovery	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	Α	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	A
Dive forward angle on exit	Dive forward 0° to 30°	Α	Dive forward 0° to 30°	A
Cascade occurs	No	A	No	A
		А	NO	А
20. Big ears	A Chandard tachnings	^	Chandard to sharing	^
Entry procedure	Standard technique	A	Standard technique	A
Behaviour during big ears	Stable flight	Α.	Stable flight	A
Recovery	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	Α.	Spontaneous in less than 3 s	A
Dive forward angle on exit	Dive forward 0° to 30°	Α	Dive forward 0° to 30°	Α
21. Big ears in accelerated flight	0			
Entry procedure	not available	0	not available	0
Behaviour during big ears	not available	0	not available	0
Recovery	not available	0	not available	0
Dive forward angle on exit	not available	0	not available	0
Behaviour immediately after releasing the accelerator while maintaining big ears	not available	0	not available	0
22. Alternative means of directional control	A			
180° turn achievable in 20 s	Yes	Α	Yes	Α
Stall or spin occurs	No	Α	No	Α
23. Any other flight procedure and/or configuration described in the user's manual	0			
Procedure works as described	not available	0	not available	0
Procedure suitable for novice pilots	not available	0	not available	0
Cascade occurs	not available	0	not available	0
24 Comments of test pilot				

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No speed system Big ears done by B3