

# Procedure when intercepting military aircraft appears at your left (right for helicopters)



Tune **121.5 MHz** -> follow instructions by intercepting aircraft



set transponder code **7700**, unless otherwise instructed by ATC

## INTERCEPTING aircraft signals

## INTERCEPTED aircraft responds



rocking wings  
«**follow me!**»



rocking wings and follow  
«**understood, wilco**»



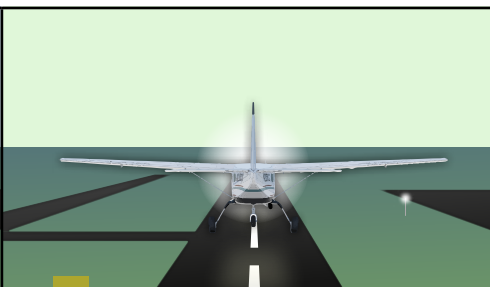
abrupt 90° break away  
«**you may proceed**»



rocking wings and proceed  
«**understood, wilco**»

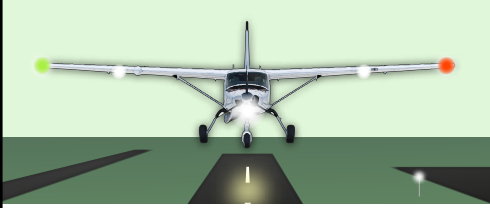
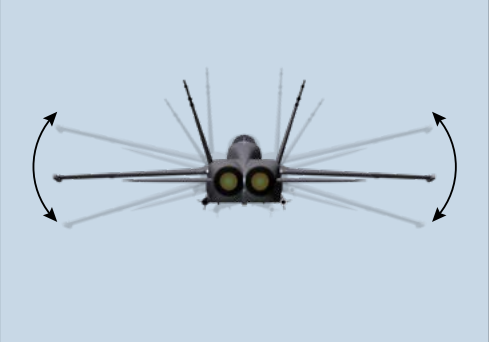
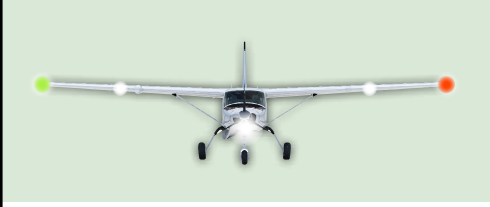


gear down  
«**land at this aerodrome**»

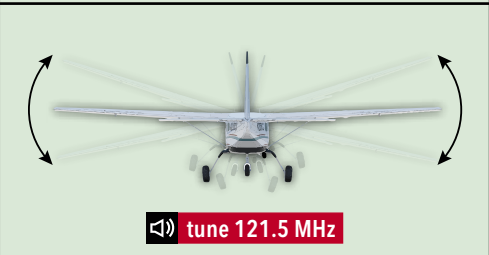


gear down, landing light on, initiate landing  
«**understood, wilco**»

## OTHER aircraft signals which may be used

| INTERCEPTED aircraft signals                                                                                                                                             | INTERCEPTING aircraft responds                                                                                                                           |
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|  <p>gear up if possible, flashing (landing) lights<br/>«<b>aerodrome inadequate</b>»</p> |  <p>rocking wings<br/>«<b>understood, follow me</b>»</p>               |
|  <p>regular flashing of all lights<br/>«<b>cannot comply</b>»</p>                        |  <p>abrupt 90° break away<br/>«<b>understood, you may proceed</b>»</p> |
|  <p>irregular flashing of all lights<br/>«<b>in distress</b>»</p>                        |                                                                                                                                                          |

## WARNING signal

| INTERCEPTING aircraft signals                                                                                                      | INTERCEPTED aircraft responds                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
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|  <p>firing flares<br/>«<b>final warning</b>»</p> |  <p> <b>tune 121.5 MHz</b></p> <p>rocking wings and follow<br/>«<b>understood, wilco</b>»</p> |

For more information refer  
to VFR Manual and Stay Safe:



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