

MOSAIC Ruling

Select resources to aid in research and understanding;

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Current FAA regulations, Advisory Circulars, et al (Dynamic Regulatory System): drs.faa.gov

MOSAIC Rule (not all-encompassing; many, many sources are available):

- Full MOSAIC NPRM as published in the Federal Register:
<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2023/07/24/2023-14425/modernization-of-special-airworthiness-certification>
- FAA site: <https://www.faa.gov/newsroom/faa-proposes-rule-enhance-safety-and-performance-light-sport-aircraft>
- Sport Pilot and Advisory Circular AC 61-146:
https://www.faa.gov/documentLibrary/media/Advisory_Circular/AC_61-146.pdf .
- EAA site (“Sport Pilot 2.0”): <https://www.eaa.org/eea/mosaic-aircraft-certificate>
- AOPA site: <https://www.aopa.org/news-and-media/all-news/2023/july/25/mosaic-proposed-rule-published>
- NAFI archived MOSAIC webinar with EAA’s Sean Elliott on 19 Mar 2025:
<https://www.mentorlive.site/program/90.html>

Select Sport Pilot Practical Test Standards (PTS) and Airmen Certification Standards (ACS)

- Sport Pilot and Sport Pilot Flight Instructor Rating (Airplane, Glider, Gyroplane; FAA-S-8081-29A): https://www.faa.gov/training_testing/testing/acs/sport_airplane_pts_29.pdf
- Sport Pilot and Sport Pilot Flight Instructor Rating (Powered-Parachute, Weight-Shift Control; FAA-S-8081-31A):
https://www.faa.gov/training_testing/testing/acs/sport_wsc_pp_pts_31.pdf
- Sport Pilot (Helicopter w/Simplified Flight Controls; FAA-S-ACS-26):
https://www.faa.gov/training_testing/testing/acs/Sport_Pilot-Helicopter_SFC_ACS.pdf
- Sport Pilot Flight Instructor (Helicopter w/Simplified Flight Controls; FAA-S-ACS-31):
https://www.faa.gov/training_testing/testing/acs/Sport_Pilot_CFI_Helicopter_SFC_ACS-31.pdf

Additional Miscellaneous Advisory Circulars (Available via DRS link shown above)

- BasicMed Advisory Circular (AC 68-1A)
- Transition to Unfamiliar Aircraft (AC 90-109A)
- Aeronautical Decision Making (ADM) (AC 60-22)
- Ultralight Vehicles and Operations (AC 103-6; AC 103-7)

Bonus: “The MOSAIC Loophole that Isn’t” by Jamie Beckett

https://generalaviationnews.com/2026/02/24/the-mosaic-loophole-that-isnt/?utm_source=HF&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=20260228#comments