

Sunday, July 3, 2010
319th Cobra flight, 329th PIC, 10 Landings
Windy Test Flight

Next weekend I am going on a recon trip to a series of airstrips near the Gila Wilderness. I may have to burn ethanol gas down there, so I took 5 gallons of E10 and mixed it with the 10 gallons that were in there for a E03 mixture. The diluted ethanol gently clean out any residual crud in the tank and fuel lines. If I have to burn E10 next week, I shouldn't have any problems.

Belen Takeoff: 10:00am Belen Landing: 11:00am
Today's Airtime 1.0 hr
Total PIC Time: 843.5 Total Logged Time: 864.7



I got a late start (it is 4th of July weekend) and didn't get into the air until 10am and the winds had picked up a little to about 10mph. I took off and stayed in the pattern for a while, then ventured over to the Rio Grande Valley hoping for calmer conditions.

I headed down the river then back over the mesa. I took a look at the rock garden and noticed a ring of rock east of the heart shaped maze. Something will appear soon.

I returned to the hangar and got ready for next weeks trip.

