Cessna Citation M2 Model Guide

The Cessna Citation M2 is Cessna's entry-level light jet, a Model 525 powered by two Williams FJ44-1AP-21 turbofans. Listings describe six-passenger executive layouts, and the Gen3 brochure lists a maximum of 8 occupants. Garmin G3000 avionics are standard. The Gen3 adds Garmin Autothrottles and Emergency Autoland.

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Two FJ44-1AP-21 engines, 1,965 lb of thrust each. The Gen3 brochure lists 404 ktas max cruise and 1,550 nm max range.
- Maximum takeoff weight is 10,700 lb. The Gen3 brochure lists 3,810 lb useful load and a 3,210 ft takeoff field length.
- Listed examples: a 2013 airplane asking $3,395,000 and a 2016 airplane asking $3,850,000. Both have engines on Williams TAP.
- Service letter SL525-28-06 (fuel low level float switch nut torque) covers serials -0800 thru -1028, -1030 and -1031. Confirm it is logged as done.

CABIN AND AVIONICS

Listings show a single side-facing seat, a 4-place club group and an aft belted lavatory. Avionics are Garmin G3000 with three 14-inch GDU 1400W displays, a GFC 700 autopilot, GWX 70 weather radar and WAAS/LPV. The Gen3 adds more co-pilot legroom, USB-A and USB-C ports, and wireless phone charging.

EXAMPLES AND RUNNING COSTS

The 2013 airplane (serial 525-0800) lists 1,377 total hours and 1,289 landings. The 2016 airplane lists 1,735 hours and 989 landings. A 2022 airplane with 84 hours is offered as make offer. The 2013 listing quotes TAP Blue at $141.29 per hour, Pro-Parts at $145.92 per hour and Pro-Tech at $236.24. The 2013 listing quotes 134 gal per hour fuel burn.

WHAT TO CHECK BEFORE BUYING

Verify engine program enrollment (Williams TAP Blue or Advantage Blue) and the airframe parts program. Check the maintenance tracking records and the dates of the 12, 36, 60, 72 and 144 month inspections. Confirm the avionics fit, such as WAAS/LPV, and that service documents are logged in the airplane logbook.

SPECIFICATIONS

Max Takeoff Weight Lbs	10700
Empty Weight Lbs	6990
Useful Load Lbs	3810
Useable Fuel Gal	492
Thrust Per Engine Lbs	1965

PERFORMANCE

Max Cruise Speed Kts	404
Max Range Nm	1550
Takeoff Field Length Ft	3210
Rate Of Climb Fpm	3698
Service Ceiling Ft	41000
Landing Distance Ft	4125
Fuel Burn Gph	134

WEIGHT & BALANCE

Max Ramp Weight Lbs	10800
Max Takeoff Weight Lbs	10700
Max Landing Weight Lbs	9900
Usable Fuel Lbs	3296
Basic Operating Weight Lbs	6801

SAFETY NOTES

- SL525-28-06: if the fuel low level float switch mounting nut is not torqued properly, fuel may leak into the main landing gear wheel well. The fix torques it to 145 to 150 inch pounds.
- SL525-28-06 is only RECOMMENDED. Do it at a scheduled inspection. It takes 2.0 labor hours and the owner advisory expired September 25, 2021.
- Brokers state they make no representation of airworthiness. Arrange your own independent pre-purchase inspection.

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