

BRITISH GLIDING ASSOCIATION

BGA CLAIM FORM FOR FAI SILVER, GOLD, AND DIAMOND BADGES AND 750KM AND 1000KM DIPLOMAS.

Please complete the form in clear block capitals using dark ink.

Data protection notice

On receipt, the BGA protects the personal data supplied in this application form in accordance with its data protection policies, notices and procedures. The details, including your rights in respect of your data held by us, are at <https://members.glidering.co.uk/library/data/>

1. APPLICANTS PERSONAL PARTICULARS

Title.....Surname.....

Forenames.....

Date of Birth.....Place of Birth.....

Postal Address.....

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Post Code.....Email Address.....

Tel No.....Mobile No.....

BGA Club.....

Date of flight..... Place of launch

Glider type Identification marksType of launch

Badge legs being claimed

Silver height [] Silver distance [] Silver/Gold duration []

Gold height [] Gold distance []

Diamond height [] Diamond goal [] Diamond distance []

750 km diploma [] UK 750 km 2 Seater diploma [] 1000 Km diploma [] UK 1000 Km 2 Seater Diploma []

2.Launch Certificate This must be completed for all claims.

I certify that the above glider launched by winch/aerotow/self launch and released at (position).....

at (local time)..... at a height of ft/meters above airfield level.

O.O or tug pilots name Signature

3.Landing Certificate This must be completed for all claims

I certify that this glider landed at (exact position).....at (local time).....

Signature..... O.O No.....

or (if not an O.O.) Name

Address.....

4.Gain of Height This must be completed for all height claims

A calibration chart must be included with all height claims using Pressure altitude. Calibration must be within 5 years preceding or 2 months following the flight. GPS altitude claims must exceed the required height gain by 100m (328ft) but will not require a calibration chart (Silver/Gold only).

I certify that I have compared flight recorder trace of this flight with a calibration chart dated..... and have determined the heights as follows:-

HIGH POINT.....(feet / metres, above calibration baseline).

PREVIOUS LOWEST POINT.....(feet / metres, above calibration baseline) GAIN IN HEIGHT.....(feet / metres)

Official observer signature..... O.O. No.....

5.Distance This must be completed for all distance and goal claims

I certify that the official distance flown, via pre-declared turning points where appropriate, and after deducting any distance penalty was

.....km.

Official observer signature..... O.O. No.....

6.Difference in Height This must be completed for all distance and goal claims

For flights up to 100km the height loss from start to finish must not exceed 1% of the distance flown. For flights of more than 100km the claimed distance will be reduced by 100 times the height loss in excess of 1000m (3280 ft). The BGA may call for a calibration chart where there is any doubt regarding the difference in height.

I certify that the start altitude was (feet / metres), the finish altitude was (feet / metres) and therefore

there is no distance penalty or the distance penalty iskm.

Official observer signature..... O.O. No.....

7.Flight recorder evidence This must be completed for all claims except observed duration flights.

I certify that I supervised the removal and downloading of (type) flight recorder serial no

The data is saved as file name and I am confident that it relates to the flight in question. The IGC file has been emailed to luke@gliding.co.uk with the pilots name and claim in the subject line.

Official observer signature..... O.O. No.....

8.Duration This must be completed for Silver/Gold duration flights.

I certify that the duration of this flight from release to landing wasas determined by flight recorder / personal observation.

Official observer signature..... O.O. No.....

9.Official Observers Certificate This must be completed for all claims to prevent careless and time wasting claims.

Accepting the separate certificates of Official observers and witnesses where appropriate, I have examined all the evidence relating to this flight and am satisfied that the flight qualifies for the award of

Official Observer signature..... O.O. No.....

Official Observer surname.....

10.Pilot's Claim This must be completed for all claims

I certify that I carried out the flight described above and that all the evidence is genuine. I request the BGA approve the claim.

Signature.....Date.....

Notes

1. A declaration is required for flights that round turnpoints. This declaration must be completed on the flight recorder before take off. Every effort should be made to ensure the pilot, glider, and turnpoint details are correct as errors may result in claims being rejected. Any anomalies with the IGC file must be explained by a certified statement from an OO.
2. Your claim should include this form, the flight recorder IGC file (if required), calibration chart (if required), your gliding certificate and the correct fee. Paper printouts of flight recorder files are not acceptable evidence.
3. Pilots who have yet to claim their Gliding Certificate and Solo Endorsement must send that application along with this claim form.
4. Claims sent by email should be addressed to luke@gliding.co.uk. The pilots name should be included in the subject line.
5. Only one flight may be recorded on each claim form.

PAYMENT (please note that the payment/credit card details are destroyed following payment)

All fees are payable in advance with the application. Current fees and details for paying by bank transfer can be found at <https://members.gliding.co.uk/fees-and-charges/>

Cheques must be payable to 'The British Gliding Association'

If paying by cheque or bank transfer, please enter the amount here £ _____

If paying by credit or debit card, please complete the following:

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