# Skydio X2 | Flight Checklist



## X2 Pre-flight

- 1. Remove X2 and battery from the case
- 2. Inspect the X2 battery
  - a. No damage to casing
  - b. No damage to pins
  - c. Free of debris
- 3. Insert the X2 Battery
  - a. Slide the battery along the track
  - b. Ensure securely held in place by magnet
- 4. Power on X2
  - a. Press and hold the power button on the battery for 3 seconds
  - b. Ensure LEDs illuminate
- 5. Unfold all 4 arms
  - a. Release the arm clamp
  - b. Unfold arm
  - c. Tighten arm clamp
  - d. Repeat 3x
- 6. Inspect the body, arms, propellers, cameras, and gimbal
  - a. No damage
  - b. Free of debris
  - c. Clean 6x navigation cameras and front-facing cameras with microfiber cloth
- 7. Place X2 on a flat and level surface to prepare for launch

## **Controller Pre-flight**

- 1. Remove the Skydio Enterprise Controller from the case
- 2. Power on the controller
  - a. Press and hold the power button for 3 seconds
    - b. Ensure LEDs illuminate
- 3. Enter device password (if applicable)

# Pairing

- 1. If already paired, X2 and Controller should auto-connect once both devices are powered on
  - a. Verify devices are connected
- 2. If not already paired, pair your X2 and Controller
  - a. Connect one end of the provided USB-C to USB-C cable to X2
  - b. Connect the other end of the cable to the USB-C charging port on the controller
  - c. Ensure pairing is successful ("USB-C Port in Use" is displayed in app)

#### Launching

- 1. Verify Return Behavior
- 2. Ensure launch area is level and free of debris and obstacles
- 3. Ensure takeoff clearance is obtained (as applicable)
- 4. Press and hold the 'Launch' button on screen or on the controller

#### Landing

- 1. Ensure landing area is flat and free of debris and obstacles
- 2. Ensure the drone is at or below 15 ft (4.6 m)
- 3. Press and hold the 'Land' button on screen or on the controller
- 4. Once the drone lands, ensure the propellers stop spinning before approaching
- 5. Power down drone
  - a. Press and hold the power button on the battery for 3 seconds; **OR**
  - b. Remove the battery from the drone

## Hand Launching

- 1. Before pressing the 'Launch' button
  - a. Ensure you have stable footing and are not on a moving platform
  - b. Ensure the wind is at your back
  - c. Point the camera away from you and with your arm fully extended, lightly grip X2 by the battery, tilting it slightly away from you
- 2. With your other hand, press and hold the 'Launch' button on screen or on the controller
- 3. Keep your hand still and slowly relax your grip as the propellers begin to spin

## Hand Landing

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- 1. Before pressing the 'Land' button
  - a. Ensure you have stable footing and are not on a moving platform
  - b. Ensure the drone is at or below 15 ft (4.6 m)
  - c. Position yourself under the drone
  - d. Ensure the drone is facing away from you
  - e. Ensure the wind is at your back
- 2. Press and hold the 'Land' button on screen or on the controller
  - Firmly grasp the X2 battery as it descends
    - a. Keep the drone still
      - b. **DO NOT** move the drone until the propellers completely stop spinning
- 4. Power down X2
  - a. Press and hold the power button on the battery for 3 seconds; OR
  - b. Remove the battery from the drone