

## **N739KS – Cessna 172**



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**AIRSPED LIMITATIONS**

Airspeed limitations and their operational significance are shown in figure 2-1. Maneuvering speeds shown apply to normal category operations. The utility category maneuvering speed is shown on the operational limitations placard.

	SPEED	KIAS	KIAS	REMARKS
V <sub>NE</sub>	Never Exceed Speed	158	160	Do not exceed this speed in any operation.
V <sub>NO</sub>	Maximum Structural Cruising Speed	126	128	Do not exceed this speed except in smooth air, and then only with caution.
V <sub>A</sub>	Maneuvering Speed: 2300 Pounds 1950 Pounds 1600 Pounds	96 88 80	97 89 80	Do not make full or abrupt control movements above this speed.
V <sub>FE</sub>	Maximum Flap Extended Speed	86	85	Do not exceed this speed with flaps down.
	Maximum Window Open Speed	158	160	Do not exceed this speed with windows open.

Figure 2-1. Airspeed Limitations

**POWER PLANT LIMITATIONS**

Engine Manufacturer: Avco Lycoming.

Engine Model Number: O-320-H2AD.

Engine Operating Limits for Takeoff and Continuous Operations:  
Maximum Power: 160 BHP.  
Maximum Engine Speed: 2700 RPM.

## NOTE

The static RPM range at full throttle (carburetor heat off and full rich mixture) is 2280 to 2400 RPM.

Maximum Oil Temperature: 118°C (245°F).  
Oil Pressure, Minimum: 25 psi.

Maximum: 100 psi.

Propeller Manufacturer: McCauley Accessory Division.

Propeller Model Number: 1C160/DTM7557.  
Propeller Diameter, Maximum: 75 inches.  
Minimum: 74 inches.

**AIRSPED INDICATOR MARKINGS**

Airspeed indicator markings and their color code significance are shown in figure 2-2.

MARKING	KIAS VALUE OR RANGE	SIGNIFICANCE
White Arc	41 - 85	Full Flap Operating Range. Lower limit is maximum weight V <sub>SO</sub> in landing configuration. Upper limit is maximum speed permissible with flaps extended.
Green Arc	47 - 128	Normal Operating Range. Lower limit is maximum weight V <sub>S</sub> at most forward C.G. with flaps retracted. Upper limit is maximum structural cruising speed.
Yellow Arc	128 - 160	Operations must be conducted with caution and only in smooth air.
Red Line	160	Maximum speed for all operations.

Figure 2-2. Airspeed Indicator Markings

## POWER PLANT INSTRUMENT MARKINGS

Power plant instrument markings and their color code significance are shown in figure 2-3.

INSTRUMENT	RED LINE	GREEN ARC	YELLOW ARC	RED LINE
	MINIMUM LIMIT	NORMAL OPERATING	CAUTION RANGE	MAXIMUM LIMIT
Tachometer	---	2200 - 2700 RPM	---	2700 RPM
Oil Temperature	---	100°-245°F	---	245°F
Oil Pressure	25 psi	60-90 psi	---	100 psi
Carburetor Air Temperature	---	---	-15° to 5°C	---

Figure 2-3. Power Plant Instrument Markings

## WEIGHT LIMITS

### NORMAL CATEGORY

Maximum Takeoff Weight: 2300 lbs.

Maximum Landing Weight: 2300 lbs.

Maximum Weight in Baggage Compartment:

Baggage Area 1 (or passenger on child's seat) - Station 82 to 108: 120 lbs. See note below.

Baggage Area 2 - Station 108 to 142: 50 lbs. See note below.

### NOTE

The maximum combined weight capacity for baggage areas 1 and 2 is 120 lbs.

## INTRODUCTION

Section 3 provides checklist and amplified procedures for coping with emergencies that may occur. Emergencies caused by airplane or engine malfunctions are extremely rare if proper preflight inspections and maintenance are practiced. Enroute weather emergencies can be minimized or eliminated by careful flight planning and good judgment when unexpected weather is encountered. However, should an emergency arise, the basic guidelines described in this section should be considered and applied as necessary to correct the problem. Emergency procedures associated with ELT and other optional systems can be found in Section 9.

## AIRSPEEDS FOR EMERGENCY OPERATION

### Engine Failure After Takeoff:

Wing Flaps Up . . . . . 65 KIAS

Wing Flaps Down . . . . . 60 KIAS

### Maneuvering Speed:

2300 Lbs . . . . . 97 KIAS

1950 Lbs . . . . . 89 KIAS

1600 Lbs . . . . . 80 KIAS

### Maximum Glide:

2300 Lbs . . . . . 65 KIAS

Precautionary Landing With Engine Power . . . . . 60 KIAS

### Landing Without Engine Power:

Wing Flaps Up . . . . . 65 KIAS

Wing Flaps Down . . . . . 60 KIAS

## OPERATIONAL CHECKLISTS

## ENGINE FAILURES

### ENGINE FAILURE DURING TAKEOFF RUN

1. Throttle -- IDLE.
2. Brakes -- APPLY.
3. Wing Flaps -- RETRACT.
4. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
5. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
6. Master Switch -- OFF.

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**ENGINE FAILURE IMMEDIATELY AFTER TAKEOFF**

1. Airspeed -- 65 KIAS (flaps UP).  
60 KIAS (flaps DOWN).
2. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
3. Fuel Selector Valve -- OFF.
4. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
5. Wing Flaps -- AS REQUIRED.
6. Master Switch -- OFF.

**ENGINE FAILURE DURING FLIGHT**

1. Airspeed -- 65 KIAS.
2. Carburetor Heat -- ON.
3. Fuel Selector Valve -- BOTH.
4. Mixture -- RICH.
5. Ignition Switch -- BOTH (or START if propeller is stopped).
6. Primer - IN and LOCKED.

**FORCED LANDINGS**

**EMERGENCY LANDING WITHOUT ENGINE POWER**

1. Airspeed -- 65 KIAS (flaps UP).  
60 KIAS (flaps DOWN).
2. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
3. Fuel Selector Valve -- OFF.
4. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
5. Wing Flaps -- AS REQUIRED (40° recommended).
6. Master Switch -- OFF.
7. Doors -- UNLATCH PRIOR TO TOUCHDOWN.
8. Touchdown -- SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW.
9. Brakes -- APPLY HEAVILY.

**PRECAUTIONARY LANDING WITH ENGINE POWER**

1. Wing Flaps -- 20°.
2. Airspeed -- 60 KIAS.
3. Selected Field -- FLY OVER, noting terrain and obstructions, then retract flaps upon reaching a safe altitude and airspeed.
4. Avionics Power Switch and Electrical Switches -- OFF.
5. Wing Flaps -- 40° (on final approach).
6. Airspeed -- 60 KIAS.
7. Master Switch -- OFF.
8. Doors -- UNLATCH PRIOR TO TOUCHDOWN.

9. Touchdown -- SLIGHTLY TAIL, LOW.
10. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
11. Brakes -- APPLY HEAVILY.

**DITCHING**

1. Radio -- TRANSMIT MAYDAY on 121.5 MHz, giving location and intentions.
2. Heavy Objects (in baggage area) -- SECURE OR JETTISON.
3. Approach -- High Winds, Heavy Seas -- INTO THE WIND.  
Light Winds, Heavy Swells -- PARALLEL TO SWELLS.
4. Wing Flaps -- 20° - 40°.
5. Power -- ESTABLISH 300 FT/MIN DESCENT AT 55 KIAS.

**NOTE**

- If no power is available, approach at 65 KIAS with flaps up or at 60 KIAS with 10° flaps.
6. Cabin Doors -- UNLATCH.
  7. Touchdown -- LEVEL ATTITUDE AT ESTABLISHED RATE OF DESCENT.
  8. Face -- CUSHION at touchdown with folded coat.
  9. Airplane -- EVACUATE through cabin doors. If necessary, open window and flood cabin to equalize pressure so doors can be opened.
  10. Life Vests and Raft -- INFLATE.

**FIRE**

**DURING START ON GROUND**

1. Cranking -- CONTINUE, to get a start which would suck the flames and accumulated fuel through the carburetor and into the engine.

If engine starts:

2. Power -- 1700 RPM for a few minutes.
3. Engine -- SHUT DOWN and inspect for damage.

If engine fails to start:

4. Throttle -- FULL OPEN.
5. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.

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6. Cranking -- CONTINUE.
7. Fire Extinguisher -- OBTAIN (have ground attendants obtain if installed).
8. Engine -- SECURE.
  - a. Master Switch -- OFF.
  - b. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
  - c. Fuel Selector Valve -- OFF.
9. Fire -- EXTINGUISH using fire extinguisher, wool blanket, or dirt.
10. Fire Damage -- INSPECT, repair damage or replace damaged components or wiring before conducting another flight.

#### ENGINE FIRE IN FLIGHT

1. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF.
2. Fuel Selector Valve -- OFF.
3. Master Switch -- OFF.
4. Cabin Heat and Air -- OFF (except overhead vents).
5. Airspeed -- 100 KIAS (If fire is not extinguished, increase glide speed to find an airspeed which will provide an incombusible mixture).
6. Forced Landing -- EXECUTE (as described in Emergency Landing Without Engine Power).

#### ELECTRICAL FIRE IN FLIGHT

1. Master Switch -- OFF.
2. Avionics Power Switch -- OFF.
3. All Other Switches (except ignition switch) -- OFF.
4. Vents/Cabin Air/Heat -- CLOSED.
5. Fire Extinguisher -- ACTIVATE (if available).

#### WARNING

After discharging an extinguisher within a closed cabin, ventilate the cabin.

If fire appears out and electrical power is necessary for continuance of flight:

6. Master Switch -- ON.
7. Circuit Breakers -- CHECK for faulty circuit, do not reset.
8. Radio Switches -- OFF.
9. Avionics Power Switch -- ON.
10. Radio/Electrical Switches -- ON one at a time, with delay after each until short circuit is localized.

6. Cranking -- CONTINUE.
7. Vents/Cabin Air/Heat -- OPEN when it is ascertained that fire is completely extinguished.

#### CABIN FIRE

8. Master Switch -- OFF.
9. Vents/Cabin Air/Heat -- CLOSED (to avoid drafts).
10. Fire Extinguisher -- ACTIVATE (if available).

#### WARNING

After discharging an extinguisher within a closed cabin, ventilate the cabin.

4. Land the airplane as soon as possible to inspect for damage.

#### WING FIRE

1. Navigation Light Switch -- OFF.
2. Pitot Heat Switch (if installed) -- OFF.
3. Strobe Light Switch (if installed) -- OFF.

#### NOTE

Perform a sideslip to keep the flames away from the fuel tank and cabin, and land as soon as possible using flaps only as required for final approach and touchdown.

#### ICING

#### INADVERTENT ICING ENCOUNTER

1. Turn pitot heat switch ON (if installed).
2. Turn back or change altitude to obtain an outside air temperature that is less conducive to icing.
3. Pull cabin heat control full out and open defroster outlet to obtain maximum windshield defroster airflow. Adjust cabin air control to get maximum defroster heat and airflow.
4. Open the throttle to increase engine speed and minimize ice build-up on propeller blades.
5. Watch for signs of carburetor air filter ice and apply carburetor

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heat as required. An unexplained loss in engine speed could be caused by carburetor ice or air intake filter ice. Lean the mixture for maximum RPM, if carburetor heat is used continuously.

6. Plan a landing at the nearest airport. With an extremely rapid ice build-up, select a suitable "off airport" landing site.
7. With an ice accumulation of 1/4 inch or more on the wing leading edges, be prepared for significantly higher stall speed.
8. Leave wing flaps retracted. With a severe ice build-up on the horizontal tail, the change in wing wake airflow direction caused by wing flap extension could result in a loss of elevator effectiveness.
9. Open left window and, if practical, scrape ice from a portion of the windshield for visibility in the landing approach.
10. Perform a landing approach using a forward slip, if necessary, for improved visibility.
11. Approach at 65 to 75 KIAS depending upon the amount of the accumulation.
12. Perform a landing in level attitude.

**STATIC SOURCE BLOCKAGE  
(Erroneous Instrument Reading Suspected)**

1. Alternate Static Source Valve -- PULL ON.
2. Airspeed -- Consult appropriate calibration tables in Section 5.

**LANDING WITH A FLAT MAIN TIRE**

1. Approach -- NORMAL.
2. Touchdown -- GOOD TIRE FIRST. hold airplane off flat tire as long as possible.

**ELECTRICAL POWER SUPPLY SYSTEM  
MALFUNCTIONS**

**OVER-VOLTAGE LIGHT ILLUMINATES**

1. Avionics Power Switch -- OFF.
2. Master Switch -- OFF (both sides).
3. Master Switch -- ON.
4. Over-Voltage Light -- OFF.
5. Avionics Power Switch -- ON.

If over-voltage light illuminates again:

6. Flight -- TERMINATE as soon as possible.

**AMMETER SHOWS DISCHARGE**

1. Alternator -- OFF.
2. Nonessential Radio/Electrical Equipment -- OFF.
3. Flight -- TERMINATE as soon as practical.

## INTRODUCTION

Section 4 provides checklist and amplified procedures for the conduct of normal operation. Normal procedures associated with optional systems can be found in Section 9.

## SPEEDS FOR NORMAL OPERATION

Unless otherwise noted, the following speeds are based on a maximum weight of 2300 pounds and may be used for any lesser weight. However, to achieve the performance specified in Section 5 for takeoff distance, the speed appropriate to the particular weight must be used.

### Takeoff, Flaps Up:

Normal Climb Out . . . . .	70-80 KIAS
Short Field Takeoff, Flaps Up, Speed at 50 Feet . . . . .	59 KIAS

### Enroute Climb, Flaps Up:

Normal, Sea Level . . . . .	75-85 KIAS
Normal, 10,000 Feet . . . . .	70-80 KIAS
Best Rate of Climb, Sea Level . . . . .	73 KIAS
Best Rate of Climb, 10,000 Feet . . . . .	68 KIAS
Best Angle of Climb, Sea Level . . . . .	59 KIAS
Best Angle of Climb, 10,000 Feet . . . . .	61 KIAS

### Landing Approach:

Normal Approach, Flaps Up . . . . .	60-70 KIAS
Normal Approach, Flaps 40° . . . . .	55-65 KIAS
Short Field Approach, Flaps 40° . . . . .	60 KIAS

### Balked Landing:

Maximum Power, Flaps 20° . . . . .	55 KIAS
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### Maximum Recommended Turbulent Air Penetration Speed:

2300 Lbs . . . . .	97 KIAS
1950 Lbs . . . . .	89 KIAS
1600 Lbs . . . . .	80 KIAS

### Maximum Demonstrated Crosswind Velocity:

Takeoff or Landing . . . . .	15 KNOTS
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## CHECKLIST PROCEDURES

### PREFLIGHT INSPECTION

#### ① CABIN

1. Control Wheel Lock -- REMOVE.
2. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
3. Avionics Power Switch -- OFF.
4. Master Switch -- ON.
5. Fuel Quantity Indicators -- CHECK QUANTITY.
6. Master Switch -- OFF.
7. Baggage Door -- CHECK, lock with key if child's seat is to be occupied.

#### ② EMPENNAGE

1. Rudder Gust Lock -- REMOVE.
2. Tail Tie-Down -- DISCONNECT.
3. Control Surfaces -- CHECK freedom of movement and security.

#### ③ RIGHT WING Trailing Edge

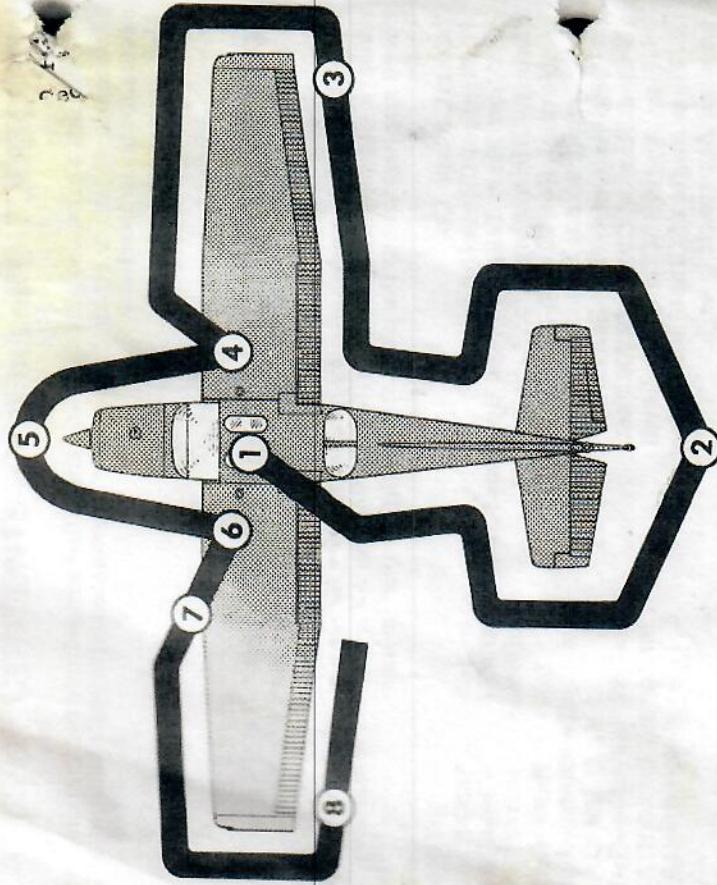
1. Aileron -- CHECK freedom of movement and security.

#### ④ RIGHT WING

1. Wing Tie-Down -- DISCONNECT.
2. Main Wheel Tire -- CHECK for proper inflation.
3. Before first flight of the day and after each refueling, use sampler cup and drain small quantity of fuel from fuel tank sump quick-drain valve to check for water, sediment, and proper fuel grade.
4. Fuel Quantity -- CHECK VISUALLY for desired level.
5. Fuel Filler Cap -- SECURE.

#### ⑤ NOSE

- 1: Engine Oil Level -- CHECK, do not operate with less than four quarts. Fill to six quarts for extended flight.
- 2: Before first flight of the day and after each refueling, pull out strainer drain knob for about four seconds to clear fuel strainer of possible water and sediment. Check strainer drain closed. If water is observed, the fuel system may contain additional water, and further draining of the system at the strainer, fuel tank sumps, and fuel selector valve drain plug will be necessary.



#### NOTE

Visually check airplane for general condition during walk-around inspection. In cold weather, remove even small accumulations of frost, ice or snow from wing, tail and control surfaces. Also, make sure that control surfaces contain no internal accumulations of ice or debris. Prior to flight, check that pitot heater (if installed) is warm to touch within 30 seconds with battery and pitot heat switches on. If a night flight is planned, check operation of all lights, and make sure a flashlight is available.

Figure 4-1. Preflight Inspection

3. Propeller and Spinner -- CHECK for nicks and security.
4. Landing Light(s) -- CHECK for condition and cleanliness.
5. Carburetor Air Filter -- CHECK for restrictions by dust or other foreign matter.
6. Nose Wheel Strut and Tire -- CHECK for proper inflation.
7. Nose Tie-Down -- DISCONNECT.
8. Static Source Opening (left side of fuselage) -- CHECK for stoppage.

**(6) LEFT WING**

1. Main Wheel Tire -- CHECK for proper inflation.
2. Before first flight of the day and after each refueling, use sampler cup and drain small quantity of fuel from fuel tank sump quick-drain valve to check for water, sediment and proper fuel grade.
3. Fuel Quantity -- CHECK VISUALLY for desired level.
4. Fuel Filler Cap -- SECURE.

**(7) LEFT WING Leading Edge**

1. Pitot Tube Cover -- REMOVE and check opening for stoppage.
2. Fuel Tank Vent Opening -- CHECK for stoppage.
3. Stall Warning Opening -- CHECK for stoppage. To check the system, place a clean handkerchief over the vent opening and apply suction; a sound from the warning horn will confirm system operation.
4. Wing Tie-Down -- DISCONNECT.

**(8) LEFT WING Trailing Edge**

1. Aileron -- CHECK for freedom of movement and security.

**BEFORE STARTING ENGINE**

1. Preflight Inspection -- COMPLETE.
2. Seats, Belts, Shoulder Harnesses -- ADJUST and LOCK.
3. Fuel Selector Valve -- BOTH.
4. Avionics Power Switch, Autopilot (if installed), Electrical Equipment -- OFF.

**CAUTION**

The avionics power switch must be OFF during engine start to prevent possible damage to avionics.

5. Brakes -- TEST and SET.
6. Circuit Breakers -- CHECK IN.

**STARTING ENGINE**

1. Mixture -- RICH.
2. Carburetor Heat -- COLD.
3. Master Switch -- ON.
4. Prime -- AS REQUIRED (2 to 6 strokes; none if engine is warm).
5. Throttle -- OPEN 1/8 INCH.
6. Propeller Area -- CLEAR.
7. Ignition Switch -- START (release when engine starts).
8. Oil Pressure -- CHECK.

**BEFORE TAKEOFF**

1. Parking Brake -- SET.
2. Cabin Doors and Window(s) -- CLOSED and LOCKED.
3. Flight Controls -- FREE and CORRECT.
4. Flight Instruments -- SET.
5. Fuel Selector Valve -- BOTH.
6. Mixture -- RICH (below 3000 feet).
7. Elevator Trim and Rudder Trim (if installed) -- TAKEOFF.
8. Throttle -- 1700 RPM.
  - a. Magnetos -- CHECK (RPM drop should not exceed 125 RPM on either magneto or 50 RPM differential between magnetos).
  - b. Carburetor Heat -- CHECK (for RPM drop).
  - c. Engine Instruments and Ammeter -- CHECK.
  - d. Suction Gage -- CHECK.
9. Avionics Power Switch -- ON.
10. Radios -- SET.
11. Autopilot (if installed) -- OFF.
12. Air Conditioner (if installed) -- OFF.
13. Flashing Beacon, Navigation Lights and/or Strobe Lights -- ON as required.
14. Throttle Friction Lock -- ADJUST.
15. Brakes -- RELEASE.

**TAKEOFF****NORMAL TAKEOFF**

1. Wing Flaps -- UP.
2. Carburetor Heat -- COLD.
3. Throttle -- FULL OPEN.
4. Elevator Control -- LIFT NOSE WHEEL (at 55 KIAS).
5. Climb Speed -- 70-80 KIAS.

**SHORT FIELD TAKEOFF**

1. Wing Flaps -- UP.
2. Carburetor Heat -- COLD.
3. Brakes -- APPLY.
4. Throttle -- FULL OPEN.
5. Mixture -- RICH (above 3000 feet, LEAN to obtain maximum RPM).
6. Brakes -- RELEASE.
7. Elevator Control -- SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW.
8. Climb Speed -- 59 KIAS (until all obstacles are cleared).

**LANDING****NORMAL LANDING**

1. Wing Flaps -- UP.
2. Airspeed -- 60-70 KIAS (flaps UP).
3. Wing Flaps -- AS DESIRED (below 85 KIAS).
4. Airspeed -- 55-65 KIAS (flaps DOWN).
5. Touchdown -- MAIN WHEELS FIRST.
6. Landing Roll -- LOWER NOSE WHEEL GENTLY.
7. Braking -- MINIMUM REQUIRED.

**ENROUTE CLIMB**

1. Airspeed -- 70-85 KIAS.

## NOTE

If a maximum performance climb is necessary, use speeds shown in the Rate Of Climb chart in Section 5.

2. Throttle -- FULL OPEN.
3. Mixture -- RICH (above 3000 feet, LEAN to obtain maximum RPM).

**CRUISE**

1. Power -- 2200-2700 RPM (no more than 75% is recommended).
2. Elevator and Rudder Trim (if installed) -- ADJUST.
3. Mixture -- LEAN.

**DESCENT**

1. Mixture -- ADJUST for smooth operation (full rich for idle power).
2. Power -- AS DESIRED.
3. Carburetor Heat -- AS REQUIRED (to prevent carburetor icing).

**BEFORE LANDING**

1. Seats, Belts, Harnesses -- SECURE.
2. Fuel Selector Valve -- BOTH.
3. Mixture -- RICH.
4. Carburetor Heat -- ON (apply full heat before closing throttle).
5. Autopilot (if installed) -- OFF.
6. Air Conditioner (if installed) -- OFF.

**AFTER LANDING**

1. Wing Flaps -- UP.
2. Carburetor Heat -- COLD.

**SECURING AIRPLANE**

1. Parking Brake -- SET.
2. Avionics Power Switch, Electrical Equipment, Autopilot (if installed) -- OFF.
3. Mixture -- IDLE CUT-OFF (pulled full out).
4. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
5. Master Switch -- OFF.
6. Control Lock -- INSTALL.

## AIRSPED CALIBRATION

### NORMAL STATIC SOURCE

## AIRSPED CALIBRATION

### ALTERNATE STATIC SOURCE

#### HEATER/VENTS AND WINDOWS CLOSED

		HEATER/VENTS AND WINDOWS CLOSED								
		FLAPS UP				FLAPS 10°				
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130
KCAS	49	55	62	70	80	89	99	108	118	128
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
FLAPS 10°		FLAPS 10°	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---
KCAS	49	55	62	71	80	85	---	---	---	---
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---
FLAPS 40°		FLAPS 40°	38	50	60	70	79	83	---	---
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---
KCAS	47	54	62	71	81	86	---	---	---	---

#### HEATER/VENTS AND WINDOWS CLOSED

		HEATER/VENTS AND WINDOWS CLOSED								
		FLAPS UP				FLAPS 10°				
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130
KCAS	49	55	62	70	80	89	99	108	118	128
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---
FLAPS 10°		FLAPS 10°	40	50	60	70	79	84	---	---
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---
KCAS	47	54	62	71	81	86	---	---	---	---
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---
FLAPS 40°		FLAPS 40°	38	49	59	69	79	84	---	---
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---
KCAS	47	54	62	71	81	86	---	---	---	---

Figure 5-1. Airspeed Calibration (Sheet 1 of 2)

#### HEATER/VENTS AND WINDOWS OPEN

		HEATER/VENTS AND WINDOWS OPEN								
		FLAPS UP				FLAPS 10°				
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---
KCAS	49	55	62	70	80	89	99	108	118	128
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---
FLAPS 10°		FLAPS 10°	40	50	60	70	79	84	---	---
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---
KCAS	47	54	62	71	81	86	---	---	---	---
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---
FLAPS 40°		FLAPS 40°	34	47	57	67	77	81	---	---
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---
KCAS	47	54	62	71	81	86	---	---	---	---

#### WINDOWS OPEN

		WINDOWS OPEN								
		FLAPS UP				FLAPS 10°				
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---
KCAS	49	55	62	70	80	89	99	108	118	128
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---
FLAPS 10°		FLAPS 10°	26	43	57	69	80	93	103	113
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---
KCAS	47	54	62	71	81	86	---	---	---	---
		NORMAL KIAS	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---
FLAPS 40°		FLAPS 40°	25	43	57	69	80	85	---	---
KIAS	40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---
KCAS	47	54	62	71	81	86	---	---	---	---

Figure 5-1. Airspeed Calibration (Sheet 2 of 2)

## STALL SPEEDS

CONDITIONS:  
Power Off

NOTES:

1. Maximum altitude loss during a stall recovery may be as much as 180 feet.
2. KIAS values are approximate.

### MOST REARWARD CENTER OF GRAVITY

WEIGHT LBS	FLAP DEFLECTION	ANGLE OF BANK							
		0°		30°		45°		60°	
		KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS
2300	UP	42	50	45	54	50	59	59	71
	10°	38	47	40	51	45	56	54	66
	40°	36	44	38	47	43	52	51	62

### MOST FORWARD CENTER OF GRAVITY

WEIGHT LBS	FLAP DEFLECTION	ANGLE OF BANK							
		0°		30°		45°		60°	
		KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS
2300	UP	47	53	51	57	56	63	66	75
	10°	44	51	47	55	52	61	62	72
	40°	41	47	44	51	49	56	58	66

Figure 5-3. Stall Speeds

# TAKEOFF DISTANCE

## MAXIMUM WEIGHT 2300 LBS

### SHORT FIELD

**CONDITIONS:**

Flaps Up  
 Full Throttle Prior to Brake Release  
 Paved, Level, Dry Runway  
 Zero Wind

**NOTES:**

1. Short field technique as specified in Section 4.
2. Prior to takeoff from fields above 3000 feet elevation, the mixture should be leaned to give maximum RPM in a full throttle, static runup.
3. Decrease distances 10% for each 9 knots headwind. For operation with tailwinds up to 10 knots, increase distances by 10% for each 2 knots.
4. For operation on a dry, grass runway, increase distances by 15% of the "ground roll" figure.

WEIGHT LBS	TAKEOFF SPEED KIAS		PRESS ALT FT	0°C		10°C		20°C		30°C		40°C	
	LIFT OFF	AT 50 FT		GRND ROLL	TOTAL 50 FT OBS								
	S.L.												
2300	52	59	S.L.	720	1300	775	1390	835	1490	895	1590	960	1700
			1000	790	1420	850	1525	915	1630	980	1745	1050	1865
			2000	865	1555	930	1670	1000	1790	1075	1915	1155	2055
			3000	950	1710	1025	1835	1100	1970	1185	2115	1270	2265
			4000	1045	1880	1125	2025	1210	2175	1300	2335	1400	2510
			5000	1150	2075	1240	2240	1335	2410	1435	2595	1540	2795
			6000	1265	2305	1365	2485	1475	2680	1585	2895	1705	3125
			7000	1400	2565	1510	2770	1630	3000	1755	3245	1890	3515
			8000	1550	2870	1675	3110	1805	3375	1945	3670	2095	3990

Figure 5-4. Takeoff Distance (Sheet 1 of 2)

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# TAKEOFF DISTANCE

## 2100 LBS AND 1900 LBS

### SHORT FIELD

REFER TO SHEET 1 FOR APPROPRIATE CONDITIONS AND NOTES.

WEIGHT LBS	TAKEOFF SPEED KIAS		PRESS ALT FT	0°C		10°C		20°C		30°C		40°C	
	LIFT OFF	AT 50 FT		GRND ROLL	TOTAL 50 FT OBS								
	S.L.												
2100	50	56	S.L.	585	1070	630	1140	680	1220	725	1300	780	1390
			1000	640	1165	690	1245	740	1330	795	1420	850	1520
			2000	700	1270	755	1360	810	1455	870	1555	935	1665
			3000	770	1390	830	1490	890	1595	955	1710	1025	1830
			4000	845	1525	910	1640	980	1755	1050	1880	1130	2015
			5000	930	1680	1000	1805	1075	1935	1155	2075	1240	2230
			6000	1025	1850	1100	1990	1185	2140	1275	2300	1370	2475
			7000	1130	2050	1215	2210	1310	2380	1410	2560	1515	2755
			8000	1245	2275	1345	2460	1450	2655	1560	2865	1680	3090
1900	47	54	S.L.	470	865	505	920	540	985	580	1045	620	1115
			1000	515	940	550	1005	590	1070	635	1140	680	1215
			2000	560	1025	605	1095	645	1170	695	1245	745	1330
			3000	615	1115	660	1195	710	1275	760	1365	815	1455
			4000	670	1220	725	1305	780	1400	835	1495	895	1595
			5000	740	1340	795	1435	855	1535	920	1640	985	1755
			6000	810	1470	875	1575	940	1690	1010	1810	1085	1940
			7000	895	1620	965	1740	1035	1865	1115	2000	1195	2145
			8000	985	1790	1065	1925	1145	2065	1230	2220	1320	2385

Figure 5-4. Takeoff Distance (Sheet 2 of 2)

**RATE OF CLIMB****MAXIMUM**

**CONDITIONS:**  
Flaps Up  
Full Throttle

**NOTE:**  
Mixture leaned above 3000 feet for maximum RPM.

**NOTES:**

1. Add 1.1 gallons of fuel for engine start, taxi and takeoff allowance.
2. Mixture leaned above 3000 feet for maximum RPM.
3. Increase time, fuel and distance by 10% for each  $10^{\circ}\text{C}$  above standard temperature.
4. Distances shown are based on zero wind.

WEIGHT LBS	PRESS ALT FT	CLIMB SPEED KIAS	RATE OF CLIMB - FPM		
			-20°C	0°C	20°C
2300	S.L.	73	875	815	755
	2000	72	765	705	650
	4000	71	655	600	545
	6000	70	545	495	440
	8000	69	440	390	335
	10,000	68	335	285	230
	12,000	67	230	180	---

Figure 5-5. Rate of Climb

**TIME, FUEL, AND DISTANCE TO CLIMB****MAXIMUM RATE OF CLIMB****CONDITIONS:**

Flaps Up  
Full Throttle  
Standard Temperature

**NOTE:**  
Mixture leaned above 3000 feet for maximum RPM.

WEIGHT LBS	PRESSURE ALTITUDE FT	TEMP °C	CLIMB SPEED KIAS	RATE OF CLIMB FPM	FROM SEA LEVEL	
					TIME MIN	FUEL USED GALLONS
2300	S.L.	15	73	770	0	0.0
	1000	13	73	725	1	0.3
	2000	11	72	675	3	0.6
	3000	9	72	630	4	0.9
	4000	7	71	580	6	1.2
	5000	5	71	535	8	1.6
	6000	3	70	485	10	1.9
	7000	1	69	440	12	2.3
	8000	-1	69	390	15	2.7
	9000	-3	68	345	17	3.2
	10,000	-5	68	295	21	3.7
	11,000	-7	67	250	24	4.2
	12,000	-9	67	200	29	4.9

Figure 5-6. Time, Fuel, and Distance to Climb

## CRUISE PERFORMANCE

CONDITIONS:  
2300 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture

PRESSURE ALTITUDE FT	RPM	20°C BELOW STANDARD TEMP			STANDARD TEMPERATURE			20°C ABOVE STANDARD TEMP		
		% BHP	% KTAS	GPH	% BHP	% KTAS	GPH	% BHP	% KTAS	GPH
2000	2500	72	111	8.0	75	116	8.4	71	115	7.9
	2400	64	106	7.1	67	111	7.5	63	110	7.1
	2300	56	101	6.3	60	105	6.7	56	105	6.3
	2200	50	95	5.8	53	100	6.1	50	99	5.8
	2100	47		4.7	47	94	5.6	45	93	5.4
4000	2550	76	116	8.5	75	118	8.4	71	118	7.9
	2400	68	111	7.6	64	110	7.1	60	115	7.5
	2300	60	105	6.8	57	105	6.4	54	104	6.1
	2200	54	100	6.1	51	99	5.9	48	98	5.7
	2100	48	94	5.6	46	93	5.5	44	92	5.3
6000	2600	72	116	8.1	75	120	8.4	71	120	7.5
	2500	64	110	7.2	60	109	7.6	64	114	7.1
	2400	57	105	6.5	54	104	6.2	52	103	5.9
	2300	51	99	5.9	49	98	5.7	47	97	5.5
	2200	46	93	5.5	44	92	5.4	42	91	5.2
8000	2650	76	120	8.6	75	122	8.4	71	122	7.9
	2500	68	115	7.7	64	114	7.2	60	119	7.5
	2400	61	110	6.9	58	109	6.5	55	113	6.8
	2300	55	104	6.2	52	103	6.0	50	102	5.8
	2200	49	98	5.7	47	97	5.5	45	96	5.4
10,000	2650	76	122	8.5	71	122	8.0	67	121	7.5
	2600	72	120	8.1	68	119	7.6	64	118	7.1
	2500	65	114	7.3	61	114	6.8	58	112	6.5
	2400	58	109	6.5	55	108	6.2	52	107	6.0
	2300	52	103	6.0	50	102	5.8	48	101	5.6
	2200	47	97	5.6	45	96	5.4	44	95	5.3
12,000	2600	68	119	7.7	64	118	7.2	61	117	6.8
	2500	62	114	6.9	58	113	6.5	55	111	6.2
	2400	56	108	6.3	53	107	6.0	51	106	5.6
	2300	50	102	5.8	48	101	5.6	46	100	5.3
	2200	46	96	5.5	44	95	5.4	43	94	5.3

## RANGE PROFILE

45 MINUTES RESERVE  
40 GALLONS USABLE FUEL

## CONDITIONS:

2300 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture  
Standard Temperature  
Zero Wind

## NOTES:

- This chart allows for the fuel used for engine start, taxi, takeoff and climb, and the distance during climb as shown in figure 5-6.
- Reserve fuel is based on 45 minutes at 45% BHP and is 4.1 gallons.

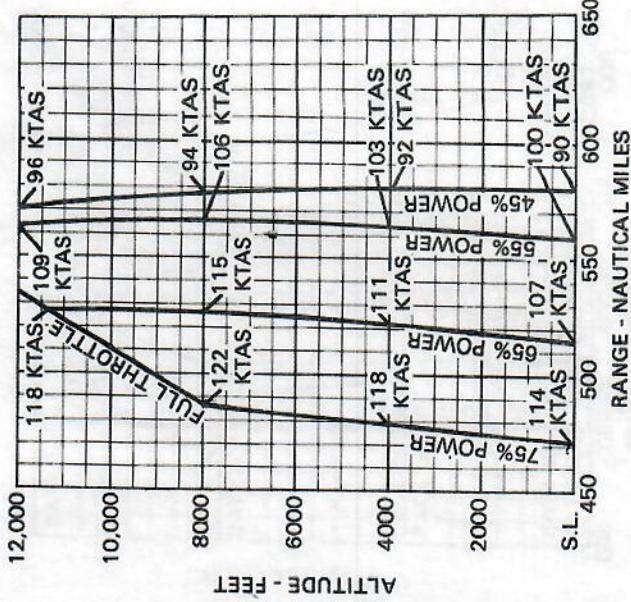


Figure 5-7. Cruise Performance

## RANGE PROFILE

45 MINUTES RESERVE  
40 GALLONS USABLE FUEL

## CONDITIONS:

2300 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture  
Standard Temperature  
Zero Wind

## NOTES:

- This chart allows for the fuel used for engine start, taxi, takeoff and climb, and the distance during climb as shown in figure 5-6.
- Reserve fuel is based on 45 minutes at 45% BHP and is 4.1 gallons.

Figure 5-8. Range Profile (Sheet 1 of 2)

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**RANGE PROFILE  
45 MINUTES RESERVE  
50 GALLONS USABLE FUEL**

**CONDITIONS:**  
2300 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture for Cruise  
Standard Temperature  
Zero Wind

**NOTES:**  
1. This chart allows for the fuel used for engine start, taxi, takeoff and climb, and the distance during climb as shown in figure 5-6.  
2. Reserve fuel is based on 45 minutes at 45% BHP and is 4.1 gallons.

**ENDURANCE PROFILE  
45 MINUTES RESERVE  
40 GALLONS USABLE FUEL**

**CONDITIONS:**  
2300 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture for Cruise  
Standard Temperature

**NOTES:**

1. This chart allows for the fuel used for engine start, taxi, takeoff and climb, and the time during climb as shown in figure 5-6.
2. Reserve fuel is based on 45 minutes at 45% BHP and is 4.1 gallons.

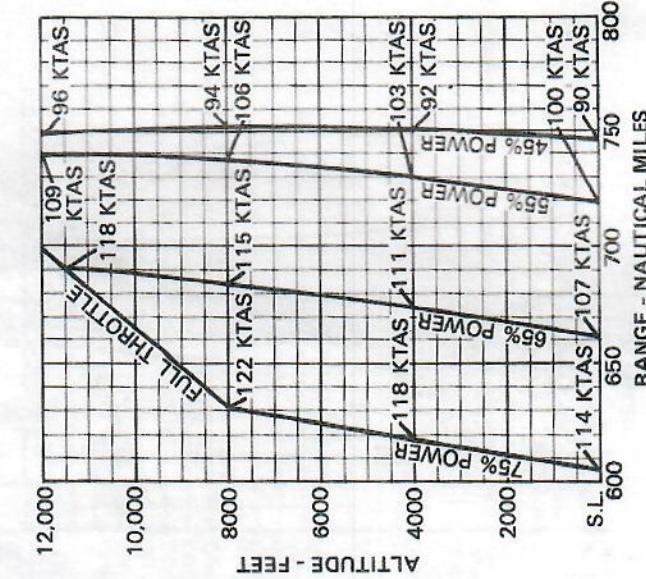


Figure 5-8. Range Profile (Sheet 2 of 2)

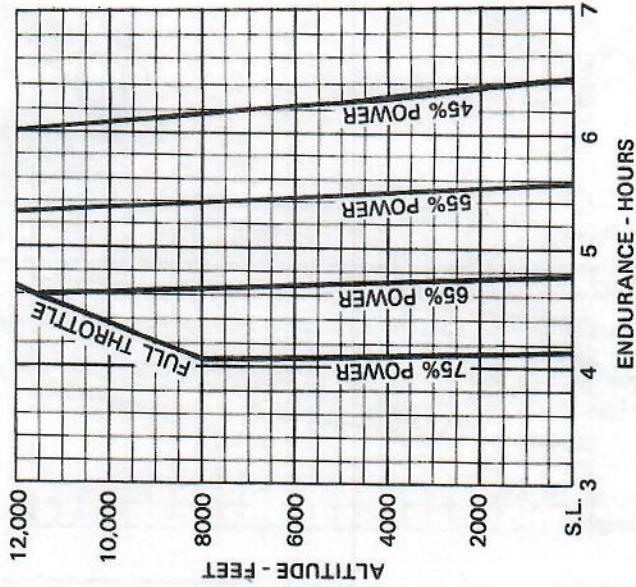


Figure 5-9. Endurance Profile (Sheet 1 of 2)

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**ENDURANCE PROFILE**  
**45 MINUTES RESERVE**  
**50 GALLONS USABLE FUEL**

**CONDITIONS:**  
2300 Pounds  
Recommended Lean Mixture for Cruise  
Standard Temperature

**NOTES:**

1. This chart allows for the fuel used for engine start, taxi, takeoff and climb, and the time during climb as shown in figure 5-6.
2. Reserve fuel is based on 45 minutes at 45% BHP and is 4.1 gallons.

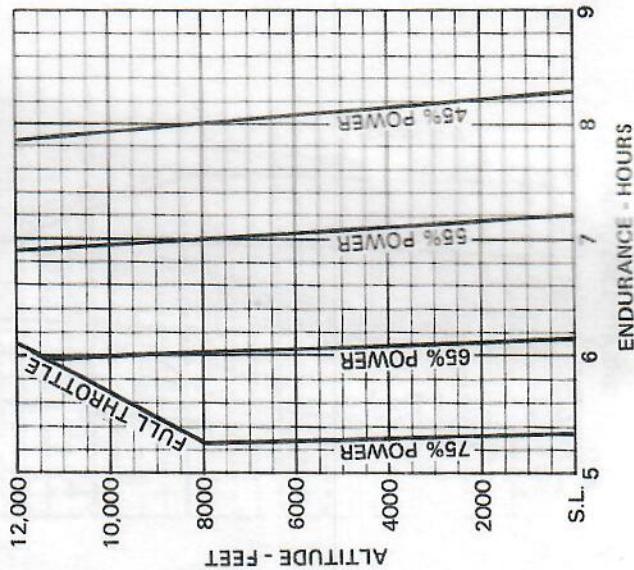


Figure 5-9. Endurance Profile (Sheet 2 of 2)

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WEIGHT	SPEED AT KIAS	PRESS ALT FT	GRND TO CLEAR	TOTAL	GRND TO OBS	ROLL	50 FT OBS	ROLL	50 FT OBS	ROLL	50 FT OBS	ROLL	TOTAL	WEIGHT	
2300	60	S.L.	495	1205	510	1235	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
2000	510	1000	495	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
1800	495	900	495	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
1600	480	800	480	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
1400	465	600	465	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
1200	450	500	450	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
1000	435	400	435	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
800	420	300	420	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
600	405	200	405	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
400	390	100	390	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
200	350	50	350	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330
0	300	0	300	1235	510	1265	530	1265	550	1300	565	1330	585	1365	1330

Figure 5-10. Landing Distance

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NOTES:

1. Short field technique as specified in Section 4.

2. Decrease distances 10% for each 2 knots headwind. For operation with tailwinds up to 10 knots, increase distances by 10% for each 2 knots.

3. For operation on a dry, grass runway, increase distances by 45% of the "ground roll" figure.

**LANDING DISTANCE**

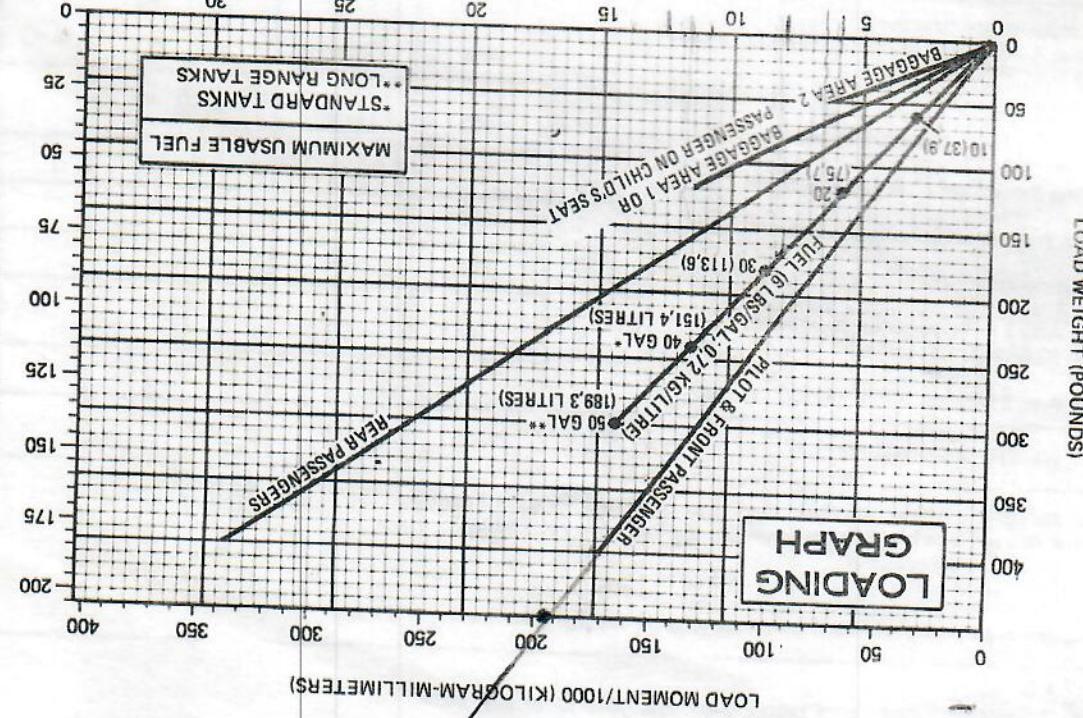
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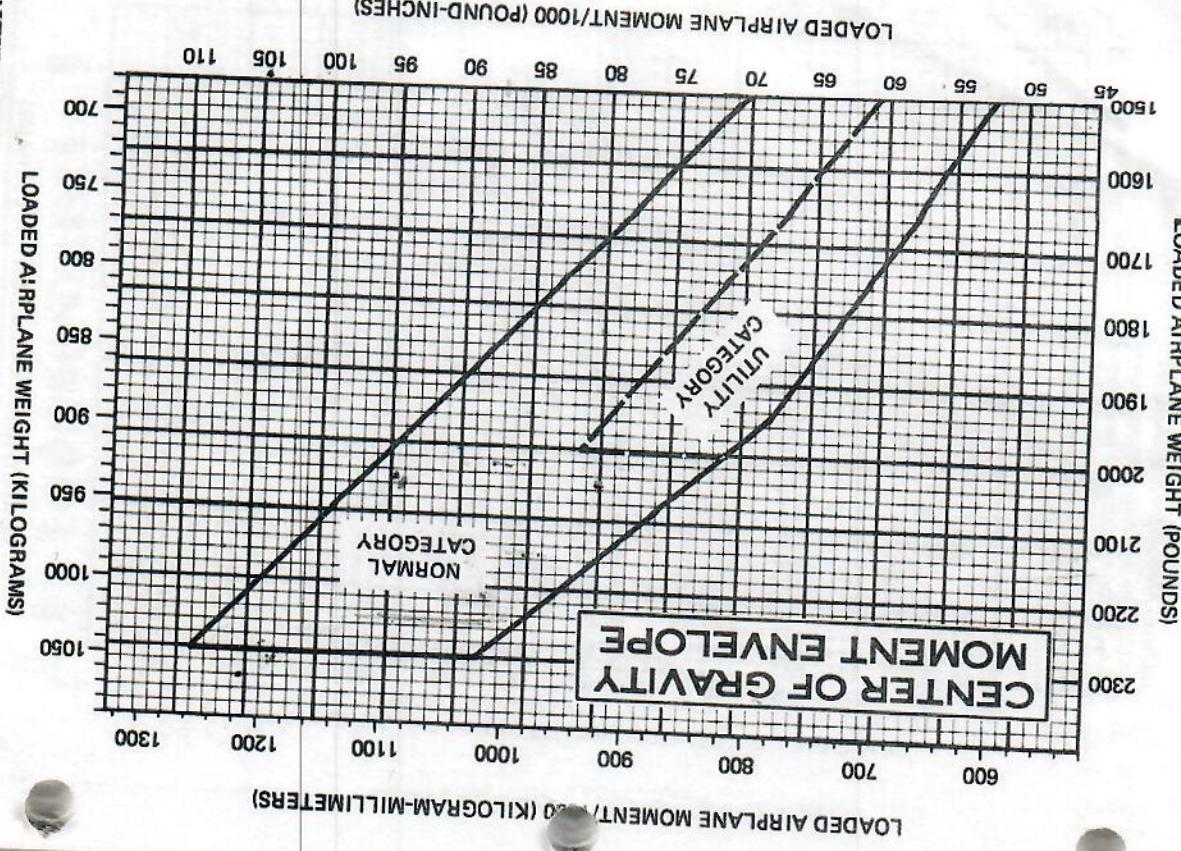


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Figure 6-7. Center of Gravity Moment Envelope

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