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AIRSPEED 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 102 KIAS at 2100 pounds.

	SPEED	KCAS	KIAS	REMARKS
VNE	Never Exceed Speed	152	158	Do not exceed this speed in any operation.
VNO	Maximum Structural Cruising Speed	123	127	Do not exceed this speed except in smooth air, and then only with caution.
VA	Maneuvering Speed: 2400 Pounds 1600 Pounds	97 91 81	99 92 82	Do not make full or abrupt control movements above this speed.
VFE	Maximum Flap Extended Speed: 100° Flaps 100° - 30° Flaps	108 84	110 85	Do not exceed this speed with flaps down.
	Maximum Window Open Speed	152	158	Do not exceed this speed with windows open.

Figure 2-1. Airspeed Limitations

MARKING	KIAS VALUE OR RANGE	SIGNIFICANCE
White Arc	33 - 85	Full Flap Operating Range. Lower limit is maximum weight V_{SO} in landing configuration. Upper limit is maximum speed permissible with flaps extended.
Green Arc	44 - 127	Normal Operating Range. Lower limit is maximum weight V_S at most forward C.G. with flaps retracted. Upper limit is maximum structural cruising speed.
Yellow Arc	127 - 158	Operations must be conducted with caution and only in smooth air.
Red Line	158	Maximum speed for all operations.

Figure 2-2. Airspeed Indicator Markings

POWER PLANT LIMITATIONS

Engine Manufacturer: Avco Lycoming.
Engine Model Number: O-380-D2J.
Maximum Power: 160 BHP rating.
Engine Operating Limits for Takeoff and Continuous Operations:
Maximum Engine Speed: 2700 RPM.

NOTE

The static RPM range at full throttle (carburetor heat off and mixture leaned to maximum RPM) is 2300 to 2420 RPM.

Maximum Oil Temperature: 245°F (118°C).
Oil Pressure, Minimum: 25 psi.
Maximum: 115 psi.

Fuel Grade: See Fuel Limitations.

MIL-L-6082 Aviation Grade Straight Mineral Oil or MIL-L-22851 Ash-less Dispersant Oil.

Propeller Manufacturer: McCauley Accessory Division.

Propeller Model Number: 1C160/DTM/7557.

Propeller Diameter, Maximum: 75 inches.

Minimum: 74 inches.

AIRSPEED INDICATOR MARKINGS

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

POWER PLANT INSTRUMENT MARKINGS

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

INSTRUMENT	RED LINE	GREEN ARC	RED LINE
	MINIMUM LIMIT	NORMAL OPERATING	MAXIMUM LIMIT
Propeller RPM	---	2100-2450 RPM 2100-2575 RPM 2100-2700 RPM	2700 RPM
Temperature	---	100°-245°F	245°F
Pressure	25 psi	60-90 psi	115 psi
Oil Quantity (Each Tank)	E (1.5 Gal. Unusable Each Tank)	---	---
Oil Quantity Range (Each Tank)	E (2.0 Gal. Unusable Each Tank)	---	---
Oil Quantity (Integral Tanks)	E (3.0 Gal. Unusable Each Tank)	---	---
Oil Quantity	---	4.5-5.4 in. Hg	---

Figure 2-3. Power Plant Instrument Markings

GHT LIMITS

MAXIMUM WEIGHT

- Maximum Ramp Weight: 2407 lbs.
- Maximum Takeoff Weight: 2400 lbs.
- Maximum Landing Weight: 2400 lbs.
- Maximum Weight in Baggage Compartment: 120 lbs.
- Maximum Weight in Baggage Area 1 (or passenger on child's seat) - Station 82 to 108: 120 lbs.
- Maximum Weight in Baggage Area 2 - Station 108 to 142: 50 lbs.

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NOTE

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

UTILITY CATEGORY

Maximum Ramp Weight: 2107 lbs.
Maximum Takeoff Weight: 2100 lbs.
Maximum Landing Weight: 2100 lbs.
Maximum Weight in Baggage Compartment: In the utility category, the baggage compartment and rear seat must not be occupied.

CENTER OF GRAVITY LIMITS

NORMAL CATEGORY

Center of Gravity Range:
Forward: 35.0 inches aft of datum at 1950 lbs. or less, with straight line variation to 39.5 inches aft of datum at 2400 lbs.
Aft: 47.3 inches aft of datum at all weights.
Reference Datum: Lower portion of front face of firewall.

UTILITY CATEGORY

Center of Gravity Range:
Forward: 35.0 inches aft of datum at 1950 lbs. or less, with straight line variation to 36.5 inches aft of datum at 2100 lbs.
Aft: 40.5 inches aft of datum at all weights.
Reference Datum: Lower portion of front face of firewall.

MANEUVER LIMITS

NORMAL CATEGORY

This airplane is certificated in both the normal and utility category. The normal category is applicable to aircraft intended for non-aerobatic operations. These include any maneuvers incidental to normal flying, stalls (except whip stalls), lazy eights, chandelles, and turns in which the angle of bank is not more than 60°. Aerobatic maneuvers, including spins, are not approved.

UTILITY CATEGORY

This airplane is not designed for purely aerobatic flight. However, in the acquisition of various certificates such as commercial pilot and flight instructor ratings, the airplane may be used for aerobatic flight.

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structor, certain maneuvers are required by the FAA. All of these maneuvers are permitted in this airplane when operated in the utility category.

In the utility category, the baggage compartment and rear seat must be occupied. No aerobatic maneuvers are approved except those listed below.

MANEUVER

RECOMMENDED ENTRY SPEED*

Chandelles	105 knots
Lazy Eights	105 knots
Steep Turns	95 knots
Spins	Slow Deceleration
Stalls (Except Whip Stalls)	Slow Deceleration

*Abrupt use of the controls is prohibited above 99 knots.

Aerobatics that may impose high loads should not be attempted. The important thing to bear in mind in flight maneuvers is that the airplane is in an aerodynamic design and will build up speed quickly with the nose down. Proper speed control is an essential requirement for execution of a maneuver, and care should always be exercised to avoid excessive speed which in turn can impose excessive loads. In the execution of all maneuvers, avoid abrupt use of controls. Intentional spins with flaps down are prohibited.

GHT LOAD FACTOR LIMITS

3MAL CATEGORY

at Load Factors (Maximum Takeoff Weight - 2400 lbs.):	
Flaps Up	+3.8g, -1.52g
Flaps Down	+3.0g

The design load factors are 150% of the above, and in all cases, the structure meets or exceeds design loads.

UTILITY CATEGORY

t Load Factors (Maximum Takeoff Weight - 2100 lbs.):	
Flaps Up	+4.4g, -1.76g
Flaps Down	+3.0g

The design load factors are 150% of the above, and in all cases, the structure meets or exceeds design loads.

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KINDS OF OPERATION LIMITS

The airplane is equipped for day VFR and may be equipped for night VFR and/or IFR operations. FAR Part 91 establishes the minimum required instrumentation and equipment for these operations. The reference to types of flight operations on the operating limitations placard reflects equipment installed at the time of Airworthiness Certificate issuance.

Flight into known icing conditions is prohibited.

FUEL LIMITATIONS

- 2 Standard Tanks: 21.5 U.S. gallons each.
- Total Fuel: 43 U.S. gallons.
- Usable Fuel (all flight conditions): 40 U.S. gallons.
- Unusable Fuel: 3 U.S. gallons.
- 2 Long Range Tanks: 27 U.S. gallons each.
- Total Fuel: 54 U.S. gallons.
- Usable Fuel (all flight conditions): 50 U.S. gallons.
- Unusable Fuel: 4 U.S. gallons.
- 2 Integral Tanks: 34 U.S. gallons each.
- Total Fuel: 68 U.S. gallons.
- Usable Fuel (all flight conditions): 62 U.S. gallons.
- Unusable Fuel: 6 U.S. gallons.

NOTE

To ensure maximum fuel capacity when refueling and minimize cross-feeding when parked on a sloping surface, place the fuel selector valve in either LEFT or RIGHT position.

- Takeoff and land with the fuel selector valve handle in the BOTH position.
- Maximum slip or skid duration with one tank dry: 30 seconds.
- With 1/4 tank or less, prolonged uncoordinated flight is prohibited when operating on either left or right tank in level flight.
- Fuel remaining in the tank after the fuel quantity indicator reads empty (red line) cannot be safely used in flight.
- Approved Fuel Grades (and Colors):
 - 100LL Grade Aviation Fuel (Blue).
 - 100 (Formerly 100/130) Grade Aviation Fuel (Green).

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3. Near fuel tank filler cap (standard tanks):

FUEL
100LL/100 MIN. GRADE AVIATION GASOLINE
CAP. 21.5 U.S. GAL.

Near fuel tank filler cap (long range tanks):

FUEL
100LL/100 MIN. GRADE AVIATION GASOLINE
CAP. 27 U.S. GAL.

Near fuel tank filler cap (integral tanks):

FUEL
100LL/100 MIN. GRADE AVIATION GASOLINE
CAP. 34 U.S. GAL.
CAP. 24.0 U.S. GAL. TO BOTTOM OF FILLER COLLAR

4. Near wing flap switch:

AVOID SLIPS WITH FLAPS EXTENDED

5. On flap control indicator:

0° to 10° (Partial flap range with blue color code and 110 kt callout; also, mechanical detent at 10°.)
10° to 30° (Indices at these positions with white color code and 85 kt callout; also, mechanical detent at 10° and 20°.)

6. In baggage compartment:

120 POUNDS MAXIMUM
BAGGAGE AND/OR AUXILIARY PASSENGER
FORWARD OF BAGGAGE DOOR LATCH
50 POUNDS MAXIMUM
BAGGAGE AFT OF BAGGAGE DOOR LATCH
MAXIMUM 120 POUNDS COMBINED
FOR ADDITIONAL LOADING INSTRUCTIONS
SEE WEIGHT AND BALANCE DATA

7. A calibration card must be provided to indicate the accuracy of the magnetic compass in 30° increments.

8. On oil filler cap:

OIL
7 QTS

9. On control lock:

CAUTION!
CONTROL LOCK
REMOVE BEFORE STARTING ENGINE

10. Near airspeed indicator:

MANEUVER SPEED - 99 KIAS

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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 2400 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:	
Normal Climb Out	70-80 KIAS
Short Field Takeoff, Flaps 10°, Speed at 50 Feet	56 KIAS
Enroute Climb, Flaps Up:	
Normal, Sea Level	75-85 KIAS
Normal, 10,000 Feet	70-80 KIAS
Best Rate of Climb, Sea Level	76 KIAS
Best Rate of Climb, 10,000 Feet	71 KIAS
Best Angle of Climb, Sea Level	60 KIAS
Best Angle of Climb, 10,000 Feet	65 KIAS
Landing Approach:	
Normal Approach, Flaps Up	65-75 KIAS
Normal Approach, Flaps 30°	60-70 KIAS
Short Field Approach, Flaps 30°	61 KIAS
Balked Landing:	
Maximum Power, Flaps 20°	55 KIAS
Maximum Recommended Turbulent Air Penetration Speed:	
2400 Lbs	99 KIAS
2000 Lbs	92 KIAS
1600 Lbs	82 KIAS
Maximum Demonstrated Crosswind Velocity:	
Takeoff or Landing	15 KNOTS

CHECKLIST PROCEDURES

PREFLIGHT INSPECTION

① CABIN

1. Pilot's Operating Handbook -- AVAILABLE IN THE AIRPLANE.
2. Parking Brake -- SET.
3. Control Wheel Lock -- REMOVE.
4. Ignition Switch -- OFF.
5. Avionics Power Switch -- OFF.
6. Master Switch -- ON.

WARNING

When turning on the master switch, using an external power source, or pulling the propeller through by hand, treat the propeller as if the ignition switch were on. Do not stand, nor allow anyone else to stand, within the arc of the propeller, since a loose or broken wire or a component malfunction could cause the propeller to rotate.

7. Fuel Quantity Indicators -- CHECK QUANTITY.
8. Avionics Cooling Fan -- CHECK AUDIBLY FOR OPERATION.
9. Master Switch -- OFF.
10. Static Pressure Alternate Source Valve (if installed) -- OFF.
11. Fuel Selector Valve -- BOTH.
12. Baggage Door -- CHECK, lock with key if child's seat is to be occupied.

② EMPENNAGE

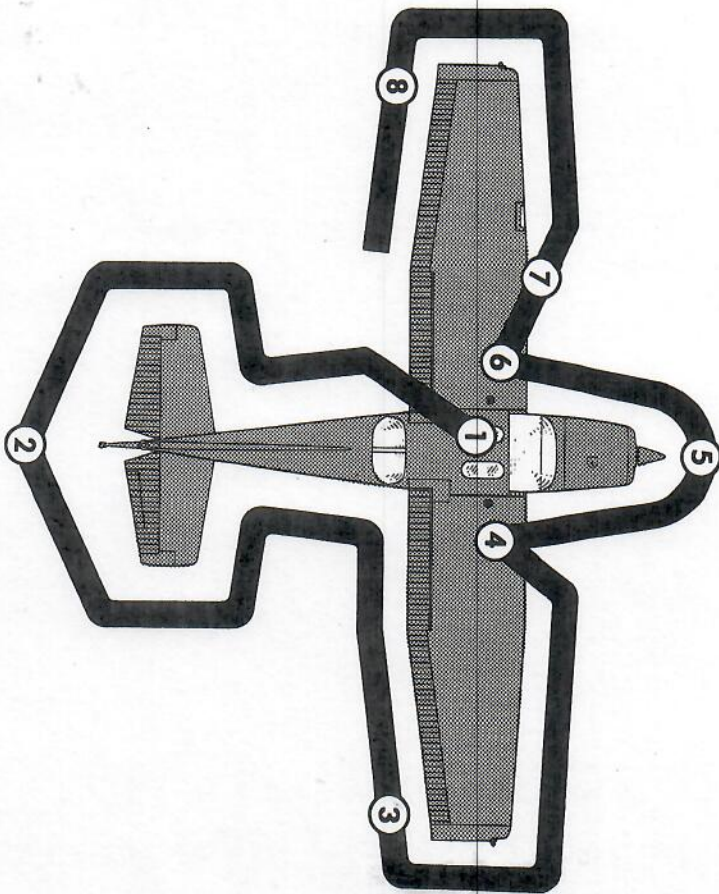
1. Rudder Gust Lock -- REMOVE.
2. Tail Tie-Down -- DISCONNECT.
3. Control Surfaces -- CHECK freedom of movement and security.

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.



NOTE

Visually check airplane for general condition during walk-around inspection. Use of the refueling steps and assist handles (if installed) will simplify access to the upper wing surfaces for visual checks and refueling operations. 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. Fuel Tank Sump Quick-Drain Valve -- DRAIN fuel (using sampler cup) to check for water, sediment, and proper fuel grade before first flight of day and after each refueling. If water is observed, take further samples until there is no evidence of water contamination.
4. Fuel Selector Quick-Drain Valve (located on bottom of fuselage) -- DRAIN fuel (using sampler cup) to check for water, sediment, and proper fuel grade before first flight of day and after each refueling. If water is observed, take further samples until there is no evidence of water contamination.
5. Fuel Quantity -- CHECK VISUALLY for desired level.
6. Fuel Filler Cap -- SECURE.

5 NOSE

1. Engine Oil Dipstick/Filler Cap -- CHECK oil level, then check dipstick/filler cap SECURE. Do not operate with less than five quarts. Fill to seven quarts for extended flight.
2. Fuel Strainer Drain Knob -- PULL OUT for about four seconds to clear strainer of possible water and sediment before first flight of day and after each refueling. Return drain knob full in and 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 quick-drain valve must be accomplished.
3. Propeller and Spinner -- CHECK for nicks and security.
4. Carburetor Air Filter -- CHECK for restrictions by dust or other foreign matter.
5. Nose Wheel Strut and Tire -- CHECK for proper inflation.
6. Nose Tie-Down -- DISCONNECT.
7. Static Source Opening (left side of fuselage) -- CHECK for stoppage.

6 LEFT WING

1. Main Wheel Tire -- CHECK for proper inflation.
2. Fuel Tank Sump Quick-Drain Valve -- DRAIN fuel (using sampler cup) to check for water, sediment, and proper fuel grade before first flight of day and after each refueling. If water is observed, take further samples until there is no evidence of water contamination.
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.
5. Landing Light(s) -- CHECK for condition and cleanliness of cover.

8 LEFT WING Trailing Edge

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

BEFORE STARTING ENGINE

1. Preflight Inspection -- COMPLETE.
2. Passenger Briefing -- COMPLETE.
3. Seats, Seat Belts, and Shoulder Harnesses -- ADJUST and LOCK.
4. Brakes -- TEST and SET.
5. Avionics Power Switch -- OFF.

CAUTION

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

6. Circuit Breakers -- CHECK IN.
7. Electrical Equipment, Autopilot (if installed) -- OFF.
8. Fuel Selector Valve -- BOTH.

STARTING ENGINE

1. Prime -- AS REQUIRED (2 to 6 strokes; none if engine is warm).
2. Carburetor Heat -- COLD.
3. Throttle -- OPEN 1/8 INCH.
4. Mixture -- RICH.
5. Propeller Area -- CLEAR.
6. Master Switch -- ON.
7. Ignition Switch -- START (release when engine starts).
8. Oil Pressure -- CHECK.
9. Avionics Power Switch -- ON.
10. Navigation Lights and Flashing Beacon -- ON as required.
11. Radios -- ON.

ORE TAKEOFF

- Parking Brake -- SET.
- Seats, Seat Belts, Shoulder Harnesses -- CHECK SECURE.
- Cabin Doors -- CLOSED and LOCKED.
- Flight Controls -- FREE and CORRECT.
- Flight Instruments -- CHECK and SET.
- Fuel Quantity -- CHECK.
- Mixture -- RICH.
- Fuel Selector Valve -- RECHECK BOTH.
- Elevator Trim and Rudder Trim (if installed) -- SET for takeoff.
- 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. Suction Gage -- CHECK.
- d. Engine Instruments and Ammeter -- CHECK.
- Throttle -- 1000 RPM or LESS.
- Throttle Friction Lock -- ADJUST.
- Strobe Lights (if installed) -- AS DESIRED.
- Radios and Avionics -- SET.
- Autopilot (if installed) -- OFF.
- Air Conditioner (if installed) -- OFF.
- Wing Flaps -- SET for takeoff (see Takeoff checklists).
- Brakes -- RELEASE.

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MAL TAKEOFF

- Wing Flaps -- 0° - 10°.
- Carburetor Heat -- COLD.
- Throttle -- FULL OPEN.
- Elevator Control -- LIFT NOSE WHEEL (at 55 KIAS).
- Climb Speed -- 70-80 KIAS.

RT FIELD TAKEOFF

- Wing Flaps -- 10°.
- Carburetor Heat -- COLD.
- Brakes -- APPLY.
- Throttle -- FULL OPEN.
- Mixture -- RICH (above 3000 feet, LEAN to obtain maximum RPM).
- Brakes -- RELEASE.
- Elevator Control -- SLIGHTLY TAIL LOW.
- Climb Speed -- 56 KIAS (until all obstacles are cleared).

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 -- 2100-2700 RPM (no more than 75% is recommended).
2. Elevator and Rudder Trim (if installed) -- ADJUST.
3. Mixture -- LEAN.

DESCENT

1. Fuel Selector Valve -- BOTH.
2. Power -- AS DESIRED.
3. Mixture -- ADJUST for smooth operation (full rich for idle power).
4. Carburetor Heat -- FULL HEAT AS REQUIRED (to prevent carburetor icing).

BEFORE LANDING

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

LANDING

NORMAL LANDING

1. Airspeed -- 65-75 KIAS (flaps UP).
2. Wing Flaps -- AS DESIRED (0°-10° below 110 KIAS, 10°-30° below 85 KIAS).
3. Airspeed -- 60-70 KIAS (flaps DOWN).

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4. Touchdown -- MAIN WHEELS FIRST.
5. Landing Roll -- LOWER NOSE WHEEL GENTLY.
6. Braking -- MINIMUM REQUIRED.

SHORT FIELD LANDING

1. Airspeed -- 65-75 KIAS (flaps UP).
2. Wing Flaps -- FULL DOWN (30°).
3. Airspeed -- 61 KIAS (until flare).
4. Power -- REDUCE to idle after clearing obstacle.
5. Touchdown -- MAIN WHEELS FIRST.
6. Brakes -- APPLY HEAVILY.
7. Wing Flaps -- RETRACT.

BALKED LANDING

1. Throttle -- FULL OPEN.
2. Carburetor Heat -- COLD.
3. Wing Flaps -- 20° (immediately).
4. Climb Speed -- 55 KIAS.
5. Wing Flaps -- 10° (until obstacles are cleared).
RETRACT (after reaching a safe altitude and 60 KIAS).

AFTER LANDING

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

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.

AIRSPEED CALIBRATION NORMAL STATIC SOURCE

CONDITION:
Power required for level flight or maximum rated RPM dive.

FLAPS UP		50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160
KIAS		56	62	70	79	89	98	107	117	126	135	145	154
KCAS													
FLAPS 10°		40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	110	---	---	---
KIAS		49	55	62	70	79	89	98	108	108	---	---	---
KCAS													
FLAPS 30°		40	50	60	70	80	85	---	---	---	---	---	---
KIAS		47	53	61	70	80	84	---	---	---	---	---	---
KCAS													

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

STALL SPEEDS

CONDITIONS:
Off

ES:
Altitude loss during a stall recovery may be as much as 230 feet.
KIAS values are approximate.

EIGHT LBS	FLAP DEFLECTION	ANGLE OF BANK							
		0°		30°		45°		60°	
		KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS
2400	UP	44	51	47	55	52	61	62	72
	10°	35	48	38	52	42	57	49	68
	30°	33	46	35	49	39	55	47	65

MOST FORWARD CENTER OF GRAVITY

WEIGHT LBS	FLAP DEFLECTION	ANGLE OF BANK							
		0°		30°		45°		60°	
		KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS	KIAS	KCAS
2400	UP	44	52	47	56	52	62	62	74
	10°	37	49	40	53	44	58	52	69
	30°	33	46	35	49	39	55	47	65

Figure 5-3. Stall Speeds

WIND COMPONENTS

NOTE:
Maximum demonstrated crosswind velocity is 15 knots (not a limitation).

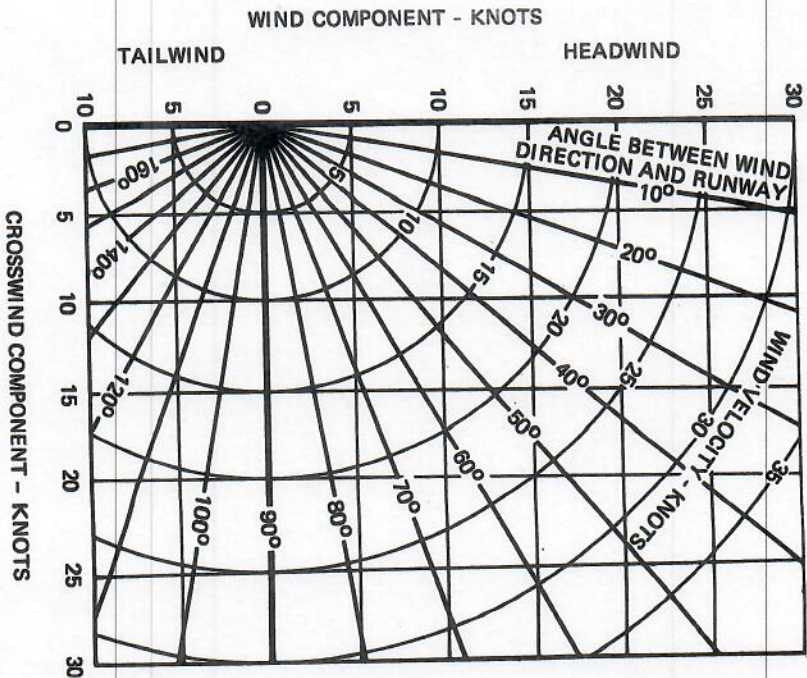


Figure 5-4. Wind Components

TAKEOFF DISTANCE

MAXIMUM WEIGHT 2400 LBS

SHORT FIELD

CONDITIONS:

Flaps 10°
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	
				GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS
	LIFT OFF	AT 50 FT											
2400	51	56	S.L.	795	1460	860	1570	925	1685	995	1810	1065	1945
			1000	875	1605	940	1725	1015	1860	1090	2000	1170	2155
			2000	960	1770	1035	1910	1115	2060	1200	2220	1290	2395
			3000	1055	1960	1140	2120	1230	2295	1325	2480	1425	2685
			4000	1165	2185	1260	2365	1355	2570	1465	2790	1575	3030
			5000	1285	2445	1390	2660	1500	2895	1620	3160	1745	3455
			6000	1425	2755	1540	3015	1665	3300	1800	3620	1940	3990
			7000	1580	3140	1710	3450	1850	3805	2000	4220	---	---
			8000	1755	3615	1905	4015	2060	4480	---	---	---	---

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

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PERFORMANCE

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TAKEOFF DISTANCE

2200 LBS AND 2000 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	
				GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS
	LIFT OFF	AT 50 FT											
2200	49	54	S.L.	650	1195	700	1280	750	1375	805	1470	865	1575
			1000	710	1310	765	1405	825	1510	885	1615	950	1735
			2000	780	1440	840	1545	905	1660	975	1785	1045	1915
			3000	855	1585	925	1705	995	1835	1070	1975	1150	2130
			4000	945	1750	1020	1890	1100	2040	1180	2200	1270	2375
			5000	1040	1945	1125	2105	1210	2275	1305	2465	1405	2665
			6000	1150	2170	1240	2355	1340	2555	1445	2775	1555	3020
			7000	1270	2440	1375	2655	1485	2890	1605	3155	1730	3450
			8000	1410	2760	1525	3015	1650	3305	1785	3630	1925	4005
2000	46	51	S.L.	525	970	565	1035	605	1110	650	1185	695	1265
			1000	570	1060	615	1135	665	1215	710	1295	765	1385
			2000	625	1160	675	1240	725	1330	780	1425	840	1525
			3000	690	1270	740	1365	800	1465	860	1570	920	1685
			4000	755	1400	815	1500	880	1615	945	1735	1015	1865
			5000	830	1545	900	1660	970	1790	1040	1925	1120	2070
			6000	920	1710	990	1845	1070	1990	1150	2145	1235	2315
			7000	1015	1900	1095	2055	1180	2225	1275	2405	1370	2605
			8000	1125	2125	1215	2305	1310	2500	1410	2715	1520	2950

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

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SECTION
PERFORMANCE

MAXIMUM RATE OF CLIMB

TIME, FUEL, AND DISTANCE TO CLIMB

MAXIMUM RATE OF CLIMB

CONDITIONS:
Flaps Up
Full Throttle

CONDITIONS:
Flaps Up
Full Throttle
Standard Temperature

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 100°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	40°C
2400	S.L.	76	805	745	685	625
	2000	75	695	640	580	525
	4000	74	590	535	480	420
	6000	73	485	430	375	320
	8000	72	380	330	275	220
	10,000	71	275	225	175	---
12,000	70	175	125	---	---	

Figure 5-6. Maximum Rate of Climb

WEIGHT LBS	PRESSURE ALTITUDE FT	TEMP °C	CLIMB SPEED KIAS	RATE OF CLIMB FPM	FROM SEA LEVEL		
					TIME MIN	FUEL USED GALLONS	DISTANCE NM
2400	S.L.	15	76	700	0	0.0	0
	1000	13	76	655	1	0.3	2
	2000	11	75	610	3	0.6	4
	3000	9	75	560	5	1.0	6
	4000	7	74	515	7	1.4	9
	5000	5	74	470	9	1.7	11
	6000	3	73	425	11	2.2	14
	7000	1	72	375	14	2.6	18
	8000	-1	72	330	17	3.1	22
	9000	-3	71	285	20	3.6	26
10,000	-5	71	240	24	4.2	32	
11,000	-7	70	190	29	4.9	38	
12,000	-9	70	145	35	5.8	47	

Figure 5-7. Time, Fuel, and Distance to Climb

CRUISE PERFORMANCE

CONDITIONS:
2400 Pounds
Recommended Lean Mixture (See Section 4, Cruise)

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	110	8.1	76	114	8.5	72	114	8.1
	2400	65	104	7.3	69	109	7.7	65	108	7.3
	2300	58	99	6.6	62	103	6.9	59	102	6.6
	2200	52	92	6.0	55	97	6.3	53	96	6.1
4000	2550	52	92	6.0	50	91	5.8	48	89	5.7
	2500	77	115	8.6	76	117	8.5	72	116	8.1
	2400	69	109	7.8	65	114	7.3	62	113	7.0
	2300	62	104	7.0	59	108	6.6	57	107	6.4
6000	2200	56	98	6.3	54	96	6.1	51	94	5.9
	2100	51	91	5.8	48	89	5.7	47	88	5.5
	2400	66	108	8.2	63	113	8.6	60	112	8.1
	2300	60	103	7.4	57	107	7.0	55	106	6.7
8000	2200	54	96	6.1	52	95	5.9	50	92	5.8
	2100	49	90	5.7	47	88	5.5	46	86	5.5
	2600	77	119	8.7	77	121	8.6	73	120	8.1
	2500	70	113	7.8	66	118	8.2	63	117	7.8
10,000	2400	63	108	7.1	60	112	7.4	58	111	7.1
	2300	57	101	6.4	55	106	6.7	53	104	6.5
	2200	52	95	6.0	50	100	6.2	49	97	6.0
	2600	74	118	8.3	70	117	7.8	66	115	7.4
12,000	2500	67	112	7.5	64	111	7.1	61	109	6.8
	2400	61	106	6.8	58	105	6.5	56	102	6.3
	2300	55	100	6.3	53	98	6.0	51	96	5.9
	2200	50	93	5.8	49	91	5.7	47	89	5.6
2550	67	114	7.5	64	112	7.1	61	111	6.9	
	64	111	7.2	61	109	6.8	59	107	6.6	
	59	105	6.6	56	103	6.3	54	100	6.1	
	53	98	6.1	51	96	5.9	50	94	5.8	

Figure 5-8. Cruise Performance

RANGE PROFILE

45 MINUTES RESERVE
40 GALLONS USABLE FUEL

CONDITIONS:
2400 Pounds
Recommended Lean Mixture for Cruise
Standard Temperature
Zero Wind

NOTE:
This chart allows for the fuel used for engine start, taxi, takeoff and climb, and the distance during climb.

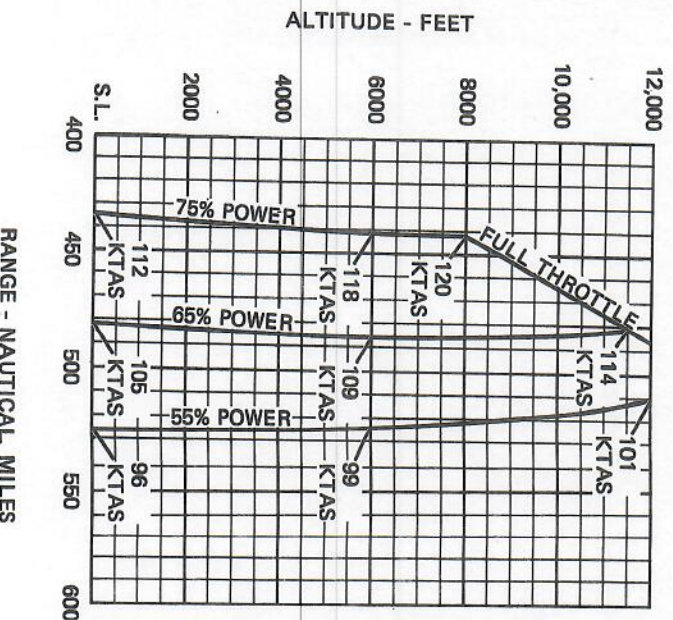
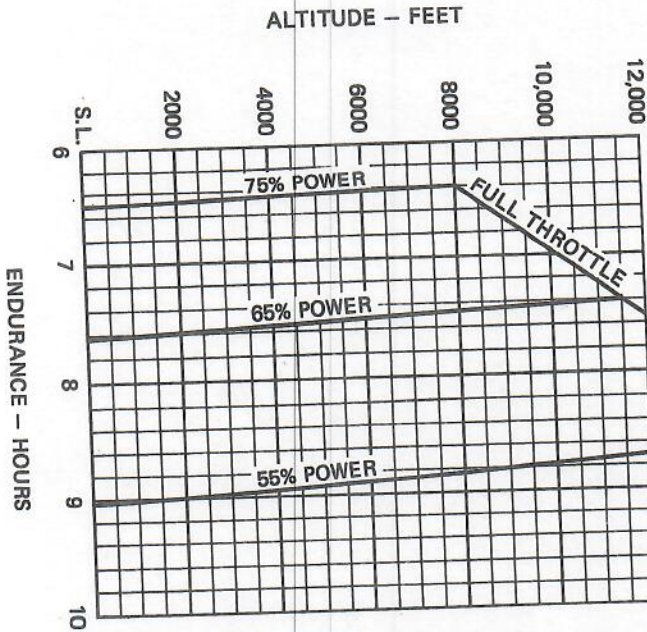


Figure 5-9. Range Profile (Sheet 1 of 3)

ENDURANCE PROFILE
45 MINUTES RESERVE
62 GALLONS USABLE FUEL



CONDITIONS:
200 Pounds
Recommended Lean Mixture for Cruise
Standard Temperature

NOTE: This chart allows for the fuel used for engine start, taxi, takeoff and climb, and the fuel used during climb.

LANDING DISTANCE

SHORT FIELD

CONDITIONS:

- Flaps 30°
- Power Off
- Maximum Braking
- Paved, Level, Dry Runway
- Zero Wind

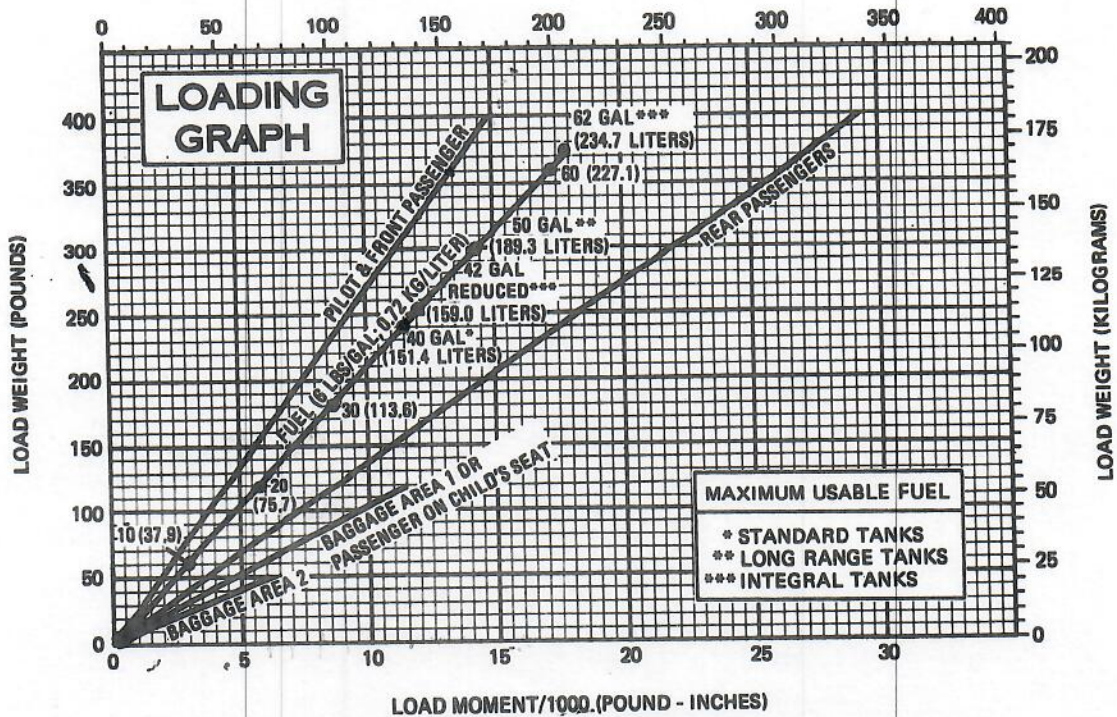
NOTES:

1. Short field technique as specified in Section 4.
2. Decrease distances 10% for each 9 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.
4. If a landing with flaps up is necessary, increase the approach speed by 7 KIAS and allow for 35% longer distances.

WEIGHT LBS	SPEED AT 50 FT KIAS	PRESS ALT FT	0°C		10°C		20°C		30°C		40°C	
			GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS	GRND ROLL	TOTAL TO CLEAR 50 FT OBS
2400	61	S.L.	510	1235	530	1265	550	1295	570	1325	585	1350
		1000	530	1265	550	1295	570	1325	590	1360	610	1390
		2000	550	1295	570	1330	590	1360	610	1390	630	1425
		3000	570	1330	590	1360	615	1395	635	1430	655	1460
		4000	595	1365	615	1400	635	1430	660	1470	680	1500
		5000	615	1400	640	1435	660	1470	685	1510	705	1540
		6000	640	1435	660	1470	685	1510	710	1550	730	1580
		7000	665	1475	690	1515	710	1550	735	1590	760	1630
		8000	690	1515	715	1555	740	1595	765	1635	790	1675

Figure 5-11. Landing Distance

Figure 5-10. Endurance Profile (Sheet 3 of 3)



NOTE: Line representing adjustable seats shows the pilot or passenger center of gravity on adjustable seats positioned for an average occupant. Refer to the Loading Arrangements diagram for forward and aft limits of occupant C.G. range.

Figure 6-6. Loading Graph

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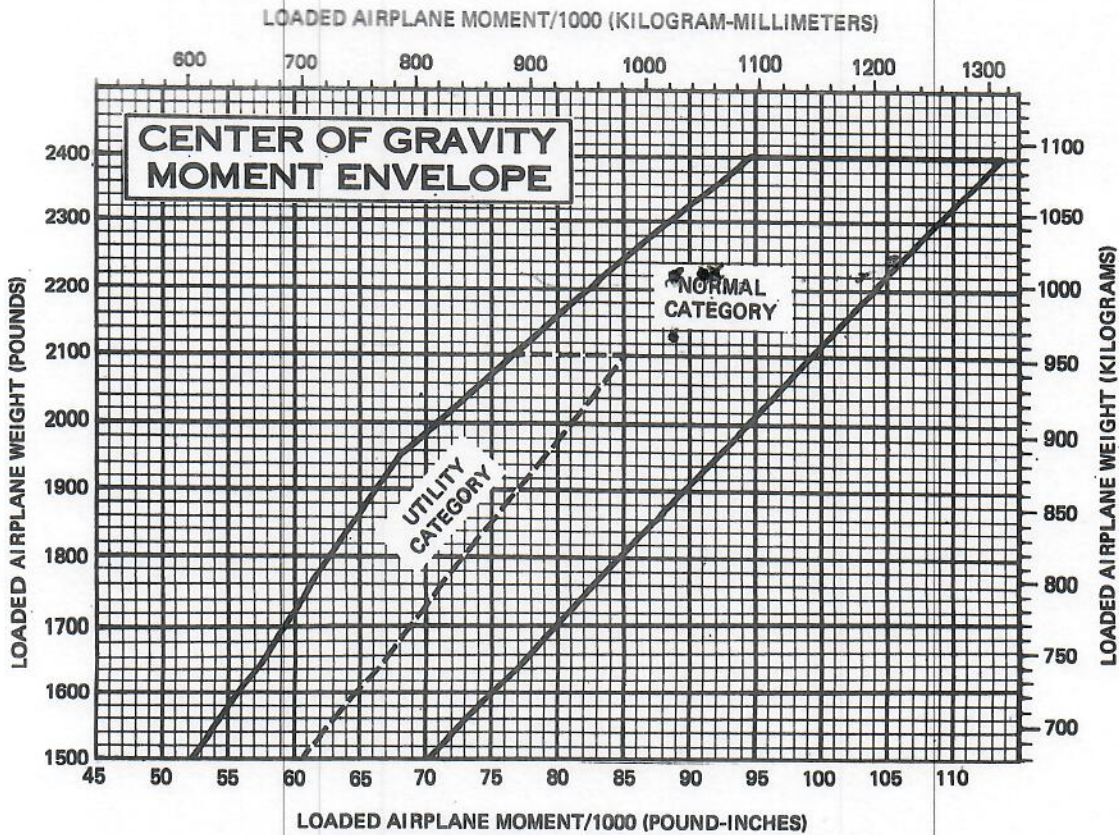


Figure 6-7. Center of Gravity Moment Envelope

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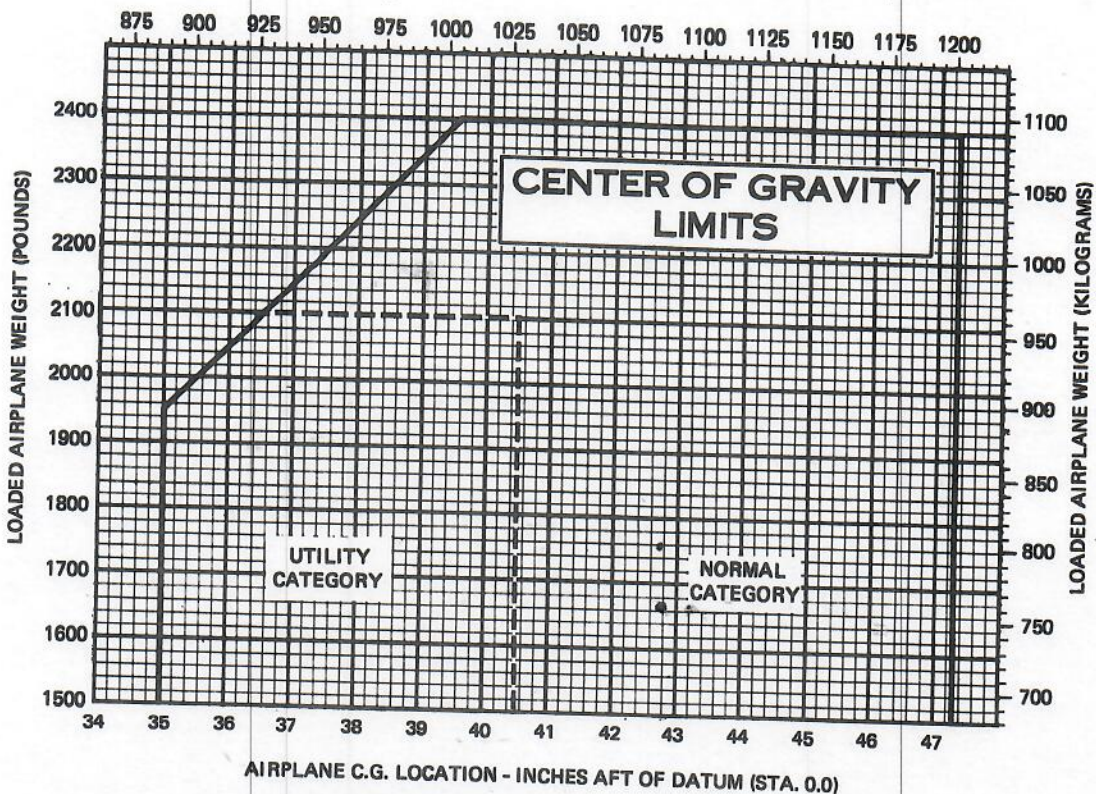


Figure 6-8. Center of Gravity Limits

EQUIPMENT LIST

The following equipment list is a comprehensive list of all Cessna equipment available for this airplane. A separate equipment list of items installed in your specific airplane is provided in your aircraft file. The following list and the specific list for your airplane have a similar order of listing.

This equipment list provides the following information:

- An item number gives the identification number for the item. Each number is prefixed with a letter which identifies the descriptive grouping (example: A, Powerplant & Accessories) under which it is listed. Suffix letters identify the equipment as a required item, a standard item or an optional item. Suffix letters are as follows:
 - R = required items of equipment for FAA certification
 - S = standard equipment items
 - O = optional equipment items replacing required or standard items
 - A = optional equipment items which are in addition to required or standard items

A reference drawing column provides the drawing number for the item.

NOTE

If additional equipment is to be installed, it must be done in accordance with the reference drawing, accessory kit instructions, or a separate FAA approval.

Columns showing weight (in pounds) and arm (in inches) provide the weight and center of gravity location for the equipment.

NOTE

Unless otherwise indicated, true values (not net change values) for the weight and arm are shown. Positive arms are distances aft of the airplane datum; negative arms are distances forward of the datum.

NOTE

Asterisks (*) after the item weight and arm indicate complete assembly installations. Some major components of the assembly are listed on the lines immediately following. The summation of these major components does not necessarily equal the complete assembly installation.