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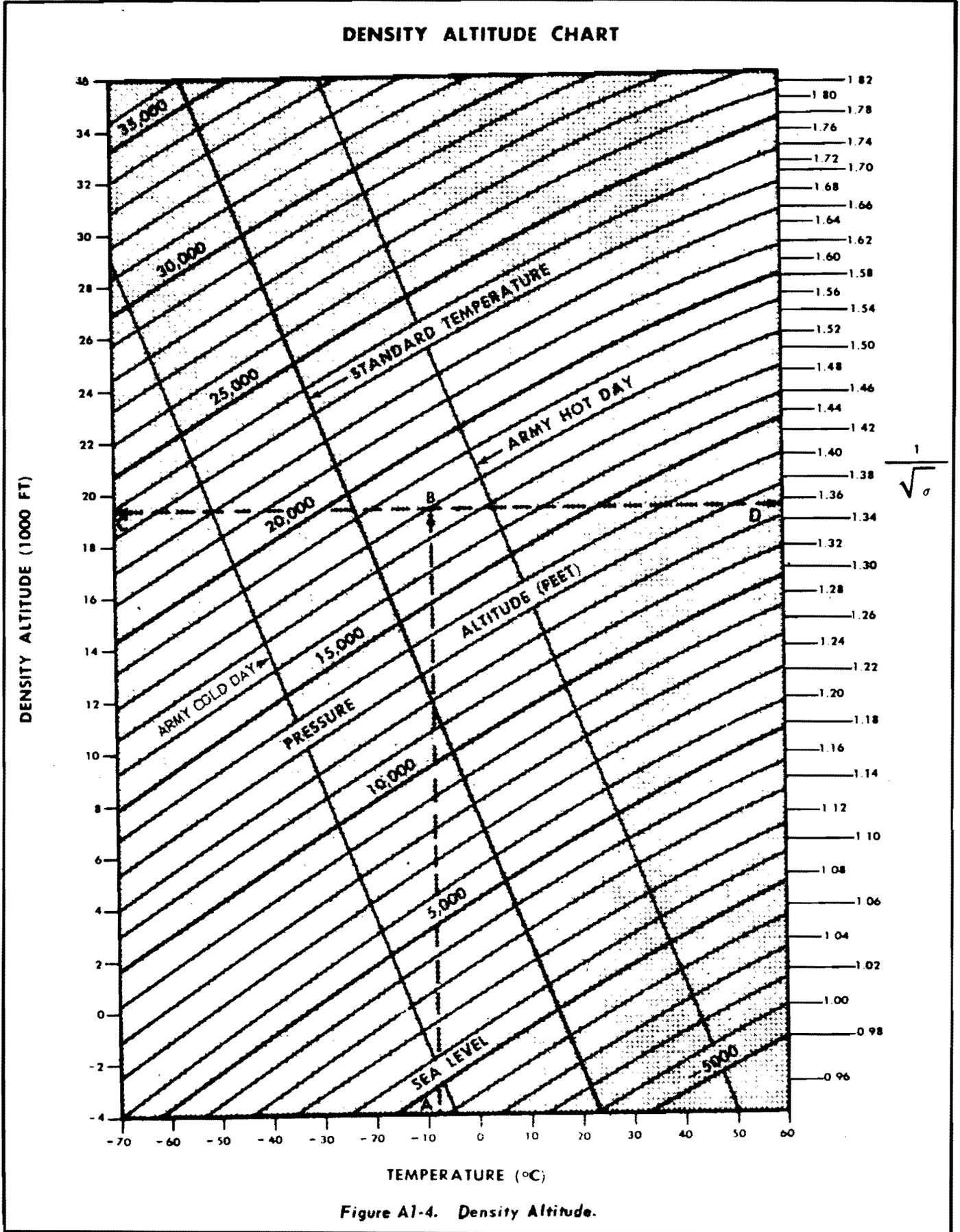


Figure A1-4. Density Altitude.

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ICAO STANDARD ATMOSPHERE TABLE

STANDARD S. I. CONDITIONS:

Temperature = 15°C (59°F)
 Pressure = 29.921 in. Hg (2116.216 psf)
 Density = .0023769 slugs/cu ft
 Speed of sound = 1116.89 fps (661.7 knots)

CONVERSION FACTORS:

1 in. Hg = 70.727 psf
 1 in. = 0.49116 psi
 1 Knot = 1.151 mph
 1 Knot = 1.688 fps

Altitude Feet	Density Ratio σ	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$	Temperature		Speed of Sound (Knots)	Pressure In. Hg	Pressure Ratio δ
			°C	°F			
0	1.000	1.0000	15.000	59.000	661.7	29.921	1.0000
1000	.9711	1.0148	13.019	55.434	659.5	28.856	.9644
2000	.9428	1.0299	11.038	51.868	657.2	27.821	.9298
3000	.9151	1.0454	9.056	48.302	654.9	26.817	.8962
4000	.8881	1.0611	7.076	44.735	652.6	25.842	.8637
5000	.8617	1.0773	5.094	41.169	650.3	24.896	.8320
6000	.8359	1.0938	3.113	37.603	648.7	23.978	.8014
7000	.8106	1.1107	1.132	34.037	645.6	23.088	.7716
8000	.7860	1.1279	- 0.850	30.471	643.3	22.225	.7428
9000	.7620	1.1456	- 2.831	26.905	640.9	21.388	.7148
10,000	.7385	1.1637	- 4.812	23.338	638.6	20.577	.6877
11,000	.7155	1.1822	- 6.793	19.772	636.2	19.791	.6614
12,000	.6932	1.2011	- 8.774	16.206	633.9	19.029	.6360
13,000	.6713	1.2205	-10.756	12.640	631.5	18.292	.6113
14,000	.6500	1.2403	-12.737	9.074	629.0	17.577	.5875
15,000	.6292	1.2606	-14.718	5.508	626.6	16.886	.5643
16,000	.6090	1.2815	-16.699	1.941	624.2	16.216	.5420
17,000	.5892	1.3028	-18.680	- 1.625	621.8	15.569	.5203
18,000	.5699	1.3246	-20.662	- 5.191	619.4	14.942	.4994
19,000	.5511	1.3470	-22.643	- 8.757	617.0	14.336	.4791
20,000	.5328	1.3700	-24.624	-12.323	614.6	13.750	.4595
21,000	.5150	1.3935	-26.605	-15.889	612.1	13.184	.4406
22,000	.4976	1.4176	-28.587	-19.456	609.6	12.636	.4223
23,000	.4800	1.4424	-30.568	-23.022	607.1	12.107	.4046
24,000	.4642	1.4678	-32.549	-26.588	604.6	11.597	.3876
25,000	.4481	1.4938	-34.530	-30.154	602.1	11.103	.3711
26,000	.4325	1.5206	-36.511	-33.720	599.6	10.627	.3552
27,000	.4173	1.5480	-38.492	-37.286	597.1	10.168	.3398
28,000	.4025	1.5762	-40.474	-40.852	594.6	9.725	.3250
29,000	.3881	1.6052	-42.455	-44.419	592.1	9.297	.3107
30,000	.3741	1.6349	-44.436	-47.985	589.5	8.885	.2970
31,000	.3605	1.6654	-46.417	-51.551	586.9	8.488	.2837
32,000	.3473	1.6968	-48.398	-55.117	584.4	8.106	.2709
33,000	.3345	1.7291	-50.379	-58.683	581.8	7.737	.2586
34,000	.3220	1.7623	-52.361	-62.249	579.2	7.382	.2467
35,000	.3099	1.7964	-54.342	-65.816	576.6	7.041	.2353
36,000	.2981	1.8315	-56.323	-69.382	574.0	6.712	.2243
36,089	.2971	1.8347	-56.500	-69.700	573.7	6.683	.2234
37,000	.2843	1.8753	-56.500	-69.700	573.7	6.397	.2138
38,000	.2710	1.9209	-56.500	-69.700	573.7	6.097	.2038
39,000	.2583	1.9677	-56.500	-69.700	573.7	5.811	.1942
40,000	.2462	2.0155	-56.500	-69.700	573.7	5.538	.1851
41,000	.2346	2.0645	-56.500	-69.700	573.7	5.278	.1764
42,000	.2236	2.1148	-56.500	-69.700	573.7	5.030	.1681
43,000	.2131	2.1662	-56.500	-69.700	573.7	4.794	.1602
44,000	.2031	2.2189	-56.500	-69.700	573.7	4.569	.1527
45,000	.1936	2.2728	-56.500	-69.700	573.7	4.355	.1455

Figure A1-5. ICAO Standard Atmosphere Table (Sheet 1 of 2).

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ICAO STANDARD ATMOSPHERE TABLE

ALTITUDE IN 100-FOOT INCREMENTS AND $\frac{1}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$

Altitude Feet	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$	Altitude Feet	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$	Altitude Feet	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$	Altitude Feet	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$	Altitude Feet	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\sigma}}$
100	1.0015	6100	1.0955	12,100	1.2030	18,100	1.3269	24,100	1.4704
200	1.0029	6200	1.0971	12,200	1.2049	18,200	1.3291	24,200	1.4729
300	1.0044	6300	1.0988	12,300	1.2069	18,300	1.3313	24,300	1.4755
400	1.0059	6400	1.1005	12,400	1.2088	18,400	1.3335	24,400	1.4781
500	1.0074	6500	1.1022	12,500	1.2107	18,500	1.3358	24,500	1.4807
600	1.0088	6600	1.1039	12,600	1.2127	18,600	1.3380	24,600	1.4833
700	1.0103	6700	1.1056	12,700	1.2146	18,700	1.3403	24,700	1.4860
800	1.0118	6800	1.1073	12,800	1.2166	18,800	1.3425	24,800	1.4886
900	1.0133	6900	1.1090	12,900	1.2185	18,900	1.3448	24,900	1.4912
1000	1.0148	7000	1.1107	13,000	1.2205	19,000	1.3470	25,000	1.4938
1100	1.0163	7100	1.1124	13,100	1.2224	19,100	1.3493	25,100	1.4965
1200	1.0178	7200	1.1141	13,200	1.2244	19,200	1.3516	25,200	1.4991
1300	1.0193	7300	1.1158	13,300	1.2264	19,300	1.3539	25,300	1.5018
1400	1.0208	7400	1.1175	13,400	1.2284	19,400	1.3561	25,400	1.5045
1500	1.0223	7500	1.1193	13,500	1.2303	19,500	1.3584	25,500	1.5071
1600	1.0238	7600	1.1210	13,600	1.2323	19,600	1.3607	25,600	1.5098
1700	1.0253	7700	1.1227	13,700	1.2343	19,700	1.3630	25,700	1.5125
1800	1.0269	7800	1.1245	13,800	1.2363	19,800	1.3653	25,800	1.5152
1900	1.0284	7900	1.1262	13,900	1.2383	19,900	1.3677	25,900	1.5179
2000	1.0299	8000	1.1279	14,000	1.2403	20,000	1.3700	26,000	1.5206
2100	1.0314	8100	1.1297	14,100	1.2423	20,100	1.3723	26,100	1.5233
2200	1.0330	8200	1.1314	14,200	1.2444	20,200	1.3746	26,200	1.5260
2300	1.0345	8300	1.1332	14,300	1.2464	20,300	1.3770	26,300	1.5287
2400	1.0360	8400	1.1350	14,400	1.2484	20,400	1.3793	26,400	1.5315
2500	1.0376	8500	1.1367	14,500	1.2504	20,500	1.3817	26,500	1.5342
2600	1.0391	8600	1.1385	14,600	1.2525	20,600	1.3840	26,600	1.5370
2700	1.0407	8700	1.1403	14,700	1.2545	20,700	1.3864	26,700	1.5397
2800	1.0422	8800	1.1420	14,800	1.2565	20,800	1.3888	26,800	1.5425
2900	1.0438	8900	1.1438	14,900	1.2586	20,900	1.3911	26,900	1.5453
3000	1.0454	9000	1.1456	15,000	1.2606	21,000	1.3935	27,000	1.5480
3100	1.0469	9100	1.1474	15,100	1.2627	21,100	1.3958	27,100	1.5508
3200	1.0485	9200	1.1492	15,200	1.2648	21,200	1.3983	27,200	1.5536
3300	1.0501	9300	1.1510	15,300	1.2668	21,300	1.4007	27,300	1.5564
3400	1.0516	9400	1.1528	15,400	1.2689	21,400	1.4031	27,400	1.5592
3500	1.0532	9500	1.1546	15,500	1.2710	21,500	1.4055	27,500	1.5620
3600	1.0548	9600	1.1564	15,600	1.2731	21,600	1.4079	27,600	1.5649
3700	1.0564	9700	1.1582	15,700	1.2752	21,700	1.4103	27,700	1.5677
3800	1.0580	9800	1.1600	15,800	1.2773	21,800	1.4128	27,800	1.5705
3900	1.0595	9900	1.1618	15,900	1.2794	21,900	1.4152	27,900	1.5734
4000	1.0611	10,000	1.1637	16,000	1.2815	22,000	1.4176	28,000	1.5762
4100	1.0627	10,100	1.1655	16,100	1.2836	22,100	1.4201	28,100	1.5791
4200	1.0643	10,200	1.1673	16,200	1.2857	22,200	1.4225	28,200	1.5819
4300	1.0659	10,300	1.1692	16,300	1.2878	22,300	1.4250	28,300	1.5848
4400	1.0676	10,400	1.1710	16,400	1.2899	22,400	1.4275	28,400	1.5877
4500	1.0692	10,500	1.1729	16,500	1.2921	22,500	1.4299	28,500	1.5906
4600	1.0708	10,600	1.1747	16,600	1.2942	22,600	1.4324	28,600	1.5935
4700	1.0724	10,700	1.1766	16,700	1.2963	22,700	1.4349	28,700	1.5964
4800	1.0740	10,800	1.1784	16,800	1.2985	22,800	1.4374	28,800	1.5993
4900	1.0757	10,900	1.1803	16,900	1.3006	22,900	1.4399	28,900	1.6022
5000	1.0773	11,000	1.1822	17,000	1.3028	23,000	1.4424	29,000	1.6052
5100	1.0789	11,100	1.1840	17,100	1.3049	23,100	1.4449	29,100	1.6081
5200	1.0806	11,200	1.1859	17,200	1.3071	23,200	1.4474	29,200	1.6110
5300	1.0822	11,300	1.1878	17,300	1.3093	23,300	1.4499	29,300	1.6140
5400	1.0838	11,400	1.1897	17,400	1.3115	23,400	1.4525	29,400	1.6170
5500	1.0855	11,500	1.1916	17,500	1.3136	23,500	1.4550	29,500	1.6199
5600	1.0871	11,600	1.1935	17,600	1.3158	23,600	1.4576	29,600	1.6229
5700	1.0888	11,700	1.1954	17,700	1.3180	23,700	1.4601	29,700	1.6259
5800	1.0905	11,800	1.1973	17,800	1.3202	23,800	1.4627	29,800	1.6289
5900	1.0921	11,900	1.1992	17,900	1.3224	23,900	1.4652	29,900	1.6319
6000	1.0938	12,000	1.2011	18,000	1.3246	24,000	1.4678	30,000	1.6349

Figure A1-5. ICAO Standard Atmosphere Table (Sheet 2 of 2).

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TEMPERATURE CONVERSION CHART

SAMPLE PROBLEM

- A. AIR TEMPERATURE 60° F
- C. AIR TEMPERATURE 18° C

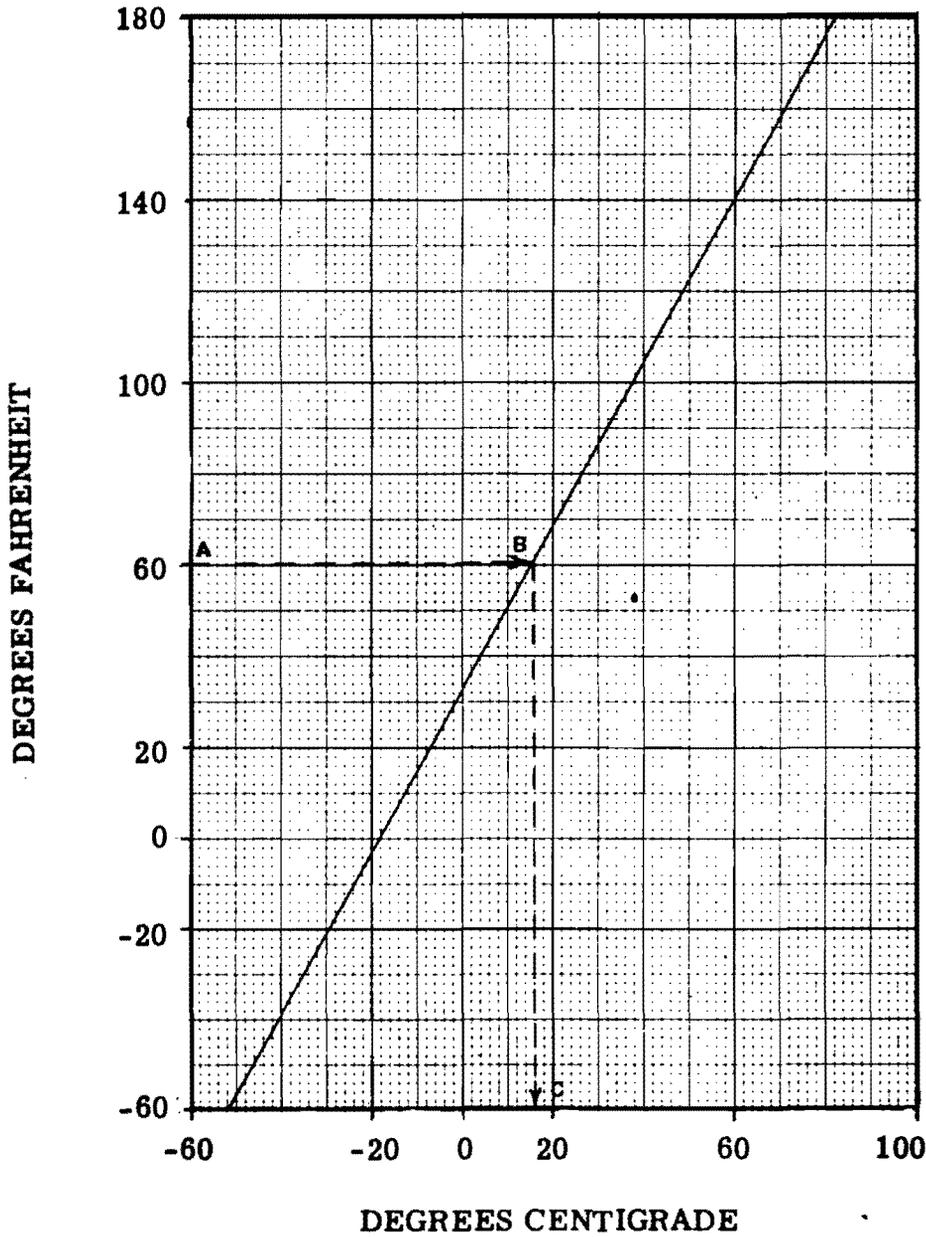


Figure A1-6. Temperature Conversion.

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MPH - KNOTS CONVERSION CHART

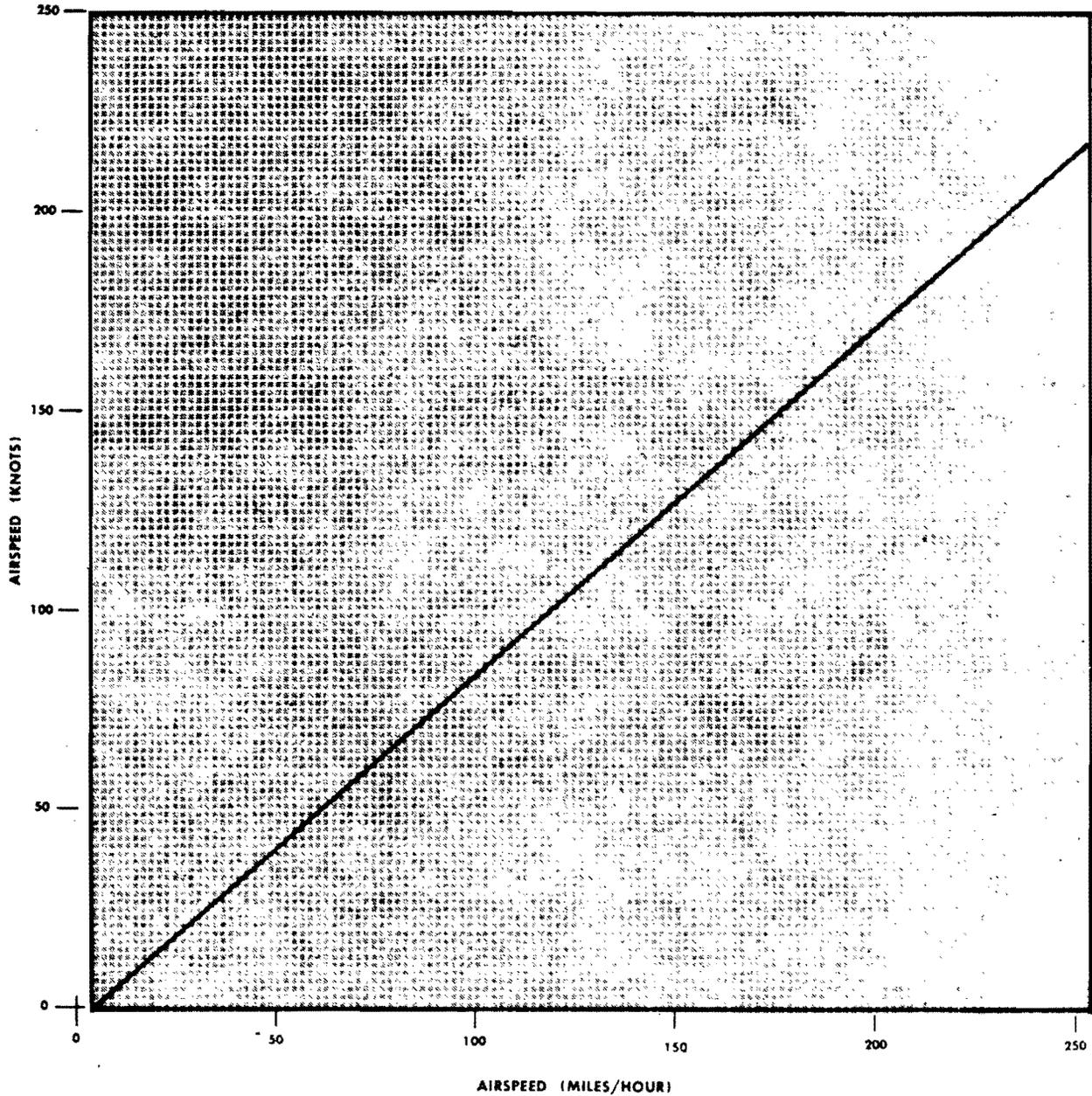


Figure A1-7. MPH - Knots Conversion.

PSYCHROMETRIC CHART

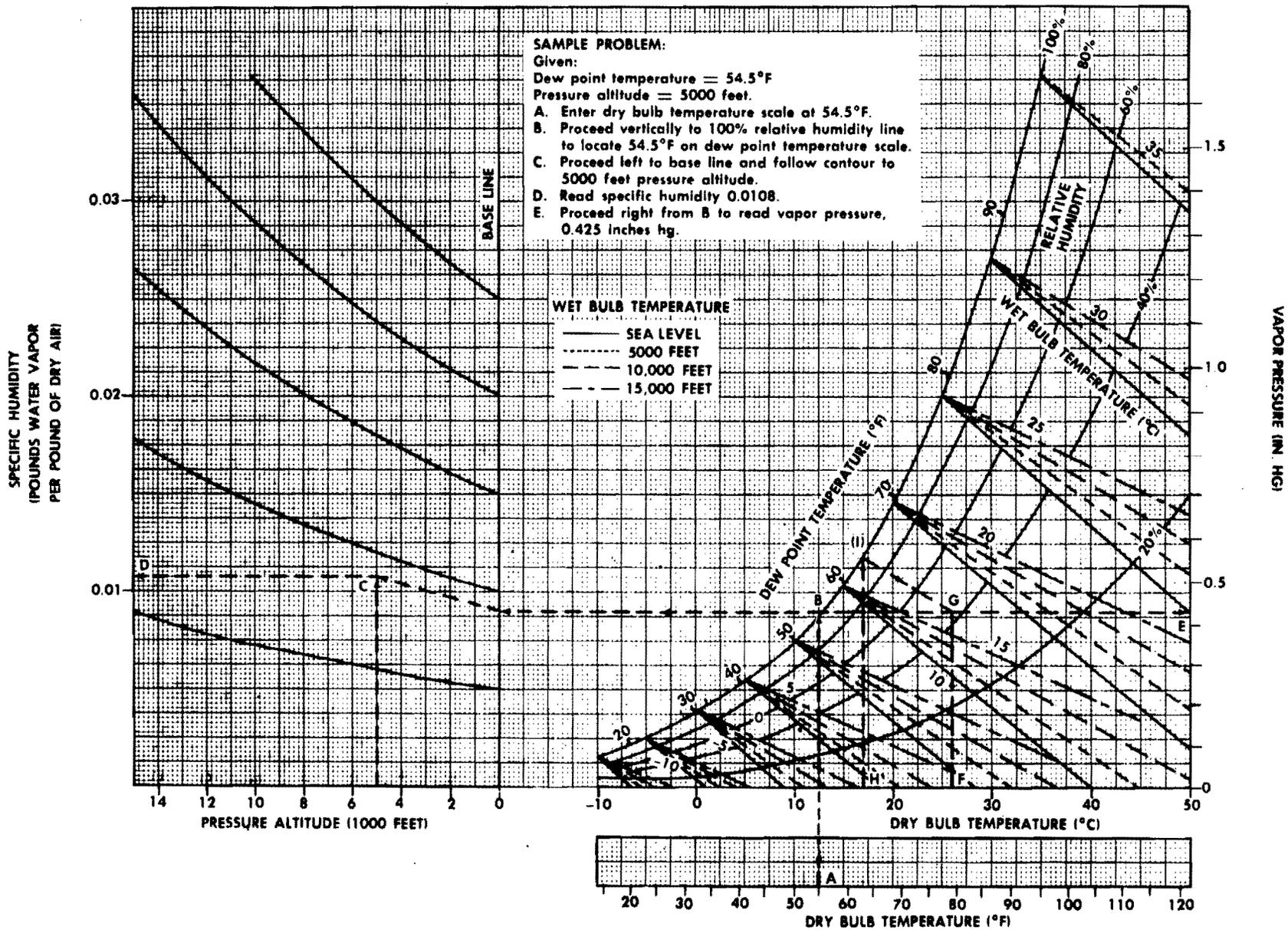


Figure A1-8. Psychrometric Chart.

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FUEL DENSITY TABLE		
100/130 AND 115/145 GRADE FUEL		
FUEL TEMPERATURE		FUEL DENSITY
°C	°F	LB/GAL
50	122	5.67
40	104	5.73
30	86	5.80
20	68	5.87
10	50	5.93
0	32	6.00
-10	14	6.07
-20	-4	6.14
-30	-22	6.21
-40	-40	6.27
-50	-58	6.34

Figure A1-9

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ENGINE DATA

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DISCUSSION OF CHARTS.

Engine characteristics are presented in the engine calibration curve charts (figures A2-12 and A2-13) for the "no ram" condition. Recommended rpm and manifold pressure settings for desired cruising power are given on the constant cruise power setting charts. These settings are based on standard atmospheric conditions.

Manifold pressure (MP) is intake manifold pressure given in inches Hg. absolute (based on zero pressure).

All performance charts specify engine operation with auto rich or auto lean with 100/130 grade fuel.

All flight performance is based on the carburetor air levers remaining in the COLD position. If carburetor heat is applied at a constant manifold pressure, engine power will be decreased because of the higher carburetor air temperature. In addition, the normal air induction system is partially restricted and the carburetor air is taken from a location behind the cylinders. This air, having passed over the engine section, has less ram energy remaining, so that lower manifold pressures will be obtained with a fixed throttle setting.

The power losses attributable to atmospheric conditions may be estimated. The effect of temperature on brake horsepower can be approximated by the following equations, where T_1 and T_{std} are absolute temperatures:

$$\frac{bhp_{std}}{bhp_{T_1}} = \sqrt{\frac{T_2}{T_{std}}} \quad \text{For part throttle constant manifold pressure operation}$$

$$\frac{bhp_{std}}{bhp_{T_1}} = \frac{T_1}{T_{std}} \quad \text{For full throttle operation}$$

Absolute temperature = ambient temperature (degrees centigrade) + 273.

The following rules of thumb may be used to quickly approximate the effect of temperature on power:

1. For part throttle, constant manifold pressure operation, a 10°C temperature increase above standard results in approximately 1.7 percent power loss. Similarly, a 10°C temperature decrease below standard results in approximately 1.7 percent power gain.

2. For full throttle operation, a 10°C temperature increase above standard results in approximately 3.5 percent power loss. Similarly, a 10°C temperature decrease below standard results in approximately 3.5 percent power gain.

3. The variation in manifold pressure with temperature in order to maintain constant power is approximately 1/2-inch Hg increase for every 10°C above standard OAT. In order to maintain constant power for cold day cruise operation, the manifold pressure should be decreased approximately 1/2-inch Hg for every 10°C below standard OAT. During take-off under cold temperature conditions, when overpowering is possible, reduce manifold pressure approximately 1 inch Hg for every 10°C below standard OAT.

$$MP_{corr} = MP_{std} \sqrt{\frac{CAT \text{ absolute Temperature}}{Std. Absolute Temperature}}$$

The effect of humidity on engine power output is as follows:

1. Effective pressure and density altitudes are increased because of the presence of vapor pressure.

2. Fuel-air ratio is increased because fuel is metered on total flow through the venturi, and the total flow includes water vapor as well as air.

3. The thermal efficiency of the combustion process is reduced because of the presence of water vapor. The effect of humidity on power output for take-off is shown on figure A2-1.

4. For cruise operation, the bhp loss associated with humidity is normally cancelled out by the gain in bhp due to increased ram effect with airspeed; therefore, although the engine calibration charts are labeled zero ram, data obtained will approximate actual performance.

NOTE

On all charts in the Appendix, the term METO (Maximum Except Take-Off) is substituted for normal rated power and the term MAXIMUM for take-off power.

POWER SETTINGS

Various permissible combinations of manifold pressure, and rpm settings for pressure altitudes from sea level to 20,000 feet and carburetor air temperatures from -20°C to 30°C are presented in the

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constant cruise power settings charts (figures A2-3B through A2-10), the METO power settings chart (figure A2-2), and the climb power settings chart (figure A2-3). The constant cruise power settings charts are based on auto lean operation and the METO power settings and climb power settings charts are based on auto rich operation. Resultant bhp, and resultant fuel flow in pounds per hour for one engine and for two engines are also indicated on the charts.

CAUTION

If flying conditions in descent require a large reduction in power, reduce rpm as well as manifold pressure. For descents or other low power maneuvers, or perhaps a simulated engine failure, it is important to cushion the high inertia loads on the master rod bearings which occur at conditions of high rpm and low manifold pressure. As a rule of thumb, it is well to remember that each 100 rpm requires at least 1 inch Hg manifold pressure; for example, 23 inches Hg at 2300 rpm. Operation at high rpm and low manifold pressure should be kept to a minimum.

Enter the chart with the given altitude and carburetor air temperature to determine the correct manifold pressure. Without crossing the guide lines, proceed to the right of the chart to obtain the corresponding RPM, and fuel flow.

ENGINE CALIBRATION CURVE

The engine calibration curve charts (figure A2-12 and A2-13) are presented in facing pairs of charts, and provide the necessary information to calculate manifold pressure, brake horsepower, RPM and/or critical altitude (the maximum altitude that may be reached with a given manifold pressure and rpm). A pair of charts is included for both the auto-lean and auto-rich condition.

These charts are the basis for take-off, climb, and cruise data shown throughout the Appendix. They are intended to provide a graphic presentation of the two types of engine power limitations; those imposed by the engine manufacturer to prevent detonation and other effects of overboosting, and those due to the decreasing density of air with increasing altitude. From these charts, power and altitude conditions, not covered in Part 4 CLIMB, or Part 5 RANGE, may be found.

The first chart of each pair (Sheet 1 of 2) shows the variation of BHP with manifold pressure for the range of operating rpm's for sea level calibration.

The second chart (Sheet 2 of 2) shows the variation of BHP and manifold pressure with altitude for operating RPM when maintaining full throttle. On both charts, the upper end of each RPM line is terminated at the BHP limit for that RPM. This altitude is known as the critical altitude for that particular RPM, MP, mixture setting, and atmospheric condition.

The problems which involve the use of operating curves fall generally into one of two types, A- The calculation of BHP, when manifold pressure, RPM, and altitude are known and B- The calculation of manifold pressure, when BHP, RPM and altitude are known.

NOTE

In the interest of clarity sample problem "A" is shown on figure A2-12 and sample problem "B" is shown on figure A2-13. However, both problems can be applied to either chart.

SAMPLE PROBLEM "A":

Given:

1. Manifold pressure = 27.2 in. Hg
2. RPM = 2000
3. Altitude = 9000 feet

To Find:

BRAKE HORSEPOWER

Solution:

1. Locate the intersection of the given RPM and manifold pressure lines on the sea level calibration curve (Point A).
2. Project this intersection (Point A) horizontally to the BHP scale and read 500 BHP (Point B).
3. Enter the altitude calibration curve with this value (Point C).
4. Locate the intersection (Point D) of the full throttle, constant RPM line and the full throttle constant manifold pressure line, corresponding respectively to the given RPM (2000) and manifold pressure (27.2 in. Hg).
5. Connect C and D with a straight line.

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6. Locate the intersection of the line CD with the given altitude line - 9000 feet (Point E).

7. Project this intersection horizontally to the BHP axis (Point F). The required BHP is 560.

EXPLANATION:

The engine's sea level BHP at the given combination of RPM and manifold pressure is found from the sea level calibration curve at B. The BHP at the full throttle critical altitude for the same combination is found from the altitude calibration curve at D. The line CD is, therefore, the part throttle, constant RPM, constant manifold pressure line for the given combination of RPM and manifold pressure. The BHP for any altitude between sea level and critical altitude is then determined by the location of the intersection of the given altitude line with the part throttle line, CD.

SAMPLE PROBLEM "B":

Given:

1. Brake horsepower = 750
2. RPM = 2200
3. Altitude = 9000 feet

FIND:

MANIFOLD PRESSURE

Solution:

1. Locate the intersection of the given altitude and BHP lines on the altitude calibration chart (Point A).
2. Select any constant manifold pressure line (33 in Hg) estimated to be close to the required answer, and locate its intersection with the full throttle, constant RPM line corresponding to the given RPM line (Point B).
3. Transfer these values (33 in Hg manifold pressure and 2200 RPM) to the sea level calibration curve, and locate this intersection (Point C).
4. Project this intersection horizontally to the BHP scale and read 730 BHP (Point D).
5. Enter the altitude calibration curve with this value (Point E).

6. Construct line EB.

7. Through Point A draw line FG parallel to line EB.

8. Locate the intersection of line FG and the full throttle constant (2200) RPM line (Point H). The required manifold pressure is 32.2 inches Hg.

EXPLANATION:

Since all part throttle, constant RPM, constant manifold pressure lines are approximately parallel, it follows that, if we determine the slope of one such line, EB, we can draw the corresponding line, FG, through the given BHP-altitude point, A. Inasmuch as manifold pressure is constant at all points on the line, FG, its value may be found at that point, H, where the part throttle, constant RPM, constant manifold pressure line, intersects (or, better, terminates in) the full throttle, constant given RPM line. The more closely we can estimate the desired manifold pressure, the more accurate will be our construction; and in this case experience might have suggested that we use 32 in. Hg for our preliminary estimate of manifold pressure instead of 33 in.

FUEL FLOW PER ENGINE

The fuel flow per engine chart (figure A2-13) is used to determine fuel consumption for various brake horsepower and RPM settings when using either auto lean or auto rich mixture settings. Fuel flow may be determined in either pounds per hour or gallons per hour.

SAMPLE PROBLEM:

Enter Chart at brake horse power, point A. Project a line vertically to intersect the fuel flow line at a given RPM, point B. Project a line CD horizontally from point B and read fuel flow pounds per hour at point C, and gallons per hour at point D.

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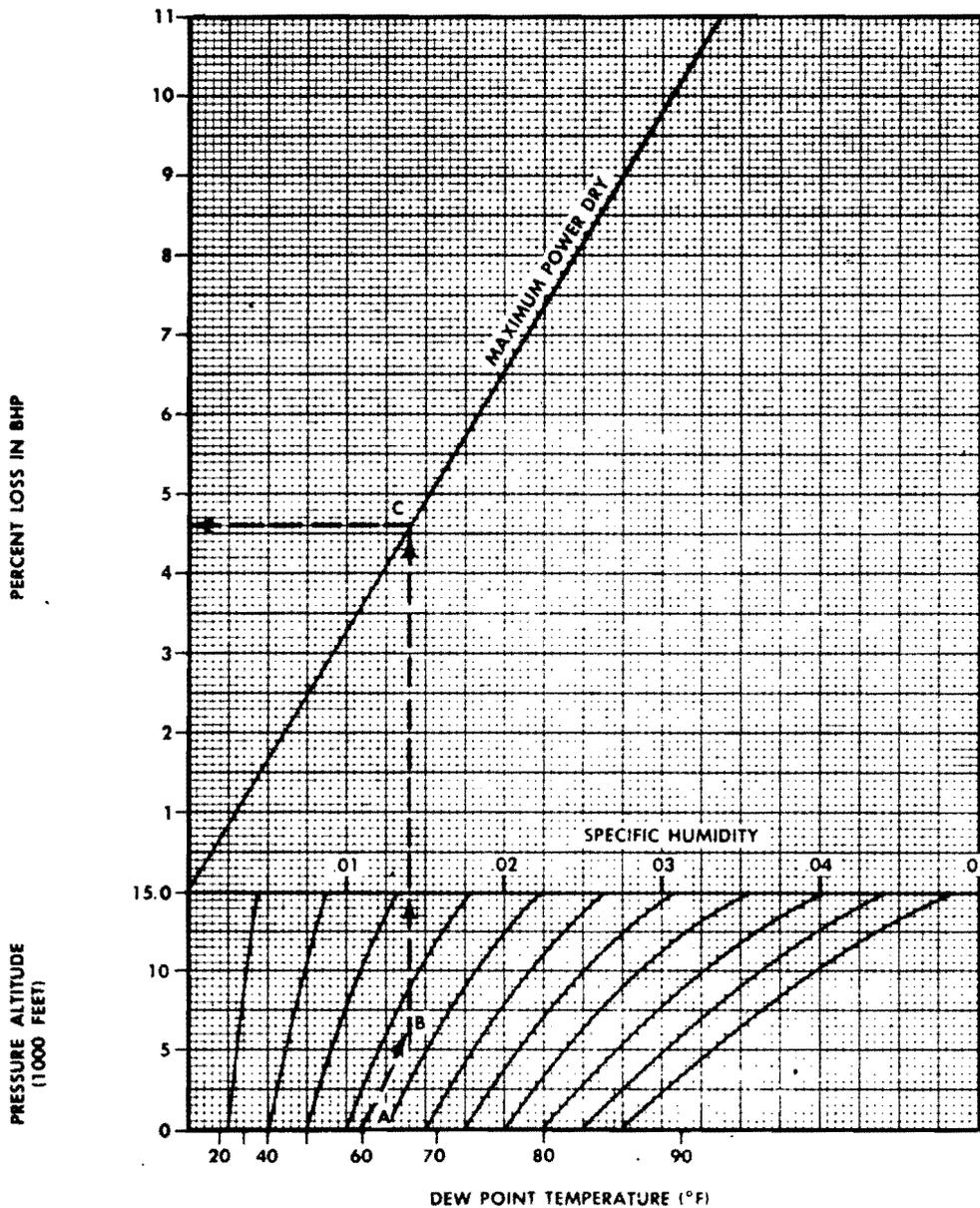
EFFECT OF HUMIDITY ON POWER OUTPUT

MODEL: C-47, C-117,
AND R4D

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D, AND -92

SAMPLE PROBLEM

- A. Dew point temperature = 60°F.
- B. Pressure altitude = 6000 feet.
- C. Effect of humidity on maximum power is a 4.6% loss in power.



Note:
This chart shows the percent loss in BHP for any given manifold pressure. However, it is permissible to regain some of this loss by increasing manifold pressure by an amount equal to the water vapor pressure present in the air, up to a limit of 1.5 inches Hg.

BASED ON: ESTIMATED DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

FUEL GRADE: 100 130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB GAL

Figure A2-1. Effect of Humidity on Power Output.

MODEL: C-47, C-117
AND R4D

METO POWER SETTINGS

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

BASED ON P & W INST 72
DATA AS OF: 25 OCTOBER 1962

1050 BRAKE HORSEPOWER PER ENGINE

AUTO RICH

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

PRESSURE ALTITUDE (FEET)	MANIFOLD PRESSURE (IN Hg) AT CARBURETOR AIR TEMPERATURE (°C)						RPM	FUEL FLOW LB/HR	
	-20°	-10°	0°	+ 10°	+ 20°	+ 30°		PER ENG	2 ENG
	20,000								
19,000									
18,000									
17,000									
16,000									
15,000									
14,000									
13,000									
12,000									
11,000									
10,000									
9,000									
8,000									
7,000	39.4	40.2	40.9						
6,000	39.3	40.1	40.9	41.6	42.3				
5,000	39.5	40.3	41.1	41.8	42.6	43.3			
4,000	39.7	40.5	41.3	42.0	42.8	43.5			
3,000	39.9	40.7	41.5	42.2	43.0	43.7			
2,000	40.0	40.8	41.6	42.3	43.1	43.8	2550	735.00	
1,000	40.0	40.8	41.6	42.3	43.1	43.8		1470.00	
0	40.0	40.8	41.6	42.3	43.1	43.8			

Figure A2-2. METO Power Settings.

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CLIMB POWER SETTINGS

850 BRAKE HORSEPOWER SETTINGS
AUTO RICH

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

PRESSURE ALTITUDE (FEET)	MANIFOLD PRESSURE (IN. Hg) AT CARBURETOR AIR TEMPERATURE (°C)						RPM	FUEL FLOW LB/HR	
	-20°	-10°	0°	+ 10°	+ 20°	+ 30°		PER ENG	2 ENG
20,000									
19,000									
18,000									
17,000									
16,000									
15,000									
14,000									
13,000									
12,000									
11,000									
10,000	33.7	34.3							
9,000	33.7	34.4	34.8	35.3	35.7	36.1	2350	500	1000
8,000	33.8	34.4	34.8	35.4	35.8	36.2			
7,000	33.8	34.5	34.9	35.5	35.9	36.3			
6,000	33.8	34.5	34.9	35.6	36.0	36.4			
5,000	33.9	34.6	35.0	35.6	36.0	36.4			
4,000	33.9	34.6	35.0	35.7	36.1	36.5			
3,000	34.0	34.7	35.1	35.8	36.2	36.6			
2,000	34.2	34.7	35.2	35.9	36.3	36.7			
1,000	34.3	34.8	35.3	35.9	36.3	36.7			
0	34.4	34.8	35.4	36.0	36.4	36.8			

Figure A2-3. Climb Power Settings

MODEL: C-47, C-117
AND R4D

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CONSTANT CRUISE POWER SETTINGS

500 BRAKE HORSEPOWER PER ENGINE

AUTO LEAN

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

PRESSURE ALTITUDE (FEET)	MANIFOLD PRESSURE (IN. Hg) AT CARBURETOR AIR TEMPERATURE (°C)						RPM	FUEL FLOW LB/HR	
	-20°	-10°	0°	+10°	+20°	+30°		PER ENG	2 ENG
20,000									
19,000									
18,000									
17,000	23.0	23.5							
16,000	23.0	23.5	23.9	24.4					
15,000	23.2	23.7	24.2	24.6	25.0				
14,000	24.8	25.2	24.4	24.8	25.2	25.7			
13,000	25.0	25.3	25.6	25.9	25.4	25.8	2050	224.20	448.40
12,000	25.9	25.5	25.8	26.1	26.4	26.7			
11,000	26.1	26.5	27.0	26.3	26.7	27.0	1900	219.00	438.00
10,000	27.5	26.6	27.0	27.3	27.5	27.8			
9,000	27.7	28.0	28.5	27.5	27.9	28.2	1800	215.00	430.00
8,000	27.9	28.4	28.7	29.1	29.5	29.8			
7,000	28.0	28.5	28.9	29.3	29.6	29.9			
6,000	28.2	28.6	29.0	29.4	29.8	30.1			
5,000	28.3	28.7	29.2	29.6	29.9	30.2			
4,000	28.4	28.8	29.3	29.8	30.0	30.3	1700	210.00	420.00
3,000	28.5	28.9	29.4	29.9	30.2	30.5			
2,000	28.7	29.1	29.6	30.0	30.4	30.7			
1,000	28.8	29.2	29.7	30.2	30.5	30.8			
0	28.9	29.4	29.8	30.3	30.7	31.0			

Figure A2-6. Constant Cruise Power Settings, 500 Bhp Per Engine.

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CONSTANT CRUISE POWER SETTINGS

450 BRAKE HORSEPOWER PER ENGINE

BASED ON P & W INST 72
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AUTO LEAN

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

PRESSURE ALTITUDE (FEET)	MANIFOLD PRESSURE (IN. Hg) AT CARBURETOR AIR TEMPERATURE (°C)						RPM	FUEL FLOW LB/HR	
	- 20°	- 10°	0°	+ 10°	+ 20°	+ 30°		PER ENG	2 ENG
20,000	20.9								
19,000	21.0	21.4	21.8						
18,000	21.0	21.4	21.9	22.3	22.6				
17,000	22.5	21.7	22.1	22.5	22.9	23.3			
16,000	22.5	23.0	23.4	22.6	23.0	23.4	2050	202.50	405.00
15,000	22.8	23.3	23.4	23.8	24.0	24.3			
14,000	23.8	24.2	23.6	23.8	24.3	24.5	1900	199.80	399.60
13,000	24.0	24.3	24.5	24.8	25.3	25.6			
12,000	25.0	25.5	24.6	25.0	25.3	25.6	1800	197.55	395.10
11,000	25.1	25.5	25.9	26.3	25.5	25.8			
10,000	25.4	25.7	26.0	26.3	26.5	26.8			
9,000	25.5	25.8	26.3	26.5	26.9	27.1			
8,000	25.5	25.8	26.3	26.7	26.9	27.1			
7,000	25.7	26.0	26.4	26.9	27.1	27.4			
6,000	25.9	26.2	26.6	27.1	27.3	27.6			
5,000	26.1	26.3	26.8	27.2	27.5	27.8			
4,000	26.3	26.5	27.0	27.4	27.7	28.0	1700	193.50	387.00
3,000	26.4	26.7	27.2	27.6	27.9	28.2			
2,000	26.6	27.0	27.4	27.8	28.1	28.4			
1,000	26.7	27.2	27.6	27.9	28.2	28.5			
0	26.9	27.4	27.8	28.1	28.4	28.7			

Figure A2-7. Constant Cruise Power Settings, 450 Bhp Per Engine.

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AND R4D

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CONSTANT CRUISE POWER SETTINGS

400 BRAKE HORSEPOWER PER ENGINE

AUTO LEAN

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

PRESSURE ALTITUDE (FEET)	MANIFOLD PRESSURE (IN. Hg) AT CARBURETOR AIR TEMPERATURE (°C)						RPM	FUEL FLOW LB/HR	
	- 20°	- 10°	0°	+ 10°	+ 20°	+ 30°		PER ENG	2 ENG
20,000									
19,000									
18,000									
17,000									
16,000									
15,000	22.5	22.0	22.2	22.4	22.8	23.2	1800	184.00	368.00
14,000	22.8	23.1	23.4	23.7	23.0	23.4			
13,000	22.8	23.2	23.7	23.9	24.3	24.5	1700	177.50	355.00
12,000	23.0	23.5	23.8	24.2	24.4	24.6			
11,000	23.1	23.6	23.9	24.3	24.5	24.7			
10,000	23.3	23.7	24.0	24.3	24.6	24.9			
9,000	23.4	23.7	24.1	24.4	24.7	25.0			
8,000	23.5	23.8	24.3	24.4	24.8	25.1			
7,000	23.6	24.0	24.4	24.6	24.9	25.2			
6,000	23.8	24.1	24.5	24.8	25.1	25.4			
5,000	23.9	24.3	24.6	25.0	25.3	25.6			
4,000	24.0	24.4	24.8	25.2	25.5	25.8			
3,000	24.2	24.6	24.9	25.4	25.7	26.0			
2,000	24.4	24.8	25.1	25.5	25.9	26.3			
1,000	24.6	25.0	25.3	25.7	26.1	26.5			
0	24.8	25.3	25.5	25.8	26.3	26.8			

Figure A2-8. Constant Cruise Power Settings, 400 Bhp Per Engine.

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CONSTANT CRUISE POWER SETTINGS

350 BRAKE HORSEPOWER PER ENGINE

AUTO LEAN

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

PRESSURE ALTITUDE (FEET)	MANIFOLD PRESSURE (IN. Hg) AT CARBURETOR AIR TEMPERATURE (°C)						RPM	FUEL FLOW LB/HR	
	- 20°	- 10°	0°	+ 10°	+ 20°	+ 30°		PER ENG	2 ENG
20,000									
19,000									
18,000									
17,000									
16,000									
15,000									
14,000									
13,000									
12,000									
11,000									
10,000	21.1	21.4	21.7	22.0	22.2	22.4	1700	158.50	317.00
9,000	21.3	21.6	21.9	22.2	22.4	22.6			
8,000	21.4	21.7	22.0	22.3	22.5	22.7			
7,000	21.6	21.9	22.2	22.5	22.7	22.9			
6,000	21.7	22.0	22.3	22.6	22.8	23.0			
5,000	21.9	22.2	22.5	22.8	23.0	23.2			
4,000	22.0	22.3	22.6	22.9	23.1	23.3			
3,000	22.2	22.6	22.9	23.1	23.4	23.7			
2,000	22.4	22.8	23.1	23.4	23.6	23.8			
1,000	22.6	23.1	23.4	23.6	23.9	24.1			
0	22.8	23.3	23.6	23.8	24.1	24.4			

Figure A2-9. Constant Cruise Power Settings, 350 Bhp Per Engine.

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CONSTANT CRUISE POWER SETTINGS

300 BRAKE HORSEPOWER PER ENGINE

AUTO LEAN

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

PRESSURE ALTITUDE (FEET)	MANIFOLD PRESSURE (IN. Hg) AT CARBURETOR AIR TEMPERATURE (°C)						RPM	FUEL FLOW LB/HR	
	- 20°	- 10°	0°	+ 10°	+ 20°	+ 30°		PER ENG	2 ENG
20,000							1700	142.00	284.00
19,000									
18,000									
17,000									
16,000									
15,000									
14,000									
13,000									
12,000									
11,000									
10,000	18.8	19.2	19.4	19.6	19.9	20.2			
9,000	19.0	19.3	19.6	19.8	20.1	20.3			
8,000	19.2	19.5	19.8	20.0	20.3	20.6			
7,000	19.4	19.7	19.9	20.2	20.5	20.8			
6,000	19.6	19.9	20.1	20.5	20.7	20.9			
5,000	19.8	20.0	20.2	20.7	20.9	21.1			
4,000	20.0	20.2	20.4	20.9	21.1	21.3			
3,000	20.2	20.5	20.7	21.1	21.3	21.5			
2,000	20.4	20.7	20.95	21.3	21.5	21.7			
1,000	20.6	21.0	21.2	21.5	21.7	21.9			
0	20.8	21.2	21.5	21.7	21.9	22.1			

Figure A2-10. Constant Cruise Power Settings, 300 Bhp Per Engine.

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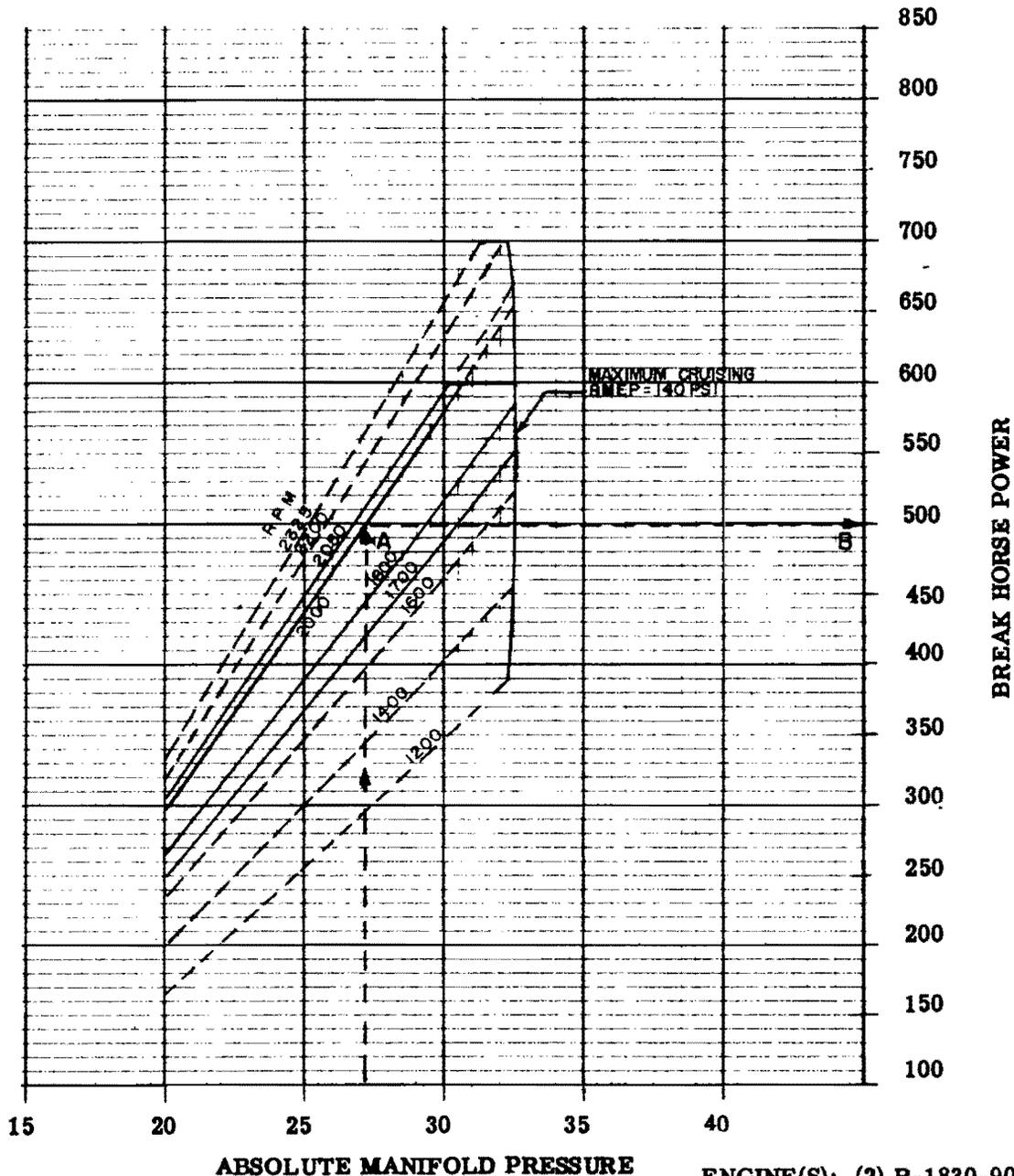
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ENGINE CALIBRATION CURVE AUTO-LEAN SEA LEVEL CALIBRATION

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FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
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Figure A2-11. Engine Calibration Curve - Auto Lean (Sheet 1 of 2).

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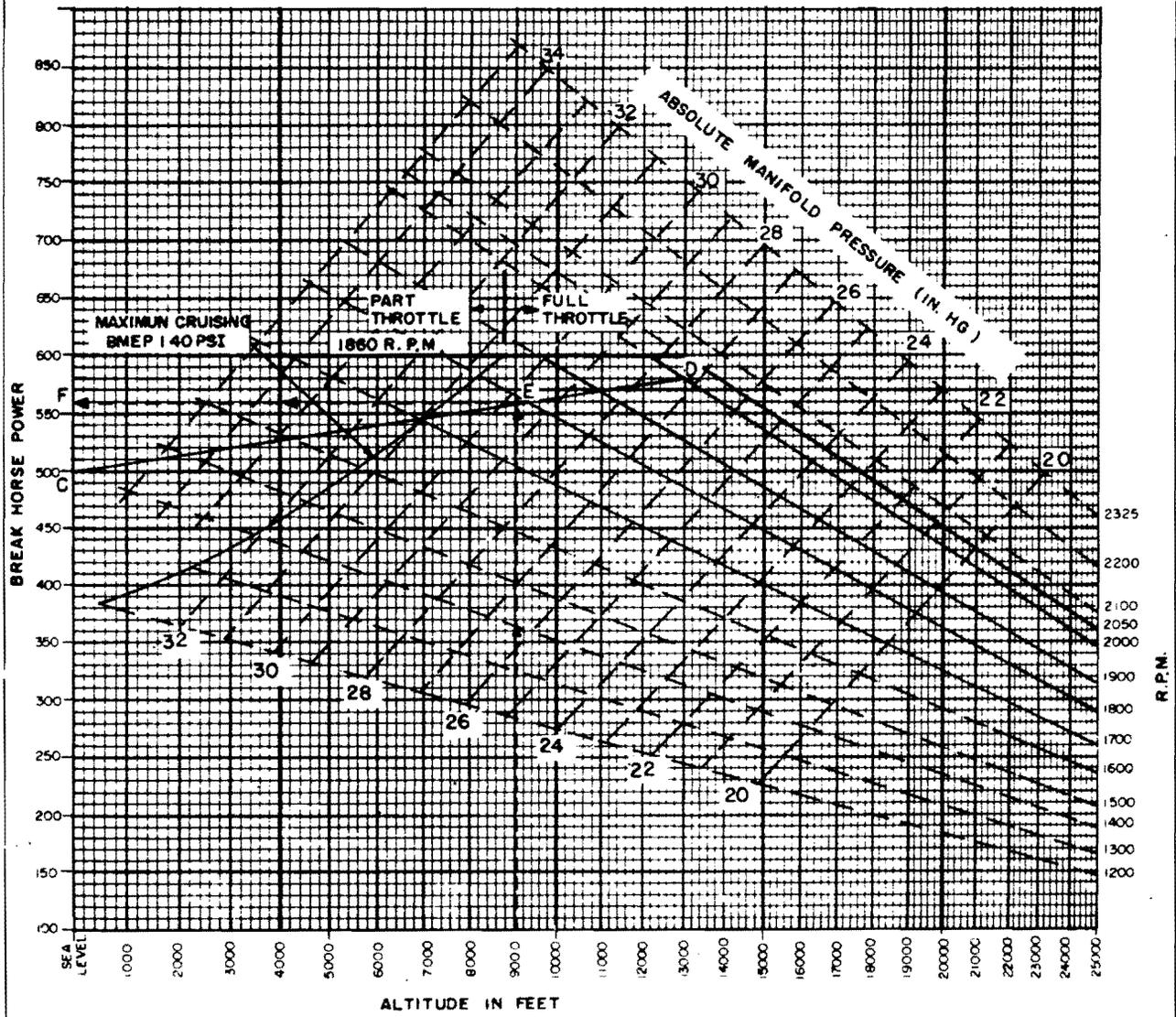
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ENGINE ALTITUDE CALIBRATION CURVE

**AUTO-LEAN
WITHOUT RAM
NACA STANDARD DAY**

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AND R4D

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FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
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Figure A2-11. Engine Calibration Curve - Auto Lean (Sheet 2 of 2).

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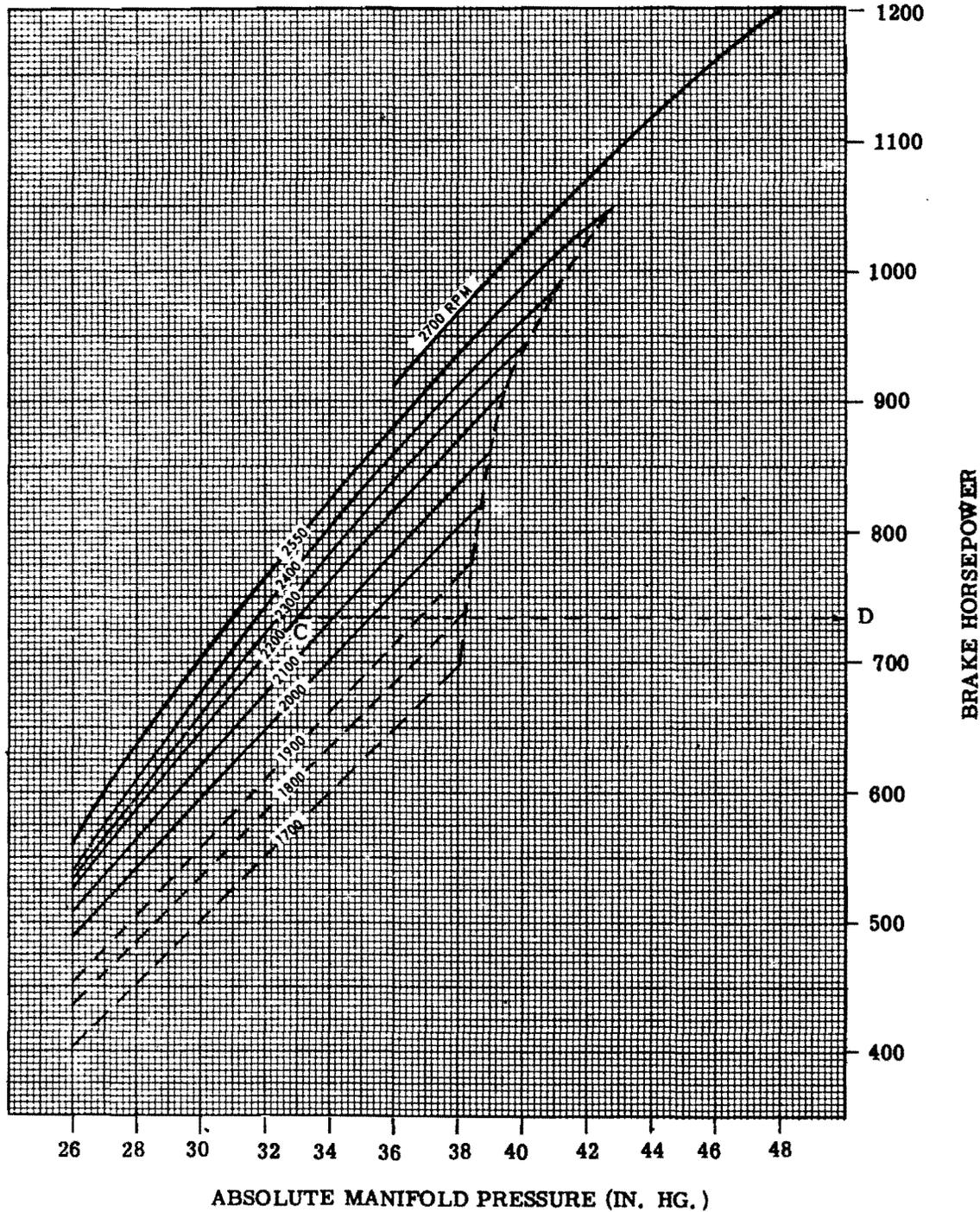
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ENGINE CALIBRATION CURVE

MODEL: C-47, C-117
AND R4D

AUTO-RICH
SEA LEVEL CALIBRATION



ENGINE (S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE
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FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

Figure A2-12. Engine Calibration Curve-Auto Rich (Sheet 1 of 2)

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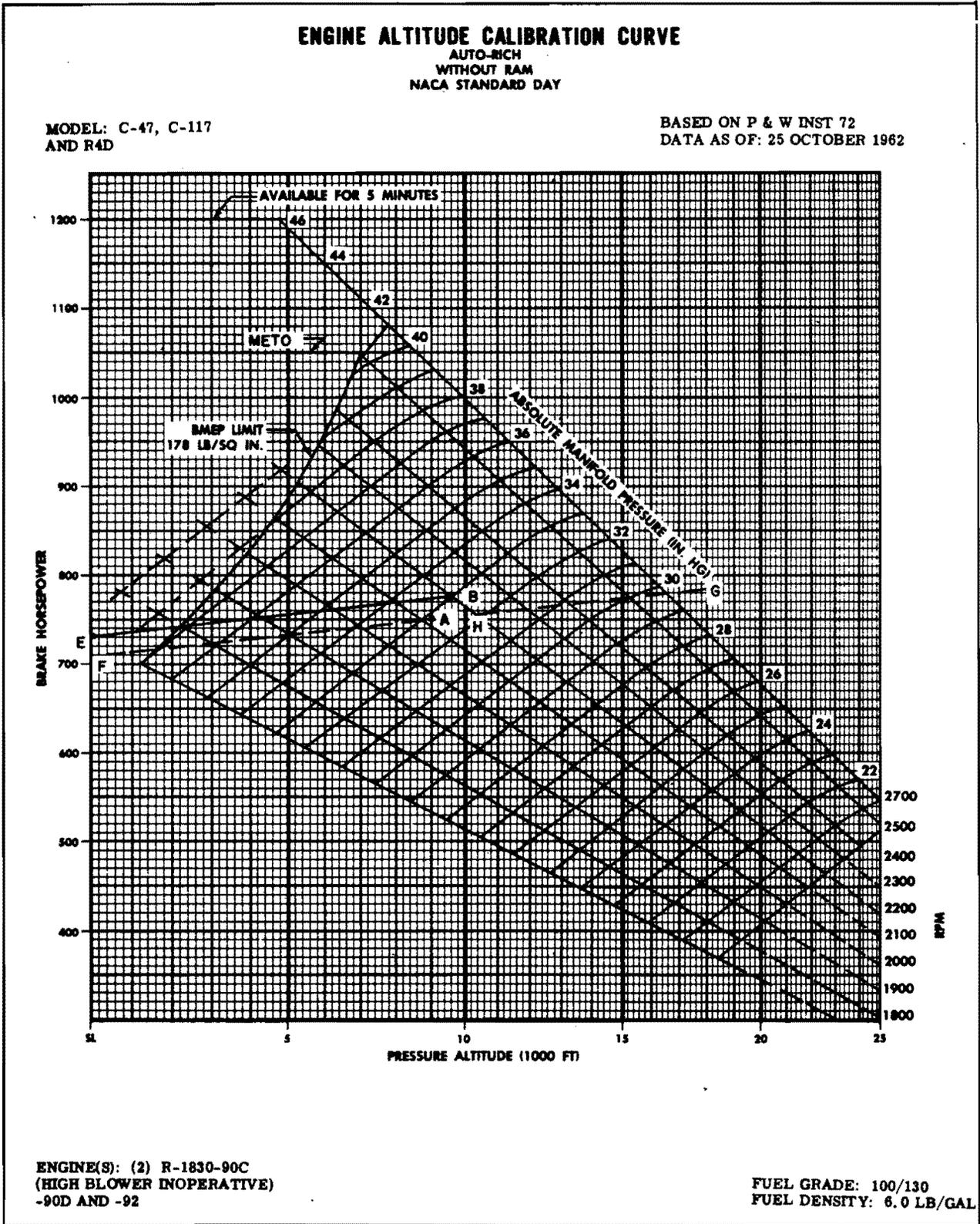


Figure A2-12. Engine Calibration Curve - Auto Rich (Sheet 2 of 2).

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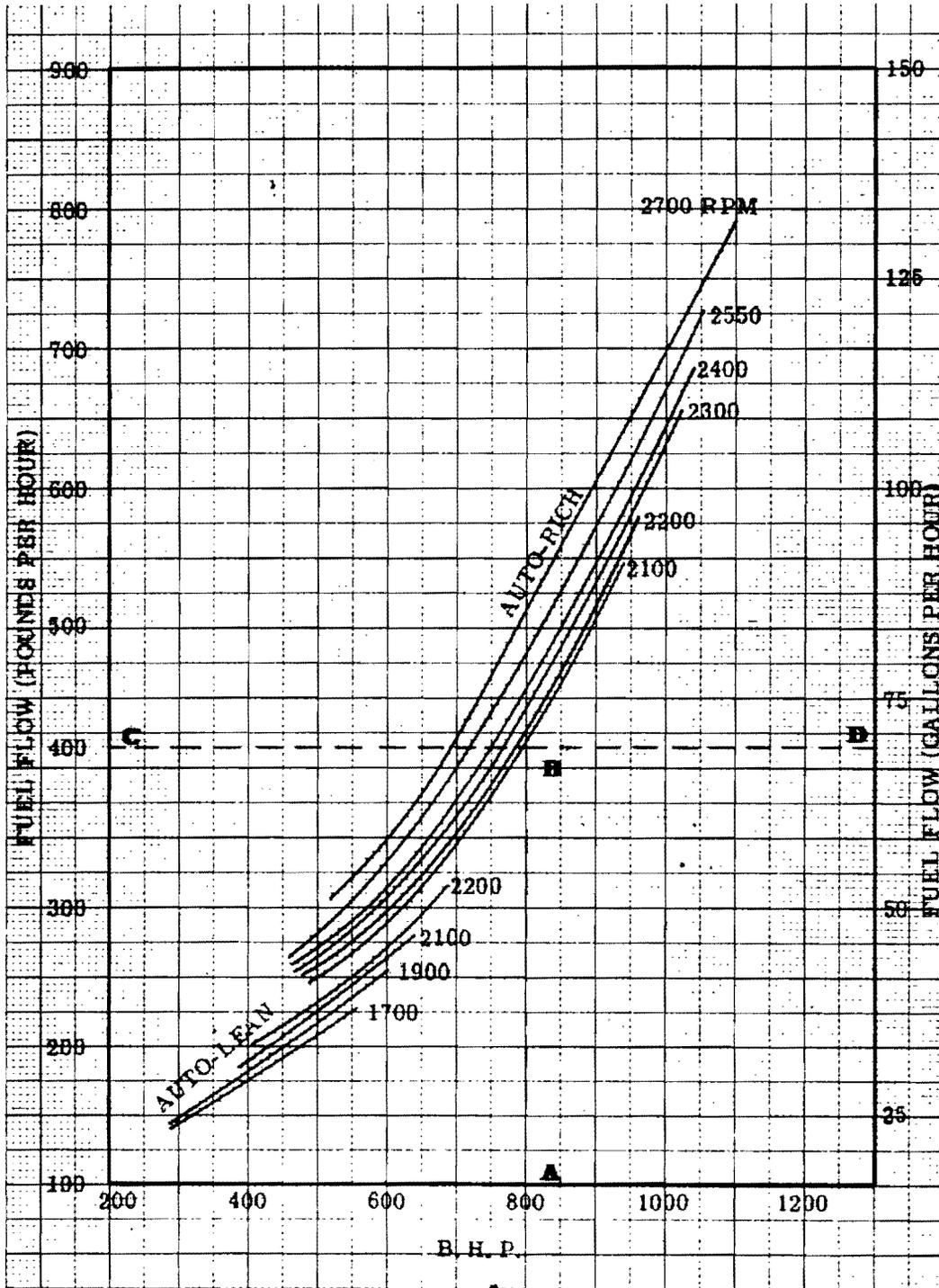
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FUEL FLOW PER ENGINE

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FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
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Figure A2-13. Fuel Flow Per Engine.

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DISCUSSION OF CHARTS.

INTRODUCTION.

The take-off and climbout charts are presented for various gross weights and altitudes for standard atmospheric conditions. Headwind, runway surface condition, specific humidity, and nonstandard temperatures may be taken into account by use of the correction plots. A runway slope correction chart is also included.

Use 50 percent of reported headwinds and 150 percent of reported tailwinds with the wind correction grid. This allows a safety margin for fluctuation of wind velocity. It is assumed that the wind velocity is measured at a height of 50 feet above the ground. Allowance is made for wind gradient from 50 feet down to the approximate height of the aircraft on the ground, where the wind velocity is slightly reduced.

The engine manufacturer's limiting maximum brake horsepower of 1200 is observed. The take-off and climbout performance charts are discussed in detail in the following paragraphs.

MAXIMUM TAKE-OFF GROSS WEIGHT.

Safe operation of the aircraft requires that take-offs not be attempted at gross weights for which acceleration, rate-of-climb, or obstacle clearance capability are marginal. There are four primary factors which must be considered when determining a safe limit for the take-off gross weight.

1. The ability of the structure to withstand taxiing loads and inflight maneuvering loads are shown as design take-off gross weights in the weight limitations chart (figure 5-2).
2. The ability to take off within the available runway is shown on the take-off performance chart (figure A3-11).
3. The ability to have adequate rate of climb when airborne is shown on the take-off gross weight limited by single-engine climb performance chart (figure A3-1).
4. The ability to clear obstacles within the take-off corridor is shown on the take-off path chart (figure A3-13).

For a given set of take-off conditions, each of these four considerations will permit a different gross weight. Any one of the four weights may be the lowest, depending on the conditions. For this reason, all four factors must be considered for each take-off, even though in many cases one or more

of them may be eliminated after cursory examination. The lowest weight determined by these factors will be the maximum take-off gross weight.

TAKE-OFF GROSS WEIGHT LIMITED BY SINGLE-ENGINE CLIMB PERFORMANCE.

This chart (figure A3-1), based on one engine operating at maximum power, cowl flaps trail position, wing flaps up, landing gear up, and propeller on inoperative engine feathered, shows the maximum gross weights at which a 100 FPM rate of climb may be maintained for single-engine operation for various altitudes. For structural gross weight limitations, refer to figure 5-2 in Section V.

SAMPLE PROBLEM:

Given

1. Outside Air Temperature = 20°C (Point A)
2. Pressure Altitude = 2000 feet (Point B)
3. No Ski Configuration (Point C)

Find:

1. Maximum gross weight for 100 feet per minute single - engine rate of climb = 30200 pounds (Point D)

TAKE-OFF GROUND RUN DISTANCE CHARTS

The Take-Off Ground Run Charts (figure A3-2 through A3-8) are provided for several aircraft configurations, to determine the take-off ground run distance at various field altitudes, outside air temperatures, specific humidities, and gross weights, corrected for wind and runway surface conditions. The effect of runway slope on take-off ground run may be determined from the runway slope correction chart (figure A3-10).

SAMPLE PROBLEM:

- A. Outside Air Temperature - 10°C
- B. Pressure Altitude - 2 000 feet
- C. Base Line
- D. Specific Humidity - .015
- E. Gross Weight - 27000 pounds
- F. Base Line
- G. Reported Headwind - 20 knots.
- H. Base Line and Take-off ground
Run Distance Hard Surface
Runway - 1350 feet.

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I. Runway Surface - Sod.

J. Take-off Ground Roll-1550 feet.

TAKE-OFF PERFORMANCE - SPEED DURING GROUND RUN

The take-off performance - speed during ground run chart (figure A3-9) is based on the average acceleration characteristics of the aircraft during the take-off ground run with both engines operating at maximum power. Each line gives a particular relationship of indicated speed to the distance from the start of the take-off run for various aircraft configurations. The configuration of the aircraft is accounted for by entering the chart with the take-off ground run distance from the appropriate take-off ground run chart corrected for run way slope. Speed is obtained from the characteristic take-off speed chart. In this way the appropriate contour is located. This chart is also used to determine refusal distance.

Sample Problem:

Given:

1. Takeoff gross weight = 27,000 pounds, wing flaps - up, without skis or JATO.
2. Outside air temperature = 10°C, pressure altitude = 2,000 feet, specific humidity = .015, reported headwind = 20 knots, reported headwind = 20 knots, effective headwind 10 knots, runway length = 2,500 feet, runway surface = sod.

Find:

Indicated airspeed at 1,000 feet of take-off run.

1. From Figure A3-2, determine that ground run distance = 1550 feet.
2. From Figure A3-14, determine that indicated airspeed at lift off = 74.5 knots.
3. Correct lift-off speed to ground speed = lift-off speed - reported headwind (+reported tailwind) = 74.5-20 = 54.5 KIAS.
4. Enter chart at 1550 feet (point A) and 54.5 knots (point B) to determine contour line (point C).
5. Enter chart at desired distance, 1,000 feet (point D).
6. Extend line horizontally until it intersects the predetermined contour line (point E).
7. Extend a line vertically from point E to the indicated airspeed scale (point F) and read the ground speed (43.7 knots) to be attained at 1,000 feet of the takeoff run.

8. Correct ground speed to KIAS = ground speed + reported headwind (- reported tailwind) = 43.7 + 20 = 63.7 KIAS to be attained at 1,000 feet of the takeoff run.

Refusal Distance

Sample Problem:

Given:

1. Takeoff gross weight = 27,000 pounds, wing flaps - up, without skis or JATO.
2. Outside air temperature = 10°C, pressure altitude = 2,000 feet, specific humidity = .015, reported headwind = 20 knots, effective headwind = 10 knots, runway length = 2,500 feet, runway surface sod.

Find:

1. Determine contour line using the above method.
2. Using Figure A3-11, determine the refusal speed (65 KIAS).
3. Correct refusal speed to ground speed = refusal speed - reported headwind (+reported tailwind) = 65-20 = 45 KIAS.
4. Using this ground speed (45 KIAS), enter chart (point G).
5. Draw a line vertically to the predetermined contour line (point H).
6. Draw a line horizontally from point H to the distance scale (point J) and read the refusal distance, 1050 feet.

RUNWAY SLOPE CORRECTION

This chart (figure A3-10) is to be used to correct data obtained from the Ground Run charts (figure A3-2 through A3-8) when runways have other than zero slopes.

SAMPLE PROBLEM:

- A. For Zero Runway Slope: Take-off Ground Run Distance = 1350 feet.
- B. Correction For Runway Slope of .005 (5 feet rise per 1000 feet of runway).
- C. Take-off Ground Run Distance - 1400 feet.

TAKE-OFF PERFORMANCE - REFUSAL SPEED

The refusal speed as shown on this chart (figure A3-11) is the maximum speed which may be reached, accelerating from a standstill with two engines

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operating at maximum power, and from which a stop may be made within a given runway length. This chart is based on a dry, hard surface runway and includes correction grids for outside air temperature, pressure altitude, specific humidity, wind component and gross weight. In addition, a three second time delay after reaching refusal speed is allowed before cutting the engines and applying the brakes. Refusal speeds are given in indicated airspeeds. Refusal speeds above take-off speeds are not shown.

Enter the chart with outside air temperature (point A). Draw a line horizontally from Point A to the pressure altitude line (point B). Draw a vertical line from Point B to the specific humidity base line (Point C) and a line parallel to the contour line from Point C to the given specific humidity (Point D). Then enter chart at the given runway length (Point E) and draw a horizontal line to intersect the base line (Point F). From Point F, draw a line following the trend of the contour lines until it intersects a vertical line drawn from Point D. This intersection is (Point G). From Point G, draw a horizontal line to the zero wind line (Point H). From Point H, draw a line following the trend of the contour lines, to the given wind component (Point I). Then enter chart at given gross weight (Point J) and draw a vertical line to intersect a horizontal line drawn from Point I. This intersection (Point K) is the refusal speed.

DISTANCE TO STOP - ABORTED TAKE-OFF CHART

The distance to stop - - aborted take-off chart (figure A3-12) provides the distance required to stop from any indicated speed up to the highest take-off speed at altitudes from sea level to 16000 feet. The stopping curves assume windmilling propellers and a take-off wing flap deflection of zero degrees. No runway slope correction has been included. See the characteristic take-off speeds chart (figure A3-14) for the recommended take-off speed.

SAMPLE PROBLEM:

- A. Indicated Airspeed = 40 knots.
- B. Pressure Altitude = 4000 feet.
- C. Gross Weight = 27000 Pounds.
- D. Stopping Distance = 650 feet.

TAKE-OFF ABORT CRITERIA

Due to the take-off characteristics of C-47 aircraft, the abort criteria is based on refusal speed and

refusal distance. The refusal speed is determined from the take-off performance - refusal speed chart (figure A3-11) and is based on temperature, pressure altitude, specific humidity, runway length, wind component and gross weight. The refusal distance is obtained from the take-off performance speed during ground run chart (figure A3-9).

TAKE-OFF PATH

A take-off path - - chart (figure A3-13) is included for a two-engine take-off climb with a wing flap deflection of zero degrees. This curve is presented to enable study of terrain or obstacle clearance problems peculiar to various airfields.

The flight path chart gives relationship between height attained above the runway surface and horizontal distance traveled from the start of the take-off roll. Each curve is for a specified two-engine take-off distance over a 50-foot height. This curve can be used for the various combinations of gross weight, altitudes, and atmospheric conditions that result in the given take-off distance. It is for this reason that gross weight and altitude do not appear explicitly.

This chart was prepared assuming a constant acceleration to 95 knots; zero degree flaps. Landing gear retraction is initiated at take-off and requires approximately 7 seconds to be completed. The drag of the fully extended landing gear is assumed to exist until the landing gear is completely retracted. The flight path chart terminates at a height of 400 feet. In no case is the 5-minute maximum power limit exceeded.

For a known obstacle height and location (distance from start of take-off roll), the flight path chart can be used to read the take-off distance over a 50-foot height for a zero wind, zero runway slope, and hard surface runway condition.

SAMPLE PROBLEM:

Given:

1. Headwind Component = 20 Knots (Point A)
2. Distance of Obstacle From Start of Take-off Roll = 4000 Feet (Point B).
3. Obstacle Height = 100 Feet (Point C)

Find:

1. Gear Down Take-off Distance Over a 50-Foot height = 5500 Feet (Point D)
2. Ground Roll Distance to Lift Off = $\frac{5500}{1.95} = 2820$ Ft.

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20
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Enter chart with given headwind component (Point A). Draw a horizontal line from Point A to the given obstacle distance contour line (Point B) (distance from start of take-off run). Then enter chart at obstacle height (Point C) and draw a horizontal line from Point C to intersect a vertical line drawn from Point B. This intersection is Point D and is the gear down take-off distance to clear a 50-foot height with zero wind and zero runway slope. Divide this distance by 1.95 (ratio of distance over a 50-foot obstacle to take-off ground roll distance) to obtain the ground roll distance with zero wind, zero runway slope and hard surface runway. Using given outside air temperature, pressure altitude and specific humidity determine density altitude. Using the above derived ground roll distance, enter takeoff ground roll distance chart through the ground roll scale. Draw a vertical line from this point until it intersects a horizontal line drawn from the predetermined density altitude. This intersection indicates the maximum gross weight which will allow a take-off over the given obstacle under the given conditions.

CHARACTERISTIC TAKE-OFF SPEED CHART

The characteristic take-off speeds chart (figure A3-14), presents lift off speeds (1.1Vs) for zero and 1/4 wing flap settings for the range of probable take-off gross weights.

SAMPLE PROBLEM:

Given:

1. Gross weight = 25,550 Pounds (Point A)
2. Wing Flap Setting = Zero (Point B)

Find:

1. Lift-off Speed = 72.2 Knots (Point C)

TAKE-OFF AND LANDING CROSS-WIND CHART.

The minimum touchdown or lift-off speed, under cross-wind conditions, may be determined by reference to the take-off and landing cross-wind chart (figure A3-15). A diagonal line (recommended touchdown or lift-off speed) indicates the minimum speed at which directional control can be maintained with the use of rudder ONLY for various combinations of aircraft and cross-wind velocities. If take-off or touchdown is accomplished at a speed less than recommended, the aircraft will turn into the wind, tending to veer off the runway.

After obtaining the runway heading and existing surface winds, compute the wind angle relative to the runway. Using the wind angle, enter the chart at zero headwind and zero cross-wind component. Proceed parallel with the appropriate wind angle line (as determined by interpolation) to the appropriate wind velocity curve (Point A). From Point A project a line vertically to the diagonal line and from the diagonal line horizontally to the speed scale (Point B), and read the minimum touchdown or lift-off speed. If the speed as determined from figure A3-14 is less than the speed shown at Point B, the speed shown at Point B should be used for takeoff or touchdown. If the speed as determined from figure A3-14 is greater than the speed shown at Point B, the speed as determined from figure A3-14 should be used for takeoff or touchdown.

The headwind component can be determined by projecting a line from Point A horizontally to the headwind component scale (Point C). The cross-wind component can be determined by projecting a line vertically from Point A to the cross-wind component scale (Point D).

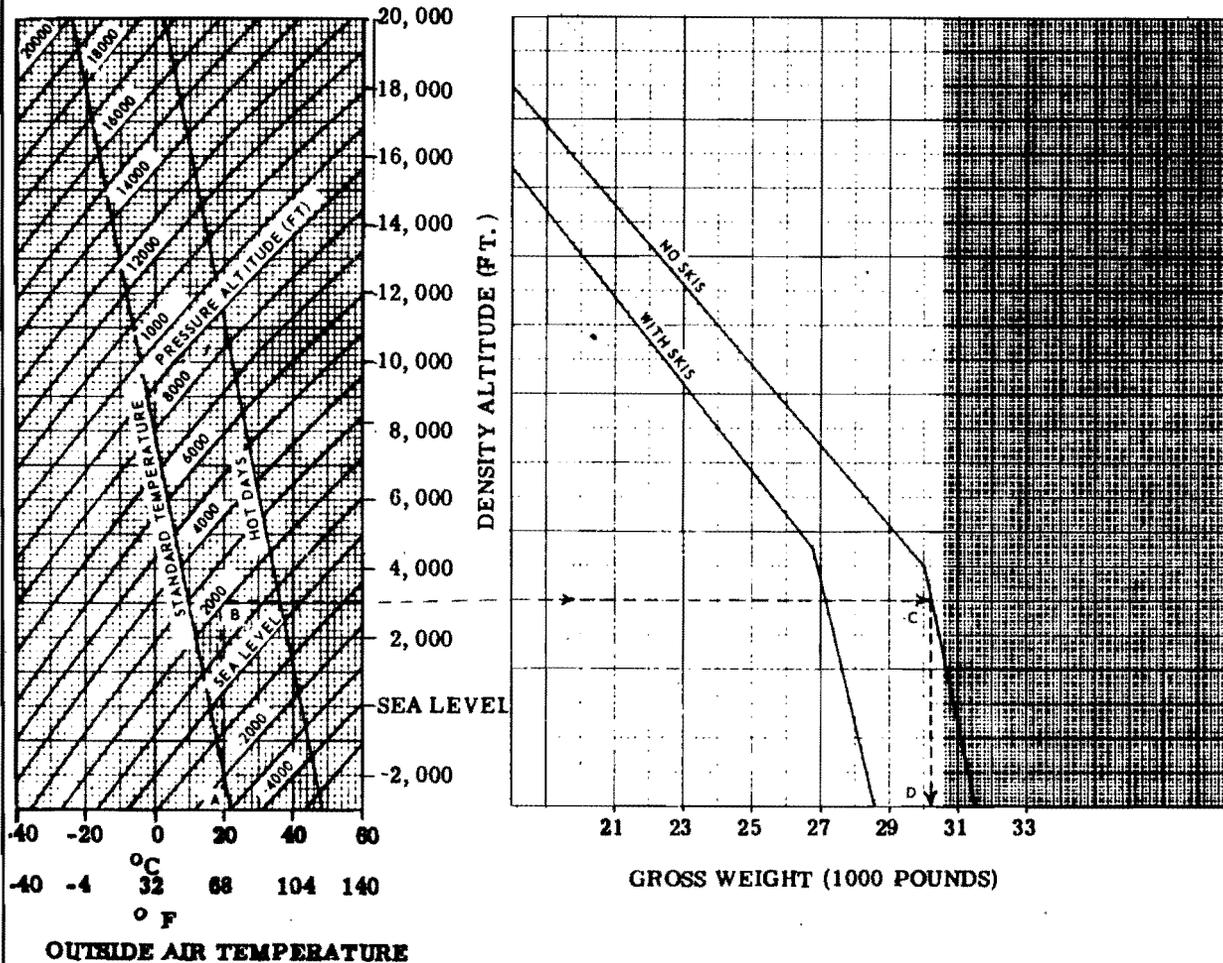
TAKE - OFF GROSS WEIGHT LIMITED BY 100 FEET PER MINUTE SINGLE ENGINE RATE OF CLIMB

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

MODEL(S): C-47
C-117 AND R4D

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92



ONE ENGINE OPERATING AT
MAXIMUM POWER (48 IN HG, 2700
RPM)
COWL FLAPS TRAIL
LANDING GEAR UP
WING FLAPS = UP
PROPELLER - FEATHERED ON
INOPERATIVE ENGINE

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Figure A3-1. Take-Off Gross Weight Limited by 100 Ft/Min - Single-Engine Rate of Climb.

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3480
28639

TAKE - OFF PERFORMANCE GROUND RUN DISTANCE

WING FLAPS - UP

TAKE-OFF SPEED - 1.1 V₀

MAXIMUM POWER WITH 2700 RPM

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

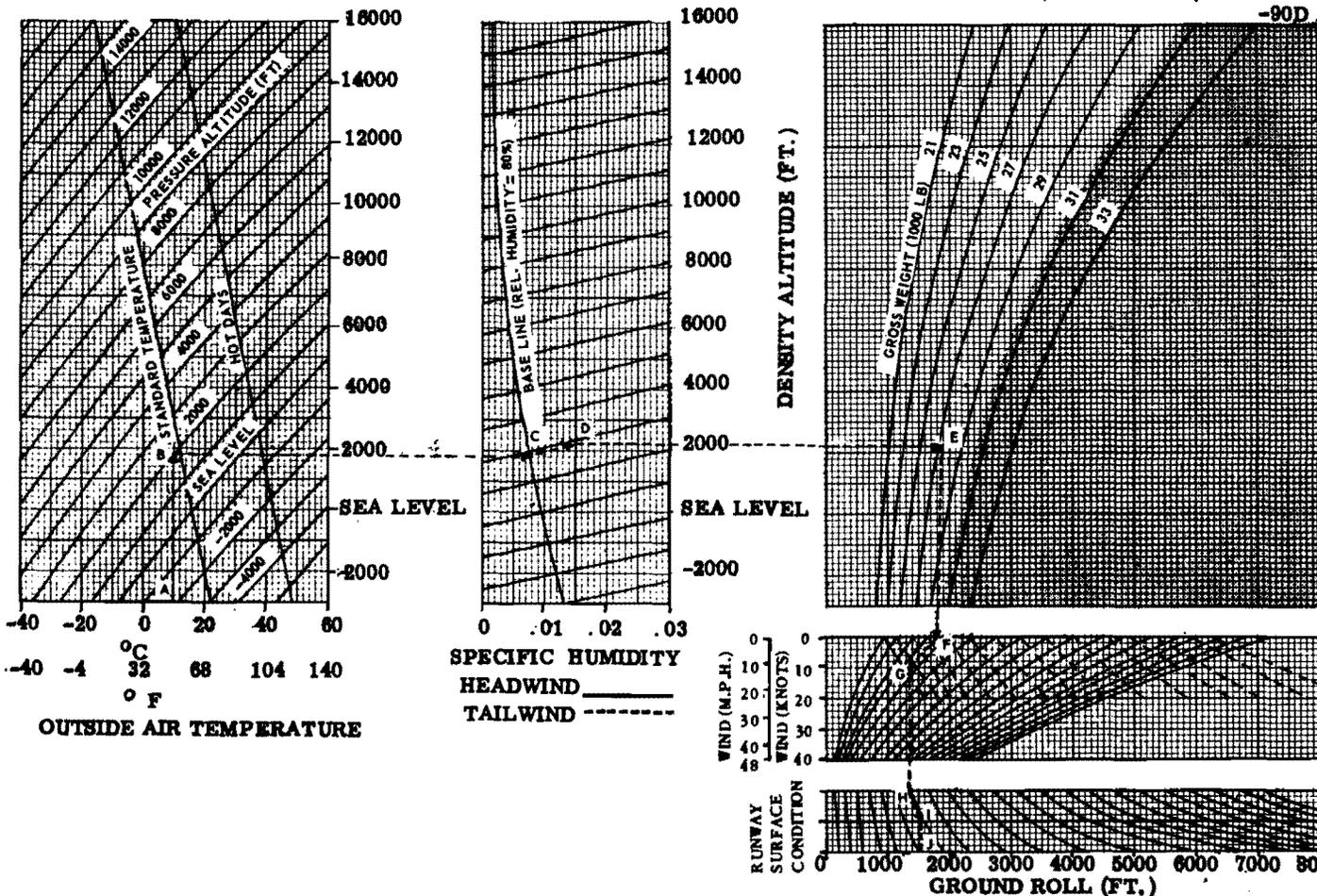
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AND R4D

COWL FLAPS - TRAIL POSITION

FUEL GRADE: 100/130

FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92



NOTE

1. Use 50 percent of reported headwinds and 150 percent of reported tailwinds with the correction grid if wind is measured at a source other than the runway. This is a recommended procedure which may be revised at the discretion of the pilot, dependent upon the source of measurement of the wind data.

2. See figure A3-10 for runway slope correction.

NOTE

To obtain the approximate distance over a 50 foot obstacle, multiply the zero wind, hard surface runway take-off ground roll distance by 1.95 (ratio of distance over a 50 foot obstacle to take-off ground roll distance).

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Figure A3-2. Take-Off Performance Ground Run Distance - Flaps Up.

TAKE - OFF PERFORMANCE GROUND RUN

WING FLAPS = 1/4 DOWN

MAXIMUM POWER WITH 2700 RPM

COWL FLAPS - TRAIL POSITION

TAKE-OFF SPEED = 1.1 V_S

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

MODEL (S): C-47, C-117
AND R4D

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL.

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830 - 90C(HIGH BLO-
WER INOPERATIVE ON -90D AND -92)

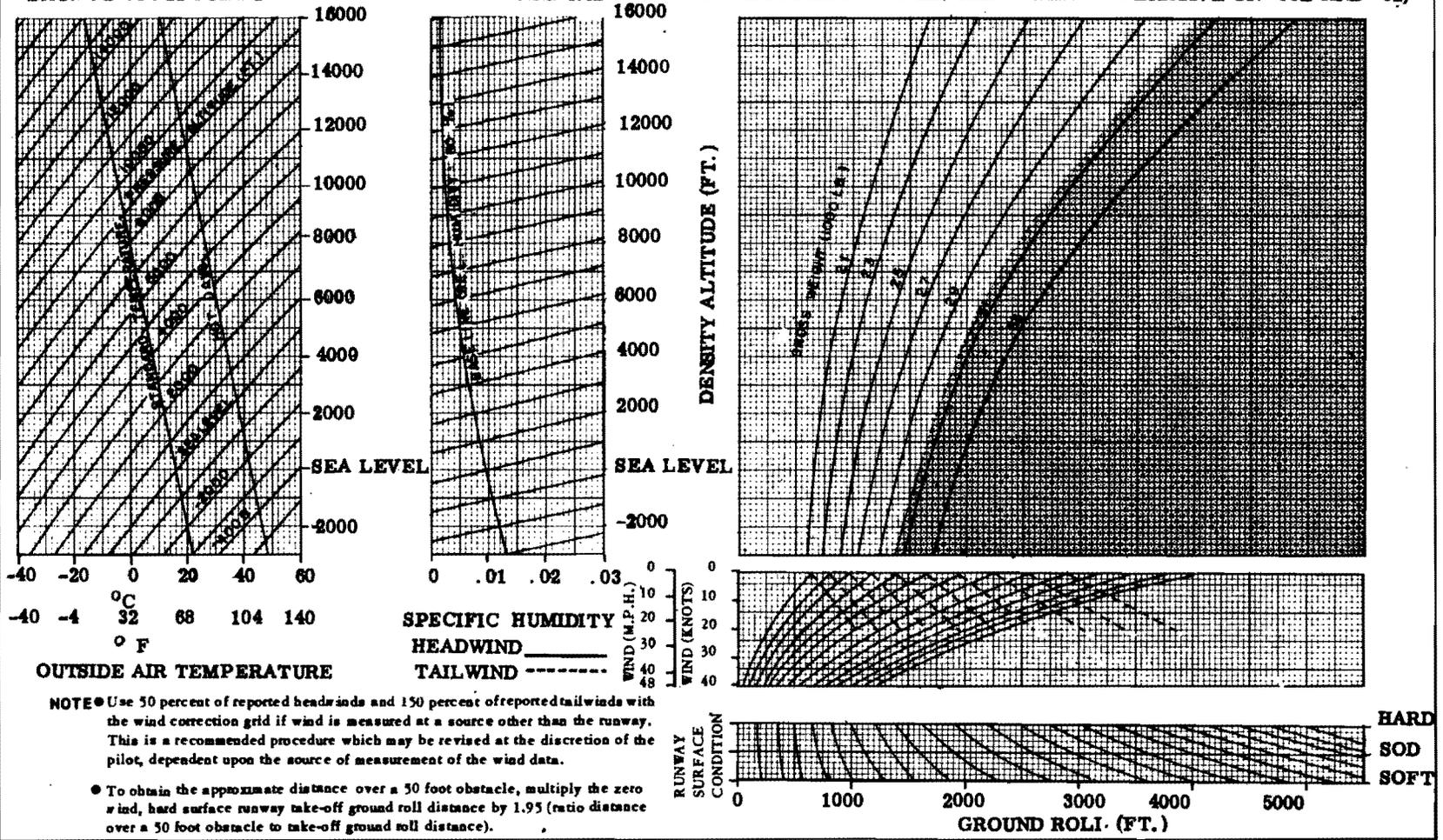


Figure A3-3. Take-Off Performance Ground Run - Wing Flaps - 1/4 Down.

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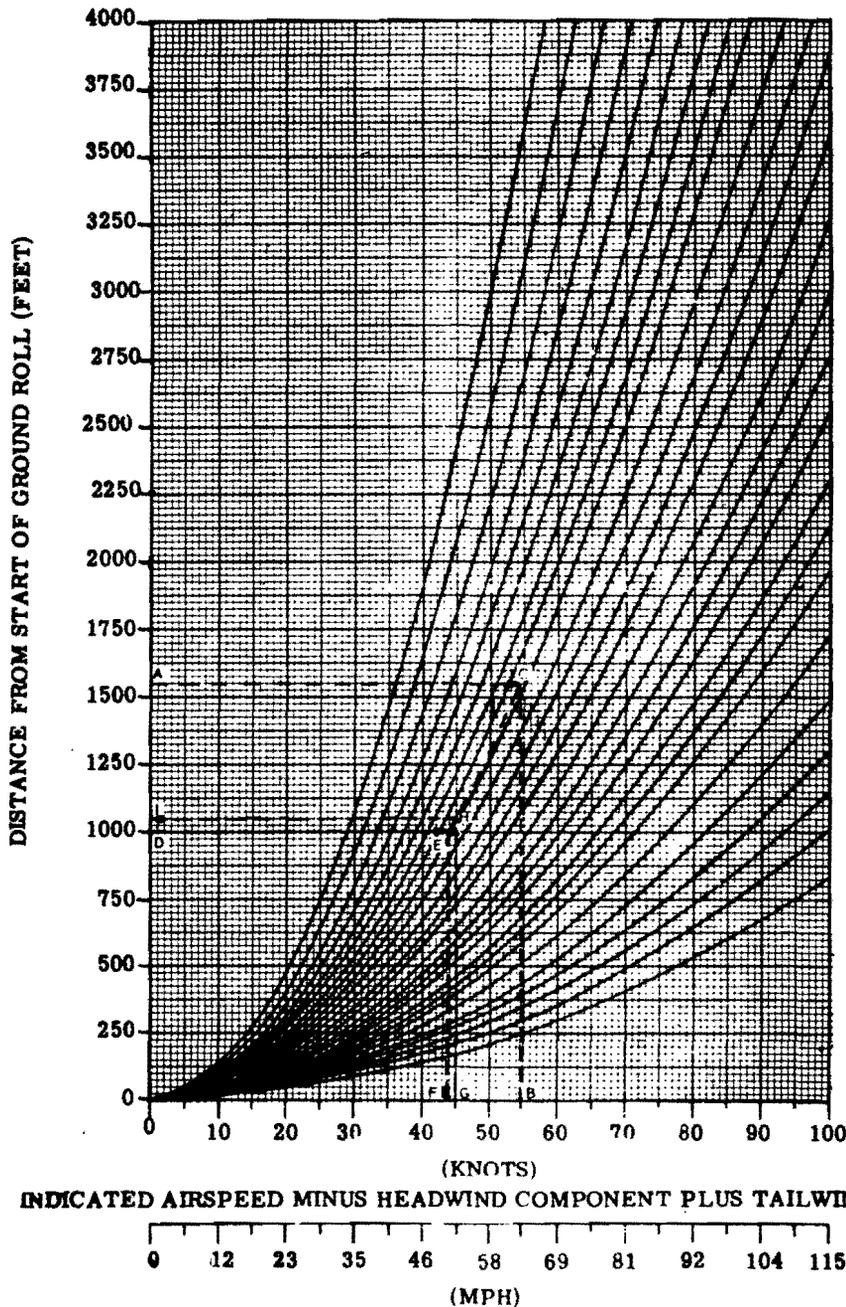
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TAKE - OFF PERFORMANCE - SPEED DURING GROUND RUN

TWO ENGINE TAKE-OFF ACCELERATION

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
 DATA AS OF: 24 APRIL 1964
 MODEL(S): C-47, C117 AND R4D

ENGINE (S): (2) R-1830-90C
 (HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE) -90D AND -92
 FUEL GRADE: 100/130
 FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL



NOTE

If the speed obtained during take-off is less than the speed shown, the decision to continue take-off or to stop must be made prior to reaching refusal distance.

Figure A3-9. Take-Off Performance - Speed During Ground Run - Two-Engine Take-Off Acceleration.

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TAKE - OFF GROUND RUN DISTANCE

RUNWAY SLOPE CORRECTION

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST
DATA AS OF: 16 NOVEMBER 1967

MODEL(S): C-47,
C-117 and R4D

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
- 90D AND -92

RUNWAY SLOPE - $\frac{\text{RUNWAY RISE (FT)}}{\text{RUNWAY LENGTH (FT)}}$

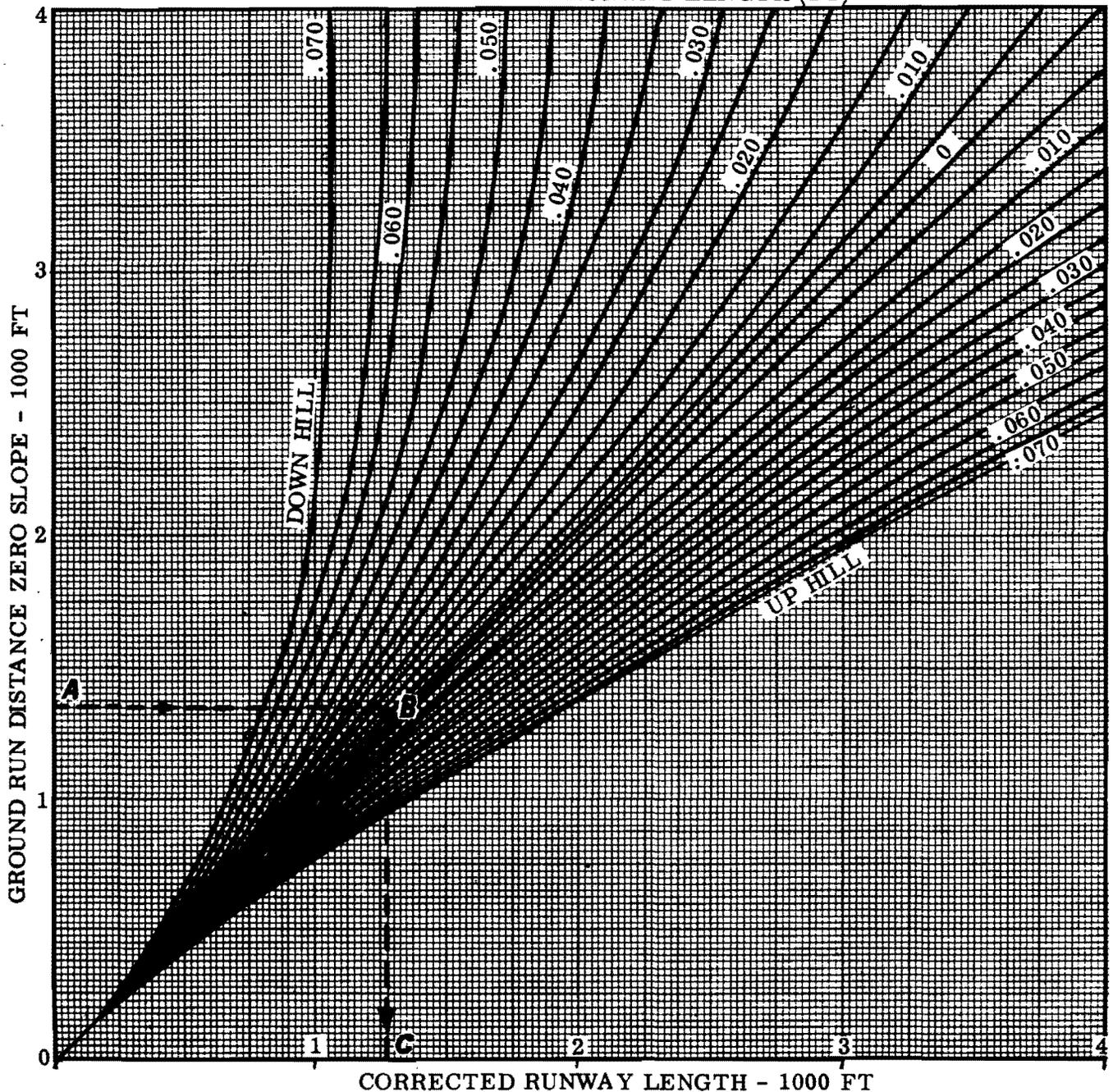


Figure A3-10. Take-Off Ground Run Distance, Runway Slope Correction

TAKE - OFF PERFORMANCE - REFUSAL SPEED

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

MODEL(S): C-47, C-117,
AND R4D

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

NOTE

Use 50 percent of reported headwind and 150 percent of reported tailwind with the correction grid if wind is measured at a source other than the runway. This is a recommended procedure which may be revised at the discretion of the pilot, dependent upon the source of measurement of the wind data.

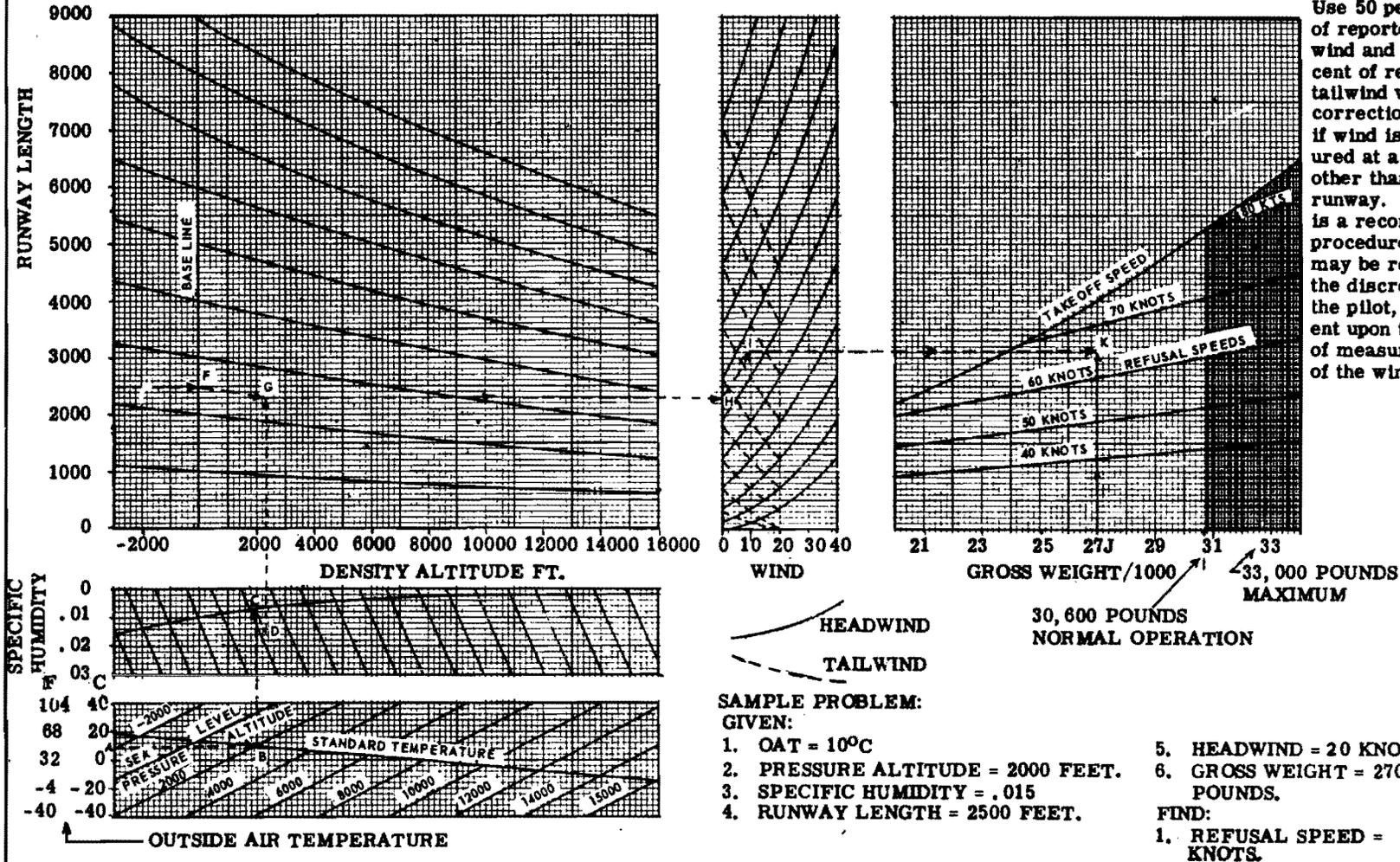


Figure A3-11. Take-Off Performance - Refusal Speed.

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DISTANCE TO STOP - ABORTED TAKE - OFF PROPELLERS WINDMILLING

WING FLAPS - UP

STANDARD ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS

ZERO WIND - ZERO RUNWAY SLOPE

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

ENGINE(S): (2)R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

MODEL(S): C-47,
C-117 AND R4D

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

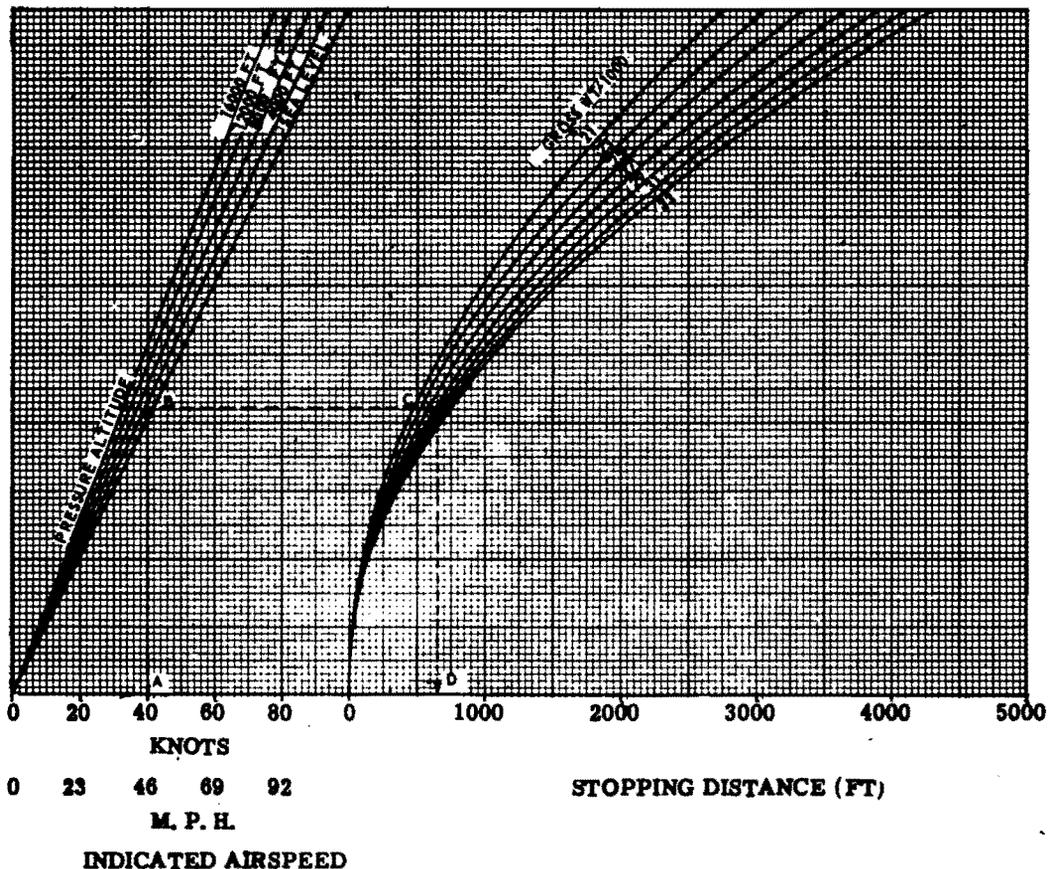
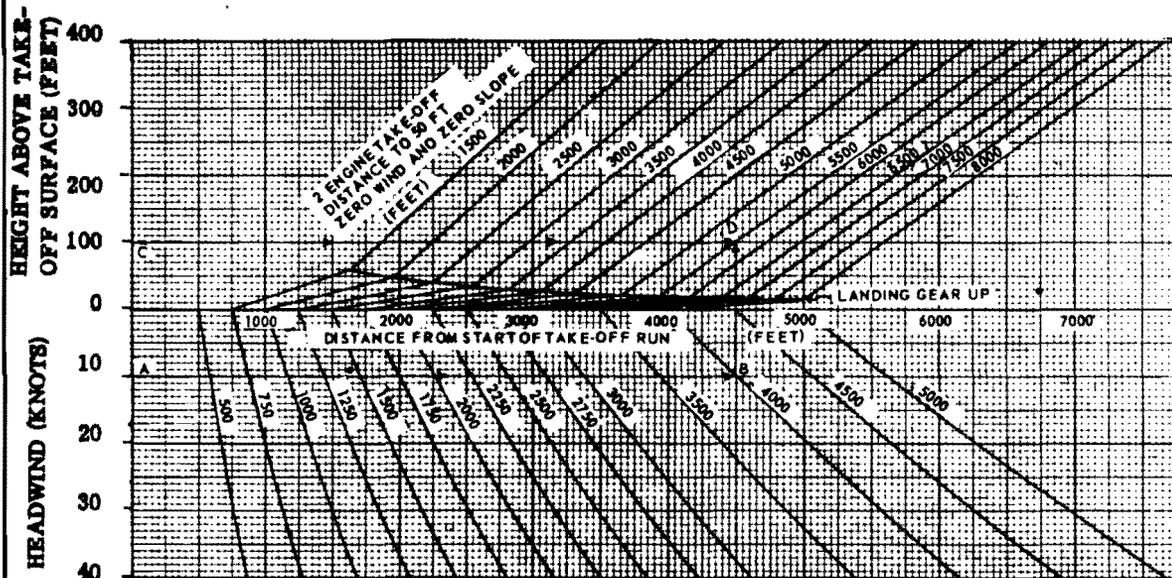


Figure A3-12. Distance to Stop - Aborted Take-Off.

TAKE - OFF PATH

DATA BASIS: FLIGHT TEST
11 JULY 1957

MODEL(S): C-47; R4D
ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830



NOTE

USE 50% OF REPORTED HEADWINDS WITH THE WIND CORRECTION GRID IF WIND IS MEASURED AT A SOURCE OTHER THAN THE RUNWAY. THIS IS A RECOMMENDED PROCEDURE WHICH MAY BE REVISED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE PILOT, DEPENDENT UPON THE SOURCE OF MEASUREMENT OF THE WIND DATA.

GEAR RETRACTION INITIATED
AT TAKE-OFF
(7 SEC. RETRACTION TIME)

WARNING

THIS CHART DOES NOT APPLY TO AIRCRAFT IN THE SKI CONFIGURATION.

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Figure A3-13. Take-Off Path.

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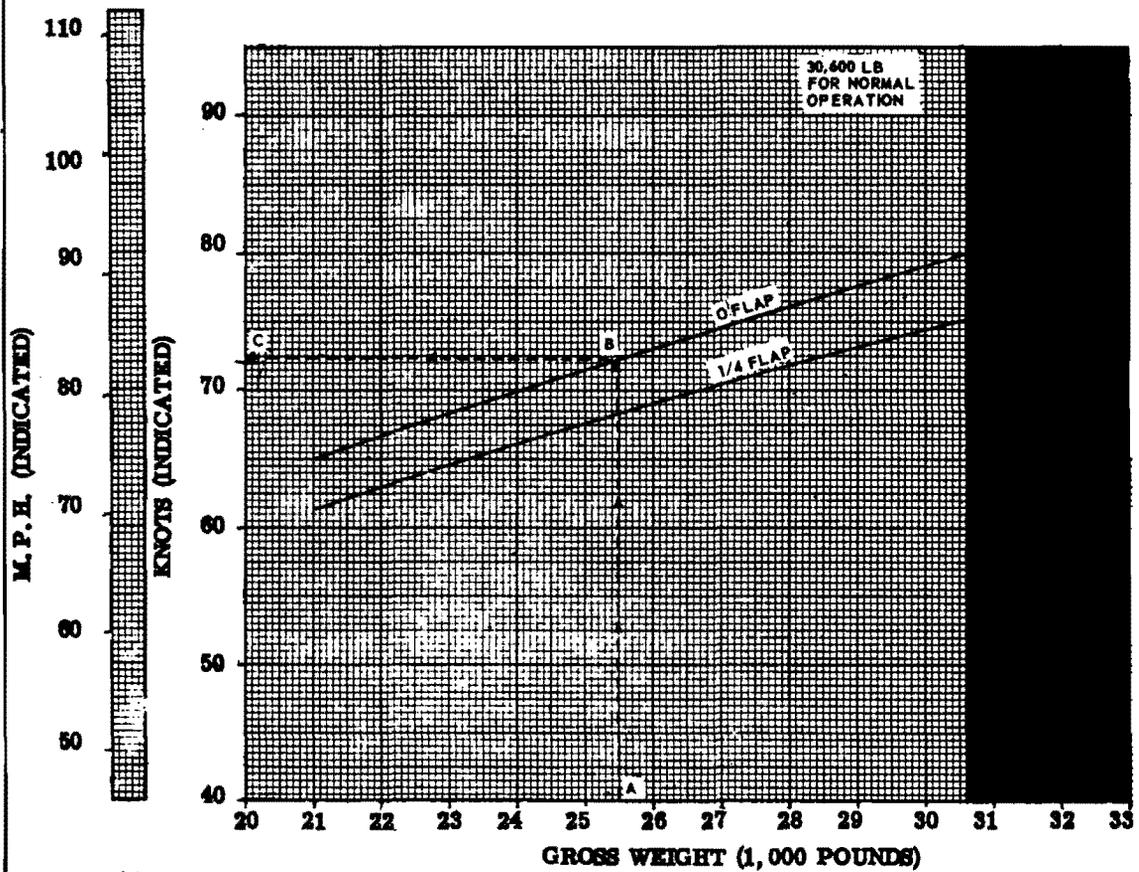
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CHARACTERISTIC TAKE-OFF SPEEDS LIFT-OFF AT 1.1 Vs

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 1 DECEMBER 1949

1. SPEEDS GIVEN ARE AIRSPEED INDICATOR READINGS.
2. A 5 KNOT CORRECTION FOR POSITION ERROR HAS BEEN SUBTRACTED.
3. NO INSTRUMENT ERROR IS INCLUDED.



MODEL(S): C-47; C-117; R4D
ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND - 92

Figure A3-14. Characteristic Take-Off Speeds - Liftoff at 1.1Vs.

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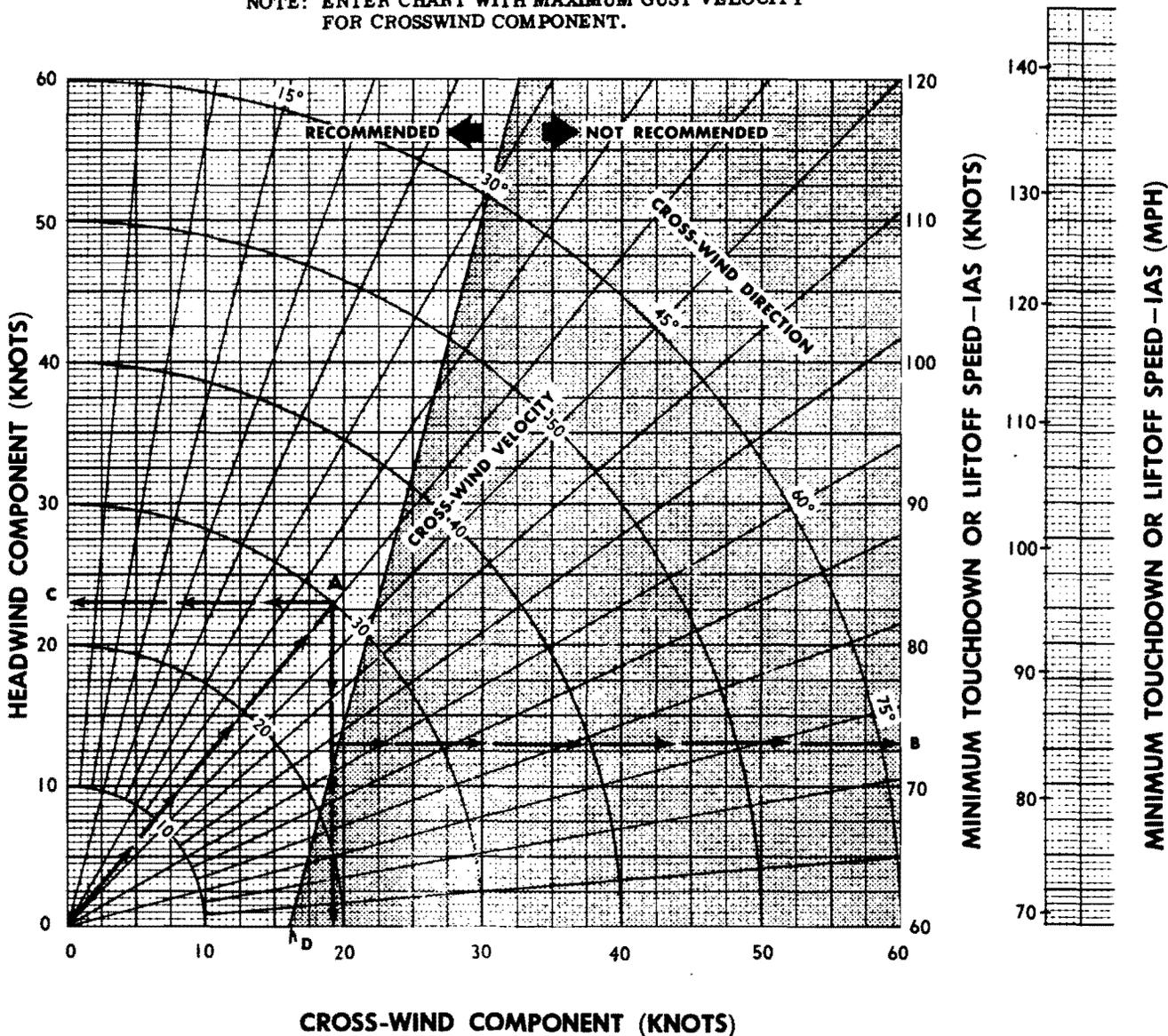
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TAKE-OFF AND LANDING CROSS-WIND CHART

MODEL: C-47, C-117
AND R4D

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

NOTE: ENTER CHART WITH MAXIMUM GUST VELOCITY
FOR CROSSWIND COMPONENT.



GIVEN CONDITIONS:

TAKE-OFF RUNWAY — 30°
WIND GIVEN 70° AT 30 KNOTS
CROSS-WIND DIRECTION = 70° — 30° = 40° (POINT A)

SAMPLE PROBLEM:

CHART INDICATES:

B. MINIMUM LIFT OFF SPEED — 73 KIAS (84 MPH)
C. HEADWIND COMPONENT — 23 KNOTS
D. CROSS-WIND COMPONENT — 19.5 KNOTS

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

Figure A3-15. Take-Off and Landing Crosswind Chart.

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DISCUSSION OF CHARTS

The time and distance to climb charts (figures A4-1 through A4-14) are used for determining time and distance traveled and the fuel consumed during a climb. Curves are shown for METO and climb power, standard and hot days for the two-engine configurations (with and without skis). Curves are also presented for maximum and METO power for standard day, with and without skis and maximum power for hot day with and without skis in the single engine configuration.

The rate of climb charts (figures A4-15 through A4-24) show the rate of climb for METO and climb power for the two-engine configurations (with and without skis), and the rate of climb for maximum, METO, and climb power for the single-engine configurations (with and without skis).

The emergency ceiling chart (figure A4-26) presents the weights and altitudes at which the rate of climb is 100 feet per minute with METO power for two or one engine operating (with and without skis). Figure A3-1 (take-off gross weight limited by 100 feet per minute rate of climb, single-engine, maximum power) may be used as the emergency ceiling chart for one engine operating at maximum power.

TIME AND DISTANCE TO CLIMB

The time and distance to climb charts (figures A4-1 through A4-14) are presented in facing pairs and are used to determine time and distance traveled and the fuel consumed during a climb to a given altitude for two-engine operation at either METO power or climb power with and without skis for standard and hot day conditions. Charts are also included for maximum and METO power, standard day, with and without skis and maximum power, hot day, with and without skis for the single-engine configuration. To obtain time to climb, enter the time to climb chart (Sheet 1 of 2) on the gross weight scale, with the aircraft gross weight at the start of climb, and project a line parallel to the gross weight guide lines, until the desired pressure altitude curve is intersected. From this intersection, project a line horizontally to the left and read time to climb in minutes. To obtain distance to climb use same procedure on distance to climb chart (Sheet 2 of 2). The gross weight at the end of the climb may be found by projecting a vertical line down from the intersection on the initial gross weight and pressure altitude. The weight at the end of the climb is read on the gross weight scale. Fuel consumed during the climb may be determined from either sheet 1 of 2 or 2 of 2 by subtracting the gross weight at the end of the climb from the gross weight at the beginning of the climb. Recommended climb speeds are presented on each chart.

TIME TO CLIMB.

SAMPLE PROBLEM:

1. 27,000 pounds gross weight at start of climb at sea level.
2. Pressure altitude = 10,000 feet.
3. Eleven minutes = time to climb.
4. Fuel used = the difference between the weight at start of climb (point A), and the weight at end of climb (point D) = 250 pounds.

Distance to Climb:

SAMPLE PROBLEM:

1. 27,000 pounds gross weight at start of climb at sea level.
2. Pressure altitude = 10,000 feet.
3. 20.2 nautical miles flown during climb.
4. Fuel used = the difference between the weight at start of climb (point A), and the weight at end of climb (point D) = 250 pounds.

RATE OF CLIMB

The rate of climb charts (figures A4-15 through A4-24), are presented for two and single-engine operation at METO and climb power with and without skis. An additional chart is included for single-engine operation at maximum power with and without skis. The charts are used to determine the rate of climb in feet per minute at a given gross weight. A sample problem is shown on the first of this series to illustrate its use.

Enter the chart at the outside air temperature (Point A) and draw a line vertically to the pressure altitude line (Point B). From this point draw a horizontal line to intersect the given gross weight line (Point C). From Point C, draw a line vertically to the rate of climb scale (Point D), and read the rate of climb in feet per minute.

SAWTOOTH CLIMB

The single engine sawtooth climb chart (figure A4-25) is presented to show the relationship between rate of climb and velocity for given conditions.

EMERGENCY CEILING

The emergency ceiling chart (figure A4-26) shows the gross weight versus pressure altitude at which the aircraft will maintain a rate of climb of 100 feet per minute on a standard day at METO power. These curves are for two and single engine operation with and without skis.

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Enter chart at given gross weight (Point A). Draw a line vertically to intersect the appropriate curve (Point B). Draw a line horizontally from Point B to the pressure altitude scale (Point C) and read the pressure altitude in feet.

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TIME TO CLIMB-STANDARD DAY

METO POWER TWO ENGINES

LANDING GEAR - UP

WING FLAPS - UP

COWL FLAPS - TRAIL

☐ R/C = 100 FT/MIN

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

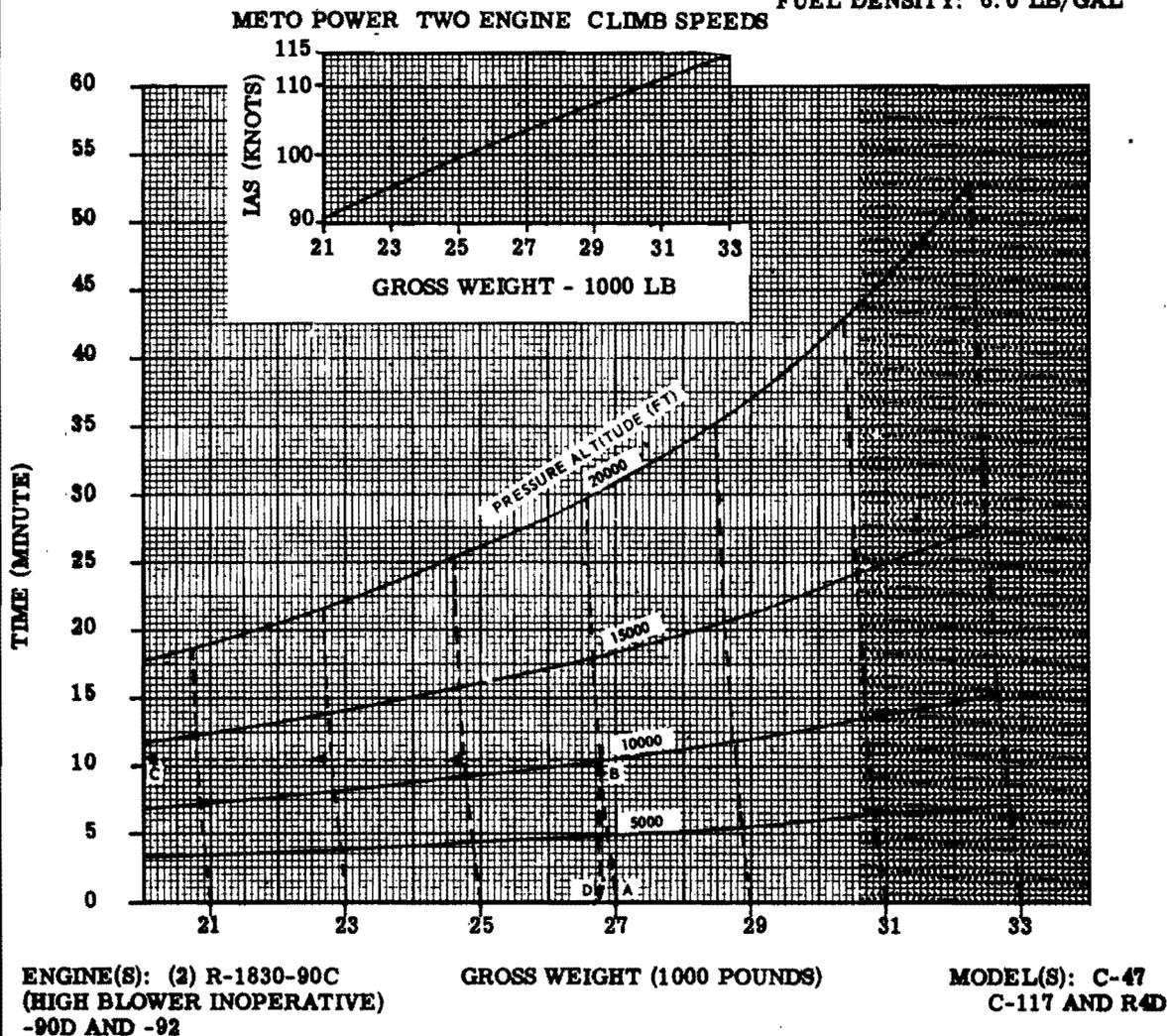


Figure A4-1. Time To Climb - Standard Day - METO Power - Two Engines. (Sheet 1 of 2)

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DISTANCE TO CLIMB-STANDARD DAY

METO POWER TWO ENGINES

LANDING GEAR - UP

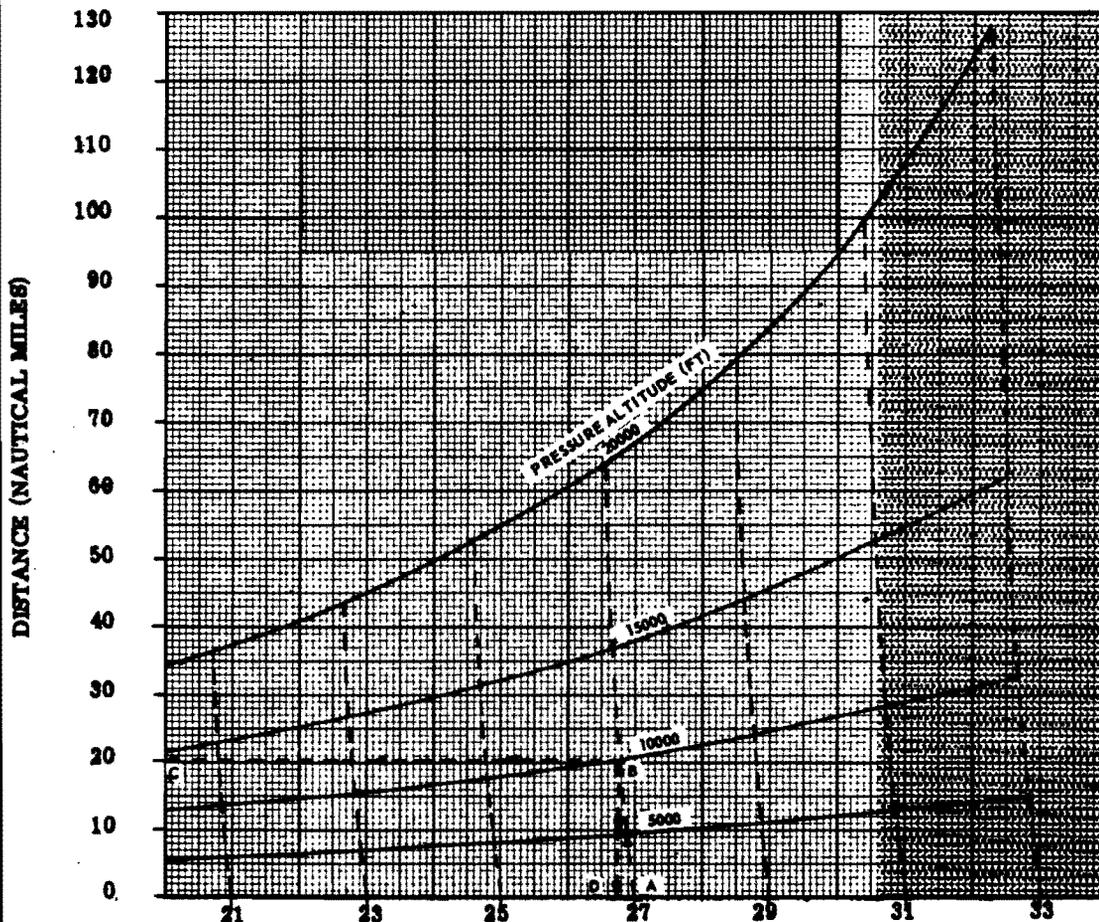
WING FLAPS - UP

COWL FLAPS - TRAIL

□ R/C = 100 FT/MIN

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL



ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90 AND -92

GROSS WEIGHT (1000 POUNDS)

MODEL(S): C-47
C-117 AND R4D

Figure A4-1. Distance To Climb - Standard Day - METO Power - Two Engines. (Sheet 2 of 2)

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TIME TO CLIMB-HOT DAY

METO POWER TWO ENGINE

☐ R/C = 100 FT/MIN

MODEL(S): C-47,
C-117 AND R4D

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

METO POWER TWO ENGINE CLIMB SPEEDS

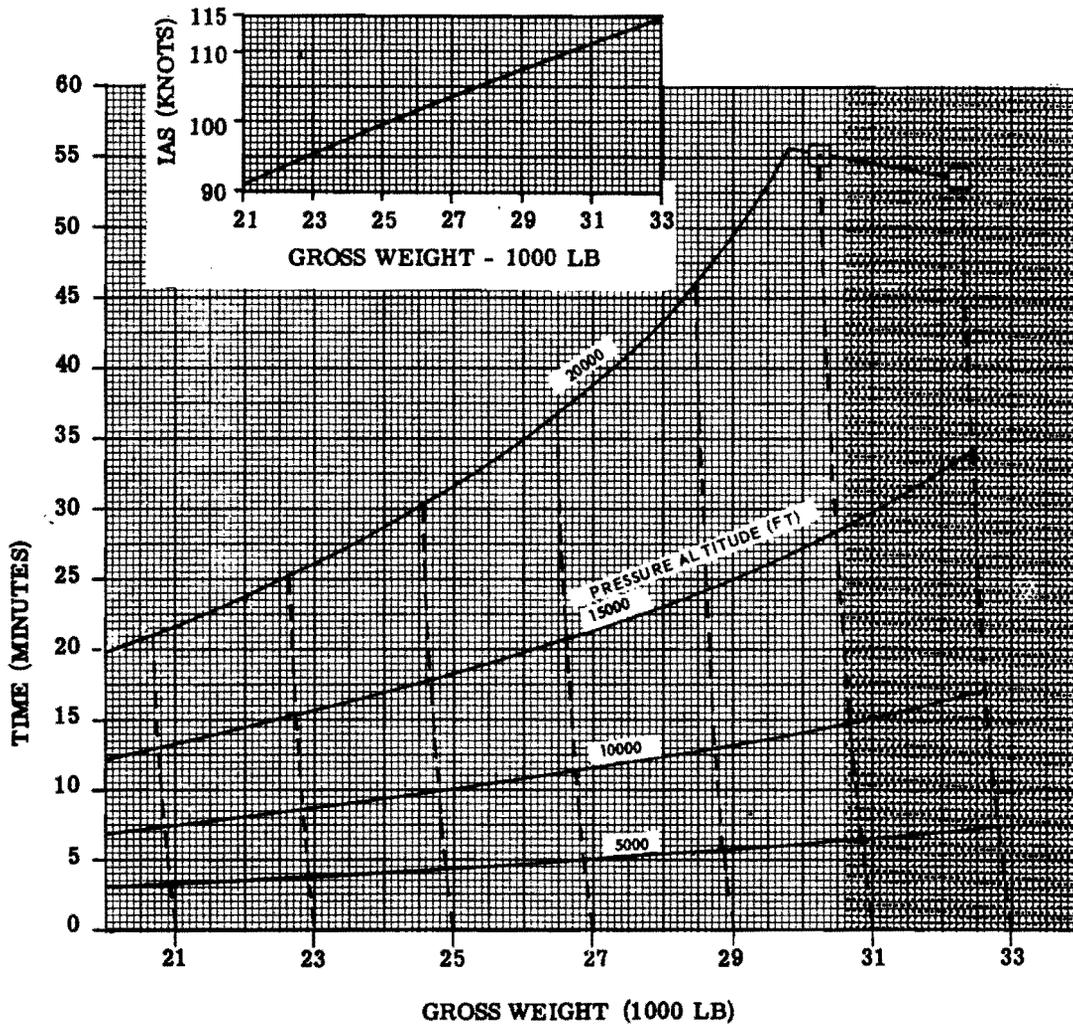


Figure A4-2. Time to Climb - Hot Day - METO Power - Two Engines. (Sheet 1 of 2)

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DISTANCE TO CLIMB-HOT DAY

METO POWER TWO ENGINE

□ R/C = 100 FT/MIN

MODEL(S): C-47
C-117 AND R4D

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
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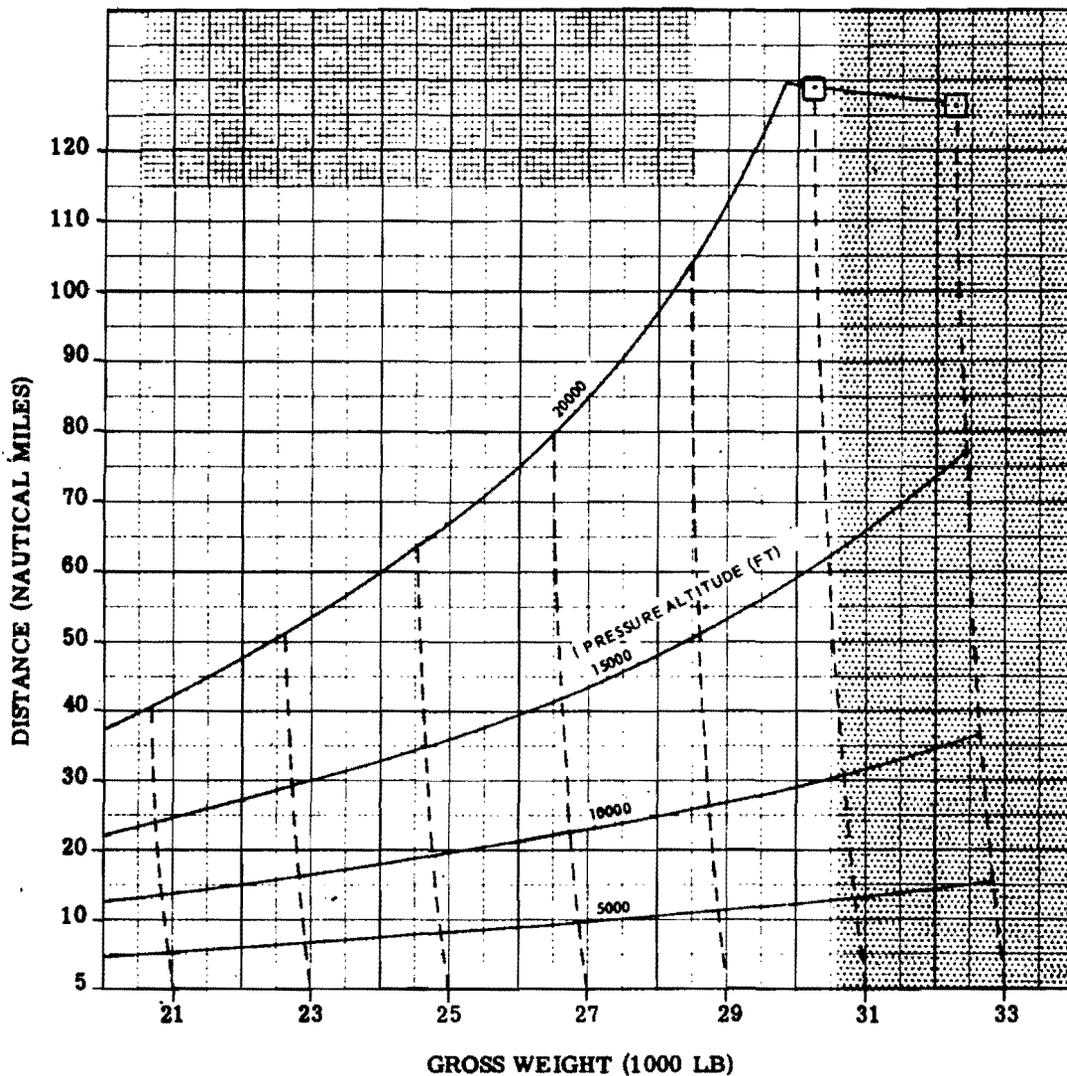


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TIME TO CLIMB-STANDARD DAY

MODEL(S): C-47,
C-117 AND R4D

CLIMB POWER TWO ENGINE

R/C = 100 FT/MIN

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

CLIMB POWER TWO ENGINE CLIMB SPEEDS

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

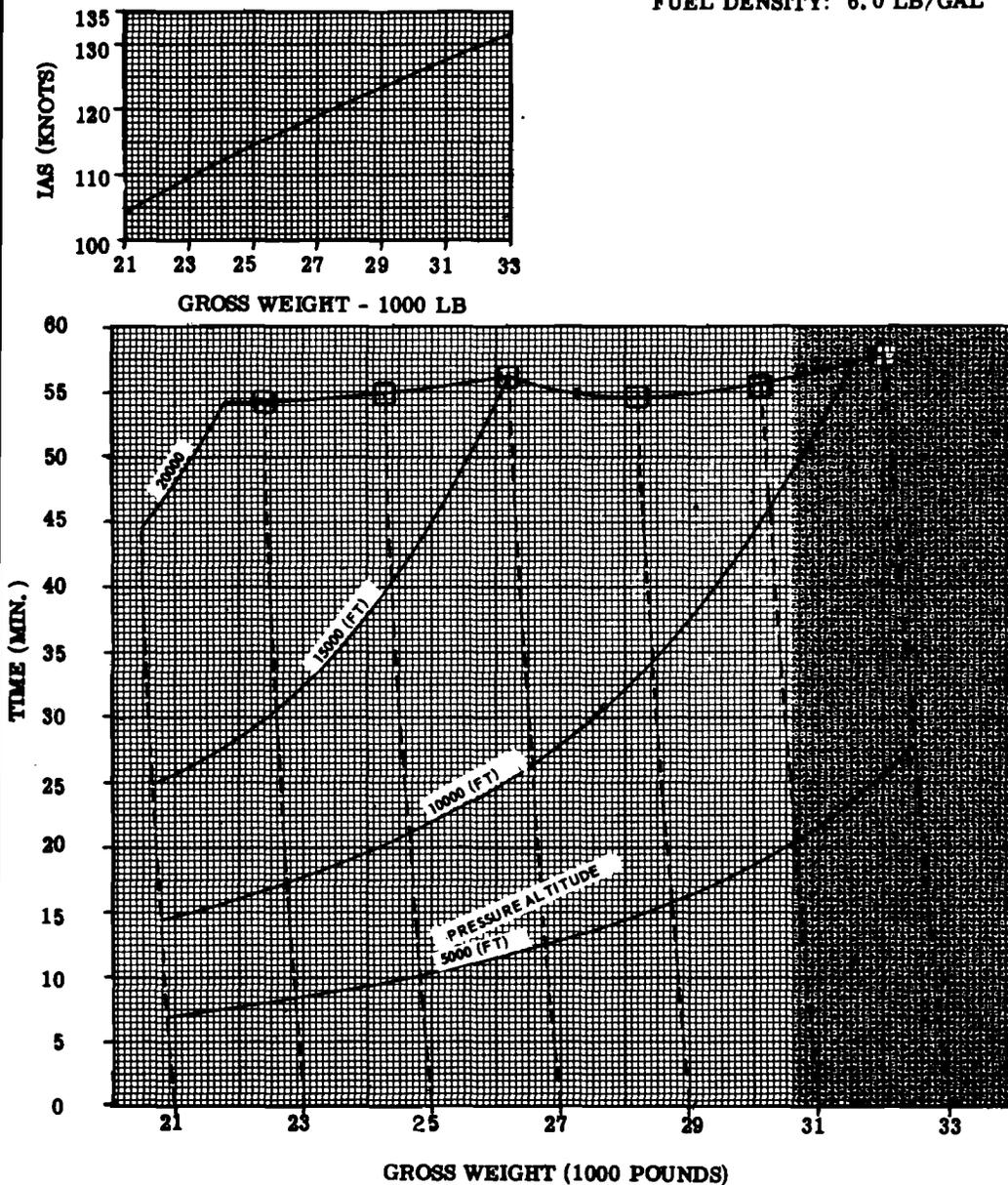


Figure A4-3. Time To Climb - Standard Day - Climb Power - Two Engines. (Sheet 1 of 2)

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DISTANCE TO CLIMB-STANDARD DAY

CLIMB POWER TWO ENGINE

□ R/C = 100 FT/MIN

MODEL(S): C-47
C-117 AND R4D

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
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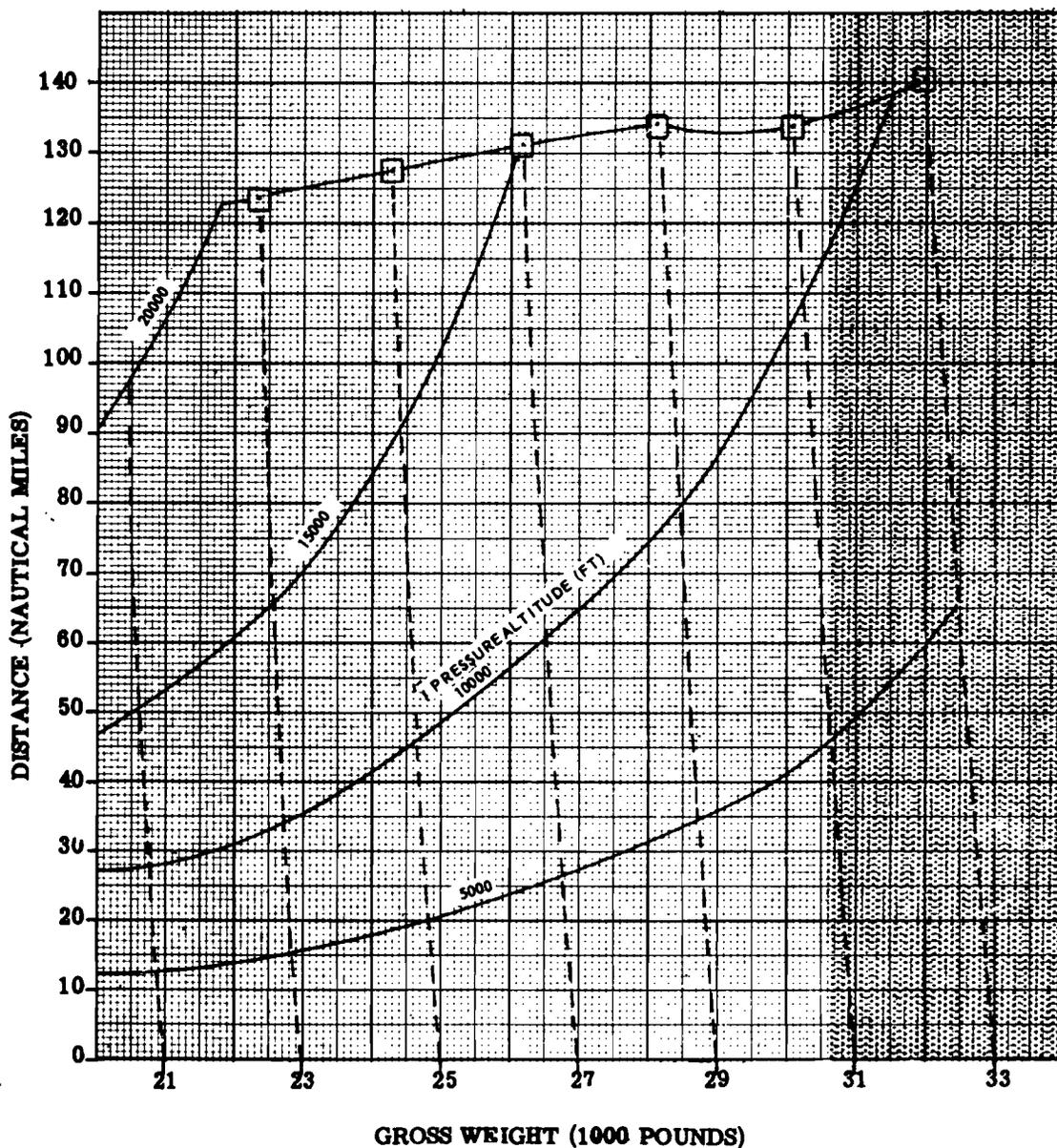


Figure A4-3. Distance To Climb - Standard Day - Climb Power - Two Engines. (Sheet 2 of 2)

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TIME TO CLIMB-HOT DAY

CLIMB POWER TWO ENGINE

MODEL(S): C-47,
C-117 AND R4D

□ R/C = 100 FT/MIN.

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
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CLIMB POWER TWO ENGINE CLIMB SPEEDS

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
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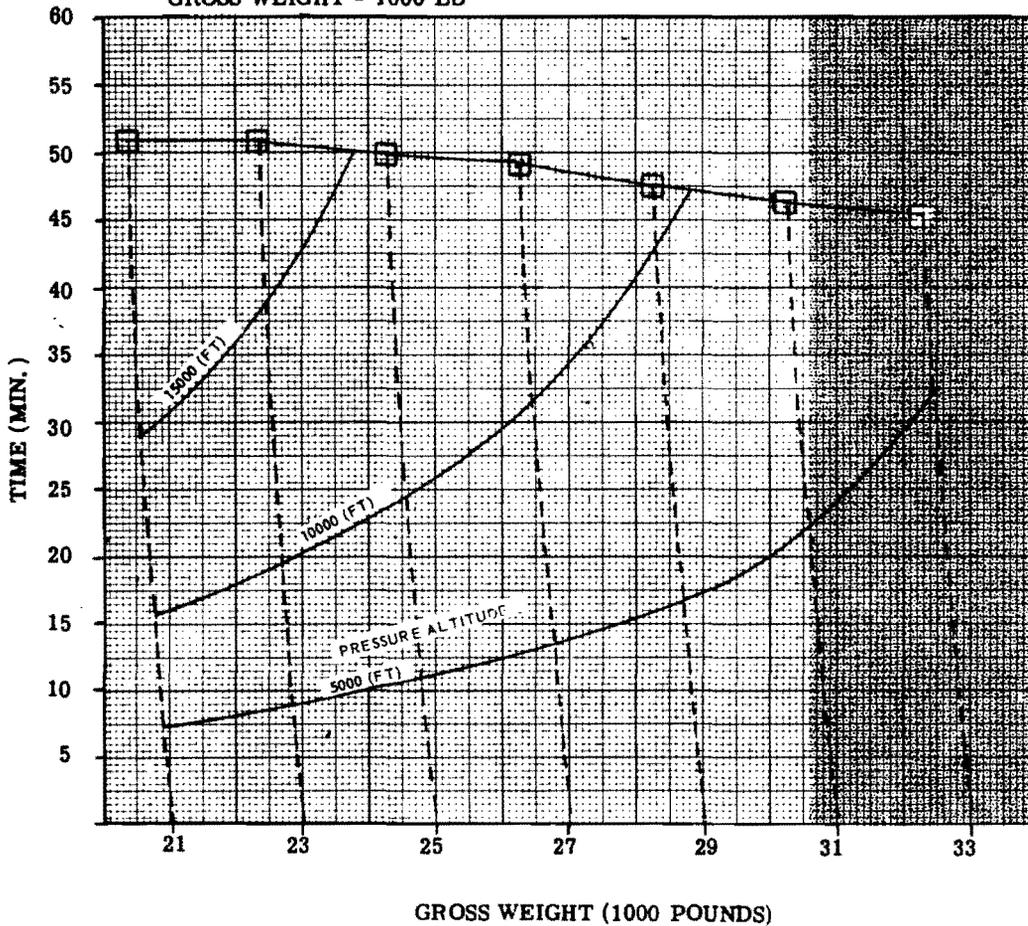
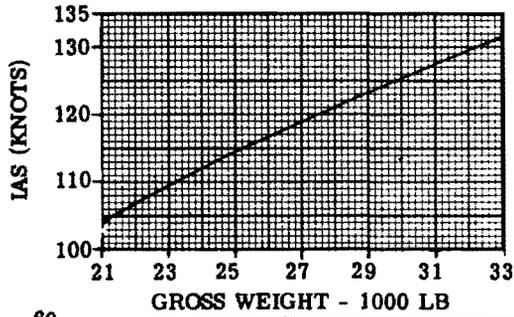


Figure A4-4. Time To Climb - Hot Day - CLIMB Power - Two Engines. (Sheet 1 of 2)

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DISTANCE TO CLIMB-HOT DAY

CLIMB POWER TWO ENGINE

□ R/C = 100 FT/MIN.

MODEL(S): C-47
C-117 AND R4D

BASED ON: FLIGHT TEST DATA
DATA AS OF: 11 JULY 1957

ENGINE(S): (2) R-1830-90C
(HIGH BLOWER INOPERATIVE)
-90D AND -92

FUEL GRADE: 100/130
FUEL DENSITY: 6.0 LB/GAL

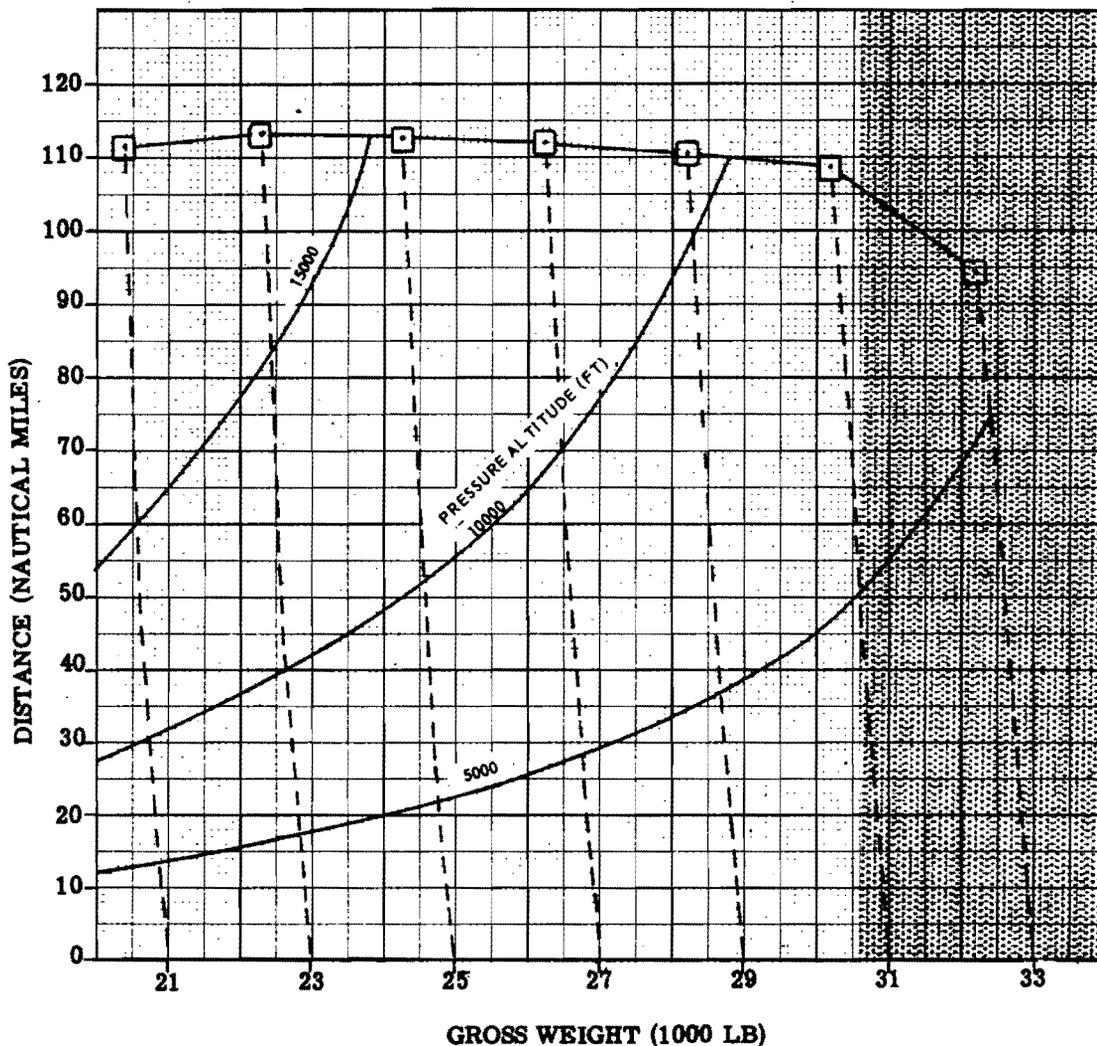


Figure A4-4. Distance To Climb - Hot Day - CLIMB Power - Two Engines. (Sheet 2 of 2)