

## **APPENDIX B**

DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
S-61N HOVER PERFORMANCE DATA & CHARTS

Appendix B is an effort to create a stand alone document that provides a brief data summary of the Department of State (D.O.S.) hover performance “Spot Check” and resulting hover performance charts.

### Executive Summary

A joint Sikorsky Aircraft/Carson Helicopters OGE hover performance flight test was recently conducted at Carson’s facility in Perkasi, PA on an S-61N (N3173U). The flight test was designed to acquire sufficient test data to serve as a “spot check” with respect to existing predicted performance models. The test data from this joint evaluation correlated well with the Sikorsky Aircraft predicted performance models which are based on data obtained during the VH-3 Performance Improvement Program (aluminum blade only) and the more recent VH-3 Lift Improvement Program (aluminum and composite blade data). As a result, the predicted performance model curves will serve as the basis for HIGE and HOGE performance charts for DOS configuration S-61N aircraft. It should be noted that i) the charts are for clean aircraft configuration with land gear and non folding rotor head (but excluding mission kits such as engine air particle separators, chaff & flare system, cargo hook, etc); and ii) the charts are for a long body configuration and are conservatively also applicable to a short body configuration.

The following contains a data summary table and plot of all credit data acquired during the D.O.S. hover performance “Spot Check” along with resulting In Ground Effect (IGE) and Out of Ground Effect (OGE) hover performance charts.

D.O.S. FREE HOVER PERFORMANCE DATA SUMMARY.

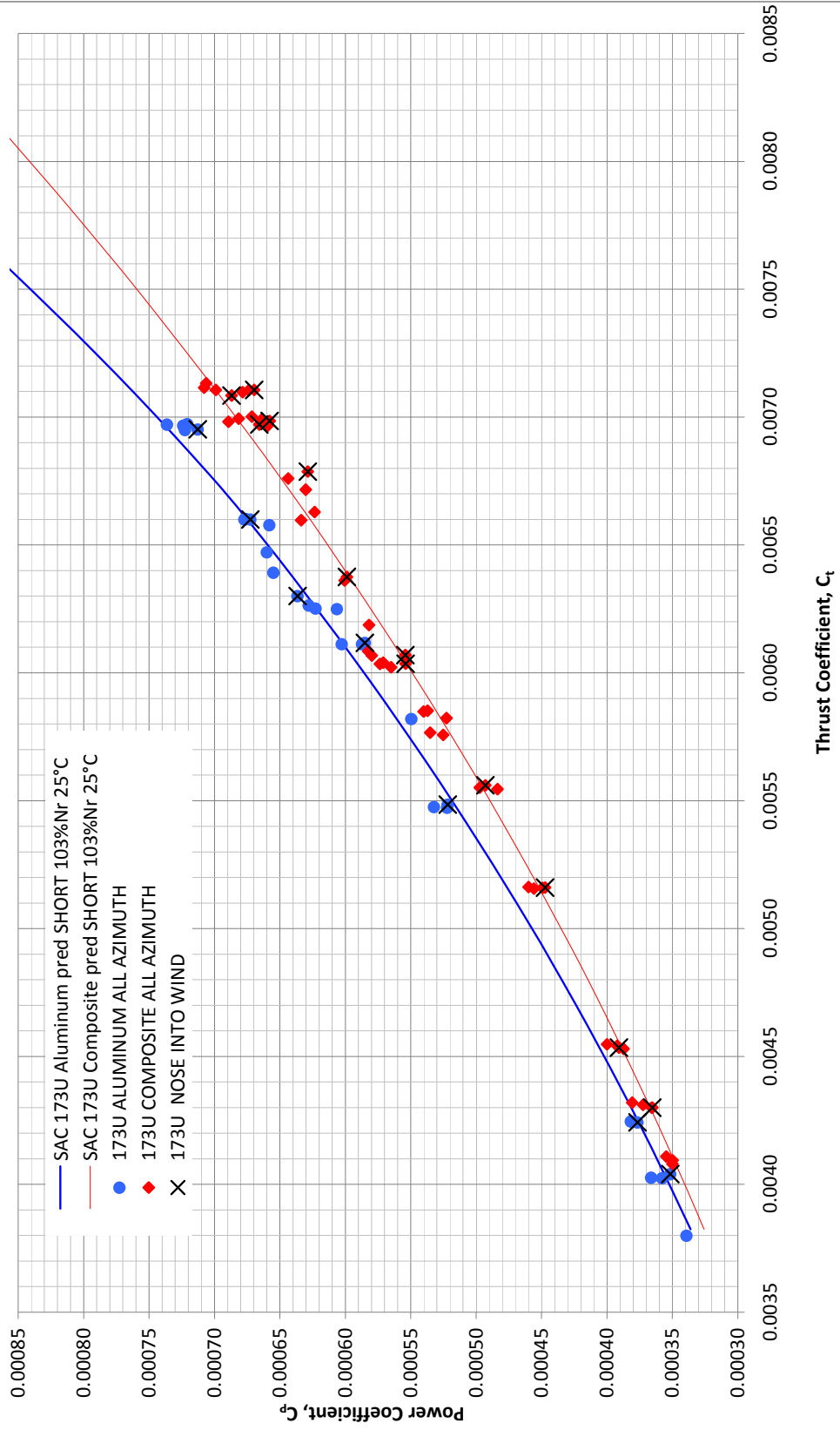
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<b>NOTE: GW = TEST GW INCLUDING EXTERNAL LOADS</b> <b>SHP = .1215 * Q * NR%, PER ENGINE</b> <b>100%NR = 203 RPM</b>																	
186_007	14	HOG E 103%NR NOSE	96.7	2421	135.5	651	103.1	2.5	285	310	22.7	92.1	21171	2018	0.006787	0.0006286	CS
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186_008	43	HOG E 106%NR TAIL	72.9	1878	128.0	745	106.1	2.5	13	210	23.5	83.2	16964	2206	0.005160	0.0004494	CS
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186_008	45	HOG E 106%NR NOSE	72.3	1864	159.3	776	106.0	2.8	13	20	23.5	83.2	16924	2244	0.005161	0.0004473	CS
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186_008	56	HOG E 106%NR RIGHT	56.5	1456	126.0	744	105.9	2.5	354	305	23.6	84.1	13414	2220	0.004094	0.0003499	CS
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186_008	68	HOG E 100%NR RIGHT	96.0	2340	140.5	760	100.3	1.0	349	295	23.7	83.3	20514	2250	0.006992	0.0006636	CS
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186_009	42	HOG E 103%NR NOSE	90.1	2254	N/A	688	102.9	3.0	345	330	21.7	80.3	19110	1893	0.006118	0.0005849	AL
186_009	43	HOG E 103%NR LEFT	90.4	2260	N/A	699	102.9	2.6	345	60	21.7	80.3	19080	1907	0.006113	0.0005871	AL
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186_009	52	HOG E 100%NR TAIL	95.2	2314	N/A	673	100.0	3.0	343	150	21.8	78.1	18850	1880	0.006392	0.0006550	AL
186_009	54	HOG E 106%NR NOSE	103.5	2660	N/A	654	105.8	1.8	334	330	22.0	75.3	20782	1873	0.006300	0.0006365	AL
186_009	55	HOG E 106%NR LEFT	99.2	2558	N/A	673	106.1	2.1	334	60	22.0	75.3	20742	1896	0.006250	0.0006063	AL
186_009	56	HOG E 106%NR TAIL	102.4	2637	N/A	663	105.9	1.8	334	150	22.0	75.3	20722	1884	0.006264	0.0006279	AL
186_009	57	HOG E 106%NR RIGHT	101.6	2614	N/A	656	105.9	2.5	334	240	22.0	75.3	20682	1876	0.006251	0.0006227	AL
186_009	58	HOG E 103%NR NOSE	103.9	2603	N/A	653	103.1	1.6	345	330	22.0	75.6	20632	1873	0.006599	0.0006726	AL
186_009	59	HOG E 103%NR LEFT	101.7	2550	N/A	666	103.1	0.8	345	60	22.0	75.6	20632	1889	0.006578	0.0006579	AL
186_009	60	HOG E 103%NR TAIL	104.2	2608	N/A	649	103.0	2.5	345	150	22.0	75.6	20642	1868	0.006602	0.0006761	AL
186_009	61	HOG E 103%NR RIGHT	104.3	2609	N/A	647	102.9	1.3	345	240	22.0	75.6	20622	1866	0.006600	0.0006770	AL

D.O.S. FREE HOVER PERFORMANCE DATA SUMMARY CONTINUED.

RDF	RUN	MANEUVER	AVG Q TORQUE (%)	TOTAL SHIP (SHP)	RADAR ALTITUDE (FT)	A/C PRESS ALTITUDE (FT)	ROTOR SPEED (%)	SONDE WIND MAG (KTS)	SONDE WIND DIR (DEG)	A/C HEAD (DEG)	SONDE OAT (°C)	SONDE REL HUM (%)	GW (LBS)	DENSITY ALTITUDE (FT)	C <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>t</sub>	BLADES CS/AL
186_009	63	HOG 100%NR LEFT	104.7	2543	N/A	658	100.0	2.2	340	60	22.1	74.0	20542	1886	0.006973	0.0007207	AL
186_009	64	HOG 100%NR TAIL	105.0	2549	N/A	649	99.9	2.6	340	150	22.1	74.0	20502	1874	0.006967	0.0007239	AL
186_009	65	HOG 100%NR RIGHT	106.6	2584	N/A	651	99.8	1.6	340	240	22.1	74.0	20462	1877	0.006971	0.0007363	AL
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186_009	67	HOG 100%NR LEFT	104.6	2536	N/A	664	99.8	2.5	342	60	22.1	75.8	20402	1899	0.006950	0.0007224	AL
186_009	71	HOG 103%NR RIGHT	102.0	2555	N/A	647	103.1	3.0	340	240	22.1	76.4	20282	1881	0.006472	0.0006600	AL
186_009	72	HOG 106%NR NOSE	85.3	2197	N/A	656	106.0	2.2	345	330	22.0	76.4	18180	1879	0.005485	0.0005218	AL
186_009	73	HOG 106%NR LEFT	85.3	2199	N/A	668	106.0	1.9	345	60	22.0	76.4	18140	1893	0.005473	0.0005221	AL
186_009	74	HOG 106%NR TAIL	86.8	2235	N/A	660	105.9	2.9	345	150	22.0	76.4	18120	1884	0.005476	0.0005322	AL
186_009	87	HOG 106%NR RIGHT	55.7	1437	N/A	648	106.2	2.4	347	240	22.1	72.2	12642	1868	0.003799	0.0003393	AL
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186_009	90	HOG 103%NR TAIL	56.5	1413	N/A	643	103.0	2.4	357	150	22.0	76.2	12592	1862	0.004026	0.0003662	AL
186_009	91	HOG 103%NR RIGHT	55.2	1381	N/A	639	103.0	2.7	357	240	22.0	76.2	12592	1858	0.004024	0.0003578	AL
186_009	92	HOG 100%NR NOSE	55.1	1341	N/A	641	100.2	1.3	354	0	22.1	76.3	12572	1873	0.004242	0.0003768	AL
186_009	93	HOG 100%NR LEFT	55.7	1357	N/A	662	100.2	2.2	354	90	22.1	76.3	12572	1899	0.004246	0.0003817	AL
186_011	25	HOG 100%NR TAIL	101.9	2472	118.7	724	99.8	2.9	10	240	19.8	70.1	21013	1662	0.007107	0.0006989	CS
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186_011	35	HOG 100%NR NOSE	97.3	2370	121.7	728	100.2	2.8	6	0	21.2	60.1	20673	1813	0.006971	0.0006658	CS
186_011	36	HOG 100%NR LEFT	96.4	2346	120.0	725	100.2	2.7	6	90	21.2	60.1	20653	1809	0.006966	0.0006593	CS
186_011	37	HOG 100%NR LEFT	100.3	2437	120.1	725	100.0	2.3	6	90	21.2	60.1	20613	1808	0.006982	0.0006893	CS
186_011	40	HOG 106%NR NOSE	80.7	2080	127.8	733	106.1	2.8	350	0	21.3	65.9	18461	1849	0.005561	0.0004929	CS
186_011	42	HOG 106%NR TAIL	81.4	2096	124.6	722	106.0	2.7	350	180	21.3	65.9	18421	1836	0.005551	0.0004973	CS
186_011	43	HOG 106%NR RIGHT	79.1	2039	130.1	729	106.0	2.4	350	270	21.3	65.9	18401	1845	0.005545	0.0004836	CS
186_011	45	HOG 103%NR LEFT	83.1	2081	127.1	730	103.1	2.6	350	90	21.5	64.6	18351	1867	0.005851	0.0005371	CS
186_011	46	HOG 103%NR TAIL	83.4	2087	125.1	723	103.0	2.5	350	180	21.5	64.6	18311	1859	0.005849	0.0005401	CS
186_011	52	HOG 100%NR RIGHT	81.0	2030	127.6	725	103.2	3.0	350	270	21.5	64.6	18291	1861	0.005823	0.0005227	CS
186_011	57	HOG 103%NR TAIL	84.3	2045	127.2	724	99.8	2.6	334	180	21.5	63.8	18181	1857	0.006188	0.0005820	CS
186_011	58	HOG 103%NR TAIL	81.1	2031	130.4	725	103.1	2.7	336	180	21.7	63.4	18031	1883	0.005757	0.0005251	CS
186_011	58	HOG 103%NR RIGHT	82.5	2064	131.0	728	103.0	2.8	336	270	21.7	63.4	18031	1886	0.005766	0.0005350	CS
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186_011	60	HOG 100%NR LEFT	84.9	2065	124.4	723	100.1	2.9	328	90	21.8	64.2	17981	1895	0.006085	0.0005824	CS
186_011	61	HOG 100%NR TAIL	84.6	2061	125.1	721	100.2	2.4	328	180	21.8	64.2	17961	1895	0.006067	0.0005797	CS
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186_011	65	HOG 106%NR TAIL	93.4	2401	122.1	720	105.8	2.2	351	180	22.0	54.4	19923	1884	0.006035	0.0005736	CS
186_011	66	HOG 106%NR RIGHT	92.1	2369	126.9	723	105.9	1.8	351	270	22.0	54.4	19903	1887	0.006022	0.0005649	CS
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186_011	68	HOG 103%NR LEFT	92.5	2314	123.5	725	103.0	1.4	336	90	22.1	61.6	19863	1926	0.006361	0.0006006	CS

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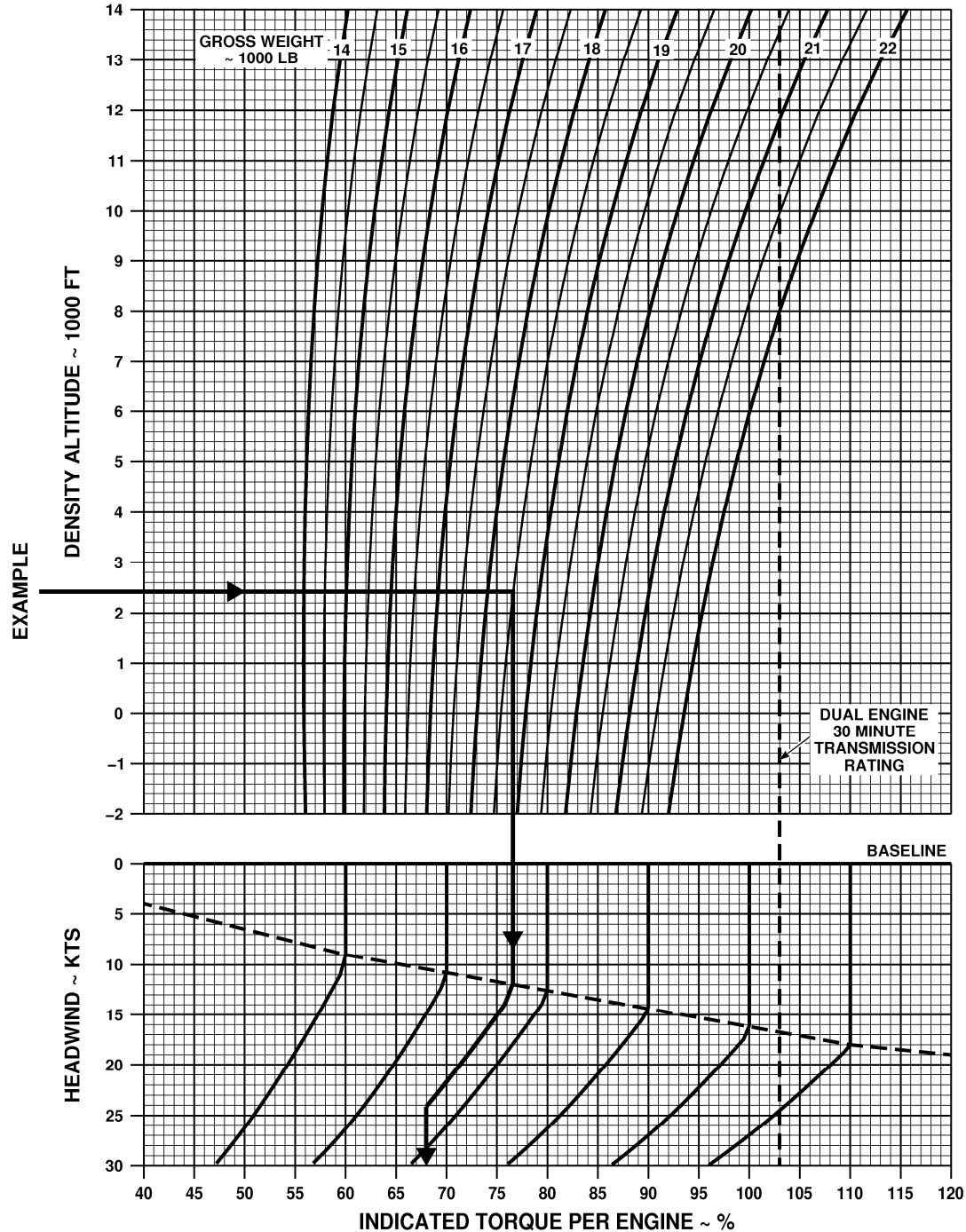
### OGE Hover "Spot Check" 3KTS or Less D.O.S. S-61N 173U Aircraft



# INDICATED TORQUE REQUIRED TO HOVER IN GROUND EFFECT 10 FT WHEEL HEIGHT

**103% NR**  
**STANDARD TEMPERATURE AND ABOVE**

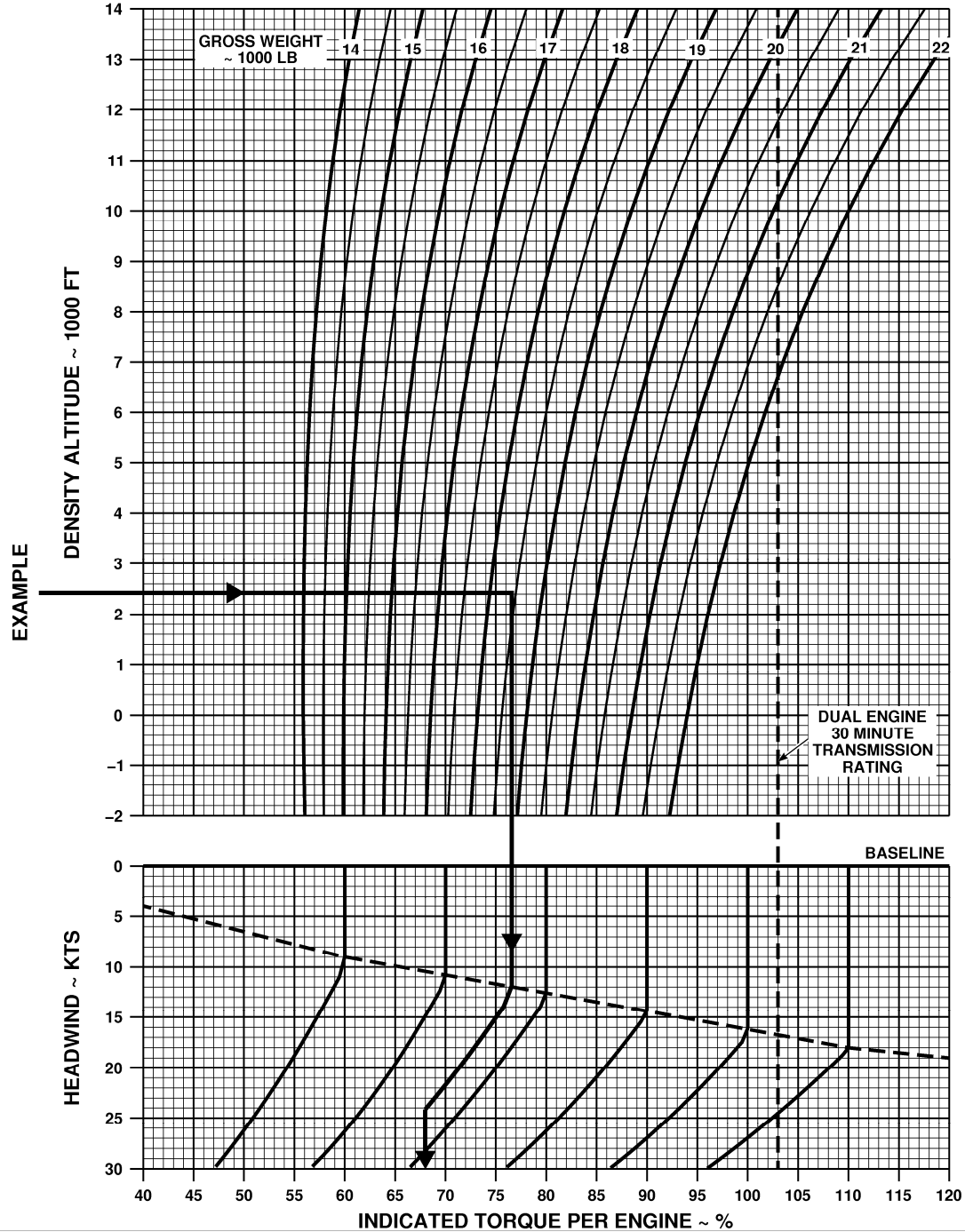
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DATE: SEPTEMBER 2010  
DATA BASIS: FLIGHT TEST



# INDICATED TORQUE REQUIRED TO HOVER IN GROUND EFFECT 10 FT WHEEL HEIGHT

MODEL: S-61N LONGBODY D.O.S.  
DATE: SEPTEMBER 2010  
DATA BASIS: FLIGHT TEST

103% NR  
ISA -10°C

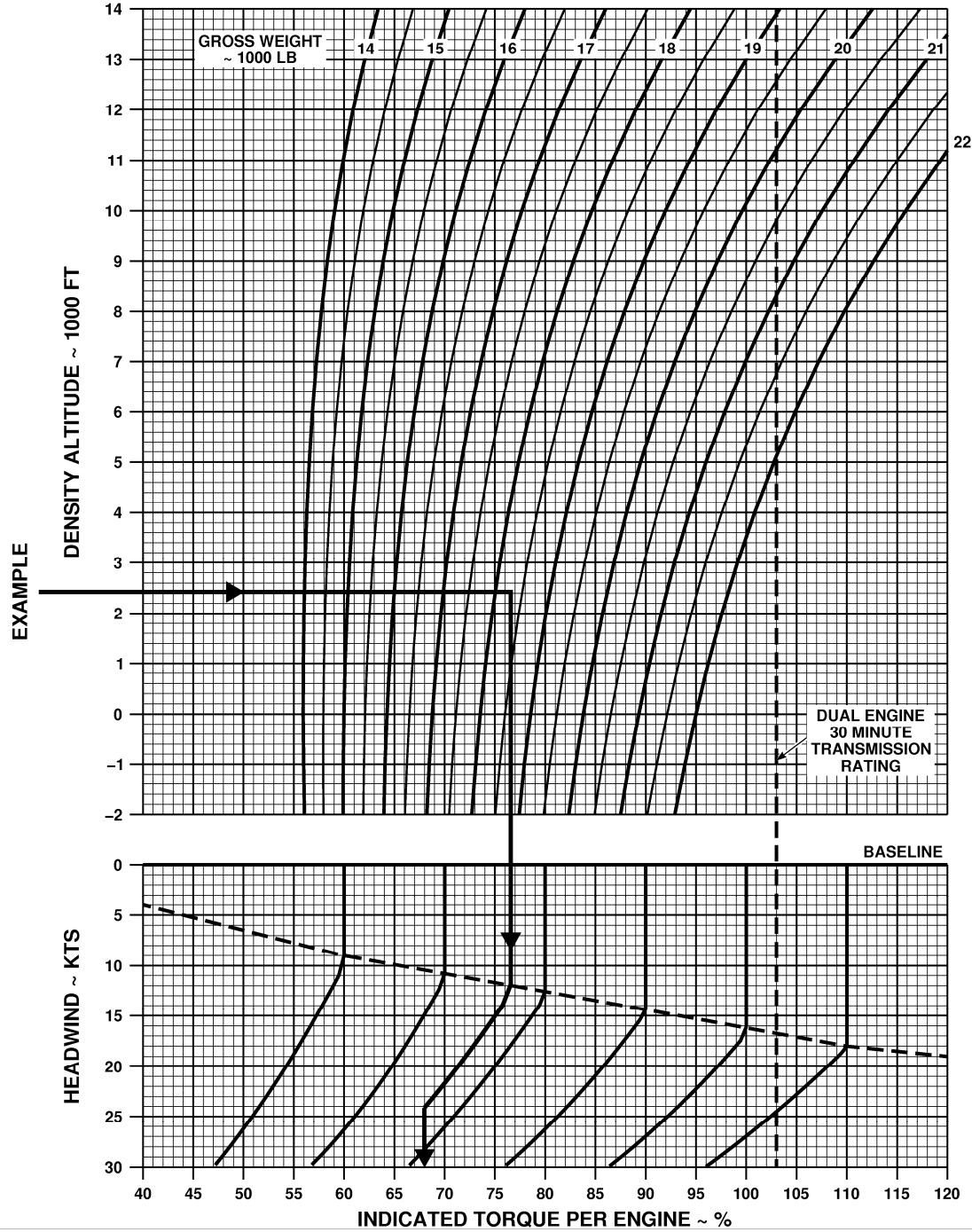


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DATA BASIS: FLIGHT TEST

103% NR  
ISA -20 °C



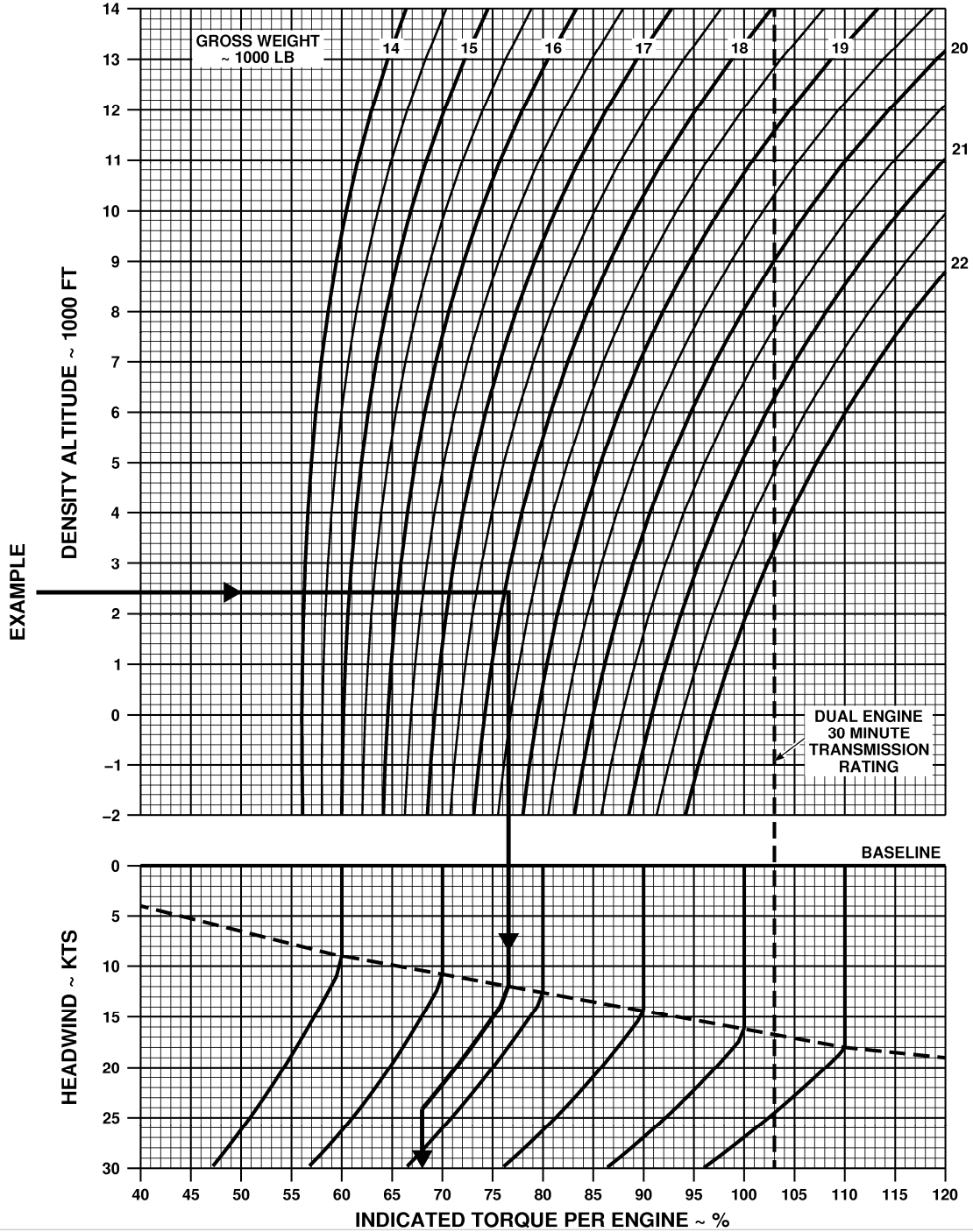
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DATA BASIS: FLIGHT TEST

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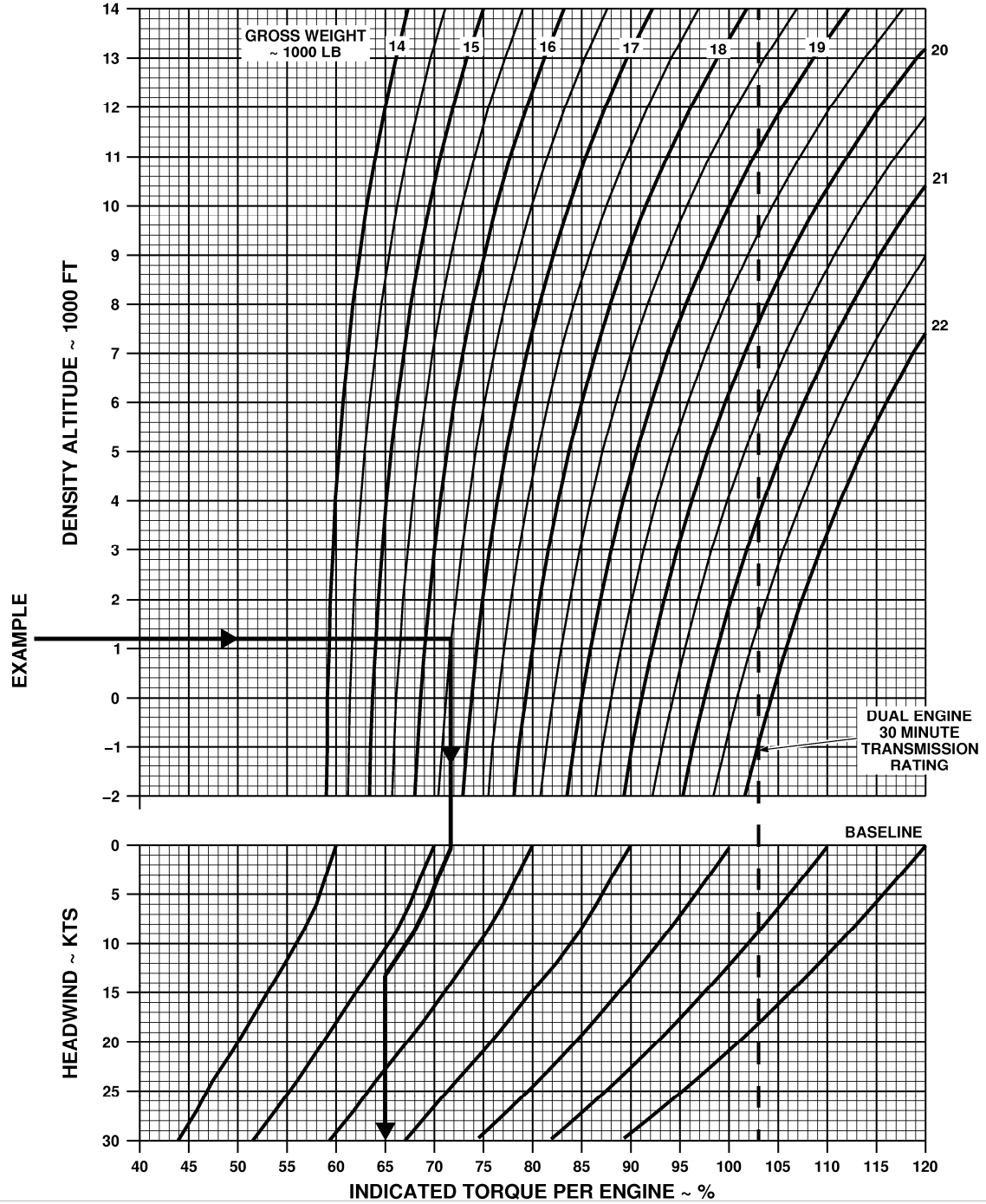


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# INDICATED TORQUE REQUIRED TO HOVER OUT OF GROUND EFFECT

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**103% NR**  
**STANDARD TEMPERATURE AND ABOVE**

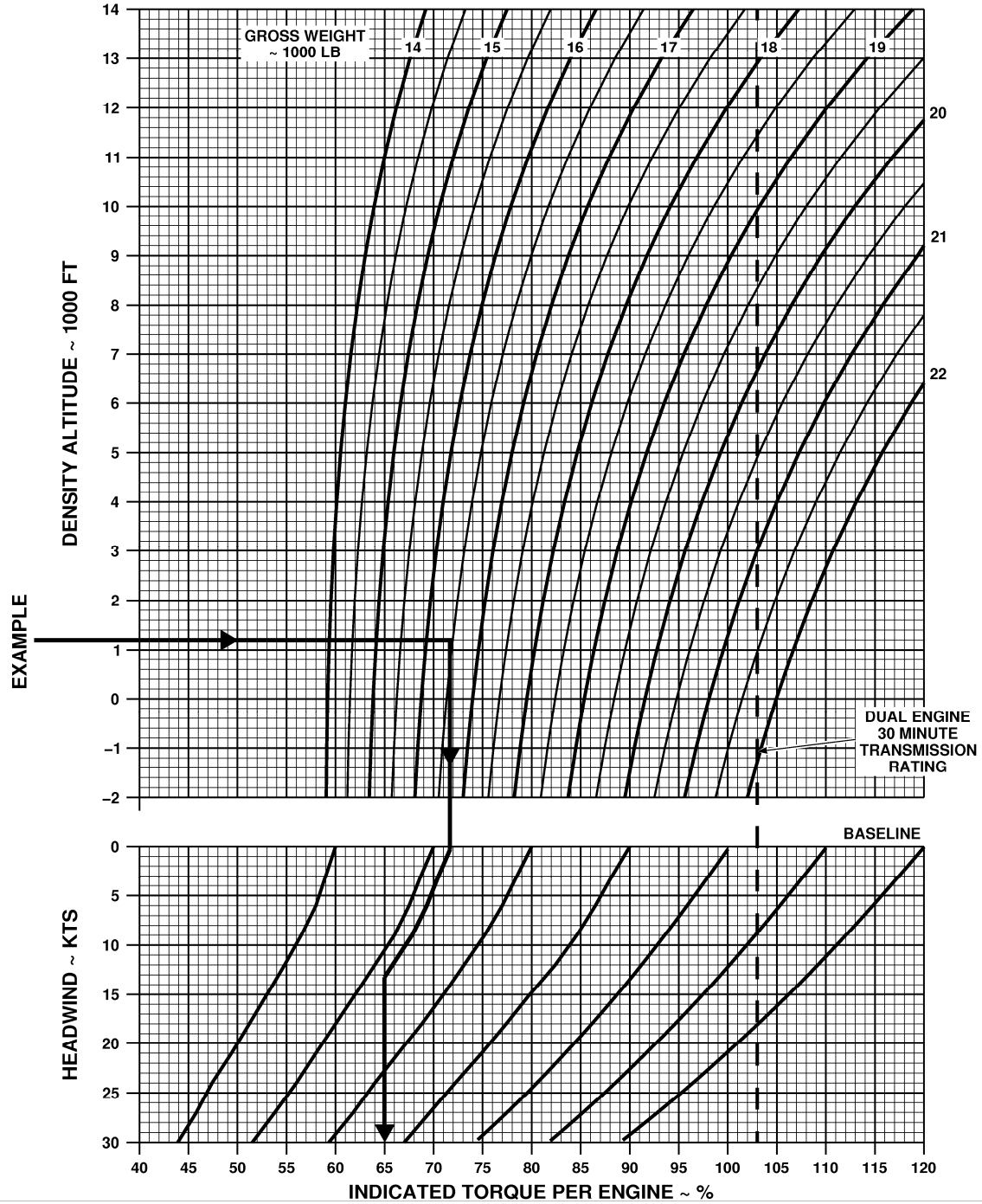


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DATA BASIS: FLIGHT TEST

103% NR  
ISA -10°C

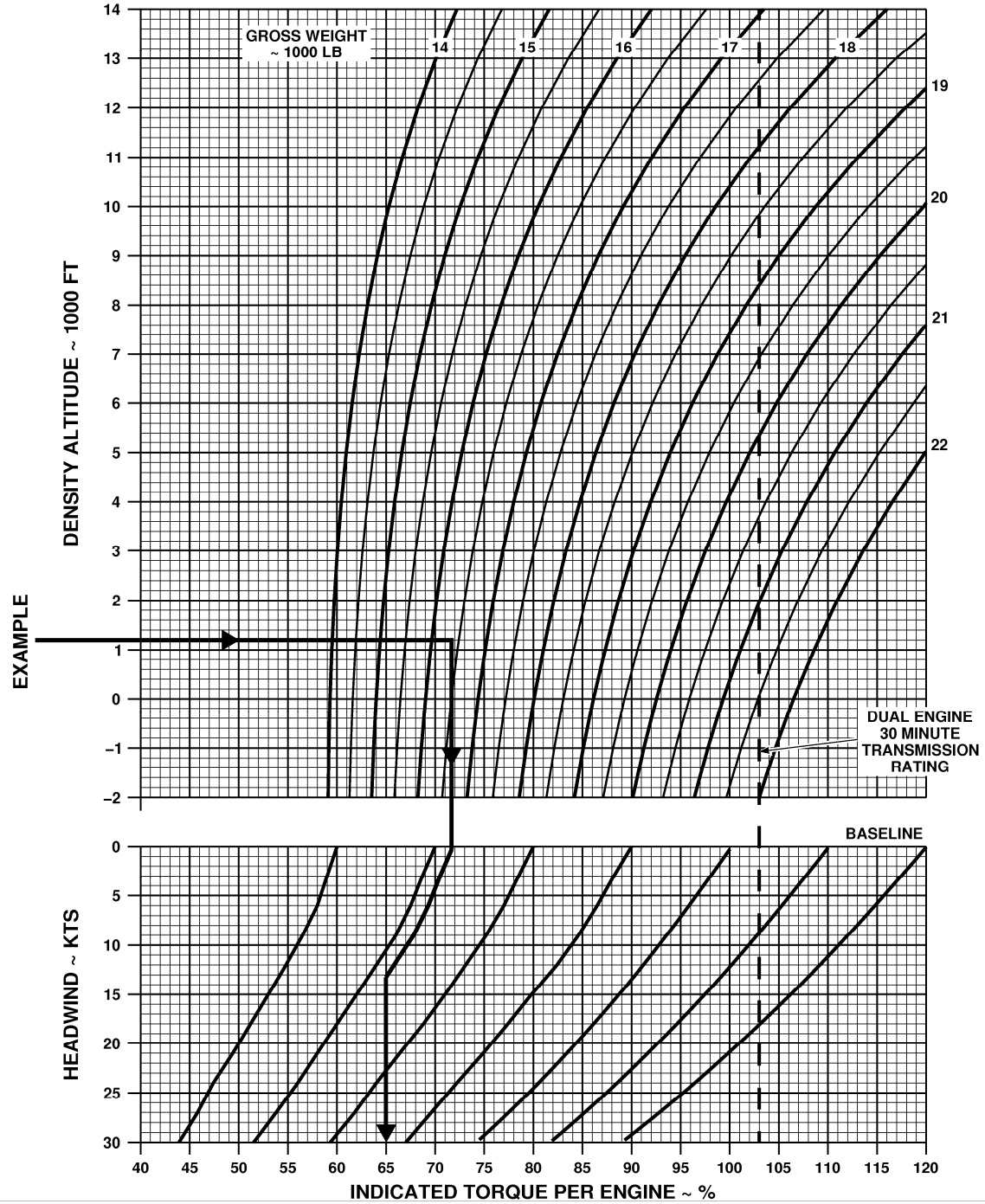


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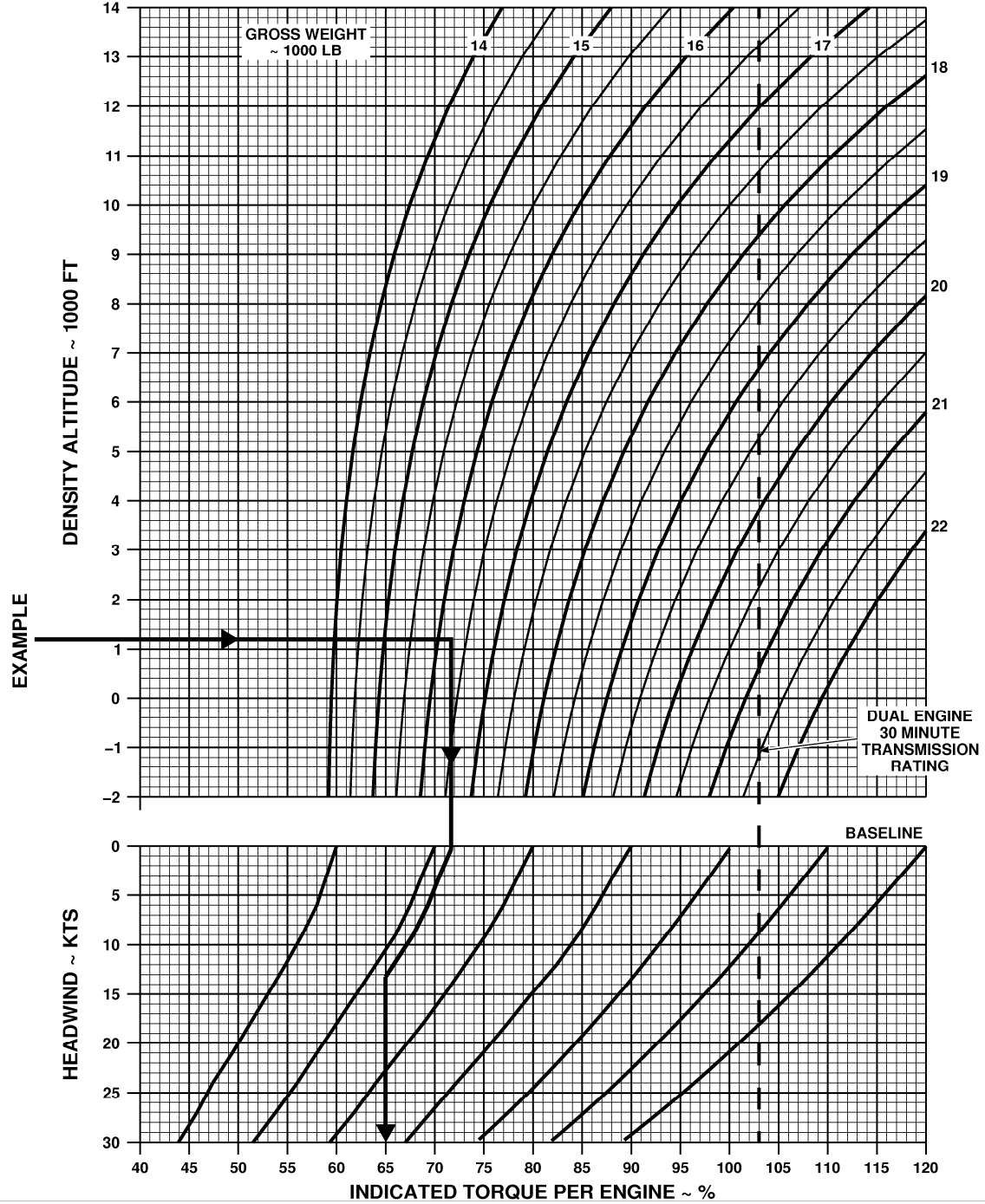


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DATA BASIS: FLIGHT TEST

103% NR  
ISA -30°C



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