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GENERAL

It is the pilot's responsibility to ensure that the aircraft is loaded properly and within the weight and balance limitations. All flight performance, procedures and characteristics are based on this prerequisite.

The actual licensed empty weight and CG of a specific aircraft can be found on the Weight and Balance Form and the Operating Limitations Card, both of which are a permanent part of the aircraft's file. All additional changes to the aircraft's empty weight and CG after the time of manufacture must also be attached to or indicated on both forms. From this information and the following instructions, the pilot can easily determine the useful load and proper loading distribution for the aircraft.

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INSTALLED EQUIPMENT LIST

ITEM	WEIGHT lb	LOCATION in	MOMENT in-lb
DYNON D-180		56.62	
GARMIN GTX 327		55.3	
GTX 327 TRAY		53.71	
GARMIN GTX 328		53.86	
GTX 328 TRAY		53.88	
GARMIN SL-40		53.76	
SL-40 TRAY		47.69	
GARMIN X95/6		58.08	
FLIGHTCOM FC 403		56.48	
ARTEX ME-406		96.18	
DYNON EDC-10A		147.73	
ODYSSEY PC-680		43.56	
TOTAL		-----	

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SAMPLE LOADING PROBLEM

ITEM	ARM (IN.) (LIMITS 80.49- 85.39)	SAMPLE AIRPLANE	
		WEIGHT (LB)	MOMENT (IN-LB)
EMPTY WEIGHT WITH OIL & COOLANT	81.93	738	60468
PILOT	78.85	190	14982
PASSENGER	78.85	190	14982
BAGGAGE	110.81	50	5541
FUEL (6 LB/GAL)	110.28	119	13101
TAKEOFF WEIGHT & MOMENT	84.76	1287	109073

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YOUR AIRPLANE

ITEM	ARM (IN.) (LIMITS 80.49- 85.39)		
		WEIGHT (LB)	MOMENT (IN-LB)
EMPTY WEIGHT WITH OIL & COOLANT			
PILOT	78.85		
PASSENGER	78.85		
BAGGAGE	110.81		
FUEL (6 LB/GAL)	110.28		
TAKEOFF WEIGHT & MOMENT			

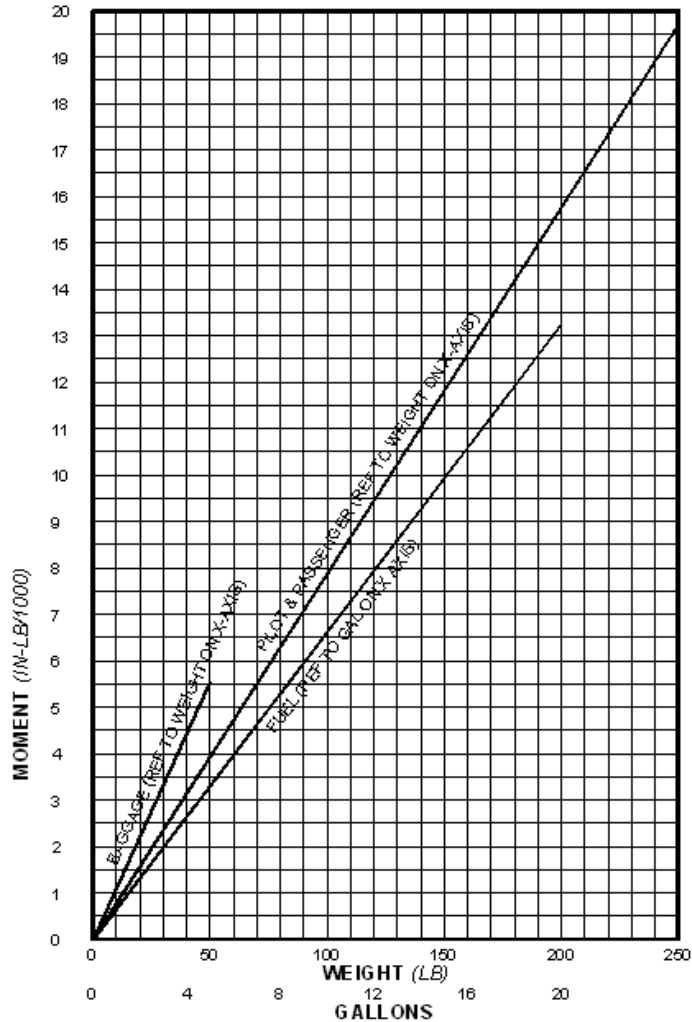


FIGURE 4-1 LOADING GRAPH

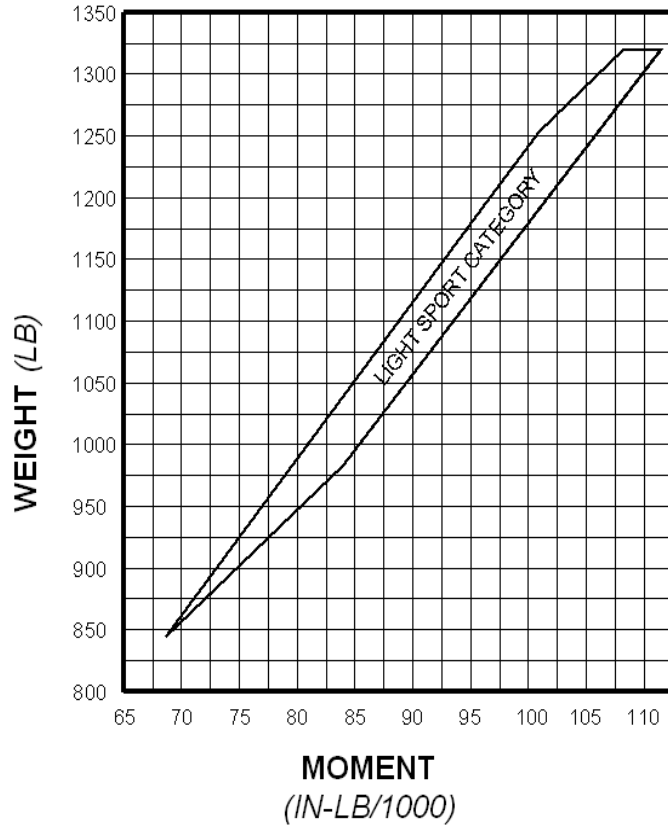


FIGURE 4-2 FLGHT ENVELOPE

RV-12 WEIGHT & BALANCE WORKSHEET

AIRCRAFT: _____ (registration)
 _____ (serial number)

DATE: _____

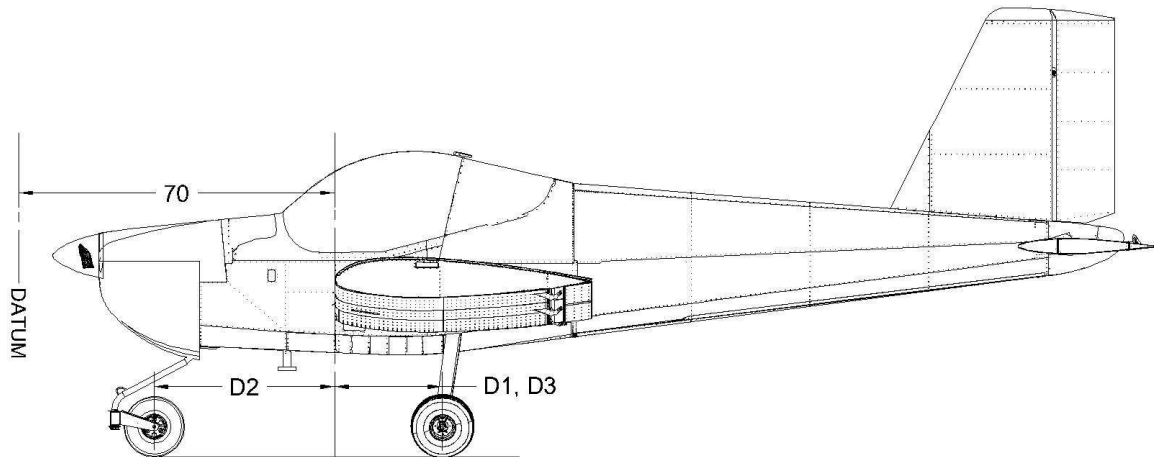


TABLE 1

	LEFT WHEEL	NOSE WHEEL	RIGHT WHEEL
WEIGHT	_____ lb (W1)	_____ lb (W2)	_____ lb (W3)
DISTANCE FROM AXLE CENTER TO LEADING EDGE	_____ inches (D1)	_____ inches (D2)	_____ inches (D3)

TABLE 2

	WEIGHT	ARM	MOMENT
LEFT WHEEL	_____ lb (W1)	(70+ _____) = _____ inches (D1) (A1)	(_____)*(_____) = _____ in-lb (W1) (A1) (M1)
NOSE WHEEL	_____ lb (W2)	(70- _____) = _____ inches (D2) (A2)	(_____)*(_____) = _____ in-lb (W2) (A2) (M2)
RIGHT WHEEL	_____ lb (W3)	(70+ _____) = _____ inches (D3) (A3)	(_____)*(_____) = _____ in-lb (W3) (A3) (M3)

EMPTY WEIGHT = _____ lb EMPTY ARM = _____ inches
 (W1 + W2 + W3) (Easy Moment / Empty Weight)

EMPTY MOMENT = _____ in-lb
 (M1 + M2 + M3)

Aircraft measured, weighed, and worksheet filled-out by: _____
 printed name

Signature: _____