

# Tentative Agenda



	9:00-10:30 (90mins)	10:45-12:00 (90mins)	Lunch	13:20-14:50 (90mins)	15:00-16:30 (90mins)
<b>Day1 Monday</b>	<b>Registration &amp; Introduction</b>	<b>Review of Pre-course Assignment</b>		<b>General Overview -Aircraft Classification -MOC</b>	<b>Speed Conversion* &amp; Turn Calculation*</b>
<b>Day2 Tuesday</b>	<b>Wind Effect &amp; Turn Parameters</b>	<b>Wind Effect* &amp; Turn Parameters*</b>		<b>Fix Tolerance</b>	<b>Fix Tolerance</b>
<b>Day3 Wednesday</b>	<b>NPA -General Criteria Initial Segment</b>	<b>NPA Initial Segment*</b>		<b>NPA Intermediate Segment</b>	<b>NPA Intermediate Segment*</b>
<b>Day4 Thursday</b>	<b>NPA Final Segment</b>	<b>NPA Final Segment* OCA/H*</b>		<b>NPA Final Segment* OCA/H* NPA VSS</b>	<b>NPA Final Segment* OCA/H* NPA VSS</b>
<b>Day5 Friday</b>	<b>Missed Approach -Initial Phase</b>	<b>Missed Approach -Intermediate Phase -Turning MAP</b>		<b>Missed Approach -Intermediate Phase -Turning MAP</b>	<b>Missed Approach -Intermediate Phase* -Turning MAP</b>

**Notes:**

1. All scheduling is in Beijing time(UTC+8).
2. Topics with \* will be followed by a short practical exercise.
3. Each presentation is followed by a 10-minute Q&A session.



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# SPEED CONVERSION & TURN Calculation

# OBJECTIVES



- **At the end of the lecture, student is expected to know:**
  - Effect of atmosphere condition on **True Air Speed (TAS)**
  - Conversion of **IAS** to **TAS**
  - Radius of Turn (**R**)
  - Rate of Turn (**r**)

# SPEED CONVERSION



- Indicated Air Speed (**IAS**) is the speed indicated by the instruments in the cockpit
- True Air Speed (**TAS**) is the actual speed of an aircraft relative to the outside environment
- **Factors** having an influence on the value of TAS in aircraft:
  - **Altitude**
  - **Reference Temperature**
- **TAS** is always used in **procedure design process**

# SPEED CONVERSION



- In order to convert IAS into TAS, a conversion table is used. This table can be found in Doc 8168 Volume II Part-1 Section-2 Chapter-1
- $TAS = IAS * k$
- $k$  depends on **Altitude** and **Temperature**. Value of  $K$  is given in the conversion table, for a range of altitudes and temperatures. It can also be calculated using a complex formula.

# SPEED CONVERSION



Reference: Table I-2-1-App-2

International Standard  
Atmosphere

Altitude (feet)	ISA-30	ISA-20	ISA-10	ISA	ISA+10	ISA+15
0	0.9465	0.9647	0.9825	1.000	1.0172	1.0257
1000	0.9601	0.9787	0.9969	1.0148	1.0324	1.0411
2000	0.9740	0.9930	1.0116	1.0299	1.0479	1.0567
3000	0.9882	1.0076	1.0266	1.0453	1.0637	1.0728
4000	1.0027	1.0225	1.0420	1.0611	1.0799	1.0892

The following formula is used for values not listed in the table:

$$TAS = IAS \times 171233 [(288 \pm VAR) - 0.00198H]^{0.5} \div (288 - 0.00198H)^{2.628}$$

where: VAR = Temperature variation about ISA in °C, H = Altitude in feet.

# SPEED CONVERSION - EXERCISE



- IAS = 185kts, Alt = 6000', then TAS = ?
  - TAS =
  
- IAS = 185kts, Alt = 12000', then TAS = ?
  - TAS =
  
- IAS = 185kts, Alt = 9100', then TAS = ?
  - Use Alt at
  - TAS =

# SPEED CONVERSION



- ➔ Instrument Approach Procedure is a process, using navigation, through which an aircraft transits from the en-route phase of flight to a position, and in a state, from which a normal landing can be initiated
- ➔ A procedure may consist of 5 segments:
  - ➔ Arrival Segment
  - ➔ Initial Segment
  - ➔ Intermediate Segment
  - ➔ Final Segment
  - ➔ Missed Approach Segment
- ➔ For the speed in each segment, refer Table I-4-1-2

# SPEED CONVERSION - EXERCISE

- CAT D, Initial Segment, Alt = 10000'msl, then TAS = ?
  - TAS =
  
- CAT C, Initial Segment, Alt = 8000'msl, then TAS = ?
  - TAS =



## ❖ Turn Calculations

- Rate of Turn (**R**) in deg/sec
- Radius of Turn (**r**) in NM or km

## ❖ Parameters

- TAS (**not** IAS)
- Bank Angle

## ❖ 3 Bank Angles used in Pans-Ops:

- **25°** - Terminal e.g. Initial
- **20°** - Visual Manoeuvring (Circling)
- **15°** - Final, MAP & Departure

# TURN



- Maximum value of bank angle :  $25^\circ$
- Maximum rate of turn (R) :  $3^\circ / s$
- *Assuming the value of the IAS, the radius of turn used for **the design of the trajectory** must always have the maximum value calculated either with the **maximum value of bank angle** or with **maximum value of the rate of turn***

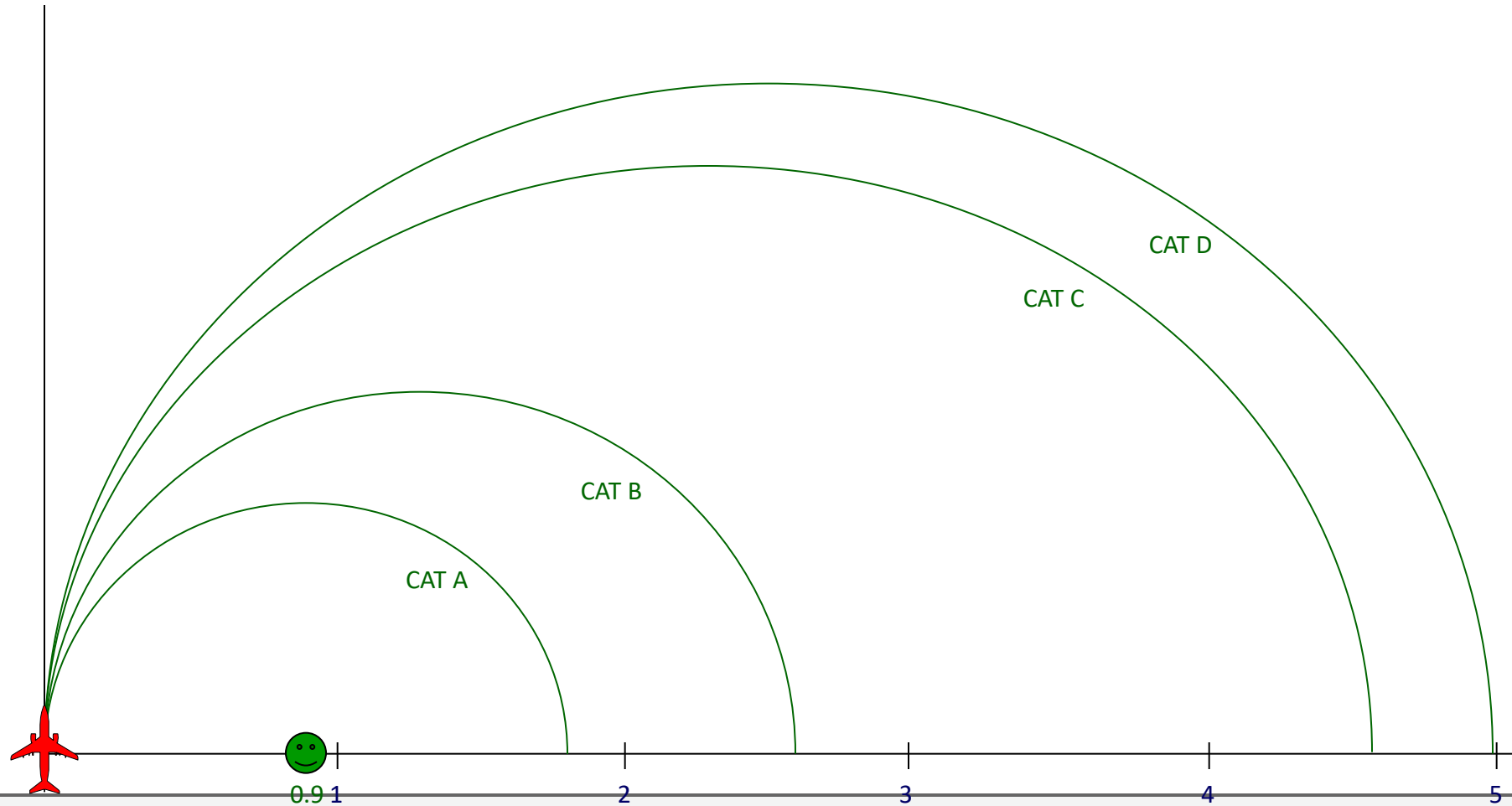
# TURN - EXERCISE

- Formulas (Reference: page I-2-3-2)
  - Rate of Turn:  $R = (3431 \tan \alpha) / \pi V$
  - Radius of Turn:  $r = V / (20 \pi R)$
- Find R & r for CAT A-D at 6000' msl in Initial Segment, ISA+15:

CAT	IAS	Factor	TAS(V) (whole figure)	R (2 decimals)	r (2 decimals)
A					
B					
C					
D					

# TURN - EXERCISE

- Plotting the tracks: CAT A-D at 6000' msl,



# R & r for CAT D at different altitude during Departure (IAS+15)



Altitude	IAS (kts)	Factor	TAS(V)	R (2 decimals) Degree/sec	r (2 decimals) (Nm)
1000					
3000					
6000					
10000					

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