

Lateral Stability Derivatives

Sideslip, Coordinated Turn

Table 5.2
Summary—Lateral Derivatives

	C_y	C_l	C_n
β	$*-a_F \frac{S_F}{S} \left(1 - \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \beta}\right)$	N.A.	$*a_F V_V \left(1 - \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \beta}\right)$
\dot{p}	$*-a_F \frac{S_F}{S} \left(2 \frac{z_F}{b} - \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \dot{p}}\right)$	N.A.	$*a_F V_V \left(2 \frac{z_F}{b} - \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \dot{p}}\right)$
\dot{r}	$*a_F \frac{S_F}{S} \left(2 \frac{l_F}{b} + \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \dot{r}}\right)$	$*a_F \frac{S_F}{S} \frac{z_F}{b} \left(2 \frac{l_F}{b} + \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \dot{r}}\right)$	$*-a_F V_V \left(2 \frac{l_F}{b} + \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \dot{r}}\right)$

*means contribution of the tail only, formula for wing-body not available; $V_F/V = 1$.

N.A. means no formula available.

B derivatives

$C_{l\beta}$: Dihedral Effect

- 1) Wing Height
- 2) Dihedral Angle
- 3) Vertical Tail
- 4) Wing Sweep

$C_{n\beta}$: Weathervane Derivative Sign? (+)

Main Component: Vertical Tail

$$\alpha_F = -\beta + \sigma \leftarrow \text{sidewash}$$

$$\rightarrow C_{LF} = a_F (-\beta + \sigma)$$

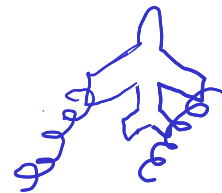
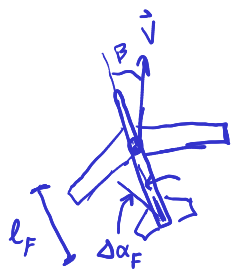
$$N_F = -C_{LF} \frac{1}{2} \rho V_F^2 S_F l_F$$

$$C_{nF} = -C_{LF} \frac{S_F l_F}{S b} \left(\frac{V_F}{V}\right)^2$$

$$= -V_V C_{LF} \left(\frac{V_F}{V}\right)^2$$

$$C_{n\beta} \approx \left. \frac{\partial C_{nF}}{\partial \beta} \right|_0 = -V_V \left(\frac{V_F}{V}\right)^2 \left. \frac{\partial C_{LF}}{\partial \beta} \right|_0 = \boxed{V_V a_F \left(\frac{V_F}{V}\right)^2 \left(1 - \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \beta}\right)}$$

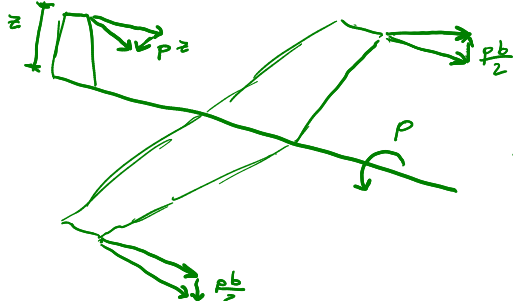
$$V_V \equiv \frac{S_F l_F}{S b}$$



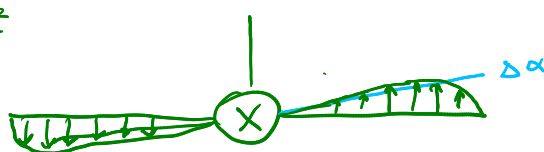
$C_{y\beta}$ (usually small) (similar derivation to $C_{n\beta}$)

p derivatives

C_{lp} roll damping derivative (-)

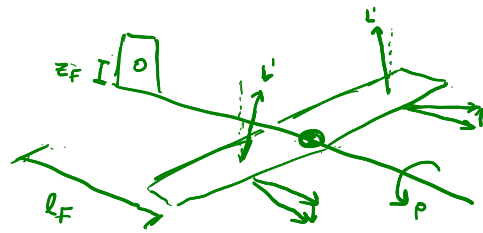


(From rear of aircraft)



C_{np}

Wing Effects



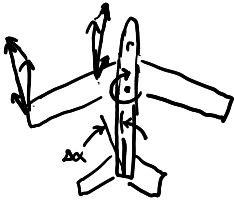
Tail Effect $\Delta \alpha_F = -\frac{P z_F}{u_0} + p \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial p} = -\hat{p} \left(2 \frac{z_F}{b} - \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \hat{p}} \right)$

$$(\Delta C_n)_{tail} = -\Delta C_{Y_F} \frac{S_F}{S} \frac{l_F}{b} = a_F V_V \hat{p} \left(2 \frac{z_F}{b} + \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \hat{p}} \right)$$

$$(C_{np})_{tail} = a_F V_V \left(2 \frac{z_F}{b} + \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \hat{p}} \right)$$

C_{yp} (usually small) (similar derivation to $(C_{np})_{tail}$)

r-derivatives



$$\Delta \alpha_F = \frac{r l_F}{u_0} + r \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial r} = \hat{r} \left(2 \frac{l_F}{b} + \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \hat{r}} \right)$$

$$(C_{Y_r})_{tail} = a_F \frac{S_F}{S} \left(2 \frac{l_F}{b} + \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \hat{r}} \right)$$

$$(C_{lr})_{tail} = a_F \frac{S_F}{S} \frac{z_F}{b} \left(2 \frac{l_F}{b} + \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \hat{r}} \right)$$

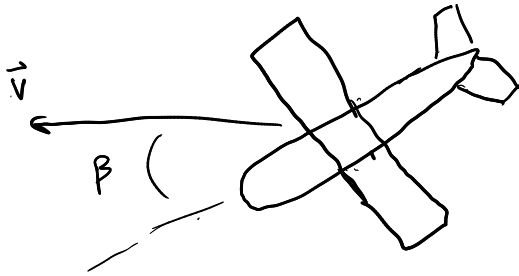
$$(C_{nr})_{tail} = -a_F V_V \left(2 \frac{l_F}{b} + \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \hat{r}} \right)$$

← yaw damping derivative



2 steady flight conditions (not "level")

Sideslip



$$\Delta Y + mg \Delta \phi = 0$$

$$\Delta L = 0$$

$$\Delta N = 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{can incorporate 1-engine out}$$

$$\Delta Y = Y_v \Delta v + Y_p \delta_p + Y_r \delta_r + Y_{\delta a} \delta_a + Y_{\delta r} \delta_r$$

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} Y_{\delta r} & 0 & mg \\ L_{\delta r} & L_{\delta a} & 0 \\ N_{\delta r} & N_{\delta a} & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{invert}} \begin{bmatrix} \delta_r \\ \delta_a \\ \Delta \phi \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} Y_v \\ L_v \\ N_v \end{bmatrix} \Delta v \quad \beta u_0$$

Steady Sideslip

For Piper Cherokee



$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 280.7 & 0 & 2400 \\ 755.7 & -3821.9 & 0 \\ -3663.5 & 359 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{inv}} \begin{bmatrix} \delta_r \\ \delta_a \\ \phi \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.991 \\ 102.93 \\ -19.394 \end{bmatrix} \quad \beta u_0 \quad (7.8, 4)$$

It is convenient to express the sideslip as an angle instead of a velocity. To do so we recall that $\beta = v/u_0$, with u_0 given above as 112.3 fps. The solution of (7.8,4) is found to be

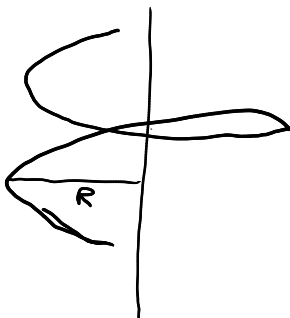
$$\delta_r / \beta = .303$$

$$\delta_a / \beta = -2.96$$

$$\phi / \beta = .104$$

We see that a positive sideslip (to the right) of say 10° would entail left rudder of 3° and right aileron of 29.6° . Clearly the main control action is the aileron displacement, without which the airplane would, as a result of the sideslip to the right, roll to the left. The bank angle is seen to be only 1° to the right so the sideslip is almost flat.

Coordinated Turn



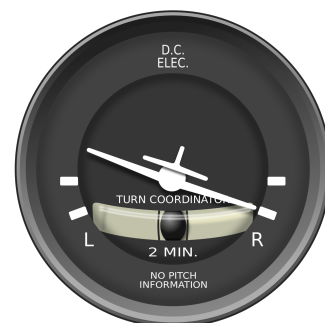
$$\omega = \frac{u_0}{R}$$

$$a_n = \omega^2 R = \frac{u_0^2}{R}$$

$$\vec{1}_B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \omega \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{\omega}_B = R_E^B \vec{\omega}_E = \begin{bmatrix} p \\ q \\ r \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\sin \theta \\ \sin \phi \cos \theta \\ \cos \phi \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \omega$$

- angular velocity vector is constant and aligned with inertial \hat{z}
- No aerodynamic forces in Y direction



Since there is increased need for lift due to bank angle, involves both lat and lon dynamics

$$L \cos \phi = mg \cos \Theta$$

$$L \sin \phi = m \frac{u_0^2}{R}$$

$$= m \omega u_0$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{\tan \phi} = \frac{L \sin \phi}{L \cos \phi} = \frac{m \omega u_0}{mg \cos \Theta} = \boxed{\frac{\omega u_0}{g \cos \Theta}}$$

Assume: no wind, $\theta = \gamma$, $v \ll u$, $\cos \Theta \approx \sin \Theta = \Theta$, $V = u = u_0$

From EOM:

$$Z = -mg \cos \phi - mqu$$

load factor "g's" $n = -\frac{Z}{mg} = \cos \phi + \frac{qu}{g}$

$$= \cos \phi + \frac{\omega u_0 \sin \phi}{g}$$

$$= \cos \phi + \tan \phi \sin \phi$$

$$\boxed{n = \sec \phi}$$

$$\rightarrow n = \frac{L}{W}$$

$$\Delta C_L = \frac{L - mg}{\frac{1}{2} \rho V^2 S} = (n-1) C_w$$

Coordinated Turn

$$C_Y = 0$$

$$C_L = 0$$

$$C_n = 0$$

$$C_m = 0$$

$$C_L = (n-1) C_w$$

$$= C_{Y\beta} \beta + C_{Yp} \hat{p} + C_{Y\delta_r} \delta_r + C_{Y\delta_a} \delta_a$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{Y\beta} & C_{Y\delta_r} & 0 \\ C_{L\beta} & C_{L\delta_r} & C_{L\delta_a} \\ C_{n\beta} & C_{n\delta_r} & C_{n\delta_a} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \beta \\ \delta_r \\ \delta_a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} C_{Yp} & C_{Yr} \\ C_{Lp} & C_{Lr} \\ C_{np} & C_{nr} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ -\cos \phi \end{bmatrix} \frac{\omega b}{2u_0}$$

$\downarrow \omega b$
 $\uparrow \frac{\omega b}{2u_0}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{m\alpha} & C_{m\delta_e} \\ C_{L\alpha} & C_{L\delta_e} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta \alpha \\ \Delta \delta_e \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} C_{mq} \\ C_{Lq} \end{bmatrix} \frac{\omega \bar{c} \sin \phi}{2u_0} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ (n-1) C_w \end{bmatrix}$$