

$$(L/D)_{max} = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2} \sqrt{\frac{eAR}{C_{D,0}}}$$

Introducing drag area and effective span

$$A_D = C_{D,0}S$$

$$b_e = b\sqrt{e}$$

$$(L/D)_{max} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi} \sqrt{e} \sqrt{AR} \frac{1}{\sqrt{C_{D,0}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (L/D)_{max} &= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi} \sqrt{e} b \frac{1}{\sqrt{s}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{C_{D,0}}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi} \sqrt{e} b \frac{1}{\sqrt{A_D}} \end{aligned}$$