

MAE 158 Lecture 17

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Announcements: No quiz this week

No HW this week

(last HW to be posted
Monday week 10)

Today's Objectives: Stability (cont.)

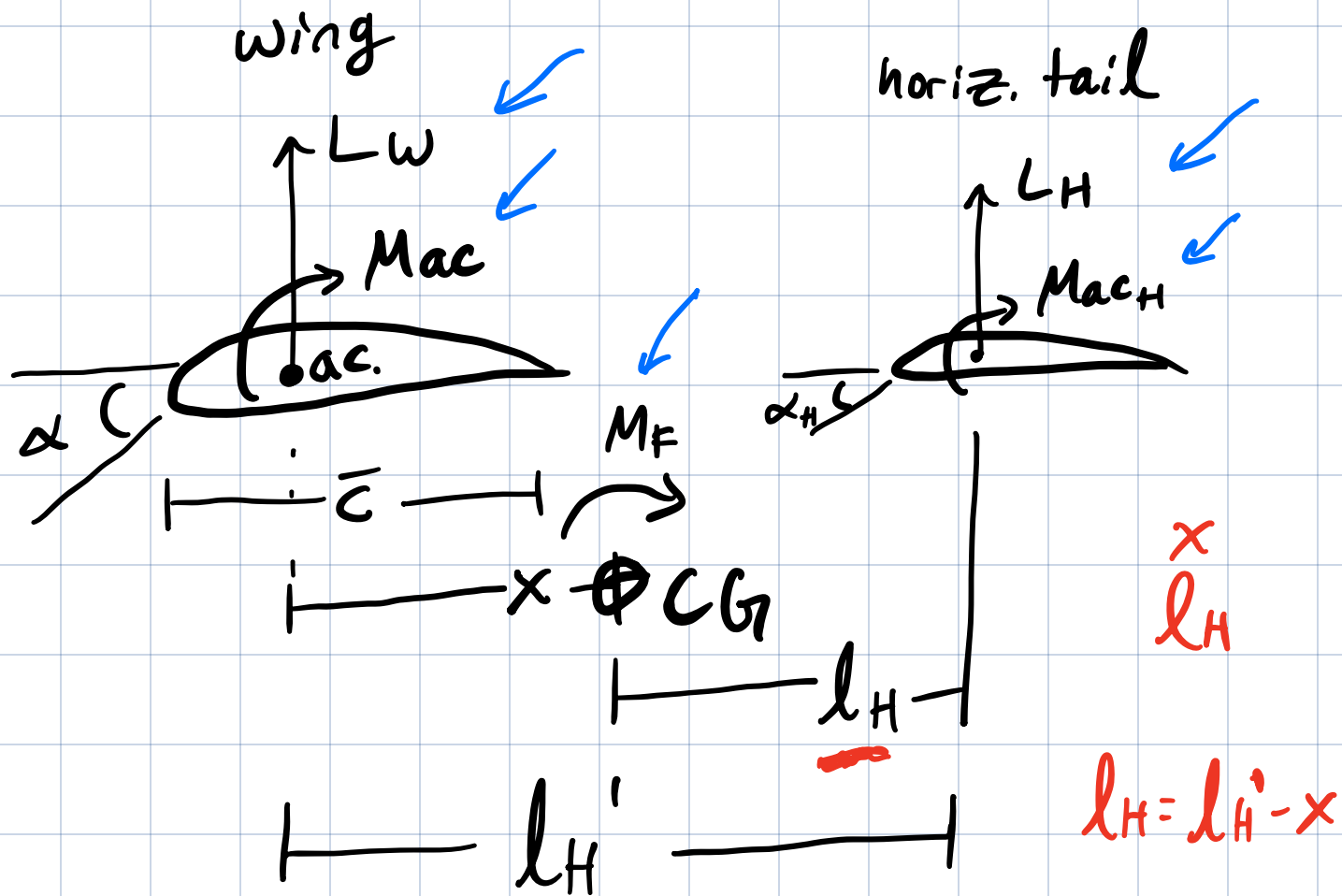
last time:

longitudinal Stability when

$$\frac{dC_m}{dC_L} \leq 0$$

Solve location of CG

that leads to Stability



$M_{ac.H} \rightarrow$ negligible for horizontal tail

$M_F \rightarrow$ Moments due to fuselage nacelles etc.

$$\Sigma M_{CG} = \underbrace{M_w}_{M_{ac_w}} + \underbrace{M_H}_{L_H l_H} + M_F$$

$$M_{ac_w} + L_w x - L_H l_H + M_F$$

$$C_{m_{CG}} = \frac{M_{CG}}{S_w \bar{c}} = C_{mac} + \frac{C_{Lw} \cdot X}{\bar{c}} - C_{LH} \left[\frac{S_H \cdot l_H}{S_w \bar{c}} \right] \cdot \eta_H + C_{m_F}$$

S_{ref} wing \nearrow mean aerodynamic chord wing \nearrow (Aerodynamic MAC, - Not-exposed MAC) \nearrow horiz. tail efficiency \nearrow Refer total drag lecture

get stable condition if $\frac{dC_m}{dC_L} \leq 0$

limiting condition @ $\frac{dC_m}{dC_L} = 0$

\hookrightarrow When X positioned \nearrow such that this is true \rightarrow neutral stability

- CG forward of this position
→ stability
- CG aft of this position
→ unstable

Note we want $\frac{dC_m}{dC_L}$
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 total Aircraft C_L
 Not wing C_L !

$$L_{\text{total}} = L_w + L_H \cdot \eta_H$$

divide by $q S_w$

$$C_L = C_{Lw} + \eta_H C_{LH} \cdot \frac{S_H}{S_w}$$

Start by solving $\frac{dC_m}{dC_{Lw}}$

$\frac{d}{dC_{Lw}}$

Recall $\frac{dC_{mac}}{dC_L} = 0$

$$C_{m_{CG}} = \frac{M_{CG}}{q S_w \bar{c}} = \cancel{C_{mac}} + \frac{C_{Lw} \cdot X}{\bar{c}} - C_{LH} \left[\frac{S_H \cdot l_H}{S_w \bar{c}} \right] \eta_H + C_{m_F}$$

$$\frac{dC_{m_{CG}}}{dC_{Lw}} = \frac{X}{\bar{c}} - \frac{dC_{LH}}{dC_{Lw}} \left[\frac{S_H l_H}{S_w \bar{c}} \right] \eta_H + \frac{dC_{m_F}}{dC_{Lw}} \quad (1)$$

by definition, $\frac{dC_{mac}}{dC_{Lw}} = 0$

because M_{ac} is invariant
with C_L by definition

↳ air foil lecture

What is $\frac{dC_{LH}}{dC_{LW}}$?

$$C_{Lwing} = \frac{dC_{LW}}{d\alpha} \cdot \alpha$$

$$C_{LH} = \frac{dC_{LH}}{d\alpha_H} \cdot \alpha_H$$

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from C_L
curve

in general, $\alpha_H = \alpha - \epsilon$

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Angle of
attack
@ tail

↑
downwash

due to wing

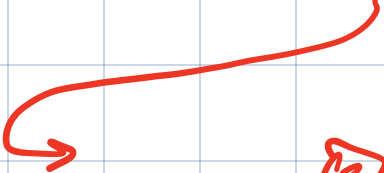
(induced
drag
lecture)

$$\frac{dC_{LH}}{d\alpha} = \frac{dC_{LH}}{d\alpha_H} \cdot \frac{d\alpha_H}{d\alpha} = \frac{dC_{LH}}{d\alpha_H} \cdot \left(1 - \frac{d\epsilon}{d\alpha}\right)$$

$\frac{dC_{LH}}{d\alpha_H}$

$$\text{thus, } \frac{dC_{LH}}{dC_{LW}} = \frac{\frac{dC_{LH}}{d\alpha_H} \cdot \left(1 - \frac{d\epsilon}{d\alpha}\right)}{\frac{dC_{LW}}{d\alpha}}$$

~~now~~ plug into ①



$$\frac{dC_m C_G}{dC_{LW}} = \frac{x}{\bar{c}} - \frac{\left(\frac{dC_H}{d\alpha_H}\right) \left(1 - \frac{d\varepsilon}{d\alpha}\right) \eta_H \frac{S_H l_H}{S_W \bar{c}}}{\left(\frac{dC_{LW}}{d\alpha}\right)} + \frac{dC_{mF}}{dC_{LW}}$$

almost there, -but- $\frac{dC_m}{dC_L}$

$$\& \quad \underline{C_L} = C_{LW} + \eta_H C_{LH} \frac{S_H}{S_W}$$

$$\frac{dC_m C_G}{dC_L} = \left(\frac{dC_m}{dC_{LW}} \right) \left(\frac{\frac{dC_{LW}}{d\alpha}}{\left(\frac{dC_L}{d\alpha} \right)} \right) \leftarrow \text{lift curve}$$

$$= \left(\frac{dC_m}{dC_{LW}} \right) \cdot \frac{\left(\frac{dC_{LW}}{d\alpha} \right)}{\left(\frac{dC_{LW}}{d\alpha} \right) + \frac{dC_{LH}}{d\alpha_H} \left(1 - \frac{d\varepsilon}{d\alpha} \right) \frac{S_H}{S_W} \eta_H}$$
↑

$$= \frac{dC_m}{dC_w} \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \frac{dC_{LH}/d\alpha_H}{dC_w/d\alpha} \left(1 - \frac{d\epsilon}{d\alpha}\right) \frac{S_H}{S_w} \cdot \eta_H}$$

Note $l_H' = l_H + x$, $l_H = l_H' - x$

plug in (2), & $l_H = l_H' - x$

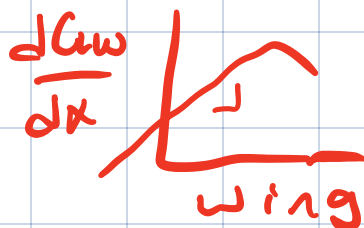
re-write just in terms of x

$$\frac{dC_m}{dC_L} C_L = \frac{x}{\bar{c}} - \left[\frac{dC_{LH}/d\alpha_H}{dC_w/d\alpha} \left(1 - \frac{d\epsilon}{d\alpha}\right) \frac{S_H l_H' \eta_H}{S_w \bar{c}} - \frac{dC_m}{dC_L} \right]_F$$

$$\cdot \left[1 + \frac{dC_{LH}/d\alpha_H}{dC_w/d\alpha} \left(1 - \frac{d\epsilon}{d\alpha}\right) \frac{S_H}{S_w} \cdot \eta_H \right]$$

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induced
drag
lecture

lift curves



solve for neutral stability

$$@ \frac{dC_{mCG}}{dC_L} = 0 \rightarrow \frac{x}{\bar{c}}$$

@ this location, we call it

the neutral point

$$\text{Static Margin} = \frac{x_{np}}{\bar{c}} - \frac{x_{CG}}{\bar{c}}$$

\uparrow $\frac{dC_m}{dC_L} < 0$ \uparrow $\frac{dC_m}{dC_L} = 0$ \uparrow position of CG

Ex: Jet AC which wing & horizontal tail geometry is the following

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_w &= 2927 \text{ ft}^2 \\
 b_w &= 148.4 \text{ ft}
 \end{aligned}
 \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} S_w &= 2927 \text{ ft}^2 \\ b_w &= 148.4 \text{ ft} \end{aligned}} \right\} R = \frac{b^2}{S} = 7.52$$

$$\bar{c} = 22.73 \text{ ft}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_H &= 559.1 \text{ ft}^2 \\
 b_H &= 47.5 \text{ ft}
 \end{aligned}
 \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} S_H &= 559.1 \text{ ft}^2 \\ b_H &= 47.5 \text{ ft} \end{aligned}} \right\} R_H = 4.04$$

L_H' = distance between wings, horiz tail

$$= 71.2 \text{ ft}$$

assume $\eta_H = 0.9$ $\frac{d\varepsilon}{d\alpha} = 0.43$ $\frac{dC_m}{dC_L}^F = -0.016$

what is $\frac{x}{\bar{c}}$ such that $\frac{dC_m}{dC_L}$ is
@ least -0.10 ?

$$\leftarrow 2\pi\eta \rightarrow \frac{c_{L1}}{C_L}$$

Need $\frac{dC_{Lw}}{d\alpha} = \frac{a_0}{1 + \frac{a_0}{\pi AR}}$

lets say $\eta_{wing} = 0.95$

$\frac{dC_{Lw}}{d\alpha} = \underline{0.0831}$ $2\pi\eta = a_0$

lets say $\eta_H = 0.95$ ← span efficiency

$\frac{dC_{LH}}{d\alpha_H} = \underline{0.0708}$

$\frac{dC_m}{dC_L} C_G$ = $\frac{X}{\bar{C}} - \left[\frac{dC_{LH}/d\alpha_H}{dC_{Lw}/d\alpha} \left(1 - \frac{d\epsilon}{d\alpha}\right) \cdot \frac{S_H l_H \eta_H}{S_w \bar{C}} - \frac{dC_{m_F}}{dC_L} \right]$

• $\left[\frac{1}{1 + \frac{dC_{LH}/d\alpha_H}{dC_{Lw}/d\alpha} \left(1 - \frac{d\epsilon}{d\alpha}\right) \frac{S_H}{S_w} \cdot \eta_H} \right]$

$$= \frac{X}{C} - \left[\frac{0.0708}{0.0831} (1-0.43) \cdot 0.9 \cdot \frac{559.1}{2927} \left(\frac{71.2}{22.7} \right) - (-0.016) \right] \cdot$$

$$\left[\frac{1}{1 + \frac{0.0708}{0.0831} (1-0.43) \frac{559}{2927} (0.9)} \right]$$

$$= -0.10$$

↑
 $\frac{dC_m}{dC_L}$ that I want

$$\underline{\underline{-0.1}} = \frac{X}{C} - 0.2561$$

$$\frac{x}{c} = \underline{0.1561}$$