

AWT DRIVE SYSTEM DISCUSSION

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DRIVE SYSTEM TASK TEAM  
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OBJECTIVE: DEVELOP A PHYSICAL MODEL OF THE AWT FAN DRIVE THAT WILL  
PRODUCE THE DESIRED PERFORMANCE IN THE AWT ENVIRONMENT

APPROACH:

- O SELECT KEY PERSONNEL
- O IDENTIFY CRITICAL ASPECTS OF PROBLEM
- O ANALYTICAL MODELING
- O PHYSICAL MODELING

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## DRIVE SYSTEM

### CRITICAL ASPECTS:

- O MUST QUANTIFY FAN INLET FLOW FIELD
- O MODELING EFFORTS TO ASSESS FAN INLET FLOW CONDITIONS AND TURNING VANES PERFORMANCE MUST BE CLOSELY INTEGRATED
- O MUST ANALYZE FAN DESIGN WITH APPROPRIATE FLOW PATH GEOMETRY

## DRIVE SYSTEM

### PHYSICAL MODELING: 0.10 SCALE

- O MODEL FLOW PATH WITH ELBOW, TURNING VANES, SHAFT AND CENTER-BODY TO ASSESS FAN INLET CONDITIONS
- O TEST MODEL FAN WITH CLEAN INLET FLOW TO ASSESS DESIGN PERFORMANCE
- O TEST MODEL FAN WITH UPSTREAM ELBOW AND TURNING VANES
- O CANDIDATE FACILITIES -
  - W1 - FOR ELBOW, TURNING VANES AND CENTER-BODY MODEL
  - W2 - FOR FAN MODEL TESTING

## 2.2 DRIVE SYSTEM

### 2.2.1 ANALYTICAL MODELING

2.2.1.1 BASELINE (PER) DESIGN

2.2.1.2 ALTERNATE DESIGNS

### 2.2.2 AERODYNAMIC DESIGN OF BLADE AND VANE AIRFOILS

2.2.2.1 TURNING VANES (CORNER 2)

2.2.2.2 ROTOR BLADES

2.2.2.3 IGV, STATORS AND OGV

### 2.2.3 MECHANICAL DESIGN AND FABRICATION

2.2.3.1 BLADE ROWS

2.2.3.2 ROTATING HARDWARE

2.2.3.3 CASING HARDWARE

2.2.3.4 SIGHT PREPARATION

### 2.2.4 PHYSICAL MODELING

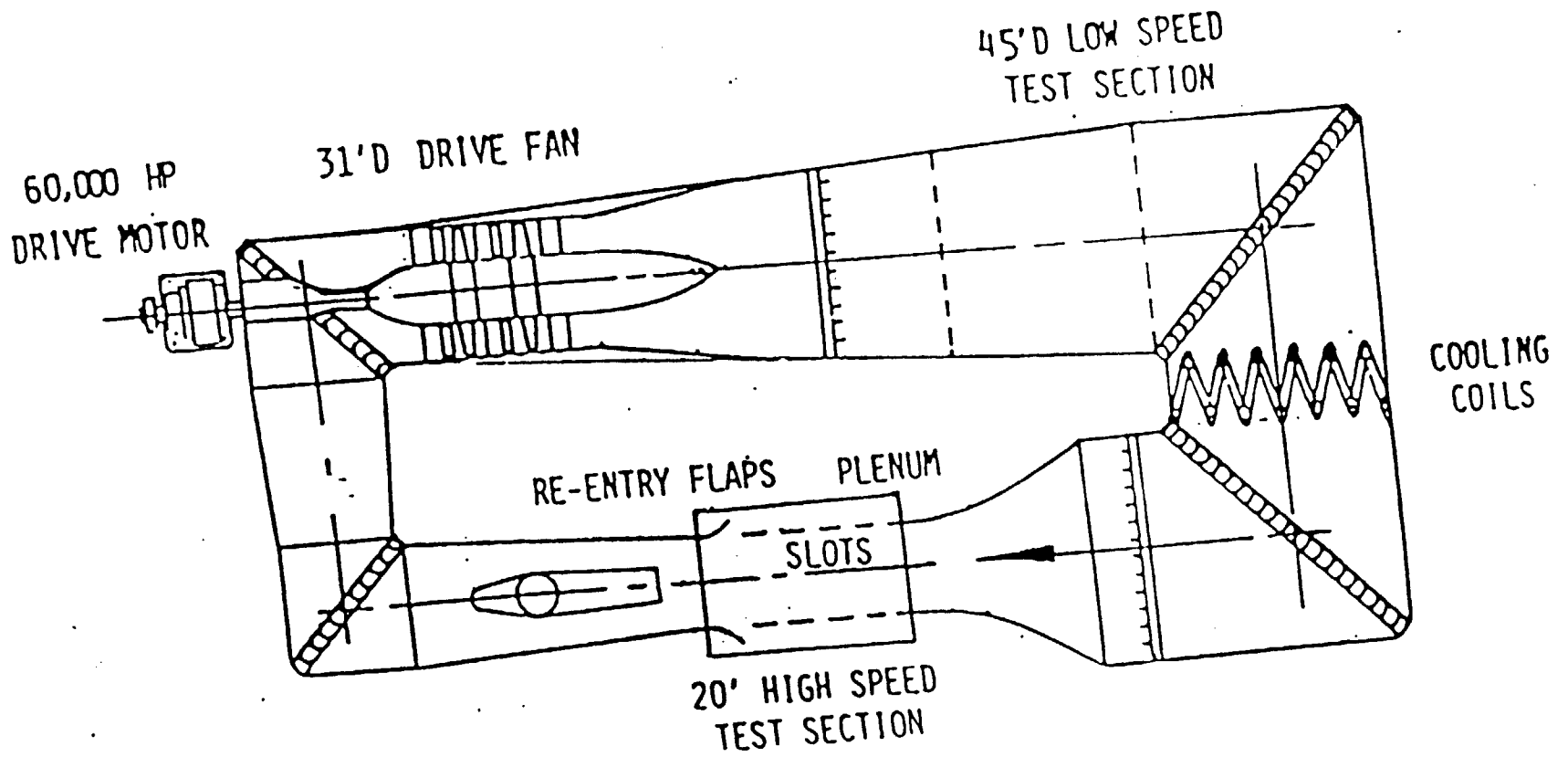
2.2.4.1 FAN FLOWPATH WITH TV, IGV AND CENTERBODY

2.2.4.2 FAN WITH BELLMOUTH INLET AND LS-TEST SECTION

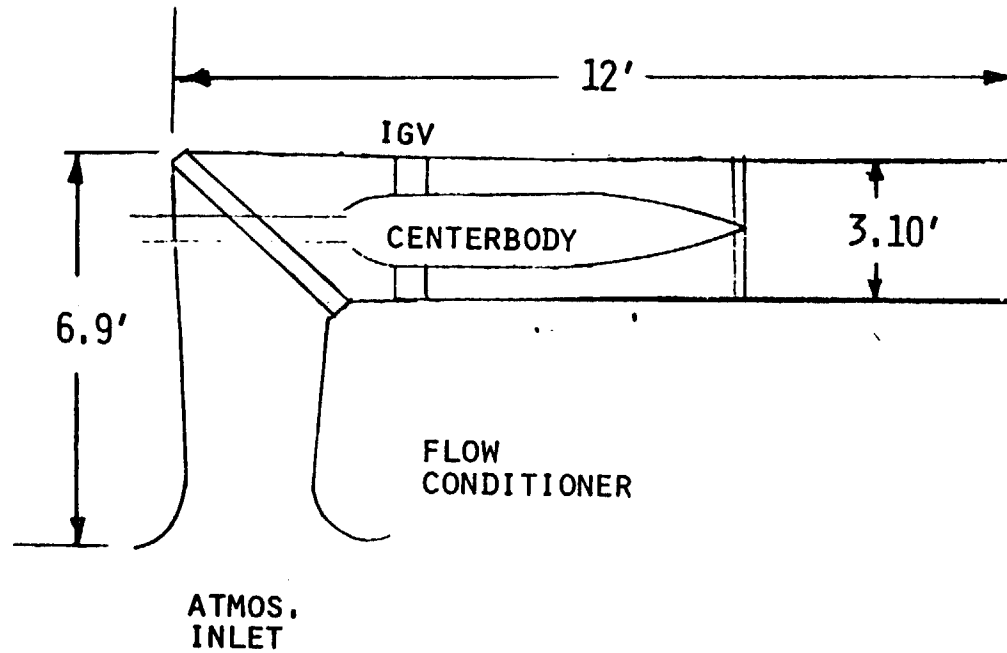
2.2.4.3 FAN WITH CORNER #2, & LS-TEST SECTION

2.2.4.4 FAN WITH CORNERS #1 AND 2 AND LS-TEST SECTION

# AWT FLOW CIRCUIT



# FAN FLOWPATH WITH #2 CORNER-TV, IGV & CENTERBODY



ALTITUDE  
EXHAUST

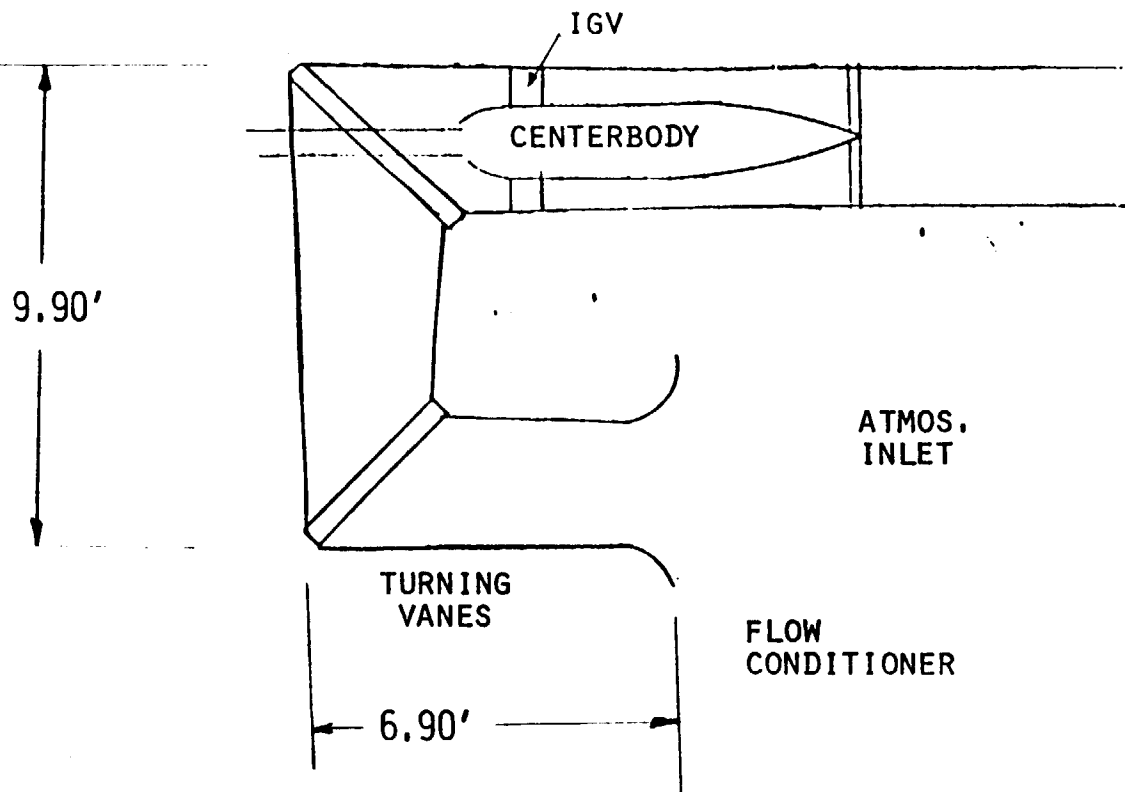
FLOW: 155 LBM/SEC

MEASUREMENTS:

TOTAL PRES.	- - -	68
STATIC PRES.	- -	260
FLOW ANGLES	- - -	14
TOTAL TEMP.	- - -	2

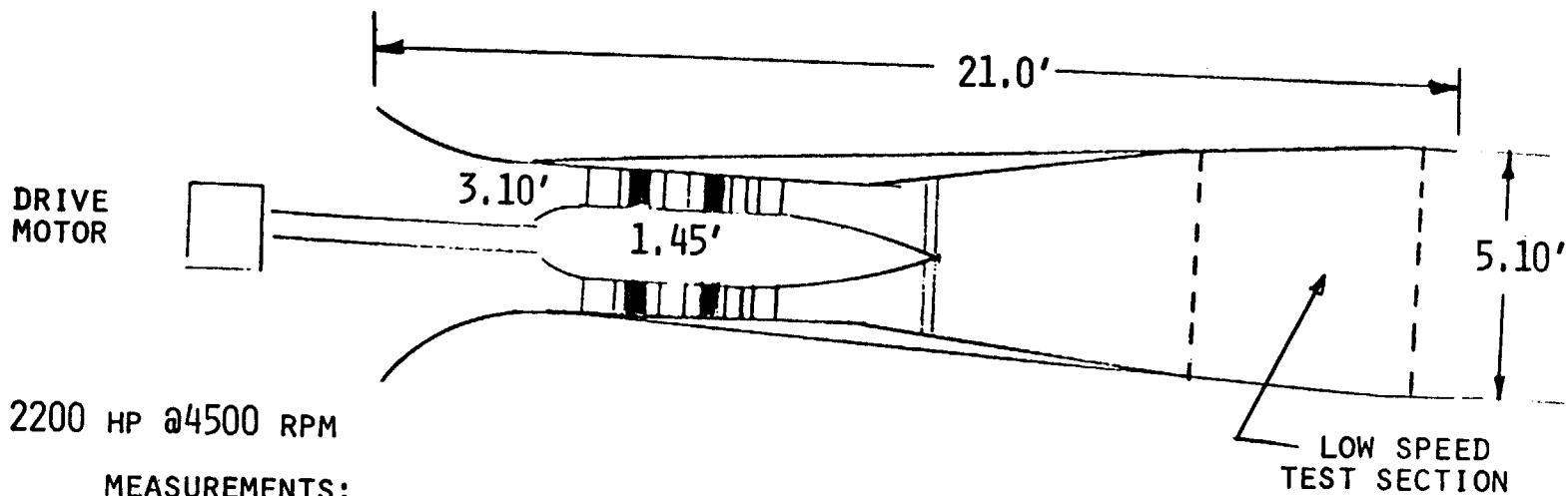


FAN FLOWPATH WITH CORNERS #1, 2-TV, IGV & CENTERBODY



		ALTITUDE EXHAUST
MEASUREMENTS:		
TOTAL PRES.	- -	75
STATIC PRES.	- -	300
FLOW ANGLES	- -	20
TOTAL TEMP.	-	2

# FAN WITH BELLMOUTH AND LOW SPEED TEST SECTION

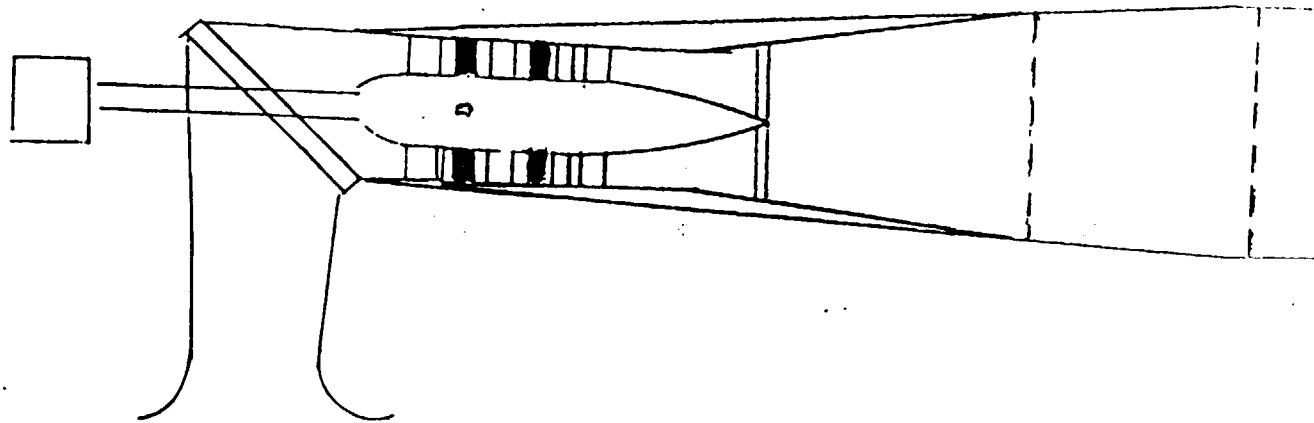


2200 HP @4500 RPM

## MEASUREMENTS:

TOTAL PRES.	- -	32
STATIC PRES.	- -	32
WALL STATIC TAPS	- -	100
TOTAL TEMP	- - - -	32
FLOW ANGLES	- - - -	32

FAN WITH #2 CORNER-TV AND LOW SPEED TEST SECTION



FAN WITH CORNERS #1,2-TV, & LOW SPEED TEST SECTION

