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м	Mach number	ORIGINAL PAGE IS OF ROOM QUALITY
	Static process N/m <sup>2</sup>	OF LOOK COMMENT
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PT	lota! pressure,N/m <sup>-</sup>	
Ρ	Dynamic pressure,N/m <sup>2</sup>	
Re/m	Reynolds number/meter,l/m	
RMS	Root mean square value of the paramete	r under consideration
τ <sub>τ</sub>	Total temperature,deg.K	
x	Position vector,(x,y,z),m	
τ	Time delay, sec	
θ	Angular orientation of five hole probe	to $\overline{V}$ , or aft look azimuth angle, deg.
R	Radial distance from the center of Coe	lostat turret,m
P(j)	Indicated pressure at various ports of j=1,2,3,4 or 5,represents ports on the	the five hole probe,N/m <sup>2</sup> probe(see figure 3)
Pave	Average of indicated static pressures	from ports j=2 to $5,=\sum_{j=2}^{p} P(j)/4, N/m^2$
α	Actual angle of incidence, deg	
ai	Indicated pitch angle of probe to the	freestream, $P(3) - P(5)$
ß	Actual angle of yaw,deg	41
β <sub>i</sub>	Indicated yaw angle of probe to the fr	eestream, = $P(4) - P(2)$
Y	Ratio of specific heats,= 1.4 for air	41
۹ <sub>1</sub>	Indicated dynamic pressure,P(1) - P	, N/m <sup>2</sup>
5	Indicated Mach number, = $\sqrt{5} \left[ \left( \frac{P(1)}{P_{ave}} \right)^{\sqrt{a}} \right]$	1]
₹	Velocity vector, (u,v,w),m/sec	
A <sub>k</sub> ,A <sub>ik</sub>	Constants used in Spline curve fit exp	ression,k=0,1,2,
8 <sub>k</sub> ,8 <sub>ik</sub>	Constants defined in Spline curve fit,	k=0,1,2
F	Defined as <u>H-P(1)</u> H-P <sub>ave</sub>	
н	Total pressure at the probe,N/m <sup>2</sup>	

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ρ<sub>t</sub> Local density derived from five hole probe,kg/m<sup>3</sup>

u, Local velocity,m/sec

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 $P_{T}$  Local total pressure, =H for  $M_{T} < 1$ 

=H 
$$\left[\frac{7M_{1}^{2}-1}{6}\right]^{2.5} * \left[\frac{6M_{1}^{2}}{M_{1}^{2}+5}\right]^{-3.5}$$
 for M<sub>1</sub>>1

# Subscripts and superscripts.

æ	Freestream condition
~	Root mean square value of the parameter under consideration
-	Steady state value of the parameter under consideration
ĩ	Local · conditions

#### SUMMARY

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An experimental investigation was carried out in connection with Aero-Optics series of tests in the 14 x 14 ft Ames transonic wind-tunnel at Moffett Field, California on the Air Force Weapons Laboratory's (AFWL) turret model. The aerodynamic parameters measured were steady and unsteady pressures ( static and total fluid pressures), local mean velocities and local mean densities at selected locations along the optical beam path for the azimuth look angles of 90, 120 and 150 degrees from the turret. Two different instrumentations appropriate for obtaining steady or unsteady fluid parameter measurements are presented.

The test stream Mach numbers considered are 0.55, 0.65 and 0.75, and the Reynolds number per meter is in the range of  $10^7$ . The results indicate that severe optical degradation can be expected at aft look azimuth angles, this degradation in optical performance increases as the azimuth angle is increased. The ratio of rms static pressure to the local mean static pressure peaks in the range of 0.07 to 0.12, and the ratio of rms total pressure to the local mean total pressure peaks in the range of 0.02 to 0.04. These values depend on the Mach number and the aft look azimuth angle. The scale lengths obtained from correlation considerations are also presented.

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#### INTRODUCTION

The performance of an airborne optical system for astronomical research or a laser system for tracking and pointing of moving targets, is critically dependent on the variations of the refractive index in the aerodynamic medium which these electromagnetic waves have to traverse. Since the index of refraction is directly related to the density field of the medium through the Gladstone-Dale relationship, and since there is no known density monitoring instrument presently available, the required data on the density field have to be indirectly derived from a combination of theoretical considerations and measured aerodynamic parameters like mass flux, static and total pressures and temperatures, both mean and root-mean-square values of the fluctuations.

For a number of years NASA, Ames Research Center, Moffett Field, CA and Air Force Weapons Laboratory at Kirtland Air Force Base, NM have been engaged in a cooperative venture of experimental investigations leading to both qualitative observations and quantitative measurements of various fluid parameters surrounding scaled turret models in a wind-tunnel environment. In the "Proceedings of the Aero-Optics Symposium on Electromagnetic Wave Propagation from Aircraft" (Ref. 1) the cumulative efforts of several investigators from past years up to Aero

Optics IV tests are presented and discussed.

The present report will be concerned with a 0.30 scale "on-gimbal" turret model with a circular aperture. The aperture is surrounded by a porous projected fence. The entire turret model is mounted on a splitter plate in the wind-tunnel test section as sketched in Figure 1. The range of Mach numbers and the Reynolds numbers considered in these tests are comparable to the actual flight environment. The methods of obtaining mass flux measurements using constant temperature hot wire anemometry, and unsteady pressure (static and total

pressures) parameters using a specially designed probe, are discussed by individual investigators Rose and Raman respectively in their articles in reference 1. A good overall review of wind-tunnel tests is given by Buell in reference 1. These methods will not be discussed in the present paper, nor will we go into the calculation of rms density value using measured mass flux, pressure and temperature along with all the necessary assumptions in such a manipulation. Such a discussion is given by Rose in another article in reference 1.

The new five hole conical probe used in these investigations to obtain mean local Mach numbers (or velocities), local mean total and static pressures, and local mean densities in the near and wake field region of the turret will be discussed. The cone probe requires an extensive calibration procedure in a known flow field to obtain all necessary calibration data.

The correlation coefficients were obtained using two identical pressure probes with known separation distance between them. From these correlation data the scale lengths along the look azimuth direction of parameters under consideration will be derived.

#### EXPERIMENTAL FACILITY AND MODEL

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The wind-tunnel test facility used for these investigations was the 14 x 14 ft Ames transonic wind-tunnel. A large 0.3 scale model of the Air Force "on-gimbal" turret was installed on a vertical splitter plate to avoid the unknown wind-tunnel sidewall boundary layer effects on the measurements. A sketch of the experimental set-up is given in figure 1. The tests covered the following test stream range:

> $0.55 \leq$  free stream iach number,  $M_{\infty} \leq 0.75$  $9 \times 10^{6} \leq$  Reynolds number/meter, Re/m  $\leq 12 \times 10^{6}$  $1.6 \times 10^{4} \leq$  dynamic pressure, q, N/m<sup>2</sup>  $\leq 3.25 \times 10^{4}$

Figure 1 shows the locations of five surface mounted transducers, P100 to P104, for obtaining the dynamic static pressure data. The azimuth look angle with origin at the center of the turret is shown in dashed lines for 90, 120 and 150 degrees.

These tests were carried out for zero elevation of the turret, that is, the axis of the optical path emanating from the turret along 90, 120 and 150 degrees were all parallel to the plane of the splitter plate. The turret diameter is 42.7 cm and the aperture diameter is 18 cm.

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### INSTRUMENTATION

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The measurement of steady and unsteady pressure using a special multi-probe was discussed in detail by Raman in an article in reference 1. Through the use of two identical multi-probes mounted on a traverse mechanism designed by P.McQuade of the Air Force, correlation measurements were made. Mean fluid parameter measurements were made along the optical path axis for 90, 120 and 150 degrees with a specially designed conical five hole probe.

In addition Rose used hot-wire anemometry to obtain mass flux measurements, the details and results are discussed in reference 2. Both pressure and mass flux measurements are required to extract information about the density field in the near field and in the wake of the turret. The article by Rose in reference 1 gives the details about the assumptions made for the calculations and the results. Similar calculations are made using the data from the present tests.

Local steady state flow parameters in the freestream, in the shear layer region or in the disturbed flow region behind the wake of the turret model were measured with a conical tip five hole probe. The prohe was specially designed, and was machined and fabricated at NASA, Ames Research Center after an extensive study of available literature on five hole probes (Ref.3,4,5 and 6).

The probe tip and the holder are sketched in figure 2. All dimensions are in millimeter units. The probe itself was tested at the US Air Force Academy 1 x 1 ft trisonic blowdown wind-tunnel facility at Colorado Springs, CO to obtain the necessary calibration data. The range of Mach numbers for these tests were  $0.2 \leq M_{\odot} \leq 1.8$ , achieved by installation of appropriate interchangeable nozzle blocks during the tests. The data obtained were analyzed to establish

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the required calibration curves and analytic expressions prior to the use of the probe in the 6 x 6 ft wind-tunnel tests.

The conical tip probe probe provides five pressures, P(j), j=1,2...5corresponding to the number of ports as shown in figure 3. The body fixed coordinate system used is also given along with the derivable expressions for u,v,w, the velocity components of velocity vector  $\overline{V}$ , (Ref.5). Velocities are considered in terms of Mach numbers M and later converted by multiplying by the speed of sound.

During the calibration tests the tunnel static pressure, total pressure, total temperature and the Mach number in the test section are known and the conical tip probe is tested where the angular orientation,  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  (see figure 3), is varied and the corresponding pressure P(j) measured. From the known  $\theta$  and  $\phi$ the corresponding  $\beta$  and  $\alpha$  angles can be determined. That is

$$\beta = \sin^{-1} (\sin \theta \sin \phi)$$
  
 $\alpha = \sin^{-1} (\sin \theta \cos \phi / \cos \beta)$ 

Also, we define the indicated pitch angle,  $\alpha_i$ , and the indicated yaw angle,  $\beta_i$ , using the measured pressures P(j), j=1,2...5 as given below

$$P_{ave} = \sum_{j=2}^{5} P(j)/4$$

$$\alpha_{i} = \frac{P(3) - P(5)}{P(1) - P_{ave}}$$

$$\beta_{i} = \frac{P(4) - P(2)}{P(1) - P_{ave}}$$

The indicated angles  $\alpha_i$  and  $\beta_i$  are plotted against the actual angle of incidence,  $\alpha$ , and the actual yaw angle, $\beta$ , respectively, and from these the relationships between  $\alpha_i$ , $\alpha_i$ , $\beta$  and  $\beta_i$  are established as

$$\alpha = 40 \tanh (0.52 \alpha_1)$$
  
 $\beta' = 40 \tanh (0.52 \beta_1)$ 

Thus we are in a position to calculate the direction the velocity vector  $\hat{\mathbf{V}}$  makes with the probe axis.

Now let us define the indicated Mach number, S, as

$$S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} P(1) \\ -\cdots \\ P_{ave} \end{bmatrix} \stackrel{2/7}{-1} \right\} * 5 \right\}^{1/2}$$

This Mach number, S, is compared with the local test section Mach number  $M_l$ . for each pitch angle,  $\theta$ . Through the use of a spline curve fit program the analytic relationship of parameters S and  $M_l$  is established. The expression thus obtained is

$$M_1 = A_0 + (1 + A_1)S + \sum_{k=2}^{k=18} A_k (B_k - S)^2 \ln (B_k - S)^2$$

where  $A_k$  are functions of  $\theta$  and  $B_k$  are constants. The values of  $A_k$  and  $B_k$  are given below. The angle of  $\theta$  is the actual angle of attitude between the freestream velocity vector and the probe axis and is given as

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} (\sin^2 \alpha + \tan^2 \beta)^{\frac{1}{2}} / \cos \alpha$$

in degrees. Since we have obtained  $M_{l}$ ,  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  so far, the velocity and its components can be resolved completely from the five hole probe pressure data.

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A <sub>o</sub>	<b>1 . 48</b> )9	8-1 4	3.5379	E-3	*0 -	- 3.0825	8-4	* 0 <sup>2</sup>	+ 6.0700	E-6	* 0 <sup>3</sup>	
<b>A</b> 1	- 8.2572	<b>E-1</b> -	1.1320	8-2	*0 1	4.9288	B-4	* 0 <sup>2</sup>	- 5.3700	<b>E-6</b>	* 0 <sup>3</sup>	
A2	- 2.8175	<b>B-1</b> -	1.0063	8-2	*0 +	8.2650	8-4	* e <sup>2</sup>	- 1 <b>.979</b> 0	E-5	* 8 <sup>3</sup>	; B <sub>2</sub> = 0
A3	1 . 4089	B-1 4	1.4581	8-2	* <del>0</del> -	- 1.3534	B-3	* <sub>0</sub> 2	+ 2.9750	<b>E-5</b>	* 8 <sup>3</sup>	; B <sub>3</sub> = 0.10
Aç	= 1.3524	<b>B-2</b> -	4.0738	B-3	*8 +	4.5063	8-4	* 0 <sup>2</sup>	- 1.1110	8-5	*8 <sup>3</sup>	; $B_4 = 0.20$
A5	- 4.0656	8-2 -	9.9740	E-3	*8 4	5.4800	B-4	¢ θ <sup>2</sup>	- 8.0300	<b>5-6</b>	*0 <sup>3</sup>	$B_5 = 0.30$
л <sub>6</sub>	= -7 .5889	E-3 4	1.8894	<b>5-2</b>	*8 -	- 1.0980	<b>B-</b> 3	* 0 <sup>2</sup>	+ 1.7610	E-5	* 0 <sup>3</sup>	; B <sub>6</sub> = 0.35
<b>A</b> 7	= 5.3912	E-2 -	1.9800	8-2	*8 <b>4</b>	5.5526	8-4	* <sub>8</sub> 2	+ 3.1100	8-6	• <sub>8</sub> 3	; B <sub>7</sub> = 0.40
λ <sub>8</sub>	= 2.8045	8-2 4	1.0988	8-2	*8 <b>+</b>	5.8053	<b>B-4</b>	* 02	- 2.2710	<b>5-</b> 5	*8 <sup>3</sup>	; B <sub>g</sub> = 0.46
Лд	<b>-</b> 3.0197	<b>B-1</b> -	2.8066	B-2	#8 .	. 1.9680	8-4	#8 <sup>2</sup>	+ 2.4390	<b>5-</b> 5	#8 J	$B_{g} = 0.53$
A10	<b>=</b> 2.6355	B-1 4	2.1494	8-2	#0 y	1.7337	B-3	#8 <sup>2</sup>	- 7.3770	8-5	# <del>0</del> 3	; B <sub>10</sub> = 0.60
A <u>11</u>	- 2.3345	-	7.4889	B-2	<b>#0</b> -	- 1.1174	8-2	#8 <sup>2</sup>	+ 3.8750	B-4	<del>n()</del> 3	; B <sub>11</sub> = 0.63
A <sub>12</sub>	<b>7.6371</b>	•	8.9829	B-1	#0 d	1.9324	8-2	<del>*8</del> 2	- 1.4235	5-3	#8 J	; B <sub>12</sub> = 0.67
A <sub>13</sub>	=-4.3933	-	- 2.5285		#8 d	2.7040	8-2	#8 <sup>2</sup>	+ 1.8331	E-3	<del>#8</del> 3	; B <sub>]]</sub> = 0.70
A <sub>14</sub>	= 7.0889	•	2.6634		#8 -	9.6695	8-2	*8 <sup>2</sup>	+ 2.6420	<b>E-4</b>	*0 <sup>3</sup>	; B <sub>14</sub> = 0.72
A <sub>15</sub>	= 2.9364	-	. 1.3786		*8 4	9.3050	8-2	*0 <sup>2</sup>	- 1.7324	<b>5-3</b>	*0 <sup>3</sup>	; B <sub>15</sub> = 0.75
A16	=-1.2053	4	4.1122	B-1	+0 -	- 2.8499	8-2	*8 <sup>2</sup>	+ 5.9386	8-4	*0 <sup>3</sup>	; B <sub>l6</sub> = 0.79
A17	= 3.0879	E-1 4	9.8343	E-2	*8 -	- 1.5733	8-2	*8 <sup>2</sup>	+ 3.7172	5-4	*8 <sup>3</sup>	; B <sub>17</sub> = 0.86
A <sub>18</sub>	=-2.6767	3-1 -	. 8.2292	E-2	±0 ,	1.0544	8-2	+0 <sup>2</sup>	- 2.3189	8-4	*8 <sup>3</sup>	; B <sub>18</sub> = 0.93

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In order to obtain a relationship between local total pressure  $p_{T_1}$  and measured P(j) we define F as

 $F = \frac{H - P(1)}{H - P_{ave}}$ 

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where H is the total pressure at the probe location. For subsonic flow  $M_{l} < 1$ ,  $H^{m} P_{T_{l}}$ . But in supersonic flow situations a standing bow shock wave would exist ahead of the conical probe, and H then represents the total pressure behind the bow shock wave. This is the value of H expressed as

$$H = P_{T_{1}} \left( \frac{6M_{1}^{2}}{M_{1}^{2} + 5} \right)^{3.5} \left( \frac{7M_{1}^{2} - 1}{6} \right)^{-2.5} \text{ for } M_{1} > 1$$

By considering F and obtaining an expression for F as a function of  $\theta$  and M<sub>1</sub> from our calibration tests, we are in a position to obtain the total pressure H in an unknown flow field from measurements of P(j) and an expression for F. Once H is known, the local total pressure in the flow, that is, ahead of the bow shock wave of the probe, can be established by rewriting for

$$P_{T_{l}} = H \begin{bmatrix} 7M_{l}^{2} - 1 \\ -1 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}^{2.5} \begin{bmatrix} 6M_{l}^{2} \\ -1 \\ -M_{l}^{2} + 5 \end{bmatrix}^{-3.5}$$

Thus we can obtain the actual total pressure from the conical five hole probe measurements. The expression for F is given below and is a function of  $M_1$  and  $\theta$ .

$$F = (1.6004E - 3*M_1 + 4.5334E - 4*M_1^2 - 7.6139E - 4*M_1^3) + (-3.7823E - 2*M_1 + 4.6857E - 2*M_1^2 - 1.7022E - 2*M_1^3) + (2.6922E - 3*M_1 - 2.3993E - 3*M_1^2 + 6.5168E - 4*M_1^3) + (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) + (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) + (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) + (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) + (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) + (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) + (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) + (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) + (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) + (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.5000E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.500E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.500E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.500E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.500E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.500E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.500E - 7*M_1 - 1.7070E - 5*M_1^2 + 9.8200E - 6*M_1^3) \\+ (-8.500E - 9*M_1 - 9*M_1 - 9*M_1^2) \\+ (-8.500E - 9*M_1 - 9*M_1^2) \\+ (-8.500E - 9*M_1 - 9*M_1 - 9*M_1^2) \\+ (-8.500E - 9*M_1 - 9*M_1^2) \\+ (-8.500E - 9*M_1 - 9*M_1^2) \\+ (-8.500E - 9*M_1^2) \\+ (-8.50E - 9*M_1^2) \\+ (-8.50E - 9*M_1^2) \\+ (-8.50E - 9*M_1^2) \\+ (-8.50$$

So far the data from the five hole probe and manipulation of the data have yielded  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\theta$ ,  $M_{l}$  through spline fit curve expressions using  $A_{\kappa}$ ,  $B_{\kappa}$  and S and the total pressure  $p_{T_{l}}$  using expression  $F(M_{l}, \theta)$ . Now, if we assume an adjubatic process and that the wind-tunnel total temperature,  $T_{T_{eff}}$ , is available, then we can obtain local mean static pressure,  $p_{l}$ , local mean density,  $\rho_{l}$ , and local mean velocity,  $u_{l}$ , by using the expressions

$$P_{1} = P_{T_{1}} (1 + M_{1}^{2} / 5)^{-3.5}$$

$$P_{1} = \frac{P_{T_{1}}}{286.86 T_{T_{0}} (1 + M_{1}^{2} / 5)^{2.5}}$$

$$u_{1} = 20.04 M_{1} \left(\frac{T_{T_{0}}}{1 + M_{1}^{2} / 5}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

since  $\gamma = 1.4$  for air.

#### TESTS

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The tests carried out involved several model changes in orientation of turret look angles  $\theta$ . The instrumentation changes involved changing the five hole probe or multi-probes on the appropriate probe holders provided on the traverse mechanism and routing all instrument cables to the signal conditioning and data acquisition station. All standard calibration procedures for all instruments prior to each set of tests, were adhered to, and some on-line data processing and observation of results as the tests progressed were possible through effective use of desktop calculators, plotters and oscilloscopes.

#### **RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

#### Steady State Measurements

The mean local measurements of fluid flow parameters, namely, the local Mach number,  $M_1$ , the local total pressure,  $p_{T1}$ , and the local density,  $\rho_1$ , along the radial axis of the optical path for azimuth angles 90, 120 and 150 degrees are presented in nondimensional form of  $M_1 / M_{\infty}$ ,  $p_{T1} / p_{T_{\infty}}$  and  $\rho_1 / \rho_{\infty}$  in figures 4, 5 and 6. These measurements were used to obtain an analytic expression for  $M_1 / M_{\infty}$ ,  $(= Y_1)$ ;  $p_{T1} / p_{T_{\infty}}$ ,  $(= Y_2)$  and  $\rho_1 / \rho_{\infty}$   $(= Y_3)$ through the spline curve fit procedure and yielded data for the solid curve shown through the data points in figures 4, 5, 6. The constants  $A_k$  and  $B_k$ entering in the spline expressions

$$Y_{i}(R) = A_{i0} + A_{i1}R + \sum_{k=2}^{n} A_{ik}(B_{ik} - R)^{2} \ln (B_{ik} - R)^{2}$$

where i = 1, 2 or 3 to yield values for  $Y_1(R)$ ,  $Y_2(R)$  or  $Y_3(R)$ , are given in tables 1, 2 and 3. A note of caution is necessary when using the above expression for calculations: always select  $R \neq B_{1k}$  values. The analytic expressions for  $Y_1$ ,  $Y_2$  and  $Y_3$  were useful for normalization of unsteady flow parameter data to their respective local mean parameters. These are presented later in this report.

From the data in figures 4, 5 and 6 one is able to obtain the magnitude of the shear layer and the gradients of  $M_1$  and  $\rho_1$ . These are given in table 4. One can even obtain the pressure gradients from figures 4, 5 and 6. The shear layer is thin and the gradients of  $M_1$  and  $\rho_1$  are large for an azimuth angle of 90 degrees. As the azimuth angle is increased, the shear layer thickness increases and the magnitude of the local density gradients decreases for a given Mach number. Also, for a given  $\theta$ , the local Mach number gradients increase with an increase in Mach number. The increase in shear layer defines the optical path length, L, variations as a function of  $\theta$ . Along this path

the optics performance characteristics degrade through the shear layer turbulence.

### Dynamic Measurements

In figures 7 and 8 the unsteady static and total pressure measurements obtained by the combination probe are presented in normalized quantities. The appropriate local mean static or total pressures are used as the normalizing pressures of the unsteady data presented. The peak unsteady static pressures fall in the range of 7 to 12 % of their local mean pressures for both  $\theta$  = 120 and  $\theta$  = 150 and for all Mach numbers. Some of these unexpectedly high values of unsteady static pressures may be due to variations in the local stream direction as it approaches the static pressure port. Only through simultaneous flow visualization during the static pressure measurements can this reasonable conjecture be substantiated. The maximum unsteady total pressure data fall within 4 % of its local mean pressure for all Mach numbers and azimuth angles.

The correlation function measurements of the unsteady pressures for various Mach numbers and azimuth angles were carried out using two identical multiprobes (details of the probe are described in the article by Raman in reference 1), varying the separation distance between these two probes. In figure 9 the cross correlation function for an azimuth angle of 120 degrees and for Mach numbers 0.55, 0.65 and 0.75 is presented for various separation distances while one probe was held at the radial location, R = 28cm. In figure 10 similar data are presented for  $\theta = 150$  and R = 30cm. In both figures 9 and 10 the static and total pressures were considered. In table 5 the scale lengths obtained from several of these correlation measurements are presented for R = 30 cm for different Mach numbers.

For an azimuth angle of 120 degrees and radial location around 30 cm the scale lengths are smaller in magnitude than for the azimuth angle of 150 degrees and R = 30 cm for both static and total pressures presented here. An examination of figures 5 and 6 indicates the different regions that are

being explored in these measurements. When  $\theta = 120$  degrees and R = 30 cm, the initial start of the shear layer region is considered, while for  $\theta = 150$ degrees and R = 30 cm the wake region is examined. This difference in regions explored could account for the large differences in scale lengths observed in the data presented in table 5.

In figures 11 and 12 the cross correlation functions are presented for a fixed separation distance between the probes as a function of radial location, R. These figures shed some light on the decay of the pressure signature observed in the explored regions. The decay rate in the shear region (figure 11) is much greater than that observed for the wake region (figure 12). Please note the scale differences in abscissa in figures 11 and 12.

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#### CONCLUSIONS

From the results of the present experimental investigation on the turret model in the  $14 \times 14$  ft transonic wind-tunnel at Ames Research Center, the following conclusions can be made:

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- 1) The five hole conical probe, once completely calibrated, can be successfully deployed to yield information on mean flow parameters in an unknown flow. This instrument gives local Mach number, the direction of flow and the total pressure. From these values and the adiabatic assumption all other flow parameters can be derived.
- 2) The unsteady pressures and correlations can be measured using the multiprobes. The maximum of RMS static pressure occurs around the radial distance of R = 31 cm for an azimuth angle of  $120^{\circ}$ , this is the region where maximum pressure gradients occur, see figure 5 (a,b,c). The same conclusions can be drawn for the azimuth angle of  $150^{\circ}$  and a radial distance of around 46 cm.
- 3) The scale lengths obtained from the correlation measurements of static pressures are around 3 cm in the shear layer region for an azimuth angle of  $120^{\circ}$  and seem to be dependent on Mach number  $M_{\infty}$ . In the wake region with an azimuth angle of  $150^{\circ}$  the scale lengths vary from 8 - 15 cm and seem to depend on Mach number  $M_{\infty}$ .

4) One obtains an understanding of the relative decay of turbulence by examining figures 11 and 12. The decay rate seems to be more pronounced in the shear layer (figure 11) than in the wake region (figure 12) when one examines the peak correlations for a given separation distance as they progress along the radial path. Note that the saparation distance in figure 11 is  $\Delta P = 0.5$  cm while  $\Delta P = 2$  cm for figure 12. In spite of this difference the decay indicated in figure 12 is slower than that in figure 11.

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5) The static pressure fluctuations combined with velocity fluctuations contributes to density variations in the flow. This is pointed out in reference 2.

All the experiments carried out so far are only for zero elevation of the turret.

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# Table 1

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# Asimuth angle = 90

Freestream: Nach No.=0.			Total Pr	essure,N	10 <sup>5</sup> Densit	Density,kg/m³=0.979		
	4-9	Aik			Nessured	values using	five hole probe	
R.	1=1	1=2	1=3	<sup>B</sup> ik	Y <sub>1</sub>	¥2	Y3	
0	1.8802-1	7.161E-1	8.216E-1					
1	5.1048-2	1.3315-2	5.9368-3					
2	1.7725-2	2.653E-3	3.9308-4	20 48	0.18752	0 76021	A #7848	
3	-2.1598-2	2.0685-3	2.8198-3	21.70	0 20620	0 76924	0.0/040 A 80087	
4	-3.2768-2	-6.1378-3	-3.8388-3	22.40	0.36699	0 77574	N 87989	
5	-2.6278-2	-2.2778-2	-5.2828-3	21.09	0.71869	0 83711	0.07303	
6	8.7428-2	2.864E-2	5.8528-3	21.72	1.06557	0.03/11 0 04449	0.07037	
7	-2.1995-2	-3.3748-3	5.7208-4	25.00	1.11585	0.99064	n 95687	
8	-1.6848-3	-8.8932-4	-4.5598-4	27.56	1.09289	A 98962	0.06754	
9	-8.4635-4	-1.9435-4	-5.9558-5	35.31	1.04927	0.99180	0.97916	
	Freestream:	Mach No.=0.65	Total Pro	essure,N,	/m <sup>2</sup> =1.01*1	0 <sup>5</sup> Density	},kg/m <sup>3</sup> =0.928	
0	1.6108-1	6.2908-1	7.568X-1					
1	5.505E-2	1.7125-2	7.6388-3					
2	1.788E-2	4.2795-3	1.4958-3	20.46	0.17230	0.68386	0.82954	
3	-1.157E-2	-1.9415-3	-1.7268-3	21.17	0.17549	0.68061	0.82905	
4	1.780E-3	3.3995-3	3.5408-3	21.74	0.22681	0.68462	0.83142	
5	-4.6925-2	-6.651E-3	-5.4518-3	22.43	0.38402	0.70461	0.83428	
6	-3.0395-2	-3.0748-2	-2.9015-3	23.06	0.71351	0.77753	0.85714	
7	9.3685-2	3.6208-2	4.0898-3	23.69	1.07253	0.91515	0.89142	
8	-2.205E-2	-3.008E-3	1.7438-3	25.03	1.12865	0.98920	0.93714	
9	-1.501E-3	-J.283E-3	-7.1238-4	27.53	1.10931	0.98931	0.94571	
10	-9.0495-4	-2.5825-4	-7.7218-5	35.28	1.06656	0.99096	0.96571	
	Freestream:	Mach No.=0.75	Total Pro	essure,N,	/m <sup>2</sup> =1.01*1	0 <sup>5</sup> Density	<b>, kg/m<sup>3</sup>=0 . 8</b> 25	
0	2.8265-1	5 <b>.379E-1</b>	6.4508-1					
1	5.4598-2	2 <b>. 3 8</b> 0 <b>E</b> -2	1.1268-2					
2	2.1905-2	5.2258-3	1.19 <b>78-3</b>	20.45	0.22715	0.59069	0.75937	
3	-1.0185-2	-2.5188-4	1.00 <b>4E-3</b>	21.11	0.22542	0.59203	0.76131	
4	-2.0135-2	4.7875-3	-5.2918-4	21.78	0.30266	0.60161	0.76323	
5	-5.5638-2	-2 <b>.8</b> 58E-2	-4.7705-3	22.40	0.52498	0.64060	0.77500	
6	4.8635-2	-1 <b>.912E</b> -3	-2.2278-3	23.11	0.95652	0.79576	0.81250	
7	<b>4.210E-2</b>	3.6355-2	5.7918-3	23.91	1.22673	0.98095	0.86562	
8	-2.512E-2	-1.163E-2	2.3518-4	25.03	1.17643	0.99210	0.89966	
9	-6.816 <b>E-4</b>	-6 <b>.18</b> 3 <b>E</b> - <b>4</b>	-5.931 <b>8-4</b>	27.60	1.14181	0.99112	0.91509	
10	-8.9435-4	-3 <b>.72</b> 1E-4	-1.081 <b>8-4</b>	35.28	1.08266	0.99077	0.94968	

## Table 2

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### Asimuth angle = 120

Freestream: Mach No.=		Mach No.=0.55	Total Pro	/m <sup>2</sup> =1.01*10 <sup>5</sup>	<sup>2</sup> =1.01*10 <sup>5</sup> Density,kg/m <sup>3</sup> =0.979			
		A <sub>ik</sub>			<b>M</b>	••••	din hala maka	
•	4-1	4-0	1-2		neesurea ve	ives using	rive note probe	
ĸ	1=1	7=2	1=3	<sup>B</sup> ik	r <u>1</u>	¥2	Y <sub>3</sub>	
0	-4.8028-1	5.1288-1	7 5718-1					
1	5.660 <b>R</b> -2	1.2728-2	4.648E-3					
2	9.3078-3	1.6128-3	3.0748-4	26.67	0.16424	0.::4042	0.85340	
3	-2.6538-2	-2.8938-3	7. 3208-4	27.94	0.21799	0.74153	0.85340	
4	1.8965-2	2.3058-3	-1.8905-4	28.64	0.34545	0.75290	0.85340	
5	-1.2198-2	-3.6128-3	-7.5608-4	30.48	0.62464	0.79165	0.86315	
6	6.1958-3	-4.0018-5	-6.3208-4	31.75	0.91910	0.86782	0.88421	
7	7.773E-3	2.9338-3	1.7938-3	33.02	1.12864	0.94584	0.91052	
8	3.2328-4	7.1175-4	-1.1218-3	34.29	1.19017	0.98140	0,92105	
9	-2.660E-3	-5.9605-4	6.4458-4	35.56	1.18727	0.98952	0.93386	
10	3.477E-4	<b>-9.24</b> 18-5	-4.4838-5	38.10	1.17577	0.99121	0.94179	
11	-1.48583	-3 <b>.28</b> 6 <b>E</b> -4	-1.3438-4	40.64	1.15607	0.99140	0.94444	
	Freestream:	Mach No.=0.65	Total Pro	essure,N	/m <sup>2</sup> =1.01*10 <sup>5</sup>	Densit	y,kg/m <sup>3</sup> =0.928	
0	-1.046	2.2325-1	6.2678-1					
1	6.6425-2	1 <b>.95</b> 38-2	6.7 <b>938-</b> 3					
2	4.2605-3	1.3358-3	4.5005-4	26.67	0.17350	0.66277	0.80571	
3	-1.2778-2	-1.3725-3	-3.4205-4	29.21	0.32123	0.67315	0.80571	
4	4.9316-3	-1.0098-3	-6.4918-4	30.48	0.58333	0.71624	0.81714	
5	-6.1628-3	-3.9928-3	-5.6418-4	31.75	0.85758	0.79859	0.84241	
6	1.440E-2	5.3358-3	1.4758-3	33.02	1.12135	0.91459	0.87356	
7	-7.9638-4	8.9645-4	-8,9865-4	34.29	1.19891	0.97141	0.89138	
8	-1.4698-3	-2.1445-4	9.2775-4	35.56	1.20123	0.98773		
9	-2.395E-3	-9.7925-4	-3.9878-4	38.10	1.18937	0.99020	0.91000	
	Freestream:	Mach No.=0.75	Total Pro	essure,N	/ <b>m<sup>2</sup> =1.01</b> *10 <sup>5</sup>	Densit	y,kg/m <sup>3</sup> =0.825	
0	-2.0098-1	3.3945-1	5.8958-1					
1	5.1475-2	1.8395-2	6.80 JE-3				~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~	
2	3.7528-3	1.2728-3	3.4495-4	26,67	0.15482	0.57059	0.74233	
3	-6.055E-3	-1.7245-4	1.1675-4	28.79	0.25990	0.5/901	0.74433	
4	-2.749E-3	-1.5388-3	-1.0305-3	30.48	0.51834	0.07100	0.73390	
5	-7.3105-3	-7.3248-3	-1.1578-3	31.75	0.80852	0./1488	U./8123 A 81875	
6	1.331E-2	7.3728-3	2.6118-3	JJ.02	1.13291	U.0//02 A 02223	U.UIU/J A #1111	
7	5.1145-3	2.1298-3	-1.2/05-3	39.29	1.4/400	V.70433 A 80724	0.03333 A 240AL	
8	-4.1795-3	-5.7668-4	5.6938-4	35.56	1.4/283	U.78/04	U,043UJ A 8884A	
9	-5.6998-4	-5.1438-4	1.4508-5	36.83	1.20133	U. YYUOJ	V.03049 A A6499	
10	-2.6618-4	-3.1528-4	-1.7075-4	38.10	1.44833	V.77044 A 66475	U.004// A 47732	
11	-7.4998-5	6.028E-5	8.7425-5	40.04	1.41014	U.77UZJ	V.0//JJ	
12	-9.7058-4	-j <b>.934</b> E-4	-1.0918-4	43.18	1.20160	0.99054	0.88679	

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### Asimuth angle = 150

1	Freestream: Mach No.=0.5		Total P	Total Pressure,N/m <sup>2</sup> =1.01*10 <sup>5</sup>			D <b>ensity,</b> kg/m <sup>3</sup> =0.979		
		A <sub>ik</sub>			Neasured 1	values using .	five hole probe		
k	1 <b>—</b> 1	1=2	<b>1=3</b>	<sup>B</sup> ik	¥_1	r <sub>2</sub>	×3		
0	-5.877E-1	4.1948-1	6.914 <b>8-1</b>						
1	1.868 <b>E-2</b>	5.4448-3	2.261 <b>5-3</b>						
2	3.0138-4	3.6 <b>272-5</b>	-5.169 <b>2-6</b>	25.40	0.19255	0.74314	0.85677		
3	-1.001 <b>E-4</b>	1.431E-5	3.706 <b>2-</b> 5	30.48	0.17653	0.74470	0.25937		
4	1.147E-4	1.0158-4	8.0 <b>392-5</b>	35.56	0.18330	0.74041	0.85340		
5	2.3148-4	-3.7 <b>598-4</b>	-5.3838-4	40.64	0.24878	0.73893	0.84816		
6	2.3328-3	-1.4128-3	-1.77 <b>42-</b> 3	45.72	0.56672	0.77530	0.85564		
7	1.199'E-3	-6.3062-4	-9.690 <b>2-4</b>	50.80	0.92831	0.86436	0.87926		
8	6.4298-4	3.5828-4	1.67 <b>32-4</b>	55,88	1.12014	0.94177	0.90814		
9	-6.2165-4	-1.3285-4	-1.1745-6	60.71	1.14363	0.97139	0,93157		
10	-1.3258-3	1.3415-3	1.8528-3	48.26	0.74290	0.83621	0.89210		
11	-2.7548-3	6. <b>9918-4</b>	1.1518-3	43.18	0.34786	0.75852	0.86315		
,	restream:	Nach No.=0.75	Total P.	ressure,	N/m <sup>2</sup> =10 <sup>5</sup>	Densi	ty,kg/m <sup>3</sup> =0.825		
0	-1.608	-4.1785-1	3.51 <b>48-</b> 1						
1	2.943E-2	1.2978-2	4.3285-3						
2	2.7938-4	1.1568-4	5.1178-5	79.21	0.22096	0.56094	0.72274		
3	3.2418-4	4.3605-5	3.6 <b>802-5</b>	35.56	0.21266	0.55240	0.71076		
4	-8.110E-4	-6.9918-5	-8.9925-5	40.64	0.20772	0.54397	0,70061		
5	-1.244E-5	4.6698-5	1.0468-4	45.72	0.39306	0.57008	0.71296		
6	-8.2515-4	-3.7658-4	-2.8105-4	48.26	0.53938	0.60287	0.72530		
7	9.8495-4	5.0418-6	3.7915-5	50.80	0.72223	0.66331	0.75233		
8	6.8265-5	2.8358-4	3.0 <b>835-4</b>	53.34	0.87222	0.73524	0.78086		
9	-2.2278-4	-6.6485-4	-4.8385-4	55.88	1.00467	0.80785	0.80246		
10	2 <b>.</b> 148E-4	6.1698-4	3.1458-4	57 <b>.91</b>	1.10882	0.87990	0.82972		

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	H = 0.55	M = 0.65	M =0.75	M =0.55	M =0.65	M =0.75	M =0.55	M =0.75		
Shear Laye Thickness, cm.	4.0	5.5	6.0	9.0	10.0	9.5	18.0	18.0		
dM/dR	0.120	0.150	0.230	0.160	0.170	0.185	0.040	0.050		
d¢∕dR	0.220	0.205	0.190	0.024	0.018	0.014	0.010	0.008		

Table 4. Shear Layer Thickness and Local Density Gradients.

Table 5. Scale lengths Obtained from Correlation Considerations.

Static Pressurcs <sup>1</sup> r, cm	м	θ degree	Total Pressures 1 <sub>r</sub> ,cm	
2.80	0.55 0.65	120	0.62	
2.02	0.85	120	0.42	
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14.50	0.75	150	5.32	



Figure 1. Sketch of turret model in the 14 x 14 ft wind-tunnel.

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Figure 3. Body - Fixed Coordinate System











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Correlation Coefficients for Azimuth angle =120 degrees Figure 9.

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Correlation Coefficients for Azimuth angle = 150 degrees ( R=30cm)

Separation Distance, cm

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Figure 11. Cross Correlation coefficient versus radial location. Separation distance = 0.53 cm.  $\theta = 120^{\circ}$ 



Figure 12. Cross Correlation coefficient versus separation distance.  $\theta = 150^{\circ}$  Separation distance = 2 cm.

Correlation Coefficient