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### SENSITIVITY OF THE "SHOE-BOX" APPROACH IN POO1 ANALYSIS

### I. INTRODUCTION

One technique currently being widely used to assess the survivability of aircraft against artillery threats is the Anti-Aircraft Artillery Simulation Computer Program, AFATL Program POOI (reference (1)). POOI computes the single shot and cumulative probability of kill of a target aircraft flying a predefined flight path against a specific artillery threat. This is accomplished by computation of an aim point with consideration given to aiming errors, simulation of the firing process and its sources of error, combination of all the effects of random errors into one total trajectory distribution, location of the aircraft vulnerable area within this trajectory distribution, and, finally, computation of the probability of kill.

The aircraft vulnerable area data are calculated by other programs and entered into POOI in the form of a three-dimensional array as a function of relative projectile direction and relative striking velocity. In formulating vulnerable area tables, the aircraft's components that are vulnerable to a specific threat are established and their vulnerable areas are calculated. These component vulnerable areas are usually pooled in a "shoe-box" approach and assumed to be centrally located on the aircraft, even though some of the components may be located near the aircraft's extremities. This pooling of components introduces very small errors into the results

of POOl when the aircraft is small or the intercept range is long. However, when large aircraft or short ranges are involved, the probability of kill of a component (and the aircraft) can change significantly due to the component being located near the extremity rather than at the centroid. This change in probability of kill is actually due to a change in the probability of hit. These changes in probability of hit at different points on the aircraft can be quantitatively expressed using the bivariate normal distribution of projectile trajectories. The purpose of this report is to show these probability relationships and to suggest a change to POOl which will indicate when the shoe-box approach is not valid and when the distributed vulnerable area version of POOl should be used.

### II. POO1 CONCEPTS

The POOl Program methodology uses the concept of projectile dispersion about an aimpoint of the weapon. The distribution of projectiles is caused by random error, gun jitter, ballistic dispersion, atmospheric disturbance, flight roughness and muzzle velocity uncertainty. Systematic errors (bias), such as tracking lag, result in the projectile distribution being centered at an actual aimpoint of the weapon which does not coincide with the aircraft's center of gravity (centroid). (Note: The weapon is actually aimed at a point where the centroid is predicted to be at the time of intercept). The combination of all sources of random error considered in POOl is

assumed to result in a bivariate normal distribution of projectile trajectories. Terms used to describe this distribution are shown in Figure 1.

The orthogonal axes, fl and f2, form a geometric plane which is the final coordinate system where the total projectile errors are axially independent. The coordinates of the position of the aircraft (considered as a point) with respect to the fl and f2 axis are fl bias and f2 bias. For the purposes of this analysis, the point (fl bias, f2 bias) is considered to be the location of the centroid of the aircraft.

The standard deviations of the total projectile errors along the fl and f2 axes are called  $s_{fl}$  and  $s_{f2}$ , respectively.

For ease of illustration, these two standard deviations were assumed equal in Figure 1. They will not generally be equal.

The geometric plane, fl-f2, is perpendicular to a line from the weapon to the point, (fl=0, f2=0). This point is the center of the projectile distribution. The ordinate, g(fl, f2), of the bivariate normal at the point (fl, f2) is found using the following equation.

g(f1, f2) = (exp (-1/2)[(f1/s<sub>fl</sub>)<sup>2</sup> + (f2/s<sub>f2</sub>)<sup>2</sup>])/2<sup> $\pi$ s<sub>fl</sub>s<sub>f2</sub></sup>

The aircraft's centroid is located at (fl bias, f2 bias) and g(fl bias, f2 bias) is the ordinate of the bivariate normal at the centroid. POOl gives output values of fl bias, f2 bias,  $s_{fl}$  and  $s_{f2}$  as a function of time. It also provides an output value for exposed vulnerable area ( $A_v$ ) as a function of time. This value is calculated by linear interpolation from a 26-view table of vulnerable





areas for the appropriate geometric relation between projectile and aircraft. If presented areas  $(A_p)$  are used in the 26-view table instead of  $A_v$ , the computer output value labeled  $A_v$  will be the "exposed" presented area for each set of geometric positions, and the value labeled  $P_k$  is the probability of hit.

### III. PROBABILITY OF HIT AT CENTROID

A mathematical approach was taken to determine the sensitivity of POOl to the shoe-box assumption. The parameters of the bivariate normal distribution (fl bias, f2 bias,  $s_{fl}$ ,  $s_{f2}$ ) and the presented area were obtained from POOl computer runs. Those parameters were then used to determine the probability of hit at an extremity point relative to the probability of hit at the centroid (see Figure 2). If the probability of hit at an extremity is significantly different from the probability of hit at the centroid, each vulnerable component that is located at an extremity should be analyzed separately using the techniques shown in reference (2). If there are no significant probability differences, the methodology which assumes equally likely hits throughout the presented area of the aircraft, i.e., the shoe-box approach, is accentable.

To calculate the probability of hit, it is convenient to define an arbitrarily small area,  $\triangle A$ , which is small enough to consider g(f1, f2) constant for all points (f1, f2) contained in  $\triangle A$ . Consider  $\triangle A$  as much smaller than A,.





BIVARIATE NORMAL, DEPICTING g(CENTROID) AND g(EXTREMITY)

$$P(\text{hit on } \Delta A) = \iint_{\substack{\text{deflect} \\ \text{fl, f2}}} g(\text{fl, f2}) d\text{fl df2}$$

=  $\triangle A \cdot g(f1, f2)$  This represents the volume of a cylinder whose base has an area of  $\triangle A$  and whose height is g(f1, f2). Based on the above equation, the ratio of the probabilities of hit at the centroid and an extremity is expressed as follows:

> Ratio =  $\frac{P(\text{Hit on } \Delta A \text{ at Centroid})}{P(\text{Hit on } \Delta A \text{ at Extremity})} = \frac{\Delta A \cdot g(\text{centroid})}{\Delta A \cdot g(\text{extremity})}$ =  $\frac{g(\text{centroid})}{g(\text{extremity})}$

To conduct this analysis, some simplifying assumptions were made regarding the locations of the extremities of an aircraft relative to its centroid. The presented area was considered to be a rectangle, with the centroid in the center and the extremities located at the midpoints of the four sides. The rectangle was defined as shown below.

 $\begin{array}{l} A_p \mbox{ exposed = 1' x h', where} \\ A_p \mbox{ exposed = exposed presented area of the aircraft,} \\ 1' = apparent length of the aircraft, and \\ h' = apparent height of the aircraft. \\ The apparent length (1') of the aircraft was computed as follows: \\ 1' = true \mbox{ length } \sqrt{(offset)^2 + (altitude)^2 / (intercept range)} \end{array}$ 

The apparent height (h') was then calculated by dividing the "exposed" presented area by the apparent length. The geometry of the apparent length is shown in Figure 3





GEOMETRY OF APPARENT LENGTH OF AIRCRAFT

The five ordinates of the bivariate normal distribution (representing the centroid and four extremities) which were used in this analysis are shown below.

g(centroid) = g(fl bias, f2 bias)

For the extermities, as pictured in Figure 4, the ordinates are as follows:

g(extermity 1) = g(f1 bias + .5(1'), f2 bias)
g(extremity 2) = g(f1 bias - .5(1'), f2 bias)
g(extremity 3) = g(f1 bias, f2 bias + .5h')
g(extremity 4) = g(f1 bias, f2 bias - .5h')



FIGURE 4 RELATIVE LOCATION OF CENTROID AND FOUR EXTREMITIES IN f1-f2 COORDINATE SYSTEM

The maximum of the set of ratios,

g(centroid) g(extremity 1), g(centroid) was used as an indicator of the severity of the problems resulting

from the shoe-box concept for that set of encounter conditions.

### IV. DESCRIPTION OF PARAMETERS

The input parameters of the model were varied to investigate the sensitivity of the model to the assumption that all vulnerable components are located at the aircraft's centroid. The ranges of input values were selected to ensure that examples are shown for conditions where the assumptions are met and where the assumptions are <u>not</u> met. The reader can then develop an understanding of the conditions where the constraints of the assumption are exceeded.

The analysis was performed using two sizes of aircraft, two weaponoperating mode combinations, two aircraft velocity-altitude combinations, and various offset distances. Fourteen sets of input data were defined which were combinations of the above parameters. The parameters are further described below and the fourteen cases are listed in Table 1.

A. Aircraft Size

1. Small aircraft

The small aircraft used for this analysis was the A-7. The A-7 presented areas for 26-views are shown in Table A-1 of the Appendix. These 26-views are defined on page 2-15 of Volume I of

# TABLE 1

# DEFINITION OF PARAMETERS FOR SCENARIOS USED IN THE ANALYSIS (14 SETS OF CONDITIONS)

	WEA	PON	A	IRCRAFT				
CASE	TYPE	MODE	COMMENT	VELOCITY	ALTITUDE	OFFSET	FIGURE	TABLES
1	2	1	Low-Slow	50	75	100	A-1	A-2
2	2	1	Low-Slow	50	75	200	A-2	A-3
3	2	1	Low-Slow	50	75	500	A-3	A-4
4	2	1	Fast-Higher	250	500	100	A-4	A-5
5	2	1	Fast-Higher	250	500	200	A-5	A-6
6	2	1	Fast-Higher	250	500	500	A-6	A-7
7	3A	2	Low-Slow	50	75	200	A-7	A-8
8	3A	2	Low-Slow	50	75	500	A-8	A-9
9	3A	2	Low-Slow	50	75	1000	A-9	A-10
10	3A	2	Low-Slow	50	75	2500	A-10	A-11
11	3A	2	Fast-Higher	250	500	200	A-11	A-12
12	3A	2	Fast-Higher	250	500	500	A-12	A-13
13	3A	2	Fast-Higher	250	500	1000	A-13	A-14
14	3A	2	Fast-Higher	250	500	2500	A-14	A-15

reference (1). The length (13.7 meters) of the A-7 was obtained by scaling the drawings in reference (3). The left side view of the drawings is the same aspect as view 16 (270° longitude, 90° latitude) of the 26-view set. From Table A-1 of the Appendix the presented area from view 16 is 31.55 square meters. Therefore, the A-7 from this aspect is considered to be a rectangle with a length of 13.7 meters and a height of 2.3 meters.

The A-7 dimensions are close enough to the A-10 dimensions so that any conclusions reached relative to the A-7 as a small aircraft would also be applicable to the A-10.

2. Large Aircraft

The large aircraft for this analysis was defined as a transport aircraft whose dimensions were approximately twice as long and twice as high as those of the A-7. The C-130 (see reference (3)) and YC-14 transports fit into this size category.

B. Aircraft Velocity - Altitude

Two combinations of aircraft velocity and altitude were used in the analysis. The low and slow combination of 50 meters/sec velocity and an altitude of 75 meters was used to represent operations involving the A-10 and large transport aircraft. The combination of 250 meters/sec at an altitude of 500 meters was used since this is typical of A-7 and some transport operations.

### C. Weapon Types and Modes

The threat weapons and operating modes in this analysis were weapon type 2 operating in mode 1 and weapon type 3A operating in mode 2. The definitions of these codes can be found in reference (4). These weapon threats are realistic for operations involving the A-7 A-10, and the tactical transport aircraft.

D. Offset Distance

The offset distance is defined as the distance from the weapon to the point of closest approach on the aircraft's ground track. Three values of offset distance were used for weapon 2 mode 1. These values were 100, 200 and 500 meters. Due to the inherent limitations of mode 1 operation, offset distances greater than 500 meters were not used for fast aircraft because very few projectiles can be fired for this situation.

Four values of offset distance were used for weapon 3A mode 2. These values were 200, 500, 1000, and 2500 meters. The projectile flight time limit for weapon 3A mode 2 is 7.5 seconds, which limits intercept range to roughly 3000 meters. Offset distances larger than 2500 meters and less than 3000 meters would allow very little firing data.

### V. CALCULATION EXAMPLE

An example of the calculation of the probability of hit at the centroid versus the probability of hit at an extremity will be shown in this section. This example uses the small aircraft (A-7 size) at the conditions of Case 7 of Table 1. The input values for the POOl computer runs for this example are shown in Table 2 below.

### TABLE 2 PARAMETERS OF THE EXAMPLE

Parameter	Value Assigned
Threat Weapon	Weapon 3A, Mode 2*
Aircraft Altitude	75 Meters
Aircraft Velocity	50 Meters/Second
Offset (distance from weapon to point of closest approach of ground track of the aircraft)	200 Meters
Presented Areas (26 views)	See Appendix A
Aircraft Flight Path	Straight and Level
* Refer to reference (4) for descr	iption

The values used for this probability example (see Table 3)

were taken from a typical line of POOl output (one firing time step).

### TABLE 3 POO1 OUTPUT PARAMETERS FOR THE EXAMPLE

Parameter	Value
Intercept Range	505 meters
sfl	3.6 meters
s <sub>f2</sub>	3.5 meters
fl bias	0.1 meters
f2 bias	0.4 meters
"Exposed" Presented Area (print-out label - vulnerable area)	19.85 square meters

The true length from reference (3), of the A-7 is 13.7 meters. The apparent length (1') is calculated below.

$$1' = (true \ length) \sqrt{(offset)^2 + (altitude)^2/(Intercept \ Range)} = (13.7) \sqrt{200^2 + 75^2/505}$$

= 5.8 meters

Since the exposed presented area of this rectangle in space is the product of its apparent length and apparent height (h'),

h = "exposed" presented area/apparent length

- = 19.85/5.8
- = 3.4 meters

Using these values of apparent length and height, the extremities are shown in Figure 5.



FIGURE 5 - LOCATIONS OF CENTROID AND EXTREMITIES FOR THE EXAMPLE

The values for calculating the ratios of probability of hit are shown below. (The equation for the ordinate, g(fl, f2), of the bivariate normal was given in Section II.)

g (centroid) = g(0.1, 0.4) = .0125

Extremities

g(3.0, 0.4) = .0089g(-2.8, 0.4) = .0093g(0.1, 2.1) = .0105g(0.1, -1.3) = .0118

 $Maximum Ratio = \frac{.0125}{.0089} = 1.4$ 

This value of 1.4 shows that the centroid (0.1, 0.4) is 40% more likely to be hit than the extremity, (3.0, 0.4).

### VI. DISCUSSION OF RESULTS

The results from the 14 cases described in Table 1 are graphically shown in appendix as Figures A-1 through A-14. The specific data points for these graphs are shown in the appendix as Tables A-2 through A-15. Figure A-1 of the appendix is also presented as Figure 6 of the report body for explanation of concepts and terms.

The minimum possible intercept range shown in the graphs is computed as shown below (Figure 3 shows the geometry for this distance).

Minimum Intercept Range =  $\sqrt{(offset)^2 + (altitude)^2}$ 

For Figure 6, the minimum intercept range is 125 meters, i.e.,  $\sqrt{(100^2 + 75^2)}$ .

The maximum intercept range is restricted by the projectile flight time limit, which is 2.2 seconds for weapon 2 mode 1 and 7.5 seconds for weapon 3A mode 2, as shown in reference (1), Volume I. For Figure 6, the maximum intercept range is 1450 meters, which was shown in the POO1 computer output for that case.

On each graph a plot of the probability of hit ratio versus intercept range is presented for the small aircraft and for the large aircraft. The plotted probability of hit ratio is the maximum value of the ratios of the probability of hit at the centroid of the aircraft to the probability of hit at each of the four extremities (see the earlier discussion in Section III). The ratios forthe large aircraft are always larger than the ratios for the small aircraft since PROBABILITY OF HIT RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE - SLOW A/C



\*Ratio of  $P_H$  (centroid) to  $P_H$  (extremity)

FIGURE 6

the extremities of the large aircraft extend further into the tails of the bivariate normal distribution.

In Figure 6, a ratio of 3.0 occurs at a range of approximately 450 meters for the large aircraft and 250 meters for the small aircraft. As the ranges decrease from these points the ratios increase rapidly. Even though the curves are relatively flat for intercept ranges greater than 800 meters, the large aircraft's ratio remains above 1.4 for all ranges. Figure 6 also shows a divergence between the curves as intercept range decreases, with the slope of the large aircraft's curve being steeper. Since it is also true that the ratio is higher for the large aircraft than for the small over all ranges, the large aircraft to the shoe-box assumption.

One of the data points selected for discussion from Figure 6 shows a ratio of 1.5 for the large aircraft at an intercept range of 800 meters. A ratio of 1.5 means that the probability of hit at the centroid is 50% greater than the probability of hit at the extremity. The small aircraft has a ratio of 1.5 at an intercept range of 420 meters. Thus, the small aircraft does not reach the 50% greater probability of hit point until the intercept range decreases to 420 meters.

In order to summarize the results shown graphically is Figures A-1 through A-14, the following categories of effects of the shoe-

box approach were established:

(1) <u>Category A</u> - Over some interval of intercept ranges, the ratio exceeds 3.0.

(2) <u>Category B</u> - The maximum ratio for any intercept range is less than 3.0 but greater than 1.5.

(3) <u>Category C</u> - For all intercept ranges, the ratio does not exceed 1.5.

The placement of the various cases into these three categories is shown in Table 4.

In general, the most sensitive (Category A) cases were those in which the aircraft was flying low and slow and/or at small offset distances. For weapon type 2, this included all cases in which the aircraft was flying low and slow, except the small aircraft at the maximum offset distance used (500 meters). For weapon type 3A, Category A cases included the fast and higher aircraft at close range (200 meters offset), as well as the low and slow aircraft for all offset distances except 2500 meters. Seven of the fourteen sets of conditions for the large aircraft and five of fourteen for the small aircraft were in Category A.

### VIII. CONCLUSIONS

Since the analysis has shown that situations can exist in which the results are sensitive to the shoe-box assumption, it is recommended

		We	apon		Ai	rcraft
Category	Case	Туре	Offset Dist.	Vel.	Alt.	Large or Small
A	1 2 3 7 8 9 11	2 2 3A 3A 3A 3A	100 200 500 200 500 1000 200	50 50 50 50 50 50 250	75 75 75 75 75 75 75 500	L,S L,S L,S L,S L,S L,S
В	3 9 12 13	2 3A 3A 3A	500 1000 500 1000	50 50 250 250	75 75 500 500	S S L L
С	4 5 6 10 12 13 14	2 2 3A 3A 3A 3A	100 200 500 2500 500 1000 2500	250 250 250 250 250 250 250	500 500 75 500 500 500	L,S L,S L,S S S L,S

## TABLE 4 CLASSIFICATION OF THE VARIOUS CASES INTO CATEGORIES OF SENSITIVITY

that POOl be modified to identify each computer run as sensitive or insensitive to the shoe-box assumption. The decision regarding sensitivity would be based on the probability of hit ratios between the centroid and extremities. Only the front and rear extremities need to be considered since, in all the cases investigated in this study, the maximum ratio occurred at one of the extremities along the longitudinal axis.

This modification would involve describing the positions of the front and rear extremities relative to the centroid, projecting those locations onto the fl-f2 plane at each time step (as shown in reference (2)), and computing ratios of probabilities of hit for the centroid and extremities by using the ordinates of the bivariate normal at the three points (as described in Section II). Each line of the shot history output of POOl would contain an additional parameter, which would be the maximum of the two ratios,

 $\frac{g(centroid)}{g(front extremity)}$  and  $\frac{g(centroid)}{g(rear extremity)}$ .

The analyst would then decide whether the value of this parameter varies enough from the expected value of 1.0 over the course of the shot history to warrant the use of more lengthy procedures which require the specific location of each vulnerable component (described in reference (2)).

In this recommended modification, presented area tables would not be required in the computation. The presented area tables were used in this report to approximate possible extreme locations for vulnerable components.

The technique for determining the <u>exact</u> position of a vulnerable component (not at the centroid) in the fl-f2 geometric plane as shown in reference (2) is summarized in Appendix B.

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### APPENDIX A

FIGURES A-1 through A-14

Probability of Hit Ratio versus Intercept Range for each of 14 Scenario Conditions

TABLE A-1 Presented areas for the A-7 (26-views)

TABLES A-2 through A-15

Tables of Data;  $S_{fl}$ ,  $S_{f2}$ , fl bias, f2 bias, l'/h', "Exposed"

Presented Areas for Large and Small Aircraft, and Probability of Hit Ratios Versus Intercept Range for Each of 14 Scenario Conditions





FIGURE A-1



\*Ratio of  $P_H$  (centroid) to  $P_H$  (extremity)

FIGURE A-2



FIGURE A-3

### PROBABILITY OF HIT RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE - FAST A/C



\*Ratio of  ${\rm P}_{\rm H}$  (centroid) to  ${\rm P}_{\rm H}$  (extremity)

FIGURE A-4



PROBABILITY OF HIT RATIO\* VERSUS

FIGURE A-5



\*Ratio of  $P_{H}$  (centroid) to  $P_{H}$  (extremity)

FIGURE A-6

PROBABILITY OF HIT RATIO\* VERSUS Ratio INTERCEPT RANGE - SLOW A/C 7 Velocity - 50m/sec Offset - 200m Minimum Intercept Range - 214m Weapon 3, Mode 2 Altitude - 75m Small A/C: A-7, A-10 Large A/C: YC-14 6 5 4 Large A/C 3 Maximum Intercept Range - 2982m 2 1 Small A/C -0 -200 1200 0 800 1400 400 600 1000 Intercept Range (meters)

\*Ratio of  $P_{H}$  (centroid) to  $P_{H}$  (extremity)

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\*Ratio of  ${\rm P}_{\rm H}$  (centroid) to  ${\rm P}_{\rm H}$  (extremity)

FIGURE A-8



\*Ratio of  ${\rm P}_{\rm H}$  (centroid) to  ${\rm P}_{\rm H}$  (extremity)

FIGURE A-9



\*Ratio of  $P_{H}$  (centroid) to  $P_{H}$  (extremity)

FIGURE A-10



\*Ratio of  ${\rm P}_{\rm H}$  (centroid) to  ${\rm P}_{\rm H}$  (extremity)

FIGURE A-11



\*Ratio of  $P_{H}$  (centroid) to  $P_{H}$  (extremity)

FIGURE A-12



\*Ratio of  $P_{H}$  (centroid) to  $P_{H}$  (extremity)

FIGURE A-13



\*Ratio of  ${\rm P}_{\rm H}$  (centroid) to  ${\rm P}_{\rm H}$  (extremity)

FIGURE A-14

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A-7 Presented Areas - 26 Views

View	Presented Area* (A $_p$ , sq. m.)	Aircraft View
1	55.76	0° Longitude, 0° Latitude
2	41.86	0° Longitude, 45° Latitude
3	46.97	45° Longitude, 45° Latitude
4	48.82	90° Longitude, 45° Latitude
5	45.35	135° Longitude, 45° Latitude
6	39.19	180° Longitude, 45° Latitude
7	45.35	225° Longitude, 45° Latitude
8	48.85	270° Longitude, 45° Latitude
9	46.91	315° Longitude, 45° Latitude
10	7.04	0° Longitude, 90° Latitude
11	23.28	45° Longitude, 90° Latitude
12	31.55	90° Longitude, 90° Latitude
13	23.28	135° Longitude, 90° Latitude
14	7.04	180° Longitude, 90° Latitude
15	23.28	225° Longitude, 90° Latitude
16	31.55	270° Longitude, 90° Latitude
17	23.28	315° Longitude, 90° Latitude
18	39.19	0° Longitude, 135° Latitude
19	45.35	45° Longitude. 135° Latitude
20	48.85	90° Longitude, 135° Latitude
21	46.91	135° Longitude, 135° Latitude
22	41.86	180° Longitude, 135° Latitude
23	46.97	225° Longitude, 135° Latitude
24	43.82	270° Longitude, 135° Latitude
25	45.35	315° Longitude, 135° Latitude
26	55.76	0° Longitude, 180° Latitude

\* Same for all velocities

DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Offset=100m: Altitude=75m

Weapon 2, Mode 1: Velocity=50m/sec:

Ratio\* 6.65 2.56 2.26 1.49 1.97 1.53 1.44 4.27 1.81 45.4 Large A/C Exposed Ap 92 76 56 55 55 47 44 122 Exposed Ap Ratio\* 3.13 1.75 1.45 1.30 1.25 1.19 1.92 1.21 1.15 1.12 Small A/C 30.6 23.0 17.6 16.5 14.8 13.8 12.9 10.9 19.1 11.7 .4/.1 1.0 0.5 0.4 0.4 0.2 0.2 2.0 1.2 1.2 0.7 f2 bias 0.9 1.3 0.8 1.0 1.0 1.1 1.2 1.3 1.4 1.5 Bias fl bias 1.6 2.6 2.6 2.5 2.5 2.6 2.6 0.5 2.7 2.8 Standard Deviation Sf2 2.9 3.4 3.7 4.5 5.4 6.2 8.9 4.1 7.1 10.7 Sfl 2.9 3.4 3.8 5.8 4.3 4.8 6.7 7.8 6.6 12.1 Intercept Range 219 329 609 446 703 391 501 812 1014 1215 A-17

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity

DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 2, Mode 1: Velocity=50m/sec: Offset=200m: Altitude=75m

ntercept	Standard	d Deviation	B1	as		Small A/C		Large	A/C
Range	Sfl	S <sub>f2</sub>	fl bias	f2 bias	, 4/, L	Exposed Ap	Ratio*	Exposed Ap	Ratio*
215	4.1	1.8	1.4	0.3	4.8	39.2	11.7	157	809
327	4.1	3.3	4.2	0.4	2.7	26.1	4.87	104	68.0
444	4.8	4.1	4.4	0.7	2.0	21.9	2.38	88	9.03
512	5.3	4.6	4.5	0.8	1.6	20.0	1.83	80	4.48
598	6.1	5.3	4.7	0.9	1.3	18.1	1.48	72	2.56
703	7.1	6.2	4.8	1.0	1.0	16.5	1.27	66	1.76
794	7.9	7.0	4.9	۱.۱	0.9	15.4	1.12	62	1.49
106	0.6	7.9	5.1	1.2	0.7	14.4	1.13	58	1.31
1010	10.1	8.9	5.2	1.3	0.6	13.6	1.09	54	1.24
1100	11.1	9.7	5.4	1.4	0.5	13.0	1.07	52	1.16
1440	15.0	12.8	6.0	1.6	0.4	11.6	1.05	46	1.17

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity

DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE Weapon 2, Mode 1: Velocity=50m/sec: Offset=500m: Altitude=75m

06       6.4       4.7       1.0       0.1       5.4         77       6.9       5.4       4.3       0.1       5.4         18       7.4       5.8       5.2       0.2       4.5         53       7.9       6.2       6.1       0.2       4.5         04       8.6       6.6       7.0       0.3       3.8         46       9.0       7.0       7.6       0.4       3.6         48       10.1       7.9       8.9       0.6       3.0         48       10.1       7.9       8.9       0.6       3.0         311.7       9.3       10.4       0.8       0.6       3.0         33       11.7       9.3       10.4       0.8       2.4         34       13.6       10.9       11.8       1.0       2.0         34       13.6       10.9       11.8       1.0       2.0         34       13.6       10.9       11.8       1.0       2.0	Intercept Range	Standard Du S <sub>f1</sub>	eviation Sf2	fl bias	as f2 bias	1.//	Expo	Small Ssed Ap	Small A/C osed Ap Ratio*	Small A/C Larg ssed Ap Ratio* Exposed A
77       6.9       5.4       4.3       0.1         18       7.4       5.8       5.2       0.2         53       7.9       6.2       6.1       0.2         04       8.6       6.6       7.0       0.3         46       9.0       7.0       7.6       0.4         46       9.0       7.0       7.6       0.4         48       10.1       7.9       8.9       0.6         63       11.7       9.3       10.4       0.8         03       11.7       9.3       10.4       0.8         84       13.6       10.9       11.8       1.0         02       16.1       12.8       13.2       1.2	506	6.4	4.7	1.0	0.1		5.4	5.4 34.5	5.4 34.5 2.09	5.4 34.5 2.09 138
18       7.4       5.8       5.2       0.2       5         53       7.9       6.2       6.1       0.2       6         04       8.6       6.6       7.0       0.3       6         46       9.0       7.0       7.6       0.3       6         48       10.1       7.9       8.9       0.6       6         48       10.1       7.9       8.9       0.6       6         48       10.1       7.9       8.9       0.6       6         03       11.7       9.3       10.4       0.8       0.8         84       13.6       10.9       11.8       1.0       8       1.0         02       16.1       12.8       13.2       1.2       1.2	577	6.9	5.4	4.3	0.1	-,	2.0	5.0 29.0	5.0 29.0 2.51	5.0 29.0 2.51 116
53       7.9       6.2       6.1       0.2       4.         04       8.6       6.6       7.0       0.3       3.         46       9.0       7.0       7.6       0.4       3.         48       10.1       7.9       8.9       0.6       3.         03       11.7       9.3       10.4       0.8       2.         84       13.6       10.9       11.8       1.0       2.         03       11.7       9.3       10.4       0.8       2.         03       11.7       9.3       10.4       0.8       2.         03       11.7       9.3       10.4       0.8       2.         03       11.8       12.8       13.2       1.0       2.	618	7.4	5.8	5.2	0.2	4	5	.5 27.7	.5 27.7 2.27	.5 27.7 2.27 111
04     8.6     6.6     7.0     0.3     3.8       46     9.0     7.0     7.6     0.4     3.6       48     10.1     7.9     8.9     0.6     3.0       48     10.1     7.9     8.9     0.6     3.0       03     11.7     9.3     10.4     0.8     2.4       84     13.6     10.9     11.8     1.0     2.0       02     16.1     12.8     13.2     1.2     1.5	653	7.9	6.2	6.1	0.2	4.2		26.9	26.9 2.10	26.9 2.10 108
46.       9.0       7.0       7.6       0.4       3.6         48       10.1       7.9       8.9       0.6       3.0         48       11.7       9.3       10.4       0.8       2.4         03       11.7       9.3       10.4       0.8       2.4         84       13.6       10.9       11.8       1.0       2.0         02       16.1       12.8       13.2       1.2       1.5	704	8.6	6.6	7.0	0.3	3.8		25.6	25.6 1.88	25.6 1.88 102
48         10.1         7.9         8.9         0.6         3.0           03         11.7         9.3         10.4         0.8         2.4           84         13.6         10.9         11.8         1.0         2.0           02         16.1         12.8         13.2         1.2         1.5	746	0.6	7.0	7.6	0.4	3.6		24.4	24.4 1.77	24.4 1.77 98
03         11.7         9.3         10.4         0.8         2.4           84         13.6         10.9         11.8         1.0         2.0           02         16.1         12.8         13.2         1.2         1.5	848	10.1	7.9	8.9	0.6	3.0		22.0	22.0 1.55	22.0 1.55 88
84         13.6         10.9         11.8         1.0         2.0           02         16.1         12.8         13.2         1.2         1.5	1003	11.7	9.3	10.4	0.8	2.4		19.5	19.5 1.36	19.5 1.36 78
02 16.1 12.8 13.2 1.2 1.5	1184	13.6	10.9	11.8	1.0	2.0		17.5	17.5 1.23	17.5 1.23 70
	1402	16.1	12.8	13.2	1.2	1.5		15.8	15.8 1.15	15.8 1.15 63

\* Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity

TABLE A-5 DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 2, Mode 1: Velocity=250m/sec: Offset=100m: Altitude=500m

A/C	Ratio*	1.12	1.09	
anne	Exposed Ap	176	78	
A/C	Ratio*	1.05	1.04	
Small	Exposed Ap	43.9	19.6	
	,4/,1	3.7	1.5	
35	f2 bias	7.9	12.5	
Bia	fl bias	17.3	41.1	
Deviation	S <sub>f2</sub>	36.3	48.6	
Standard	Sfl	51.5	52.6	
Intercept	Range	548	1302	

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity

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# DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 2, Mode 1: Velocity =250m/sec: Offset=200m: Altitude=500m

-ge A/C	Ratio*	1.13 1.09
Lai	Exposed Ap	198 82
A/C	Ratio*	1.06 1.04
Small	Exposed Ap	<b>49.6</b> 20.5
	.4/.1	3.8 1.6
S	f2 bias	11.9 24.9
Bia	fl bias	28.4 39.5
eviation	S <sub>f2</sub>	27.5 50.6
Standard D	Sfl	<b>62.4</b> 52.9
Intercept	Range	539 1310

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability Hit at Extremity

DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 2, Mode 1: Velocity 250m/sec: Offset=500m: Altitude=500m

A/C	Ratio*	1.26	1.20	1.14	
Large	Exposed Ap	186	118	95	
A/C	Ratio *	1.11	1.09	1.06	
Small	Exposed Ap	46.4	29.5	23.7	
	,4/,1	4.0	3.1	2.4	
S	f2 bias	. 5.0	18.9	30.1	
Bia	fl bias	29.8	54.5	60.5	
eviation	S <sub>f2</sub>	26.9	45.0	52.9	
standard U	Sfl	46.6	55.4	61.3	
Intercept	Range	602	1014	1298	

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity

# DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 3, Mode 2: Velocity=50m/sec: Offset=200m: Altitude=75m

ntercept	Standard Dev	riation	Bia	S		Smal	11 A/C	Larg	e A/C
Range	Sfl	S <sub>f2</sub>	fl bias	f2 bias	.4/.1	Exposed Ap	Ratio*	Exposed Ap	Ratio*
214	4.0	1.6	2.2	0.2	4.8	39.2	11.10	157	2250
351	4.1	3.1	4.4	0.4	2.7	25.8	5.00	103	70.2
381	2.7	2.7	0.0	0.4	2.4	24.1	2.75	96	57.0
406	2.9	2.8	0.1	0.4	2.3	23.0	2.26	92	24.0
480	3.4	3.3	0.1	0.4	1.8	20.5	1.54	81	5.27
505	3.6	3.5	0.1	0.4	1.7	19.9	1.41	52	3.81
599	4.4	4.2	0.1	0.3	1.3	17.8	1.20	11	2.02
803	5.6	5.6	0.1	0.2	0.9	15.1	1.09	60	1.35
1001	7.0	7.0	0.1	0.2	0.6	13.5	1.07	54	1.27
1098	7.7	7.6	0.1	0.2	0.6	12.9	1.06	52	1.24
1207	8.5	8.4	0.1	0.1	.5	12.3	1.05	49	1.21
1807	12.7	12.6	0.1	0.1	.2	10.5	1.04	42	1.15

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity

TABLE A-9 DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 3, Mode 2: Velocity=50m/sec: Offset=500m: Altitude=75m

ntercept	Standard D	Deviation	Bia	IS		Sma	11 A/C	Lar	ge A/C
Range	Sfi	S <sub>f2</sub>	fl bias	f2 bias	.4/.1	Exposed Ap	Ratio*	Exposed Ap	Ratio*
506	3.9	3.5	ω.	۲.	5.5	34.2	6.67	173	974
560	4.1	3.9	.5	г.	5.2	29.5	3.74	118	137
605	4.4	4.2	.5	۲.	4.7	28.0	2.70	112	40
650	. 4.7	4.5	4.	.2	4.2	26.8	2.09	107	15.9
700	5.0	4.9	.4	.2	3.8	25.4	1.77	102	8.32
755	5.4	5.3	.4	.2	3.5	23.9	1.53	95	4.80
803	5.7	5.6	4.	.2	3.3	22.7	1.40	16	3.50
1005	7.1	7.0	с.	г.	2.5	19.2	1.15	77	1.67
1201	8.5	8.4	.2	۲.	2.0	17.1	1.07	68	1.28
1402	9.9	9.8	.3	г.	1.6	15.6	1.04	62	1.15
1605	11.3	11.2	с.	۲.	1.3	14.4	1.02	58	1.09

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity

# DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 3, Mode 2: Velocity=50m/sec: Offset=1000m: Altitude=75m

Intercept	Standard	Deviation	Bie	35		Small	A/C	Larg	Je A/C
Range	Sfl	S <sub>f2</sub>	fl bias	f2 bias	. 4/, L	Exposed Ap	Ratio*	Exposed Ap	Ratio*
1003	7.3	7.0	0.8	0.0	5.8	32.3	1.72	129	7.15
1103	7.9	7.7	0.6	0.0	5.6	27.8	1.45	111	3.90
1204	8.6	8.4	0.6	0.1	5.0	26.1	1.31	104	2.65
1401	10.0	9.8	0.5	0.1	4.1	23.4	1.16	94	1.70
1604	11.4	11.2	0.5	0.1	3.5	, 20.8	1.09	83	1.37
1802	12.8	12.6	0.4	0.1	3.1	19.0	1.06	76	1.22
. 2005	14.3	14.0	0.5	0.1	2.7	17.5	1.04	70	1.14

\* \*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity
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DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 3, Mode 2: Velocity=50m/sec: Offset=2500m: Altitude=75m

rcept	Standard	Deviation	Bia	S		Small	A/C	Large	A/C
	Sfl	S <sub>f2</sub>	fl bias	f2 bias	. 4/. I	Exposed Ap	Ratio*	Exposed Ap	Ratio*
	0.61	17.5	0.8	0.0	6.2	30.3	1.08	121	1.34
	19.6	18.2	0.7	0.0	6.3	27.5	1.07	011	1.28
	20.9	19.7	0.8	0.0	5.9	25.5	1.06	102	1.21
	22.1	21.0	0.8	0.0	5.4	24.4	1.04	97	1.17

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity.

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# DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 3, Mode 2: Velocity=250m/sec: Offset=200m: Altitude=500m

A/C	Ratio*	30.3	9.36	2.64	1.64	1.30	1.17	1.10	1.07	1.03
Large	Exposed Ap	146	115	94	81	73	65	60	56	50
A/C	Ratio*	3.87	2.53	1.49	1.22	11.1	1.07	1.04	1.03	1.02
Sma 1 1	Exposed Ap	36.4	28.9	23.4	20.4	18.2	16.4	15.0	13.9	12.6
	1./h	3.5	2.8	2.2	1.8	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.8
	f2 bias	9.2	2.5	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.8
Bias	fl bias	8.0	8.7	6.4	5.1	4.1	3.8	3.6	3.5	4.2
Deviation	Sf2	6.5	6.7	8.2	9.8	11.4	13.2	15.1	17.1	20.5
Standard	Sfl	6.7	7.3	8.6	10.0	11.6	13.4	15.3	17.3	20.7
Intercept	Range	656	818	1028	1.14	1400	1601	1805	2003	2329

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity

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# DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 3, Mode 2: Velocity=250m/sec: Offset=500m: Altitude=500m

A/C	Ratio*	2.24	1.97	1.26	1.12	1.06	
Large	Exposed Ap	143	111	78	67	55	
1 A/C	Ratio*	1.29	1.23	1.09	1.04	1.02	
Snia 1	Exposed Ap	35.7	27.7	19.6	16.8	13.8	
	1/h'	4.1	3.3	2.1	1.7	1.2	
S	f2 bias	6.7	6.2	3.8	2.9	2.5	
Bia	fl bias	1.2	1.3	2.7	2.7	4.0	
Deviation	S <sub>f2</sub>	6.6	8.3	12.4	15.2	20.8	
Standard	Sfl	10.4	9.2	12.8	15.7	21.2	
Intercept	Kange	803	1020	1504	1813	2353	

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity

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# DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 3, Mode 2: Velocity=250m/sec: Offset=100ûn: Altitude=500m

rge A/C	Ratio*	1.74	1.52	1.35	1.21	1.10	
La	Exposed Ap	129	105	93	81	63	
A/C	Ratio*	1.19	1.14	1.10	1.07	1.04	
Small	Exposed Ap	32.2	26.6	23.3	20.3	15.7	
	.4/.1	5.1	4.5	4.0	3.5	2.5	
ias	f2 bias	2.5	3.3	3.2	2.9	2.5	
B	fl bias	2.0	1.9	2.2	2.3	5.2	
Deviation	S <sub>f2</sub>	9.8	11.4	13.1	15.3	21.7	
Standard	Sfl	13.9	13.9	15.0	16.9	23.1	
Intercept	Range	1201	1394	1582	1814	2438	

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability of Hit at Extremity

TABLE A-15 DATA POINTS FOR GRAPHS OF RATIO\* VERSUS INTERCEPT RANGE

Weapon 3, Mode 2: Velocity=250 m/sec: Offset=2500m: Altitude=500m

rge A/C	Ratio*	1.13	1.10
Lai	Exposed Ap	110	81
1 A/C	Ratio*	1.05	1.04
Smal	Exposed Ap	27.5	20.3
	.4/.1	6.8	6.8
as	f2 bias	0.3	1.1
81	fl bias	10.2	5.5
eviation	S <sub>f2</sub>	22.9	27.9
Standard De	<sup>5</sup> f1	44.1	37.4
Intercept	капде	2550	2970

\*Ratio of Probability of Hit at Centroid to Probability Hit at Extremity

# APPENDIX B

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Determination of fl-f2 coordinates for vulnerable components not at the aircraft's centroid.

### METHODOLOGY FOR EXACT POSITION OF VULNERABLE COMPONENT

The technique for determining the exact position of a vulnerable component (not at the aircraft's centroid) in the f1-f2 geometric plane as shown in reference (2) is summarized below.

1. The coordinates (VCX, VCY, VCZ) of the vulnerable component are defined in the Aircraft Coordinate System. This coordinate system is shown in Figure B-1. In this system the centroid has the coordinates (0, 0, 0).

2. The coordinates of the vulnerable component are then transformed into the gun-centered system. The M inverse matrix  $(M^{-1})$  is needed to transform the aircraft system vectors into the gun-centered system. The M matrix which is used for the reverse transformation is defined in equation 2.187 on page 2-43 of reference (1), Volume I and is shown below.

 $(\cos \alpha \cos \beta)$  $(\cos \alpha \sin \beta)$  $(\sin \alpha)$  $(-\cos \psi \sin \beta - \sin \psi \sin \alpha \cos \beta)$  $(\cos \psi \cos \beta - \sin \psi \sin \alpha \sin \beta)$  $(\sin \psi \cos \alpha)$  $(\sin \beta \sin \psi - \cos \psi \sin \alpha \cos \beta)$  $(-\sin \psi \cos \beta - \cos \psi \sin \alpha \sin \beta)$  $(\cos \psi \cos \alpha)$ 

The M matrix is also listed on page 33 of reference (2), where the elements are shown as B(1,1) through B(3,3).

The M inverse  $(M^{-1})$  is used to transform the position vector of the vulnerable component from the aircraft coordinate system into a gun-centered correction vector which will be added to the position of the centroid in the gun-centered system.



# FIGURE B-1

AIRCRAFT COORDINATE SYSTEM RELATIVE TO THE GUN-CENTERED COORDINATE SYSTEMS

Distances in x, y, z	Distances in a, b, o
from aim point	from aim point
VCXM (X)	VCX (a)
VCYM (Y)	VCY (b)
VCZM (Z) = [M] <sup>-1</sup>	VCZ (c)

Coordinates of the centroid are (XA, YA, ZA). Therefore, coordinates of the vulnerable component in the gun-centered coordinate system are (XA + VCXM, YA + VCYM, ZA + VCZM).

3. The coordinates of the vulnerable component are then transformed into the aim system.

The gun centered coordinates are transformed into aim system coordinates by equation 2.177, page 2-39 of reference (1), Volume I, as shown below.



4. Then the coordinates of the vulnerable component are transformed into the Final System.

The aim system coordinates (X', Y') are transformed into the final system coordinates (fl bias, f2 bias) by equation 2.178, page 2-39 of Volume I of reference (1) as shown below.



Thus, the final system coordinates of the vulnerable component (not at the centroid) are (fl bias, f2 bias).

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