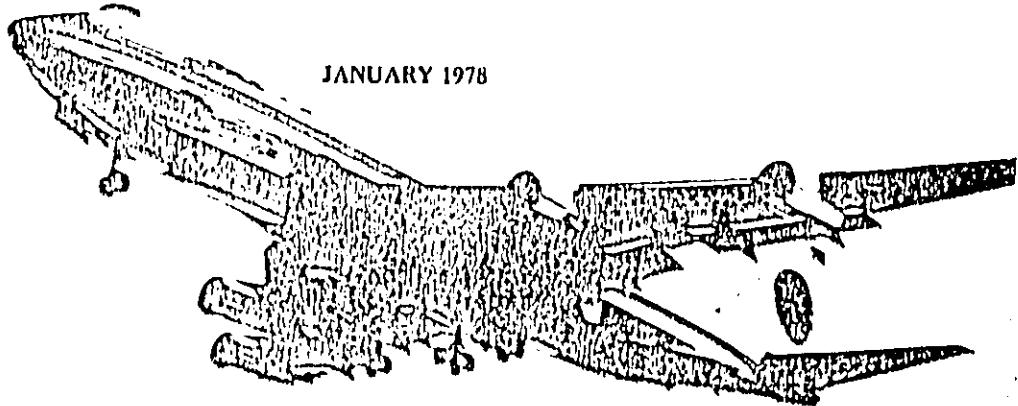


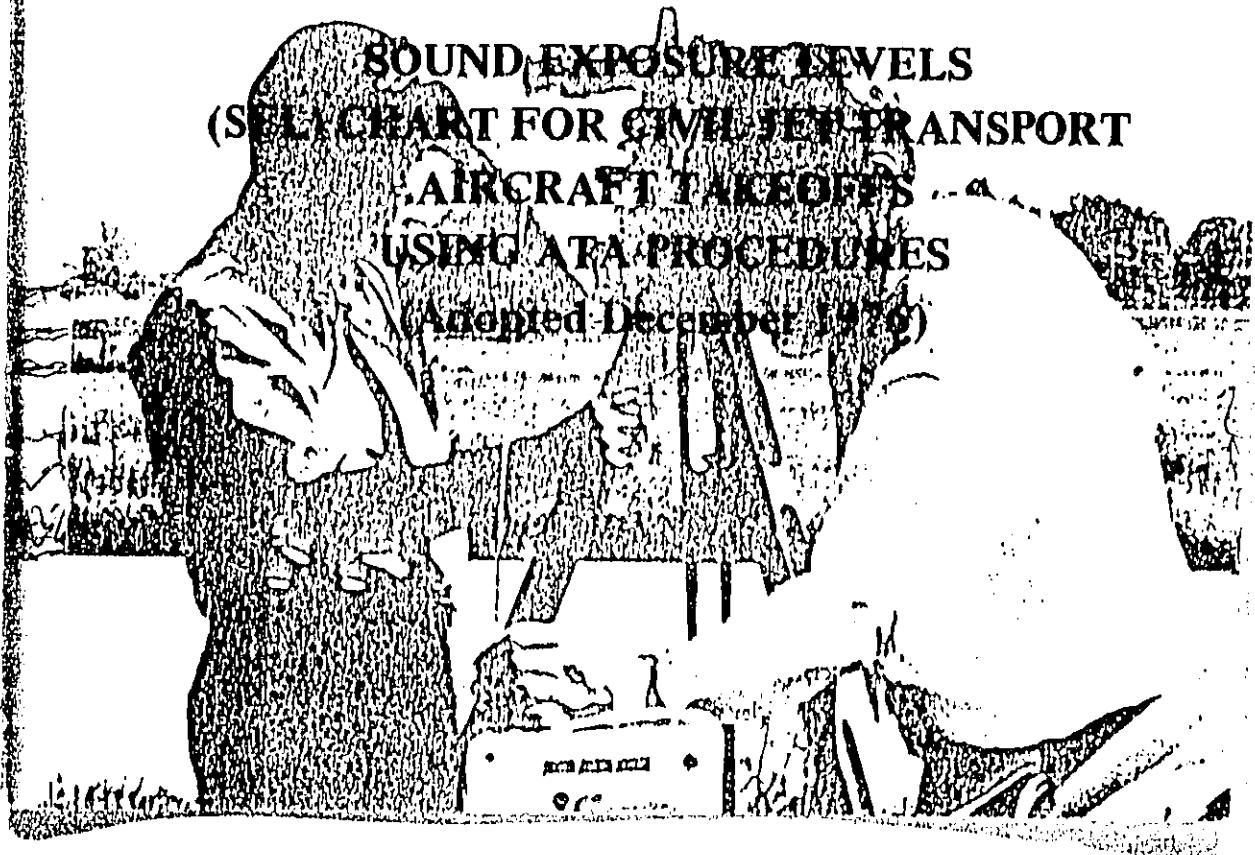
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(SSEL) CHART FOR COMMUTER TRANSPORT
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ADDENDUM I

SOUND EXPOSURE LEVEL (SEL) CHARTS FOR
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ATA PROCEDURES ADOPTED DECEMBER 1976

This addendum presents sound exposure level (SEL) charts for civil jet transport takeoffs based on the revised air transport association (ATA) procedures adopted in December 1976. For studies of current and forecast operations involving air transport aircraft using ATA procedures, these charts (as shown in the table below) should replace the takeoff charts given in Attachment 1, Calculations of Day-Night Levels (L_{dn}) Resulting From Civil Aircraft Operations, EPA Report 550/9-77-450.

Aircraft Types	Aircraft Code	Replace Rept. 550/9-77-450 Attachment 1 Pages	With Addendum Pages
4-Engine LBPR turbofan	4-T-TFL	80-88	10-18
4-Engine LBPR turbofan (quiet nacelle)	4-T-TFL(Q)	111-119	19-27
3-Engine LBPR turbofan	3-T-TFL	142-147	28-33
3-Engine LBPR turbofan (quiet nacelle)	3-T-TFL(Q)	164-169	34-39
2-Engine LBPR	2-T-TFL	186-191	40-45
2-Engine LBPR turbofan (quiet nacelle)	2-T-TFL(Q)	208-213	46-51
4-Engine HBPR turbofan	4-T-TFH	229-237	52-60
4-Engine HBPR turbofan (quiet nacelle)	4-T-TFH(Q)	260-268	61-69
3-Engine HBPR turbofan	3-T-TFH	291-299	70-78

The ATA procedures adopted in December 1976 differ in some details from those used previously. A comparison of procedures is given in Table 1. A comparison of takeoff profiles for a

Boeing 727 aircraft is given in Figure 1.* Note that as in the examples shown in Figure 1, the cutback to climb thrust is usually initiated at a lower altitude in the current ATA procedures than in the previous ATA procedures. Hence, aircraft taking off under the current procedures generally require a longer distance from the start of takeoff roll to reach a height of 3,000 feet.

Figures 2 through 6 show the takeoff profiles for the revised ATA procedures which were utilized to develop the SEL charts given in this addendum. These takeoff profiles may be compared with those given in Figures 2-3 through 2-7 of EPA Report 550/9-77-450.**

*Detailed differences in the procedures will occur with aircraft type.

**EPA Report 550/9-77-450 "Calculation of Day-Night Levels (L_{dn}) Resulting from Civil Aircraft Operations," January 1977.

TABLE I - COMPARISON OF ATA TAKEOFF PROCEDURES FOR CIVIL TURBOFAN TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT

	<u>Procedures Adopted August 1972</u>	<u>Procedures Adopted December 1976</u>
First Phase	<u>Takeoff to 1500 ft.</u> Takeoff (TO) thrust $V_2 + 10$ airspeed TO flaps	<u>Takeoff to 1000 ft.</u> Takeoff (TO) thrust $V_2 + 10$ airspeed TO flaps
Second Phase	<u>1500 to 3000 ft.</u> Reduce thrust to maximum climb thrust Maintain $V_2 + 10$ airspeed and TO flaps	<u>1000 to 3000 ft.</u> Reduce aircraft pitch to maintain 500 to 1000 rpm climb rate. Accelerate and initiate flap retraction at appropriate minimum speeds. Reduce engine power to climb thrust during/following* cleanup of flaps and slats. Climb to 3000 ft. at zero flap speed.
Third Phase	<u>3000 ft. and Above</u> Accelerate to 250 kt, retract flaps on schedule while maintaining 500 FPM climb, then climb at 250 Kt.	<u>3000 ft. and Above</u> Accelerate to 250 Kt. Maintain rate of climb of 500 to 1000 rpm during acceleration, then continue climb at 250 Kt.

* Procedure varies with aircraft model.

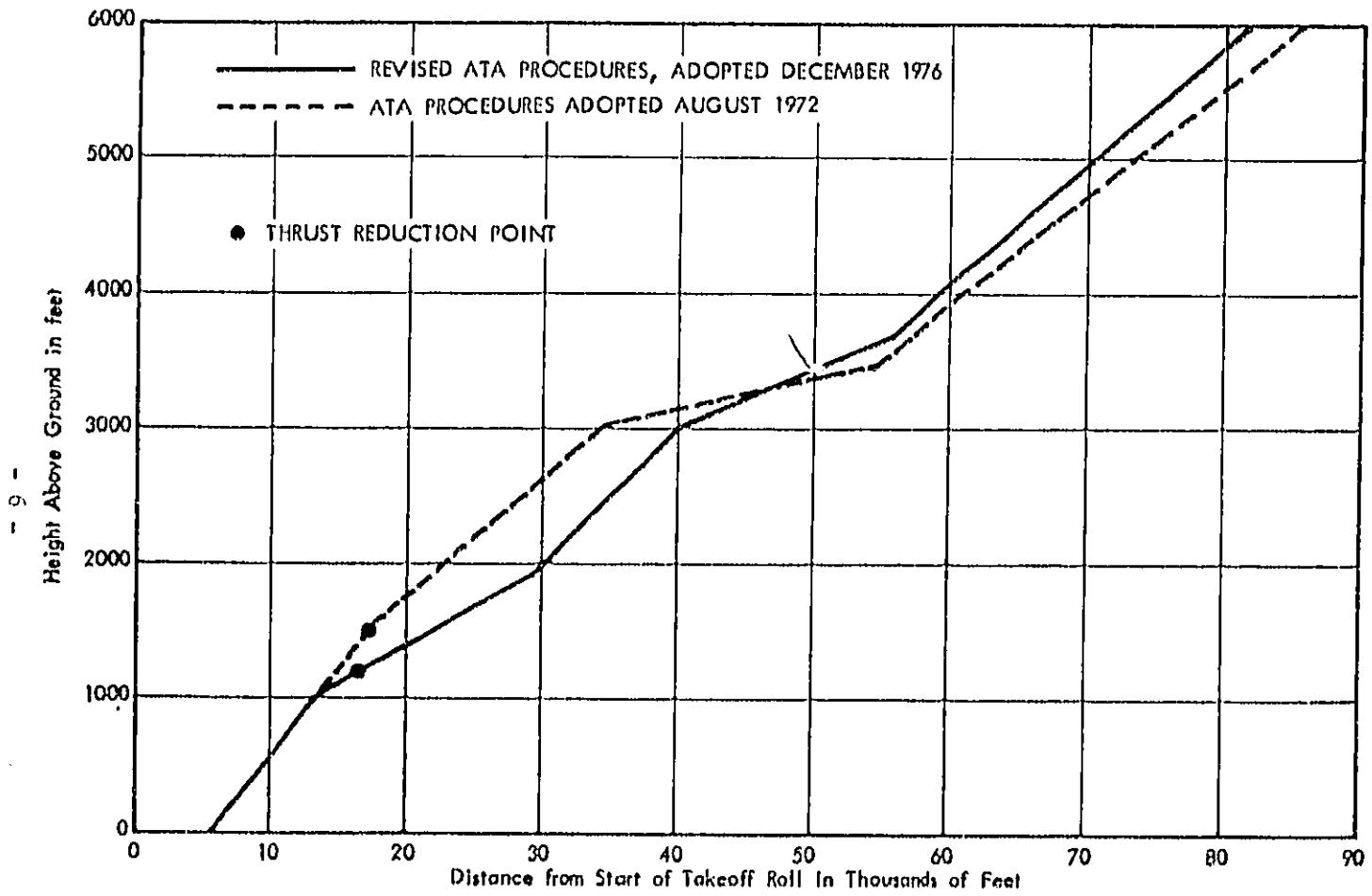


FIGURE 1. COMPARISON OF ATA PROCEDURES FOR 3-ENGINE LBPR TURBOFAN
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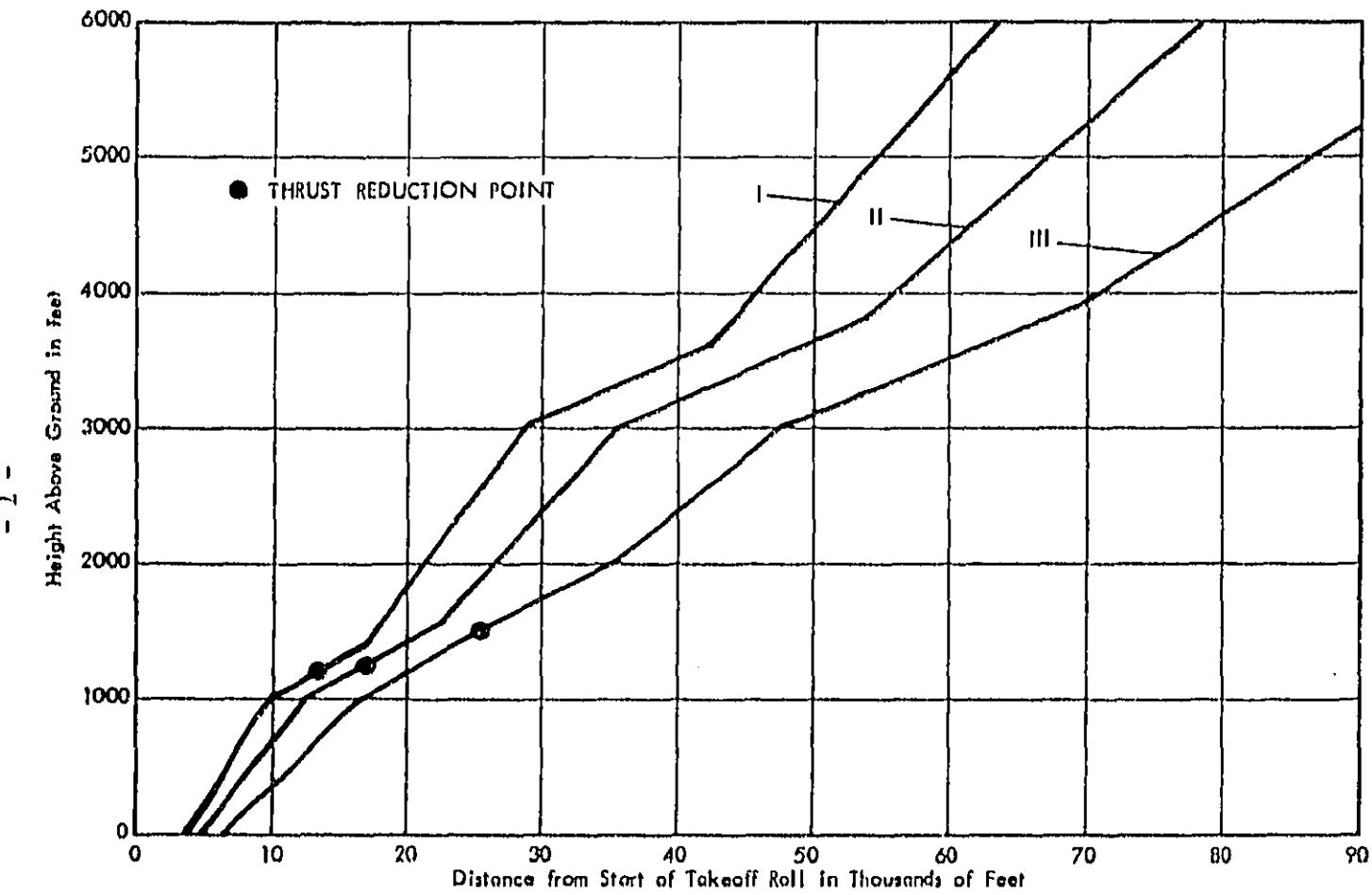


FIGURE 2. ATA TAKEOFF PROFILES FOR 4-ENGINE LBPR TURBOFAN TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT - DC-8, 707 SERIES (4-T-TFL) - REVISED PROCEDURES ADOPTED DECEMBER 1976

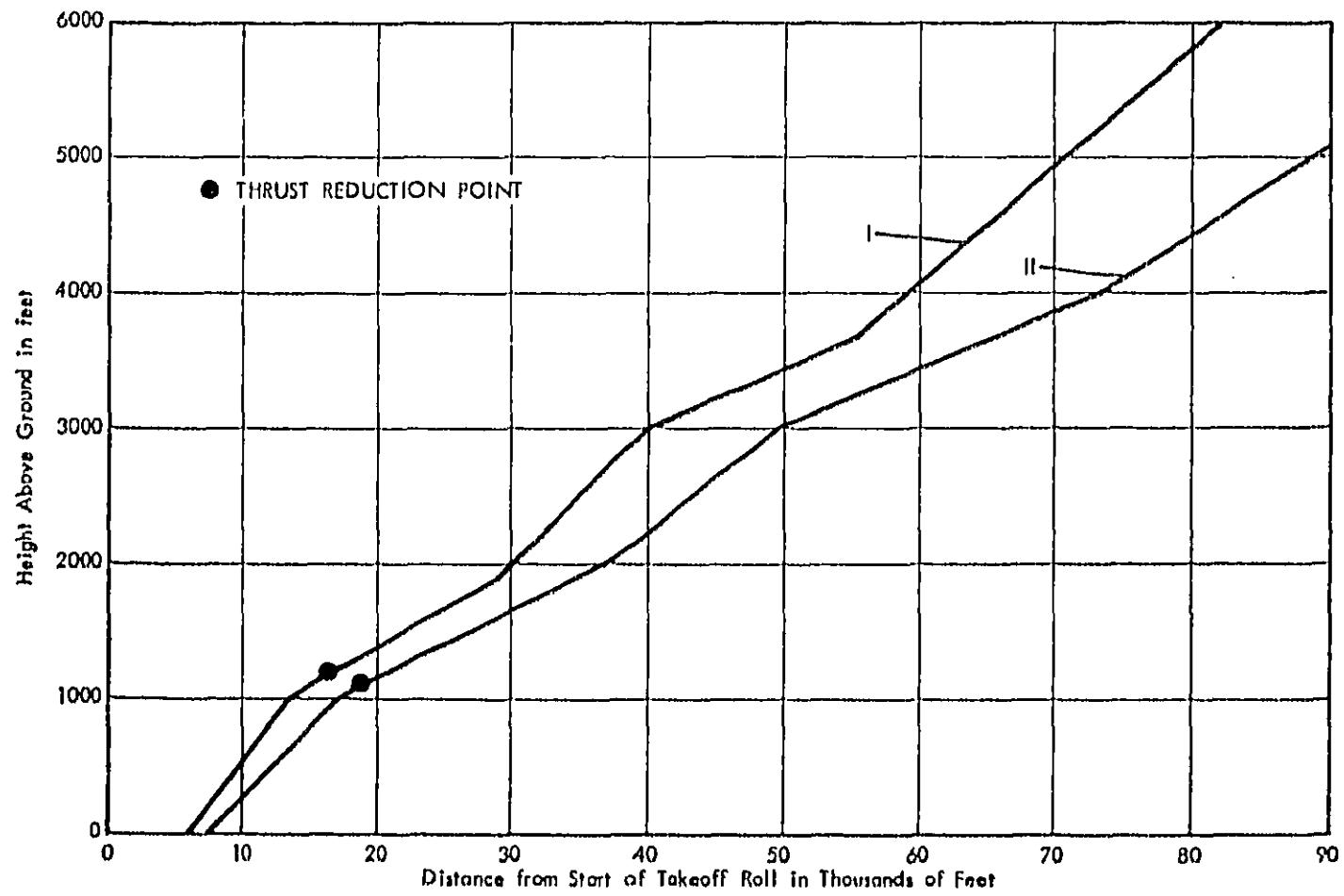


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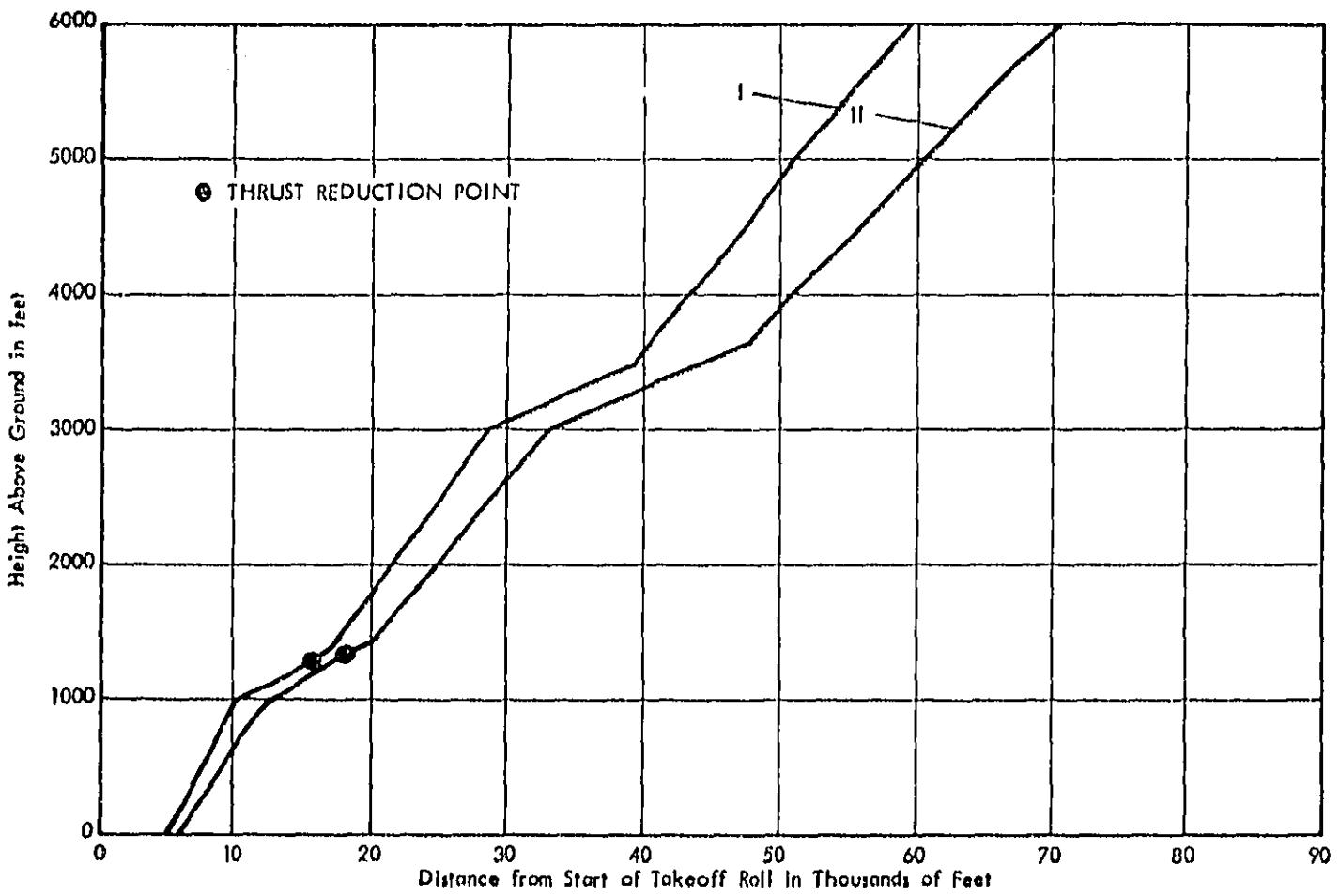


FIGURE 4. ATA TAKEOFF PROFILES FOR 2-ENGINE LBPR TURBOFAN TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT - DC-9, 737 SERIES (2-T-TFL) - REVISED PROCEDURES
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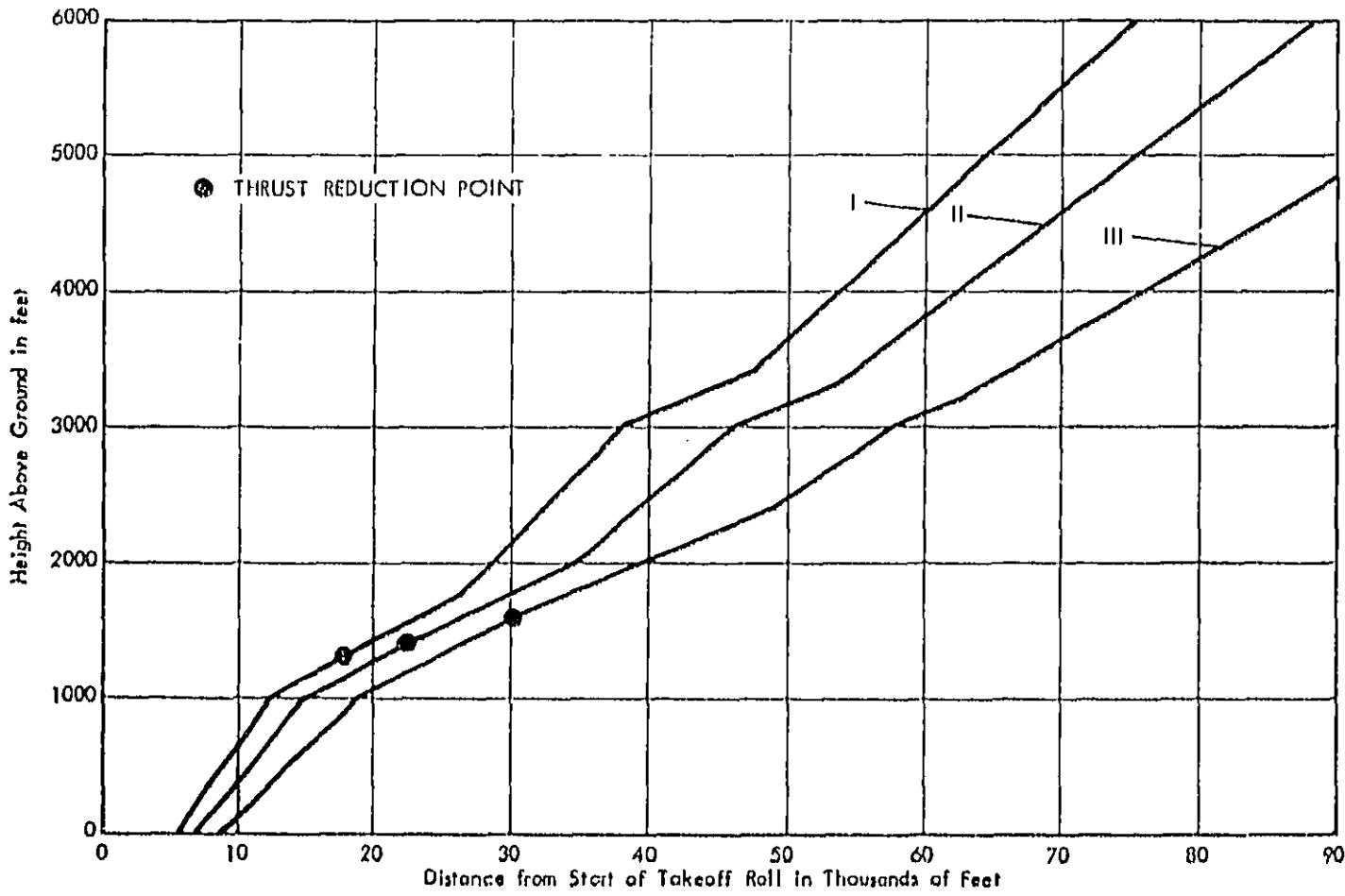


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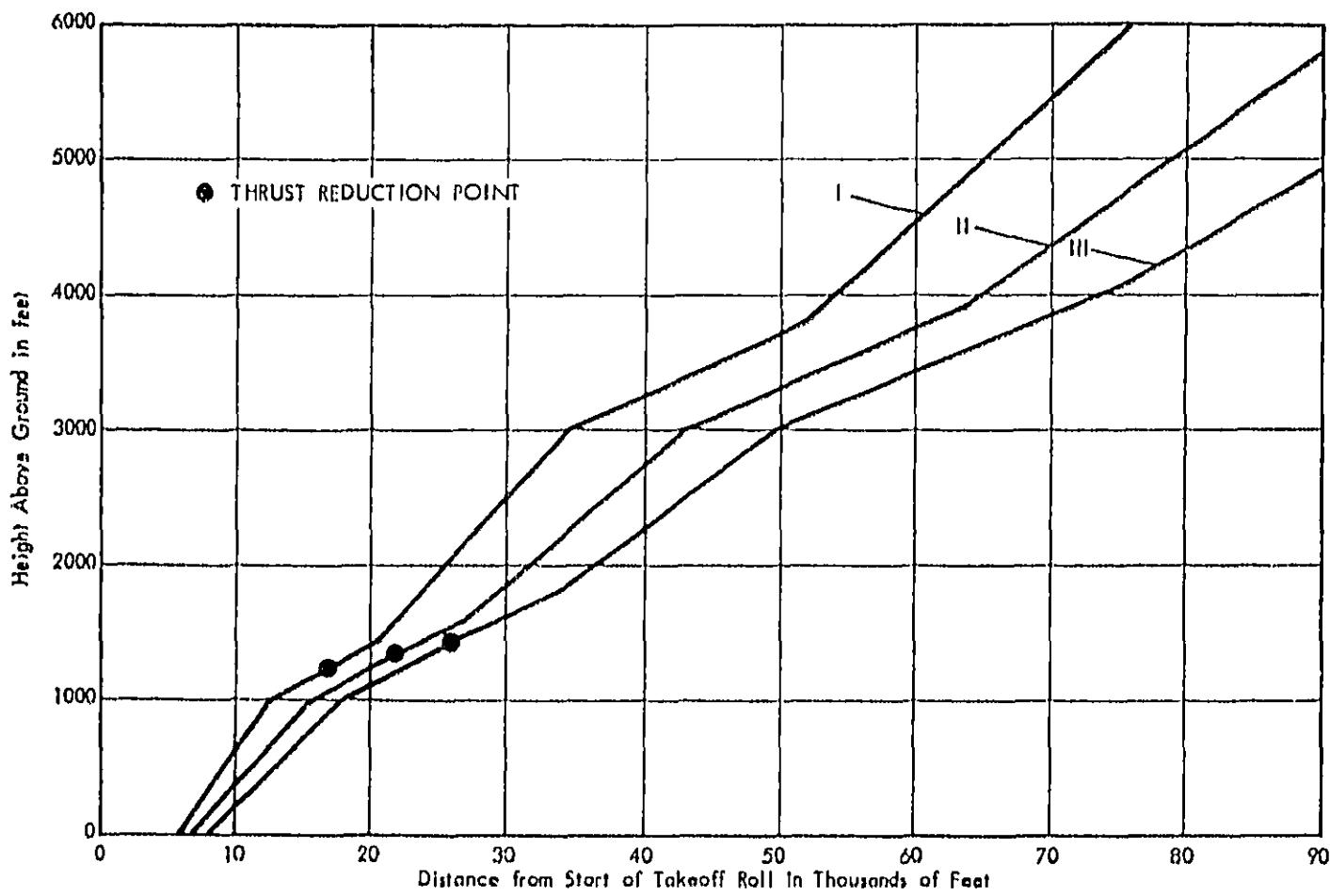


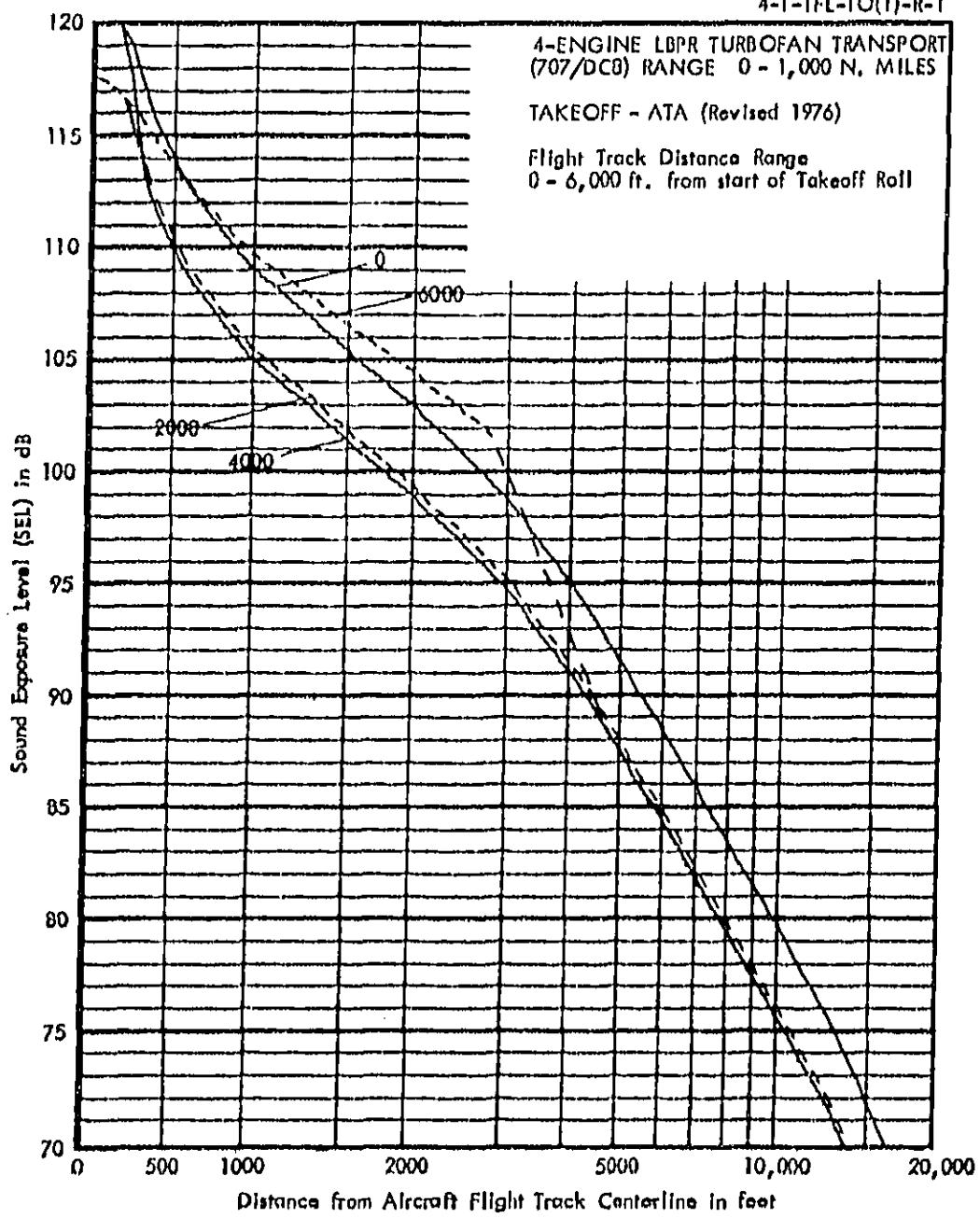
FIGURE 6. ATA TAKEOFF PROFILES FOR 3-ENGINE HBPR TURBOFAN TRANSPORT -
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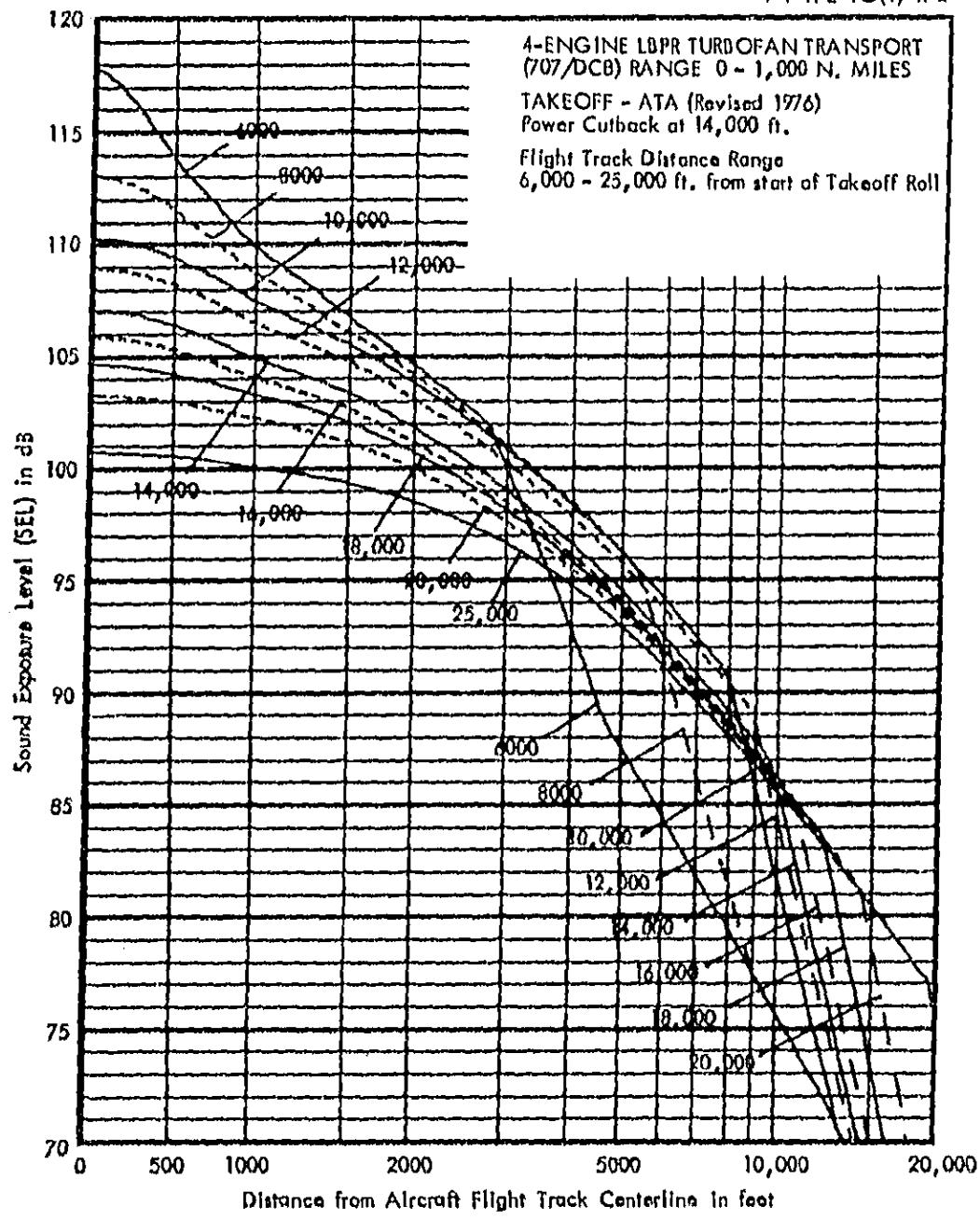
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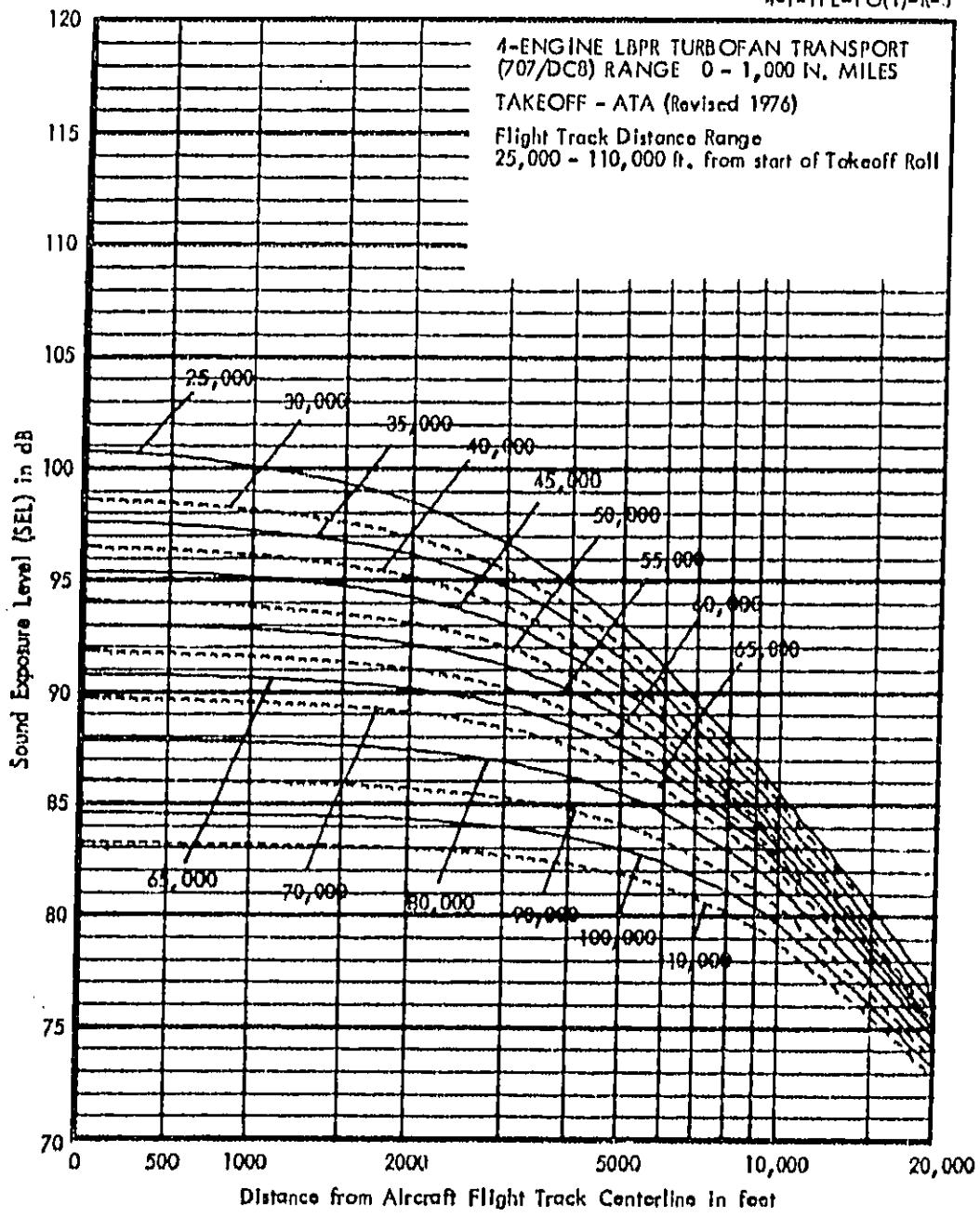
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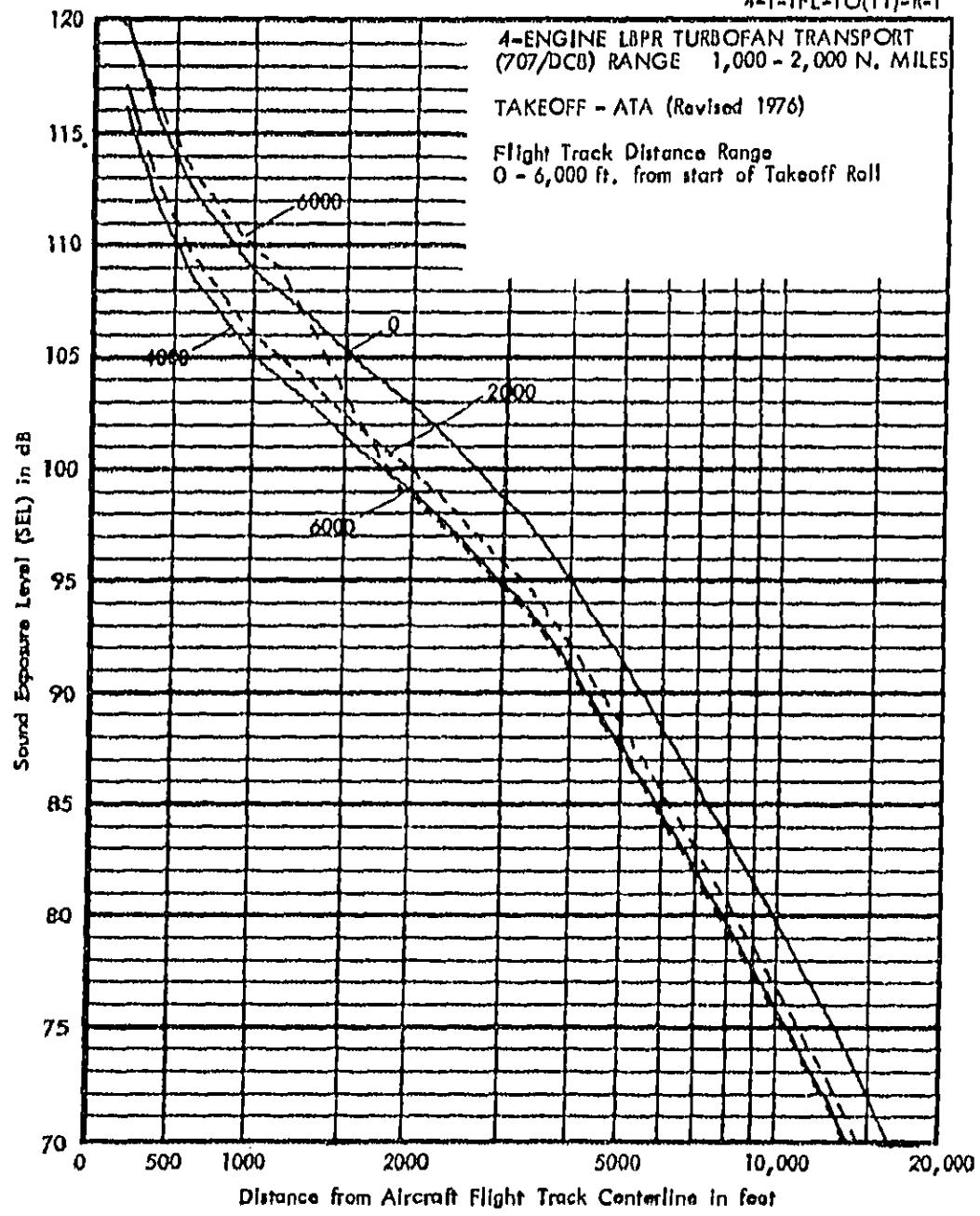


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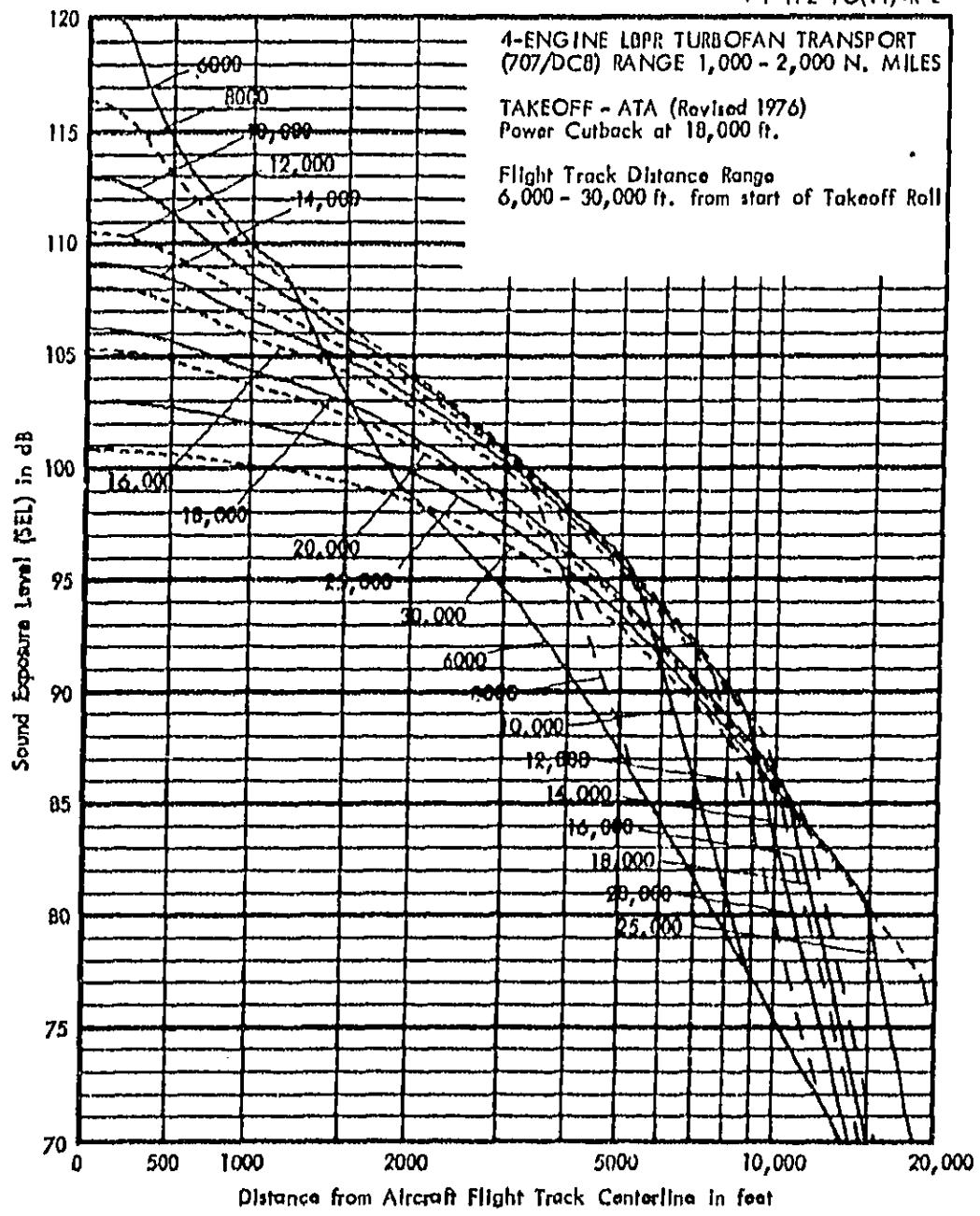
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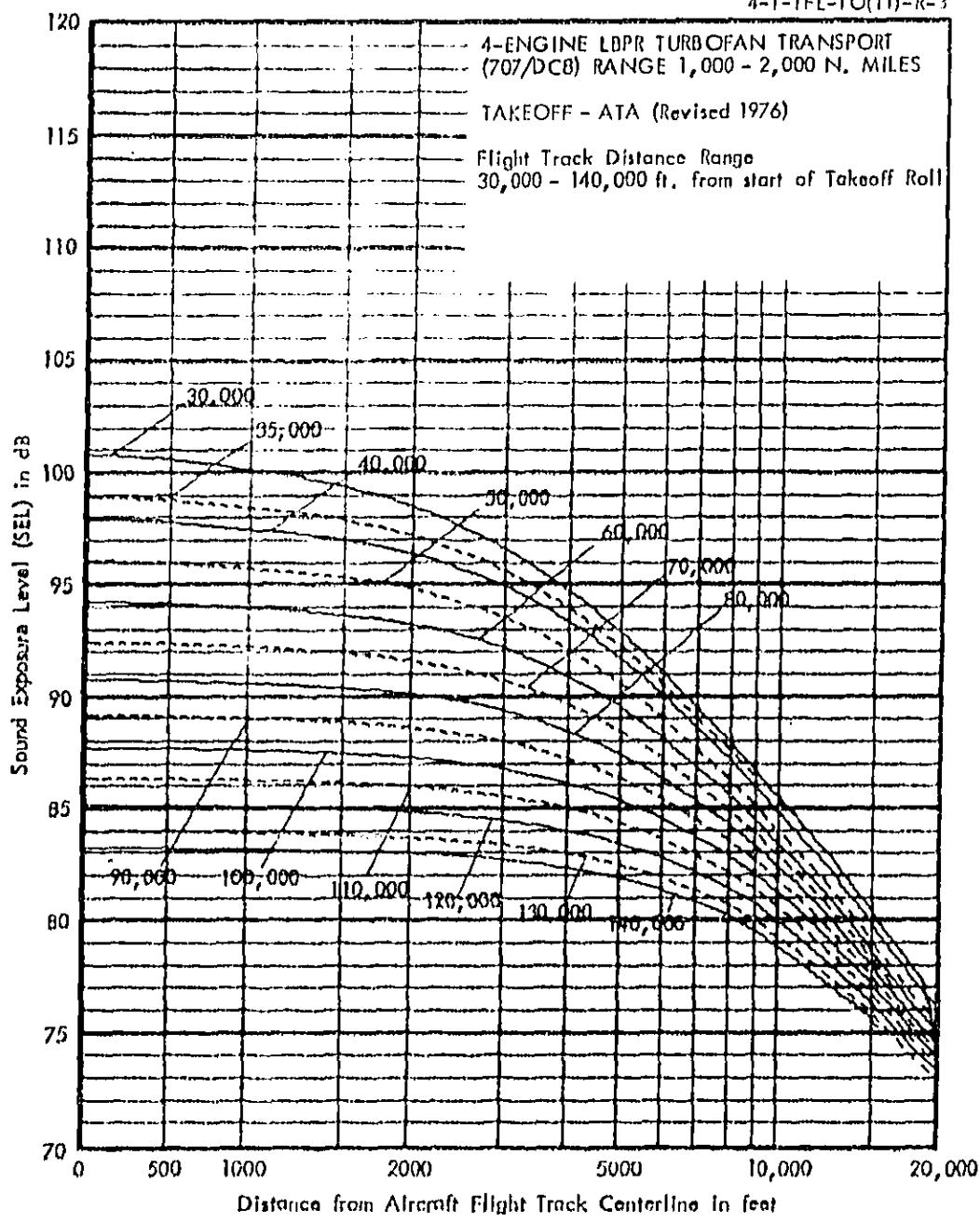
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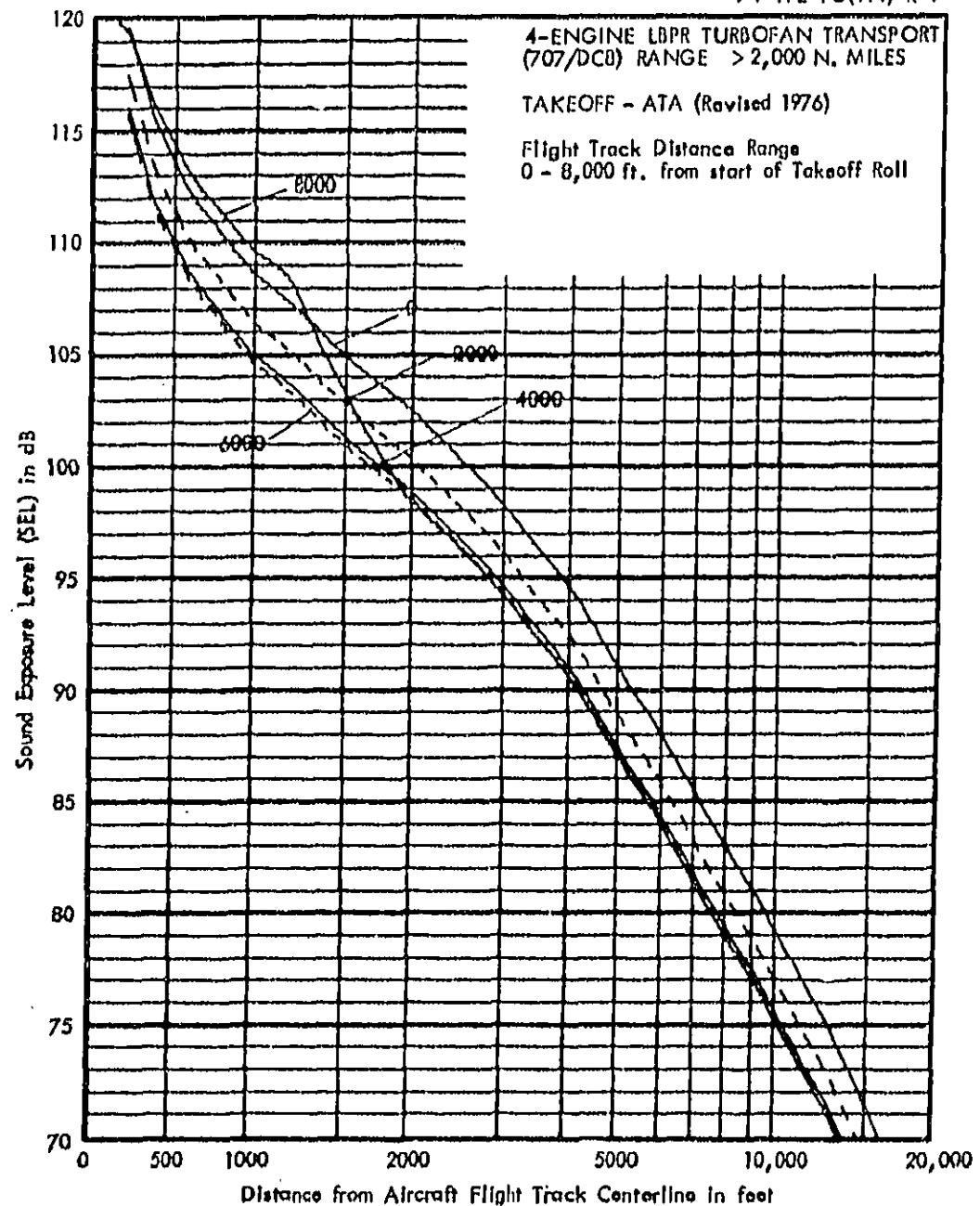
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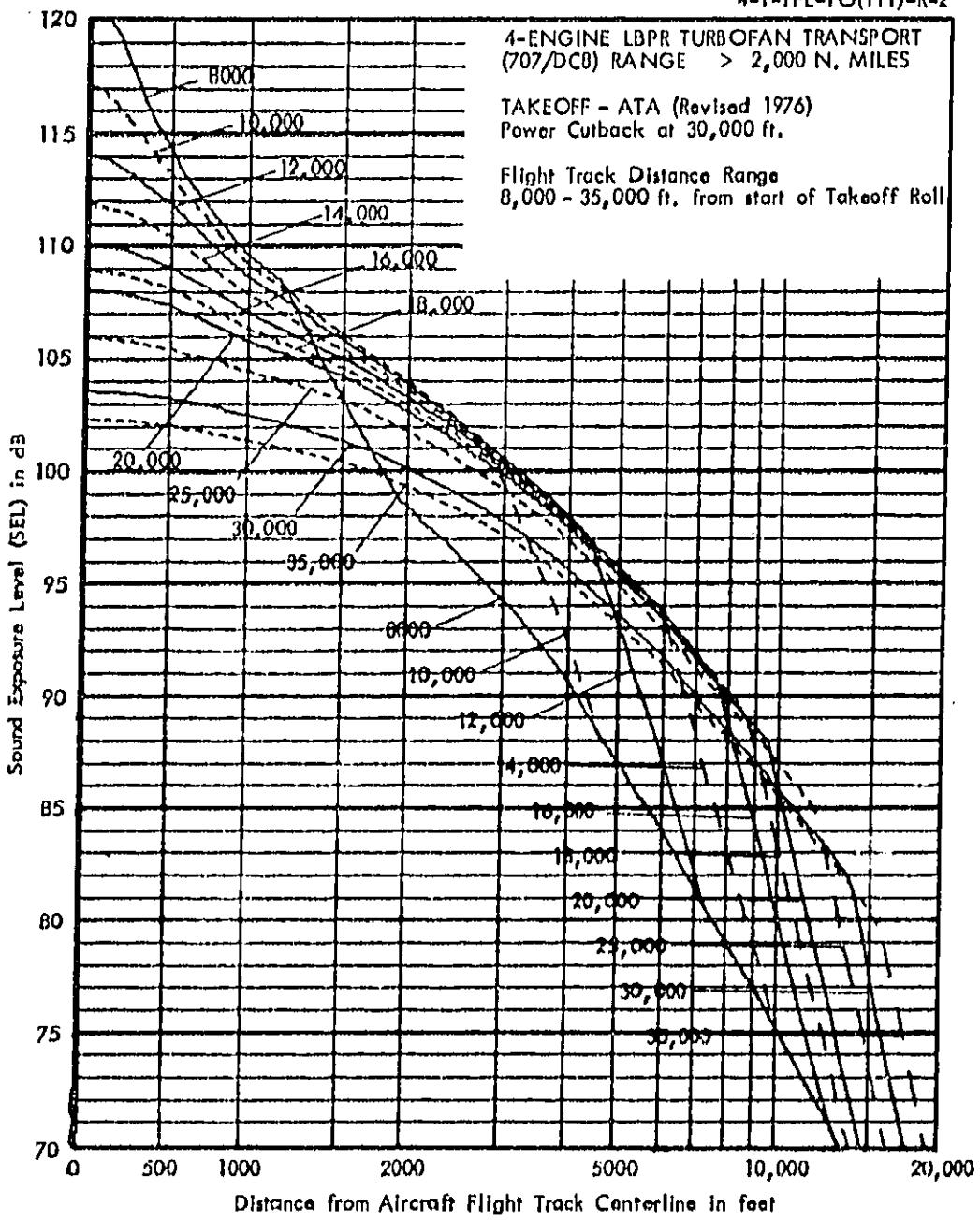
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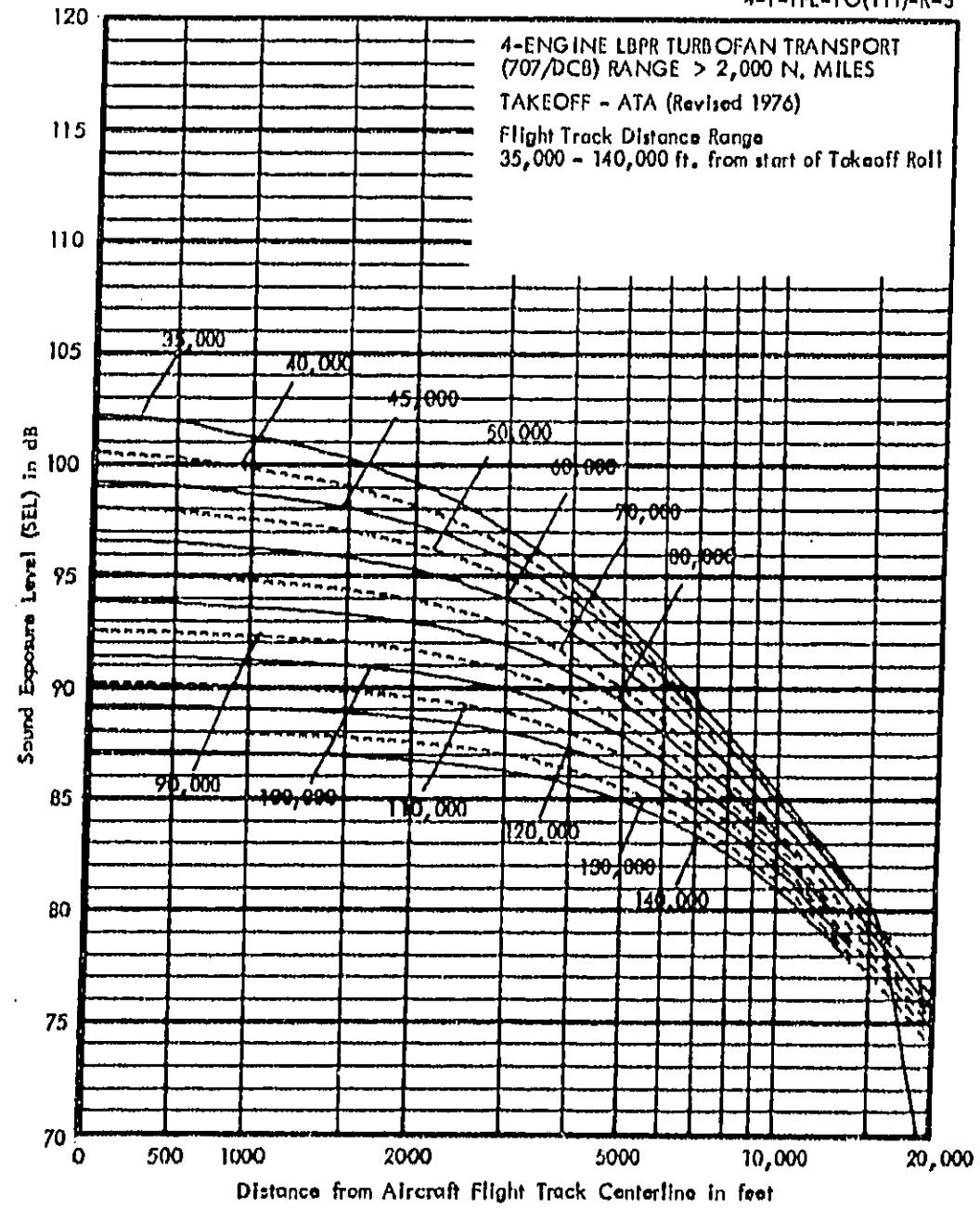
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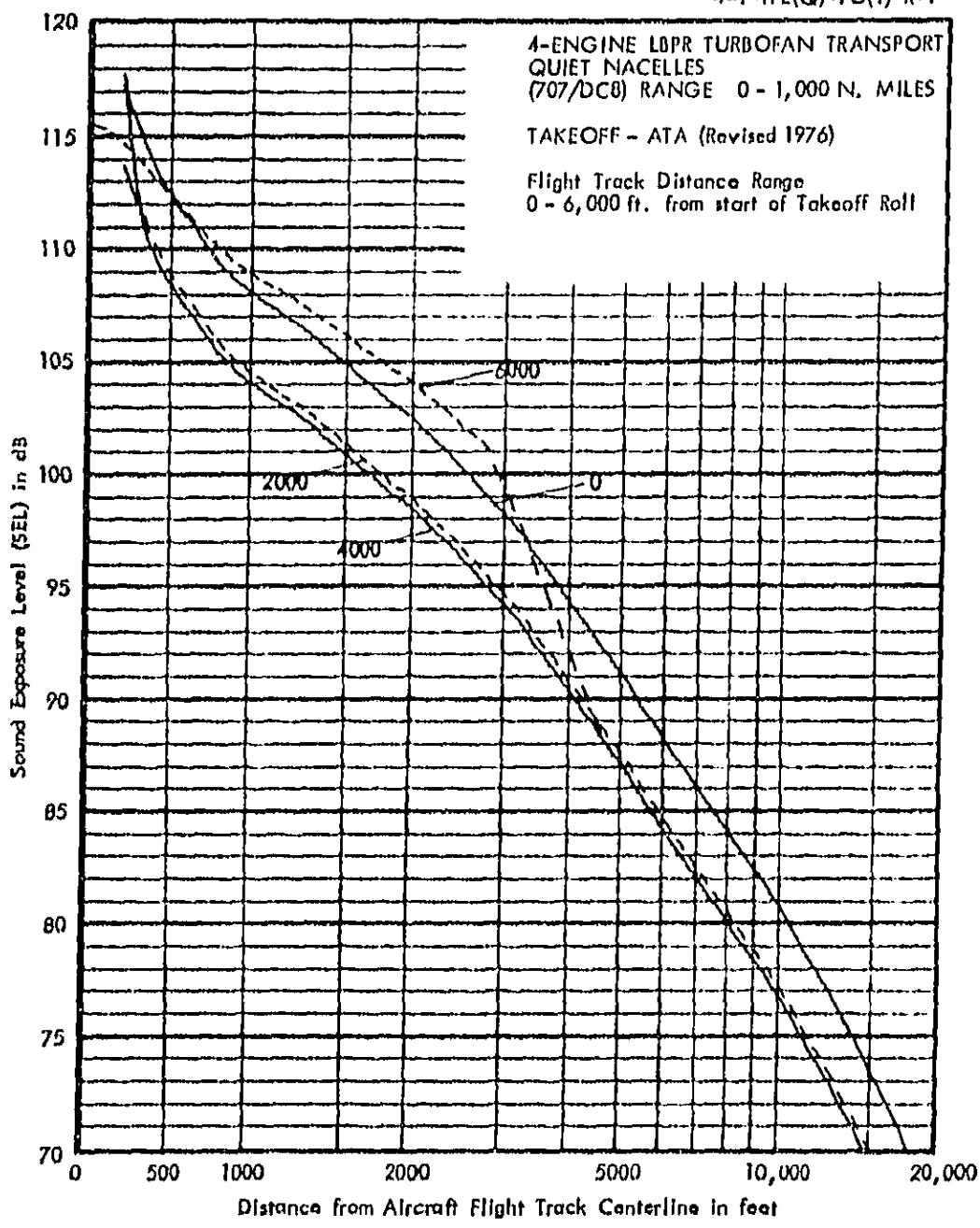
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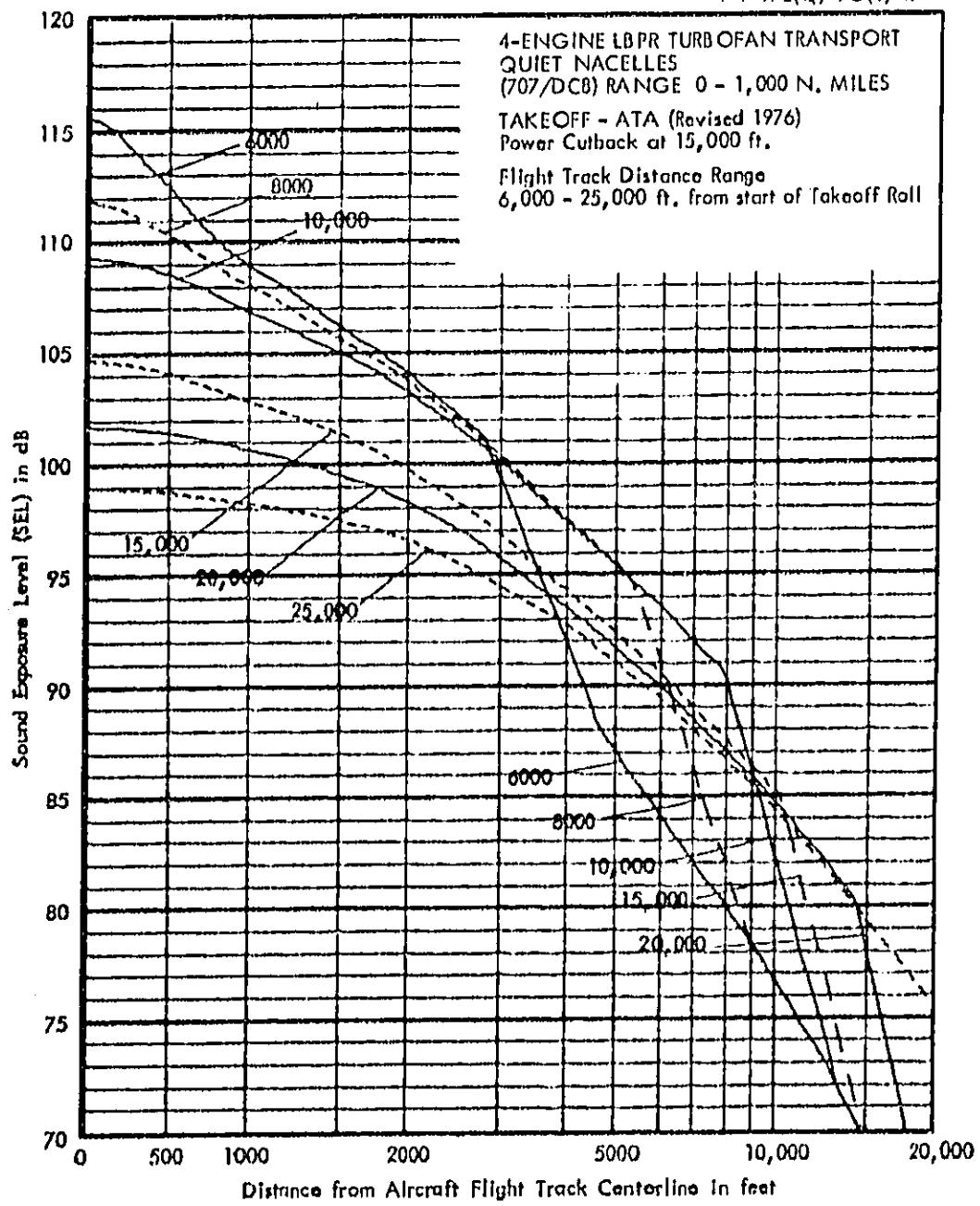


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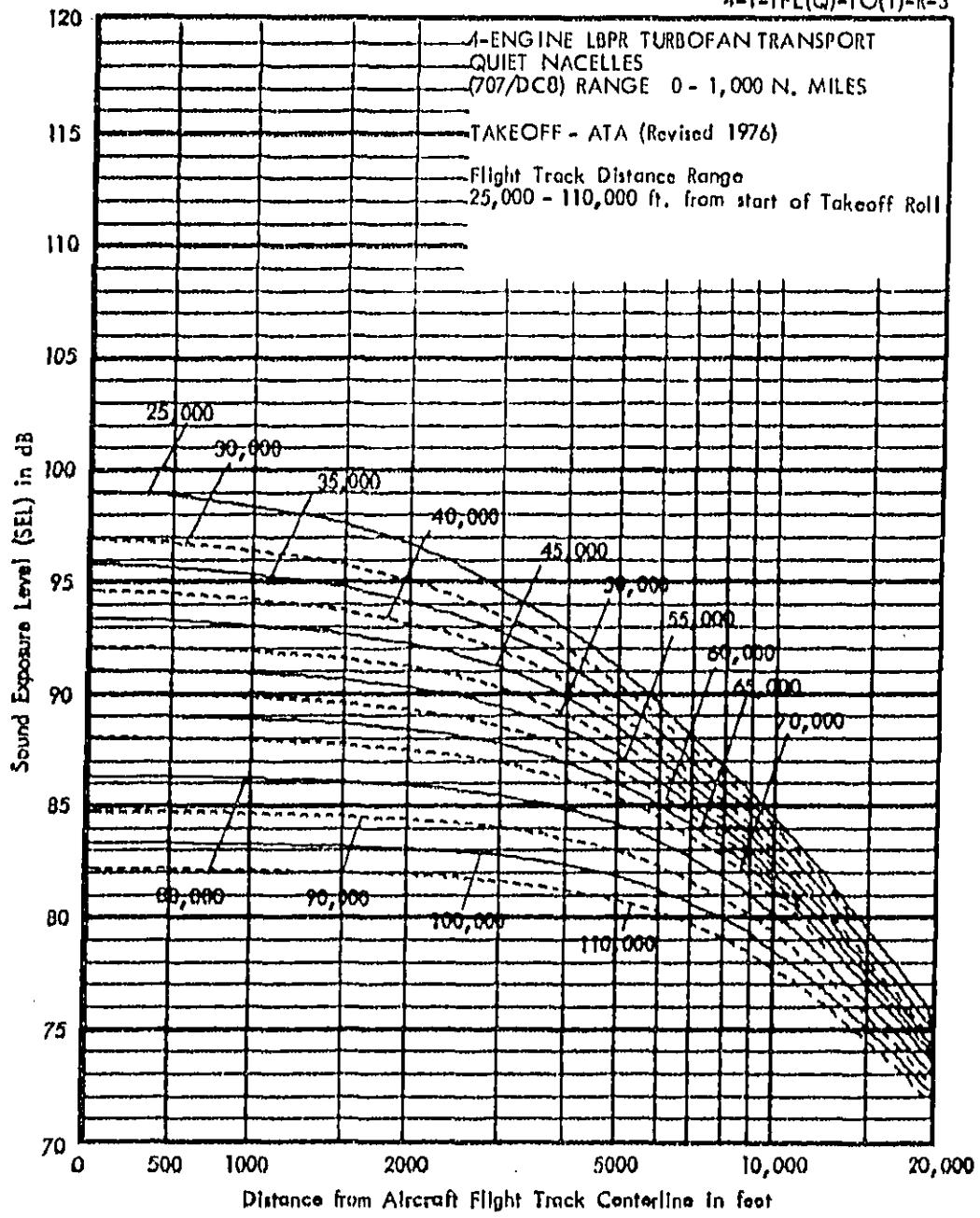


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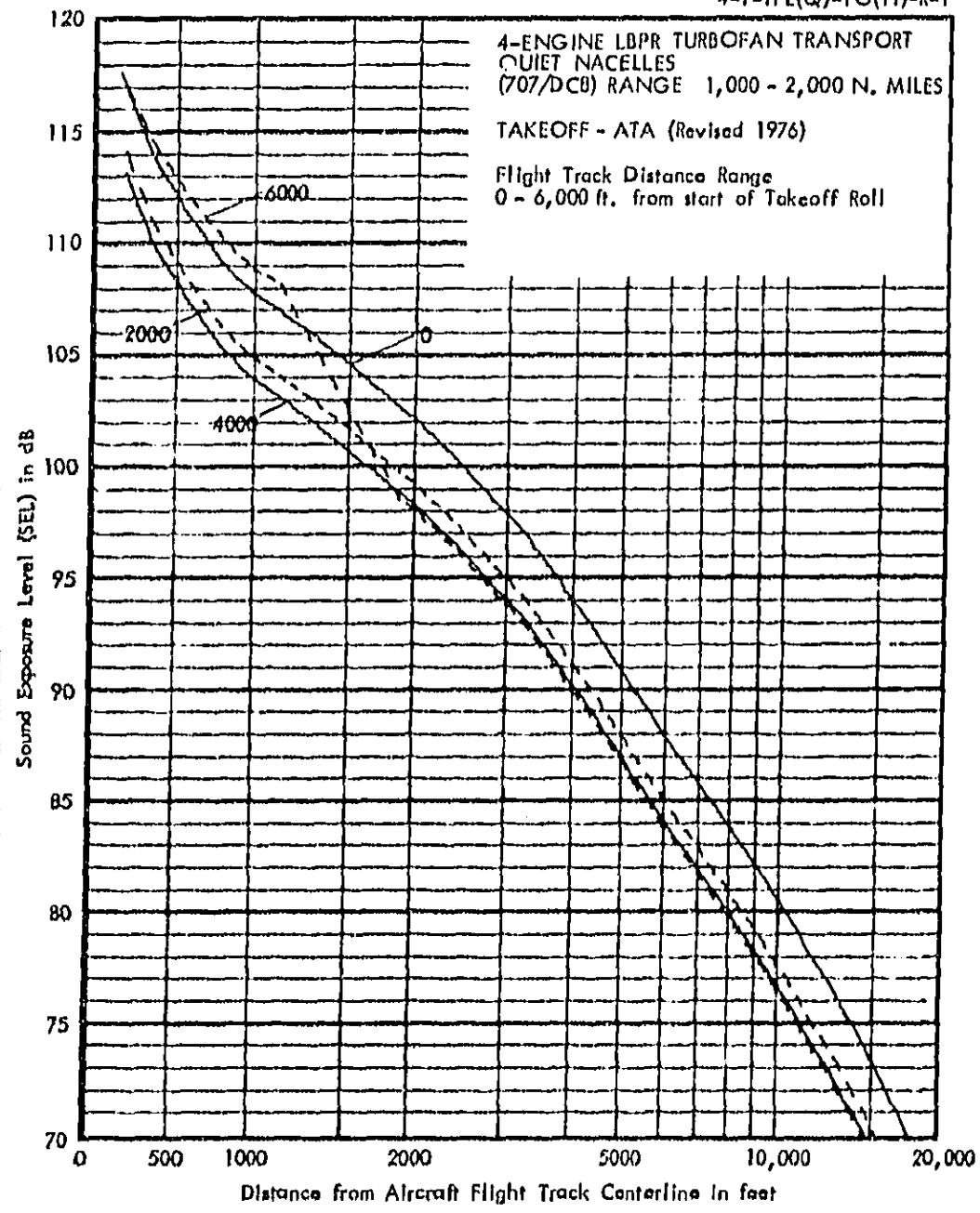




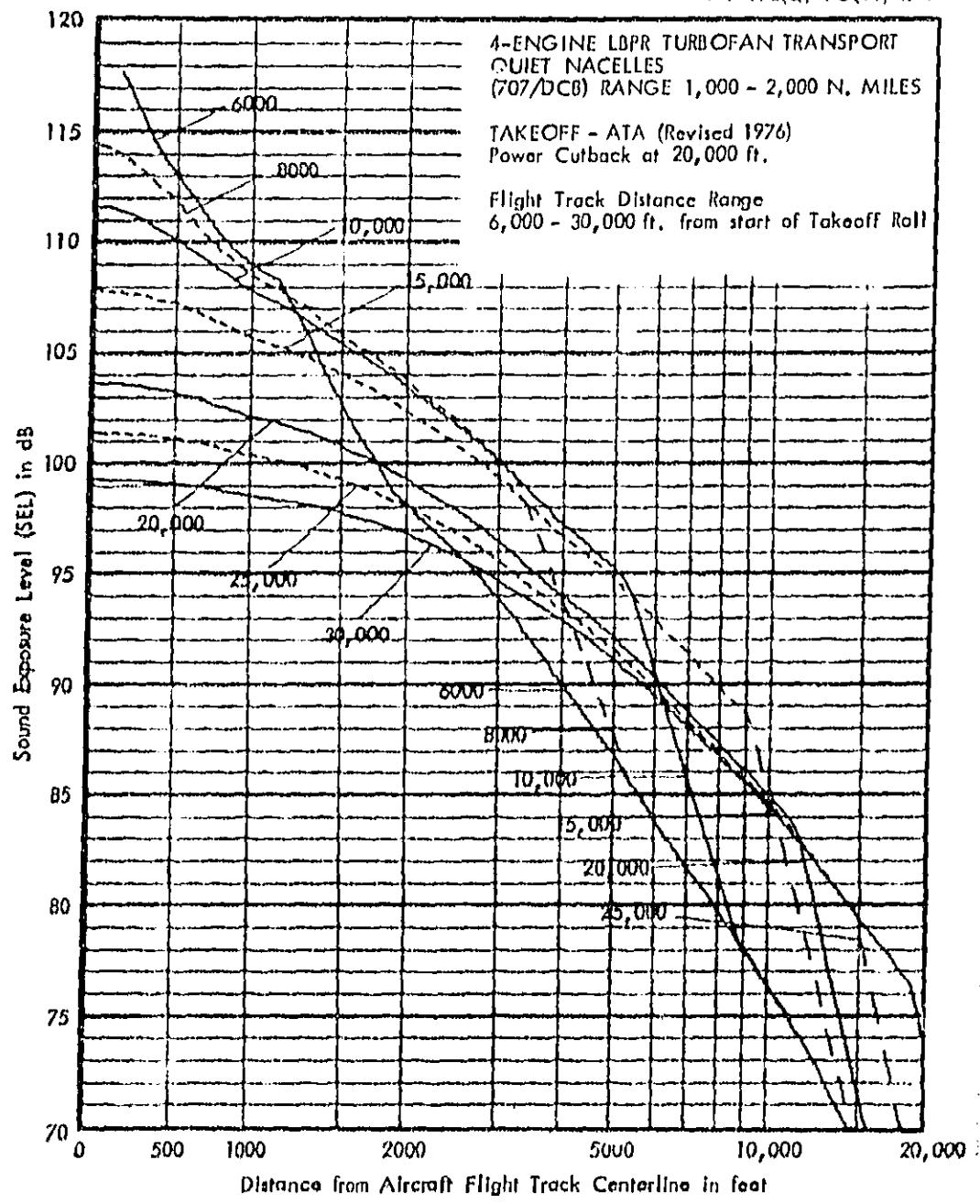
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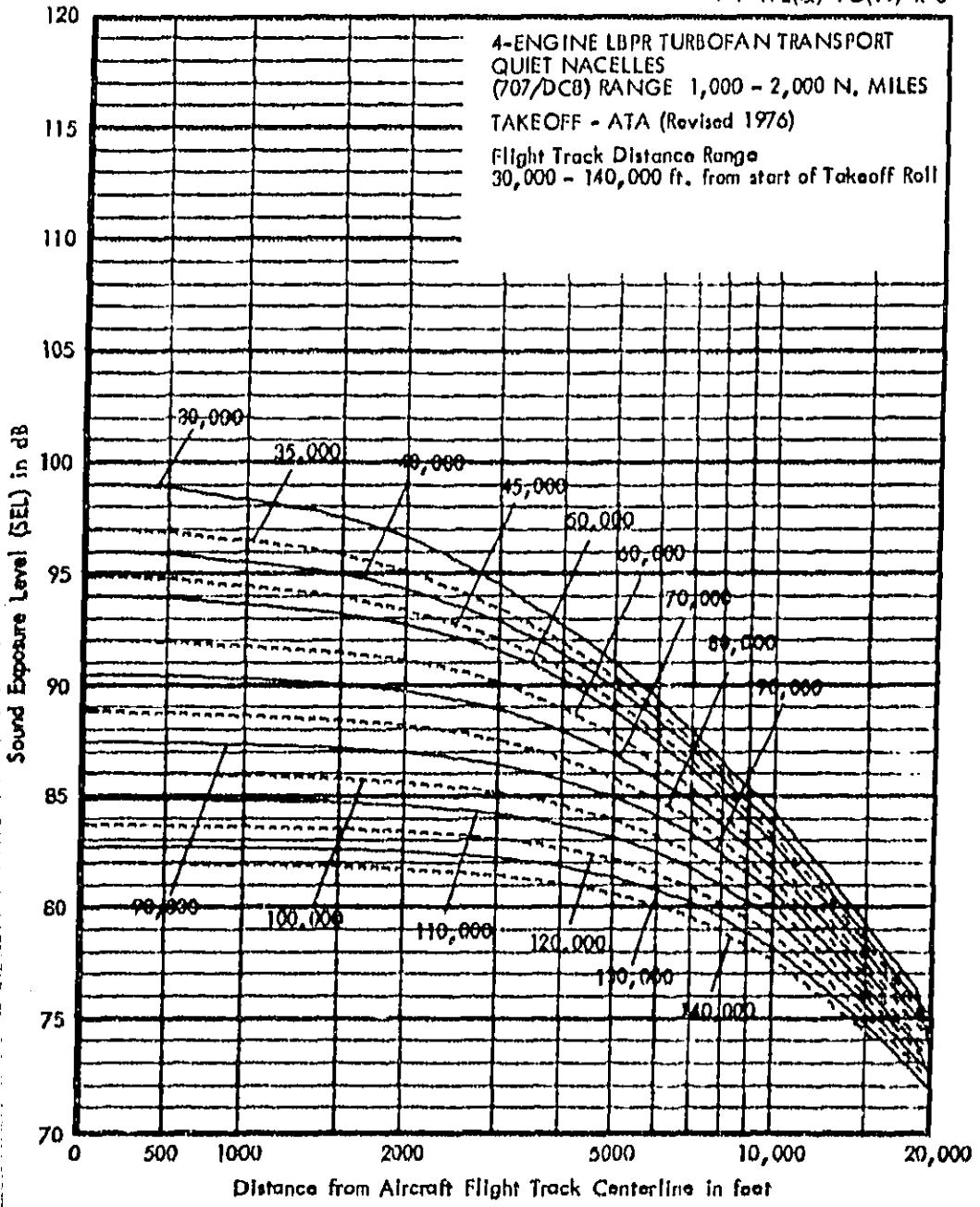
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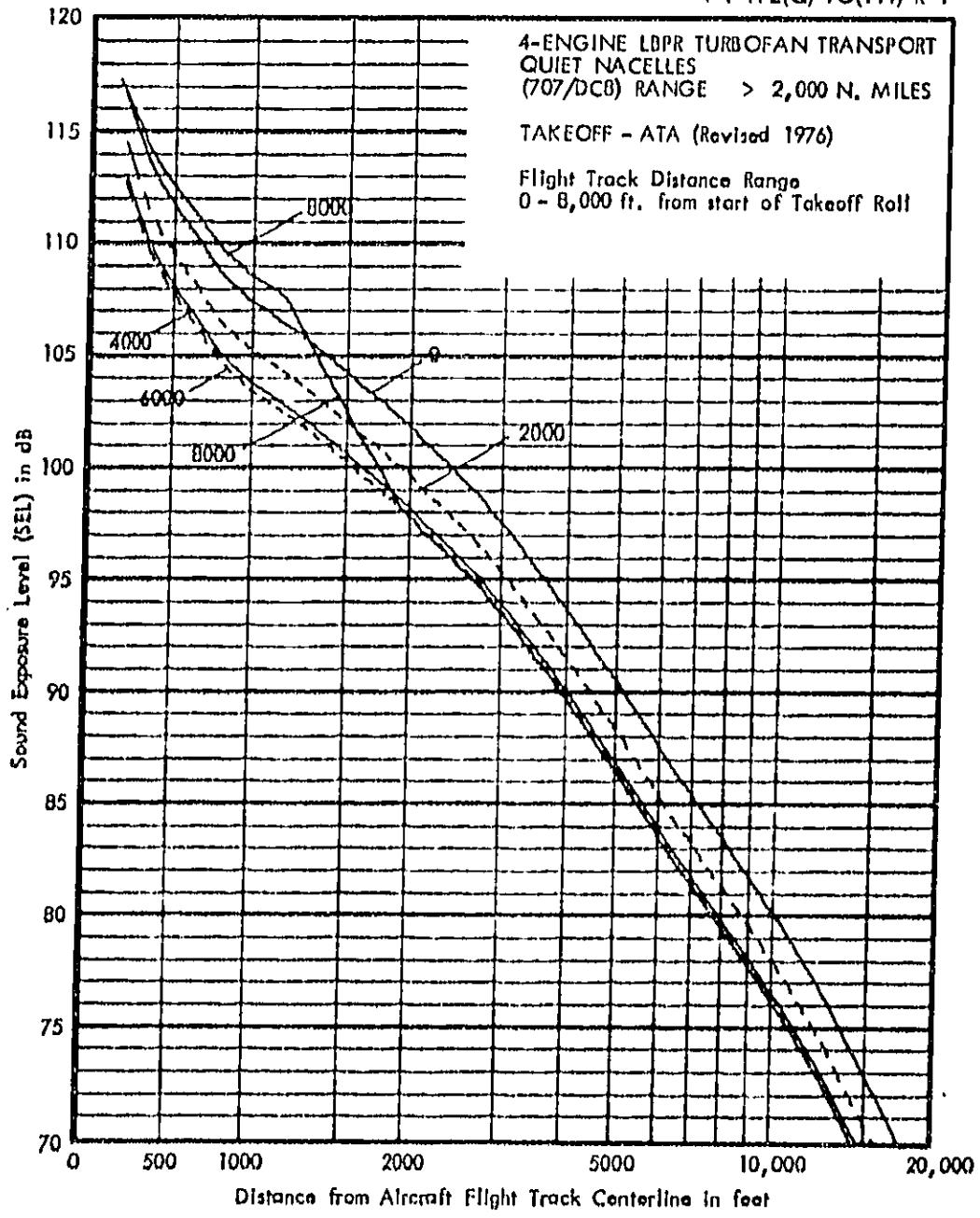
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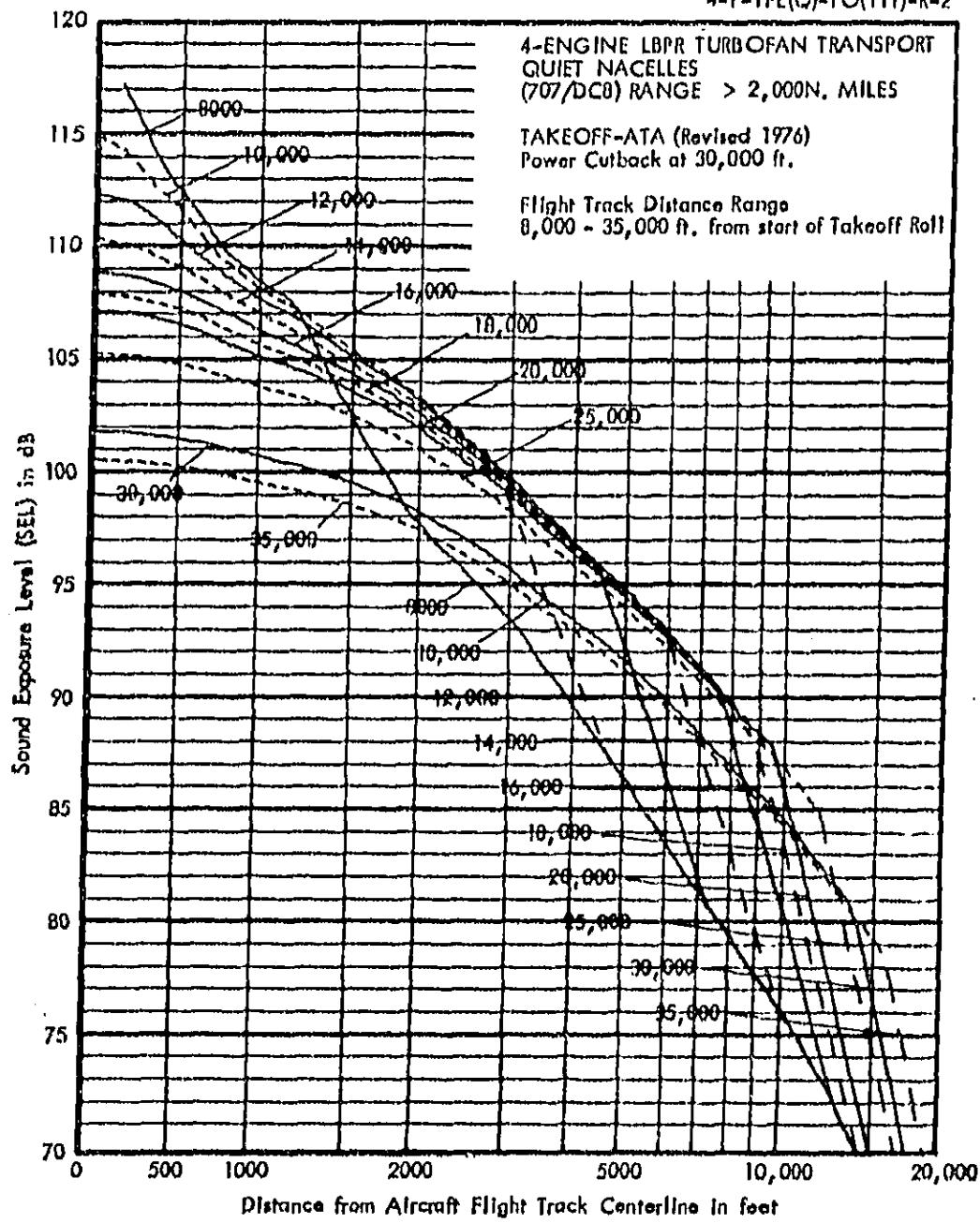
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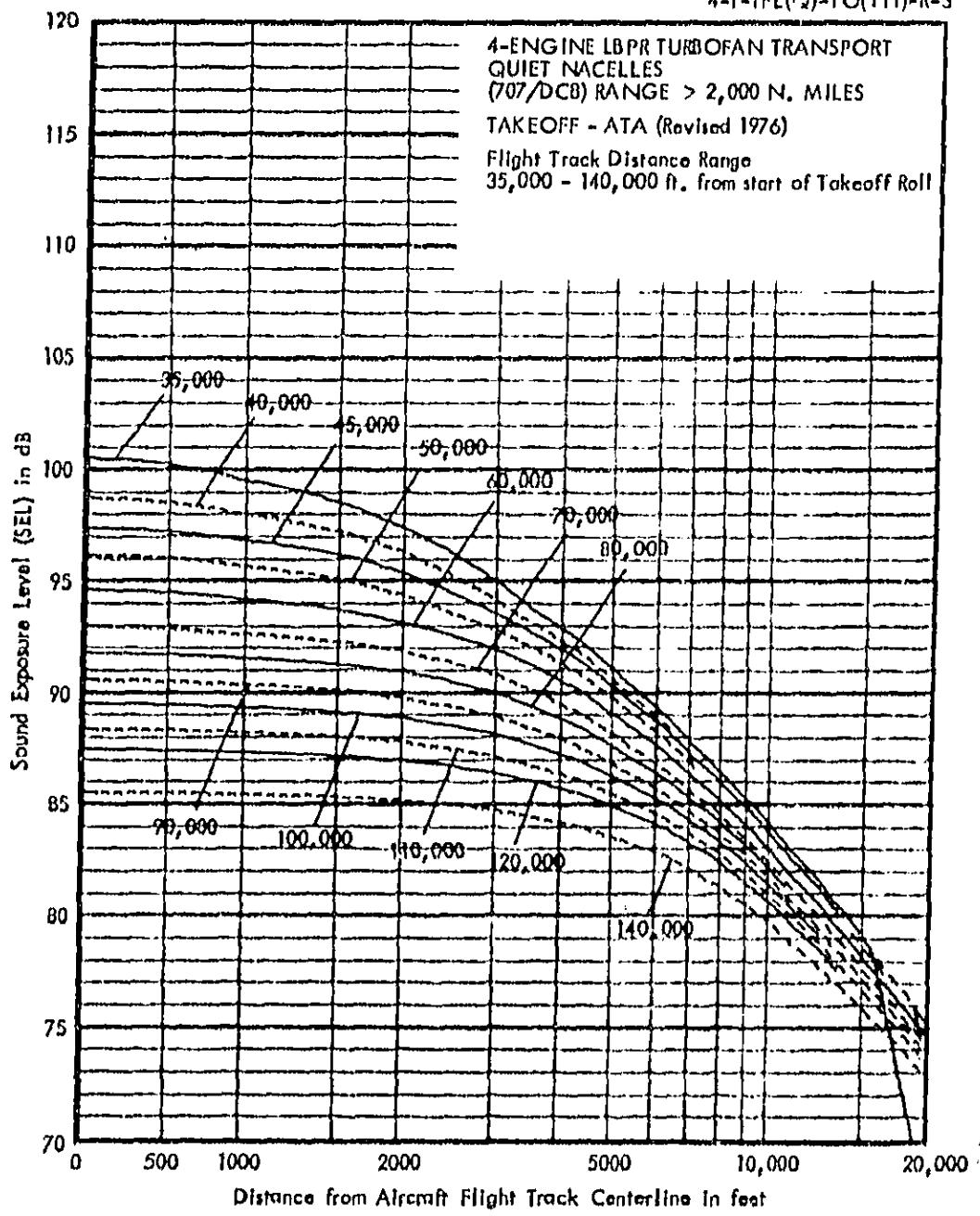
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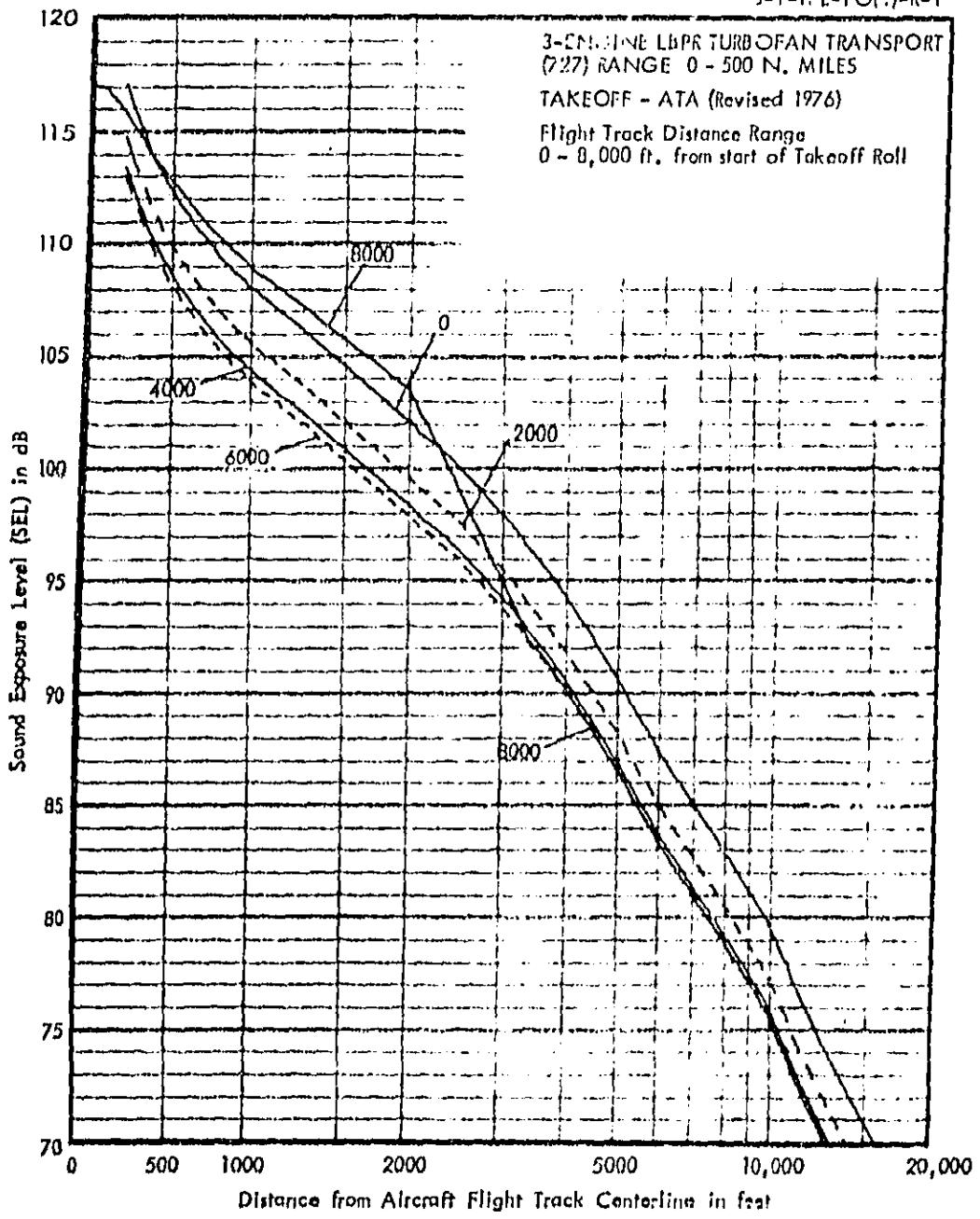
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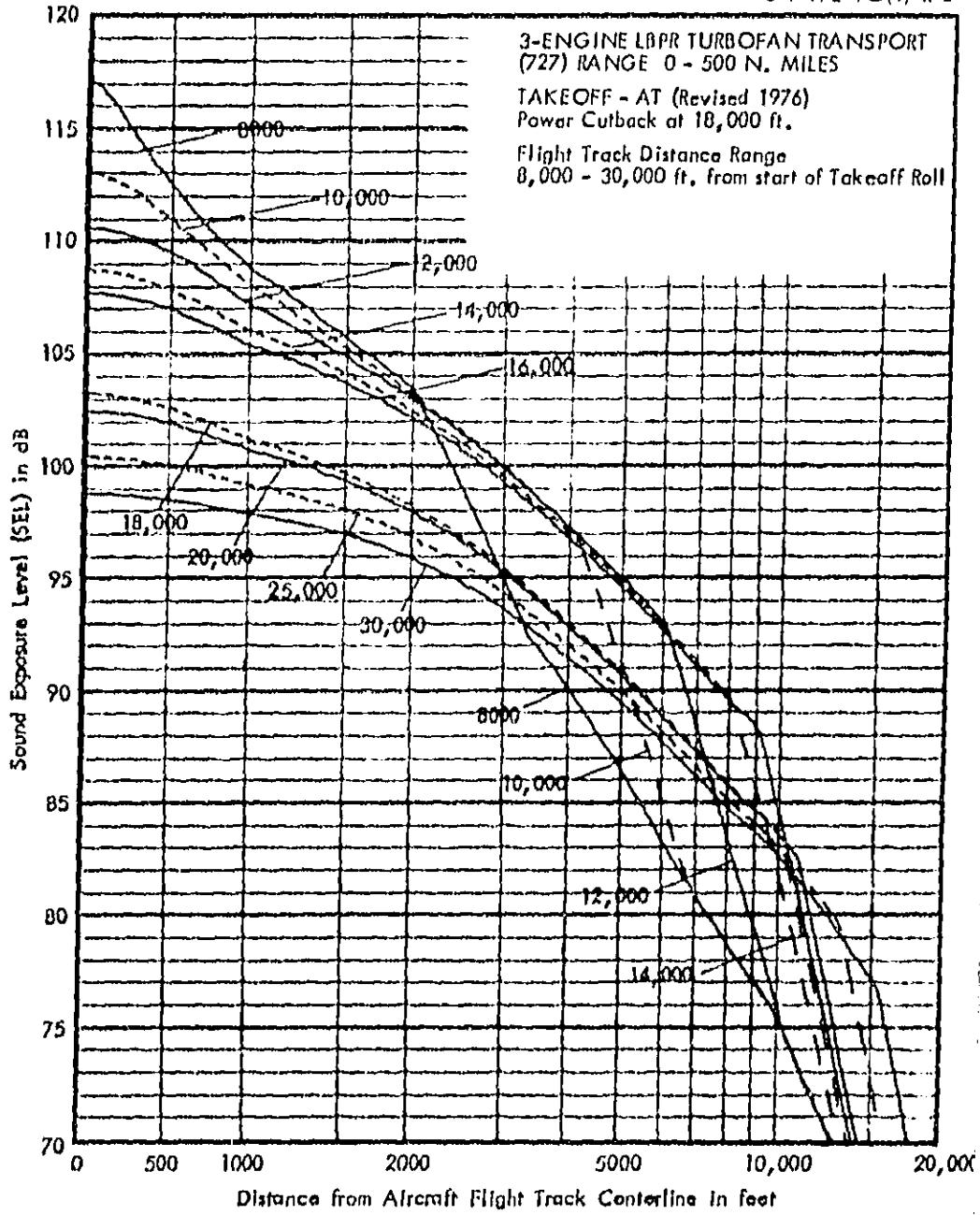
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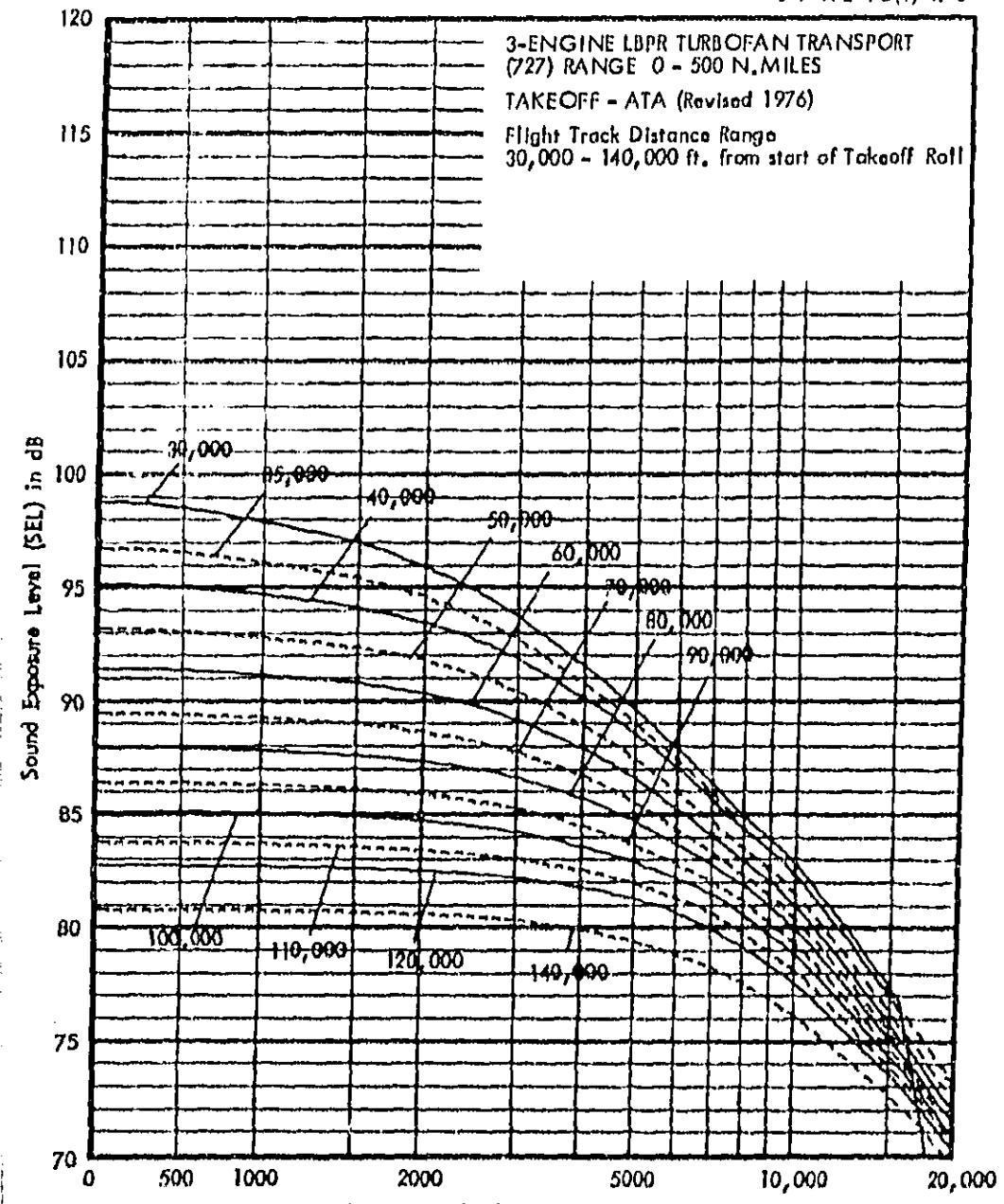
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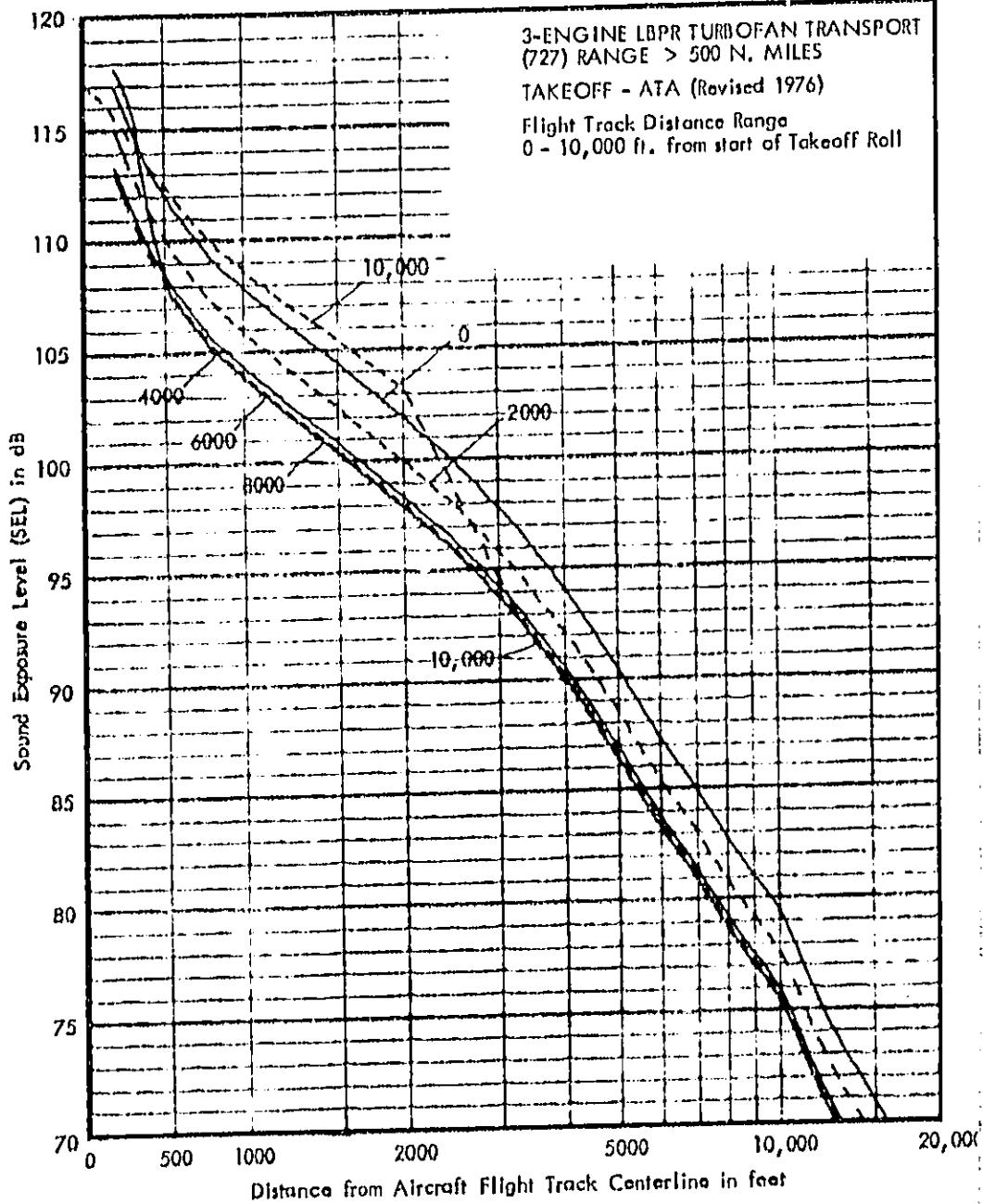
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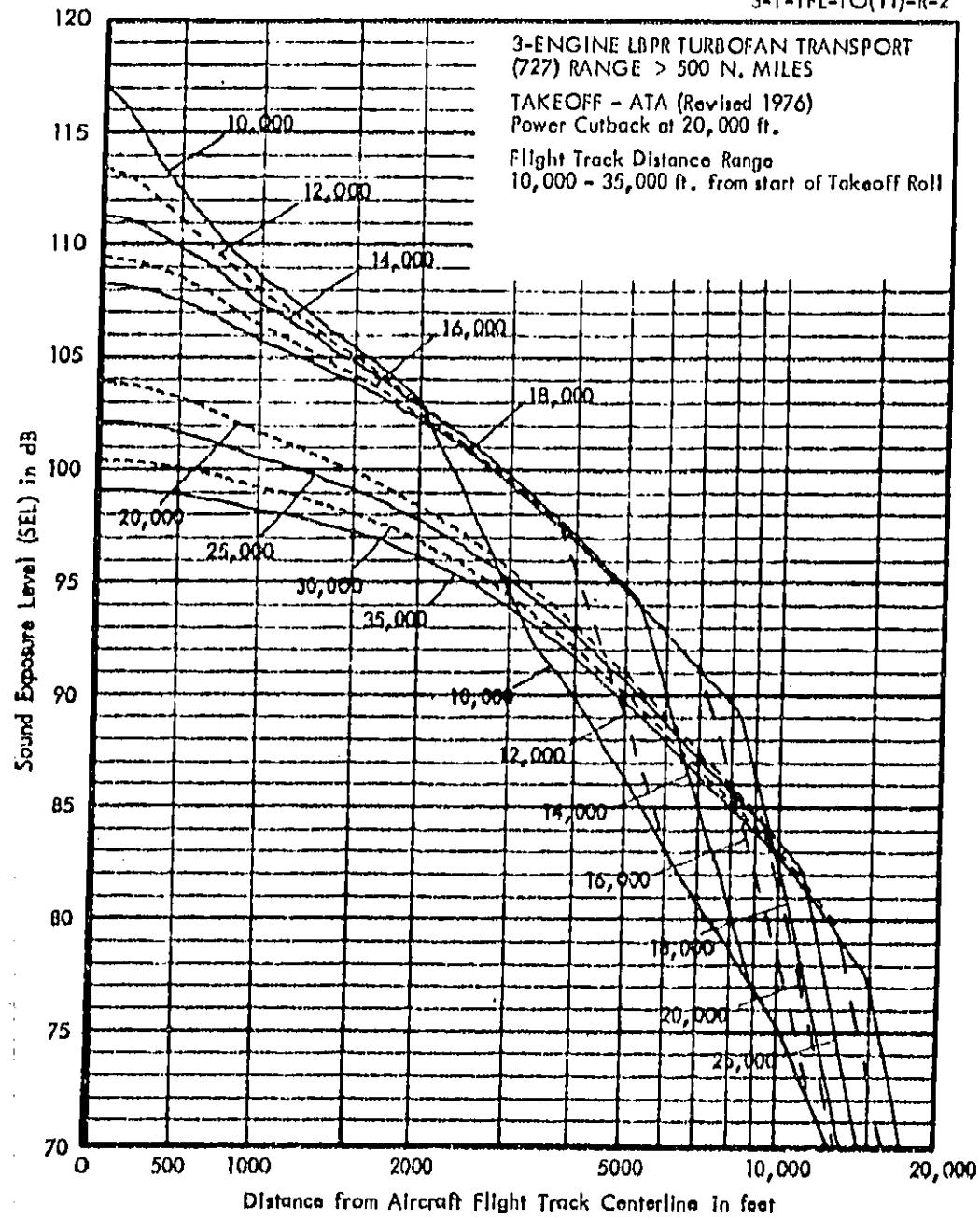
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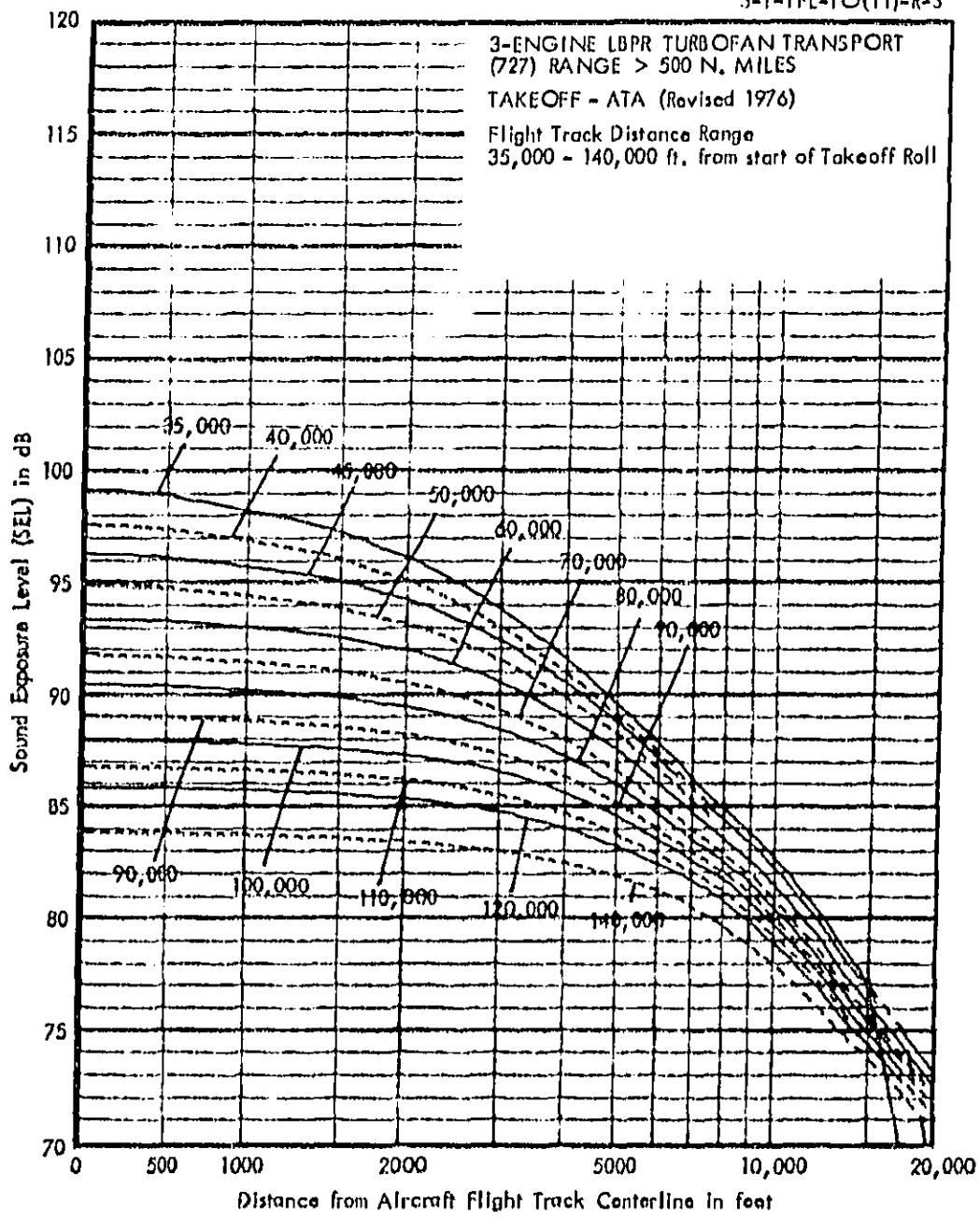
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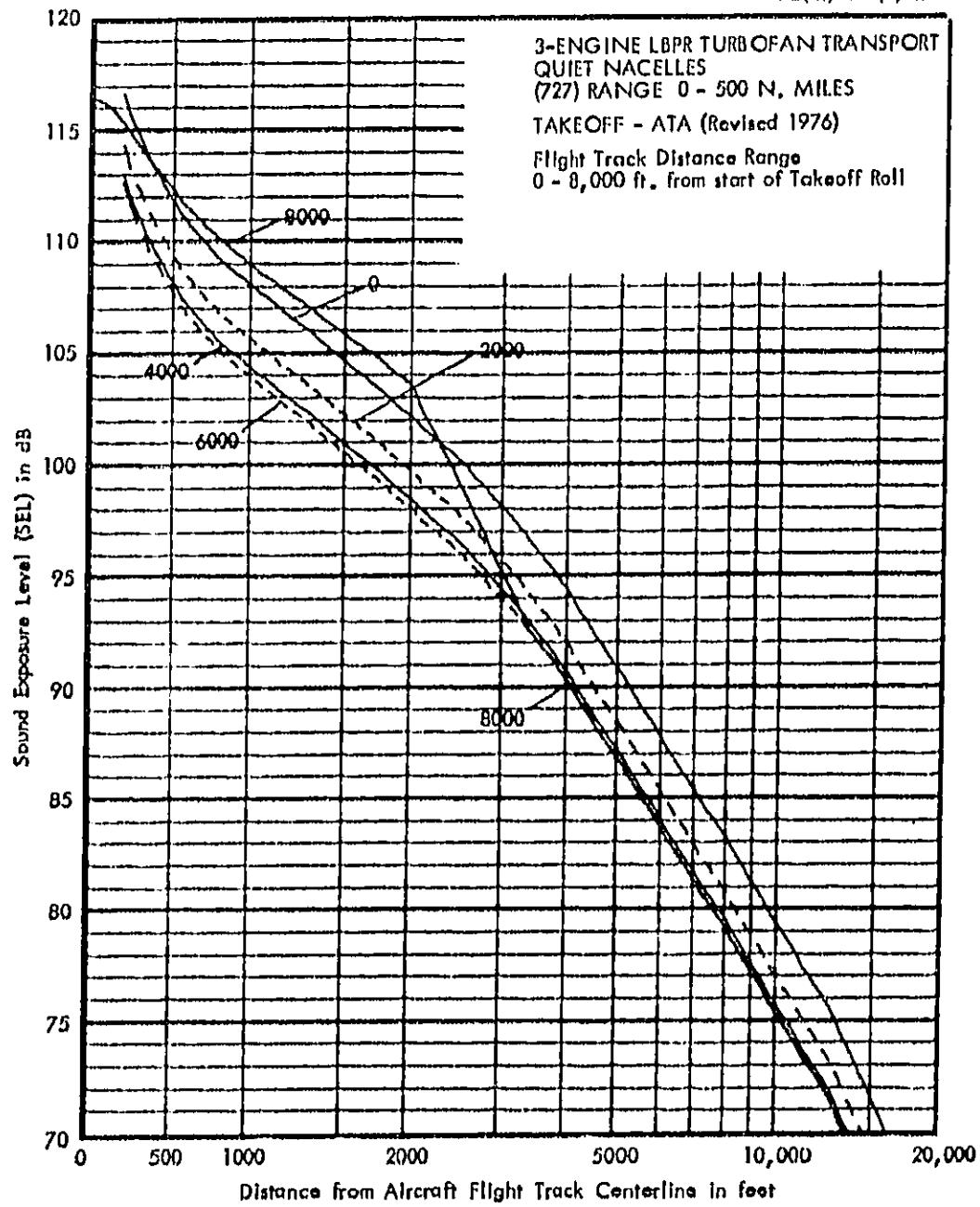
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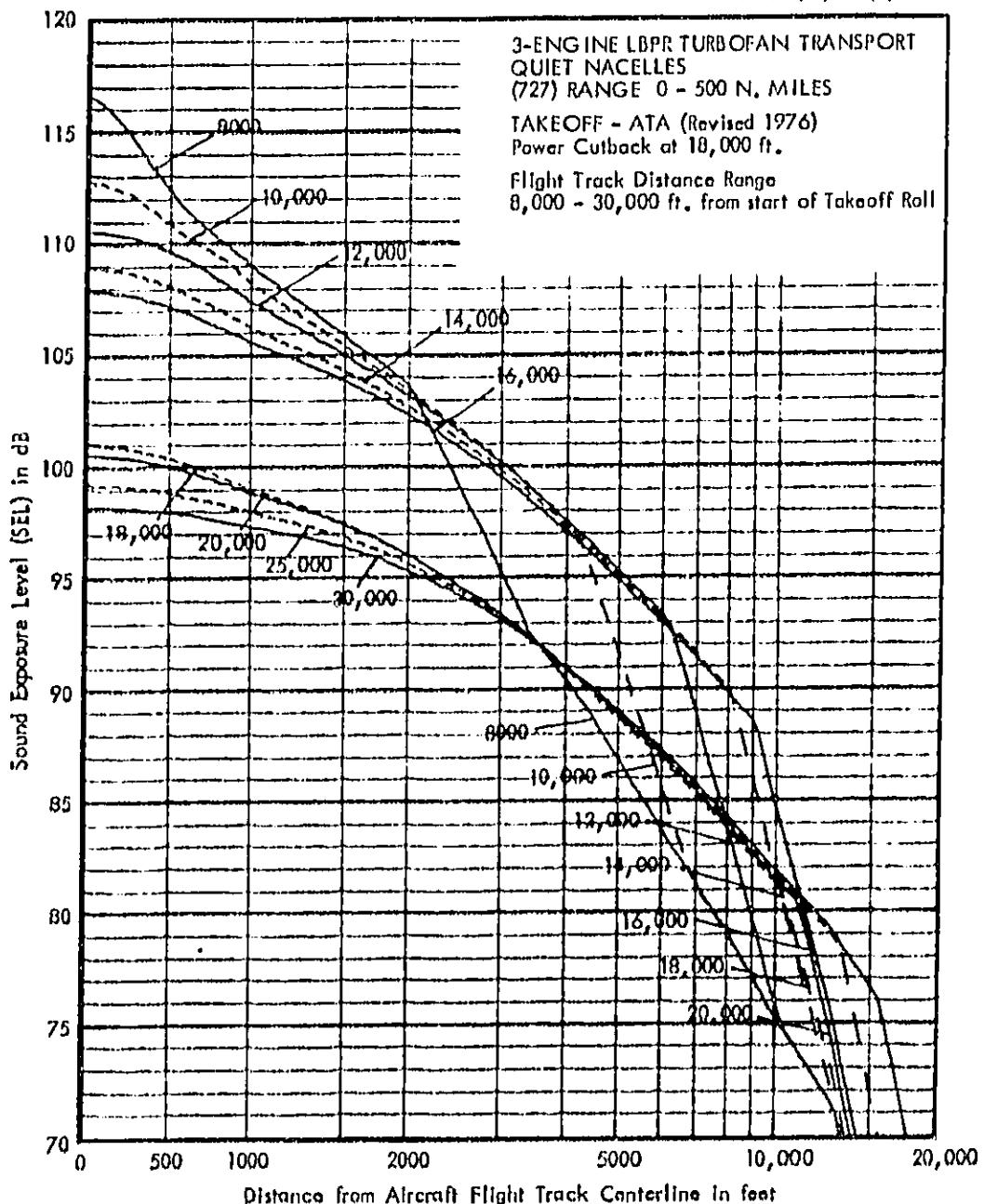


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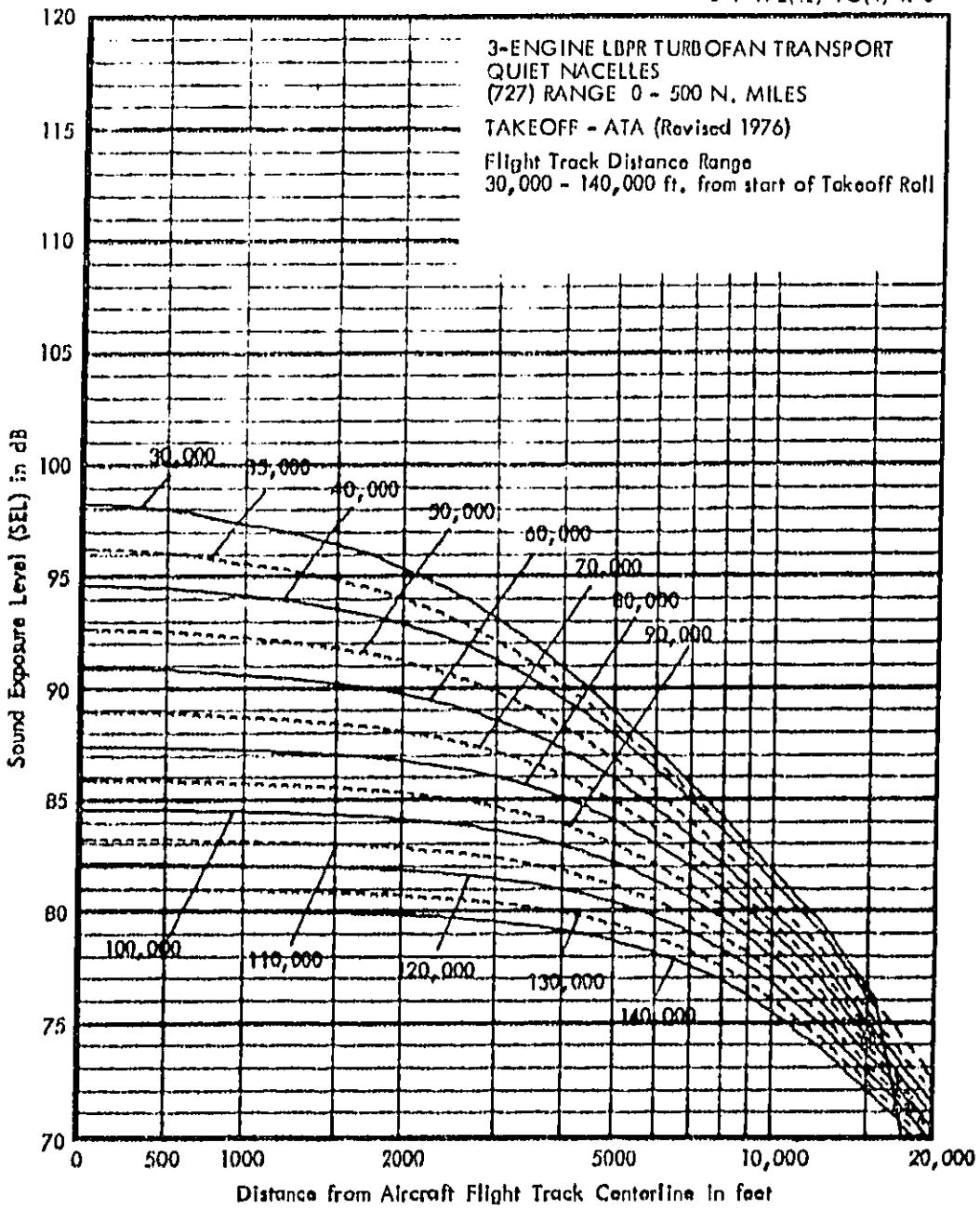


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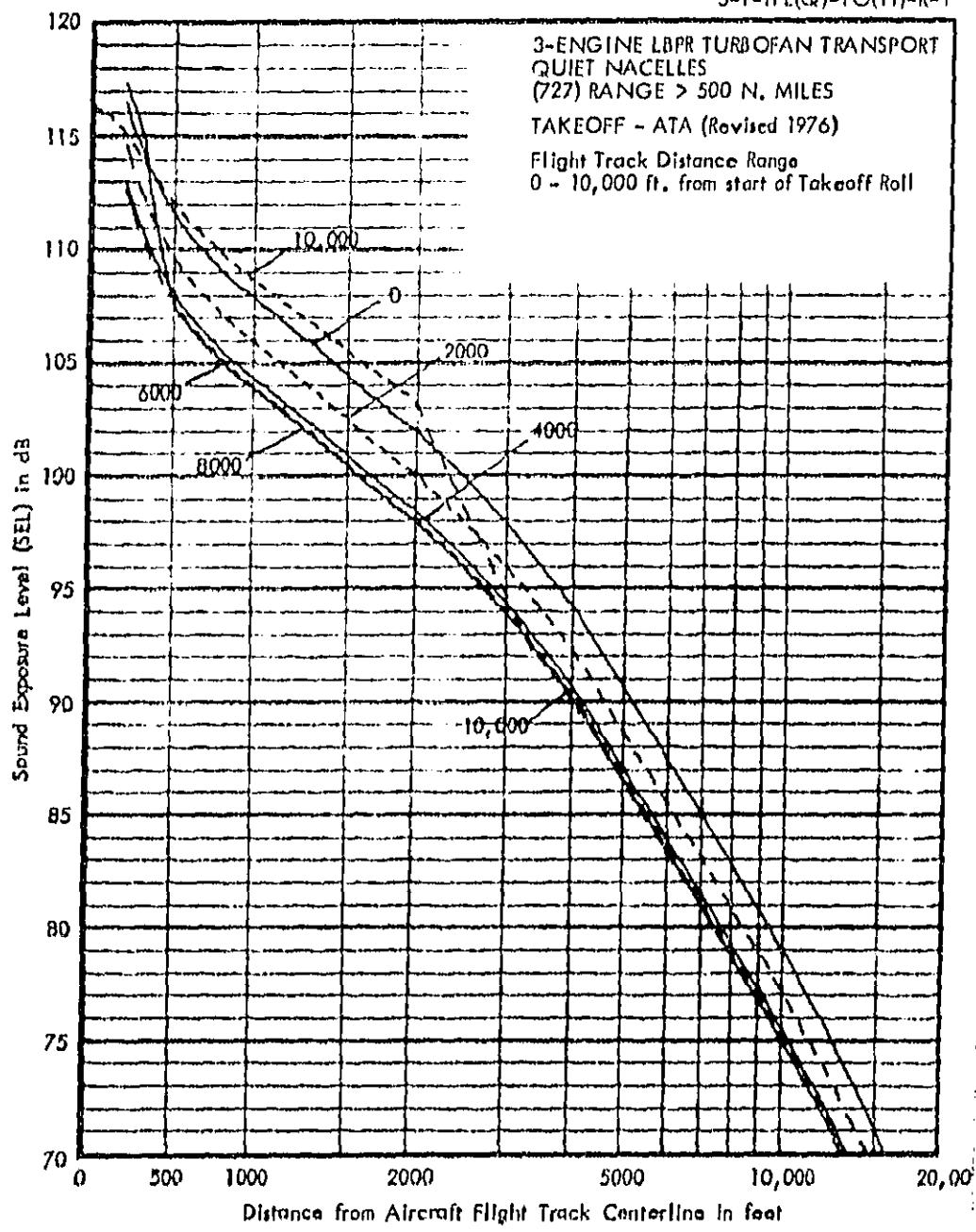




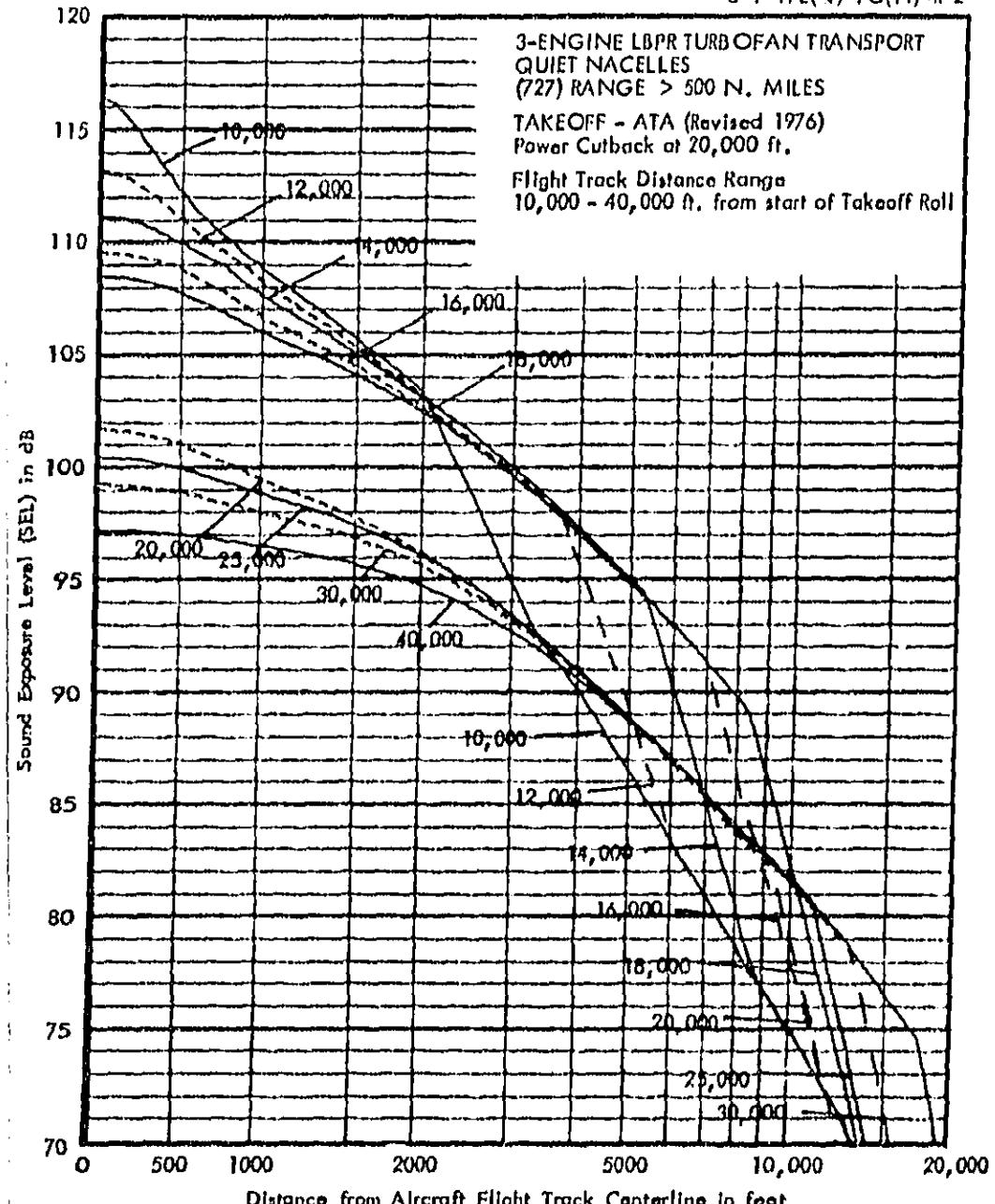
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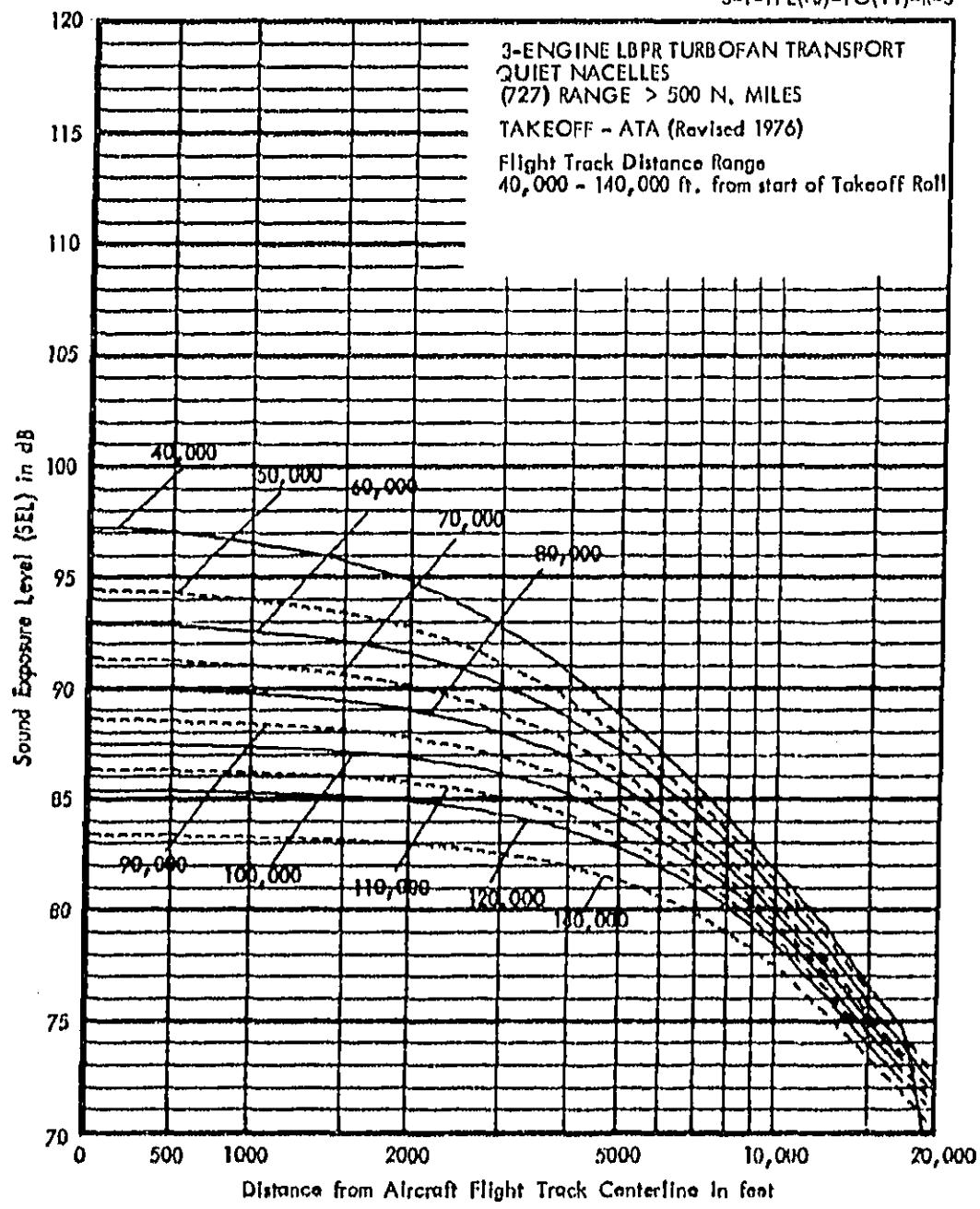


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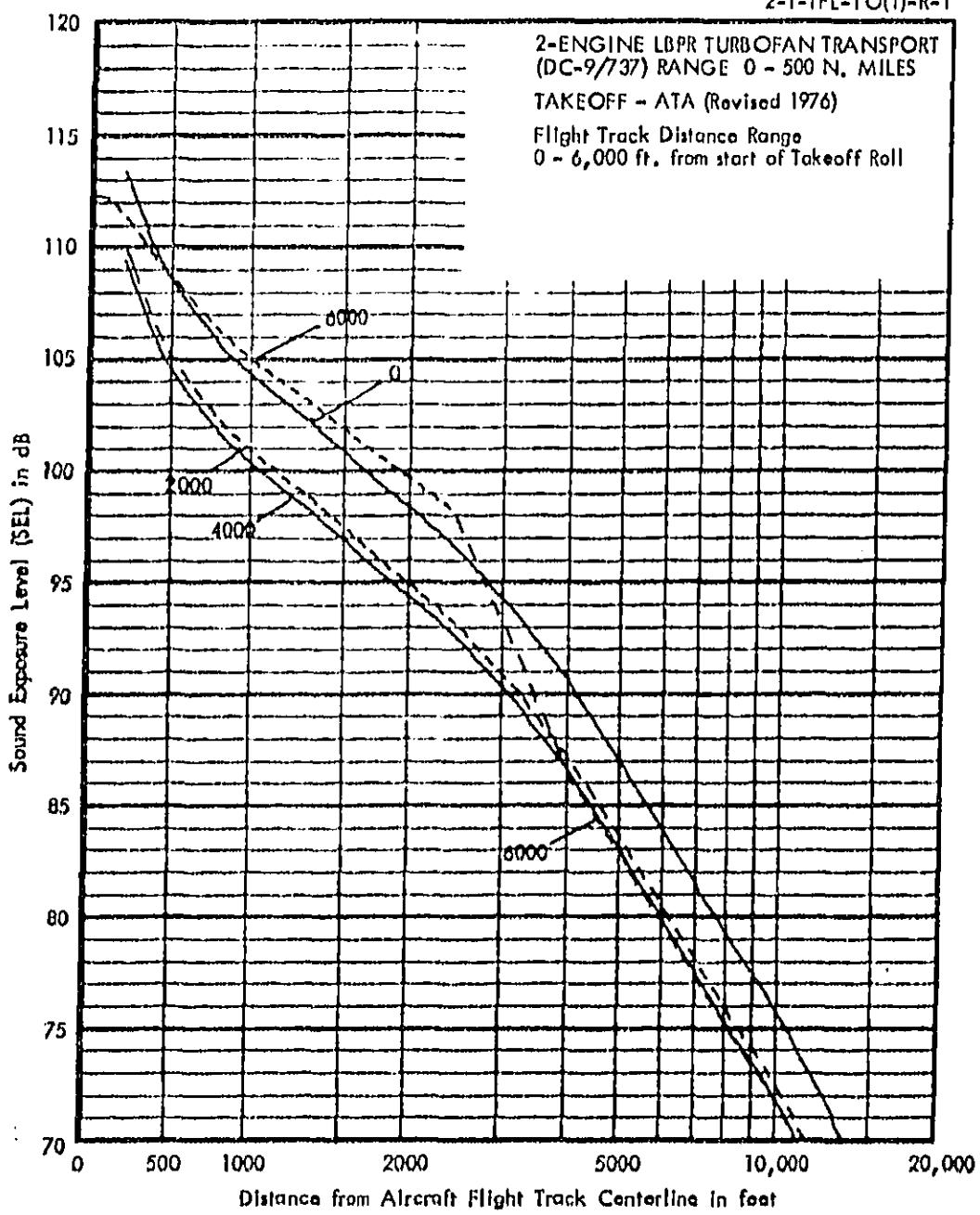


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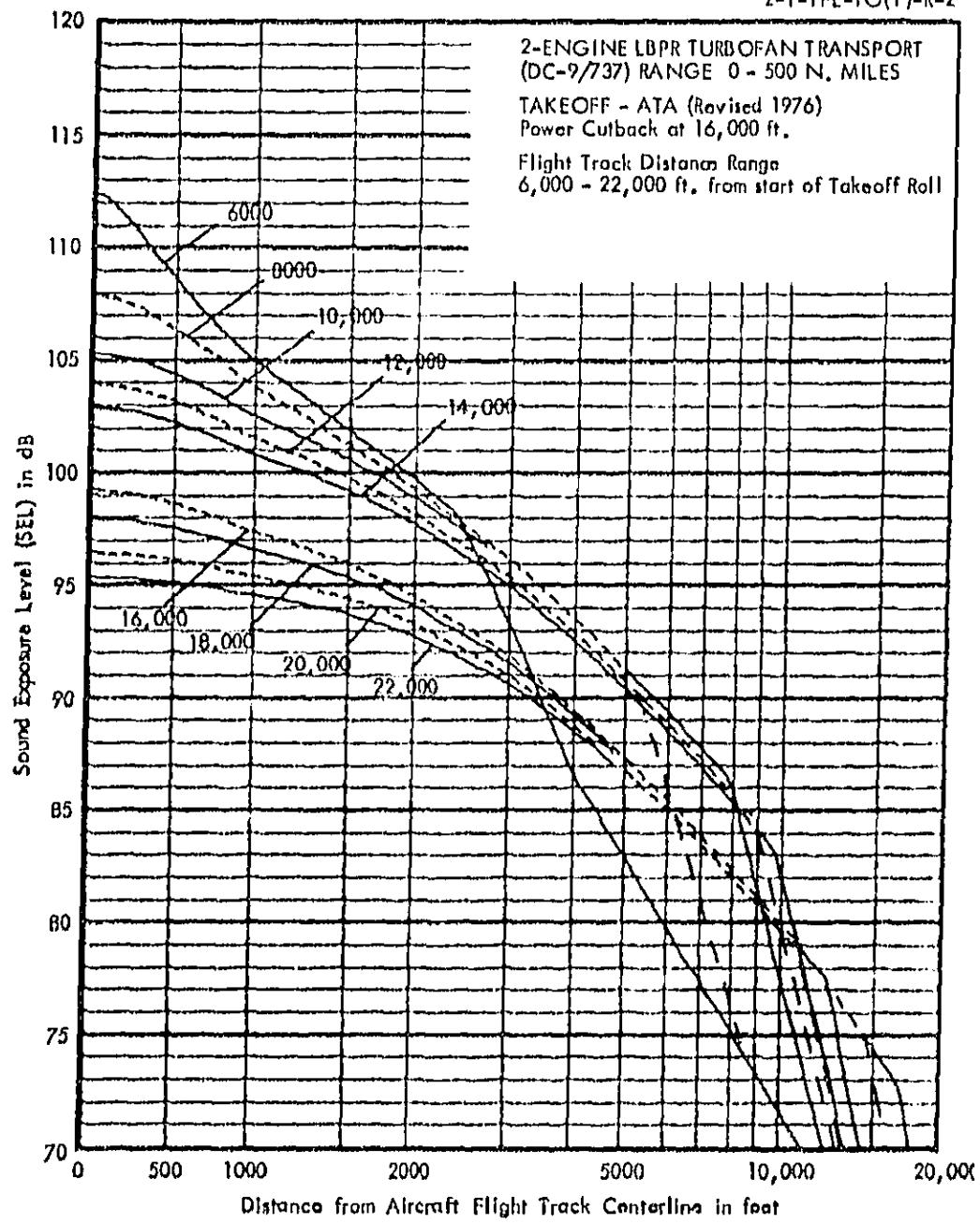
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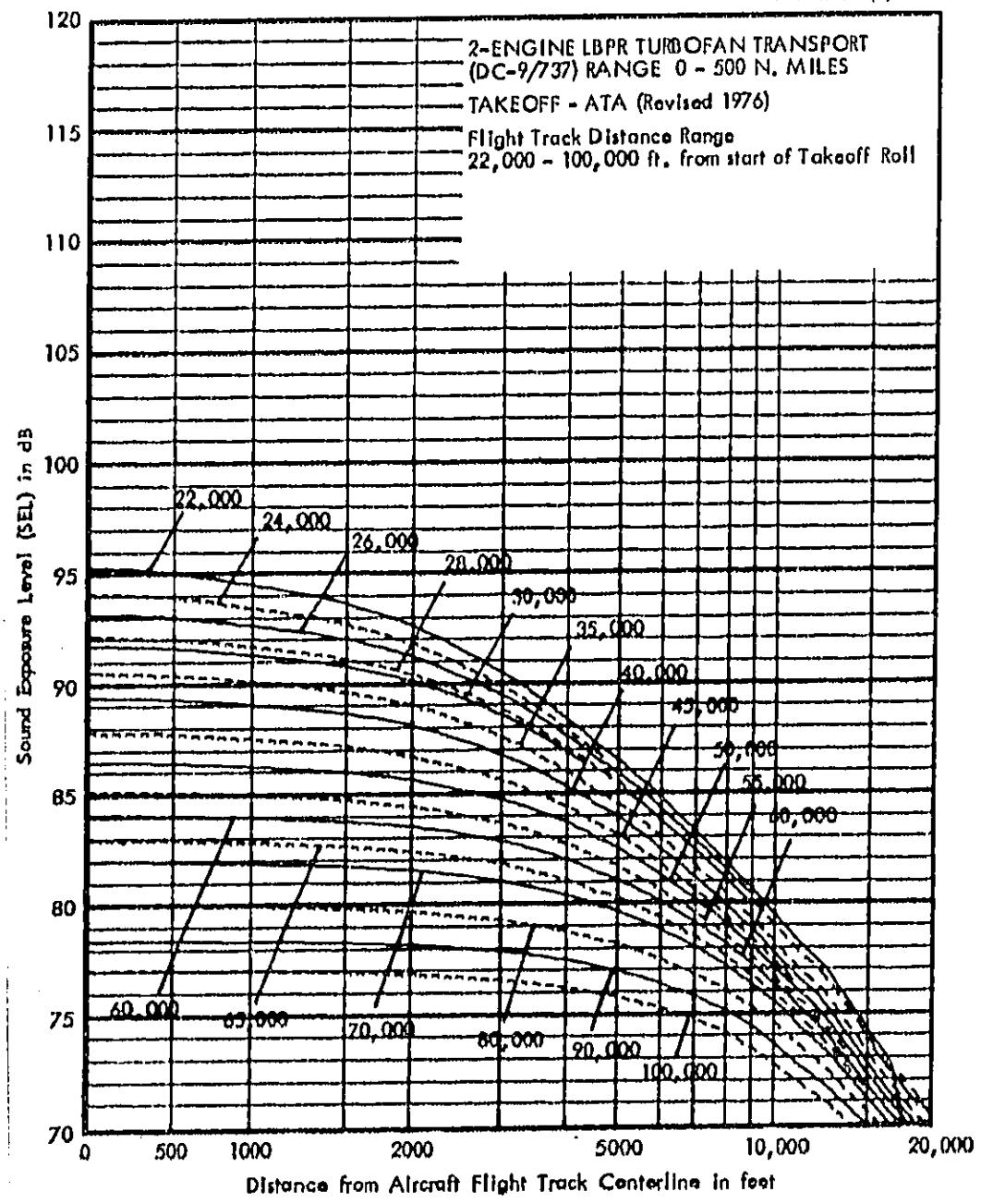
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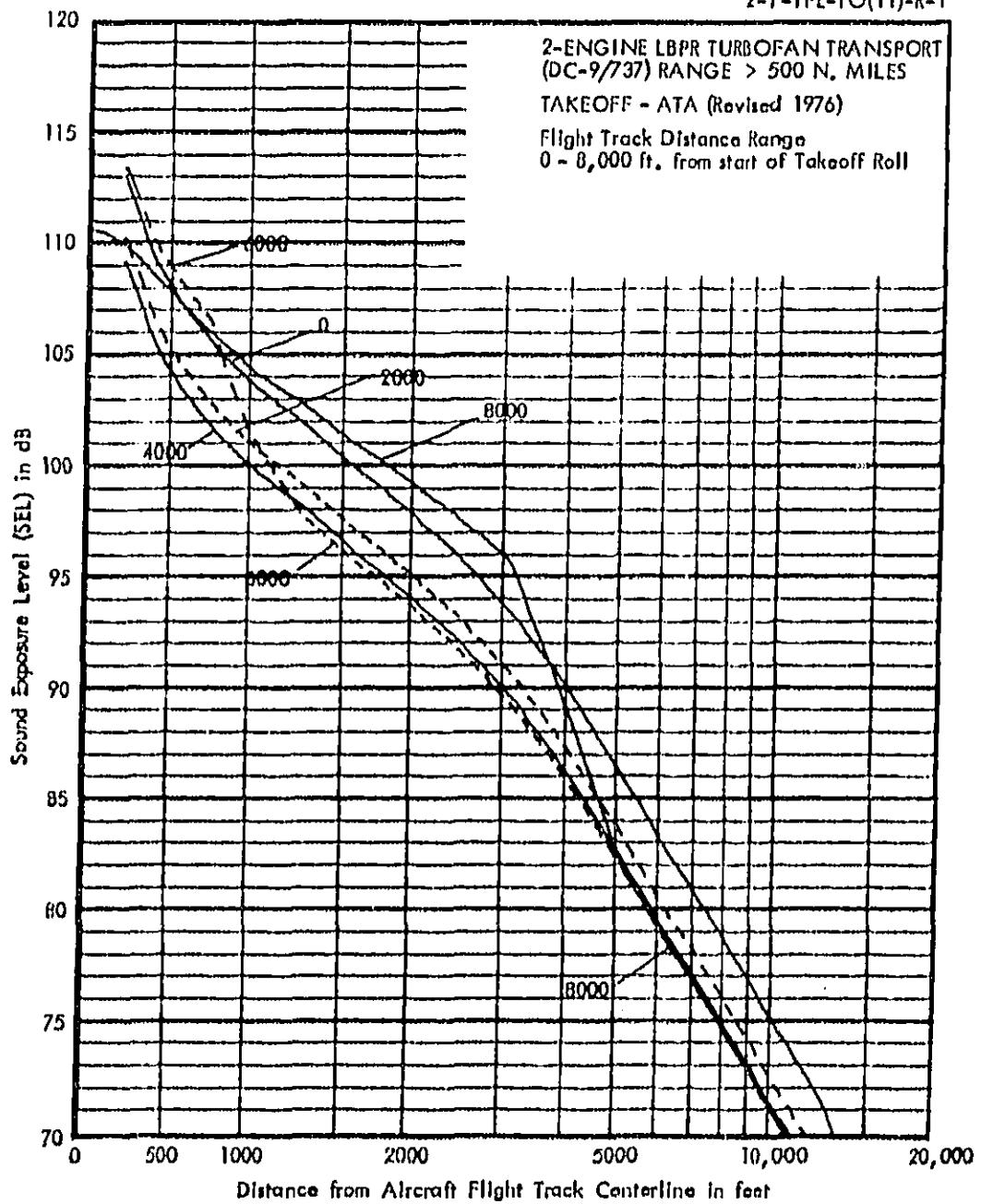
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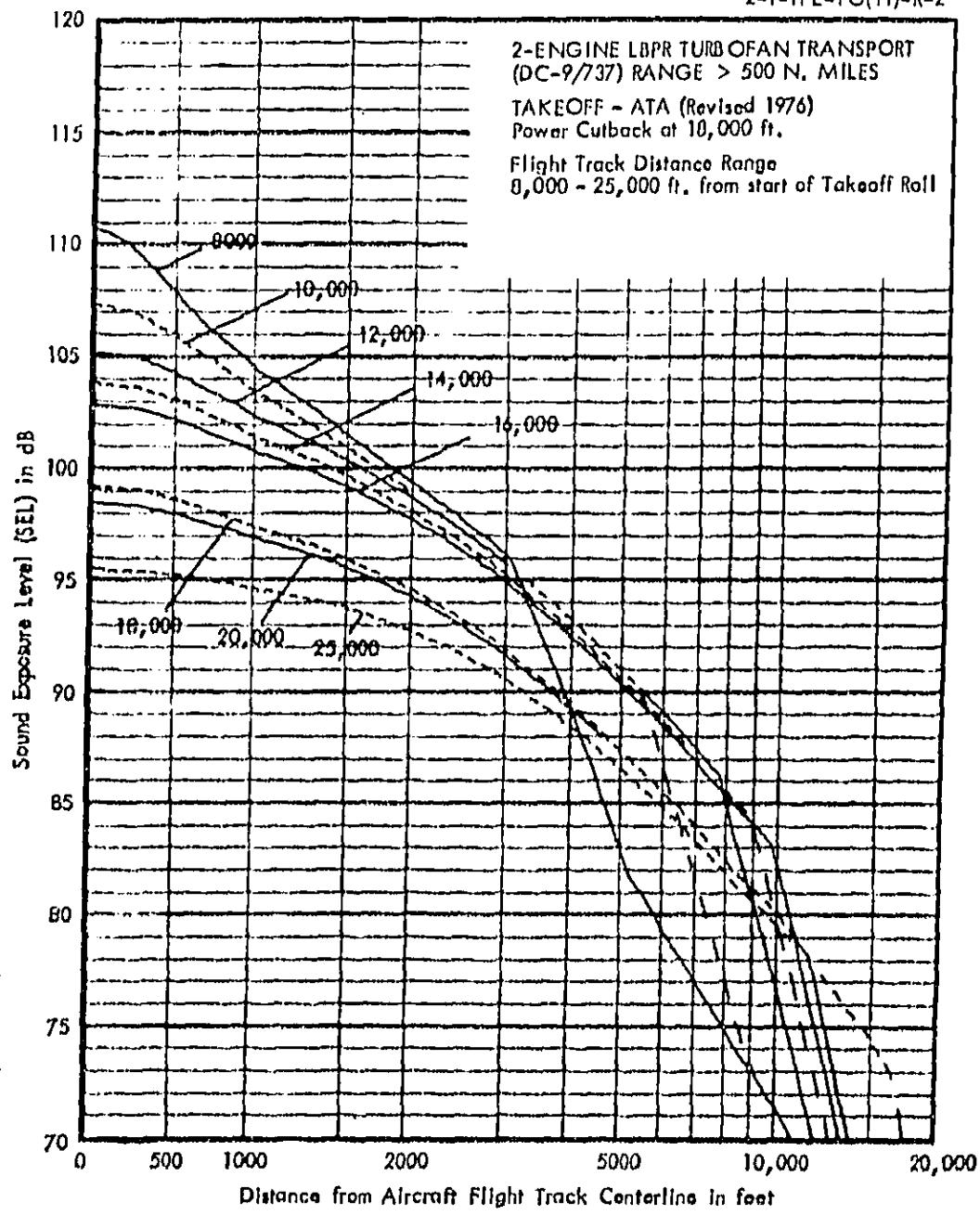
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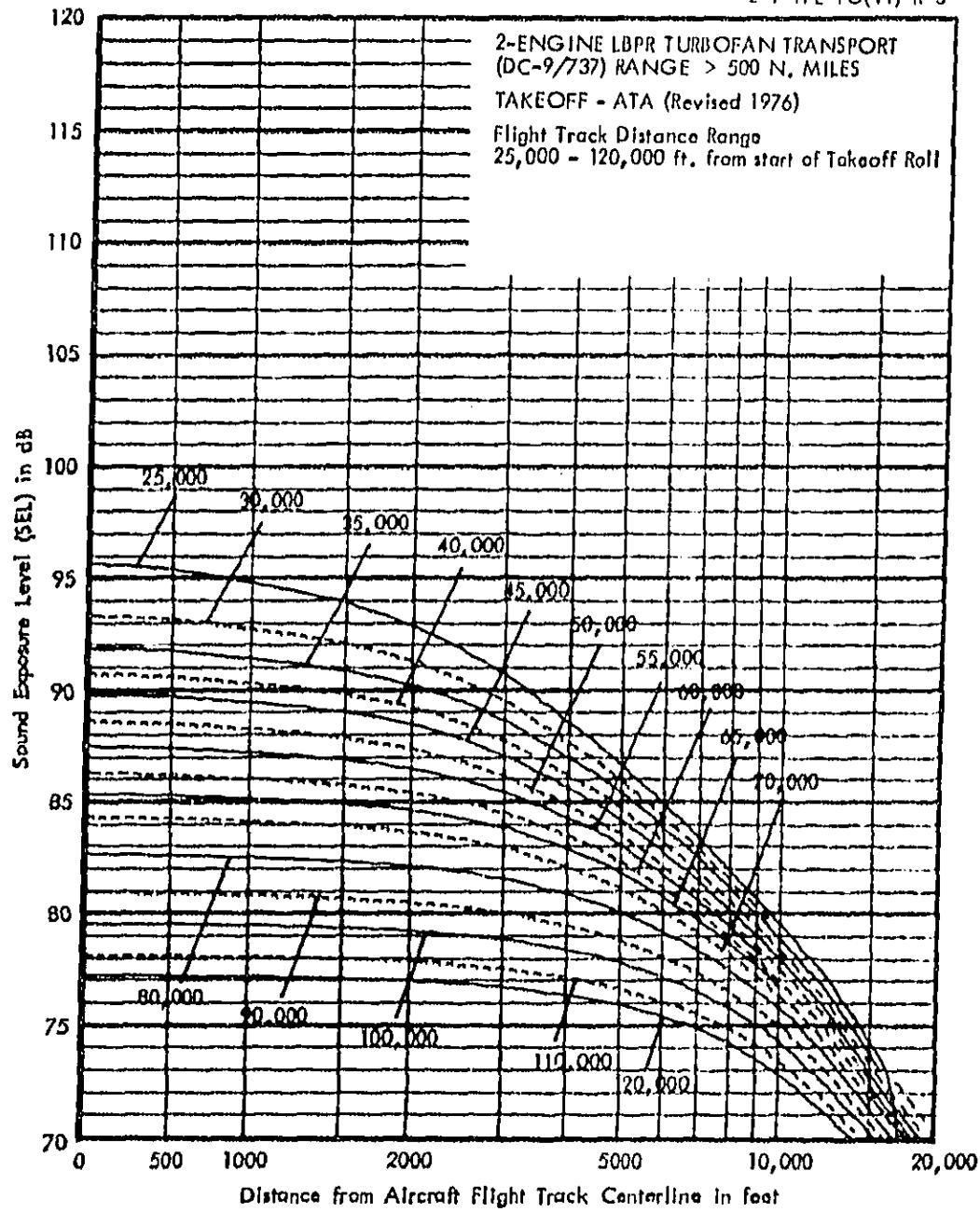
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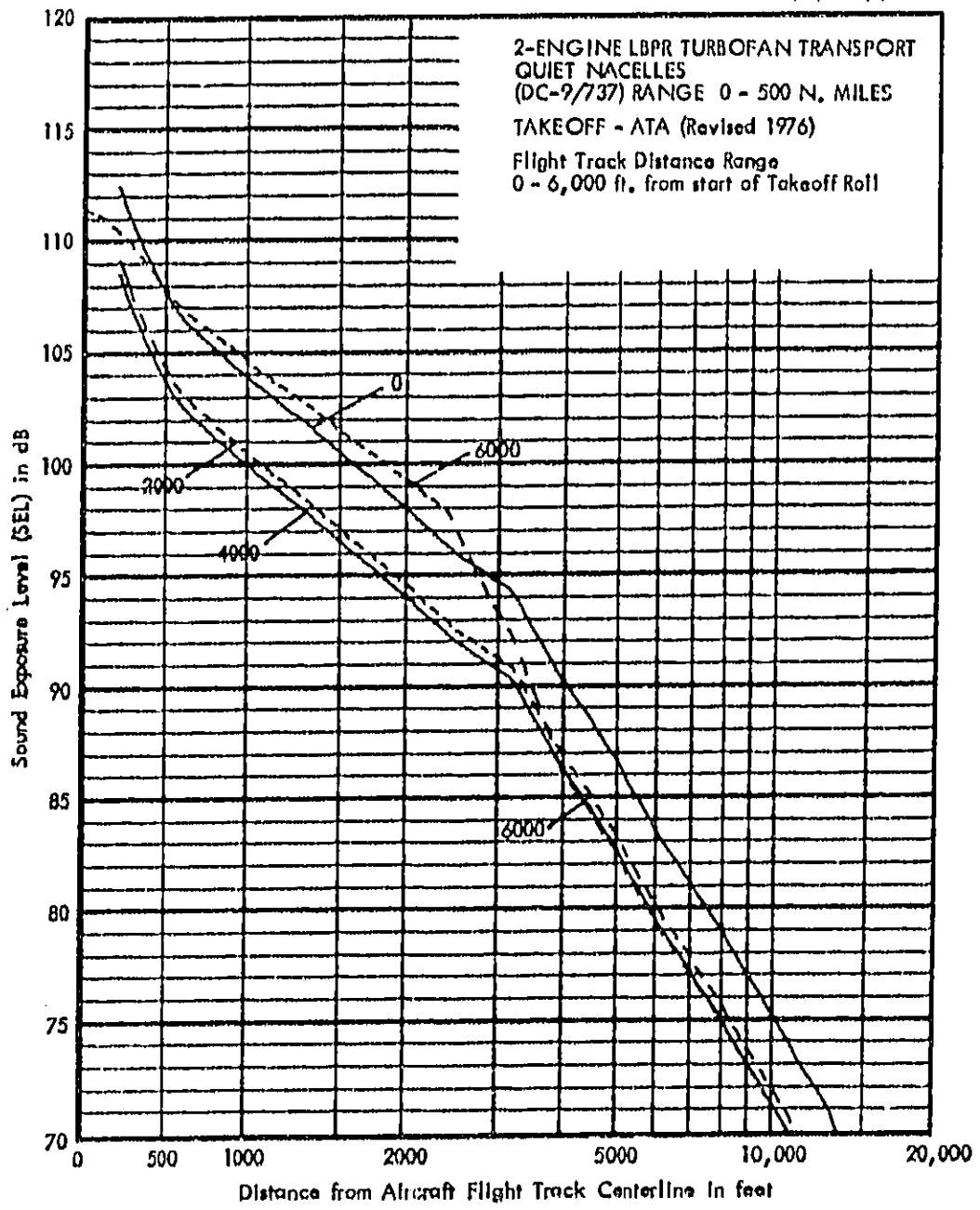
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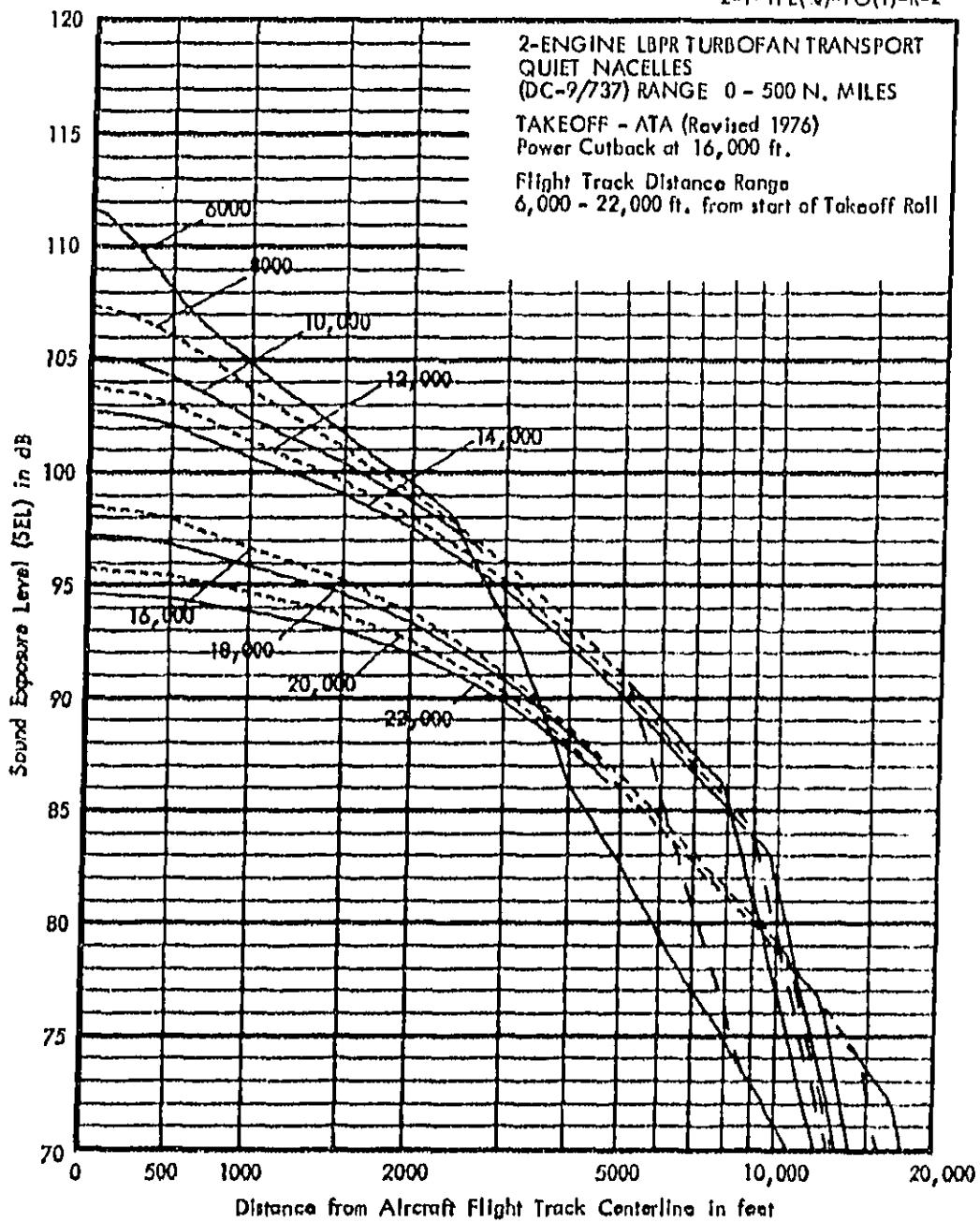
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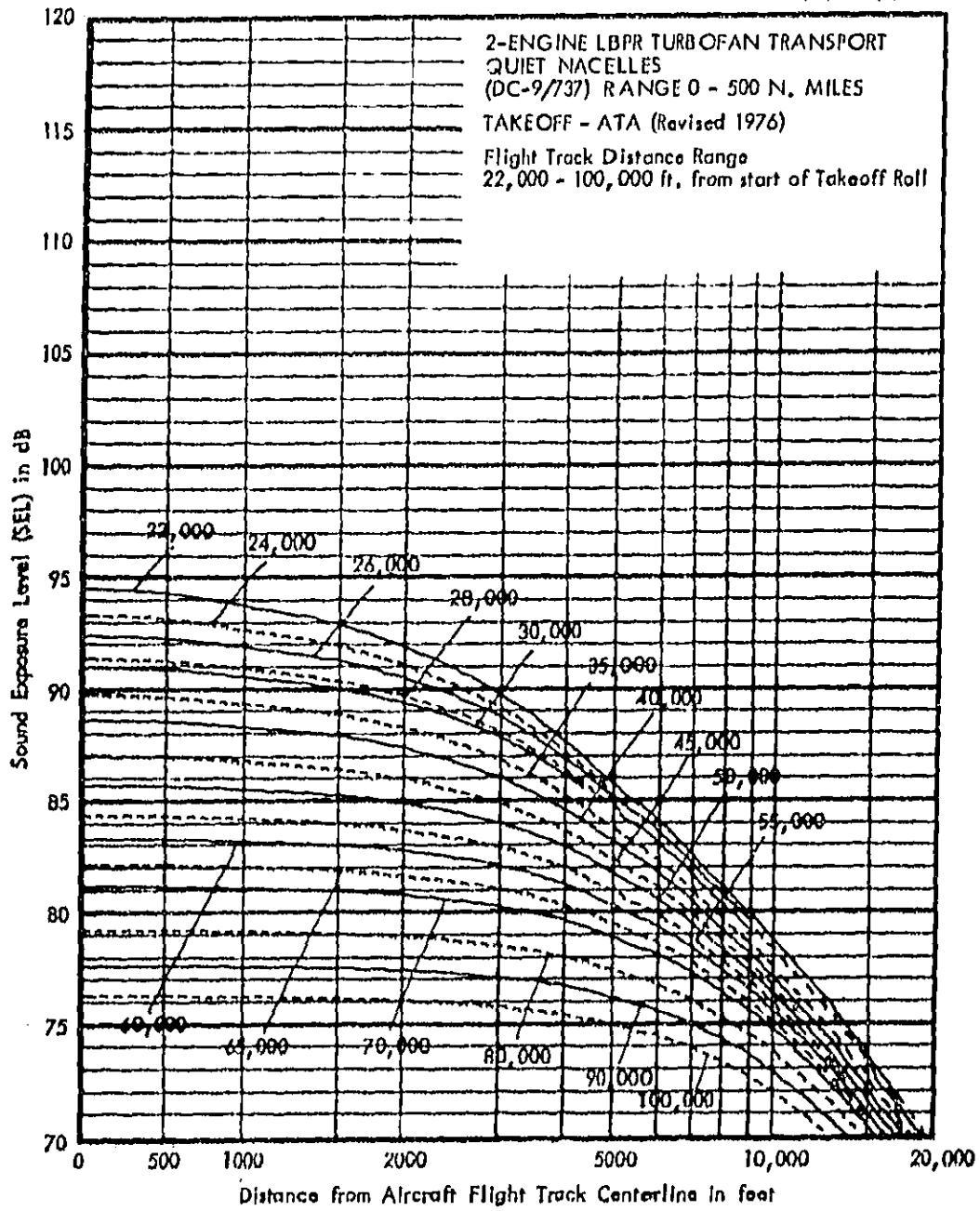
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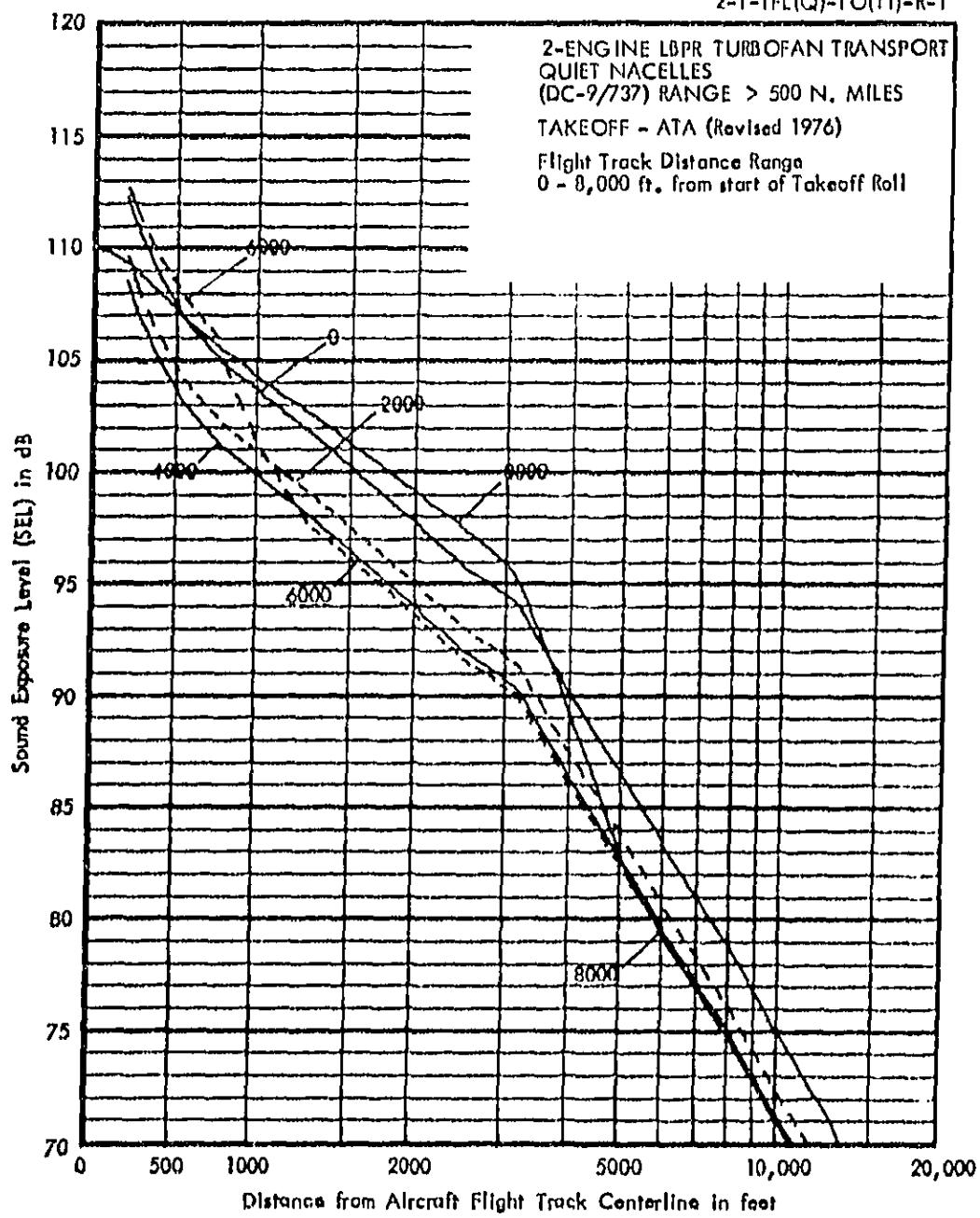
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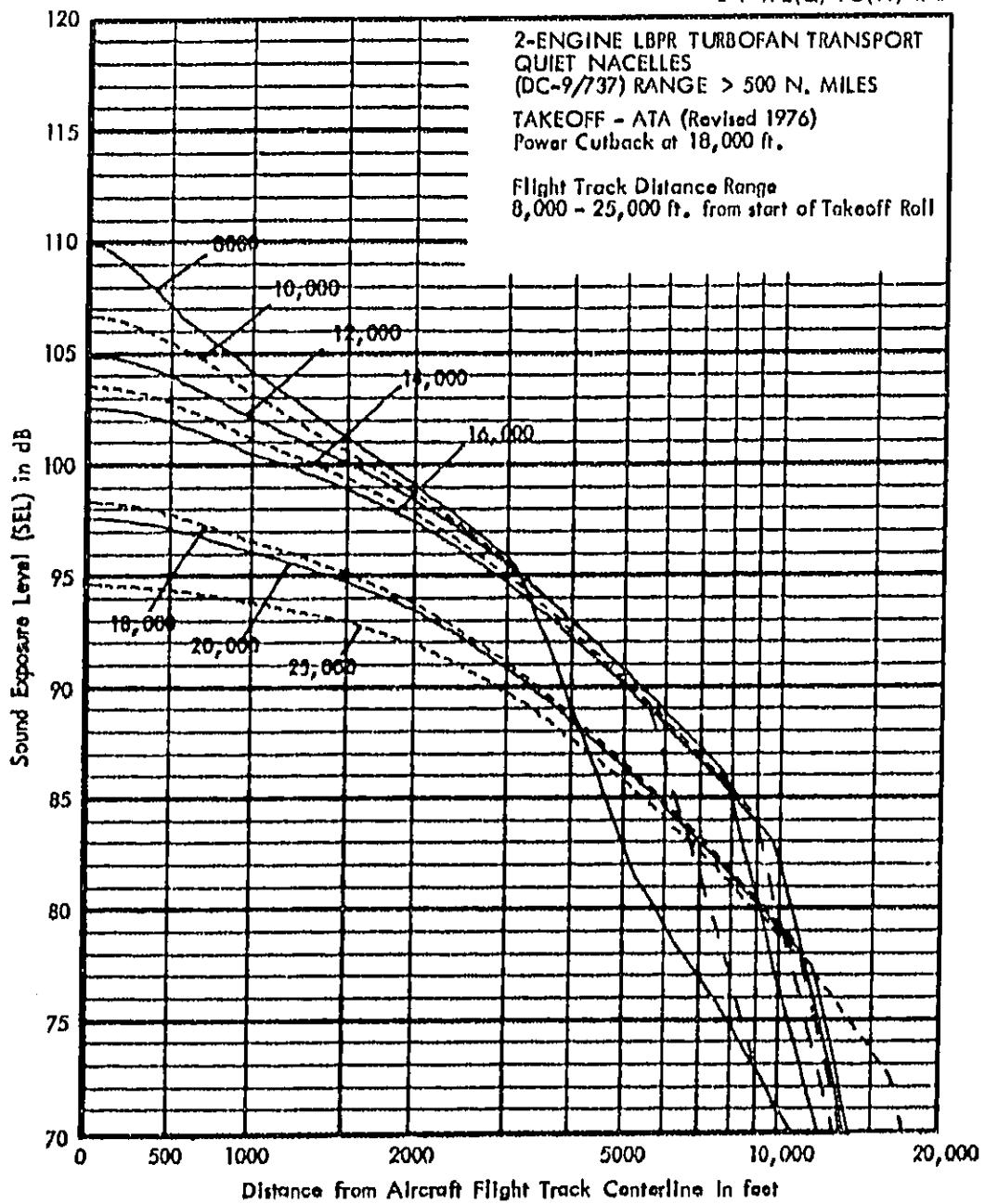
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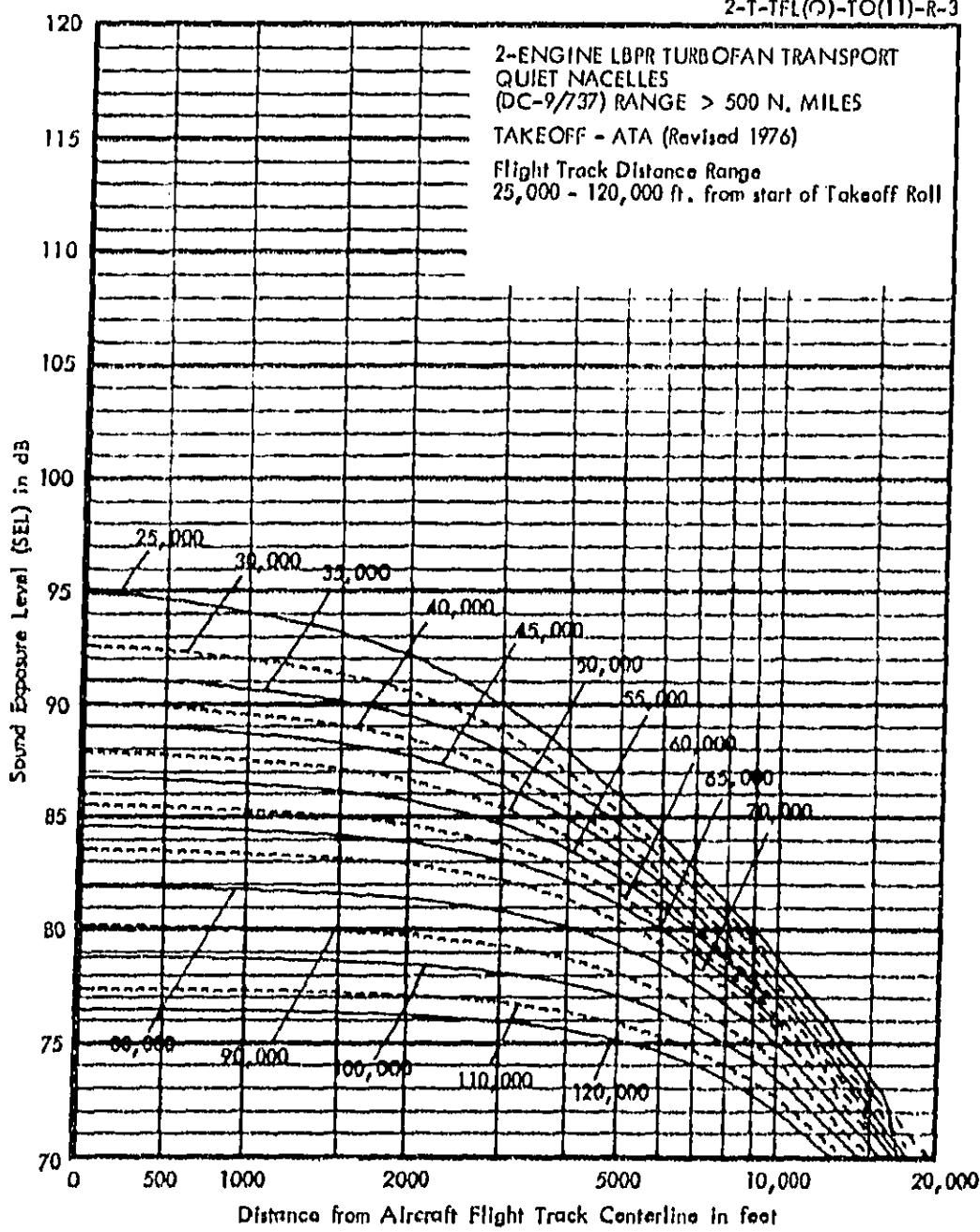
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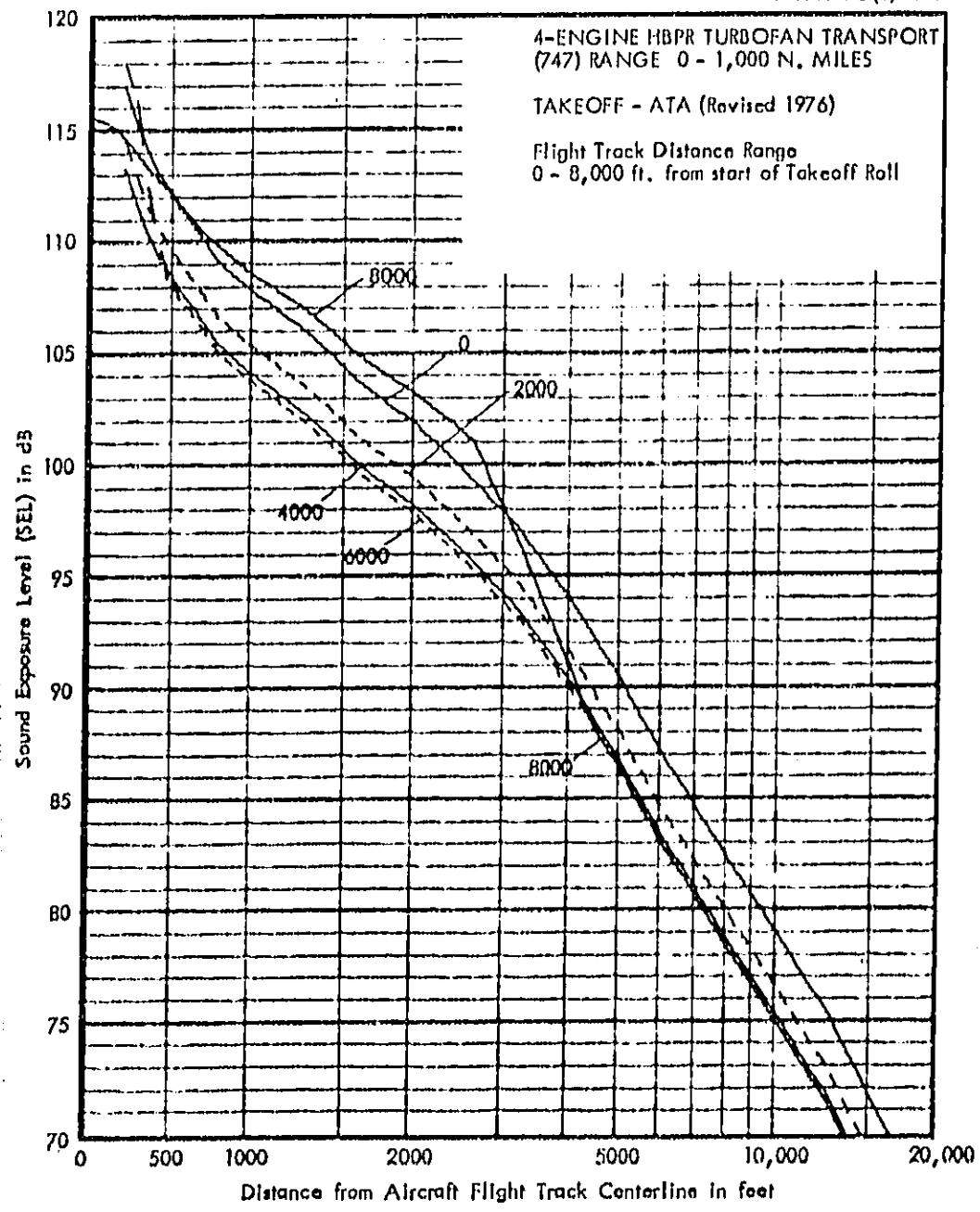
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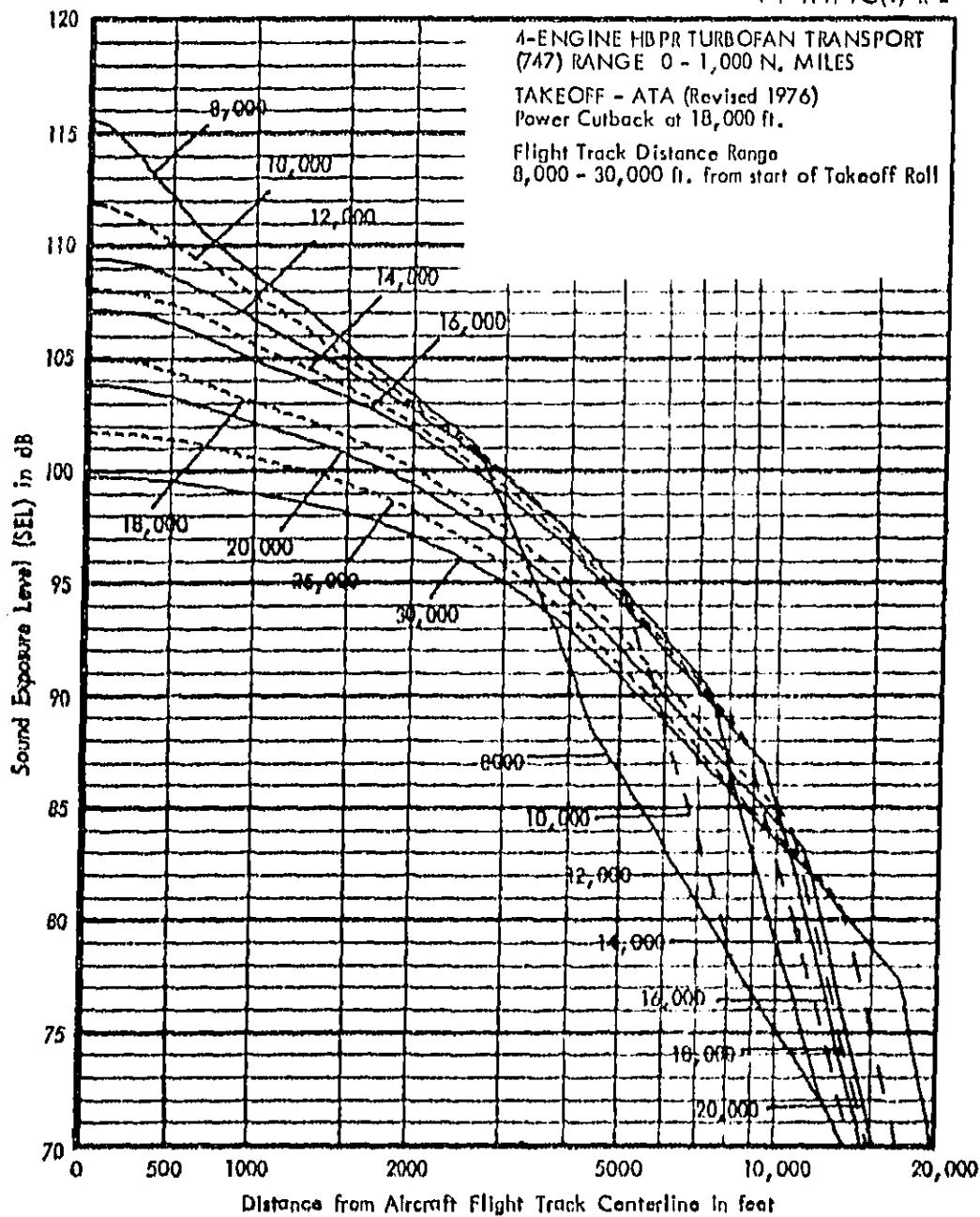
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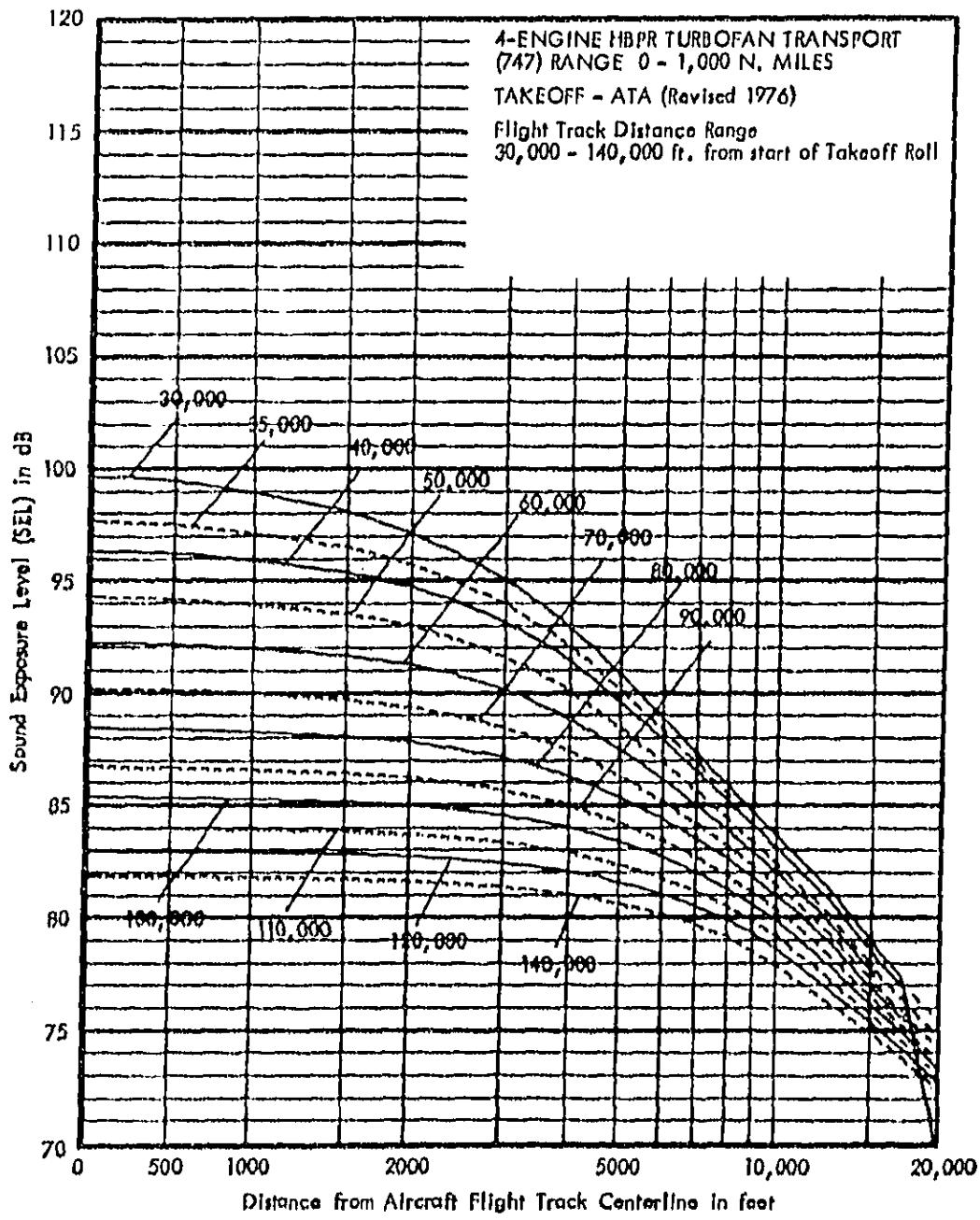
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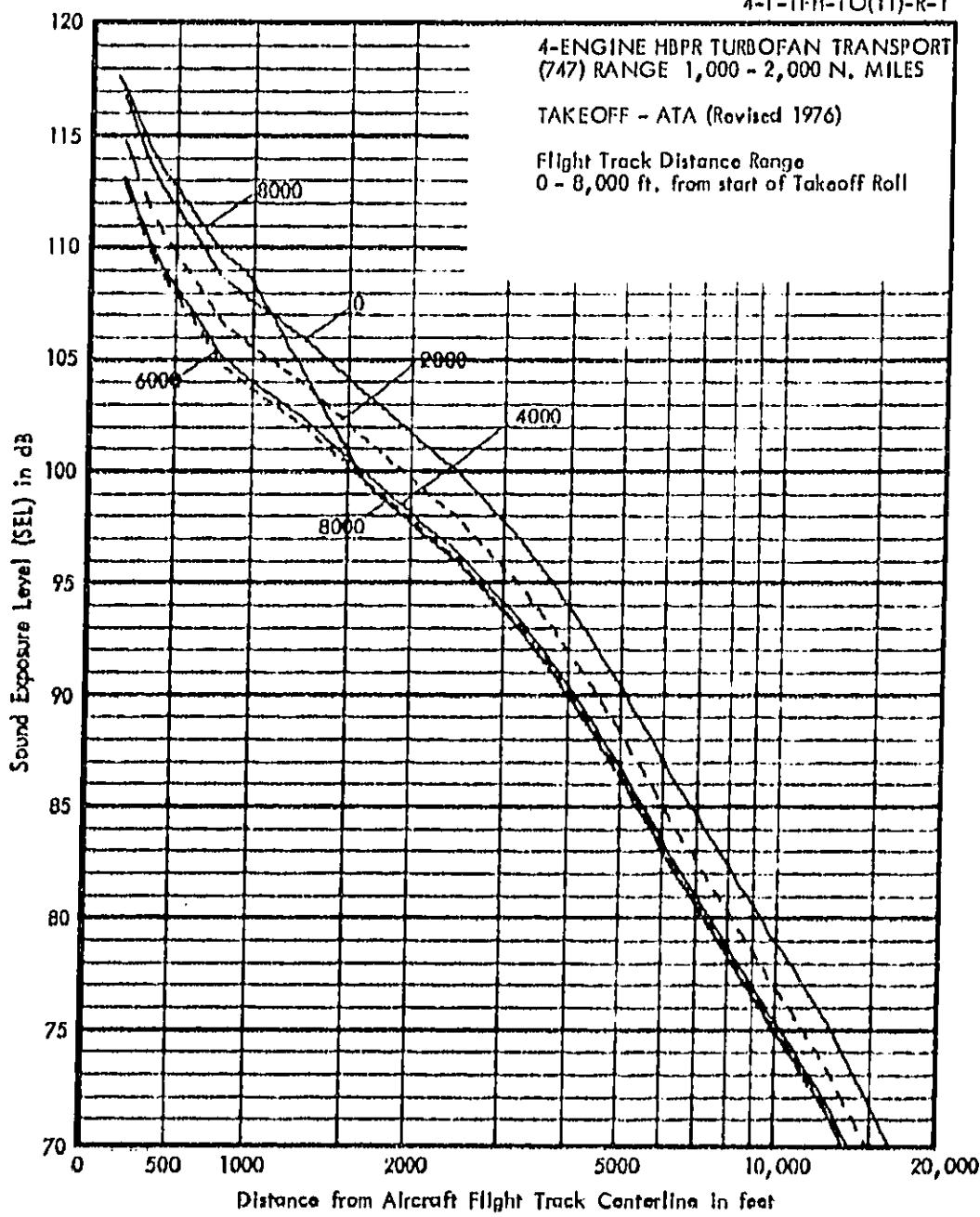
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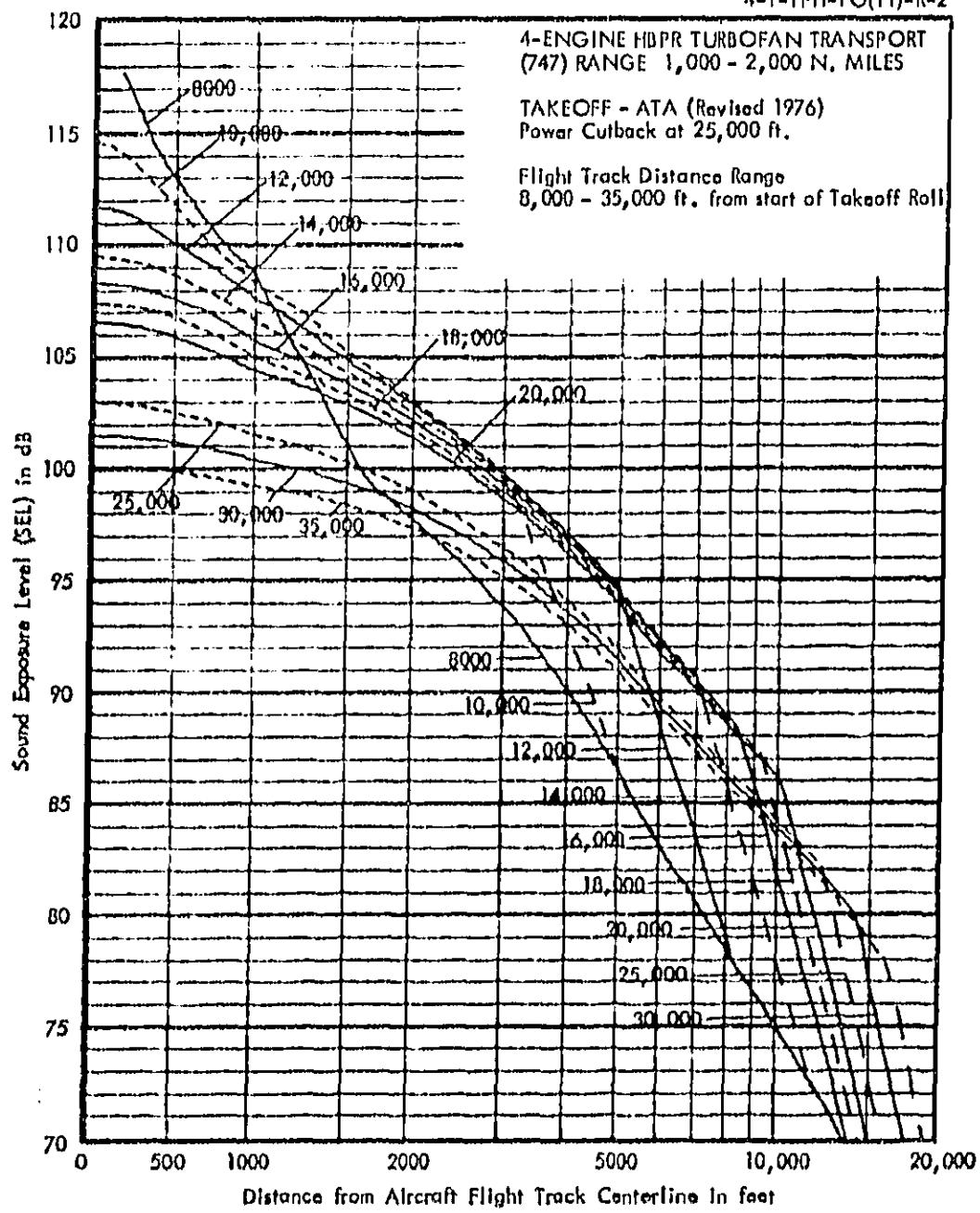
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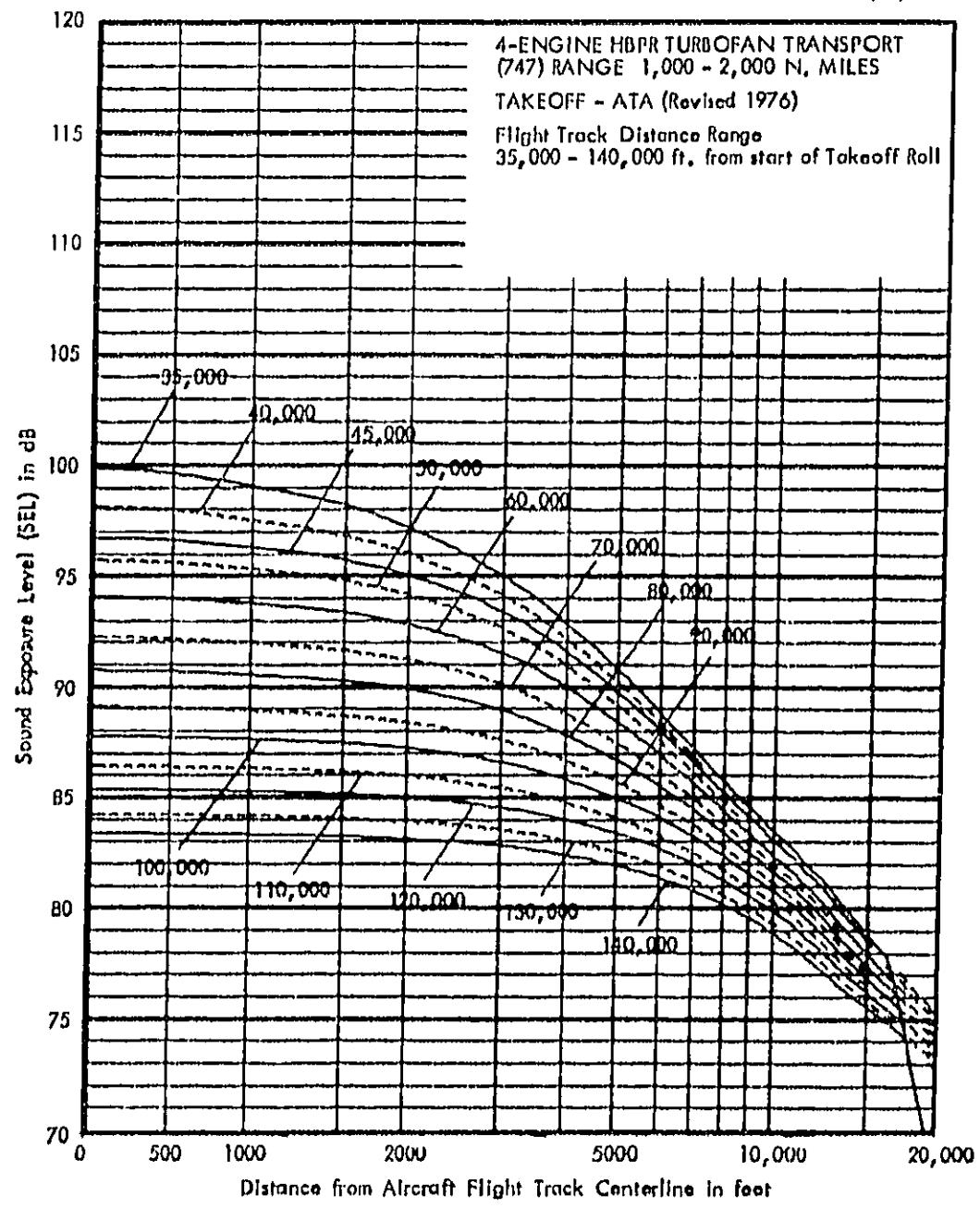
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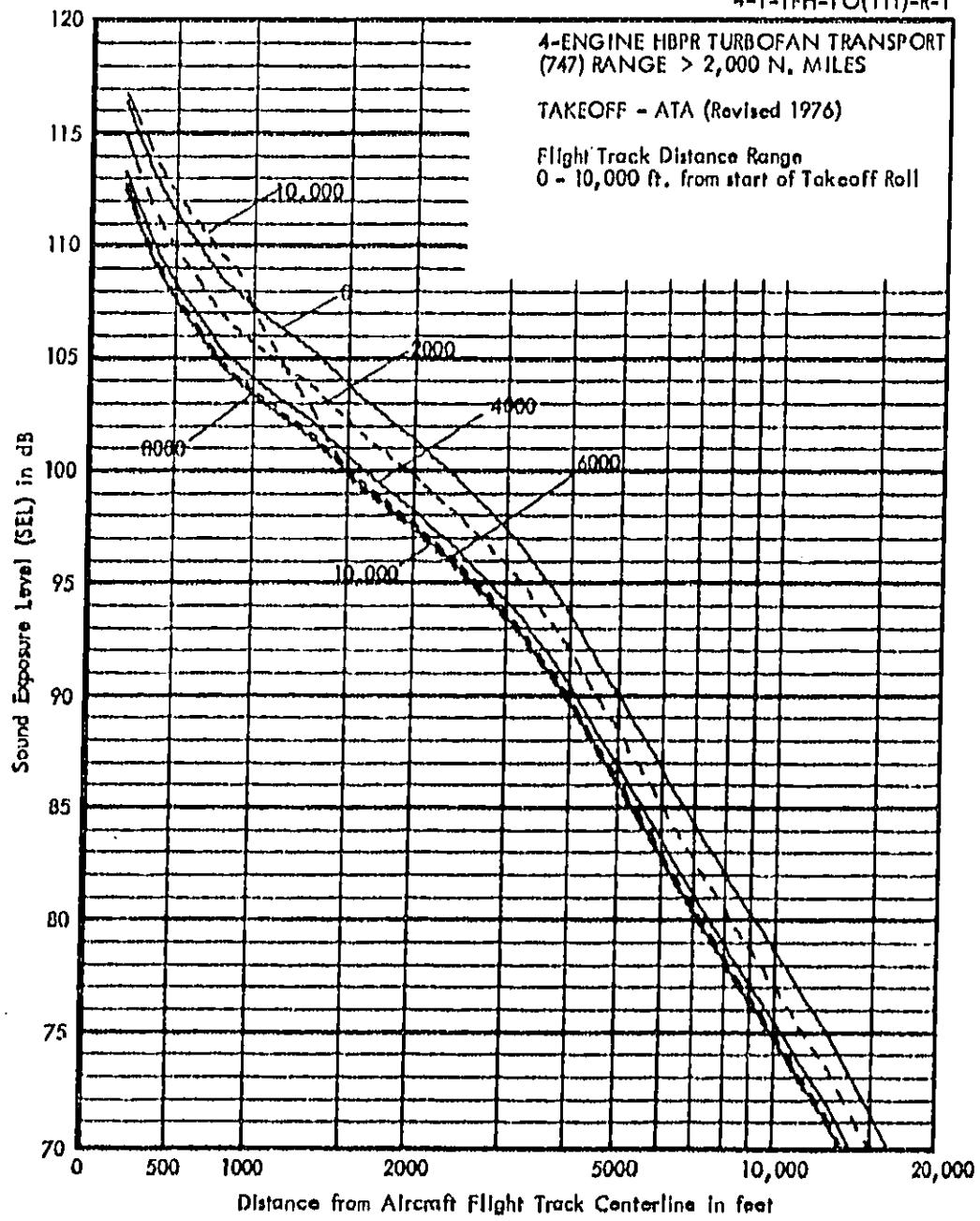
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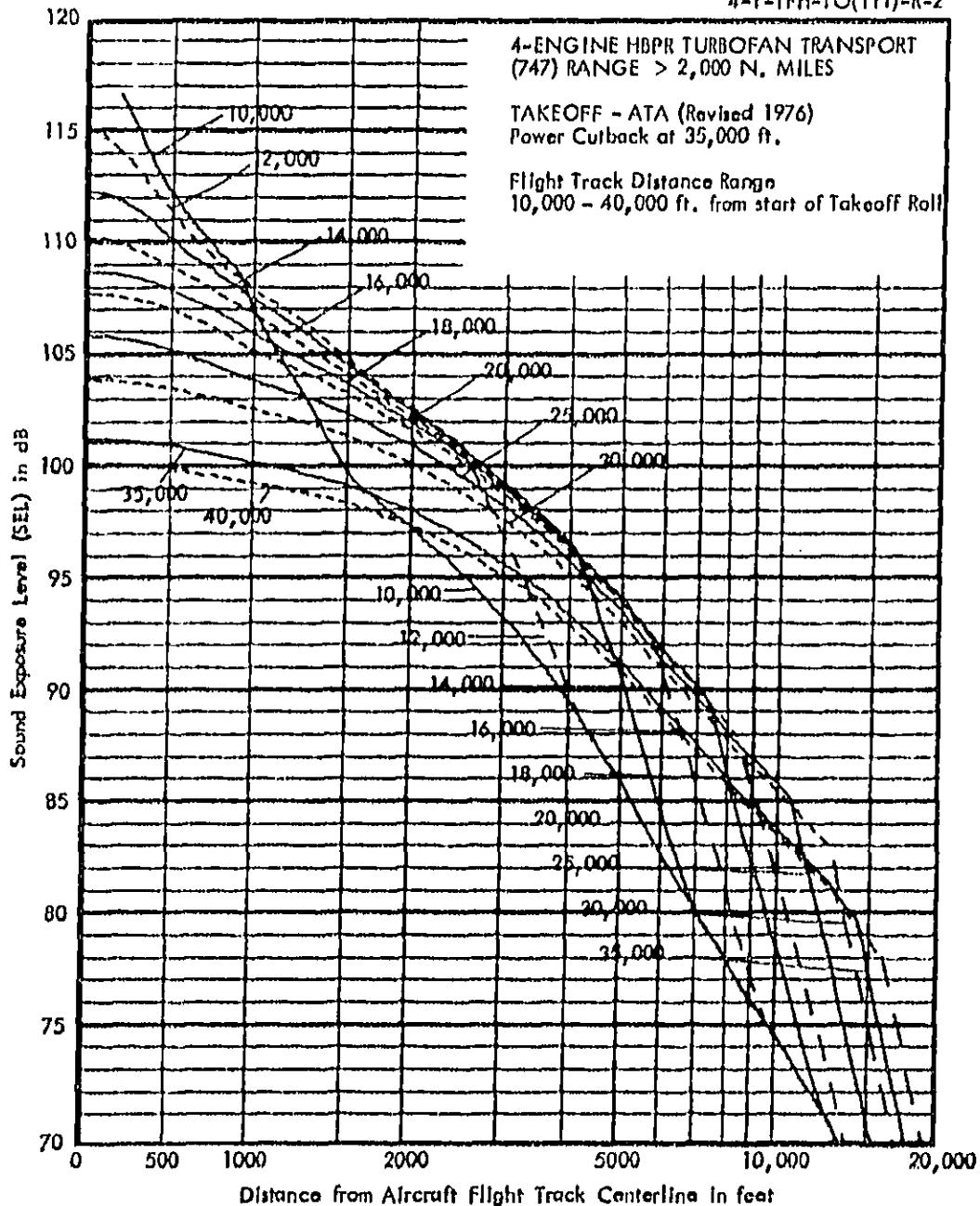
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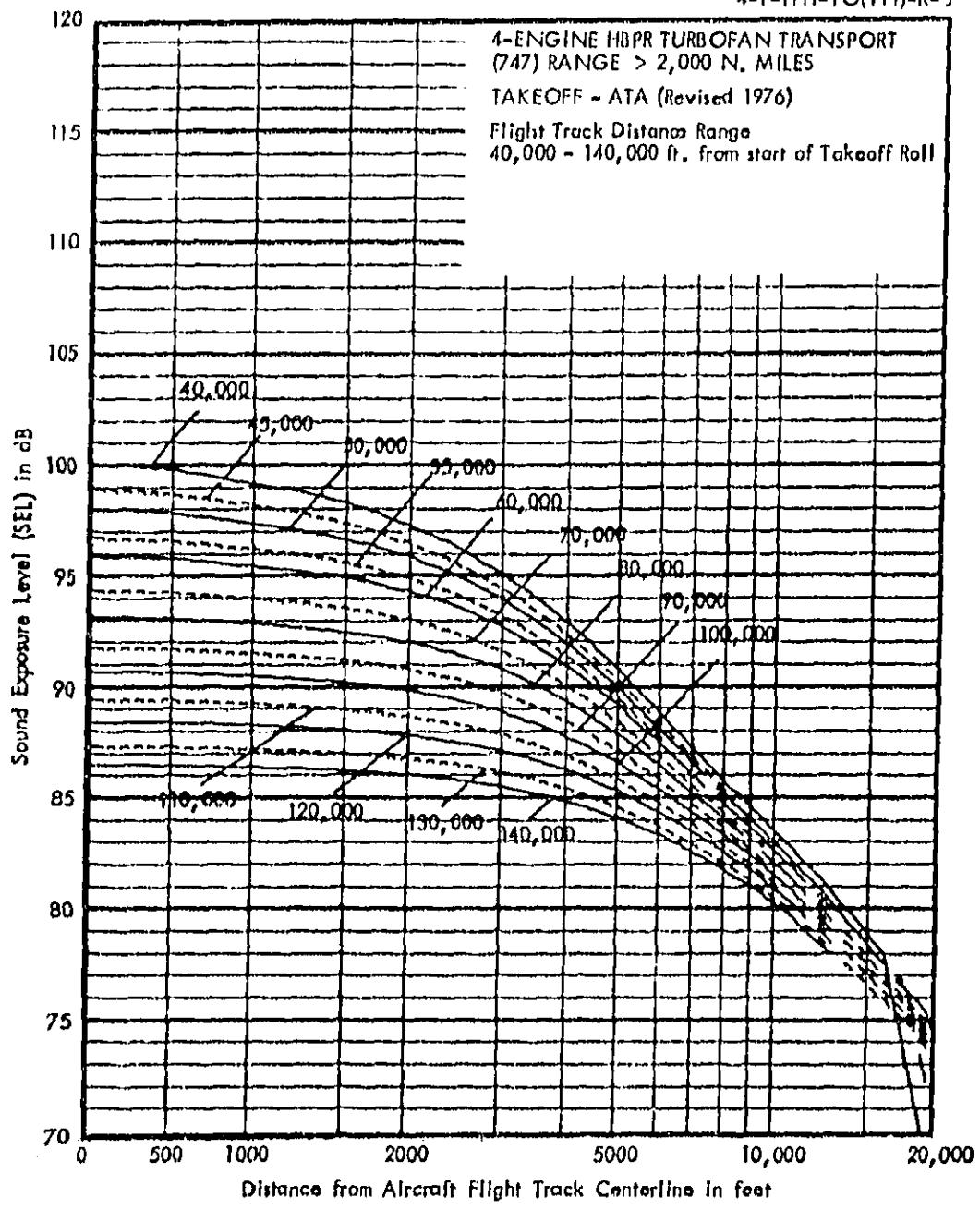
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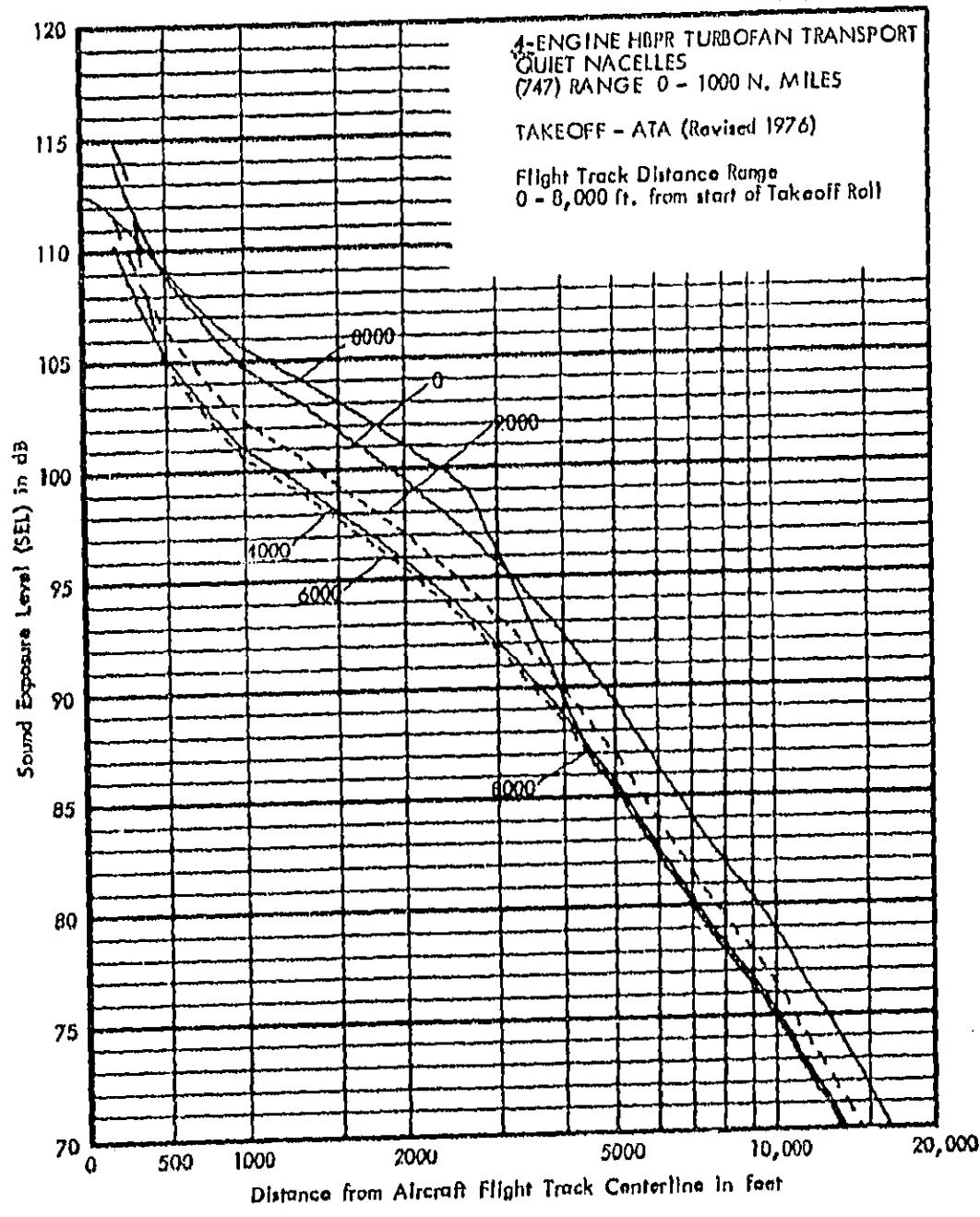
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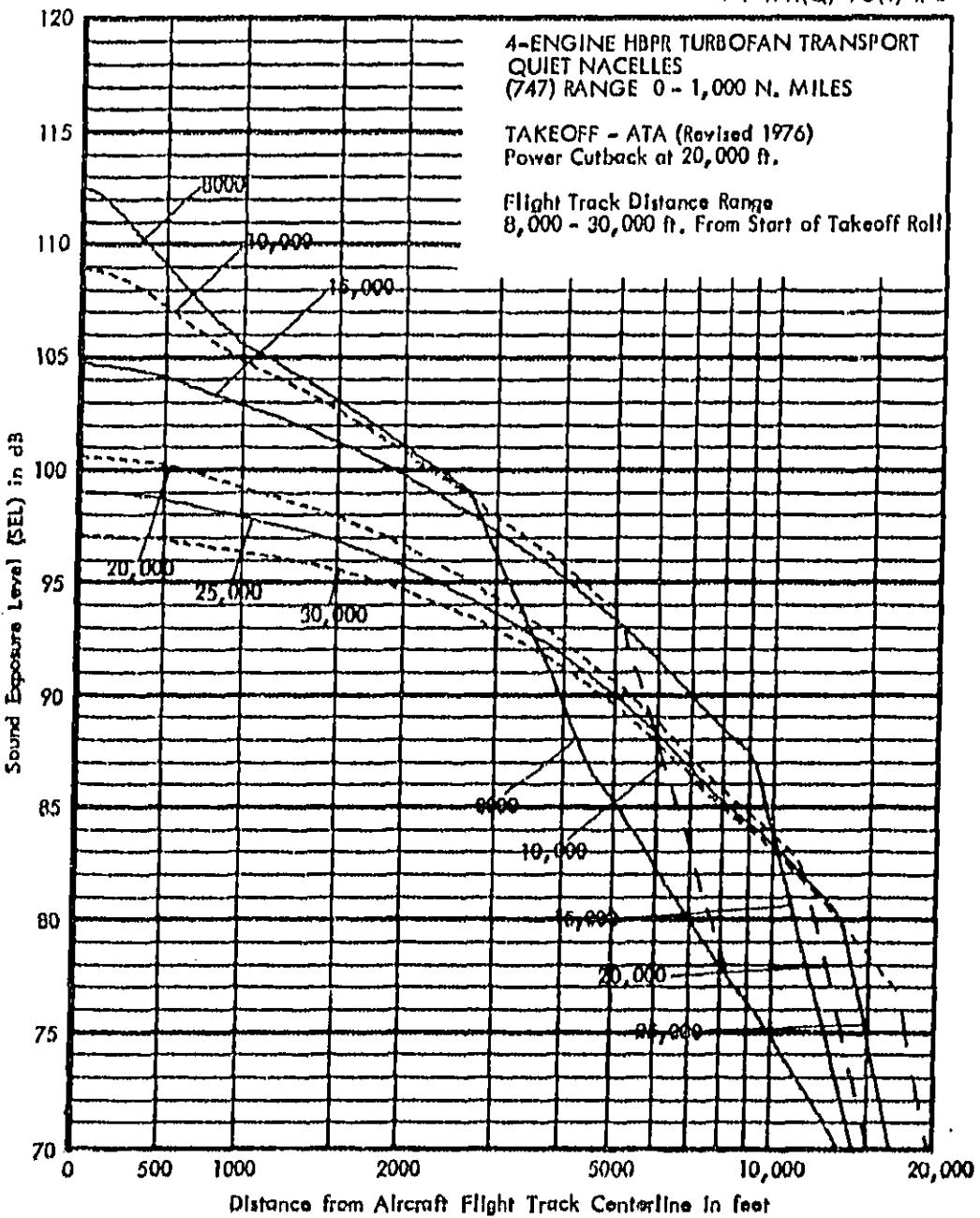
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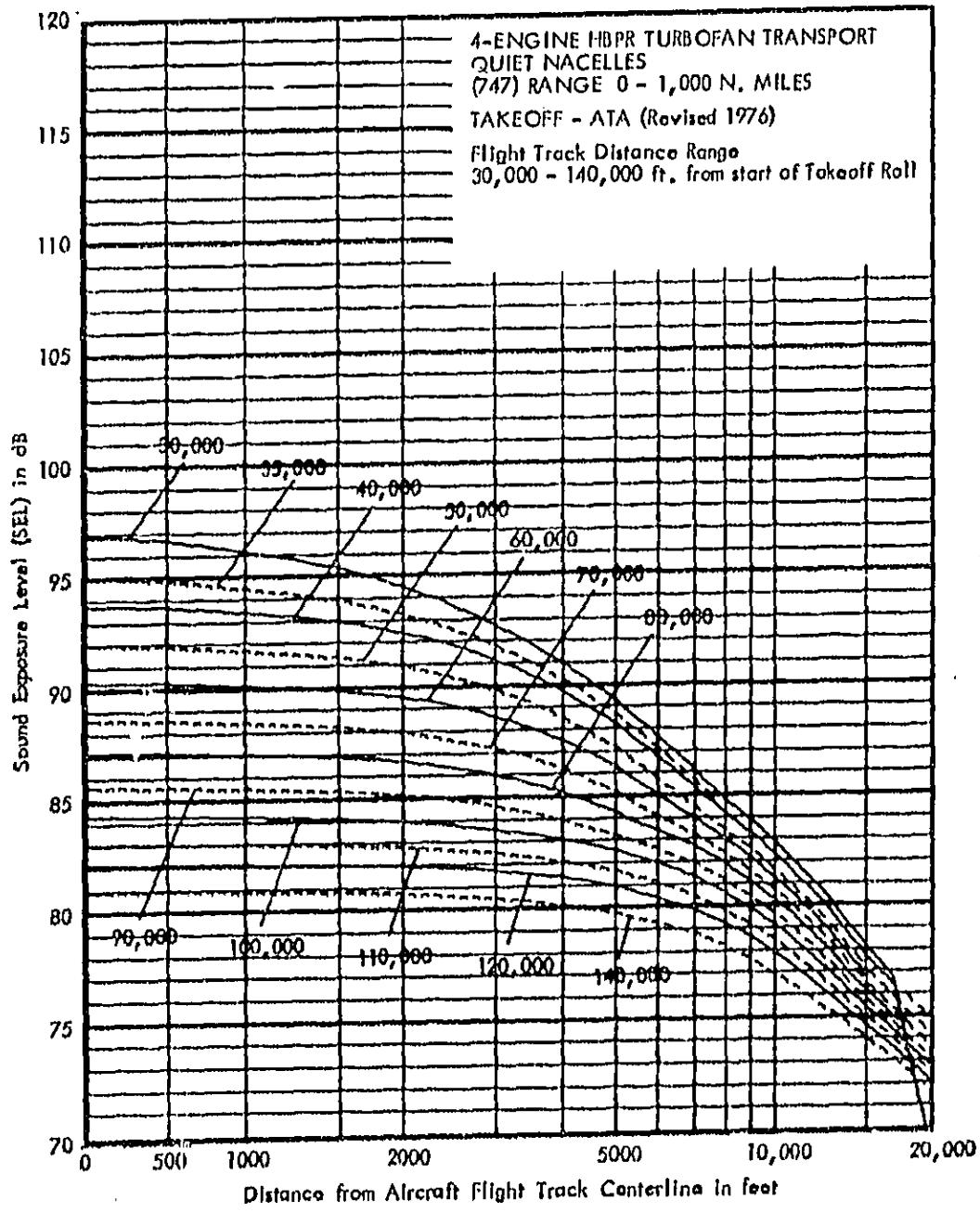
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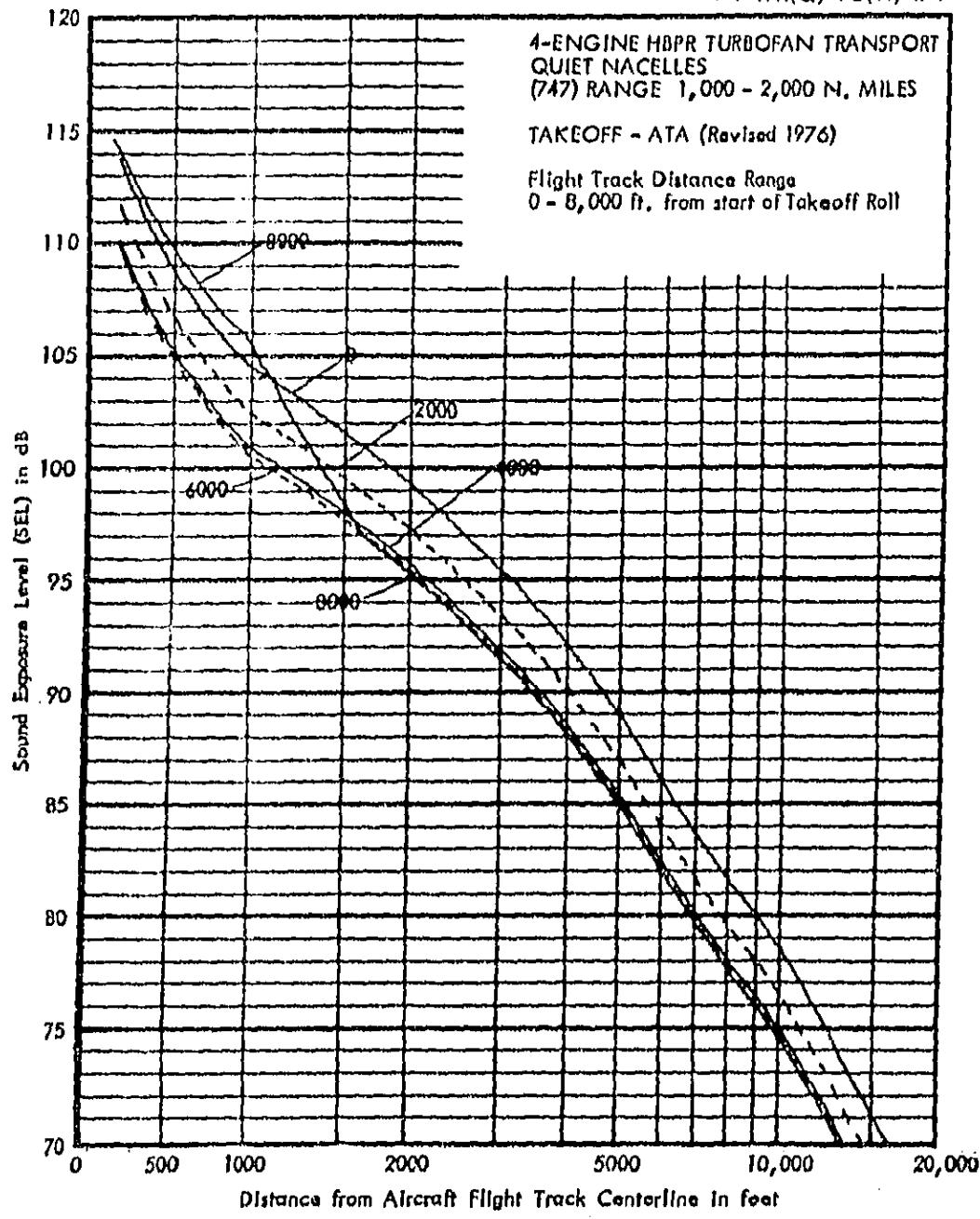
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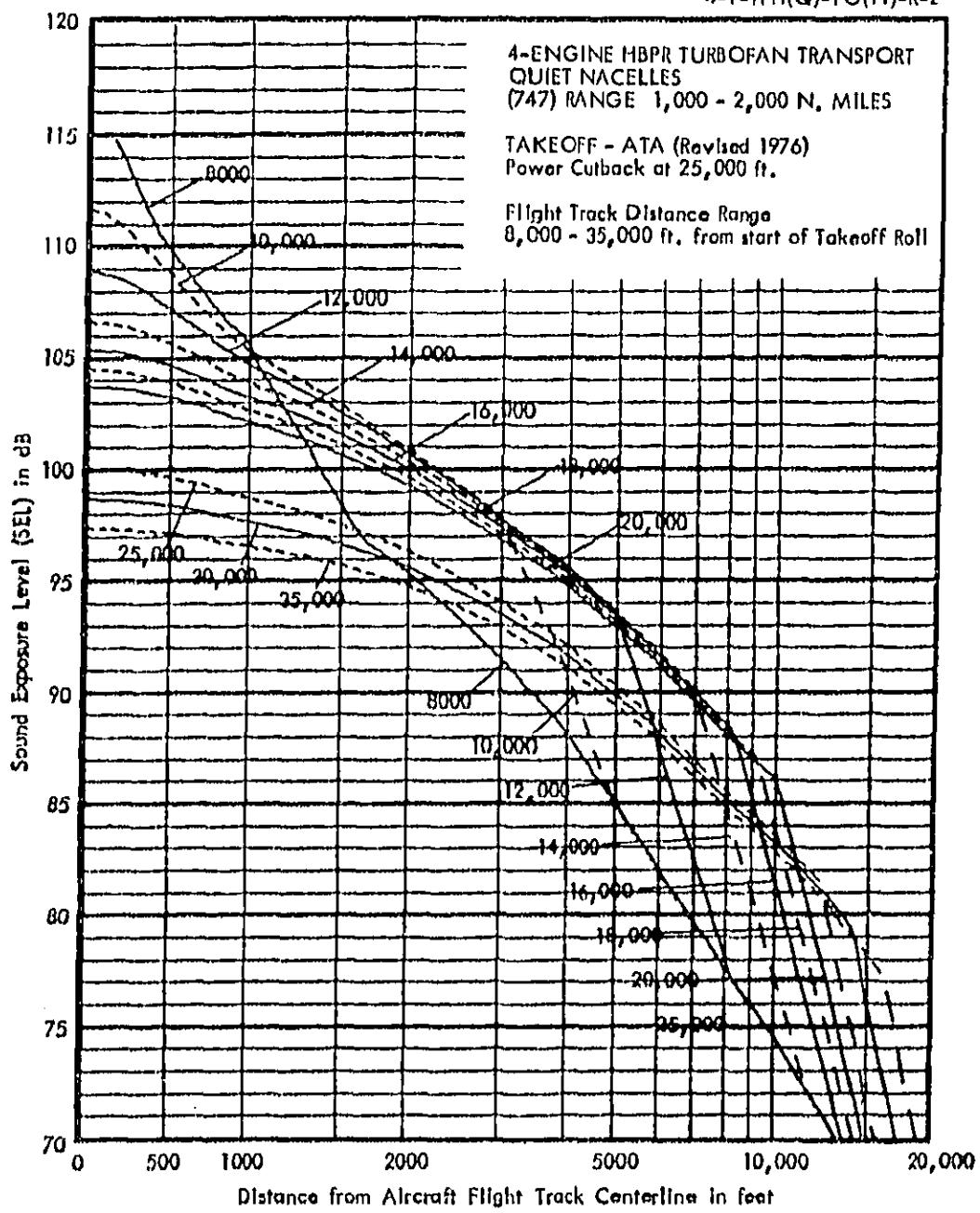


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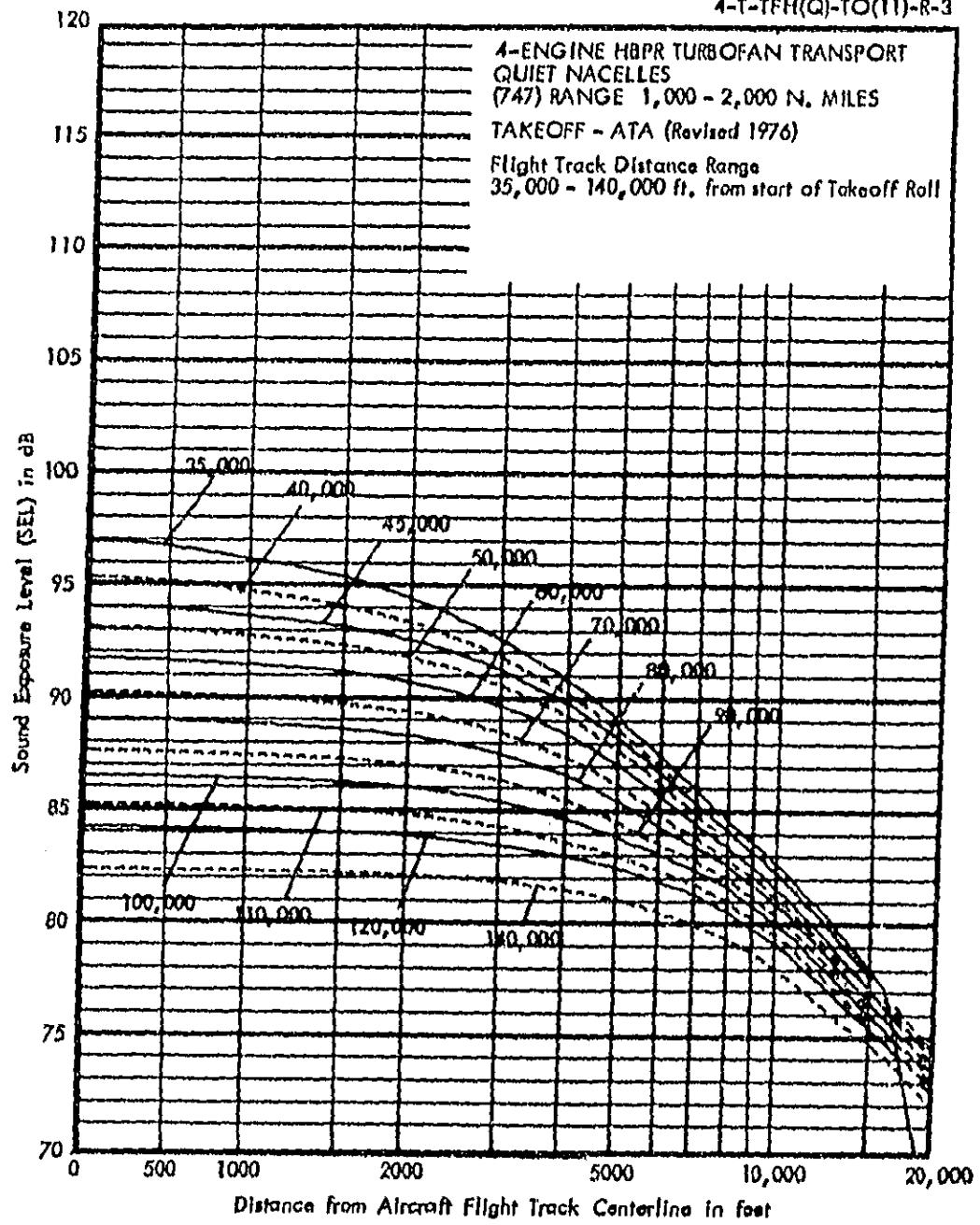


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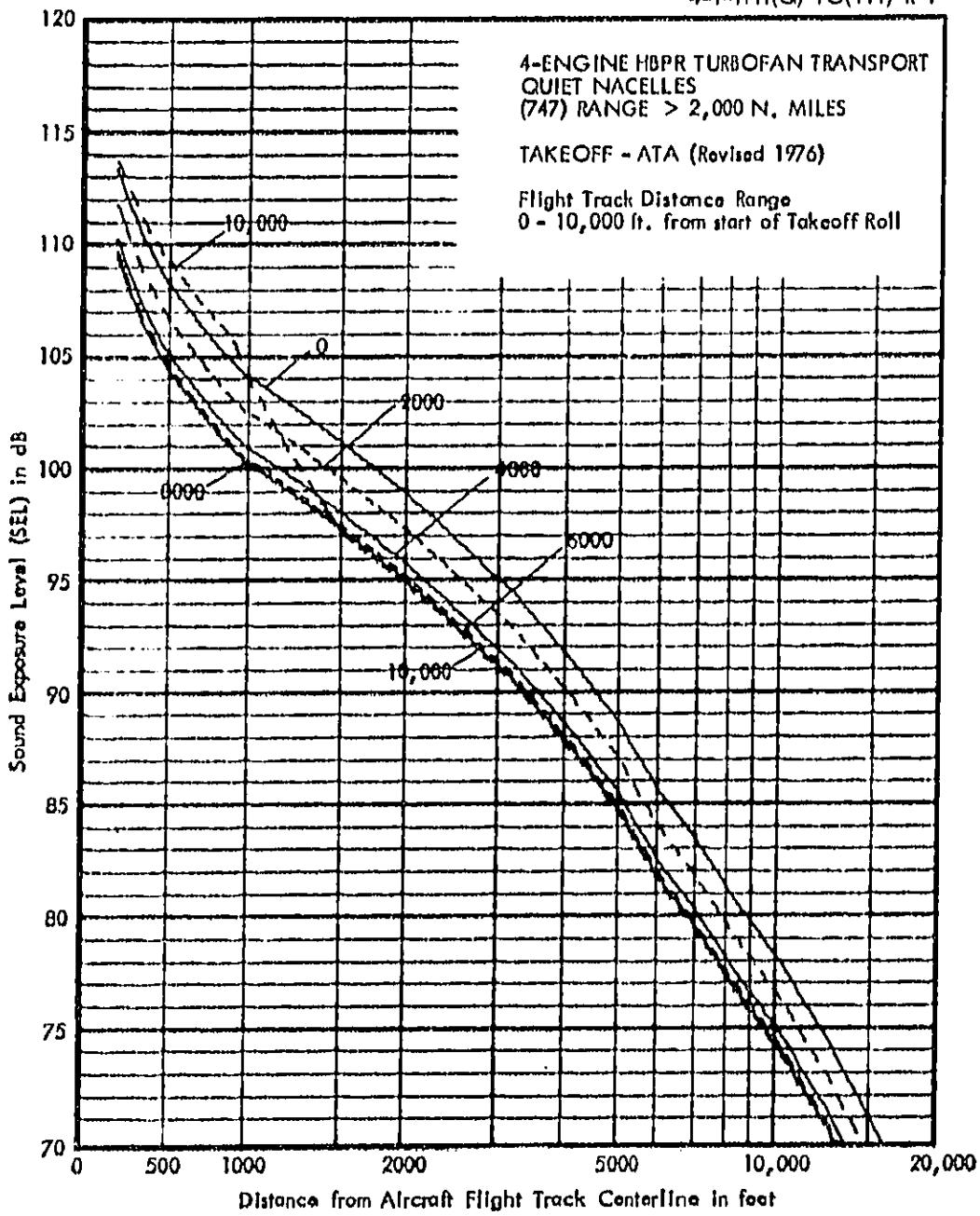




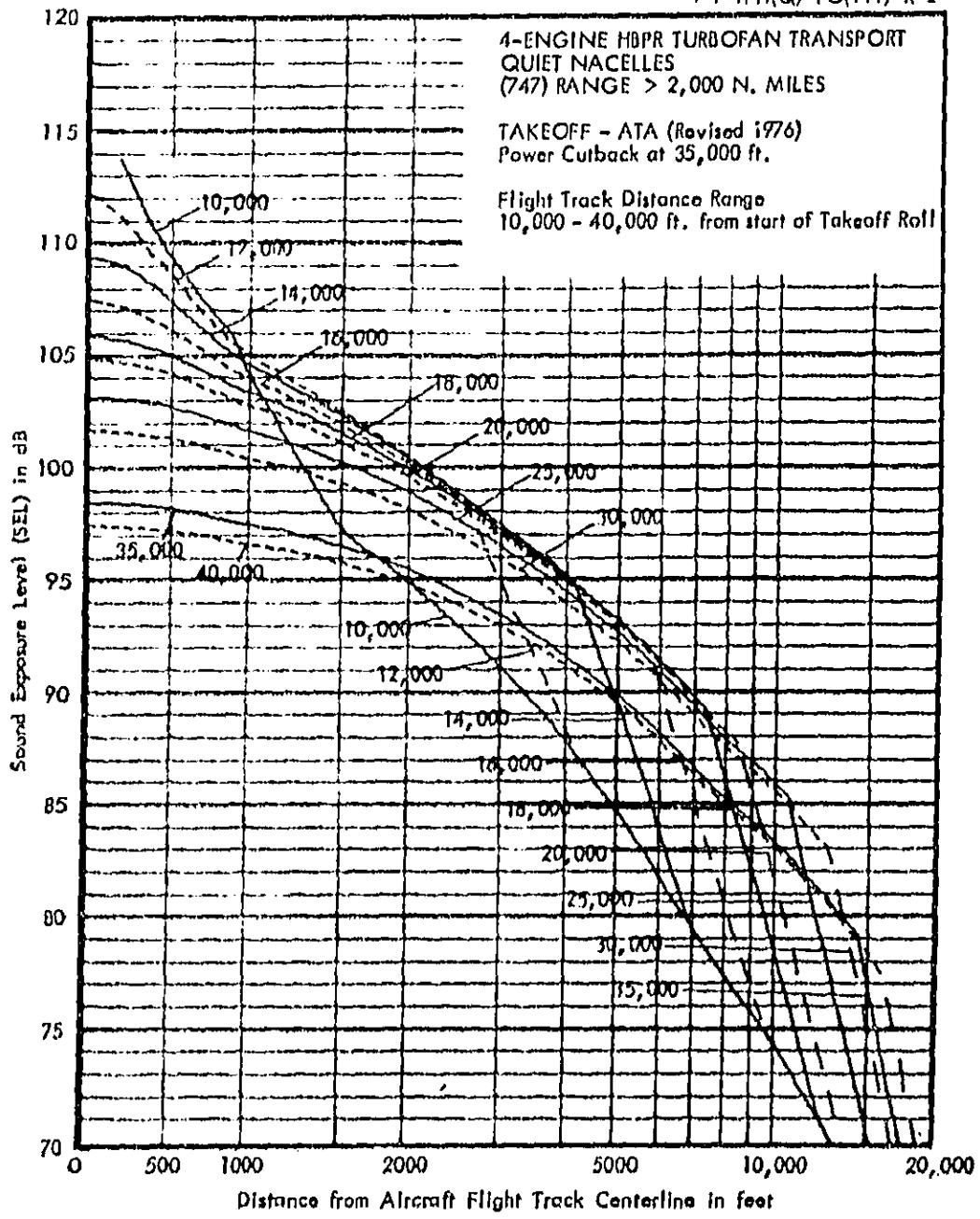
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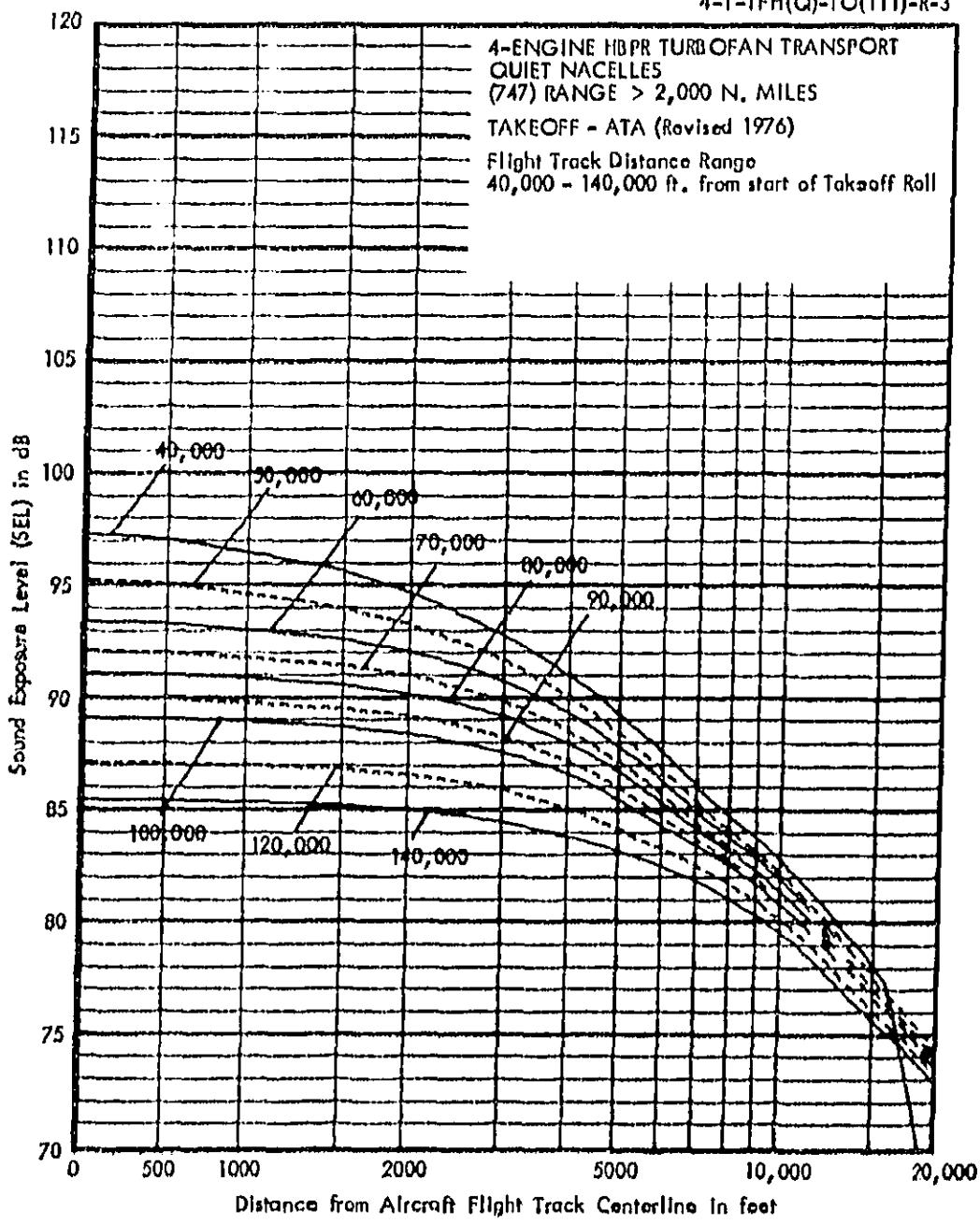
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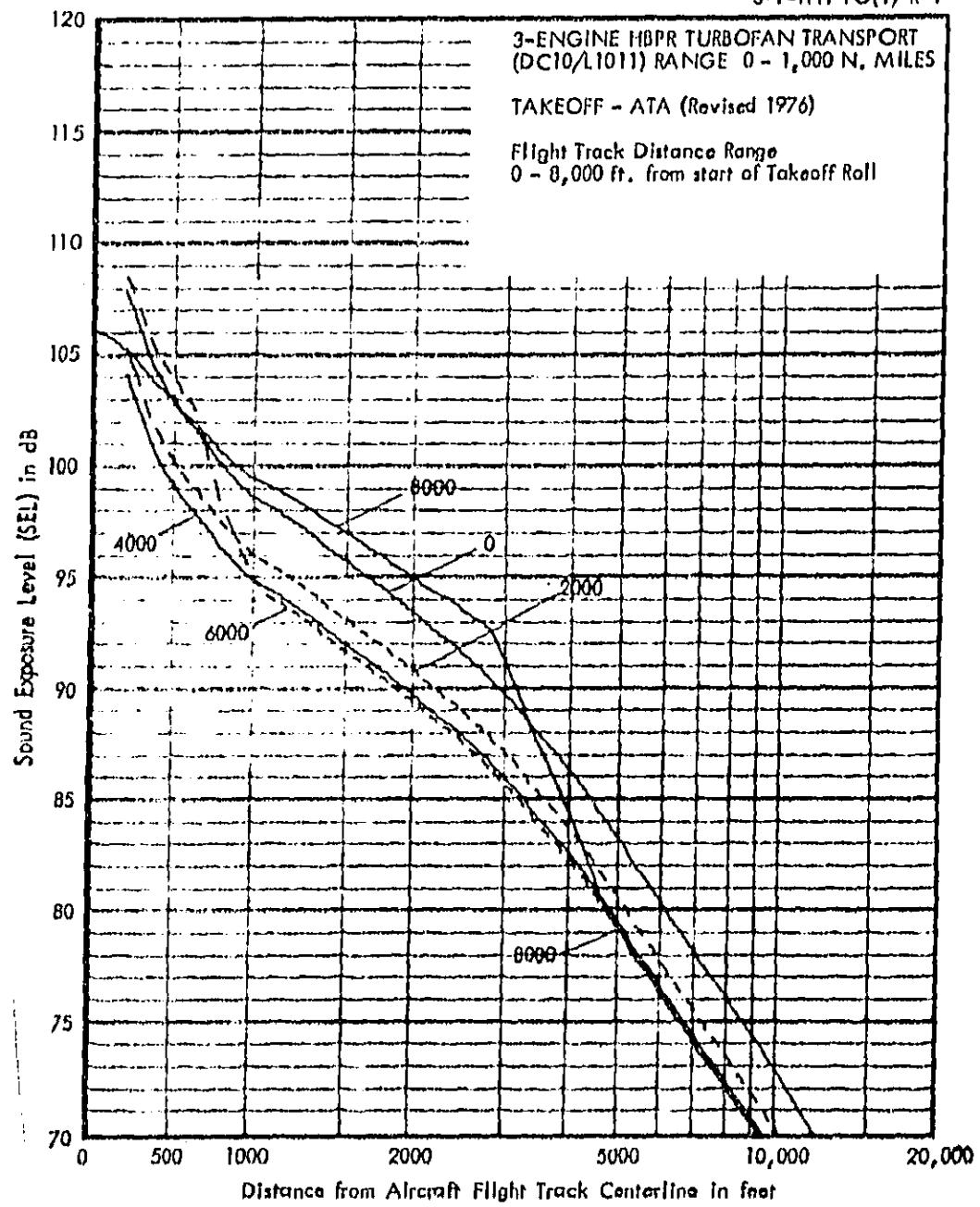
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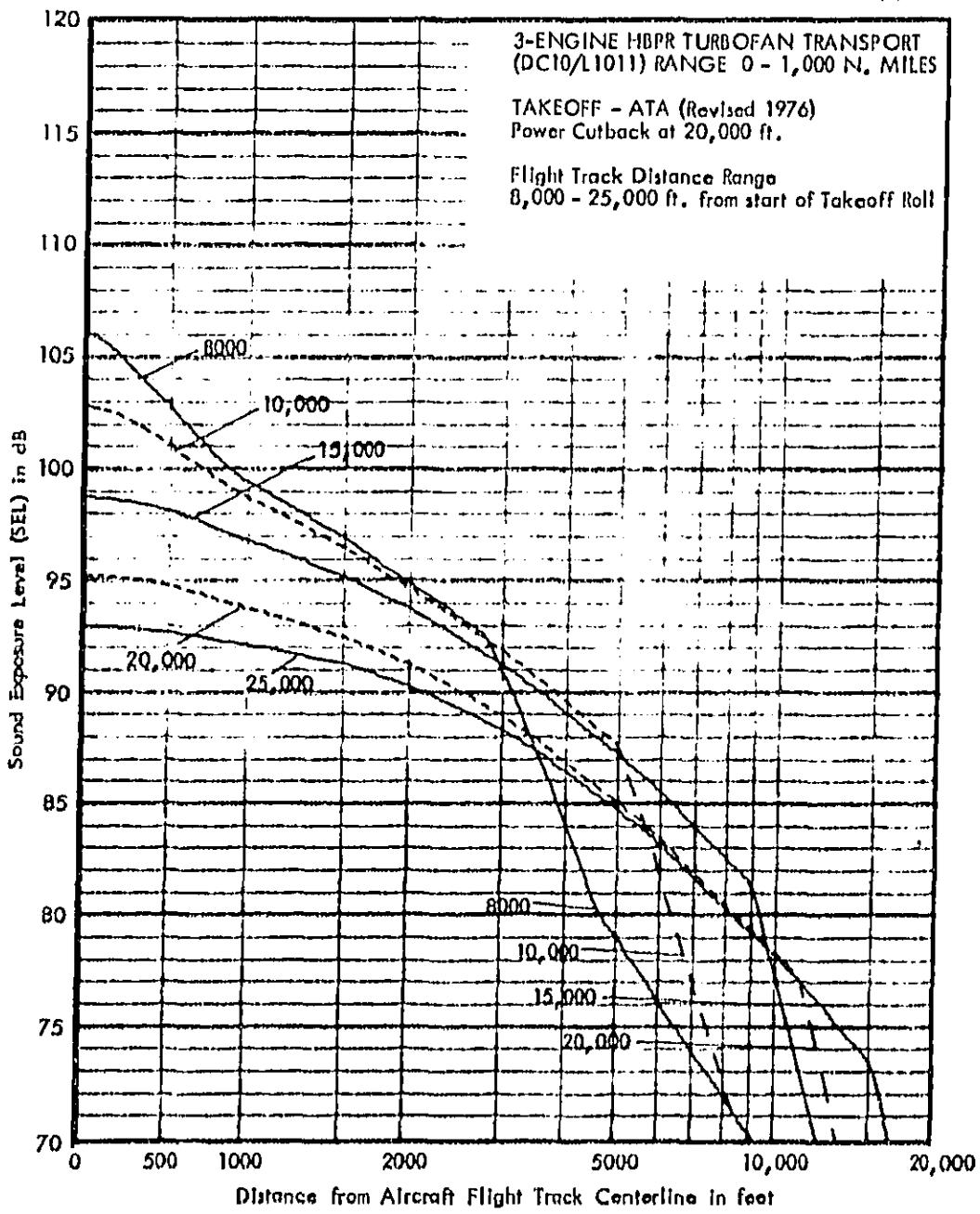


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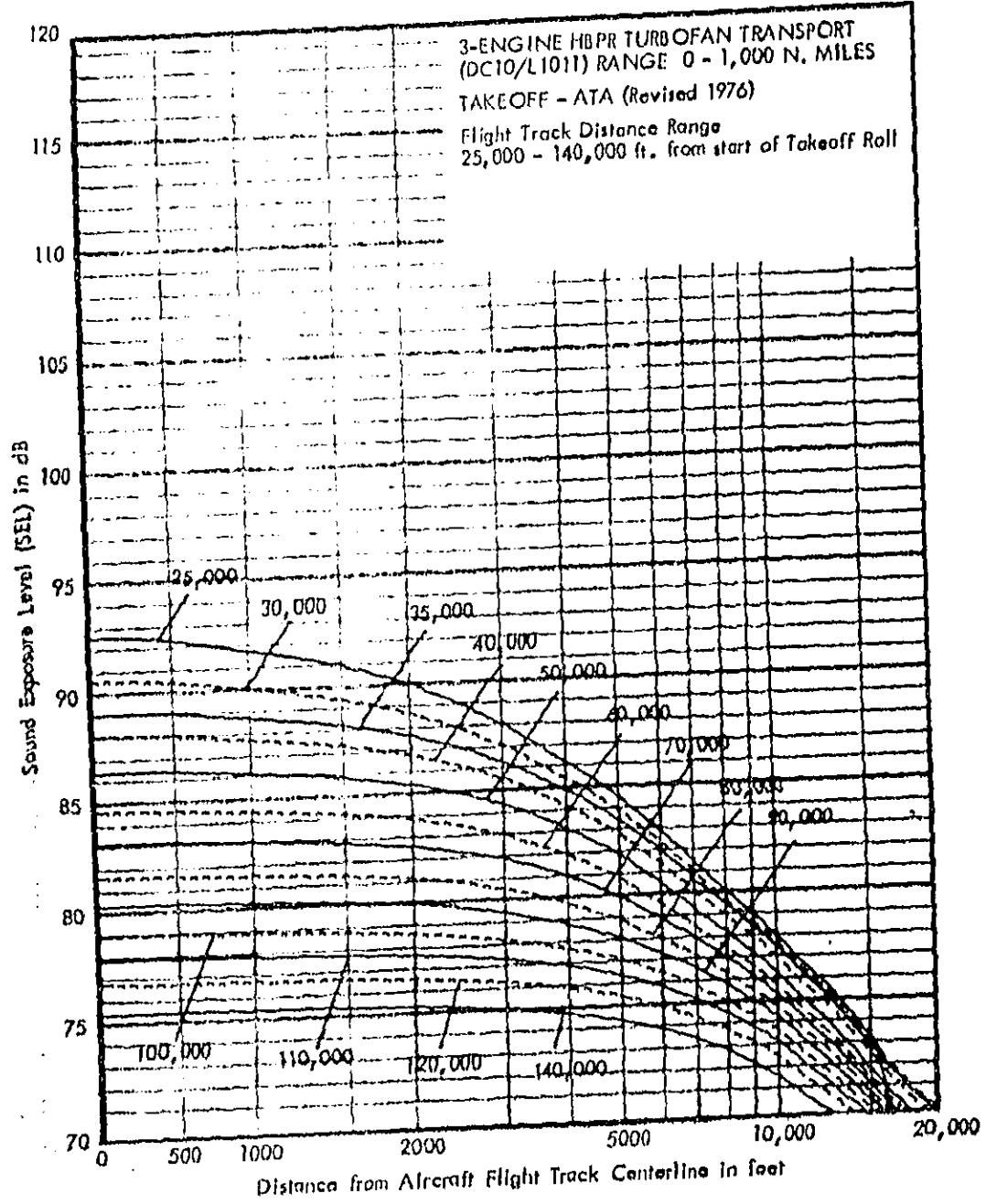


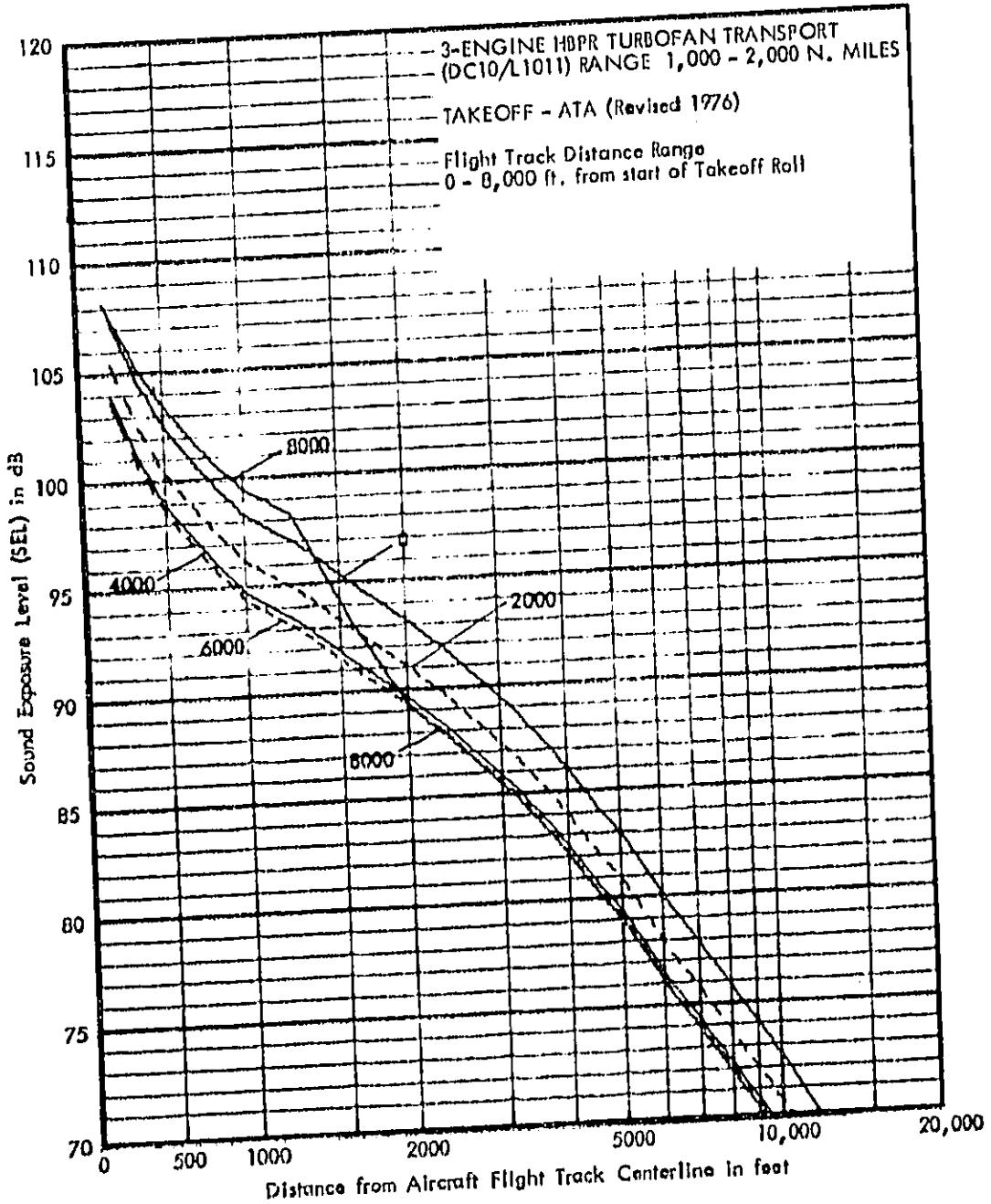
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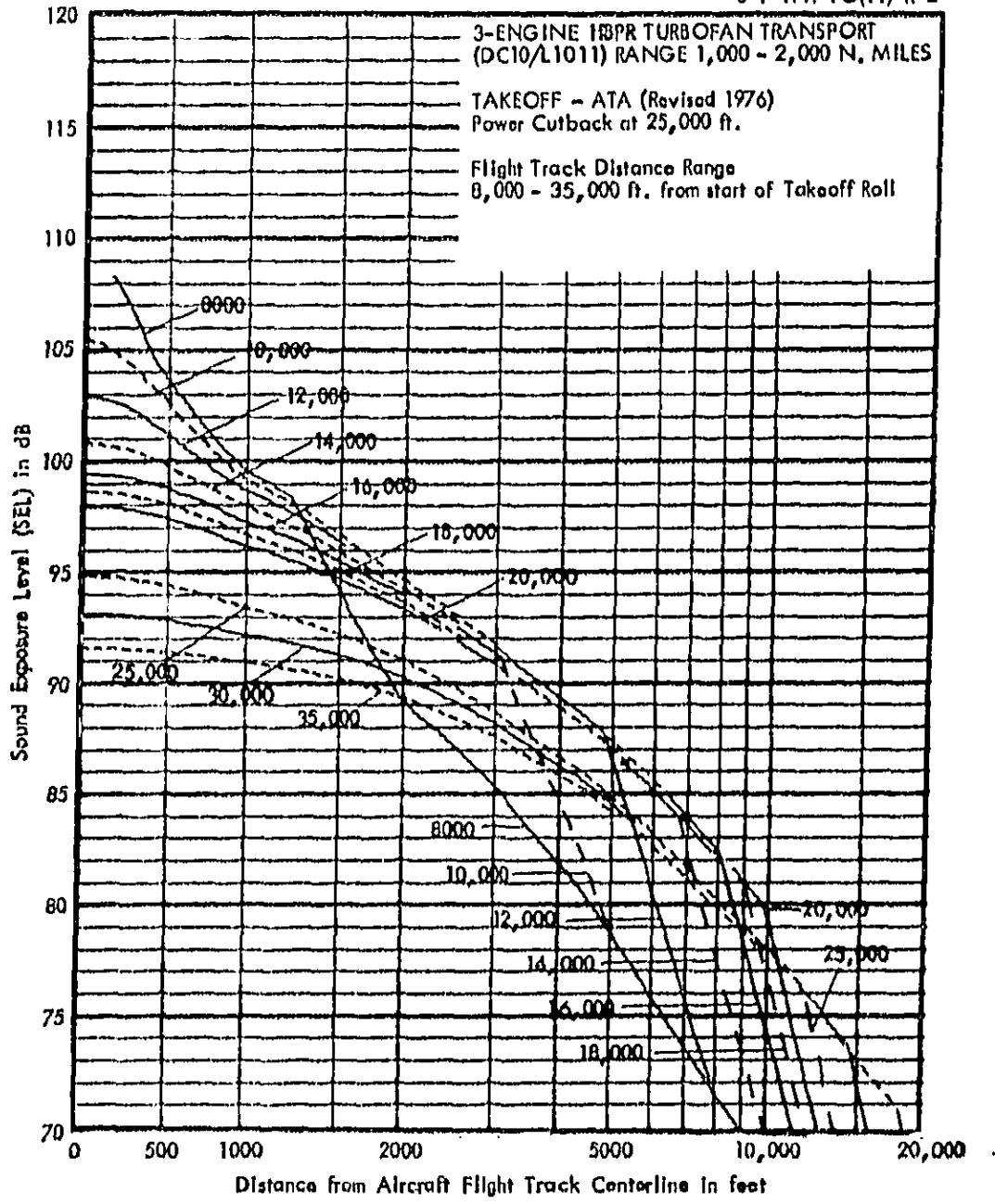


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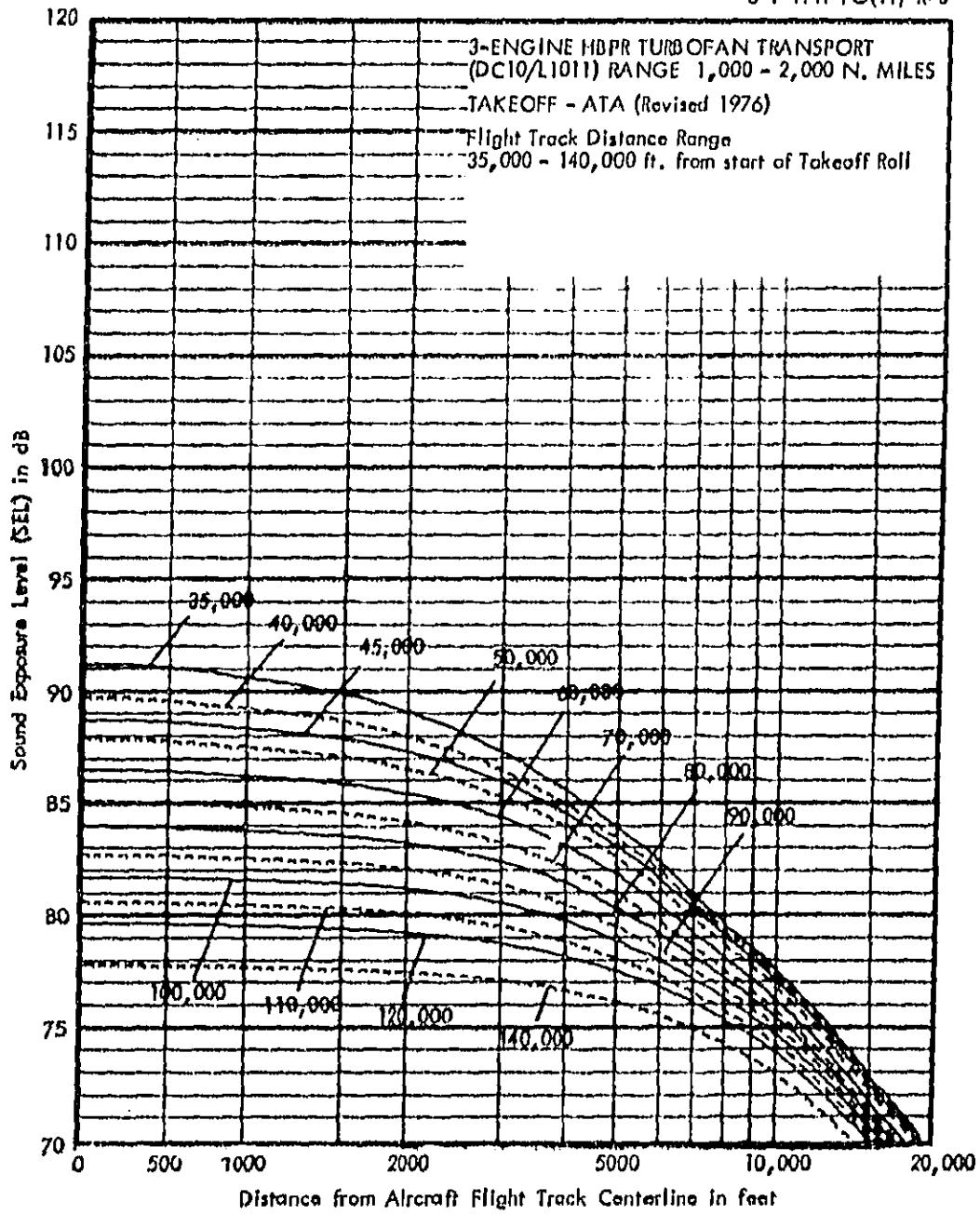




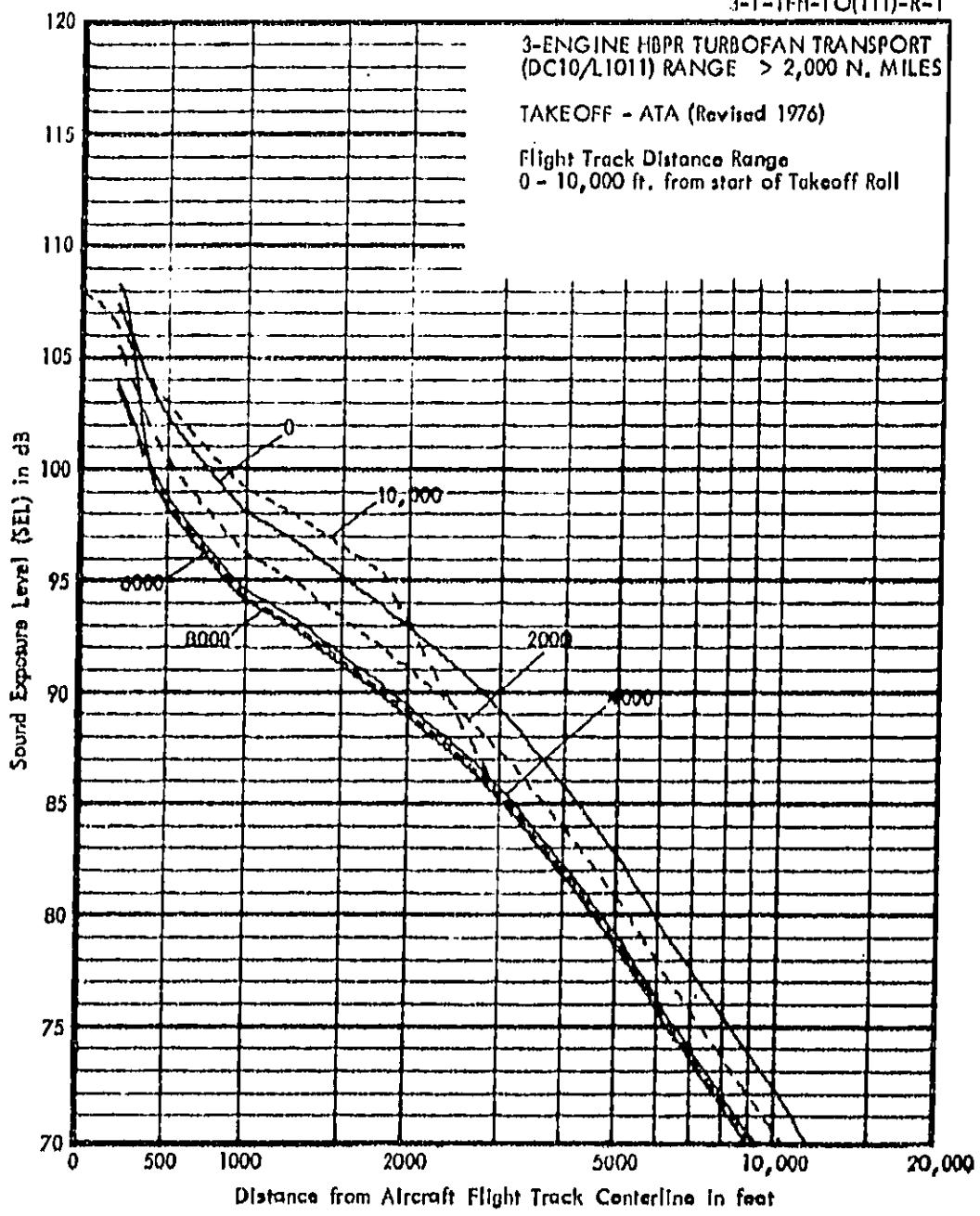
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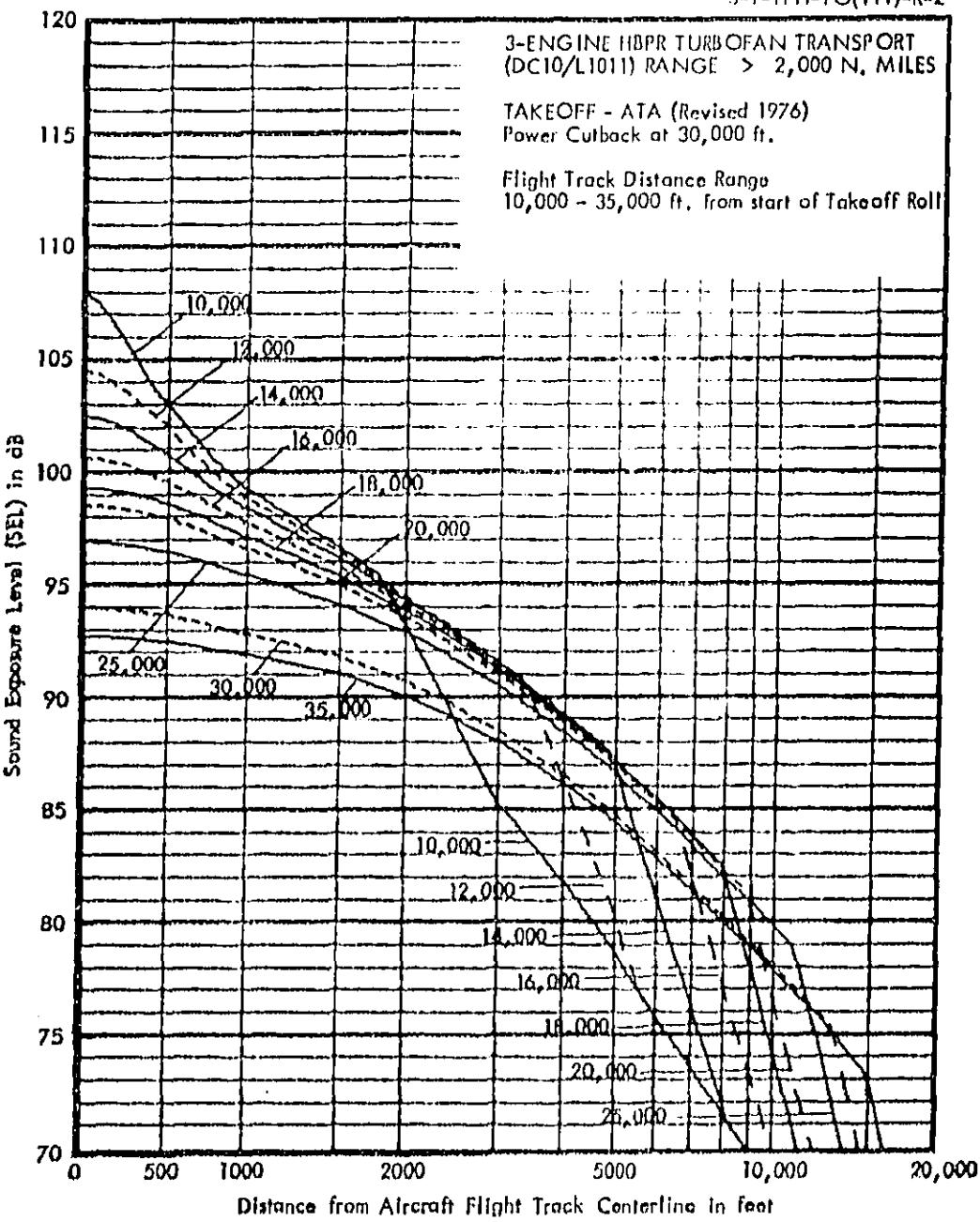
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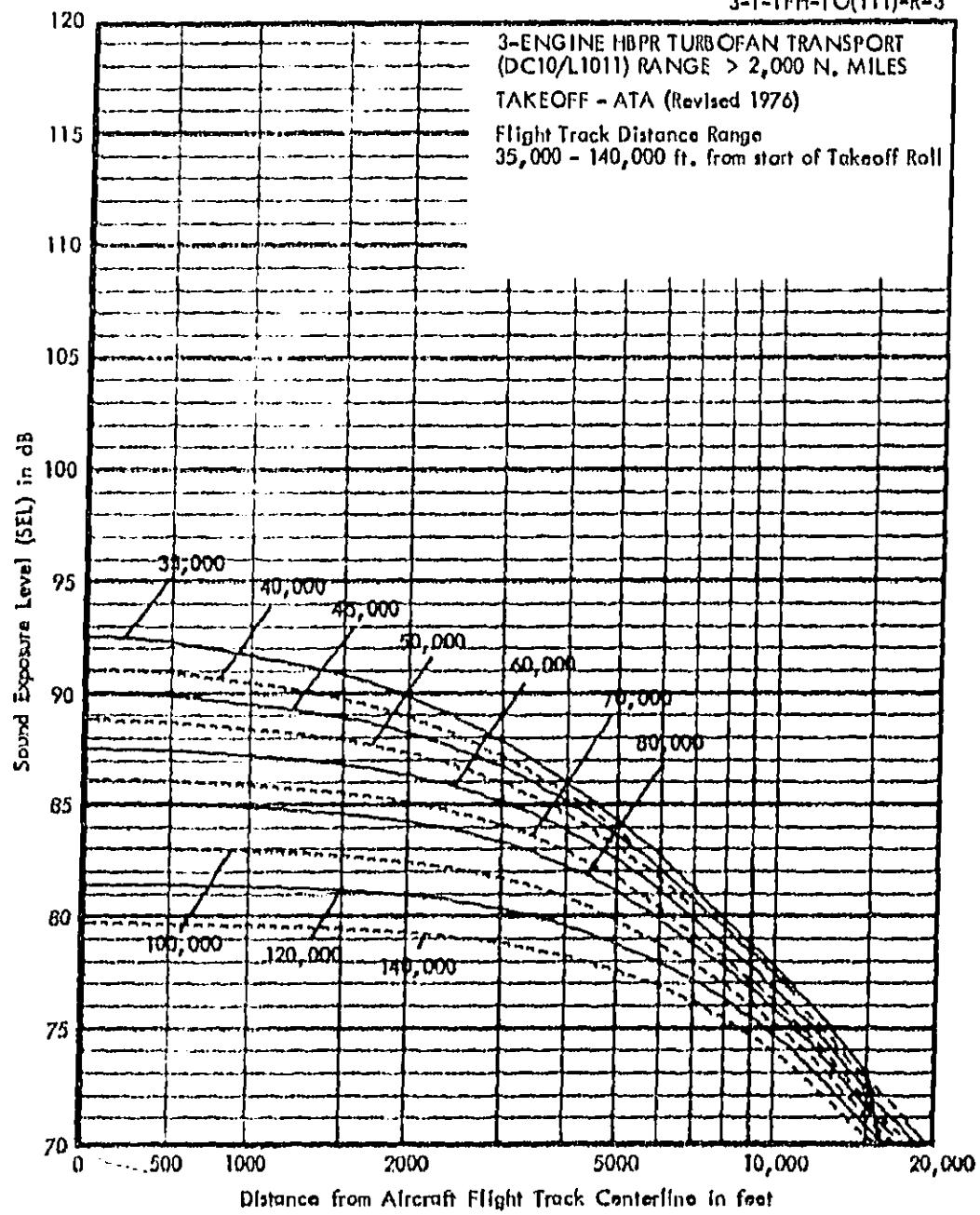
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