

# Small Aircraft Runway Length Analysis Tool Quick User Guide



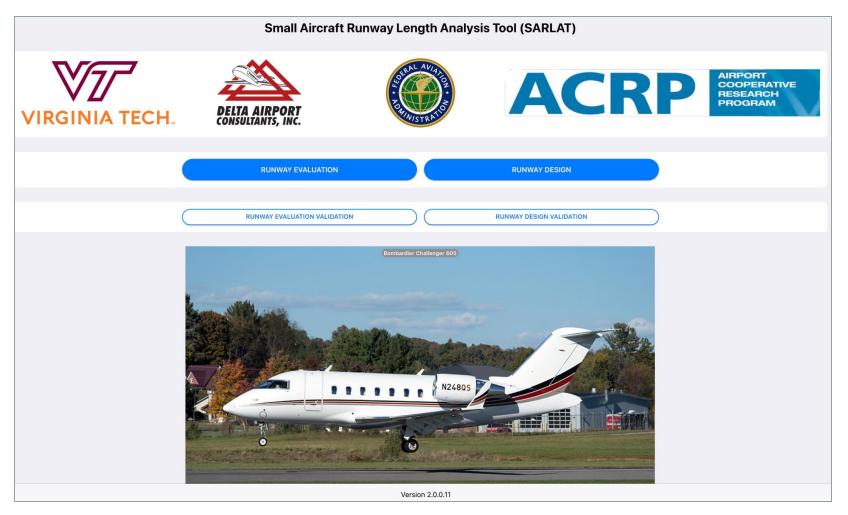


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# Small Aircraft Runway Length Analysis Tool Installation Instructions





#### Installation Instructions for Windows OS

**Step 1:** Download the Small Aircraft Runway Length Analysis Tool (SARLAT) setup file from:

Windows: <a href="https://atsl-software-">https://atsl-software-</a>

downloads.s3.amazonaws.com/sarlat/V2.0.0/SARLAT+2-2.0.0+Setup.exe

Step 2: Locate the downloaded file on your hard drive folder SARLAT+2-2.0.0+Setup.exe

Step 3: Install the application

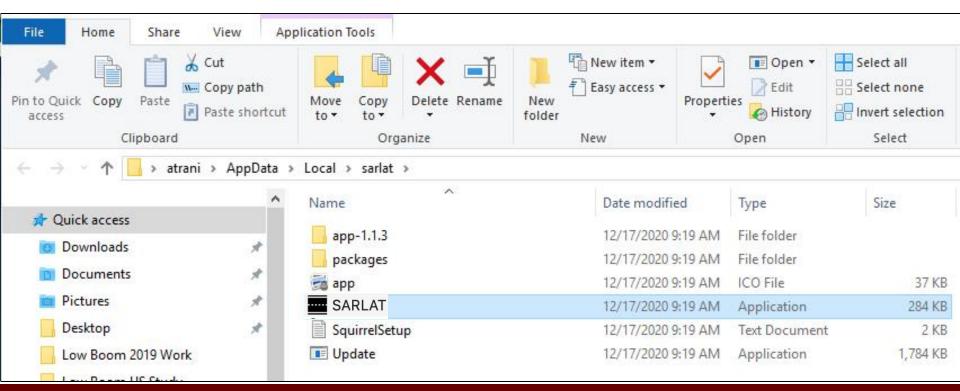
Double click on the SARLAT+2-2.0.0+Setup.exe file

Note: In Windows you do not need to have Administration privileges to install SARLAT



#### SARLAT Installation Files in Windows OS

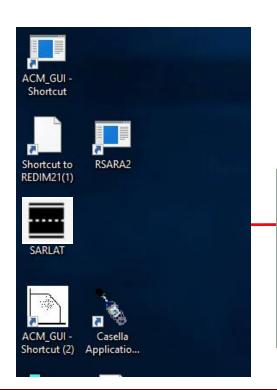
- SARLAT is usually installed in your local drive under the name SARLAT
- The example shows SARLAT installed in the user/AppData/local folder





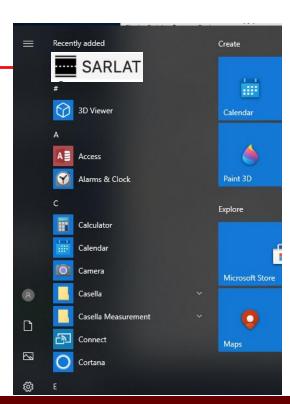
# Running the Small Aircraft Runway Length Analysis Tool in **Windows** after Installation

- After installation, SARLAT creates an icon on the desktop automatically
- To run the application again, use the icon on the desktop



SARLAT can be executed from the **Applications Panel** in Windows

Small Aircraft
Runway Length
Analysis Tool
Application icon
installed on the
Desktop





#### Installation Instructions for Mac OS

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Mac ARM Processors: <a href="https://atsl-software-">https://atsl-software-</a>

downloads.s3.amazonaws.com/sarlat/V2.0.0/SARLAT+2-2.0.0-

arm64.dmg

Step 2: Locate the downloaded file on your hard drive folder.

The file is an Apple Disk Image file called SARLAT 2.0.0 dms

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Step 3: Install the application

Double click on the SARLAT-2.0.0.dmg file on the Mac OS



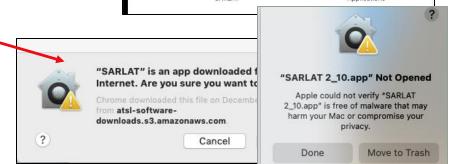
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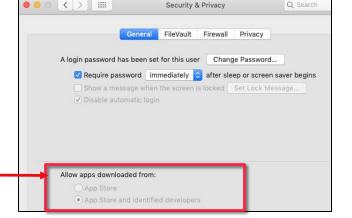
**Step 4:** Drag the SARLAT application icon to your Applications Folder

**Step 5:** Click **Open** in the security warning allowing the SARLAT application to run in your computer

Step 6: If necessary, allow the SARLAT application dialog in the Security & Privacy inside the Systems Preferences









#### Running SARLAT in Mac OS after Installation

 After installation, the SARLAT Application resides in the Applications
 Folder in your computer



- Double click in there SARLAT icon to run the application
- You can create a shortcut by dragging the SARLAT Application icon to the computer task bar



SARLAT Application Icon

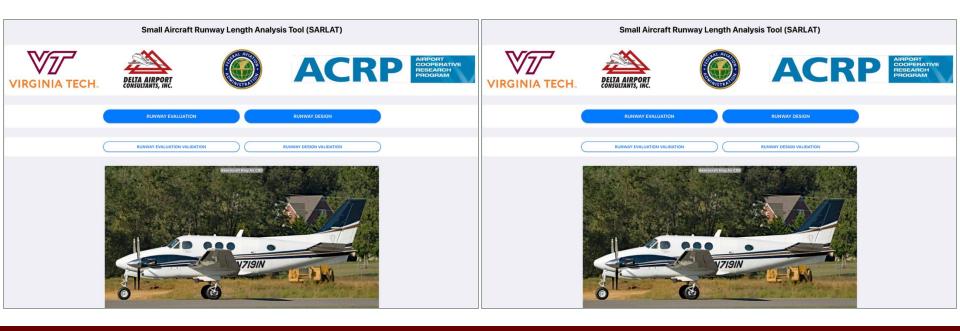


### Small Aircraft Runway Length Analysis Tool

- Functionality of the model is the same for both Windows and Mac OS users
- Tool is programmed using Javascript and Hypertext Markup Language (HTML)
- SARLAT does not require a connection to the Internet or a server

Mac OS 15.1 Operating System

Windows 11 Operating System





# Using the Small Aircraft Runway Length Analysis Tool





#### General Information About SARLAT 2.0.0.11

SARLAT estimates takeoff and landing distances for 73 aircraft under a range of operational conditions

- 28 turbofan-powered aircraft
- 11 turboprop-powered aircraft (including one agricultural use aircraft)
- 34 piston-powered aircraft
- Data used in the tool has been collected, analyzed, and validated from aircraft flight manuals, pilot operating handbooks, and flight planning guides
- SARLAT 2 includes mission profiles and useful load-range diagrams for large aircraft (i.e., weighing 12,500+ lbs.) and for all jet-powered aircraft.



#### SARLAT 2 Takeoff Runway Length Reports

- For turbofan and turboprop aircraft weighing 12,500 lbs. or more, SARLAT 2 reports Takeoff Balanced Field Length
- For turboprop aircraft weighing less than 12,500 lbs. and piston-powered twin-engine aircraft we report Takeoff
   Distance to Clear a 50-foot Obstacle
- For single-engine piston-powered aircraft, we report
   Takeoff Distance to Clear a 50-foot Obstacle

<sup>\*</sup> For AIP projects, use dry takeoff and wet landing performance charts.



#### SARLAT 2 Landing Runway Length Reports

- For all types of aircraft, we report uncorrected dry pavement landing distance
- For all types of aircraft, we report wet pavement landing distance (dry landing distance corrected)
- For turbofan-powered aircraft operating under 14 CFR Part 135 rules, we report corrected dry pavement landing distance (1.67 times the uncorrected dry landing distance)
- For turbofan-powered aircraft operating under 14 CFR Part 135 rules, we report corrected wet pavement landing distance (1.92 times the uncorrected dry landing distance)
- For **turboprop-powered** aircraft operating under 14 CFR Part 135 rules, we report corrected dry pavement landing distance (1.43 times the uncorrected dry landing distance)



# How to Identify the Operating Regulations Applicable to the Runway Length Evaluation?

Regulation>>>	Part 91	Part 135	Part 91K	Part 135.4 "Eligible on Demand"					
Who	Non-commercial operators, as well as ferry flights	Up to 30 seats Scheduled or Charter	Fractional	<ul> <li>Scheduled &lt;5 round trips weekly scheduled, no jets, 9 seats max</li> <li>Nonscheduled with &lt;=30 seats, 7500 pounds max payload, or all-cargo</li> </ul>					
Weather Reporting at Destination	None	Required for IFR	Can conduct approach to minimums at destination, if alternate has weather reporting	Can conduct approach to minimums at destination, if alternate has weather reporting					
Landing Buffer for Jets	None	Land within 60% of available dry runway length; +15% if wet (Turboprops 70% with no wet adjustment)		Land within 80% of available dry runway length, if operator has approved safety program; +15% if wet					

- A commercial, for-profit aircraft operator is approved to operate under specific regulations.
- A given operator may be operating under Part 91K for some flights with passengers, Part 135.4 Eligible or Demand (EOD) for other flights with passengers, and Part 91 for a ferry flight with no passengers
- Part 91 is the default. Identify the most common operating regulation used by an aircraft operator at the airport and assume that all flights are conducted under that regulation.



#### Landing Distance Data in SARLAT

- SARLAT includes landing performance data under maximum allowable weight landing conditions
- For this reason, if you use the Part 135 toggles in SARLAT, some aircraft will display long landing distances consistent with higher approach speeds
- A future version of SARLAT will include landing distances for different weights

For AIP projects, the FAA will decide on applicable landing weights to be used.



#### SARLAT 2 Runway Length Analysis Limits

Parameter	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Remarks			
Temperature (deg. Fahrenheit)	Limited by aircraft manufacturer data	Limited by aircraft manufacturer data	Jet powered aircraft reported to 40-50 degrees. C.			
Pressure Altitude (feet)	0	None	Performance data is reported to 8,000 feet altitude. For many jets, the data covers up to 12,000 feet.			
Wind (knots)	-10	5	Headwind is negative			
Runway Gradient (%)	0	2	Assumes both runway ends of the runway are used (uphill is positive)			
Runway Surface Conditions		Dry, Wet, Grass*,	and Gravel*			

SARLAT data sources are Pilot Operating Handbooks, Aircraft Flight Manuals, and Flight Planning Guides

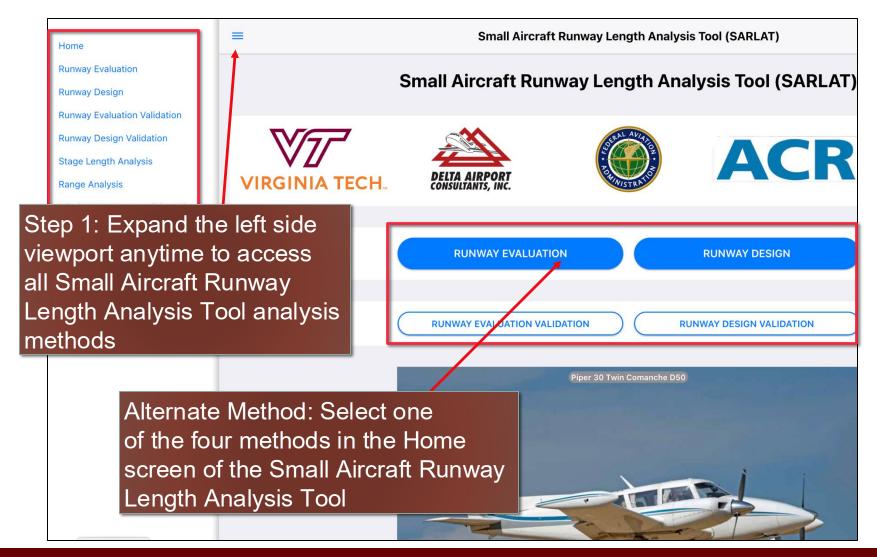


#### **Takeoff Obstacles**

- SARLAT2 assumes that any obstacles affecting takeoff can be visually avoided by the pilot, including One Engine Inoperative (OEI) as applicable to jet aircraft and large turboprops
- However, trips conducted at higher density altitudes and longer trip distances can be payload-impacted due to OEI.
- When obstacles are present beyond the airport perimeter, a detailed aircraft performance engineering analysis is necessary.



# Small Aircraft Runway Length Analysis Tool **Menu**Structure and Interface





# SARLAT 2 Model Analysis Options

The Small Aircraft Runway Length Analysis Home Tool has three areas described below: **Runway Evaluation** Analysis modes: a) Evaluation of an existing runway Runway Design b) Design for needed runway length Runway Evaluation Validation Validation modes: a) Evaluation of an existing runway plots Runway Design Validation b) Design for needed runway length Stage Length Analysis Mission Analysis: a) Stage length analysis Range Analysis b) Useful load-range analysis

- Use the Analysis Modes to calculate runway length
- Use the Validation Modes to validate and visualize the runway performance of individual aircraft for a set of airport conditions



### **Analysis Modes**

- Conduct runway length planning using the applicable analysis mode:
- Runway Design is to assess the needed runway length for the critical aircraft per parameters in AC 150/5325-4, such as to assess the need for a runway extension rehabilitation, or reconstruction
- Runway Evaluation is to determine if the existing runway length can reliably accommodate the fleet mix at the airport
  - Also, for assessing operations and impacts if a shorter runway length is needed during construction



#### **Runway Evaluation Mode**



### **Runway Evaluation Mode**

#### Objective:

 To evaluate if a given aircraft fleet can reliably operate at an existing airport

#### Output Produced

- Suitability of each aircraft to operate at the airport
  - Takeoff distances (dry and wet)
  - Landing distances (dry, wet, Part 135 dry and wet, EOD dry and wet)
- Aircraft useful load for the available runway length and airport conditions
- Range profiles that can be flown from the available runway

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**Runway Evaluation** 

Runway Design

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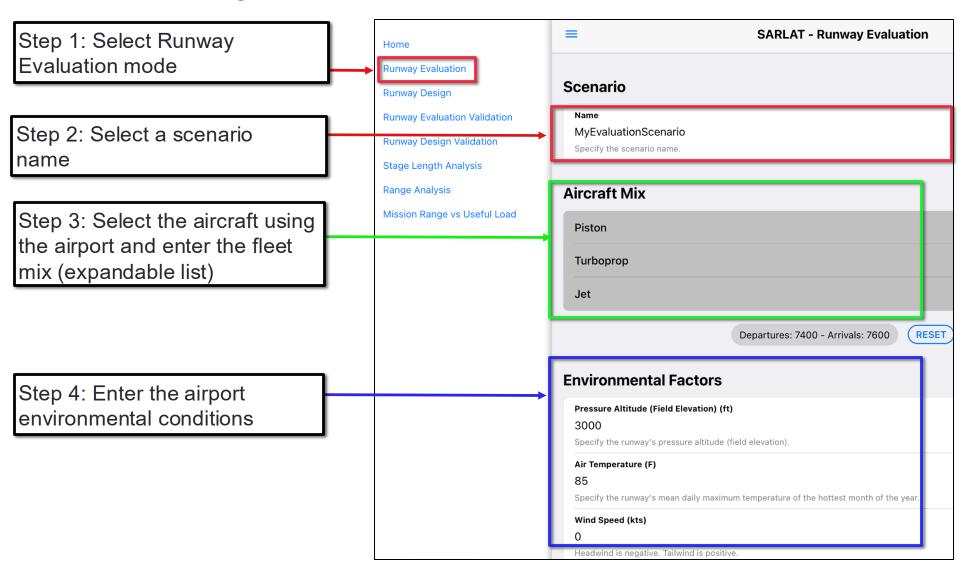
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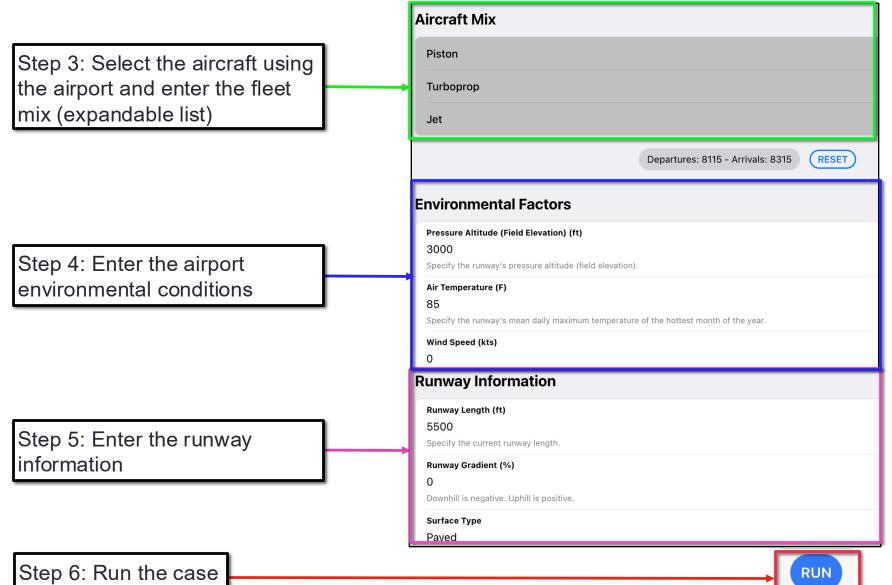


#### Runway Evaluation Mode Interface



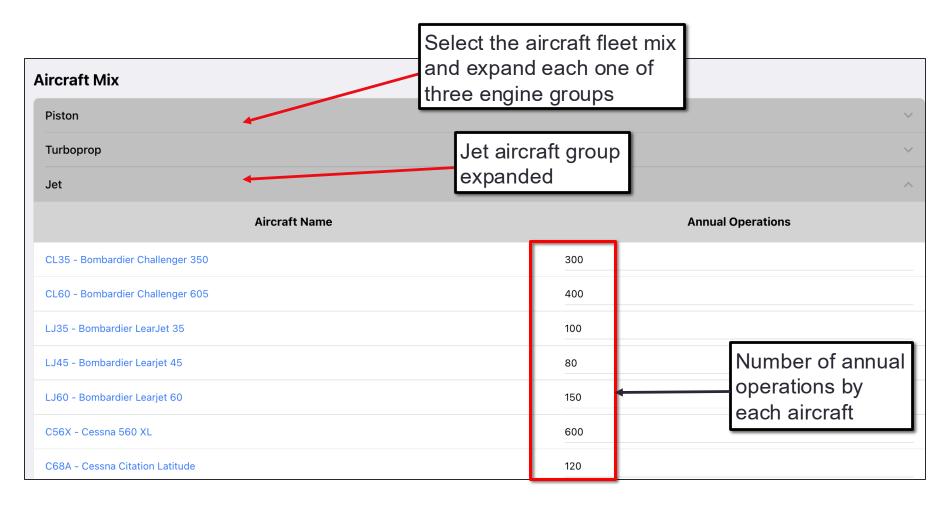


# Runway Evaluation Mode Interface (2)



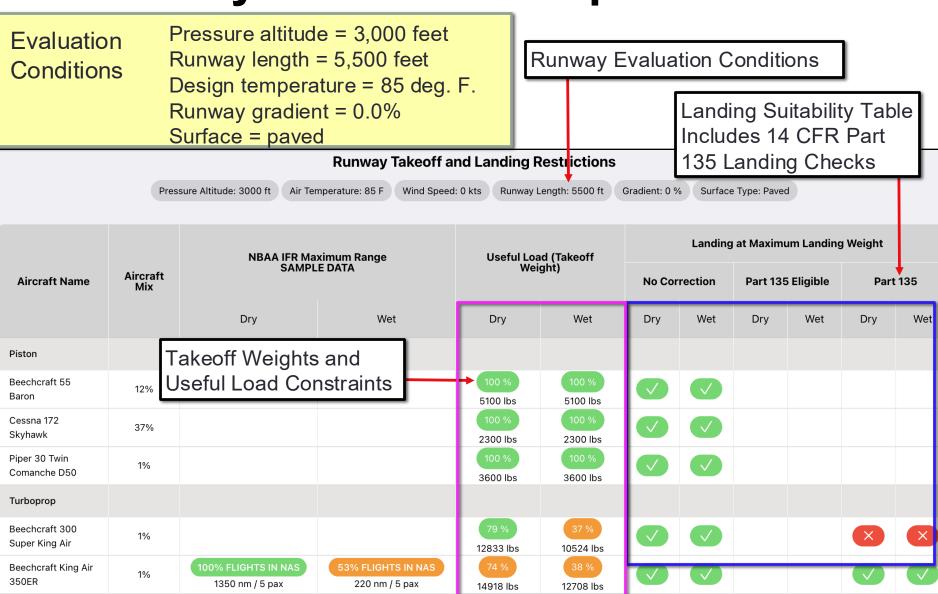


# Runway Evaluation Mode: Definition of the Aircraft Fleet Mix





### Runway Evaluation Output Interface



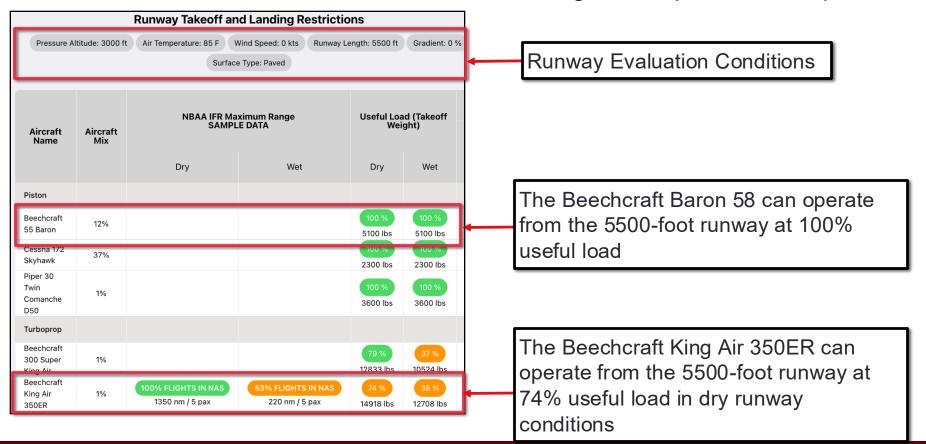


### Runway Evaluation Output Interface

Evaluation Conditions

Pressure altitude = 3,000 feet Runway length = 5,500 feet Design temperature = 85 deg. F. Runway gradient = 0.0% Surface = paved Provides the operational weight limitations for each aircraft type

Aircraft useful load and mission range are reported as output





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Runway Evaluation Conditions

The Bombardier Challenger 350 can operate from the runway at 70% useful load (dry runway conditions)

The Bombardier Learjet 45 can operate at 78% useful load in wet runway conditions. The Learjet 45 can fly 861 nm with five passengers plus two pilots from the 5500-foot runway (wet pavement conditions).

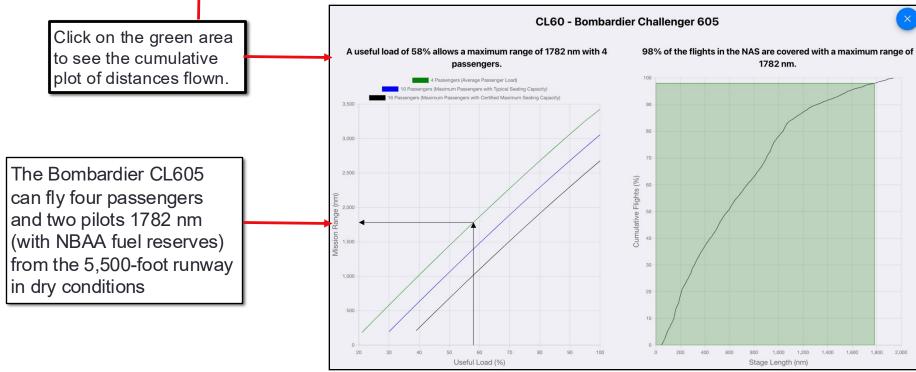


#### Evaluation Mode: Mission Range vs. Useful Load Diagram



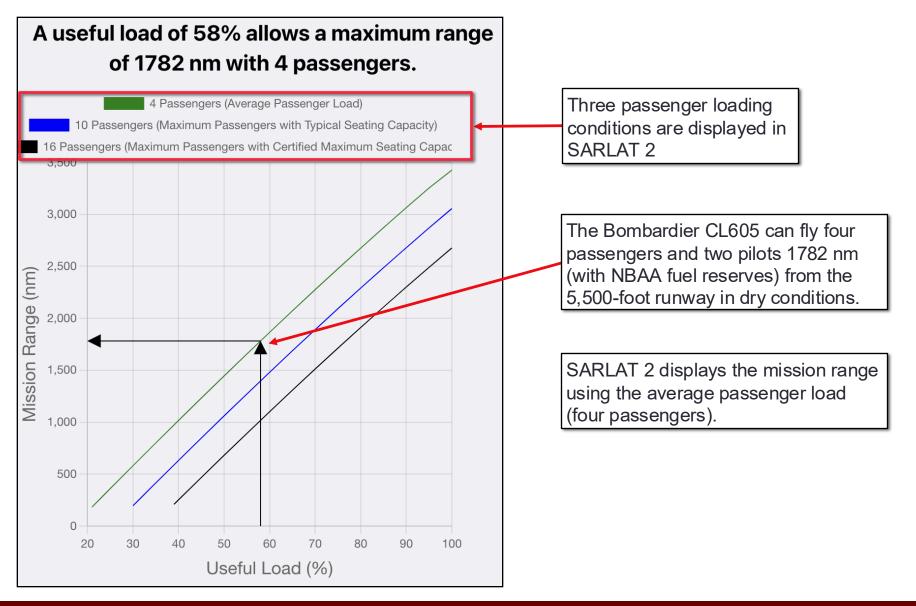
The Bombardier CL605 can takeoff at 58% useful load from a dry 5500-foot runway.

The CL605 can fly four passengers and two pilots 1782 nm (with NBAA fuel reserves) from the 5,500-foot runway in dry conditions.



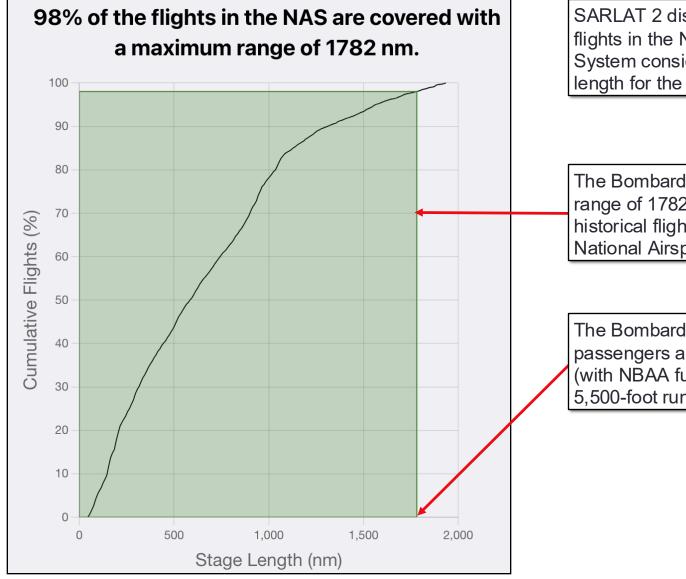


#### Evaluation Model: Mission Range vs. Useful Load Diagram





#### **Evaluation Model: Cumulative Flights Coverage**



SARLAT 2 displays the cumulative flights in the National Airspace System considering the mission stage length for the flight.

The Bombardier CL605 with a mission range of 1782 nm covers 98% of the historical flights performed in the National Airspace System.

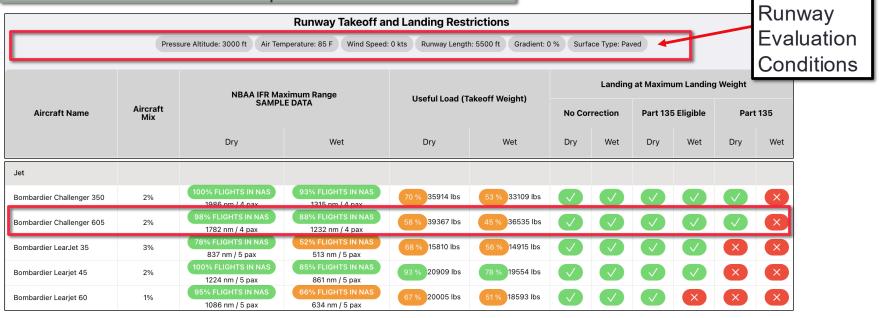
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Runway Evaluation Mode: Part 135 Operations

Evaluation Conditions

Pressure altitude = 3,000 feet Runway length = 5,500 feet Design temperature = 85 deg. F. Runway gradient = 0.0% Surface = paved Landing table shows if the aircraft can operate under Part 135 or EOD at maximum allowable landing weight



The Bombardier Challenger 605 can land in dry and wet runway conditions without landing correction factors applied.

The aircraft can land on a 5,500-foot runway dry runway operating under Part 135 (landing distance is 60% of the runway length available).

The Challenger 605 cannot land in wet runway conditions while operating under Part 135.



### Runway Evaluation: Aircraft Data Table

Aircraft table with general information about each aircraft modeled in SARLAT 2.

Information includes engine type, aircraft design group, aircraft approach category, operating empty weight, useful load, maximum takeoff weight, maximum allowable landing weight, takeoff flap setting used in SARLAT 2, landing flap setting used in SARLAT 2, and the criteria for the takeoff distance estimate (e.g., accelerate-stop distance, takeoff distance, etc.)

Aircraft Characteristics													
Aircraft Name	FAA Type Designator	Engine Type	Aircraft Design Group (ADG)	Aircraft Approach Category (AAC)	Taxiway Design Group (TDG)	Weight Category	Operating Empty Weight (OEW)	Useful Load	Maximum Takeoff Weight (MTOW)	Maximum Allowable Landing Weight (MALW)	Takeoff Flap Settings	Landing Flap Settings	Takeoff Distance
Piston													
Beech Bonanza 36	BE36	Piston	I	А	1A	Small	2200 lbs	1400 lbs	3600 lbs	3600 lbs	Up	Down	Takeoff over 50ft obstacle
Beechcraft 55 Baron	BE55	Piston	I	В	1A	Small	3236 lbs	1864 Ibs	5100 lbs	5100 lbs	Up	Down	Takeoff distance
Turboprop													
Beechcraft King Air 350ER	B350	Turboprop	II	В	2A	Large	10385 lbs	6115 lbs	16500 lbs	15675 lbs	Approach	Down	Takeoff field length
Jet													
Bombardier Challenger 350	CL35	Jet	II	С	1B	Large	24800 lbs	15800 lbs	40600 lbs	40600 lbs	10°	30°	Takeoff field length



#### Infeasible Operating Conditions in the Runway Evaluation Mode

#### **Example:**

- Demanding airport conditions
- Some aircraft cannot operate from a 5,500 ft. runway at 6,200 for elevation and 86 deg.
   Fahrenheit temperature with a practical useful load

Aircraft with a red cross mark cannot operate at the airport conditions selected

Pressure altitude = 6,200 feet
Runway length = 5,500 feet
Design Conditions
Design temperature = 86 deg. F.
Runway gradient = 0%
Surface = dry

Runway Takeoff and Landing Restrictions									
Pressure Altitu	de: 6200 ft	Air Temperature: 86 F Wind Speed: 0 kts Runway Length: 5500 ft Gradient: 0 %					Surface Type: Paved		
Aircraft Name	Aircraft Mix	NDAA IED M	Haafullaa	Useful Load (Takeoff Weight)		Landing			
		NBAA IFR Ma SAMPL	Wei			No Correction			
		Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet		
Piston									
Beechcraft 55 Baron	12%			100 % 5100 lbs	84 % 4800 lbs				
Cessna 172 Skyhawk	37%			100 % 2300 lbs	100 % 2300 lbs				
Piper 30 Twin Comanche D50	1%			100 % 3600 lbs	100 % 3600 lbs	<b>✓</b>			
Turboprop									
Beechcraft 300 Super King Air	1%			×	×	<b>✓</b>	×		
Beechcraft King Air 350ER	1%	×		15 % 11293 lbs	X				



#### **Runway Design Mode**



# Runway Design Mode

#### Objective:

 To estimate the runway length needed by the critical aircraft

#### Output Produced

- Takeoff runway distance requirements (dry and wet)
- Landing runway distance requirements (dry, wet, EOD dry and west, Part 135 dry and wet)

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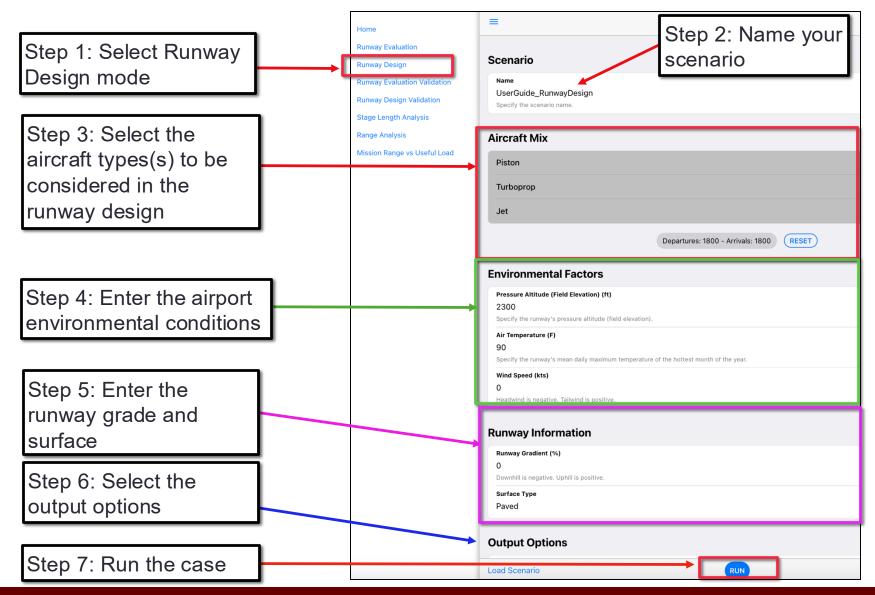
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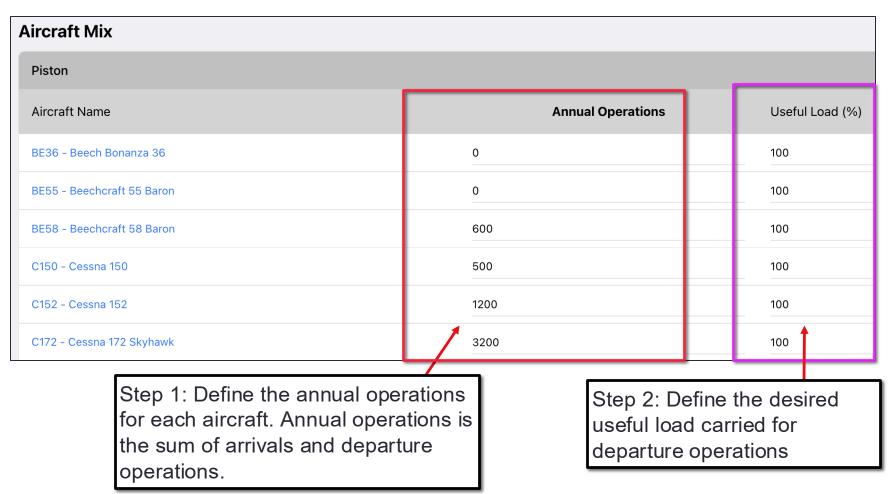


## Runway Design Mode Interface





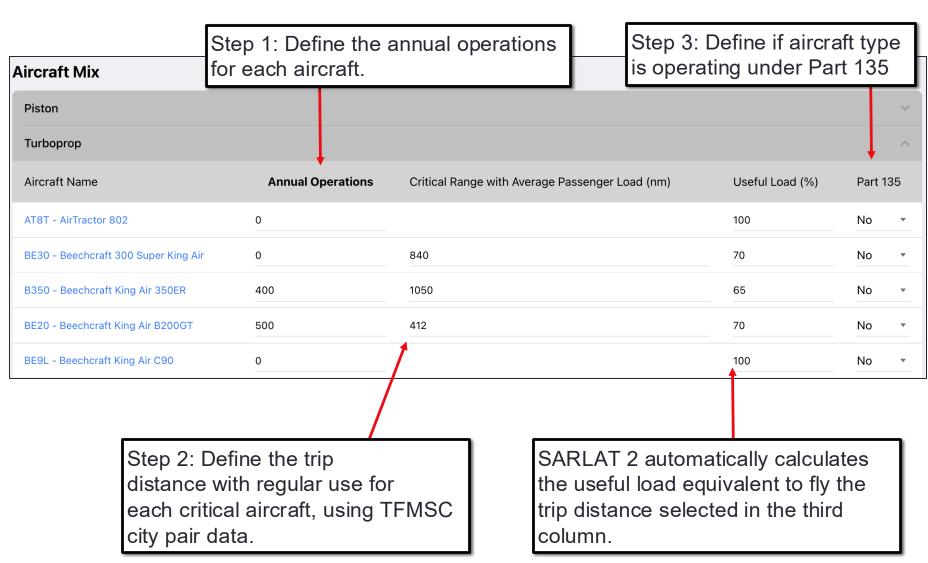
#### Runway Design Mode: Fleet Mix Parameters (Piston Aircraft)



SARLAT 2 reports landing runway performance at the maximum landing weight. The useful load definition above only affects departure operations.

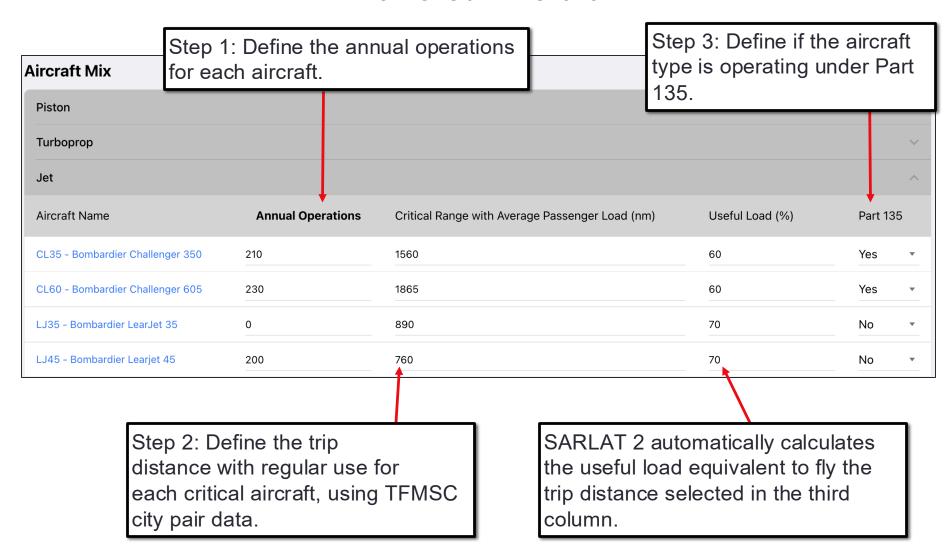


# Runway Design Mode: Fleet Mix Parameters for Large Turboprop Aircraft (Those with Maximum Takeoff Weight 12,500 lbs. or Higher)





#### Runway Design Mode: Fleet Mix Parameters for Jet-Powered Aircraft





### **Runway Design Graphical Output**

Design Conditions Pressure altitude = 2,300 feet
Design temperature = 90 deg. F.
Useful loads determined by the critical
length flown by each aircraft
Wind speed = 0 knots
Runway gradient = 0%

 Provides a graphical output of runway length requirements for each aircraft

 The Bombardier Challenger 605 is the critical aircraft in this example.



Runway Design Conditions

The Bombardier Challenger 605 requires 5,438 feet of runway for takeoff (dry pavement).

6,254 feet of runway is needed if the pavement is wet.



### Runway Design Table Output

Design Conditions Pressure altitude = 2,300 feet
Design temperature = 90 deg. F.
Wind speed = 0 knots
Runway gradient = 0%

- Provides a table output of runway length requirements for each aircraft
- Compares dry and wet conditions for takeoff
- Multiple landing conditions provided

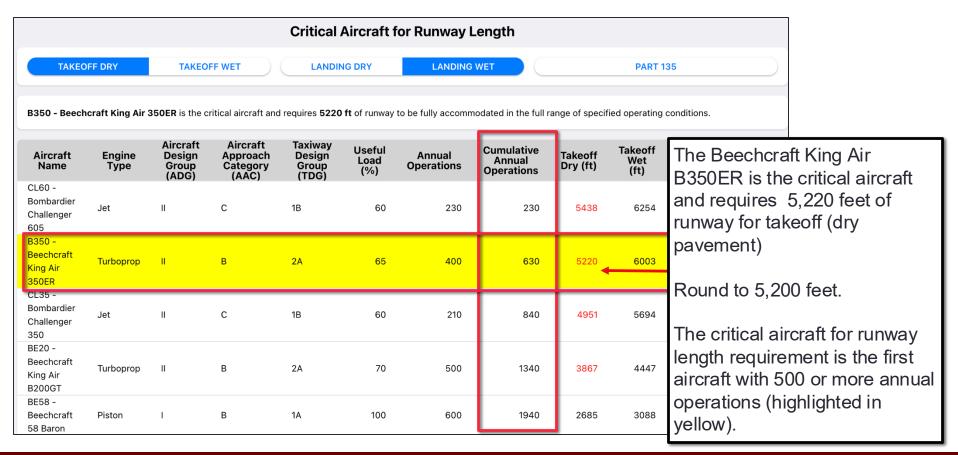
	Useful Load (%)	Takeoff (ft)		Landing (ft)					
Aircraft Name				No Correction		Part 135 Eligible		Part 135	
		Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet
Piston									
BE58 - Beechcraft 58 Baron	100	2685	3088	2802	3222				
C172 - Cessna 172 Skyhawk	100	2007	2308	1388	1596				
Turboprop		1							
B350 - Beechcraft King Air 350ER	65	5220	6003	2931	3371				
BE20 - Beechcraft King Air B200GT	70	3867	4447	2736	3146				
Jet Takeoff distance			Landing distance output						
CL35 - Bombardier Challenger 350	60	4951	5694	2992	3441			4997	5747
CL60 - Bombardier Challenger 605	60	5438	6254	3122	3590			5214	5996



#### **Critical Aircraft Considering Runway Design Parameters**

Design Conditions Pressure altitude = 2,300 feet
Design temperature = 90 deg. F.
Wind speed = 0 knots
Runway gradient = 0%

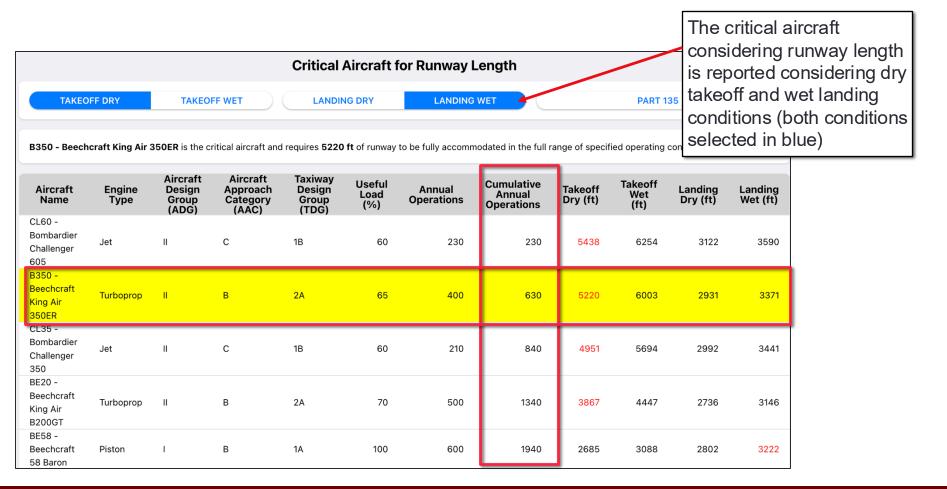
- Provides a table output of runway length requirements for each aircraft
- Shows the cumulative annual operations for all aircraft sorted from the highest to the smallest runway length





#### Critical Aircraft Considering Runway Design Toggles

- Toggles report the critical aircraft for combinations of takeoff/landing conditions and dry and wet pavement conditions
- A Part 135 operations toggle considers adjusted landing distances





#### Critical Aircraft According to RDC and TDG Parameters

Design Conditions Pressure altitude = 2,300 feet
Design temperature = 90 deg. F.
Wind speed = 0 knots
Runway gradient = 0%

- Provides a table output of the critical aircraft according to: ADG, AAC, TDG and RDC
- SARLAT 2 selects the most critical aircraft for each of the four parameters individually.

- For the example shown:
- The critical aircraft according to ADG group is II (Challenger 605)
- The critical aircraft according to AAC group is C (Challenger 605)
- Runway Design Code (RDC) is C-II
- The critical aircraft for Taxiway Design Group (TDG) is 2A (King Air B350ER)

Group	Critical Group
Aircraft Design Group (ADG)	II
Aircraft Approach Category (AAC)	С
Runway Design Code (RDC)	C-II
Taxiway Design Group (TDG)	2A

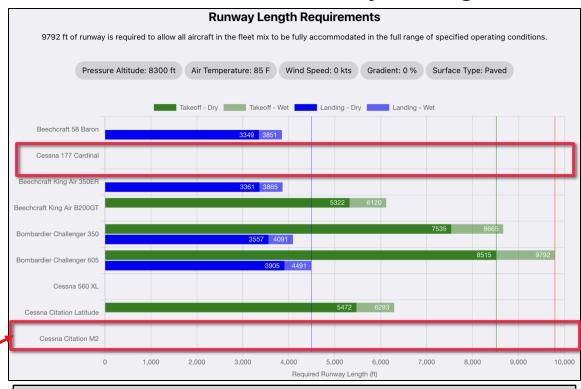


#### Infeasible Operating Conditions in the Runway Design Mode

#### **Example:**

- Demanding airport design conditions
- 8300 feet pressure altitude
- 85 deg. F. design temperature

Aircraft not reported in bar plot cannot operate at the airport design conditions



Aircraft Name	Error
Beechcraft 58 Baron	Temperature is above maximum takeoff temperature.
Cessna 177 Cardinal	Altitude is above maximum takeoff altitude.
Cessna 177 Cardinal	Altitude is above maximum takeoff altitude.
Beechcraft King Air 350ER	Temperature is above maximum takeoff temperature.
Beechcraft King Air B200GT	Temperature is above maximum takeoff temperature.
Cessna 560 XL	Temperature is above maximum takeoff temperature.



#### **Runway Evaluation Validation Mode**



# Runway Evaluation Validation Mode

#### Objective:

- Provides a graphical depiction of aircraft takeoff weight and runway length required for various design parameters (temperature, runway grade, and wind speed) as used in the Runway
   Evaluation module
- Validate and visualize the runway performance of individual aircraft for a set of airport conditions

#### Output Produced

Plot of runway length versus takeoff weight

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## Runway Evaluation Validation Mode

Plot shows the aircraft takeoff GLF4 - Gulfstream G450 weight and runway length required for selected airport Temperature: 77 F - Wind Speed: 0 kts - Runway Gradient: 0 % environmental conditions Dry Wet 75,000 75,000 70,000 70,000 65.000 65.000 Fakeoff Weight (Ibs) 60,000 60,000 55.000 55.000 Step 1: Select the aircraft and airport SARLAT 2 reports dry and conditions (Temperature, Wind 50,000 50,000 wet pavement conditions Speed and Gradient) to be are reported considered in the runway evaluation. 45.000 45.000 4.000 5.000 6.000 7.000 8 000 9.000 5.000 6.000 7.000 8.000 9.000 3,000 10.000 4.000 10.000 Required Runway Length (ft) Required Runway Length (ft) Aircraft: GLF4 Temperature: 77 F Wind Speed: 0 kts Runway Gradient: 0 %



#### **Runway Design Validation Mode**



## Runway Design Validation Mode

#### Objective:

- Provides a graphical depiction of aircraft takeoff weight and runway length required for various design parameters (temperature, runway grade, and useful load) as used in the Runway Design module
- Validate and visualize the runway performance of individual aircraft for a set of airport conditions

#### Output Produced

 Plot of runway length versus takeoff weight at different airport elevations and airport environmental conditions Home

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### Runway Design Validation Mode

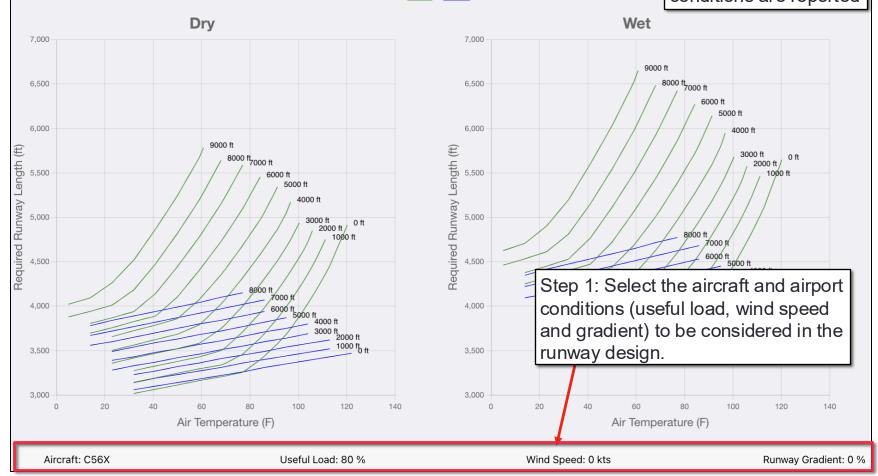
Plot shows the uncorrected runway length (for takeoff and landing) as a function of pressure altitude and airfield temperature

C56X - Cessna 560 XL

Useful Load: 80 % - Wind Speed: 0 kts - Runway Gradient: 0 %

Takeoff Landing

Dry and Wet pavement conditions are reported





## **Aircraft Stage Length Analysis**



# Stage Length Analysis

#### Objective:

 Provides a graphical information of the cumulative number flights versus distance flown in the National Airspace System

#### Output Produced

- Plot of cumulative number of flights versus distance flown (stage length).
- The plot is individual by aircraft.
- All aircraft in SARLAT 2 have a cumulative plot.

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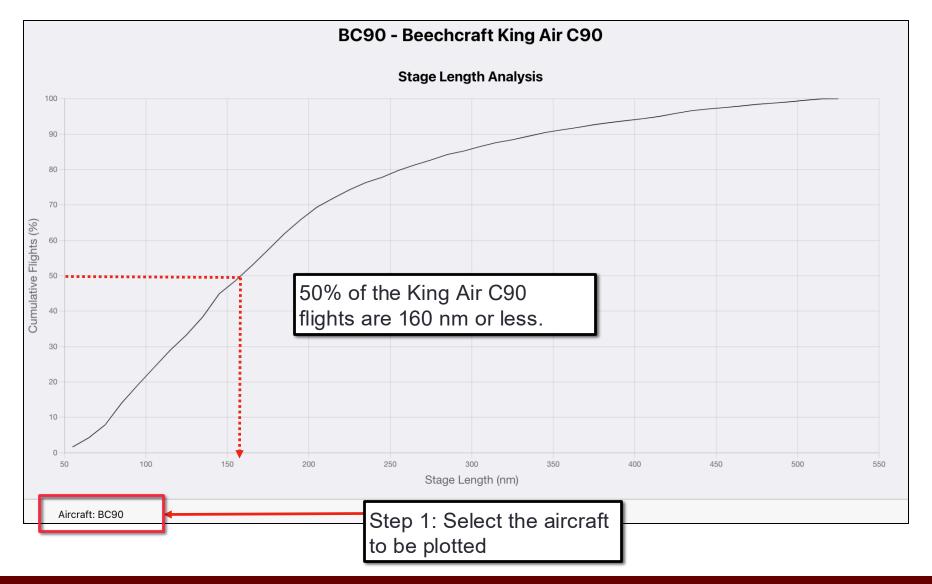
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# Stage Length Analysis





### **Aircraft Range Analysis**



# Aircraft Range Analysis

#### Objective:

 Provides graphical information of trip distance to useful load for jetpowered aircraft and large turboprops

#### Output Produced

- Payload-range diagram with useful load and mission range.
- The plot is individual by aircraft.

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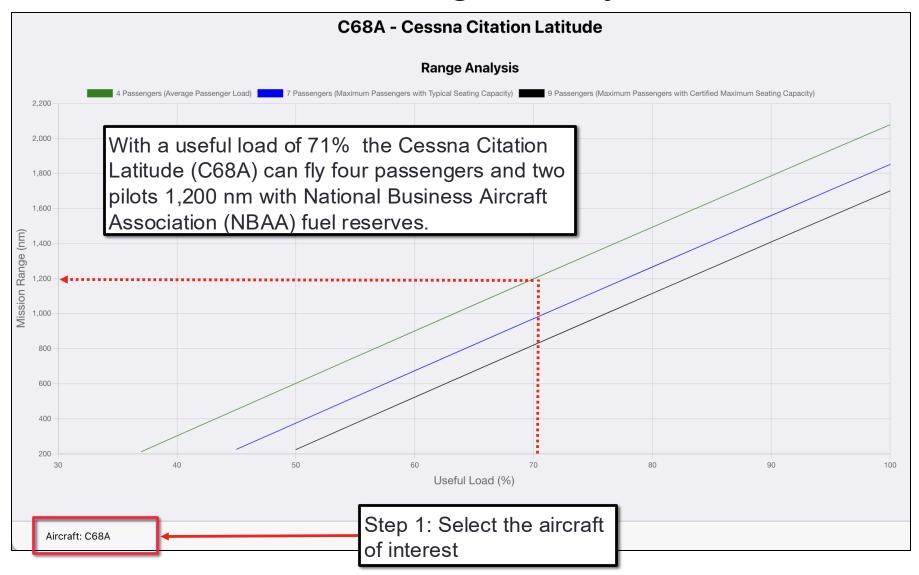
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# Aircraft Range Analysis





# Saving and Exporting Data in SARLAT 2



# **Exporting and Saving Scenario Runs**

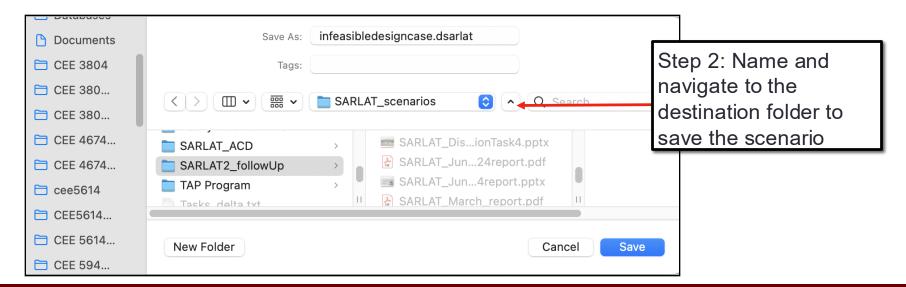
- SARLAT can export data for use in spreadsheets or the clipboard
- SARLAT can load saved scenarios
- SARLAT can save the graphical output produced in Portable Graphics Format (PNG)
- SARLAT exports table results in two formats:
  - Clipboard
  - Excel



# Saving SARLAT Scenario Runs

SARLAT saves your run using the .dsarlat type file

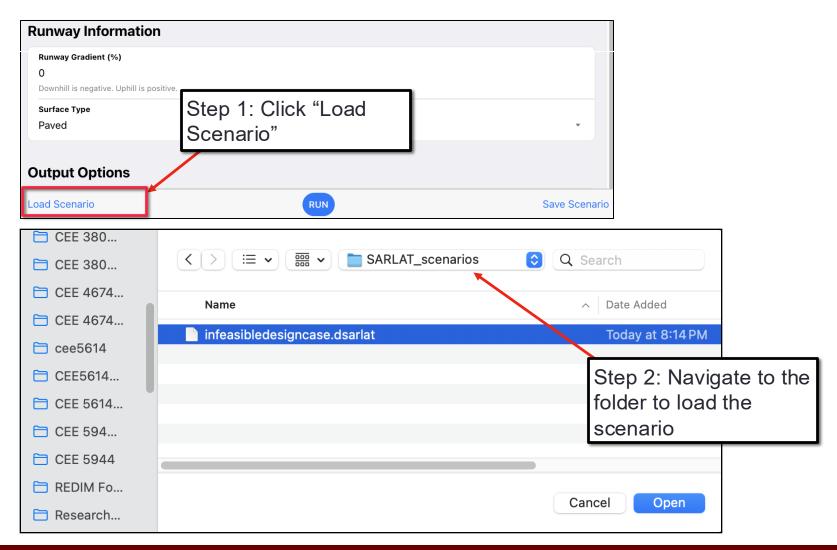






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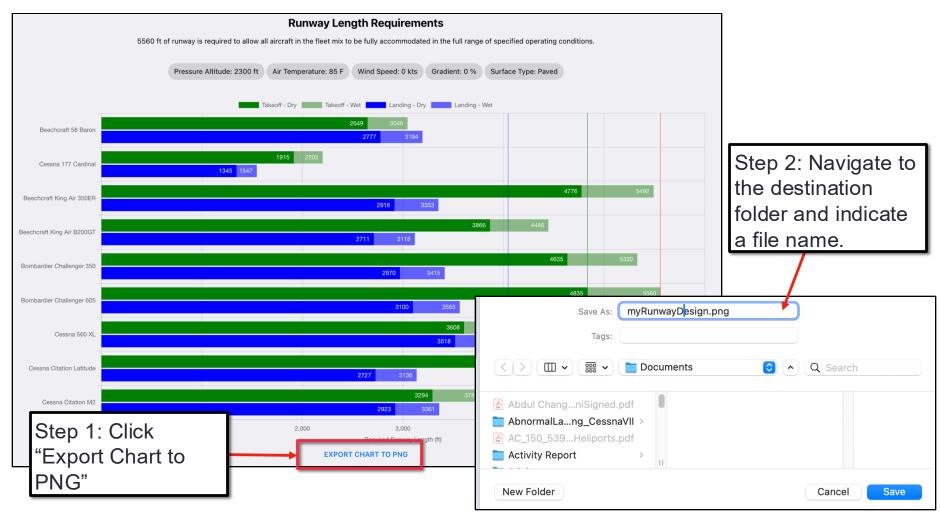
SARLAT 2 loads saved .dsarlat files with saved scenario runs





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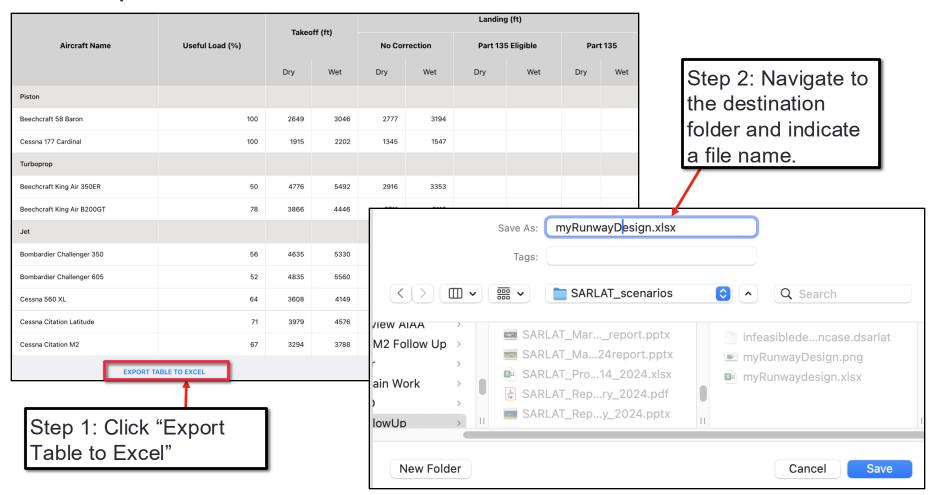
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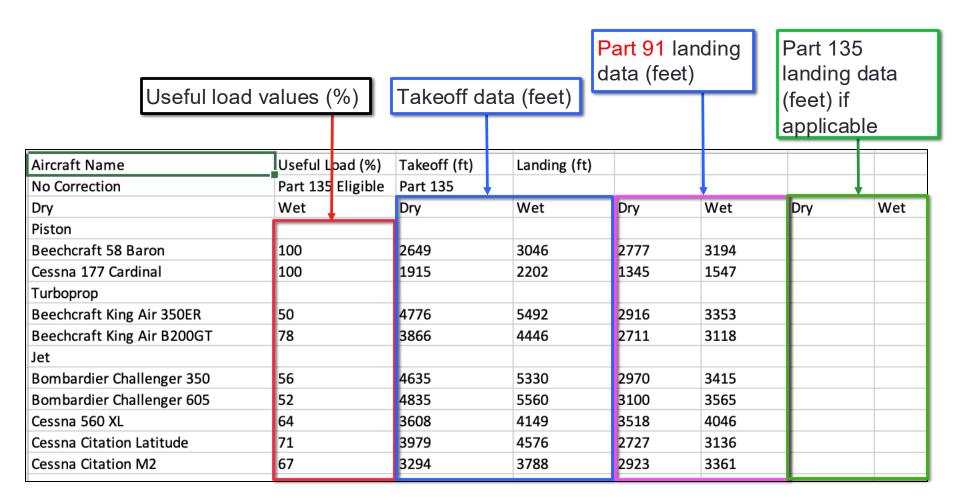
 SARLAT 2 saves numerical output data in Excel format or to the Clipboard





## Exporting SARLAT 2 Excel Output File

SARLAT 2 Excel output format





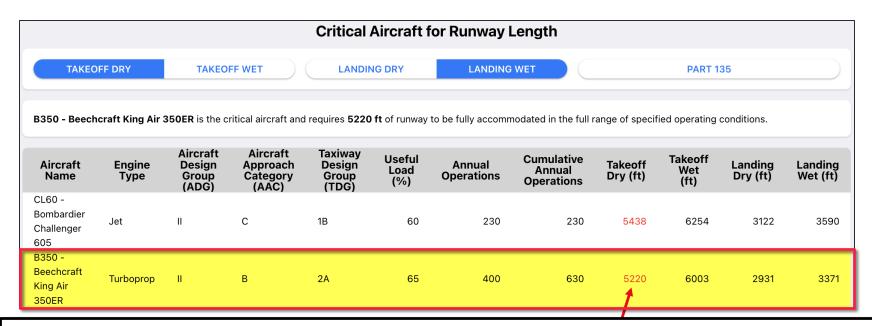
### Critical Aircraft Based on Runway Length

**Objective:** Determine the critical aircraft based on runway length performance.



## Critical Aircraft Based on Runway Length

- The critical aircraft for runway length requirement is derived from the ranked order list by runway length, with 500 or more cumulative annual operations
- For large aircraft, this includes trip distance with regular use by that aircraft type.

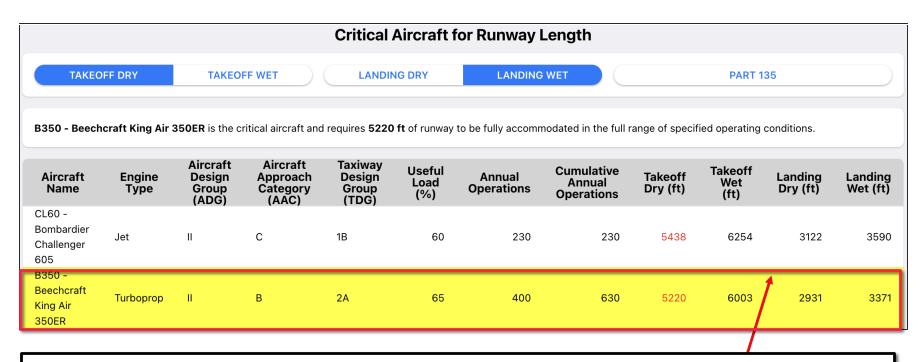


The Beechcraft King Air B350ER is the critical aircraft and requires 5,220 feet of runway for takeoff (dry pavement). The runway length is rounded to 5,200 feet.



# Critical Aircraft Based on Runway Length (2)

- The table below shows a sorted list of aircraft types ranked in descending runway length requirements
- The sorted list is arranged in descending order using the dry takeoff distance as the reference condition.

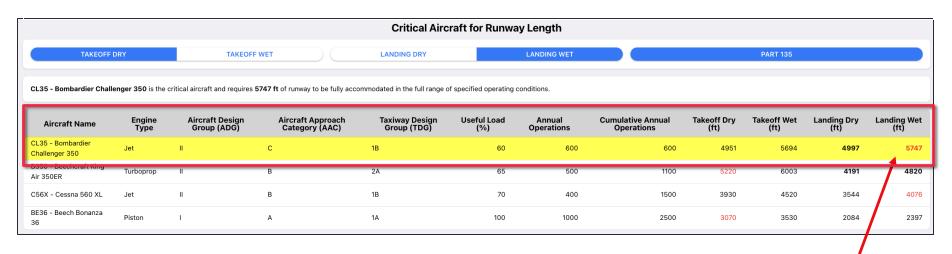


The Beechcraft King Air B350ER is the critical aircraft and requires 5,220 feet of runway for takeoff (dry pavement). The runway length is rounded to 5,200 feet.



# Critical Aircraft with Part 135 Toggle (3)

- The table below shows a design scenario with four aircraft in the fleet mix
- The sorted list is arranged in descending order using the wet landing distance as the reference condition (i.e., the most demanding runway length)
- Part 135 landing distances adjustments are considered when reporting wet landing distances with the Part 135 toggle on
- Part 135 landing conditions are the most demanding conditions for the Challenger 350
- The Challenger 350 is the critical aircraft because it has more than 500 annual operations and has the longest wet landing distance under Part 135

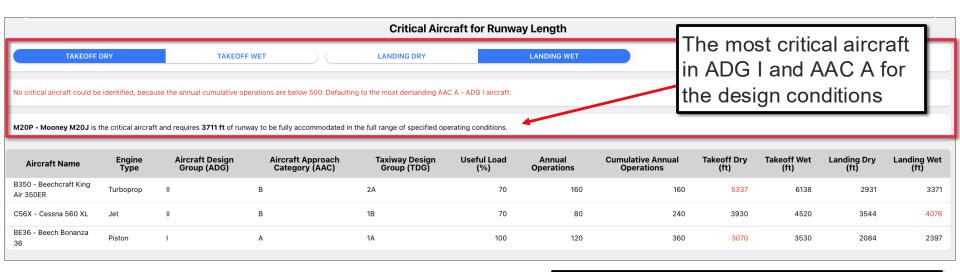


The Bombardier Challenger 350 is the critical aircraft and requires 5,747 feet of runway for landing under Part 135 rules. The runway length is rounded to 5,800 feet.



#### No Critical Aircraft Based on Runway Length Example

- If the cumulative number of annual operations at the airport do not reach 500, no critical aircraft is reported using the sorted method explained in the previous slides
- SARLAT 2 reports the critical aircraft as the most demanding aircraft in categories ADG I and AAC A for the design conditions
- For the example below, the Mooney M20J is found to be the most demanding ADG I and AAC A



Note: the annual cumulative number of operations is less than 500



# Case Study # 1: Runway Design



### **New Airport Description**

- A small rural, community plans to build a new airport
- The new airport will be equipped with a single, paved primary runway
- The anticipated aircraft fleet mix was developed for the new airport
- The near-term critical aircraft for RDC was identified as the Beechcraft King Air B200GT per the approved forecast. Expected trip distance with regular use based on input from users of the airport is 550 NM.
- The critical aircraft is defined by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) in *Advisory Circular 150/5000-17, Critical Aircraft and Regular Use Determination* (2017) as the most demanding aircraft to make regular use of the airport (at least 500 annual operations, including itinerant and local operations).
- No aircraft operating under Part 135 regulations are anticipated at this airport, nor is an AWOS planned (so, Part 135 operations are not selected in the analysis)
- The proposed airport will be built at an elevation of 1,930 feet Mean Sea Level (MSL)
- The design temperature, the mean daily maximum temperature of the hottest month of the year, is projected to be 88 degrees Fahrenheit (in July)
- Wind conditions were assumed to be calm for the analysis
- Preliminary engineering analysis for the proposed runway has determined an anticipated runway gradient of 0.8%.



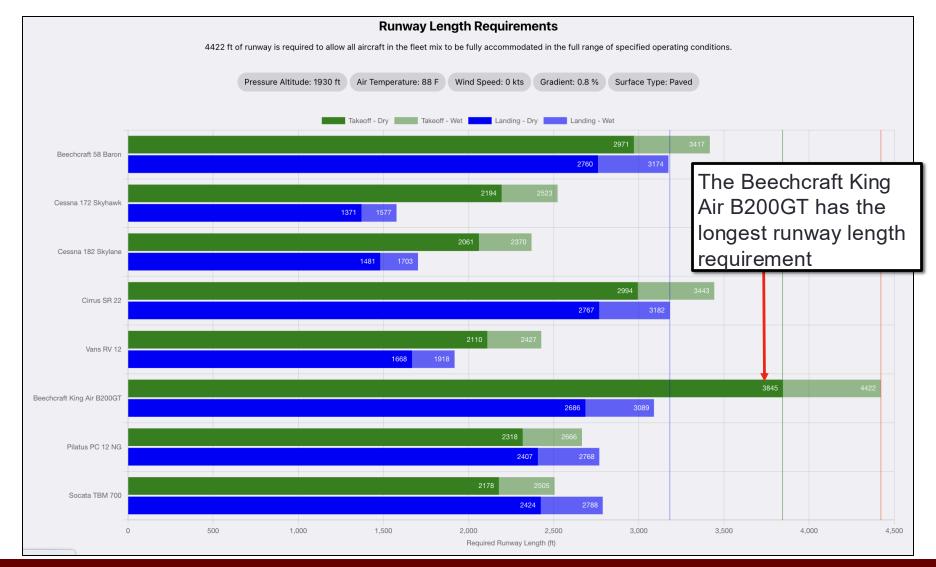
### New Airport Projected Fleet Mix and Design Conditions

Aircraft Name	Useful Load (%)	Annual Departures	Annual Arrivals
Piston			
Beechcraft 58 Baron	100	215	215
Cessna 172 Skyhawk	100	745	745
Cessna 182 Skylane	100	370	370
Cirrus SR 22	100	260	260
Mooney M20J	100	200	200
Vans RV 12	100	120	120
Turboprop			
Beechcraft B200 King Air	90	260	260
Pilatus PC 12 NG	90	90	90
Socata TBM 700	90	70	70

Parameter	Value
Pressure Altitude (Field Elevation) (ft)	1930
Air Temperature (F)	88
Wind Speed (knots)	0
Runway Gradient (%)	0.8
Surface Type	Paved



#### New Airport Runway Length Requirements: Graphical Output





# New Airport Runway Length Requirements Table Output

		Takeoff (ft)		Landing (ft)							
Aircraft Name	Useful Load (%)			No Correction		Part 135 Eligible		Part 135			
		Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet		
Piston											
Beechcraft 58 Baron	100	2971	3417	2760	3174						
Cessna 172 Skyhawk	100	2194	2523	1371	1577						
Cessna 182 Skylane	100	2061	2370	1481	1703						
Cirrus SR 22	100	2994	3443	2767	3182						
Vans RV 12	100	2110	2427	1668	1918						
Turboprop						The	Beechcr	aft Kin	ig 📗		
Beechcraft King Air B200GT	78	3845	4422	2686	3089		Air B200GT has the longest runway length requirement				
Pilatus PC 12 NG	60	2318	2666	2407	2768						
Socata TBM 700	60	2178	2505	2424	2788	requ					



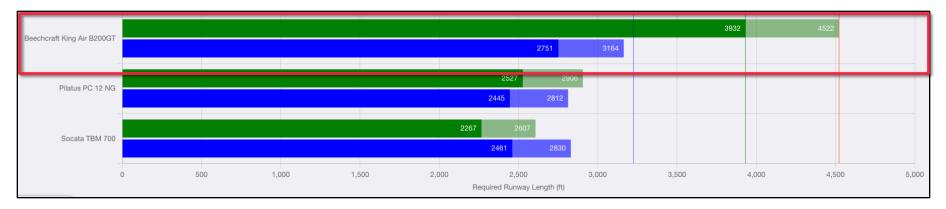
### New Airport Analysis Summary

- The analysis shows that a 3,900-foot long runway satisfies the dry pavement requirement for the Beechcraft King Air B200GT (which is critical aircraft for both RDC and runway length)
- Wet landing conditions for the critical aircraft require a 3,100 foot runway (rounded from 3,089 feet)



### New Airport Sensitivity Analysis: Climate Change

- The design explores future climate changes predicted by 2050 per FAA report TC 21/43
- National Climate Assessment predicts a four-degree F increase in the mean maximum temperature of the hottest month of the year by 2050 in a high emissions scenario



SARLAT 2 output with design temperature of 98 degrees. F.

- Beechcraft King Air B200GT requires 3,932 feet of runway (dry takeoff) with the new design conditions
- The runway required is rounded to 4,000 feet per AC policy.



## Case Study # 2: Runway Evaluation



### **Existing Runway Airport Evaluation**

- Existing reliever airport with a 5,200-foot paved runway
- The airport manager is interested in understanding how the existing runway length supports aircraft using the airport
- The anticipated aircraft fleet mix was developed using FAA Traffic Management Systems counts
- Operators of certain aircraft use Part 135/91K regulations, so Part 135/91K operations are selected for those aircraft types in the analysis
- The airport is located at an elevation of 2,960 feet Mean Sea Level (MSL)
- Evaluate both the annual average daily daytime temperature (64 F) and a hot temperature, the mean daily maximum temperature of the hottest month of the year, is 85 degrees Fahrenheit (in August) to understand how performance varies seasonally since not all operations occur during hot conditions
- Wind conditions were assumed to be calm for the analysis
- The existing runway has a gradient of 0.6%.



#### Existing Airport Fleet Mix and Design Conditions

Aircraft Name	Annual Departures	Annual Arrivals
Piston		
Beechcraft 58 Baron	185	185
Cessna 152	1200	1200
Cessna 172 Skyhawk	935	935
Mooney M20V Acclaim	265	265
Turboprop		
Beechcraft King Air 350ER	270	270
Pilatus PC 12 NG	345	345
Socata TBM 700	260	260
Jet		
Bombardier Challenger 350	255	255
Cessna Citation 560XL	145	145
Cessna Citation Latitude	165	165
Cessna Citation X	95	95
Cessna Citation CJ4	130	130
Cirrus Vision SF50	60	60
Embraer Phenom 300	270	270



## **Existing Airport Design Conditions**

Parameter	Value
Existing Runway length (ft)	5,200
Pressure Altitude (Field Elevation) (ft)	2,960
Air Temperature (F)	85
Wind Speed (knots)	0
Runway Gradient (%)	0.6
Surface Type	Paved



#### Runway Evaluation Results for Piston and Turboprop Aircraft

	_			Useful Load (Takeoff Weight)		Landing at Maximum Landing Weight						
Aircraft Name	Aircraft Mix					No Correction		Part 135 Eligible		Part 135		
		Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	
Piston												
Beechcraft 58 Baron	4%			100 % 5400 lbs	100 % 5400 lbs							
Cessna 152	26%			100 % 1670 lbs	100 % 1670 lbs							
Cessna 172 Skyhawk	20%			100 % 2300 lbs	100 % 2300 lbs		✓					
Mooney M20V Acclaim Ultra	6%			100 % 3368 lbs	100 % 3368 lbs							
Turboprop												
Beechcraft King Air 350ER	6%	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 945 nm / 5 pax	X	61 % 14087 lbs	25 % 11897 lbs						V	
Pilatus PC 12 NG	7%			100 % 10450 lbs	100 % 10450 lbs							
Socata TBM 850	6%			100 % 7394 lbs	100 % 7394 lbs						<b>V</b>	

#### Observations:

- 1) All piston aircraft can operate at 100% useful load from the 5,200-foot runway
- 2) The King Air B350ER can operate at 61% useful load from a 5,200-foot dry runway
- 3) The King Air B350ER can operate at 25% useful load from a 5,200-foot wet runway (impractical)
- 4) The "x" mark under range for the King Air B350ER reports a limited aircraft range that is impractical.



### Runway Evaluation Results for Jet Aircraft

		NBAA IFR Maximum Range SAMPLE DATA		Useful Load (Takeoff Weight)		Landing at Maximum Landing Weight					
Aircraft Name	Aircraft Mix					No Correction		Part 135 Eligible		Part 135	
		Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet
Bombardier Challenger 350	6%	99% FLIGHTS IN NAS 1751 nm / 4 pax	67% FLIGHTS IN NAS 750 nm / 4 pax	64 % 34957 lbs	39 % 31031 lbs	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	X
Cessna 560 XL	3%	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 1623 nm / 4 pax	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 1364 nm / 4 pax	100 % 20200 lbs	88 % 19348 lbs					X	X
Cessna Citation Latitude	4%	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 2078 nm / 4 pax	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 1640 nm / 4 pax	100 % 30800 lbs	85 % 28949 lbs		<b>✓</b>				X
Cessna Citation Sovereign	2%	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 2246 nm / 4 pax	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 2246 nm / 4 pax	100 % 30300 lbs	100 % 30300 lbs						X
Cessna Citation X	2%	86% FLIGHTS IN NAS 1333 nm / 4 pax	68% FLIGHTS IN NAS 922 nm / 4 pax	68 % 31661 lbs	54 % 29667 lbs				X	X	X
Cessna CitationJet 4	3%	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 1446 nm / 4 pax	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 1446 nm / 4 pax	100 % 16950 lbs	100 % 16950 lbs					X	X
Cirrus Vision SF50	1%	85% FLIGHTS IN NAS 552 nm / 3 pax	38% FLIGHTS IN NAS 236 nm / 3 pax	90 % 5755 lbs	68 % 5229 lbs					X	X
Phenom 300	6%	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 1536 nm / 4 pax	100% FLIGHTS IN NAS 1466 nm / 4 pax	100 % 17968 lbs	97 % 17778 lbs						X

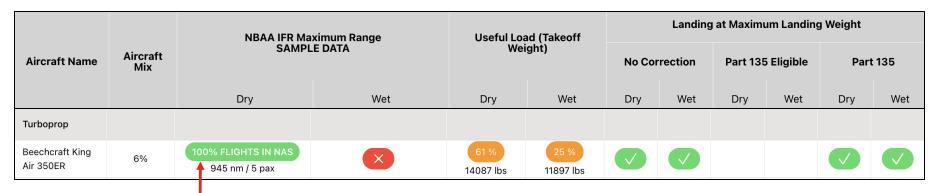
#### Observations:

- 1) Three jets operate with useful load limitations from the 5,200-foot runway
- 2) The Bombardier Challenger 350 can operate at 39% useful load under wet pavement conditions
- 3) The "x" mark under the Part 135 columns indicate that landings are not feasible when accounting for the added landing runway length requirements of air taxi operations.



#### Interpretation of Useful Load Results for King Air B350ER

Probe deeper into the SARLAT 2 results by selecting individual aircraft that operate with significant useful load restrictions.



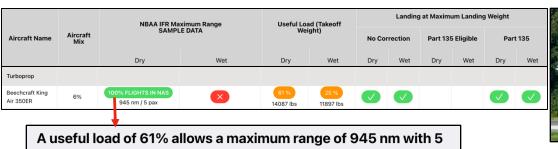
Click on the green area to explore the cumulative diagram of flights possible with five passengers plus two pilots and fly 945 nautical miles (with NBAA reserves)

- A King Air B350ER can operate at 61% of its maximum useful load
- The aircraft can takeoff at 14,087 lbs. and carry five passengers and travel 945 nautical miles
- 945 nm covers 100% of the flights conducted with the B350ER in the NAS.



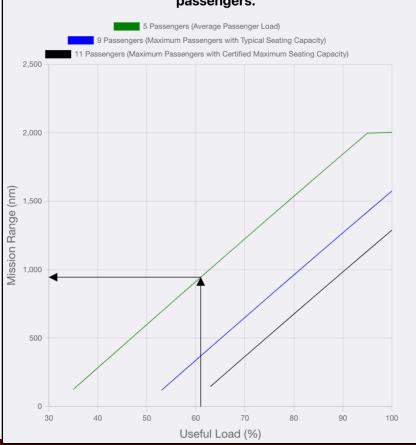


#### Useful Load and Mission Range for the King Air B350ER





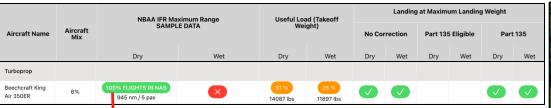
### A useful load of 61% allows a maximum range of 945 nm with 5 passengers.



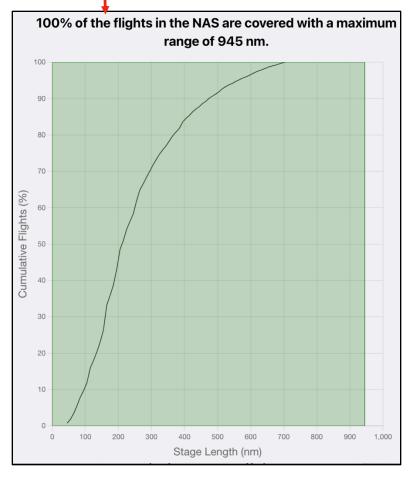
- A King Air B350ER can operate at 61% of its maximum useful load from the 5,200foot runway (dry pavement)
- The King Air B350ER takeoff field length is defined by the accelerate-stop-distance (certification basis is FAR Part 23 Commuter Category)
- The aircraft can takeoff at a weight of 14,087 lbs. and carry five passengers and two pilots and travel 945 nautical miles
- If the aircraft carries 9 passengers and two pilots, the mission range is reduced to 380 nm



#### Mission Range and Trip Distances Flown for the King Air B350ER





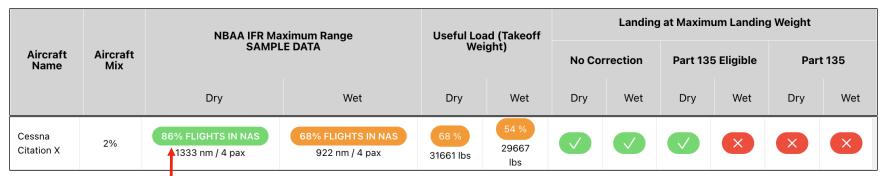


- A King Air B350ER can operate at a weight of 14,087 lbs. and carry five passengers plus two pilots and travel 945 nautical miles
- The cumulative plot of flights for the King Air B350ER shows that a mission of 945 nm covers 100% of the flights conducted in the NAS
- The King Air B350ER has a generous payload-range envelope making possible its operation from the 5,200-foot runway carrying typical passenger loads nearly 1,000 nautical mile.



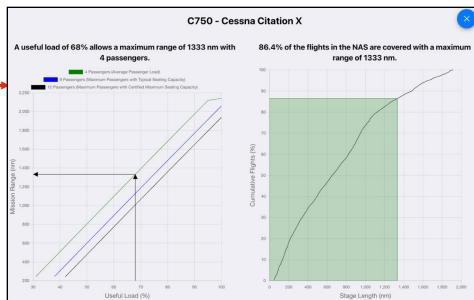
#### Interpretation of Useful Load Results for Cessna Citation X

Probe deeper into the SARLAT 2 results by selecting individual aircraft that operate with significant useful load restrictions.



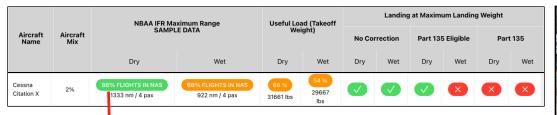
Click on the green area to explore the cumulative diagram of flights possible with four passengers plus two pilots and fly 1,333 nautical miles (with NBAA reserves)

- The Cessna Citation X can operate at 68% of its maximum useful load from the 5,200foot runway (dry pavement)
- The aircraft can takeoff at 31,661 lbs. and carry four passengers and travel 1,333 nautical miles
- 1,333 nm covers 86% of the flights in the NAS conducted with the Citation X

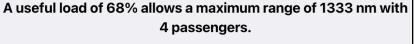


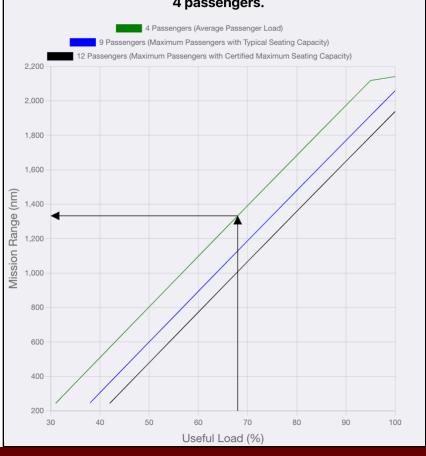


#### Useful Load and Mission Range for the Cessna Citation X









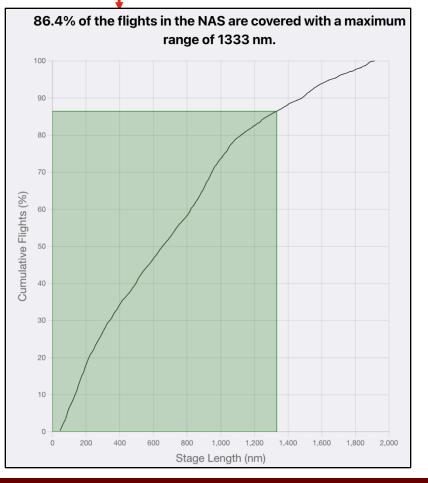
- The Cessna Citation X can operate at 68% of its maximum useful load from the 5,200foot runway (dry pavement)
- The Cessna Citation X takeoff field length is either the accelerate-stop-distance or the single engine-out continued takeoff (certification basis is FAR Part 25)
- The aircraft can takeoff at a weight of 31,661 lbs. and carry four passengers and two pilots and travel 1,333 nautical miles
- If the aircraft carries 9 passengers and two pilots instead, the mission range is reduced to 1,120 nm



#### Mission Range and Trip Distances Flown for the Cessna Citation X







- The Cessna Citation X departs at a weight of 31,661 lbs., carries four passengers two pilots, and travels 1,333 nautical miles
- The cumulative plot of flights for the Cessna Citation X shows that a mission of 1,333 nm covers 86.4% of the flights conducted in the NAS
- The cumulative flights versus stage length plot is obtained from thousands of flights via FAA TFMSC data.



#### Interpretation of 14 CFR Part 135 Landing Results for the Cessna Citation X

Aircraft Aircraft Name Mix		NBAA IFR Maximum Range		Useful Loa	nd (Takeoff	Landing at Maximum Landing Weight						
	SAMPLE DATA		Weight)		No Correction		Part 135 Eligible		Part 135			
		Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	
Cessna Citation X	2%	86% FLIGHTS IN NAS 1333 nm / 4 pax	68% FLIGHTS IN NAS 922 nm / 4 pax	68 % 31661 lbs	54 % 29667 Ibs				X	×	×	

Aircraft Name	Useful Load (%)	Takeoff (ft)		Landing (ft)							
				No Correction		Part 135 Eligible		Part 135			
		Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet	Dry	Wet		
Jet											
Cessna Citation X	68	5674	6525	4025	4629			6722	7730		

- The Cessna Citation X can take off and land on the 5,200-foot runway using actual (uncorrected) distances reported by the aircraft manufacturer
- The uncorrected landing distances are 4,025 (dry) feet and 4,629 feet (wet)
- The aircraft **cannot land under 14 CFR Part 135 rules** because adjustments to the landing distances by 1.67 and 1.92 are applied to the uncorrected dry and wet distances, respectively
- For 14 CFR Part 135 rules under dry runway conditions, the runway requirement is 6,277 feet long.



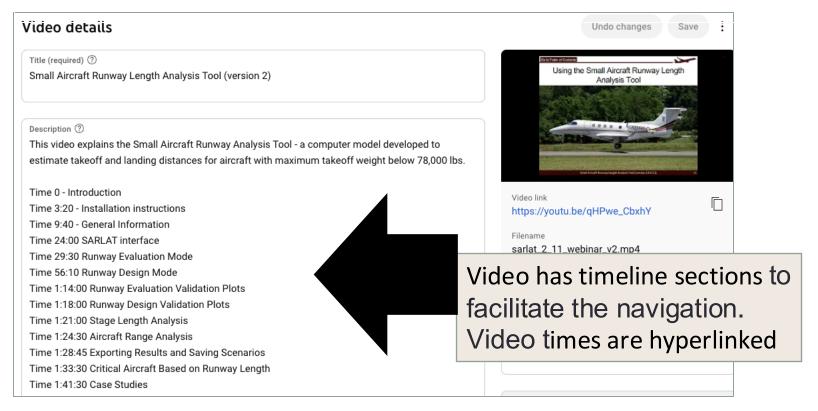
### Runway Evaluation Case Analysis Summary

- The 5,200-foot runway seems acceptable for most of the aircraft in the fleet mix
  - Any assessments for a runway extension are evaluated in Runway Design, not Runway Evaluation
- Large turboprops like the King Air B350ER have a wide payloadrange envelope, allowing them to operate with five passengers and two pilots and still fly 100% of the missions flown in the NAS with a useful load of 61% from a dry 5,200-foot runway
- Surprisingly, some small jets like the Cirrus Vision SF50 can operate with substantial useful load limitations if the 5,200-foot runway is wet (i.e., 68% useful load but only able to fly 235 nm with three passengers and a single pilot); if the runway is wet, the pilot may opt to delay the flight until conditions improve



# Feedback and YouTube Tutorial to Learn More About the SARLAT 2 Tool

- We welcome your feedback
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#### Additional Notes and SARLAT 2 Errata Table



## Landing Distance Data in SARLAT

- SARLAT includes landing performance data under maximum allowable weight landing conditions
- For this reason, if you use the Part 135 toggles in SARLAT, some aircraft will display long landing distances consistent with higher approach speeds
- A future version of SARLAT will include landing distances for different weights

For AIP projects, the FAA will decide on applicable landing weights to be used.