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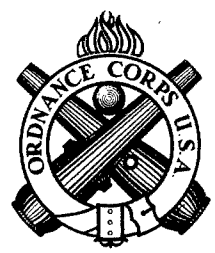
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# ABSTRACT

A general computer program was written for the Electrodata 204 Digital Computer to permit rapid solution of wheeled vehicle mobility performance in accordance with the theory and procedure practiced by OTAC Land Locomotion Laboratory.

Curves of sinkage and drawbar pull versus mud and snow soil consistency values were plotted of various sized tires for preliminary design guidance.

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PROJECT TITLE: DIGITAL COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR WHEELED VEHICLE COMPUTATION

INTRODUCTION:

The Land Locomotion Laboratory of the Ordnance Tank-Automotive Command has established the essential parameters governing wheeled vehicle mobility on soft soil terrain, resulting in a definitive method of calculating mobility performance.

Determination of vehicle mobility is now possible by application of the Land Locomotion Laboratory research, but the solution is lengthy and the procedure complex.

This report presents a high-speed computation method programmed for a digital computer system possessing 4,000 words of drum storage, 800,000 words of magnetic tape storage, floating point procedure, and flexowriter printout.

OBJECT:

Provide a general computer program for calculating wheeled vehicle mobility using the Electrodata 204 Digital Computer; describe vehicle mobility in terms of drawbar pull, depth of sinkage, and soil parameters for various terrain conditions.

SUMMARY:

The computer program outlined in this report for computing wheeled vehicle mobility is based on the theory and method described by M. G. Bekker in "Theory of Land Locomotion."

The factors essential to the program are represented by the following expressions and relationships:

|                               |                                                                 |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Drawbar Pull                  | $DP = H - R_c$                                                  |
| Tractive Effort               | $H = blc + W \tan \phi$                                         |
| Compaction Resistance         | $R_c = \frac{bkz^{n+1}}{n+1}$                                   |
| Length of Ground Contact Area | $L = 2 \sqrt{z(D-z)}$                                           |
| Sinkage                       | $z = \left[ \frac{3W}{bk(3-n) \sqrt{D}} \right] \frac{2}{2n+1}$ |
| Soil Factor                   | $k = \frac{k_c}{b} + k_\phi$                                    |

The required vehicle and soil data necessary for the evaluation of vehicle mobility performance are as follows:

$b$  = tire width, inches

$D$  = tire diameter, inches

$W$  = maximum load, lbs.

$k_c$  = "cohesive" modulus of deformation

$k_\phi$  = "frictional" modulus of deformation

$n$  = sinkage exponent

$c$  = coefficient of internal soil cohesion

$\tan \phi$  = tangent of the angle of internal soil friction

Established values for  $k_c$ ,  $k_\phi$ ,  $n$ ,  $c$ , and  $\tan \phi$  in various soil conditions are listed in Appendix A.

#### CONCLUSIONS AND RESULTS:

The digital computing machine procedure for computing "Wheeled Vehicle Mobility" requires approximately 1/2 man-hour of operation to complete one vehicle analysis. This results in a time saved ratio of 8 to 1 over conventional computing methods. The ratio increases to over 100 to 1 when a great number of vehicle studies are required.

Curves of sinkage and drawbar pull versus mud and snow soil factors were plotted of various sized tires in Appendix B for preliminary design guidance.

#### DIGITAL COMPUTER PROGRAM:

##### 1. Program Statements Nomenclature:

|                                   |                                             |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| $c_0 = b$                         | $i_1 = \text{number of sets of parameters}$ |
| $c_1 = D$                         | $y_0 = k$                                   |
| $c_2 = W$                         | $y_1 = Z$                                   |
| $c_{i0} = k_c \text{'s}$          | $y_2 = L$                                   |
| $c(i_0 + i_1) = k_\phi \text{'s}$ | $y_3 = H$                                   |

$$c(i_0 + 211) = n's$$

$$y_4 = R_c$$

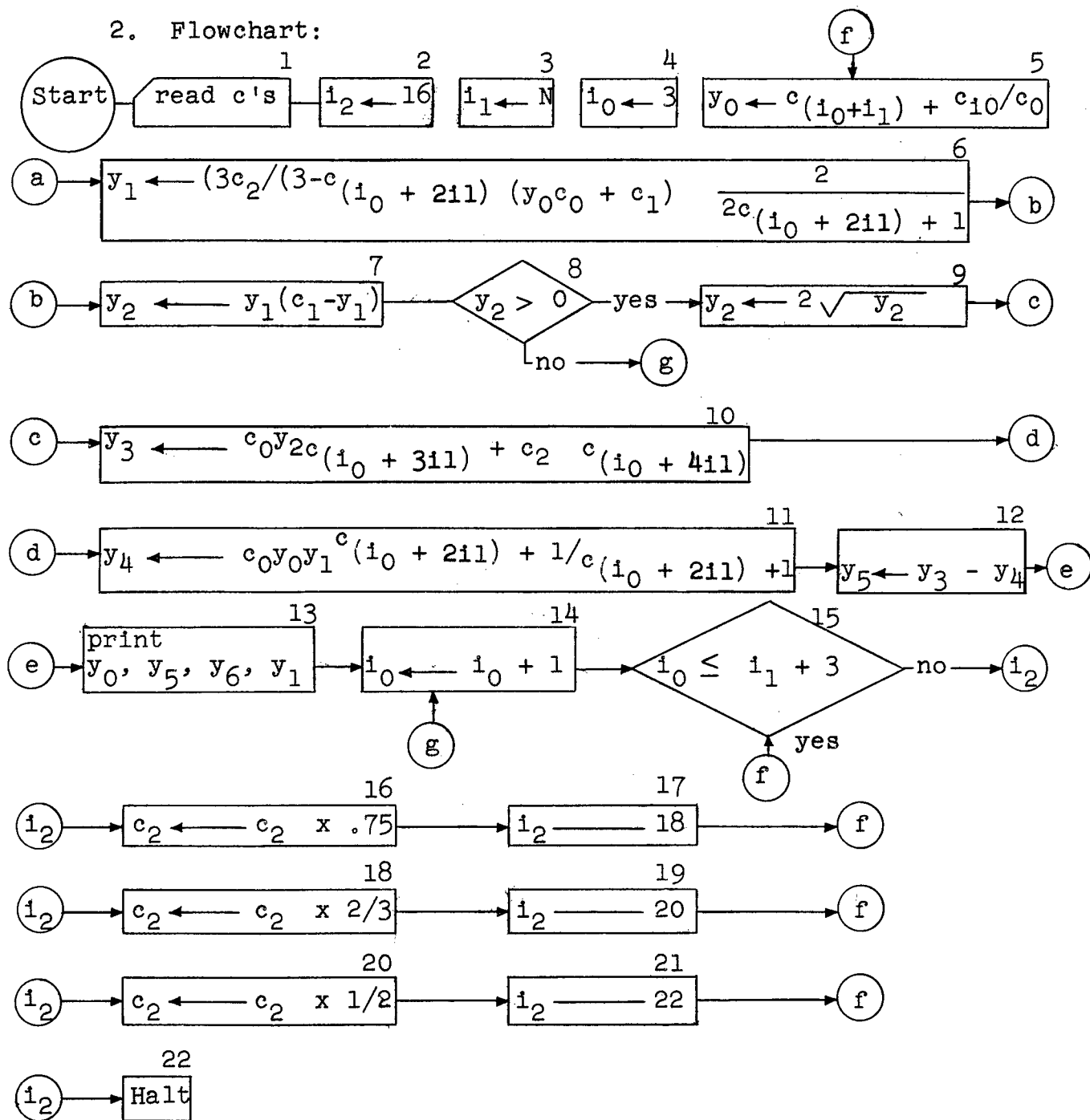
$$c(i_0 + 311) = c's$$

$$y_5 = DP$$

$$c(i_0 + 411) = \tan\phi's$$

$$y_6 = DP/W$$

## 2. Flowchart:



### 3. Input Data:

4 0000 00 0000

1 = number of sets of parameters

4 0000 00 0009

0009     b

0010     D

0011     W

$k_{c1}$

$k_{c2}$

°

°

$k_{c1}$

$k_{\phi 1}$

$k_{\phi 2}$

°

°

$k_{\phi 1}$

$n_1$

$n_2$

°

°

°

$n_1$

$c_1$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 c_2 \\
 \cdot \\
 \cdot \\
 \cdot \\
 c_1 \\
 (\tan \phi)_1 \\
 \cdot \\
 \cdot \\
 \cdot \\
 (\tan \phi)_1
 \end{array}$$

6 0000 30 0120

#### 4. Operating the Program:

1. Turn high speed tape "ON".
2. Turn magnetic tape #2 "ON" with the Compiler tape occupying #2.
3. Read in program tape.
4. Read in data tape. (Program starts automatically and punches results on high-speed punch).

#### 5. Output:

The output is in the following form:

|       |          |            |          |              |       |       |                 |
|-------|----------|------------|----------|--------------|-------|-------|-----------------|
| b     | D        | W          | $k_{c1}$ | $k_{\phi}$   | $n_1$ | $c_1$ | $(\tan \phi)_1$ |
| $k_1$ | $(DP)_1$ | $(DP/W)_1$ | $z_1$    |              |       |       |                 |
| b     | D        | W          | $k_{c2}$ | $k_{\phi 2}$ | $n_2$ | $c_2$ | $(\tan \phi)_2$ |
| $k_2$ | $(DP)_2$ | $(DP/W)_2$ | $z_2$    |              |       |       |                 |
| •     | •        | •          | •        | •            | •     | •     | •               |
| •     | •        | •          | •        | •            | •     | •     | •               |
| •     | •        | •          | •        | •            | •     | •     | •               |
| b     | D        | W          | $k_{c1}$ | $k_{\phi 1}$ | $n_1$ | $c_1$ | $(\tan \phi)_1$ |
| $k_1$ | $(DP)_1$ | $(DP/W)_1$ | $z_1$    |              |       |       |                 |

## 6. Detail Printout of Compiled Program:

The following is a detail printout of the compiled program<sup>1</sup>:

|                                                                   |      |                                                   |         | <u>REMARKS</u>              |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------|---------------------------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------|
| i0                                                                | 0000 |                                                   |         | base address of i0          |
| y0                                                                | 0003 |                                                   |         | base address of y           |
| c0                                                                | 0009 |                                                   |         | base address of c           |
| s0                                                                | 0070 |                                                   |         | base address of s           |
| b0                                                                | 0120 |                                                   |         | base address of b           |
|                                                                   |      |                                                   |         |                             |
| 006 e                                                             | 01   | 3560                                              | 0562    | Page turning routine        |
| 209 e                                                             | 06   | 3440                                              | 0486    | 10 <sup>x</sup> routine     |
| 207 e                                                             | 04   | 3360                                              | 0482    | log <sub>10</sub> x routine |
| 200 e                                                             | 04   | 3280                                              | 0463    | square root routine         |
| 005 e                                                             | 03   | 3220                                              | 0554    | Print out routine           |
| 099 e                                                             | 01   | 3200                                              | 0460    | Fixed point error routine   |
| f.p.a.e                                                           | 18   | 3580                                              | 0501    | Floating Point routine      |
| 0si2=14                                                           | f    |                                                   |         | Set index for parameters    |
| 0120                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 64 7019 |                             |
| 0121                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 02 0002 |                             |
|                                                                   |      |                                                   |         |                             |
| 1si1=3                                                            | f    |                                                   |         | Set index for parameters    |
| 0122                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 64 7018 |                             |
| 0123                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 02 0001 |                             |
|                                                                   |      |                                                   |         |                             |
| 2e"5e,7054,c0,c1,c2,ci1,c(i1+i0),c(i1+2xi0),c(i1+3xi0),c(i1+4xi0) |      |                                                   |         |                             |
| "                                                                 | f    | Print out b, D, W, kc1, kØ1, n1, ci, and (tan Ø)i |         |                             |
| 0124                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 64 0000 |                             |
| 0125                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 60 7017 |                             |
| 0126                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 15 7028 |                             |
| 0127                                                              | +    | 3000                                              | 21 3200 |                             |
| 0128                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 74 0001 |                             |
| 0129                                                              | +    | 2000                                              | 29 3200 |                             |
| 0130                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 02 6002 |                             |
| 0131                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 72 6002 |                             |
| 0132                                                              | -    | 0000                                              | 64 0009 |                             |
| 0133                                                              | +    | 0000                                              | 02 3960 |                             |

<sup>1</sup> See "The Purdue Compiler Handbook"

0134 + 0000 64 0000  
 0135 + 0000 60 7018  
 0136 + 0000 30 0140  
 0137 + 0000 00 0004  
 0138 + 0000 00 0003  
 0139 + 0000 00 0014

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0140 + 0000 15 7042  
 0141 + 3000 21 3200  
 0142 + 0000 74 0001  
 0143 + 2000 29 3200  
 0144 + 0000 02 6002  
 0145 + 0000 72 6002  
 0146 - 0000 64 0009  
 0147 + 0000 02 3961  
 0148 + 0000 64 0000  
 0149 + 0000 60 7019  
 0150 + 0000 15 7052  
 0151 + 3000 21 3200  
 0152 + 0000 74 0001  
 0153 + 2000 29 3200  
 0154 + 0000 02 6002  
 0155 + 0000 72 6002  
 0156 - 0000 64 0009  
 0157 + 0000 02 3962  
 0158 + 0000 30 0160  
 0159 + 0000 00 0002

0160 + 0000 64 0000  
 0161 + 0000 74 0001  
 0162 + 2000 29 3200  
 0163 + 0000 02 6002  
 0164 + 0000 72 6002  
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 0166 + 0000 02 3963  
 0167 + 0000 72 0001  
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 0169 + 0000 02 3964  
 0170 + 0000 64 0011  
 0171 + 0000 02 3965  
 0172 + 0000 64 0010  
 0173 + 0000 02 3966  
 0174 + 0000 64 0009  
 0175 + 0000 02 3967  
 0176 + 0000 64 7019  
 0177 + 0900 21 3220  
 0178 + 0000 30 0180  
 0179 + 0000 00 7054

$$3sy0=c(i0+i1)+ci1/c0 \quad f$$

$$k = \frac{k_c}{b} + k_\emptyset$$

0180 + 0000 64 0009  
 0181 + 0000 72 0001  
 0182 + 0000 02 6000  
 0183 - 0000 64 0009  
 0184 + 6000 21 3596  
 0185 + 0000 02 6000  
 0186 + 0000 64 0001  
 0187 + 0000 74 0000  
 0188 + 2000 29 3200  
 0189 + 0000 02 6001  
 0190 + 0000 72 6001  
 0191 - 0000 64 0009  
 0192 + 6000 21 3580  
 0193 + 0000 02 0003

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$$4sy1=((3.xc2)/((3.-c(i1+2xi0))xy0xc0x"200e,c1"))*(2./((2.xc(i1+2xi0))+1.))f$$

0194 + 0000 64 7019  
 0195 + 0000 02 6002  
 0196 + 0000 64 0000  
 0197 + 0000 30 0200  
 0198 - 0640 00 0009  
 0199 + 5110 00 0000

$$z = \left[ \frac{3W}{bk(3-n)D} \right] \frac{2}{2n+1}$$

0200 + 0000 60 7019  
 0201 + 0000 15 7003  
 0202 + 3000 21 3200  
 0203 + 0000 74 0001  
 0204 + 2000 29 3200  
 0205 + 0000 02 6004  
 0206 + 0000 72 6004  
 0207 - 0000 64 0009  
 0208 + 7018 21 3600  
 0209 + 6002 21 3580  
 0210 + 0000 02 6001  
 0211 + 0000 64 7018  
 0212 + 6001 21 3596  
 0213 + 0000 02 6000  
 0214 + 0000 64 0010  
 0215 + 0100 21 3280  
 0216 + 0009 21 3600  
 0217 + 0000 30 0220  
 0218 + 5120 00 0000  
 0219 + 0000 00 0002

0220 + 0003 21 3600  
 0221 + 0000 02 6002  
 0222 + 0000 64 0000  
 0223 + 0000 60 7019  
 0224 + 0000 15 7026

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0225 + 3000 21 3200  
0226 + 0000 74 0001  
0227 + 2000 29 3200  
0228 + 0000 02 6004  
0229 + 0000 72 6004  
0230 - 0000 64 0009  
0231 + 0000 02 6003  
0232 + 0000 64 7018  
0233 + 6003 21 3584  
0234 + 6002 21 3600  
0235 + 0000 02 6001  
0236 + 0000 64 0011  
0237 + 0000 30 0240  
0238 + 5130 00 0000  
0239 + 0000 00 0002

0240 + 7019 21 3600  
0241 + 6001 21 3596  
0242 + 0000 21 3360  
0243 + 6000 21 3600  
0244 + 0000 21 3440  
0245 + 0000 02 0004

25sy2=y1x(c1-y1) f z (D-z)

0246 + 0000 64 0004  
0247 + 0000 02 6001  
0248 + 0000 64 0010  
0249 + 6001 21 3584  
0250 + 0004 21 3600  
0251 + 0000 02 0005

26rg27,ry2/=0. f One space if  $z(D-z) < 0$ , if  $z(D-z) > 0$ ,  
go to Statement 5

0252 + 0000 64 7018  
0253 + 0000 02 6000  
0254 + 0000 64 0005  
0255 + 6000 21 3584  
0256 + 0000 15 0440  
0257 + 0000 30 0260  
0258 - 0000 00 0000  
0259 + 5130 00 0000

0260 + 0000 73 7019  
0261 + 0000 28 7063  
0262 + 0000 20 0097

5sy2=2.x"200e,y2" f L =  $2\sqrt{z(D-z)}$

0263 + 0000 64 0005  
0264 + 0100 21 3280

0265 + 7018 21 3600  
 0266 + 0000 02 0005

# REMARKS

$$6sy3=(c0xy2xc(i1+3xi0))+(c2xc(i1+4xi0))f \quad H = bLc + W \tan \emptyset$$

0267 + 0000 64 0000  
 0268 + 0000 60 7017  
 0269 + 0000 15 7071  
 0270 + 3000 21 3200  
 0271 + 0000 74 0001  
 0272 + 2000 29 3200  
 0273 + 0000 02 6002  
 0274 + 0000 72 6002  
 0275 - 0000 64 0009  
 0276 + 0000 30 0280  
 0277 + 0000 00 0004  
 0278 + 5120 00 0000  
 0279 - 0000 00 0000

0280 + 0011 21 3600  
 0281 + 0000 02 6000  
 0282 + 0000 64 0000  
 0283 + 0000 60 7019  
 0284 + 0000 15 7086  
 0285 + 3000 21 3200  
 0286 + 0000 74 0001  
 0287 + 2000 29 3200  
 0288 + 0000 02 6002  
 0289 + 0000 72 6002  
 0290 - 0000 64 0009  
 0291 + 0005 21 3600  
 0292 + 0009 21 3600  
 0293 + 6000 21 3580  
 0294 + 0000 02 0006

$$7sy4=c0xy0x(y1*(c(i1+2xi0)+1.)))/(c(i1+2xi0)+1.)f \quad R_c = \frac{bk \, z^{n+1}}{n+1}$$

0295 + 0000 64 7018  
 0296 + 0000 02 6001  
 0297 + 0000 30 0300  
 0298 + 5110 00 0000  
 0299 + 0000 00 0003

0300 + 0000 64 0000  
 0301 + 0000 60 7019  
 0302 + 0000 15 7004  
 0303 + 3000 21 3200  
 0304 + 0000 74 0001  
 0305 + 2000 29 3200  
 0306 + 0000 02 6002  
 0307 + 0000 72 6002

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0308 - 0000 64 0009  
 0309 + 6001 21 3580  
 0310 + 0000 02 6000  
 0311 + 0000 64 7018  
 0312 + 0000 02 6002  
 0313 + 0000 64 0000  
 0314 + 0000 60 7019  
 0315 + 0000 15 0442  
 0316 + 3000 21 3200  
 0317 + 0000 30 0320  
 0318 + 5110 00 0000  
 0319 + 0000 00 0002

0320 + 0000 74 0001  
 0321 + 2000 29 3200  
 0322 + 0000 02 6003  
 0323 + 0000 72 6003  
 0324 - 0000 64 0009  
 0325 + 6002 21 3580  
 0326 + 0000 02 6001  
 0327 + 0000 64 0004  
 0328 + 0000 21 3360  
 0329 + 6001 21 3600  
 0330 + 0000 21 3440  
 0331 + 6000 21 3596  
 0332 + 0003 21 3600  
 0333 + 0009 21 3600  
 0334 + 0000 02 0007

8sy3=y3-y4 f

$$DP = H - R_c$$

0335 + 0000 64 0007  
 0336 + 0000 02 6000  
 0337 + 0000 64 0006  
 0338 + 6000 21 3584  
 0339 + 0000 30 0340

0340 + 0000 02 0006

9sy5=y3/c2 f

$$DP/W = \frac{H - R_c}{W}$$

0341 + 0000 64 0011  
 0342 + 0000 02 6000  
 0343 + 0000 64 0006  
 0344 + 6000 21 3596  
 0345 + 0000 02 0008

10e"5e,7054,y0,y3,y5,y1"f

Print out k, DP, DP/W, z

0346 + 0000 64 0004  
 0347 + 0000 02 3960

0348 + 0000 64 0008  
 0349 + 0000 02 3961  
 0350 + 0000 64 0006  
 0351 + 0000 02 3962  
 0352 + 0000 64 0003  
 0353 + 0000 02 3963  
 0354 + 0000 64 7019  
 0355 + 0500 21 3220

# REMARKS

11si1=i1+1 f

index j

0356 + 0000 64 7018  
 0357 + 0000 30 0360  
 0358 + 0000 00 0001  
 0359 + 0000 00 7054

0360 + 0000 74 0001  
 0361 + 2000 29 3200  
 0362 + 0000 02 0001

12rg2,ri1/(i0+3) f Go to statement 2 if  $j < 1 + 3$ , if  
 not go to Statement 13

0363 + 0000 64 7019  
 0364 + 0000 74 0000  
 0365 + 2000 29 3200  
 0366 + 0000 02 6000  
 0367 + 0000 64 0001  
 0368 + 0000 75 6000  
 0369 + 1000 29 3200  
 0370 + 0000 15 7074  
 0371 + 0000 73 7018  
 0372 + 0000 28 7074  
 0373 + 0000 20 0072

13gi2 f Go to change of W value

0374 + 0000 72 0002  
 0375 - 0000 20 0070  
 0376 + 0000 30 0380  
 0377 + 0000 30 0360  
 0378 - 0000 00 0000  
 0379 + 0000 00 0003

14sc2=c2x.75 f Set W = .75 W

0380 + 0000 64 7019  
 0381 + 0011 21 3600  
 0382 + 0000 02 0011

15si2=17 f Set Switch

|                     | <u>REMARKS</u>                         |
|---------------------|----------------------------------------|
| 0383 + 0000 64 7018 |                                        |
| 0384 + 0000 02 0002 |                                        |
| 0e"6e,2" f          | Two spaces                             |
| 0385 + 0000 64 7017 |                                        |
| 0386 + 0100 21 3560 |                                        |
| 16g1f               | Go to statement 1 for next calculation |
| 0387 + 0000 20 0071 |                                        |
| 17si2=20 f          | Set switch for next W                  |
| 0388 + 0000 64 7016 |                                        |
| 0389 + 0000 02 0002 |                                        |
| 18sc2=c2x2./3.f     | Set .75W to .5W                        |
| 0390 + 0000 64 7015 |                                        |
| 0391 + 0000 02 6000 |                                        |
| 0392 + 0000 64 7014 |                                        |
| 0393 + 0000 30 0400 |                                        |
| 0394 + 5120 00 0000 |                                        |
| 0395 + 5130 00 0000 |                                        |
| 0396 + 0000 00 0020 |                                        |
| 0397 + 0000 00 0002 |                                        |
| 0398 + 0000 00 0017 |                                        |
| 0399 + 5075 00 0000 |                                        |
| 0400 + 6000 21 3596 |                                        |
| 0401 + 0011 21 3600 |                                        |
| 0402 + 0000 02 0011 |                                        |
| 0e"6e,2" f          | Two spaces                             |
| 0403 + 0000 64 7019 |                                        |
| 0404 + 0100 21 3560 |                                        |
| 19g1f               | Go to statement 1 for next calculation |
| 0405 + 0000 20 0071 |                                        |
| 20sc2=c2x.5 f       | Set .5W to .25W                        |
| 0406 + 0000 64 7018 |                                        |
| 0407 + 0011 21 3600 |                                        |
| 0408 + 0000 02 0011 |                                        |
| 0e"6e,2" f          | Two spaces                             |

|            |                | <u>REMARKS</u>                                   |
|------------|----------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| 0409       | + 0000 64 7019 |                                                  |
| 0410       | + 0100 21 3560 |                                                  |
| 21s12=23 f |                | Set switch                                       |
| 0411       | + 0000 64 7017 |                                                  |
| 0412       | + 0000 02 0002 |                                                  |
| 22g1f      |                | Go to Statement 1 for next calculation           |
| 0413       | + 0000 20 0071 |                                                  |
| 23e"6e,3"f |                | Three spaces                                     |
| 0414       | + 0000 64 7016 |                                                  |
| 0415       | + 0000 30 0420 |                                                  |
| 0416       | + 0000 00 0003 |                                                  |
| 0417       | + 0000 00 0023 |                                                  |
| 0418       | + 5050 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0419       | + 0000 00 0002 |                                                  |
| 0420       | + 0100 21 3560 |                                                  |
| 24h f      |                | Stop Computing                                   |
| 0421       | + 0000 08 0000 |                                                  |
| 27e"6e,1"f |                | Turn page one time (indicating negative sinkage) |
| 0422       | + 0000 64 7019 |                                                  |
| 0423       | + 0100 21 3560 |                                                  |
| 28g11 f    |                | Go to next calculation                           |
| 0424       | + 0000 20 0081 |                                                  |
| 0425       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0426       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0427       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0428       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0429       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0430       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0431       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0432       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0433       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0434       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0435       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0436       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0437       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0438       | + 0000 00 0000 |                                                  |
| 0439       | + 0000 00 0001 |                                                  |

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0440 + 0000 37 0260  
0441 + 0000 20 7062  
0442 + 0000 30 0320

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The approach presented in this computer program considers the pneumatic tire of wheeled vehicles to be rigid and provides conservative results for most soil conditions.

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| Soil #1<br>Moisture<br>14% | Soil #2<br>Moisture<br>16% | Soil #3<br>Moisture<br>18% | Soil #4<br>Moisture<br>20% | Soil #5<br>Moisture<br>22% | Soil #6<br>Moisture<br>24% |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| $k_c = 17.5$               | $k_c = 9.5$                | $k_c = 6.5$                | $k_c = 4.5$                | $k_c = 3.3$                | $k_c = 2.2$                |
| $k_\phi = 6.6$             | $k_\phi = 5.6$             | $k_\phi = 4.7$             | $k_\phi = 3.75$            | $k_\phi = 2.8$             | $k_\phi = 1.8$             |
| $n = .53$                  | $n = .50$                  | $n = .47$                  | $n = .425$                 | $n = .39$                  | $n = .35$                  |
| $c = 1.6$                  | $c = 1.9$                  | $c = 2.05$                 | $c = 1.58$                 | $c = 1.05$                 | $c = .82$                  |
| $\tan\phi = .56$           | $\tan\phi = .52$           | $\tan\phi = .476$          | $\tan\phi = .435$          | $\tan\phi = .394$          | $\tan\phi = .358$          |

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|             |   |       |
|-------------|---|-------|
| $k_c$       | = | 3.6   |
| $k_\phi$    | = | .3    |
| $n$         | = | 1.02  |
| $c$         | = | .18   |
| $\tan \phi$ | = | .3288 |

APPENDIX B

CURVES OF DRAWBAR PULL AND SINKAGE  
VERSUS SOIL CONSISTENCY AND SNOW  
CONSISTENCY VALUES

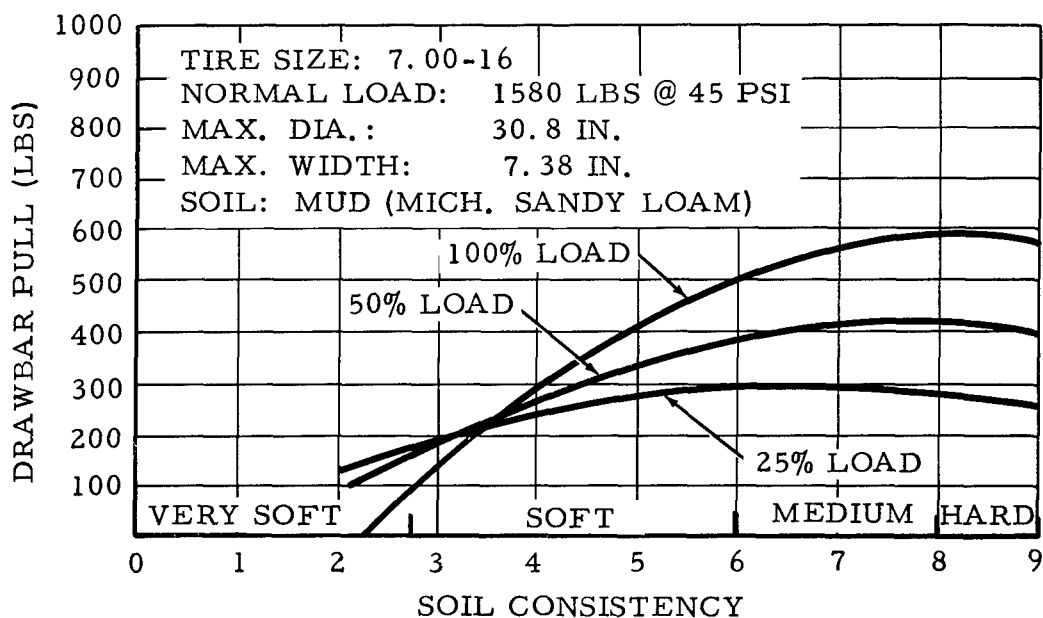


FIGURE B1. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 7.00-16 TIRE

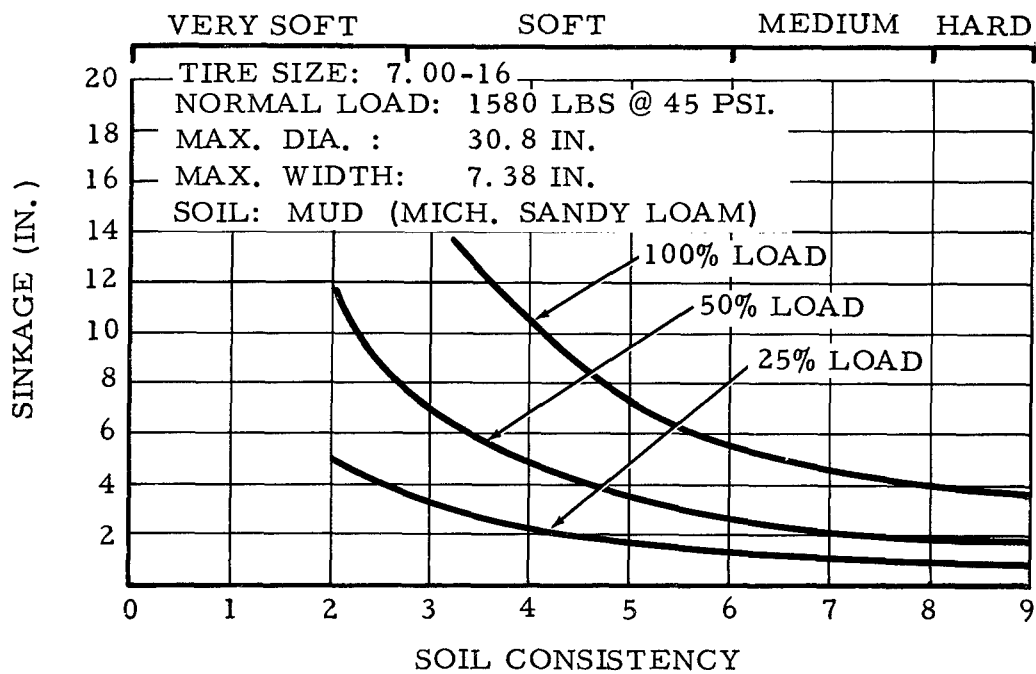


FIGURE B2. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 7.00-16 TIRE

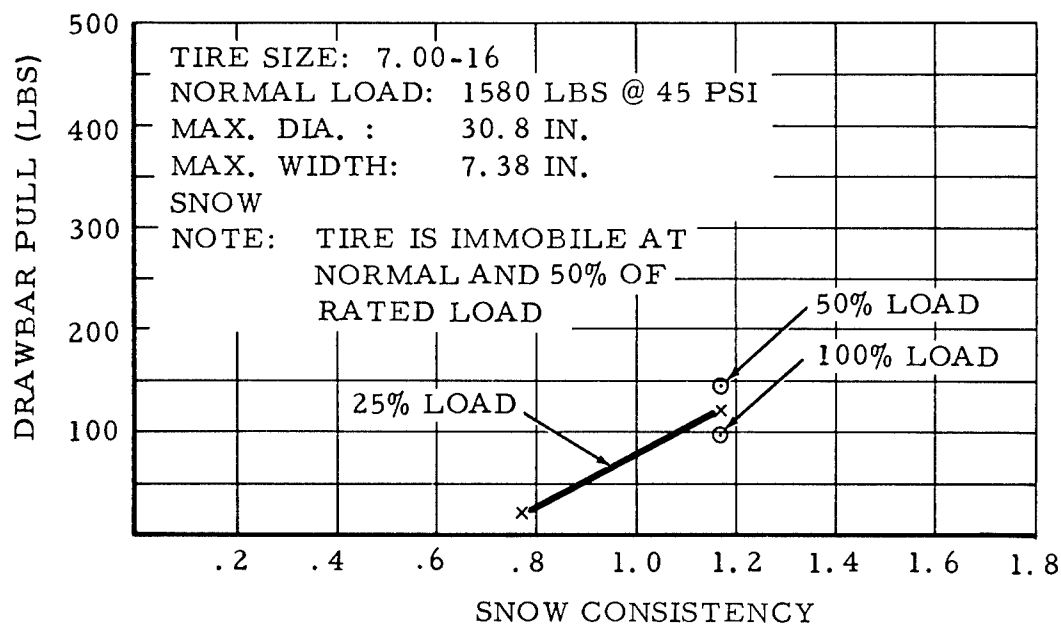


FIGURE B3. DRAWBAR PULL VS SNOW CONSISTENCY,  
 7.00-16 TIRE

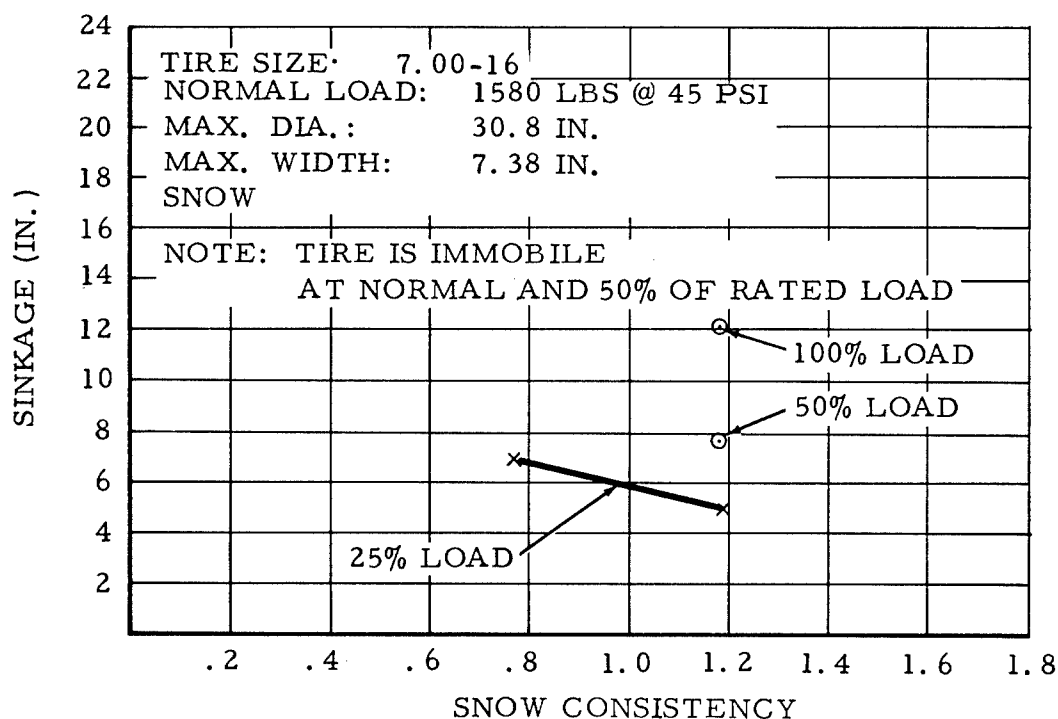


FIGURE B4. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY,  
 7.00-16 TIRE

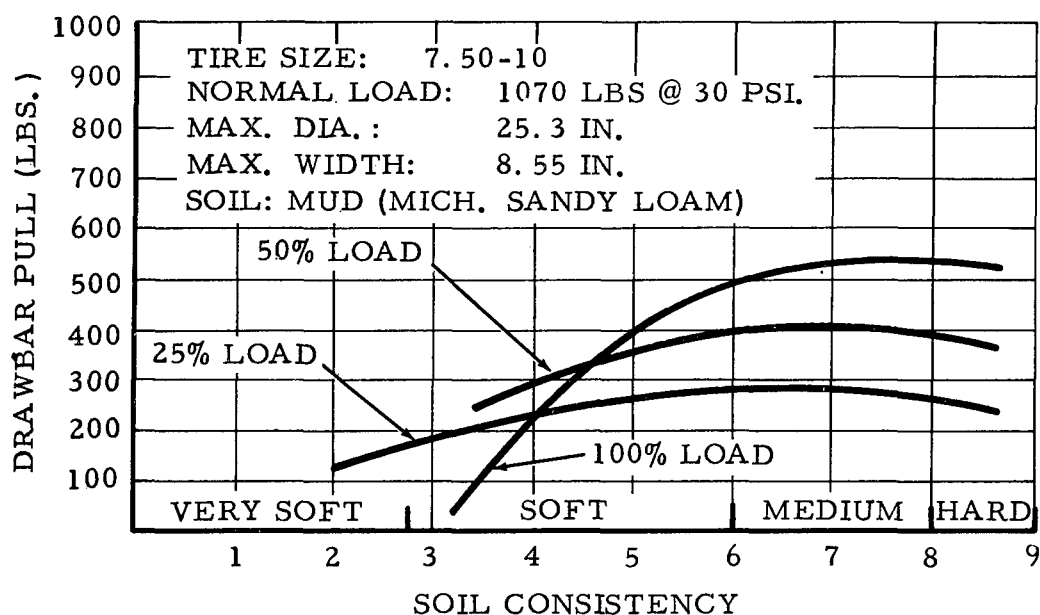


FIGURE B5. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 7.50-10 TIRE

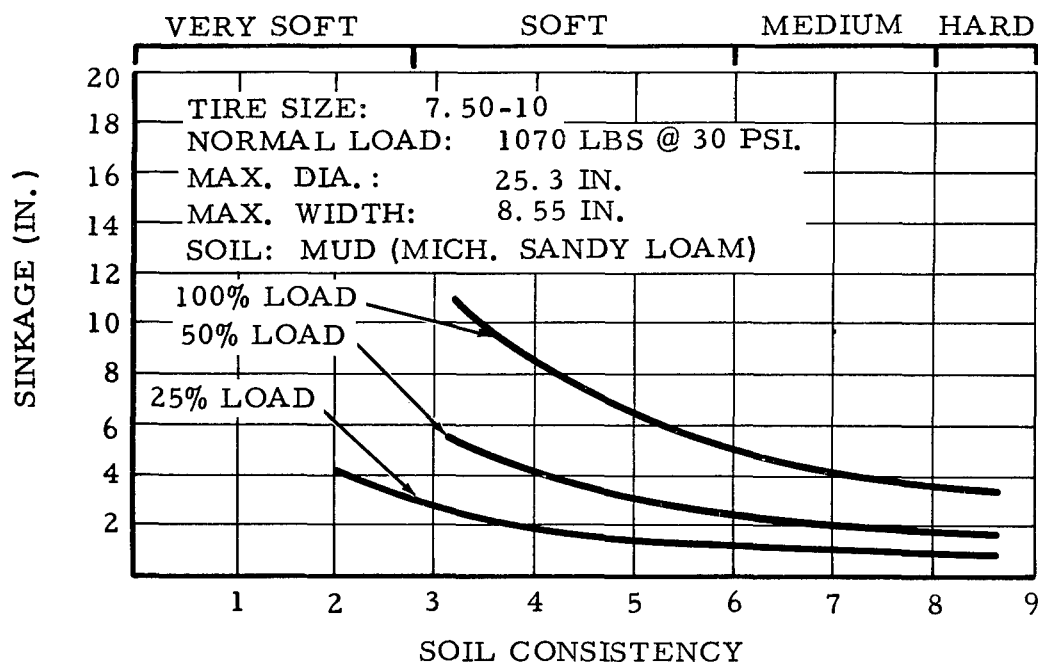


FIGURE B6. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 7.50-10 TIRE

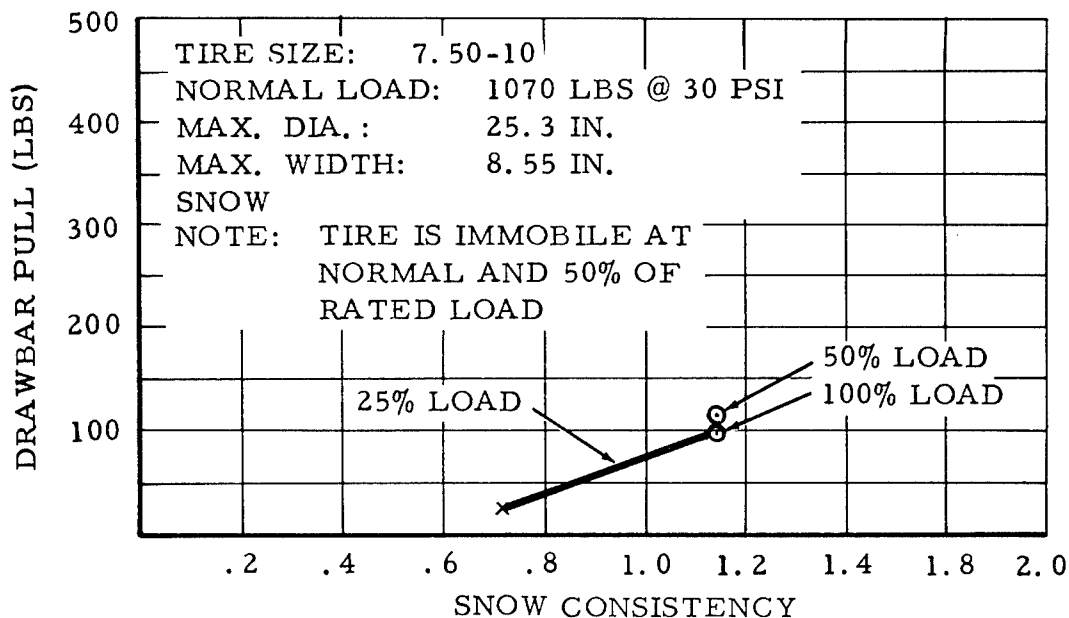


FIGURE B7. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 7.50-10 TIRE

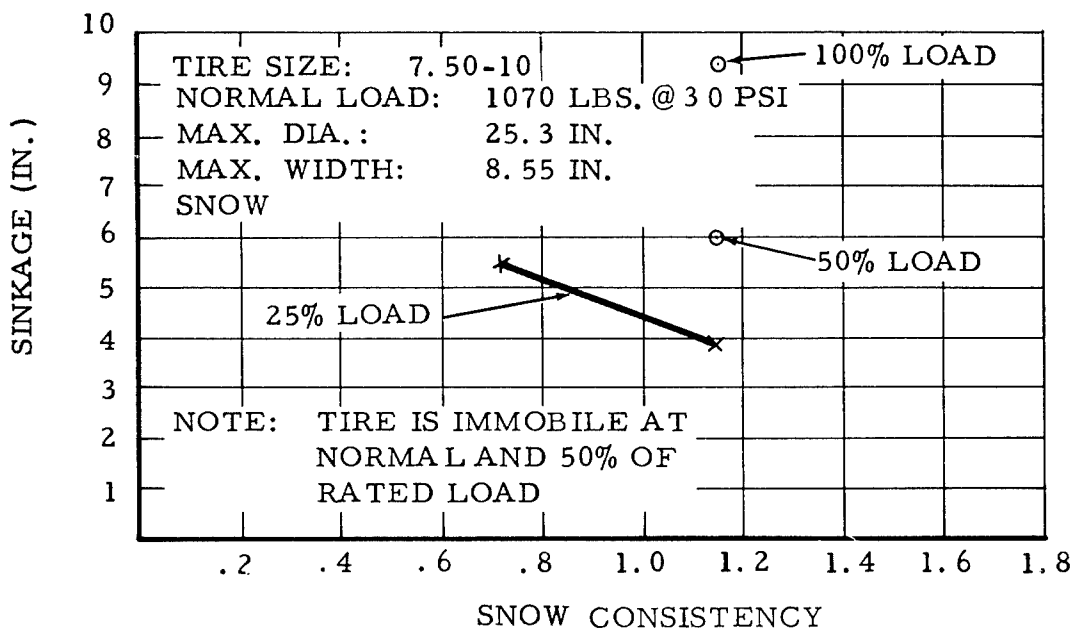


FIGURE B8. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 7.50-10 TIRE

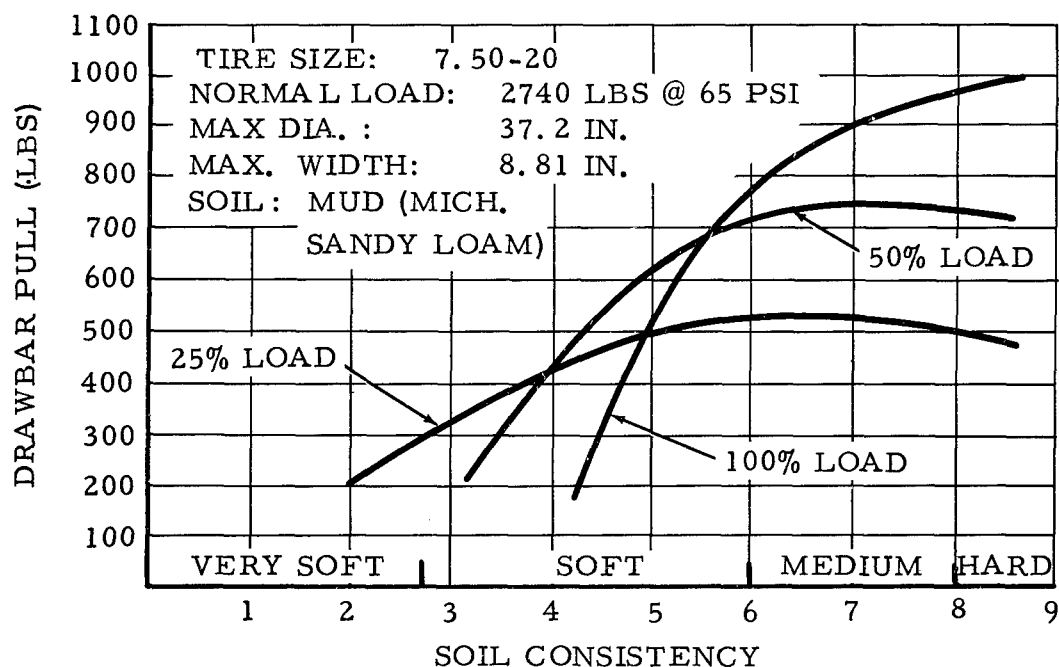


FIGURE B9. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 7.50-20 TIRE

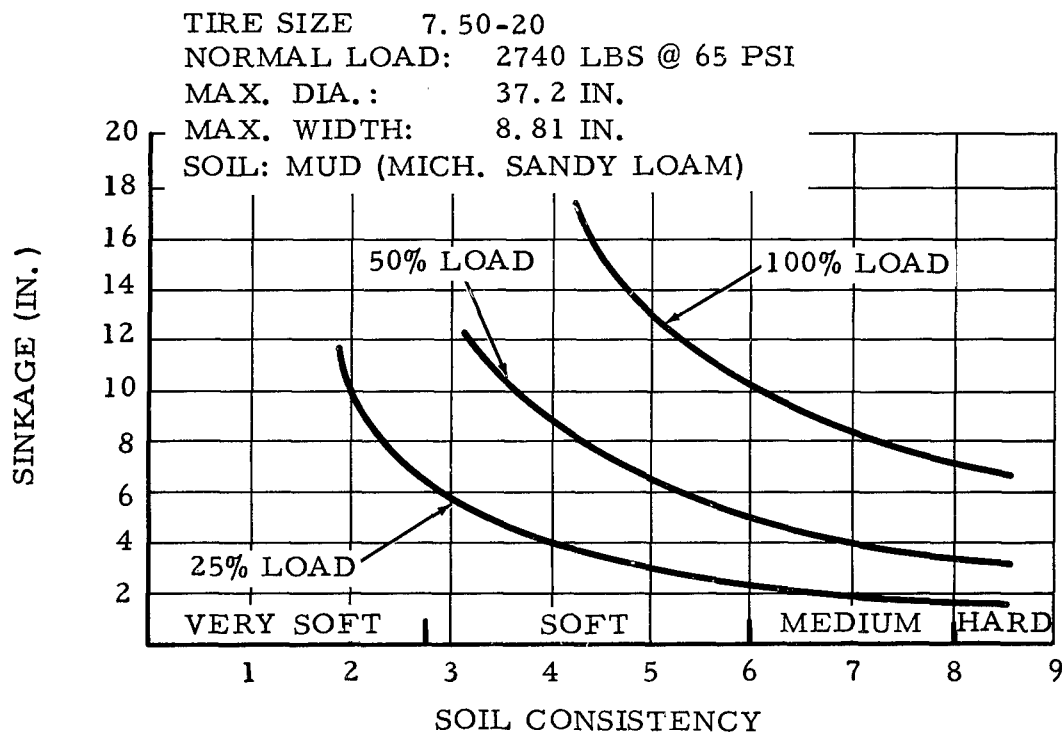


FIGURE B10. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 7.50-20 TIRE

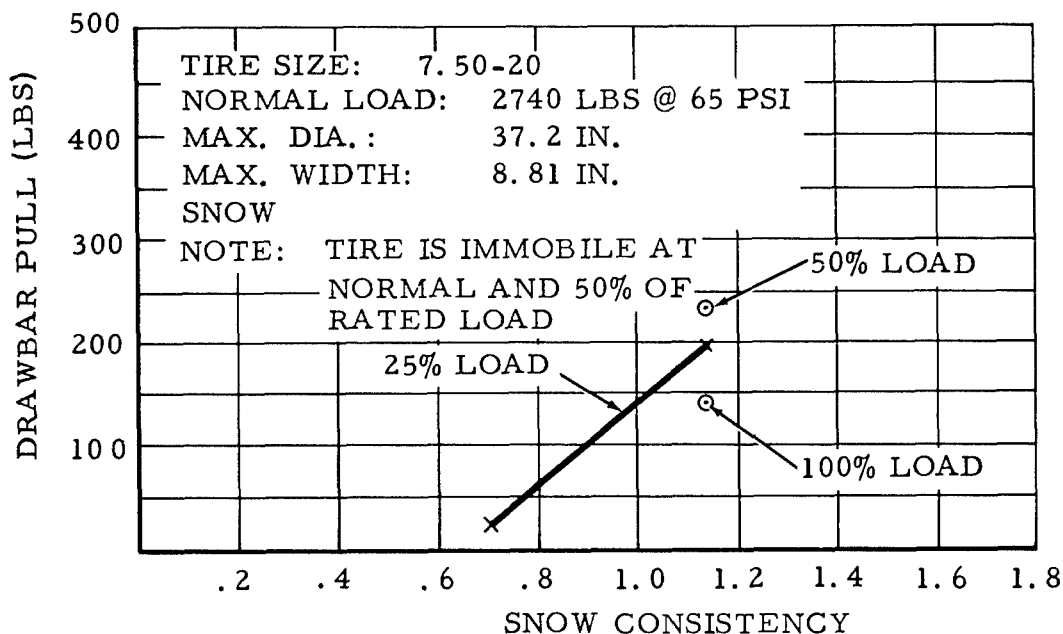


FIGURE B11. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 7.50-20 TIRE

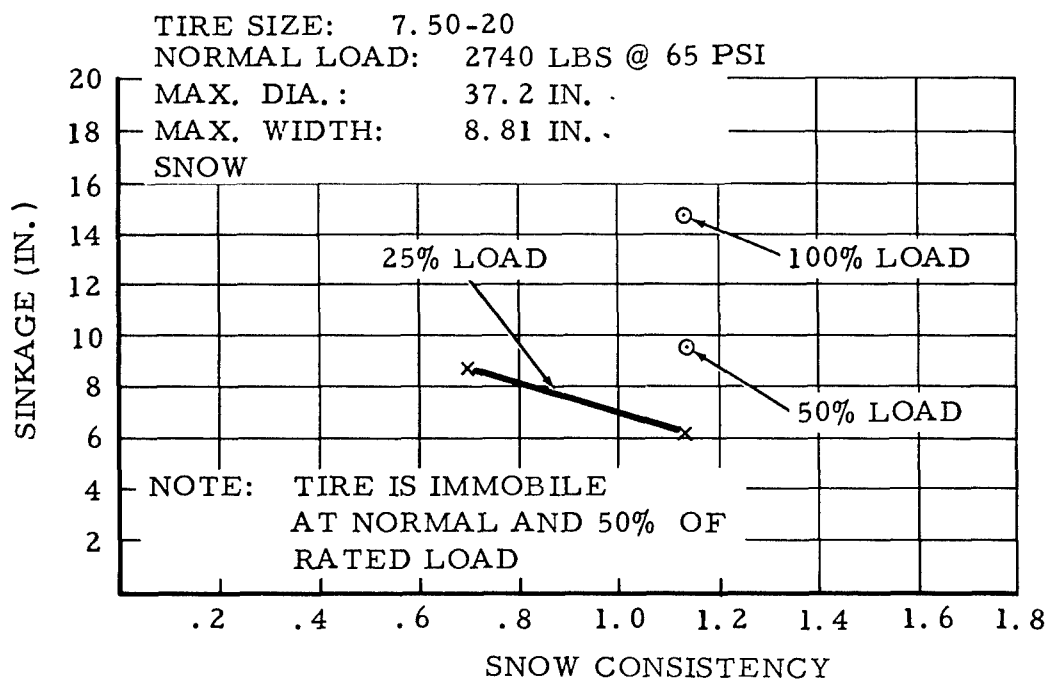


FIGURE B12. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 7.50-20 TIRE

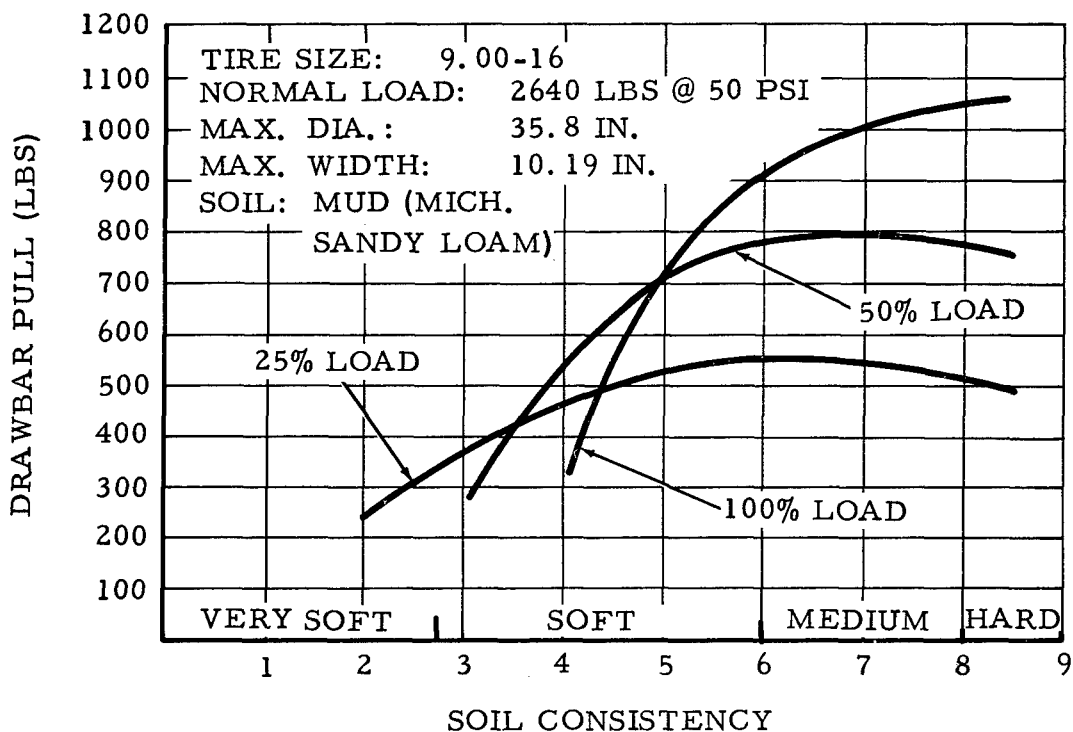


FIGURE B13. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 9.00-16 TIRE

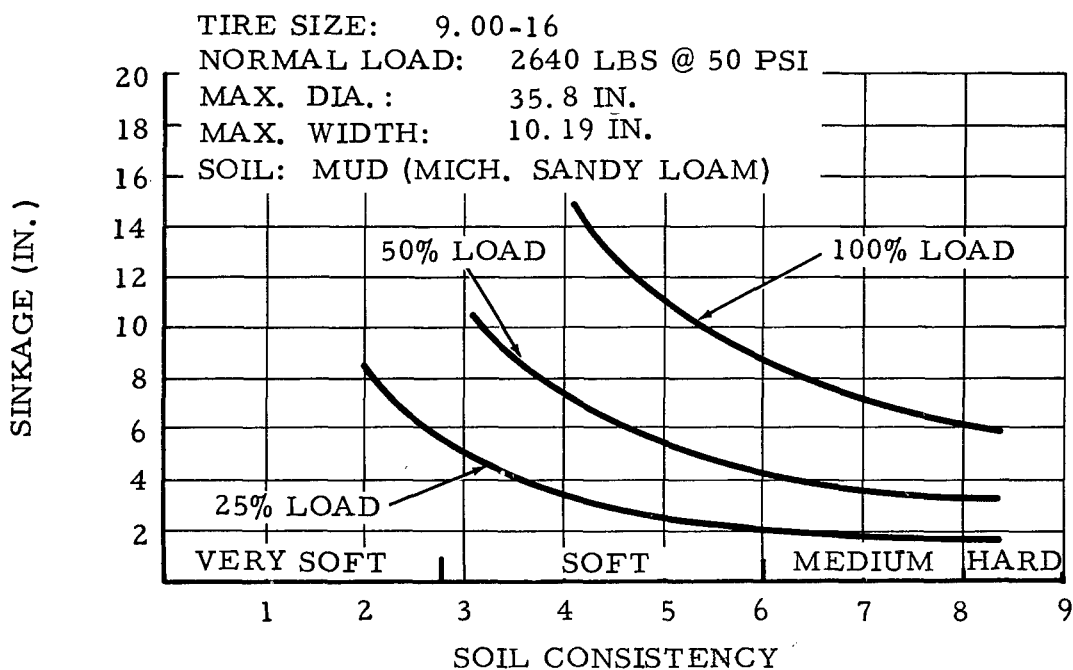


FIGURE B14. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 9.00-16 TIRE

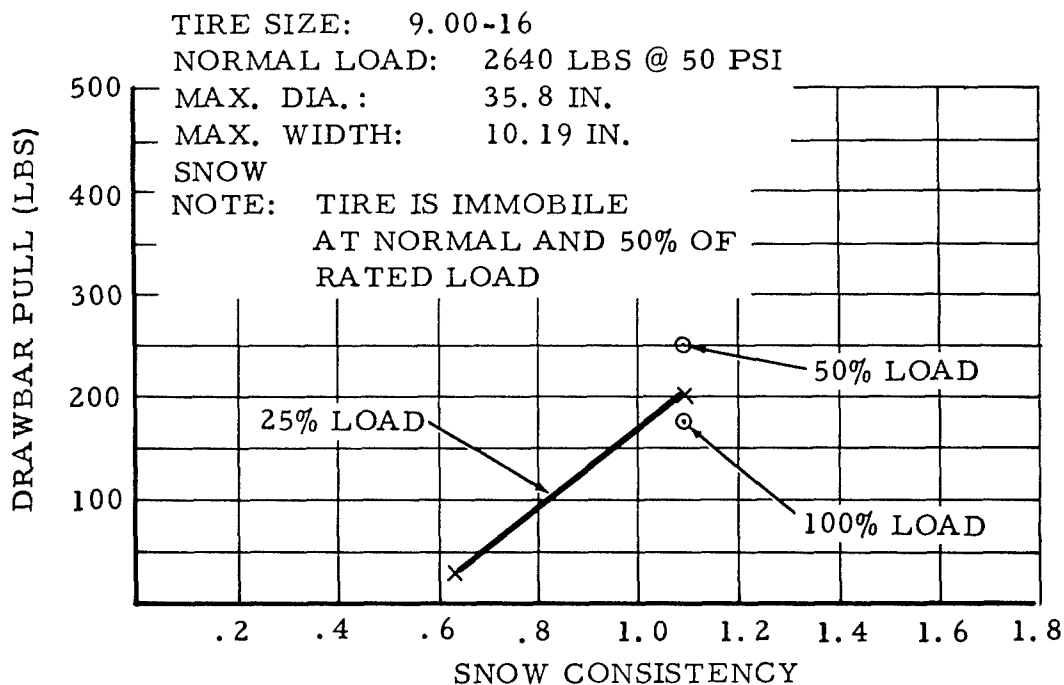


FIGURE B15. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY,  
 9.00-16 TIRE

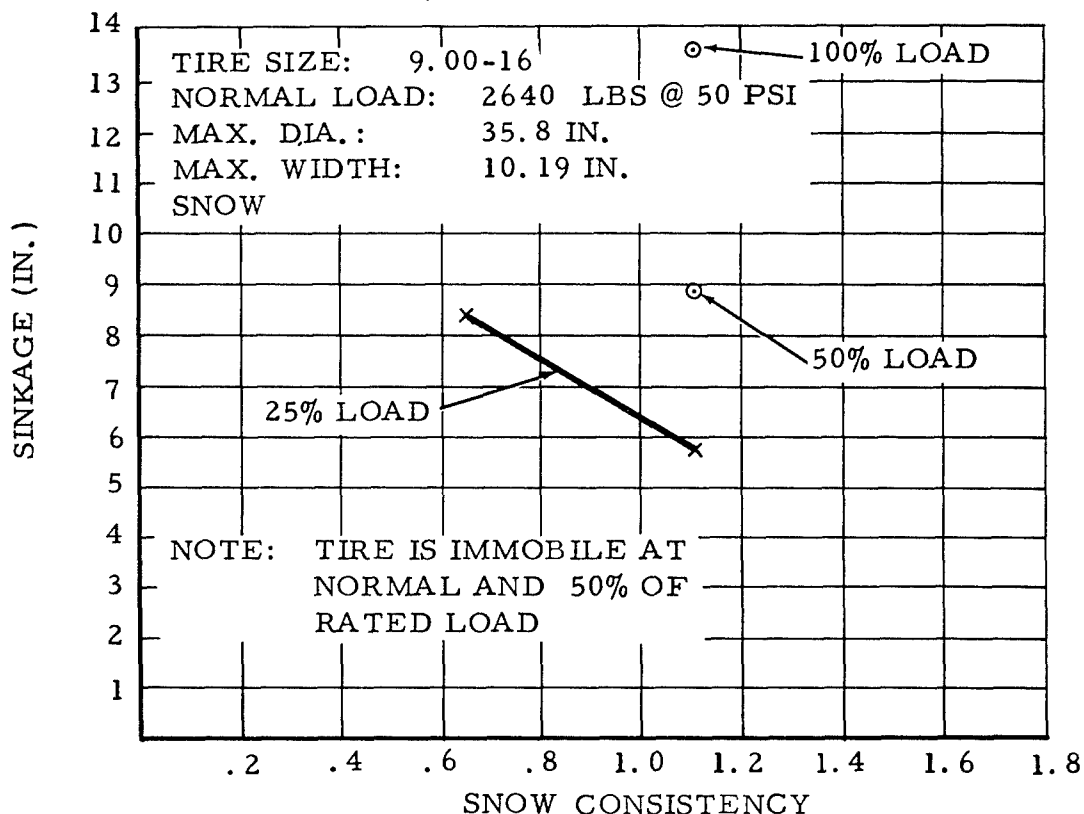


FIGURE B16. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY,  
 9.00-16 TIRE

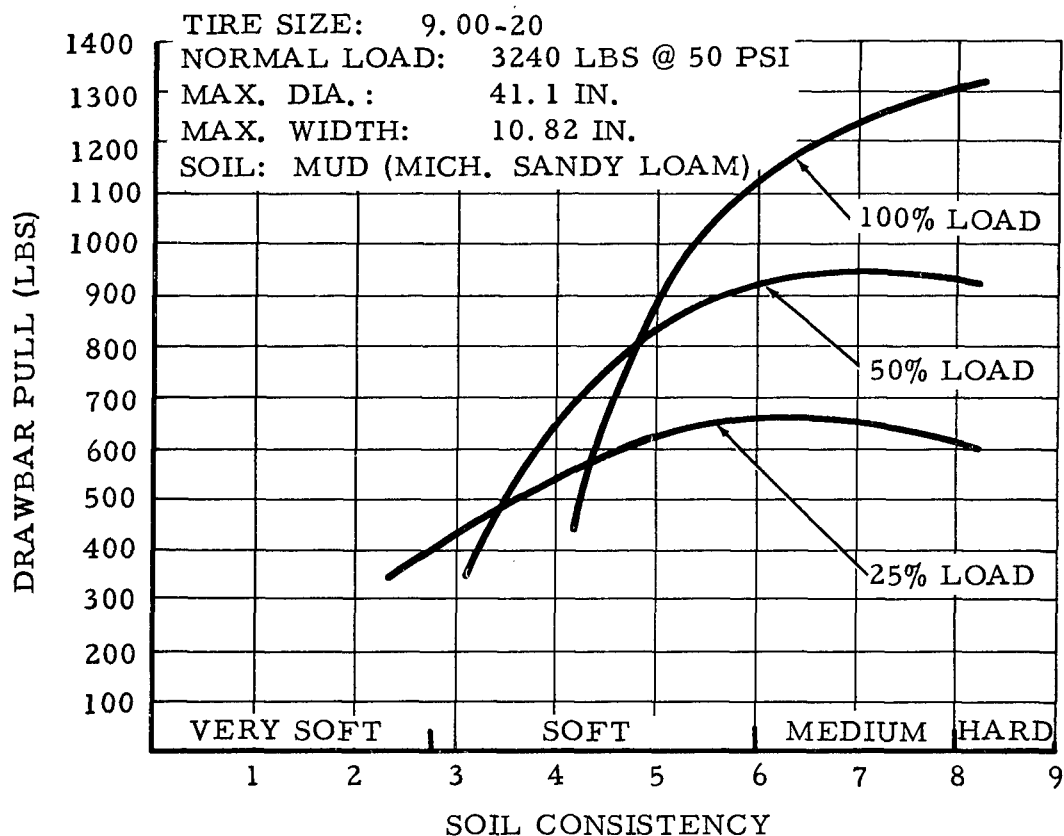


FIGURE B17. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 9.00-20 TIRE

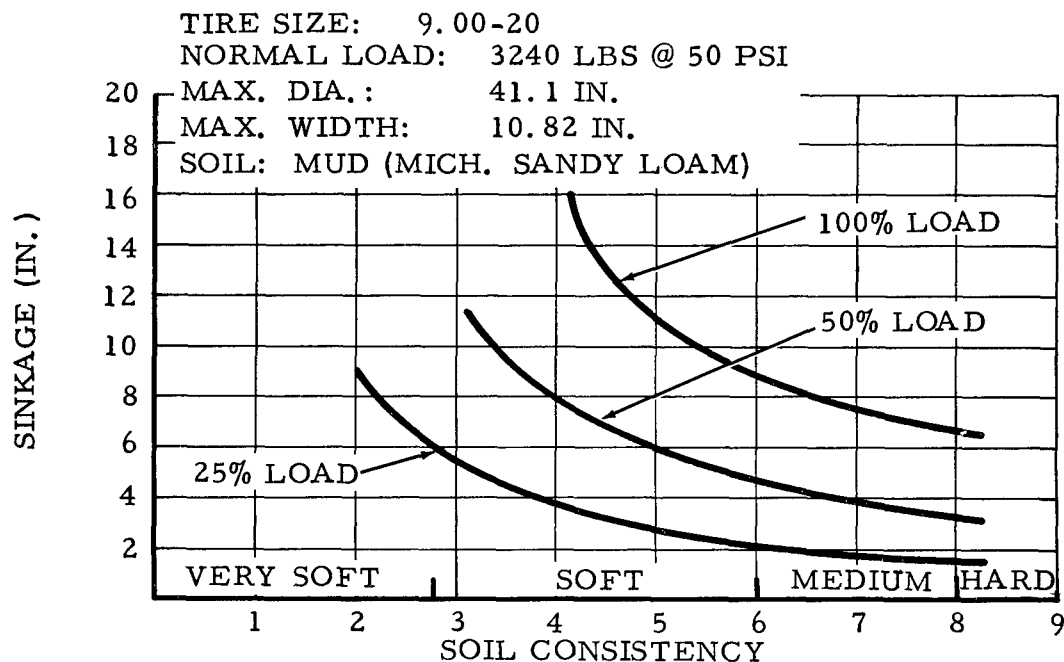


FIGURE B18. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 9.00-20 TIRE

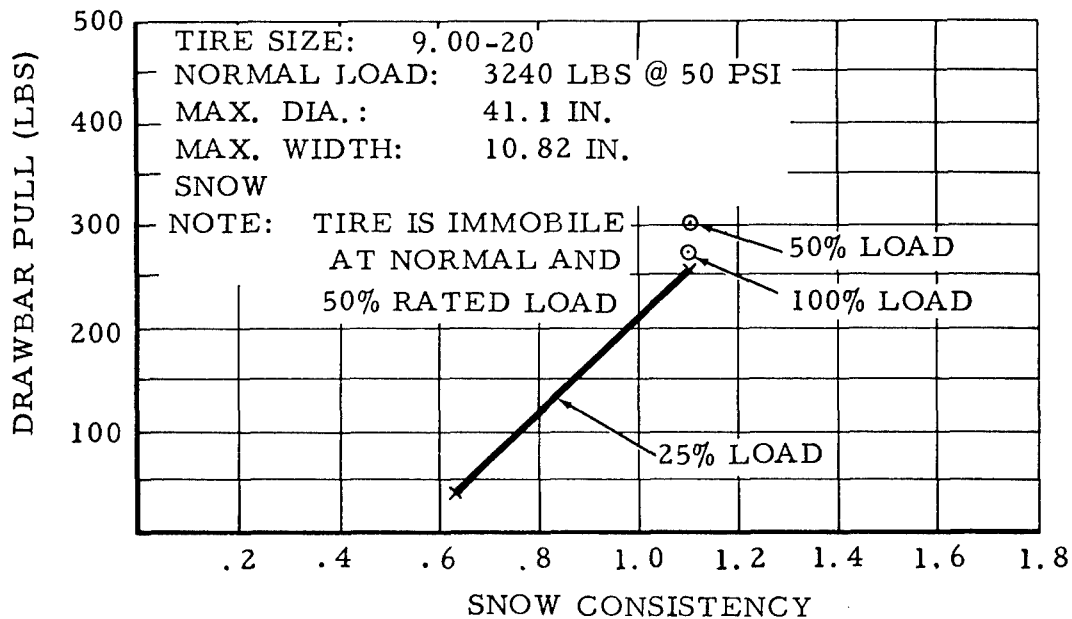


FIGURE B19. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 9.00-20 TIRE

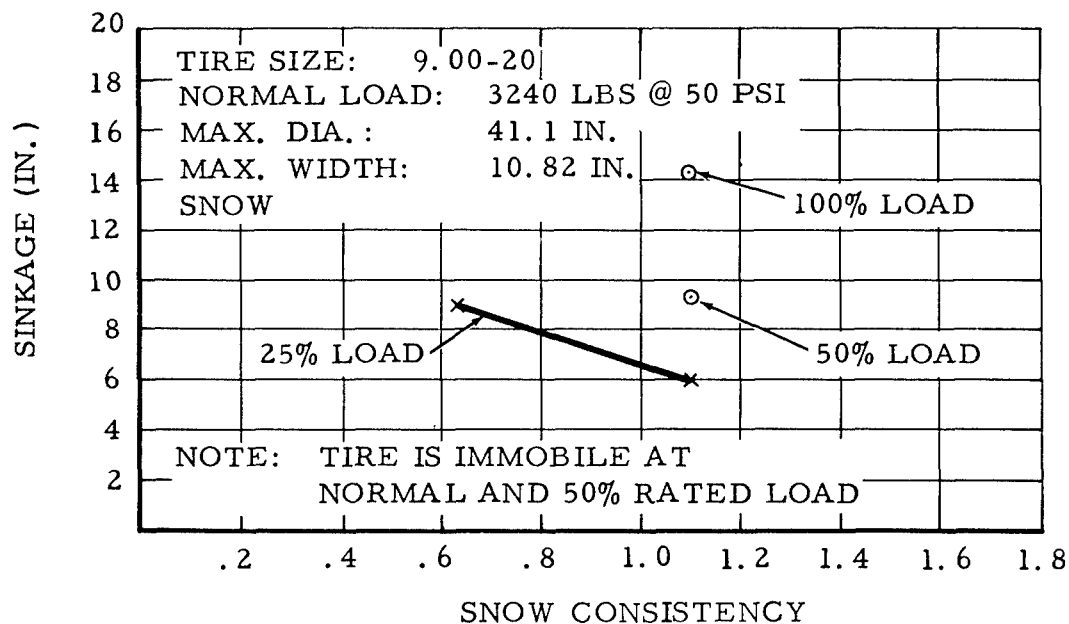


FIGURE B20. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 9.00-20 TIRE

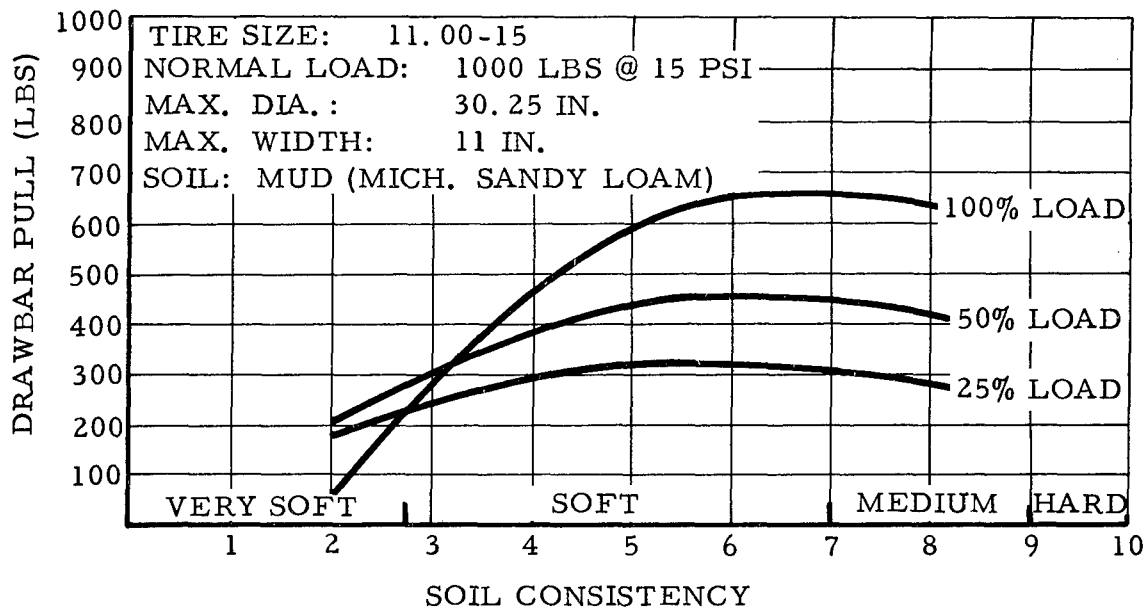


FIGURE B21. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY,  
 11.00-15 TIRE

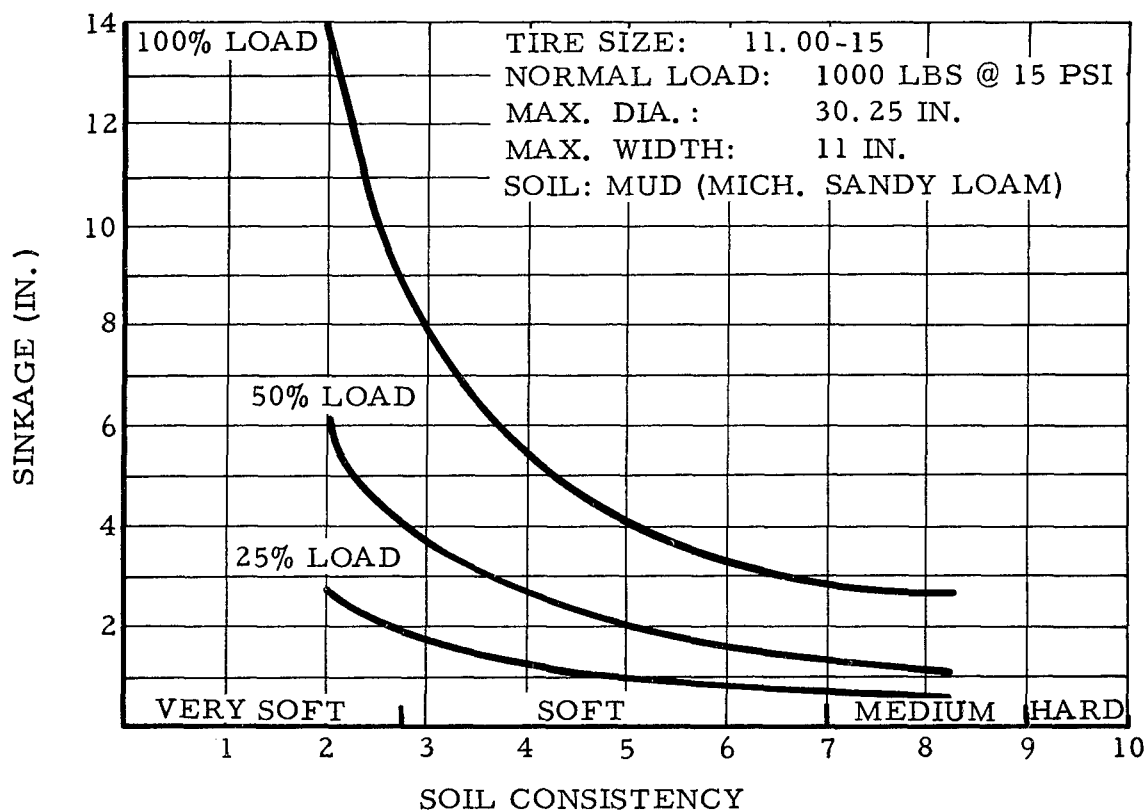


FIGURE B22. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY,  
 11.00-15 TIRE

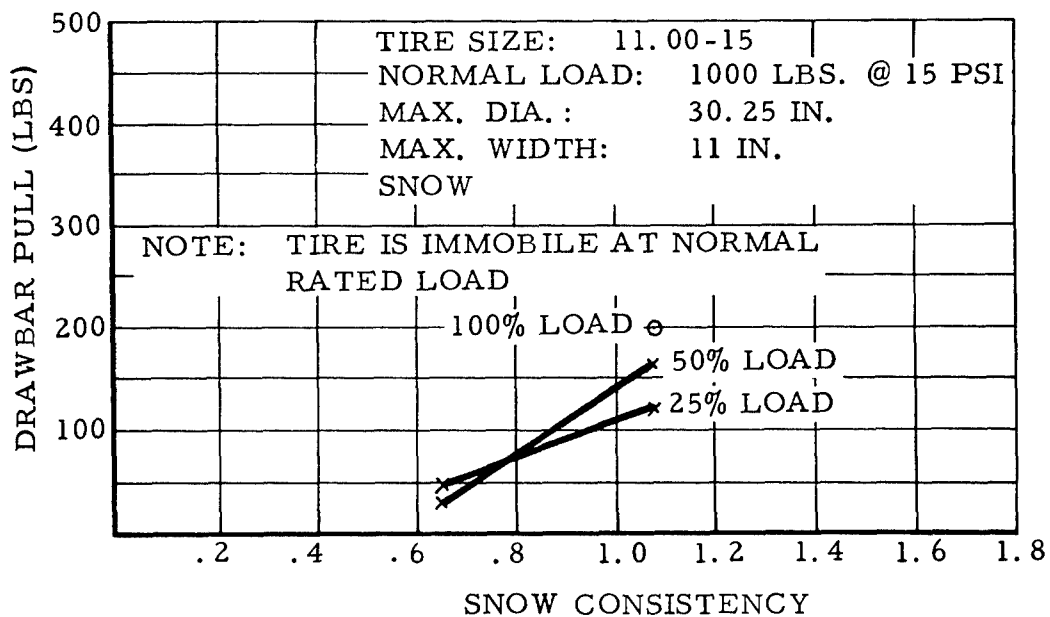


FIGURE B23. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 11.00-15 TIRE

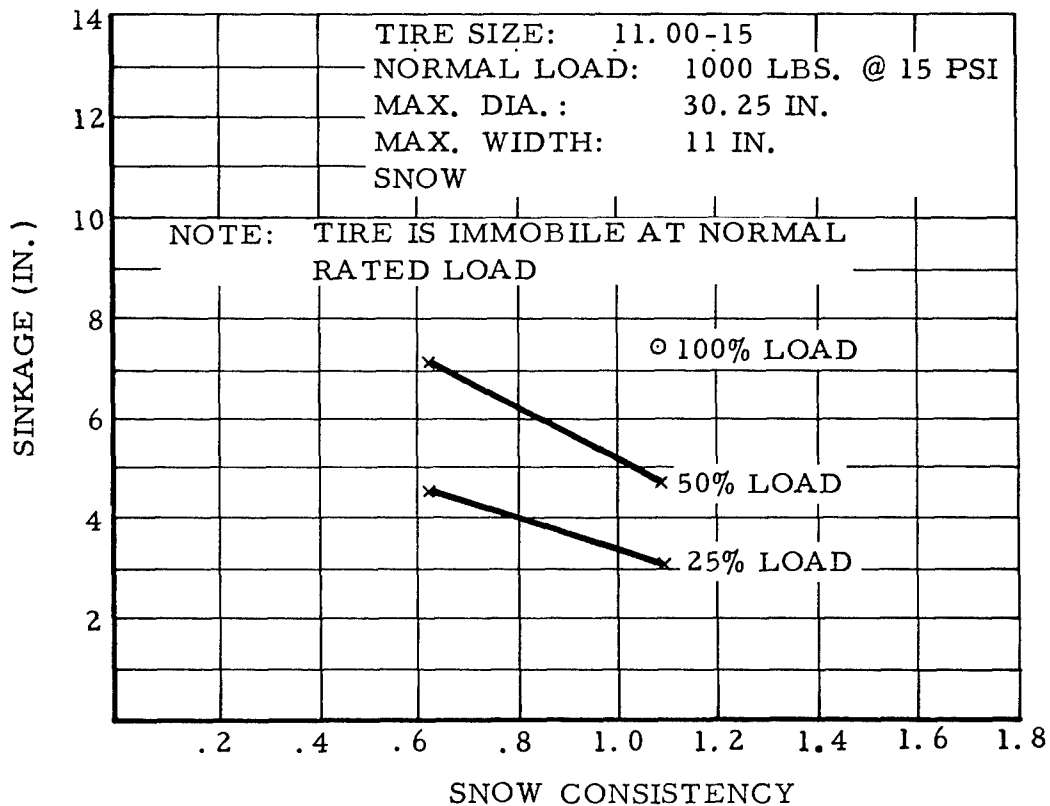


FIGURE B24. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 11.00-15 TIRE

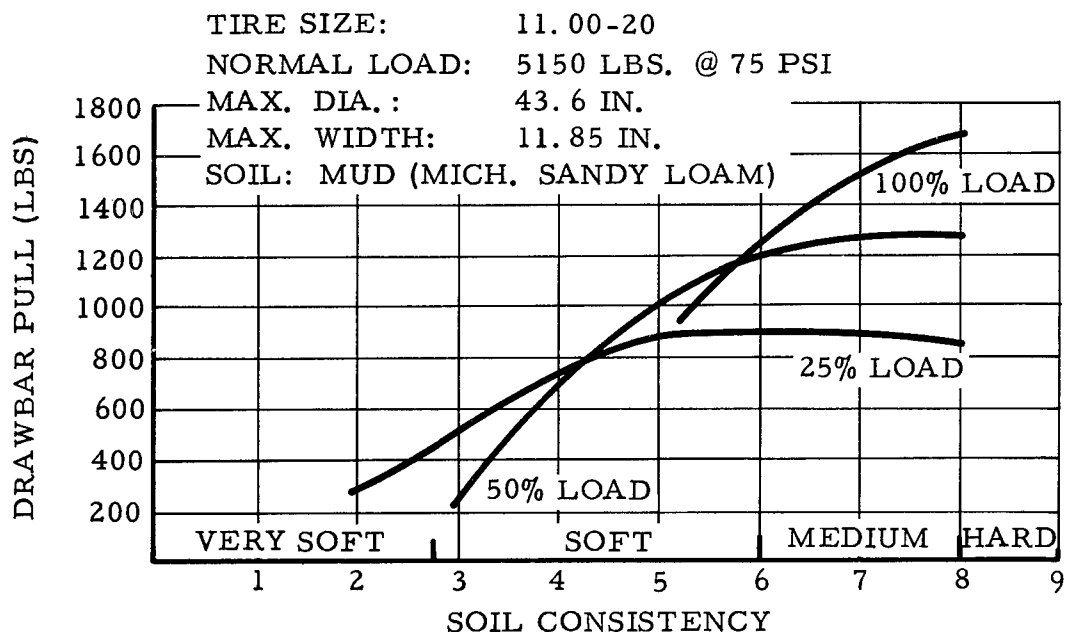


FIGURE B25. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 11.00-20 TIRE

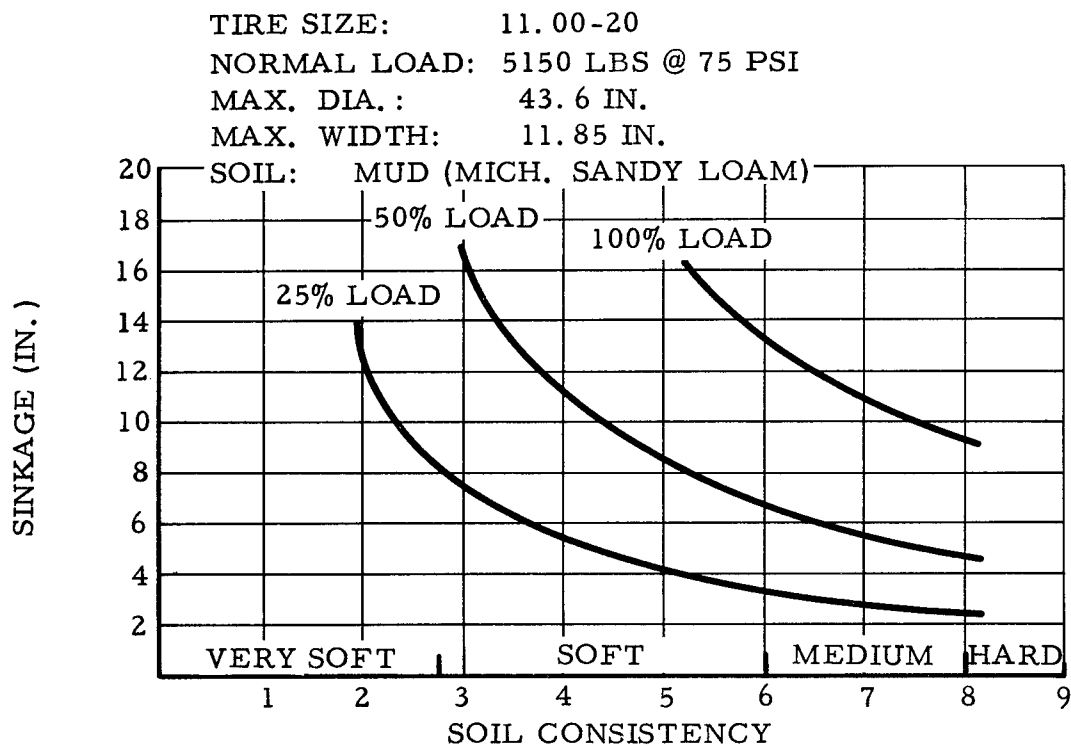


FIGURE B26. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 11.00-20 TIRE

TIRE SIZE: 11.00-20  
 NORMAL LOAD: 5150 LBS @ 75 PSI  
 MAX. DIA.: 43.6 IN.  
 MAX. WIDTH: 11.85 IN.

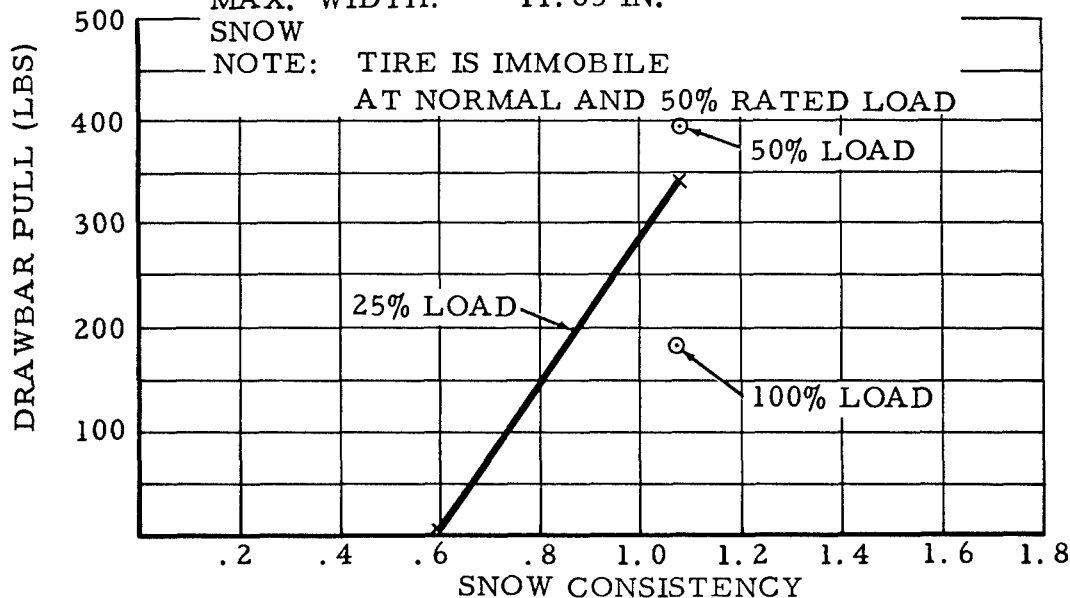


FIGURE B27. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 11-00-20 TIRE

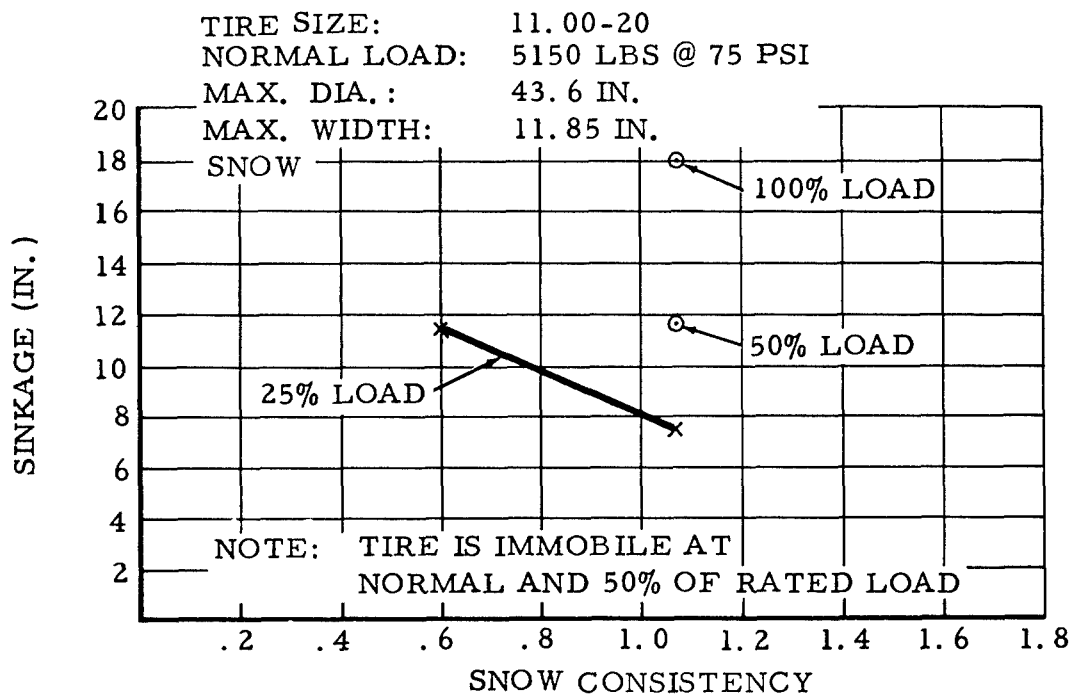


FIGURE B28. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 11.00-20 TIRE

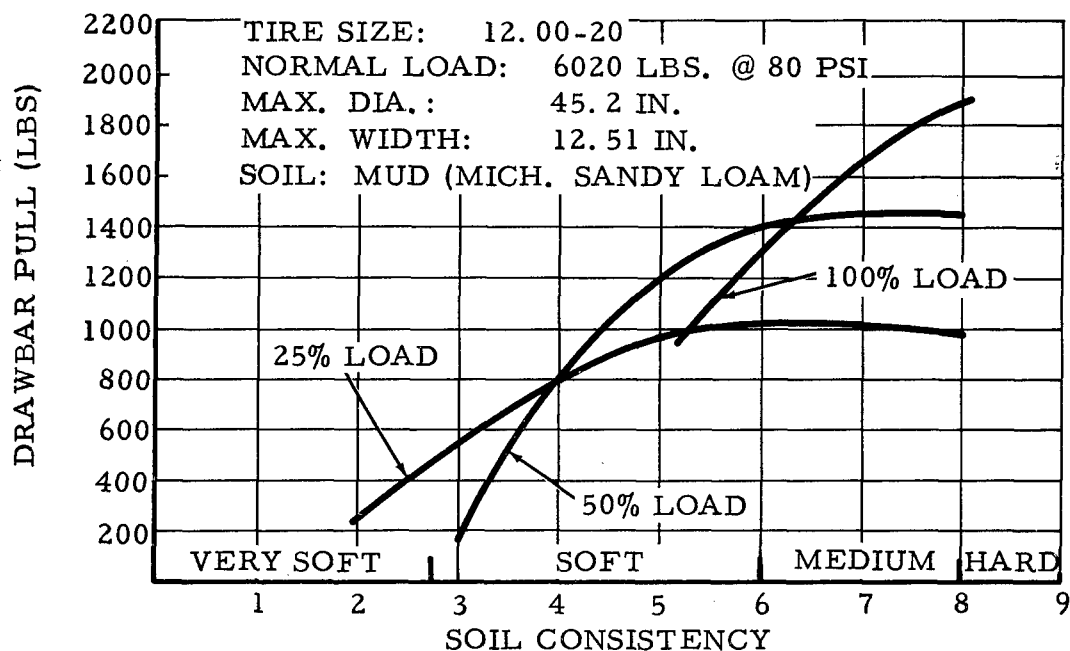


FIGURE B29. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 12.00-20 TIRE

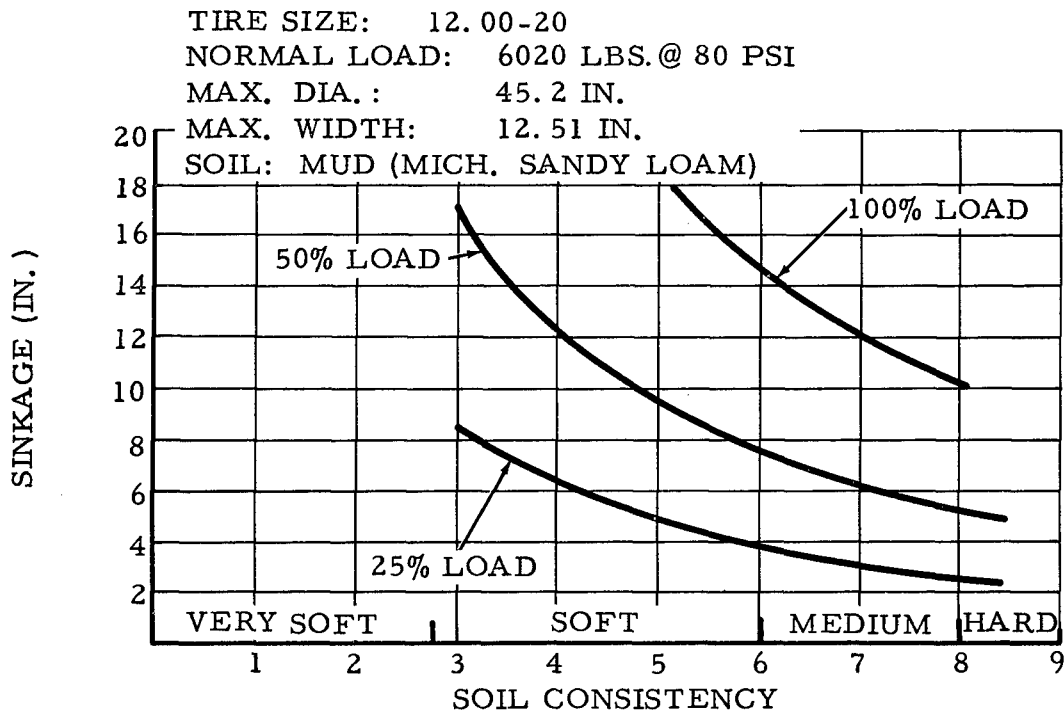


FIGURE B30. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 12.00-20 TIRE

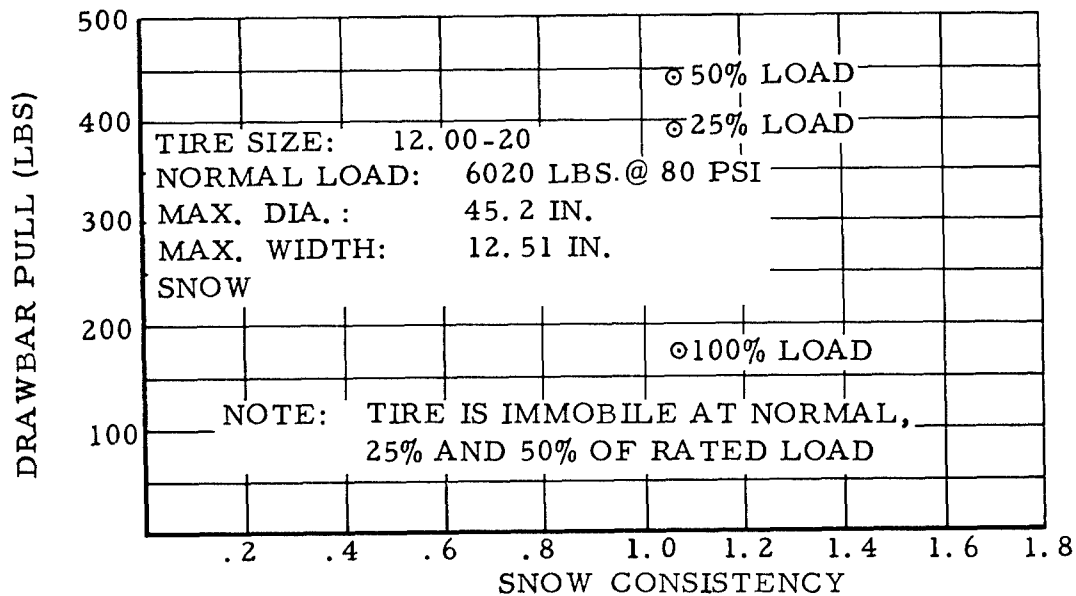


FIGURE B31. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 12.00-20 TIRE

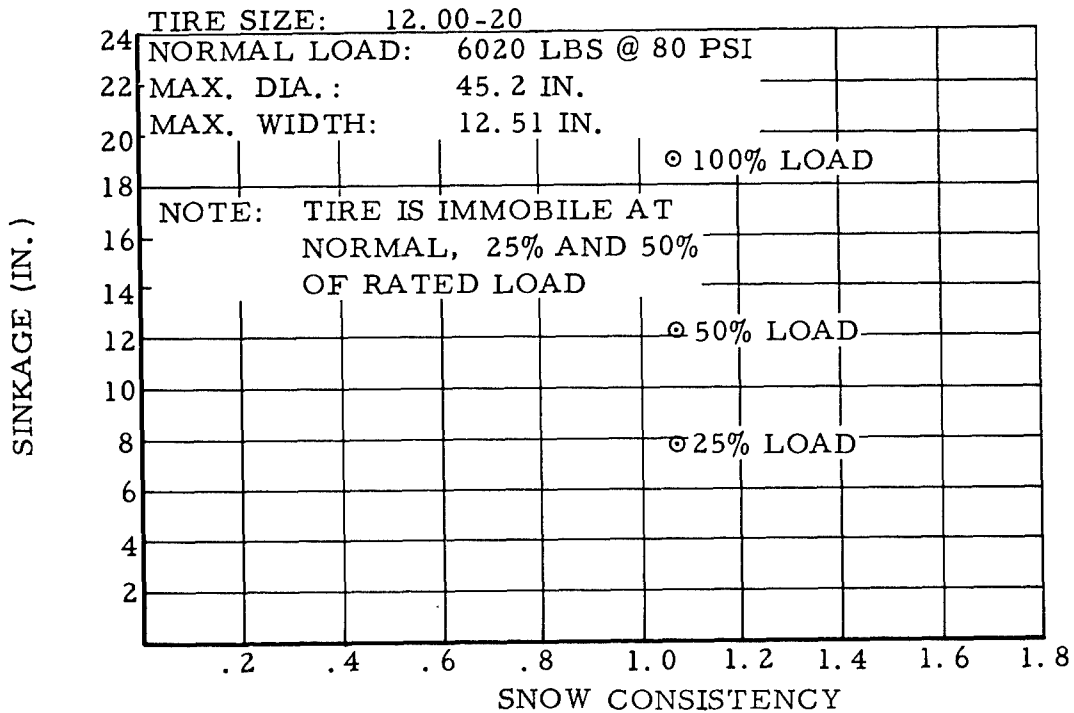


FIGURE B32. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 12.00-20 TIRE

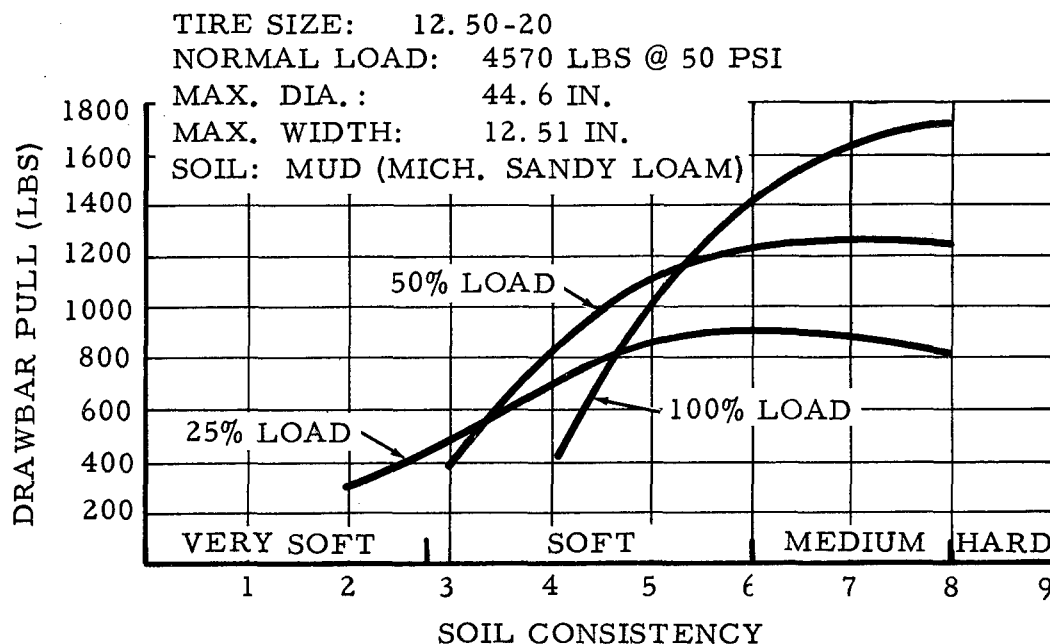


FIGURE B33. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY,  
 12.50-20 TIRE

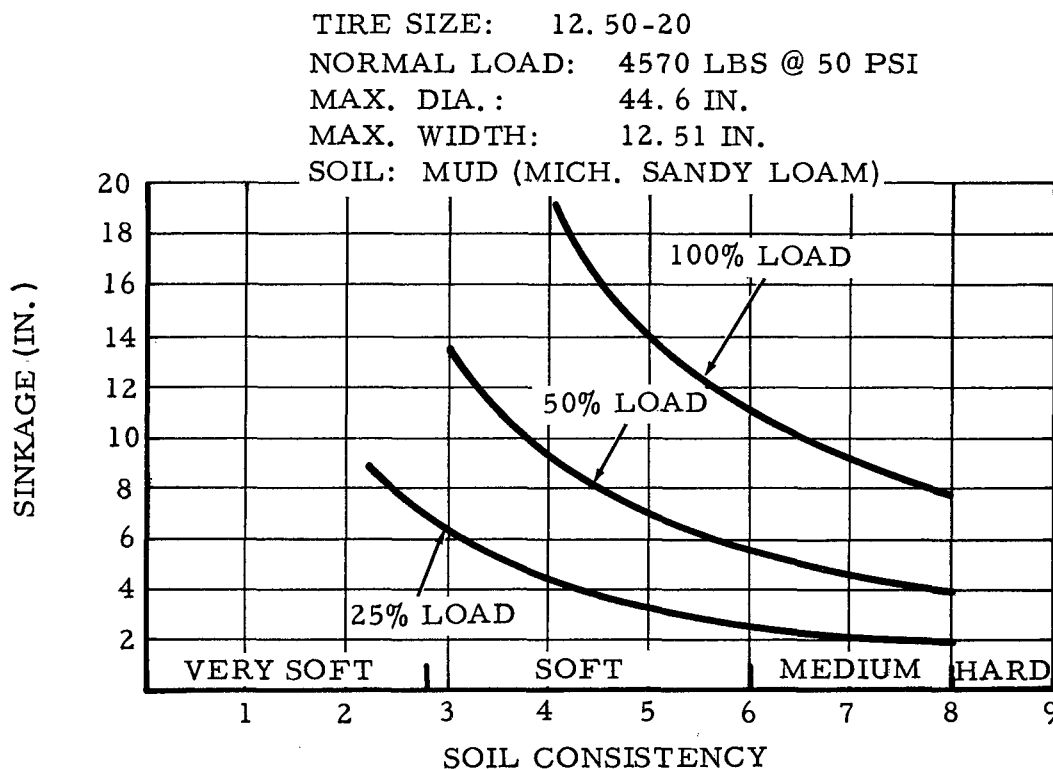


FIGURE B34. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY,  
 12.50-20 TIRE

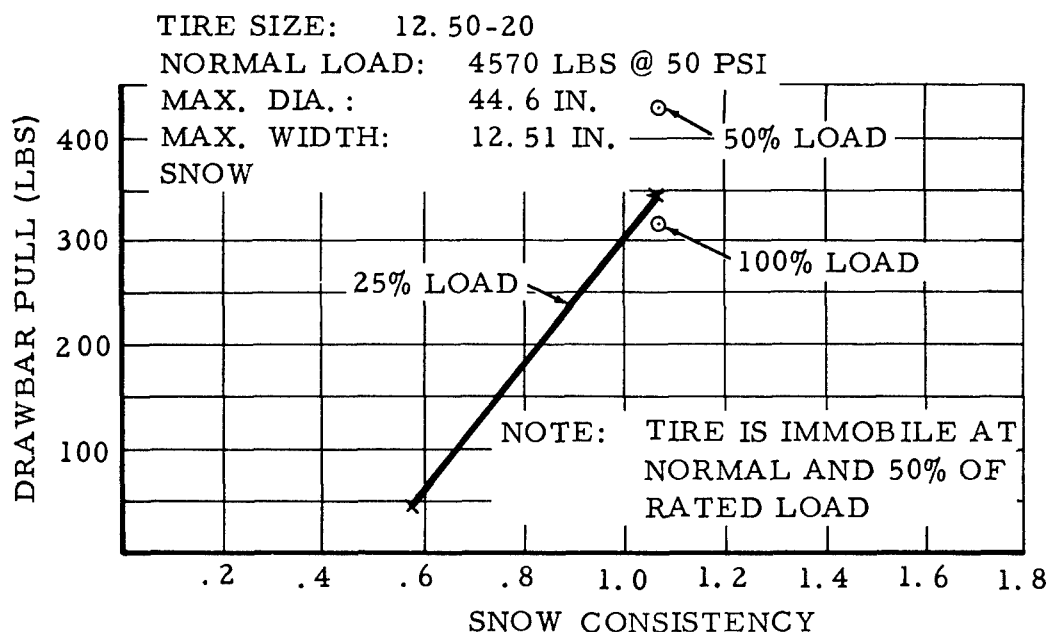


FIGURE B35. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY,  
 12.50-20 TIRE

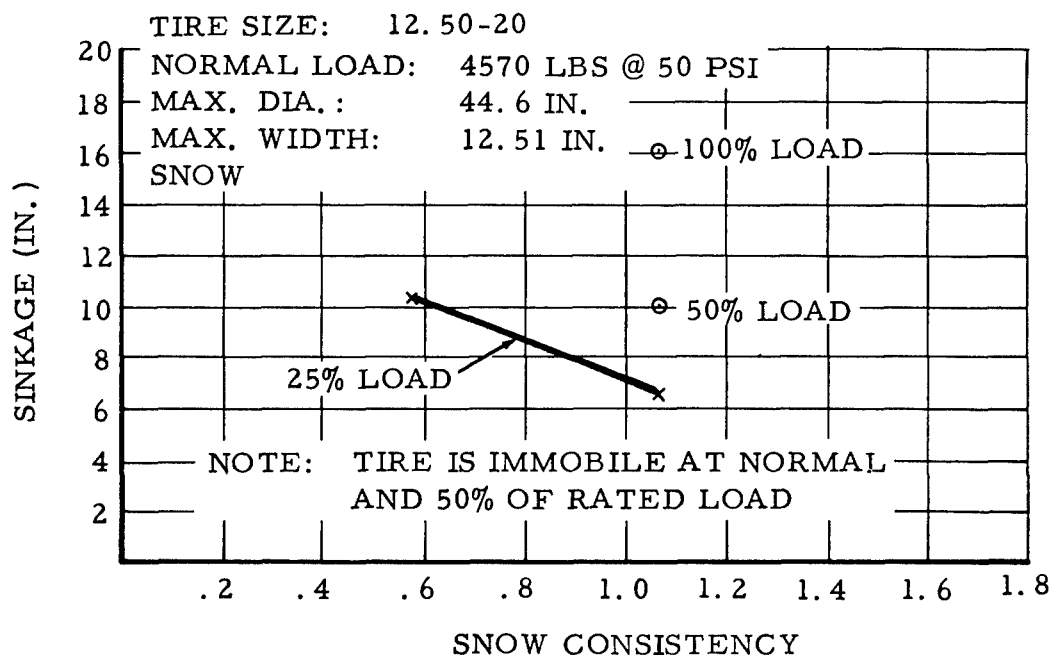


FIGURE B36. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY,  
 12.50-20 TIRE

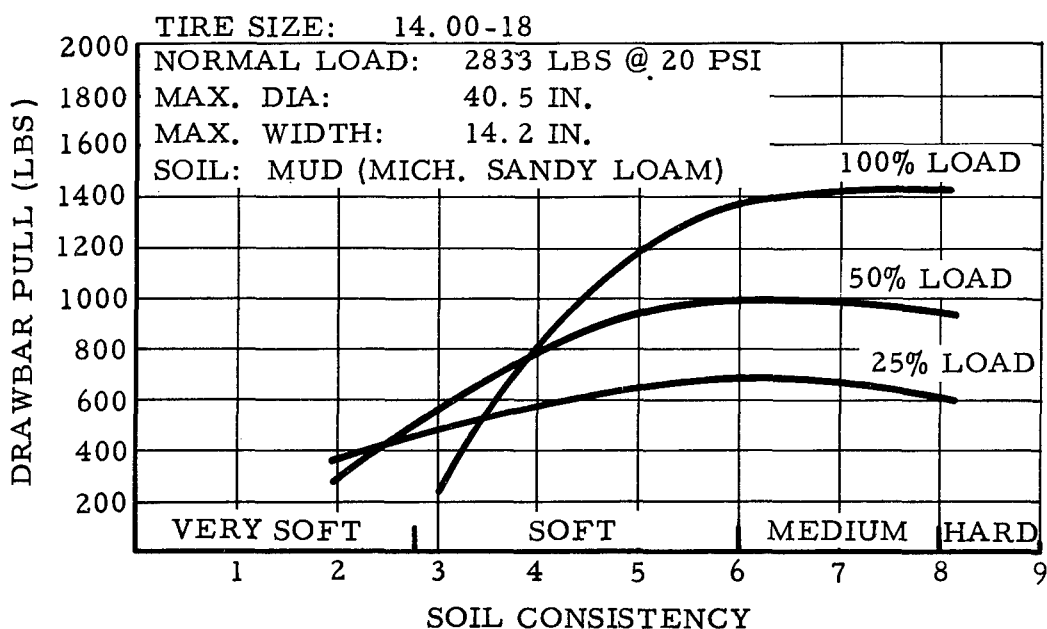


FIGURE B37. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 14.00-18 TIRE

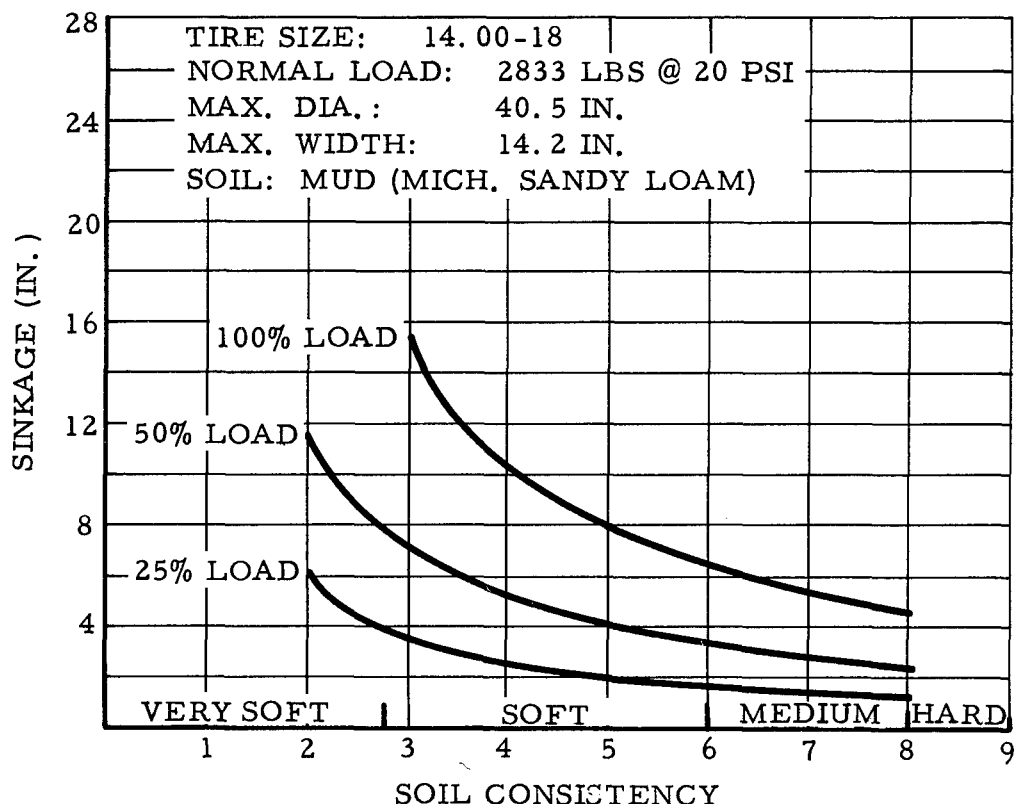


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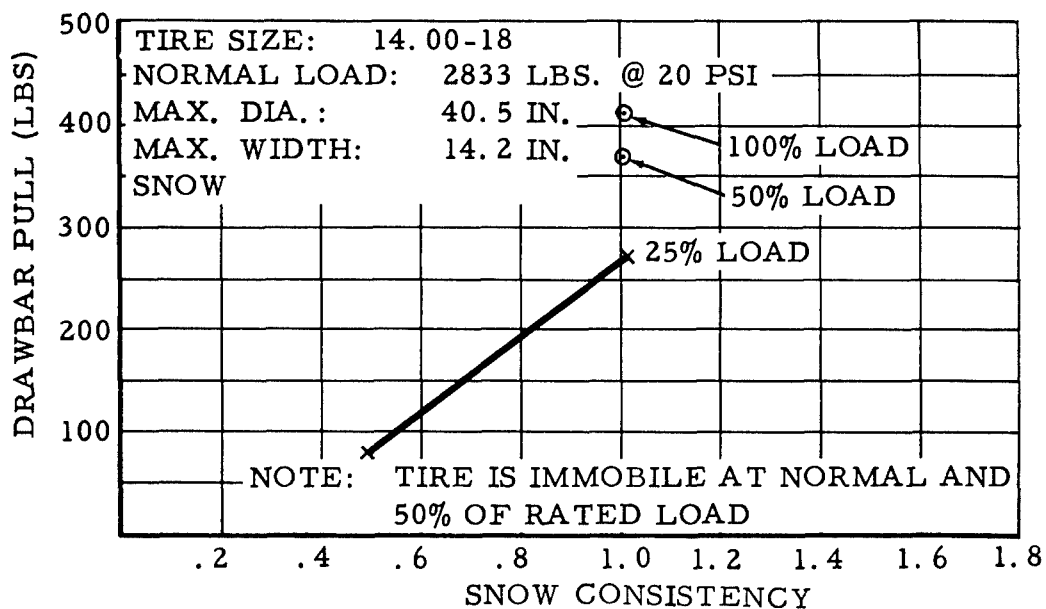


FIGURE B39. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 14.00-18 TIRE

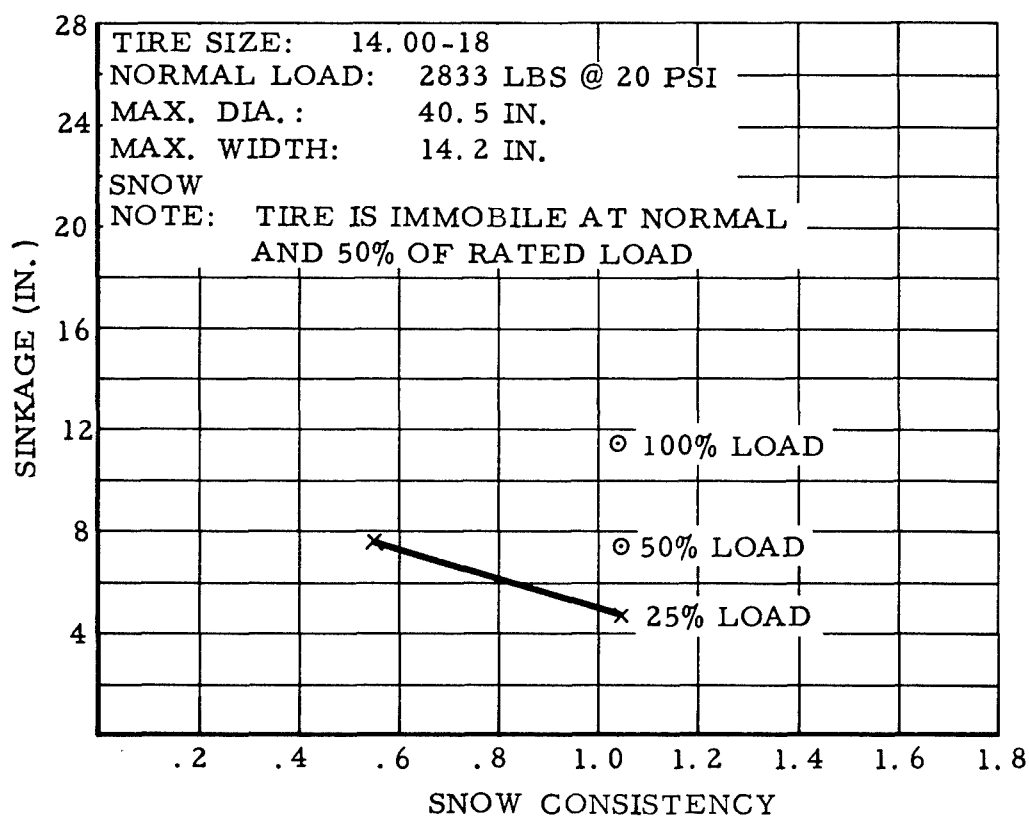


FIGURE B40. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 14.00-18 TIRE

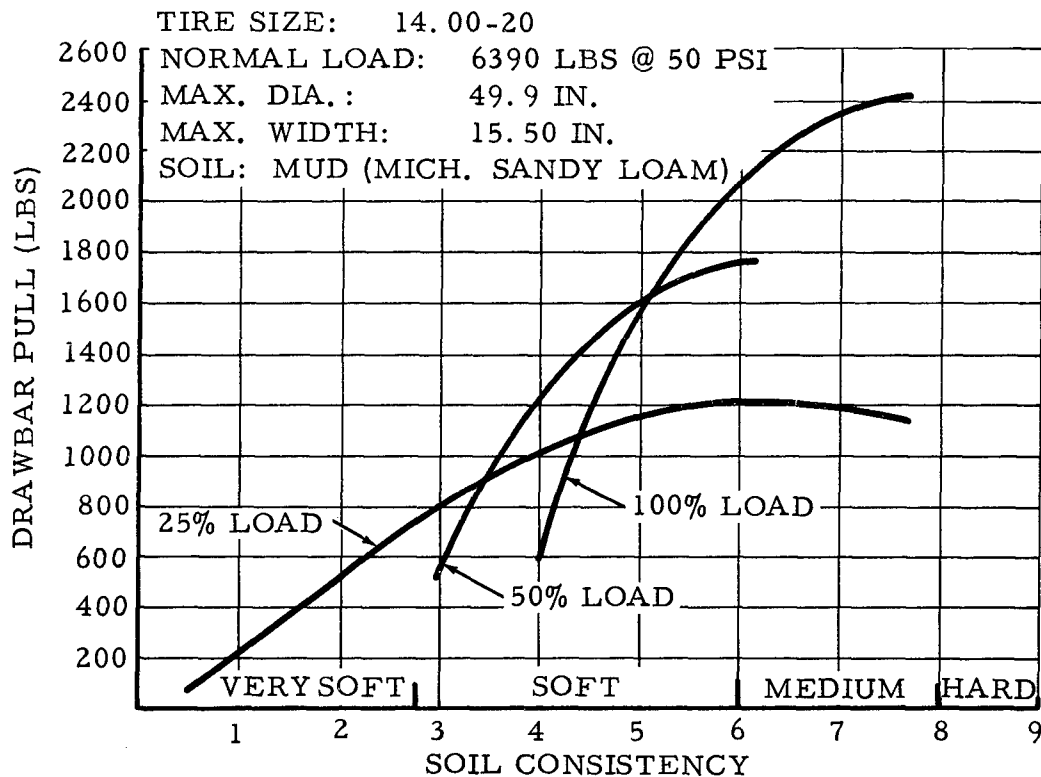


FIGURE B41. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 14.00-20 TIRE

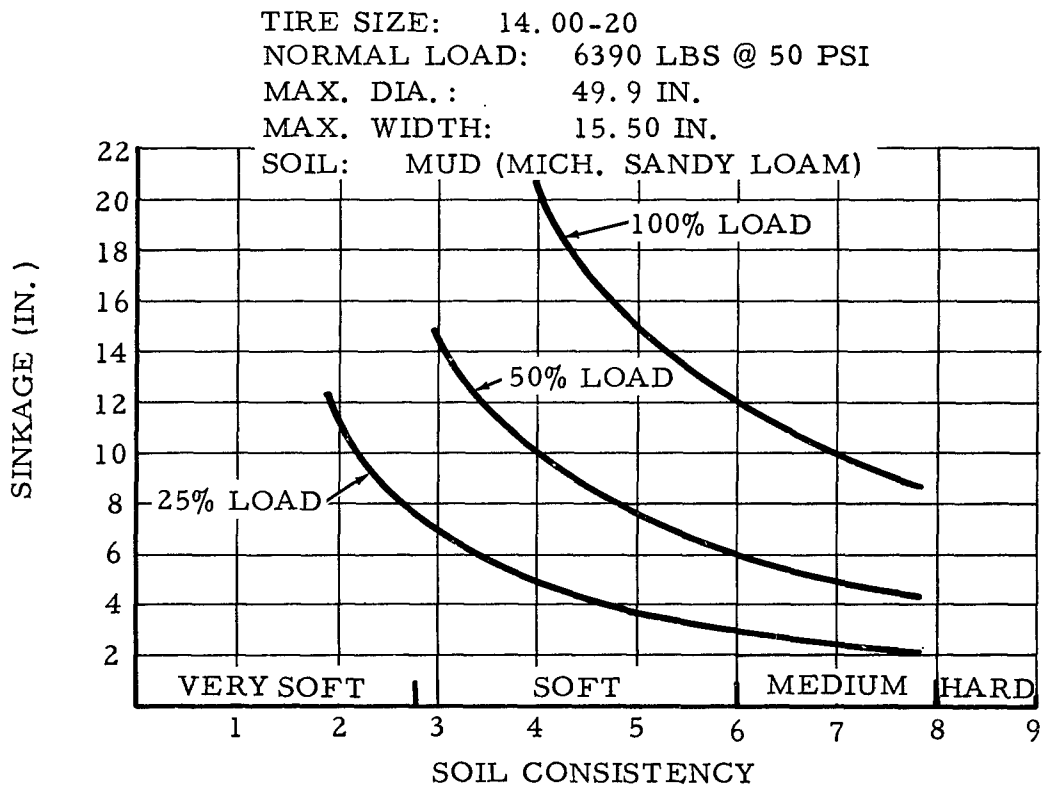


FIGURE B42. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 14.00-20 TIRE

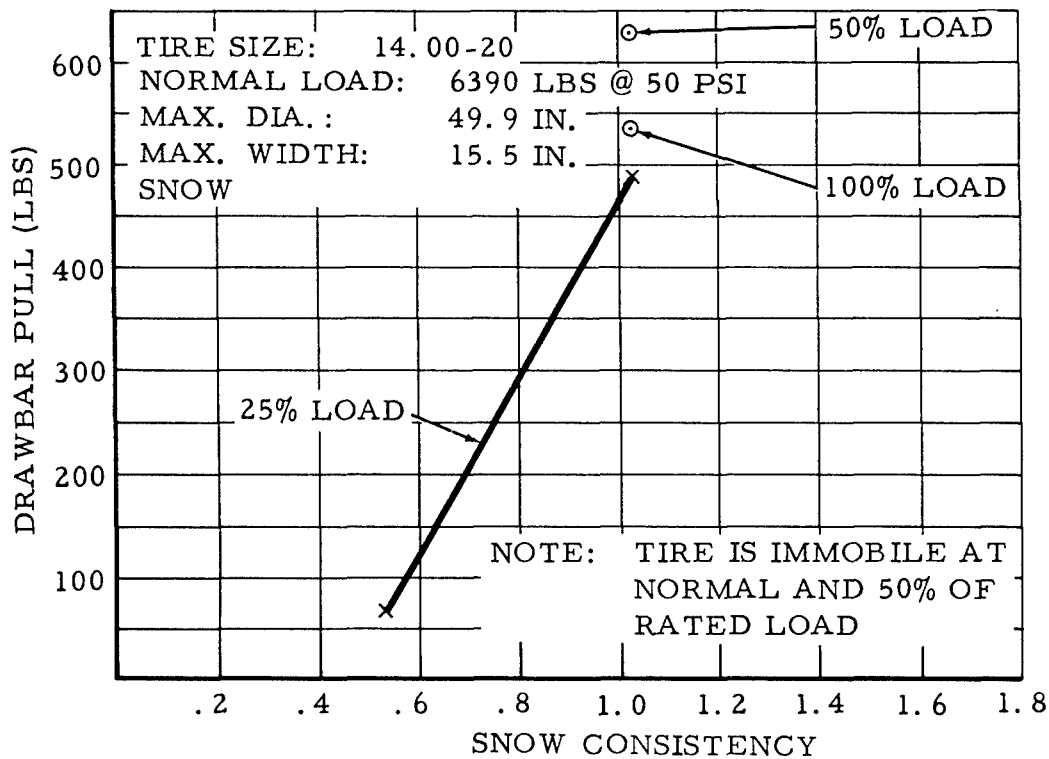


FIGURE B43. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 14.00-20 TIRE

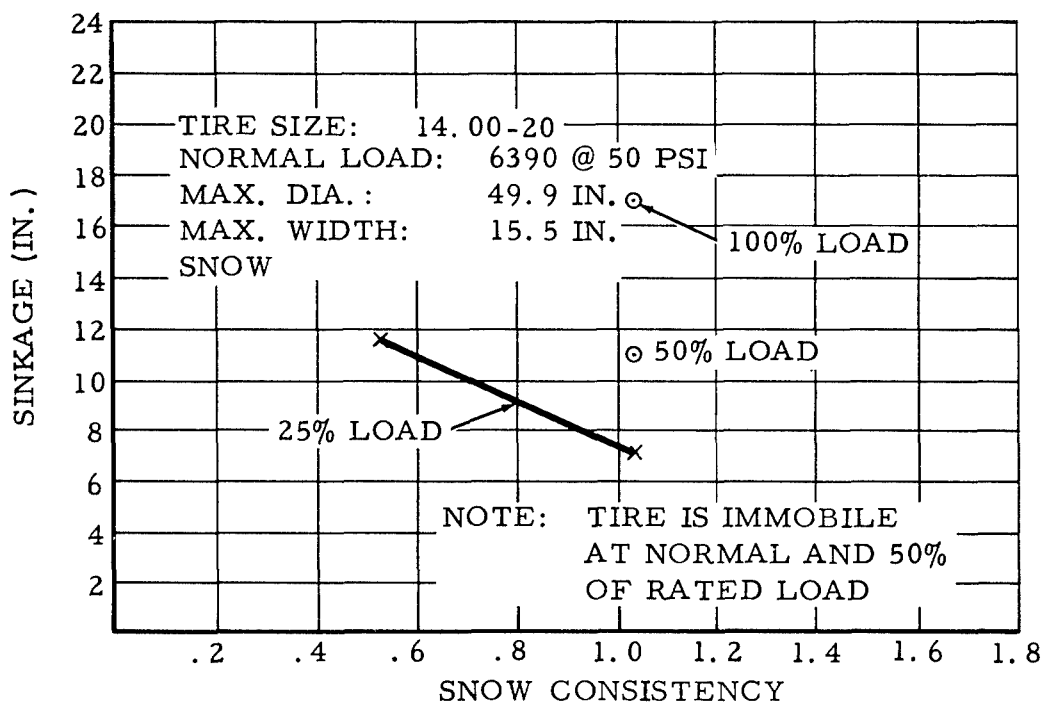


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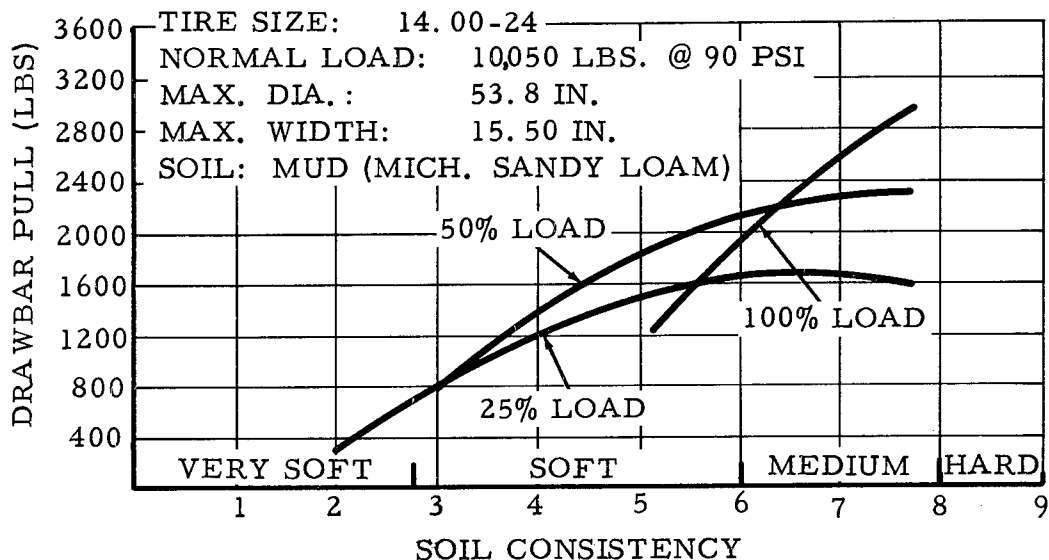


FIGURE B45. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 14.00-24 TIRE

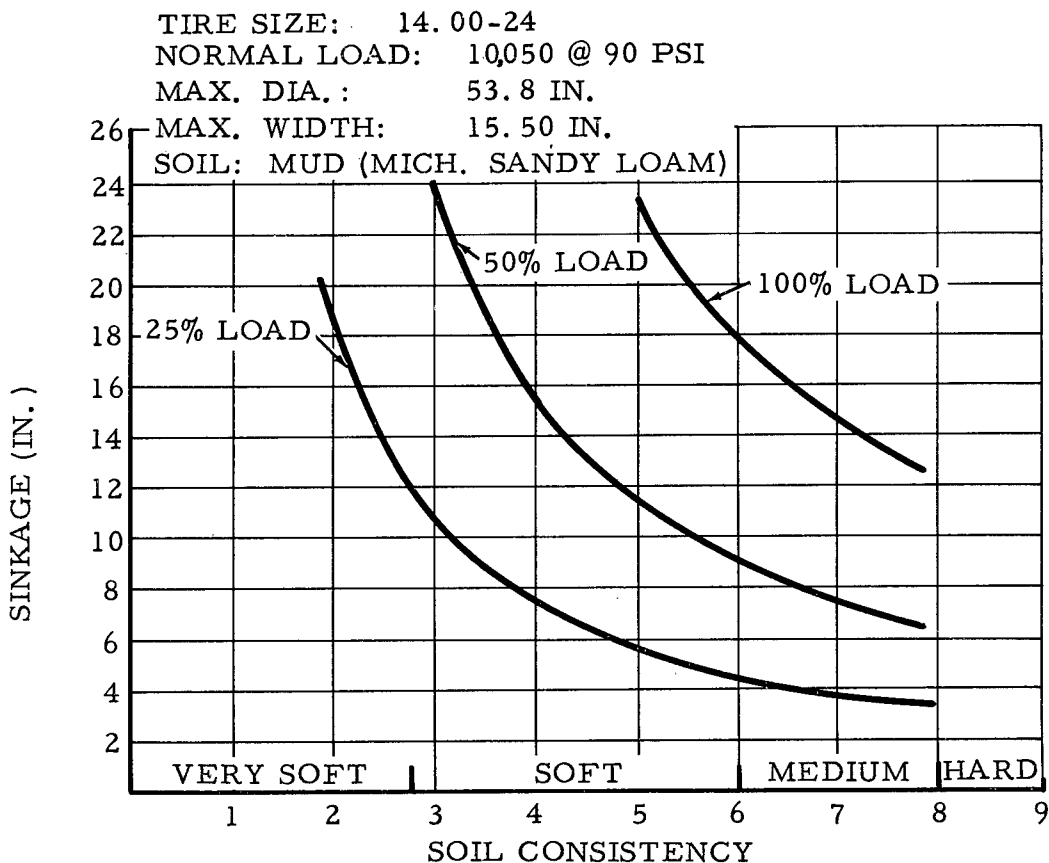


FIGURE B46. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 14.00-24 TIRE

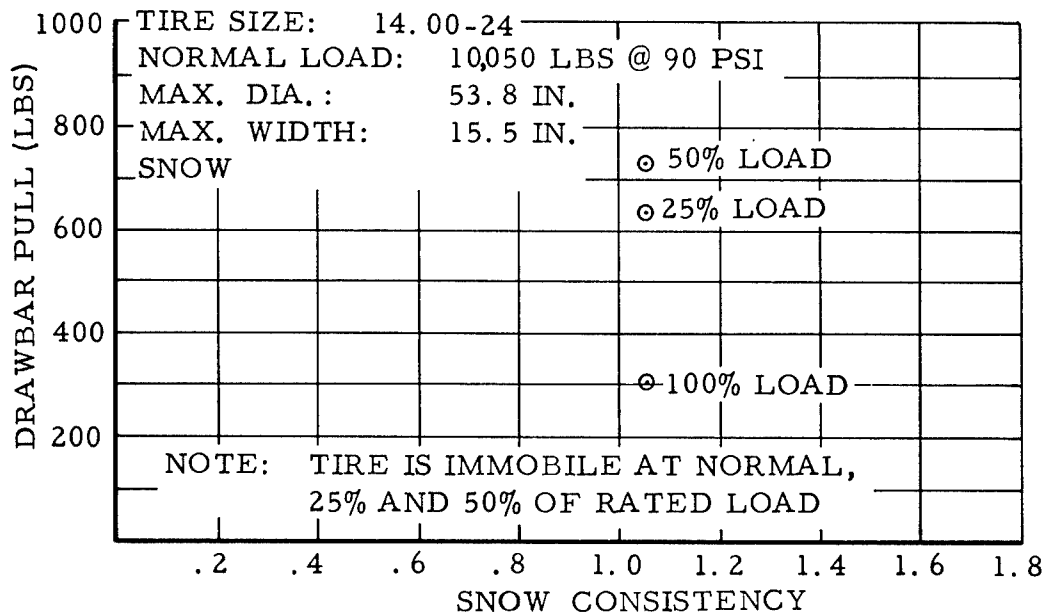


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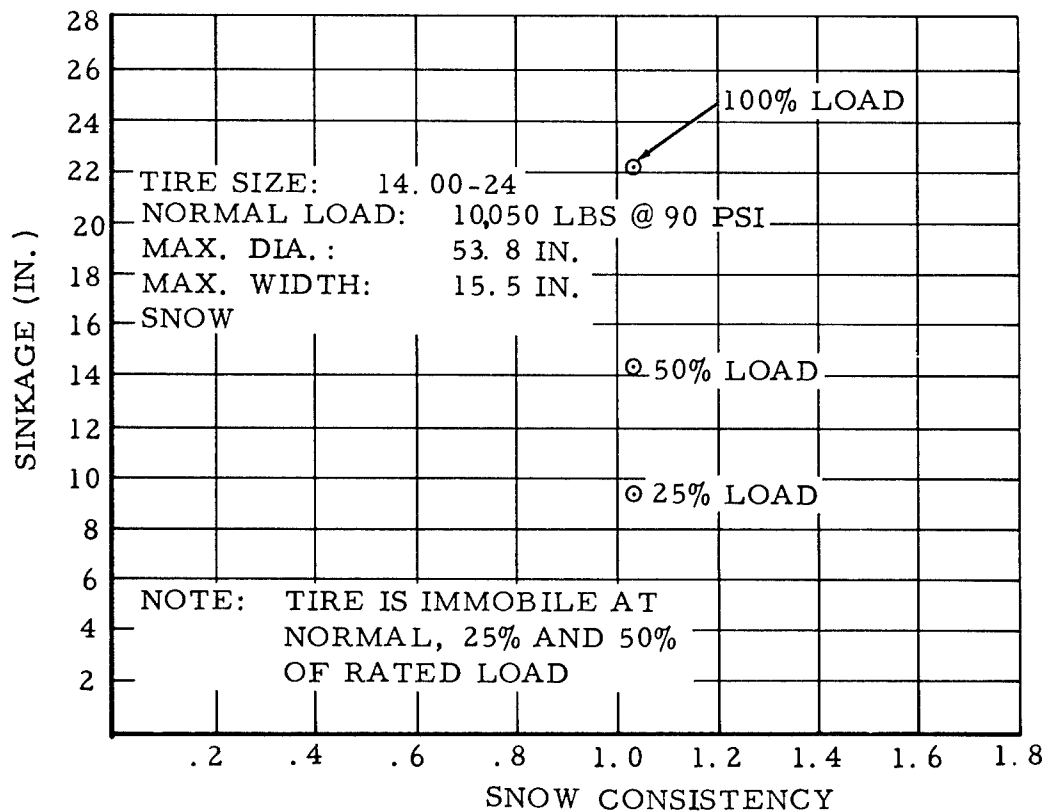


FIGURE B48 SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 14.00-24 TIRE

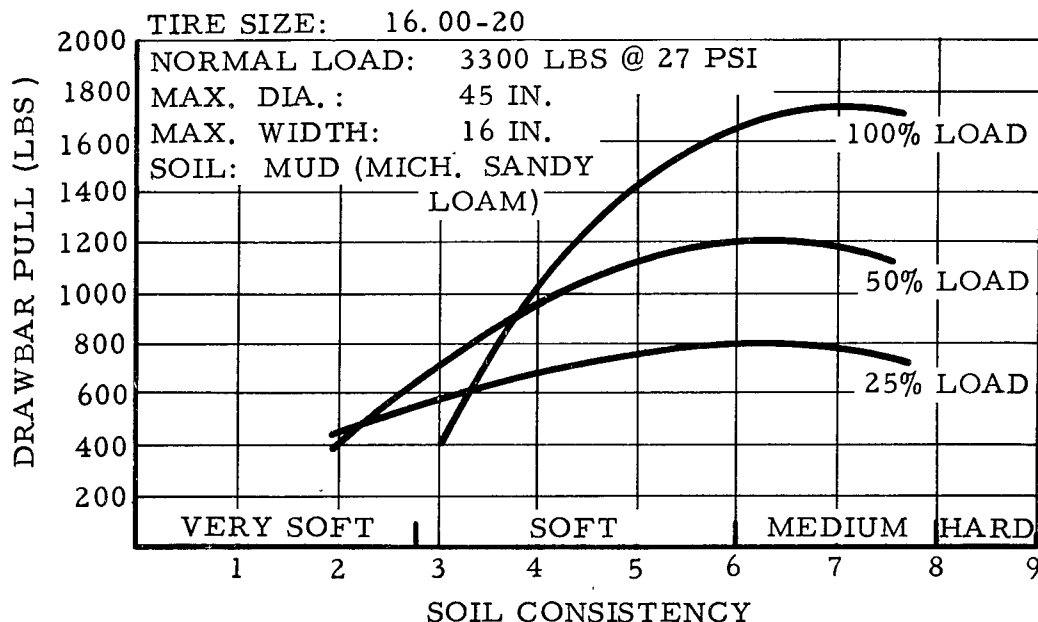


FIGURE B49. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY,  
 16.00-20 TIRE

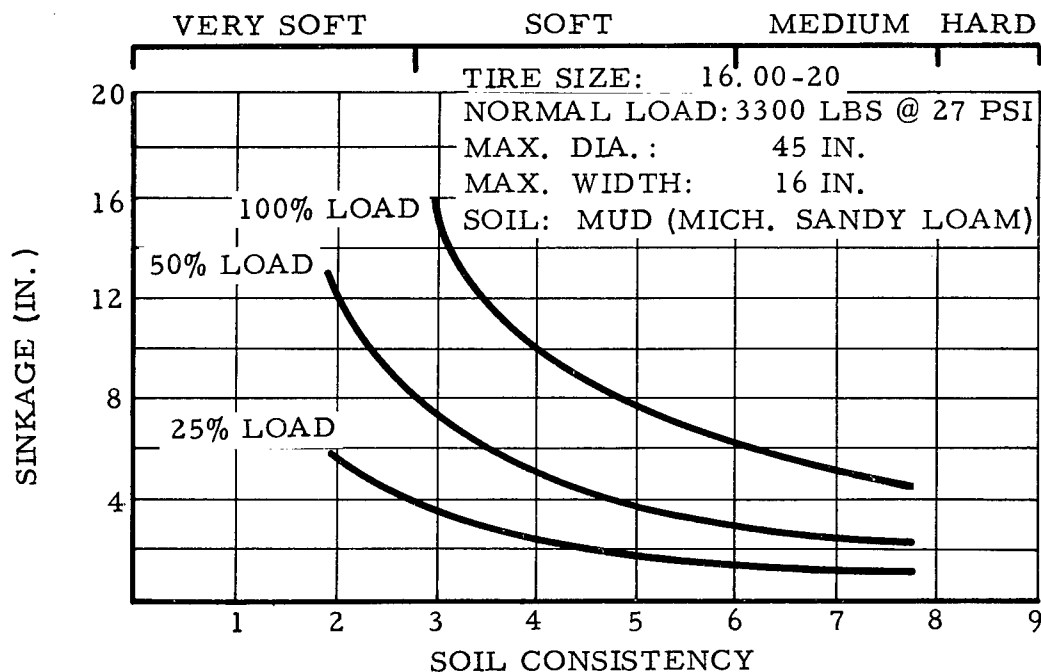


FIGURE B50. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY,  
 16.00-20 TIRE

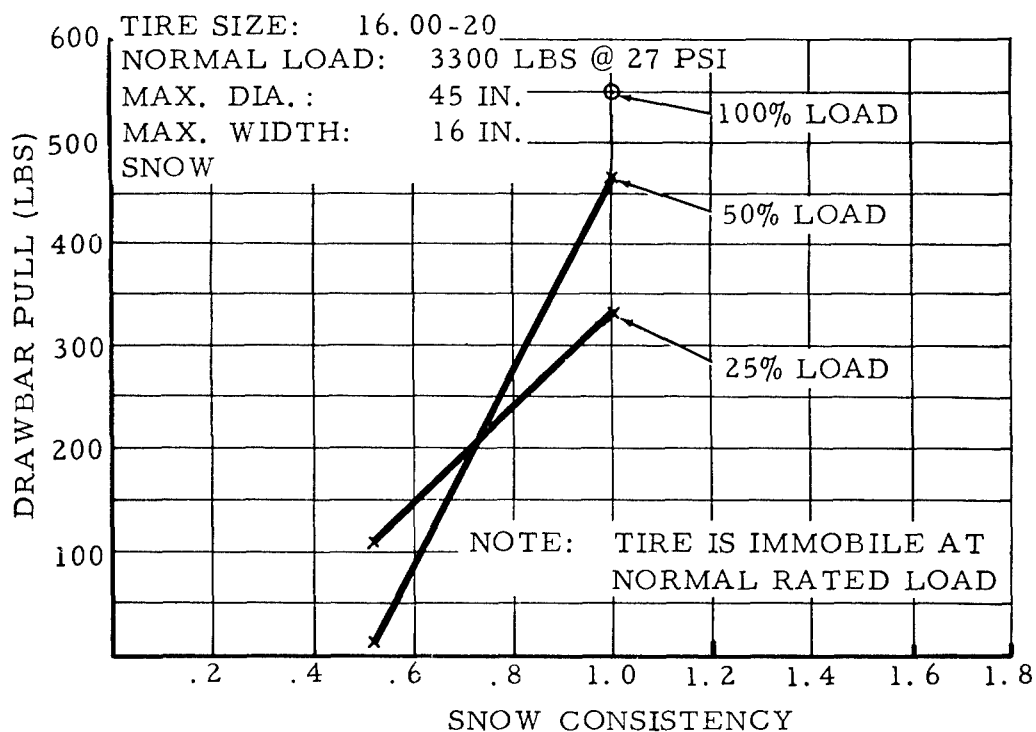


FIGURE B51. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 16.00-20 TIRE

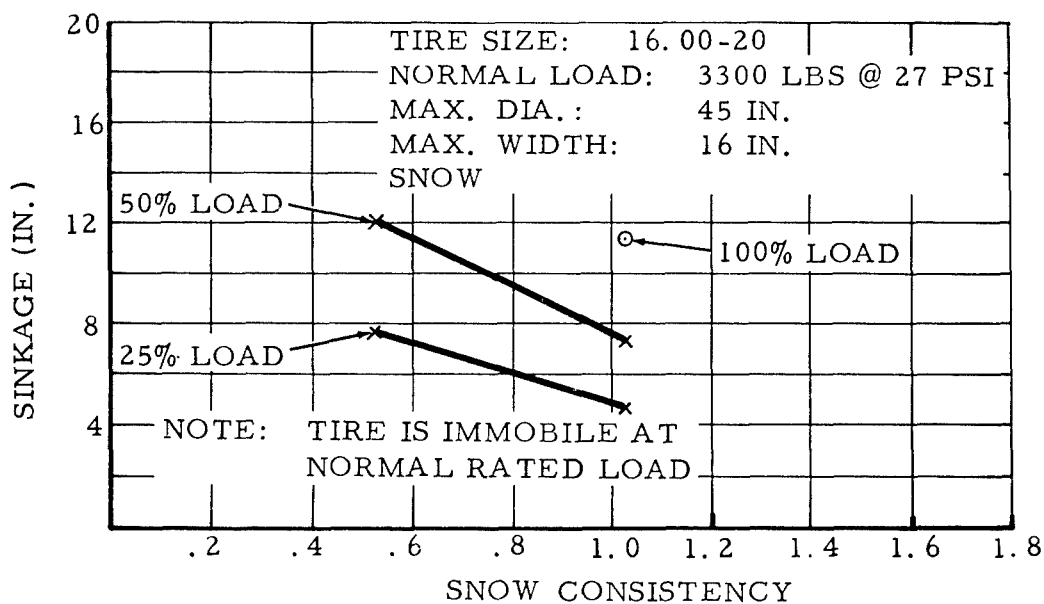


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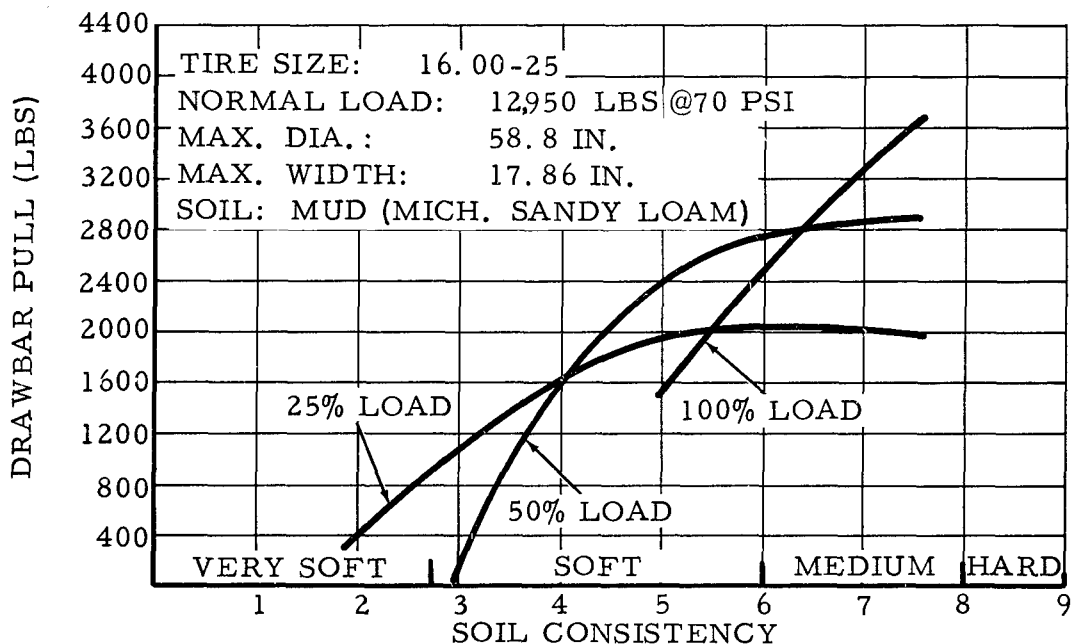


FIGURE B53. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 16.00-25 TIRE

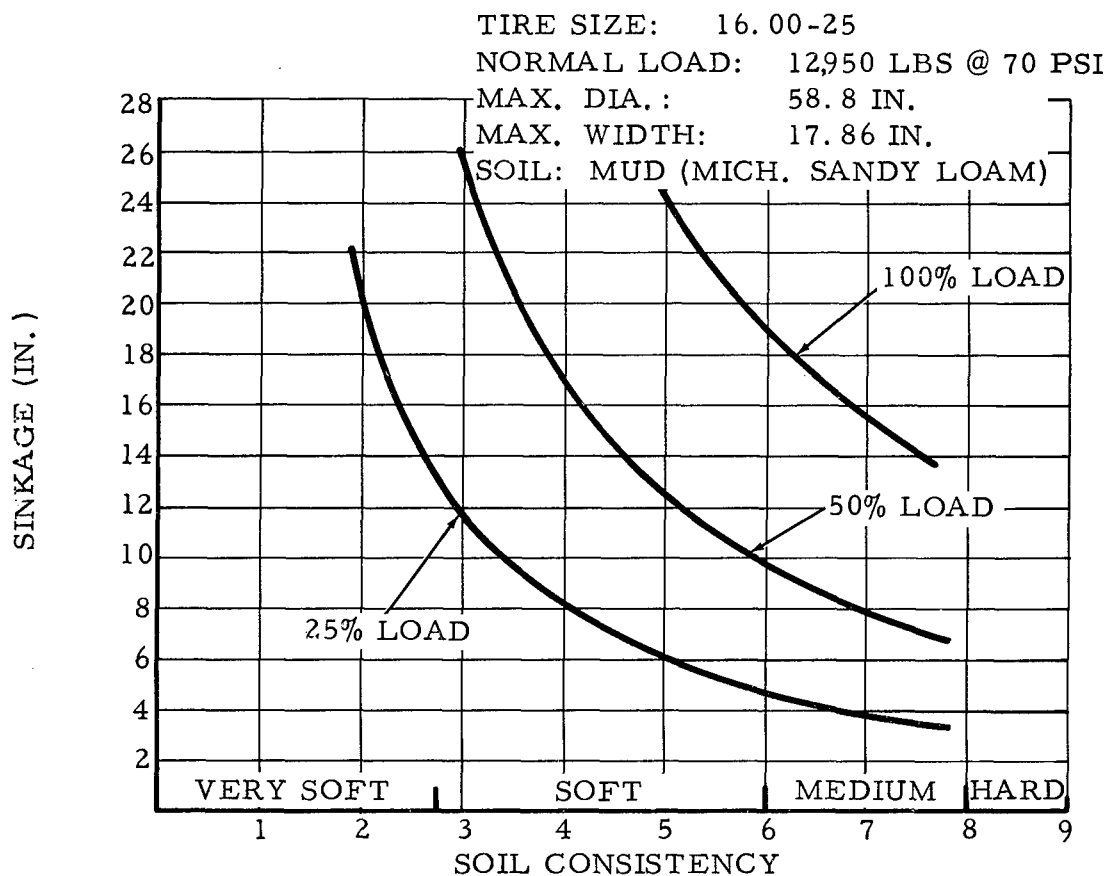


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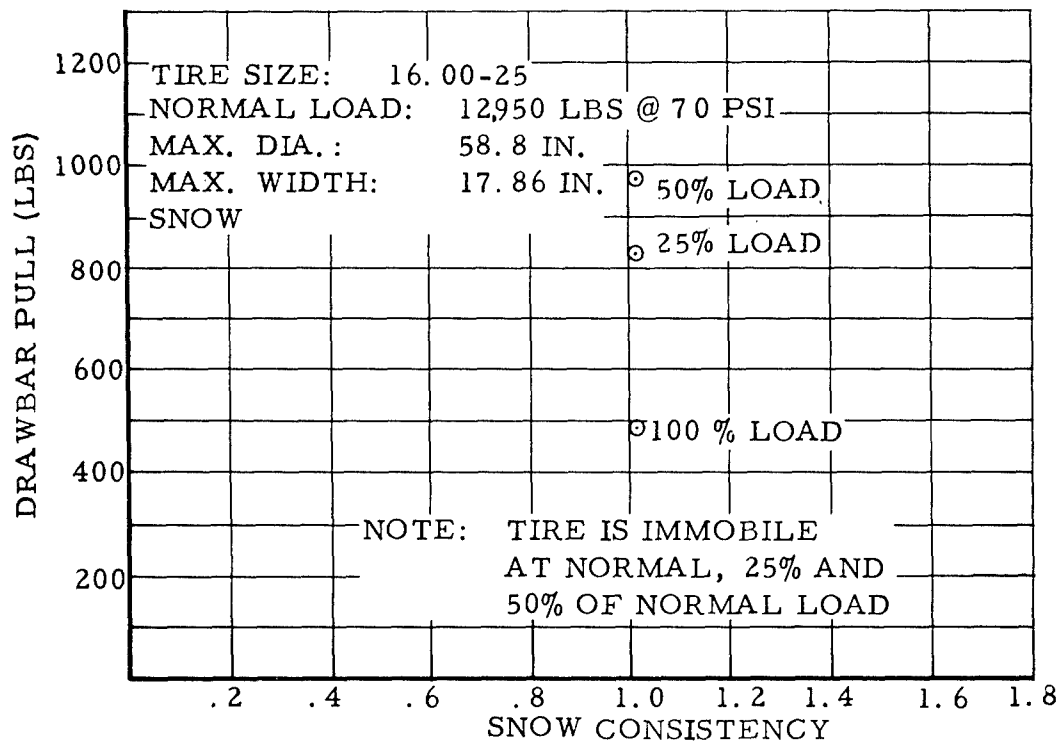


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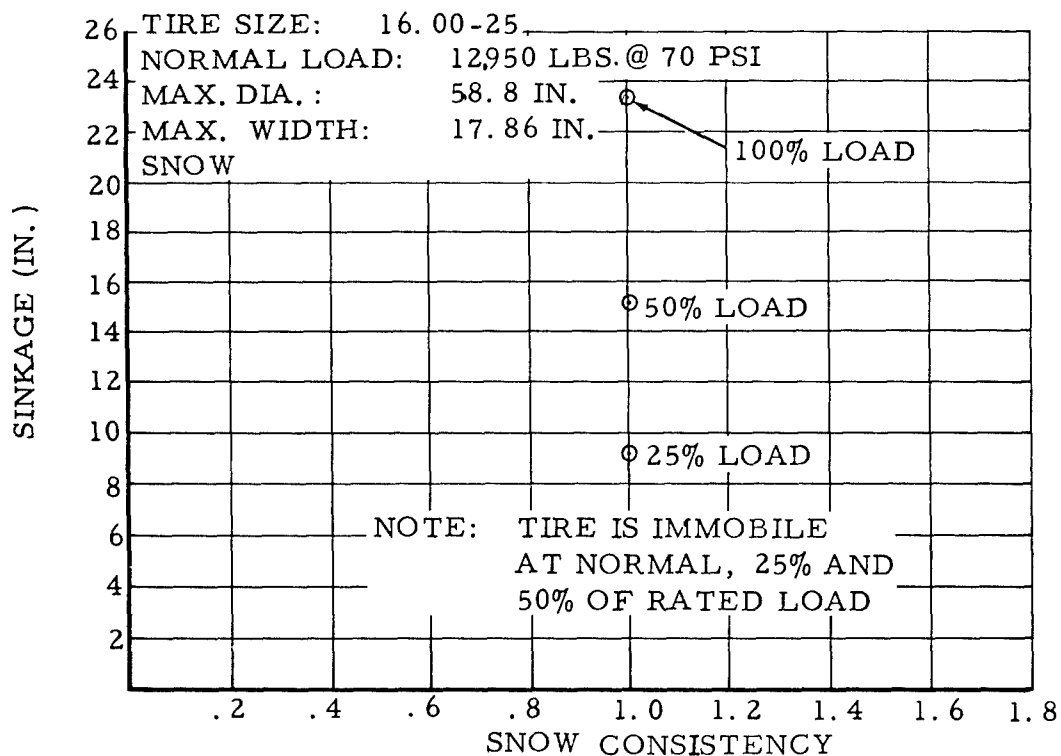


FIGURE B56. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 16.00-25 TIRE

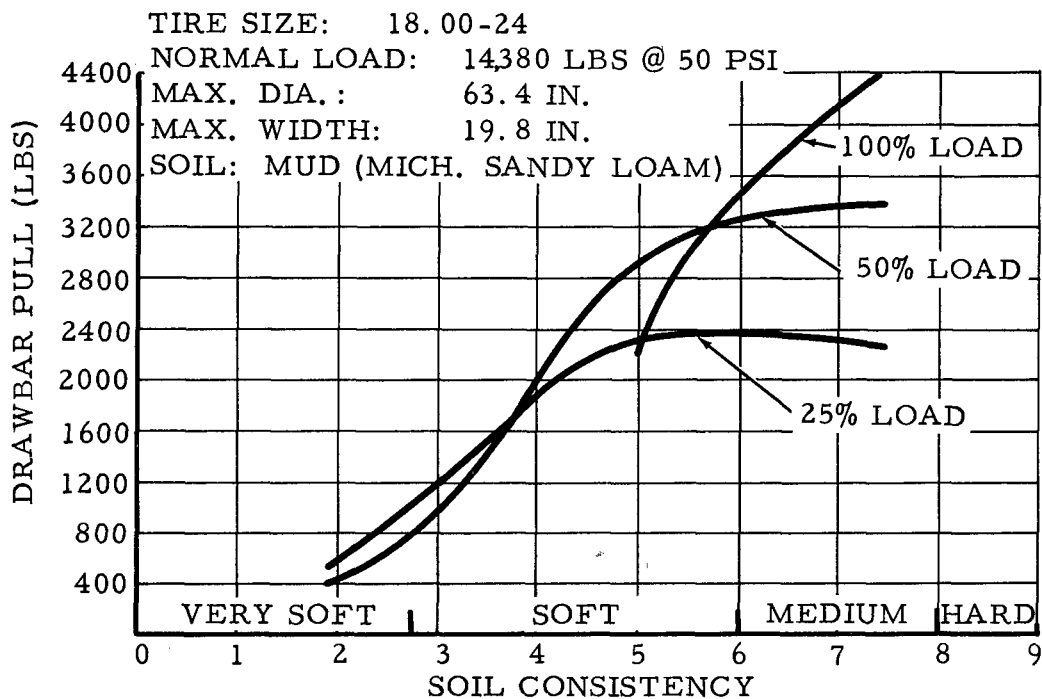


FIGURE B57. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 18.00-24 TIRE

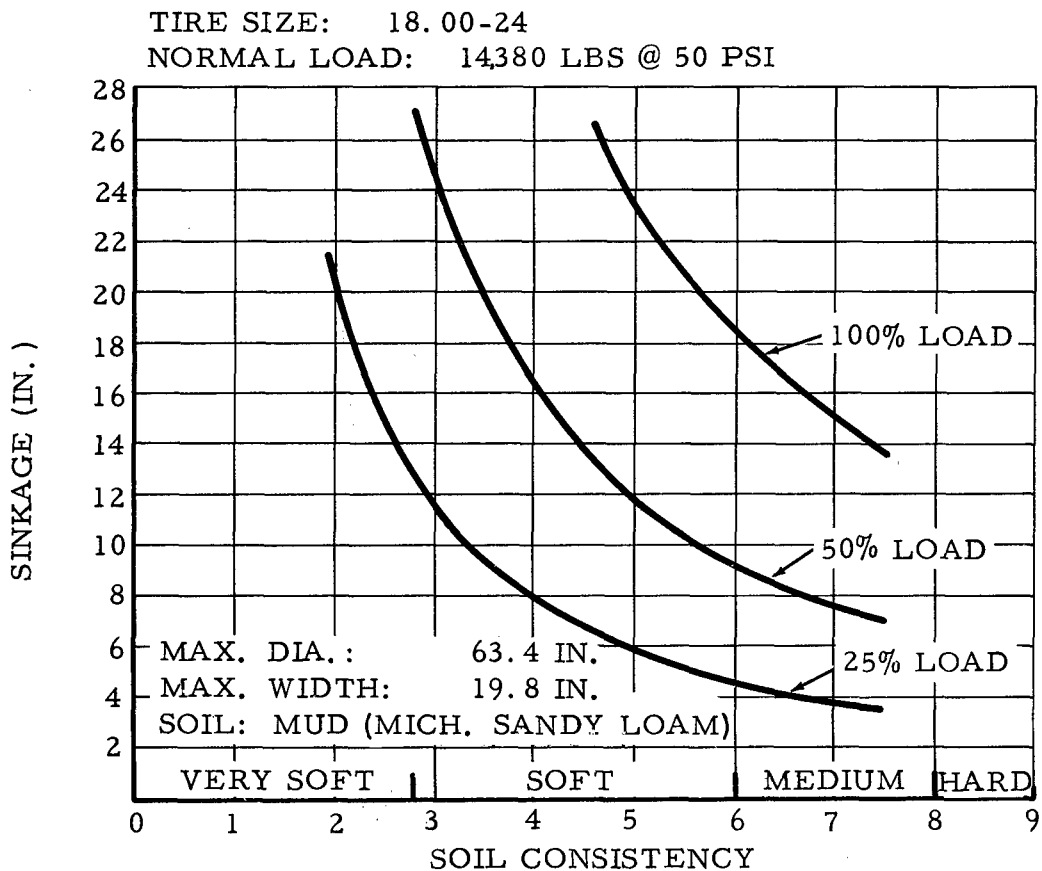


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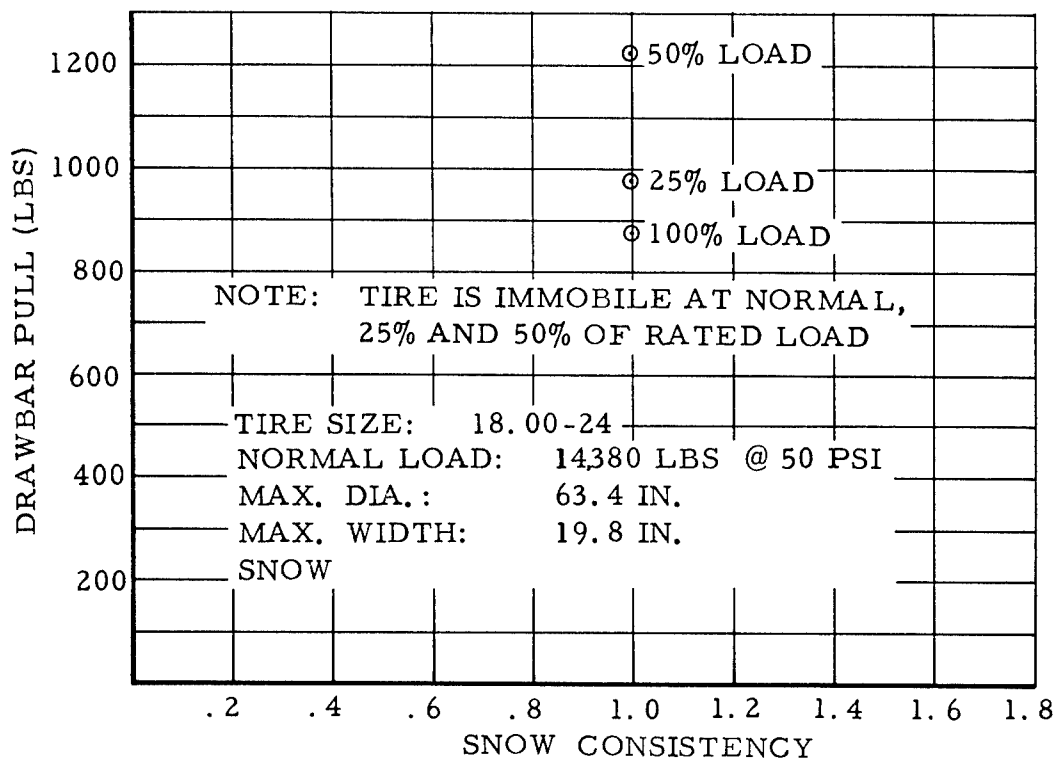


FIGURE B59. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 18.00-24 TIRE

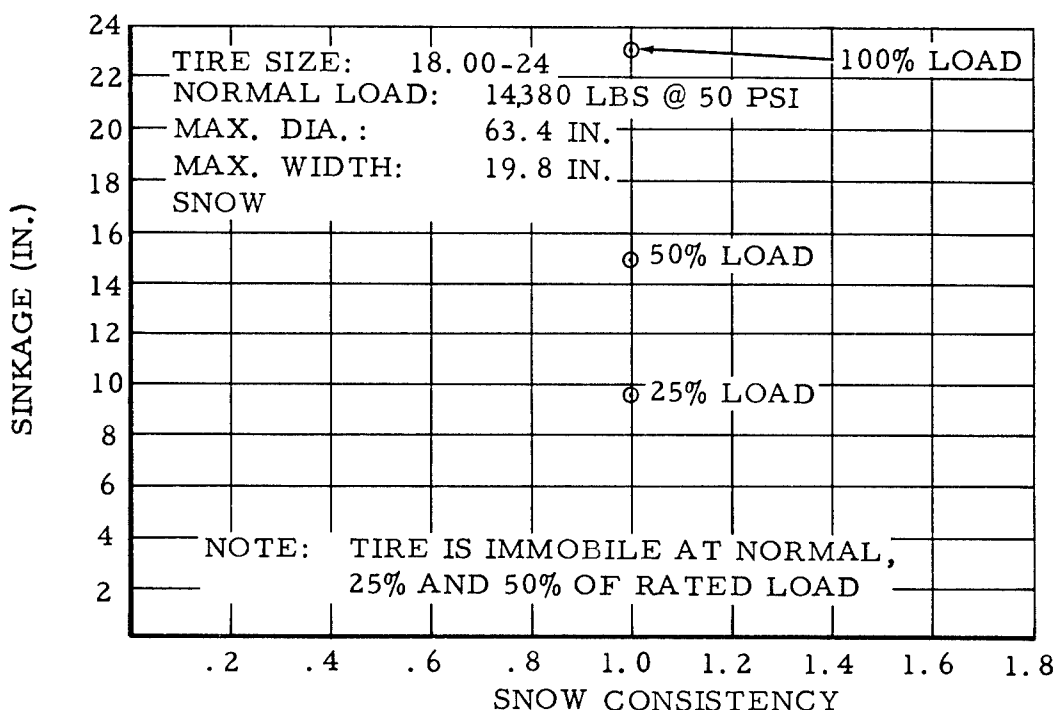


FIGURE B60. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 18.00-24 TIRE

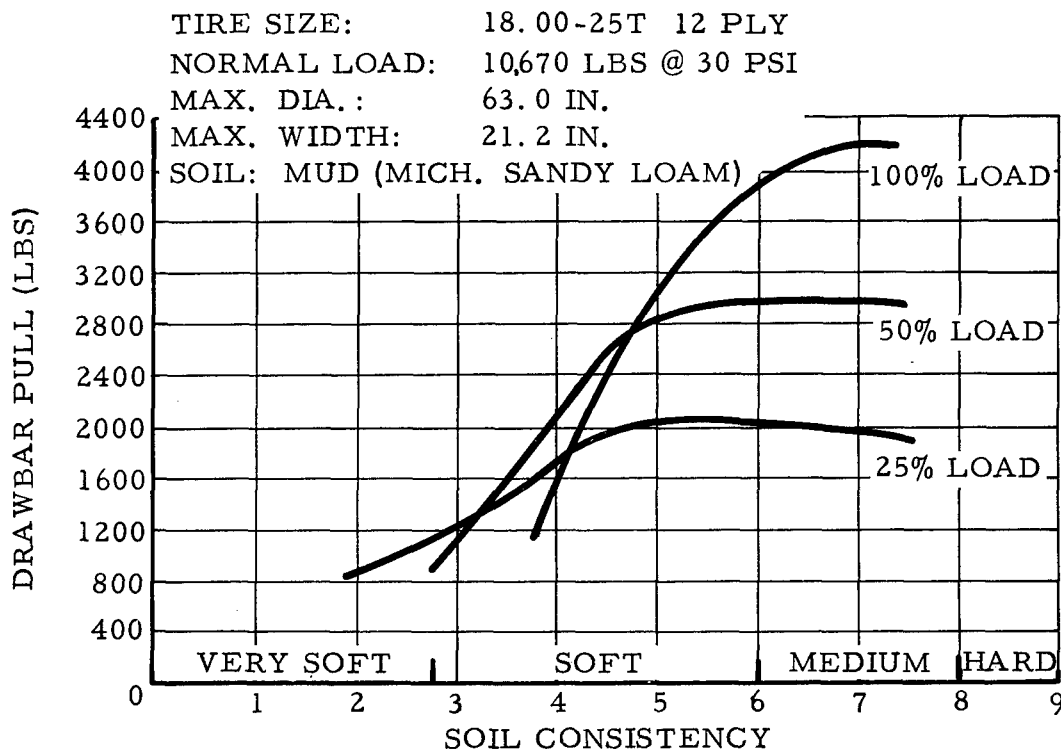


FIGURE B61. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 18.00-25T, 12 PLY TIRE

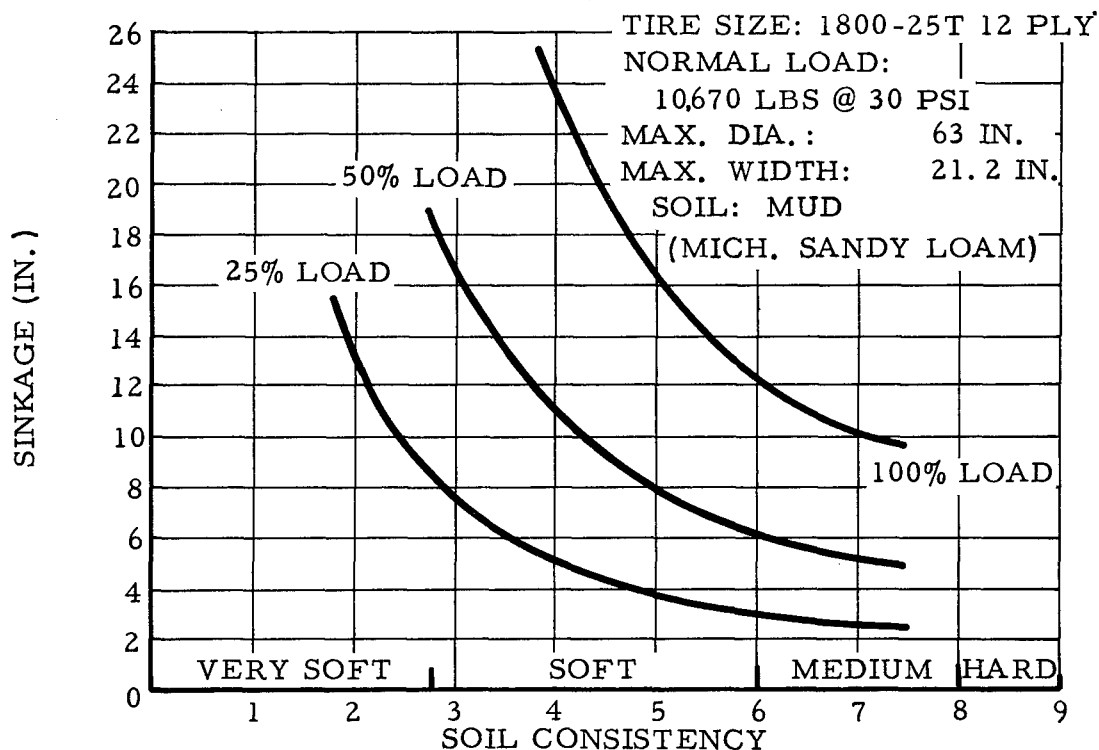


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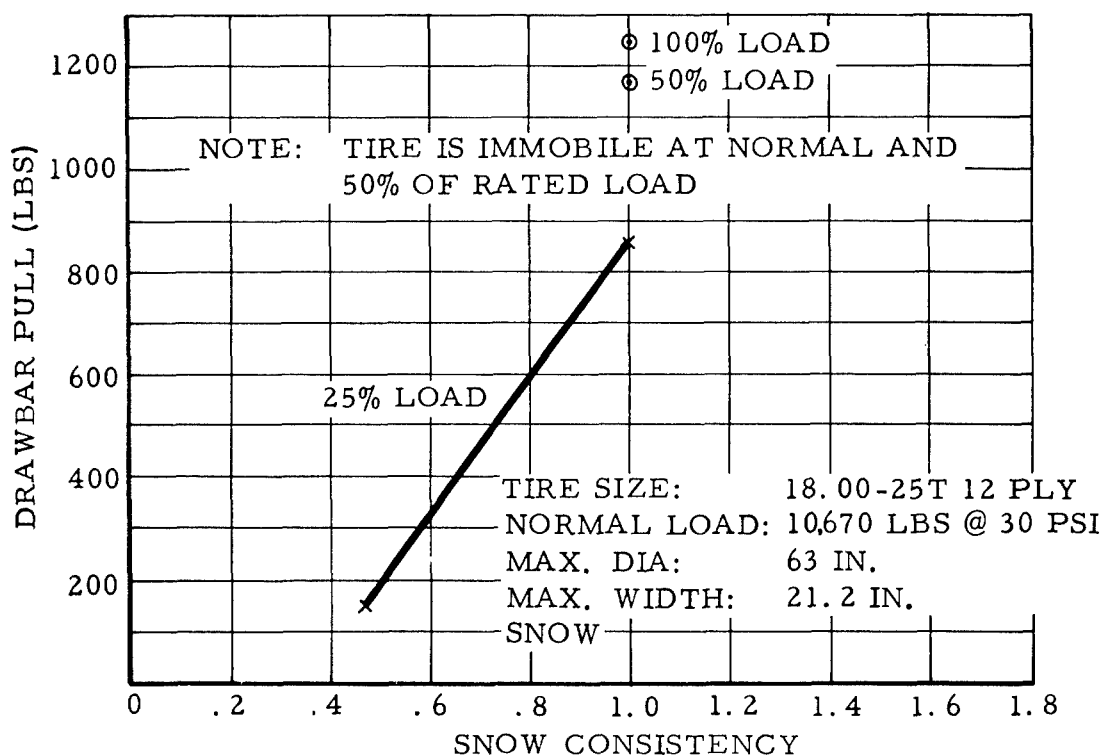


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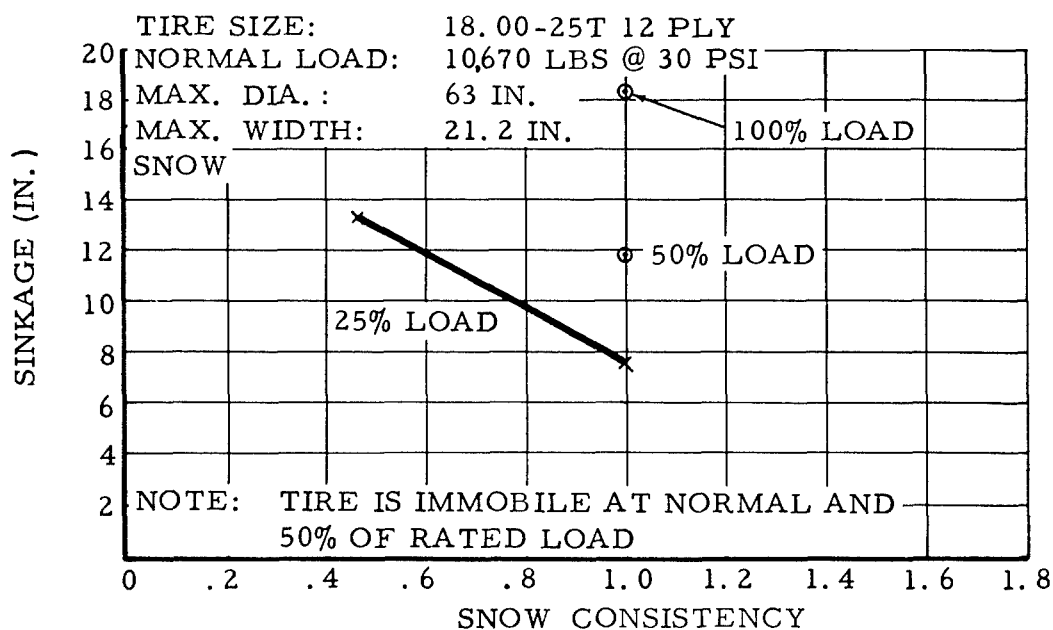


FIGURE B64. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 18.00-25T, 12 PLY TIRE

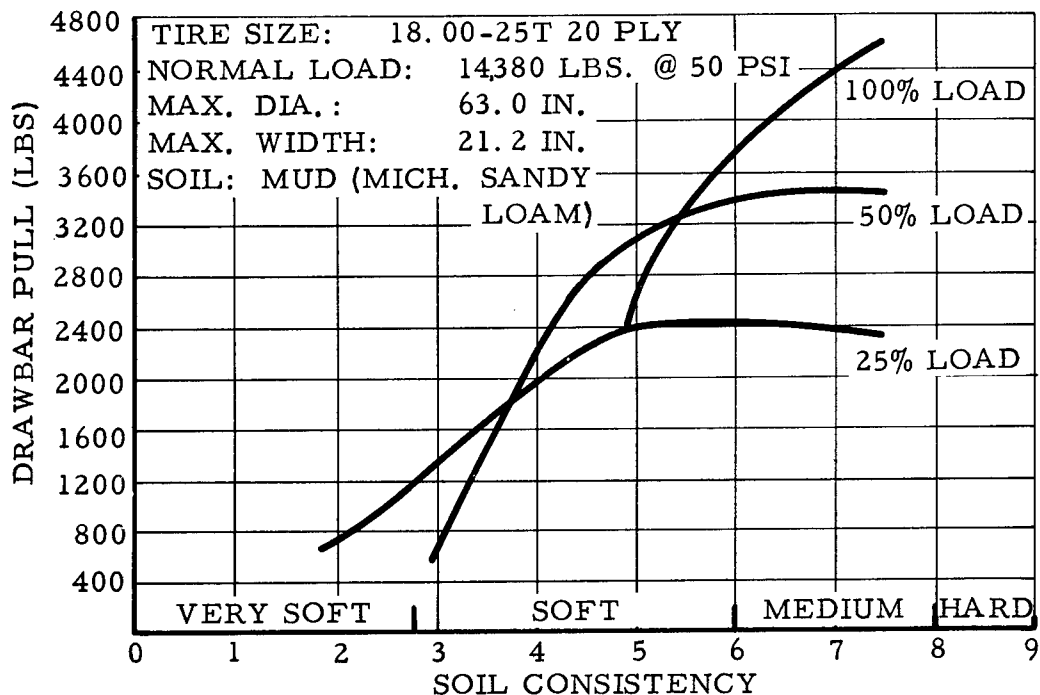


FIGURE B65. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 1800-25T, 20 PLY TIRE

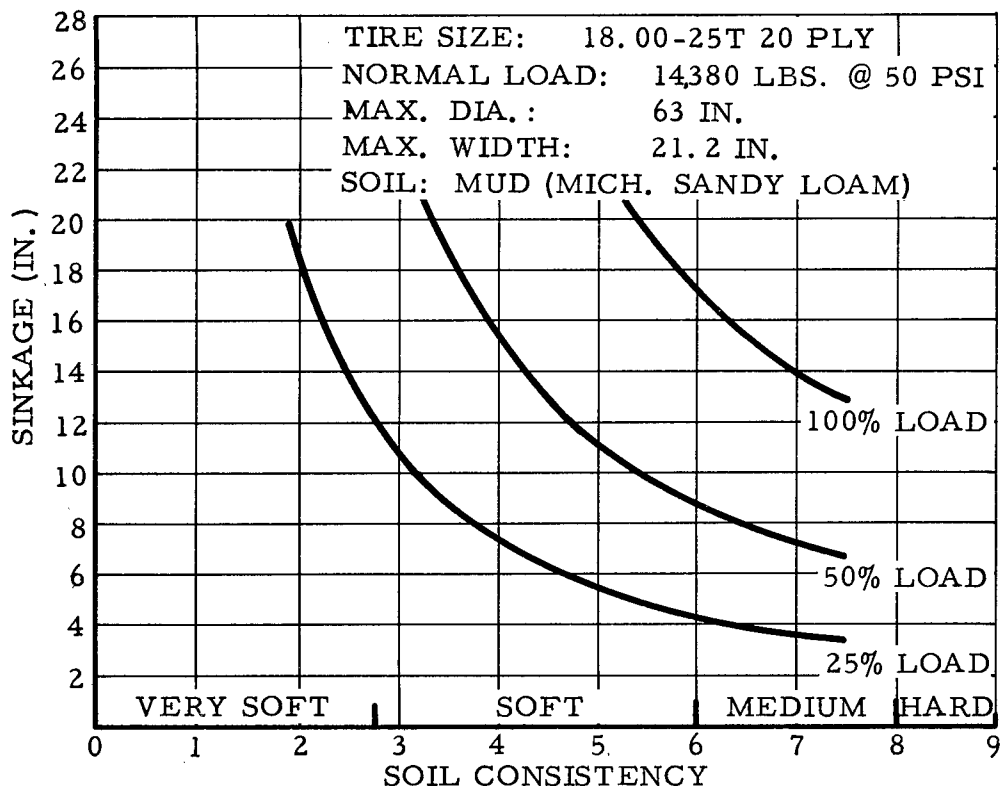


FIGURE B66. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 18.00-25T, 20 PLY TIRE

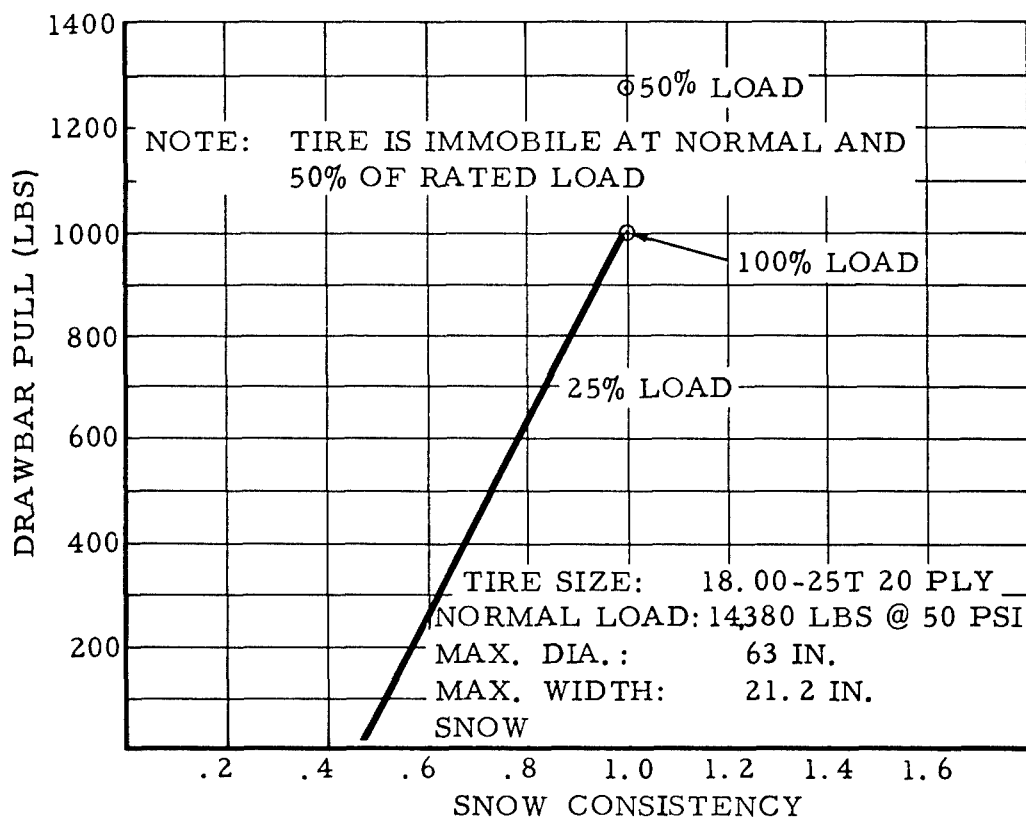


FIGURE B67. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 18.00-25T, 20 PLY TIRE

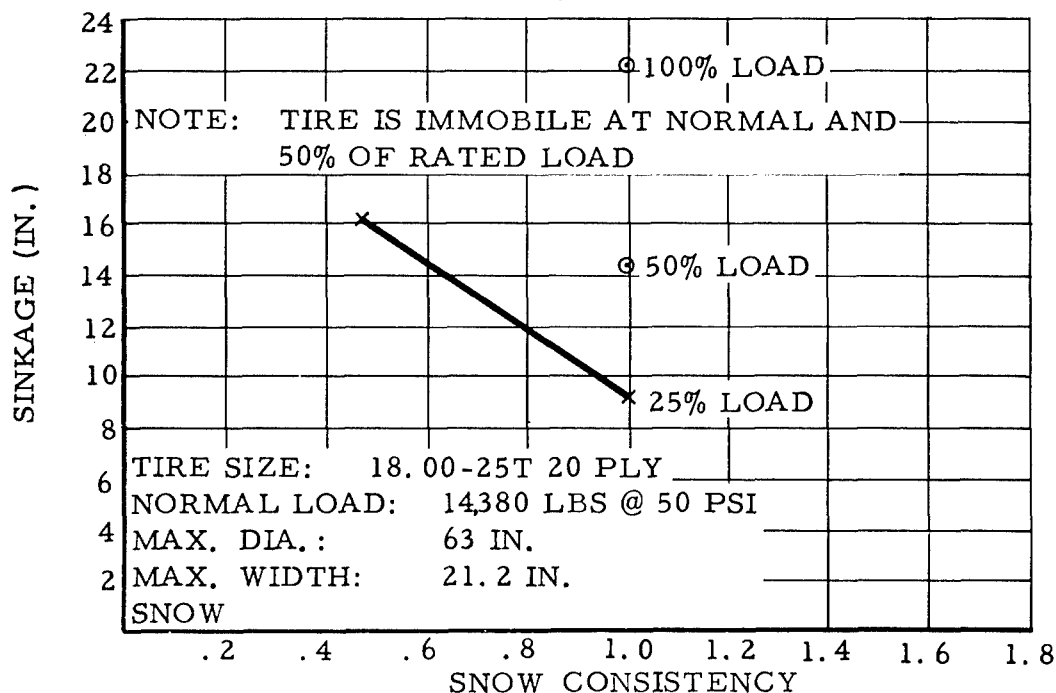


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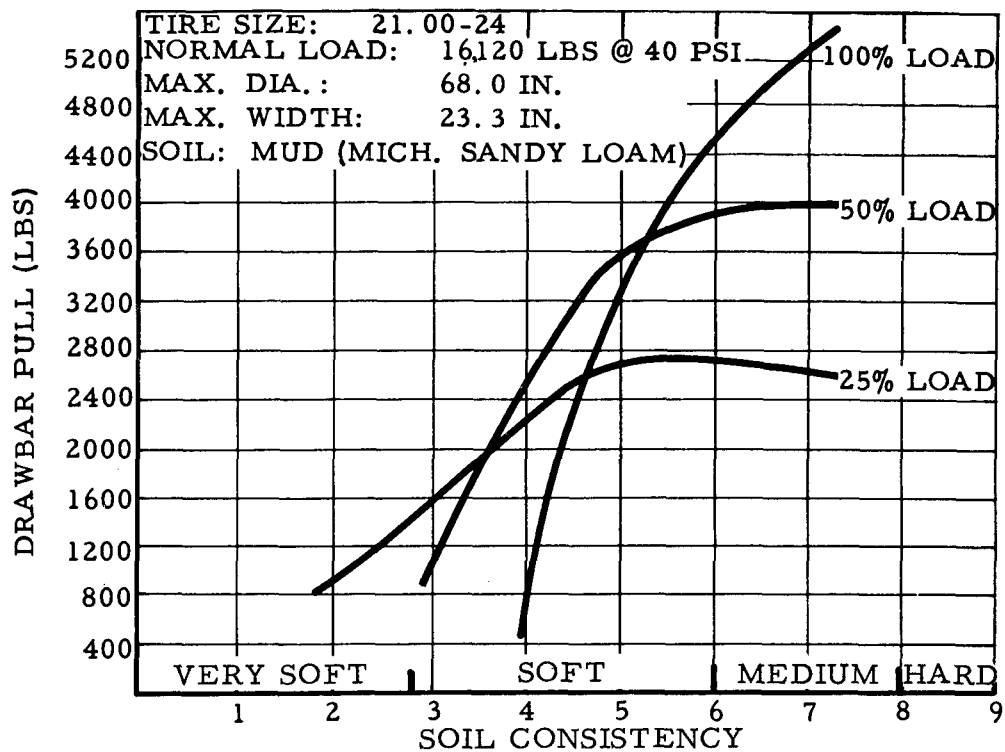


FIGURE B69. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 21.00-24 TIRE

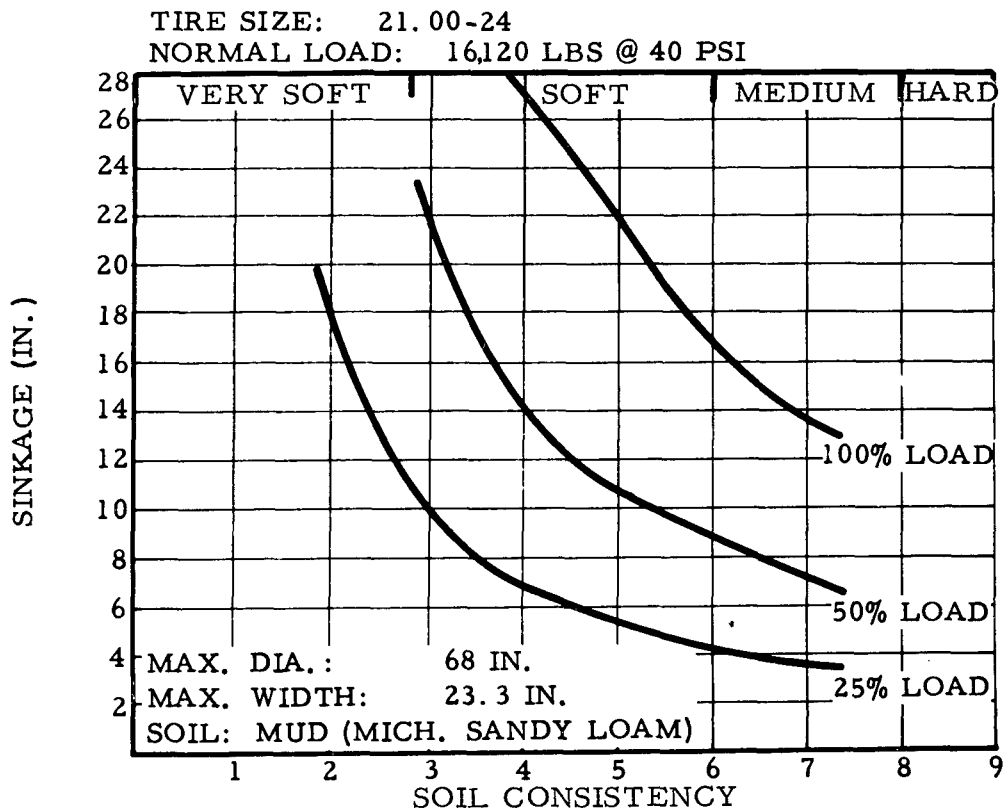


FIGURE B70. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 21.00-24 TIRE

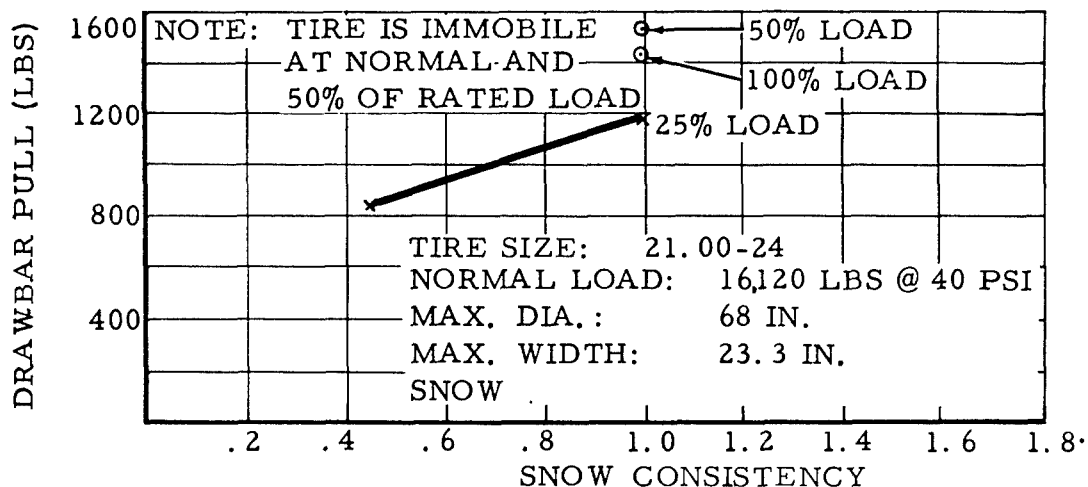


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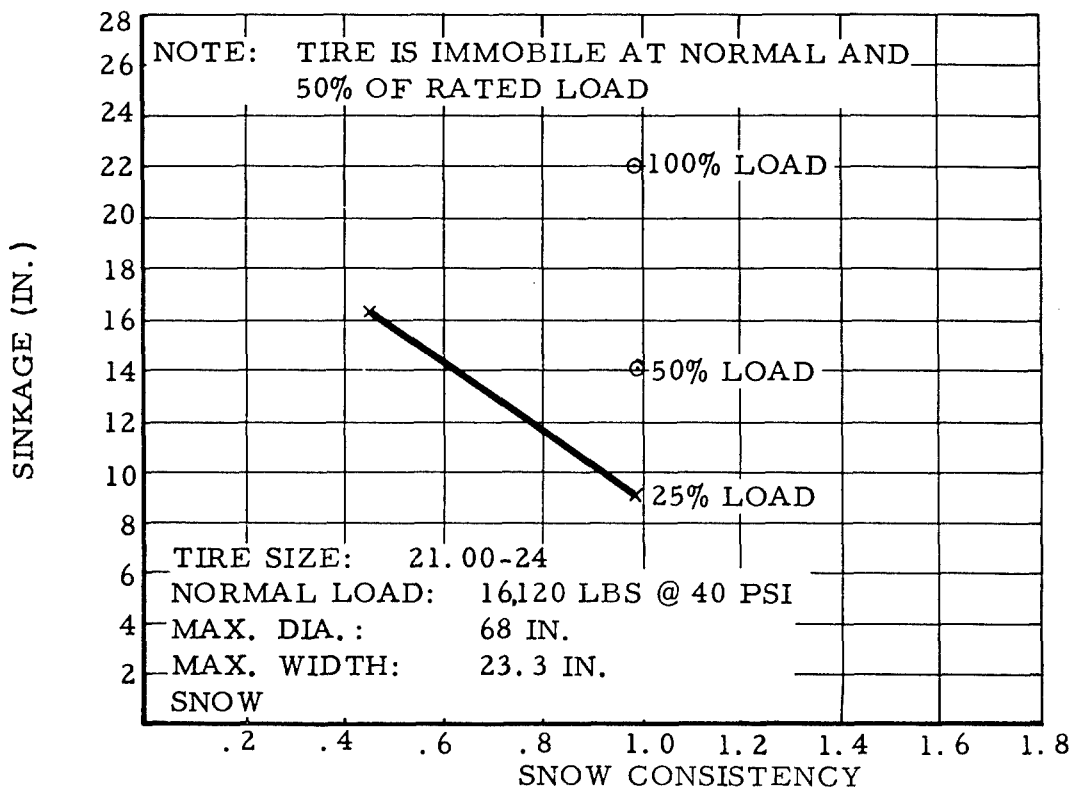


FIGURE B72. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 21.00-24 TIRE

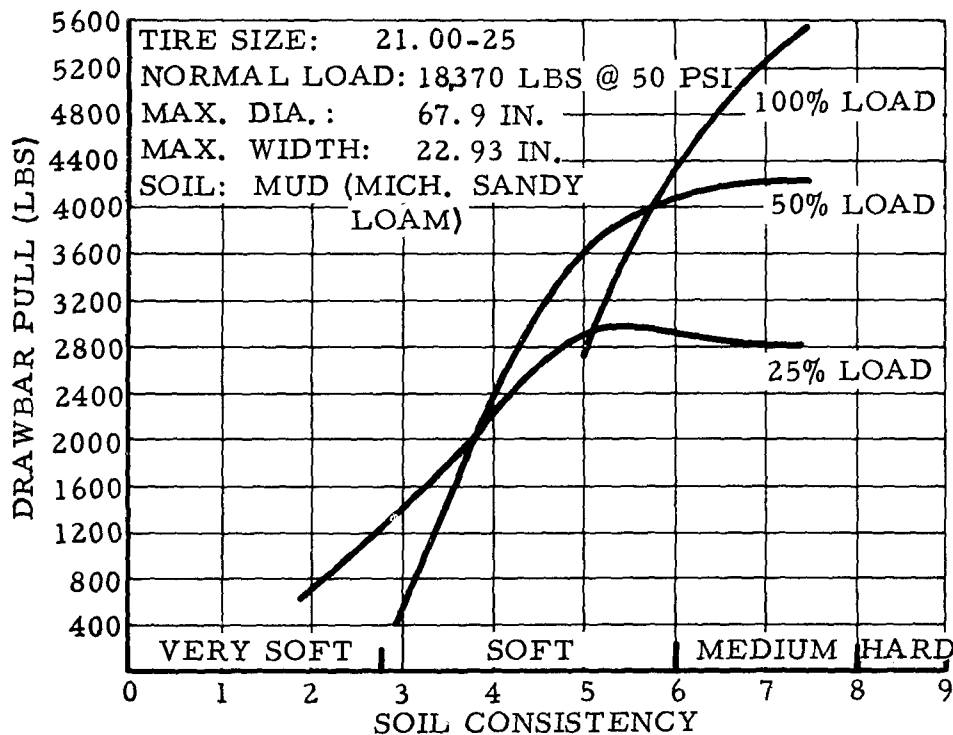


FIGURE B73. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 21.00-25 TIRE

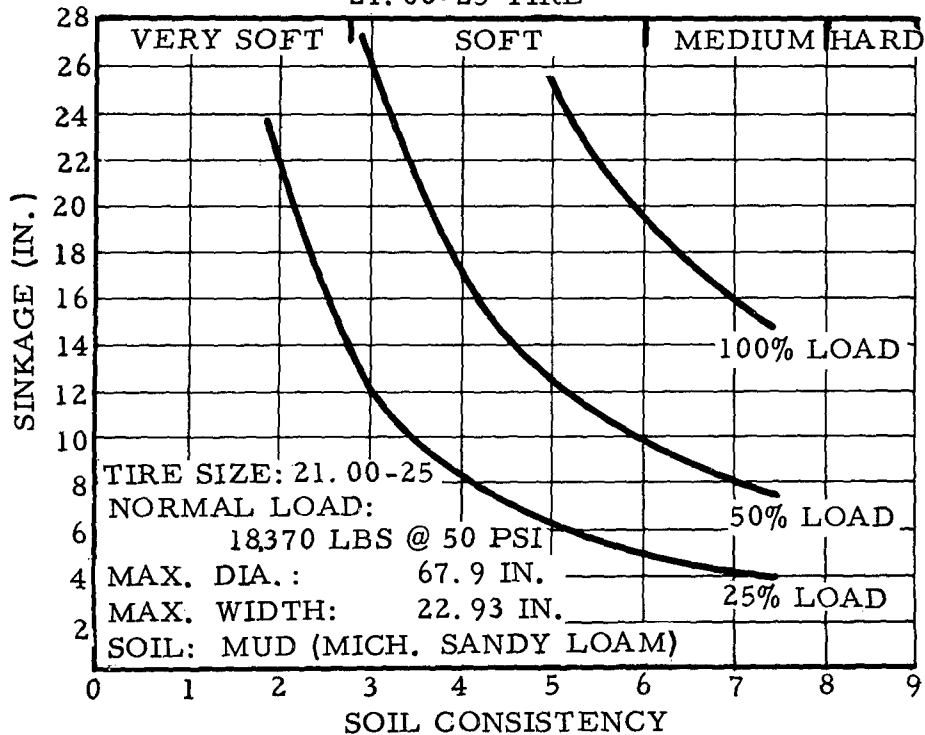


FIGURE B74. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 21.00-25 TIRE

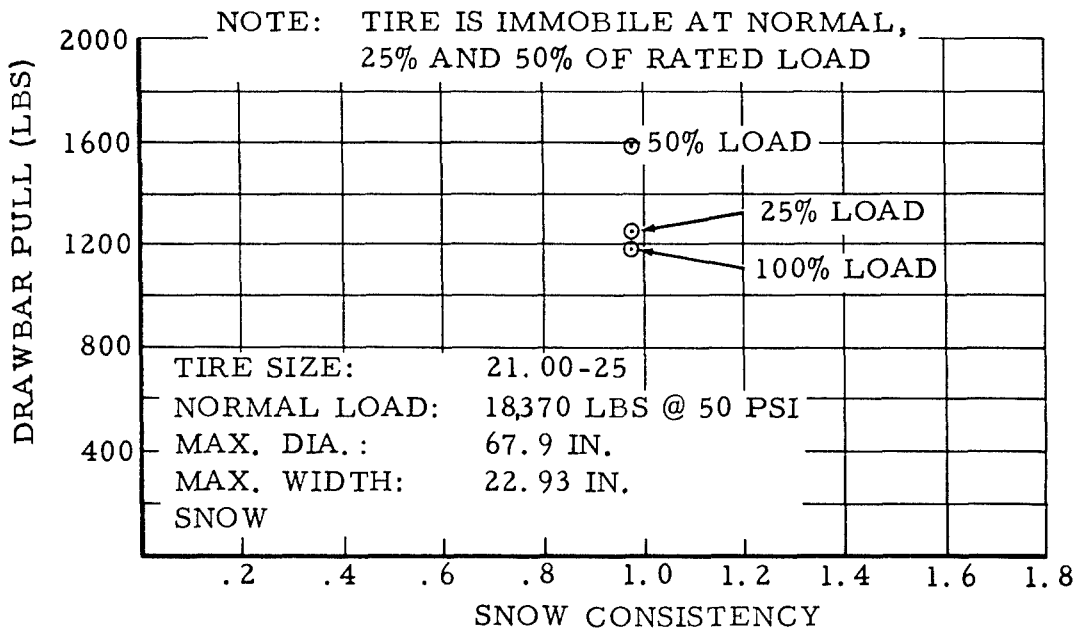


FIGURE B75. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 21.00-25 TIRE

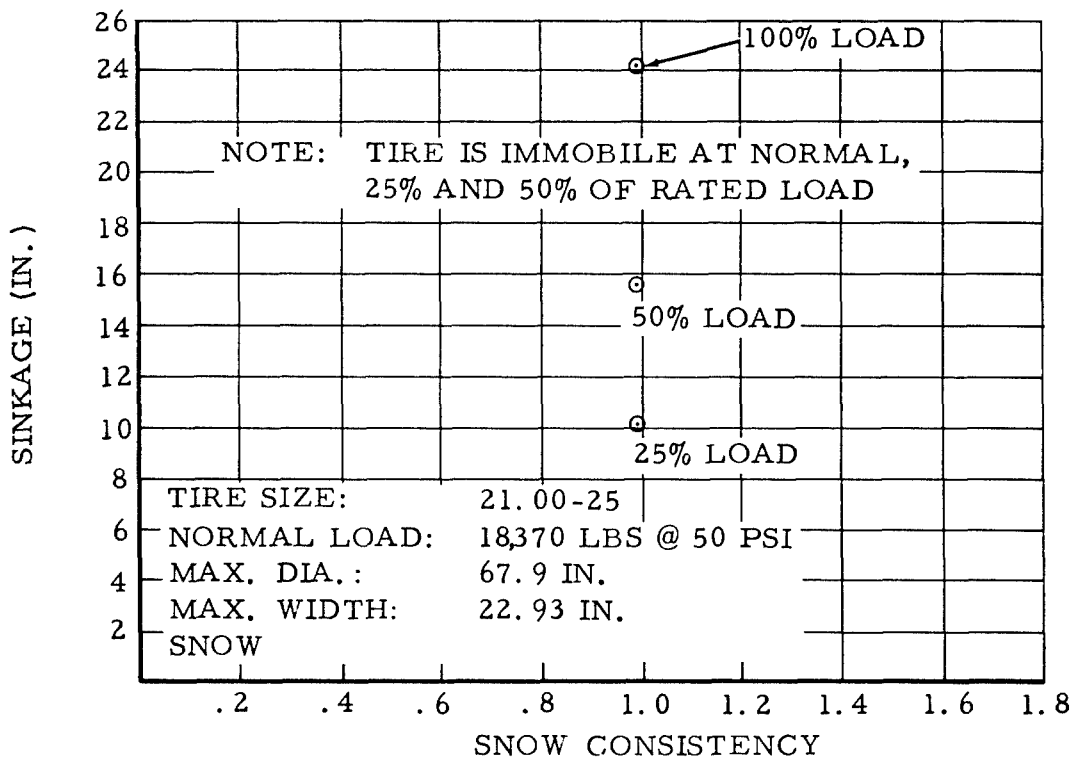


FIGURE B76. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 21.00-25 TIRE

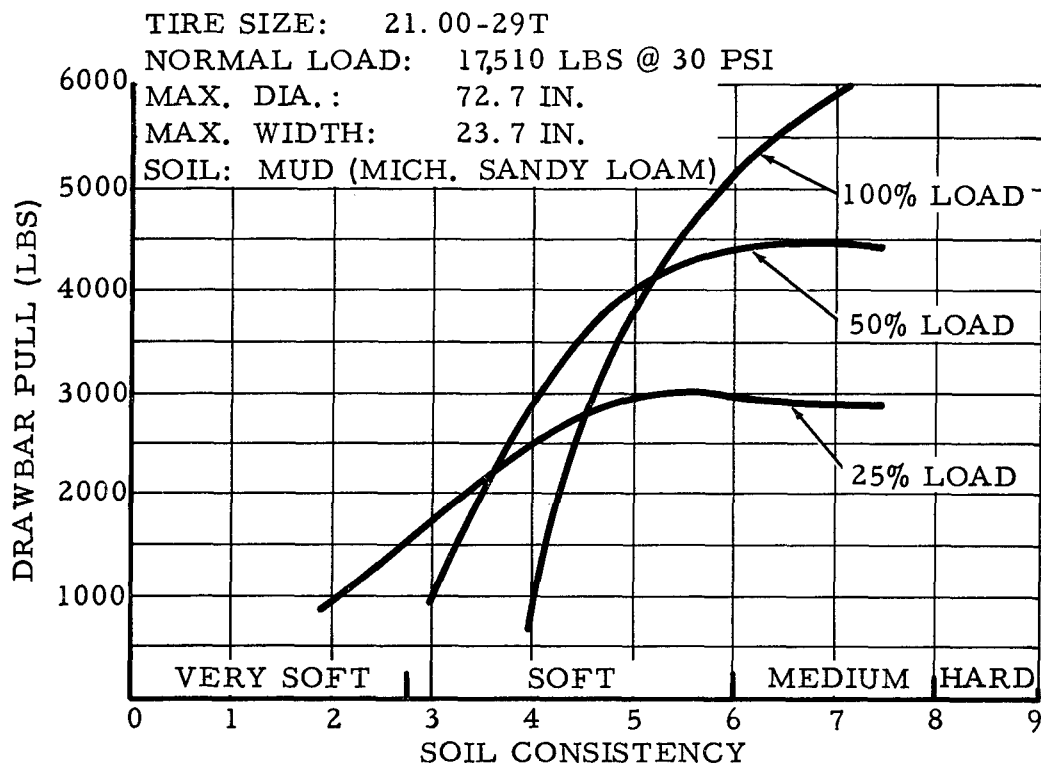


FIGURE B77. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 21.00-29T TIRE

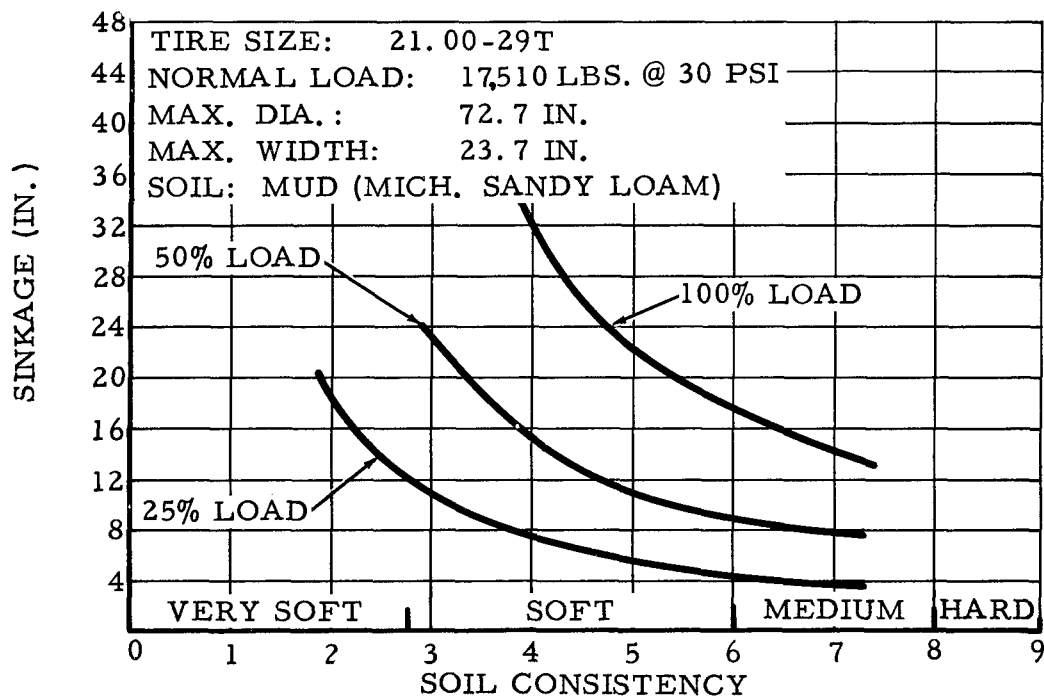


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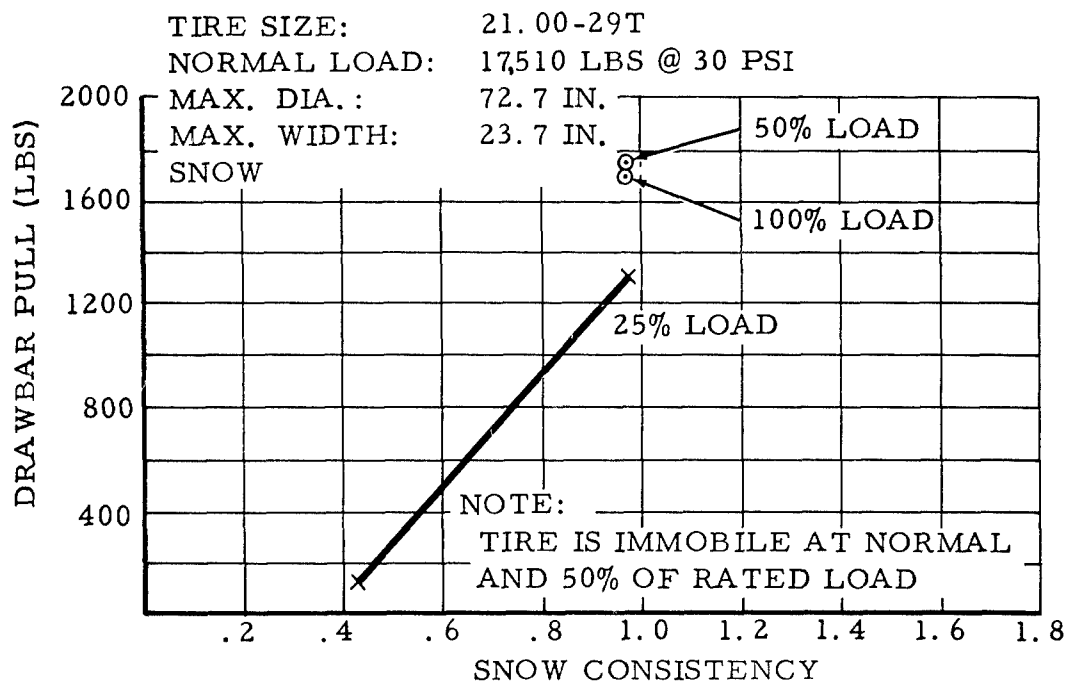


FIGURE B79. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 21.00-29T TIRE

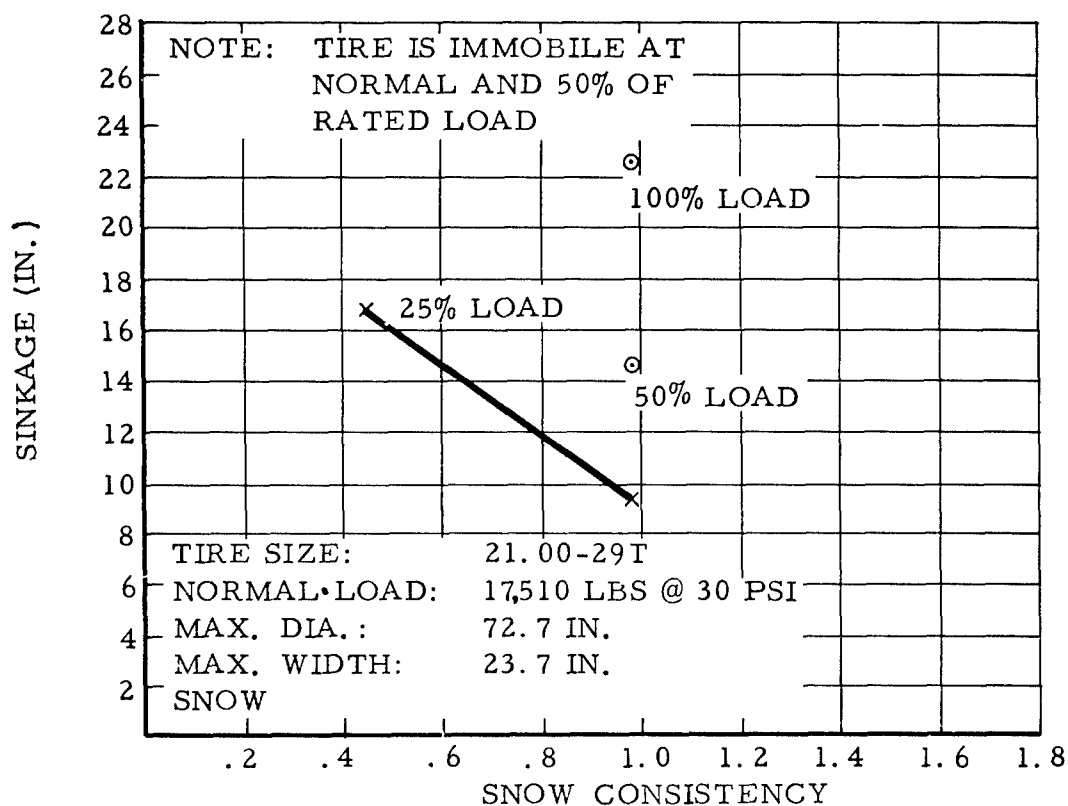


FIGURE B80. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 21.00-29T TIRE

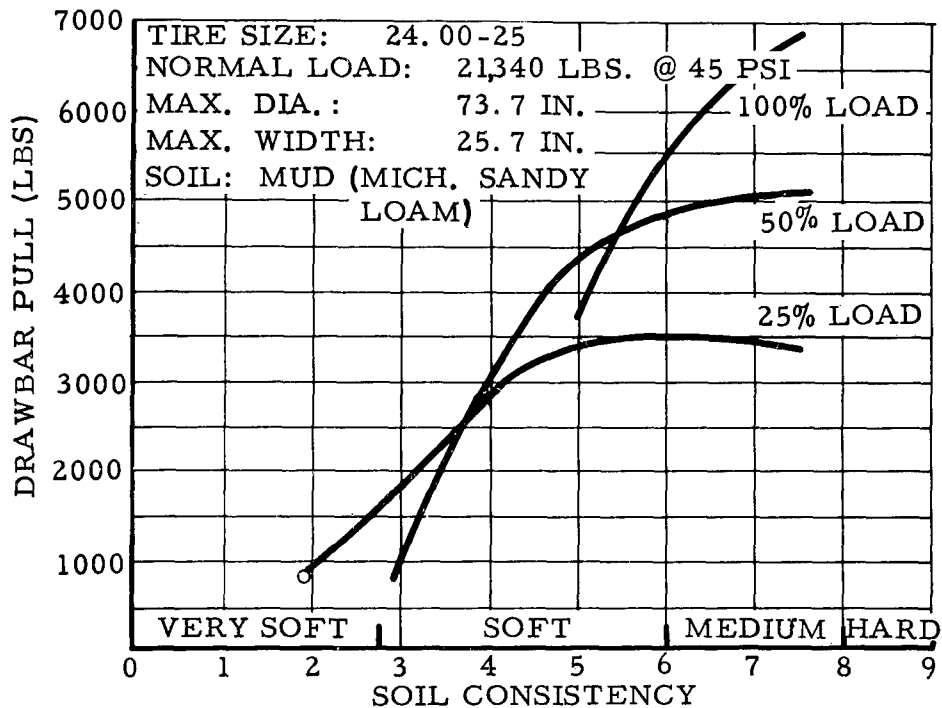


FIGURE B81. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 24.00-25 TIRE

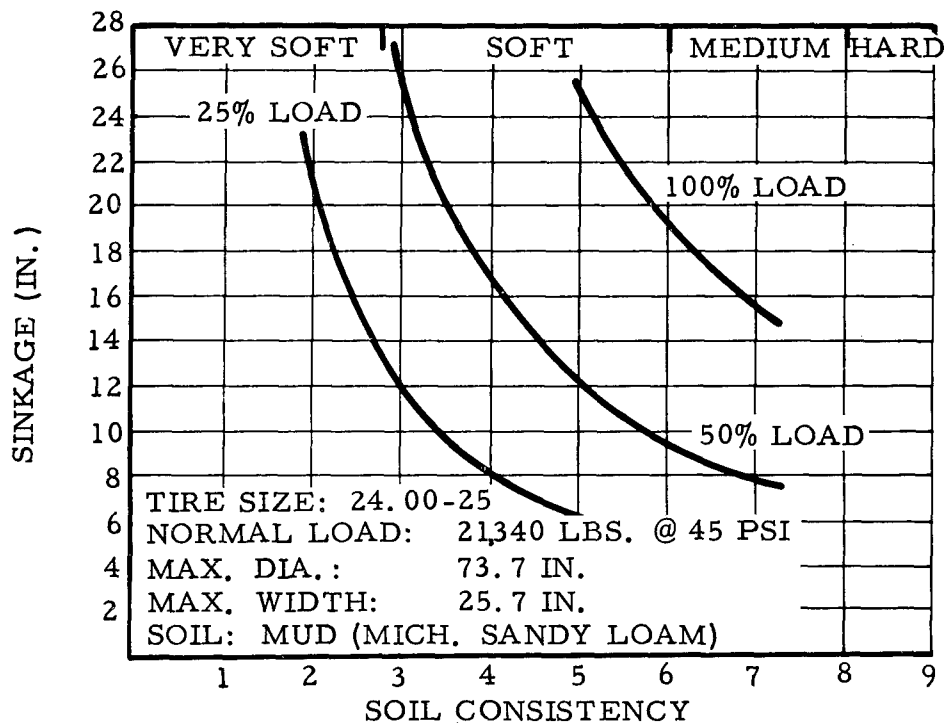


FIGURE B82. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 24.00-25 TIRE

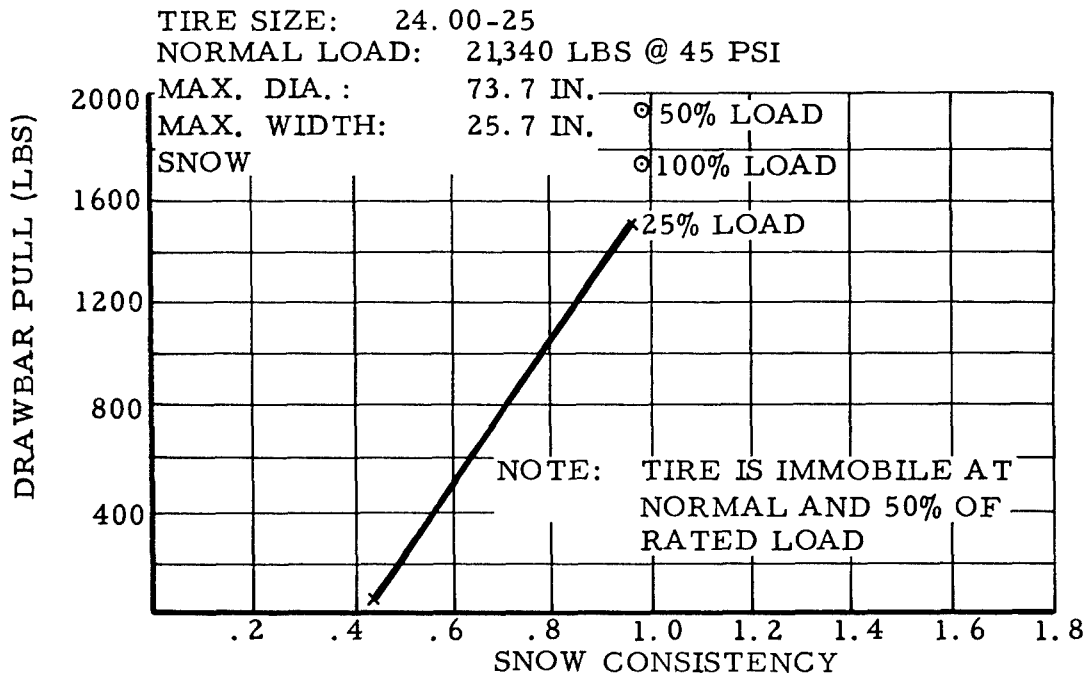


FIGURE B83. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY,  
 24.00-25 TIRE

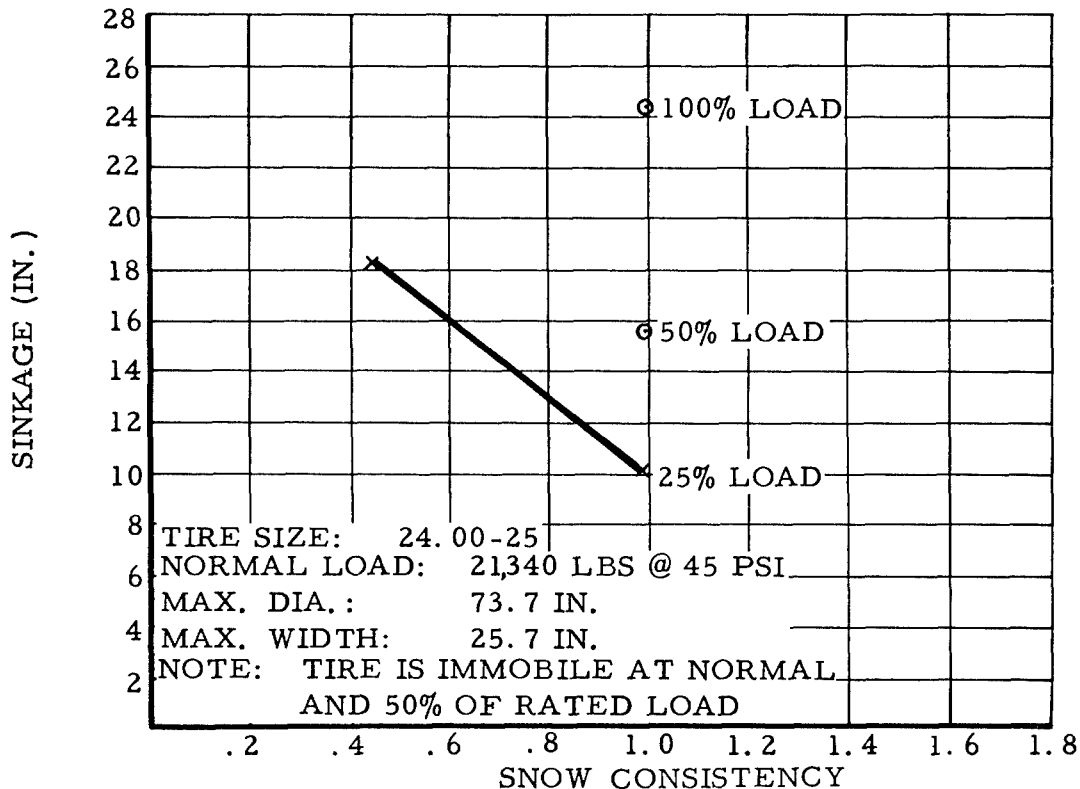


FIGURE B84. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY,  
 24.00-25 TIRE

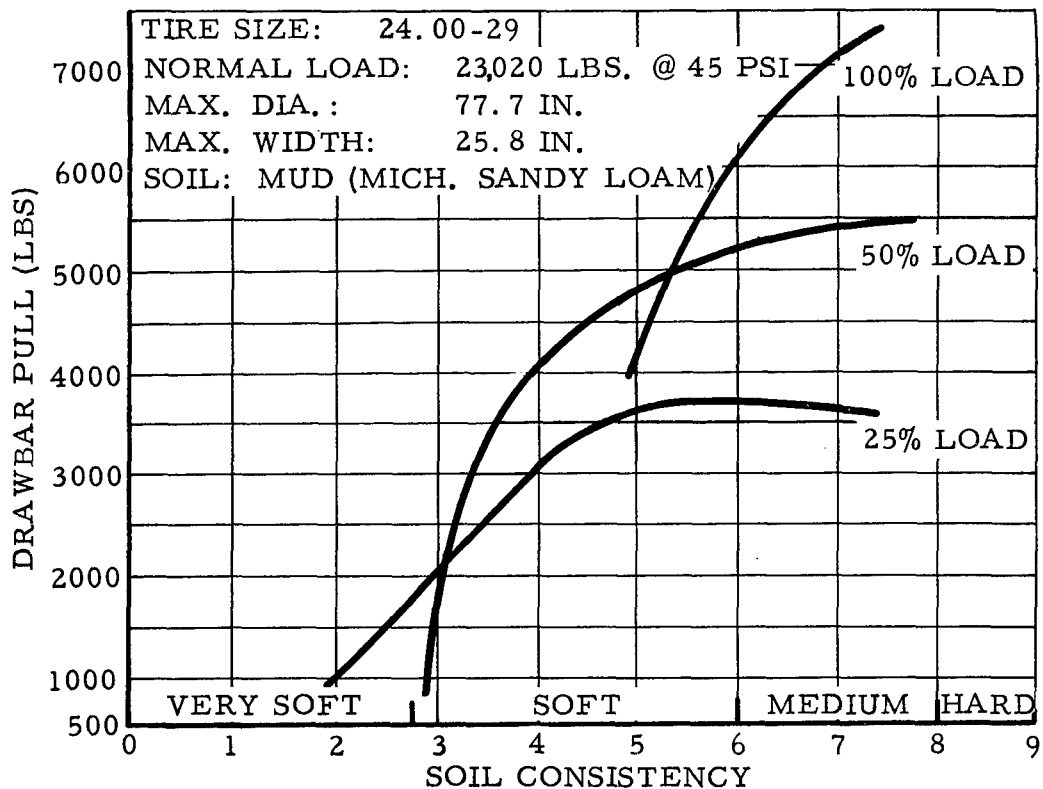


FIGURE B85. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 24.00-29 TIRE

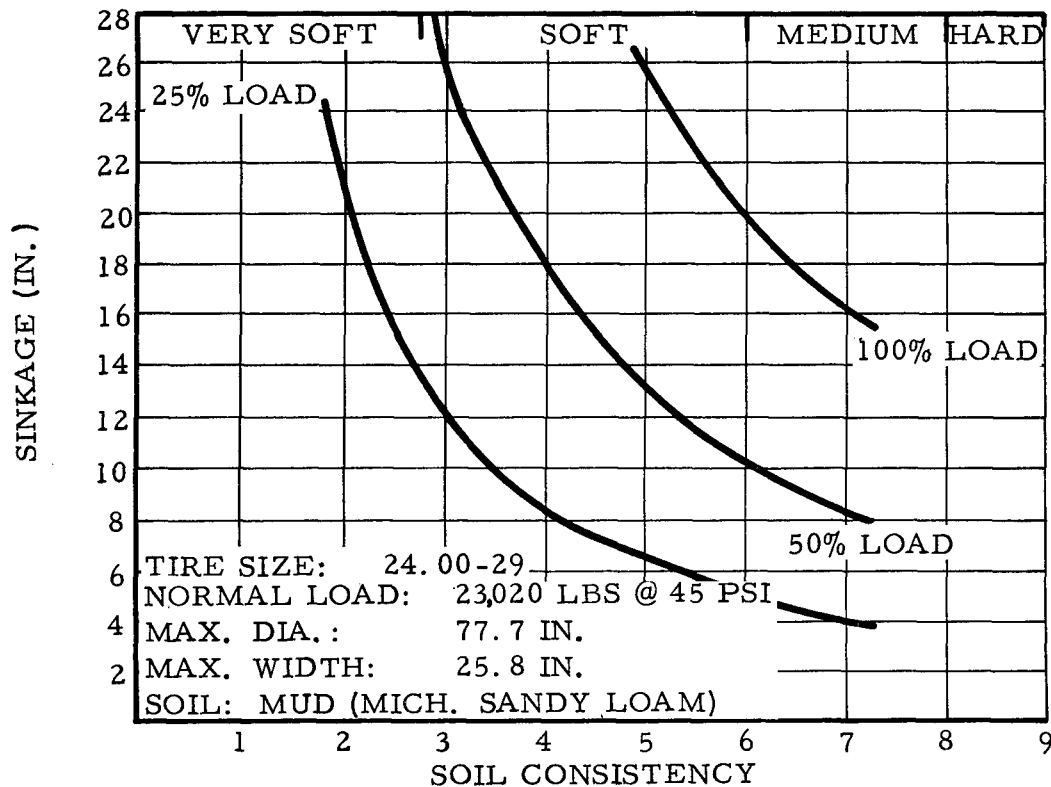


FIGURE B86. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 24.00-29 TIRE

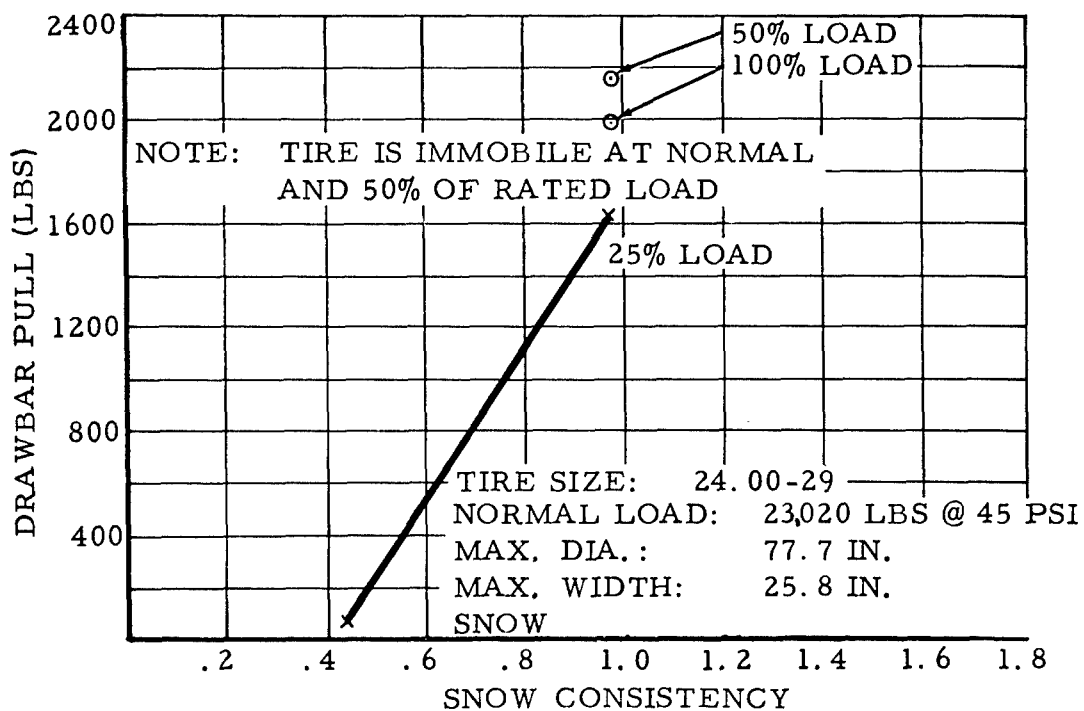


FIGURE B87. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 24.00-29 TIRE

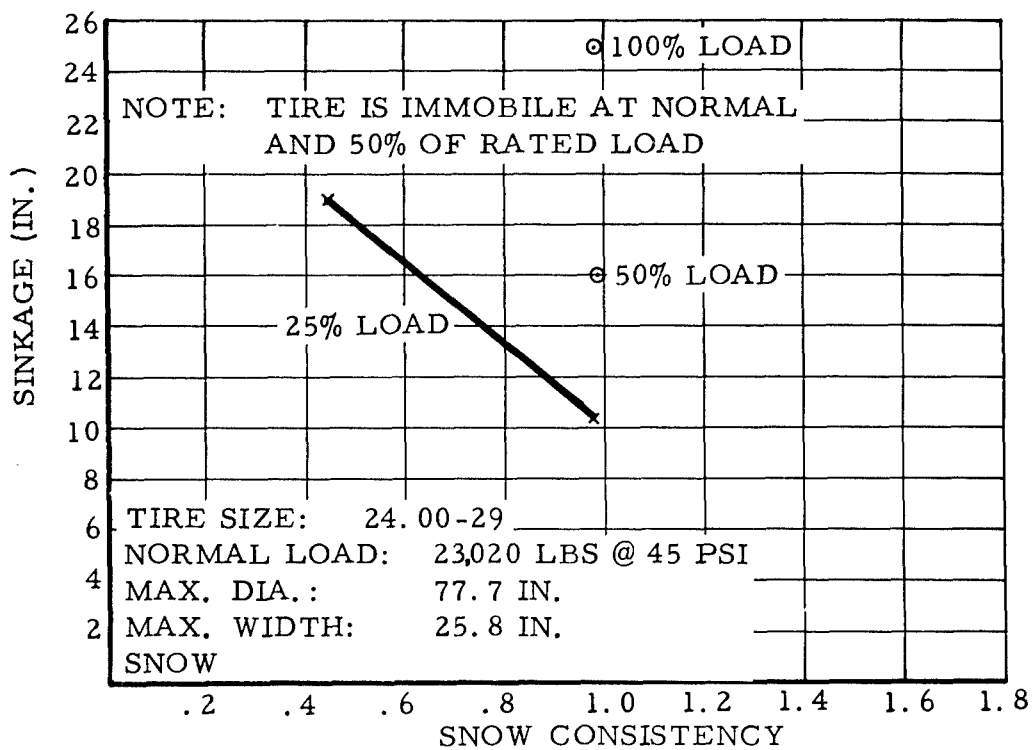


FIGURE B88. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 24.00-29 TIRE

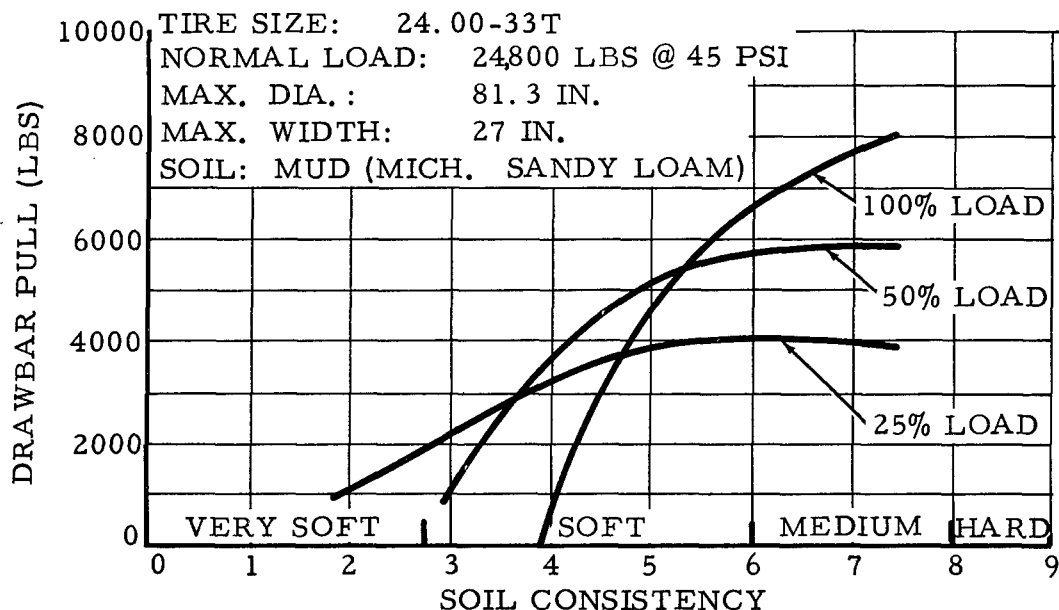


FIGURE 89. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY,  
 24.00-33T TIRE

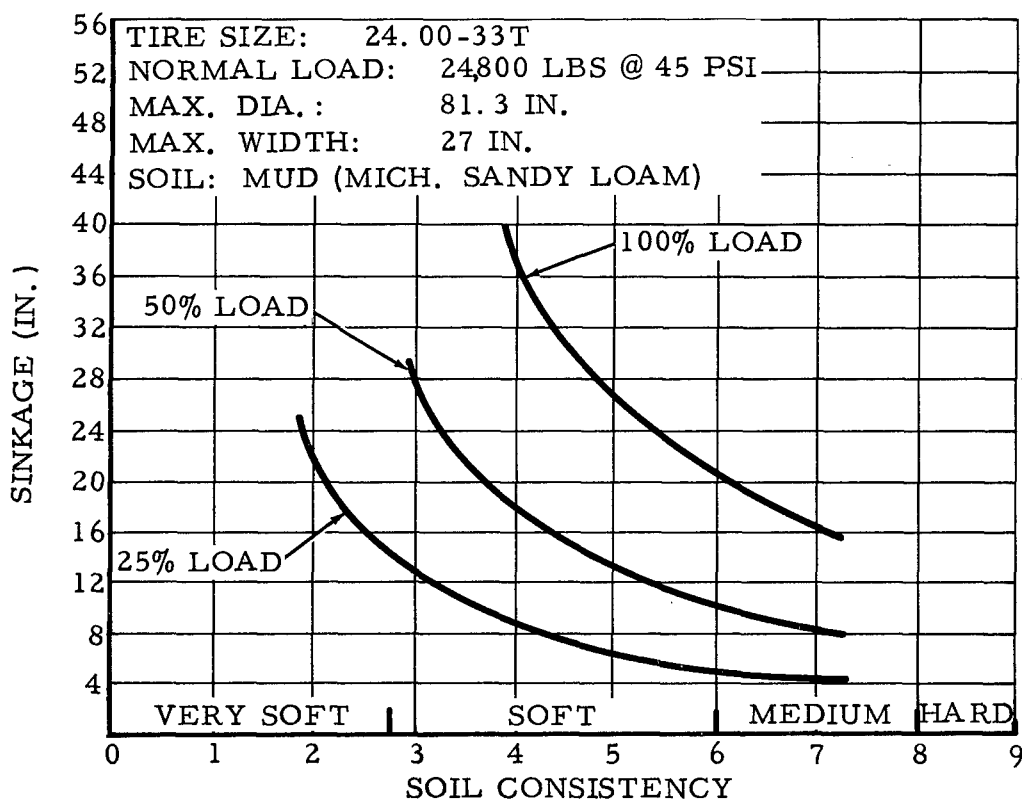


FIGURE B90. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY,  
 24.00-33T TIRE

TIRE SIZE: 24.00-33T  
 NORMAL LOAD: 24800 LBS @ 45 PSI  
 MAX. DIA.: 81.3 IN.  
 MAX. WIDTH: 27.0 IN.  
 SNOW

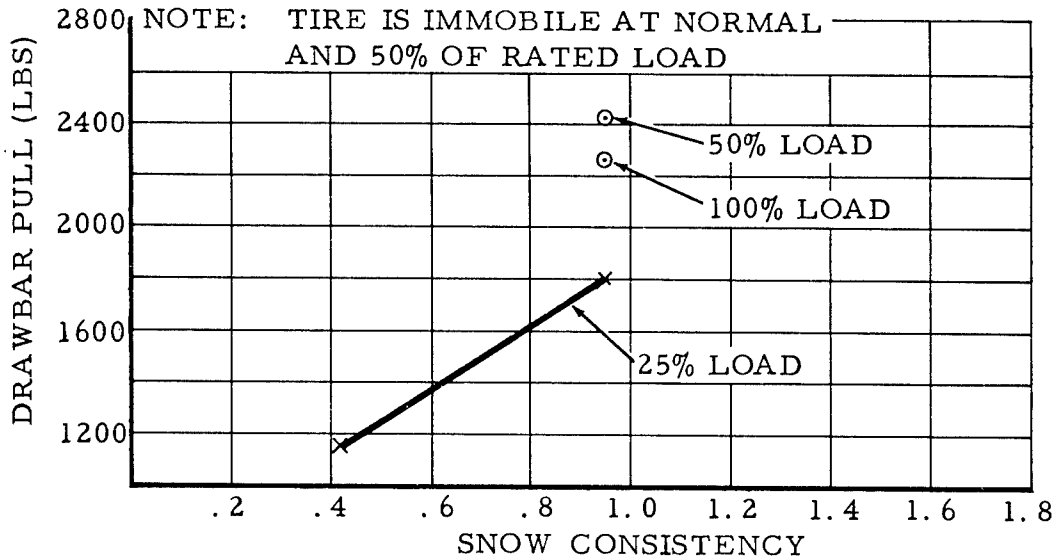


FIGURE B91. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 24.00-33T TIRE

TIRE SIZE: 24.00-33T  
 NORMAL LOAD: 24800 LBS @ 45 PSI.  
 MAX. DIA.: 81.3 IN.  
 MAX. WIDTH: 27 IN.  
 SNOW

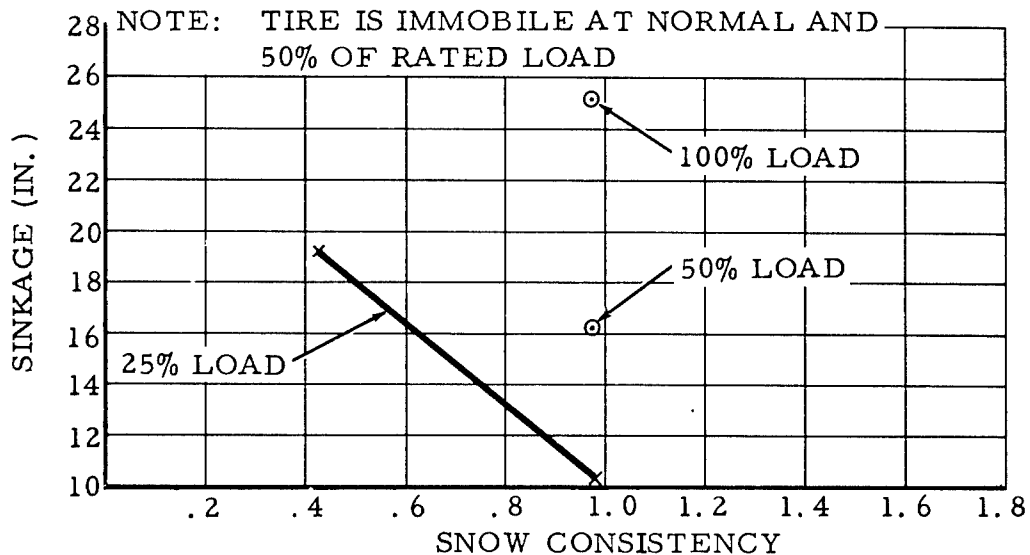


FIGURE B92. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 24.00-33T TIRE

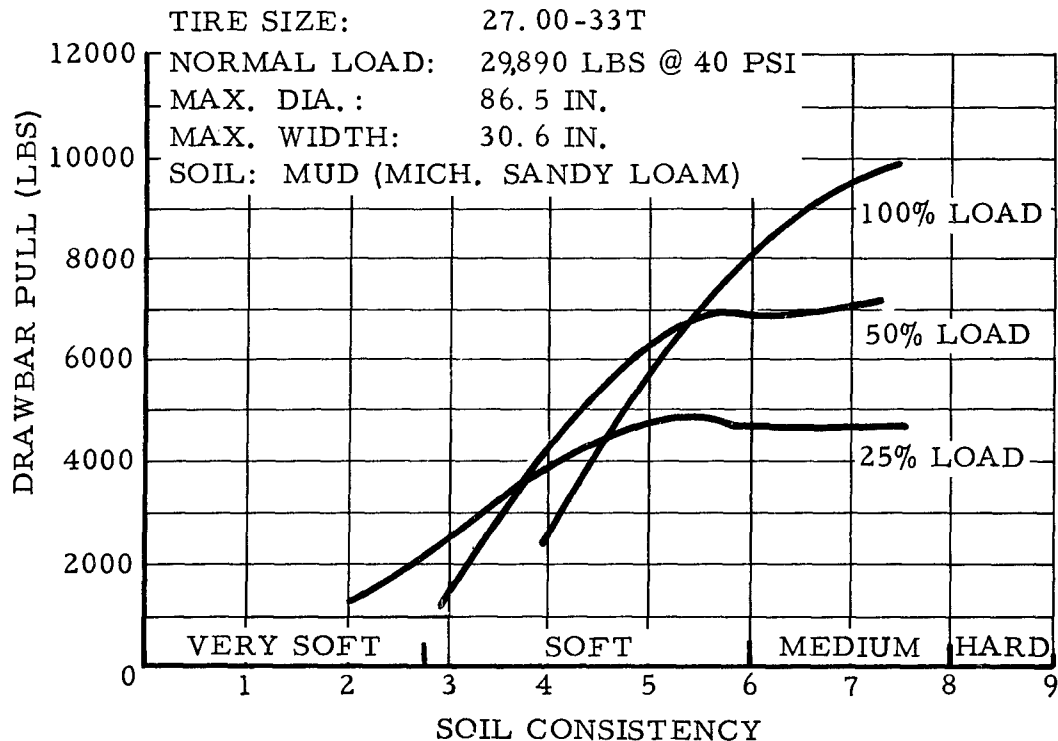


FIGURE B93. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 27.00-33T TIRE

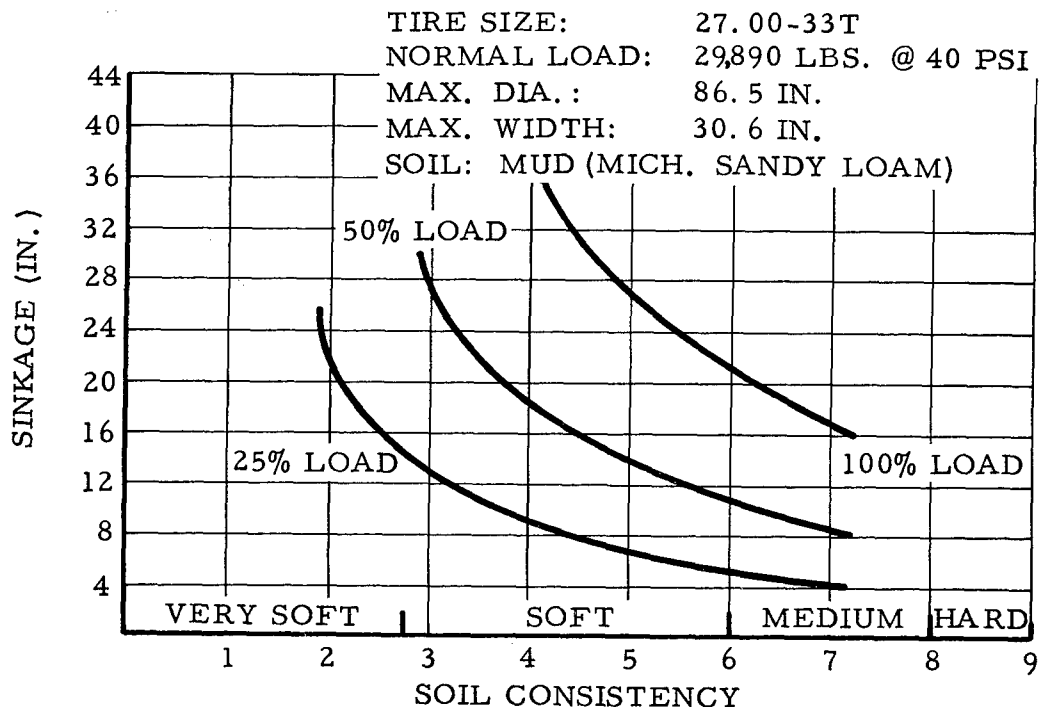


FIGURE B94. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 27.00-33T TIRE

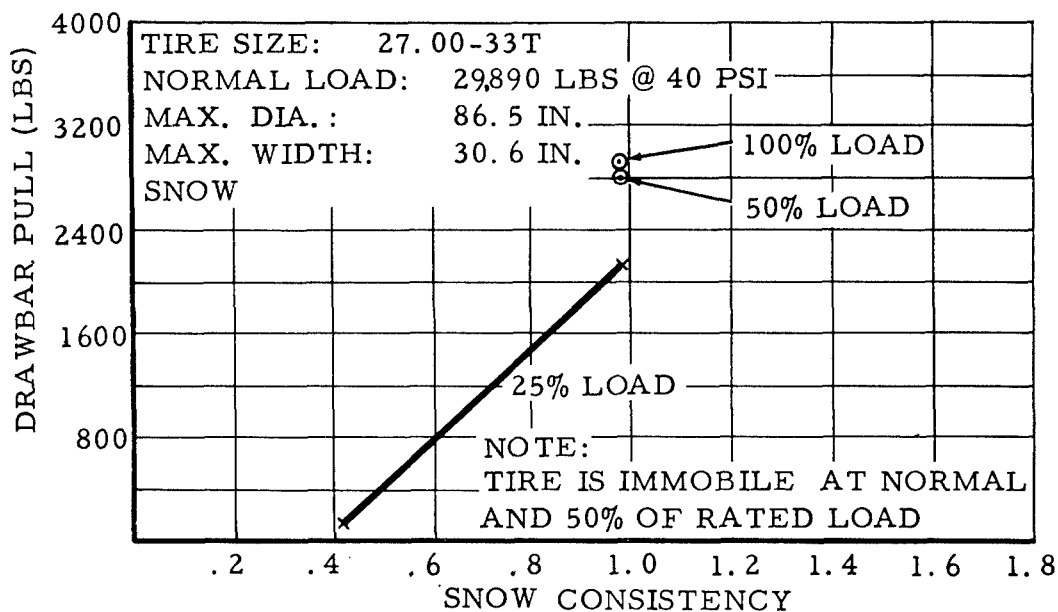


FIGURE B95. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 27.00-33T TIRE

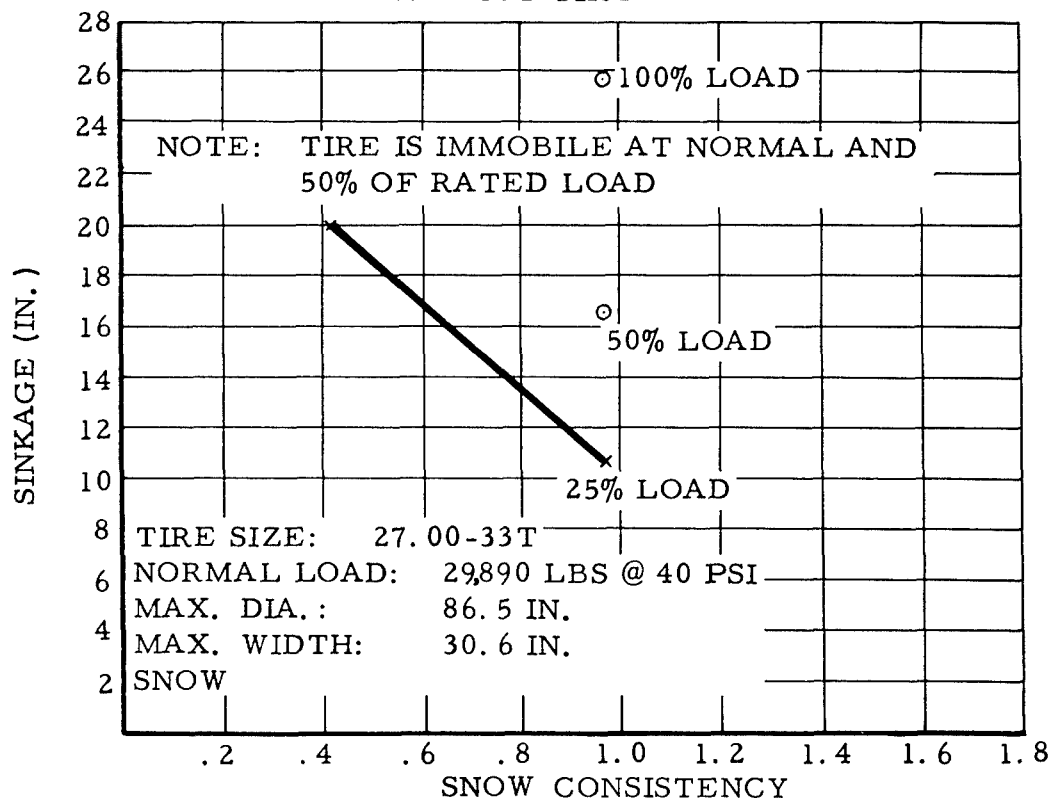


FIGURE B96. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 27.00-33T TIRE

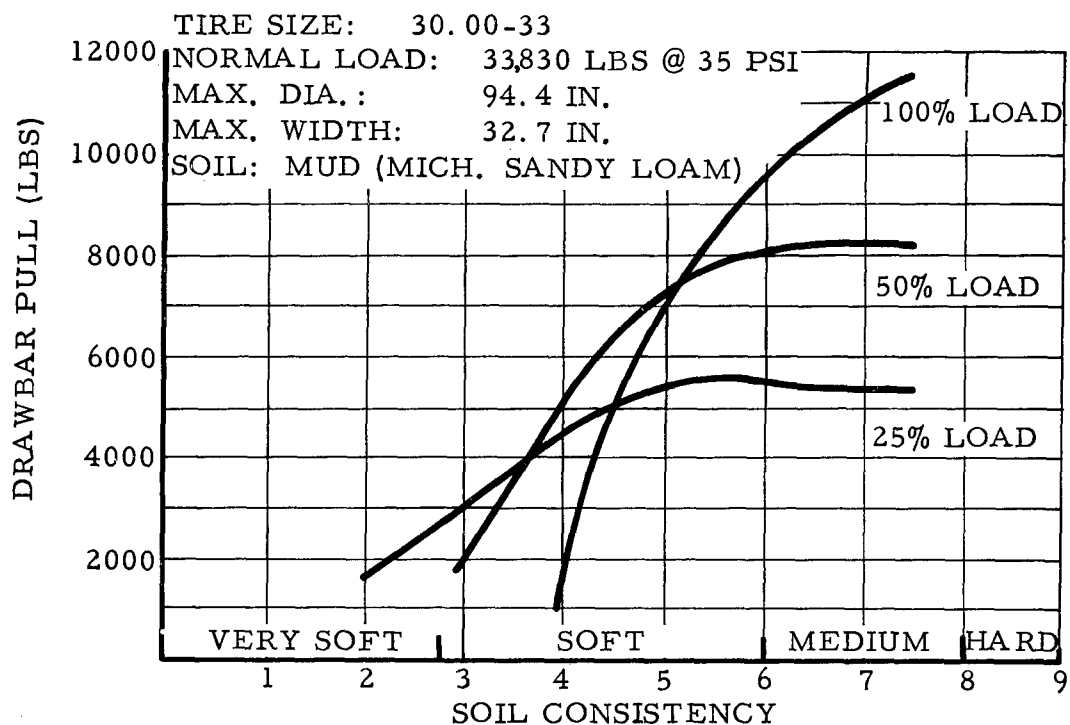


FIGURE B97. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 30.00-33 TIRE

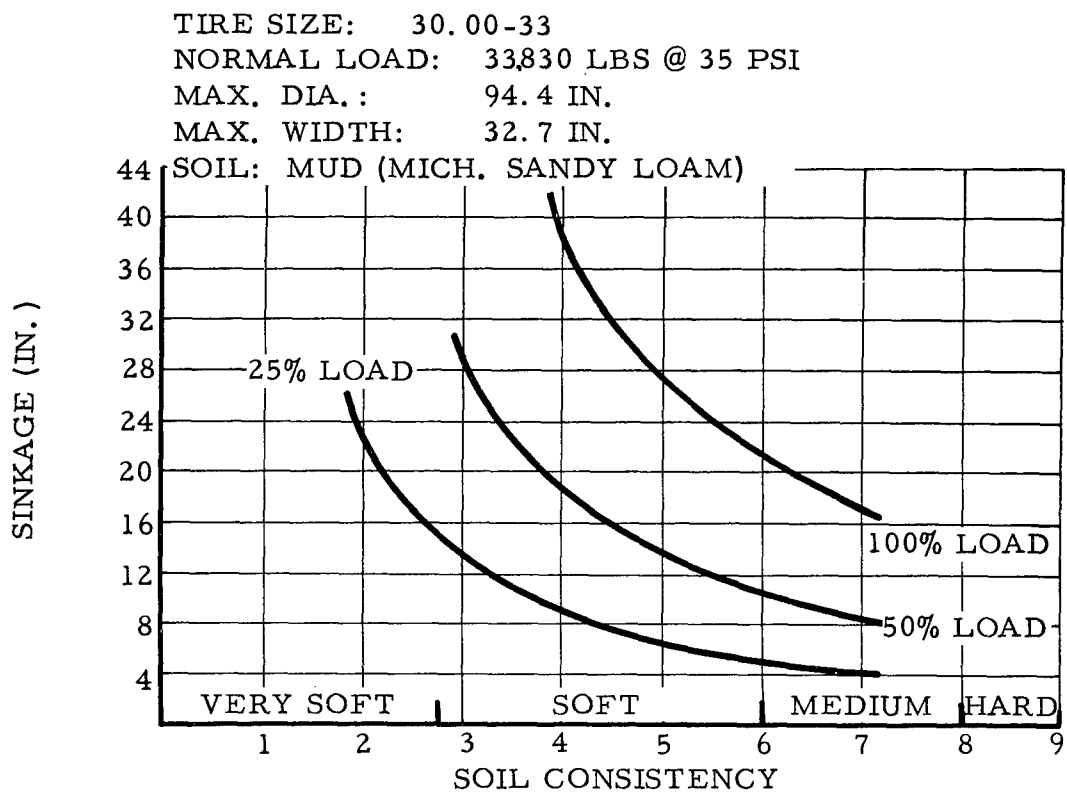


FIGURE B98. SINKAGE VS. SOIL CONSISTENCY, 30.00-33 TIRE

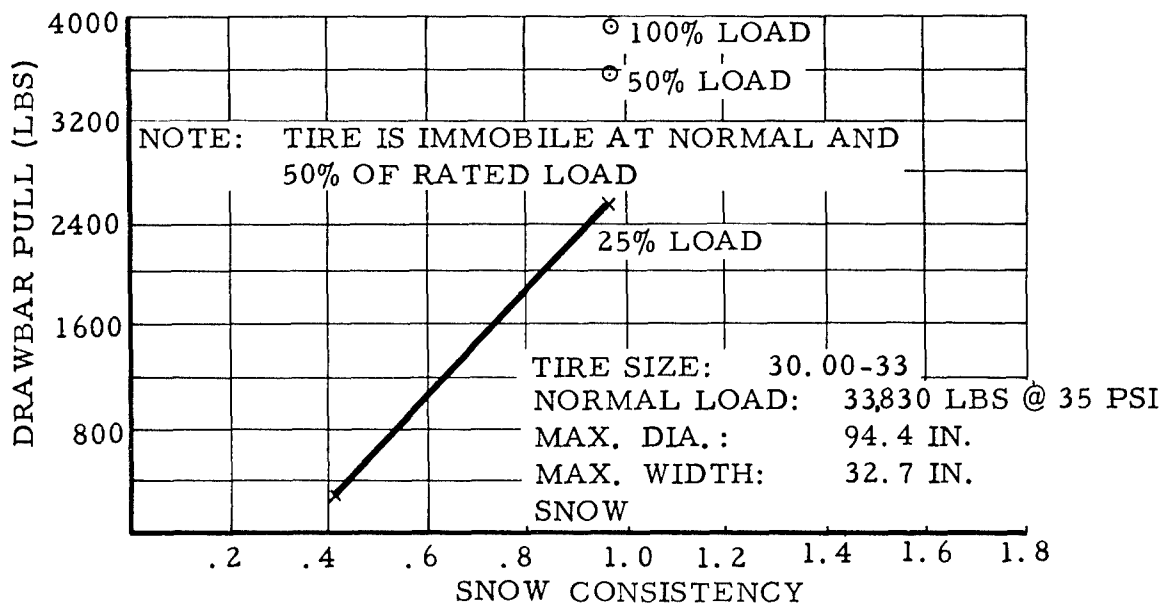


FIGURE B99. DRAWBAR PULL VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 30.00-33 TIRE

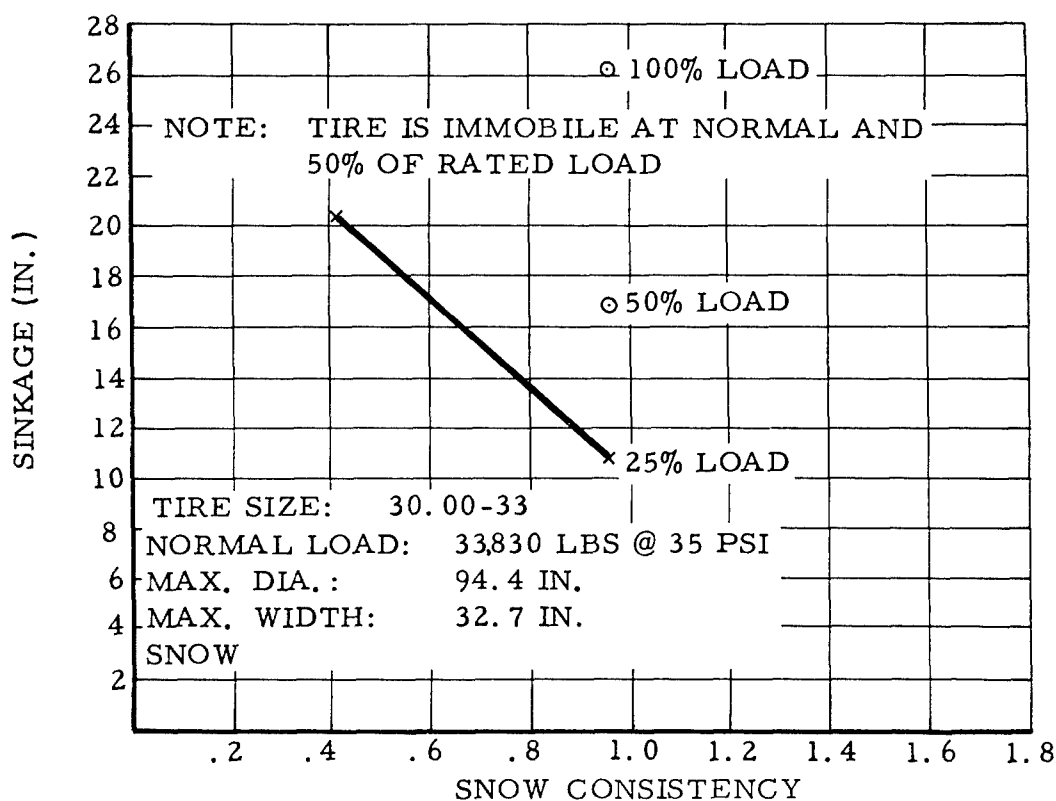


FIGURE B100. SINKAGE VS. SNOW CONSISTENCY, 30.00-33 TIRE

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