(EXAMPLE) [A-4-2]



Image of MiG-21 Pitot-Static Probe (source: National Aviation Academy)

A high-speed jet aircraft (i.e., MiG-21) is cruising at 10 km altitude. If a pitot-static probe measures a dynamic pressure of 5.5×10^3 N/m², what is the calibrated airspeed (and Mach number) of this flight? Suppose, if the outside air temperature (OAT) is given to be -45 °C, what is the corresponding true airspeed (and Mach number) of this flight?

