

Title	Repair or recondition aircraft autopilot system components		
Level	4	Credits	30

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to: prepare to repair or recondition aircraft autopilot system components; locate defects in aircraft autopilot system components; repair or recondition aircraft autopilot system components; test and adjust aircraft autopilot system components; and complete the repair or reconditioning task.
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Classification	Aeronautical Engineering > Avionic Instrument Repair
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 All tasks must be carried out in accordance with enterprise procedures.
- 2 Definition
Enterprise procedures – procedures used by the organisation carrying out the work and applicable to the tasks being carried out. Examples are – standard operating procedures, safety procedures, equipment operating procedures, codes of practice, quality management practices and standards, procedures to comply with legislative and local body requirements.
- 3 The repair or recondition activities referred to in this unit standard are those usually carried out in a specialist bay or workshop on components that have been removed from the aircraft.
- 4 Components may include flight control computers, position transmitters, controllers, control column sensors, servos, accelerometers.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Prepare to repair or recondition aircraft autopilot system components.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Repair or recondition task is determined by reviewing maintenance documentation and enterprise procedures.

Range confirm fault, repair, recondition, modify.

- 1.2 Work area is prepared, and resources obtained and checked for serviceability or status.
- Range publications, materials, tools, equipment, safety equipment, environmental conditions established.
- 1.3 Component identification is matched with documentation.
- 1.4 Component is prepared for repair or recondition.
- Range clean, inspect, assess economics of carrying out repair or recondition.
- 1.5 Next task is determined and documented.
- Range locate defects, repair, recondition, test, adjust, complete the task.

Outcome 2

Locate defects in aircraft autopilot system components.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Defects are located using troubleshooting techniques and inspection procedures appropriate to the defect indications.
- 2.2 Any defects are reported and documented.

Outcome 3

Repair or recondition aircraft autopilot system components.

Performance criteria

- 3.1 Component is disassembled.
- Range clean, label, preserve, segregate, store.
- 3.2 Rectification action is determined and documented.
- 3.3 Parts are procured and verified as authentic and serviceable.
- Range identify, inspect.
- 3.4 Defects are rectified.
- Range repair, replace, modify, adjust.
- 3.5 Component is assembled.

3.6 Inspections are obtained.

Range independent, duplicate, progressive.

Outcome 4

Test and adjust aircraft autopilot system components.

Performance criteria

4.1 Component is prepared for testing.

4.2 Component is tested and adjusted.

Range may include but is not limited to – troubleshoot, functionally test, calibrate, adjust, document adjustments and performance.

4.3 Inspections are obtained.

Range independent, duplicate, progressive.

Outcome 5

Complete the repair or reconditioning task.

Performance criteria

5.1 Component is prepared.

Range may include but is not limited to – use, storage, transit, locking, inhibiting, blanking, packing, shelf-life requirement.

5.2 Resources are checked for serviceability and returned to service or storage.

Range may include but is not limited to – tools, equipment, safety equipment, publications.

5.3 Leftover parts and materials are disposed of.

Range may include but is not limited to – serviceable, unserviceable, surplus, waste, scrap, hazardous.

5.4 Documentation is completed.

Range may include but is not limited to – labels, work cards, release notes, logbooks, certification.

5.5 Work area is left in a state which enables the next task to begin.

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Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	19 June 1995	31 December 2016
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Comments on this unit standard

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