1. Title	Aeroplane aerodynamics, structures and systems I
2. Code	EMAMAA401A
3. Range	The knowledge is needed for a wide range of aeroplane repair and maintenance works, e.g. applicable to aircrafts, analysis, machineries, airworthiness, airframes, avionics, materials, tests, documentation, safety, health and tools etc.
4. Level	4
5. Credit	2
6. Competency	Performance Requirement
	<ul> <li>6.1 Knowledge</li> <li>Able to understand the theory of aeroplane aerodynamics and flight controls</li> <li>Operation and effect Roll control, Pitch control and Yaw control.</li> <li>Control using elevons, ruddervators.</li> <li>High lift devices, slots, slats, flaps, flaperons.</li> <li>Drag inducing devices, spoilers, lift dumpers, speed brakes.</li> <li>Effects of wing fences, saw tooth leading edges.</li> <li>Boundary layer control using, vortex generators, stall wedges or leading edge devices.</li> <li>Operation and effect of trim tabs, balance and antibalance (leading) tabs, servo tabs, spring tabs, mass balance, control surface bias, aerodynamic balance panels.</li> <li>Able to understand the theory of high speed flight</li> </ul>

- Able to understand the general concept of the airframe structures
  - Airworthiness requirements for structural strength.
  - Construction methods of: stressed skin fuselage, formers, stringers, longerons, bulkheads, frames, doublers, struts, ties, beams, floor structures, reinforcement, methods of skinning, anti-corrosive protection, wing, empennage and engine attachments.
- Able to understand the aeroplanes airframe structures
  - Fuselage (ATA 52/53/56)
  - Wings (ATA 57)
  - Stabilisers (ATA 55)
  - Flight control surfaces (ATA 55/57)
  - Nacelles/Pylons (ATA 54)
- Able to understand the air conditioning and cabin pressurisation (ATA 21)
  - Air supply
  - Air conditioning
  - Pressurisation
  - Safety and warning devices
- Able to understand the Instruments/Avionic Systems
  - Instrument Systems (ATA 31)
  - Avionic Systems
- Able to understand the electrical power (ATA 24)
  - Batteries Installation and Operation.
  - DC power generation.
  - AC power generation.
  - Emergency power generation.
  - Voltage regulation.

• Power distribution.
• Inverters, transformers, rectifiers.
• Circuit protection.
• External / Ground power.
◆ Able to understand the equipment and
furnishings (ATA 25)
• Emergency equipment requirements.
Cabin lay-out.
◆ Able to understand the fire protection (ATA
26)
• Fire and smoke detection and warning
systems.
• Fire extinguishing systems.
• System tests.
◆ Able to understand the flight controls (ATA
27)
• Primary controls: aileron, elevator,
rudder, spoiler.
• Trim control.
• Active load control.
• High lift devices.
• Lift dump, speed brakes.
• System operation: manual, hydraulic,
pneumatic,
• electrical, fly-by-wire.
• Artificial feel, Yaw damper, Mach trim,
rudder limiter, gust locks.
• Balancing and rigging.
• Stall protection system.
◆ Able to understand the fuel systems (ATA 28)
• System lay-out.
• Fuel tanks.
• Supply systems.

<ul> <li>Dumping, venting and draining.</li> <li>Cross-feed and transfer, Indications and warnings.</li> </ul>
• Refuelling and defuelling.
<ul> <li>Longitudinal balance fuel systems.</li> </ul>
• Able to understand the hydraulic power (ATA
29)
• System lay-out.
• Hydraulic fluids.
• Hydraulic reservoirs and accumulators.
• Pressure generation: electric, mechanical,
pneumatic.
• Emergency pressure generation.
Pressure Control.
• Power distribution.
<ul> <li>Indication and warning systems.</li> </ul>
• Interface with other systems.
◆ Able to understand the ice and rain
protection (ATA 30)
• Ice formation, classification and
detection.
• Anti-icing systems: electrical, hot air and chemical.
• De-icing systems: electrical, pneumatic and chemical.
• Rain repellant and removal.
• Probe and drain heating.
• Able to understand the landing gear (ATA 32)
• Construction, shock absorbing.
• Extension and retraction systems: normal
and emergency.
• Indications and warning.

• Wheels, brakes, antiskid and autobraking.
• Tyres.
• Steering.
♦ Able to understand the lights system (ATA
33)
• External: navigation, anti-collision,
landing, taxiing, ice.
• Internal: cabin, cockpit, cargo.
• Emergency.
◆ Able to understand the oxygen system (ATA
35)
• System lay-out: cockpit, cabin.
• Sources, storage, charging and
distribution.
<ul> <li>Supply regulation.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Indications and warnings.</li> </ul>
♦ Able to understand the pneumatic/vacuum
(ATA 36)
• System lay-out.
<ul> <li>Sources: engine / APU, compressors,</li> </ul>
reservoirs,
<ul> <li>ground supply.</li> </ul>
Pressure control.
• Distribution.
<ul> <li>Indications and warnings.</li> </ul>
• Interfaces with other systems.
◆ Able to understand the Water/Waste (ATA 38)
• Water system lay-out, supply,
distribution, servicing and draining.
• Toilet system lay-out, flushing and
servicing.
<ul> <li>Corrosion aspects.</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>Able to understand the On Board Maintenance Systems (ATA 45)</li> <li>Central maintenance computers.</li> <li>Data loading system.</li> <li>Electronic library system.</li> <li>Printing.</li> <li>Structure monitoring (damage tolerance monitoring).</li> </ul>
6.2 Theoretical an practical aspects	<ul> <li>Able to apply the following knowledge in the aircraft maintenance.</li> <li>Airworthiness requirements for structural strength</li> <li>Emergency equipment requirements</li> <li>Landing gear (ATA 32)</li> <li>Lights (ATA 33)</li> <li>Water/Waste (ATA 38)</li> </ul>
6.3 Professional approach	<ul> <li>Able to understand the principal elements of the subjects.</li> <li>Able to understand the general knowledge of the theoretical and practical aspects of the following subjects.</li> <li>Airworthiness requirements for structural strength</li> <li>Emergency equipment requirements</li> <li>Landing gear (ATA 32)</li> <li>Lights (ATA 33)</li> <li>Water/Waste (ATA 38)</li> <li>Able to apply the knowledge in the aircraft maintenance task.</li> </ul>

7. Assessment	The integral outcomes requirement of this UoC are:	
Criteria	(i) Able to understand the theoretical fundamentals of the subjects.	
	<ul><li>(ii) Able to give a general description of the subjects using, as appropriate, typical examples.</li></ul>	
	<ul><li>(iii) Able to use mathematical formulae in conjunction with physical laws describing the subjects.</li></ul>	
	<ul><li>(iv) Able to read and understand sketches, drawings and schematics describing the subjects.</li></ul>	
	<ul> <li>(v) Able to apply the knowledge in a practical manner using detailed procedures.</li> </ul>	
8. Remarks	Ref: HKAR-66 Module 11: Aeroplane aerodynamics, structures and systems	