



Ministry of Higher Education and
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MODULE DESCRIPTOR FORM

نموذج وصف المادة الدراسية

Module Information					
معلومات المادة الدراسية					
Module Title	Aircraft Electrical and Electronic Systems منظومات كهربائية وإلكترونية للطائرة			Module Delivery	
Module Type	CORE			Theory Lab	
Module Code	AIEN366				
ECTS Credits	5				
SWL (hr/sem)	125				
Module Level	3		Semester of Delivery	6	
Administering Department	ME		College	ME	
Module Leader	Dr.		e-mail		
Module Leader's Acad. Title	Dr.		Module Leader's Qualification	Ph.D.	
Module Tutor	None		e-mail	None	
Peer Reviewer Name	Dr.		e-mail		
Review Committee Approval	01/12/2025		Version Number	2025	

Relation With Other Modules			
العلاقة مع المواد الدراسية الأخرى			
Prerequisite module	***		Semester
Co-requisites module	None		Semester

Module Aims, Learning Outcomes and Indicative Contents

أهداف المادة الدراسية ونتائج التعلم والمحتويات الإرشادية

Module Aims أهداف المادة الدراسية	<p>The goal of the course is for the student to learn how to deal with the electronic systems of aircraft, how to manage them, control their work performance, maintain their efficiency during operation, and get rid of the problems that may be exposed to them in order to avoid potential malfunctions and errors.</p>
Module Learning Outcomes مخرجات التعلم للمادة الدراسية	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The student learns the basic concepts of aviation electronic systems 2. The student's understanding of aircraft electronics and how to deal with it, design it, and operate it 3. The student's ability to deal with electrical and electronic devices
Indicative Contents المحتويات الإرشادية	<p>Electrical power sources in aircraft, General introduction. Main sources and drives, Auxiliary sources, Emergency sources [4hr] DC generators [4hr] AC generators [4hr] DC,AC motors [2hr] Generators and motors characteristics [2 hr] Torque, speed, and load characteristics [2hr] Power generation control: Stabilizers, Voltage regulators, Differential relays [4hr] Power supplies: Inverters/ Converters. Transformer Rectifier Units (TRU). Auto-Transformers. Auxiliary power unit [5hr] Power distribution and electrical loads [2hr] Emergency power generation[2hr], Electronic fundamentals [6hr] Major Avionic Systems [4hr] Aircraft Communication Addressing and Reporting System (ACARS). Electronic Flight Instrument Systems (EFIS) – Displays- Operation.[5hr] Electronic Centralized Aircraft Monitor (ECAM). Engine Indicating and Crew Alerting System (EICAS) [5hr] Flight Management System (FMS), Global Positioning System (GPS) Space, User, Control segments, GPS frequencies[6hr] Inertial Reference System (IRS)[4hr] Inertial Navigation System (INS)[2hr], Gimballed systems[4hr] Traffic Alert Collision Avoidance System (TCAS)[4hr] Automatic Test Equipment (ATE) [4hr] Built-In Test Equipment (BITE) [4hr]</p>
Learning and Teaching Strategies استراتيجيات التعلم والتعليم	
Strategies	<p>The main strategy that will be adopted in presenting this unit is to encourage students' participation in knowing the basics of aviation systems and familiarizing themselves with these systems. This will be achieved through classrooms and interactive educational programs.</p>

Student Workload (SWL)			
الحمل الدراسي للطالب			
Structured SWL (h/sem) الحمل الدراسي المنتظم للطالب خلال الفصل	48	Structured SWL (h/w) الحمل الدراسي المنتظم للطالب أسبوعيا	3
Unstructured SWL (h/sem) الحمل الدراسي غير المنتظم للطالب خلال الفصل	77	Unstructured SWL (h/w) الحمل الدراسي غير المنتظم للطالب أسبوعيا	5.2
Total SWL (h/sem) الحمل الدراسي الكلي للطالب خلال الفصل	125		

Module Evaluation تقييم المادة الدراسية					
		Time/ Number	Weight (Marks)	Week Due	Relevant Learning Outcome
Formative assessment	Quizzes	4	20% (20)	3, 6,9,12	All
	Assignments	2	10% (10)	5, 10	All
	Report	Lab. 4	10% (10)	Continuous	
	Projects / Lab.	-	-	-	-
Summative assessment	Midterm Exam	2 hrs.	10% (10)	7	All
	Final Exam	3 hrs.	50% (50)	16	All
Total assessment			100% (100 Marks)		

Delivery Plan (Weekly Syllabus) المنهاج الأسبوعي النظري	
	Material Covered
Week 1	Electrical power sources in aircraft: General introduction. Main sources and drives. Auxiliary sources. Emergency sources.
Week 2	DC generators: Basic theory. Construction.
Week 3	AC generators: Basic theory. Construction.
Week 4	DC,AC motors: Basic theory. Construction.

Week 5	Generators and motors characteristics: Torque, speed, and load characteristics. Losses and efficiencies.
Week 6	Power generation control: Stabilizers. Voltage regulators. Differential relays.
Week 7	Power supplies: Inverters/ Converters. Transformer Rectifier Units (TRU). Auto-Transformers. Auxiliary power unit.
Week 8	Power distribution and electrical loads: Primary power distribution. Secondary power distribution. Electrical loads. Typical aircraft DC system.
Week 9	Emergency power generation: Ram air turbine. Backup power converters. Permanent Magnet Generators (PMG). Batteries: Lead-acid batteries, Nickel-cadmium batteries, Lithium batteries. Nickel-metal hydride batteries, Battery locations, Battery venting, Battery connections.
Week 10	Electronic fundamentals: Semiconductor theory. Diodes. Transistors. Integrated circuits.
Week 11	Major Avionic Systems: Aircraft Communication Addressing and Reporting System (ACARS).
Week 12	Electronic Flight Instrument Systems (EFIS) – Displays. Electronic Flight Instrument Systems (EFIS) – Operation.
Week 13	Electronic Centralized Aircraft Monitor (ECAM). Engine Indicating and Crew Alerting System (EICAS). Fly-By-Wire (FBW).
Week 14	Flight Management System (FMS). Global Positioning System (GPS): Space, User, Control segments. GPS frequencies. Inertial Reference System (IRS) Inertial Navigation System (INS) Gimballed systems.
Week 15	Traffic Alert Collision Avoidance System (TCAS). Test Equipment: Automatic Test Equipment (ATE). Built-In Test Equipment (BITE).
Week 16	Final Exam

Delivery Plan (Weekly Lab. Syllabus) المناهج الأسبوعي للمختبر	
	Material Covered
Week 1	Exp.1: Aircraft Electrical Drive Systems
Week 2	Exp. 2: Aircraft Electrical Actuating Devices
Week 3	Exp. 3: Aircraft APU & GPU Systems Auxiliary Power Unit – Ground Power Unit
Week 4	Exp. 4: Aircraft RAT & TRU Systems (Ram Air Turbine – Transformer Rectifier Unit

Learning and Teaching Resources مصادر التعلم والتدريس		
	Text	Available in the Library?
Required Texts	1. Ian Moir and Allan Sea bridge" Aircraft Systems: Mechanical, Electrical and Avionics Subsystems Integration ", 3 rd edition, John Wiley & Sons, Ltd., 2008. 2. Mike Tooky, "Aircraft Electrical and Electronic systems", Butterworth-Heinemann, 2017.	Yes
Recommended Texts	1. Mike Tooley, "Aircraft Digital Electronic and Computer Systems", ELSEVIER, 2007.	Yes
Websites		

APPENDIX:

GRADING SCHEME				
مخطط الدرجات				
Group	Grade	التقدير	Marks (%)	Definition
Success Group (50 - 100)	A - Excellent	امتياز	90 - 100	Outstanding Performance
	B - Very Good	جيد جدا	80 - 89	Above average with some errors
	C - Good	جيد	70 - 79	Sound work with notable errors
	D - Satisfactory	متوسط	60 - 69	Fair but with major shortcomings
	E - Sufficient	مقبول	50 - 59	Work meets minimum criteria
Fail Group (0 – 49)	FX – Fail	مقبول بقرار	(45-49)	More work required but credit awarded
	F – Fail	راسب	(0-44)	Considerable amount of work required
Note:				
NB Decimal places above or below 0.5 will be rounded to the higher or lower full mark (for example a mark of 54.5 will be rounded to 55, whereas a mark of 54.4 will be rounded to 54. The University has a policy NOT to condone "near-pass fails" so the only adjustment to marks awarded by the original marker(s) will be the automatic rounding outlined above.				