



<b>COURSE: Advanced Aeroelasticity</b>		
<b>MASTER: Aerospace Engineering</b>	<b>YEAR: 1st</b>	<b>TERM: 2nd</b>

*La asignatura tiene 14 sesiones que se distribuyen a lo largo de 14 semanas.*

WEEKLY PLANNING									
WEEK	SESSION	DESCRIPTION	GROUPS (mark X)		SPECIAL ROOM FOR SESSION (Computer class room, audio-visual class room)	Indicate YES/NO If the session needs 2 teachers	WEEKLY PROGRAMMING FOR STUDENT		
			LECTURES	SEMINARS			DESCRIPTION	CLASS HOURS	HOME WORK HOURS (Max. 7h week)
1	1	<b>Advanced Aeroelasticity. Getting Started.</b> → causes and the way to verify if this is the right cause. Present to the student a RCA fish-bone diagram and disregard some of the options like manufacturing quality etc.	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture. Perform Homework RCA.	1,6	2
2	2	<b>Environmental Vibration</b> → RCA failed equipment analysis brainstorming. → Causes of the environmental vibration in an aircraft. Differential Diagnosis. → Measuring environmental vibration. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Revisiting DSP.</li> <li>▪ Aliasing, leakage,...</li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture. Perform Homework RCA.	1,6	3

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>→ In lack of measurements: MIL-STD-810 &amp; RTCA-DO-160</li> <li>→ Establishing Requirements for Environmental Vibration Qualification</li> <li>→ Tracking equipment qualification test</li> <li>→ 1 dof vibration equations...</li> <li>→ Engineering with only 1 dof: isolators</li> <li>→ Root Cause Analysis (RCA): EVIS failure</li> </ul>							
3	3	<b>Powerplant Dynamics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>→ RCA EVIS failure brainstorming</li> <li>→ Powerplant dynamics issues. Differential diagnosis.</li> <li>→ Sudden engine stoppage</li> <li>→ Windmilling</li> <li>→ Propeller dynamics. Propeller massbalance</li> <li>→ Propeller blade dynamics</li> <li>→ Root Cause Analysis (RCA): Blade rupture in a C-295 Portuguese aircraft</li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture. Perform Homework RCA.	1,6	3
4	4	<b>Impacts</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>→ RCA propeller rupture brainstorming</li> <li>→ Causes of impacts in aircraft design. Differential diagnosis.</li> <li>→ Impacts on aircraft caused by external impactor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Bird strike</li> <li>▪ Ice impacts</li> <li>▪ Stones, runway debris...</li> </ul> </li> <li>→ Impacts of the aircraft <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Crashworthiness</li> <li>▪ WUL</li> <li>▪ Ditching</li> </ul> </li> <li>→ Ballistic limit. Some analytical formulas...</li> <li>→ 1 dof vibration equation...sensitivity of a response to <math>\Delta t</math>...</li> <li>→ Root Cause Analysis (RCA): DASS flare ignition sequence.</li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture. Perform Homework RCA.	1,6	3
5	5	<b>Getting started with MSC.NASTRAN</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>→ RCA flare ignition sequence brainstorming</li> <li>→ Introduction to FEM &amp; MSC.NASTRAN</li> <li>→ GRIDS. B.C. CELAS elements.</li> <li>→ OUTPUT request</li> <li>→ 2 dof system. Coupling between dofs</li> <li>→ Root Cause Analysis (RCA)</li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture. Perform Homework RCA	1,6	3

6	6	<p><b>Normal Modes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>→ RCA brainstorming</li> <li>→ Normal modes in an aircraft. Differential diagnosis.</li> <li>→ The very “basic” normal modes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Wing bending mode ⇒ 2D plunge mode</li> <li>▪ Wing torsion mode ⇒ 2D pitch mode</li> <li>▪ Aileron rotation ⇒ sensitivity to actuator stiffness</li> </ul> </li> <li>→ Mode shape identification. Brainstorming. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Identification of bending modes (lifting surfaces; fuselages)</li> <li>▪ Identification of torsion modes (lifting surfaces; fuselages)</li> <li>▪ Identification of control surface rotation modes</li> </ul> </li> <li>→ Normal modes. What for? Brainstorming.</li> <li>→ Introducing Generic Transport Aircraft model (NASTRAN format)</li> <li>→ Model geometry: grid points</li> <li>→ Model connectivity: BAR elements</li> <li>→ Model properties: PBAR elements. MAT elements.</li> <li>→ Mass model properties: CONM2</li> <li>→ GTA normal modes</li> <li>→ Homework: starting from the complete aircraft dynamic model derive half symmetric and half antisymmetric model.</li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture. Perform Homework: derive half (S) and half(A) model starting from a complete aircraft model.	1,6	3
7	7	Partial Exam 1	X				Study Partial Exam 1	1,6	7
8	8	<p>3D unsteady aerodynamics: DLM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>→ RCA brainstorming</li> <li>→ Revisiting 2D unsteady aerodynamics (Wagner, Küssner, Theodosen)</li> <li>→ Revisiting 3D unsteady aerodynamics (B. Rodden and the Doublet Lattice Method DLM)</li> <li>→ Model geometry: CAERO</li> <li>→ Model properties: PAERO</li> <li>→ Interpolation: SPLINES</li> <li>→ GTA unsteady aerodynamic model</li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture. Prepare Partial1 exam.	1,6	3
9	9	<p><b>Static Aeroelasticity. Trim Solution. Control Surface Effectiveness.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>→ Relevance of the static aeroelastic problem.</li> <li>→ Airworthiness regulations on static aeroelasticity</li> <li>→ The very “basic” normal modes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Wing bending mode ⇒ 2D plunge mode</li> <li>▪ Wing torsion mode ⇒ 2D pitch mode</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture.	1,6	3

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Aileron rotation <math>\Rightarrow</math> sensitivity to actuator stiffness</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Relevance of Divergence</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Briefing on 2D divergence analytical solution</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Relevance of Control surface effectiveness</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Briefing on 2D control surface effectiveness</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Brainstorming on what is needed to solve the static aeroelastic problem using the FE technique.</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> GTA Trim solution (NASTRAN SOL 144)</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Spanwise evolution of vertical deformation and twist</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> GTA Divergence solution</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> GTA Aileron effectiveness</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Homework: determine elevator effectiveness</li> </ul>					Perform Homework: determination of elevator effectiveness.		
10	10	<p>Flutter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Relevance of flutter.</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Airworthiness regulations on flutter</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Briefing on flutter solver mathematics</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Brainstorming on what is needed to solve the flutter problem using the FE technique.</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> GTA Flutter solution (NASTRAN SOL 145)</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> GTA V-g plot</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Homework: determine aileron massbalance to prevent flutter</li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture. Perform homework: determination of aileron massbalance to prevent flutter.	1,6	3
11	11	<p>Dynamic Landing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Relevance of dynamic landing</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Airworthiness regulations on dynamic landing</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Briefing on dynamic landing solver mathematics</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Brainstorming on what is needed to solve the dynamic landing problem using the FE technique.</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> GTA dynamic landing solution (NASTRAN SOL 145)</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> 1D envelopes of bending, shear and torque due to dynamic landing</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Homework: determine and plot wing root 2D envelopes</li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture. Perform homework: determine and plot wing root 2D envelopes.	1,6	3
13	12	<p>Discrete Tuned Gust (DTG)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Relevance of DTG analysis</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Airworthiness regulations on DTG</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Briefing on DTG solver mathematics</li> <li><math>\rightarrow</math> Brainstorming on what is needed to solve the DTG problem using the FE technique.</li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture. Perform homework: determine wing root 2D	1,6	3

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>→ GTA DTG solution (NASTRAN SOL 146)</li> <li>→ 1D envelopes of bending, shear and torque due to DTG</li> <li>→ Homework: determine wing root 2D envelopes of DTG and compare with Dynamic landing</li> </ul>					envelopes of DTG and compare with Dynamic landing		
14	13	Continuous Turbulence (CT) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>→ Relevance of CT analysis</li> <li>→ Airworthiness regulations on CT</li> <li>→ Briefing on CT solver mathematics</li> <li>→ Brainstorming on what is needed to solve the CT problem using the FE technique.</li> <li>→ GTA CT solution (NASTRAN SOL 146)</li> <li>→ 1D envelopes of bending, shear and torque due to DTG</li> <li>→ Homework: determine wing root 2D envelopes of CT (equal probability ellipses) and compare with DTG &amp; Dynamic Landing</li> </ul>	X				Reading corresponding notes chapters Study and personal work about the lecture Perform homework: determine wing root 2D envelopes of CT (equal probability ellipses) and compare with DTG & Dynamic Landing	1,6	3
15	14	Partial Exam 2	X				Study Partial Exam 2.	1,6	7
17		Final Exam						1,6	

**Subtotal 1**    **24**    **49**

**Total 1** (*Hours of class plus student homework hours between weeks 1-14*)

**73**

15		Tutorials, handing in, etc						0,5	0,5
16		Assessment						0,5	0,5
17									
18									

**Subtotal 2**    **1**    **1**

**Total 2** (*Hours of class plus student homework hours between weeks 15-18*)

**2**

<b>TOTAL</b> ( <i>Total 1 + Total 2. Maximum 90 hours</i> )								<b>75</b>
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