## 0 General

### 0.1 Manual amendments

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| 1 | all | Combination of the initial Maintenance <br> Manuals of the Variants LS8, LS8-a, <br> LS8-b, LS8-18, new standardized format | Dec. <br> 2009 |
| 2 | $0-9,1-15,1-16,2-3,2-5,3-$ <br> $2,3-3,3-6,4-12,4-13,4-15$ <br> up to 4-17, 5-2, 5-3, 5.4, 6-1, <br> $9-1$ up to 9-4, 10-1 up to 10- <br> $3,11-1,11-2,12-2,12-3$ | Miscellaneous changes to the contents of <br> the latest amendments of the initial <br> maintenance manuals | Dec. <br> 2009 |
| 3 | (1, $1,0-3,0-5,1-1,1-6$, <br> $1-10,7-5,7-6$ | TN8019, wheel brake actuated by <br> airbrake handle. | Feb. |


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## 1 Description of systems

### 1.1 Overview

## Wings

LS8 and LS8-a: Wingspan 15 m with removable winglets.
LS8-b and LS8-18: Wingspan variable by exchange of 15 m winglets with 18 m tips with Winglets.

## Aileron Controls

Aileron system activated via pushrods guided in longitudinal motion ball bearings, connection of system by automatic coupling during rigging.
Dynamic aileron mass balance in wings.
Only LS8: Aileron parted at wing contour brake
LS8-b and LS8-18: Additional ailerons at 18 m wingtips.

## Elevator Controls

Elevator system activated via pushrods guided in longitudinal motion ball bearings, automatic coupling of system during rigging. 100\% mass balance in vertical tail fin pushrod.

## Rudder Controls

Rudder system activated via steel cables guided in polyamide tubing, no closed control circuit. mass balance at rudder.

## Wheel Brake

Feet operated, activated by bowden cable from rudder pedals.
With TN8019 executed: The wheel brake Bowden cable is connected to the airbrake drive instead of the rudder pedals.

## Air Brakes

Activated via pushrods, guided partly in longitudinal motion ball bearings, partly in plain bearings. Automatic connection of system during rigging. Locking mechanism in wings. Upper surface double height air brakes with spring loaded cover blades. Friction damper in box to prevent oscillations during extension.

## Water Ballast System

## LS8:

One double water bag per wing, maximum capacity per wing 75 Liters $<$ 19.8 US gallons, 16.5 Imp. gallons $>$. Optionally one single water bag, maximum capacity per wing 50 Liters $<13.2$ US gallons, 11 Imp. gallons $>$. Double valve or single valve at wing root, one loading and dumping orifice on under side of wings near root. Automatic connection during rigging.
In the vertical tail fin either battery receptacle or ballast tank allowing to compensate C.G. movement due to wing water ballast or mass of heavy pilots, maximum capacity 5.5 Liters $<1.45$ US gallons, 1.21 Imp. gallons $>$. When the tail fin tank is combined with a battery receptacle, the maximum capacity is 4.1 Liters $<1.08$ US gal., 0.9 Imp.gal. $>$. (Maximum permissible compensation allowed for in tables)


### 1.7 Rudder control system



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### 7.5 LS8, LS8-a, LS8-b, LS8-18

Numbers refer to placards, for positions of placards see drawings.
Use vertical tail fin battery only
With main fuse at battery
(under battery box cover of vertical tail, if fitted)

Canopy Emergency Release: open left side normally, Pull right side with approx. $15 \mathrm{~kg} / 33 \mathrm{lbs}$ force to stop $>19<$ at right canopy frame

When using a battery in the vertical tail fin. Minimum Cockpit Load must be redetermined by weighing
(under battery box cover of Vertical tail, if fitted)


Canopy opening at left lever

(8)


Trim tail heavy near trim lever
(9)


Tow cable release left cockpit side



Closed
Water ballast valve at right cockp
Cano at right lever

Air brakes left cockpit side


With TN8019 executed:
Air brakes and wheel brake left cockpit side



Ventilation at instrument panel


When the airspeed indicator is not equipped with these altitude related VNE markings, a placard must be near the ASI. For possible versions see next page.

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Placards and markings continued


A - Left canopy locking
B - Right canopy locking and emergency canopy release
C - Ventilation
D - Tow cable release
E - Trim locking lever
F - Trim lever, also indicating trim position
G - Air brake handle

## G with TN8019 executed:

Air brake and wheel brake handle
H - Pedal adjustment
I - Landing gear lever
K - Water ballast
L - Rudder pedals and wheel brake (feet operated)
L with TN8019 executed:
Rudder pedals
M Only LS8-b - Dummy handle instead of fuel cock

| Altitude related Never Exceed |  |
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| Speed |  |
| Up to 2000 m MSL | 280 |
| Up to 3000 m MSL | 266 |
| Up to 4000 m MSL | 253 |
| Up to 6000 m MSL | 227 |
| Up to 8000 m MSL | 202 |
| Up to 10000 m MSL | 179 |
| Up to 12000 m MSL | 156 |

On panel near airspeed indicator, For countries operating with metric units only

| Altitude related |  |  |  |
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| Never Exceed Speed | $\mathrm{km} / \mathrm{h}$ | $\mathrm{Kt}$. | mph |
| Up to 6500 ft MSL | 280 | 151 | 174 |
| Up to 9800 ft MSL | 266 | 144 | 165 |
| Up to 13100 ft MSL | 253 | 136 | 157 |
| Up to 19700 ft MSL | 227 | 122 | 141 |
| Up to 26200 ft MSL | 202 | 109 | 126 |
| Up to 32800 ft MSL | 179 | 97 | 111 |
| Up to 39800 ft MSL | 156 | 84 | 97 |

