mAEWing2-HuginnFLT04

Project Info	
Project (Class & Team)	mAEWing2
Flight/Test Identifier	HuginnFLT04
Test Objective	System ID
Personnel	
Operations Lead / Launcher (OL)	Chris Regan
Pilot (P)	Curt Olson
Observer (O)	
GCS Operator (GCS)	Leo Heide
Safety-of-Flight /	Safety-of-Test Limits
Airspeed Stall	13 m/s
Airspeed [min max]	Min: 15 m/s, Max: 26 m/s
Bank Limit	45 degrees
Altitude	Max: 100 m AGL
Confi	guration
Aircraft	mAEWing2 Huginn
Radio Frequencies and NetID	915 Mhz
Avionics Software Version	SOC: v9.2
	FMU/Node: v8.3_mAEWing2
GCS Software Version	

Test Overview

- 1. Pre-flight Procedures
 - a. Perform GCS Start-up Procedure
 - b. Perform Range test (Prop Power off)
 - c. Perform Link loss test (Prop Power off)
 - d. Perform Avionics Calibration
- 2. Launch
- 3. Test Cards
 - 1. Pilot Checkout (21 25 m/s)
 - 2. Test 26 m/s
 - a) Bending
 - b) RTSM
 - c) Aero symmetric set #1
 - d) Aero anti-symmetric set #1
 - e) Aero symmetric set #2
 - f) Aero anti-symmetric set #2
 - 3. Test 17 m/s
 - a) Bending
 - b) RTSM
 - c) Aero symmetric set #1
 - d) Aero anti-symmetric set #1
 - e) Aero symmetric set #2
 - f) Aero anti-symmetric set #2
- 4. Return
- 5. Land
- 6. Post-Flight Procedures

SOF/SOM

Joker Power: 3.70 V

Reserve Power for 2x landing attempts

Bingo Power: 3.50 V

Return to landing

Nominal Low speed mission contains 19 test segments

Checkout: 1 Test 26 m/s: 6 Test 17 m/s: 6

Landing Go-around: 1

Total: 14

Test Card # 2a	
Bending	
	Test Airspeed 26 m/s
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"	
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle
4. Fly hands-off, small inputs only	
5. (GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Reference Excitations (6.3 s)
6. (OL) Complete	Bending

Test Card # 2b	
Stability ID #1	
	Test Airspeed 26 m/s
7. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters
8. (OL) "Clear Engage"	
9. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle
10. Fly hands-off, small inputs only	
11.(GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Reference Excitations (10 s)
12. (OL) Complete	Roll. Pitch

Test Card # 2c	
Aero ID - Symmetric #1	
	Test Airspeed 26 m/s
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"	
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle
4. Fly hands-off, small inputs only	
5. (GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Surface Excitations (10 s)
6. (OL) Complete	Pitch: TE1, TE3, TE5

Test Card # 2d	
Aero ID - Anti-Symmetric #1	
	Test Airspeed 26 m/s
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"	
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle
4. Fly hands-off, small inputs only	
5. (GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Surface Excitations (10 s)
6. (OL) Complete	Roll: TE1, TE3, TE5

Test Card # 2e		
Aero ID - Symmetric #2		
	Test Airspeed 26 m/s	
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters	
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"		
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle	
4. Fly hands-off, small inputs only		
5. (GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Surface Excitations (10 s)	
6. (OL) Complete	Pitch: TE2, TE4, LE	

Test Card # 2f	
Aero ID - Anti-Symmetric #2	
	Test Airspeed 26 m/s
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"	
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle
4. Fly hands-off, small inputs only	
5. (GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Surface Excitations (10 s)
6. (OL) Complete	Roll: TE2, TE4, LE

Test Card # 3a	
Bending	
	Test Airspeed 17 m/s
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"	
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle
4. Fly hands-off, small inputs only	
5. (GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Reference Excitations (6.3 s)
6. (OL) Complete	Bending

Test Card # 3b		
Stability ID #1		
	Test Airspeed 17 m/s	
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters	
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"		
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle	
4. Fly hands-off, small inputs only		
5. (GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Reference Excitations (10 s)	
6. (OL) Complete	Roll. Pitch	

Test Card # 3c	
Aero ID - Symmetric #1	
	Test Airspeed 17 m/s
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"	
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle
4. Fly hands-off, small inputs only	
5. (GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Surface Excitations (10 s)
6. (OL) Complete	Pitch: TE1, TE3, TE5

Test Card # 3d	
Aero ID - Anti-Symmetric #1	
	Test Airspeed 17 m/s
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"	
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle
4. Fly hands-off, small inputs only	
5. (GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Surface Excitations (10 s)
6. (OL) Complete	Roll: TE1, TE3, TE5

Test Card # 3e	
Aero ID - Symmetric #2	
	Test Airspeed 17 m/s
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"	
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle
4. Fly hands-off, small inputs only	
5. (GCS) Call Excitation %	Engage Surface Excitations (10 s)
6. (OL) Complete	Pitch: TE2, TE4, LE

Test Card # 3f	
Aero ID - Anti-Symmetric #2	
	Test Airspeed 17 m/s
1. (GCS) Verify Altitude, Airspeed	Entry Altitude between 30 and 120 meters
2. (OL) "Clear Engage"	
3. (P) Engage Test	Attitude Control, Auto Throttle
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6. (OL) Complete	Roll: TE2, TE4, LE

Day-Before-Flight Checklist

- 1. Check and charge batteries
 - a. Propulsion
 - b. Avionics
 - c. Transmitter
 - d. Ground Control Station
 - e. Walkie-Talkies
- 2. Prepare ground control station laptop
 - a. Verify flight software is operational
 - b. Verify GCS software is operational
- 3. Verify Firmware and Settings
 - a. FMU firmware
 - b. FCC software
- 4. Packing List
 - a. Maintenance
 - i. Aircraft specific tools
 - ii. Velcro
 - iii. Zip-ties
 - b. Battery bag
 - c. Electronics components
 - i. Radio Modem
 - ii. USB Cables
 - iii. microSD cards
 - d. Battery chargers
 - e. RC transmitter(s)
 - f. RC transmitter hand warmer, if applicable
 - g. Laptop computer and charger
 - h. Bungee launch system
- 5. Verify CG location
- 6. Verify pitot cover is secured on
- 7. Inspect bungee launcher condition

Day-of-Flight Checklist

- 1. Setup Ground Control Station
 - a. Power-on laptop
 - b. Connect radio modem
 - c. Start GCS software
- 2. Assemble aircraft
 - a. Attach wings, torque to spec
 - b. Attach winglets
- 3. Setup Bungee Launch System
 - a. Measure out anchor locations
 - b. Install two base anchors (~20 ft apart)
 - c. Install safety/release anchor
- 4. Perform Range test (Prop Power OFF)
 - a. Verify RC and TM links
 - b. Verify RSSI on GCS
 - c. Transmitter to range mode
 - d. Rotate aircraft
- 5. Perform Link loss test (Prop Power OFF)
 - a. (OL) Secure aircraft, "Aircraft Secure"
 - b. (P) Switch to Autopiot mode
 - c. (P) Observe throttle up, surfaces pos
 - d. (P) Turn transmitter off
 - e. (P) Verify: throttle cut, surfaces to spiral, manual mode
 - f. (P) "Link loss test complete"
- 6. Perform Avionics Calibration

The Day-of-Flight Checklist is performed at the flight field. The complete checklist is performed once prior to any flights, and all or portions may be performed following any in-field modification to the aircraft. Stale batteries can be used for the procedure.

Bungee Setup:

57 ft of stretch 28 lbs of total stretch

With ½ Thrust, this is predicted to give 15 m/s (@ full relax, ~2 seconds of acceleration)

Pre-Flight Checklist

- 1. Check battery voltages
- 2. Arm Bungee Launch System
 - a. Stretch each bungee, verify tension, attach to safety strap (2 person)
- 3. Turn on transmitter, switch user if required
- 4. Connect and secure Avionics battery
- 5. Verify flight mode via GCS
 - a. Verify TM Link
 - b. Verify GPS Satellite
 - c. Hold for Nav Filter init

The Pre-flight Checklist is Performed only prior to launch. Fresh batteries should be used.

Note Starting Battery Voltages: _____

Note Bungee Distance and Tension: _____

CHECK TELNET for all IMUs

Notes:

Launch Checklist

- 1. Perform Pre-flight checklist
- 2. Transition aircraft to launch start
- 3. Secure Aircraft
- 4. Power-on cameras, start recording
- 5. Install and secure Propulsion batteries
- 6. Ensure non-essential personnel are clear of the operation area
- 7. Attach bungee launcher
- 8. Power-on Propulsion
- 9. (GCS) Verify Nav Solution
- 10. Verify GCS is ready
- 11. (GCS) "Pilot, Stick Left... Right... Up... Down..."
- 12. (GCS) "Pilot, Throttle runup"
- 13. Remove launch safety strap
- 14. Check runway is clear
- 15. Verify Pilot is ready
- 16. Verify Launcher is ready
- 17. (OL) "Ready for Takeoff"

18.(P) Half stick aft, Half throttle

- 19. (P) "Launch, Launch, Launch"
- 20. (L) Pull launch release pin
- 21. (GCS) Confirm Launch and Data Quality
- 22.(P) Gear Up

Manual Control, Manual Throttle

Abort straight ahead, reduce throttle

Return Checklist

- 1. (OL) "Approach and Recovery"
- 2. Check that runway is clear and everyone has left the area other than the Pilot and Operations Lead
- 3. Check wind
- 4. (P) Line-up approach
- 5. (P) Initiate approach mode
- 6. (P) Verify Gear Down
- 7. (GCS) Verify Approach mode, "Approach"

Approach mode:

Attitude Control, Manual Throttle

Landing Checklist

- 1. (OL) "Clear for landing"
- 2. (OL/P) Call "Flare" at 20 ft AGL
- 3. (P) Initiate Flare
- 4. (GCS) Verify Flare Mode
- 5. Land and come to a complete stop
- 6. (P) "Throttle cut, hands off"

Predicted Approach Speed is 18 m/s
Predicted Touchdown Speed is 14 m/s
Predicted Stall Speed is 13 m/s

Flare Mode:

Bank, attitude, and airspeed automated

Flare Bypass Mode:

Bank and Attitude pilot control Airspeed hold (16 m/s)

Post-flight Checklist

- 1. (P) Power-Off Prop, "Prop Safe"
- 2. (OL) Power-Off Avionics
- 3. Transition aircraft back to setup location
- 4. (OL) Retreive logs, archive, clear
- 5. Remove and store batteries
- 6. Inspect aircraft

Note any Squawks: