Pilot Training

H130 Transition Training Course

3 Days
Ground School 15 Hours (3 Days)
Sim 0 Hours
Flight 3 Hours per Student
SCOPE:

This course will provide complete Initial Pilot Ground School on the H130 Helicopter. Classroom instruction, the Pilot Training Manual, and various handouts, will provide complete information for a thorough understanding of the aircraft and its engine and related systems, with emphasis on Flight Manual usage including Normal and Emergency Procedures for the various aircraft systems and the aircraft’s Limitations. Practical exercises will be conducted covering the Flight Manual information on Limitations, Performance Data, and Weight & Balance. Successful completion will be based upon two examinations: a Limitations Quiz & the Final Exam covering overall course content.

OBJECTIVE:

To teach the trainee the fundamental knowledge of the aircraft necessary to conduct safe and efficient ground and pre-flight operations in the H130 Helicopter. Upon successful completion of this course, as evidenced by passing the H130 Initial Pilot Ground School final exam, the trainee should be able to conduct operations, within the limits of Aircraft Ground School, safely and efficiently.

COURSE PREREQUISITES:

Acceptance into this course is based upon these requirements:

- A current FAA issued Helicopter Pilot Certificate
- Valid Medical Certificate
- Current Helicopter Experience

In special circumstances any of the above requirements may be waived with the approval of Airbus Helicopters, Inc.’s Chief Flight Instructor.

NOTICES:

Airbus Helicopters, Inc. reserves the right to notify customer of the occurrence of any force majeure condition that, in its sole discretion, is the cause of excusable delay. In the event of a force majeure condition, the services and/or classes will be extended or, if required, rescheduled for the first available opening. Airbus Helicopters, Inc. will not be liable for any costs, claims, or damages to customer or its employees arising from delays or interruptions caused by any force majeure condition.

The stated duration of the course is based on two student pilots per course. Additional student pilots may change the duration of the flight portion of the course. Airbus Helicopters Inc. instructor pilots fly a maximum of 4.5 hours per day.
# Ground School

## Day 1

### Registration and Orientation

**SCOPE:** This block of instruction will cover registration and the course outline, Airbus Helicopters, Inc. Training Center Operations, and an orientation of the facility.

### Intro & General Overview of the Helicopter

**SCOPE:** This block of instruction will cover a general overview of the helicopter. This general overview will include the main characteristics, operating publications, description, main dimensions, airframe reference points, special configurations, and the cockpit layout of the helicopter.

### Flight Manual

**SCOPE:** This block of instruction will cover an introduction to the Rotorcraft Flight Manual. Flight Manual sections and flight manual revision will be discussed. T.I.P.I. and any applicable ADs will also be introduced. Aircraft and flight limitations will also be covered. A review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

### Aircraft Limitations

**SCOPE:** This block of instruction will cover aircraft and flight limitations. A review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

### System Operation Indication / VEMD

**SCOPE:** This block of instruction will cover system operation indications, including the Caution Warning Panel and VEMD. The VEMD will be covered in detail, including configuration and maintenance functions. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.
Day 1 continued

Structure and Landing Gear 0.8 hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the basic structure of the helicopter including the three main structural areas, anti-vibrators, rear structure, tail boom, Fenestron, doors, cowlings, fairings, and the skid type landing gear. Additionally covered are all appropriate emergency procedures and caution / warning panel lights, as well as their meaning, and the proper corrective actions to be taken by the pilot. A Review Questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Main Rotor Drive System 0.6 hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the functions of the main rotor drive system, the main gearbox attachment and suspension, the engine to main gearbox coupling, the main gearbox components and lubrication system, main gearbox oil cooling, and the rotor brake components and operation. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Main Rotor 0.6 hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the main rotor, the main rotor mast, the main rotor hub, the main rotor blades, the rotor speed monitoring system, and the vibration absorbers. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Tail Rotor Drive System 0.4 hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the main gearbox to tail rotor drive system and the tail rotor drive shafts and components and the tail rotor drive system characteristics. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Tail Rotor (Fenestron) 0.8 hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the tail rotor gear box, the tail rotor gearbox monitoring system, the tail rotor (Fenestron), and the tail rotor components. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.
NOTE: A Limitations Quiz will be administered before the next block of instruction. The Instructor will retain the scored Limitations Quiz, which will be placed in the trainee’s permanent file. Reviewing this quiz with trainees takes 0.2 hrs.

Day 2

Rotor Controls 0.5 Hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the operating principles of the flight controls, the main rotor controls, their operation and their components; and the tail rotor controls, their operation and their components. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Servo Actuators 0.8 Hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the servo actuators, their components and locations. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Hydraulic System 0.7 Hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the hydraulic system, its components and their location, technical characteristics, hydraulic system schematics, the component functions, and the hydraulic system normal operation. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Active Vibration Control System 0.5 Hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the active vibration control. The component functions and their locations, technical characteristics, system schematics, and normal and abnormal operation will be covered. A Review Questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.
Day 2 continued

Environmental Control System

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the environmental control including the heating and demisting system, the cabin ventilation and air-conditioning system. The component functions and their locations, technical characteristics, system schematics, control panel, and normal and abnormal operation will be covered. A Review Questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Electrical Power System

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the direct current power sources, power system components and their functions, layout of the power system components, direct battery power, and power distribution to consumer circuits. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Pitot Static System

SCOPE: This block of instruction will consist of a description of the pitot static system, the principle of operation, and the system components, as well as the pitot head characteristics and its heating system, and the location of the pitot static system controls and instruments. A Review Questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Lighting

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the interior lighting systems to include the dome light units, instrument panel and console lighting, the principle of the instrument panel light generator and the layout of the instrument panel lighting. Exterior lighting subjects covered are the anti-collision and position lights, as well as the landing and searchlights. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Seating

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the cabin seating and seat configuration.
Day 2 continued

Fuel System

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the fuel system components and their functions; fuel system operation, controls, and monitoring; and the location and characteristics of the fuel system components. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Day 3

Engine and Engine Oil System

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the Arriel engine, engine mounting, and the engine oil cooling system and oil monitoring system to include system components and their location, system operation, and their main features. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Engine

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the Arriel engine, engine mounting, and the engine oil cooling system and oil monitoring system to include system components and their location, system operation, and their main features. It will also cover the operation principle of the engine fuel control including the FADEC and EBCAU as well as engine power monitoring components and indicators. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Engine Fuel Control

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover the engine controls, the operation principle of the engine controls, and the engine control linkage components and their location. Also covered will be the FADEC and EBCAU. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.

Engine Parameter Monitoring

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover engine power monitoring of the gas generator, the power turbine inlet temperature, and torque, including the location of the indicators. Relevant emergency procedures will be discussed and a review questions segment will be conducted on the material presented.
Day 3 continued

Normal Procedures and Start-Up / Shutdown Checks 0.6 Hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover normal procedures, engine starting and shut down sequence, what to look for, what checks are to be performed, and how to accomplish these checks.

Flight Briefing 0.2 Hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover a general flight brief and an overview of KGPM airport.

Preflight / P-Check 1.6 Hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will cover a thorough preflight / P-inspection, conducted on the aircraft and referring to FM sections 4 and APP 8.2.

Preflight / P-Check 2.0 Hours

SCOPE: This block of instruction will include administering an open-book, multiple-choice Final Exam, with emphasis on use of the flight manual to obtain information, knowledge of basic aircraft systems, and the practical use of charts associated with the flight manual. A maximum time limit of two hours is permitted for administering the Final Exam. The scored Final Exam is retained by the Instructor and placed in the trainee's permanent file.
**Flight Training**

**Flight 1**
- Startup/shutdown
- Flight maneuvers
- Power check
- Tail rotor control failures
- Hover auto-rotations
- Straight-in auto-rotations

**Flight 2**
- Start-up/shut-down
- Tail rotor control failures
- Optional maneuvers (slopes, confined area, etc.)
- Hover & hover taxi auto-rotations
- Straight-in & 180 auto-rotations