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LANDING GEAR

1.0 INTRODUCTION

Landing gear designs for aircraft very from simple, fixed arrangement to very complex retractable systems involving many hundred parts. This report examines the process and the work done in MAS Aerotechnology in maintenance and overhaul of the B737-400 main landing gears.

1.1 Function of the Landing Gears.

The landing gear of an airplane serves a number of very important function and is classified by a number of difference characteristics. It function to support an aircraft during ground maneuvers, dampen vibration, and absorb landing shock.

The landing of an airplane often involves stress far in excess of what may be considered normal, therefore, the landing gear must be constructed and maintained in a manner that provides the strength and reliability needed to meet all probable landing conditions.

Landing gear also to dissipate slowly the pressure energy build-up inside them and prevent the aircraft rebounding into the air.