

Did You Know? Manufacturing Designee Training

Manufacturing applicants are required to complete initial training prior to appointment as a designee and all designees must complete required recurrent training every 36 months. There are five areas of training for manufacturing designees;

- Aircraft Certification
- Conformity Determination
- Issuance of FAA Form 8130-3
- Amateur Built and Light Sport Aircraft Certification
- Aircraft Certification of Unmanned Aircraft Systems and Optionally Piloted Aircraft

Each area of training includes initial and recurrent training. Applicants and designees can enroll in training through the Designee Registration System (DRS) at <https://av-info.faa.gov/DsgReg/sections.aspx>

Students pay a fee for each course when enrolling, ***but did you know some courses are free?***

For completion of the Initial Conformity Determinations course you may enroll for free in:

- Issuance of 8130-3 for Domestic and Export Approvals of Engines, Propellers, and Articles Only (this is the manufacturing designee course)
- Recurrent Issuance of FAA Form 8130-3 for Domestic or Export Airworthiness Approvals Course (Online)

For completion of the Initial Aircraft Certification Course you may enroll for free in the following courses:

- Special Airworthiness Cert of Unmanned Aircraft Systems & Optionally Piloted Aircraft
- Amateur-Built and Light-Sport DAR (online)
- FAA Recurrent Conformity Determination (online)
- Issuance of 8130-3 for Domestic and Export Approvals of Engines, Propellers & Articles Only (this is the manufacturing designee course)

For completion of the Recurrent Aircraft Certification Course you may enroll for free in the following courses:

- Special Airworthiness Cert of Unmanned Aircraft Systems & Optionally Piloted Aircraft
- Amateur-Built and Light-Sport DAR (online)
- FAA Recurrent Conformity Determination (online)
- Issuance of 8130-3 for Domestic and Export Approvals of Engines, Propellers & Articles Only (this is the manufacturing designee course)

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