

ANNEX I: Conditions for the acquisition of an EASA licence / General overview

(Minimum condition for the initial acquisition of a pilot licence)

NON-ICAO-COMPLIANT EASA LICENCES (VALID ONLY IN THE AREAS GOVERNED BY THE EU)				
New licence categories				
Conditions:	LAPL(A) (Aeroplane)	LAPL(H) (Helicopter)	LAPL(S) (Sailplane)	LAPL(B) (Balloon)
Minimum age for solo flights (student pilots):	16 years	16 years	14 years	14 years
Minimum age for licence application:	17 years	17 years	16 years	16 years
Training:	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)
Theoretical examination:	At PPL(A) level	At PPL(H) level	At SPL level	At BPL level
Radiotelephony examination:	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Language Proficiency:	Yes*	Yes*	No	No
Practical examination:	With approved examiner	With approved examiner	With approved examiner	With approved examiner
Flight experience and crediting:	According to FCL.110.A	According to FCL.110.H	According to FCL.110.S	According to FCL.110.B
Medical certificate:	Minimum LAPL	Minimum LAPL	Minimum LAPL	Minimum LAPL

* Without proof of Language Proficiency the privileges of the licence holder are restricted.

ICAO-COMPLIANT EASA-LICENCES									
Present licence categories in accordance with YESR-FCL								New licence categories	
Conditions:	PPL(A) (Aeroplane)	CPL(A) (Aeroplane)	MPL (Aeroplane)	ATPL(A) (Aeroplane)	PPL(H) (Helicopter)	CPL(H) (Helicopter)	ATPL(H) (Helicopter)	SPL (Sailplane)	BPL (Balloon)
Minimum age for solo flights (student pilots):	16 years	16 years	16 years	16 years	16 years	16 years	16 years	14 years	14 years
Minimum age for licence application:	17 years	18 years	18 years	21 years	17 years	18 years	21 years	16 years	16 years
Training:	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)	Flight school (ATO)
Theoretical examination:	At PPL(A) level	At CPL(A) level	At ATPL(A) level	At ATPL(A) level	At PPL(H) level	At CPL(H) level	At ATPL(H) level	At SPL level	At BPL level
Radiotelephony examination:	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Language Proficiency:	Yes**	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes**	Yes	Yes	No	No
Practical examination:	With approved examiner	With approved examiner	With approved examiner	With approved examiner	With approved examiner	With approved examiner	With approved examiner	With approved examiner	With approved examiner
Flight experience and crediting:	According to FCL.210.A	According to FCL.315	According to FCL.410.A	According to FCL.510.A	According to FCL.210.H	According to FCL.315	According to FCL.510.H	According to FCL.210.S	According to FCL.210.B
Medical certificate:	Class 2	Class 1	Class 1	Class 1	Class 2	Class 1	Class 1	Class 2	Class 2

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