Short Course Page: "Basic Aerodynamics" G. W. Johnson 2-20-09

Choices: (1) download available content items and teach yourself for free

(2) contact G.W. for paid instruction on-site or in a scheduled class

Content:

Description links to info Item Basic notions about forces, boundary layers, wake zones basic notions how the forces break down Forces forces & units Dynamic pressure dynamic (wind) pressure and how it breaks down wind pressure Coefficients what's important: how they vary in the real world coefficients Density ratio how-to, using an altimeter, OAT, and ICAO table density how-to, using indicated airspeed and fuel flow Endurance & range how long

Textbook: none

Audience: pilots never formally trained in aerodynamics, especially those building

and flying "experimental" aircraft

Scope: estimated at a maximum of 2-6 hours of "hands-on" instruction, assuming

small class sizes or individual instruction, and a clean hangar or shop floor to work in; assuming that the students have their own airplanes; also assuming that all content items listed above are taught (pro-rated down by-item for scope reductions) – book-learning plus flying takes

longer, book-learning only is much shorter

Location: classes at G.W.'s shop, or on-site within 50 miles of McGregor, for

individuals and organizations

Availability: weekends / selected after-hours only

Cost: about \$60 (as of date) per instructor hour (multiple students cut per-

student cost dramatically!) plus \$1.00 per one-way mile, per trip and if applicable; discounts available for educational or religious institutions.

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