
Section 1. Swedish Manufactured Aeronautical Products

AIRWORTHINESS

DIRECTIVE NO: 1-127

AIRCRAFT TYPE: SAAB SF 340A and SAAB 340B

SERIAL No:s SAAB SF 340A -004 through -159
AFFECTED: SAAB 340B -160 through -439

SUBJECT: Landing Gear - Brakes - Inspection of the installation combination of the brake assemblies

BACKGROUND: Together with the introduction of the new ABSC 5012589-3 brake (SB 340-32-113), a restriction regarding the installation combination was found necessary.

Further investigations have shown that additional restrictions are necessary in order to avoid an unbalanced aircraft handling situation and degradation of brake performance. Only symmetrical brake installation configurations are permitted. Therefore this SAD requires inspection and if necessary replacement of the brakes to achieve a symmetrical brake configuration on the aircraft.

REFERENCE DOCUMENTS: Saab Aircraft AB Service Bulletin SAAB 340-32-114 dated 4 May 1998.

ACTIONS: Perform actions described in Saab Aircraft Service Bulletin SAAB 340-32-114 dated 4 May 1998 or later revision.

COMPLIANCE TIME: To be performed within 2 months after effective date of this SAD.

EFFECTIVE DATE: 1998-05-05

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The actions contained in this directive and reference document(s) have been classified as mandatory for aircraft on Swedish register

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