

ALLOCATION TO PAY RANGES AS AT 1 APRIL 2009 FOR ROYAL AIR FORCE TRADES AS DETERMINED BY JOB EVALUATION

Key L = Lower Pay Range H = Higher Pay Range

ROYAL AIR FORCE TRADE REGULAR TRADES * Interim trade ** Obsolescent trade	ABBREVIATION	PAY RANGE ALLOCATION			L LOWER RANGE		H HIGHER RANGE		WO
		AC/LAC	SAC	SACQOP S/ SAC(T)/JT	CPL	SGT	CT	FS	
TRADE GROUP 1 (AIRCRAFT ENGINEERING)									
AIRFRAME MECHANIC**	A Mech	L	L	-	-	-	-	-	-
AIRFRAME TECHNICIAN*	A Tech	L	L	H	-	-	-	-	-
PROPULSION TECHNICIAN*	P Tech	L	L	H	-	-	-	-	-
WEAPON TECHNICIAN	W Tech	L	L	H	-	-	-	-	-
ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN AIRFRAME*	Eng Tech A	-	-	H	H	H	H	-	-
ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN PROPULSION*	Eng Tech P	-	-	H	H	H	H	-	-
ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN WEAPON	Eng Tech W	-	-	H	H	H	H	H	H
AIRCRAFT ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN	A Eng Tech	-	-	-	-	-	-	H	H
AIRCRAFT ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN AIRFRAME / PROPULSION*	A Eng Tech A/P	-	-	H	H	H	H	-	-
AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE MECHANIC	AMM	L	L	-	-	-	-	-	-
AIRCRAFT TECHNICIAN (MECHANICAL)	A Tech(M)	L	H	H	H	H	H	-	-
AIRCRAFT TECHNICIAN (AVIONICS)	A Tech(AV)	L	H	H	H	H	H	-	-
TRADE GROUP 2 (AVIONICS)									
AVIONICS MECHANIC**	Av Mech	L	L	-	-	-	-	-	-
AIRCRAFT ELECTRICAL TECHNICIAN*	AE Tech	L	L	H	-	-	-	-	-
AVIONICS TECHNICIAN*	Av Tech	L	L	H	-	-	-	-	-
ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN AIRCRAFT ELECTRICAL*	Eng Tech AE	-	-	H	H	H	H	-	-
ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN AVIONICS*	Eng Tech Av	-	-	H	H	H	H	-	-
TRADE GROUP 3 (GROUND ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING)									
ELECTRONICS MECHANIC**	EI Mech	L	L	-	-	-	-	-	-
ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN ELECTRONICS**	Eng Tech EI	-	-	H	H	H	L	-	-
ELECTRONICS TECHNICIAN**	EI Tech	L	L	H	-	-	-	-	-
TRADE GROUP 4 (INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY (formerly COMMUNICATIONS & INFORMATION SYSTEMS))									
COMMUNICATIONS & INFORMATION SYSTEMS OPERATOR/MAINTAINER	CIS OM	L	L	-	-	-	-	-	-
COMMUNICATIONS & INFORMATION SYSTEMS TECHNICIAN	CIS Tech	L	H	H	H	H	L	-	-
COMMUNICATIONS & INFORMATION SYSTEMS MANAGER	CISM	-	-	-	-	-	-	H	H
INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY TECHNICIAN (New trade title)	ICT Tech	L	L	H	H	H	-	-	-
INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGER (New trade title)	ICTM	-	-	-	-	-	-	H	H
CIS AERIAL ERECTOR	CIS AI Erect	L	L	-	H	H	-	H	H
ICT AERIAL ERECTOR	ICT AI Erect	L	L	-	H	H	-	H	H

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TRADE GROUP 5 (GENERAL ENGINEERING)										
GENERAL TECHNICIAN (MECHANICAL)	Gen Tech(M)		L	L	H	H	H	H	-	-
GENERAL TECHNICIAN ELECTRICAL	Gen Tech E		L	L	H	H	H	H	-	-
GENERAL TECHNICIAN WORKSHOPS	Gen Tech WS		L	L	H	H	H	H	-	-
GENERAL TECHNICIAN GENERAL SERVICE EQUIPMENT*	Gen Tech GSE		L	L	H	H	H	H	-	-
GENERAL ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN	Gen Eng Tech		-	-	-	-	-	-	H	H
TRADE GROUP 6 LOGISTICS (formerly MECHANICAL TRANSPORT)										
MT TECHNICIAN*	MT Tech		L	L	H	H	H	H	-	-
MT DRIVER	MTD		L	L	-	H	L	-	L	H
LOGISTICS (DRIVER) (New trade title)	Log (Dvr)		L	L	-	H	L	-	L	H
TRADE GROUP 8 (SECURITY)										
FIREFIGHTER	Fftr		L	L	-	L	L	-	L	L
GUNNER	Gunner		L	L	-	H	H	-	L	L
RAF POLICE	RAF Police		L	H	-	H	H	-	L	L
TRADE GROUP 9 (AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL)										
FLIGHT OPERATIONS ASSISTANT	FOA		L	L	-	L	-	-	-	-
AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL ASSISTANT	ATCA		L	L	-	L	-	-	-	-
FLIGHT OPERATIONS MANAGER	FOM		-	-	-	-	L	-	L	L
AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER	ATC		-	-	-	-	H	-	H	H
TRADE GROUP 10 (GENERAL SERVICE)										
RAF PHYSICAL TRAINING INSTRUCTOR	RAF PTI		L	L	-	L	L	-	L	L
TRADE GROUP 11 INTELLIGENCE (formerly TELECOMMUNICATIONS)										
STUDENT INTELLIGENCE ANALYST (VOICE)	Sdt Int An(V)		L	H	-	-	-	-	-	-
INTELLIGENCE ANALYST (VOICE)	Int An(V)		L	H	H	H	H	L	H	H
INTELLIGENCE ANALYST	Int An		L	H	H	H	H	L	H	H
TELECOMMUNICATIONS OPERATOR**	TCO		L	L	-	-	-	-	-	-
TELECOMMUNICATIONS CONTROLLER**	TCC		-	-	-	L	H	-	-	-
TRADE GROUP 12 (AEROSPACE SYSTEMS OPERATING)										
AEROSPACE SYSTEMS OPERATOR	AS Op		L	L	-	L	-	-	-	-
AEROSPACE SYSTEMS MANAGER	AS Man		-	-	-	-	H	-	L	H
SNCO FIGHTER CONTROLLER	SNCO FC		-	-	-	-	H	-	H	H
SNCO WEAPONS CONTROL (New trade title)	SNCO WC		-	-	-	-	H	-	H	H
TRADE GROUP 13 (SAFETY & SURFACE)										
PAINTER AND FINISHER	Ptr & Fnr		L	L	-	L	L	-	L	H
SURVIVAL EQUIPMENT FITTER	SE Fitt		L	L	-	H	H	-	H	H

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TRADE GROUP 14 (PHOTOGRAPHY)											
AIR CARTOGRAPHER		Air Cart		L	L	-	H	H	-	H	H
PHOTOGRAPHER (PHOTO)		Photo		L	L	-	L	L	-	L	L
TRADE GROUP 15 (MEDICAL)											
STUDENT STAFF NURSE		Sdt Staff Nurse		H	H	-	-	-	-	-	-
STAFF NURSE (REGISTERED GENERAL NURSE)		Staff Nurse(RGN)		H	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
STAFF NURSE (REGISTERED MENTAL NURSE)		Staff Nurse(RMN)		H	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
REGISTERED NURSE (ADULT)	(New trade title)	RN (Adult)		H	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
REGISTERED NURSE (MENTAL HEALTH)	(New trade title)	RN (Mental Health)		H	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
STUDENT ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH TECHNICIAN		Sdt EH Tech		H	H	-	-	-	-	-	-
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH TECHNICIAN		EH Tech		H	H	H	H	H	-	L	L
STUDENT OPERATING DEPARTMENT PRACTITIONER		Sdt ODP		H	H	-	-	-	-	-	-
OPERATING DEPARTMENT PRACTITIONER		ODP		H	H	H	H	H	-	L	L
STUDENT PHARMACY TECHNICIAN		Std Ph Tech		H	H	-	-	-	-	-	-
PHARMACY TECHNICIAN		Ph Tech		H	H	H	L	L	-	L	L
STUDENT LABORATORY TECHNICIAN		Std Lab Tech		H	H	-	-	-	-	-	-
LABORATORY TECHNICIAN		Lab Tech		H	H	H	H	H	-	H	L
STUDENT BIOMEDICAL SCIENTIST	(New trade title)	Sdt Biomed Scientist		H	H	-	-	-	-	-	-
BIOMEDICAL SCIENTIST	(New trade title)	Biomed Scientist		H	H	H	H	H	-	H	L
STUDENT RADIOGRAPHER		Sdt Radiog		H	H	H	-	-	-	-	-
RADIOGRAPHER		Radiog		H	H	H	H	H	-	H	L
MEDICAL ASSISTANT/ MEDICAL ADMINISTRATOR		Med Asst/ Med Admin		L	L	-	L	L	-	L	L
RAF MEDIC	(New trade title)	RAF Medic		L	L	-	L	L	-	L	L
TRADE GROUP 16 (DENTAL)											
DENTAL HYGIENIST		Dent Hyg		L	L	L	H	H	-	L	L
DENTAL TECHNICIAN		Dent Tech		L	H	H	H	H	L	L	L
DENTAL NURSE		Dental Nurse		L	L	-	L	L	-	L	L
DENTAL ADMINISTRATOR		Dental Admin		L	-	-	L	L	-	L	L
TRADE GROUP 17 PERSONNEL (formerly ACCOUNTING & SECRETARIAL)											
PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATOR		Pers Admin		L	L	-	H	H	-	H	H
PERSONNEL (SUPPORT)	(New trade title)	Personnel (Spt)		L	L	-	H	H	-	H	H
TRADE GROUP 18 LOGISTICS (formerly SUPPLY & MOVEMENTS)											
MOVEMENTS CONTROLLER		Movs Cont		L	L		L	L	-	L	H
LOGISTICS (MOVER)	(New trade title)	Logs (Mov)		L	L		L	L	-	L	H
SUPPLIER		Supplr		L	L		L	L	-	L	H
LOGISTICS(SUPPLIER)	(New trade title)	Logs (Sup)		L	L		L	L	-	L	H

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TRADE GROUP 19 LOGISTICS (formerly CATERING)											
CHEF		Chef		L	L	-	H	H	-	L	L
LOGISTICS (CHEF)	(New trade title)	Logs (Chef)		L	L	-	H	-	-	-	-
LOGISTICS (CATERING MANAGER(CHEF))	(New trade title)	Logs (Cat Mgr (Chef))		-	-	-	-	H	-	L	L
STEWARD		Std		L	L	-	L	-	-	-	-
MESS MANAGER		Mess Mngr		-	-	-	-	L	-	L	L
LOGISTICS (CATERER)	(New trade title)	Logs (Caterer)		L	L	-	L	-	-	-	-
LOGISTICS (CATERING MANAGER)	(New trade title)	Logs (Cat Mgr)		-	-	-	-	L	-	L	L
TRADE GROUP 21 (MUSIC)											
MUSICIAN		Musn		L	H	-	H	L	L	H	H

NON COMMISSIONED AIRCREW/ WEAPONS SYSTEMS OPERATOR

		NCO AIRCREW CADET			CPL	SGT		FS	MACR	
		AC	LAC CPL	SAC						
AIR ELECTRONICS OPERATOR		AE Op	-	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
AIR LOADMASTER		ALM	-	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
AIR ENGINEER		Air Eng	-	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
AIR SIGNALLER		Air Sig	-	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
WEAPON SYSTEMS OPERATOR (ELECTRONIC WARFARE)		WSOp (EW)	-	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
WEAPON SYSTEMS OPERATOR (ACOUSTIC)		WSOp (Acoustic)	-	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
WEAPON SYSTEMS OPERATOR (CREWMAN)		WSOp (Crewman)	-	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
WEAPON SYSTEMS OPERATOR (LINGUIST)		WSOp (Ling)	-	H	H	H	H	-	H	H
WEAPON SYSTEMS OPERATOR (AIR ENGINEER)		WSOp (AE)	-	H	H	H	H	-	H	H

RESERVE TRADES

PAY RANGING ALLOCATION FOR ALL RAF RESERVE TRADES IS TO THE SAME RANGE AS THAT OF THE EQUIVALENT REGULAR TRADE