Ultra’s new Landing Gear Control Unit is based on the experience of having 6,000 aircraft fitted with our controllers in service around the world.

The Landing Gear Control Unit controls the movement of the landing gear structure and the landing gear doors. It receives crew commands from the cockpit, monitors the position of the landing gear and controls the hydraulic extension and retraction system to move the gear up or down.

Proximity Sensors located on the moving parts of the landing gear and doors send signals to the Controller. The Controller interprets these signals and determines the position of the gear and commands the hydraulic motors and solenoids to create the required movement.

The Controller also provides all the Weight-On-Wheels signals for the rest of the aircraft systems.

Each Controller contains 2 Printed Circuit Board Assemblies which are mechanically separated to create independent and redundant control lanes.

The Controller can be configured to perform additional functions such as Nosewheel Steering and Brake Temperature Monitoring.

**Existing aircraft**

Ultra’s controllers are fitted to the following civil aircraft:

- Airbus A318, A319, A320, A321, A330 and A340
- Gulfstream G650 business Jet
Landing Gear Control Unit

The Controller contains fully automatic Built-In-Test capability. This function monitors the health of its own circuits and also the state of the other landing gear components it is controlling.

The Controller can be configured to perform other functions such as Nosewheel Steering or Brake Temperature Monitoring.

The Controller uses the most modern electronic components to obtain the best function, highest reliability and lowest cost.

Convection cooled – forced air cooling is not required.

Full Design, Supply and Support Service
Ultra offers customers a full design, development, qualification, supply and worldwide support service. This is often in accordance with the customer’s own processes and systems.

Key features
- Power supply: 28VDC
- Power consumption: 20W
- Software: DO-178 Level A
- Hardware: DO-254 Level A

Product Category
ATA32.

Development Lead Time
Design, development, qualification and first delivery within 18 months of contract.

Production Lead Time
Products are normally produced within 6 months from receipt of orders.