

In our endeavor to align Mobilus content more closely with terminology commonly used across the industry, SAE International has reorganized its content according to the definitions below.

## Books

Text-based content about the process, progress, or results of technical or scientific research that follows a specific format, is submitted for peer review, and is often presented at a conference

### Handbook

A nonfiction book that contains advice or instructions about how to do something or that highlights the most important information about a subject

### Narrative

A book that is intended for consecutive reading

### Picture Book

A book intended for children with illustrations on most pages

### Reference

A nonfiction book typically intended for consultation not consecutive reading

### Textbook

A book intended for use in educational courses

## Courses

### Instructor Led

Educational courses overseen by a teacher

### eLearning

Educational courses that are solely online and often self-guided

## Standards

### Characteristic

Standards that define the form, fit, function, and interfaces of avionics, cabin systems, and aircraft networks

### Information Report

A standard detailing consensus-based definitions and guidance for the parameters used to create other standards

## Material Specification

A standard detailing consensus-based, ballot-approved requirements for creation and construction of materials

## Recommended Practice

A standard detailing consensus-based, ballot-approved industry ideal for procedures or configurations

## Specification

Standards that define the physical packaging or mounting of avionics and cabin equipment, communication, networking and data security standards, or a high-level computer language

## Supplement

Content that provides additional information for standards but are not standards themselves

## Technical Standard

A standard detailing consensus-based, ballot-approved industry norms that does not fall under other standards categories

## EDGE Research Report

Text-based content that presents the findings of a research project and is not peer reviewed

## Journal

A scholarly serial publication, typically divided into volumes and issues, containing several articles about the same niche topic

## Journal Article

Scholarly short-form, text-based content published alongside similar content in a serial publication intended for subject experts

## Magazine

A popular or trade serial publication, typically divided into volumes and issues, containing several articles about the same broad topic

## Magazine Issue

A single publication containing several magazine articles released at the same time

## Magazine Article

Short-form content consisting of both text and images published alongside similar content in a serial publication intended for a general or trade audience

## Technical Paper

Text-based content about the process, progress, or results of technical or scientific research that follows a

specific format, is submitted for peer review, and is often presented at a conference

## Other content filters

### Best Practice

A consensus-based report about industry norms that does not go through a ballot and approval process

### Podcast

Serial audio content released digitally

### Proceedings

A serial publication containing selected and converted technical papers from previous conferences and events

### Software

Programs to do a specific task on the computer

### Video

A recording of moving images, often accompanied by audio

### White Paper

Text-based content that gives a concise overview of a specific topic