Class 2 - Substandard vision in one eye

**Notes**

1. The applicant would be considered functionally monocular in any of the following cases:
   1) amblyopia in one eye with a visual acuity worse than 6/18
   2) reduced vision in one eye due to other causes (e.g.: pathology, trauma) with a visual acuity worse than 6/12
   3) significant visual field loss in one eye

   Where functionally monocular, the AME can consider certification if, at the time of the initial examination, the better eye achieves the following:
   
   (i) Distant VA (uncorrected or corrected) of 6/6 or better.
   (ii) No significant ocular pathology and risk of visual incapacitation <1% per annum.

   and the applicant undertakes a satisfactory Medical Flight Test.

   In cases of acute onset, unilateral visual loss, a period of adaptation time (usually 6-12 months) must have passed from the known point of visual loss.

2. SSL-AGL = ‘valid only with approved eye protection’: Protective goggles must be carried and used in any flying with a risk to eyesight including negative/zero G manoeuvres and flight in open cockpits.

3. Subsequent medical certificates shall be issued with an SSL-AGL limitation.
   Any further deterioration in visual acuities requires ophthalmological assessment and repeat MFT.

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