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function [LtoD,maxLtoD,vmaxLtoD] = LtoD_ratio(aircraft,h,v)
% LtoD_RATIO Lift to Drag ratio and maximum L/D with velocity
% Inputs are:
% aircraft :a struct aircraft data in SI
% h         :a numeric array of 1xN aircraft altitude in m
% v         :an optional numeric array of 1xN aircraft velocity in m/s
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% Outputs are:
% LtoD      :a numeric array of 1xN lift to drag ratio
% maxLtoD   :a scalar maximum lift to drag ratio for given
% vmaxLtoD  :a numeric array of 1xN velocity at maximum lift to drag
%           :ratio in m/s
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% When no v is passed to the function LtoD is set to NaN, with the
% presumption that the argument will be ignored in the output call.
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arguments

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aircraft {mustBeA(aircraft,"struct")}
h (1,:) {mustBeNumeric, mustBeReal}
v (1,:) {mustBeNumeric, mustBeReal} = NaN
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end

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W = aircraft.W;
S_w = aircraft.S_w;
Cd_0 = aircraft.Cd_0;
K = aircraft.K;
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[~,~,rho] = stdatm(h); % atmospheric density at altitude (kg/m^3)
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switch nargin

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case 2
    LtoD = NaN;
case 3
    Q = 0.5.*rho*v.^2; % dynamic pressure (N/m^2)
    Cl = W./(Q.*S_w); % lift coefficient
    Cd = Cd_0+K.*Cl.^2; % drag coefficient
    LtoD = Cl./Cd;
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end

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maxLtoD = 1./sqrt(4.*Cd_0.*K);
vmaxLtoD = sqrt((2./rho).*(W./S_w).*sqrt(K./Cd_0));
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end