

No: 9/85

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Aircraft type and registration: DH82A Tiger Moth G-AHMN (light single engined fixed wing aircraft)

Year of Manufacture: 1939

Date and time (GMT): 3 August 1985 at 1225 hrs

Location: Anvilles Airstrip approx 1 mile south of Hungerford, Berks

Type of flight:

Persons on board: Crew — 2 Passengers — None

Injuries: Crew — None Passengers — N/A

Nature of damage: Extensive damage to main planes, tail fin, and propeller

Commander's Licence: Private Pilot's Licence

Commander's Age: 38 years

Commander's total flying experience: 377 hours (of which 9 were on type)

Information Source: Aircraft Accident Report Form submitted by pilot.

The aircraft was landing at a grass strip into a 15 kt headwind. Shortly before touchdown the rate of sink was such that the aircraft struck the boundary hedge of the strip and nosed over onto its back. There was no fire.