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Aircraft Type and Registration: Societe Menavia Piel CP301A Emeraude, G-BBKL

No & Type of Engines: 1 Continental C90-14F piston engine

Year of Manufacture: 1958

Date & Time (UTC): 14 July 1991 at 1045 hrs

Location: Darlington (Ketton) airfield, County Durham

Type of Flight: Private

Persons on Board: Crew - 1 Passengers - 1

Injuries: Crew - None Passengers - None

Nature of Damage: Damage to left wing, landing gear, engine cowlings and propeller

Commander's Licence: Private Pilot's Licence

Commander's Age: 50 years

Commander's Flying Experience: 251 hours (of which 127 were on type)

Information Source: Aircraft Accident Report Form submitted by the pilot

The aircraft was taking off from a grass airstrip with a 10 knot crosswind from the right. During the take-off run the right wing lifted and the aircraft drifted off the strip into standing corn.