

**AAIB Bulletin No: 8/94**

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**Aircraft Type and Registration:** Jodel D112, G-BIEO

**No & Type of Engines:** 1 Continental A65-8F piston engine

**Year of Manufacture:** 1965

**Date & Time (UTC):** 27 May 1994 at 1620 hrs

**Location:** Clip Gate Farm, Kent

**Type of Flight:** Private

**Persons on Board:** Crew - 1                      Passengers - None

**Injuries:** Crew - None                      Passengers - N/A

**Nature of Damage:** Wing, landing gear, engine and propeller

**Commander's Licence:** Private Pilot's Licence with IMC Rating

**Commander's Age:** 37 years

**Commander's Flying Experience:** 170 hours (of which 30 were on type)  
Last 90 days - 5 hours  
Last 28 days - 2 hours

**Information Source:** Aircraft Accident Report Form submitted by the pilot

In fine weather and light northerly wind conditions the pilot landed his aircraft approximately halfway down the 460 metre long grass strip which, in the northerly landing direction, has a slight downhill slope. During heavy braking the aircraft began to swing to the left. The swing developed into a ground loop and the aircraft came to rest in a field of barley adjoining the strip.