

Pilot dies after light plane crash near Yarram airport in Victoria's south-east



A man has died after a light plane crash near Yarram airport, in Victoria's south-east.

Emergency services, including five Country Fire Authority trucks, were called to Parkside Aerodrome Road just before 4:00pm after the single-engine, two-seater plane went down.

The plane had left Tooradin airfield about 150 kilometres away.

An air ambulance was dispatched to the crash site, but the man died before it arrived.

Police said the man in his 60s was the sole occupant of the plane.

The Australian Transport Safety Bureau said it would send three investigators to the site on Thursday.

They will examine the wreckage and interview any witnesses to determine the cause of the crash.

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