



Aviation Investigation Preliminary Report

Location:	Maricopa, AZ	Accident Number:	WPR24LA086
Date & Time:	February 11, 2024, 10:30 Local	Registration:	N691B
Aircraft:	Beech A35	Injuries:	1 None
Flight Conducted Under:	Part 91: General aviation - Personal		

On February 11, 2024, at 1030 mountain standard time, a Beech A35, N619B, was substantially damaged when it was involved in an accident near Maricopa, Arizona. The pilot and two passengers were not injured. The airplane was operated as a Title 14 *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 91 personal flight.

The pilot reported that she had just performed a takeoff and planned to remain in the traffic pattern to conduct a landing. The pilot stated she put the landing gear switch in the down position when the airplane was midfield and lowered the flaps on the base turn. The pilot stated she did not look at the gear position indicator prior to landing. The airplane subsequently landed gear up.

The airplane was retained for examination.

Aircraft and Owner/Operator Information

Aircraft Make:	Beech	Registration:	N691B
Model/Series:	A35	Aircraft Category:	Airplane
Amateur Built:			
Operator:	On file	Operating Certificate(s) Held:	None
Operator Designator Code:			

Meteorological Information and Flight Plan

Conditions at Accident Site:	VMC	Condition of Light:	Day
Observation Facility, Elevation:	KCGZ,1462 ft msl	Observation Time:	10:56 Local
Distance from Accident Site:	8 Nautical Miles	Temperature/Dew Point:	8°C /4°C
Lowest Cloud Condition:	Clear	Wind Speed/Gusts, Direction:	/ ,
Lowest Ceiling:	None	Visibility:	10 miles
Altimeter Setting:	30.21 inches Hg	Type of Flight Plan Filed:	None
Departure Point:	Chandler, AZ (KCHD)	Destination:	Maricopa, AZ

Wreckage and Impact Information

Crew Injuries:	1 None	Aircraft Damage:	Substantial
Passenger Injuries:	N/A	Aircraft Fire:	None
Ground Injuries:		Aircraft Explosion:	None
Total Injuries:	1 None	Latitude, Longitude:	32.991834,-111.91748 (est)

Administrative Information

Investigator In Charge (IIC):	Baker, Daniel
Additional Participating Persons:	Scott Farron; FAA; Scottsdale, AZ
Investigation Class:	Class 3
Note:	The NTSB did not travel to the scene of this accident.