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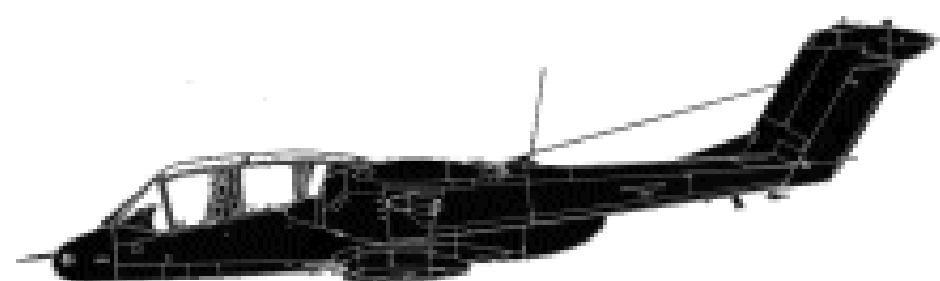
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Date: Wednesday 9 February 1972
Time:



Type: [North American Rockwell OV-10A Bronco](#)
Owner/operator: VAL-4, US Navy
Registration: 155461
MSN: 305-72
Fatalities: Fatalities: 1 / Occupants: 2
Other fatalities: 0
Aircraft damage: Destroyed
Location: into Sea off Binh Thuy, South Vietnam -  [Vietnam](#)
Phase: Combat
Nature: Military
Departure airport: Binh Thuy, South Vietnam
Destination airport:

Narrative:
Flew into the sea off the coast of South Vietnam, crashed at sea while spotting on a naval gunfire support mission, possibly due to pilot error, and was destroyed. Pilot - Lt Robert Edward Lutz- was KIA: co-pilot - 1st Lt Eugene Brindle - ejected and survived the crash

Sources:
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