

GLIDING HERITAGE CENTRE

Aircraft Summary Sheet



TYPE	1910 Clarke "Chanute" bi-plane glider
Manufacturer	T.W.K.Clarke &Co, Kingston-on-Thames
Year of manufacture	1910
Registration marks	BAPC -100
Airworthy	No, static exhibit only
History	Presented to the Royal Aero Club in 1911. Has always been in museums else stored. Jan 1913 – Jan 1981 Science Museum, Sth Kensington. Late 1983 to the RAF Museum, Hendon
Notable flights	None! Doubtful that it ever flew. If it did it would have been very early in its life
Restoration history	Restoration and repair work recorded several times in its history. 1944 (likely), 1982-83. Last recovered Feb 2001 at RAF Wyton
Other	Very kindly loaned to the GHC by the Royal Aero Club Trust. 18 th Jan 2018 retrieved from RAF Hendon and bought to Lasham by Gary Pullen and Colin Simpson

The Clarke glider at the GHC



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