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25. February 2009 Turkish Airlines Boeing 737-800 TC-JGE Amsterdam-Schiphol Intl Airport area, Netherlands

preliminary data as of 28-02-2009

DATE:	25.02.2009	Local Time:	10:27				
LOCATION:	north of Amsterdam-Schiphol Intl Airport	4-Letter Code:	EHAM	Country:	Netherlands	Region:	Europe
OPERATOR:	Turkish Airlines (TK, THY) [www.thy.com]			Operational Base:	Istanbul-Ataturk Intl Airport, Turkey		
TYPE:	Boeing 737-8F2	Registration:	TC-JGE	Constr.No.:	29789	Age:	7 y + 1 m
OPERATION:	ISP	Flight No.:	TK 1951	From:	Istanbul	To:	Amsterdam
OCCUPANTS:	127 pax + 7 crew	Fatalities:	6 pax	3 crew	0 other	Damage To Aircraft:	
Details:		Injuries:	100+ pax/crew	0 other	destroyed		

The 737 was on approach to runway 18R (Polderbaan) when it lost height and crashed about 1.200 meters short of the runway threshold and broke into three major parts. The aircraft came to rest on open field beside the runway near the A9 highway. There were no traces of fire or an post-impact explosion. Nine people have suffered fatal injuries including the flightcrew. At least 25 others were seriously injured. Visibility at the time of the accident was reduced to about 4.500 meters and light drizzle was falling but was okay for a landing. Early investigation revealed both engines may have stopped before the aircraft went down.

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STATISTICAL INFORMATION

22nd hull loss for Turkish AL

165th hull loss of a Boeing 737

29nd hull loss at or near Amsterdam-Schiphol

TYPE STATISTICS: Boeing 737

Total aircraft built:	5922 (all models)
No. of hull losses:	165
No. of fatalities:	4570 (incl. actual case)
Fatalities per loss:	27,7
Fatalities per aircraft:	0,77
Last hull loss:	20.12.2008 (0 fatalities)
Worst hull loss:	29.09.2006 (154 fatalities)

Operator Statistics: Turkish Airlines

Founded (begin of ops):	1933
No. of hull losses:	22
No. of fatalities:	885
Last hull loss:	08.01.2003 (75 fatalities)
Worst hull loss:	03.03.1974 (346 fatalities)
No of aircraft:	129 (now 128)
Average fleet age:	6,1 years

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ACCIDENT AIRCRAFT HISTORY

Boeing 737-8F2W, TC-JGE, c/n 29789, s/n 1065

first flight:	Boeing	24.01.2002	-
delivered to:	Turkish Airlines	27.03.2002	TC-JGE

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