

Web update re UAV Ops

UAV Operations to the East of YKCY

A UAV Operator NINOX Robotics operates UAV Drones at the Wundaburra Farm about 6 Km east of YKCY at random times

Operation permissions at the Wundaburra Farm site allow for;

1. Operations within a 5 Km radius however they normally limit their operations to a 3 Km radius;
2. Upper altitude limit of 3000'AGL however they normally limit their ops to 1200' AGL in this case they publish a NOTAM altitude limit of 1500'.
3. Day VFR ops only and visual line of sight operations.
4. NOTAMs are raised for every individual days operation, normally the NOTAMS are raised 24 hours before hand.
5. VHF radio calls on 126.7 and area frequency are made at;
 - a. launch minus 10 minutes; and
 - b. minus 1 minute; then
 - c. at least every 30 minutes (normally every 15 minutes); and
 - d. on recovery.

Location Map



The UAV Operators are doing their bit raising the NOTAMs, it's your responsibility as PIC to read and apply sound airmanship in managing the hazards presented.

Aircraft without radios avoid the area when operational as the UAV operator will not hear you and apply their normal de-conflict procedures with manned aircraft

Any time you go flying anywhere during your normal pre-flight preparations check the airspace NOTAMS for UAV activity they could appear at/near a field near you...