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Own a TBM? Here Are 45 Must-Have Items to Elevate Your Flying Experience!

Owning a TBM is an incredible experience—but are you fully equipped to make every flight smoother, safer, and more enjoyable? These 45 essential items will save you time, reduce hassle, and enhance comfort in ways you didn't even realize you needed! From safety gear to convenience upgrades, this list is your go-to TBM owner's toolkit.

Top 45 Must-Have Items for Your TBM

- Multi-charging cables (Lightning, microSD, USB-C) + USB adapter for older models
- 6-ft USB extension cable for flexible charging
- 120V 1-to-3 outlet splitter (great for laptops or the Laveo Dry Flush toilet)
- Can opener (yes, you'll need one for oil cans!)
- Funnel cap & disposable funnels for clean, hassle-free refuelling
- Portable pulse oximeter (monitor oxygen levels at altitude)
- Revere Aero Elite 6-person raft—because safety over water is non-negotiable
- Case of Shell Aeroshell oil (stock up before you need it!)
- Tire pressure monitoring system—real-time data for tires
- Rechargeable lithium AA batteries for your Bose A20 headset

...and 35 more game-changing items, including:

- A no-smell, easy-to-use toilet solution
- Lead mesh weights to adjust CG for heavy rear loads
- Mini USB-C vacuum to keep the cabin spotless
- Jet Shades for glare reduction and sunburn prevention
- Dashcam for cockpit recordings (because documentation is everything!)
- Portable nitrogen tank & regulator
- · A lightweight fireproof bag and gloves for added emergency preparedness



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Power & Charging Essentials

- Multi-charging cables (Lightning, microSD, USB-C) + USB adapter for old
- 6-ft USB extension cable
- 120V 1-to-3 outlet splitter (great for laptops or the Laveo Dry Flush toilet)







Maintenance & Upkeep

- Can opener (for oil cans)
- Funnel cap & disposable funnels for clean refueling
- Case of Shell Aeroshell oil (stock up before you need it!)
- Aircraft fuel tester AFT-1 (minimizes spills)
- Tire pressure monitoring system (real-time data for rear tires)
- Digital tire pressure gauge
- Nitrogen tank (40ft) + regulator for tire refills

Safety & Emergency Gear

- Portable pulse oximeter (monitor oxygen levels at altitude)
- Revere Aero Elite 6-person raft (essential for overwater flights)
- Jet Shades (blocks glare & prevents cockpit sunburn)
- Fireproof gloves & fireproof bag/box
- Small first aid kit
- Dashcam or cockpit camera (for documentation & flight safety)
- · Joined static port plugs set with cord

Cabin Comfort & Convenience

- Laveo Dry Flush toilet
- Toilet paper (for the above)
- Travel John (if you prefer a portable option)
- · Small water bottles & snacks for passengers
- Pasteurized small bottles of coffee (for long flights)
- Box of tissues

Weight & Balance Solutions

• Scuba divers' 6lb lead mesh weights (adjusts CG for heavy rear loads)











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Storage & Organization

Metal storage cabinet
(72" x 36" x 18" for carpets, covers, cargo nets, etc.)

Cleaning & Cabin Care

- Eufy Clean HomeVac H20 (portable USB-C mini vacuum)
- Wipes/soft cloths for removing soot from engine exhaust
- Microfiber cloths (use as door mats, for cleaning, and spill mop-ups)
- Plastic box with Prist plexiglass cleaner & microfiber cloths (for windshield care)
- · Box of nitrile gloves



Backup & Utility Items

- Extra key copies (just in case you lose them!)
- Tow bar (for small airports that lack the proper equipment)
- Handheld radio (for ATIS & clearance pre-start)
- Spare AAA & AA batteries (for headsets, flashlights, etc.)
- Hixon rechargeable lithium AA batteries (great for Bose A20 headsets)
- Extra tow pins (avoid getting stranded without one)
- Link for tow pins (\$10)



Miscellaneous Must-Haves

- Placard for Brakes On/Off
- Flashlight/electric lighter combo
- Heavy-duty 100-ft extension cable
- White Lightning GPU (for long database updates)
- 1/8-inch thick tape for passenger door (prevents CAS door error)
- iPad mount (various options available online)
- Etekcity portable digital luggage scale (weighs passenger luggage)
- Ziploc bags (gallon-size—tons of uses!)





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