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Hangar Talk: Interactive Discussions



There's Money For Aircraft Deals, You Just Have To Know How To Ask For It.

By [David Wyndham](#)

[Conklin & De Decker](#)

This article was written with the aid of Joseph Dini of Air Credit Alliance. ABBA was a Swedish pop music group who had quite a number of hits in the 1970s. At one point, they had album sales outside of the US exceeding that of the Beatles. One of their songs had a chorus of "Money, Money, Money, it's a rich man's world" If you are looking to finance an aircraft, it may seem to you that the only ones getting financing don't need it; that there is no money for aircraft deals. That statement is only partially true. There is money out there, but not for crazy aircraft deals. Crazy aircraft deals are as follows...

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FAA Suspends Its Expunction Policy

By [Greg Reigel](#)

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On February 11, 2011, the FAA published a Policy Statement in which it informs airman that the FAA is suspending its policy of expunging certain records of legal enforcement actions against individuals. Up until recently, the FAA would expunge an airman's personal information from the FAA's enforcement database 5 years after the FAA's action in civil penalty and certain certificate action cases (suspension cases, but not revocation cases). However, the FAA is now suspending that policy in order to ensure compliance with recent amendments to 49 U.S.C. 44703(h), the Pilot Records Improvement Act ("PRIA")....

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AD: Learjet Inc. Model 45
Airplanes

AD ID: 2011-04-08
Effective Date: 03/31/2011

SUMMARY: This AD results from reports of wire damage on the pilot and copilot circuit breaker panels caused by a short circuit between chafed wiring and the circuit breaker panel forward mounting bracket. We are issuing this AD to detect



Trickle-Down is where the action is in Aircraft Sales

By [Jeremy R.C. Cox](#)

[JetBrokers, Inc.](#)

Today it is very easy to comfortably wear the rut of community despair that fits so snugly across yours and everyone else's shoulders, while walking from meeting to meeting with a look of long and painful sorrow and a low-hanging head while muttering phrases like: "I can't believe these values"; "my aircraft is barely above its salvage number." "Nothing is selling"; "woe is me", etc...

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Air Travel: A Target For Social Innovation

By [Allen Howell](#)

[CEO, Corporate Flight Management, Inc.](#)

An industry in crisis is an industry ripe for transformation. America's air travel system is in crisis. In response to rising fuel prices, air-space congestion and industry losses during the recession, airlines have cut capacity and raised rates. These challenges follow on the heels of delays and hassles that have cost the nation almost \$33 billion in the past year alone, according to a recent study commissioned by the FAA / DOT...



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This Month's Poll Question

Do you believe the passing of the FAA Reauthorization bill will help promote growth in the general aviation industry?

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Last Month's Poll Results

Question: Since the economy seems to be rebounding and prices of aircraft are still low. Are you considering the purchase of an aircraft?



Answers:

1. Yes, seems to be an opportune time (1-3 months). - **20%**
2. Yes, we are considering (4-8 months). - **38%**
3. Undecided, market looks good but fuel prices are an issue. - **22%**
4. No, all the stars (factors) are not lined up just right for me. - **20%**

Thanks For Your Opinion!

Fuel Prices Provided By GlobalAir.com's Airport Resource Center

Lowest Fuel Prices Reported Nationwide

JETA Full Service - \$3.39
Coos Aviation
Southwest Oregon Rgnl Airport

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and correct damaged or misrouted wires, which could result in a short circuit and the loss of systems associated with the wiring (including fire suppression function for one engine and essential avionics systems)...

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AD : PIAGGIO AERO INDUSTRIES S.p.A Model PIAGGIO P-180 Airplanes

AD ID: 2011-05-01
Effective Date: 03/31/2011

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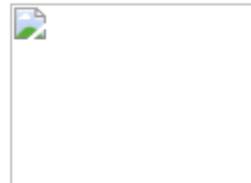
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Average U.S. Fuel Prices Index

Average U.S. Fuel Prices

Average Price for 100LL: \$5.25

Average Price for JetA: \$5.17

Average U.S. Fuel Prices by Region

US Region	JetA	100LL
New England Region	\$5.14	\$5.28
Eastern Region	\$5.39	\$5.36
Southern Region	\$5.18	\$5.24
Great Lakes Region	\$5.01	\$5.12
Central Region	\$4.75	\$5.02
Southwestern Region	\$5.17	\$5.14
Northwest Mountain Region	\$5.02	\$5.32
Western Pacific Region	\$5.29	\$5.52
Alaska Region	\$5.67	\$6.21

*Averages are for full service fuel.

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