

OPERATION & SERVICE MANUAL



Model: 01-0606-0000 Multi-Head Embraer Phenom 300

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Tronair towbars/heads must only be used with matching Tronair heads/towbars, and Tronair shear pins.

This product can not be modified without the written approval of Tronair, Inc. Any modifications done without written approval voids all warranties and releases Tronair, Inc., it suppliers, distributors, employees, or financial institutions from any liability from consequences that may occur. Only Tronair OEM replacement parts shall be used.

1.0 DESCRIPTION

The Tronair Model 01-0606-0000 Multi-Head is a towbar head attachment for the Embraer Phenom 300 Aircraft.

The towbar head attachment is designed for use with Tronair Multi-Head Towbar Models 01-1201-0010, 01-1202-0000, 01-1215-0000, 01-1216-0000 and 01-1290-0100 for towing the previously stated aircraft. The towbar head attachments uses machined tow hooks to interface with the aircraft tow point.

1.1 SPECIFICATIONS

- Aircraft Application(s): Embraer Phenom 300 Aircraft
- Aircraft Gross Weight (Maximum): 17,526 lbs (7.9 metric tons)
- Dimensions: Width 8.2 in (20.8 cm)

Length 27.625 in (70 cm) overall

Height 4 in (10.2 cm)

- Weight: 14.33 lbs (6.5 kg)
- Finish: Blue Powder Coat

2.0 SAFETY INFORMATION

2.1 GENERAL

The Tronair Model 01-0606-0000 towbar head attachment is used for towing Embraer Phenom 300 Aircraft only.

To ensure safe operation, please read the following statements and understand their meaning. This manual contains safety precautions which are explained as follows. Please read carefully.



WARNING! Warning is used to indicate the presence of a hazard that can cause severe PERSONAL INJURY, DEATH, and/or SUBSTANTIAL PROPERTY DAMAGE if the warning notice is ignored.

CAUTION! Caution is used to indicate the presence of a hazard which will or can cause MINOR PERSONAL INJURY or PROPERTY DAMAGE if the caution notice is ignored.



WARNING!

A damaged or bent towbar should not be used. Towbar should be repaired or replaced.

WARNING!

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Tronair recommends the use of a towbar with a category 1 or category 2 tug and aircraft not exceeding 75,000 lbs gross weight. Using the towbar with aircraft weighing in excess of this specific limitation may result in excessive loads and stresses being applied to the towbar and/or the aircraft. These excessive loads may cause failure of the towbar which could cause damage (INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION to the aircraft) and/or personal injury OR DEATH. *TRONAIR MAKES NO REPRESENTATION, WARRANTY OR GUARANTEE AS TO SUCH MISUSE AND DISCLAIMS ANY AND ALL LIABILITY FOR INJURY, LOSS OR DAMAGE ARISING FROM OR RELATING TO SUCH MISUSE.*



3.0 OPERATION

3.1 TOWBAR CHECKLIST

- Inspect for weld cracks. If found remove the towbar multi-head from service and contact Tronair for repair.
- Inspect weldment members for bending. If found remove the towbar multi-head from service and contact Tronair for repair.
- Inspect the shear plates for bending. If found remove the towbar multi-head from service and contact Tronair for repair.
- Inspect the axle adaptors for bending and excessive wear. If found remove the towbar multi-head from service and contact Tronair for replacement.
- Check the axle adaptor mounting bolts. Ensure they are tight and not missing. Tighten or replace as required.
- Check the axle locking mechanism. Ensure that it springs back to positively hold the axle adaptors on the aircraft towing hook-up. If it does not, contact Tronair for repair or replacement.
- Check the shoulder bolt connections through the shear plates. Verify they are not clamping the shear plates together. There should not be any clamping force applied to the shear plates so the assembly functions properly. If required, back the stopnut off to remove any clamping force applied.
- Inspect the shear pin. If the shear pin is bent, broken, or missing contact Tronair for replacement. Tronair recommends purchasing spare shear pins for rapid replacement, use only Tronair specified shear pins.
- Inspect the shear pin bushings. If the shear pin bushings are cracked or chipped, contact Tronair for replacement, use only Tronair specified shear pin bushings.
- Inspect all steel components for signs of rust. Touch up with paint as required.

3.2 USAGE PROCEDURE

Secure the towbar head attachment using the ball lok-T pin (supplied with the multi-head towbar) onto one of the following Tronair Multi-Head Towbar Models:

01-1201-0010 01-1202-0000 01-1290-0100 01-1215-0000

4.0 TRAINING

4.1 TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

The employer of the operator is responsible for providing a training program sufficient for the safe operation of the towbar.

4.2 TRAINING PROGRAM

The employer-provided operator training program should cover safety procedures concerning use of the towbar in and around the aircraft at the servicing location.

4.3 OPERATOR TRAINING

The operator training should provide the required training for safe operation of towbar.

NOTE: Maintenance and Trouble Shooting are to be performed by the skilled and trained technician.

5.0 PROVISION OF SPARES

5.1 SPARE PARTS CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE MANUFACTURER

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5.2 PARTS LIST

Reference Parts List and Illustration on following page.



6.0 GUARANTEES/LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

Tronair products are warranted to be free of manufacturing or material defects for a period of one year after shipment to the original customer. This is solely limited to the repair or replacement of defective components. This warranty does not cover the following items:

- a) Parts required for normal maintenance
- b) Parts covered by a component manufacturers warranty
- c) Replacement parts have a 90-day warranty from date of shipment

If you have a problem that may require service, contact Tronair immediately. Do not attempt to repair or disassemble a product without first contacting Tronair, any action may affect warranty coverage. When you contact Tronair be prepared to provide the following information:

- a) Product Model Number
- b) Product Serial Number
- c) Description of the problem

If warranty coverage is approved, either replacement parts will be sent or the product will have to be returned to Tronair for repairs. If the product is to be returned, a Return Material Authorization (RMA) number will be issued for reference purposes on any shipping documents. Failure to obtain a RMA in advance of returning an item will result in a service fee. A decision on the extent of warranty coverage on returned products is reserved pending inspection at Tronair. Any shipments to Tronair must be shipped freight prepaid. Freight costs on shipments to customers will be paid by Tronair on any warranty claims only. Any unauthorized modification of the Tronair products or use of the Tronair products in violation of cautions and warnings in any manual (including updates) or safety bulletins published or delivered by Tronair will immediately void any warranty, express or implied.

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7.0 APPENDICES

APPENDIX I INS-1582 Towbar Usage Instructions APPENDIX II Declaration of Conformity



Parts List When ordering replacement parts/kits, please specify model, serial number and color of your unit.



Item	Part Number	Description	Qty
1	Z-6964-01	Assembly, Shear Plate	1
2	Z-6965-01	Assembly, Head	1
3	J-4345	Adapter, Axle	1
4	J-4346	Adapter, Axle	1
5	Z-6966	Weldment, Axle Locking	1
6	G-1300-25340	Roll Pin, ¼ x 3 ½" LG	1
7	H-1205	Cover, Red Handle	1
8	G-1300-16040	Roll Pin, 5/32 x 5/8" LG	1
9	G-1250-1070N	Flatwasher, 3/8 Narrow	5
10	G-1151-107220	Screw, ½ SHS	1
13	G-1100-107516	Bolt, 3/8 – 24 HH, GR 5	3
14	Z-7152	Arm, Attachment	1
15	J-4482	Block, Machined	1
16	G-1300-16050	Roll Pin, 5/32 x ½ " LG	1
17	G-1100-107510	Bolt, 3/8 – 24 HH, GR 5	2
18	G-1202-1070	Stopnut 3/8 - 16 Elastic	1
19	H-1026*07.0	Assembly, Lanyard	1
20	H-3164	Shear Pin	3
21	H-3091	Plunger, Ball	1
22	H-3166	Assembly, Lanyard	1
24	J-4348-01	Plate, Mounting	2



APPENDIX I

INS-1582 Towbar Usage Instructions



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Towbar Usage Instructions

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TEXT AFFECTED pg 1 Warning added



Your Tronair towbar is engineered and built to the highest standards of quality and workmanship. Under normal usage and with minimal maintenance this towbar will provide exceptional service.



WARNING! A damaged or bent towbar should not be used, but should be repaired or replaced.

USING A DAMAGED OR BENT TOWBAR CAN RESULT IN AIRCRAFT OR EQUIPMENT DAMAGE AND POSSIBLE PERSONAL INJURY.



WARNING! Towbars With Hydraulic Lifting Mechanism:

The hydraulic lift mechanism (on those towbars so equipped) should only be used to raise the towbar to facilitate connection to the aircraft or tug.

Release any hydraulic pressure when towing aircraft or moving towbar.



WARNING! Towbars Should be Used with Category 1 Tugs:

Tronair recommends the use of a towbar with a category 1 or category 2 tug and aircraft not exceeding 75,000 lbs gross weight. Using the towbar with aircraft weighing in excess of this specific limitation may result in excessive loads and stresses being applied to the towbar and/or the aircraft. These excessive loads may cause failure of the towbar which could cause damage (INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION to the aircraft) and/or personal injury OR DEATH. *TRONAIR MAKES NO REPRESENTATION, WARRANTY OR GUARANTEE AS TO SUCH MISUSE AND DISCLAIMS ANY AND ALL LIABILITY FOR INJURY, LOSS OR DAMAGE ARISING FROM OR RELATING TO SUCH MISUSE.*





NOTE: Typical towbar. Your towbar and/or head may not have all of the features shown



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BEFORE USING TOWBAR, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING CHECKLISTS:

Reference Figures 1 & 2 on Page 2.

TOWBAR: Area of Towbar: Shock Assembly:	Ch 1. 2. 3.	eck: Weld between eye and tube (Are there cracks?) Bolts attaching shock to towbar (Loose, missing, stripped, etc.) Eyebolt (Is it bent, worn down, or deformed?
Towbar Weldment:	1. 2. 3.	Tube (Is it bent, dented, bowed, and/or have cracks?) Weld at head end (Are there any cracks in the welds?) Head hole (Is it elongated? Is the ball lok pin attached to the towbar?)
Caster/Skid Plate:	1. 2. 3.	Casters (Are they missing or bent?) Handles (Are they broken, bent, or missing?) Bolts (Are they missing or loose?)
Wheel Assembly:	1. 2.	Wheels (Are they flat? Is the rim bent?) Axle (Is it bent?)
HEAD:		
Area of Head:	Ch	eck:
Bolts & Lanyards:	1.	Are they loose, missing, or stripped? Are they attached to the head?
Weldment:	1. 2.	Welds holding side rails to head rail (Are there any cracks?) Shear Plates (Are there cracks in welds? Are the plates bent?)
Shear Pin Mechanism:	1. 2. 3.	Shear Pin (Is it bent or deformed? Are there spares?) Bushings (Are they cracked, chipped, secure?) Pivot Bolt (Are the nuts tight? Are there washers present?)
Area of Head : Aircraft Attach Point:	Ch 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	eck: Sliding Pin(s) (Are they bent, cracked? Do they slide freely?) Locking Pin (Are they loose? Do they hold the sliding pins securely?) Wear sleeves (Are the welds cracked?) Roll Pins(s) (Are they rusted? Are they missing? Are they loose?) Ball Lok Pin (Is it attached to head? Is it rusted? Is it bent?) Axle Adapter (Is it bent? Is the slot deformed? Are bolts tight?)
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Area of Towbar:	-	WDARS: eck:
Towbar:	1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	Spring (Has it taken a set? Loose in the assembly?)
Function:	1.	Does it snap back?
Head:	1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	Pivot Bolt (Is it present along with washers? Is the nut tight? Is it rusted?) Roll Pin(s) (Are they rusted? Are they missing? Are they loose?) Weldment (Is it deformed, bent, or rusted beyond reasonable use?) Lanyard (Is it attached to weldment?) Sliding Pin(s) (Are they bent, cracked or rusted? Does it slide?)



USAGE PROCEDURE

Aircraft Attachment:

It is recommended that your towbar be attached to the aircraft first, and then connected to the tug to avoid possible aircraft damage.

Ensure sliding pins are locked in place before towing aircraft.

Tug Attachment:

Damage to the towbar or aircraft can result from an excessive towbar angle during towing operations (See *Figure 3*). If aircraft with both high and low tow points are encountered, consider using two pintle hooks, as shown in *Figures 4 & 5*, so that the towbar is as level as possible during towing. Also pintle hook height should prevent contact of towbar wheels with the ground, during towing. (See *Figure 5*).



Type Of Coupler:

Damage to the towbar or aircraft can result while towing with the following type of couplers:

- Lift Head
 - Standard Duty Latch

- Vertical Side Swing Latch
- Swivel Hook

These types of couplers are known to cause binding and failure in the eyebolt. Indicators of eyebolt binding are wear on the outside diameter of the eye and indentations on the inside diameter. The failure will begin at the head of the eye. See *Figure 6*.



USAGE PROCEDURE (continued)

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Evebolt and Pintle Pin Size:

with an incorrect size eyebolt or pintle pin. A correct size eyebolt will make contact with the pintle pin. A gap between the eyebolt outside diameter and the coupler face plate should be easily seen. An eyebolt which is too large will cause the eyebolt to make contact with the face plate of the coupler. When the eyebolt is too large for the coupler, a gap between the inside diameter of the eyebolt and the coupler face plate will be seen. See Figure 8.

To ensure proper towing and pushing, check to make sure that the pintle pin diameter is not too large for the eyebolt's inside diameter. Approximately a one-half inch (1/2") gap between the pin diameter and the evebolt should be seen. If any of these conditions are not met, please contact Tronair for information to obtain a new coupler.

Towing Angle:

Damage to the towbar or aircraft can result from pushing an aircraft while maintaining too sharp of an angle between the tug and the towbar. Contact between the towbar weldment and tug must be avoided. It is recommended that the angle between the tug and towbar not exceed 90°. See Figure 9.





APPENDIX II

Declaration of Conformity



DECLARATION of CONFORMITY

The design, development and manufacture is in accordance with European Community guidelines

Multi-Head 01-0606-0000

Relevant provisions complied with by the machinery: 2006/42/EC

Relevant standards complied with by the machinery: EN ISO 12100-1

Identification of person empowered to sign on behalf of the Manufacturer:

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Quality Assurance Representative

TRONAR® Maintenance Schedule **Standard Clamp Style Attachment Heads** Models: SHEAR PIN 01-0400-0000, 01-0505-0000, 01-0515-0000, 01-0517-0000, 01-0520-0000, SHEAR PIN BUSHING 01-0520-0010, 01-0535-0000, 01-0544-0000, 01-0549-0000, 01-0550-0000, 01-0555-0000, 01-0558-0000, 01-0560-0000, 01-0560-0010, 01-0565-0000, 01-0578-0000, 01-0578-0010, 01-0589-0000, 01-0589-0010, 01-0590-0000, 01-0601-0000, 01-0602-0000, 01-0604-0000, 01-0606-0000, 01-0610-0000, 01-0611-0000, 01-0612-0000 WELDMENT WELDMENT TOWING HOOK SHEAR PLATE TOWING HOOK MOUNTING BOLT AXLE LOCKING MECHANISM AXLE LOCKING TOWING HOOK MECHANISM MOUNTING BOLT TOWING HOOK

Tronair recommends towbar inspections at least once a week.

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- Inspect the weldment members for bending. If found remove the towbar multi-head from service and contact Tronair for repair.
- G For towbar multi-heads with shear, inspect the shear plates for bending. If found remove the towbar multi-head from service and contact Tronair for repair.
- Inspect the towing hooks for bending, and excessive wear. If found remove the towbar multi-head from service and contact Tronair or your Tronair distributor for replacement.
- Check the towing hook mounting bolts. Ensure they are tight and not missing. Tighten or replace as required.
- Inspect the axle locking mechanism. Ensure that it springs back to positively hold the towing hooks on the aircraft towing hookup. If it does not, contact Tronair or your Tronair distributor for replacement/repair.
- For towbar multi-heads with shear, check the shoulder bolt connections through the shear plates. Verify they are not clamping the shear plates together. There should not be any clamping force applied to the shear plates so the assembly functions properly. If required, back the stopnut off to remove any clamping force applied.
- For towbar multi-heads with shear, inspect the shear pin. If the shear pin is bent, broken, or missing contact Tronair or your Tronair distributor for replacement. Tronair recommends purchasing spare shear pins for rapid replacement, use only Tronair specified shear pins.
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- Inspect all steel components for signs of rust. Touch up with paint as required.

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