

**Aircraft Review July 2017 Issue**  
**Editor's Choice Awards: Diamond Wins for Guts**  
**The following products earn Gear of the Year awards.**

**Best Battery Charger:**  
**Batteryminder CEC1-AA**



In our view, a battery tender is the best investment you can make to prolong the life of a battery. The \$240 BatteryMinder from VDC Electronics was specifically calibrated for aircraft batteries and there are models appropriate for Gill, Concorde and Hawker-Odyssey batteries.

What we like about the latest-generation BatteryMinder is that it has been tweaked for simple, one-touch operation and it uses basic icons on the case to show the current charge status of the battery. Contact [www.batteryminders.com](http://www.batteryminders.com) for more.

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Please note that the photo in the article shown above is not a current CEC1-AA model but the discontinued 12248-AA version. All copy is accurate. - VDC Electronics, Inc.