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The bike weighs about 29 pounds. It folds up suitcase-small -- to about 36 x 38 x 12 inches -- and it was initially developed in 1997 for the military with seed money from a U.S. Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) grant.

It's called the Paratrooper, and the bike, as its name says, was made originally for parachuting soldiers. The procedure was: Jump out of the airplane with a bike attached on your back; deploy the chute; land, unfold your bike, and ride quickly off into the field.

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By: The Editors Sep 23, 2010

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