

Bombard 500 Explorer



18.750 VAT included

RIB and inflatable boat

Price

€ 18.750 (VAT included)

Dimensions

5.01 m x 2.08 m x 0.6 m

Material

grp (polyester)

Motor

Mercury 50 hp four-stroke, ± 340 hours.

Berth

Year

2018

Excellently maintained & equipped with numerous extras. Comes with a trailer, recently fitted with LED lighting, 3 new wheels, and a new winch strap.



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The Bombard Explorer 500 is a compact yet extremely robust RIB from the French brand Bombard, part of the Zodiac Group. A semi-professional all-rounder widely used by divers, water sports enthusiasts, and fishermen, but also in professional applications such as rescue services.

The Explorer series distinguishes itself through its reputation for durability and longevity. The heavy-duty tubes are designed to withstand intensive use, UV radiation, and saltwater – precisely what makes this boat so popular on the second-hand market as well.

Thanks to the extra-deep V-hull, this RIB sails remarkably smoothly, dryly, and with control. As a result, it is not only comfortable but also highly suitable for rougher water, where many 'ordinary' RIBs fall short.

This specific example is exceptionally well maintained and fully equipped.

In 2024, the upholstery was renewed and finished in luxurious Silververtex Diamond-pattern fabric. At the same time, custom-made covers for the console, lean bench, and cool box were produced. Also in 2024, a full tarpaulin and transport cover were custom-fitted. During trips to Lake Garda and Croatia over the past two years, this cover has proven to function excellently: thanks to the perfect fit and fastening, no extra stops are necessary, even at speeds above 110 km/h.

The reliable and economical Mercury 50 hp 4-stroke engine underwent a major service this spring, during which all filters and oils were replaced and the valves were adjusted. The impeller, thermostat, and spark plugs were replaced the year before. Additionally, the steering cable, throttle cables, and fuel hose were replaced preventively.

The included trailer was also thoroughly overhauled in 2024. The tires, wheel bearings, and winch strap were replaced, and a new wiring harness with waterproof LED lighting was installed. Naturally, a spare wheel is also included.

In short, a very complete, reliable, and solidly built set that can be towed directly behind a car and is ready for carefree kilometers and boating pleasure. A viewing is absolutely worthwhile.



Basic Information

General	
Boat Name	-
Last Serviced	2024
Where	Zodiac Nautic
Year	2018
Hull Colour	black
Hull Construction	grp (polyester)
Deck Colour	grey
Hours	340
Tankage	55
Cylinders	4
Starting Type	electric
Cooling System	direct
Navigation Lights	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Speed Instrument	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Bilge Pump	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Mob System	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Battery	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Beam	2.08 m
Draft	0.6 m
Loa	5.01 m

New Delivered	
Shipyard	Zodiac Nautic
Ce Category	C
Ce Max Weight	C 0
Ce Max Motor	C 0

Hull Deck Superstructure

Hull Type	v-bottom
Hull Colour	black
Deck Colour	grey
Deck Construction	grp (polyester)

Dimensions Weights

Draught	60 0
Max Draft	60 cm
Min Draft	30 cm
Waterline Length	30 0
Displacement	360 kg

Control Drift Restriction

Steering System	wheel
Steering System Location	outside control

Engines

Quantity	1
Starting Type	electric

Main Engine

Type	outboard
Manufacturer	Mercury
Model	50 Four Stroke
Serial Number	1C63867
Year	2018
Cylinders	4
Power	50 hp
Hours Counter	⊙
Hours	340
Fuel	gasoline

Drive

Cooling System direct

Tank

Fuel Tanks

Capacity 55 litre

Performance

Max Speed 60 km/h

Measuring Instruments

Fuel Tank Gauge

Tachometer

Electrics

Battery

Dynamo

Voltmeter

Basic Tools

Log

Navigation Lights

Deck Equipment

Outdoor Cushions

Dinghy

Trailer

Miscellaneous

Fenders Lines

Safety

Mob System

Self Draining Cockpit







