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Pontoon Boat Kits from U-Fab Boats

26" dia. x 20' x 8'6" Ponoon Boat Kit Assembly

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Each Pontoon Boat Kit Contains:
1. 2 aluminum pontoons, each with side and under keels, front water deflectors, hat bar cross member supports every 16 inches, sealed chambers at 5 ft. lengths, front eyes, and rear mounting bracket for fish finder or speedometer.
2. Hat bar cross members 8 ft.6" long x 3 in. high. Additional bars for reinforcement at motor mount and bow. Fasteners for joists and edging included.
3. 4 aluminum corners c/w mooring eyes.
4. Aluminum motor support (20 inch transom).
5. 4 in. wide aluminum edging for complete perimeter and motor box cutout.
6. Towing bar.

Tools Required
- Drill Drive bits (for flooring screws) - Gun - Measuring Tape (min 25')
- Ratchet Wrench with 1/4" & 3/8" attachments and same size spanners
- Pop Rivet Gun - Measuring Tape (min 25')
- 50' of string, pencil or fine point marker

Step No. 7
- Install the 4 aluminum corners, using 6 3/16" pop rivets or screws: 2 on top, 2 on each side.

Bolt, Nut and Washer Layout

For the hat bars and motor support a flat washer is used under the bolt head and before putting on the nyloc.
Step No. 2

- Place the hat bar cross members at 16 in. centres. See diagrams above and below.
- The first two hat bars should be positioned as above for #A and #Z. The distance from the back of the riser to the center of #Z should be a multiple of the centers used e.g. 12" - 16" etc
- **Note:** hat bar #A is installed so that the outside of the lip is in line with the end of the risers.
- **Note:** hat bar #Z is installed as close to or just before risers reach ( taper onto) the nose cone.
- Hat bar #B is installed measuring from the end of the riser to the center of the hat bar. (see above diagram. All following hat bars are center to center up to and including #Z.
- Bolt each hat bar to the supports on the pontoons, using 8 x 5/16" bolts, nuts & washers for each bar. Drill holes as necessary.
- Hat bar #Y is placed with its outside lip in line with the end of the riser. Hat bars from #Z to #Y are installed with the hat bar just before #Y possibly not centred, due to space restrictions or to support edge of flooring. (distance may vary from centers used)

Step No. 3

- Align and center the motor support under hat bars.
- Attach the assembled motor support (see separate motor support instructions and step 4).
- Use 3/8" x 1 ¼" bolts, then lock washers and nuts.
- Attach towing bar lengthwise with bolts, nuts and lock washers, centered under hat bars, starting from and flush with front bar #Y "see below picture under step 4"
- A U-bolt can be installed at front centre for winching the boat onto a trailer, but it is not supplied.

Step No. 4

- Install your plywood / composite sheets on the cross members starting from the rear and working forward.
- N.B. Plywood / Composite sheets start at rear deck edge. "see diagram F2"
- Pre-drill before installing screws. A drill hole every 12", starting 6" from the edge of the plywood / composite sheets is suggested. Use a 5/32" drill bit.
- Attach the plywood / composite sheets with #10 x 1" screws (optional).
- Use paintable silicone where the sheets of plywood / composite sheets meet.
Step No. 1
Place the 2 pontoons level on the ground, making sure they are parallel and 76 inches apart. See diagram.

Step No. 5
- Install the carpet (if required). Spread the carpet glue over a 3’ or 4’ wide section, according to the glue manufacturer’s instructions and install the carpet. Continue spreading the glue over the next 3’ or 4’ wide sections until completed.

Step No. 6
- Install the outside edging all around the floor. Predrill and use the supplied #10 pan head screws on cross members every 16" approx.

N.B.:
- Place the first hat bar #A at (stern) after measuring diagonally across the pontoons as shown in the diagram. The diagonal measurements should be equal to assure that the pontoons are parallel. (clamp in place)
- Install hat bar #Z near bow, see Step 2 diagram), re-checking for proper alignment first. Install remaining hat bars and line up the ends of the hat bars using a piece of string from #A to #Z. (clamp in place) See Step No. 2.

- Cut the corners of your flooring sheet. See diagram.
- Pop rivet the edging to the bottom flange of hat bar. Use 3/16” pop rivets.

- If ¾” plywood and carpeting is used, the outside perimeter needs routing 1” wide x 1/8” deep.