

### RAY HUNT/CLARE LALLOW 23 FT TWIN SCREW EXPRESS CRUISER 1961/1995



### Specification

### **HUMDRUM**

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Designer	Ray Hunt	Length waterline	21 ft 0 in / 6.4 m	Engine	2 x Volvo Penta 130 hp Petrol Sterndrives
Builder	Clare Lallow, Cowes	Beam	$10\mathrm{ft}\mathrm{0}$ in $/3.05\mathrm{m}$	Location	United Kingdom
Date	1961	Draft	1 ft 4 in / 0.41 m	Price	GBP 35,000
Length overall	23 ft 0 in / 7.01 m	Displacement	2.5 Tonnes		

Length deck 23 ft 0 in / 7.01 m Construction Hot moulded mahogany

These details are provisional and may be amended

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### **BROKER'S COMMENTS**

There are motor boats, and there are motor boats, and then there is HUMDRUM: quite simply one of the most exquisite boats of this type we have encountered. And she comes with impeccable DNA: her lines a gift from C. Raymond Hunt to Sir Max Aitken around the time Clare Lallow of Cowes were completing Aitken's radical, 'keel-less' Hunt-designed 58 ft ocean racing sloop DRUMBEAT. HUMDRUM's hull lines are almost identical to the groundbreaking Ray Hunt Bertram 31 MOPPIE design that so completely shook the world of offshore powerboat racing from 1960. HUMDRUM is firmly part of that historical moment in time, when Hunt demonstrated just how effective his "Deep-V" hull type was in efficiently powering through seas with great stability. Sir Max Aitken was the driving force in post-war British powerboating, and HUMDRUM is a beautiful reminder of these times, when HUMDRUM and the the Fairey Marine Huntress were the first 'Deep-V' boats in UK waters. HUMDRUM has always remained in Aitken family ownership and been dryboated. She was restored and re-powered in the mid-1990s and has been little used since. What an exciting opportunity.



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### MID-1990S RESTORATION

MID-1990s BY WOOD-COMPOSITE SPECIALIST FRANK HOARE, WEST - Coachroof replaced

SUSSEX

- Re-engined

- Hull stripped inside and out

- All tanks and systems replaced

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#### CONSTRUCTION

- Ray Hunt "Deep-V" lines

- Varnished mahogany covering boards and king plank

- Hot moulded mahogany hull

- Chromed gunwale rubbing strip all round

- Bright finished - Hull frames and stringers - Varnished mahogany plywood trunk cabin with painted glass roof

- Deck beams and stringers

- Chine lifting strake

- Lifting strakes in underbody

- Teak laid deck on marine plywood

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### MECHANICAL, ELECTRICAL AND TANKAGE

#### MECHANICAL

- 2 x Volvo Penta 250 130 hp petrol engines (c.1995)

- Port aft fuel tank: 51 L

TANKAGE

- 2 x Volvo Penta stern drives (c.1995)

- Port fwd fuel tank: 32 L - Stbd aft fuel tank: 76 L

ELECTRICAL - 2 x Engine start batteries

- Stbd fwd fuel tank  $22~\mathrm{L}$ 

- Electric air intake fans port and starboard in engine compartment

- Total fuel 181 L / 40 gallons

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### DECK LAYOUT AND EQUIPMENT

### FROM AFT TRANSOM

- 2 x Louvred companionway doors

- Carved and gilded vessel name

- Vents and outlets

- Stern light

- Stern drives

SIDE DECKS

- 2 x Retractable chromed spring cleats in covering boards port and starboard

- 2 x Tank fillers port and starboard

### AFT DECK

COCKPIT

- Chromed ensign staff socket

- Chromed mooring fairleads port and starboard

- Chromed mooring cleats port and strarboard

- 2 x Chromed engine space air intake cowls port and starboard

- 2 x Hinged, flush engine space doors

### TRUNK CABIN

- Varnished uprights

- Large styled windows port and starboard

- 2 x Styled forward windows

- Port and starboard period navigation lights

- Tank vents port and starboard

- Painted glass roof

- Teak laid roof aft of windscreen

- Teak laid sole over marine plywood

- Lockers under side decks port and starboard - Helm position to port of companionway

- Silva steering compass

- Engines monitors and controls

- Tank gauges

- Bilge pump switches

- Varnished mahogany coaming rising to trunk cabin sides port and starboard - Chromed grabrails port and starboard - Burgee staff

- Windscreen

- Steering Compass

### FOREDECK

- Mooring bollard in king plank

- 2 x Chromed mooring fairleads

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### **ACCOMMODATION**

FROM COMPANIONWAY, DOWN ONE STEP TO TEAK AND HOLLY CARRY GOLD

- Shelf forward

CABIN SOLE

Forepeak

Main cabin
- Berths with berth cushions port and starboard

Locker to portBanquet to starboard

- Stowage under and outboard

- Shelf to port

- Raised shelf section forward

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### NAVIGATION

- Silva Type 150 steering

compass

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### **SAFETY**

-  $\operatorname{Fireblitz}$  automatic engine space fire extinguisher system

- 2 x 12 V Bilge pumps with float switches

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### OTHER EQUIPMENT

- Mooring warps

- Fenders

#### Disclaimer

These particulars have been prepared from information provided by the vendors and are intended as a general guide. The purchaser should confirm details of concern to them by survey or engineers inspection. The purchaser should also ensure that the purchase contract properly reflects their concerns and specifies details on which they wish to rely.



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# Specification GALLERY





































































