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## Blow away cavitation with the new Stripper-Plus

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## STRIPPER-PLUS ROPE STRIPPER WITH CAVITATION REDUCTION

A propeller driven rope cutter designed to alleviate the aggravation of cavitation – the result of five years research and development using world class facilities.

Propellers are designed to work close to the threshold of cavitation at design speed. As we install ever more powerful engines in our boats, cavitation can erode material from the propeller at the blade root, a highly stressed area. As well as causing noise and vibration, consequences can include shedding a propeller blade, which at any speed can be highly dangerous.

Our NEW Stripper-Plus is a novel invention which delivers the greatest reduction of cavitating wakes formed by the cutter blades. The fixed cutter is supported on a "ram pipe" which has a hollow venturi inside which directs water flow into its own wake destroying any cavitation.

The rotary cutters blades have a collecting chamber on the upstream face forcing a stream of water from an ejector nozzle on its downstream face. This jet of water deflates the cavitation wake and directs a flow of water over the adjacent propeller blade, disrupting the formation of cavitating bubbles. It blows away cavitation so effectively that there is less erosion than if there were no rope cutter fitted.



**Froven, without a shadow of a doubt. Test Results: VT Cavitation Tunnel.**