# **Seafloor** datasheet

The HyDrone™ is a one-man portable, catamaran platform developed for hydrographic survey applications. Working in conjunction with the HydroLite™ portable echosounder kit, the HyDrone™ accomplishes the same results as more expensive RC survey systems. The lightweight, wide profile and watertight construction provide stability, ruggedness and portability. It is manufactured from high quality marine materials and components and easily disassembles for transport and shipping.

Work environments include mines, sewage treatment plants, lakes, settlement ponds, harbors and rivers.

Remote control of the survey boat is easy using a high-power remote control system that offers up to 2km range, with a survey endurance of over 8 hours at a survey speed of 3 knots on a single battery pack.



Lightweight and portable



Power differential thrusters for maneuverability

With our AutoNav option, the HyDrone™ is also semi autonomous; the vehicle can be monitored while under way, in both Auto and Manual modes.

The mission planner app runs on a base station laptop connected through a radio telemetry link, and displays the vehicle's graphical position and progress in real time against a background map of the survey area. Battery, voltage, current, and capacity remaining is monitored via this link.

## HyDrone™ Unmanned Surface Vehicle



HyDrone™ ASV with HydroLite echosounder, Trimble antenna and Trimble data collector

- ► Remote Controlled or Autonomous
- ► Wide profile for stability
- ► Watertight, durable construction
- Easy disassembly for transport and shipping
- ► Competitive pricing
- ► Optional Auto Pilot module



HyDrone™ RCV

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## HyDrone™ Unmanned Surface Vehicle

#### **Specifications**

 Hull Length......
 116 cm / 45.6 in

 Hull Width.....
 21cm / 8.2 in

Payload...... 35 lbs / 15 kg

Power...... 2x 14.8 vdc 16 Ah battery LiPo

ECU (Electronic Controller Unit)...... 2x 120 amp

Frame...... Aluminum Powder Coated

Steering...... Differential Thrust
Empty Hull Weight & Batteries...... 9.8 kg / 25 lbs
Hardware..... Stainless Steel

R/C..... RCU 2.4 GHz long range

Remote Range...... Up to 2 km



HydroLite-TM™ with Trimble GPS and data collector

### Instrumentation Options

#### **RTK GPS**

**PC Laptop** 

Radio Telemetry

**Hydrolite-TM™** *Hydrolite Pole Kit* 

SonarMite MILSpec Echosounder

Rugged Shipping Case

**Hydrolite-DFX™** Dual Frequency Echosounder 200/ 30 KHz

**Auto Pilot Module** AutoNav Control System

Embedded GPS and Compass Built-In Telemetry System

Mission Planner Application

USB Radio Telemetry



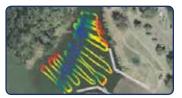
AutoNav<sup>™</sup> Control System



Mission Planner application installed on a PC laptop showing preplanned survey



HyDrone<sup>™</sup> ASV with Trimble SPS 585 and TSC3



Survey data overlayed on Google Satellite Image (Mission Planner)

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