

InflatableBoarder.com 2023 Paddle Comparison Chart

Brand	Model	Weight (oz)	Blade (sq in)	Blade Aspect	Blade Angle	Flex (mm)	Length (in)	Fit	MSRP	Materials (Shaft and Blade)
Aqua Marina	Sports III	33.5	89	Low	4.5	NA	66.5-88	1	\$	S: Alu B: FR Nylon
Atoll	Carbon/Nylon	29.0	105	Low	7.5	103	66.5-84	2	\$	S: CF Composite B: FR Nylon
Bote	AL/ABS (Wulf)	35.5	103	Low	7.5	NA	67.5-85.5	3	OEM	S: Alu B: ABS
Bote	Axe Fiberglass/ABS	31.2	103	Low	7.5	111	67-84	3	\$	S: FG B: ABS
Gili	Aluminum/Nylon	33.2	105	Low	8	NA	64-83	2	\$	S: Alu B: FR Nylon
Gili	Fiberglass/Nylon	34.0	105	Low	8.5	122	69-91.5	3	\$	S: FG B: FR Nylon
Gili	Carbon/Nylon	34.1	105	Low	8	99	68-87.5	3	\$\$	S: CF Composite B: FR Nylon
Gili	Full Carbon	25.6	93	Medium	10	91	68-88	3	\$\$\$	S: CF Composite B: CF Composite
Glide	Fiberglass/Nylon	31.6	100	High	4	87	71.5-85.5	2	\$	S: FG B: FR Nylon
Hippostick	AL EXP 8.0 (1pc)	18.6	87	Medium	10	43	CTL	NA	\$\$\$\$	S+B: 30% 3K CF / 70% FG
Honu	Evo Bamboo/Carbon*	22.6	86	Medium	8.75	TBD	67-88.5	TBD	\$\$\$	S: 12K CF B: 12K CF + Bamboo
Honu	Evolution Carbon*	21.5	86	Medium	8.75	TBD	67-88.5	TBD	\$\$	S+B: 12K CF
Honu	Evolution Carbon L*	TBD	94	Medium	7.9	TBD	67-88.5	TBD	\$\$	S+B: 12K CF
Hydrus	Tough Blade	26.4	96	High	8	90	65-85	2	\$\$	S: FG + CF Composite B: CF + Armalight
iRocker	Blackfin Carbon/Nylon	28.3	89	High	4	79	72-86	2	\$\$	S: CF Composite B: FR Nylon
iRocker	Blackfin 5pc Compact	28.5	89	High	4	100	60-86	1	OEM	S: CF Composite B: FR Nylon
iRocker	iRocker Carbon/Nylon	28.8	89	High	4	78	71-86	2	\$	S: CF Composite B: FR Nylon
iRocker	iRocker Compact	29.4	89	High	4	99	60-86	1	OEM	S: CF Composite B: FR Nylon
iRocker	Nautical Fiberglass/Nylon	31.8	89	High	4	83	72-86	2	\$	S: FG B: FR Nylon
Isle	AL Switch paddle	38.8	89	High	4	NA	67-82	2	\$	S: Alu B: FR Nylon
Isle	Carbon/Nylon	34.0	93	Medium	11.5	94	67-82	2	\$\$	S: CF Composite B: FR Nylon
Kokopelli	4pc Carbon/Nylon	29.1	89	High	4	121	72-81.5	1	OEM	S: CF Composite B: FR Nylon
Nixy	Hybrid 90	28.5	90	High	9	91	68.5-85.5	2	\$	S: 70%FG + 30%CF Composite B: FR Nylon
Nixy Pro	3k Carbon Fiber 86 (Slim)	21.6	86	High	9	100	68.5-87	2	\$\$\$	S+B: 3K CF
Nixy Pro	3k Carbon Fiber 88 Bamboo	24.2	88	Medium	9	70	68-86.5	2	\$\$\$	S: 3K CF B: 3K CF + Bamboo
Nixy Pro	3k Carbon Fiber 88 (Blue)	23.9	88	Medium	9	88	68-86.5	2	\$\$\$	S+B: 3K CF
Nixy Pro	3k Carbon Fiber 94 (purple)	25.9	94	Low	9	86	68-86.5	2	\$\$\$	S+B: 3K CF
Nixy Pro	12k Carbon Fiber 94	23.1	94	Low	9	63	68-86.5	2	\$\$\$	S+B: 12K CF
NRS	Rush, 2pc	21.4	97	Low	8.5	67	68.5-86	3	\$\$	S+B: FG
Sea Gods	Carbon/Nylon	30.1	92	Low	11.5	93	68.5-88	3	\$	S: CF Composite B: FR Nylon
Thurso	Carbon with Elite Blade	25.7	85	Medium	10	72	69-85.5	3	\$\$	S+B: CF Composite
Thurso	Carbon with Nylon Blade	30.2	87	Low	10	72	69-85.5	3	\$\$	S: CF Composite B: FR Nylon

ABS = Thermoplastic Alu = Aluminum (not flex tested to avoid damage) Armalight = Proprietary Composite Fiber+Thermoplastic material

CF = Carbon Fiber. 3k CF indicates 3,000 fibers per tow (yarn), 12k CF indicates 12,000 fibers per tow (yarn)

CF Composite = Carbon Fiber Composite material. Manufacturer does not specify beyond "carbon fiber."

FG = Fiberglass FR Nylon = Fiber-Reinforced Nylon

* New 2023 paddles en route for detailed testing

Fit: 3 = All parts fit firmly with no play or looseness 2 = All parts fit well with minor play felt on land, but not in use 1 = Parts fit loosely and may be felt while in use

MSRP in USD: \$= <130 \$\$= 131-200 \$\$\$=201-250 \$\$\$\$=250+ OEM=available in the kit only

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