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Yamaha Propellers

Saltwater Series II™ - SDS™
V MAX® Ventless Series
Performance XL4™ Series
Performance XL4™ - HP Series

As our legendary line of outboards continues to evolve, so does our line of propellers. Tapping into proprietary research, Yamaha's engineers continue to design and refine props that push the performance of both existing and emerging marine technology to previously unimaginable levels.

In our continuing dedication to developing the perfect propeller for each outboard and boating application, Yamaha is excited to announce these four new additions to its line of superior technology propellers.

Made of highly polished stainless steel, to Yamaha's exacting quality and design standards, they're meticulously manufactured for marine-tough durability and superior performance. The end result? They're the choice to maximize your Yamaha outboard investment, and, ultimately, your boating experience.

Want to see what your Yamaha outboard is capable of? Pair it with a flawlessly-engineered and meticulously manufactured Yamaha propeller.

SALTWATER SERIES II - SDS



Yamaha's new "Shift Dampener System" greatly reduces shifting noise. It's so impressive there is a patent pending.

Using a special new design and high-strength components, much of the resulting force of an outboard shifting into forward or reverse gear is absorbed, resulting in far quieter and smoother operation.

Initially available on Yamaha's highly-acclaimed line of Saltwater Series II propellers, the Shift Dampener System are available in 13", 15", 17", 19", 21", and 23" right- and left-hand rotations. This system will be incorporated into to other Yamaha propellers in the near future.

With their aggressive rake and extra cupping on the blades, SWSII props are renowned for their durability and superior mid-range fuel efficiency on large offshore boats, along with excellent anti-ventilation characteristics for better handling in rough seas.

Yamaha's Saltwater Series II propellers and the new, patented "Shift Dampener System." One run, and you'll know it's a perfect match.



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V MAX® VENTLESS SERIES

Yamaha proudly introduces the new V MAX Ventless Series of propellers, built for the new V MAX® SHO™ four stroke outboard.

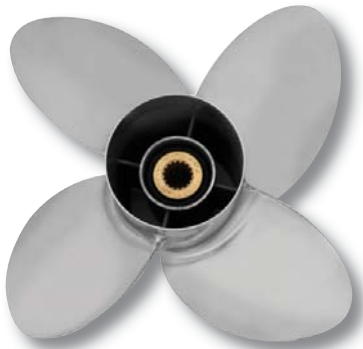
When mated to the new V MAX SHO, these new propellers offer the same outstanding acceleration, excellent top-end speed and unbelievable performance and handling V MAX propellers are known for. Their ventless design reflects the evolution of the V MAX from a two-stroke motor to Yamaha's advanced, new four-stroke technology .

Made of the finest quality stainless steel and featuring a highly-polished finish with cast-in branding on the barrel, they are available in 23", 25", 27", and 29" pitches in right-hand rotation only.

NOTE: In bass applications, the V MAX SHO four stroke outboard may utilize either style of V MAX propeller; Vented or Ventless. For two stroke outboards, including V MAX HPDI and V MAX Series 2, only V MAX Vented Series propellers should be used.



PERFORMANCE XL4™ SERIES



Large offshore boats, such as express cruisers and walk-around models, require massive thrust to plane and additional propeller 'grip' for maximum operational efficiency. For applications where these attributes are important, Yamaha introduces its XL4 line of propellers.

Helping to harness the incredible power of Yamaha's 5.3L V8 outboards, these new four-bladed propellers offer outstanding acceleration, quick planing, and improved "grip" to help maintain plane at lower speeds and help eliminate ventilation, particularly in turns and following seas. They're manufactured from the highest-quality stainless steel, for maximum quality and durability. Polished to a lustrous shine, they will be available in 15" and 17" pitches and in both right and left-hand rotation.

Please note these particular propellers will only fit Yamaha's line of V8 outboards.

PERFORMANCE XL4™ - HP SERIES

Lighter, high-performance offshore boats, such as open fishing-style hulls, can also benefit from the XL4's excellent acceleration, quick planing, and maximum grip of the water. For these craft, Yamaha introduces the new Performance XL4 - HP series of propellers.

Offering many of the same performance characteristics of their XL4 brethren, their advanced blade geometry is specifically designed for Yamaha V8 applications where higher speeds are enabled by a specific boat's hull design.

Featuring a highly-polished stainless steel finish, they will be manufactured to Yamaha's stringent standards in 24" pitch, right- and left-hand rotation. Other pitches are also in development.



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