

General FAQ for RC Boats

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| If my boat has a NICAD battery, how long do I charge the battery for? | NEVER CHARGE THE BATTERY UNATTENDED! Only charge the NiCd/NiMH battery with the supplied charger and charge the battery until it is warm to the touch or you may use a volt meter to read the voltage of the battery. |
| Does my boat have reverse? | 98% of the boats do not have reverse. |
| I am testing my boat and the propeller is not spinning? | Most of our boats have a safety feature. They must be set in the water to have the propeller operate. |
| My boat is in the water but still not working? | Check for proper battery polarity first. If applicable, make sure the battery is fully charged. If it still does not operate, look for a safety metal piece on the lower back of the boat. Use a small piece of sandpaper and lightly sand the contact. |
| Is it normal for water to be inside the hull of my boat? | Yes. All boats will take on some water during operation. |
| I have a boat with multiple motors. One motor is not spinning? | Did you get water inside the PCB and Battery area? If so, take the battery cover off and let the boat air dry for couple days. Check also for proper motor contact and no loose wires. |
| If my boat has 2 motors, why does the Rudder not work? | In most models, if your boat has 2 propellers, the rudder is only for trimming for straight driving. The turning is controlled by variable speed from one motor to the other. |
| My boat has a working rudder. It is not working in one direction. | Check the servo to make sure the servo is not slipping in the bracket. Check the set screw to make sure it is tight against the push rod. |
| My boat is not running for more than 3 minutes. | Most likely the battery in the boat needs to be cycled a few times before it reaches full discharge capacity. |
| My boat is only running up to 10 feet away from me. | Check the antenna on the boat to make sure it did not get pulled away from the PCB board. Make sure the antenna is in a vertical position. Check antenna on transmitter to insure a snug fit. |