

# Bentz Boats, LLC



## POSSIBLE USERS



**GUIDES AND OUTFITTERS** – high maneuverability and rugged construction allows access to remote fishing and hunting opportunities for a world wide customer base. Seating can be configured to haul horses and mules.

**EXTREME WHITEWATER ADVENTURES** – the shallow draft and twin engines and pumps along with double welded seams and gusseted longitudinal and cross bracing provide the power and hull strength to challenge enthusiasts.

**GOVERNMENT AGENCIES** – law enforcement, fisheries, mail delivery, wildlife management, and the military can use inland waterways more efficiently.

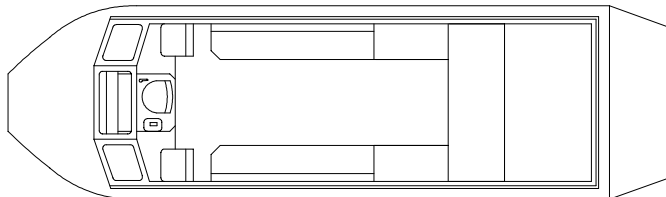
## "SALMO' SEEKER"

The "Salmo Seeker" incorporates the latest innovations in Bentz Boats' signature model, the Salmon River.

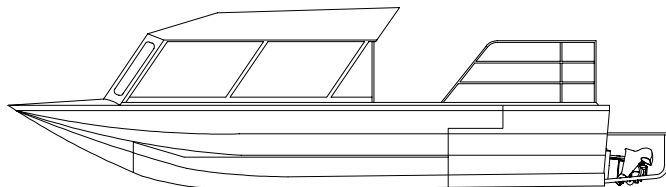
In a constant effort to lower operating decibels and still maintain optimum performance, this boat uses a specially designed exhaust system by KLS Marine Mufflers.

The Salmon River model is the well-spring from which all other models have emerged. The distinctive Bentz bow first appeared on this model along with the delta pad bottom. The forward and center located helm seat and quick response mechanical stick steering also were used first on this model.

All of these innovations were necessary for commercial navigation of the shallow, rocky channels of the Salmon River of Idaho. The sled shaped bow, the forward and center helm seat, and the short stroke mechanical stick steering all contribute to the superior handling that Bentz Boats exhibit in extreme river operation. The delta pad bottom design brings the boat up on plane quickly and in very shallow water conditions.



SEATING LAYOUT



SIDE VIEW

## "SALMO' SEEKER" SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Type of vessel:</b>	Salmon River
<b>Owner:</b>	Darell Bentz <i>Intermountain Excursions</i>
<b>Operator:</b>	Darell Bentz
<b>Home Port:</b>	Lewiston, Idaho
<b>Designer:</b>	Darell Bentz
<b>Builder:</b>	Bentz Boats, LLC
<b>Construction Material:</b>	Aluminum
<b>Length:</b>	28'-0"
<b>Waterline Length:</b>	24'-0"
<b>Beam:</b>	9'-0"
<b>Depth:</b>	3'-11"
<b>Draught:</b>	8"
<b>Displacement (Loaded):</b>	Static 22"
<b>Engines:</b>	2 – 351 EFI Engines
<b>Jet Units:</b>	2 – 212 Hamilton Jets
<b>Maximum Speed:</b>	~ 57 mph
<b>Cruising Speed:</b>	~ 35-40 mph
<b>Seating:</b>	Ruddell (Bench seats)
<b>Fuel:</b>	160 Gal. Gasoline
<b>Passengers:</b>	18 Passengers
<b>Crew:</b>	1 (Operator)
<b>Range:</b>	320 Miles

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