



38-FOOT SAFE BOAT

ALL-WEATHER INTERCEPTOR

The 38-foot SAFE Boat, All-Weather Interceptor (AWI) vessel, is used by Air and Marine Operations (AMO) for the pursuit and boarding (inland and offshore) of vessels transiting in locations with extreme weather conditions.

The AWI features make it ideal for performing law enforcement missions to counter maritime smuggling in rough seas and to clear areas congested with waterborne debris. Its fabricated marine-grade aluminum hull and foam collar provide the stability and buoyancy of a rigid-hulled inflatable boat, with unmatched durability and safety. The foam collars enable the boat to remain buoyant, even if taking on water in extreme conditions. The boat's protective cabin has heat and air to protect its crew from the elements.

The AWI 3-person (minimum) crew works together with AMO aviation assets and other federal, state, and local law enforcement entities to accomplish the homeland security mission.

The All-Weather Interceptor is integral in AMO's strategy to secure U.S. borders and enforce U.S. laws.

PERFORMANCE AND WEIGHTS:

- Maximum Speed
50 knots (57 mph)
- Range
400 nautical miles (460 miles)
- Endurance
4 to 6 hours
- Length
38 ft
- Maximum Gross Weight
18,000 lbs

FEATURES:

- 4 X 300 HP Mercury outboard engines
- Marine surface radar
- Electro-optical/infrared sensors
- State-of-the-art marine navigational suite
- Shock-mitigating seats



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Border Protection**

Air and Marine Operations is a component of U.S. Customs and Border Protection, the largest federal law enforcement agency of the Department of Homeland Security.

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