



10,000th HJ212 Waterjet

TYPE:	Harbercraft 2375 Torrent
SERVICE:	Recreational Pleasure Craft
LOCATION:	Canada
LENGTH:	7.00 metres [LOA]
BEAM:	2.60 metres
CONSTRUCTION:	Aluminium
DISPLACEMENT:	2245kg [dry weight]
SPEED:	37 knots
WATERJET(S):	Single HamiltonJet Model HJ212 Serial #10,000 HJ212 jet unit
ENGINES:	Single MarinePower 5.7L V8 - 240kW (320hp) @ 4800rpm ???
DESIGNER/BUILDER:	WestWinn Group, Vernon, BC, Canada
OWNER/OPERATOR:	Private Owner, Canada
HJ DISTRIBUTOR:	Jastram Technologies, North Vancouver, BC, Canada

MANOEUVRABILITY

SAFETY

SHALLOW DRAUGHT

The 10,000th HJ212 waterjet to be manufactured by HamiltonJet has been installed in a new model of Harbercraft runabout, named the 2375 Torrent. The first 10 boats in the series have been given special branding and features to celebrate the 10K milestone.

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Above: The 10,000th HJ212 waterjet in final assembly at the HamiltonJet Factory

Below: The unit fitted and operational in the Harbercraft 2375 Torrent



HamiltonJet says the HJ212 has been the benchmark waterjet for river boating for well over a decade. It was a significant step for the company to discontinue its very popular line of multistage waterjets for smaller river craft and replace with a larger diameter single stage model. However, the market quickly embraced the new jet and now, 17 years and 10,000 212s later, it has proven its popularity.

The first HJ212 was built in February 1995, and was later fitted into a NZ-built sprint racing boat sponsored by HamiltonJet and Shell. Since then the jet unit has been sold into the Pacific NW of the US, with many others going to jet boats built in New Zealand as well as Canada and Australia. HJ212 waterjets have also been installed into boats operating in the UK, Africa, Nepal, Bhutan, Russia, Turkey, Mexico, Chile, Dubai, China and many other countries where river conditions require the shallow draft, safety and manoeuvrability only waterjet propulsion can provide.

Byron Bolton, WestWinn Group CEO, says their company is honoured HamiltonJet selected Harbercraft Boats to celebrate their 10,000 unit milestone.

"The HJ212 is a perfect propulsion match for our exciting new Harbercraft 23 foot fast water model. We are building ten HJ-10K Special Edition models to commemorate this event. Each will feature the embroidered HJ-10K seat logo, certificate of authenticity, and HamiltonJet HJ-10K side graphic."