Specifications:
- Aluminum hull 29’ x 10’ 6”
- Volvo KAD44 260HP 6-cylinder diesel engine
- 192 US gal diesel fuel tank
- Yamaha T25TLRB 25HP 4-stroke outboard engine
- 12 US gal petrol fuel tank
- Cruising speed of 18 Knots in optimum conditions
- Kinematics hydraulic deck winch (2,000lbs limit)
- Custom hydraulic A-frame (500lbs limit)
- Open transom with swim platform and ladder
- Mooring cleats capable of lifting the boat with crane
- Central ACPD well
- Raw water wash-down system
- EPIRB, life vests, life raft and survival suits onboard

Features:
- Capacity up to 1,260lbs or 7 persons
- Enclosed cabin with forced air heater
- Electronic bottom profiler
- Radar
- Coastal Explorer navigation software
- Manual marine toilet
- Large central table
- 110v inverter with plugins
- Open deck space
- Triple axel trailer
- Forward berthing area for dry storage
- Large central hold in aft deck for wet storage

Operational Limits:
- < 7’ combined seas
- < 15kt winds
- < 40 mile range and up to 25m offshore

Costs:
- Day rate + travel
  - $600 / day Internal
  - $760 / day External

Oregon State University’s R/V Kalipi

About the Boat:
The R/V Kalipi is a 29’ aluminum nearshore research vessel specifically built to be effective year round in the inland and nearshore coastal waters of Oregon. The vessel is capable of towing nets, deploying oceanographic equipment and supporting diving operations.

Project Highlights:
In the 2018 field season the vessel was chartered for 23 day trips by a variety of researchers from all across the university. Projects were largely based out of Newport, OR this year and included:
- Oceanographic glider deployments
- Hydroacoustic whale studies
- Long term monitoring of the Oregon Marine Reserves
- Ecological urchin predation studies

We are planning on continuing to support these research efforts and expanding to include vessel support for the Newport Hydrographic (NH) line, Pacific Marine Energy Center (PMEC) and at the OSU Port Orford Field station.

Our Mission:
The R/V Kalipi is currently maintained and operated by the Oregon State University Research Office - Small Boat Program. Our goal is to provide safe, reliable and readily available access to the sea for OSU researchers and research collaborators.

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