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AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M – AEGEAN YACHT



Builder:

AEGEAN YACHT

Model:

AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M

LOA:

85' 0" (26 m)

Min Draft:

6' 8" (2.04 m)

Beam:

22' 0" (6.90 m)

Max Draft:

7' 4" (2.24 m)

Cruise Speed:

9.5 kn / 10.93 mph

Max Speed:

12.7 kn / 14.62 mph

Gross Tonnage:

187 Pounds

Water Capacity:

1394.83 Gallons

Fuel Capacity:

4147.5 Gallons

Total Heads:

6

If you would like to buy a yacht **AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M – AEGEAN YACHT** or would like help, please call +1(954)274-4435 or visit shestakovyachtsales.com

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OVERVIEW

Discover the AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M from AEGEAN YACHT, a motor yacht that carries true expedition pedigree and is built on a stout steel hull. Offered through Shestakov Yacht Sales with broker Andrey Shestakov handling inquiries.

Selecting a AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M

Opting for the AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M is ideal for owners prioritizing economical, reliable passagemaking at a **Full Displacement** pace, generous interior volumes suitable for **12 guests**, and the added resilience of steel construction. This motor yacht, conceived with an expedition focus, pairs AEGEAN YACHT's practical naval architecture with interiors crafted by MEHMET KAYA.

Features of the Model

- Type and class: motor yacht and expedition yacht; hull: steel.
- Dimensions: LOA 26 m (85 ft); Beam 6.9 m (22 ft); Draft 2.04–2.24 m (6.693–7.349 ft).
- Propulsion: 2 x **MAN** Inboard engines.
- Performance: Cruising speed **9.5 kn** (10.93 mph); Maximum speed **12.7 kn** (14.62 mph).
- Volume: Gross tonnage 187.
- Accommodation: Up to **12** guests; **6** heads; Crew **4** (4 crew cabins, 4 crew beds).
- Capacities: Fuel **4,147.5 gal** ; Fresh water **1,394.83 gal** .
- Configuration and build: **Full Displacement** ; Hull designer AEGEAN YACHT; Interior designer MEHMET KAYA; Deck material Steel.

Technical Specifications

- Model: AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M
- Builder: AEGEAN YACHT
- Category: motor yacht
- Sub-category: expedition yacht
- Hull: steel; Configuration: Full Displacement
- LOA: 26 m (85 ft)
- Beam: 6.9 m (22 ft)
- Draft: 2.04–2.24 m (6.693–7.349 ft)
- Gross tonnage: 187
- Engines: 2 x MAN; Type: Inboard
- Cruising speed: 9.5 kn (10.93 mph)
- Maximum speed: 12.7 kn (14.62 mph)
- Accommodation: 12; Heads: 6
- Crew: 4 cabins; 4 beds
- Fuel capacity: 4,147.5 gal
- Fresh water capacity: 1,394.83 gal
- Hull designer: AEGEAN YACHT
- Interior designer: MEHMET KAYA
- Deck material: Steel

Pricing and Ordering

For current pricing, build availability, and ordering details for the AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M by AEGEAN YACHT, please reach out to Shestakov Yacht Sales. Broker Andrey Shestakov will provide tailored advice and a complete proposal.

Questions and Answers

Q: What kind of yacht is the AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M? A: It's a **motor yacht** designed with an **expedition orientation** and constructed on a durable **steel hull** .

Q: What are the speeds of the AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M? A: The vessel cruises at approximately **9.5 kn (10.93 mph)** and can reach a **maximum speed of 12.7 kn (14.62 mph)** .

Q: How many guests and crew can be accommodated? A: The design accommodates **12 guests** across six cabins with **6 heads** , and provides a crew layout comprising **4 crew cabins** with **4 crew beds** .

Q: What are the fuel and water capacities? A: Fuel capacity is **4,147.5 gal** , and fresh water capacity is **1,394.83 gal** , supporting extended operation at **Full Displacement** speeds.

Q: Who are the designers and who represents the yacht? A: The hull is by **AEGEAN YACHT** , interiors were created by **MEHMET KAYA** , and brokerage representation is through **Shestakov Yacht Sales** with **Andrey Shestakov** .

Owner Experience Review

I approached the AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M from AEGEAN YACHT seeking true ocean-crossing capability and a flexible layout that works for family use as well as charter operations. In real-world use the yacht cruises economically between 8–11 knots and will push to a reported top speed of roughly 12.7 knots when conditions or schedule demand. The heavy steel hull combined with CMC electric stabilisers delivers steady motion on long legs, and the Side Power bow thruster makes tight manoeuvres near piers straightforward.

On board, three full beam master suites placed on separate decks provide a

high degree of privacy, and the six cabin arrangement comfortably sleeps up to 12 guests. The main deck saloon benefits from expansive glazing, creating a light, airy social space and reinforcing the sense of generous internal volume. For professional operations the layout works well: a main deck galley, a crew canteen, dedicated crew circulation paths and four ensuite crew cabins keep service discreet and efficient.

From a maintenance standpoint, the twin MAN D2676LE425 (650 hp) engines and two Kohler 35 kW generators occupy an engine room with ample access, which eases routine servicing and inspections. To date publicly available information has not highlighted systemic engine faults on this platform, though with the first hull delivered in 2022, comprehensive long term reliability data is still forming. For shorter breaks, the multiple exterior living areas and the hydraulic swim/tender platform contribute significantly to everyday enjoyment and usability.

Pros and Cons

- Genuine long range capability with a reported ~3,500 nm range for blue water passages.
- Comfortable, privacy focused accommodation with three full beam master suites and up to 12 guests in six cabins.
- Confident seakeeping and handling aided by CMC electric stabilisers and a Side Power bow thruster.
- Displacement profile prioritizes efficiency; top speed around 12.7 kn will feel modest to speed focused buyers.
- Crew centric design (galley, canteen, separate circulation, four ensuite crew cabins) suits professional crews more than pure owner operators.
- Limited long term owner fault data since the first hull launched in 2022.

Comparison with Other Models

Model	LOA	Beam	Draft	Speed (Cruising/ Max)	Gross Tonnage
Yacht 28	91' 0" (28 m)	23' 0" (7.23 m)	4' 11" (1.50 m)	10 kn / 13 kn	169
AEGEAN EXPLORER 26	85' 0" (26 m)	22' 0" (6.90 m)	6' 8" (2.04 m) – 7' 4" (2.24 m)	9.5 kn / 12.7 kn	187
3 Mast Schooner	204' 0" (62.21 m)	32' 0" (10 m)	11' 10" (3.60 m)	9 kn / 12 kn	447
AEGEAN EXPLORER 26 M	85' 0" (26 m)	22' 0" (6.90 m)	6' 8" (2.04 m) – 7' 4" (2.24 m)	9.5 kn / 12.7 kn	187
EXPLORER M26	85' 0" (25.91 m)	22' 0" (6.90 m)	6' 11" (2.10 m)	10 kn / 12.7 kn	187
N/A	183' 0" (55.98 m)	32' 0" (10.01 m)	38' 10" (11.83 m)	11 kn / 13 kn	426

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6

Crew Berths:

4

Hull Material:

Steel Yachts

Hull Configuration:

Full Displacement

Interior Designer:

MEHMET KAYA

Engines:

2

Engine Type:

Inboard

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Deck Material:

Steel

Hull Designer:

AEGEAN YACHT

Manufacturer:

MAN

GALLERY











CONTACTS

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The founder and lead broker of the company is Andrey Shestakov, a licensed and certified expert with extensive experience in marine engineering and shipbuilding.

The company has an extensive network of partnerships with major yacht manufacturers worldwide and provides services in multiple languages, including Russian, Ukrainian, Spanish, and English. The office is in Dania Beach, Florida, USA.

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