



# **ELITE**

*inspire me*

Every year, for over 30 years, David Ezzy worries about what he can do to improve his sails. He describes sail design as crawling around a pitch black room, trying to figure out what the furniture looks like—a painfully slow process, requiring patience and science. Change one aspect of the sail, test it, learn from the test, and then try again. Year to year, improvements can be small refinements or significant changes to the sail.

The 2017 marks a fundamental improvement for the Elite. The new sail inspires us to sail better and to rig up quicker to get more time on the water. We feel the new luff panel makes the Elite more maneuverable without any tradeoffs. And the biggest change is a secret new construction process, which makes the Elite feel lighter in our hands—and it gets planing more quickly too.

The Elite's philosophy is to be the perfect all-around sail—we use the Elite for flatwater fun to bump-n-jump to high-performance onshore to radical down-the-line. The Elite is our go-to sail, so we need it to be easy. The wide wind range allows us to carry fewer sails which makes packing the car less of a headache. And the calibrated rigging system means we can have perfectly accurate tuning in seconds, so we spend less time rigging and more time on the water.

To insure our quality, we make the Elite in our own factory. And like every Ezzy sail, the Elite is rigged, calibrated, and thoroughly checked before it goes in the bag and out the door.

We found that the lightweight, easy-to-sail, quick-to-get-going feeling of the Elite inspired us to spend more time on the water. It will for you too.

Size m <sup>2</sup>	Luff Min	Luff Max	Boom Min	Boom Max	Ezzy Mast Base/Top	Base Extension
2.7	323	326	124	132	315 / 340	10 cm
3.0	337	340	131	140	315 / 340	24 cm
3.4	349	352	135	144	340 / 340	12 cm
3.8	362	365	140	149	340 / 370	10 cm
4.0	371	374	143	152	370 / 370	6 cm
4.2	377	380	146	155	370 / 370	10 cm
4.5	389	392	150	160	370 / 400	6 cm
4.7	398	401	154	164	370 / 400	16 cm
5.0	410	413	158	168	400 / 400	12 cm
5.3	422	425	163	173	400 / 400	24 cm
5.7	434	437	169	179	400 / 430	22 cm
6.1	447	450	173	184	430 / 430	20 cm

