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The Q-Boat 1800 is the latest Oceanscience remotely-

operated electric boat for making safe, unmanned measurements of currents, bathymetry and discharge with ADCPs. It can be customized with GPS, depth sounder and a variety of other instruments.

The rugged, lightweight hull is constructed of high-impact UV-resistant ABS. The boat's powerful outdrives are capable of reaching speeds up to 5 m/s and the efficient V-bottom design produces smooth and agile handling even in choppy waters.

The large watertight electronics compartment is spacious and easily accessible. Two people can easily handle the boat and it can be transported in a pickup.



New Cable Chimp II

Oceanscience announces the release of the new **Cable Chimp II**, a small remotely-operated cableway vehicle. It's designed for use with Oceanscience Riverboats having instrument wells up to 5" in diameter in flows of not more than 3 m/s. Larger Riverboats can be used with the Cable Chimp II in flows less than 1 m/s.



The powerful Cable Chimp II is the most reliable way to consistently collect high-quality data because it provides slow, even, repeatable towing speeds.

The Cable Chimp II allows a single operator to successfully control the tethered boat from the safety of the riverbank. It attaches to the line quickly, easily and securely.



We've Moved

Oceanscience moved into a new 6,800 square foot manufacturing facility last March. The move was long overdue; we were bursting at the seams in the old facility. Now we have more room to design, build and support our industry-leading products.

We look forward to serving you in the future and appreciate your business over the last 11 years.



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