



FleetBroadband 150

Leisure FAQs



This sheet answers some of the questions you may have about Inmarsat's new FleetBroadband service, FleetBroadband 150 (FB150). For more information, please contact your maritime service provider or visit inmarsat.com/leisure150

Big boat technology for smaller vessels

➔ What is FB150?

FB150 is Inmarsat's new entry-level addition to the FleetBroadband family. It delivers global voice, IP data up to 150kbps and SMS.

➔ What is unique about FB150?

For the size and weight of the terminal, FB150 delivers the fastest, globally accessible, mobile satellite communications system, specifically designed for small to medium-sized vessels. Affordable hardware and airtime packages have been developed to meet the needs of small vessel owners.

➔ Who is FB150 for?

FB150 is designed for small to medium-sized leisure vessels that have lower data rate requirements than the rates delivered by FB250 and FB500, but still require the reliability, global accessibility and quality offered by Inmarsat. FB150 is ideal for vessels with one computer and one or two users.

It is also expected that larger vessels will be interested in this terminal variant as a back-up service.

➔ What does FB150 deliver?

FB150 provides a voice connection at landline quality, available simultaneously with internet-capable IP data and easy-to-use SMS. It delivers to small and medium-sized leisure craft the same quality of service that larger vessels and superyachts enjoy from Inmarsat.

➔ What can I do with FB150?

It enables you to make calls, access the internet, email and SMS - no matter what your position or the conditions at sea.

➔ What are the benefits of FB150?

- Affordable access to global voice and IP data capability
- Always-available connectivity with shore wherever you sail, so you can stay in touch with family and friends
- Fast, reliable access to up-to-the minute information, including chart and weather updates
- Call or email port authorities, book a restaurant, order supplies or book repairs prior to arriving in port
- Stylish and discreet equipment
- Easy integration with an extensive range of off-the-shelf software products

➔ Who manufactures FB150?

The first manufacturers of FB150 hardware are Thrane & Thrane and Addvalue. Both have extensive experience in the manufacture of hardware to access the Inmarsat-4 satellites.

➔ What is the size of the equipment?

The FB150 above-deck and below-deck units are highly compact. See table below.

	Thrane & Thrane	Addvalue
Above-deck unit		
Weight	3.9kg	2.5kg
Size	27.5cm dia x 29.1cm height	29.1cm dia x 22.1cm height
Below-deck unit		
Weight	2.2kg	2.8kg
Size	27.8 x 23 x 4.1cm	28.7 x 22.9 x 6.9cm

➔ How easy is it to install FB150?

FB150 is easy to install. It can be done by one person with experience in fitting marine equipment, without the need for heavy machinery or tools.

Installation should only be undertaken after reading the equipment installation manual.

➔ What other equipment do I need?

To access the internet and email, you need a network cable and suitably configured PC. Other IP-capable equipment can be directly connected to the BDU, with the addition of a router.

➔ What are the tariffs?

FB150 hardware and airtime charges are competitive. There is a choice of airtime pricing packages to best suit your requirements. Please contact your maritime service provider for more information.

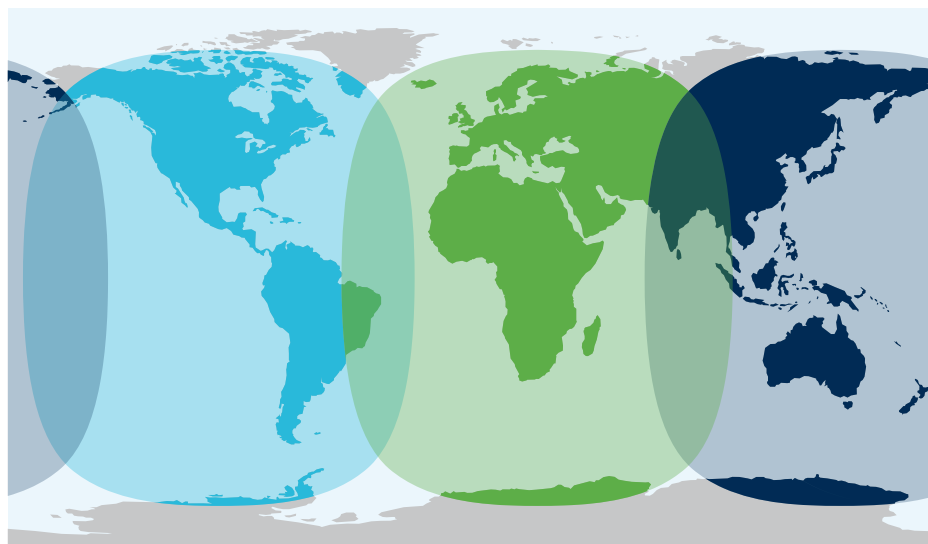
➔ How do I manage my costs?

There are a number of airtime packages designed to fulfil the various business and personal requirements of FB150 users.

Your airtime provider can guide you through the online interface through which you can monitor, manage and secure your data connection. You can even set up specific rules to ensure that you operate within your budget.

Coverage

FleetBroadband 150 is accessible globally except for the extreme polar regions.



I-4 Americas

I-4 EMEA

I-4 Asia-Pacific

This map depicts Inmarsat's expectations of coverage, but does not represent a guarantee of service. The availability of service at the edge of coverage areas fluctuates depending on various conditions.

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