



JL Audio Appoints Sportnav as New Distributor for Spain

JL Audio UK the European distributor for specialist marine audio products manufacturer JL Audio has announced the appointment of Spanish company Sportnav as its new distributor for Spain, including the Balearic and Canary Islands. The company will supply its network of dealers across Spain from its head office, situated in Barcelona and facilities in Las Palmas.

Commenting on the new appointment, Mark Baker Marketing Director of JL Audio Marine UK said: "We are delighted to have Sportnav on board and are confident that the partnership will help to increase awareness and demand of JL Audio marine products in this important region. With their strong customer service positioning in the market, I am looking forward to a long and prosperous business relationship with Sportnav."

Sportnav is perfectly

positioned to strengthen the presence of the brand throughout Spain being highly experienced in the marine electronics market. Ignacio Porta, Director of Sportnav commented: "JL Audio has a good reputation for its high quality audio, which brings top quality audio to the boat, something that we have not previously seen in the Mediterranean market. We are proud to be working with JL Audio in the Spanish market."

JL Audio's range of marine audio speakers, subwoofers and amplifiers has been specifically designed and extensively tested to withstand every effect of the harsh marine environment, including salt water, rain water and UV attack, providing high quality audio for the luxury yacht, motoryacht, sportsboat and RIB market.

JL Audio UK plans to continue its expansion throughout Europe appointing further experienced distributors in key markets over the coming year.



Thumper Coming to the Balearics

The 40.05m (131'4) THUMPER built by Sunseeker joins the Camper & Nicholsons charter fleet. A stunning combination of performance and design, THUMPER is available on the Cote d'Azur for the Film Festival and the Grand Prix and will then relocate to the Balearics to make full use of her Spanish charter license.

The only thing more beautiful than the azure waters of the Balearic Sea is the exceptional interior design by renowned design firm HPM who have created a relaxed beach-chic

vibe onboard enhanced with dramatic artworks by cool design firm, Based Upon. The result is a yacht on which you instantly feel at home, with sumptuous textures, clever lighting and expansive deck areas.

Thumper comfortably accommodates up to 10 guests in five staterooms, including a master suite, two double staterooms and two twin staterooms, all with en-suite bathrooms.

Alongside her stylish design, Thumper's plethora of water toys impresses and entertains all who board her.



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Monthly Sailor Quiz (answers page 18)

- 1 What two cardinals stand on Palma harbour breakwater?
- 2 The Championnat de France Match Racing Open will be held at what port this month?
- 3 Where does the Bora wind come from? What type of wind is it?
- 4 Within the powerboat scheme, what RYA/MCA Certificate of Competence allows you to drive a tender at night?
- 5 What is HAT short for?

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