

## 1.4 Important Notes

1. When choosing wireless remote control, ensure the top of pod driver module is uncovered to avoid GPS signal attenuation.
2. Only adults who have fully read and understood this manual are allowed to operate this product. Read the full user manual carefully before operation, ePropulsion accepts no liability for any damage or malfunction caused by operations violating this manual.
3. Only boat owners who are familiar with their boats are allowed to use this pod system. For a newly bought boat, the boat owner should learn all aspects of the boat including how the boat behaves at different conditions and practicing controlling the boat before mounting and operating this pod system.
4. Before operation, familiarize yourself with all the functions and operations of this product. If there are more than one person onboard, make sure you are not the only one onboard who knows how to operate this pod drive system to help in case of an unforeseen emergency.
5. Follow boat builder's instructions to mount this product to your boat. It is suggested to have certified boat builders or professional installers to install this pod system to your boat. Never try to install the pod system on your own if you never have experience of mounting a pod to your boat before.
6. Check the weather before operation.
7. Watch the environment before operation. The rotating blades of pod drives is very dangerous and will hurt people or creatures. Do not operate the pod drive in areas with swimmers or bathers around.
8. If the pod drive system is the only power source of your boat, make sure batteries on board have enough power for your round trip. We recommend you to calculate distance and battery consumption.
9. Check before each trip if there are enough safety equipment including but not limited to enough life jackets, personal flotation devices, fire extinguishers, bells and whistles, communication equipment, and paddles, etc. Check available local boating safety requirement before operating.
10. If the pod drive strikes other objects in water, please stop running and turn off the main switch immediately. Return to the nearest harbor and find your dealer for assistance.