

Items required depend on what type of Ratchet Block you have. Most older Comets have the Riley type, black plastic, with no built-in swivel so a separate swivel listed below is required. The later Ronstan and Allen Ratchet blocks have a built-in swivel and fasten direct to the eye plate.

If your boat has a hatch, we recommend the eye plate that fits to the top of the bulkhead. Boats older than 15 years? don't have the plywood bonded in so will need the plastic piece to take the screws.

To save fitting a hatch we are now offering a bigger eye plate that we bend to fit on the corner behind the daggerboard slot. It uses six screws to hold it on and we are quietly confident that it's OK without internal reinforcing.

As for the extra blocks required, the cheapest option is RWO plain bearing blocks which are now black rather than grey.

Some Comets had a black Ball Bearing block here and we can supply matching ones that are good value. The latest Comets use an Allen or Selden ball-bearing block. They aren't available with a becket, the mainsheet ties through the hole in the middle of the block.

Hopefully, the diagram explains all, but it can help if you send us pictures of your existing ratchet block and boom block.

### **Common Parts for Centre Main**

1 x Boom Strap	7.63
1 x Lacing Eye	2.25
12m x 8mm Lightweight Mainsheet @1.80	21.60
4mm rope & plastic tube boom loop	2.50
6 x Monel rivets	2.50
1 x Shackle	2.70
Mainsheet Eye Plate with internal plastic piece & screws	14.00
<u>or</u> Bent Eye Plate & screws, so hatch not required	<u>14.00</u>
	<b>£ 53.18</b>

### **Blocks**

Plain Boom End Becket Block	14.90
Plain Lower Block	<u>10.98</u>
	<b>£ 25.88</b>

### **OR**

Ball Bearing Top Boom End Becket Block	19.10
Ball Bearing Lower Block	<u>16.30</u>
	<b>£ 35.40</b>

### **OR**

Selden Ball Bearing Blocks 2 @ 31.49	<b>£ 62.98</b>
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Spring for Ronstan or Allen Ratchet Block	<b>£ 2.35</b>
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### **OR**

Spring for Riley Ratchet Block	<b>£ 2.02</b>
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Swivel (only for Riley Ratchet Block)	<b>£ 15.00</b>
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Inspection Hatch & screws	<b>£ 22.24</b>
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Storage Bag	<b>£ 19.42</b>
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