

**PS VALUE GUIDE 5-INCH PLOTTER-FISHFINDER COMBOS**

Manufacturer		RAYMARINE	GARMIN ★
Chartplotter/Display		A50D	545s
Price		\$1,099	\$999
Price source		consumermarine.com	thegpsstore.com
DISPLAY UNIT FEATURES AND RATINGS	Unit dimensions (W x H x D)	7.9 x 5.6 x 3.9 in.	6.4 x 5.9 x 2.9 in.
	Screen resolution	480 x 640	480 x 640
	Brightness levels	50+	Min to max, 2% steps
	GPS sensor	Included	GPS 29 (\$60)
	Radar / AIS optional	No / Yes	No / Yes
	Weather receiver optional	Yes	Yes
	Power usage	0.8 amps	0.9 amps
	Water resistant	Yes (IPX6)	Yes (IPX7)
	Warranty period	2 years	1 year
	Day view	Good	Excellent
	Night view	Good	Excellent
PLOTTER FEATURES & RATINGS	GPS antenna	Internal (external model available)	Internal (external model available)
	Cartography tested	Pre-loaded coastal	Pre-loaded Garmin Bluechart g2
	Card price	N/A	N/A
	Waypoint storage	1,200	1,500
	Route storage	150	20
	Waypoint symbols	36	70
	Waypoint max. # of characters	16	10
	Additional waypoint info	Group / comment	Water temp, depth
	Plotter user-interface	Excellent	Good
SOUNDER FEATURES AND RATINGS	Sounder model	Internal	545s (internal)
	Max. power output	500 watts	1,000 watts
	Supplied transducer	P58 transom mount (Through-hull mount costs \$236)	Garmin transom mount (Through-hull model B60-20 costs \$230)
	Manual depth ranges	22	17
	Zoom	Yes	2x, 4x
	Bottom lock	Yes	Yes
	A-Scope	Yes	Yes
	Shift	Yes	No
	Presentation rating	Good	Good
	Usage rating	Good	Good
Package price		<b>\$1,099</b>	<b>\$1,059</b>

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