

NAVAL 2ND PATTERN E-BOAT WAR BADGE (1943-45) (Schnellboot-Kriegsabzeichen) Schwerin

Description

On May 30, 1941, members of Germany's Schnellboot Service received a badge (First Pattern) of their own. In January of 1943, the Peekhaus *Second Pattern* E-Boat was introduced. Conceptually similar to the First Pattern, the newer design reflected a longer profile E-Boat. Also, the wreath was flatter and the national emblem was noticeably larger.



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Details

Height	60,15 mm	Weight	30,39 gr	Type/Pattern	Second (Zinc)
Width	52,42 mm	Material	Zinc		

Remarks

Fakes of this badge abound. Pay particular attention to the hinge, the catch, and the small serrations on the top hook of this badge. This second style was only produced in Zink

