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Designer	Bruno Veronese	Length	35 ft 5 in / 10.8 m	Engine	Iveco AIFO 95 HP 1999
Builder	Cantieri di Pisa	waterline		Location	Italy
Date	1958	Beam	12 ft 3 in / 3.74 m		
Length overall	48 ft 1 in / 14.65 m	Draft	23 ft 0 in / 7 m		
Length deck	48 ft 1 in / 14.65 m	Displacement	19 Tonnes		
		Construction	Carvel mahogany on oak frames and steel ribs		

These details are provisional and may be amended

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BROKER'S COMMENTS

RESOLUTION II is a Bermudan cutter rigged motor yacht, designed by Bruno Veronese who under the pseudonym Capitano Black wrote "Yachting" the first comprehensive manual for yachtsmen by an Italian author. Having written numerous articles also for the major yachting magazines, his final treatise "Yacht Progetto e Costruzione", was published posthumously in 1991. Veronese's design career started in the late 1940s in Genoa and his quite prolific output yielded some 30 yachts built to his designs including the Classics; COPPELIA, TYRSA, EURYDICE, VALLEY III and PANDORA; all notable for both their elegance and the strength of their design in construction. Benefitting also from the ideas of other designers, some influence of Jack Laurent Giles can be seen in respect of this boat RESOLUTION II. She has proved the ideal cruising yacht for friends and family - and for the evident pleasure particularly of the owner's two younger children. Perfect for holidays she is warm and welcoming - yet all for escape and freedom. Moreover for a vessel of her size she is remarkably easy to manoeuvre both under sail, with extensive reefing capabilities or engine, even by one person, thanks to ideal positioning of the controls - and indeed her propeller configuration, enabling her to turn on the spot.



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HISTORY

Originally RO-RO IV, she was built by Cantiere di Pisa in 1958, to the order of Italian industrialist Sr Roveda - a gift for his wife Rossella; hence the name RO-RO IV. For more than forty years, she was based in Portoferraio, on the island of Elba where Roveda owned a vineyard. She sailed everywhere in Mediterranean and even to the West Indies, with a permanent skipper, who maintained, prepared and delivered her as required.

In 2002 Sr Roveda, at nearly eighty years old, was preparing for a cruise to Spitzbergen, when his skipper Luca Riva of more than fifteen years decided to retire, prompting Roveda also to swallow the anchor. He sold RO-RO to a Mr Charles Flahs in 2003 who registered her in France. Shortly up for sale again she was bought by her present owner and rechristened RESOLUTION II in 2005.

Thereafter she was based successively in Port Grimaud (2005), Saint-Laurent-du-Var (2006 - 2007), Port-El-Kantaoui in Tunisia (2008 and 2009) and Kalamata in Greece (2010-2011). From these bases she has sailed the Cote d'Azur, Corsican, Sardinia, the Tuscan archipelago, Sicily and the Aeolian Islands, Malta and at last Greek waters and the Ionian Islands, Crete and adjacent archipelago.

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CONSTRUCTION

- Carvel mahogany planking on oak and steel frames
- Teak deck

- Mahogany superstructure
- Mahogany interior joinery

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ACCOMMODATION AND DOMESTIC EQUIPMENT

- Cockpit with deck shower
- Main saloon cabin
- 2 x settee berths
 - Substantial stowage in numerous cupboards and drawers

- Galley
- Gimballed 4 burner hob and oven
 - Fridge / freezer – 2 compartments

Fore cabin

- 2 x large berths
- 2 x cupboards
- 12 x drawers
- Head with Baby Blake WC, shower and wash basin

- Aft cabin
- 2 x single berths
 - 1 cupboard and 2 drawer stowage
 - En suite head with electric WC and wash basin

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RIG, SPARS, SAILS AND CANVAS

- Mast, boom and staysail boom of varnished spruce
- Spare aluminium boom; not much used
- Cutter rig enable keeping station while changing fore sails under way
- 2 x Anderson ST halyard winches
- Stainless steel standing rigging
- Mixed synthetic fibre running rigging

- Wichard boom brake 2007
- Main sail Lee Sails 1997, cut shorter than original better to balance the rig
- Genoa Lee Sails 1995
- Yankee Lee Sails 1995
- Boomed stay sail Midi Voiles 2005
- Main sail cover
- Hatch covers
- All over cover
- Sun awning

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DECK EQUIPMENT AND GROUND TACKLE

- Stainless steel pulpit, pushpit, stanchions and guard rails

- Spare emergency anchor stowed below and not yet used

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| - 2 x gates | - 2 x Dorade vents |
| - 2 x Anderson ST sheet winches | - Butterfly hatch over fore cabin |
| - Cockpit with high coamings and stowage lockers under hinged seating | - Coach with opening lights forward |
| - Electric anchor windlass, controllable from cockpit | - Teak handrails on coach roof |
| - Bruce 30 Kg anchor 1995 | - Swimming ladder |
| - 60 m x 12 mm chain | - 2 x Mooring lines; 100 m and 30 m |
| - Light aluminium anchor and 30 m stern running line | - 8 x Fenders with covers |
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MECHANICAL ELECTRICAL AND TANKAGE

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| - Iveco AIFO 95 HP engine 1999, 7- 8 knots at 1,800 rpm, serviced annually | - 3 x 100 A Engine start batteries |
| - Wheel steering and engine instrument console forward in cockpit | - Mains 110 / 220V 25 A battery charger |
| - 2 x Balmar 110 A generators; engine and service interchangeable | - Shore power |
| - 12 V Electrical circuit | - Invertor |
| - 6 x 100 A Domestic batteries | - Mast spreader deck lights |
| | - Navigation lights |
| | - 2 x 250 L metal fuel tanks 1996 |
| | - 1 x GRP 800 l fresh water tank |
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NAVIGATION COMMUNICATIONS AND ELECTRONICS

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| - Robertson automatic pilot 1995 | - Raytheon echo sounder 2000 |
| - Furuno LCD radar | - GPS |
| - Icom IC - M 801 1995 | - Steering compass |
| - Mariner VHF 1995 | |
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SAFETY

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| - 2 x horseshoe life rings | - 2 x Electric bilge pumps |
| - 1 X 8 person life raft 2007 serviced 2010 | - EPIRB |
| - 1 x manual bilge pump | - Flares |
| | - 4 x Fire extinguishers |
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| The principal works since 2005 undertaken by properly qualified professionals | - Replacement of WC with a Baby Blake 2006 |
| - New propellor shaft 2005 | - New battery banks 2006 and 2008 |
| - New winches and halyards 2005 | - Complete hull repaint 2008 |
| - New Staysail 2005 | |
| - Stripping and repainting the hull and refixing the keel 2006 | |
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