

ARGOS - Budget Estimates

Public buyer file - annual costs, forecast works and 2029 major maintenance cycle.

English buyer version. This public document is an English summary/adaptation for international buyers. The French source documents and signed sale documents remain authoritative.

Annual Cost Overview

Budget branch	Low	Reference	Prudent
Berth / mooring	982 EUR	982 EUR	982 EUR
Insurance	340 EUR	1,100 EUR	1,200 EUR
Routine maintenance	300 EUR	500 EUR	750 EUR
Careening + hull survey, annualized	1,200 EUR	1,650 EUR	2,400 EUR
Engine and mechanical maintenance	300 EUR	600 EUR	1,000 EUR
Navigation / diesel	250 EUR	750 EUR	1,500 EUR
Heating	175 EUR	450 EUR	700 EUR
Investments / contingencies	500 EUR	1,250 EUR	2,000 EUR
Estimated annual total	approx. 4,050 EUR	approx. 7,300 EUR	approx. 10,500 EUR

Water and electricity at the port remain variable and should be added according to actual use.

2029 Major Maintenance Cycle

The next major maintenance cycle is grouped around 2029. The objective is to use a single haul-out to combine the hull survey, underwater checks, careening, antifouling, anodes, paint work and related preventive items.

Item	Low	High	Work considered
Haul-out, careening, antifouling, anodes	3,500 EUR	4,500 EUR	Handling, cleaning, primer if needed, antifouling, anodes and waterline.
Hull survey + ultrasound thickness plan	900 EUR	1,700 EUR	Steel hull inspection, thickness measurements, survey map and report.
Deck and side decks	2,500 EUR	3,500 EUR	Preparation, local treatment, anticorrosion protection and repainting.
Topsides / exterior paint	2,000 EUR	3,000 EUR	Anticorrosion touch-ups and paint above the waterline.
Stern gland	800 EUR	1,200 EUR	Preventive replacement if retained, parts and labour.
Log / speedometer / transducer	400 EUR	800 EUR	Check, repair or replacement depending on diagnosis.
Shaft line, propeller and rudder	300 EUR	700 EUR	Checks and small possible interventions; no planned heavy rebuild.
Through-hulls / small underwater fittings	300 EUR	600 EUR	Checks and punctual replacement if required.
Small steel / anticorrosion repairs	500 EUR	1,000 EUR	Local treatment of areas discovered during preparation.
Yard margin / reasonable contingency	800 EUR	1,500 EUR	Supplies and small complementary works found during haul-out.
Total estimate	approx. 12,000 EUR	approx. 18,500 EUR	

Planning Envelope And Price Reading

For a simple and prudent buyer projection, the retained envelope is approx. 15,000 to 20,000 EUR maximum. This is a planning estimate, not a quote.

Reference	Amount
Comparable Vulcain Bleu currently presented	approx. 145,000 EUR

ARGOS public price	124,000 EUR
Positioning gap	approx. 21,000 EUR
Estimated 2029 major cycle	approx. 15,000 to 20,000 EUR

In short, the estimated works envelope is close to the gap between ARGOS's public price and the comparable market reference. The 124,000 EUR price already takes the main known technical deadlines into account.

Maintenance Calendar

- Every year: annual engine oil service, including 2026, 2027, 2028 and following years.
- 2029: major hull and underwater works grouped with survey, thickness plan, careening, antifouling, anodes, stern gland, speedometer/log checks and exterior paint works.

Local sources: annual budget source, price strategy and 2029 maintenance planning.