





## Mercury AIR seat installation manual

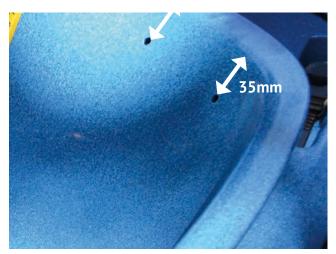
## How to install the GTX AIR seat



 To install the new Mercury GTX AIR seat into the Mercury GTE, you will need the following tools: Power drill, philips screw driver and plier or nipper to cut off the old plastic screws holding the original seat pad in place.



2. After removing the original seat pad, you will need to drill a Ø 30mm hole in the center of the back of the seat. The top of the hole should be 120mm below the edge of the cockpit rim.



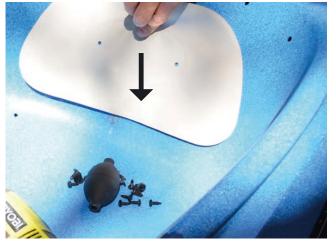
3. The 5 holes which are used fasten the upper edge of the seat pad with the plastic push screws should be placed 35mm below the cockpit edge. Use the seat pad as template using a grease pen. The holes for the push screws should have ø6mm diameter.



4. Feed the rubber hose into the large 30mm hole and push it towards the right side of the seat (looking forward).



5. Put the valve at the back of the air bag into the large 30mm hole



6. Make sure to push down the back, so that the valve on the back of the air bag hooks onto the edge of the plastic



7. Pull the hose along the side of the seat until it comes out into the cockpit.



8. Attach the air pump onto the valve on the rubber hose.



 Secure the rubber hose to the rudder line with a cable tie or twister. Not too tight.
Test the pump to make sure the air pad is inflated easily.
Deflate the air by pushing the valve button and pushing the air bag with you hand.



10. Attach the seat pad starting at the top of the seat. Start by placing the seat pad upside down with the inside towards you and push in the wide female part of the plastic push screw through the hole of the seat pad into the hole. Push the thinner male part into the hole to secure the screw.



11. Flip down the seat pad and use the grease pen to mark where the hole for next push screws should be. Drill the two holes and secure the seat pad.



12. Continue in the same way at the front of the seat pad until seat pad has been fastened securely. The seat is now installed, adjust the back rest to your most comfortable paddling position and get out on the water!