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1990 Foretravel Specifications

Specifications, Brochures, Floor Plans & Photos

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Brochures



- Last year of Stainless Steel bumpers. The U300/U280 was double stacked compared to U225 & U240.

[Grand Villa U225 Featured in Motorhome Magazine](#)

1990 U280 Specifications

GRAND VILLA
UNITHOME U280

BASEIC FLOOR PLANS:
S1 - BIRMINGHAM, THREE BEDS
S1A - NEW BATH, ISLAND BED
S2 - BIRMINGHAM, ISLAND BED
S1B - NEW BATH, ISLAND BED, DINETTE

STANDARD EQUIPMENT

Automotive
 (1) 200 amp. fused battery
 2000 lb. tag axles suspension
 140 gallon fuel tank
 300 amp alternator
 300 amp battery isolator
 2" bypass leveling valves
 2753960 22.5 P295ZA Michelin 4 tires
 Air disk brakes
 Air line for air service
 Allison 353 303 transmission
 Caterpillar 3207 226 H.P.
 Cruise control
 Dry air cleaner
 Dual electric valves & washers
 Engine compartment light
 Engine coolant fan - 120"
 Provisional chain 20,000/12,000
 Full instrumentation
 Fatigue resistant
 Heavy duty stainless steel construction
 One year limited chassis warranty
 Painted aluminum-steel dual with
 emergency top for fire service
 Parked air valve
 Power steering
 Rammer 8 ball drive
 Radiator water service option
 Standard dual bumper
 Transmission oil cooler

Safety
 Lock-up lights
 Overhead lights
 Emergency exit at side windows
 Emergency Chalkbox
 Heavy duty hand rail
 Fire extinguisher
 Halogen fog lights
 LP gas leak detector
 Large outside pressure valves with
 side angle valves, heated
 Park lights
 Seat belts
 Self-canceling directional signal lights
 Shock absorber
 Roof edge with aluminum roof lines
 Throat safety glass
 Warning triangle reflector kit

Usability
 110" break down - 8' installation
 30" dinette TV in living area
 Split Towbar - 8'

4 burner cooking with gas stove
 40 channel CD radio
 4-way electric brakes and dual
 ABS/ABS-2000-100-150
 Air vent drawers for full overhead
 bed lowering system
 AM/FM cassette stereo in bedroom
 Automatic chain light
 Built-in 10" color TV & VCR in bedroom
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 Built-in retract-front
 Central overhead lockers
 Color steel weather strip
 Cruise & overdrive in 10-speed 8 ball
 Cruise & turbo software
 20-AC 100 A. SERVO
 Cruise & battery bank
 Curved exit doors
 Curved lock
 Deluxe carpet & pad
 Digital clock radio in bedroom
 Digital TV
 Dinette & ABS softcover (except S1A)
 Dinette & ABS softcover (S1A only)
 Dinette - 100" x 60" seat
 Electronic AM/FM cassette
 with auto & stop
 Electric water TV heating
 Flip front suspension/communication data
 Flip-open microwave
 Floor level sight light
 Fluorescent lighting throughout
 Full service door
 Generator remote in bedroom & cockpit
 for radio (except S1A model)
 Large bathroom & sink combination
 Laundry bag on 112 model
 Laundry drawer on S1 & S1B
 Lighted steps with sensor
 Interior vent heater with
 thermostat controls
 One year breakaway and seal warranty
 Park & entry lights
 Power cooling fans in both sites
 Roof vent opening
 Sealed & sealed floor
 Sealing plate & capless seam
 Side exit passageway
 Side rail
 Thermatically expanded front
 40 washers
 Fresh compressor except on S1B series
 Remote hood
 TV antenna with booster

Washable dining surface
 Washable construction
 on 100 Series
 Water pump switch in both & kitchen
 Water purifier

Electrical
 100 amp automatic chargeover
 100 ampere & galvany meter
 30 Amp. alternator
 4.5 K.W. generator, P. fuel
 70 Amp. inverter-charger
 Inverter 100+ watts
 Water battery disconnect switch
 Water pump

Heating/Cooling
 1000 BTU window
 20,000 BTU roof AC with heat strips
 20,000 BTU ducted furnace with
 electronic gas
 (S1A) - 20,000 (S1B) series
 20,000 BTU roof heater

Convenience
 80 gal water vent capacity
 120+ air purifier
 22.5, 271 seat
 7" aluminum height
 80 gallon water capacity
 Air venting system
 Computer remote system available
 Commodity heated dump hose and
 valve
 Dinet seat
 Dual locking 8 ball bottom
 Grease trap
 Large two step body storage
 Large storage storage
 Water heater for pilot & air pilot
 1000 A. electrical outlet for generator
 Remote spot/roof light
 Roof mounted sink and holder
 140"
 Storage compartments light
 Telephone jack
 2 gal. pre-charged recovery waterline

MODEL	WIDE	BASE	HTH
3000	288"	\$226,000.00	
3500	282"	\$239,000.00	
4000	276"	\$273,500.00	

* Model (S1A)S1B) always apply length

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Photos



1990 GV 2900



1990 U300



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1990 U280

Specifications

1990 Foretravel U280

Models & Codes

MODEL NO	WHEEL BASE	RETAIL
Foretravel 3600	228"	\$250,500
Foretravel 3800	252"	\$259,500
Foretravel 4000	276"	\$273,500
Model number denotes approx. length		
CODE	DESCRIPTION	
SB	SIDE BATH, TWIN BEDS	
SBI	SIDE BATH, ISLAND BED	
SAI	SIDE AISLE, ISLAND BED	
SBID	SIDE BATH, ISLAND BED, DINETTE	

Features

WEIGHTS/RATINGS

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- Fresh water capacity: 98 gal.
- Waste water capacity: 108 gal.
- Fuel tank capacity: 148 gal.
- LP tank capacity: 270 lb.
- Interior Height: 77"
- Wheelbase: 228"/36', 252"/38', 276"/40'
- Available Lengths: 36', 38', 40'
- GVWR: 28,000 lb.

AUTOMOTIVE

AUTOMOTIVE

- (2)-200 amp. hour batteries
- 100% 8 bag air-ride suspension
- 148 gallon fuel tank
- 160 amp alternator
- 160 amp battery isolator
- 2" square receiver hitch
- 275/80R 22.5 PXZA Michelin 35 tires
- Air disk brakes
- Air hose for tire service
- Allison MT643 transmission
- Caterpillar 3208T 250 H.P.
- Cruise control
- Dry air cleaner
- Dual electric wipers & washers
- Engine compartment light
- Engine coolant heater - 110V
- Foretravel chassis 28,000 GVWR
- Full instrumentation

- Halogen headlights
- Heavy duty radiator; bolted construction
- One piece Alcoa 55 aluminum wheels
- Padded automotive type dash with swing up top for easy service
- Padded sun visors
- Power steering
- Racor fuel filler
- Radiator water recovery system
- Stainless steel bumpers
- Transmission oil cooler

LIVABILITY

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- 1 1/2" block Styrofoam 05 Insulation
- 20" Stereo TV in living area
- 36 x 76 Twin beds-SB
- 4 burner cooktop with gas oven
- 40 channel CB radio
- 6-way electric driver seat base
- 60 x 80 queen-size bed - SBI
- All wood drawers on full extension
- ball bearing glides
- AM/FM/cassette stereo in bedroom
- Automatic closet lights
- Built-in 13" color TV&VCR in bedroom
- Built-in vacuum cleaner
- Carpeted overhead cabinets
- Cedar lined wardrobe closet
- Corian countertops in kitchen & bath
- Corian table w/chairs on 40 SAI & SBID
- Corian lavatory bowl
- Curtains and sheers
- Deadbolt lock
- Deluxe carpet & pad
- Digital alarm dock in bedroom
- Digital clock
- Dometic AES ref/freezer (except SAI)
- Dometic AES ref/freezer w/built-in icemaker (SAI only)
- Double stainless steel sink
- Electronic AM/FM/cassette
- with seek & scan
- Exterior cable TV hookup
- Eye level microwave/convection oven
- Fiberglass underskin
- Floor level night lights
- Fluorescent lighting throughout
- Full screen door
- Generator switch in bedroom & cockpit
- Ice maker (except SAI models)

- Large bath/shower & tub combination
- Laundry Bag on SAI model
- Lavatory drawer on SB & SBI
- Lighted vanity with mirror
- Motor-aid water heater with electronic ignition
- One piece fiberglass roof and sidewalls
- Porch & entry lights
- Power ceiling vent in bath area
- Real wood paneling
- Recliner & swivel chair
- Reclining pilot & co-pilot seats
- Slide-out pantry on SBI
- Sofa bed
- Thermostatically controlled fresh
- air ventilator
- Trash compactor except on 3600 series
- dinette models
- TV antenna with booster
- Wardrobe dressing mirrors
- Washer/dryer connections on 4000 series
- Water pump switch in bath A kitchen
- Water purifier

ELECTRICAL

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- 110 volt automatic changeover
- 110 voltmeter & polarity meter
- 50 AMP shoreline
- 6.5 K.W. generator/LP fuel
- 75 Amp. convener-charger
- Exterior 110v outlet
- Master battery disconnect switch
- Trailer wiring

SAFETY

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- Back-up lights
- Hack-up monitor
- Docking lights
- Emergency exit in side windows
- Emergency flashers
- Entry door hand rail
- Fire extinguisher
- Halogen fog lights
- LP gas leak detector

- Large outside remote mirrors with wide angle vision, heated
- Park lights
- Seal bells
- Self canceling directional signal lights
- Smoke detector
- Steel cage with aluminum roof frame
- Tinted safety glass
- Warning triangle reflector kit

HEATING/COOLING

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- 17,600 BTU auto/AC
- (2)-13,500 BTU roof AC with heat strips
- (2)-35,000 BTU ducted furnaces with electronic ignition (16,000 +15,000 on 3600 series)
- 37,000 BTU auto heat/def.

CONVENIENCE

CONVENIENCE

- 108 gal.waste water capacity
- 110v air compressor
- 77" interior height
- 98 gallon water capacity
- 270 lb. LPG tank
- Air leveling system
- Computer screen systems monitor
- Conveniently located dump hose and valves
- Doorbell
- Dual Hadley air horns
- Glove box
- Large bus type belly storage
- Large interior storage
- Map lights for pilot & co-pilot
- Pilot & co-pilot ducted fan system
- Remote spot/flood light
- Roof mounted rack and ladder
- Safe
- Storage compartment lights
- Telephone jack
- 2 gallon pre-charged air/water accumulator

OPTIONS

Options

- Awning Package I \$1623
 - Window awnings covering four windows (\$824)
 - Patio Awning (\$856)
 - Two matching chairs (\$85)
- Awning Package II \$1813
 - Window awnings covering five windows (\$1050)
 - Patio Awning (\$856)
 - Two matching chairs (\$85)
- Awning Package III \$2294
 - Window awnings covering six windows (\$1236)
 - Patio Awning (\$856)
 - Two matching chairs (\$85)
- Convenience Package \$2294
 - LP connections for Bar-B-Que (\$94)
 - 100 lb. slide out freezer (\$1250)
 - Solar battery charger (\$550)
 - Modular storage cabinet (\$600)
- Deluxe Kitchen Package \$478
 - High rise faucet (\$120)
 - Instant hot water dispenser (\$175)
 - Blender (\$225)
- Luxury Package \$1531
 - Accent wall covering bedroom only (\$420)
 - Parquet Flooring, kitchen only (\$990)
 - Sealand china toilet (\$120)
 - Personalized entrance door lighted assist handle (\$35)
 - Leaded beveled glass insert for china cabinet door, SAI only (\$100)
- Power Package \$553
 - Power passenger seat (\$330)
 - Power windshield curtain (\$250)
- Sound Option \$975
 - Sony Compact Disc Player/Changer (\$975)
- Washer / Dryer Package (4000 only) \$2042
 - Washer/Dryer (\$2000)
 - 6 gallon 3-way water heater (\$220)

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