

## People often ask us why did we choose Aluminium?



**Well it's quite simple it's "light, flexible and its strength" our campers will last a lifetime.**

There is as much controversy over aluminium versus fiberglass construction as there is over Ford versus Holden. There are many opinions and facts and sometimes both get intermingled to the point that it's hard to separate fact from fantasy.

Now for the tech *stuff*:

Strength	Aluminium is a strong material that will dent or scratch on collision, rather than shatter or split. Most aluminium campers can happily take a fair amount of 'abuse'.
Weight	Aluminium is a light metal, which makes for lighter campers. That means it's less work for your car to tow.
Appearance	Traditional in the industry fiberglass had been used to get the shape that the designer required. With our 3D design software and latest laser cutting technology we are able to shape our campers as if it were made from fiberglass but have the strength of aluminium.
Repairs	Small scratches and dents in aluminium campers are relatively easy to fix even yourself and larger damage or holes can be taken to a sheet metal shop where welding is a specialised skill or even a panel beater giving you plenty of options. Fiberglass repairers are harder to come by.
Cost	Aluminium campers are generally cheaper than fibreglass, so you can get more camper for your money. Our campers, with very little care will still look the same 20 years later offering you excellent resale abilities.
Versatility	Aluminium campers do not require an expensive mould as to which to reproduce the same design over and over again. Unless you are in a perfect world this does not suit everyone. Our campers can be modified extensively to suit the individual's requirement's; that makes you the designer right from the start.
Summary	Tough, light weight, affordable campers' that are economical and versatile to suit your personal needs.

*Still not convinced?*

Besides the inherent differences between a fiberglass composite and a metal alloy is that fiberglass quality and properties are completely and utterly dependent upon the technician or technicians who put it together. In other words a fiberglass camper that is built by "Frank" who is a careful, diligent and experienced worker can be completely different than a camper built by "George" who is hung-over, lazy and uncaring. Fiberglass companies (even the best quality) cannot certify the material their product is built of. They cannot tell you the strength, completeness about their material.

Diamond Camper's aluminium alloy plate is **made and tested**. The materials properties are always the same, its characteristics are known. This is a significant and important difference when choosing your camper.

