Operation Atalanta EU Naval Force Ribbon



Product price:

€8.50 tax included

Product codes:

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Product features:

Product short description:

Official "Atalanta" EU NAVFOR ribbon — official recognition for personnel who served in the EU counter?piracy mission off Somalia (from 8/12/2008) under UN resolutions. Suitable for uniformed personnel, dress uniform use and collectors.

- **Use:** Recognition for service with the EU NAVFOR Atalanta operation.
- **Design:** Blue field with a central yellow stripe and a silver cartouche marked "ATALANTA".
- **Variants:** Available in regulation flat form or the slightly curved "Elite" version; fits ribbon bars with two or more positions.
- **Quality:** Careful workmanship, durable finishes and conformity with uniform use specifications. Purchase securely from Tutto Militare.

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Product overview

The Nastrino Atalanta EU NAVFOR is the official ribbon worn to recognise service with the European Union Naval Force (Operation Atalanta) anti-piracy mission off Somalia. It is intended for authorised military personnel and, where permitted, collectors who follow their organisation’s uniform rules.

Definition: a regulation-size service ribbon with a blue field, a central yellow stripe and a silvered browned metal badge engraved ATALANTA. It symbolises maritime security duties performed under the EU naval mission since 2008.

Main features

Clean, regulation-style construction with choices for formal or ceremonial presentation; suitable for duty uniforms, parade dress and display in medal mounts.

- **Fabric:** sturdy regulation ribbon tape with colour-stable weave.
- **Colours:** institutional blue background with a central yellow stripe (10 mm wide).
- **Badge:** silvered, browned metal cartouche engraved in uppercase “ATALANTA”.
- **Formats:** flat regulatory profile or Elite slightly domed version for a premium look.
- **Finishes:** clean anti-fray edges and a rear prepared for mounting on a base.
- **Compatibility:** fits single and multi-place ribbon bars commonly used on Italian and European uniforms; mount options include clamps or screws.

How to use / When it’s useful

Quick answer: wear this ribbon when authorised by your Corps/administration or keep it in a collection if regulations allow. It identifies service in Operation Atalanta and adds a neat, regulation-accurate accent to uniform or medal display.

In most cases, select the flat regulatory format for daily duty and the Elite slightly domed format for parades, ceremonies or compact medal racks. Choose a matching ribbon mount and fixing system (clamps or screws) for secure, tidy installation.

Care and notes

Keep the ribbon and metal badge in good condition with simple, routine care and follow official rules for wear on uniform.

- Avoid prolonged exposure to direct sunlight and high humidity to preserve colours.
- Clean the metal cartouche with a soft, dry cloth; avoid chemical cleaners.
- Store in a dust bag or medal case to protect edges and sheen.
- Use authorised mounting hardware and check your unit’s dress regulations before wearing.

FAQ

Q: Who can wear the Nastrino Atalanta?

A: Personnel who have the right to wear the ribbon according to their Corps or administration regulations. Collectors may purchase where allowed by law and local rules.

Q: What is the difference between the Piatto (flat) and Elite versions?

A: The Piatto is a straight, regulation-style ribbon for everyday wear; the Elite is slightly domed for a more refined appearance, suited to parades and compact medal displays.

Q: Is the “ATALANTA” badge metal?

A: Yes. The cartouche is a silvered, browned metal plate with the word ATALANTA engraved in uppercase for clear legibility.

Q: Can I mount multiple ribbons on one base?

A: Yes. The ribbon is compatible with standard multi-place ribbon bars and mounts; select the proper multi-ribbon base and fixing system for a tidy layout.

Q: Are bulk discounts available for units or departments?

A: Volume pricing may be offered. Contact customer service or your supplier for a tailored quote for department or unit orders.

Q: How should I care for and store the ribbon?

A: Store in a dry, shaded place and use a soft cloth to clean the metal badge. Avoid chemicals and prolonged sun exposure to preserve colour and finish.

Tip: Choose the format that matches your intended use—flat for routine duty, Elite for formal display—and consider a multi-place ribbon mount if you plan to combine several ribbons. Browse related ribbon mounts and fixing options to complete a neat, regulation-compliant medallist or uniform setup.

Product attributes:

Nastrini : Formato 37 mm., Formato 20 mm., Confezione Regolare, Confezione Elite, Confezione Regolare con Attacco a Clip, Confezione Regolare con Attacco a Vite, Confezione Elite con Attacco a Clip, Confezione Elite con Attacco a Vite, Nastrino 20 mm. con Clips Posteriori

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