

Fishing Vessel Safety Regulations

This card is a summary. It is not meant to replace the Regulations. In case of disparities with the Regulations, the Regulations prevail.

CARD # 1
Hull Length : All Voyages made : Sheltered waters, or NC2, limited to 2 miles from shore

Life Rafts and other Life-saving Appliances

From **A** to **B**, by a single path, select the desired equipment

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graph LR
    A((A)) --> D{or}
    D --> LR[Life raft(s) *]
    D --> RB[Recovery boat(s)]
    D --> EPIRB[EPIRB]
    D --> MTRC[Means of two-way radio communication]
    LR --> J1(( ))
    RB --> J1
    EPIRB --> J1
    MTRC --> J1
    J1 --> IS[Immersion suits]
    J1 --> AEW[Anti-exposure work suits]
    J1 --> WPH[Written procedures against hypothermia **]
    IS --> B((B))
    AEW --> B
    WPH --> B
    
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* Coastal, reduced capacity or SOLAS life raft
** Allowed in sheltered waters only

Lifejackets	Required SOLAS OR Class 1 OR Class 2 OR Standard OR Small Vessel OR PFD acceptable on vessels up to 12 m if: - Worn by everyone on board a vessel without a deck or deck structure that is underway - Worn by everyone on the deck or in the cockpit on a vessel with a deck or a deck structure that is underway
Reboarding Device	Required
Retrieval Apparatus	Required Except if only one person on board Except if recovery boat on board

Hull Lengths	Personal Life-saving Appliances	Visual Signals	Firefighting Equipment
<p>≤ 6 m ≤ 19'-8"</p>	<p>-1 15 m (50') buoyant heaving line</p>	<p>-1 watertight flashlight AND -3 pyro. distress signals other than smoke signals</p>	<p>-1 1A :5B :5C AND if fuel-burning appliance -1 1A :5B :5C</p>
<p>> 6 m ≤ 9 m > 19'-8" ≤ 29'-6"</p>	<p>-1 15 m (50') buoyant heaving line OR -1 lifebuoy with 15 m (50') buoyant line</p>	<p>-1 watertight flashlight AND -6 pyro. distress signals other than smoke signals</p>	<p>-1 2A :10B :C AND if fuel-burning appliance -1 2A :10B :C AND -1 10B :C at engine room entrance</p>
<p>> 9 m ≤ 12 m > 29'-6" ≤ 39'-4"</p>	<p>-1 15 m (50') buoyant heaving line AND -1 lifebuoy with 15 m (50') buoyant line</p>	<p>-1 watertight flashlight AND -6 pyro. distress signals (max.3 smoke signals) AND -1 signalling mirror</p>	<p>-1 2A :10B :C AND at <u>each</u> access where fuel-burning appliance -1 2A :10B :C AND -1 10B :C at engine room entrance AND -1 fire axe AND -1 bucket</p>
<p>> 12 m ≤ 15 m > 39'-4" ≤ 49'-2"</p>	<p>-1 30 m (100') buoyant heaving line AND -1 SOLAS lifebuoy with light OR with 30 m (100') buoyant line</p>	<p>-1 watertight flashlight AND -12, pyro. distress signals (max.6 smoke signals) AND -1 signalling mirror</p>	<p>-1 2A :10B :C AND at <u>each</u> access where fuel-burning appliance -1 2A :10B :C AND -1 10B :C at engine room entrance AND -1 fire axe AND -1 bucket</p>
<p>> 15 m > 49'-2"</p>	<p>-1 30 m (100') buoyant heaving line AND -1 SOLAS lifebuoy with 30 m (100') buoyant line AND -1 SOLAS lifebuoy with light</p>	<p>-1 watertight flashlight AND -12, pyro. distress signals (max.6 smoke signals) AND -1 signaling mirror</p>	<p>-1 2A :20B :C AND at <u>each</u> access where fuel-burning appliance and at the entrance of <u>each</u> accommodation space -1 2A :20B :C AND -1 20B :C at engine room entrance AND -1 fire axe AND -2 buckets</p>
Fire Extinguisher Equivalents	Dry Chemical ABC	Dry Chem. BC	CO ₂
1A :5B :C	1.5 kg (3 lb)		
2A :10B :C	2.25 kg (5 lb)		
2A :20B :C	4.5 kg (10 lb)		
5B :C	1.5 kg (3 lb)	1.5 kg (3 lb)	2.25 kg (5 lb)
10B :C	2.25 kg (5 lb)	2.25 kg (5 lb)	4.5 kg (10 lb)
20B :C	4.5 kg (10 lb)	4.5 kg (10 lb)	9 kg (20 lb)