

Deck General – Safety
Osv Survival Craft
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Of the required ring life buoys for an OSV, how many must be equipped with a water light?
See REF312
What is the minimum required number of ring life buoys on an OSV certified for ocean service?
See REF312
The rescue boat on an OSV shall carry a tow line strong enough to tow the vessel's largest loaded liferaft at a speed of a least
2 knot See REF313
The Emergency Position Indicating Radio beacon on an OSV vessel must be stowed so that it will float free if the vessel sinks See REF112
Which type EPIRB must each ocean-going OSV carry? Category I See REF112
Regulations require that OSV's under 100 GT must have a steering system that is capable of moving the rudder
from 35° on one side to 30° on the other side, in no more than 28 seconds, while making maximum headway See REF314
Each OSV must carry at least one life buoy on each side of the vessel fitted with a buoyant life line at least 12 rocket parachute flares one category I 406 Mhz satellite EPIRB All of the above.
Limit switches are located on the survival craft winch systems for OSVs to stop the winch just before the survival craft reaches final stowage position See REF306
The instructions for rescue boats and liferafts on an OSV must be approved by the Coast Guard
The light on a personal flotation device on an OSV must be replaced when it is no longer serviceable See REF307
For an OSV not on an international voyage, an approved substitute for an impulse projected type line throwing appliance
a shoulder type line throwing gun
The person-in-charge shall insure that each rescue boat on an OSV is lowered to the water, launched and operated at least once every three months See REF308
Each EPIRB required on an OSV shall be tested using the integrated test circuit and output indicator every month



The Master or person-in-charge of an OSV shall insure that each deck from which rescue boats are launched is
kept clear of any obstructions that would interfere with launching See REF308
The immersion suit requirements for OSVs apply to units operating in the Atlantic Ocean above 32 degrees North and below 32 degrees South See REF283
On an OSV, how many ring buoys are required to have a buoyant line attached? One ring life buoy on each side of the OSV See REF309
Each buoyant work vest on an OSV must be Coast Guard Approved
On an OSV, when may a work vest be substituted for a required life jacket? At no time See REF309
Each personal flotation device light on an OSV that has a non-replacement power source must be replaced on or before the expiration date of the power source See REF307
The rescue boat on an OSV is not required to carry a fishing kit See REF310
The normal equipment of every rescue boat shall include compass See REF311
The normal equipment of every rescue boat shall include one 50 meter line one first aid kit buoyant oars All of the above. See REF311