

SMALL POINT ONE-DESIGN CLASS SAILMAKERS INFORMATION

This information is being supplied as a guide to boat owners and sailmakers. All class sails in existence before the publication of these guidelines will be "grandfathered" into the class with no modifications required.

All measurements are to be taken with the sail(s) laid out on a floor with hand tension only applied to eliminate wrinkles. The measurements are to be taken to the edge of the sail itself, or to the intersection of the edges, not to bearing surfaces of rings or cringles at corners. At the head of the mainsail, the measurement point shall be the intersection of the top edge of the headboard and the luff.

Sail construction is to be of woven fabric only. The mainsail and jib and are to be of polyester cloth with a nominal cloth weight of not less than 5.5 oz. per yard. The spinnaker shall be made of nylon cloth with a nominal weight of not less than .75 oz. per yard.

MAINSAIL

Construction Details

The mainsail shall be fitted with either slides or slugs along the luff-no boltrope luffs are allowed. The sail shall be loose-footed. A slide or slug may be fitted at the clew to hold the sail to the boom. Four equally spaced batten pockets are to be fitted along the leech; top and bottom battens are to be no more than 25" long, and the two middle battens are to be no more than 30" long. Tapered battens are allowed. No foot battens may be fitted. A plastic or metal headboard is to be fitted at the head of the sail with a horizontal dimension of no more than 4½". A visibility window, telltale windows and draft stripes may be added at the owner's discretion. Contrasting sail numbers are to be fitted with a minimum height of 10".

Measurements

To obtain girth dimensions, fold the head to the clew and mark the half-girth on the edge of the luff at the fold. Fold the head to the previous mark on the leech to obtain the three quarter girth measurement. Follow the same procedure on the leech-head to clew and mark the leech for half-girth, then fold the head to the previous mark for the quarter-girth. Girth dimensions are to be taken between these marks. Maximum dimensions to be as follows:

Luff	21.75' (21'9")
Leech	23.5' (23'6")
Foot	10.5' (10'6")
Mid-Girth	6.5' (6'6")

Three Quarter-Girth	3.66' (3'8")
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JIB

Construction Details

The jib shall be fitted with hanks or snaps along the luff-no zipper luffs are allowed. The only exception shall be in the case of a roller furling jib where the sail's internal luff wire serves as the headstay. Two equally spaced batten pockets may be fitted, with battens no longer than 11". A visibility window, tell tale windows and draft stripes may be fitted at the owner's discretion. The leech of the sail shall be cut straight, i.e., no roach is allowed.

Measurements

Maximum dimensions to be as follows:

Luff	16.66' (16'8")
Leech	16.66' (16'8")
Foot	6.66' (6'8")

SPINNAKER

Construction Details

The spinnaker shall be symmetrical, i.e., leeches of equal length. Contrasting sail numbers are to be fitted with a minimum height of 10". A swivel may be fitted at the head; the point of measurement at the head in such case shall be at the intersection of the leeches-not the swivel.

Measurements

To obtain girths, the sail shall be folded in half vertically along the centerline with the leeches and clews on top of each other. The foot is to be marked at the centerline fold. The head shall be brought down to this mark and the center fold of the sail marked for the mid girth. The head shall then be brought to the mid girth mark and the center fold marked for the quarter girth. To obtain marks for girths along the leech, bring the head to the clew and mark the leech for the mid girth, then bring the head to the mid girth mark and mark the fold at the leech for the quarter girth. Girth measurements are to be taken between the appropriate marks with the sail folded in half laying flat on the floor and wrinkles spread flat. The girth and foot dimensions will be half of the actual overall dimension. The center fold dimension to be taken for the head to the center mark on the foot. Maximum dimensions to be as follows:

Leeches	17.5' (17'6")
Half Foot	6.33' (6'4")
Center Fold	19.5' (19'6")
Half Mid Girth	6.5' (6'6")
Half Quarter Girth	3.75' (3'9")