

Equipment Rules of Sailing

B.1.3, B.1.4, B.1.5 setting of sail on boom and setting of bowsprit

A submission from the Equipment Committee, Classes Committee and 420 Class

Purpose or Objective

To clarify the use of the actual measurement points on booms and bowsprits for the positioning of equipment

Proposal

B.1.3 Boom Outer Limit Mark

The **leech** of any **sail** set on a **boom**, extended as necessary, shall intersect the upper edge of the **boom spar** forward of the **boom outer limit mark point**.

B.1.4 Bowsprit Outer Limit Mark

The **tack** of any **headsail** set on a **bowsprit** shall be **connected** aft of the **bowsprit outer limit mark point**.

B.1.5 Bowsprit Inner Limit Mark

The **bowsprit inner limit mark point** shall not be outboard of the **hull** when the **bowsprit** is set.

Current Position

As above

Reasons

1. The use of the measurement point instead of the mark is introduced.
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