
**Small craft — Determination of
maximum propulsion power rating
using manoeuvring speed —**

**Part 1:
Craft with a length of hull less than 8 m**

*Petits navires — Détermination de la puissance maximale de
propulsion en utilisant la vitesse de manoeuvre —*

Partie 1: Navires d'une longueur de coque de moins de 8 m

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Foreword

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ISO 11592 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Small craft — Determination of maximum propulsion power rating using manoeuvring speed*:

- *Part 1: Craft with a length of hull less than 8 m*
- *Part 2: Craft with a length of hull between 8 m and 24 m*

Small craft — Determination of maximum propulsion power rating using manoeuvring speed —

Part 1: Craft with a length of hull less than 8 m

1 Scope

This part of ISO 11592 specifies the requirements for determination of the maximum propulsion power rating and manoeuvring speed for engine-driven small craft with a length of hull (L_H) of less than 8 m (L_H according to ISO 8666).

This part of ISO 11592 is not applicable to the following:

- personal water craft as defined by ISO 13590;^[6]
- canoes and kayaks;
- inflatable boats, as defined by ISO 6185-1, ISO 6185-2, ISO 6185-3, and ISO 6185-4, except that ISO 6185-3 requires rigid inflatable boats (RIBS) capable of a maximum speed of 30 kn or more to be tested in accordance to this part of ISO 11592;
- racing boats: craft designed and constructed solely for competitive racing.

This part of ISO 11592 does not specify craft constructional strength requirements related to maximum rated power and does not guarantee security from instability under all conditions of seaway, wind, wakes and waves.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 8666, *Small craft — Principal data*

ISO 10240, *Small craft — Owner's manual*

ISO 11192, *Small craft — Graphical symbols*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1

engine power

engine manufacturer's declared power rated as specified in ISO 8665

3.2

craft speed

speed of the craft through water