

## **John Lilley Associates Marine Surveyors - [www.seasurveys.co.uk](http://www.seasurveys.co.uk) Frequently Asked Questions.**

### **What types of vessels do you survey?**

We will survey any boat or yacht from 12ft to 300 ft and it can be any type, material or design. Our specialist field is timber construction.

### **Where can I find out more about osmosis?**

The technical link will have all the information you require.

### **Do you carry Indemnity Insurance?**

Yes we carry professional Indemnity Insurance so you have peace of mind with any survey carried by us.

### **I require a particular area of a boat to be surveyed, is that possible?**

Yes, this is not an unusual request, as insurance companies will often request this following repairs and modifications that have been carried out.

### **What should a survey report tell us?**

A detailed survey will give a true picture of the seaworthiness, general health and market value of a vessel. It can include recommendations for repairs that are needed and the vessels suitability for use.

### **We have short listed two vessels; can we have them both evaluated?**

Yes, this is a good idea if you would like a verbal opinion as to suitability. This should not be confused with a full purchase survey, which is carried out before you actually purchase a vessel. Contact us for details.

### **The vessel we are considering is quite new, do we need a survey?**

Yes, even a new boat can have minor to very serious defects that can affect the value and safety of the vessel. It is possible for a vessel to sustain serious damage that may not be apparent until a professional examines it.

### **How detailed are the reports?**

This will depend on which type of survey you have commissioned and whether the vessel has been surveyed out of the water. We carry out several types of surveys including Partial / Insurance / Pre-purchase / Insurance damage and Valuation surveys.

Check out the Reports link on the website.

### **What about Insurance updates?**

We will be pleased to give a vessel a survey update where maintenance or repairs have been carried out

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