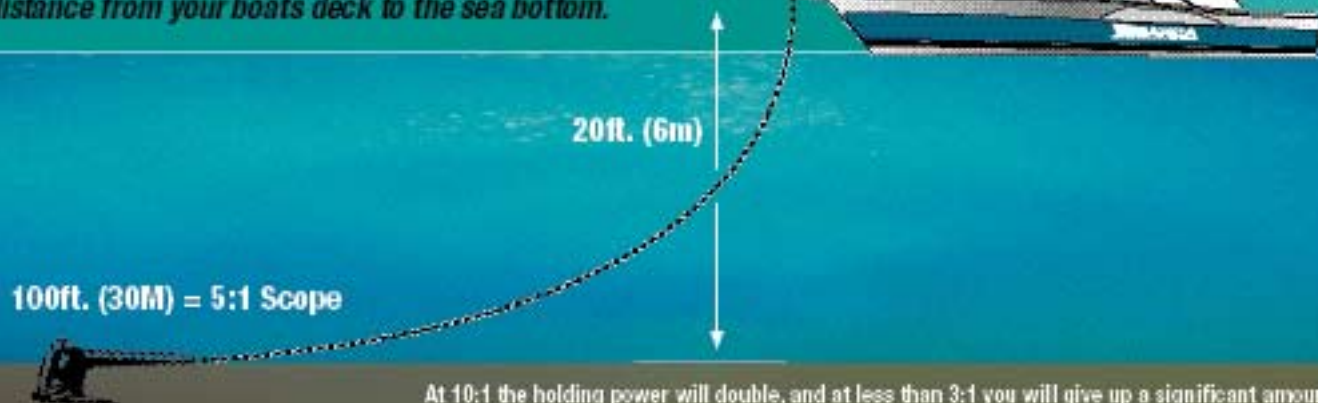




ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE WHEN ANCHORING

ADEQUATE SCOPE IS A MUST!
THIS IS CRUCIAL ADVICE WHEN ANCHORING REGARDLESS OF WHAT TYPE OF ANCHOR YOU MAY BE USING.

Scope is the length of anchor line relative to the distance from your boat's deck to the sea bottom.



At 10:1 the holding power will double, and at less than 3:1 you will give up a significant amount of holding power and may experience problems setting the anchor.

SCOPE HOLDING POWER

In crowded anchorages "Power Set" your anchor at 5:1 scope, then shorten scope as required, remember that your depth sounder may be giving you the water depth under your keel, rather than from the true waterline, in which case you need to add your draft plus the height of your deck when calculating scope.



NOTE: THE SARCA ANCHOR

We recommend a minimum of 3:1 rope scope in calm conditions.

Our minimum length and chain size is clearly mentioned in our guide to help you select the correct size SARCA for your boat

The D-Shackle

Must be of stainless steel and of standard D shape.

If the correct D-shackle is not used, the anchor's performance along with the trip release will certainly be reduced.

NOTE:

The D-shackle must be fitted with the bolt through the trip release slot.

The correct shackle size is shown on the price list.

