

Haul Out Checklist

Before Haul Out	Check	Notes
•Check the condition of the cradle		
•Pump out the holding tank		
•Replace engine oil		
•Pump out bilge water		
•Lower mast onto mast crutch		
After Haul Out		
•Remove and clean fenders		
•Scrub down algae on hull		
•Clean marks above water line		
•Wax and polish the hull and superstructure		
•Remove all items that could rot, rust, freeze, suffer moisture damage		
•Remove VHF and GPS equipment and antennae		
•Check items left onboard and list items to be replaced		
•Remove dry-cell batteries from all equipment		
•Open all seacocks to drain water		
•Drain gunk out of bottom of water separator		
•Run anti-freeze through engine		
•Replace/clean the air filter		
•Slacken fan belts		
•Store anchors and boat hooks below		
•Pump 4 litres of anti-freeze in the holding tank		
•Grease both ends of throttle, gear and stop cables		
•Disconnect propane tank		
•Disconnect and Charge batteries		
•Remove jib sheet blocks from tracks		
•Remove fire extinguishers		
•Pump out bilge		
•Pour 4 litres of anti-freeze into bilge & pump through bilge pump		
•Empty the garbage container		
•Pump out the water tank & run anti-freeze through water system		
•Tape over the exhaust pipe and other through-hull openings		
•Open lockers and cupboards		
•Empty icebox		
•Pour some anti-freeze down the sink		
•Store boom below		
•Open up floorboards		
•Put anti-freeze in all cockpit drains		
•Check standing and running rigging		
•Open forward hatch very slightly		
•Insert drop boards into companionway		
•Put winter covers on		