## Length of a surfboard

Length of the board is measured from the tip of the nose to the tail of the board. The age old question.... Do I measure the deck of the board or the rocker to get the length?? Well we can't avoid the different thoughts and arguments on this.... But generally it's the rocker measurement.

How to measure the length: Measure the bottom of the board from the tip of the nose to the end of the tail.

Whichever way you measure it, the table below will help you with the conversions:
1 inch $=25.4 \mathrm{~mm}$
1 foot $=304.8 \mathrm{~mm}$
1 meter $=3.281 \mathrm{ft}$

## Length of a surfboard Conversion Chart

| Foot 'inches" | mm | Metres |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6'0" | 1828.8 | 1.83 |
| $6^{\prime} 1^{\prime \prime}$ | 1854.2 | 1.85 |
| 6'2" | 1879.6 | 1.88 |
| 6'3" | 1905.0 | 1.91 |
| 6'4" | 1930.4 | 1.93 |
| 6'5" | 1955.8 | 1.96 |
| 6'6" | 1981.2 | 1.98 |
| 6'8" | 2032.0 | 2.03 |
| 6'10" | 2082.8 | 2.08 |
| 7'0" | 2133.6 | 2.13 |
| 7'2" | 2184.4 | 2.18 |
| 7'6" | 2286.0 | 2.29 |
| 8'0" | 2438.4 | 2.44 |
| 8'6" | 2590.8 | 2.59 |
| $9 \times$ | 2743.2 | 2.74 |
| 9'6" | 2895.6 | 2.90 |
| $10^{\prime}$ | 3048.0 | 3.05 |

## Width of a Surfboard

Width in a surfboard this is the distance across the widest part of the board. Other width measurements that are used are the tail and nose width which is usually measured in about 300 mm in from the ends of the board.

How to measure the width: at the widest part of the board measure from rail to rail.
1 inch $=25.4 \mathrm{~mm}$
1 foot $=304.8 \mathrm{~mm}$

| Width of a Surfboard <br> Conversion Chart |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| inch | $\mathbf{m m}$ | $\mathbf{c m}$ |
| 18 | 457.2 | 45.7 |
| $181 / 8$ | 460.4 | 46.0 |
| $181 / 4$ | 463.6 | 46.4 |
| $185 / 16$ | 465.1 | 45.5 |
| $181 / 3$ | 467.5 | 46.8 |
| $189 / 2$ | 469.9 | 47.0 |
| $18 \quad 2 / 3$ | 471.5 | 47.2 |
| $183 / 4$ | 474.1 | 47.4 |
| 19 | 476.3 | 47.6 |
| $191 / 8$ | 482.6 | 48.3 |
| $191 / 4$ | 485.8 | 48.6 |
| $191 / 3$ | 489.0 | 48.9 |
| $191 / 2$ | 491.1 | 49.1 |
| $19 ~ 9 / 16$ | 495.3 | 49.5 |
| $193 / 4$ | 486.9 | 48.7 |
| 20 | 499.5 | 50.0 |

## Thickness of a surfboard

How to measure the thickness of a Surfboard: The best way is with calipers in the middle of the board at the thickest part of the deck.

Below is how much difference there is between the normal measurement increments we go up with.

## Thickness

1 inch $=25.4 \mathrm{~mm}$
1 inch $=2.54 \mathrm{~cm}$

| Thickness of a surfboard <br> Conversion Chart |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| inch | mm | $\mathbf{c m}$ |
| 2 | 50.8 | 5.1 |
| $21 / 8$ | 54.0 | 5.4 |
| $21 / 4$ | 57.2 | 5.7 |
| $21 / 3$ | 59.3 | 5.9 |
| $21 / 2$ | 63.5 | 6.4 |
| $25 / 8$ | 66.7 | 6.7 |
| $22 / 3$ | 67.7 | 6.8 |
| $23 / 4$ | 69.9 | 7.0 |
| $27 / 8$ | 73.0 | 7.3 |
| 3 | 76.2 | 7.6 |

