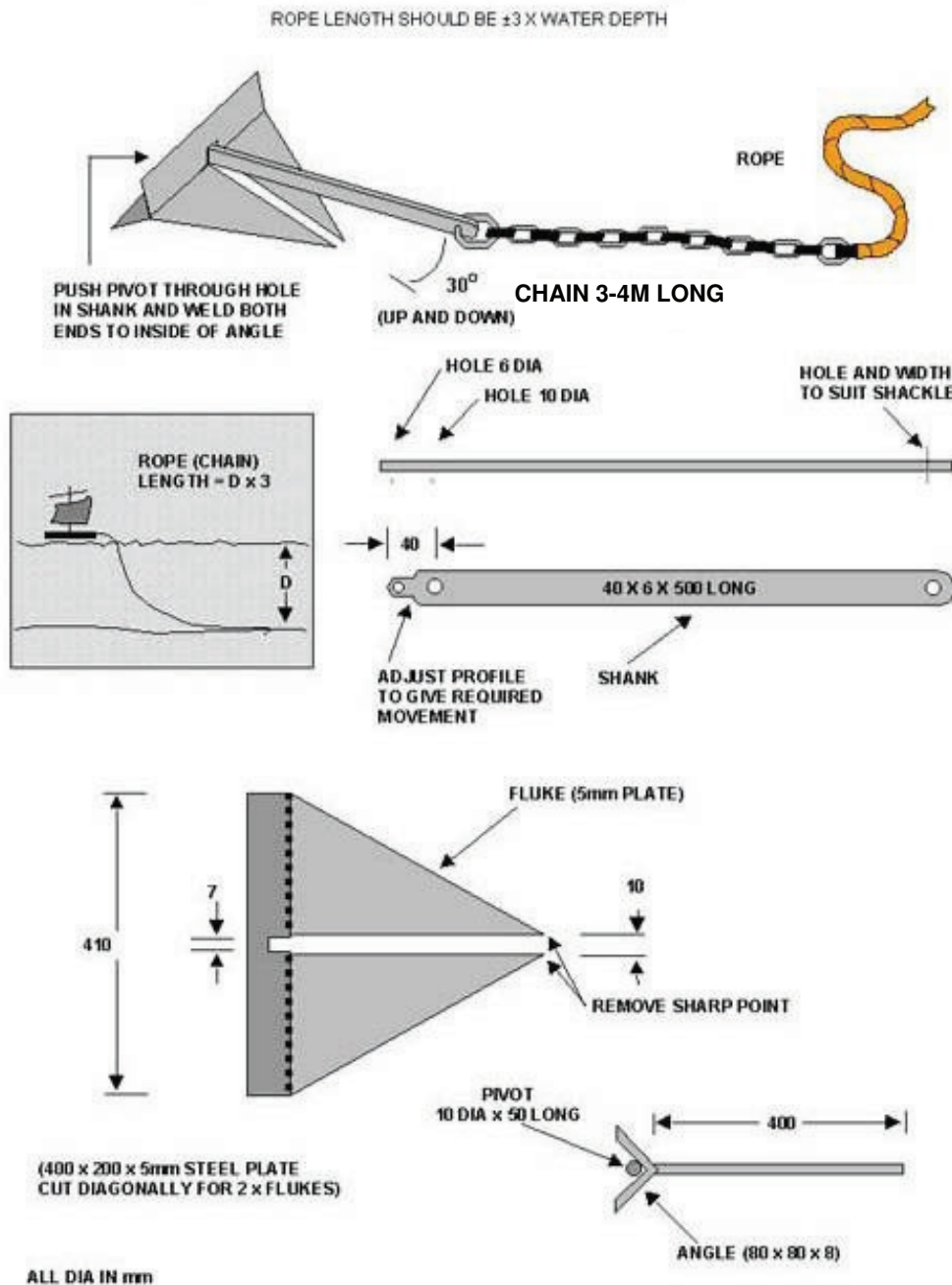


Anchor Diagram and Details



Take particular note of the 10kg weight requirements

The 3-4m chain (8-10mm diameter) is essential, since it will enable your raft to hold fast in most conditions at Sandvlei.

It is most important to have a trip line on your anchor - this enables the water crew to release the anchor more easily on Sunday. If the water safety crew is unable to release the anchor, the rope will be cut and your anchor will become another fish haven at the bottom of Sandvlei.

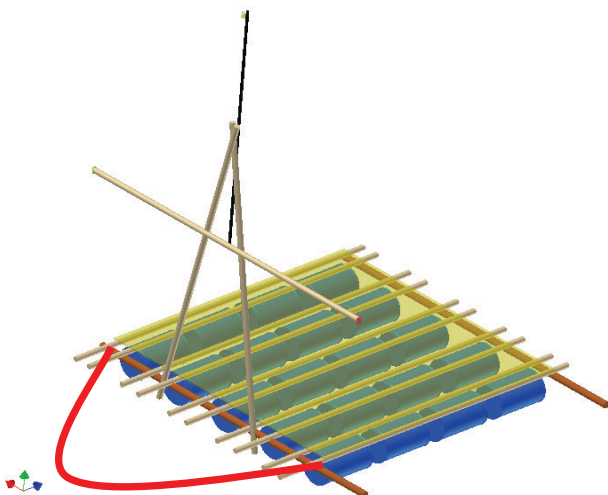
Local Anchors are available from

Marine Equipment Supplies,
57 Salt River Road, Salt River,

Imported Danforth anchors from

Central Boating, 85 Bree Street, Cape Town.
Tel 021 424 8026/7/8

Tow Rope



The rope needs to be between 8 and 10m long and tied securely to both corners of the bow, forming a loop. The rope should be a thick (min 25mm) nylon or manilla rope.

When awaiting a tow a crew member should stand on the bow holding this rope and await instructions from the water safety crew. The water safety crew will attach a snap shackle to the loop which will be free to travel up and down the rope. This enables the rescue boat to turn the raft easily and results in a much safer tow.

Rafts without such a tow rope will not be towed by the water safety crew. Furthermore this will affect points in the safety category and be a factor in the Seaworthy certificate.