

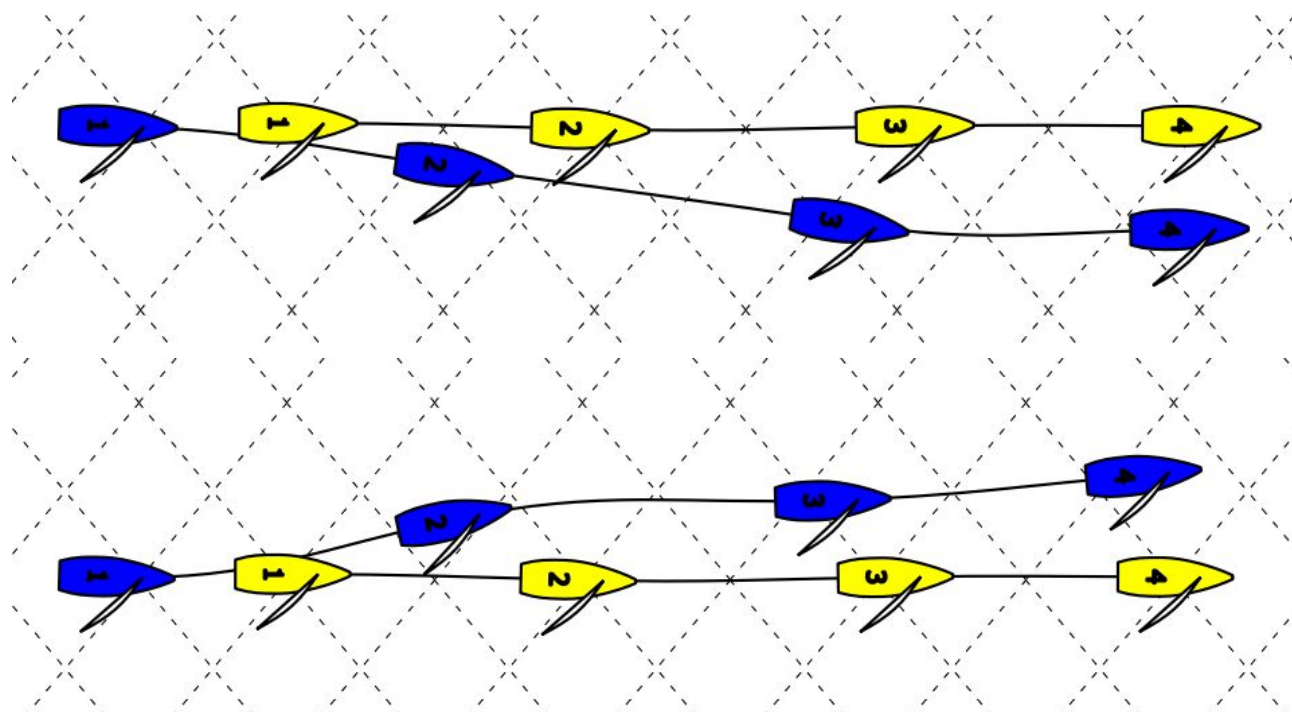
SECTION A

RIGHT OF WAY

A boat has right of way over another boat when the other boat is required to **keep clear** of her. However, some rules in Sections B, C and D limit the actions of a right-of-way boat.

12 ON THE SAME TACK, NOT OVERLAPPED

When boats are on the same *tack* and not *overlapped*, a boat *clear astern* shall keep clear of a boat *clear ahead*.



In all diagrams the Blue boat is the *keep clear* boat and starts as the clear astern boat.