

Service requirements for Tonnage: Original Licenses

If all service is obtained on vessels under 28 foot, the license will be limited to 25 gross tons.

If even 1 day of service is on vessels over 28 foot, the license will be limited to 50 gross tons.

For 100 tons, they must submit either:

- 90 days service on vessels over 50 gross tons, OR
- 180 days service on vessels over 34 gross tons.

Raising Tonnage

To raise from 25 to 50 gross tons, they need only show 1 day of service on a vessel over 28 foot.

There is no test to go from 25 to 50 gross tons.

To raise from 25 to 100 gross tons, they need either:

- 90 days service on vessels over 50 gross tons, OR
- 180 days service on vessels over 34 gross tons, OR
- 360 days service on vessels over 28 feet in length while holding a license.

There is no test to go from 25 to 100 gross tons.

To raise from 50 to 100 gross tons, they need either:

- 90 days service on vessels over 50 gross tons, OR
- 180 days service while holding a 50 ton license. There is no test to go from 50 to 100 gross tons.

To raise from 100 to 150 gross tons, they need either:

- 90 days service on vessels over 100 gross tons, OR
- 180 days service on vessels over 50 gross tons while holding a 100 ton license, AND
- When going over 100 gross tons, the person will be required to take additional test modules:
 - ◆ If the person obtained their ORIGINAL NMT 100 GT license after November 1987, they must take the 20 question/90% chart problem and a "limited module for vessels over 100 gross tons". *
 - ◆ If the person obtained their ORIGINAL NMT 100 GT license before November 1987, they must take the 20 question/90% chart problem, the Rules of the Road, the 20 question Navigation General, the 60 question deck general, and a "limited module for vessels over 100 gross tons". *

To raise from 150 to 200 gross tons, they need either:

- 90 days service on vessels over 150 gross tons, OR
- 180 days service while holding a 150 ton license.
- There is no test to go from 150 to 200 gross tons. However, if the person is going from 100 to 200, they must take the exams as outlined above in 100 to 150.

* Rules of the Road is always a 90% score to pass. All other modules are 70% unless otherwise indicated.

upgrade 100gt to 200gt

- 90 day on vessels over 150gt OK
- 180 day on vessels over 100gt.