

PS	VALUE GUIDE	SURVIVAL SUITS		
RAFT	★ MUSTANG	STEARNS	§ STEARNS	✔ STEARNS
MODEL	Ocean Commander (OC8001)	I590 Small	I590 Universal	I596 Dryflex
SIZE	Adult Universal	Adult Small	Adult Universal	Adult Universal
PRICE / SOURCE	\$595 landfallnavigation.com	\$270 hamiltonmarine.com	\$260 hamiltonmarine.com	\$500 hamiltonmarine.com
WEIGHT CAPACITY	110-330 pounds	110-250 pounds	110-330 pounds	110-330 pounds
MATERIAL	Polyurethane / nylon	Neoprene	Neoprene	Polyurethane / nylon
WEIGHT IN BAG	10.9 pounds	12.5 pounds	13.5 pounds	13.8 pounds
ZIPPER PULL	12-24 pounds	14-24 pounds	18-22 pounds	14-17 pounds
ZIPPER	OEB T-handle	YKK loop handle	YKK loop handle	YKK T-handle
AUXILLARY FLOTATION	Neck bladder	Neck bladder	Neck bladder	None
GLOVES	Separate / neoprene mitten	Integral / neoprene	Integral / neoprene	Integral / lined rubber
BOOTS	Integral / neoprene-lined rubber boots	Integral / neoprene	Integral / neoprene	Integral / neoprene-lined rubber boots
LINER MATERIAL	Foam-backed nylon	N/A*	N/A*	Foam-backed nylon
REMOVABLE LINER	Yes	N/A*	N/A*	Yes
SAFETY HARNESS	Yes	No	No	Yes
RATINGS				
ZIPPER PULL	Good	Good	Good	Good
WARMTH	Excellent	Good	Excellent	Excellent
DONNING	Good	Excellent	Good	Good
ABILITY TO SWIM	Good	Fair	Good	Good
LEAK PROOF	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
GLOVES	Good	Good	Good	Excellent
USE OF HANDS	Excellent	Fair	Fair	Good
BOOT	Excellent	Good	Good	Excellent
§ Budget Buy ✔ Recommended ★ Best Choice * Stearns 1590 is a neoprene suit, requiring no liner.				

VIKING	VIKING
PS5002	PS5006
Adult Universal	Adult Universal
\$395 Viking	\$700 Viking
110-220 pounds	110-220 pounds
Polyurethane / nylon	Polyurethane / nylon
11.5 pounds	8 pounds
8-10 pounds	9-10 pounds
Dynat T-handle	Dynat T-handle
None	Two 1" foam pieces
Separate 3-finger neoprene	Separate 3-finger neoprene
Integral / flat sole, continuation of suit material	Integral / flat sole, continuation of suit material
Meida quilt-backed nylon	Meida quilt-backed nylon
Zips away from shell, Velcro attachment at boot	Zips away from shell, Velcro attachment at boot
Yes	Yes
Excellent	Excellent
Fair	Fair
Good	Fair
Good	Excellent
Excellent	Fair
Good	Good
Excellent	Excellent
Fair	Fair