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Boating Tip #19: Overtaking vs. Crossing Situations

A vessel is overtaking another vessel if it approaches from more than 22.5° abaft of beam. The vessel being overtaken is the stand on vessel, and maintains course and speed. The overtaking vessel gives way. If you are not sure if you are in a crossing or overtaking situation, always give way.

