

AS:

- 'Dick Van Straalen' started 1967 2011
- 'Country Spaceships by the Boys' Few made. started 1967 closed 1972
- 'White Lite Projections' Few made. started 1967 closed 1972
- 'Eighth Wing Slalom' Few made. started 1967 closed 1972
- 'Surf Design' Few made. started 1968 closed 1970
- 'Spirit of the Sea' Few made. started 1970 closed 1973
- 'Out of the Blue' About 4 made total. c 1980's c 1980's
- 'Classic Waterman' Open ocean racing board's started 1996 2011

OWNER: Dick Van Straalen, shaper

FACTORIES: ([Website](#))

- Burleigh Heads, Australia. s 1967 2011

Some boards were subcontracted.

MODELS: None reported to date.

BLANKS:

- Wood: S. American composite balsa. 1990's 2011
- Foam: Burford, some polystyrene. 1986 2011

OTHER SHAPERS:

- Joe Engal. 1970 2011
- Kevin Brennan. 1968 2011
- Mike Perry. 1973 1974
- Peter Harris. 1970 2011
- Richard Harvey. 1970 2008

SHAPES: All shapes, custom and some stock boards. 1967 2011

LOGOS, Dick Van Straalen:

- 'Dick Van Straalen - Surf Designs - PO Box 267, Burleigh Heads 4220' **Figure 1**. c 1967 x 1970
- 'Handcrafted by Dick Van Straalen' **Figure 2**. s 2000 2011

LOGO, Surf Design:

- 'Surf Design' **Figure 3**. s 1968 x 1970



Figure 1



Figure 2



Figure 3

LOGOS, Spirit of the Sea:

- 'Spirit of the Sea - by Van Straalen' **Figure 4**. s 1970 x 1973
- 'Spirit of the Sea - Surfboards - Kirra Point, Queensland' **Figure 5**. s 1970 x 1973
- 'Spirit of the Sea' **Figure 6**. s 1970 x 1973



Figure 4



Figure 5



Figure 6

OTHER LAMINATES: 'Surf Design - Queensland' **Figure 7**, Knock off



Figure 7

FINS:

Glass-ons.....	1967.....	2011
Box style.....	1970's.....	2011
F.C.S.....	1990's.....	2011
Future.....	2000's.....	2011
NUMBERING: [Reliability = 10] # of boards for month + 1-2 digit month + 2 digit year..... c 2000.....		2011

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