

AS:

'Shaw':..... started 1959..... closed 1968
 'Go Surf'..... started 1973..... closed 1974
 'Steve Shaw':..... started 1968..... closed 1978

OWNER: Steve Shaw, only shaper

FACTORIES:

La Mesa, California..... s 1959..... x 1968
 Encinitas, California..... s 1968..... x 1978

MODELS, Shaw, Steve Shaw, Go Surf: None

BLANKS:

Wood: Balsa (Shaw): source unknown, solid, only one made, may not have a logo. 1962. 1962

Foam:

Clark..... 1959..... 1978
 Walker..... 1973..... 1974

Note: Go Surf was made with Walker only.

STRINGERS:

Redwood, Balsa..... 1959..... 1978
 Basswood..... 1964..... 1978
 T-bands, multiples..... 1959..... 1978
 Curved, few..... 1964..... 1978

NOSE & TAIL BLOCKS:

Fiberglass, variety of woods..... 1959..... 1978
 High density foam..... 1964..... 1978

SHAPES, Shaw: One series similar to 'Da Cat', no name, less than 50 made. s 1965. x 1966

LOGOS, Shaw:

'Surfboards by Shaw - La Mesa' **Figure 1**..... s 1959..... x 1961
 'Custom Surfboards - by Shaw' **Figure 2**..... s 1961..... x 1968



Figure 1

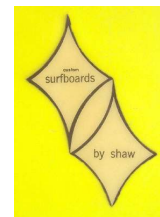


Figure 2

LOGO, Go Surf: Sprayed on with stencil..... s 1973..... x 1974

LOGO, Steve Shaw: No images available to date.

COLOR & ARTWORK, Shaw:

Tinted laminates or gloss..... 1959..... 1967
 Air brushed foam..... 1968..... 1978

COLOR & ARTWORK, Go Surf: Tints..... 1973..... 1974

GLASSING:

2 x 6 oz, some were 2 x 10 volan..... 1959..... 1970
 Silene..... 1970..... 1978
 By Precision..... 1973..... 1974

FINISHES: Gloss & polish, unpolished with hand rubbed rails or sanded. 1959. 1978

FINS:

Single..... 1959..... 1978
 Glassed on beaded wood..... 1959..... 1960's
 Unlimited..... 1970's..... 1978

NUMBERING, Shaw:

[Reliability = 0]None. 1959. late 1963

[Reliability = 9] Most had the year inscribed on blank. late 1963. 1978
NUMBERING, Go Surf:

[Reliability = 5] These were sequentially numbered, no records available.
PRODUCTION, Go Surf: About 80 made total.

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