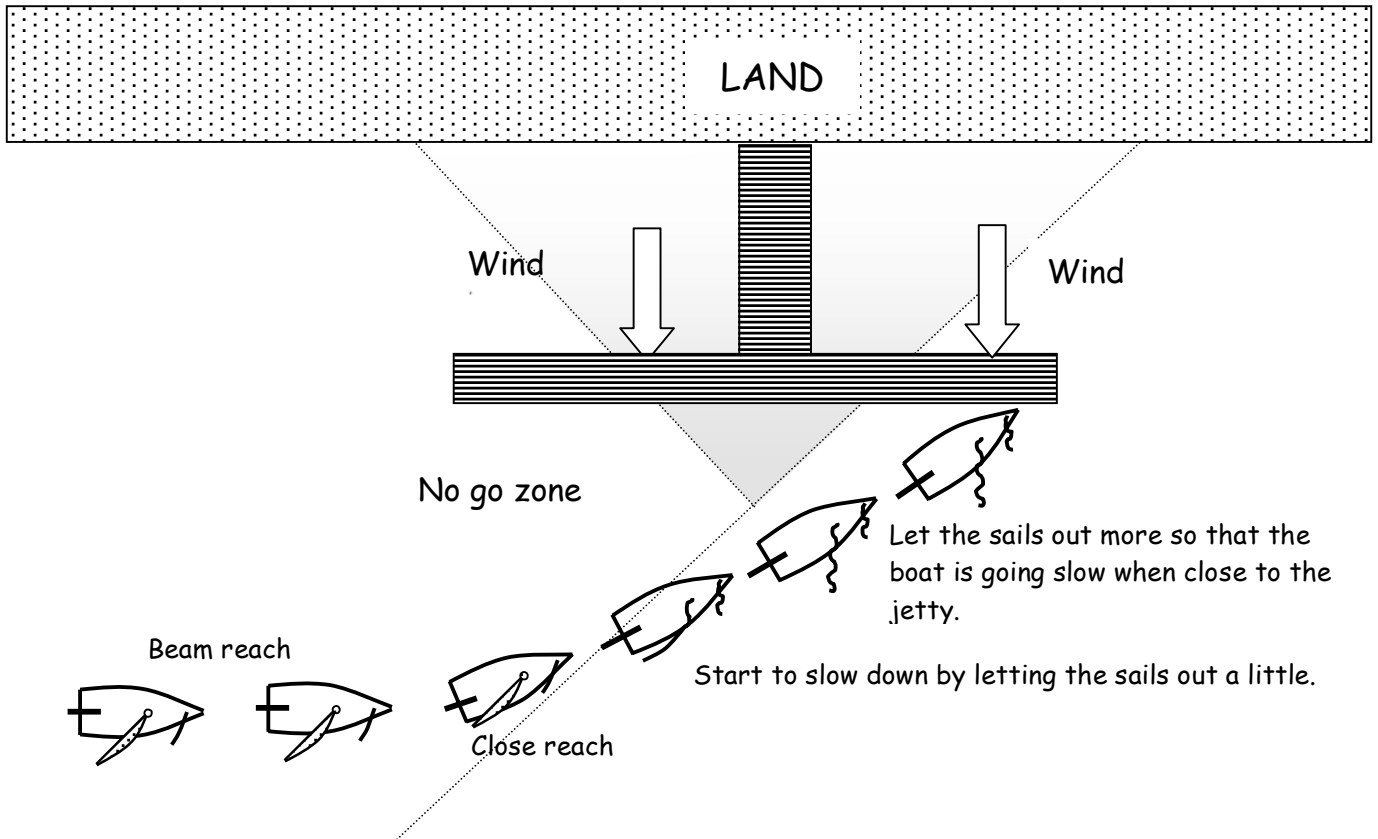


## Approaching a Jetty



The wind may change direction when on an approach to a jetty so the boat is put onto a close reach. If a boat has sails close hauled they cannot be pulled in if the wind heads the boat. On a beam or broad reach the sails cannot flap when let out to if the wind comes onto the beam of the boat as the boom will touch the shroud and the sail will continue to fill and drive the boat forward.

## Approaching a mooring

A mooring is a floating object anchored to the sea or riverbed to allow boats to tie up to.

The first action when approaching a mooring is to get down wind of it so that the boat can be put on a close reach and then the same procedure as for jetty approaches can be used.

