State	Lot Size Min	Walkway Max	Fixed Deck Max	Floating Dock	Channelward Extension	Boat Hoist(s)	Total Area
GA	50ft. riparian frontage	length: 1,000ft width: 6ft. area: 3,000 ft ²	300 ft ^{2.} may be partially 1/3 walled, covered.	600 ft². single 1,000sq.ft. multi- family jet docks don't count toward total under certain conditions	40' from mlw or 25% of waterway, whichever is less	yes: 1-16x30ft, 3x30 catwalk; 2 w/proof of registration/bill of sale larger sizes considered upon proof of larger boat	total, including terminal end: 4,470 ft ² (includes 1 hoist & catwalk)
	Other: roof 12ft high, w/eaves 18in. past edge of fixed deck. 10ft min off extended property lines						
SC	75ft. for single family; 50ft for shared dock	length: 1,000ft inc. all structures (deck & floating docks, etc.) width: 4ft max area: limited by total walkway length restriction	Yes, covered, no enclosed, no 2 nd story	Based on creek width: >20ft: no docks 20-50ft: fixed decks and floats=120sq.ft. 51-150ft = 160sq.ft >150ft = 600sq.ft. Jet docks count toward total allowable area		Yes; smallest hoist for purpose. 1 hoist per single family dock.	Total max area is limited to total dock walkway length restriction + creek size ft² restrictions. Does not include hoist.
NC	30ft	length: up to 100ft to reach edge of veg., or up to 400ft only to access deep water at rate of 1ft/100ft of pier width: 6ft. area: no max*	400 ft ² , only if lot size is >/= 75ft. frontage, roofed, partially ½ walled, 12ft. high max., no 2 nd story	400 ft² max. Permit exemption for anything <200sq.ft. Jet docks are considered boat lifts and count towards total allowable.	25% of water body measured from grass to grass	Yes, 400 ft ² max for all hoists/lifts Up to 2 hoists; jet ski lifts count.	2 boats max or req. a major permit total area: no max; limited by pier length
FL	65ft.	width: 6ft. max or 4ft. in aquatic preserves	Area is included in maximum for terminal end (including Floating Dock and Boat hoist): 1,000ft	Fixed deck and terminal end not to exceed 1,000 ft ² Jet docks up to 500 ft ²	none for single family; 25% waterway for multi- slip docks; 25ft. seaward from a bulkhead	Yes for single and multi-family docks (equiv to GA Community docks)	total area (inc. walkway and terminal end) = 2,000 ft ²

^{*}NC calculates area of a dock to include walkway, terminal end including floating docks

Context

NC: concerned with cumulative impacts and impacts to SAV, shellfish resources

SC: standards minimize impacts to habitat from leachate, shading, erosion/turbidity caused by prop

FL: concerned with adverse impacts to SAV, mangroves and marshes due to shading/fill; loss of ESA due to shading of seagrass and increased boat activity; impacts to upland nesting habitat and shellfish resources; degradation of water quality (leachate from pilings); prop dredging resulting from dock use; and archaeological/historic resources