

Stavik, Vänern Värmland, Sweden

Swedish no. 961100
International no: No number
Lat./Long.: N 59 10, O 13 10
Date Established: 1860
Present Lighthouse: 1860
Date Automated: 1952
Date Unmanned: 1952 *
Tower height: 13,5 m
44,3 ft
Light height over
water 15 m
49,3 ft
Range: 13,5 nm



Original optics: Plain permanent light from oil lamp
Present optics: LLGA 4, Fourth order (500 mm / 19,7 in) dioptric drum lens.
Lighthouse apparatus: Electrical lamp with battery backup, 12 V
Other equipment: -
Building materials: Wood.
Tower colour and shape: White hexagonal tower covered with horizontal wood panelling.
Cottage: Private, contact owner.
Owner: Anna-Lena and Gunno Quist, Karlstad.
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Location: The lighthouse is located at the lake Vänern in the northwest part of the lake. The area is called Värmlands Näs, in the province of Värmland. Nearest town is Säffle 20 km or 12 ml southwest.
Status: The light is in operation
Managing Organization: Light function: Swedish Maritime Administration
Buildings: Owner.
Other information: In 1898 a parabolic mirror was installed with a rotating clockwork with weight drive and paraffin lamp. In 1952 was light automated and electrified (230V) with AGA gas backup.
* The staff was living at the station until 1973, with other assignments
In 1998 the AGA gas backup system was replaced by 12 V battery backup system.
In 2003 the light house station, including the lighthouse, was sold to descendants in fifths and sixth generation to the first keeper Erik Johansson.
Also in 2003, the lighthouse was restored and the original wood panelling was returned. It had been covered by concrete tiles for over 50 years.
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