

## International Sailing Federation

### 2002 QUESTIONNAIRE

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Average price of complete new boat without sails?	£ 40'000 – 65'000* * high-tech version with epoxy hull, carbon fibre spars and rudder, trim-tab hydraulic operated, speedometer, digital compass.

Name three builders (preferably one per continent) and quoted price for 2001/2002	BUILDER NAME: Wilke CH PRICE: CHF 160'000.00 BUILDER NAME: Melges USA PRICE: US\$ 90'000.00 BUILDER NAME: Hudson AG AUS PRICE: AUS\$ 110'000
Name National Association member countries paid up in 2001	AUS, BAH, FIN, FRA, GER, GBR, NED, NOR, SUI, USA.
Name six Countries and number of members that represent the ISAF minimum criteria (details in Appendix A).	1 FIN 30 2 FRA 28 3 AUS 25-27 4 USA 22 5 NED 28 6 SUI 78
How many new boats were built in 2001?	Two
How many boats were built over the past 5 years?	Six
Approximately how many boats exist Worldwide?	350
Name & nationality of World Champion(s)?	Boat: SUI 205 Artemis XI Crew: Jochen Schümann GER, Roni Pieper SUI, Peter van Niekerck NED
2001 World Championships  <i>Example of title, 'Mistral One Design Men's World Championships.'</i>	TITLE OF EVENT: 5.5 Metre World Championship VENUE: Flensburg, GER No. OF ENTRIES: 38 PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES: AUS, BAH, FIN, GBR, GER, NED, NOR, SUI, USA. No. OF CONTINENTS REPRESENTED: 3 No. OF RACES: 6 No. OF NON ISAF JURY MEMBERS: 2

<p><i>If there is <b>more than one World Championship</b> please submit the details, copying this section of the questionnaire.</i></p>	<p>NATIONALITY OF NON ISAF JURY MEMBERS: GER  EVENT WEBSITE: flenship@foni.net  NAMES OF ISAF INTERNATIONAL JUDGES PRESENT:  Jan Willem van Weezenbreek (NED), Kazuko Akimoto (JAP), one from ITA (name forgotten!)  NAME OF PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER:  C. O. Hansen,GER  NAME OF EVENT CHIEF MEASURER:  Jürg Sprecher, SUI</p>
<p>Please give a short report of the World Championships</p>	<p>1) QUALITY OF EVENT ORGANISATION?  Very good  2) VENUE SUITABILITY FOR FUTURE WORLDS?  ASHORE: yes  AFLOAT: yes  3) STANDARDS/ LEVEL OF RACING? High</p>
<p>Please state any recommendations for future World Championships</p>	<p>ISAF should urgently tackle the problem of the (too high) costs of an International Jury for an *amateur sailing club (*with only limited sponsor money) to avoid stratospheric entry fees for the competitors.  Recommendation:  Three Jury members are enough: 1 international + 2 local judges.  Comparison: Even legal courts in my and many other countries as well as some other sports have only three judges and regarding impartial judges: The referee at the final match for gold in ice hockey at this years Olympics between USA and Canada was a Canadian!</p>