International Sailing Federation

2003 CLASS REPORT

Name of Class	International J/24 Class Association
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Average price of complete new boat without sails	£19,000
Name three	(1)BUILDER NAME: J Boats Argentina
builders (preferably one	(2)BUILDER NAME: J Boats Italy
per continent) and quoted price for 2002/2003 (Pounds Sterling)	(3)BUILDER NAME: US Watercraft
Name National Association member countries paid in 2002	ARG, AUS, BER, BRA, CAN, CAY, CHI, ECU, FRA, GBR, GER, HUN, IRL, ITA, JPN, KOR, LCA, MEX, MON, NED, PER, PUR, SWE, TRI, USA & VEN
Name six Countries & number of members that represent the ISAF minimum criteria.	USA-JCA 1050, JPN-JCA 300, ITA-JCA 253, CAN- JCA 251, AUS-JCA 201, GBR-JCA 83
How many new boats were built	25

in 2002	
How many boats were built over the past 5 years	150
Approximately how many boats exist Worldwide	5400
2002 World Championship(s)	(1)TITLE OF EVENT: QUANTUM J24 Worlds
	(2)VENUE: Kingston, Ontario, Canada
Example of title,	(3)NUMBER OF ENTRIES: 62
'Mistral One Design Men's World Championships.' If there is more than one World Championship please submit the details, copying this section of the questionnaire.	(4)COUNTRIES REPRESENTED:
	ARG, AUS, BER, CAN, GBR, ITA, JPN, MEX, PER, USA
	(5)NUMBER OF RACES: 9
	(6)NUMBER & NATIONALITY OF NON ISAF JURY MEMBERS: Julie Hahnke (USA)
	(7)EVENT WEBSITE: http://www.j24can.com/worlds
	(8)NAMES OF ISAF INTERNATIONAL JUDGES PRESENT: Margriet Pannevis (NED), Bill Cheek (CAN), Don Makowiecki (USA), David Pelling (CAN).
	(9)NAME OF PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER: Don MacIntyre (CAN).
	(10)NAME OF EVENT CHIEF MEASURER: John Peck (USA).
Name & nationality of World	2002, Brad Reid (USA)
	All previous World Champions already on file
Champion(s)	
Please give a short report of the World Championship(s) & send a copy of the final overall results.	1) ORGANISATION QUALITY? Excellent
	2) VENUE GOOD & BAD POINTS?
	ASHORE: Everything almost perfect
	AFLOAT: Everything almost perfect
	2002 J/24 World Championship Summary: It seems like everybody knows what a great place Kingston, Ontario is to have a regatta. Basically, you've got a nice sized marina, a very large sailing center on shore including a restaurant and snack bar, and about 20 acres of land. What more could you want. Beside the fact that Kingston has a fine harbor and shore

facility, the city is also a great place to sail for the city's sake. The city seems to be laid out with a sailor in mind. A short distance from the harbor is the downtown area with tons of bars and restaurants within easy walking distance. Even better, in the summertime sailors are invited to stay in the empty university dorms about a mile from their boats for a very reasonable price.

The classic Kingston sailing days come when the wind blows from the southwest and the waves have the entire length of Lake Ontario to build. On the first morning of the Worlds, it looked as if it would be one of those days; southwest wind at 12-15 knots and the beautiful 4-6 foot waves that make going downhill a blast. 62 boats representing ten countries took to the water for the three-mile sail around the point to the racing area in the main body of the lake. Congratulations are due to Brad Read and his team for their fine sailing, and congratulations to the regatta organizers for hosting a top-quality event worthy of the J/24 Class.