International Sailing Federation

2003 CLASS REPORT

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Average price of complete new boat without sails	Pounds Sterling £2,600
Name three builders (preferably one per continent) and quoted price for 2002/2003 (Pounds Sterling)	(1)BUILDER NAME: Rushworth Racing Dinghies, GBR. PRICE: £3,995
	(2)BUILDER NAME: Bull, New Zealand. PRICE: £2,350
	(3)BUILDER NAME: Joe Nejedly, Praga Marine, India. PRICE: £1,580
Name National Association member countries paid in 2002	AUS, BEL, GBR, GER, USA, DEN, SWE, SUI, NZL, IND, FRA, NED, POL, NOR
Name six Countries & number of members that represent the ISAF minimum criteria.	AUS 80, GBR 142, NZL 50, POL 60, GER 200, DEN 74
How many new boats were built	20

in 2002	
How many boats were built over the past 5 years	133
Approximately how many boats exist Worldwide	1,000
2002 World Championship(s)	(1)TITLE OF EVENT: OK Dinghy World Championships.
Example of title,	(2)VENUE: Napier Sailing Club, New Zealand.
'Mistral One Design Men's World Championships.'	(3)NUMBER OF ENTRIES: 79
	(4)COUNTRIES REPRESENTED: GBR, AUS, GER, NZL, POL, IND, KOR, SIN, BEL, DEN, SWE
If there is more than one World Championship please submit the	(5)NUMBER OF RACES: 7
	(6)NUMBER & NATIONALITY OF NON ISAF JURY MEMBERS: N P Hallander (SWE).
details, copying this	(7)EVENT WEBSITE: None
section of the questionnaire.	(8)NAMES OF ISAF INTERNATIONAL JUDGES PRESENT: Ralph Robert (NZL), N Allen (AUS), D E Brooke (NZL), R Ware (AUS).
	(9)NAME OF PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER: Roger Gourley.
	(10)NAME OF EVENT CHIEF MEASURER: Barry Finlayson.
Name & nationality of World Champion(s)	World Champion: Greg Wilcox, NZL
	Junior Champion: Andrew Phillips, NZL
Please give a short report of the World Championship(s) & send a copy of the final overall results.	1) ORGANISATION QUALITY? Courses were good in terms of size and squareness, although some courses set too close to shore and there were some poor start lines with not enough discipline with premature starters and recalls.
	2) VENUE GOOD & BAD POINTS?
	ASHORE: Nice clubhouse, views over harbour, large dinghy park, room for many containers and cars. Nice, welcoming and friendly club. Fantastic bar service. Short walk to amenities. Long walk to town. Camping not allowed on site.
	AFLOAT: Generally fickle winds with large shifts.

	Can change rapidly. Little tide. Very large waves can build up very quickly.
Please state any recommendations for future World Championship events	Recommended