

International Sailing Federation

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Note: answers will be put on the ISAF Website, to help with this please type in responses and email back to ISAF. If you do not want personal details of anyone other than the primary contact address published please place these details in red text

2008 CLASS REPORT

Name of Class	International Optimist
Class Website Address	www.optiworld.org
Contact Details (name, address, telephone, fax, email)	PRESIDENT: Peter Barclay
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	CHIEF MEASURER: None, all communications via the Secretariat
Primary Contact (to be used in the yearbook)	Sally Burnett
Average price of complete new boat without sails	USD 1525

Name three builders (preferably one per continent) and quoted price for 2008/2009	(1) BUILDER NAME: Shanghai Far East Website: http://www.fareastboats.com/ PRICE: USD 1450 (2) BUILDER NAME: Rio Tecna Website: www.riotecna.com PRICE: USD 1600 (3) BUILDER NAME: Cantiere Nordest Website: www.cantiernordest PRICE: €uro 1200		
Name all National Association member countries paid in 2008	Algeria Am. Samoa Andorra Angola Argentina Australia Austria Bahamas Bahrain Barbados Belgium Bermuda Brazil British V.I Bulgaria Canada Chile Chin. Taipei China Colombia Cook Islands Croatia Cuba Cyprus Czech Rep. Denmark Dominican Rep Ecuador Egypt El Salvador Estonia Finland France Germany G. Cayman	Great Britain Greece Grenada Guatemala Hong Kong Hungary Iceland India Indonesia Iran Ireland Israel Italy Japan Kenya Korea Kuwait Kyrghizstan Latvia Libya Lithuania Macedonia FYR Malaysia Malta Mauritius Mexico Monaco Montenegro Morocco Myanmar Netherlands Neth. Antilles New Zealand Pakistan Papua NG Paraguay	Peru Philippines Poland Portugal Puerto Rico Qatar Russia San Marino Senegal Serbia Seychelles Singapore Slovakia Slovenia South Africa Spain Sri Lanka St. Kitts St.Lucia Sweden Switzerland Tahiti Tanzania Thailand Trinidad & T. Tunisia Turkey Uganda U.A.Emirates U.S.A. U.S. Virgin I. Ukraine Uruguay Venezuela Zimbabwe

Name six Countries & number of boats that represent the ISAF minimum criteria (details in Appendix A).	(1) Ireland 150+ (2) U.S.A. 150+ (3) Argentina 150+ (4) Singapore 150+ (5) South Africa 150+ (6) New Zealand 150+
How many new boats were built in 2008	4,000
How many boats were built over the past 5 years	20,652
Approximately how many boats exist Worldwide	100,000+
2008 World Championship(s) Send a copy of the final overall results.	HOW MANY WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS WERE HELD FOR THESE GROUPS: (1) OPEN 1 (5) OTHER 1 (Team Racing)
<i>If there is more than one World Championship please submit the details, copying this section of the questionnaire.</i> Example of title, <i>'470 Women's World Championships.'</i>	(1) EVENT TITLE: IODA World Sailing Championship (2) VENUE: Cesme, Turkey (3) EVENT WEBSITE: (4) NUMBER OF ENTRIES: 250 (5) COUNTRIES REPRESENTED: 53 from 6 continents (6) NUMBER OF RACES: 15 (7) WERE ANY BOATS SUPPLIED AND BY WHO? 60% of all boats at the event were chartered from Winner (8) NAME & NATIONALITY OF WORLD CHAMPION(S): Raúl Ríos, Puerto Rico <u>RACE OFFICIALS INFORMATION</u> (9) NAME OF PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER: Luis Ormaechea IRO (10) NAMES OF ISAF INTERNATIONAL JUDGES PRESENT: Henry Menin ISV Barbara Farquhar USA Mohamed Azzoug ALG

	<p>Ajay Balram IND Carlos Diehl ARG Chris Watts GBR Andres Perez ESP Husnu Levent TUR</p> <p>(11) NAMES & NATIONALITY OF NON ISAF JURY MEMBERS: Marina Psychogiou GRE Arkun Demircan TUR</p> <p>(12) NAME OF EVENT CHIEF MEASURER: T.C.Morris IM</p> <p>(13) ORGANISATION QUALITY?</p> <p>(14) VENUE GOOD & BAD POINTS?</p> <p>(a) ASHORE: Very suitable</p> <p>(b) AFLOAT: Excellent, good variety of winds</p>
Please state any recommendations for future World Championship events	
<p>If there is more than one World Championship please submit the details, copying this section of the questionnaire.</p> <p>Example of title, '470 Women's World Championships.'</p>	<p>(1) EVENT TITLE: IODA World Team Racing Championship</p> <p>(2) VENUE: Cesme, Turkey</p> <p>As above except</p> <p>(4) NUMBER OF ENTRIES: 16 Teams (qualified from 49 full teams at individual championship)</p> <p>(5) COUNTRIES REPRESENTED: 16</p> <p>(6) NUMBER OF RACES: 32</p> <p>(7) WERE ANY BOATS SUPPLIED AND BY WHO? Winner</p> <p>(8) NAME & NATIONALITY OF WORLD CHAMPION(S): Puerto Rico</p>

APPENDIX A

The class requirements for ISAF Status are:

	INTERNATIONAL CLASSES	RECOGNIZED CLASSES	OR RECOGNIZED CLASSES
Number of Countries	6	4 or 3	4 or 3
Number of Continents	3	1 or 2	1 or 2
	Number of boats per country : Up to 7.6m 20 7.6 to 9.0m 10 9.0 to 12.0m 6 12.0 to 15.0m 4 Above 15.0m 2 Windsurfers 50	Number of boats per country: Up to 5m 20 5 to 6.5m 15 6.5 to 7.6m 8 7.6 to 9m 7 9.0 to 12m 6 12.0 to 15.0m 2 Above 15.0m 1 Windsurfers 30	Number of boats Worldwide : Up to 5m 100 5 to 6.5m 80 6.5 to 7.6m 60 7.6 to 9m 30 9.0 to 12m 25 12.0 to 15.0m 20 15.0 to 20.0m 2 Above 20.0m 8 Windsurfers 100