

International Sailing Federation

2003 CLASS REPORT

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Average price of complete new boat without sails	£ 4796
Name three builders (preferably one per continent) and quoted price for 2002/2003 (Pounds Sterling)	BUILDER NAME: Persson Snipes, Espergaerde, Denmark, PRICE: £4876 BUILDER NAME: Diemer, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, PRICE: £3741 BUILDER NAME: Jibe Technology, Portsmouth, Rhode Island, USA, PRICE: £5782
Name National Association member countries paid in 2002	Argentina, Bahamas, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Cuba, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, India, Italy, Japan, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom, United States, Uruguay
Name six Countries & number of members that	United States 680, Brazil 125, Japan 425, Russia 53, Italy 325, Norway 145

represent the ISAF minimum criteria.	
How many new boats were built in 2002	111
How many boats were built over the past 5 years	892
Approximately how many boats exist Worldwide	30,100+
<p>2002 World Championship(s)</p> <p>Example of title,</p> <p><i>'Mistral One Design Men's World Championships.'</i></p> <p><i>If there is more than one World Championship please submit the details, copying this section of the questionnaire.</i></p>	<p>(1) TITLE OF EVENT: Snipe Women's Worlds</p> <p>VENUE: St. Petersburg, Florida</p> <p>NUMBER OF ENTRIES: 26</p> <p>COUNTRIES REPRESENTED: 8: USA, NOR, URU, SWE, JPN BAH, CHI, CAN</p> <p>NUMBER OF RACES: 7</p> <p>(2) TITLE OF EVENT: Snipe Masters World Championship</p> <p>VENUE: St. Petersburg, Florida</p> <p>NUMBER OF ENTRIES: 61</p> <p>COUNTRIES REPRESENTED: 12: USA, BRA, NOR, DEN, ITA, JPN, ESP, FIN, BAH, URU, FRA, CAN</p> <p>NUMBER OF RACES: 4</p> <p><i>Since the regattas were run back-to-back, the jury & sailing venue comments are the same.</i></p> <p>(3) NUMBER & NATIONALITY OF NON ISAF JURY MEMBERS: Morten Christoffersen DEN, Ann Newton: USA.</p> <p>(4) EVENT WEBSITE: www.snipeus.org</p> <p>(5) NAMES OF ISAF INTERNATIONAL JUDGES PRESENT: Bill Cheek: Canada, Means Davis: USA, Sonia Mayes: GBR.</p> <p>(6) NAME OF PRINCIPAL RACE OFFICER: Pat Sidenspinner for Women's Worlds, Pat Sidenspinner & Tom Farquhar for Master Worlds.</p> <p>(7) NAME OF EVENT CHIEF MEASURER: Brainard Cooper & Steve Stewart.</p>
Name & nationality of	Women's: Carolyn Brown Krebs & Julie Redler, USA. Masters: Augie Diaz & John Kehoe, USA

World Champion(s)	
Please give a short report of the World Championship(s) & send a copy of the final overall results .	<p>1) ORGANISATION QUALITY Extremely organized with excellent facilities. Separate sailing building from Yacht Club.</p> <p>2) VENUE GOOD & BAD POINTS</p> <p>ASHORE: Ample room for boat storage & 2 hoists plus several ramps for launching. Close sailmakers & boat hardware stores. Women's event had plenty of wind. Not much for the Masters.</p> <p>AFLOAT: 30 minute sail out to course. Plenty of room for a class legal size course in any wind direction. Excellent Race Committee work and support crews.</p>
Please state any recommendations for future World Championship events	An excellent place to run major regattas. Also set up for disabled sailing. Club has many, many rooms to facilitate functions and a great volunteer staff to run races.