

# 2023 Annual Report

## 8 Metre Class Association

*The World Sailing regulations include requirements that World Sailing Class Associations must meet to maintain the right to hold a World Championship and its World Sailing Class designation.*

*This report compiled by World Sailing is a summary of the information provided by the Class Association.*

*Information regarding the Class Association's World Championships will be compiled separately through other reports.*

### General Information

Chairman/President	Secretary/Manager
Werner Deuring	Murdoch McKillop

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### Technical & Equipment Control

Technical Representative for WS
Guy-Roland Perrin

Technical Committee Members
John Lammerts vanBueren (NED)-Kjell Arne Myrann (NOR)- Juliane Hempel (GER)-Davis Lindsay (USA)-David Viera (POR)-Ken McAlpine (AUS)-Chris Mitchele (CAN)

International Measurers
Guy-Roland Perrin (SUI)
<b>Chief Measurer:</b> Guy-Roland Perrin

## General Boat Information

Total number of new boats built in 2023	1
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## Builders

Hull manufacturers	Open to any builder
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Company Name	Website	Price of a complete boat without sails (ex VAT)
Josef Martin	None	EURO € 600000

Comments:

Sails manufacturers	Average price per new set of sails (ex VAT)
Sails/Kites production is open to any manufacturer	€ 25000

Rig manufacturers	No licensing or approval required
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Appendages manufacturers	No - go to page 27
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## Members

Nations with the most representation in the Class	(Number of active boats)
CAN	11
FRA	8
SUI	9
NOR	10
FIN	8

## 2024 World Championship

<b>World Championship</b>	World Cup 2024
<b>Start Date</b>	8/19/2024
<b>Venue name</b>	Royal Northern & Clyde and Mudhook Yacht Clubs, Clyde, Scotland
<b>Venue Country</b>	GBR

2023 World Championship
International 8 Metre World Championship
<a href="http://www.yachtclubitaliano.it">www.yachtclubitaliano.it</a>