

2023 Annual Report

49erFX 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
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Technical & Equipment Control

Technical Representative for WS
Barry Johnson

Technical Committee Members
John Clinton (NZL) - Chris Turner (GBR) - Simon Hiscocks (GBR)

International Measurers
Barry Johnson (AUS) - Rob Taylor (GBR) - Alex Passis (GRE) - Pilar Lopez (ESP)
Chief Measurer: Barry Johnson

General Boat Information

Total number of new boats built in 2023	107
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Builders

Hull manufacturers	Licenced builder or one design
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Company Name	Website	Price of a complete boat without sails (ex VAT)
Ovington Boats	ovingtonboats.com	GBP £ 20668
Mackay Boats	mackayboats.com	USA \$ USA \$

Sails manufacturers	Average price per new set of sails (ex VAT)
Sails lofts are licensed	\$ 5417

Company Name	Website
MacDiarmid Sails ¹	N/A
North Sails ²	

1: All FX sails and 49er Main and Jib

2: All FX sails and 49er Main and Jib

Rig manufacturers	Licence or approval required
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Company Name	Website
CST Composite	https://www.cstcomposites.com

Appendages manufacturers	No licensing or approval required
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Members

Nations with the most representation in the Class	(Number of active boats)
CHN	30
GER	20
FRA	11
NZL	10
USA	8

2024 World Championship

World Championship	2024 49er and FX World Championship
Start Date	3/4/2024
Venue name	Lanzarote, Spain
Venue Country	ESP

2023 World Championship
ALLIANZ SAILING WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS