

At the start some took the western side and some took the east side which it looked shorter. In the east side the race was very close all the time and soon it seemed clear we were on the right side.

At the last leg Hirilonde tacked twice to get a bit more wind, but the perf lost, and the slightly worse angle he got made me take the decision to wait, so all would be decided in a final tack.

There I tacked a bit late, but that gave me a better angle and a faster route to the line.

So close finish that maybe ten boats could have won on the last jump, including Hirilonde who finally had chosen a brilliant decision and almost got the win.

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