

must try and remember the race - well here goes - set a DC that had me soaking (very downwind) to the first gybe - 3/4 through the first leg heat up to Max VMG in anticipation of a 15 multi-element gybe which worked well - soaked for a bit - at this point doing ok so stay with it.- had a cup of coffee - heat up to fast broad reach then soak to CC at mark with #1 boat - get to point and head up - loose a lot of time to the folk who multi-element change course? - get to end of island - had programmed optimal VMG - start losing boats to STB suspecting velocity gain to STB - crack off to parallel course with leaders.- holding my own - determined best VMG STB tack to rounding - mark with course direction my line and hit the send 14 seconds before I get to it.- transfer to wind angle auto and see I can ease sheets a bit - go around last point and hit programmed CC course - then shift to wind angle - auto pilot seeing a progressive right shift - go full zoom on last mark and start to subtract 10ths of a degree until make mark - 14 seconds till there hit send on final CC (bit of a knife fight eh bonk?) - good times thank you - hulse4 out - December 2019.