

The Boathouse

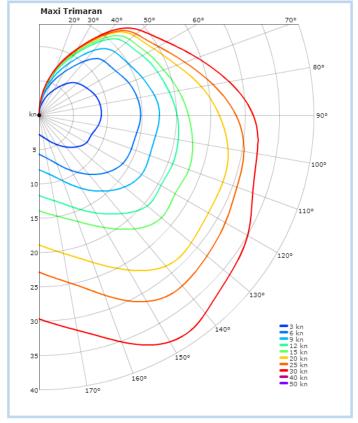


Maxi Trimaran

GENERAL ARRANGEMENT

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POLAR DIAGRAM



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Today (2020) a handful, perhaps a half dozen or so, maxi trimarans continue to vie for the various non-stop single-handed and fully-crewed records for circumnavigations of the World (well, France round Antarctica and back) and across the North Atlantic and other oceans as well. These machines change hands and sponsors regularly and thus go by different names such as Groupama, Banque Populaire, Macif, Spindrift, Rothschild, Sodebo and other from time to time.

However, bar one (the 40m monster Spindrift 2) they are all c 32m LOA, generally designed by consortia led by France's VPLP, fitted or retro-fitted with foils and built at either CDK or C3 Technologies or Multiplast, all in the Vendee. SOL's polar does not pretend to be any of one of these, merely an approximation for them all. Have fun!

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