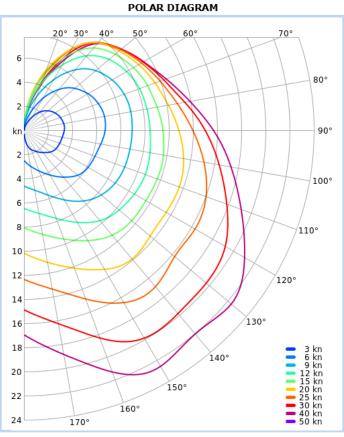


IMOCA 60 v2



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SOL's original IMOCA 60 polar was based on performance data from the designs that hit the water for the 2004-2005 Vendee Globe. Although she holds her speed on deeper downwind angles in a breeze well, in light airs she has proved frustratingly and unrealistically slow with a peculiar speed bubble at around 80 TWA.

These low TWS anomalies have been addressed in this v2 of her polar. She remains a slower boat than 2016-2017's Banque Populaire shown adjacent and her successors on SOL – the Open 60 and the IMOCA 60 Foil. However, her speed transitions between low and high TWS and tight and deep downwind TWAs in big wind make her a very interesting machine racing online.

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