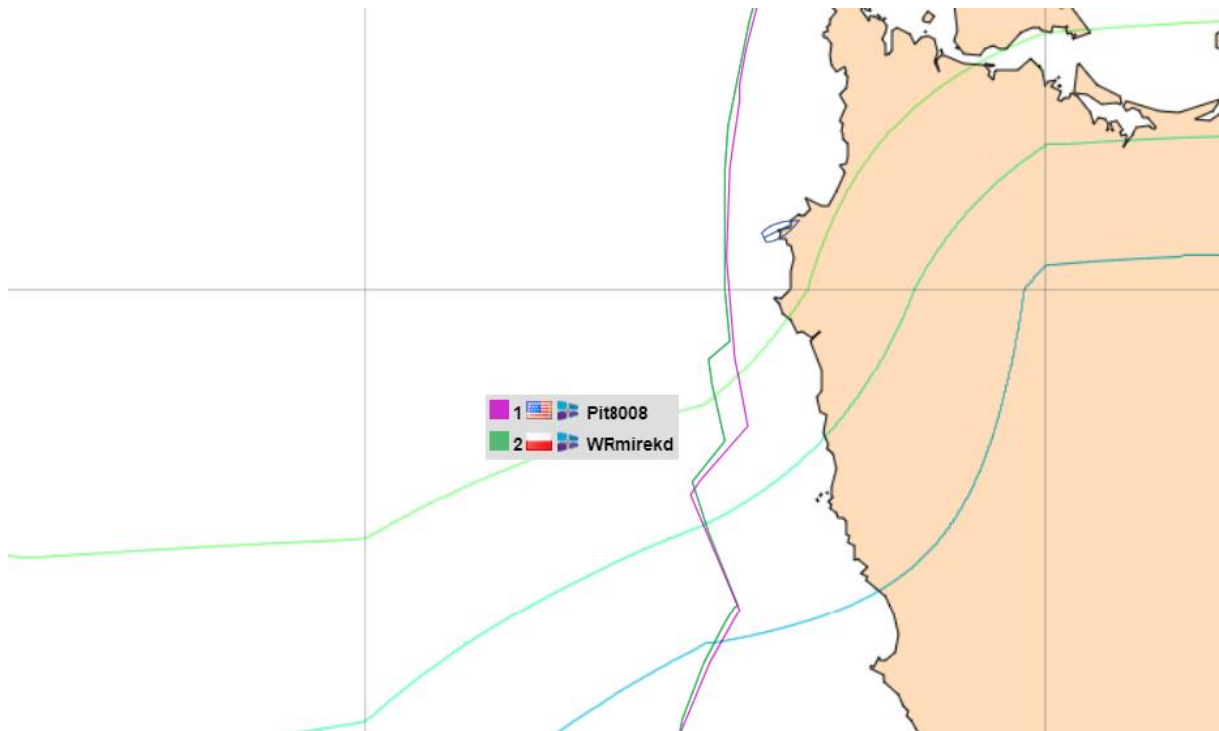


ORCV West Coaster – Melbourne to Hobart

Since the start of the earlier Sydney to Hobart race was not very successful, I decided to take the opportunity to do something that is not possible outside of SOL – start the second race to Hobart as well in the hope of winning it instead. However, my enthusiasm was quickly cooled down when I saw the huge Australian fleet at the start and additionally the US team with Pit8008 at the helm. What bad luck, if not ita10267 then Pit8008 😞.

Okay. Plan B. If none of the Australian sailors are ahead of me, I will claim success.

The start was very promising and the appetite for winning the race increased. The situation in the Sydney to Hobart race has also started to clear up. It's hard to concentrate and it happened. The mistake made by ita10267 in Sydney Hobart became my participation in the Melbourne to Hobart race.



Two gybe too many and Pit takes the lead. Well, he's been in amazing shape for a long time. Ultimately, I can trumpet success because the best of the Australians was only 6th place. It's time to get serious about the American team. I don't think I can do it myself. We need to unite forces within the European Union 😊.

We are on our way back from Hobart to Sydney. It promises to be very interesting. In the meantime, let's celebrate the coming of the new year.

Happy New Year!

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