

Bosphorus Strait Sprint 2025

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Beautiful race, very technical, and a blasting result. I sailed it with the proper attention, studying the wind patterns carefully and continuously adjusting the route and the maneuverers. The first leg gave the expected result, and I approached the mark with Patrick and Flamingo all on the same line... then I made the usual mess with a terrible rounding where I lost approx. 8 places, P11. I did not lose concentration and gave the maximum in the second and final leg; everything went absolutely perfect, steered the boat all the time at max speed one tack after another and surprisingly I recovered 10 positions.

Kastor has done a very strong second leg, I could not do anything to contrast him as I had to risk the maximum to recover the lost positions.

In this race I was finally able to connect all the dots accumulated during the learning phase (still work in progress though) and I am incredibly happy for this podium!