



2024-2025 APPENDIX B
SPECIAL REGULATIONS for INSHORE RACING

2024 ORC SPORTBOAT EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP
Valencia 1-7 July 2024



Inshore Racing: Special Regulations for inshore racing are intended for use in short races, close to shore in relatively warm and protected waters where adequate shelter and/or effective rescue is available all along the course, held in daylight only.

BOAT _____ MEASURER _____ DATE _____

CHECK LIST

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| <input type="checkbox"/> BUCKET WITH LANYARD
..... | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 ANCHOR
..... |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMPASS (hand-held is acceptable)
..... | <input type="checkbox"/> LIFEBOUY WITH A DROUGE
..... |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FIRE EXTINGUISHER
..... | <input type="checkbox"/> A HEAVING LINE (no less than 6 mm, 25m long)
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| <input type="checkbox"/> STRONG KNIFE
..... | <input type="checkbox"/> LIFELINES
..... |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LIFEJACKETS 150N buoyancy
equipped with a whistle and marked with the boat's name | <input type="checkbox"/> MARINE VHF (transceiver defined in OSR 3.29.5)
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Adequate propulsion system or Support boat for towing | |

ORC Sportboat Class Rules

- 2.2 Crews of boats without trapezes, hiking straps and loose lifelines (CEXT = 0) shall comply with RRS 49.2 and tension of lifelines shall comply with OSR 3.14
For boats complying with the OSR 3.14 requirements for the lifelines, CEXT shall be recorded as follows:
- a) Double lifelines: CEXT = 0
 - b) Single lifeline: CEXT = - 0.2

Offshore Special Regulation

Continuous lifelines fixed only at (or near) the bow and stern with a minimum heights of lifelines and pulpit rails above the working deck and vertical openings:
Upper: 600 mm (24")
Intermediate: 230 mm (9")

Lifelines permanently supported at intervals of not more than 2.2 m (7'-2 1/2")
and shall not pass outboard of supporting stanchions

- 3.14 When a deflecting force of 4 kg is applied to a lifeline at the midpoint of the longest span between supports that are aft of the mast, the deflection shall not exceed:
- 50 mm for an upper or single lifeline.
 - 120 mm for an intermediate lifeline.

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FIRE EXTINGUISHER
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One fire extinguisher required if electrical system, engine or stove on board.



BUCKET
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One strong bucket with a lanyard and of at least 9 liters capacity.



COMPASS
Inshore Racing Appendix B 3.24

One compass (a hand-held is acceptable)



STRONG KNIFE
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A strong, sharp knife, sheathed and securely restrained shall be provided readily accessible from the deck or a cockpit.



LIFE JACKET
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Each Crew Member shall have a Personal Flotation Device to the minimum standard ISO 12402-5 (Level 50) or equivalent.



ANCHOR
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Un-modified anchor that meets the anchor manufacturer's recommendation suitable combination of chain and rope.



HEAVING LINE
Inshore Racing Appendix B 4.22.5

A heaving line, no less than 6 mm (1/4") diameter, 15 - 25 m (50 - 75') long, readily accessible to cockpit



LIFEBUOY with a drogue
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