

# Solo Non Stop Circumnavigations

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## SOLO NON-STOP CIRCUMNAVIGATIONS – UNSPONSORED AMATEUR

Sailor	Age	Nat.	Yacht	LOA (feet)	Year	Time (days)	From	E / W	Distance Sailed
Robin Knox-Johnston	29	GBR	Suhaili	32	1969	313	Falmouth, England	E	30,123
Les Powles		GRB	Solitaire	34	1980		Lymington, England	E	28,000
Wilfried Erdmann	44	GER	Kathena nui	34	1985	271	Kiel, Germany	E	30,183
Dodge Morgan	53	USA	American Promise	60	1986	150	Bermuda	E	
Kaye Cottee	34	AUS	First Lady	37	1988	189	Sydney, Australia	E	22,100
Jon Sanders		AUS	Parry Endeavor		1986/88	657	3 continuous circumnavigations	E E W	
Hafsteinn Johannson	57	Iceland	Elding		1990/91	241	English Channel	E	
Sam'atha Brewster		UK	Heath Insured	67	1995/96	247	Solent, UK	W	
David Dicks	18	AUS	Seaflight	34	1996	265	Perth, Western Australia	E	
Jesse Martin	18	AUS	Lionheart	34	1999	328	Melbourne, Australia	E	27000
Vinney Lauwers **		AUS	Vision Quest	49	2000	234	Melbourne, Australia	E	
Tony Mowbray	45	AUS	SoloGlobal Challenge	43	2001	181	Newcastle, Australia	E	
Wilfried Erdmann	60	GER	Kathena Nui	35	2001	343	Cruxhaven, Germany	W	31,362
Tony Gooch	63	CAD	Taonui	42	2003	177	Victoria, Canada	E	24,340
Jan Moller ***		DK	3MInnovation	40	2004	169	Denmark	E	31600

Mark Slats	28	NED	Cornelia	46	2005	205	Scheveningen, Netherlands	E	29,586
Minoru Saito	71	JAP			2005	233	Japan	E	
Alain Maignan		FRA		34	2007	185	La Trinite sur Mer, France	E	
Ken Gourlay	51	AUS	Spirit Silver Edition	42	2007	179	Devonport, Tasmania	E	24600
Alessandro Benedetto	29	ITA	Findomesti c Banco	21	2010	268	Les SableD'Olonnes	E	
Jessica Watson	17	AUS	Ella's Pink Lady	34	2010	209	Sydney, Australia	E	## 18,582

Age: At finish of voyage. E = East about W = West about

\*\* First disabled person to make such a trip

\*\*\* 3MInnovation is a carbon fibre Open 40 with considerable sponsorship

## Not recognized as a circumnavigation by the WSSRC as she did not complete the required 21,600 orthodromic miles.

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Sailor	Age	Nat.	Yacht	LOA (feet)	Year	Time (days)	From	E/W	Distance Sailed
Chay Blyth	31	GBR	British Steel	59 M	1971	292	Solent, England	W	
Oliver de Kerauson		FRA	Un Autre Regard	76 Tri	1989	125		E	
Mike Golding		UK	Group 4		1994	161		W	
Philippe Monet		FRA	Uunet		2000	151		W	
Jean Luc Van Den Haden		FRA	Adrien	85 M	2004	123		W	
Francis Joyon		FRA	IDEC	90 Tri	2004	73		E	
Ellen MacArthur	29	GB	B & Q	75 Tri	2005	72		E	
Dee Caffari	33	GB	Aviva	72 M	2006	178	Lizard, UK	W	
Thomas Colville			Sobeb'o	105 ft Tri	2011	61		E	?????

