

# The untold safety-at-sea story from 4 sailors who were there: How J/35s handle rough offshore conditons.

"Racing back to Newport with winds to 47 knots and seas to 20 feet for 48 hours, sailing with 3 reefs and a #4, the boat was always in control. I've never sailed a better built boat than the 1/35."

"One mile off the lee shore of Cape Sable, we were hit by a 50+knot squall and 15-20 foot seas. With main alone we sailed into the wind out of trouble. In the seven seasons I have owned her, nothing has ever broken on this boat other than one snatch block. This maybe the safest small boat at sea today."

Evan Petley-Jones

"I sailed alone to Plymouth England. Through four periods in gale winds followed by a Force 10 storm . . . the boat was under good control and at no time did I feel in danger. It is a design with no bad habits, upwind or down."

"A boat that responds to a sea is safer as well as faster. Heavier boats suffer more from initial wave impact and, once accelerated, also suffer under stronger impact loads on landing. We completed the OSTAR trans-Atlantic Race in 22 days, beating almost all monohulis between 40 and 50 feet."

Specificati	ons*	
LOA	35.5	
LWL	30.0"	
Beam	12.0	8
Draft	6.9"	1
Displacement	10,500 lbs.	1.
Lead Keel	4,400 lbs.	1.7
Sail Area (1009	6) 636 sq.ft.	11
1	46.6	S.
1	14.8"	
P	41.6"	
E	14.0*	
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Displacement Lead Keel Sail Area (100%) Sail Area/DSPL DSPL/Length 174 RMC 1 degree 911 ft.lhs LPS (degrees) 128 PHRF Rating 72 s/m IMS GPR 630 Auxiliary Diesel 28 hp

Designer: Rod Johnstone

\* Specifications are subject to change without prior notice or obligation

#### Designer's Velocity Prediction

Upwind Reaching Downwind

True Wind Speed (kts.)	Speed (kts.)	Jib 80deg Speed (kts.)	Spinkr 135dcg Speed (kts.)	Spinkr Optimum Speed (kts.)
8	5.8	6.8	6.1	5.6
12	6.3	7.8	7.4	6.3
16	6.5	8.4	8.3	7.2
20	6.6	8.8	9.1	8.0



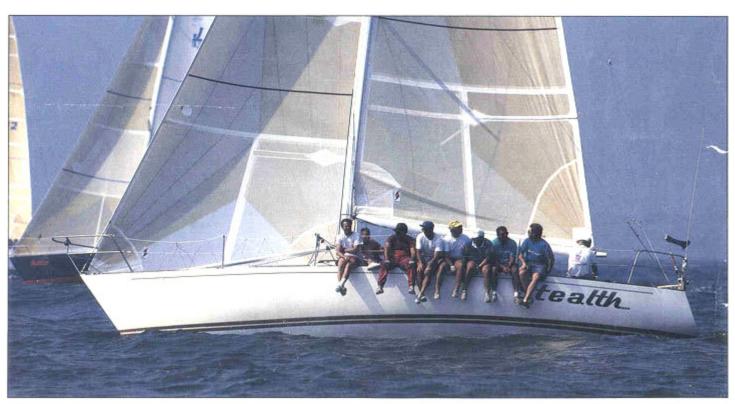
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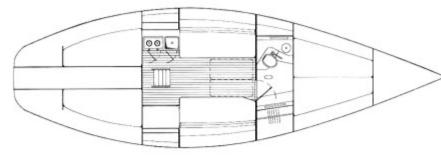
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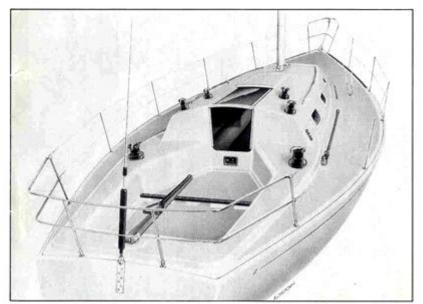
LOA LWL Beam Draft



The World's leading offshore one-design, winner of CHS, IMS, PHRF and TransAtlantic races has the desirable, easy-to-sail qualities of a family cruiser.







Optional equipment is shown.

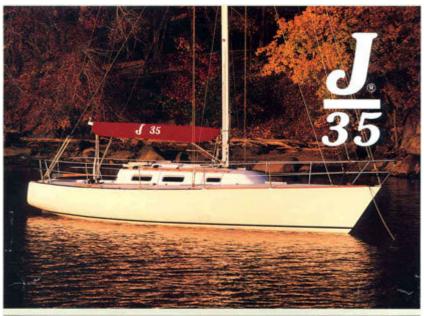
## "If sailing is what sailing is all about, you won't find a much better boat anywhere"

Practical Sailor 1/91

There are more J/35s sailing one-design, and which are active in IMS or PHRF, than any other sailboat over 30 feet LOA in the world - 300 boats in 15 nations. Under these rules and CHS, no 35 footer can match her all-round speed and race winning record. One-design events of 15 or more boats are a frequent occurence at Block Island, Key West, Annapolis, Lake Michigan, San Francisco and Southern California. More than 30 attend the North American Championship. The J/35 Class Association is active in promoting events, publishing the Class Newsletter and developing Class Rules such as the requirement that the owner, or a family member, steer the boat in Class events.

### New Cockpit & Interior

The new single-level racing cockpit is designed for better foot support when sitting out to windward or moving inboard when at the tiller. It is longer for better crew operation forward of the traveller. And, the raised 2" coaming deflects water aft along the deck and helps hold crew out on the weather rail. Speed producing factors such as hull shape, blade design, rig and displacement are the same as hull #1 . . . which won the J/35 one-design division at Block Island in 1991. Belowdeck she has a private V-berth, head and hanging locker forward, comfortable settee berths and galley in the main cabin with quarter-berths aft. Main cabin finish is teak and holly sole, composite panels with white formica facing, and vinyl hull and deck lining.









## THE FASTEST OFFSHORE 35 FOOTER HAS ITS GENTLER SIDE, TOO

U neil 1/35 came along, the costs of spectacular stalling performance were high. Cost in dollars, time, comfort, relaxation, even friends. Because, 184-to-finish speed usually meant large, expensive, difficult to manage 40 footers. Intimidating rigs. More crew, and not always those you'd choose to cruise with. "Why seek performance, if freedom to enjoy sailing on one's own terms is lost?" Thanks to the 1/35, however, this very real problem has become academic.

Faster than Grand Prix Now, you can take a quantum leap in sailing performance, with increased sailing enjoyment. The J/35 design starts with the fastest hull shape possible, disregarding bumps used to get a good "rating". An anomaly of sailboat racing is that Grand Prix, contrary to auto racing, encourages a "low rating" rather than "maximum speed" for a given size. Other manufacturers try to create a performance image with "warmed over" Grand Prix handicap racers as family cruisers. That's why their larger boats are no faster than a stock J/35. PHRF rates the J/35 from 62 to 81 seconds/mile. Among the most popular 100 designs sailing PHRF across the country, J/35 is the fastest boat you can buy. One owner reported after a two week cruise with his wife, "No other sailboat of any size passed us. We had the only Indy 500 car on the highway." Under IMS, J/35 is considered to be the most competitive boat you can own.

Seaworthiness Speed is worthless without seaworthiness! Frances Scokes, world renowned offshore distance racing and cruising veteran and also Tony Lush, veteran of 45,000 miles of open ocean sailing and 7 trans-Atlantic singlehanded crossings, chose the J/35 for the Singlehanded Trans-Atlantic Race. In fact in 1984, Tony beat all multi-hulls in his class except one. He states, "A faster crossing is a safer crossing.

because there's less exposure to low pressure gales and frontal systems. Less fatigue, And, I liked J/35's rugged construction and structural engineering. On the way to the start in England, I beat to windward for 5 days in 35-50 knot gales. Seas were larger than those which destroyed my 54 footer in the BOC. There are few boats of any size that can perform in such weather! Soloing trans-Atlantic in 22 days, upwind to Newport must be some kind of record, too!" Good freeboard, hull flare and reserve buoyancy in bow sections prevent submarining when surfing before huge storm seas or under spinnaker when racing. One owner reports sustained 17 knots of speed, under control, in 35 knots of wind! By minimizing weight in the ends, lowering center of gravity with a deep lead keel and avoiding hull distortions, J/35 sails fast comfortably . . . with minimum pitching and rolling. When the boat behaves better, so does the crew. Increased resistance from either is slow!

Easy-to-Sail The fact that J/35 is the choice of people sailing shorthanded also says that its well suited for cruising. Mostly, cruising is with two people. Which means that one has to sail while the other gets some sleep. A 35 footer still qualifies as "manageable" for a family crew. But, J/35 is even better. Because, a fast 35 footer is less work than a slow one. Less sail area is needed to attain acceptable speeds. A J/35 under mainsail alone (controlled by a 6 part Harken Hexaratchet, Hall QUICK VANG, and Navtec Hydraulic Backstay) is faster than most 35 footers under full sail. With small jib and main, a cruising couple on a J/35 can sail circles around larger boats with full racing crew using a large genoa. If it's blowing over 20 knots, it's a lot easier to drop or roll up the jib to sail with full main only, than it is to have to fight the jib and reef the main. Other keys to ease of handling and

seaworthiness are balance and control. To feel J/35 accelerate in a puff of wind with hardly more than small pressure on the finger tips, is one of the ultimate joys of sailing. And, so your pleasure is not interrupted by a clump of weeds or a crab pot, both keel and rudder leading edge angles (& folding prop) are designed to shed underwater snares.

Cruising Yacht Interior Most are amazed that such a fast sailboat has any interior at all, let alone one with extensive teak cabinetry, teak hull sidings, and radiused cold-moulded trim. The standard I/35 comes complete with quarterberths, 8 Bomar opening ports, large head with shower, spacious forward V-Berth cabin, built-in icebox, cabinets and storage behind main settee berths, and a 28 hp diesel engine.

History Making One-Design Class Twenty-four raced onedesign at Block Island and thirty-four competed in the 1987 North Americans at Larchmont, the largest one-design gathering ever of boats over 33 feet! In just five years with over 275 boats sold, the J/35 is still the fastest growing offshore onedesign class over 30 feet in the U.S. There's also one-design fleet activity in the Gulf of Maine, in Western Long Island Sound, Chesapeake Bay, Houston, Southern California, Seattle, Lake Erie, and Lake Ontario. Enjoy the fun and camaraderie of one-design sailing. It's a chance to meet others and become a better sailor, too.

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#### STANDARD

#### MECHANICAL & ELECTRICAL

- Harken rudder bearings
  Yanmar 3GM, 28 h.p. diesel engine with 2.6:1 reduction pear, oil & fuel filters and tool kit.
- · Cockpit engine instrument panel with tachometer, push button start and alarms for oil pressure, water temp., and
- · Fuel tank gauge.
- . 20 gallon aluminum fuel tank with inspection clean out port.
- . Two 90 amp batteries with Guest battery
- . 16x12 Martec folding prop with 1" aquamet 22 stainless shaft.
- . Bass 12 position circuit breaker electrical
- panel with battery condition meter . 8 swiveling brass reading lamps, 3 dome
- R/W overheads and 1 fluorescent light. . Navigation & combination steaming fore-
- deck lights. . Raritan head with "Y" valve overboard
- discharge and 13 gallon holding tank. Lightning grounds from chainplates to keel.
- SPARS AND RIGGING
- · Hall Spars white, tapered aluminum mast, stepped on keel with double airfoil spreaders and external dual spinnaker halyard cranes.
- · Navtec rod rigging & turnbuckles.
- . 2 internal wire rope genoa halyards plus 2 dacron spinnaker halyards.
- · Wire/roce internal mainsail halvard with heavy duty screw pin shackle.
- · Harken Hexacat 6 part mainsheet system.
- . Hall tubular "Quick Vang" with 8:1 tackle. . 2 internal mainsail reefs, outhaul car and
- main luff cunningham tackle. . Heavy duty welded aluminum mast step
- mounted over keel. · Heavy duty oustom stainless chainplates
- bolted to main bulkhead and transom.
- · 2 genoa sheets and 2 spinnaker sheets Spinnaker pole, socket car on mast track
- with up down adjustment. . Spinnaker pole foreguy and topping lift.
- Stainless wire checkstays. · Navtec integral hydraulic backstay adjust-
- ment cylinder. Hood Gemini dual jib luff groove system.
- CONSTRUCTION
- · Lloyds approved Baltek Contourkore endgrained balsa core laminate construction
- using hand layup blaxial and uni-directional glass rovings in hull & deck. . Interplastic VE-8110 vinylester resin on hull outer layer for optimum blister resistance.

- · GRP laminated main structural bulkhead glassed fore & aft on hull and deck.
- . Hull to deck joint bonded with 3M 5200 and boilted on 4" centers with black anodized 11% Titrack
- . Balanced spade rudder of unidirectional glass rovings with large diameter GRP
- . Lead & antimony fixed 4400 lb. fin keel. bolted and epoxy bonded then glass wrapped at joint to deep molded structural sump reinforced with solid glass internal cross beams.
- · Self-bailing T-shaped cockpit with molded in storage locker aft.
- . Molded-in non-skid pattern on deck.
- White hull with optional colors and stripes. . Choice of gull grey, beige, or ivory (sand) non-skid pattern on white deck.

#### DECK HARDWARE

- · Barient 28A, two speed, primary winches. . Bariert 25A, two speed, secondary
- winches. Barient 24A, two speed, halyard winches.
- · 3 winch handles. 11/4" black anodized inboard genoa tracks
- with 2 pairs of adjustable roller blocks. . Custom stainless stemhead with as welded
- double rail bow pulpit with light. Stern rail with center gate for stern board-
- ing or use with optional swim ladder.
- White PVC coated ss wire double lifelines.
- · 3 four boit mooring cleats. 3 Lewmar, aluminum framed, bronze tinted "Superhatches" on foredeck, skylight and head.
- · 8 Lewmar, aluminium framed, bronze firited opening ports with screens on cabin trunk
- and in cockpit. Ne" smoked Lexan hatch slide and board.
- Custom ss inside/outside opening, lockable hatch hasp.
- Harken mainsheet traveler with tackle controls.
- · Cockpit operated bilge pump.
- Teak toe-rail on foredeck.
- Teak handrails on cabin top. · Varnished ash tiller with ladder style adjust-
- able hiking stick.
- 2 deck ventilators.
- . Lewmar Spinlock stoppers on cabin top halvard, pole lift, and reef lines.

#### GALLEY

- · Stainless, self-contained & gimballed .Origo 2 burner alcohol stove with oven. temperature gauge, and 2 pairs of stainless
- potholders. 5.5 cu.ft. icebox with 4" insulation, cutting. board top and sliding interior shelf.
- · 35 gallon molded poly water tank with built in haffies
- Stainless steel sink with foot pump. Large dry goods storage area with internal
- . Pot storage below and behind stove.
- · Trash storage under sink.
- . Hideaway stove top cover & stainless safety bar.
- . Formica counter top with tinted Lexan sliding cabinet doors.

#### INTERIOR

- Varnished teak & holly cabin sole.
- · Cold molded teak trim with oiled teak finish on furnishings and bulkheads.
- Teak batten (1/2") covered interior hull sidings in main cabin and quarterberth areas with all-white geloost overhead.
- . Private forward V-berth cabin with sliding door.
- · Forward athwartships head with molded sink & foot pump to extension shower, mirrored sliding doors and vanity, toiletries storage and hanging locker.
- Main cabin settee berths with fixed 3 cushion backrests, pigeon hole storage behind and two cabinets above each.
- Choice of 5 Scotchguard 85% wool/15% nylon heavy duty cushion fabrics (beige. camel, gray, blue and red herringbone
- Stand-up navigation station with 36" chart table, chart storage, enclosed shelf and instrument shelf. . Bulkhead mounted 40" long teak table with
- leaf and storage. Teak instrument covers & handrails.

## OPTIONS

- . Hull other than white
- . Hull Band or Added Striping
- Cradie
- · Shrink Wrap
- Electric Bilge Pump \* 110 Volt Shorepower with 50" Cord.
- · Slide Out Double Berth to Port.
- Varnished Interior.
  Hot & Cold Pressure Water (must be:-
- ordered with shorepower or fresh water engine cooling).
- Wheel Steering, Compass, Guard
  Eikhide Wheel Cover on Above. Chrome Self Tailing Winch Package
- Dodger Propane Force 10 Oven with Broiler.
- · Transom Swim Ladder.
- Lifeline Gates Amidships.
- · 3rd Battery
- Teak Ceilings in Forepeak.
- Man Overboard Pole Tube.
  Fresh Water Cooled Engine.
- Harken Adjustable Genoa Tracks.
- Kevlar Spinnaker Afterguys.
- Buikhead Mounted Compasses
- Vertical Anchor Well.
- . Deluxe Forepeak Stateroom (which

includes those items marked with (") above & Head as in J/40. Shower sump, electric sump pump & 44 gallon forepeak water tank also included

Present in U.S.A. 288

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