

# 2022 Annual Report

## International Lightning Class Association

*The World Sailing regulations include requirements that World Sailing Class Associations must meet to maintain the right to hold a World Championship and its World Sailing Class designation.*

*This report compiled by World Sailing is a summary of the information provided by the Class Association.*

*Information regarding the Class Association's World Championships will be compiled separately through other reports.*

### General Information

Chairman/President	Secretary/Manager
William Bogardus	Laura Jeffers

#### Class main contact:

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### Technical & Equipment Control

Technical Representative for WS
Buczowski, Joseph (USA)

Technical Committee Members
Buczowski Joseph (USA) - Cabral William (USA) - Castillo Felipe (COL) - Mueller Jack (USA) - Ruhlman Ryan (USA) - Schmitt Nelson (BRA)

International Measurers
Dimitris Dimou(GRE) - David Sprague(CAN)
<b>Chief Measurer:</b> Buczowski, Joseph (USA)

## General Boat Information

Total number of new boats built in 2022	1
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## Builders

Hull manufacturers	Builders are licensed by the Class
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Company Name	Website	Price of a complete boat without sails (ex VAT)
Allen Boat Company	<a href="http://www.allenboatco.com/">http://www.allenboatco.com/</a>	\$36,500.00 USD

Sails manufacturers	Average price per new set of sails (ex VAT)
Sails production is open to any manufacturer	mainsail: \$1,270.00 USD - jib: \$857.00 USD - spinnaker: \$1,436.00 USD

Rig manufacturers	Rig manufacturers are required to be licensed or approved
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Company Name	Website
Allen Boat Company	<a href="http://www.allenboatco.com/">http://www.allenboatco.com/</a>

Appendages manufacturers	Appendages manufacturers are NOT required to be licensed or approved
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## Members

Nations with the most representation in the Class	(Number of active boats)
USA	575
CAN	54
FIN	48
BRA	36
COL	30

Comments:

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## 2023 World Championship

<b>World Championship</b>	Lightning World Championship
<b>Start Date</b>	27/11/2023
<b>Venue name</b>	Club Naval de Castillo Grande
<b>Venue Country</b>	Colombia

2022 World Championship
Lightning World Championship
<a href="https://lightningclass.org/docs.ashx?id=996567">https://lightningclass.org/docs.ashx?id=996567</a>
2022 Harken Blockheads Lightning Youth World Championship
<a href="https://lightningclass.org/docs.ashx?id=1098496">https://lightningclass.org/docs.ashx?id=1098496</a>