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Press release from Matrix Yachts - 201



Matrix Yachts can be congratulated...

...that the performance of their first Silhouette 760 sailing catamaran greatly exceeded all expectations. She floated precisely to her designed water line and the novel design concepts incorporated in her design proved to be most worthwhile. On her very first sea trial she effortlessly reached wind speed, and turned 180 degrees through the wind within two boat lengths.

Her motoring ability is equally outstanding. In still conditions she attains a boat speed of 13.5kts and with the slightest of following sea she will attain 20kts! This makes her one of the fastest non-racing sailing yachts available. Part of her astonishing performance can be attributed to the fact that she slips over the water cleanly and her trailing stern wave is minimal. All her sea trials were conducted at gross displacement.

Public reaction to the styling of the Silhouette 760 has been overwhelmingly flattering. While her styling is tastefully futuristic her layout is still incredibly space efficient. Construction of the second yacht is well advanced and is for sale (expected completion date December 2005).

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