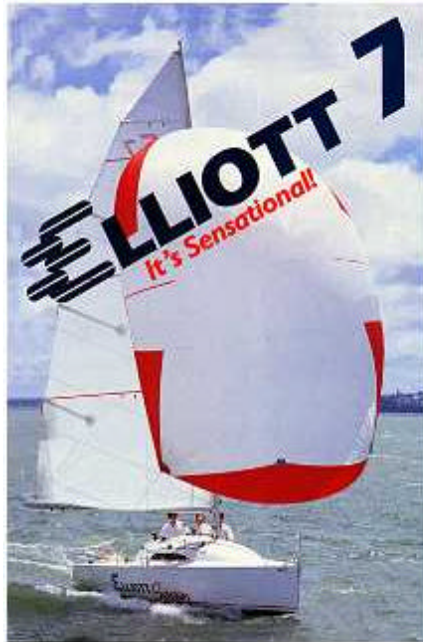


Trailer Sailing's Success Story, Australian Yachting



Sometimes boatbuilders time it just right and when Kerli Corlette gained the rights to market the Elliott 7 in Australia he knew he was in the right place at the right time. So far 43 have been built to the design since 1992 and Kerli delivered his 26th just before Christmas to a buyer from Altona, Victoria. Boats have been sent to W.A., N.T., Queensland (3), Victoria (4), S.A. and the rest to N.S.W.

One of the reasons for the 7s popularity is that Kerli has succeeded in keeping everybody within the one design rules. Another reason is that the boat goes very fast. Recent results include: 1st Hamilton Island (Dayboat Division), 2nd St Helena Cup (QLD) 2nd Nissan Regatta Heat (Vic), 1st NSW TYA Travellers series. Typical buyers of the 7 are ex dinghy or off-the-beach cat owners, daysailer owners with a minimum overnight accommodation and "one design" freaks. Even performance boat people looking for a family race boat which is simple to sail and inexpensive.

Specifications LOA 7m

LWL 6.25m

Beam 2.45m

Draft 1.6m

Displ 695kg

Sail Area: 26.7sq m

Berths: 4