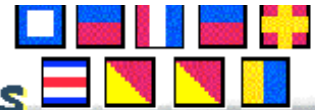




# Australian Domestic BOAT Deliveries



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Dear Bryan,

This is just a short note more or less to let you know how surprised and amazed I was by the Scimitar 1010. I was employed by Tim Hull to deliver his newly built *Xponential* from Brisbane to Hobart. I am a professional skipper who has the opportunity to relocate many vessels of a variety of sizes in all sort of weather. The delivery of a Scimitar 1010 surprised me no end not only in her flat water performance but as the weather cut up her performance was not short of amazing. The range and fuel efficiency of the vessel was incredible. It would not be often a vessel of the size of the Scimitar would be able to cross Bass Straight without refueling, the fuel burn was outstanding, averaging only 24litres per hour at an average speed for the entire delivery of 17.2 knots. I allocated a delivery time of 16 days for the trip however with such stunning performance and ride capabilities we did the delivery in 7 days.

*Xponential* is now in service as a corporate charter vessel operating in remote areas of Tasmania and she is proving an amazing vessel for her size.

To all the team at Scimitar I congratulate you all on such an outstanding vessel.

Regards

Peter Cook

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