



LEG #5 VALPARAISO-RECIFE

Special Sailing Instructions

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SI 1. RULES

- 1.9 Times:
In Valparaiso, UTC -3
In Recife, UTC -3

SI 2. RACE OFFICE

- IC 2.1 The offices of the Event's General Organisation, Race Direction, the Race Committee, the Jury and the press centre are located at:
Valparaiso: Club de Yates Higerillas, Av Borgoño 21, 555 Concón, Chile
Recife: Recife Marina, Cais Santa Rita - São José, Recife - Pernambouc, Brazil

SI 5 PROGRAMME

Saturday 14th February 2026	1215	Partners regatta - Concón-Valparaiso – mandatory for all boats, 2 guests of the OA per boat	
	1700	Leaving party Club de Yates Higerillas	YC Higerillas
Monday 16th February		Equipment inspections – see schedule with François Angoulvant	
Tuesday 17th February	1000	Start Briefing - mandatory attendance for all competitors racing in Leg #5	YC Higerillas
	1100	Official photos - mandatory attendance for all competitors racing in Leg #5	
Wednesday 18th February	1000	Immigration formalities	YC Higerillas
	1100	Departure from pontoon	
	1400 (local time)	Start Leg #5 to Recife	

SI 6 CLASS FLAG

The class flag will be the Globe40 flag

SI 7 THE COURSE

Globe 40 Leg #5 – approx 4850 NM

1	Starting area - near Muelle Barón, Valparaíso Bay			
2	Cape Horn	To be left to port		
3a	Finish line - Farol do Recife (red/ white lighthouse)	To be left to port	08°03.274 S	034°51.912 W
3b	Finish line – Starboard lateral red/ white tower (6 seconds flashing red)	To be left to starboard	08°03.249 S	034°51.219 W

SI 8 MARKS

The starting marks will be:
The committee boat and a yellow inflatable buoy.

SI 9 PROHIBITED AREAS

Boats shall not sail in the prohibited areas as set out in official nautical documents, Traffic Separation Schemes (TSS), protected areas for swimming and around dive boats, as well as all areas forbidden to navigation as specified in Appendix 1 of the Leg #5 SSI.

It is the skippers' responsibility to familiarise themselves with the areas that are prohibited or regulated. Prohibited areas are considered as obstructions. RRS [Definitions Obstruction (c)]

SI 10 THE START

SI 10.2 The starting area will be near Muelle Barón, Valparaíso Bay.

SI 10.3 The starting line shall be between an orange flag on the committee vessel at the starboard end of the line and yellow inflatable buoy at the port end of the line.

SI 10.6 Late starters

10.6.a) a boat that is unable to start within the time specified in SI 10.5.4 may be given permission to start by the Race Committee and Race Direction at least two hours after and a maximum of 48 hours after the starting signal of the race

Taking into account Amendment N°2 of the GLOBE 40 2025-2026 SI dated 25 January 2026

Race Direction/ the Organising Authority can authorise an additional delay beyond 48 hours for a late starter.

SI 10.6 b) The starting line is as follows:

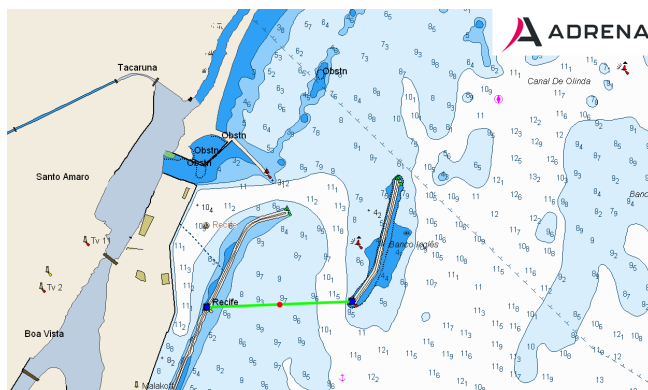
Waypoint Valparaíso S – leave to port 33°01.780 S 071°35.500 W

Waypoint Valparaíso N – leave to starboard 33°00.610 S 071°35.500 W

SI 11.1 THE FINISH

The finishing line will be a virtual line, calculated by YB, between Farol de Recife and the starboard lateral tower at the southern end of the breakwater.

The geographical coordinates of the finish line are specified in SI 7.



SI 12 SAFETY – COMMUNICATIONS

12.1 The race channel will be VHF 72

Valparaíso Capuerto Radio – VHF 16

Recife port – VHF 16

SI 14.4 ACCIDENTALLY BROKEN SEAL

For a broken engine seal: penalty of 96 minutes

For any other broken seal: penalty of 48 minutes

SI 16. SCORING

SI 16.2 Intermediate rankings and positions are scheduled every 4 hours except for the start and finish phases, and published on the website.

SI17. EQUIPMENT AND MEASUREMENT INSPECTIONS (DP/NP)

17.1.1 Equipment and measurement inspections will take place before the start.

17.1.4 There is no maximum limit for the quantity of embarked drinking water and drinkable liquid in the fixed tanks of the boat and/or in containers of not more than 10 litres.

17.6 A boat shall be fully compliant with all the rules of the event from 1700 on Tuesday 17th February 2026 until the boat is inspected once she has finished the leg.

SI 20. SUPPORT TEAM VESSELS (DP/NP)

20.2 Accredited STV may enter the 200 metre area around the starting line reserved for competitors up until 15 minutes before the starting signal.

SI 23. COMMUNICATION (NP/DP)

23.2 An FTP and WhatsApp number are available for skippers to send their photos and videos.

—> Via WhatsApp +33 6 46 36 40 02

—> Via FTP

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SI 27 PRIZE-GIVING

In Recife, the prize-giving will be held on Wednesday 18th March 2026 in Recife.

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Delete 17.3.1

Replace with:

17.3.1 The engine seal of the forward gear is mandatory and shall be fitted according to the procedure defined in Appendix 6 « Auto-sealing procedure ». The engine seal shall not be broken or removed without authorisation.

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Appendix 2, paragraph 2.1 is changed as follows:

- A spinnaker or gennaker, sealed, usable after agreement from Race Direction and resulting in a penalty of 5 hours.

Boats are permitted to carry additional sails on board within the limit of 12 sails. These sails shall be sealed. The penalty for breaking the seal of one of these sails will be at the Jury's discretion.

Yvon Poutriquet / Chairman of the Race Committee

Original signed

Georges Priol / Chairman of the Jury

Original signed

Miranda Merron / Race Director

Original signed

Appendix 1 Leg #5 Prohibited areas

TSS VALPARAISO		
TSS Valparaiso 1	32°58.053 S	071°38.844 W
TSS Valparaiso 2	32°57.502 S	071°35.936 W
TSS Valparaiso 3	33°00.579 S	071°35.769 W
TSS Valparaiso 4	33°00.932 S	071°37.512 W

SOUTHERN LIMIT		
South 1	50°00.000 S	110°00.000 W
South 2	55°00.000 S	095°00.000 W
South 3	58°00.000 S	070°00.000 W
South 4	57°30.000 S	065°00.900 W
South 5	55°30.000 S	056°00.000 W
South 6	50°00.000 S	046°00.000 W
South 7	44°30.000 S	038°00.000 W
South 8	40°30.000 S	017°00.000 W

Oil Field Rio de Janeiro		
Oil Field Rio 1	24°54.000 S	042°51.000 W
Oil Field Rio 2	25°30.000 S	042°15.800 W
Oil Field Rio 3	25°55.000 S	043°20.000 W
Oil Field Rio 4	25°30,350 S	043°45.000 W

Oil Field Cabo Frio		
Oil Field Cabo Frio 1	21°30.000 S	039°45.000 W
Oil Field Cabo Frio 2	21°56.000 S	039°14.000 W
Oil Field Cabo Frio 3	23°00.000 S	041°13.250 W
Oil Field Cabo Frio 4	23°24.650 S	041°00.900 W
Oil Field Cabo Frio 5	23°29.000 S	041°38.000 W
Oil Field Cabo Frio 6	22°08.000 S	040°25.000 W