

v 5

Our most popular and versatile sail, the **v 5 is the perfect all-purpose offwind sail**. It provides excellent reaching performance without compromising downwind speed. Slightly smaller (90% of maximum size), its design is geared towards exceptional performance at tighter wind angles than traditional cruising spinnakers. It takes full advantage of the structural advances and three dimensional shaping characteristics of the modern asymmetrical to be able to sail well inside a beam reach. At the same time, when eased, the v 5 projects area to weather to deliver all-around broad reaching speed. It is the perfect size for the short-handed crew, and is particularly well adapted to today's easily driven hull forms and lighter displacement. With its strength, specialized shaping, and moderate size, the v 5 can be used comfortably in breezy conditions as well.

Handling can be simplified with a sock.

v 5 Technical Specifications

- most efficient at TWA of 80-150 degrees
- (apparent wind angles of 40-120 degrees).
- Foot length 170-180% of J (depending on size of foretriangle)
- Mid Girth 80-95% of foot length
- Leech Length 88% of luff length
- Spectra luff rope
- High modulus leech and foot cords
- Variable weight (or plied) full tri radial structure
- Materials: nylon or polyester spinnaker fabric
- Handling: Sock



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utilizes the most advanced structural systems, and shapes; refined in the world's leading wind tunnel testing program.



v 5 power at 60 degrees apparent



v 5 brings old and new classics to life

