



News

☺ Australians won three gold medals on the last World Championship in Lucerne. W4-, WL4x and W8+ showed outstanding performance. Well done! Congratulations to the athletes and coaches!

Facts. Did You Know That...

✓ ...on the last nine Worlds and Olympics the percentages of the crews from different countries in **Finals A** in **all boat types** were (%):

	Year	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	
	Races	23	23	24	14	24	24	24	14	24	Average
1	GER	78	83	83	57	75	71	75	64	50	70.7
2	USA	57	43	50	50	67	58	54	64	54	55.3
3	AUS	43	52	54	71	33	50	42	71	29	49.6
4	ITA	35	48	50	36	42	50	46	43	58	45.2
5	GBR	48	35	42	21	54	46	38	29	50	40.2
6	FRA	30	39	29	29	38	33	33	21	33	31.8
7	CAN	35	30	29	57	29	17	33	21	17	29.9
8	DEN	30	35	42	36	29	29	25	14	17	28.5
9	NED	35	35	33	43	13	13	25	29	29	28.2
10	ROM	26	30	13	21	33	29	25	36	33	27.4

Here and below, for instance, 78% means 18 boats from a country in 23 Finals A.

✓ ...percentages in **Finals A** in **Olympic boats** (%):

	Year	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	
	Races	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	Average
1	GER	79	93	86	57	86	64	71	64	79	75.4
2	AUS	29	50	43	71	36	50	64	71	29	49.2
3	USA	64	36	43	50	50	50	36	64	36	47.6
4	ITA	29	43	36	36	43	43	43	43	50	40.5
5	FRA	36	50	29	29	36	43	50	21	36	36.5
6	GBR	43	29	29	21	50	50	29	29	50	36.5
7	CAN	29	36	50	57	36	14	36	21	29	34.1
8	ROM	29	21	21	21	43	43	29	36	36	31.0
9	NED	36	29	43	43	7	14	36	29	21	28.6
10	DEN	14	36	36	36	36	43	21	14	14	27.8

✓ ...percentages of **Medals** in **all boat types** (%):

	Year	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	
	Races	23	23	24	14	24	24	24	14	24	Average
1	GER	57	39	38	29	46	42	46	43	33	41.2
2	USA	35	26	29	29	25	38	42	21	17	29.0
3	ITA	26	30	33	7	21	38	21	29	33	26.5
4	AUS	13	17	17	43	21	21	29	36	13	23.2
5	GBR	17	22	25	14	33	17	21	21	21	21.3
6	FRA	13	13	21	29	21	17	8	21	21	18.2
7	ROM	13	26	4	14	29	17	13	21	21	17.6
8	CAN	30	9	17	43	17	13	17	7	4	17.3
9	NED	13	17	21	21	4	8	4	21	21	14.6
10	DEN	13	17	29	14	25	8	8	7	8	14.6

✓ ... percentages of **Medals** in **Olympic boats** (%):

	Year	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	
	Races	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	Average

1	GER	64	64	43	29	57	50	50	43	57	50.8
2	AUS	14	21	21	43	14	21	50	36	7	25.4
3	USA	43	21	21	29	21	29	21	21	7	23.8
4	ROM	14	21	7	14	43	29	14	21	29	21.4
5	FRA	21	21	14	29	21	14	14	21	21	19.8
6	ITA	21	21	21	7	21	21	14	29	21	19.8
7	CAN	21	14	29	43	14	14	21	7	7	19.0
8	GBR	7	14	14	14	29	21	14	21	14	16.7
9	DEN	7	14	21	14	29	7	7	7	7	12.7
10	NED	7	7	29	21	0	7	7	21	7	11.9

✓ ... percentages of **Gold Medals** in **all boats** (%):

	Year	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	
	Races	23	23	24	14	24	24	24	14	24	Average
1	GER	13	13	8	14	21	21	13	14	21	15.3
2	GBR	17	13	8	7	8	13	4	14	17	11.3
3	ITA	0	17	21	7	8	13	13	7	8	10.5
4	USA	4	9	21	0	17	8	25	0	0	9.3
5	ROM	9	9	0	14	4	4	8	21	8	8.7
6	AUS	4	0	8	14	8	8	4	0	13	6.7
7	FRA	13	4	0	0	8	4	0	14	8	5.8
8	CAN	17	4	8	7	4	4	4	0	0	5.5
9	DEN	0	9	8	7	8	4	8	0	0	5.0
10	SUI	0	0	4	14	4	4	4	0	0	3.4

✓ ...percentage of **Gold Medals** in **Olympic boats**:

	Year	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	
	Races	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	Average
1	GER	21	21	14	14	29	21	21	14	36	21.4
2	GBR	7	7	7	7	7	14	7	14	14	9.5
3	ITA	0	21	21	7	7	7	7	7	7	9.5
4	ROM	7	0	0	14	7	7	14	21	14	9.5
5	CAN	14	7	14	7	7	7	7	0	0	7.1
6	USA	7	7	7	0	14	14	7	0	0	6.3
7	FRA	21	7	0	0	7	0	0	14	0	5.6
8	DEN	0	14	7	7	7	7	7	0	0	5.6
9	AUS	7	0	7	14	0	0	7	0	7	4.8
10	NZL	7	7	0	0	0	7	7	7	0	4.0

✓ ...average ratios of the **Medals** to the number of crews in **Finals A** (%) are:

Medals	CHI	NOR	ROM	ITA	GER	CAN	IRL	FRA	CZE	17-AUS
Total	66.7	64.8	64.0	58.5	58.3	58.0	57.4	57.2	56.4	46.8
Gold	ROM	GBR	BLR	NZL	AUT	ITA	GER	SLO	IRL	16-AUS
Total	31.6	28.2	24.7	24.3	23.2	23.1	21.7	20.6	18.9	13.5
Medals	ROM	GER	YUG	NOR	UKR	CAN	FRA	NZL	AUS	10-USA
Olympic	69.2	67.4	66.7	64.3	57.1	55.8	54.3	52.9	51.6	50.0
Gold	ROM	NZL	GER	GBR	BLR	ITA	CAN	DEN	HUN	17-AUS
Olympic	30.8	29.4	28.4	26.1	23.5	23.5	20.9	20.0	20.0	9.7

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