



## ARC Course Record

Whilst fundamentally a fun rally for cruising yachts, the ARC does have a more serious racing division, run for many years under the auspices of the **Royal Ocean Racing Club** (RORC). Yachts in the racing divisions are not permitted to use their engines for propulsion (unlike the cruisers), although use of autopilots is allowed.

Since its inception in 1986 the time taken for the fastest yacht to make the passage entirely by sail has fallen steadily, with the current course record being set in ARC 2006.

Year	Yacht Name	Design	Owner	Nat	Days	Hours	Min.	Sec.
2006	<i>Capricorno</i>	Maxi	Rinaldo Del Bono	ITA	11	05	32	30
2003	<i>Spirit</i>	Volvo 60	Hamish Oliphant	GBR	11	13	12	20
2001	<i>Spirit of Diana</i>	Farr 65	Ross Daniels	GBR	11	23	41	43
2000	<i>Multicap Caraibes</i>	Open 50	Luc Coquelin	FRA	12	18	7	20
1998	<i>Yes!</i>	Sydney 60	Adam Gosling	GBR	13	02	58	00

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