

## Contest Contest 29



**Year:** 1968  
**Location:** Plymouth  
**LOA:** 29' 0" (8.84m)  
**Beam:** 8' 3" (2.51m)  
**Draft:** 4' 0" (1.22m)

### Remarks:

This Contest 29 is a very nice boat with a long life and also had some nice upgrades. She was purchased in 2002 and regularly serviced. The owner has been very happy with her which looks good for a boat of her age, the

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## Construction:

Built by Conyplex Netherlands in 1968  
Designed by G. Luyten  
Heavy construction GRP, hull deck and superstructure  
Encapsulated long keel  
Full keel rudder

## Mechanics:

Beta BZ482 diesel engine, (new 2002, serviced annually)  
Single lever morse engine controls  
Three blade fixed pitch propeller

## Electrics:

Two x 85AH batteries  
CTEK multi XS 25000 battery management system  
Charging from engine alternator  
240V shore power

## Tankage:

Fuel capacity 40 litre  
Fresh water capacity 100 litres

## Rigging:

Conyplex Sitke Spruce mast (Mast stripped & Varnished 2010)  
Single spreader rig  
Conyplex boom & spinnaker pole  
Slab reefing  
Pac a main system (2010)

## Sails:

Mainsail Moby  
Genoa, sacrificial strip replaced & luff padding strip fitted (2009)  
Sails washed & valeted each year by McKillops Kingsbridge

## Sail Area:

Overall 34.37m<sup>2</sup>  
Mainsail 16.99m<sup>2</sup>  
Genoa 17.37m<sup>2</sup>

## Inventory:

### Navigation Aids:

Garmin GPS map 182C chart plotter  
NASA Duet log/depth  
Plastimo steering compass  
Raymarine ST2000 autopilot  
Icom DSC VHF radio  
Navigation lights deck & masthead  
Fusion Ipod dock with VHF splitter

### Ground Tackle:

Lofrans windlass  
Plough anchor 25 lb 30M chain 30M warp

Kedge 25 lb  
Stainless steel bow roller

**Safety Equipment:**

Lifejackets X two  
Lifelines X two  
Lifebuoy  
Fire extinguishers X two  
Fire blanket  
Manual bilge pump  
Electric bilge pump  
Navigation lights

**General Inventory:**

Fenders x six  
Warps x six  
Sprayhood serviced & new windows fitted by Ocean canvas  
Cockpit dodgers  
Boarding ladder  
Cockpit cushions  
Cockpit grating  
Inflatable Waveco 2.6M (2009)  
Cockpit shower

**Accommodation:**

Sleeps five in two cabins  
Forepeak double V berth  
Two single berths in the saloon  
Single quarter berth  
Lots of storage above bunks (cupboards & shelving units)

**Forward Cabin:**

Double V berth with infill  
Shelves to port and starboard  
Under berth stowage

**Heads:**

Pressurised cold water  
Lavac Marine toilet  
Jabsco holding tank  
Retractable sink  
Excellent stowage

**Galley:**

Stainless steel sink with pressurised water  
Flavel Vanessa, two burner hob, grill and oven  
Stowage

**Saloon:**

Port and starboard settee berths (starboard berth extends to give a large single berth small double)  
Good size aft quarter berth to starboard  
Excellent stowage throughout, especially in the main saloon

## Remarks :

This Contest 29 for sale is a great little yacht; extremely solidly built and with her heavy ballast long keel she can tackle most sea states and is happy offshore.

Previous owners have had her fitted out to cruise the Med, as you expect she has lots of extras such as sails in 2010 and still in good order, entirely stripped and re-varnished mast in 2010, Jabsco holding tank and Propex heating system, for when she is here in the UK.

The current owner has had the gas installation inspected, pipes refitted in 2009 & the cooker serviced.

She had a new Beta Marine 14hp diesel engine in 2002 and has had regular services.

This Contest 29 is indeed a fantastic example with all original features; she had the topsides and decks re-painted in 2010 along with the cockpit, grab rails, mast & boom re-varnished, she has also had a new Gebo forehatch fitted in 2010, which looks great.

If you are looking for a solidly built cruiser that is safe at sea, with a reliable engine and great value for money, then I strongly recommend viewing this yacht, she offers good value for money!

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