



# BELGIAN SAILING

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**Jonas Gerckens** is working hard to earn his spot in the world of offshore sailing. He started his career in the Mini 6.50 but in recent years also as a team in Mixed Double Handed Offshore team with Sophie Faguet. In 2021 they scored a magnificent second place in the Europeans and a third place in the World Championships. But Jonas is also very active in his quest of the Class 40 where he scored a super fourth spot in the famous [Transat Jacques Vabre](#). Jonas wins the trophy of Sailor of the Year Man already for the fourth time! (2013, 2017, 2018, 2021) [More](#)

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