

celebrating 35 years in business

Victron Energy exists 35 years, a milestone that needs to be celebrated! Therefore, Victron SAIL 2010 was organised, in the middle of SAIL 2010 Amsterdam (The Netherlands). Several boats with a waving Victron-flag sailed through the canals of Amsterdam. In the evening there was a spectacular fireworks show. It was a great day!



From thursday 19 Augst until mon-day 23 August, the 8th edition of SAIL took place in Amsterdam. With nearly 2 million visitors each edition, SAIL Amsterdam is the biggest nautical

event in Europe and one of the biggest of all events in The Netherlands. SAIL's main attraction are the Tall Ships and the large fleet accompanying them. One of the eye-catchers of SAIL was the green sailing ship **Ecolution** from Wubbo Ockels.

Victron SAIL 2010

After the speech of Reinout Vader the participants of Victron SAIL went on board several sloops. Afer sailing through Amsterdams canals the sloops moored at SAILTERP, a floating platform in the harbour of Amsterdam North. At the SAILTERP the participants

enjoyed barbeque-snacks, drinks and music. In the evening everyone went on board of several ships. Together with hundreds of sloops and boats the people on board of the Victron-ships watched the fireworks show.

The participants of Victron SAIL were very positive: 'About the Sail Amsterdam 2010 we can say only unique and amazing. The same goes for the organisation, treat and hospitality of Victron. Unforgettable!'

Victron Energy

Reinout Vader, the company's current Managing Director, founded Victron Energy in 1975. Over the last 35 years, Victron Energy has grown from a small, one-office, technology company to become an international enterprise with nearly 1000 different products sold in more than 60 countries worldwide. The company has 50 employees, and, in addition to our headquarters in Almere, sales offices in France, England, Germany, Denmark, Spain, Florida USA, Maine USA, South Africa and Australia.



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Photo 1: Hundreds of boats and ships sailing through the canals of Amsterdam.



Photo 2: Spectacular fireworks show at the end of SAIL 2010 in Amsterdam.