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“Although most of Confetti’s original onboard systems went south, we’ve come to love our boat more each day. We think that Bruce Farr is a god, and that Rich and Sherri Crowe of Newport Beach did an incredible job executing his design. Some of the new gear that we were particularly impressed with includes our CoolBlue fridge – bought on impulse, along with a watermaker and some Musto foulies, during the last hour of the Oakland Boat Show after one too many beers. Our Iridium satphone was invaluable, although next time we’d use it, instead of the SSB, to get GRIB files. Our 140-watt solar panel, with the MPPT charge controller, provided for most of our power needs, and, when instruments gave up the ghost, we navigated with a little GEKO GPS for more than 1,000 miles.