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Sustainable Ships for our Blue Planet

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71% of its surface is covered by water97.5% of water on earth is in the Oceans

90% of world trade is transported by seas 118.928 ships worldwide (>100 GT) 7.000 ships represent 51% of total GT

3% of annual GHG emission from shipping

expected to double in 2050 with same type of energy and power systems







Yearly global surface temperature and atmospheric carbon dioxide (1850-2022)





Our World in Data

Greenhouse gas emissions

Greenhouse gas emissions include carbon dioxide, methane and nitrous oxide from all sources, including agriculture and land use change. They are measured in <u>carbon dioxide-equivalents</u> over a 100-year timescale.



Data source: Calculated by Our World in Data based on emissions data from Jones et al. (2023) - Learn more about this data





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Greenhouse gas emissions, 2021

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Greenhouse gas emissions by sector, World

Emissions are measured in carbon dioxide equivalents (CO2eq). This means non-CO2 gases are weighted by the amount of warming they cause over a 100-year timescale.



Our World

in Data



Transport emissions



*Excluding the United Kingdom

**Excluding land use, land-use change and forestry

***Energy, industry, residential, commercial, institutional, agriculture, forestry, fisheries and other















Share of world fleet in % owned by top 15 countries in 2021 (> 5000GT)



Rest of the world	China ^{11.6%}	Singapore 6.6%	China Hong Kong SAR 4.9%	а, I	Korea, Republic of 4.1%
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		3.0%			
		Norway 3.0%			

Which emissions from ships?







theguardian.com/environment/2009/apr/09/shipping-pollution

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• This article is more than **14 years old**

Health risks of shipping pollution have been 'underestimated'

One giant container ship can emit almost the same amount of cancer and asthma-causing chemicals as 50m cars, study finds

newatlas.com/shipping-pollution/11526/

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Big polluters: One massive container ship equals 50 million cars

April 23, 2009



lngtransfer.com/news/the-16-biggest-ships-produce-more-pollution-than-all-the-cars-in-the-world/

LNG TRANSFER



Posted in News By Mark James On October 21, 2016



Claim:

"The 16 largest ships emit as much CO2 emissions as all the cars in the world" (NRC.nl, 2014).

Evaluation CE Delft study (2021)*:

16 of the largest ships [...] emitted between 1 and 4 million tons of CO2 in 2015, while all the cars in the world emitted between 1,900 and 3,500 million tons of CO2

16 of the largest ships produced as much CO2 emission than 0,1% of all the cars in the world

* Source: https://cedelft.eu/wp-content/uploads/sites/2/2021/04/CE_Delft_7N59_The_basic_facts_Summary_and_Conclusions.pdf

SOx emissions: claims and fact checks



"The 17 largest ships in the world emit more sulfur than all the cars in the world combined" (D66, 2017).

Evaluation CE Delft study (2021)*:

17 of the largest ships emitted in 2015, depending on how you define "large," between around 10 and 45 kilotons of SOX. Around 947 million cars worldwide emitted between around 70 and 350 kilotons of SOX in 2015.

'With an estimated 800 million cars driving around the planet, that means 16 super-ships **can** emit as much sulphur as the world fleet of cars' (Daily Mail Online, 2009).

Evaluation CE Delft study (2021)*:

If you define a 'super-ship' as a cruise ship and assume that the 16 largest cruise ships only operated on HFO (with the maximum allowable sulfur content of 3.5%), then the statement is correct. However, because cruise ships often sail in Emission Control Areas, (and the average sulfur content of HFO in 2015 was already at 2.45%), this statement was accurate in 2015 only under unrealistic assumptions.

One large container ship with over 14,500 TEU emitted around 1 kiloton of SOX in 2015. This is equivalent to about 3 to 12 million cars in 2015.



Claim:

"Container ship as polluting as up to 50 million cars" (Groen7.NL, 2015).

16 of the largest container ships (with over 14,500 TEU) emitted around 45 kilotons of NOX in total in 2015. 50% of the cars worldwide emitted around 5,900 kilotons of NOX in 2015, which is 130 times more.

1 large container vessel emits per year as much nitrous dioxide than about 250.000 cars



Designing sustainable ships and waterborne operations is technically possible but necessitates a holistic approach, full of challenges and requires making choices and accepting changes.

- Ship design
- Ship operations
- Fuel & Transport Infrastructures
- Fleet & Logistics

Three main drivers

- Use sustainable energy
- Design for operations
- Use less energy

One ready to implement solution

Use freely available energy



SUSTAINABLE ENERGY























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https://sustainablepower.application.marin.nl/



Physical properties of Sustainable Alternative Energy Carriers & price per energy unit

Selection of the solutions matching de 70% emission reduction



The energy density and energy storage challenge











(auxiliary electric systems & hotel in harbor or at anchor)

ONBOARD POWER SUPPLY

From onboard conversion system using bunkered energy carrier




(auxiliary electric systems & hotel in harbor or at anchor)





(auxiliary electric systems & hotel in harbor or at anchor)





(auxiliary electric systems & hotel in harbor or at anchor)





(auxiliary electric systems & hotel & battery charging in harbor or at anchor)





(auxiliary electric systems & hotel & battery charging in harbor or at anchor)







Engines off, Shore Power on!

Heerema's offshore vessels successfully plugged in at the largest shore power installation of Europe in Rotterdam



The Shore Power connection has a 20 MW capacity, which is the energy equivalent of around 15,000 homes. As the vessels turn off their engines when connected to Shore Power, virtually all emissions and particulate matter is prevented because no more marine gas oil or LNG in Sleipnir's case will be used. This action has direct benefits for local residents with air quality improvements and a reduction in CO2. Also, without the engines running there is a significant reduction in noise nuisance.

When Heerema's vessels turn off their engines when moored in the Port of Rotterdam for a standard repair and maintenance period there is a saving of 15,000 metric tons of CO2, 20 metric tons of particulate matter, 5 metric tons of sulfur, and a significant amount of nitrogen-comparable to the annual emissions of 5,000 diesel cars.



DESIGN FOR OPERATIONS

Ship design perspective







Mission reconstructions: combination of operational input and power performance evaluations

-Propulsion -Auxiliary -Payload

Note, propulsive and auxiliary maximum powers are different

Mission Type	Maximum total effective power & Effective Energy			Requirements
	Criterion	[kW]	[MWh]	GHG and Pollutants
I – Surveillance (Region Rotterdam)	Endurance: 24 hrs	1236	5,1	Zero Emission
II – Surveillance (Region Dordrecht)	Endurance: 16 hrs	1236	6,5	Zero Emission
III – Surveillance (Region Amsterdam)	Endurance: 16 hrs	1236	2,3	Zero Emission

100%





System Abbreviations	Short description
Diesel CI ICE	Diesel in Compression ignited internal combustion engine
H2 700b LT PEMFC	Compressed hydrogen (700 bars) in Low Temperature PEM Fuel Cell
H2 300b LT PEMFC	Compressed hydrogen (300 bars) in a Low Temperature PEM Fuel Cell
LH2 LT PEMFC	Liquified (cryogenic) hydrogen in a Low Temperature PEM Fuel Cell
LOHC LT PEMFC	Liquid Organic Hydrogen Carrier in a Low Temperature PEM Fuel Cell
NaBH4 LT PEMFC	Sodium Borohydride in a Low Temperature PEM Fuel Cell
Battery-electric	Battery-electric



DESIGN FOR OPERATIONS

Macro perspective





DESIGN FOR OPERATIONS Macro perspective

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• Online dashboard example studies: <u>https://needs.application.marin.nl</u>





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USE LESS ENERGY



















USE FREE AVAILABLE ENERGY





The most sustainable energy is simply the energy you don't use...





Present retrofits

New builds short term

New builds long term 53



Drifting to port at angles 0, 2 and 4 degrees: The vortices from the gondola affect the wake













- Design changes:
 - Change hull dimensions (more draught, ...)
 - Use V-shaped sections or box keels (in stern area)
 - Avoid wide flat transom
 - Enlarge skegs and bilge keels
 - Use appendages (like keels or dagger boards)
 - High-lift/multiple rudders
- Most of these modifications come with performance degradation when sailing straight, in low wind.
- Find best compromise considering operational profile.







"Wind Assisted Ship Propulsion" (WASP) can save between 5% and 40% on emissions, but route should be optimized

















Designing sustainable ships and waterborne operations is technically possible but necessitates a holistic approach, full of challenges and requires making choices and accepting changes.

- Use sustainable energy
- Know and optimise energy operational profile
- Design only for operations
- Adapt infrastructure
- Use less energy
- Use Wind whenever possible (freely available energy)

















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Success is not final Failure is not fatal It is the courage to continue that counts Churchill

Simplicity is the ultimate sophistication Da Vinci





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WINDWINGS

The journey so far...

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Simulation Driven Marine Innovation



AC 35



Dynamic Foils on Princess R35



BAR Tech 30 CTV + FOSS





BAR Tech WindWings



BAR Tech Foiling launch with Spirit Yachts Hull



BAR TECHNOLOGIES

Simulation



- Full force and moment models for each hydrodynamic and aerodynamic component are derived from computational simulations using *machine learning techniques*.
- These force models are combined and then balanced while minimising the fuel consumption of the vessel subject to the *operational limits* of each individual component.
- The complete performance of the vessel to variable external conditions is simulated in this way, building a *full performance profile*.
- Wing-Wing, Wing- Vessel and Wind Shear Interactions are modelled
- Depowering models included






Scrutinized by industry leaders

Our simulation techniques, performance predictions and claims have been **studied and verified** by both the acclaimed Wolfson Unit and Lloyds Register on behalf of clients of note. In both cases they have fully supported our finding and commended our thorough analysis methodologies. ShipSEAT : Ship System Efficiency Analysis Tool

- Influence of Leeway on vessel drag and monk moment
- Full **yaw balance**
- The propeller characteristics are input into ShipSEAT and specific *propeller efficiency curves* are derived including influences from loading variations and inflow angle deltas
- Engine information is input and an SFC curve is added for the particular engine size.
- **Engine limits** are set to ensure both the power and the RPM remain in an achievable region.
- Performance models of the vessel with a technology are used along with the *corresponding baseline ship*.
- Both vessels are simulated over a *large number of start dates* and their performance is evaluated using *historical weather data*.
- Each vessel's course, speed and control settings are optimised continuously over each leg, in the same way that the real vessel would be operated.
- Results are used to evaluate savings potential and *inform design decisions*.

The Technology

3 Element, High Lift Rigid Wing

- Increased Lift = Increased Fuel Savings
- Improved Forgiveness & Stall Characteristics
- Flexibility & Reduced Drag



Fully Adjustable Camber & Angle of Attack





Delivered With A Suit Of Automation And Optimisation Tools

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Wing Control System (WCS)

Provides complete control automation, health safety and alarm monitoring. On vessel interface for manual wing interaction, maintenance processes etc.

ShipSEAT Onboard

Undertakes the performance aspects of the control, customised on a vessel-by-vessel basis. This bespoke code determines the optimum wing orientation and camber shape ensuring maximum fuel savings at all times. Additionally reports live thrust values.

ShipSEAT Routing

A custom state of the art routing package developed specifically for Wind Assisted Vessels. Assessable via a web interface, accessible either by a shore-based ops team and/or onboard with a variety of automated workflow tools to aid efficient use.

First Launches

<u>Vessel 1</u> Pyxis Ocean: *Owner: Charterer:* No. Wings:

Kamasamax MC Shipping Cargill 2



<u>Vessel 2</u>

Berge Olympus:NewcastlemaxOwner:Berge BulkCharterer:ValeNo. Wings:4

Further announcements to follow including first multi- vessel run new build program





Route and vessel dependent- bespoke predictions and trust guarantees available

Realistic simulations- fully representation of performance through life. Negative effects such depowering (yaw balances limits etc), interference, unfavorable conditions etc included.

Ratified Savings- Performance predictions independently verified for major oil company by the Wolfson Unit & and for another by Lloyds Register **Extractable Performance**- Forgive design ensures delivery of performance in off optional conditions



Presenting BAR Technologies WindWings by Yaramarine Technologies

The Technology





Composite Production Views



Sea Operations





Cargo Discharge

Cargo Loading

- WingWing *patented 3 Element configuration* maximises thrust and power potential
- Configurability and controllability of the shape allows exploitation of potential across a *wider range of AWS and AWA*
- ✓ The multielement configuration is *naturally more forgiving* to variation in external condition meaning *low power requirements*
- ✓ *Minimal interaction effects*; more wings means more savings
- ✓ Practical, reliable and robust construction- know technologies, minimising maintenance requirements and costs.
- ✓ The design allows the *folding and stowing of the wings* for port operations without the complexity and reliability challenges of telescopic designs
- ✓ Proven Technology
- ✓ c.1.5T Fuel Saved Per WindWing Per Day





CFD-assisted Hull Form Optimization for Sustainable Shipping

Dae-Hyun Kim | November 6, 2023



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| CFD-assisted Hull Form Optimization for Sustainable Shipping

Parametric Hull Form Optimization

- New technologies for more sustainable shipping are being developed, but they must be incorporated into ship designs in an optimal way.
- Parametric hull form optimization guided by RANS CFD could help stakeholders find the optimal way.
- ABS has been assisting its clients with this parametric hull form optimization framework.

Optimization Framework





- Hull form is modeled by parameters (variables) using a parametric CAD modeling software.
- Depending on the area of interest, relevant parameters (i.e., design variables) are optimized against given objective function(s).
- Each variation of design variables produces unique design candidate.
- Objective functions (e.g., minimum power and/or maximum cargo capacity) associated with each design candidate is evaluated by CFD tool.
- It often becomes a multi-objective nonlinear optimization problem with a set of design constraints.







- Calm water resistance computed by CFD and compared to KCS model test results from "Gothenburg 2010: A Workshop on Numerical Ship Hydrodynamics".
- Average difference between CFD and experimental resistance values is 0.88%.
- Good comparison in free surface wakes.

KCS Benchmark												
Speed	[knots]	10.0	14.0	18.0	20.0	24.0	26.0					
Froude Number		0.1083	0.1516	0.1949	0.2166	0.2599	0.2816					
Dynamic Sinkage, CFD	[mm]	-1.552	3.610	-6.689	-8.656	-13.518	-16.907					
Dynamic Sinkage, Exp.	[mm]	-0.900	-2.750	-5.990	-9.440	-13.040	-17.020					
Dynamic Trim, CFD	[deg]	0.031	0.057	0.099	0.124	0.184	0.160					
Dynamic Trim, Exp.	[deg]	0.170	0.053	0.097	0.127	0.169	0.159					
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Delta CFD-Exp.	[%]	1.44%	0.90%	0.90%	0.29%	-1.30%	-0.51%					





- Optimize the hull form for minimum delivered power over the operational profile (Design Draft: 60%, Ballast Draft: 40%) subject to the following constraints:
 - Cargo tank volume of 85,000 m³
 - Hull maximum depth (15.0 m max. freeboard @ Midship and Ballast Draft)
 - Draft @ Aft-ship to ensure propeller immersion
 - Speed: 14.5 kn for both drafts











Modeling of Hull and Cargo Tank: As hull form changes, cargo tank also changes with a predefined clearance between Hull and Tank.



Summary:

- Optimization with Panamax beam and no limit on length have the best potential to push performance up
- Vertical stem bow type appears to have better performance compared to the bulbous bow type



Pareto Fronts



• Depending on the problem, different optimization algorithms will be used but in general, a multi-step approach is efficient.







New Variant 1 (Bulbous Bow)

Baseline





New Variant 2 (Vertical Stem)

Baseline



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- It is possible to model not only vertical stem bow but also bulbous bow with a single parametric model.
- The efficiency of the design space investigation depends on how the parametric model is built (e.g., number of design variables).
- How to implement the constraints should also be considered in building parametric models.







• Automatically checking the hull tank clearance to ensure constraints are met.

• Example of partially parametric model for asymmetric stern hull.



- CFD-based parametric optimization approach became feasible for hull form design and optimization.
- Parametric optimization approach enables a more efficient investigation of design space with various constraints and multiple objective functions.
- However, it still requires various knowledge and experience from multiple subject matter experts.
 - Computational fluid dynamics (CFD)
 - Parametric CAD modeling
 - Nonlinear multi-objective optimization
 - Ship resistance, propulsion and powering (or the physics of the problem)
 - Ship design, construction, and operation (or practical considerations of the engineering problem)



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Balancing energy efficiency and underwater radiated noise reduction of ships

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- IMO Greenhouse Gas Strategy:
 - uptake of zero and near-zero
 GHG fuels by 2030 (at least 5%)
 - reduce CO₂ emissions per transport work in 2030 by 40% compared to 2008
 - net-zero GHG emissions close to 2050

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CARBON INTENSITY INDICATOR (CII RATING)



IMPROVING THE OPERATIONAL PERFORMANCE OF EXISTING SHIPS

EEXI / EEDI / CII





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URN from ships: impact on marine life

- Growing evidence of impact of underwater radiated noise (URN) of ships on marine life
- Masking of sounds used for:
 - Communication
 - Hunting
 - Navigation
- Physical damage:
 - Hearing loss



Propeller: cavitating tonal

Machinery: main engines

Propeller: cavitating broadband

Source of URN vs. cetaceans vocalisations





URN from ships: sources









Source: Spence and Fischer, 2017

Source: Arveson & Vendittis (2000) 173 m cargo vessel

URN from ships: sources







Source: Arveson & Vendittis (2000) 173 m cargo vessel


URN from ships: regulations, incentives and class rules





Energy efficiency and URN reduction

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Example of mitigation measures

- Optimise the hull design
 - Minimise resistance
 - Optimise propeller inflow
- Optimise the propeller design
 - Trade-off efficiency and noise reduction

- Change the propulsor concept
 - Pumpjet, trochoidal propeller, etc.

- Use wind-assistance
 - Reduce required thrust











Example of mitigation measures

- Inject air bubbles:
 - Air lubrication to reduce resistance
 - Around hull against machinery noise ("Masker system")
 - Into the cavitation ("Prairie-like system")

- Clean the hull and propeller
 - Minimise required thrust



- Reduce speed
 - Minimise required thrust
 - On-board monitoring for real-time advice







Hull form optimisation









Integrated hull & propeller design

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- Traditionally:
 - optimise hull form for resistance

- Integrated aproach:
 - optimise hull form and propeller *simultaneously* for efficiency and URN



Change propulsion concept (SATURN WP4)

113



230 mm

168 mm

180 mm









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Change propulsion concept (SATURN WP4)









delle Ricerche







- Suppresses cavitation on rotor
- Improves efficiency +2% in comparison with existing propeller

- Wind assistance reduces thrust delivered by propeller
 - Reduced cavitation (reduced noise)
 - Reduced GHG emissions
- Additional complexity in propeller design:
 - Oblique inflow into propeller due to sailing at a drift angle
 - Propeller works has multiple design conditions
 - Consequences thereof on efficiency and noise currently being researched









Air injection



- Air lubrication
 - Various studies show around 5% reduction of fuel consumption

- Along the hull to reduce machinery-induced URN:
 - Masker system

- Into the propeller disk to reduce cavitation-induced URN:
 - Prairie-like system •







Air injection: Masker system (SATURN WP4)











Injection: Masker system (SATURN WP4)







Air injection: Masker system (SATURN WP4)



Air injection: Prairie-like system (SATURN WP4)









Air injection: Prairie-like system (SATURN WP4)





Application of air injection: 173 m cargo vessel



Source: Arveson & Vendittis (2000) 173 m cargo vessel

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Application of air injection: 173 m cargo vessel

• Insertion loss due to Masker system



Big Bubble Curtain data: M.A. Bellmann (2014). Overview of existing Noise Mitigation Systems for reducing Pile-Driving Noise





Application of air injection: 173 m cargo vessel

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• Source level attenuation due to Prairie-like system



• Resulting noise levels





Prairie-like system: influepropeller design







Effect of speed reduction on URN and GHG emissions

- Speed reduction very effective against URN
 - JOMOPANS-ECHO model*
- 10% speed reduction yields:
 - 3 dB noise reduction
 - 13% GHG emission reduction** •
 - Some studies state 30% GHG emission reduction
- Big step in noise reduction:
 - Reduce speed to cavitation inception speed (CIS)
 - **CIS not in JOMOPANS-ECHO model**



* MacGillivray & De Jong (2021)

** Faber et al. (2017)



Effect of speed reduction on URN (SATURN WP3)



Source: Findlay et al. (2023). Small reductions in cargo vessel speed substantially reduce noise impacts to marine mammals

- 25% speed reduction:
 - Source-level reduction of 6 dB:
 - 50% reduction in the swath
 - 75% reduction in the instantaneous acoustic footprint
 - Transit time increased by 25%
- Net reduced noise impact: footprint deceases more than transit time increases

Cavitation URN estimation by onboard sensors

- How slow is slow enough?
- Onboard monitoring to estimate URN real-time
- Tested on RV Pelagia
- 4 pressure sensors and 4 accelerometers on hull above propeller
- Real-time advice:
 - Reduce speed to reduce noise





sensors



Validation of URN estimation by onboard sensors



Peak in pressures caused cavitation

- Optimise route for minimum noise impact:
 - Minimise speed (in areas with sensitive wildlife)
 - Optimal use of wind assistance
 - Just-in-time arrival
 - Try to avoid increasing speed to compensate for slowing down
- More ships needed due to speed reduction:
 - Reduced fuel costs compensate operational costs of additional ships Lee et al. (2015)





Cost-benefit analysis (SATURN WP4)

- SATURN: Cost-benefit analysis of mitigation solutions
- KPI: Capital costs + operational costs
 - Depends on ship type and operational profile
- KPI: Reduction of impact on marine species
 - Translate change in source levels to change in impact for single ship
- KPI: Impact on energy efficiency
 - Use will be made of LCPA software





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- To be done
- What are win-win solutions?
 - Speed reduction is a win-win but there is a need to deliver goods on time
 - Technological mitigation measures can help to increase flexibility in ship speed while maintaining acceptable noise and GHG emissions



Thank you



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REVOLUTIONARY T-BOSS STERNTUBE-LESS DESIGN Saving Shipowners Thousands While Keeping Oceans Clean



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It's all about stopping oil pollution



95% of Merchant Fleet still Use Sterntube Oil Bath System



Sterntube Oil pollution is a regular occurrence

Ship type	Discharge rate $(L d^{-1})$
RoPax ship	6
Container/ro-ro cargo ship	4
Passenger cruise ship	2
Passenger ferry	2
Cargo ship	6
Refrigerated cargo ship	4
Container ship	5
Chemical tanker	4
Crude-oil tanker	4
Oil products tanker	3
LPG tanker	3
LNG tanker	1
Fishing vessel	2
Vehicle carrier	3

Source: J.-P. Jalkanen et al., 2021: Leakage rates of stern tube oil for different ship types.

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Accidental Oil discharge from sterntube

Webinar hosted by Riviera Maritime Media, 25 Feb. 2021 Q&A with Wartsila Shaft Line Solutions Team

Q: How many emergency seal repairs do you perform in a year?

A: Good question.. Several hundred I would say.

(Answered by Wärtsilä Shaft Line Solutions)

A: It is a tricky question and from the top of my head I cannot give an exact figure for emergency seal repairs. There are a good number of emergency repairs coming from fishing lines, ropes and some are done dockside and some underwater. (Answered by Wärtsilä Shaft Line Solutions)



Modern open seawater-lubricated system (sterntube)



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Modern Seawater-Iubricated Bearings – Long Life



Thordon COMPAC Water Lubricated Propeller Shaft Bearing Clearance

(Avg. Clearance of Port & Starboard)



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Elastomeric Polymer Alloy COMPAC Bearings

- Toughness, abrasion resistance, shock loading
- Typically, 2:1 L/D ratio for AFT bearing and 1:1 L/D ratio for FWD position
- Class approved design for pressures to 0.6MPa (87 psi or 6 Bar)
- Fitted in bronze carrier or installed directly into stern tube








Thordon Bearings – Elastomers



<u>Thordon Bearings Inc. - YouTube</u> <u>https://www.youtube.com > user > ThordonBearings</u>

Water Quality Package

- Designed to provide a clean supply of water to the water lubricated bearings
 - Controlled environment
 - Flow is monitored and low flow alarms provided
 - Removes abrasives
 - Improves bearing wear life
 - Self contained unit
 - Several configurations available



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Thordon Water Quality Package





Seawater Lubricated Shaftlines...

Already in Use



Why Seawater?

Proven Performance

• Fitted to over 700 commercial ships



- Thordon (500), Wartsila, KEMEL, Duramax, Lagersmit, Maprom
- Lifetime Propeller Shaft Bearing Wearlife Guarantee

Zero Pollution Risk (Zero Fines)

- Eliminate oil from below the waterline
- Meets US Vessel General Permit (VGP) and Polar Code



Eliminates Oil and Grease Discharges (Seawater Lubricated)

All major Classification Societies agree...

Extended Shaft Withdrawal Notations for Open Seawater-Lubricated Propeller Shafts are Approved by all Major Class Societies.





THE FUTURE... REVOLUTIONARY STERNTUBE-LESS DESIGN – T-BOSS





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A Joint Development Project

Elimination of the Stern Tube

Joint Development R&D and Innovation project with:

- ABS (American Bureau of Shipping), Greece office
- CSSC-SDARI, China
- Thordon Bearings, Canada
- National Technical University of Athens (NTUA), Greece

Key Focus

- Environmental impact by addressing the oil leakage from sterntube seals
- Sterntube removal and aft vessel interior re-designed
- Lower shipbuilding and maintenance costs for the ship owner
- No Shaft Withdrawal



Sterntube-less vessel Concept

- Sterntube, Aft Seal and Forward Sterntube Bearing Removed
- Aft Sterntube bearing replaced with Seawater lubricated bearing
- Irregularly Shaped Dry Aft Stern Chamber formed



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Design modifications to a sealed oil sterntube system

- Remove Sterntube
- Remove Forward Sterntube Bearing
- Replace AFT Sterntube Bearing with Water Lubricated Bearing
- No Aft Seal, Fwd Seal only
- Shorten shaftline, Optimize Engine Room Space, Increase Cargo Space

T-BOSS – Thordon Blue Ocean Stern Space



T-BOSS Sterntube-less vessel with seawater lubricated propeller shaft bearing system – 3D CAD

Formation of the Dry Aft Stern Chamber, where the sterntube used to exist.

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T-BOSS Sterntube-less Ship



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Opening to the Aft Stern Chamber ("temporary means of access")

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Access to the Irregularly Shaped Chamber

View from the inside





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Access to the bearing from the inside of the vessel (animation video)

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Shaft Alignment Optimization

	Optimised Drydock offsets [mm]	Fully Laden Hot Static Offsets [mm]	Ballast Hot Static Offsets [mm]
ASTB	0	0	0
I/M Bearing	0	-0.394	-1.075
M/E 1	-0.146	0.792	-0.619
M/E 2	-0.146	0.828	-0.536
M/E 3	-0.146	0.846	-0.41
M/E 4	-0.146	0.816	-0.276
M/E 5	-0.146	0.75	-0.143
M/E 6	-0.146	0.615	-0.02
M/E 7	-0.146	0.433	0.092
M/E 8	-0.146	0.184	0.184



1.075

10 12 14 16 18 20 22 24 26



Ballast Offsets [mm] Ballast Reactions [kN] All bearings are positively loaded and within their maker's limits

Engine Flange Shear Force- Bending Moment Envelope

		800	
		700	
		600	
		500	
		400	
	-	300	
		200	
		100	

M/E FLANGE M+Q LIMITS

Flywheel Bending Shear Weight G Moment M Force Q [kNm] [kN] [kN] Fully Laden -196.0 363.5 125.2 68.4 125.2 Ballast 21.4 -37.0 175.9 125.2 Drydock

All above conditions are "Hot Static"

Total Shear Force Q = F + G, where:

F: Model-calculated Shear Force [kN]

G: Flywheel Weight [kN]

BENDING MOMENT M [KNM]

-100

Engine Flange Bending Moment – Shear Force Envelope within maker's limits

Water Lubricated Bearing Wear-Down Effects



Torsio-axial mode

Lateral (whirling) mode





ABS Approval in Principle (AIP) for Sterntube-less Vessel

APPROVAL IN PRINCIPLE

as requested by:

Date of Issuance: 09 June 2022 Certificate Number: T2258617

ABS

SHANGHAI MERCHANT SHIP DESIGN & RESEARCH INSTITUTE CSSC

ABS has reviewed the documentation as specified in the ABS letter dated 13 May 2022 (Task No. T2258617) in accordance with the ABS 2017 *Guidance Notes on Review and Approval of Novel Concepts*, and considers that the conceptual engineering as proposed is feasible for the intended application, and the facilities as presented are, in principle, in compliance with the applicable requirements of the ABS Rules for Building and Classing Marine Vessels 2022, International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS 1974).

Facility: None Associated Facilities

Description: Sterntube-less Vessels with Thordon COMPAC Split Water Lubricated Aftmost Bearing

New Technology Maturity Level: Subsystem A - Feasibility Stage

To achieve final class approval of the subject design, the conditions and requirements as specified in the Approval Road Map [ABS letter dated 13 May 2022, Task No. T2258617] must be satisfied.

Bin-Hong Wang Director of Engineering, ABS

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Ya-Lin Li Manager – Global Engineering Shanghai ESD, ABS

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T-BOSS Sterntube-less vessel benefits – for the Shipowner

Lower operating expenses

- No oil, no risky aft oil seal to maintain
- lower friction with elastomer polymer bearing in water = fuel savings compared to sealed oil/metal bearing shaftline

• No shaft withdrawal

- maintain and inspect bearings, liners and seals without drydocking the vessel
- A 2-week re-alignment job (100k USD) in the dry-dock can be done in 1 day afloat, dispensing with the need for a drydock !

Zero pollution

- open seawater lubricated propeller shaft bearing system = **regulatory compliance** world-wide
- Improved EEDI
 - reduced fuel consumption and ME Emissions



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T-BOSS Sterntube-less vessel benefits – for the Shipyard

- Reduced cost with simplified scope of supply
 - No Sterntube
 - Single propeller shaft Bearing
 - No Oil and Oil piping systems
 - No Shaft Coating
 - No Aft Seal
 - Less Steel
- Simplified Installation Procedures
 - Fewer Components
 - Easier Alignment





T-BOSS Propeller Shaft Bearing System





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THE HYDROFOIL TECHNOLOGY

For reducing carbon emissions in the naval sector

FLYING TO CONSIDERABLY REDUCE DRAG & IMPROVE HYDRODYNAMICS

- Drastic reduction of the energy required to sail
- Up to 40% lower fuel consumption resulting in reduced carbon emissions

ELECTRIC PROPULSION SYSTEMS POWERED BY

- Hybrid engines today (fossil + electric)
- Renewable energy sources when mature (e.g., H2)
- Whatever the solution, emission-free energy use, with electric power:
 - When approaching the coasts
 - When sailing in protected areas
 - For short trips

OTHER MAIN BENEFITS

- Higher speeds resulting in shorter journey times and lower energy consumption
- Impressive shock mitigation

In the water, weight is our enemy



SEAT Targeting **Zero Emission ships**, combining **Excellence of technology**

Less CO2 Emission thanks to

- Hydrofoil technology
- Electronic ship management
- Solar panels
- Recycled materials,
- Environment-friendly hull paint



Key benefits for operators and passengers

- Carbon footprint reduction
- Speed

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- Comfort
- Innovative, positive and leadership image





SKIM IN PERFECT COMFORT

OVER THE SEA LIKE A BIRD

WITH SUSTAINABLE SHIPS





Thank you for your attention

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Nuclear Power for Commercial Maritime and Offshore

Peter Wallace

Principal Engineer—Risk and Regulatory Advisory

Introduction

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Nuclear is becoming fashionable















Nuclear is becoming fashionable
Nuclear is Timely for Maritime and Offshore

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Nuclear system applications



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Size Range	Applications	Arrangements	
<10 MW	Small ships and small rigs	Islanded	
10-50 MW	Medium size ships and medium size rigs	Islanded and Shore Power	
50-100 MW	Larger ships, medium sized floaters	Islanded, Shore Power, and Microgrid	
100 MW -1+ GW	Offshore Systems	Islanded, Macrogrid, and Microgrid	

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Application	Power	Trade	Replacement or Revolution	Notes
3,000 TEU Container Ship	20 MW	Regional	Replacement	Potential for worldwide trade
18,000 TEU Container Ship	100 MW	Worldwide	Replacement	
170,000 m3 LNG Carrier	30-50 MW	Worldwide	Replacement	Currently in a challenged position regarding emissions
FSRU	50 MW	Stationary	Replacement	Powers can be higher if used for local power generation
FPSO 250,000 bpd crude oil with gas compression and reinjection	100+ MW	Stationary	Replacement	Potentially lead to light duty refining
150,000 DWT (~1 M bbl) chemical/product carrier	50+ MW	Worldwide	Revolution	Additive Manufacturing
Desalination	100 MW	Stationary	Quasi-Revolution	Desalination is energy intensive
E-Fuel Production	100 MW	Stationary	Revolution	Alternative fuels such as H2, NH3, Methanol, Ethanol, etc.
Multiple FPSOs in field	1+ GW	Stationary	Revolution	
Municipal/Industrial Power	1+ GW	Stationary	Quasi-Revolution	

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Changes





Design and Operational Changes

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Industry Structural Changes (Nature of Shipping) for Nuclear

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Classification and Regulatory





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Regulatory--International

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Regulatory--Local

Classification Societies

Pathways





The nuclear stakeholders eco system

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Pathways to adoption for early projects

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Industry Readiness and Adoption Risk



What Needs to Be Done...



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A 21st Century Shipping and Trade Revolution

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Decision Making Made Easy: Port

Sustainability

Gabrielle Gordon Advisor: Associate Professor Michelle Portman







Ports drive globalization

Around 3% of global CO₂ emissions are related to the maritime sector (IMO)











Background

Question 1: What is sustainability exactly?

Question 2: How can ports be more sustainable?





Sustainability – the ability to persist over time





What has already been done?

Problem: How can ports be more sustainable?

Literature review in three areas:

Port sustainability
 Existing regulations and legislations
 Multi-criteria decision analysis





Port Sustainability



Improve sustainability in ports

Evaluation criteria

Comparison between ports





Port Sustainability



Port Sustainability
and performance: A
systematic literature
review" (Lim et al.,
2019)

No articles focused
 on all three
 elements of
 sustainability

International Shipping and Port Regulations

Legislative Bodies



INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION



THE LAW OF THE SEA







Data Collection and Management







Standardization and certification









Ministry of Transport and Road Safety Administration of Shipping and Ports

- Ports State Control Inspection System



Literature Review Multi-Criteria Decision Analysis (MCDA)

♣ Port performance

🚠 Selection





Multi-Criteria Decision Analysis (MCDA)



Literature Review Conclusions

Very little research done which take all three elements of sustainability for ports into consideration

No research on how best to make decisions

MCDA, and the Analytical Hierarchy Process specifically fit the needs of my goal

Being sustainable needs to be incentivized





My aim

Problem: How can ports be more sustainable?

Solution: Create a tool that helps port decisionmakers understand what alternative is the most sustainable



Methodology



The steps to perform an AHP for comparing alternatives (Velmurugan et al., 2011).





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Analytical Hierarchy Process (AHP) Framework





Methodology



The steps to perform an AHP for comparing alternatives (Velmurugan et al., 2011).





Building of the Survey

- Purpose: Rank between the elements and criteria
- 4 total questions
 - Same phrasing for: Elements, Social Impact Criteria, Environmental Impact Criteria
 - Economic criteria scale
 - Demographics of participants







Demographic Distribution of Survey Participants







Port and Shipping Work Experience Distribution





If you had \$100 to invest in new technologies and developments, how would you split the \$100 between the three aspects?



Analysis of survey responses

Rank	Meaning
1	Equal Importance
3	Moderate Importance
5	Essential or Strong Importance
7	Demonstrated Importance
9	Extreme Importance
2,4,6,8	Intermediate Values
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Scale for ranking between criteria and elements (Saaty, 1987)

x (difference in \$)	Rank
$0 \le x < 10$	1
$10 \le x < 20$	2
$20 \le x < 30$	3
$30 \le x < 40$	4
$40 \le x < 60$	5
$60 \le x < 70$	6
$70 \le x < 80$	7
$80 \le x < 90$	8
$90 \le x < 100$	9



Example survey result analysis

Response: Environmental: \$40 Social: \$10 Economic: \$50

x (difference in \$)	Rank
$0 \le x < 10$	1
$10 \le x < 20$	2
$20 \le x < 30$	3
$30 \le x < 40$	4
$40 \le x < 60$	5
$60 \le x < 70$	6
$70 \le x < 80$	7
$80 \le x < 90$	8
$90 \le x < 100$	9

	Environmental Element	Social Element	Economic Element
Environmental Element	1	4	1/2
Social Element	1/4	1	1/5
Economic Element	2	5	1





Methodology



The steps to perform an AHP for comparing alternatives (Velmurugan et al., 2011).





Example survey result analysis

Response: Environmental: \$40		Environmental Element	Social Element	Economic Element
Social: \$10	Environmental Element	1	4	1/2
	Social Element	1/4	1	1/5
ΜΑΤΙΑΒ	Economic Element	2	5	1
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	Weight
Environmental Element	0.334
Social Element	0.098
Economic Element	0.568
Total	1

MATLAB Consistency ratio (CR)<0.1 therefore the matrix is acceptable (Saaty, 2008)





Methodology



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Survey Results





Results

Criteria	Global Weight
Air pollution reduction from ships	0.1311
Solid and wastewater treatment	0.0809
Move to Clean Energy	0.1116
Marine Habitat Improvement	0.0813
Relations with Local Government	0.0781
Relations with Local Schools and Businesses	0.0518
Staff Training	0.0670
Staff Safety	0.0498
Cost	0.0855
Profitability	0.2630
Total	1.00





Application

How do I use this framework?

Case Study!





Example Solutions



Drones, used at Port of Rotterdam

Electric Port Machinery, used at Port of Long Beach





Co-working space, used at Boston SeaPort





AHP Framework with alternatives





Methodology



The steps to perform an AHP for comparing alternatives (Velmurugan et al., 2011).





Comparison of alternatives

Example: Air pollution reduction from ships



*rankings are based on my own personal perspective



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1	Equal Importance
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Scale for ranking between criteria and elements (Saaty, 1987)

Methodology



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Analysis of alternatives





Alternative rankings

Alternative	Weight (total)	Weight (environment)	Weight (social)	Weight (economic)
Drones	0.4322	0.5499	0.3990	0.3615
Machines	0.3638	0.3210	0.2223	0.5137
We-Work	0.2040	0.1291	0.4387	0.1248





Conclusions



Complexity of ports

Differences in ports





Thank you! Questions?







ANALYZING OPERATIONAL ENERGY EFFICIENCY TECHNIQUES for REDUCING CO2 EMISSIONS on TANKER VESSELS



Dr. Ali Atıl TALAY, Capt. Anthony NIGRO





Sustainability in Ship Design and Operations Conference



BETTER SHIPS, BLUE OCEANS



- Maritime transportation is responsible for the carriage of about 90 % of world trade
- Although ship trade is the most energy efficient type of transportation, enlargement of world fleet increases amount of the pollutants such as; sulphur oxides (SOx), nitrogen oxides (NOx), particulate matter (PM), and carbon dioxide (CO₂).
- The International Maritime Organization (IMO) has taken some measures to reduce SOx, NOx and CO₂ emissions.
- Shipping, while essential for trade, contributes significantly to the emissions that cause climate change. Global shipping is responsible for **3%** of worldwide greenhouse gases (GHG).
- The International Maritime Organization (IMO) has been applying targets for reducing CO₂ emissions for future transportation since 2011.
- The IMO's initial strategy is to set carbon intensity goals of at least a 40% reduction in CO₂ emissions per transport work by 2030, and a 70% reduction by 2050 must be met.

- To reduce CO₂ emissions, an Energy Efficiency Design Index (EEDI) was created for new ships to increase their energy efficiency and Ship Energy Efficiency Management Plan (SEEMP) was developed for all new and existing ships to reduce fuel consumption.
- This study investigates operational energy efficiency techniques applied for tanker vessels based on Energy Efficiency Design Index (EEDI).
- A suitable data table is created for tanker vessels, which includes the CO₂ reduction methods and reduction rates based on available public data.
- As an operational technique, the impact of speed reduction for fuel consumption and CO₂ reduction for tanker vessels was analyzed.
- In the evaluation of ship speed affects on fuel consumption and reduction of CO₂ emissions, the Full Mission Engine Room Simulators (ERS) at United States Merchant Marine Academy

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Overview of Operational Energy Efficiency Techniques to Reduce CO₂ Emissions for Tanker Vessels

The Operational Energy Efficiency techniques for tanker vessels are evaluated as weather routing, trim optimization, voyage speed reduction, autopilot adjustments, turnaround time in port, energy saving operation awareness and power management.

- WEATHER ROUTING and VOYAGE PLANNING:
- The target on weather routing is to achieve optimum speed in order to provide the voyage plan efficiency and to reduce consumption of fuel by providing the safety of ship, crew and cargo.
- On-time arrivals and effective cargo planning at the ports constitute a part of the weather

routing.



Figure 1. A sample software for weather routing

Overview of Operational Energy Efficiency Techniques to Reduce CO₂ Emissions for Tanker Vessels

- TRIM, DRAFT and BALLAST OPTIMIZATION
- Trim optimization is a significant indicator to improve fuel economy and reduce emissions.
- The optimum trim is specific to the ship and depends on the ship's speed and draft.
- Optimizing the ship trim improves fuel efficiency for the specified draft and speed. Trim

changes are performed with load stacking, fuel distribution and the ballast changes



Figure 2. Output of sophisticated trim software





• VOYAGE SPEED OPTIMIZATION:

- Ship speed optimization can be a potentially cost-effective, CO₂ mitigation option for vessels.
- An optimal speed reduction can decrease required propulsion power and hull resistance.
- Less required propulsion power means lower fuel consumption and reduced CO₂ emissions to the atmosphere.

Overview of Operational Energy Efficiency Techniques to Reduce CO₂ Emissions for Tanker Vessels

AUTOPILOT ADJUSTMENTS:

- Autopilot optimization is quick to implement, assuming that autopilot is already installed on all vessels.
- For optimal adjustment and use of autopilot, best practice in shipboard procedures must be implemented (including recommendation on optimal number of rudder movements and angles for different sea conditions).



Figure 4. Adaptive autopilot operation allows small deviations to course-line



Figure 5. Power Management

POWER MANAGEMENT:

- The correct timing and changing of the number of generating sets is critical for the fuel consumption in Diesel Electric and auxiliary power installations. An efficient Power Management system is the best way to improve the system performance. 241

Overview of Operational Energy Efficiency Techniques to Reduce CO₂ Emissions for Tanker Vessels

• TURNAROUND TIME in PORT:

- The faster port turnaround time gives possibility to decrease the vessel speed at sea.
- Turnaround time can be reduced by improving maneuvering performance or enhancing cargo flows.
- ENERGY SAVING OPERATION AWARENESS:
- Energy awareness makes individuals and parties to draw on their knowledge and skills for ship energy efficiency.
- The departments and the individuals in the organization should reveal the necessary expertise in energy efficiency in order to overcome difficulties in implementing of measures.



Figure 6. Energy saving applications with parties

Overview of Operational Energy Efficiency Techniques to Reduce CO₂ Emissions for Tanker Vessels

Table 1. Operational CO₂ reduction techniques and CO₂ reduction percentages

Operational CO₂ Reduction Techniques	CO ₂ Reduction (%)
Weather Routing and Voyage Planning	< 5
Trim, Draft and Ballast Optimization	<5
Voyage Speed Optimization	<23
Autopilot Adjustments	<1.5
Turnaround Time in Port	<10
Energy Saving Operation Awareness	<10
Power Management	<5

- Ship speed reduction can be a potentially cost-effective, CO₂ mitigation option for ships.
- The main principle that makes speed reduction important is that hull resistance increases exponentially with increasing the ship speed.
- Thus, even a minimal speed reduction can decrease required propulsion power. Less
 required propulsion power means lower fuel consumption and reduced CO₂ emissions to the
 environment.
- Reducing ship speed, longer voyage times and more ships being needed. Sometimes speed reductions might be expensive since they directly affect the freight capacity carried and also the profitability of a ship.



Figure 7. Speed optimization as an operational technique
 There is a trade-off between freight rates and cost. If the freight rates are low and fuel prices are high, it might be profitable to reduce ship speed.

- Our study assumes two different tanker vessels that departs from Port A and arrives at Port B.
- It is assumed that the vessels have no any other ports to stop between Port A and Port B.
- The vessels has covered a total distance of 4000 nm between two ports.



Figure 8. Navigating zone between port A and port B

- In this research, Kongsberg Full Mission Engine Room Simulator (ERS) at United States Merchant Marine Academy is used for the application of speed reduction of tanker vessels.
- We operated ERS with two different ship types which are designed as tanker vessels.



Figure 10. Vessel 1

Tanker Vessel 1 Specifications

Model :SP Dual Fuel (HFO and LNG) Engine: Steam Power Plant with dual boiler Electric Power Plant: two diesel , two turbo generators Main Turbine Max. Power: 27000 kW Service Speed: 19.5 knots



Figure 11. Vessel 2

Tanker Vessel 2 Specifications

Model: M22 PC T-AO-198 Engine: Two Medium Speed Diesel Electric Power Plant: two diesel, two power take off generators MCR: 11760 kW Service Speed: 20 knots

Collection and Evaluation of the Data

- The fuel consumption data at different speeds and loads were recorded by operating the ERS.
- Each vessel can be operated with different fuels and in different power generation modes.
- For vessel 1 (steam power plant), there are two options for operation. These are;
 Option 1: HFO as fuel and Diesel Generator/ Turbo Generator as power generation
 Option 2: HFO/LNG as fuel and Diesel Generator/ Turbo Generator as power generation
- For vessel 2 (diesel power plant), there are two options for operation. These are;
 Option 1: HFO/MDO as fuel and Diesel Generator as power generation mode.
 Option 2: HFO as fuel and Power Take-off as power generation mode.
 Option 3: MDO as fuel and Diesel Generator as power generation mode.
 Option 4: MDO as fuel and Power Take-off as power generation mode.
- It is assumed that port times take 5 days per trip.
- According to the data collected, it is evaluated that the effects of speed reduction to the total fuel consumption per trip and total number of trips in a year.

- Option 2 for both power plants were selected for operation and collecting data.
- Option 2 for steam power plant: HFO/LNG as fuel and Diesel Generator/ Turbo Generator as power generation
- Option 2: HFO as fuel and Power Take-off as power generation mode.

Table 2. Fuel consumption of vessel 1 in different loads and service speeds.

LOAD %	SHIP SPEED	FUEL OIL CONSUMPTION	
	knots	HFO (t/hr)	LNG (t/hr)
50	14.7	0.65	2.37
55	15.4	0.93	2.41
60	16.1	0.93	2.67
65	16.8	0.93	2.95
70	17.5	0.93	3.21
75	18.1	0.93	3.52
80	18.5	0	4.49
85	20.8	0	5.42
90	21.6	0	5.85
95	21.8	0	6.00
100	22	0	6.10



Figure 12. Engine room panel for vessel 1

Table 3. Fuel consumption of vessel 2 in different loads and service speeds.

LOAD %	SHIP SPEED	FUEL OIL CONSUMPTION
	knots	HFO (t/hr)
50	13.05	1.93
55	13.76	2.18
60	14.53	2.42
65	15.34	2.59
70	16.09	2.80
75	17.11	3.21
80	18.15	3.60
85	19.24	4.15
90	20.23	4.86
95	21.07	5.51
100	21.5	6.08



Figure 13. Engine room panel for vessel 2

DATA ANALYSIS and METHODOLOGY

Calculation of the Impact of Speed Reduction on Fuel Consumption and Total Trip Time

The times that the ship spends at sea and in port are expressed as follows:

At sea: Total time at sea $(T_o) = L / 24^*V_o$ (days)

L = Total distance between two ports (nm)

 V_o = Certain speed of the tanker vessel (knot)

In port: Total time in port t_o is assumed 5 days for each trip.

 The time that the tanker vessel spends at sea depends only on speed, while the time at port depends on many factors, such as amount of cargo to be handled, loading and unloading speed, etc. For our analysis, we assume that the time in port is days
Total fuel consumptions at a certain speed of the tanker vessel are expressed as follows:

At sea: Total fuel consumption per trip at sea $(F) = T_o(h) * f(t/h)$

 T_0 = Total time at sea

f = Hourly fuel consumption

At port: It is assumed that there is no fuel consumption at port.

Table 4.	Total voyage	times and t	otal fuel	consumptions of	vessel 1 i	in different s	service speeds.
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		Total Fuel	Total Fuel	Difference of	Difference of	Difference of
Ship Speed	Voyage Time	Consumption	Consumption	Voyage Time	Fuel Consumption	Fuel Consumption
(knots)	(days)	HFO (t/hr)	LNG (t/hr)	(days)	HFO (t/hr)	LNG (t/hr)
14.7	11.34	177.52	644.90	0	0	0
15.4	10.82	240.88	625.97	0.52	63.36	-18.92
16.1	10.35	230.41	662.11	0.47	-10.47	36.14
16.8	9.92	220.81	702.380	0.43	-9.60	40.27
17.5	9.52	211.95	732.57	0.40	-8.86	30.19
18.1	9.21	204.93	777.90	0.32	-7.03	45.33
18.5	9.01	0	970.81	0.20	-204.93	192.91
20.8	8.01	0	1042.30	1.00	0	71.50
21.6	7.72	0	1083.33	0.30	0	41.03
21.8	7.65	0	1100.92	0.07	0	17.58
22	7.58	0	1109.63	0.07	0	87.18.

Table 5. Total voyage times and total fuel consumptions of vessel 2 indifferent service speeds.

		Total Fuel	Difference of	Difference of
Ship Speed	Voyage Time	Consumption	Voyage Time	Fuel Consumption
(knots)	(days)	HFO (t/hr)	(days)	HFO (kg/hr)
13.05	12.77	592.44	0	0
13.76	12.11	633.18	0.66	40.74
14.53	11.47	665.27	0.64	32.10
15.34	10.86	675.75	0.61	10.47
16.09	10.36	696.20	0.51	20.45
17.11	9.74	751.33	0.62	55.13
18.15	9.18	793.37	0.56	42.04
19.24	8.66	862.70	0.52	69.32
20.23	8.24	961.04	0.42	98.35
21.07	7.91	104.65	0.33	85.44
21 5	7 75	113 03	0.16	83.86

Calculation of the impact on speed reduction to number of trips of a tanker vessel in a year

Annual total number of trips are expressed as follows :

Annual total number of trips (T) = 365 (days) / $T_0 + t_0$ (days)

 T_0 = Total time at sea

 t_0 = Total time at port (it is assumed 5 days)

Ship Speed	Voyage Time	Time at Port	Time per Trip	Number of Trips
(knots)	(days)	(days)	(days)	(Anually)
14.7	11.34	5	16.34	22.34
15.4	10.82	5	15.82	23.07
16.1	10.35	5	15.35	23.78
16.8	9.92	5	14.92	24.46
17.5	9.52	5	14.52	25.13
18.1	9.21	5	14.21	25.69
18.5	9.01	5	14.01	26.05
20.8	8.01	5	13.01	28.05
21.6	7.72	5	12.72	28.70
21.8	7.65	5	12.65	28.86
22	7.58	5	12.58	29.02

Table 6. Number of trips at different speeds for vessel 1.

Table 7. Number of trips at different speeds for vessel 2.

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17.11	9.74	5	14.74	24.76
18.15	9.18	5	14.18	25.74
19.24	8.66	5	13.66	26.72
20.23	8.24	5	13.24	27.57
21.07	7.91	5	12.91	28.27
21.5	7.75	5	12.75	28.62

CONCLUSION of the RESEARCH

- This study has first investigated the applicable operational energy efficient techniques for tanker vessels based on EEDI measurements and SEEMP template.
- There were 7 operational techniques found with the applicability to measure CO₂ reduction potentials.
- The biggest reduction for operational applications is found as speed reduction/optimization, with 23 % CO₂ reduction potential.
- Turnaround time in port and energy saving awareness operations present another high CO₂ reduction potential of 10 % in this category.
- Also investigated, was an operational scenario, focusing on speed reduction for two different tanker vessels equipped with different power plants.
- Voyage times and fuel consumptions in different service speeds between Port A and Port B was determined by operating ERS.

CONCLUSION

- The relationship between engine load and specific fuel consumption was assessed using ERS to identify a more sophisticated measure of the relationship between fuel consumption, vessel load, and vessel speed of tanker vessels.
- The results suggest that speed reduction under certain conditions is beneficial in terms of reducing emissions, but the real effectiveness of such a scheme depends on the port time, freight market rates and fuel prices.
- Further studies are being conducted to investigate the variation in specific fuel consumption as a result of changes in engine load with operating ERS in all modes.
- The ERS will be used for a future study of cost/benefit analysis depending on speed, fuel consumption, fuel prices and freight rates between two specific ports under different speeds and emission limitations.

THANKS & LOT FOR YOUR

ATTENTION ...

QUESTIONS !!!



Magnetically Recoverable & Reusable NanoComposites for Treating Vessel Discharges

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Research Goal

To use magnetic separation based technology for treating vessel discharges via the development of **low-cost**, **eco-friendly**, **easily recoverable**, **reusable**, and **highly functional** nanocomposites





NanoComposites

- Multiphase solid with at least one phase being nano-scaled (<100 nm)
- Nano = Size dependent new properties
- Synergistic/hybrid properties of the components
- Natural nanocomposites: bones, teeth & sea shells



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mollusc_shell



(a) An illustration of the microstructural organization of nacre and (b) a transmission electron micrograph depicting the "brick-and-mortar" arrangement of the aragonite tablets and the organic interfacial layers in nacre. Both images adapted from Barthelat et al. (2007)

http://umich.edu/~acemrl/NewFiles/Bio-inspiredECC.html



Shipping & World Economy

- 90% of world's food, products, and energy
- Safer, greener & more efficient
- > \$649 billion to U.S. GDP
- Increased demand for waterway transportation

Large Amounts of Vessel Discharges

- Bilge water (lowest space)
- Ballast water (stability)
- Deck runoff
- Grey & Black water (shower, sinks, laundry facilities)



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Pollutants	MARPOL (IMO)	Sources	
Oily water	<15 ppm oil (73/78, 83)	BilgesAccidental spillsGrey water	
Invasive microbes, pathogens	Indicator Microbes < 0.01-2.5 cfu/mL (2004, 2017-Ballast, 73/78)	Ballast waterBlack & grey waterOily water	
Harmful chemicals, suspended solids, >10 mm organisms	No visible solids No detectable organisms (2004, 2017-Ballast, 73/78)	 Antifouling paints Cathodic protection All other wastes/wastewaters 	
SO _x , NO _x CO ₂	% S in fuel < 0.50 % (1997, 2020) 50% reduction by 2050 rel. 2008	Combustion Exhaust	
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Current Water Treatment Technology





Current Water Treatment Technology





Magnetic Separation Based on Nanocomposites

– A Promising Technology

- Rapid recovery
 reusability
 2nd pollution
 - elimination
- No contact action
- Not affected by ship's motion
- Synergistic
 highly magnetic
 - additional functionalities

Ма	gnetic P	DMS spo	nge
	DMS, DMV terminated 1, 3 mix	Hexanes Magnetic Iron (III) oxide nanoparticles	
	8	Template crystals: sugar, salt, or their mixtures	
	4. Infiltrate Mix 3 through template	5. Curing 6. Extracting template crystals	
	4	Magnetic PDMS Sponge	

TiO₂ based magnetic nanocomposite



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tox	Hexanes
	2. DMMHS
	5. Curing 6. Extracting temptate crystals

TiO₂ based magnetic nanocomposite









Component	Functionality
Fe ₃ O ₄ MNPs (10-16 nm)	Highly magneticLarge surface area for intimate binding to AC
Activated Carbon (AC, 20 μm)	Superior absorption abilityHost and spacer for MNPs & AgNPs
Ag NPs (10-12 nm) (Ag source - 560,000 metric tons)	 Strong antimicrobial activity to bacteria, fungi, algae, viruses Low toxicity toward humans EPA recommends <0.1 ppm Ag in drinking water

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- 0.5 g MACAg (0.15%Ag)
- Killed 2x10⁶ cfu in 15 min
- 0.01 ppm Ag release by AA

- 0.5 g MACAg (0.22%Ag)
- Removed all 10⁵ viable microbes from Long Island Sound Surface Water in 3 min





Major Concerns

Oxidation of Magnetite

 $2 \operatorname{Fe_3O_4} + \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{O_2} \xrightarrow{} 3 \operatorname{Fe_2O_3}$



After 1 min Sonication

Ag Release > 0.1 ppm





Simple and Green Procedure for Forming Silica Shells



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Magnetic Field [Oe]



Novel Core-Multishell Approach



Cetyltrimethylammonium bromide (CTAB, ~2nm long)



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BET Results & TEM Images using an 80 kev e-Beam





Transmission Electron Microscope (TEM) Images using an 80 kev e-Beam





Energy Dispersive Spectroscopy (EDS) Elemental Maps





Results of the Diameter of Inhibition Zone

100 μ L 5x10⁷ cfu/mL *E. coli* culture 25 mg/25 μ L sample (cfu = colony-forming unit)







Antimicrobial Activities against E. coli

Shaking Test: 5 mg in 1 mL culture. Sampling every 3 min. Plate results of 10⁴ cfu/mL *E. coli* culture.



Reusability Test: 3 repeated cycles, each 15 min shaking. Plate results of 10⁴ cfu/mL *E.coli* culture.



cfu = colony-forming unit



Antimicrobial Activities against E. coli



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Antimicrobial Activities against E. coli



cfu = colony-forming unit



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MS-Ag

NH₃-7.5

Silver Release Profile by AA Spectroscopy & ICP-MS





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Silver Release Profile by AA Spectroscopy & ICP-MS



4-Log Reduction in Viable E. coli Counts



Silver Release Profile by AA Spectroscopy & ICP-MS





Disinfection of Long Island Sound Surface Water

Treating LISS water collected in Sept. at 23-24°C by 1 mg/mL of a) NH_3 -7.5 b) NaOH-2










Conclusion

Via nanotechnology, magnetic functional nanocomposites

Simple	Recoverable	Stable
Common Chemicals/Facilities	Highly magnetic for easy & rapid recovery	Highly oxidation resistant
Synergistic	Tailorable	Green
Highly Functional (e.g. antimicrobial)	Highly tunable structures	Highly eco-friendly w/ minimum chemical release

Promising green & low cost technology for treating vessel discharges such as disinfecting ballast water



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ZERO EMISSION TRANSPORTATION

PACT

REFORESTATION INITIATIVES

SUSTAINABLY HARVESTED WOOD

LOW IMPACT SHIPYARD

REFORESTATION INITIATIVES

ZERO EMISSION TRANSPORTATION





CEIBA

46M / 150FT

250 TONS OF CARGO

14 SAILS & ELECTRIC PROPULSION SYSTEM

FASE II



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OVER 5,000 TONS OF CARGO ANNUALLY

CLEAN HYDROGEN PROPULSION

FASE III

CONTAINER SHIPS & BEYOND



GREEN STEEL CONTAINER SHIPS

EXTREME SCALABILITY

CLEAN HYDROGEN TAKEOVER





Inspired by 'Ingrid' (1907), a three-masted schooner sailed cargo in Scandinavia long after sooty steamships and diesel engines came to dominate the seas.

VESSEL SPECIFICATIONS

Length Overall (LOA): 46m / 150ft Length on Deck (LOD): 38m / 124ft Length Water Line (LWL): 32m / 106ft Height of Rig: 33.5m / 110ft Beam: 8m / 26ft Draught: 4.3m / 14ft

Cargo Capacity: 250 metric tonnes / 350 cubic meters (9 TEU) **Tonnage** 281 GT

Crew 12 crew + 12 guest crew

Mechanical Auxiliary Propulsion System 100% Electric Engine, Lithium-ion (NCM) Batteries

Wood Species Used for construction:

- Hymenaea courbaril (Guapinol)
- Dialium guianense (Tamarindo)
- Cedrela odorata (Spanish Cedar)
- Picea sitchensis (Sitka Spruce)

Naval Architect *Pepijn van Schaik* of Manta Marine Design is the lead architect behind Ceiba.



PRIMARY

For 90% of the voyage, our ships will be propelled by the power of wind. **AUXILIARY** The remaining 10% of the time, the ships will be propelled by electric engines powered by variable pitch propellers, solar panels, and green hydrogen.



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- → THE ONLY TRULY RENEWABLE REGENERATIVE RESOURCE
- → WHERE POSSIBLE, WE UTILIZE NATURALLY FALLEN TREES
- → COSTA RICA HAS SOME OF THE MOST PROTECTED FORESTS IN THE WORLD
- → NO NEED TO MINE IRON FOR STEEL
- → DURABILITY



ONLY 3 PARTS

- → STRAPPING: In order to secure Ceiba against the extreme forces of sailing heavy cargo, steel strapping was inlaid to the top deck of the ship. This lattice work of half inch steel was welded in place and will prevent the ship from twisting and turning as the ship sails through the open ocean.
- → GALVANIZED NAILS

→ KEEL



3 MASTS 14 SQUARE-RIGGED SAILS



2 CARGO HATCHES

TRADITIONAL TALL SHIPS





CEIBA ZERO EMISSION DESIGN



AUXILIARY PROPULSION SYSTEM



Two 150 kW electric motors with twin variable pitch propellers

will be installed on board as a secondary propulsion system. Once in the water, the Ceiba will adapt in three different ways to changing sailing conditions to maximize efficiency.

- 1) In ideal winds, she will be propelled solely under sail, with the variable pitch propellers turned so that the batteries can be recharged.
- 2) In moderate winds, Ceiba will continue to be propelled by her sails, but with the propeller blades set parallel to the current to reduce drag.
- 3) In harbors or in poor sailing conditions, Ceiba can use the electric motors on board to maneuver.



AUXILIARY PROPULSION SYSTEM





Variable Pitch Propellers



Batteries with maximum discharge power of 350 kW & energy embedded 317 kWh.







HYDROGEN FOR SEAS

EXPLORING CLEAN ENERG



Hydrogen for Seas was born as a strategic alliance between Ad Astra Rocket and Sailcargo. Its main objective is to promote the research, development and implementation of hydrogen technologies as a propellant in the maritime industry.

Architecture with H₂ storage



- Hydrogen storage space volume size: 15 m3
- Max speed: 8kts
- Motor power: 300 kW
- Autonomy: 7.25 days

Route: Santa Marca CO - New Jersey USA



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What we offer

A premium transportation service for committed shippers

99% CO₂ emission reduction on propulsion



${\bf 8} \ {\bf to} \ {\bf 13} \ {\bf days}$ transit time "at sea" from 2025

	71	<u></u>	<u></u>		
					Days (lead time)
Westbound FR>US Eastbound US>FR	3-7 3-7	12-15 10-12	15-21	29-40	

Competitive and stable prices vs conventional freight



DECARBONIZE MASSIVELY -99% GHG EMISSIONS ON PROPULSION

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RELIABLE LEAD TIMES AT HIGH FREQUENCY

I DEPARTURE/WEEK





Provide large capacity at fair and stable prices

Vessel capacity 580 EU pallets

= 490 US pallets ~ equivalent to 25 trucks

Safety Air freight systems inside the locked hold An easy-and-fast-to-load horizontal platform






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Nuclear Reactors for Decarbonized Civil Maritime Transportation

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Decarbonizing maritime transportation is an extraordinary challenge...





IMO Decarbonization Strategy

Typical Well-to-Wake CO₂ Emissions of Marine Fuels (normalized per unit energy produced)



SOLUTION OPTIONS:

- 1. e-fuels generated via zero-carbon energy
- 2. On-ship clean energy generation



Production of e-fuels using nuclear energy

- Zero-emission
- High power density needed for sufficient fuel volumes
- Consider fuel volume and safety



- o or, on-board nuclear electric plant
 - Zero-emission, low noise
 - Small footprint
 - Stable operational costs
 - Potential for higher ship speed
 - Ability to redirect electric power to shore
 - Legal and regulatory challenges



BWXT Company Highlights



BWXT is one of the world's most prolific nuclear technology innovation companies and the sole manufacturer of naval nuclear reactors for U.S. submarines and aircraft carriers.





165-Year History of Innovation 75-Year History of Nuclear Technology

1856

Stephen Wilcox patented the water tube boiler



1907

Teddy Roosevelt's Great White Fleet powered by B&W boilers

NON-NUCLEAR

Awarded first U S Navy contract for propulsion systems

1946



1953

Designed and fabricated components for world's first nuclear powered submarine

NUCLEAR



1956

Manufactured components for first commercial nuclear power plant in the U.S.

1962

Designed and furnished commercial nuclear reactor systems for Indian Point

1966

Initiated design and fabrication of nuclear components for Nimitzclass aircraft carriers



1994

Awarded first major DOE site management and operating contract at Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratorv

1997

Awarded first prime contract from DOE

2015 Selected for design and manufacturing contracts for HPR1000 nuclear plant

2017 Awarded NASA Nuclear **Thermal Propulsion** Reactor Design contract



2018 Announced disruptive medical isotope manufacturing technology

BWXT ERA

2019 Introduced FDA-approved medical isotope In-111 generic for diagnostic imaging to the U.S. market



2020

Restarted TRISO advanced nuclear fuel manufacturing for future DoD and NASA missions

2020

Awarded DoD contract for mobile nuclear reactor design



1856

1946

2015

Ongoing Projects in BWXT Advanced Technologies

















Marine nuclear, even civilian, is not new!





Sevmorput (Rosatom) – 61,000 dwt cargo/icebreaker, 1988-present

NS Savannah (US) – civilian passengercargo liner operated from 1962-1965



Reactor technology is continuously improving, but the big catalyst today is the DRIVE FOR DECARBONIZATION



Naval Nuclear Steam Supply System









- SUB-CRITICALITY the ability to "shut down" the self-sustaining nuclear fission reaction
 - Chernobyl disaster exemplifies failure to control nuclear criticality
 - American reactor designs utilize configurations that ensure this type of accident is <u>impossible</u> per the laws of physics; e.g. "negative reactivity feedback"
- DECAY HEAT REMOVAL the ability to keep reactor components below melting temperatures during fission product decay in a shutdown reactor
 - Three Mile Island & Fukushima exemplify failure to remove decay heat
 - Advanced reactors make use of "passive cooling" concepts
 - In HTGRs like BANR (for example), maximum temperatures possible during accident scenarios remain below the melting points of advanced materials
- RADIATION SHIELDING minimizing radiation dose during and after operation





• Many reactor technologies exist, though TRL (Technical Readiness) varies



- o <u>Civil</u> maritime nuclear will likely differ from <u>naval</u> propulsion:
 - Commercial maritime reactors will <u>not</u> utilize HEU fuel (>20% U-235)
 - Commercial maritime nuclear plants will produce power to drive electric motors, rather than direct mechanical propulsion
- Nuclear and wind solutions are <u>not</u> mutually exclusive!



Example System Architecture – On-ship Nuclear Plant





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Tackling these challenges will require close collaboration between industries & their trade groups, and government(s).

For more information on commercial maritime nuclear developments, check out the NRIC Maritime Nuclear Application Group at: <u>https://nric.inl.gov/maritime/</u>



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