

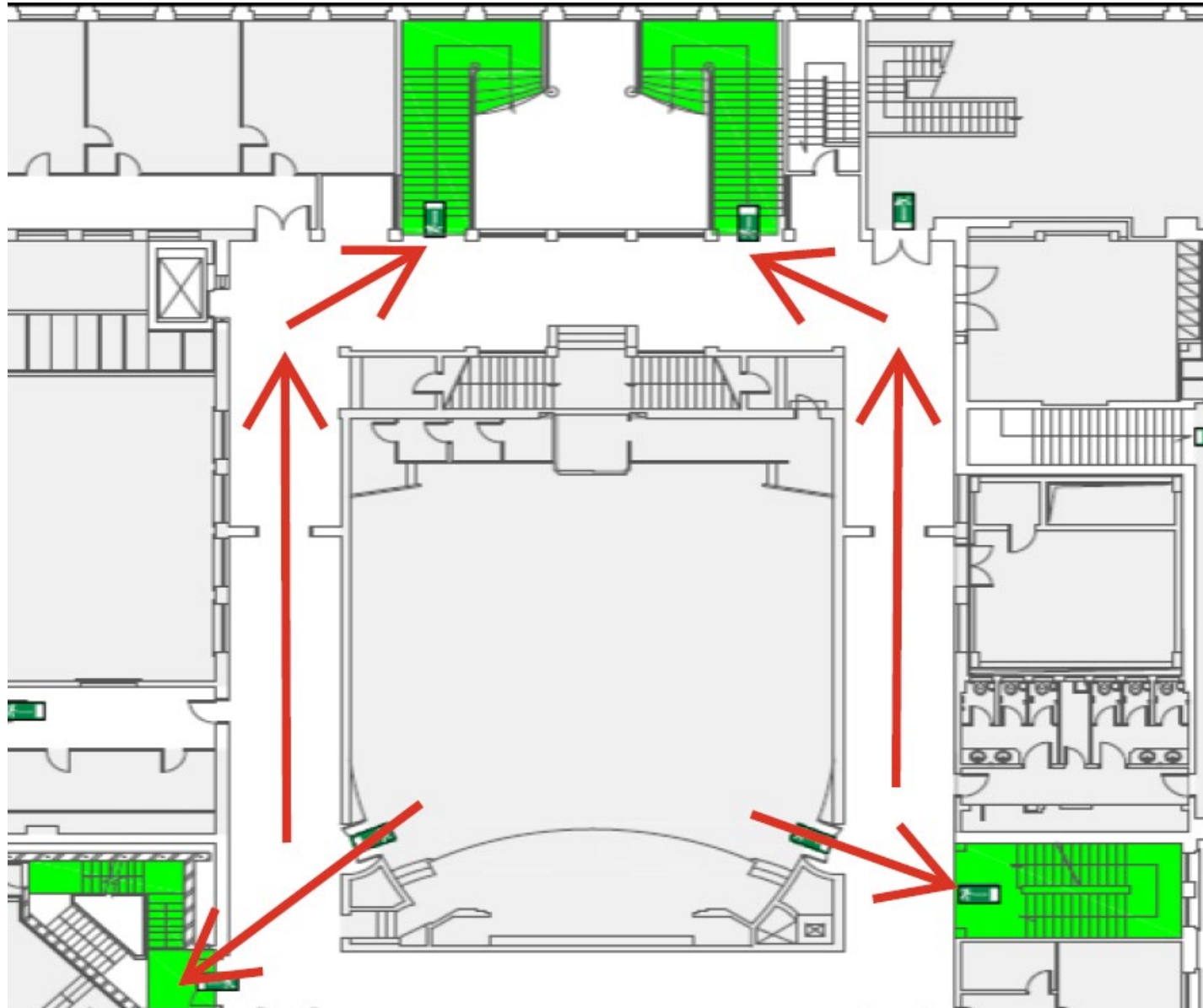


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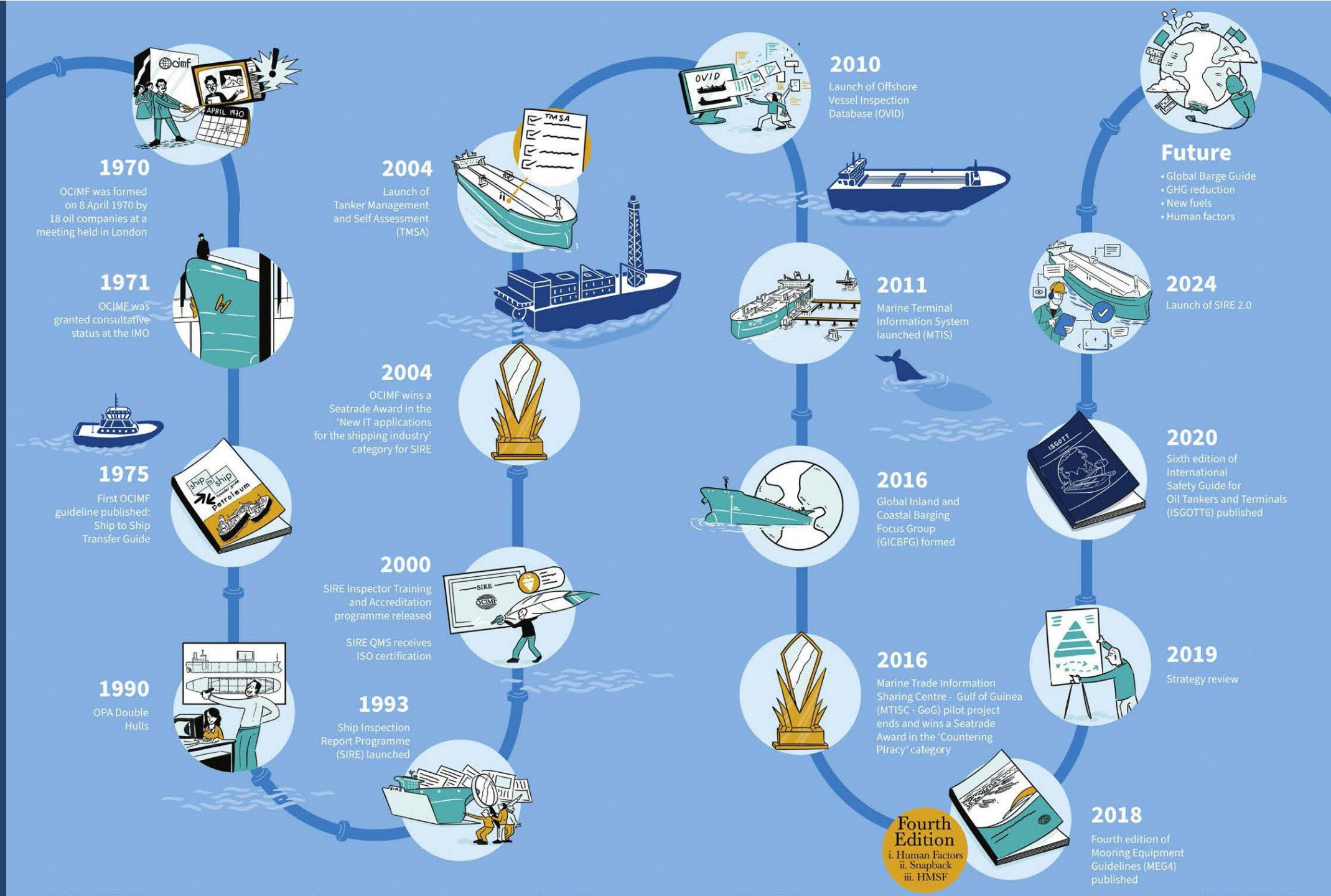
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RESPECT

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A GLOBAL MARINE INDUSTRY THAT CAUSES NO HARM TO PEOPLE OR THE ENVIRONMENT

VISION

MISSION
HUMAN FACTORS

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MEMBERS COLLABORATION

PUBLICATIONS

Create more opportunities for all members to contribute and learn

Develop/improve best practice publications

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Collaborate with IMO, governments, and industry

Deliver integrated programmes

- Programmes databases
- Incident databases
- Member/stakeholder feedback

Info/Data

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Expert Groups Reps

Functional Committees Reps

Functional Committees

Expert Groups

EFFICIENCY & EFFECTIVENESS

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Respond Rapidly to Changing Risk Profile in Industry

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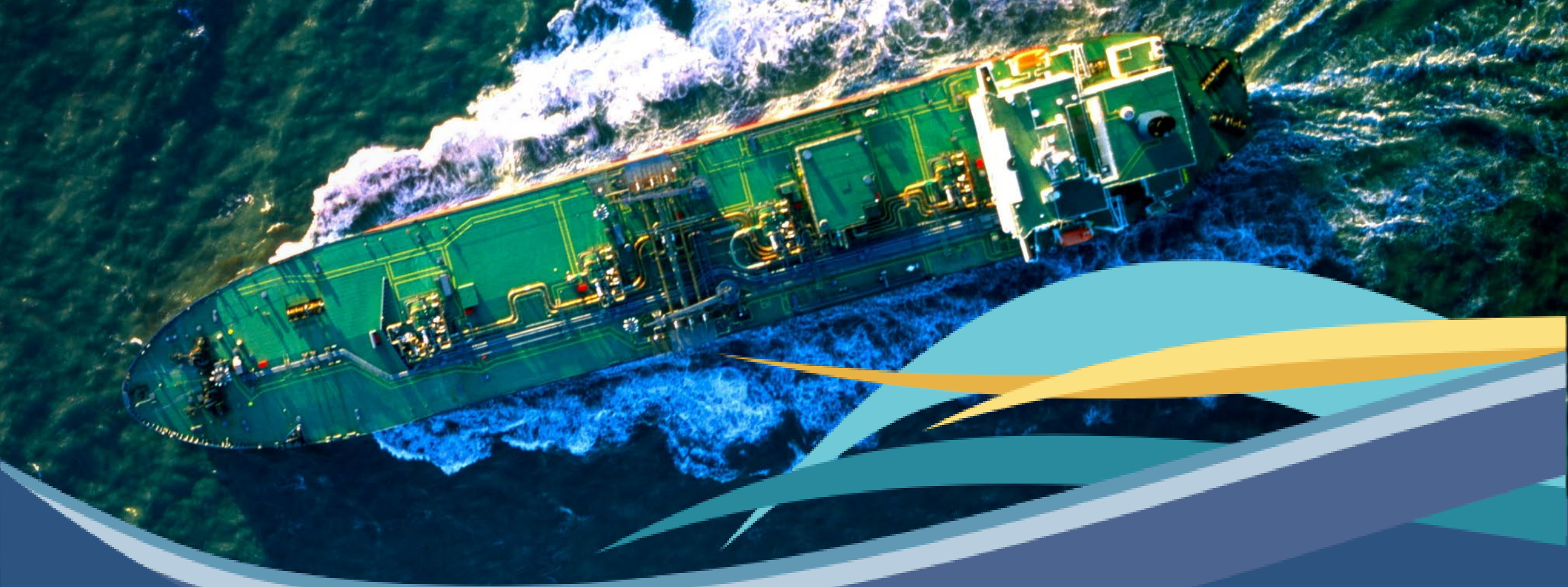
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Lambros Klaoudatos OCIMF Chair

Lambros Klaoudatos is the Senior Vice President, Shipping leading bp's global shipping organization. He is a highly experienced maritime professional with almost 30 years' experience across technical, commercial, project management and leadership roles.

He began his career at sea sailing on passenger vessels in his native Aegean Sea and eventually was a Master/OIM aboard DP-3 Drillships in the Offshore Oil & Gas industry. Having earned an MSc in Economics at Erasmus University in Rotterdam he came ashore to bp in 2007.



Onshore Power Supply Panel Discussions



Onshore Power Supply Panelists





Filipe Santana **Petrobras Transporte S.A. - TRANSPETRO**

Filipe, Terminal Marine Processes Manager for Transpetro, was previously OCIMF Engineering Adviser 2021 - 2024, acting as the secretary to the Environmental Committee, Engineering Expert Group and Structures Expert Group.

At OCIMF, he managed member teams working on decarbonization projects related to alternative fuels, onshore power supply, emissions capture and control, design of marine and offshore terminals.

Internationally, Filipe served as Director of Interinstitutional Relations for SLOM and was a member of the External Advisory Board of IACS. He made significant contributions best practice guidelines including: International Safety Guide for Oil Tankers and Terminals (ISGOTT), Guidelines for Offshore Tanker Operations (GOTO), and the Jetty Maintenance and Inspection Guide (JMIG).



Luca Imperiali di Francavilla **ABB**

Luca has been involved in onshore power supply since 2011 with extensive experience from small shipyards and ferries to the largest cruise ships and container terminals. Luca has managed and advised on many complex applications including development of innovative solutions for Shore Power.

Luca began his career with ABB Research after graduating from Università degli Studi di Padova with a Masters Degree in Electrical Engineering. He later moved to CESI S.p.A. (Milan) as System Engineer; Luca rejoined ABB as Project Engineer in the Power Systems Division. In 2011 he started his involvement in Shore Connection as Regional, and now Global Product Manager Shore Connection.



Thomas Hartmann **DNV SE** **Electrical Systems – Ship Classification**

Thomas is Senior Principal Engineer in the maritime approval section of electrical systems for DNV – Maritime, focusing on plan approval of low- and medium voltage systems, electrical propulsion systems, type approval of components/ systems, statutory tasks and class rule development. Before joining DNV, Thomas worked as technical manager for ABB marine service in the USA and is a graduate of the University of Applied Sciences Hamburg, Germany with a diploma in electrical engineering.

Over the past 19 years Thomas has contributed significantly to the development of the IEC-standard Utility Connections in Port (IEC/IEEE 80005 series) as a member of the national and international IEC working groups.

Additionally, Thomas has contributed to several shore power supply studies, to the IMO guidelines on safe operation of onshore power supply (OPS), and application approvals of shore power systems.



Clas Gustafsson Furetank

Clas, Technical Manager at Furetank, studied marine engineering at Chalmers University, Gothenburg after which he sailed on various ship types up to chief engineer and has been involved in ship new construction since 1997. In 2002 he came ashore and has worked as technical superintendent, site manager at newbuilding yard and technical manager.

He will be sharing OPS design, construction and operating experience of Furetank, a Swedish tanker company, with 10 vessels (~18k DWT) in service equipped with OPS for full cargo operation (loading, discharging or tank cleaning) and 6 more ordered.



Alexys Nielsen OCIMF

Alexys is the OCIMF Engineering Adviser, managing the Engineering and Structures expert groups.

After graduating from the California Maritime Academy, Alexys spent 19 years as Engineering Officer with ConocoPhillips, Polar Tankers, progressing from Third Assistant Engineer to Chief Engineer. Alexys has also provided engineering support to the Polar Tankers fleet as Quality Assurance Officer and from shore-based positions, coordinating operational support for vessel repairs and inspection periods as well as materials management and logistical support during special survey dry-docking inspections.

Alexys will be sharing OCIMF member experiences with onboard installation and commissioning of OPS systems.



Gil Yong Han **INTERTANKO**

Gil Yong has been with INTERTANKO for the past 9 years, serving as the Senior Technical Manager. Before coming ashore, he was a Deck officer with Hanjin Shipping Company. Gil Yong has worked as a Naval Architect for both IACS and the Korean Register of Shipping. He holds a Masters Degree in Ocean Engineering.



Jörgen Wrennfors Port Of Gothenburg

Jörgen, Program Manager OPS Development, leads the full implementation of Onshore Power Supply (OPS) at the Port of Gothenburg and serves as the project owner of strategic development initiative focused on enabling high-voltage shore power connections for product tankers which has been in operation at the Port of Gothenburg since January 2025.



Sean Crowley Stolt Tankers

Sean has worked with Stolt Tankers for nearly 30 years in various capacities, from a seagoing Electrical engineer on chemical tankers to then coming ashore in 2002 as Electrical Supt. and later as Electrical & Automation Manager. He originally qualified as a Radio Officer at RTC Cork and subsequently completed Electro Technical Officer certification at South Tyneside College and has also received his MBA and BEng in Electrical & Electronic Engineering.

Since 2019 he is the Sr. Electrical Project Manager for Stolt Tankers, responsible for electrical and navigational equipment projects. His passion for shore power for tankers extends nearly 20 years and is part of the Port of Rotterdam/Stolt Tankers/Vopak Terminals shore power initiative.



Claes Möller **Tärntank Ship Management AB**

Claes began his career with Tärntank Ship Management AB as a deckhand while studying for his master's degree. After completing his studies at Gothenburg, he advanced to second officer and later chief officer, spending time both at sea and at shipyards during new vessel construction. He later transitioned to a full-time office role, supporting ISM code implementation, vetting, and newbuild projects. As Tärntank expanded its shoreside operations, he became Fleet Manager, overseeing the Quality Assurance department; later being appointed as CEO of the company.



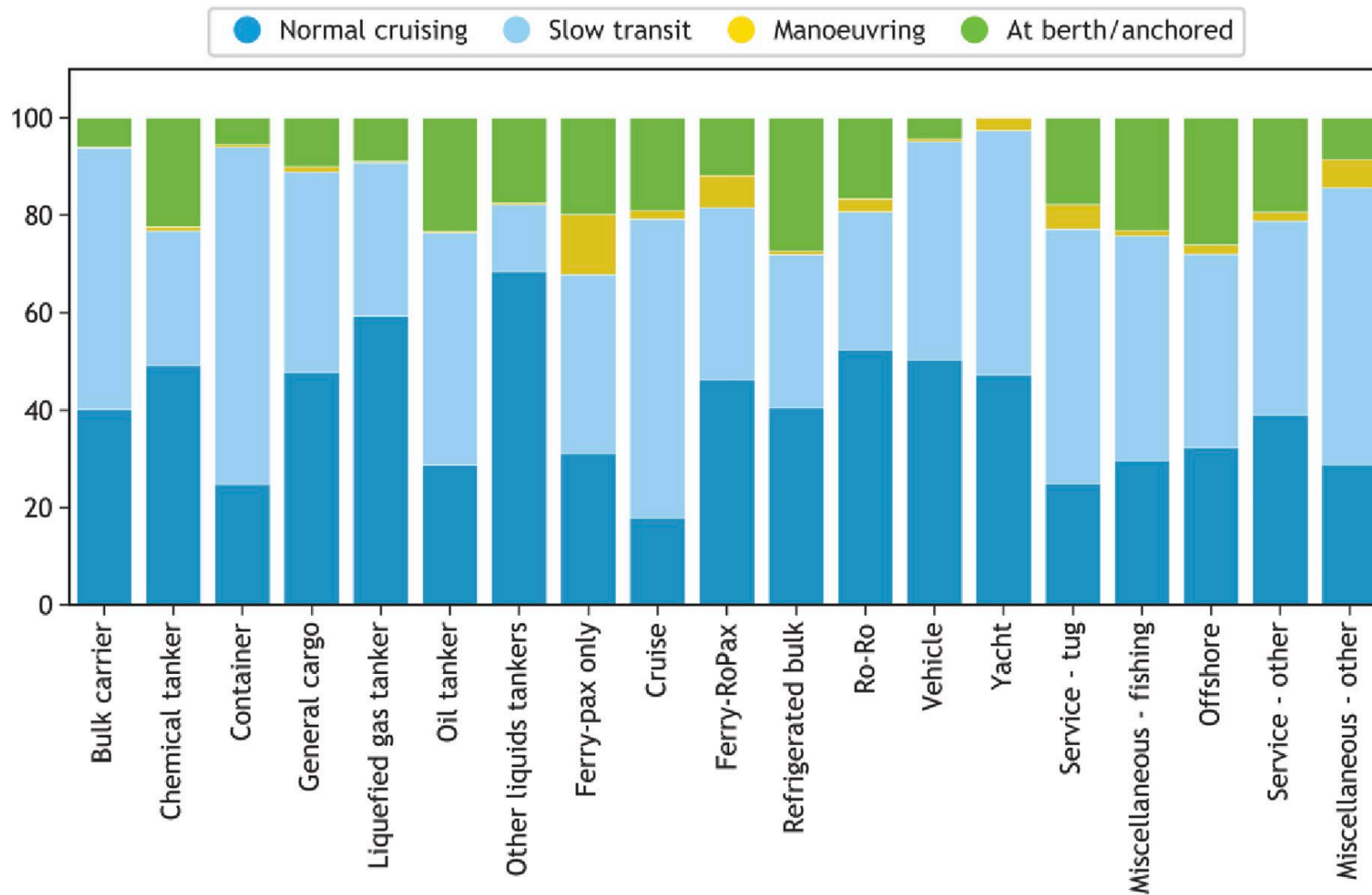
Onshore Power Supply Systems - Recommendations for Tankers and Terminals

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GHG Emissions at marine terminals

Fourth IMO GHG Study 2020



Emission sources in a terminal operation

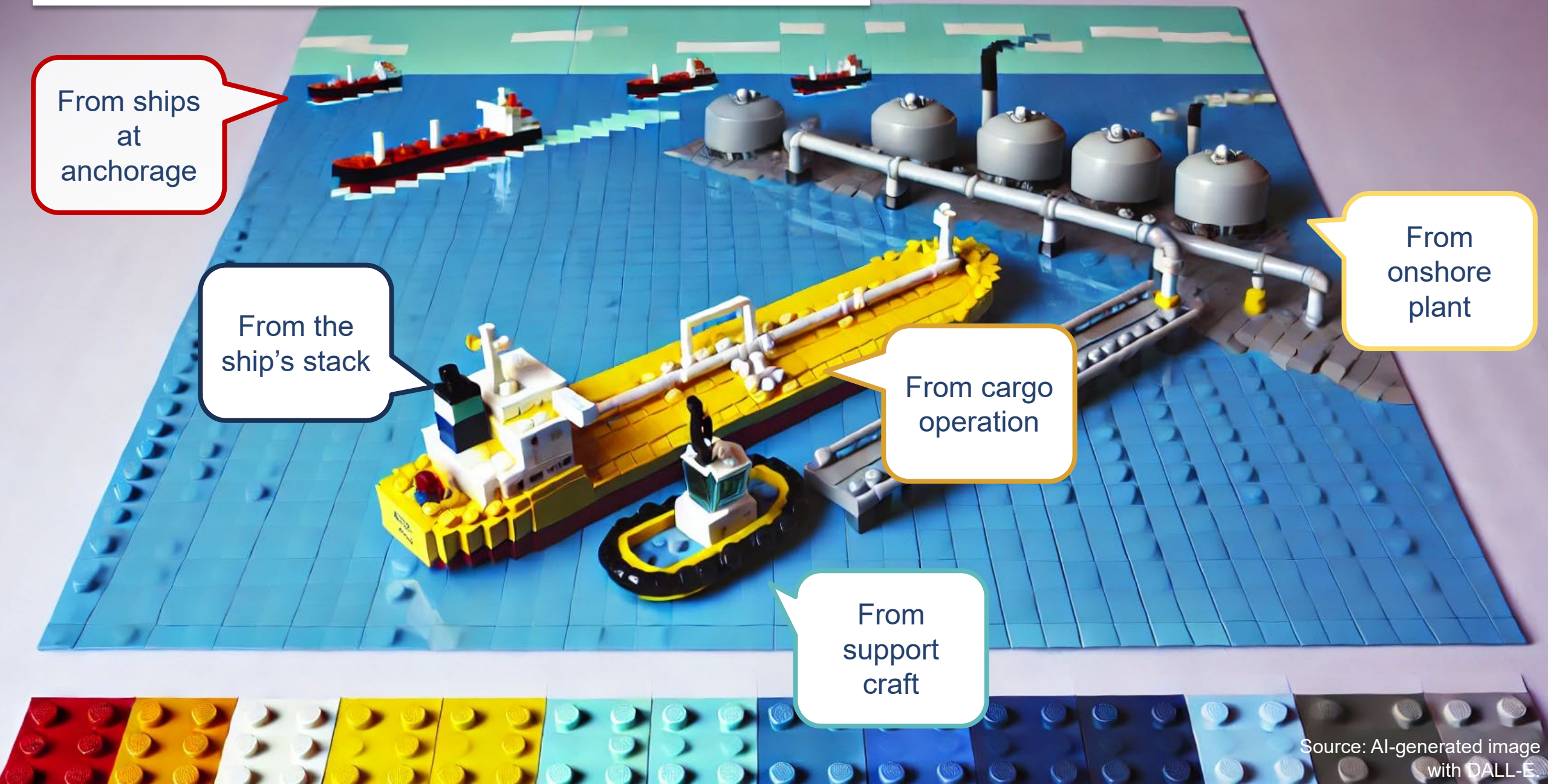
From ships at anchorage

From the ship's stack

From cargo operation

From onshore plant

From support craft



At berth harmful air emissions

Reduction measures



**Options to reduce
emission from ship's
stack**

Use less fuel → Onshore
power supply ⚡

Capture and store
emissions ☁️ 📦

Use a low-carbon fuel



Reduce emission from the ship's stack:
Use less-fuel → Onshore power supply

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Direct electrification

Comparison with green fuels

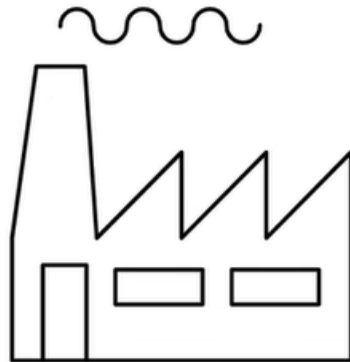
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Renewable energy installed capacity



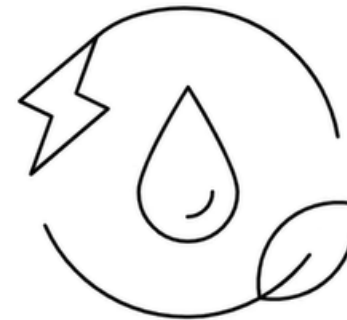
~ 700,000 GWh
(~2.5 EJ)

Renewable energy generated for the production of e-fuels



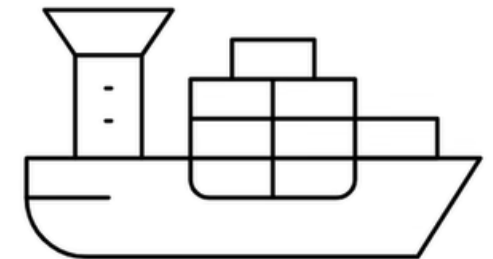
~ 350,000 GWh
(~1.2 EJ)

Available energy onboard from e-fuels



~ 175,000 GWh
(~0.6 EJ)

Delivered power onboard for propulsion and electrical needs



~ 40%

~ -50%

~ -50%

Source: Picture from Mærsk Mc-Kinney Møller Center for Zero Carbon Shipping. Data from NavigaTE.

Direct electricity may be **multiple times more efficient** due to the energy losses through green fuel production and the use chain.

Terms of Reference

Onshore Power Supply



Oil Companies International Marine Forum

Onshore Power Supply Work Group Terms of Reference

Type of Project: Information Paper

Version Date: 07/07/2022

Vision: A global marine industry that causes no harm to people or the environment.

Mission: To lead the global marine industry in the promotion of safe and environmentally responsible transportation of crude oil, oil products, petrochemicals and gas, and to drive the same values in the management of related offshore marine operations. We do this by developing best practices in the design, construction and safe operation of tankers, barges and offshore vessels and their interfaces with terminals and considering human factors in everything we do.

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Objective

- To detail standardised practices guidance for the global application of onshore power supply (OPS) alongside the berth for tankers, the terminal, and their interface.
- To complement existing industry guidance, which includes:
 - EMSA Shore-Side Electricity Guidance to Port Authorities and Administrations.
 - IMO Draft Interim Guidelines on Safe Operation of Onshore Power Supply (OPS) service in Port for Ships Engaged on International Voyages.
 - IEC/IEEE 80005-1:2019.

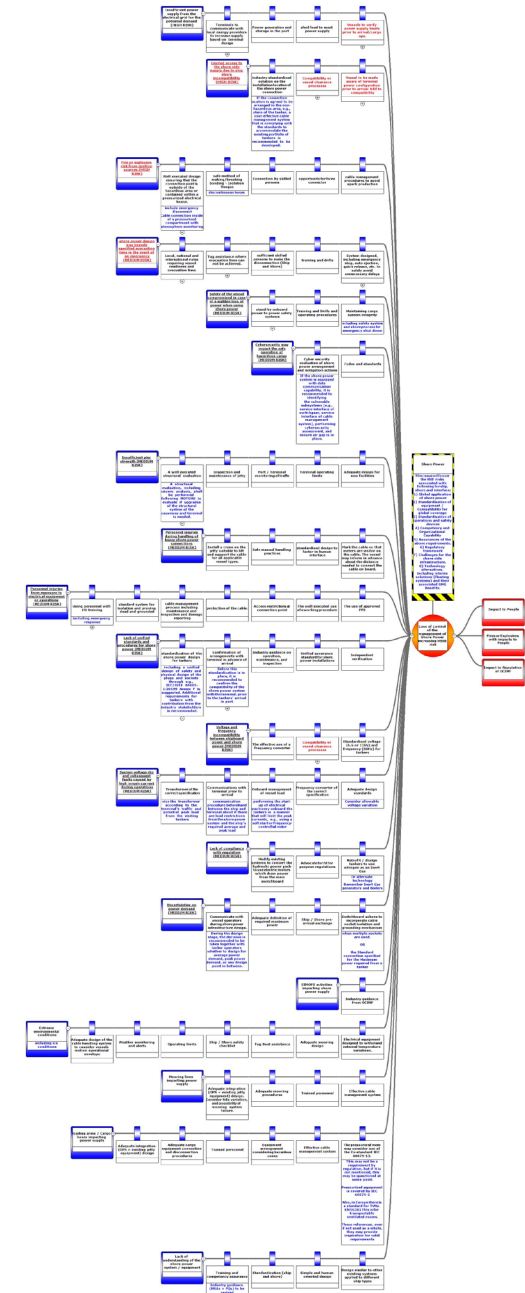
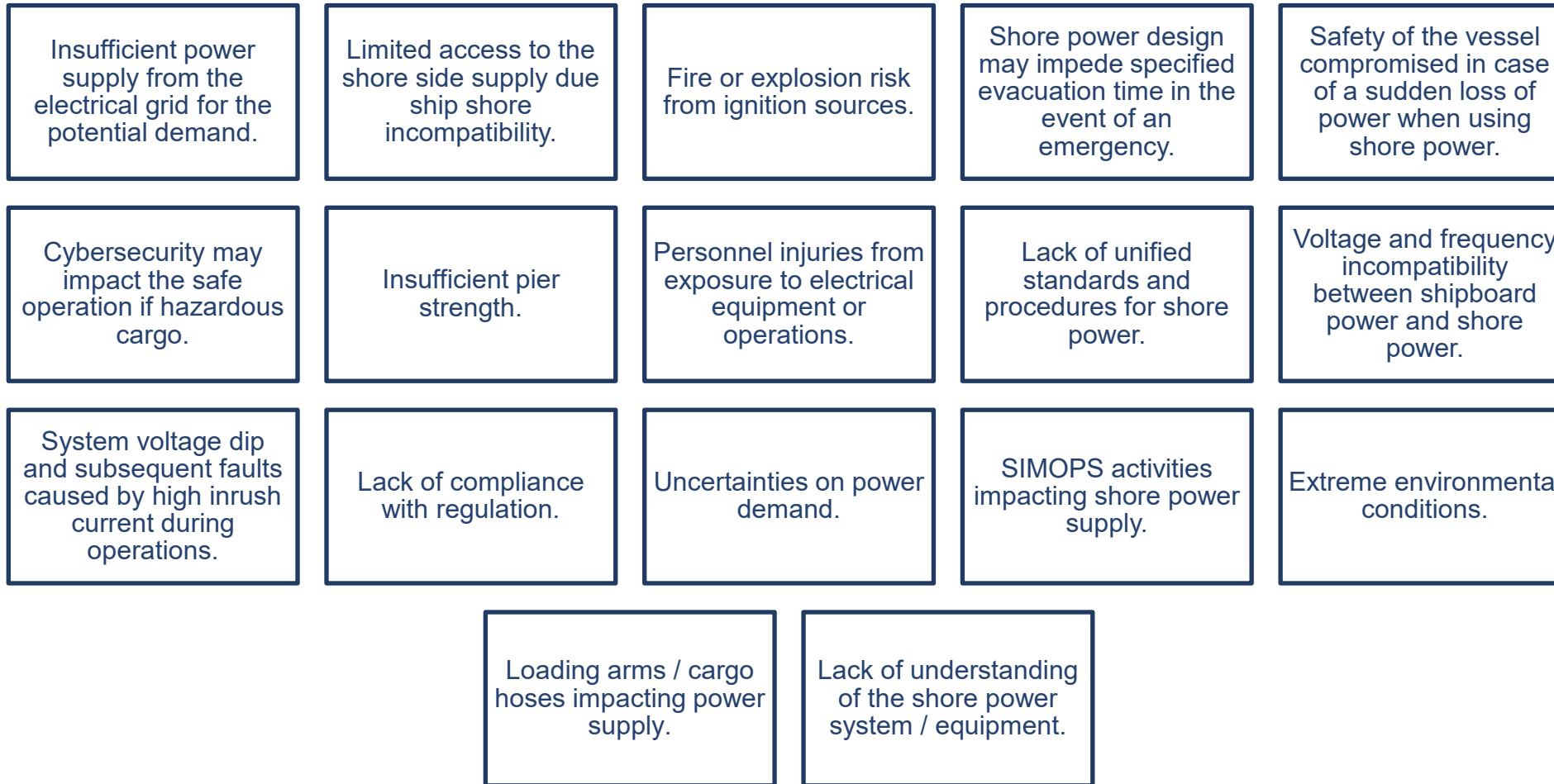
Scope

- The **focus is on the tanker segment** (oil, oil products, and chemical).
- Barges and gas carriers are out of scope.



Risk Mapping

Threats being covered:



Initial Key Design Decisions



Position of the shore power connection on board:
Mid-ship vs stern

Standard maximum power available for shore power, number of cables and connections.

Voltage
(6.6 vs 11 kV).

Position of the shore power connection on board

Midship connection

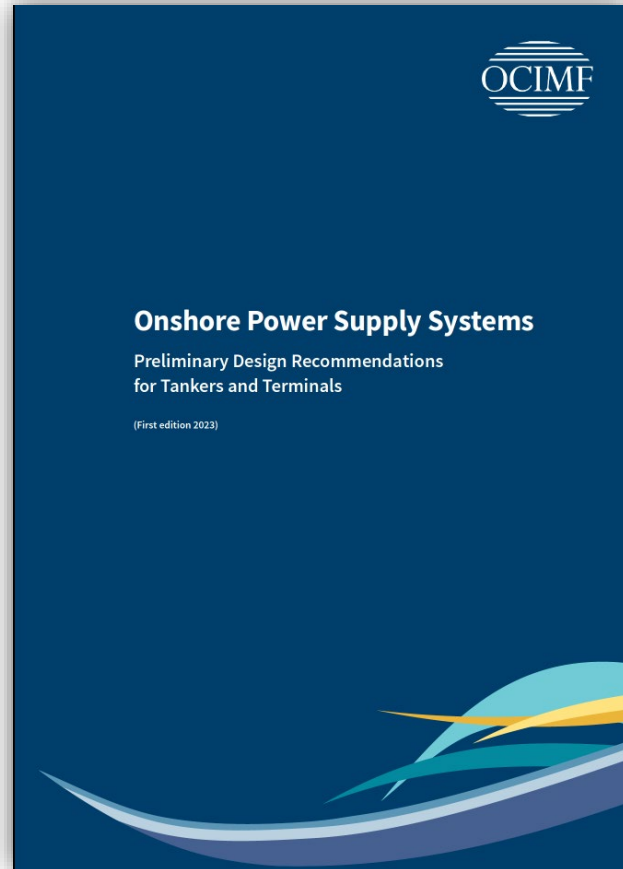
Stern connection

- The group assessed a list of potential safety concerns.
- There are **pros and cons associated with either position.**
- The group decided **not to recommend a single shore power connection position.** Instead, the OPS WG agreed to **develop guidance for both options.**
- **Terminal and vessel owners should work together** to determine the best placements for the CMS equipment and onboard OPS connection points.
- A comprehensive terminal compatibility study and risk assessment are recommended.

A risk assessment is critical, emphasising safety related to hazardous areas.

Onshore power supply

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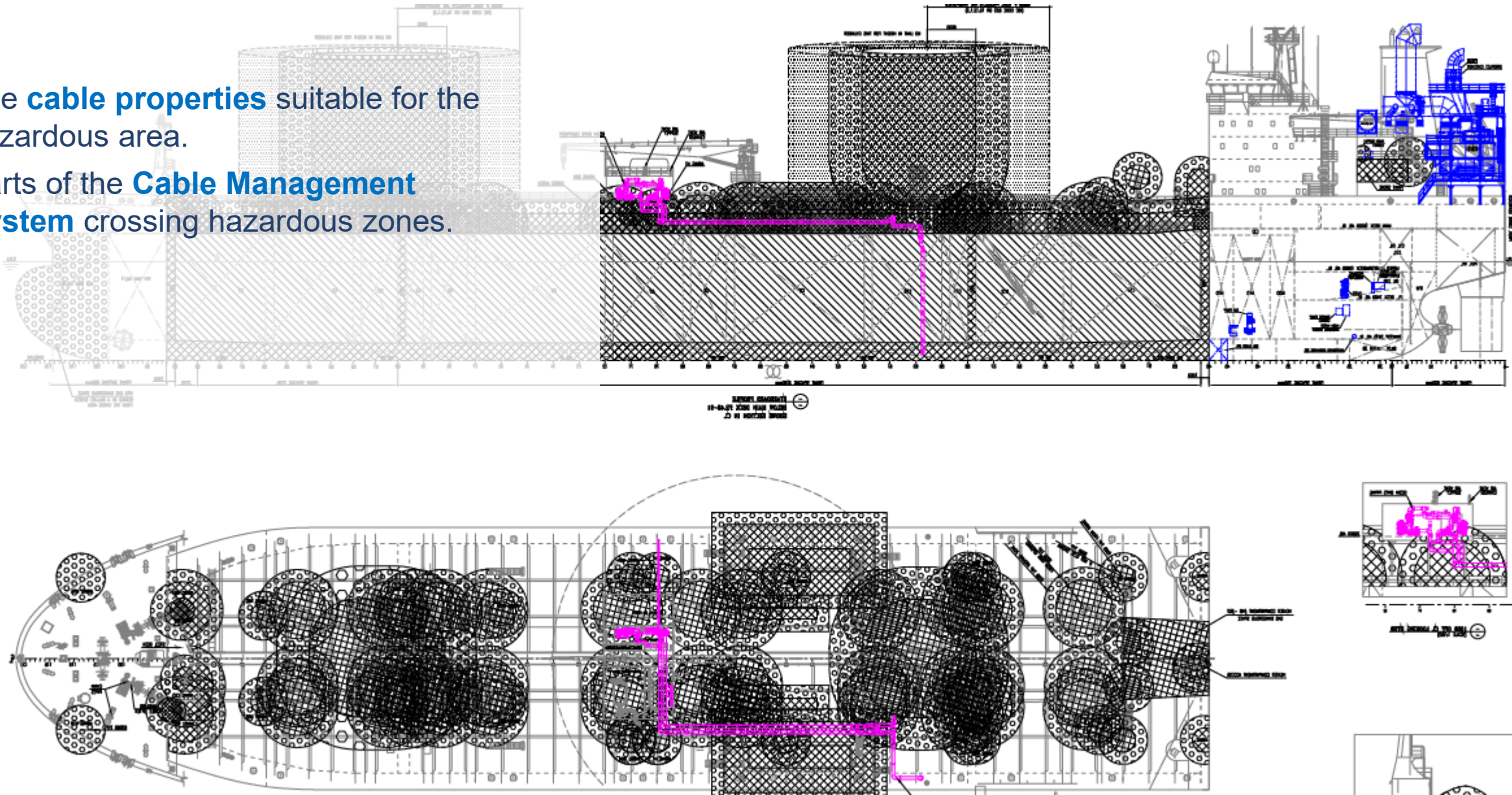
- **Executive summary:**
 - The shore power connection should follow IEC/IEEE 80005 Series Standards, as amended.
 - The provision of OPS at **6.6 kV, 60 Hz** as standard is recommended.
 - The OPS system may have **1 or 3 cables** depending on the power demand of the typical design ship.

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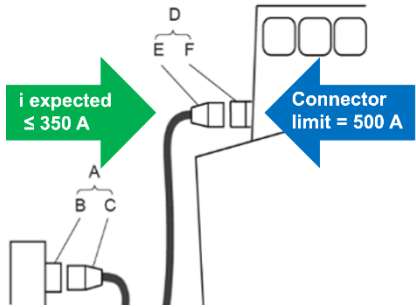
Risks to be managed

- The **cable properties** suitable for the hazardous area.
- Parts of the **Cable Management System** crossing hazardous zones.

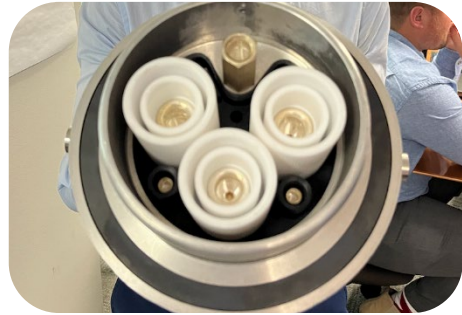


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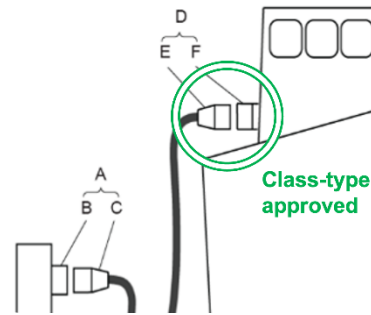
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Nominal current per connection requirement.



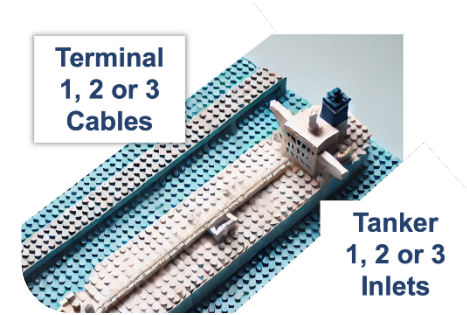
Connector design and nominal capacity.



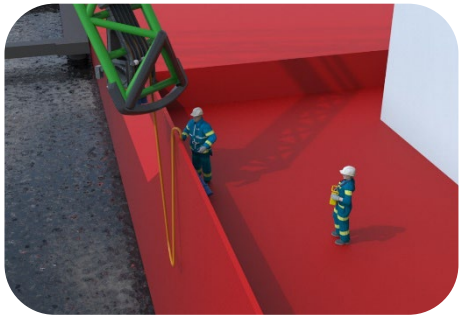
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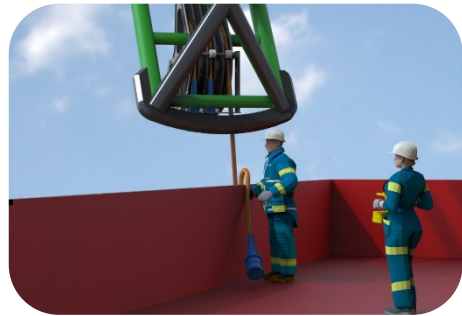
Cable design.



Scalable number of cables and ship's inlets.



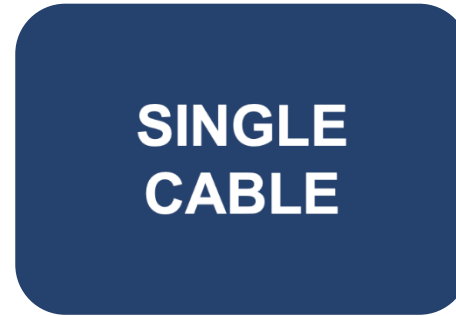
Cable lifting and payout requirements.



Cable storage and parking requirement.



Cable tension and movement monitoring.



Bonding or control.



OPS shutdown and emergency decoupling

Onshore power supply

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The information is organized into **three primary sections**:

Tanker

Marine
Terminal

Interface

Tanker Part

OPS Paper

- **General OPS Overview:** Basic system understanding and relevant codes/standards for tankers.
- **Ship Layout & Design:** Locating OPS equipment considering hazardous areas, structural needs, cable lifting, and interaction with mooring and gangways.
- **Ship Electrical Equipment:** Designing the ship's electrical system for OPS, including power needs, voltage, frequency, safety systems, transformers, and switchboards.
- **Additional Design Points:** Standby power, cargo system integrity during power loss, and fire protection.
- **Tanker Operations:** Procedures for connection, operation, disconnection, emergency actions, and safety checks.
- **Inspection, Maintenance & Training:** Ensuring the tanker's OPS equipment is maintained and personnel are competent.

Terminal Part

OPS Paper

- **Berth Layout & Design:** Terminal's OPS connection, effective cable management systems (CMS), and structural requirements.
- **Terminal Electrical Equipment:** Designing the terminal's electrical supply, including power demand, connection methods, frequency conversion, transformers, and switchboards.
- **Additional Design Points:** Shore power generation, electrical isolation, and arc flash safety.
- **Terminal Operations:** Responsibilities, procedures for cable handling, connection, disconnection, and emergency response.
- **Inspection, Maintenance & Training:** Ensuring the terminal's OPS equipment is maintained and personnel are competent.

Interface Part

OPS Paper

- **Design Philosophy:** Guiding principles for a safe and compatible ship-to-shore OPS connection.
- **Hazardous Area Management:** Managing hazardous zones at the interface.
- **Compatibility & Coordination:** Ensuring ship and terminal systems can work together, including electrical protection and isolation.
- **Startup & Commissioning:** Procedures for the initial setup and testing of the OPS interface.
- **Interface Operations:** Practical steps for screening ships, pre-arrival communication, roles and responsibilities, cable handling, sequencing of connection/disconnection, and emergency procedures.
- **Safety Checklists:** Tools to verify safe conditions before and during OPS use.

The background of the slide is a grayscale image of two hands shaking in a firm grip. The hand on the left is wearing a light-colored, long-sleeved shirt with a buttoned cuff and a watch. The hand on the right is wearing a dark, long-sleeved shirt. The handshake is the central focus of the image.

Thank you

[\(Link\) Onshore Power Supply Systems: Recommendations for Tankers and Terminals](#)



STS Transfer Guide 2nd Edition Panel Discussions



STS Transfer Guide 2nd Edition Panelists





Kevin Coelho OCIMF

Kevin is the Nautical Adviser and manages the Nautical, Ship to Shore and Ship to Ship expert groups.

Kevin is seconded from Shell and is a Class 1 Master Mariner with over 30 years of experience in the shipping and maritime industry. After having sailed on oil tankers and LNGC's, Kevin made the transition ashore in 2003 where he worked for Brunei Shell Petroleum as an Offshore Marine Operations Supervisor. He then transitioned to London to work as a Marine Facilities Advisor and in a global lead maritime assurance role. He then served as Terminal Team Lead onboard 'Prelude' FLNG through hook-up, commissioning and start-up operations.

Kevin is the OCIMF secretariat responsible for planning and leading the STS Transfer Guide revision working group.



Adarsh Agarwal **EXMAR Shipmanagement BV**

With over two decades of seafaring experience from 1996 to 2017, primarily aboard oil and gas tankers, Adarsh transitioned ashore in 2017 to take on the role of Marine Superintendent at EXMAR Shipmanagement BV. Since then, he has taken on key responsibilities including STS (Ship-to-Ship) operation screenings and the in-house management of STS services. His dedication and leadership led to his promotion as Head of Fleet Management, where he now oversees vessel performance, compliance, and operational excellence across the fleet. Adarsh and his company participated in the STS Transfer Guide revision working group as members of SIGTTO.



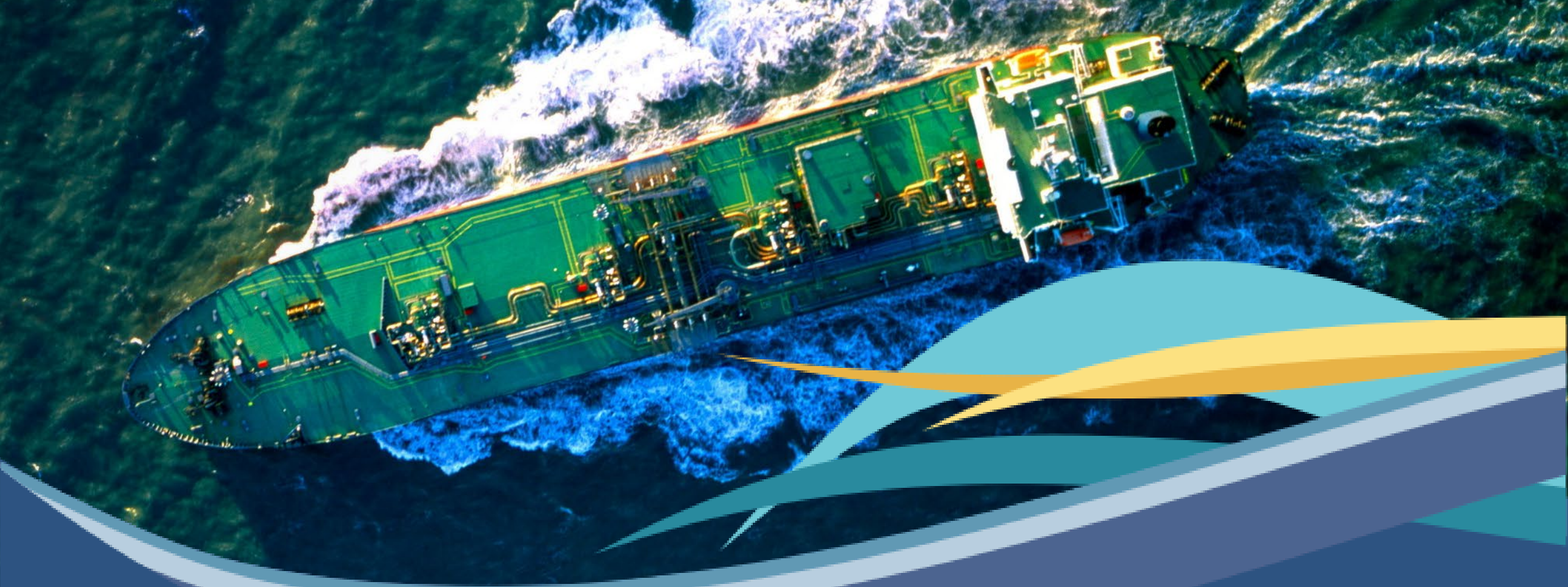
Capt. Ajit Balwant Natu Fleet Management Limited – Hong Kong

Capt Natu has a maritime career spanning three decades; he is a former Master Mariner largely sailing on parcel chemical tankers. He is currently working with Fleet Management Limited as Director Tanker Operations department for the last 11 years. He has been a member of CDI technical committee since 2015 and previously took part in the ISGOTT 6th Ed. revision working group. Ajit and his company participated in the STS Transfer Guide revision working group as members of CDI.



Arjan Kreuze Stolt Tankers

Arjan graduated from the Nautical College in Amsterdam and began his sailing career with Jo Tankers BV in 1984, becoming Master in 1993. In 1998 he moved to the offices of Jo Tankers BV as safety and environmental affairs manager and continued in safety with additional roles as training and sea personnel manager for the Dutch fleet. With the introduction of ISM and ISPS Code he also took on the roles of DPA and CSO. In 2006 he was named MD of Jo Tankers BV in 2006, continuing in that role until the 2016 acquisition by Stolt Tankers, taking on the role of Compliance and Safety Behavior Manager. Additionally, Arjan is Chair of the ICS Oil Tanker Panel and he participated in the STS Transfer Guide revision working group through his role with ICS.



STS Transfer Guide for Petroleum, Chemicals and Liquefied Gases 2nd Ed.

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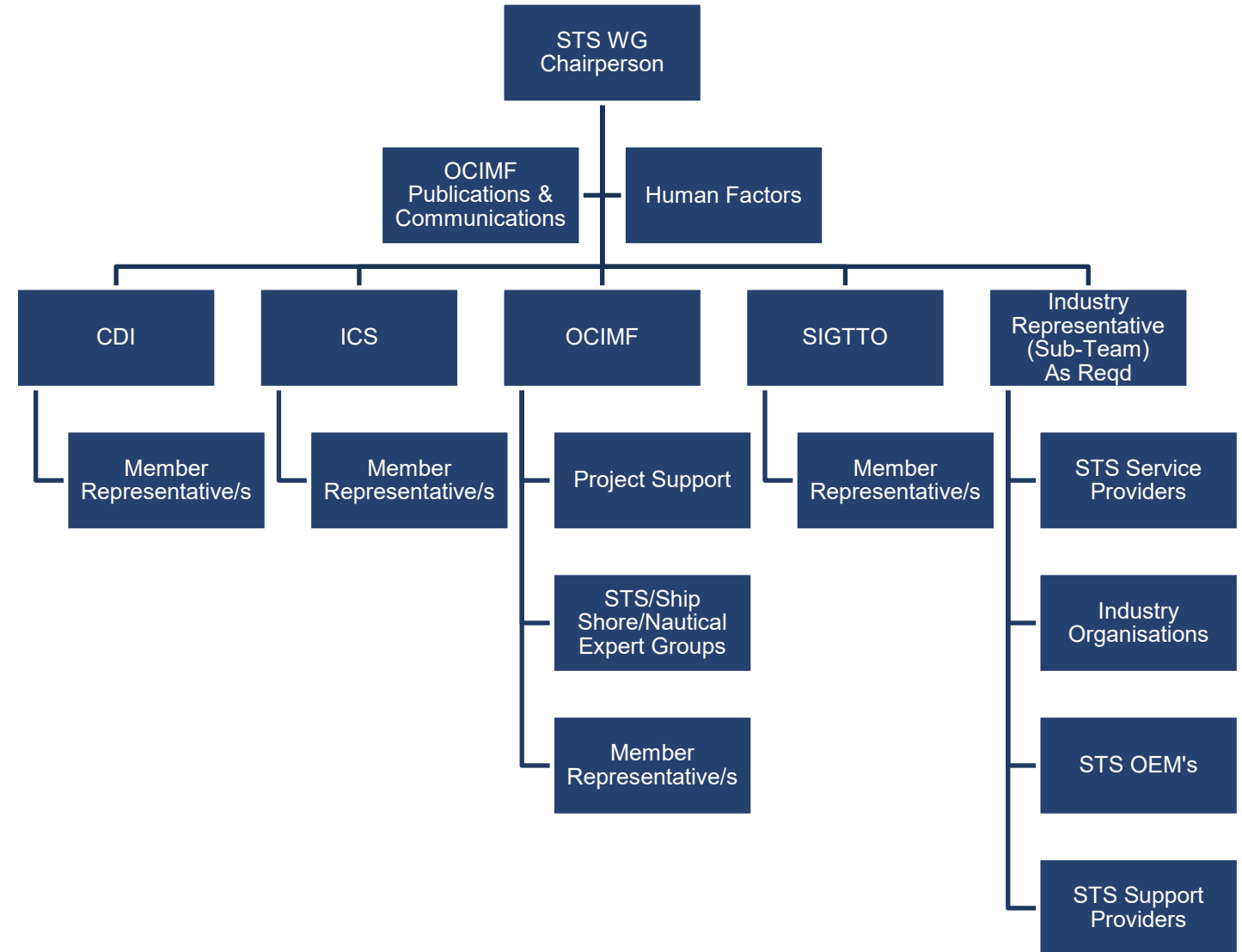
Ship to Ship Transfer Guide - 1st Ed. 2013



- 2013 Edition encompassing STS operations for Annex I (Petroleum), Annex II (Chemical), LNG and LPG-type cargoes
- Superseded the previous individual editions for all cargoes
- Collaboration between 4 co-authors: CDI, ICS, OCIMF and SIGTTO
- Aim was to provide guidance and recommendations to industry on operational procedures and best practices on STS transfers
- **Topics covered include:**
 - Recommended checklists for STS operations
 - Ship compatibility
 - Safety, risk assessment, Communications
 - Operational Preparations
 - Manoeuvring and mooring/ unmooring operations
 - Cargo procedures while ships are alongside
 - Equipment used (Fenders, transfer hoses, personnel transfer equipment)

Revision Working Group

- Revision to 1st Edition (2013) commissioned by all four Co-authors:
 - CDI, ICS, OCIMF and SIGTTO
- 22 participants sourced for the WG – from all co-authors
- Project Plan developed with co-authors
- Work commenced July 2023
- Comments Register template circulated to capture proposals for change
- 900+ responses received / evaluated



STS Transfer Guide Working Group



Publication Update – General

- The second edition is ‘stand-alone’.
- References numerous authoritative publications
- Provides all the information required for safe STS transfer operations.
- Clear and strengthened guidance on the POAC/STS Supt terminology and expectations



Publication Update – Human Factors

Chapter 2 provides detailed guidance on human factors

Introduces concept of: alternative, emerging and innovative technologies in STS operations

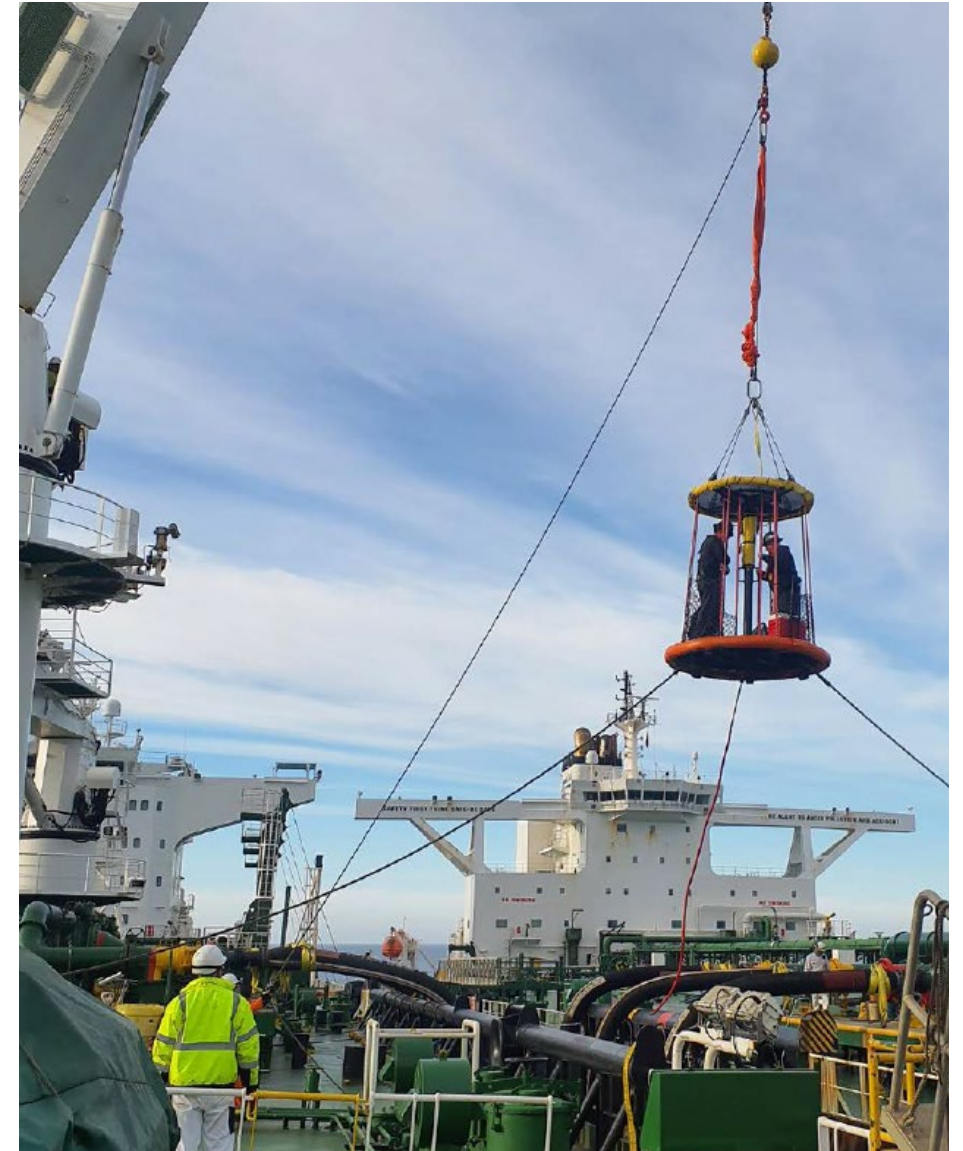
Human factors guiding principles:

- People will make mistakes.
- People's actions are rarely malicious and usually make sense to them at the time.
- Mistakes are typically due to conditions and systems that make work difficult.
- Understanding the conditions in which mistakes happen helps prevent or correct them.
- People know the most about their work and are key to any solution.
- Facilities, tools and activities can be designed to reduce mistakes and manage risk better.
- Leaders shape conditions that influence what people do.
- It matters how leaders respond when things go wrong and that they take the opportunity to learn.



Publication Update - Personnel Transfer

- Chapter 5 provides guidance on personnel transfer.
- Includes guidance previously found in 2018 OCIMF information paper “Transfer of Personnel by Crane Between Vessels”
- Encourages Operators and Masters to be guided by a risk management approach.
- Recommendations on suitability of methods depending on geography, exposure of the STS transfer location and support boat capabilities.
- Practical guidance on preparations for Personnel Transfer Basket operations.
- Guidance to end users on selecting the safest transfer method.



Publication Update contd...

Cargo Transfer

- Chapter 10 split in four sections, for Oil, Chemicals, LPG and LNG.
- Four supporting appendices from 1st Ed. are incorporated in chapter 10

STS Specific Equipment

- Enhanced guidance for STS equipment- fenders, cargo and vapour hoses and mooring equipment
- Updated fender-sizing calculations, representing current best practice

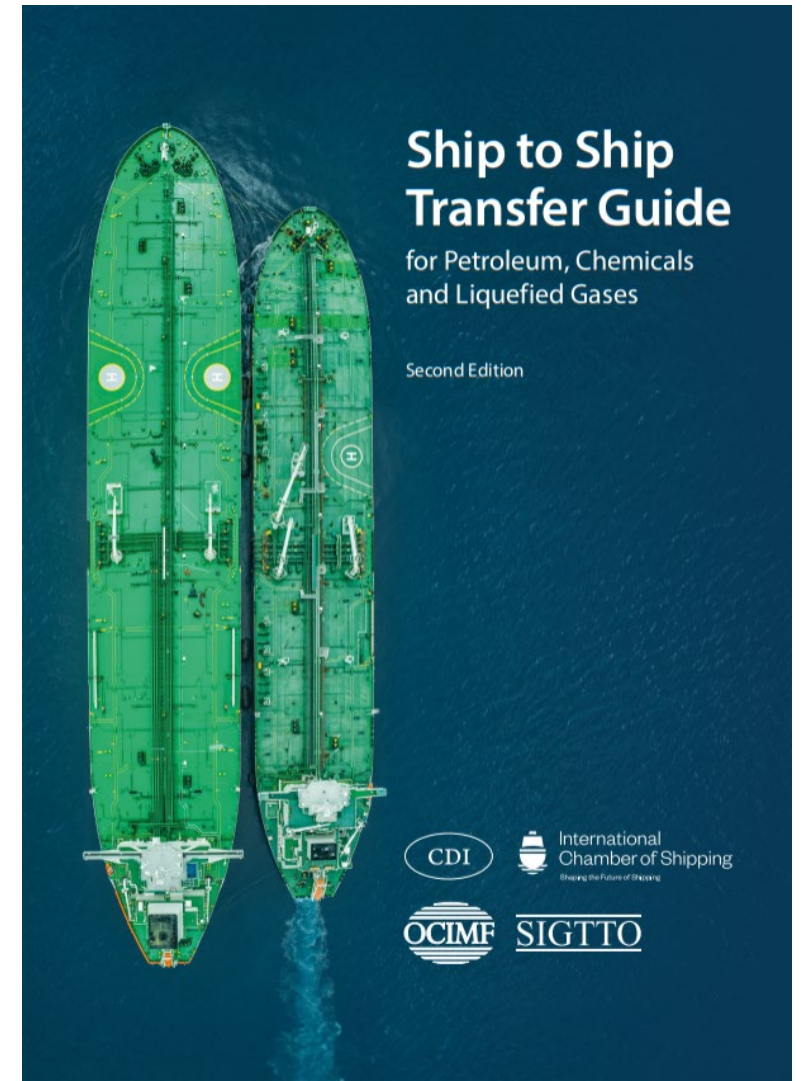
Ship to Ship Safety Checklists

- Checklists updated to follow the methodology used in ISGOTT Sixth Edition
- Checklists, in six sections, sequentially cover the whole STS operation
- Vapour balancing checklist incorporated in the STS Safety check Lists
- Checklists reflect changes in understanding of the impact of human factors



STS Transfer Guide - Revision Overview

- 3 SG meetings and 12 WG meetings held – 3 were F2F meetings at OCIMF & ICS premises, the others virtual meetings.
- First draft of revisions (12 Chapters & 10 supporting appendices) sent to the WG for a full review – comments received by mid Oct. 2024
- Conducted final full draft review (F2F meeting) to address comments – full week final week of Oct 2024 at OCIMF.
- Revised draft handed over to Publication in Dec 2024.
- Revised draft shared with Co-Authors for a Technical review in Dec 2024 - received in Jan 2025 with minor comments – now incorporated.
- 2nd Edition planned for release Q3 2025





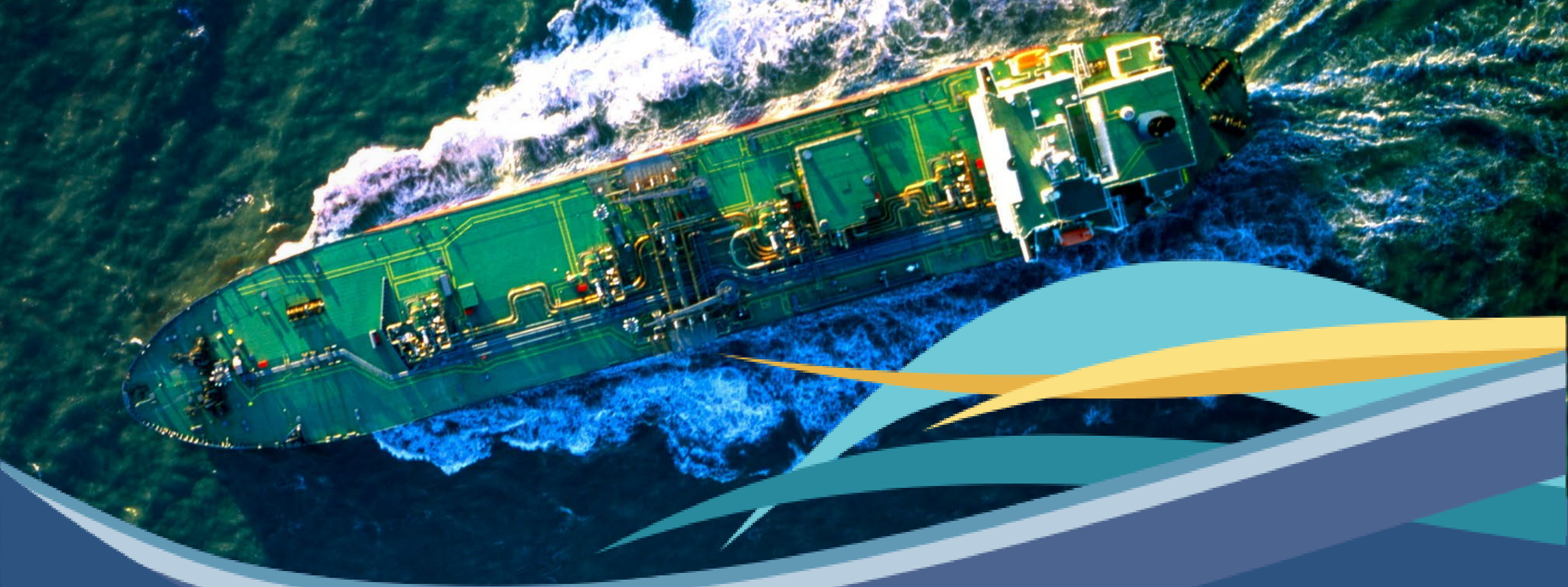
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He oversees programmes development, supporting SMEs in updating vessel inspection and MSA processes

As co-lead of the SIRE 2.0 Project Team, Fahmi was involved in the phased rollout of the programme, focused on system testing and critical success factors. The project began its first transition phase in May 2023, with full rollout in September 2024



Sashidaran Gopala OCIMF

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From 2017-2020, he worked as a management systems senior auditor guiding the establishment of a risk-based audit regime and in-house fleet HSE training programme. He also designed the remote audit programme to ensure compliance during COVID-19. He also led training for a new team of auditors supporting operating management system requirements and compliance with industry guidelines and maritime regulations.



Anastasios Kartsimadakis Tsakos Group of Companies

Anastasios graduated from the Merchant Marine Academy of Chios and holds a Class A Engineer CoC and MSc in Maritime Management with distinction. He joined the Tsakos Group of Companies in 2007 and has been the Group's Vetting & Inspections Manager since 2016. From 2021 to 2023, Anastasios was seconded to INTERTANKO as Vetting Manager, focused on implementation and integration of the SIRE 2.0 program in collaboration with OCIMF and was a principal contributor to INTERTANKO's Seafarers' Practical Guide for SIRE 2.0. He is currently Vice Chairman of the INTERTANKO Vetting Committee.

In addition to his operational responsibilities, he has contributed to publications of the World Maritime University and co-authored the first Greek-language textbook on ship inspections for maritime academies, published by the Eugenides Foundation in October 2024 and lectures at the Tsakos Enhanced Education Nautical School in Chios.



Overview of Current OCIMF Programmes

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Introduction to OCIMF Programmes



SIRE Programme

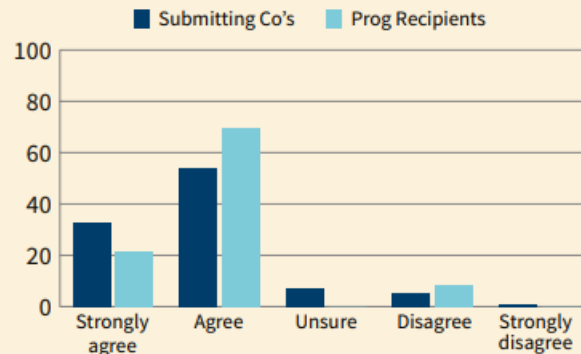
SIRE 2.0: Key Features of the Current Programme

- Transition to a risk-based, human factor-centric inspection model.
- Uses a Dynamic Question Library (DQL) tailored to each vessel and operational context.
- Focuses on crew familiarity, system management processes, and operational safety culture.

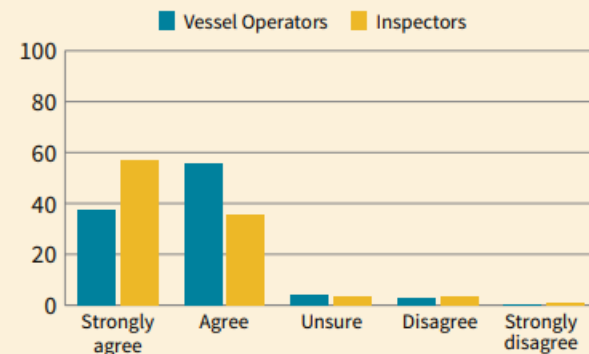
Future Value to the Maritime Industry

- Promotes a culture of continuous improvement and safety leadership.
- Encourages investment in crew training, competency, and wellbeing.
- Aligns with global trends in digitalisation, ESG compliance, and risk management.

SIRE reports accurately describe the safety and operational standards on vessels



SIRE programme improves operating standards



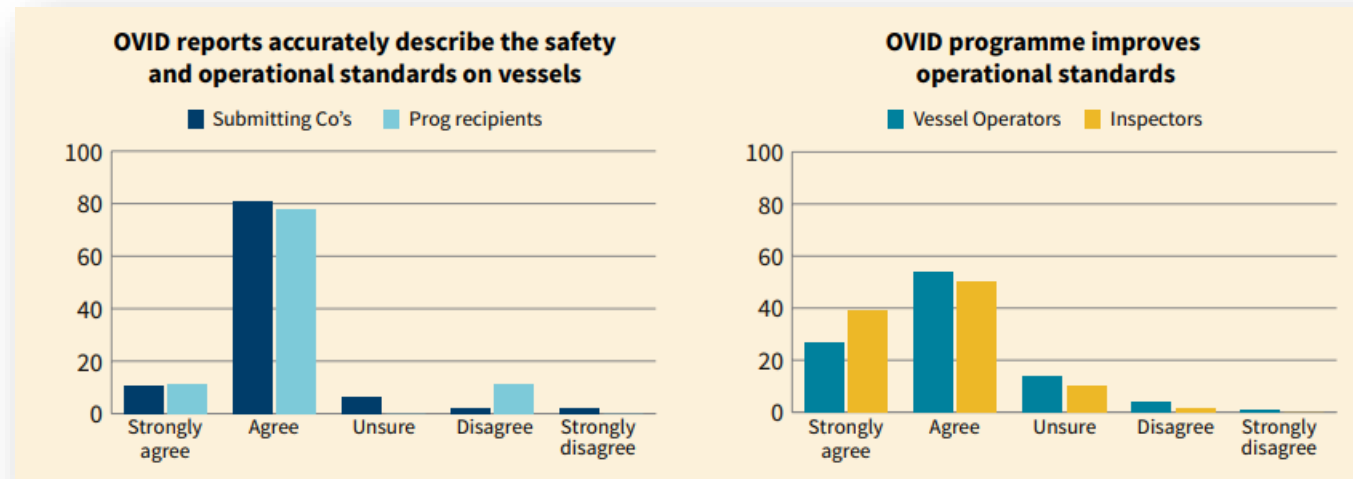
OVID Programme

OVIQ4: Key Features of the Current Programme

- Expanded scope: 146 new questions covering topics like LNG/hybrid fuel training, cybersecurity, SEEMP, and crane management.
- Emphasis on human element: questions on bullying and harassment prevention, crew familiarity, and Management of Change (MOC) in vessel reactivation.
- Anonymous Reporting Scheme and Submitting Company Guidance added to promote transparency and fairness.

Future Value to the Maritime Industry

- Strengthens crew safety, readiness for alternative fuels, and vessel operation in offshore operations.
- Supports emerging technologies and fuels by assessing hybrid systems, LNG training, and energy efficiency measures (SEEMP).
- Aligns offshore assurance with global expectations on ESG, cyber security, and crew competence.



* OVID Programmes Survey 2022/23

Programmes Snapshot FY2024

	SIRE	BIRE	OVID
	2024	2024	2024
Programme Recipients (including PSCs)	494	Shared figure with SIRE	95
Inspectors accredited in total	468	124	386
Inspection reports published	24,333	9,906	3,400
Distinct vessels inspected in 12 months	9,842	8,218	3,223
MSA published	1,763	Shared figure with SIRE	457
Technical vessel operator registered in the system	2,964	Shared figure with SIRE	1,592

*BIRE shared numbers with SIRE



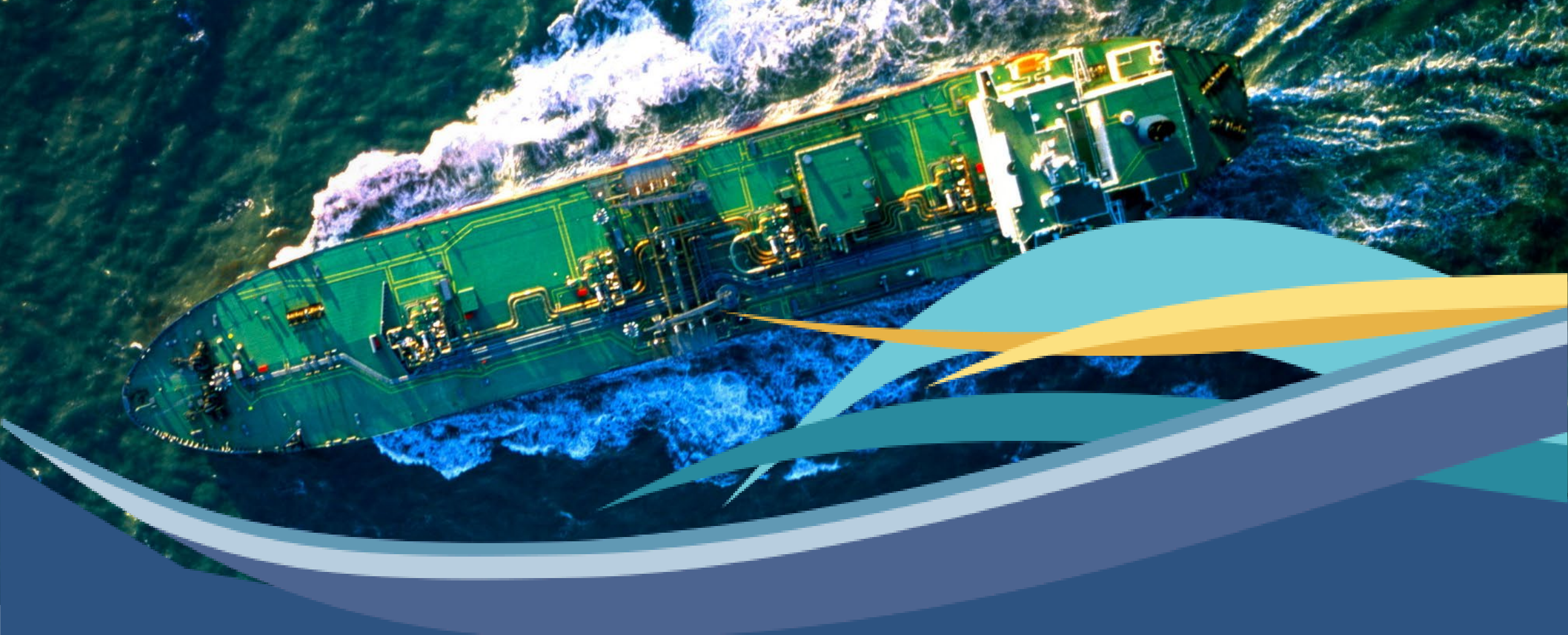
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SIRE 2.0 Inspection Management Process – Lesson Learned

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Simplified Inspection Process Flow - Overall

Operators

Inspection Request

Inspection request accepted by Submitting Company

Operator uploads PIQ Photographs Certificates

Operator accurate declaration.

Submitting Company

Accepts inspection request.

Manage Inspector allocations according to compliance rules.

Reassigning Inspector - this can be done up until physical stage started.

Process and validate draft report prior to Operators comments.

Inspector

CVIQ generated

Pre-Inspection work completed

Inspection conducted and report checked for errors.

Report submitted - via tablet.

Submitting Company should make sure that the inspector has received any message relating to changes or cancellations to the inspection and, does not embark on a necessary journey

Important considerations – Pre-Inspection

- **Inspection booking tool, HVPQ and PIQ**
 - ❖ Ensures the CVIQ is correctly compiled.
- **Inspection booking tool:**
 - ❖ Cargo type that will be loaded/onboard/discharged during the inspection.
 - ❖ If change in cargo type, cancel the booking and raise a new inspection request.
 - ❖ If STS operations expected during the inspection, these variant must be selected.
- **The following restrictions applies to SIRE 2.0 inspection booking:**
 - ❖ There can be only one active inspection booking request for a vessel until report published.
 - ❖ Within 30 days of the last published report will prompt the Operator to provide a reason from a drop-down menu.

Important considerations – Pre-Inspection



- **Pre-inspection Declaration:**

- ❖ Any changes made to the PIQ, certificates & photographs after signing the declaration, changes will not be reflected in the CVIQ.
- ❖ If change is needed, cancel booking after informing the Submitting Member.

- **Photographs:**

- ❖ Should accurately reflect current condition.
- ❖ Quality & specifications of photographs as listed in guidance.
- ❖ The requirement for item 21 – ‘Aft emergency towing equipment storage arrangement’
- ❖ The requirement for item 26 – ‘The oil filtering equipment (Oily Water Separator – OWS)’
- ❖ The requirement for item 40 – ‘IG system pressure/vacuum-breaking (P/V) device’
- ❖ The requirement for item 42 – ‘One main cargo pump and, if in pump room, including bilges’

Important considerations – Pre-Inspection



- **Certificates update:**
 - ❖ Ensure HVPQ is updated first, before updating certificate details.
- **CVIQ:**
 - ❖ The CVIQ is compiled and made available to the Inspector when Pre-Inspection Declaration is signed.
 - ❖ Declaration should be signed as soon as possible, recommended ideally 96 hs but no less than 48 hs.
- **Port Change:**
 - ❖ Any change of port call does not require cancellation of inspection booking.
- **Travel:**
 - ❖ Inspector must not travel prior to receiving the CVIQ and completing the pre-work.
- **Cancellation (before inspection commences):**
 - ❖ Must inform the Submitting Member, ensures the Inspector does not undertake travel.

Important considerations – During Inspection



- **Cancellation (once inspection commences):**
 - ❖ Must inform the Submitting Member.
 - ❖ Inspector terminates the inspection.
 - ❖ CVIQ submitted regardless if it is not completed fully.
- **Tablet use at Terminal:**
 - ❖ If Master / Operator is aware of any restrictions in the use of tablet for terminal, promptly inform the Inspector / Submitting Member.
- **Printer:**
 - ❖ The details and requirements can be obtained from Mopria's website & SIRE 2.0 website FAQs.
 - ❖ Ensure a LAN printer is disconnected from LAN before connecting.
- **Wi-Fi:**
 - ❖ During inspection, no Wi-Fi is required, as tablet works in off-line mode.

Important considerations – After Inspection



- **Resubmission:**
 - ❖ Can only be done via the online editor. Once a CVIQ is submitted, it remains read only in Tablet.
- **Operator Comments:**
 - ❖ Once draft report is validated by Submitting member, Operator has 14 days before the report is auto published.
 - ❖ Operators can continue to input subsequent comments for the time report remains available for download (12 months from published date).
- **Published:**
 - ❖ Once report published, only option is to withdraw a report if any significant errors.

Important considerations – After Inspection



- **Observations:**

- ❖ SIRE 2.0 is risk-based approach, is about continual improvement and reducing potential hazards and incidents.
- ❖ No counting numbers of observations (negative/positive).

- **Validity of reports:**

- ❖ All inspection reports will remain viewable for up to 12 months from the date of inspection.
- ❖ OCIMF does not set a validity period for all type of reports.

- **Idle, Load & Discharge SIRE:**

- ❖ Under SIRE 2.0, inspection can be completed in any operational condition. Programme Recipients will conduct their own assessment of the report based on their internal marine assurance policy.

- **Support :**

- ❖ For support or query, please contact support@ocimf.org

Use of Feedback Portal

Questionnaire Feedback (QF) & Suggestions for Improvement (SFI) portal can be accessed from the SIRE home page.

The screenshot displays the SIRE home page interface. At the top, a dark blue navigation bar contains the SIRE logo and menu items: Vessels, Incidents, TMSA, PSC Inspections, Data Mining (with a star icon), and Inspection Requests. On the right side of the navigation bar, there is a notification bell icon with '1 Message' and a user profile icon for 'Captain Sashidaran Gopala'. Below the navigation bar, the page title 'Home' is visible. A yellow banner contains a reminder message about user login details. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column features four summary cards: 'Inspections Pending PIQ Review and Operator Declaration' (0), 'Inspections Pending Operator Comments' (0), and 'Unprocessed Inspections' (0), each with a message stating 'You don't have any inspections that require...'. The right column features a 'Quick Links' section with three items: 'News' (with a '20 unread' badge), 'Resources', and 'Suggestion for Improvement', which is highlighted with a red rectangular box. An orange arrow points from the text box above to the 'Suggestion for Improvement' link.

We can assure you the SFIs and QFs are being read weekly, if not daily by Programme Technical team. However, due to some limitations with the portal in terms of providing proper feedback response, no acknowledgment is seen by those raising SFIs. Improvements to this portal is in the pipeline. Hence, please continue inputting SFIs as it will help in the continual improvement of the programme.

Detailed Information Available

The following are a selection of information / documents available:

- SIRE 2.0 Programme Introduction and Guidance.
- SIRE 2.0 Conditions of Participation Policies and Procedures
- SIRE 2.0 Phased Transition Guidance
- SIRE 2.0 Question Library – Part 1 – Chapters 1 to 7.
- SIRE 2.0 Question Library – Part 2 – Chapters 8 to 12.
- SIRE 2.0 Inspection Management Processes Operator.
- SIRE 2.0 Instructions for Completing the Pre-Inspection Questionnaire.
- SIRE 2.0 Instructions for uploading photographs to the Photograph Repository.
- SIRE 2.0 Instructions for uploading certificates to the Certificate Repository
- SIRE 2.0 Instructions for entering data into the Suggestions for Improvement Portal.

<https://www.ocimf.org/programmes/sire-2-0>

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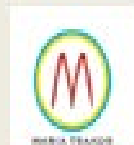
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SIRE 2.0 vs VIQ.7

01

- ✓ Vessel's profile at OCIMF webpage is well structured.
 - ✓ No IT issues with pre-inspection phase.
 - ✓ Ship specific CVIQ available.
 - ✓ Effective handling of defect reporting system.
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- Discrepancies between HVPQ and PIQ, resulting in negative observations.
 - Lack of a verification mechanisms and HVPQ editor limitations.
 - No available API for certificate validation or integration.
 - Inconsistent photograph orientation.
 - Inspection bookings lack visibility to OCIMF members.
 - Requests for comments on unpublished SIRE reports.



**Nine months into
SIRE 2.0
Best Practices & Key
Challenges**

02



Structural and Methodological Enhancements

Officers and ratings now actively demonstrate tasks, shifting from paper-based to performance-based assessments.

Human Element Integration & SMS Alignment

SMS procedures were revised and aligned with SIRE 2.0, enhancing crew understanding and embedding human factor protocols.

Crew Engagement and Learning Culture

Promotes the recording of positive observations, reinforcing a constructive learning culture.



Data-Driven Improvements

The implementation of focused analytics and benchmarking has enhanced visibility of fleet performance and enabled targeted training campaigns.

System and Technology Enhancements

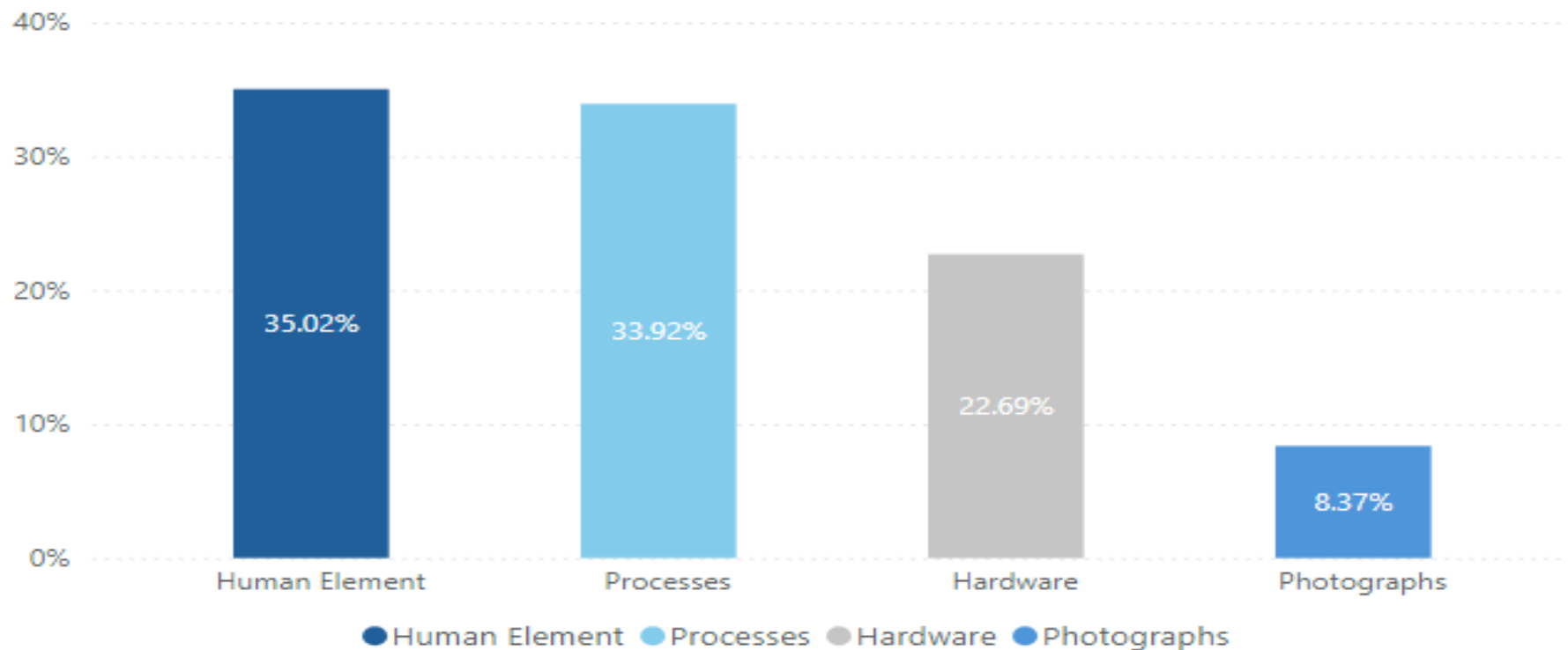
From a scheduling standpoint, the cancellation tool has proven highly effective, offering greater transparency and flexibility to operators.



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- Reluctance to Record Positive Observations with unclear impact during screening.
 - “Largely as Expected” comments generate feedback request, but lack clear follow-up value.
 - In some cases, full inspection reports are not shared, leaving operators unable to see all inspector remarks or LAE flags.
 - Observations are frequently duplicated across categories (e.g., Hardware and Human, Process and Human) or wrongly appointed to certain CVIQ elements (5.81 & 5.8.2).
 - Acceptance of Loading SIREs remains inconsistent.

Measurement and Analysis

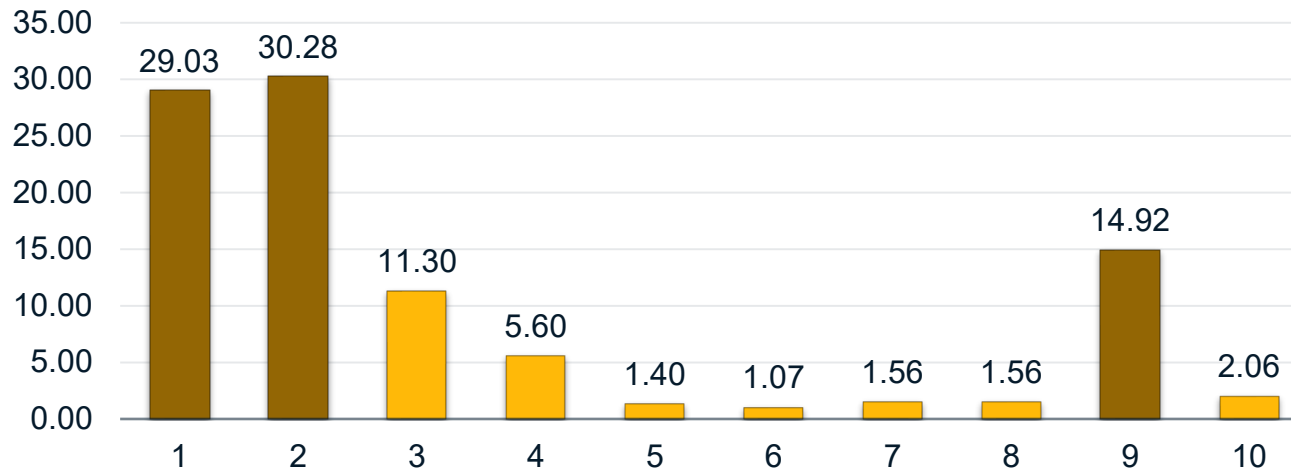
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Source: Tsakos Group



Distribution of Human Factors negative observations as per PIF's (%)

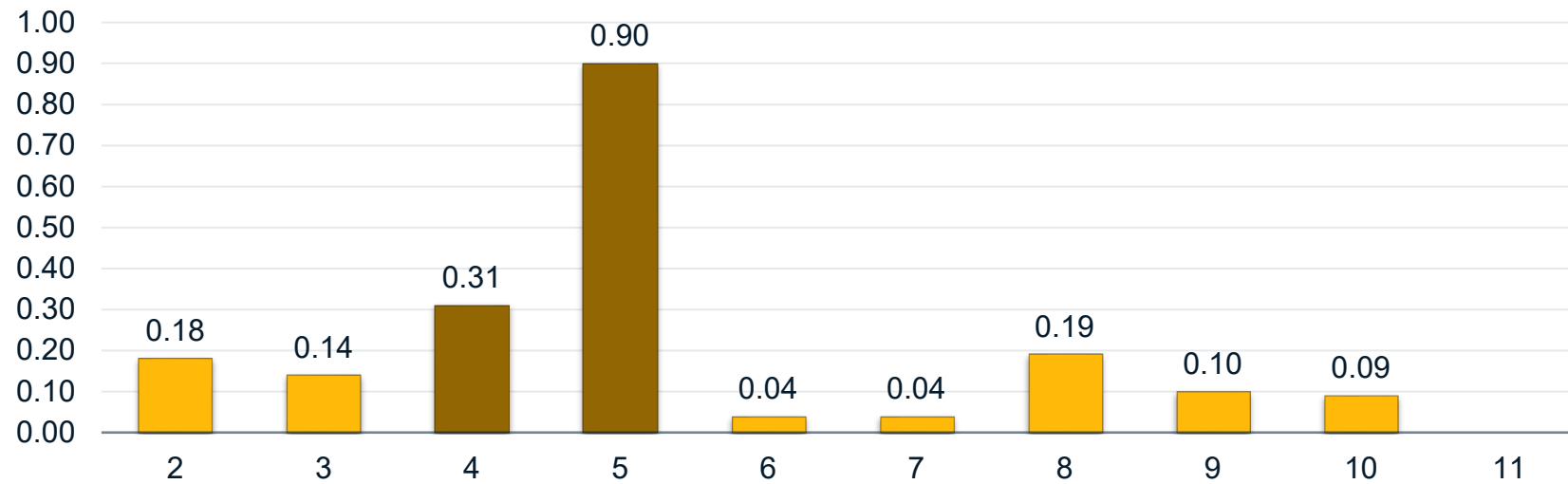


1. Recognitions of safety criticality of the task or associated steps.
2. Custom and practice surrounding use of procedures.
3. Procedures accessible, helpful, understood, and accurate for task.
4. Team dynamics, communications, and coordination with others.
5. Evidence of stress, workload, fatigue, time constraints.
6. Factors such as morale, motivation, nervousness.
7. Workplace ergonomics including signage, tools, layout, space, noise, light, heat etc.
8. Human-machine interface (e.g., controls, alarms, etc.)
9. Opportunity to Learn or Practice
10. Not Identified – Not a PIF (option provided where a PIF could not be identified with confidence)

Source: *INTERTANKO*



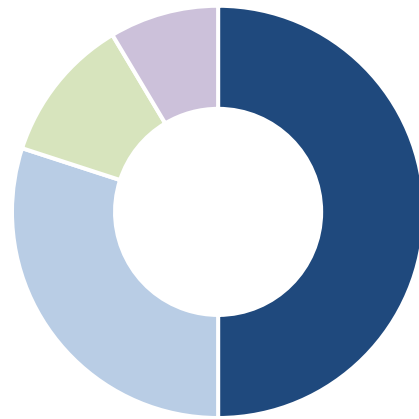
SIRE 2.0 Chapters: Average of negative observations



Source: INTERTANKO



Distribution of Human Negative Observations per Rank



■ Senior Officers ■ Junior Officers ■ Ratings ■ Team task - historical

Distribution of Positive Observations - Best Practices per Rank



■ Senior Officers ■ Junior Officers ■ Ratings

Source: TST

**SIRE 2.0
Through the
Eyes of the Crew**

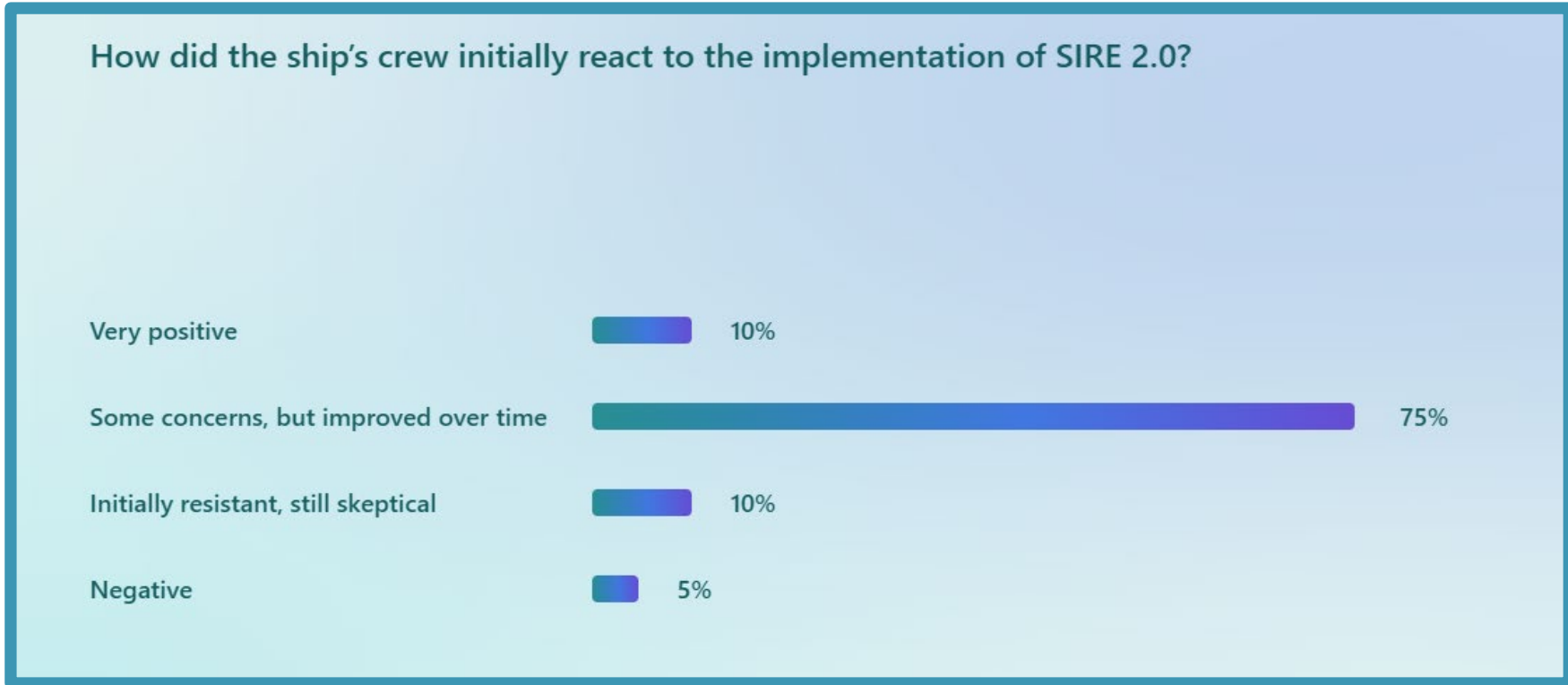
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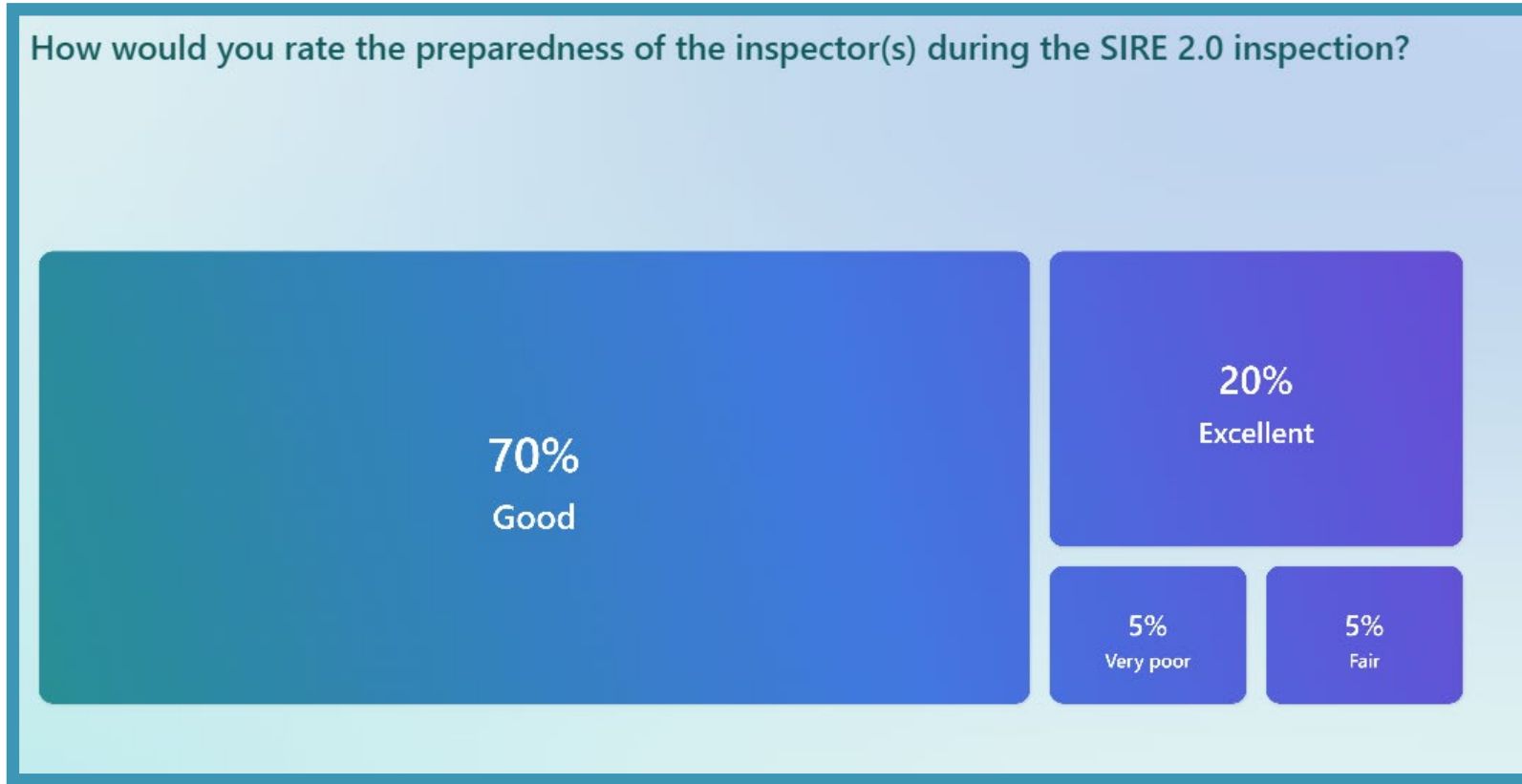


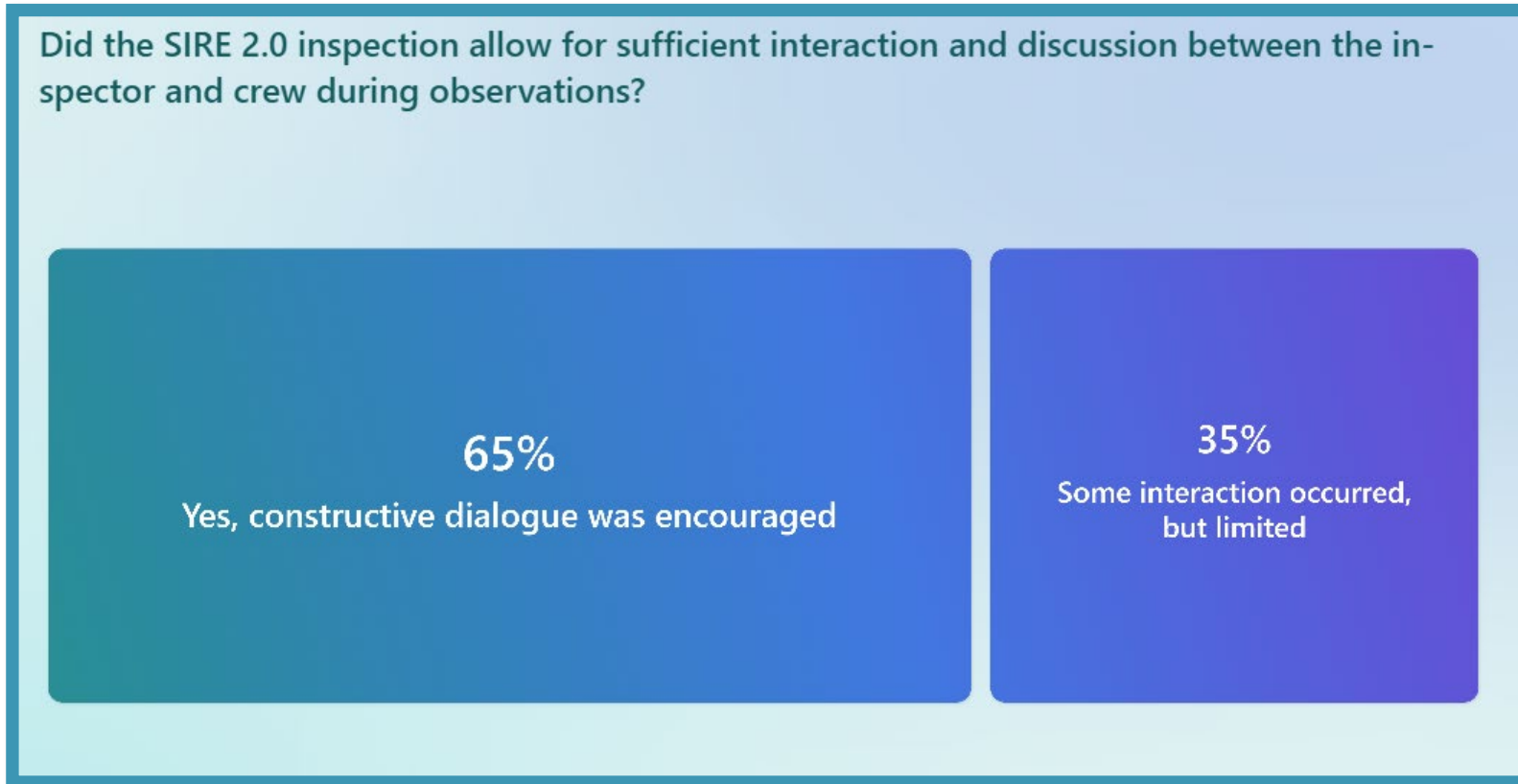
How would you rate your overall experience with SIRE 2.0 compared to VIQ7?

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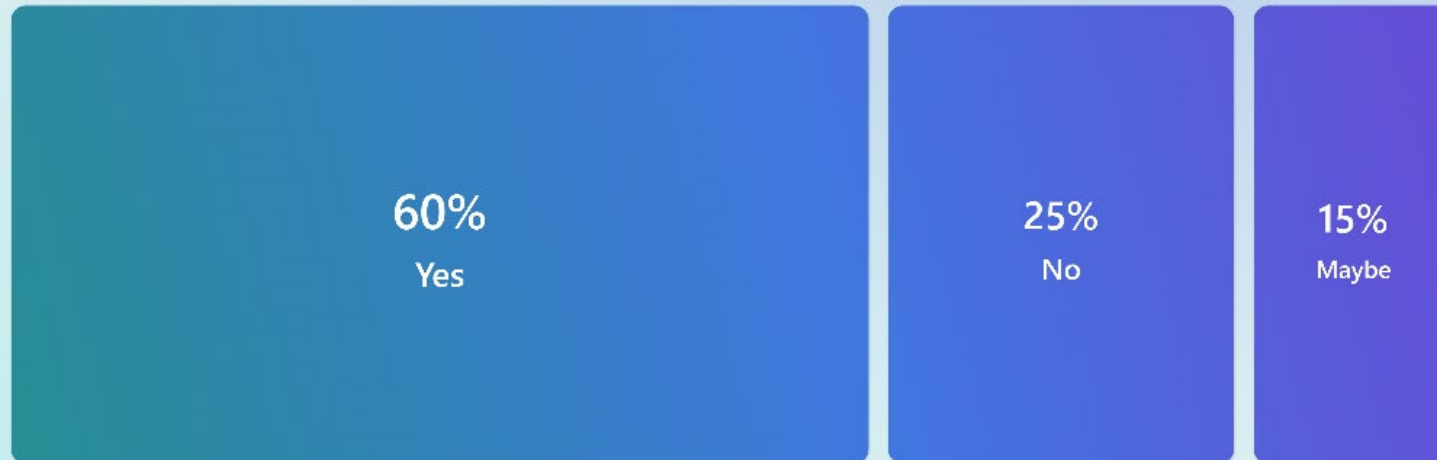








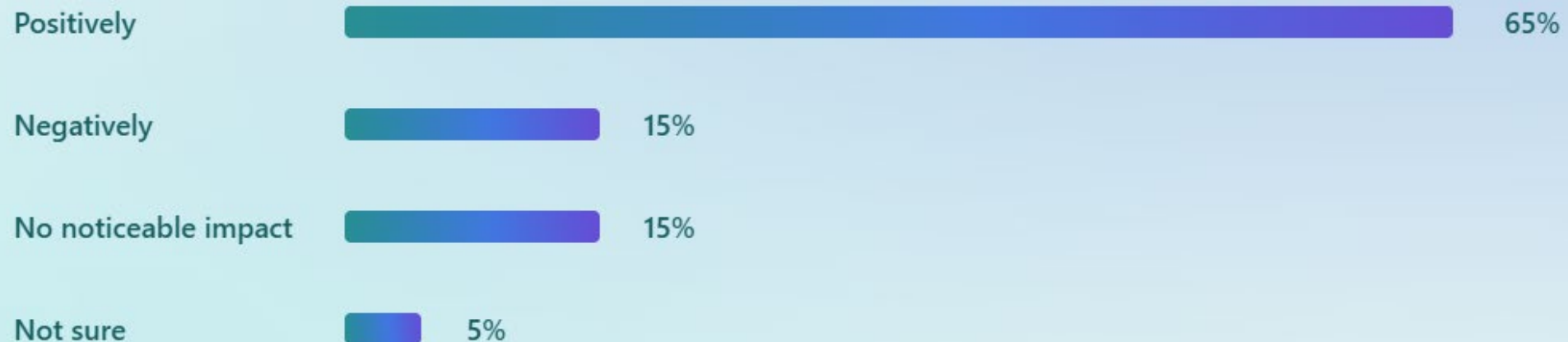
Have inspections under SIRE 2.0 revealed any gaps or issues previously unnoticed due to the inclusion of Human Factor assessments?



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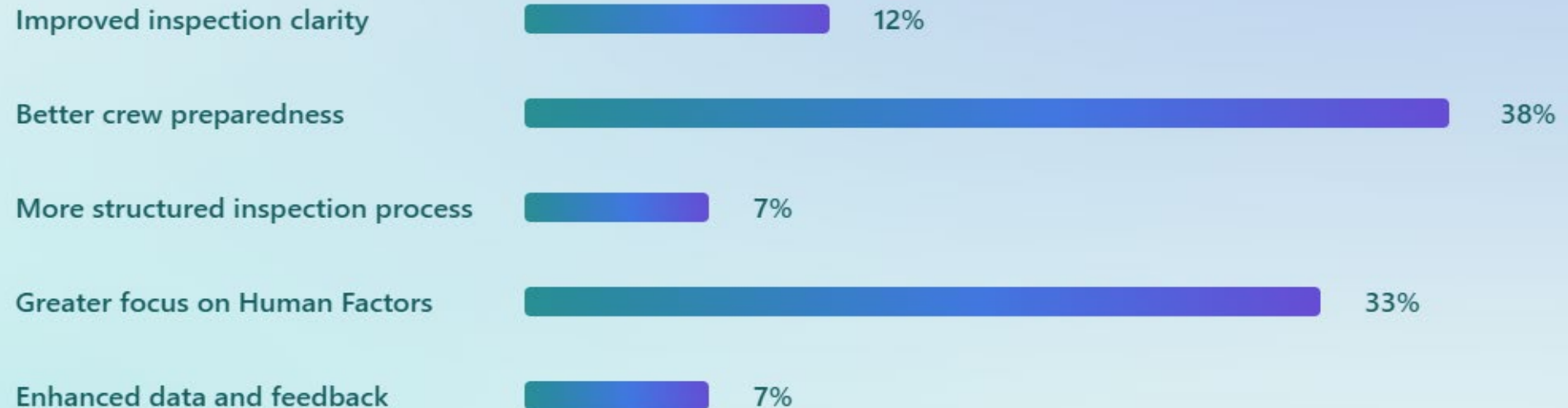


How did the induction of Human Observations/ Interviews under SIRE 2.0 affect the inspection process onboard?





What benefits have you observed with SIRE 2.0 after 9 months of implementation? (Select all that apply)

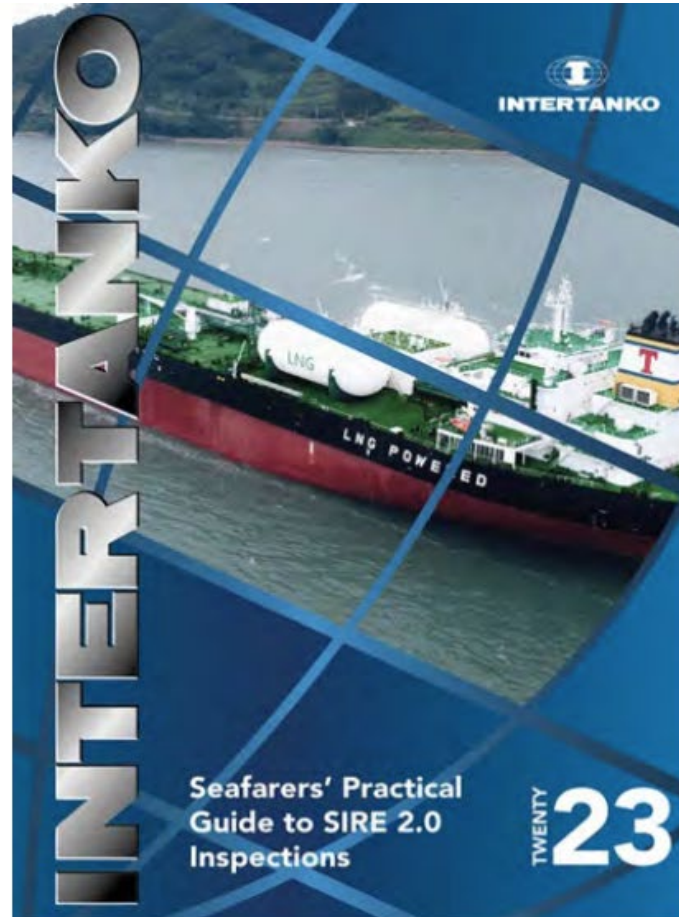
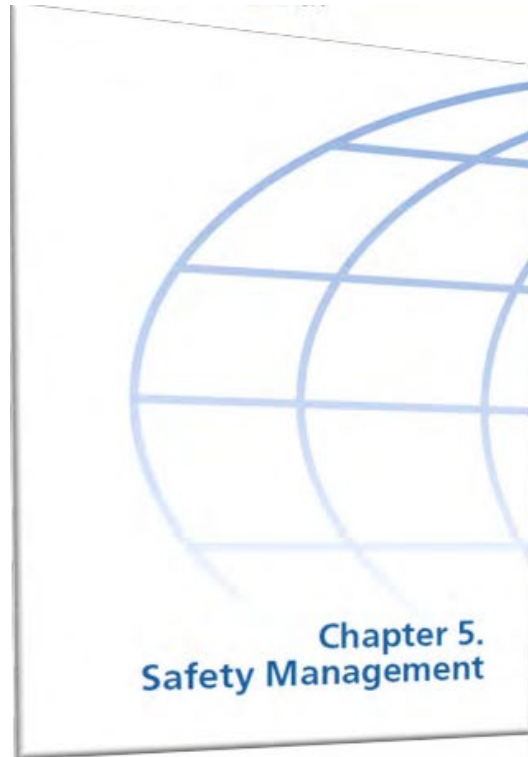


**SIRE 2.0
INTERTANKO
Initiatives**

05



SIRE 2.0 Seafarers' Practical Guide



Emergency Response Plans and Drills

5.1.2. Were the Master and Officers familiar with the shipboard emergency plans for the principal fire scenarios for the vessel type, and had drills taken place to test the effectiveness of the plans in accordance with the company procedures?

Question Category (Hardware-Human-Process)	PIQ	Photograph	Question Type (Core, Rotational 1 or 2)
<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Objective	To ensure that the crew will respond to a fire situation in accordance with the vessel's shipboard emergency response plans.		
ROVIO Sequence	Documentation: Bridge, Cargo Control Room		
Tagged Rank	<input type="checkbox"/> Master <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Deck Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Engine Officers <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Deck Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Engine Officers <input type="checkbox"/> Ratings		
Verification by	Remarks: Chief Officer (Safety Officer)		

Practical Guidelines (5.1.2)

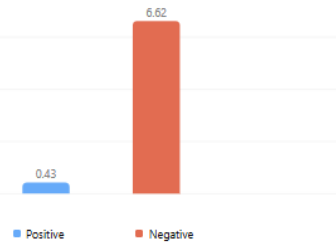
Human	The drill scenarios should be realistic, addressing the equipment which was tested followed by a full evaluation. If more than 25% of crew change is performed, a fire drill should be conducted within 24 hours of sailing port. Inspectors will raise questions to on-shipers to verify their familiarity with their duties during emergency. If drill records are supported by photos, these should be taken with an intrinsically safe camera. Inspector will review work and rest hours records, to verify that drills are recorded as a "work time" activity.
Process	Shipboard emergency response plans for the principal fire scenarios and records of completed drills will be reviewed by the Inspector. Drill status will be crosschecked against vessel activities as recorded within bridge logbook. All emergency response plans for the principal fire scenarios should be carried.
Hardware	Inspectors will ensure that the equipment used during drills that immediately be brought back to its full operational condition and any faults and defects discovered during the drills shall be remedied as soon as possible. An item that usually missing from fireman equipment following a drill is the flashlight. Fire hoses used during the drill should be returned to their position and confirmed that air is in good order. The length of fire hoses in engine rooms should not exceed 10 metres.
TMSA:	KPI 11.1.8 requires that detailed shore emergency response plans, include initial notification procedures and cover all credible emergency scenarios.

Comments/TMS Reference

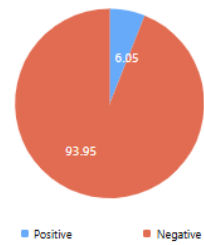
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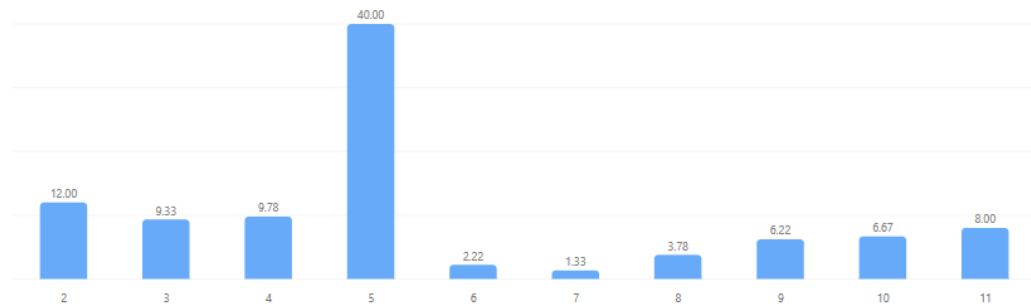
Inspections: Average observations



Inspections: Distribution of observations (%)



Chapters: Distribution of negative observations (%)

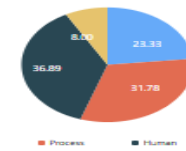


Main KPIs

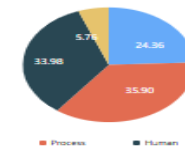
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Distribution of negative observation (%) - My Fleet



Distribution of negative observation (%) - Industry

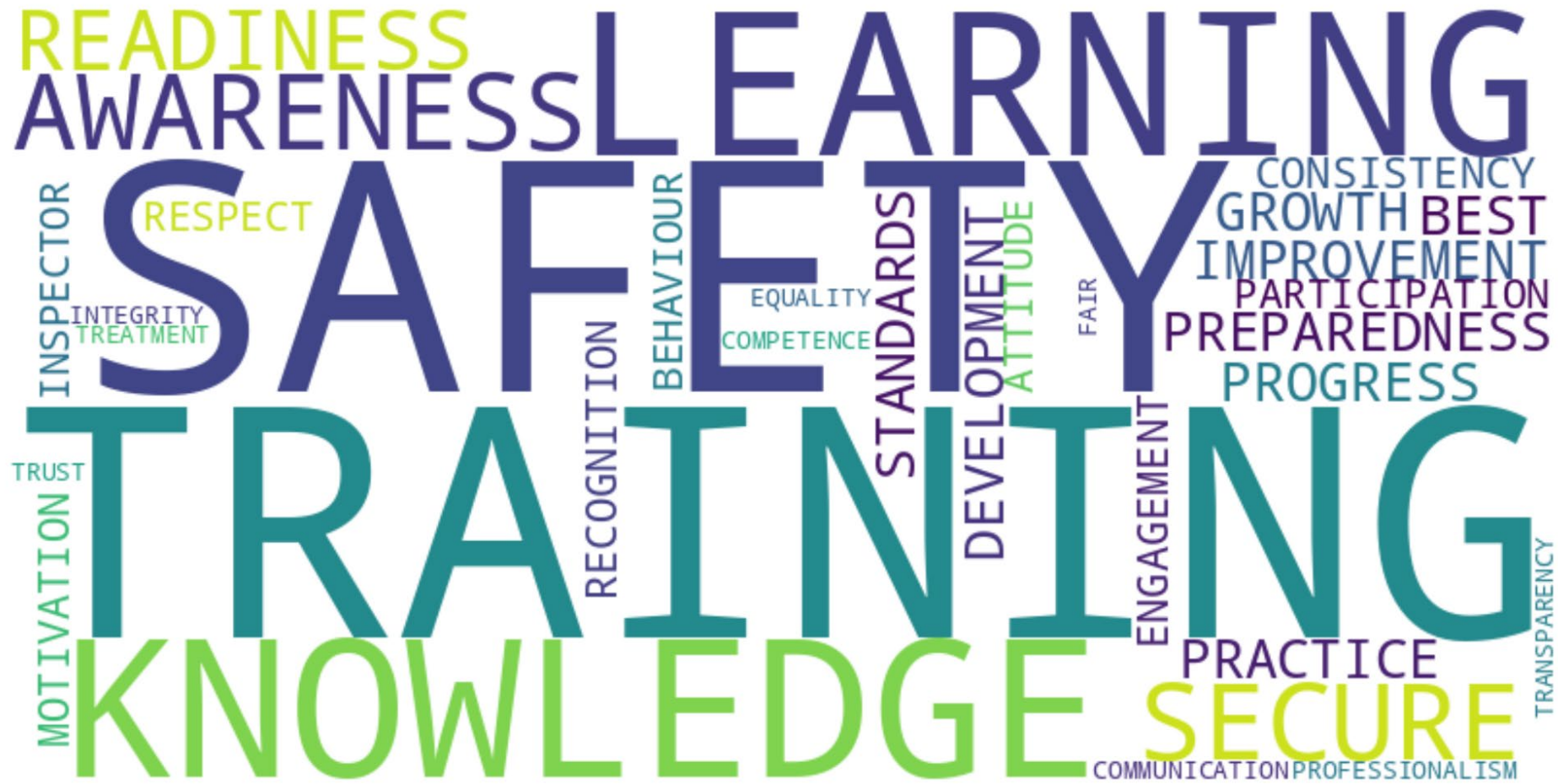


Chapters: Average of positive observations



Chapters: Average of negative observations







Thank you



SIRE 2.0 and Programmes Q&A



Closing Remarks





Thank you

