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EIDE FIGHTER (Norway)

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Listed below are new constructions, renamings, sales, demolitions of tugs, anchorhandlers and offshore supply vessels that recently have taken place.

AUSTRALIA

Transactions:

AHTS vessels *Mermaid Vantage* (2009 – 9552628) and *Mermaid Voyager* (2009 – 9560211) have been sold in 2021 by MMA Offshore Ltd. to Haduco, Vung Tau (VNM) and have been renamed resp. *Hai Duong 55* and *Hai Duong 56*.

Tug *Wambiri* (1986 – 8515518) has been sold in 2021 by Svitzer Australia to Pacific Tug Australia, Victoria Point.

BELGIUM

Transaction:

Tug *St. Annastrand* (1991 – 8915471) has been renamed *VB Baltic* by Boluda Towage Belgium N.V., Antwerp.

Newbuildings:

Tugs *VB Flandes* (2021 – 9809942) and *VB Samba* (2021 – 9809954). ART 80-32 design. Yard: Damen Albwardy, ynr. resp. 571760 and 571761. 495 GT. Dim. 32,90 x 13,20 x 6,40 m. Engines: 3x Caterpillar, 3512C TA/HD+, total: 7.200 bhp. Bollardpull: 80 tonnes, speed: 13 kn. Operator: Boluda Towage Europe.

BENIN

Newbuilding:

Tug *Bio Guerra* (2021 – 9889837). ASD 2813 design. Yard: Damen Song Cam Shipyard, ynr. 513321. 381 GT. Dim. 28,00 x 13,00 x 6,00 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, 3516CTA HD/D, total: 6.772 bhp. Bollardpull: 85 tonnes, speed: 13 kn. Operator: Port Autonome de Cotonou.

BRASIL

Transactions:

AHTS vessels *A.H. Giorgio P* (2008 – 9379014) and *A.H. Valetta* (2010 – 9494618) have been sold in 2021 by Finarge Apoio Maritimo Ltda. to Grupo CBO, Niteroi. AHTS *Bos Turmalina* (2006 – 9329954) has been renamed *Normand Turmalina* in 2021 by Solstad Offshore Ltda, Rio de Janeiro. AHTS *Didi K* (2008 – 9451740) has been sold in 2021 by Cawerty SA to OceanPact Servicos Maritimos, Rio de Janeiro.

Tug *Hydrus* (1998 – 9174036) has been renamed *WS Hydrus* in 2021 by Sobrare Servemar Ltda., Rio de Janeiro. OSV *Mary Frances Candies* (2004 – 9287369) has been sold in 2021 by Seacor Offshore do Brasil to NL Marine Services Inc., St. John (CAN) and has been renamed *Palaimon*. OSV/pipelayer *Top Estrela do Mar* (2014 – 9647552) has been transferred in 2021 by Technip Brasil to Technip UK, Westhill (GBR) and has been renamed *Deep Star*. OSV's *UP Agua-Marinha* (2006 – 9328455), *UP Amber* (2013 – 9443657), *UP Coral* (2013 – 9667239), *UP Diamante* (2007 – 9307619),

UP Esmeralda (2005 – 9307700), *UP Opal* (2014 – 9655494), *UP Pearl* (2013 – 9466099), *UP Rubi* (2009 – 9370621) and *UP Topazio* (2006 – 9307607) have been sold in 2021 by UP Offshore Apoio Maritimo to OceanPact Servicos Maritimos, Rio de Janeiro.

CAMEROUN

Transactions:

AHTS *Henan 110*, ex *SK Line 66 '13*, *Amin Glory '20* (2012 – 9635262) has been sold in 2021 by unknown interests to Henan Al Khaleej Trading Co., Dubai (ARE) without change of name.



WAMBIRI (Australia)

photo: Hansfair



UP CORAL (Brasil)

photo: Jan Plug



TIDAL PIONEER (Canada)

photo: Reinier van de Wetering

AHTS *Weyland Tide* (2012 – 9631606) has been sold in 2021 by Tidewater Marine Int'l. Inc. to Haduco, Vung Tau (VNM) and has been renamed *Hai Duong 36*.

CANADA

Newbuilding:

Utility *Tidal Pioneer* (2021 – 9928425). Eurocarrier 2611 design. Yard: Neptun Shipyards, Aalst (NLD), ynr. NP556. 179 GT. Dim. 24,50 x 11,04 x 3,45 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, C32 Acert, total: 2.638 bhp. Speed: 10 kn. Operator: Sustainable Marine Energy, Dartmouth, NS.

CAYMAN ISLANDS

Transaction:

OSV *Mac Falcon* (2015 – 9709154) has been renamed *Cod Falcon* in 2021 by Stanford Asia Holding Co, Grand Cayman.

CHILE

Newbuilding:

Tug *Saam Palenque* (2021 – 9888974). RAmports 2400-SX design. Yard: Sanmar Denizcilik Makina, Istanbul. 312 GT. Dim. 24,40 x 11,25 x 5,60 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, 3516C, total: 5.710 bhp. Bollardpull: 72 tonnes, speed: 12,5 kn. Operator: Saam Towage Panama Inc., Valparaiso.

CHINA

Transactions:

OSV *Bourbon Liberty 119* (2010 – 9576181) has been sold in 2021 by FM Corporation China Ltd., Hong Kong to Antey LLC, Vladivostok (RUS) and has been renamed *Murman 1*.

AHTS *Hai Jiang 7*, ex *Deep Sea 4 '15*, *Go Perseus '19*, *Boka Perseus '20*, *Go Perseus '21* (2013 – 9495222) has been renamed *De Qiang* in 2021 by Guangzhou Salvage Bureau, Guangdong.

AHTS *Onyx*, ex *Topaz* (2005 – 9339882) has been sold in 2021 by Hafree International Ship Ltd. to Zhejiang Mingde Shipping Co., Zhejiang and has been renamed *Ming De 5001*.

Newbuildings:

AHTS vessels *Dong Nan 07* (2021 – 9720615) and *Dong Nan 09* (2021 – 9720641). Yard: Fujian South East Shipyard, Fuzhou, ynr. resp. AHTS-12 and AHTS-16. 1.960 GT. Dim. 60,00 x 15,80 x 6,50 m. Operator: Fujian Changguan Shipping Co. Ltd. Fuzhou.

AHTS *Dong Nan 11* (2021 – 9720653), Yard: Fujian South East Shipyard, Fuzhou, ynr. AHTS-17. 1.960 GT. Dim. 59,25 x 15,80 x 6,52 m. Operator: Sinoship Maritime Services Co. Ltd., Shanghai.

AHTS vessels *Dong Nan 15* (2021 – 9754549) and *Dong Nan 17* (2021 – 9754551). Yard:



BOURBON LIBERTY 119 (China)

Photo: Jan Plug



Fujian South East Shipyard, Fuzhou, ynr.
resp. FN601-11 and FN601-12. 1.682 GT. Dim.
59,25 x 14,95 x 6,10 m. Operator: Sinoship
Maritime Services Co. Ltd., Shanghai.
AHTS [Dong Nan 19](#) (2021 – 9680451). Yard:
Fujian South East Shipyard, Fuzhou, ynr.
AHTS-7. 1.944 GT. Dim. 60,00 x 15,80 x 6,50
m. Operator: Jiangsu Hailong Wind Power
Techn. Co., Nantong.

COLOMBIA

Transaction:

Tug [Carex](#) (1981 – 8979257) has been sold
in 2021 by unknown interests to Saam SA,
Valparaiso (CHL) without change of name.

DENMARK

Transactions:

OSVs [Wilson Adriatic](#), ex *Viking Dynamic*
'18, *Connector Express* '20 (2002 –
9244568), [Wilson Alboran](#), ex *Normand*
Carrier '17, *Carrier Express* '20 (1996 –
9134531) and [Wilson Arctic](#), ex *Stril Supplier*
'07, *Siem Supplier* '17, *Karadeniz Powership*
Sir Patrick '17, *Notus Express* '20 (1999 –
9186601) have been sold in 2021 by Wilson
Offshore to Northern Offshore Services
A/S, Kastrup and have been renamed
resp. *Northern Ocean*, *Northern Sea* and
Northern Wave.

OSV [Wilson Atlantic](#), ex *Toisa Independent*
'19, *Master Express* '20 (2003 – 9255957) has
been sold by Northern Offshore Services
A/S, Kastrup to the Greek Navy and has
been renamed *Aias*.

Newbuilding:

OSV [Esvagt Alba](#) (2021 – 9878979). Havyard
831L design. Yard: Havyard Leirvik, ynr.
148. 3.830 GT. Dim. 70,50 x 16,60 x 5,50 m.
Total: 2.990 bhp. Speed: 12 kn. Operator:
Esvagt AS, Esbjerg.

EGYPT

Newbuildings:



ESVAGT ALBA (Denmark)

photo: David Dodds

Tugs [Abu Gendya](#) (2021 – 9893723) and
[Hedaya](#) (2021 – 9893711). Yard: Egyptian
Shipbuilding & Repairs, Alexandria, ynr.
resp. 144 and 143. 464 GT. Dim. 31,52 x
11,50 x 4,80 m. Total: 5.220 bhp. Operator:
Damietta Port Authority, Damietta.

ESTONIA

Transaction:

Tug [Thor](#), ex *Thorax* '16 (1993 – 9056789)
has been sold by Alfons Håkans to FFS
Marine AS, Farsund (NOR) and has been
renamed *FFS Arion*.

FRANCE

Transactions:

AHTS vessels [Bourbon Liberty 245](#) (2011
– 9573531), [Bourbon Liberty 249](#) (2011 –
9573579) and [Kernigell](#), ex *Jaya Confidence*
'15, *MMA Confidence* '18 (2010 – 9527489)
have been sold in 2021 by Bourbon
Offshore Surf SAS to Llyr Marine NL B.V.,
Hoofddorp (NLD) and have been renamed
resp. *Skoul Ruz*, *Skoul Glaz* and *Skoul Du*.
CSV [Bourbon Oceanteam 101](#) (2007 –
9382217) has been sold in 2021 by Bourbon
Offshore Surf SAS to SB Submarine Systems

Co. Ltd., Shanghai (CHN) and has been
renamed *Fu Tai*.

GERMANY

Transactions:

Tugs [Axel](#) (1990 – 8918590) and [Carl](#), ex
Atlantic Spruce '97, *Felix* '17 (1995 – 9112739)
have been transferred by J. Johanssen &
Sohn to Fairplay and have been renamed
resp. *Fairplay XVII* and *Fairplay XX*.
OSV [OOC Jaguar](#), ex *OOC Weasel* '11 (2011
– 9513878) has been sold in 2021 by OOC
Opielok Offshore, Hamburg to Global Eka
Marine, Samarinda (IDN) and has been
renamed *Anggrek 601*.
Tug [Parat](#) (1983 – 8128212) has been
transferred in 2021 by Hans Schramm &
Sohn to new founded company Kiel Canal
Towage GmbH., Kiel.

GREECE

Transactions:

AHTS vessels [Colorado](#), ex *SK Line 72* '12,
Vega Corona '21 (2012 – 9651357) and
[Crescendo](#), ex *SK Line 71* '12, *Vega Crusader*
'16 (2012 – 9651345) have been sold in 2021
by TMS Offshore Services Ltd. to Argo SrL.,
Pozzuoli (ITA) and have been renamed
resp. *Eco One* and *Good Wind*.
Tug [Heather I](#), ex *SS3200* '07, *Sea Royal* '09,
C.M. Heather '19 (2007 – 9431927) has been
sold in 2021 by CMI Offshore Marine to
World Carrier Corp., Athens and has been
renamed *Busy Gator*.
AHTS [Jacaranda](#), ex *SK Line 69* '13, *Vega*
Jaanca '16 (2012 – 9651321) has been sold
in 2021 by TMS Offshore Services Ltd. to
Environmental Marine Services, Piraeus and
has been renamed *Aegis*.
AHTS [Jubilee](#) (2012 – 9651307) has been
renamed *Vasileios P* in 2021 by TMS
Offshore Services Ltd., Athens.



BOURBON OCEANTEAM 101 (France)

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OSV *Victor*, ex *Highland Navigator* '20 (2002 – 9239769) has been transferred in 2021 by Shaft Maritime SA to the Greek Navy and has been renamed *Heracles*.

ICELAND

Transaction:

Tug *Togarinn*, ex *Sertosa Dieciocho* '16 (1977 – 7510561) has been sold in 2021 by Skipathjonusta Islands EHF to unknown interests and has been renamed *Dynami*.

INDIA

Transactions:

Tugs *AM Adway*, ex *Dragonet X* '15, AGT 2407 '18 (2009 – 9563081), *AM Alpit*, ex *Drogonet V* '15, AGT 2405 '18 (2009 – 9563079) and *AM Avadh*, ex *Dragonet VI* '15, AGT 2406 '18 (2009 – 9564358) have been renamed resp. *A M Adway*, *A M Alpit* and *A M Avadh* in 2021 by Alphard Maritime Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai.

AHTS *TTT One*, ex *Miclyn Might* '07, *BOA Might* '12, *Sea Diamond XVII* '19 (2006 – 9336634) has been sold in 2021 by Hermes Maritime Services to Blue Water Maritime Shipping, Yemen and has been renamed *Bluewater*.

Newbuilding:

Tug *San Angel* (2020 – 9922718). Yard: San Marine Shipyard, Kakinada, ynr. 1001. 176 GT. Operator: builders account.

Scrapped:

AHTS *Albatross 07*, ex *SCI-07* '89, *Captain F.M. Juvalé* '13 (1986 – 8308513) operated by Albatross Marine Services, Mumbai has been scrapped in August 2021 at Alang.

Tug *Dona Paula II* (1988 – 8606446) operated by Amba Shipping & Logistics Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai has been scrapped in July 2021 at Gadani Beach (PAK).

Tug *Siddhipriya*, ex *Elephanta* '13 (1989 – 8709224) operated by Glory Shipmanagement, Mumbai has been scrapped in 2021 at Mumbai.

AHTS *TAG 7* (2010 – 9379002) operated by Prayati Shipping Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai has been sold for scrap in August 2021.

OSVs *TAG 16*, ex *Weza* '15 (1999 – 9191797), *TAG 17*, ex *Suffolk Supporter* '97, ex *Northern Supporter* '15 (1996 – 9123673), *TAG 18*, ex *Safe Truck* '06, *Highland Trader* '15 (1996 – 9136242), *TAG 20*, ex *Rem Stadt* '16 (1996 – 9126039) and AHTS *TAG 19*, ex *Pacific Banner* '15 (1998 – 9169354) all operated by TAG Offshore Ltd., Mumbai, have been scrapped in July 2021 at Alang. AHTS *Vighnaharta*, ex *SCI-05* '13 (1984 – 8308496) operated by Prayati Shipping Pt.

Ltd., Mumbai has been scrapped in July 2021 at Alang.

INDONESIA

Transactions:

AHTS *Crest Ruby* (2008 – 9541095) has been sold in 2021 by Jawa Tirtamarin PT to Shanghai Qianyou Co. Ltd., Shanghai (CHN) and has been renamed *Qian An*.

Tug *Kumala 01* (2010 – 8353013) has been sold in 2021 by unknown interests to Bahtera Dwiputar Mandiri, Jakarta and has been renamed *Sea Lion 02*.

Newbuildings:

Tug *Daya 38* (2021 – 9928138). Yard: Rajang Maju Shipbuilding, Sibul, ynr. RM86. 176 GT. Dim. 26,00 x 8,00 x 3,66 m. Engines: 2x Yanmar, total: 1.658 bhp. Operator: Daya Bahtera Sumatera PT, Jakarta.

Tug *MTS 50* (2021 – 9921362). Yard: Forward Marine Enterprises, Sibul, ynr. FM-176. 209 GT. Dim. 26,00 x 8,00 x 3,66 m. Engines: 2x Yanmar, total: 1.660 bhp. Operator: Mitra Tujuh Samudra, Batam.

Tug *Liberty 5* (2021 – 9930179). Yard:

Hung Seng Shipbuilding Malaysia, ynr.

71. 267 GT. Dim. 30,00x 8,60 x 4,10 m.

Engines: 2x Mitsubishi, 6SR2-MTK3L,

total: 1.377 bhp. Operator: Bahtera

Energi Samudra Tuah, Jakarta.

Tug *MTS 51* (2021 – 9936434). Yard: Forward

Marine Enterprises, Sibul, ynr. FM-177. 209

GT. Engines: 2x Yanmar, total: 1.658 bhp.

Operator: Mitra Tujuh Samudra, Batam.

Tugs *Tanjung Bahari 37* (2021 – 9922316)

and *Tanjung Bahari 38* (2021 – 9922328).

Yard: Rajang Maju Marine Industries, Sibul,

ynr. resp. RMM0085 and RMM0086. 192

GT. Dim. 24,19 x 8,00 x 3,66 m. Engines:

2x Yanmar, total: 1.658 bhp. Operator:

Tanjung Bahari Perkasa PJ, Jakarta.

Tugs *Transko Dara 3217* (2021 – 9913470)

and *Transko Dara 3218* (2021 – 9913482).

Yard: Bandar Abadi PT, Batam, ynr. resp.

364 and 365. 465 GT. Dim. 33,36 x 10,50

x 4,00 m. Total: 3.200 bhp. Operator:

Pertamina Trans Kontinental, Jakarta.

Tug *Transko Pipit 3204* (2021 – 9909728).

Yard: PT Orela Shipyard, Gresik, ynr. S141.

457 GT. Dim. 32,00 x 10,50 x 5,20 m. Total:



PARAT (Germany)

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DYNAMI (Iceland)

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DONA PAULA II (India)

photo: Sergey Bykov

3.200 bhp. Operator: Pertamina Trans Kontinental, Jakarta.
Tug [Voyager 17](#) (2021 – 9934759) Yard: Hung Seng Shipbuilding, Sibu, ynr. 60. 272 GT. Dim. 27,84 x 8,60 x 4,20 m. Engines: 2x Yanmar, total: 2.400 bhp. Operator: Energi Samudra Logistics PT, Jakarta.

IRAN

Transaction:

OSV [Pishgaman Darya](#), ex *Wes Bordelon '15*, *Barabas '19* (2001 – 9260732) has been

sold in 2021 by unknown interests to Bering Hope LLC, Lockport, LA (USA) and has been renamed *Bering Hope*.

ITALY

Transactions:

AHTS vessels [A.H. Camogli](#) (2008 – 9385398), [A.H. Liguria](#) (2007 – 9381495) and [A.H. Varazze](#), ex *Asso Trentadue* (2014 – 9665566) have been sold in 2021 by Finarge Armamento Genovese SrL. to Grupo CBO (BRA).



A.H. VARAZZE (Italy)

photo: Ruud Zegwaard

Tug [Levante Primo](#) (1977 – 7708003) has been sold in 2021 by unknown interests to Pelagos Net Farma DOO, Biograd na Moru (HRV) and has been renamed *Pelagos V*.
Tug [Sea Dream](#) (2011 – 9560259) has been returned in 2021 by Ocean SrL to Oromare SpA., Genoa.
Tug [Sean Christopher](#), ex *Lombardia '98* (1976 – 7427568) has been sold in 2021 by Oromare SpA, Genoa to West-African interests.

JAPAN

Transactions:

Tug [Kairin Maru](#) (2016 – 9800594) has been sold in 2020 by Akita Tugboat KK to Shibuta Kaiun KK, Hikkaido and has been renamed *Hiroo Maru*.
Tug [Kyoto Maru](#) (2011 – 9644366) has been renamed *Weda KTP 09* in 2021 by Shin-Nippon Kaiyosha, Kanagawa.
Tug [Shinko Maru](#) (1988 – 8894718) has been sold in 2021 by unknown interests to Avega Brothers Int. Ship Corp., Cebu City (PHL) and has been renamed *Liwayway J*.

Newbuildings:

Tug [Ohi Maru](#) (2021 – 9891402). Yard: Kanagawa Zosen KK, Kobe, ynr. 746. 198 GT. Operator: Toko Service KK, Tokyo.
Tug [Tomoe](#) (2021 – 9891414). Yard: Kanagawa Zosen KK. Kobe, ynr. 748. 198 GT. Operator: Hakodate Port Service, Hakodate.
Tug [Yamata Maru](#) (2021 – 9909364) Yard: Kanagawa Zosen KK, Kobe, ynr. 756. 260 GT. Operator: Tokyo Kisen KK, Yokohama.

MALAYSIA

Transactions:

AHTS [Armada Tuah 21](#) (2005 – 93187213) has been sold in 2021 by Bumi Armada Navigation to Marine Assets & Offshore, Accra (GHA) and has been renamed *Galilean 21*.
AHTS vessels [Armada Tuah 24](#) (2006 – 9356828) and [Armada Tuah 25](#) (2008 – 9438456) have been sold in 2021 by Bumi Armada Navigation to Fujian United Ocean Engineering, Xiamen (CHN) and have been renamed resp. *Lian He Hai Gong 5002* and *Lian He Hai Gong 5001*.
AHTS vessels [Armada Tuah 81](#) (2010 – 9502295), [Armada Tuah 82](#) (2009 – 9516894), [Armada Tuah 83](#) (2010 – 9537941) and [Armada Tuah 104](#) (2009 – 9474515) have been sold in 2021 by Bumi Armada Navigation to SinoShip Offshore, Shanghai and have been renamed resp. *Hua Chuan 803*, *Hua Chuan 806*, *Hua Chuan 809* and *Hua Chan 128*.
AHTS [Armada Tuah 101](#) (2007 – 9387293) has



been sold in 2021 by Buma Arma Navigation to Shanghai Sino Shipping Co., Shanghai and has been renamed *Hai Gong 901*.

AHTS *Armada Tuah 105* (2009 – 9502283) and OSVs *Armada Tuah 305* (9627796) and *Armada Tuah 306* (2013 – 9679505) have been sold in 2021 by Bumi Armada Navigation to Haduco, Vung Tau (VNM) and have been renamed resp. *Hai Duong 38*, *Hai Duong 67* and *Hai Duong 66*.

Tug *Jin Hwa 38* (2010 – 9599054) has been sold in 2021 by Gimhwak Enterprises Sdn. Bhd. to Yeun Maan Ship Management, Tapei City (TWN) and has been renamed *High Energy No. 102*.

OSV *Pioneer*, ex *Jaya Pioneer '13*, *IES Pioneer '16* (2011 – 9594169) has been sold in 2021 by Seatec Services Sdn. Bhd. to FTAI Pioneer Singapore Pte. Ltd., Singapore (SGP) without change of name.

Tugs *Salvin Ruby* (2012 – 9676412) and *Salvin Topaz* (2021 – 9676424) have been sold in 2021 by Salvin Far East M Sdn. Bhd. to My Ship Management Brunei Sdn, Belait (BRN) and have been renamed resp. *Mashhor Ruby* and *Mashhor Topaz*.

AHTS Tanjung Dawai (2007 – 9410375) has been sold in 2021 by Icon Ship Management Sdn. Bhd. to Guangzhou Aipu Shipping Co. Ltd., Guangdong (CHN) and has been renamed *Ai Pu 105*.

OSV *Tanjung Piai 1* (2013 – 9651905) has been renamed *Icon Amira* in 2020 by Icon Ship Management Sdn. Bhd., Kuala Lumpur.

Newbuilding:

OSV *Hai Na 782* (2021 – 9750141). Yard: Guangzhou Hangtong Shipbuilding & Repair, Jiangmen (CHN), ynr. HT132216. 3,583 GT. Dim. 78,00 x 18,40 x 6,45 m. Speed: 14 kn. Operator: Coastal Offshore Labuan Pte., Sabah.

MARSHAL ISLANDS

Transactions:

OSV *Sea Heron* (2021 – 9692636) has been



SEAN CHRISTOPHER (Italy)

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sold in 2021 by Sea Heron Shipowning Inc. to CBO NW1 AS, Kristiansand (NOR) and has been renamed *CBO Energy*.

AHTS *Zamil 13*, ex *Zamil 13 '19*, *Amil 13 '20* (2006 – 9367097) has been sold in 2021 by Cleveland Shipping to Leopard Maritime Inc., Panama City (PAN) and has been renamed *Black Leopard*.

MAURITIUS

Transactions:

OSV *Bourbon Liberty 108* (2008 – 9394428) has been renamed *C Apollo* in 2021 by Bourbon Offshore Greenmar Ltd, Bambous. OSV *Bourbon Liberty 121* (2010 – 9581150) has been sold in 2021 by Bourbon Offshore Greenmar Ltd. to Inyanga Tech SAS, Rennes (FRA) and has been renamed *Inyanga Entsha*. AHTS *Bourbon Liberty 251* (2011 – 9573593) has been sold in 2021 by Bourbon Offshore Greenmar to Llyr Marine NL B.V., Hoofddorp (NLD) and has been renamed *Skoul Louet*.

MEXICO

Transactions:

OSV *HOS Deepwater* (1999 – 9221841) has been sold in 2021 by Hornbeck Offshore Services – Mexico to Tagal SA de CV, Villahermosa and has been renamed *Ocean Star*.

OSV *Posh Honesto*, *Trico Moon '11*, *Posh Petrel '12*, *Rodrigo DPJ '14* (2008 – 9410856) has been sold in 2021 by PACC Offshore Mexico SA de CV to Delta Logistics Ltd., Carenage (TTO) and has been renamed *Delta Commodore*.

OSV *Posh Gannet* (2013 – 9671979) has been sold in 2021 by PACC Offshore Mexico SA de CV to Compania de Apoyo Mar. del Golfo SA.

Scrapped:

OSV *GB Balac*, ex *Jamie G '13* (1981 – 8010075) and AHTS *GB Balam*, ex *PBR/305 '85*, *Golden Wolf '90*, *Seabulk Georgia '06*, *Dakotah Bill '13* (1982 – 8123987) operated by Desarrollo Naviero Mexicano, Coyoacan have been sold for scrap in February 2021.





KYOTO MARU (Japan)

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OSV *Posh Galante*, ex *Trico Mystic* '11, *Posh Plover* '12, *Caballo Monocerus* '14 (2008 – 9410868), AHTS vessels *Posh Generoso*, ex *Posh Voyager* '11, *Caballo Scarto* '14 (2008 – 9494321), *Posh Gitano*, ex *MMPL Kestrel* '11, *Don Casiano* '14 (2010 – 9563782) and tug *Posh Gentil*, ex *Posh Verdant* '11, *Caballo Copenhagen* '14 (2010 – 9550230) operated by PACC Offshore Mexico SA de CV, Mexico City have been sold for scrap in 2021. OSV *Sentinel*, ex *Lena Candies* '97, *Trinity Rover* '11 (1978 – 7726249) operated by Blanco Offshore Logistics SA, Ciudad del Carmen has been sold for scrap in January 2021.

THE NETHERLANDS

Transactions:

Tug *Fairmount Glacier* (2006 – 9344796) has been renamed *Boka Glacier* in 2021 by BosKalis Offshore Fleet Management, Papendrecht.

Tug *Hephaistos – Port of Amsterdam 8*, ex *Havendienst 8 – Hephaistos* '13 (2001 – ENI 023.25398) has been sold in 2021 by Verschoor Nautiek, Hardinxveld to Multiship Towage & Salvage B.V., Terneuzen and has been renamed *Multratug 8*.

Pusher *Orient*, ex *Dieuwertje Goedkoop* '80, *Erik* '90, *Aqua-Twin* '00, *Sierick* '07 (1965 – ENI 020.06204) has been sold in 2021 by Orient Duwvaart B.V. to Cunado B.V., Zwijndrecht and has been renamed *Cunado II*.

Tug *Willem-Marie*, ex *Hendrika* '1918, *IJM-490 Hendrika* '1919, *RO-65 Hendrika* '1919, *Lotus* '1921 (1910 - ENI 022.00097) has been sold by mr. W. van IJsseldijk to mr. D. Boekweit, Schiedam and has been

renamed *Hendrika*. She will be converted from motortug back to steamtug again.

Newbuilding:

Tug *Amazona* (2021 – 9873565) ASD 2813 design. Yard: Damen Shipyards, Song Cam, ynr. 513316. 381 GT. Dim. 27,63 x 12,30 x 5,15 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, total: 6.862 bhp. Speed: 13,4 kn. Operator: builders account.

NIGERIA

Transactions:

Tugs *Afrik Macaw*, ex *Lamnalco Macaw* (2007 – 9383170) and *Lamnalco Merlin* (2007 – 9383168) have been sold in 2021 by AfrikDelta Marine Ltd. to Sea Portugal Med Lda., Funchal and have been renamed resp. *Sea Macaw* and *Sea Merlin*.

Tug *Anora*, ex *Borneo Lion* '88, *El Amir* '98, *Amira* '00, *Lamnalco Raven* '06, *Raven* '13

(1986 – 8315633) has been sold in 2020 by Ken-Ben Nigeria Ltd. to Redstar Oil & Gas Ltd., Lagos and has been renamed *Yacine*. Tug *Argo* (1981 – 8102593) has been sold in 2021 by unknown interests to Swets Marine Consultancy, Lagos and has been renamed *Vargo*.

AHTS *Lamnalco Colibri* (2015 – 9319911) has been sold in 2021 by AfrikDelta Marine Ltd. to Joetek Engineering, Effurun and has been renamed *Joetek Krokoghan*.

AHTS *MDPL Asha Deep*, ex *Puterisime 111* '12, ex *Rozali Satu* '12 (2012 – 9578816) has been sold in 2021 by Japaul Oil & Marine Services to Kim Heng Marine & Oilfield Pte., Singapore and has been renamed *Bridgewater 108*.

AHTS *Moyibo II*, ex *Pagenturm* '14 (1983 – 8219839) has been renamed *Arthur* in 2021 by unknown interests.

AHT *Westsea Phoenix*, ex *Hako* '09, *Mawar* '11 (2009 – 9568081) has been sold in 2021 by Fordoaks Royal Services to Vettal Mega Services Ltd., Lagos and has been renamed *Manta Ray 5*.

NORWAY

Transactions:

OSV *Defender* (2019 – 9741279) has been renamed *Island Defender* in 2021 by Island Offshore Management AS, Ulsteinvik. AHTS vessels *Far Searcher* (2007 – 9388950) and *Far Statesman* (2013 – 9631759) have been renamed resp. *Normand Searcher* and *Normand Statesman* in 2021 by Solstad Shipping AS, Skudenshaven.

OSV *Far Spirit* (2007 – 9366811) has been sold in 2021 by Solstad Shipping AS to Wintermar PT, Jakarta (IDN).



ARMADA TUAH 104 (Malaysia)

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AHT *FFS Ares*, ex *Ocean Dahab '10*, *Smit Angola '21* (2010 – 9479694) has been sold in 2021 by FFS Marine to Minres Marine Pte. Ltd., Applecross (AUS) and has been renamed *Ares*.

Utility *Froy Pioneer* (2016 – 9777515) has been sold in 2021 by Froy Akvaersurs AS to Tronds Marine Service AS, Hoylandsbygd and has been renamed *Tronds Flex*.

OSV *Havila Harmony* (2005 – 9343596) has been sold in 2020 by Havila Shipping ASA to OceanPact Servicos Maritimos, Rio de Janeiro (BRA) and has been renamed *Parcel dos Meros*.

AHTS *Normand Progress* (1999 – 9181510) has been sold in 2021 by Solstad Offshore ASA to GSP Offshore SrL, Constanta (ROM) and has been renamed *GSP Vega*.

OSV *North Mariner* (2002 – 9244609) has been sold in 2021 by Tidewater Rederi AS to Interglobal Shipping 3001 Ltd., Tel-Aviv (ISR) and has been renamed *Mariner*.

Research vessel *Ocean Europe* (2008 – 9386550) has been sold in 2021 by Vestland Management AS to EGS Marine Corp., Cebu (PHL) and has been renamed *Ocean Invincible*.

OSV *Ocean Sea*, ex *Smit-Lloyd Fame '05*, *Havila Fame '08*, *Vikland '19* (1995 – 9111759) has been renamed *Sar Fame* in 2021 by Vestland Management AS, Torangsvaag. OSV *Olympic Elena* (2007 – 9367011) has been sold in 2021 by Olympic Shipping AS to Bukser og Berging AS, Lysaker and has been renamed *BB Orca*.

AHTS *Sea Safety*, ex *West Avocet '85*, *Ocean Safe '88*, *Strilbas '07* (1972 – 7129130) has been sold in 2021 by Sea Supply AS to Varanger Seefood AS, Vardo and has been renamed *Barents Sea*.

Newbuilding:

CSOV *Rem Energy* (2021 – 9740732, built in 2015). Havyard 833 WE design (Hybrid vessel). Yard: Green Kleven Verft, ynr. 126. 4.000 GT. Dim. 87,70 x 19,60 x? m. Ordered as *Fafnir Viking*, then *Atlantic Harrier '21*. Prepared zero-emission operation with fuel cells and battery pack of 16,315 bhp.

Scrapped:

AHTS *Eide Fighter*, ex *Smit-Lloyd 115 '98*, *Deepwater Achiever '18*, *Achiever '01*, *Merchantman '05* (1975 – 7412020) operated by Eide Marine Tugs AS, Hoylandsbygd has been scrapped in July 2021 at Esbjerg.

AHTS *Sea Panther*, ex *Maersk Detector '04*, *Billy Joe Ramey '06* (1999 – 9171747) operated by Solstad Shipping AS has been sold for scrap in August 2021.



SALVIN RUBY (Malaysia)

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TANJUNG PIAI 1 (Malaysia)

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PANAMA

Transactions:

OSV *Marks Ocean*, ex *Tropic Tide '93*, *Ahmed II '15*, *Ahmed 2 '19* (1971 – 7121164) has been renamed *Mariners* in 2021 by Marks Marine Services Inc., Panama City.

Tug *VB Punta del Este*, ex *Kitano Maru '98*, *Smit Bahama '10* (1989 – 8821436) has been sold in 2021 by Monteverde Compania Naviera S.A. to Fewel S.A., Montevideo (URY) and has been renamed *Punta Fewell*. OSV *Wisconsin*, ex *Seabulk Wisconsin '19* (1998 – 9195523) has been sold in 2021 by International Marine Supply to HNO Mirlo Corp, Panama City and has been renamed *Hermano Mirlo*.

ROMANIA

Transaction:

OSV *GSP Licorn*, ex *Caledonian Vigilance '21* (2005 – 9329930) has been sold in 2021 by GSP Offshore SrL to Optic Marine

Maintenance Ltd., Labuan (MYS) and has been renamed *Cable Vigilance*.

Scrapped:

AHTS *GSP Licorn*, ex *Licorn '08* (1995 – 9083172) operated by GSP Offshore SrL., Constanta has been sold for scrap in August 2021.

RUSSIA

Transactions:

AHTS *Evay* (2010 – 9571002) has been sold in 2020 by Femco-Management Ltd. to Tan Cang Offshore Services JSC, Ho Chi Min City (VNM) and has been renamed *TC Evay*. AHTS *Gandurinski*, ex *Drill Fish '98* (1982 – 8102074) has been sold in 2020 by Global-Flot ooo to Uni-Tanker Group Ltd., Astrakhan and has been renamed *Mikhail Shnayderman*. AHTS *Komulan* (2010 – 9570993) has been sold in 2021 by Femco-Management Ltd. to Progressive Marine Technology, St. Petersburg and has been renamed *TC Komulan*.



Tug *Mustang* (2009 – 9555383) has been sold in 2021 by Superstroy XXI LLC to IPPO Maritime Ltd., Nicosia (CYP) without change of name.

Tug *Odissey* (1980 – 8102579) has been sold in 2021 by Moreservis Ltd. to Khatanga Maritime Port Trade, Khatanga without change of name.

AHTS *Onyx Mahshahr*, ex *Aldoma* '89, *Finn Aldoma* '90, *Aldoma* '15 (1983 – 8213378) has been sold in 2021 by Arktikmorneftegazrazvedka OJSC to Baili Shipping & Trading Ltd., Hong Kong (CHN) and has been renamed *Aldoma*.

SAUDI ARABIA

Transaction:

AHTS *Rawabi 14* (2013 – 9661508) has been renamed *Vallianz Emerald* in 2021 by Rawabi Vallianz Offshore Services, Al-Khubar.

SINGAPORE

Transactions:

AHTS *Bayu Mallard*, ex *Lewek Mallard* '16 (2007 – 9419395) has been sold in 2021 by Emas Offshore Services to Malaysian interests and has been renamed *Ruyie Tuo 3*.

AHT *Britoil 58* (2004 – 9336309) has been sold in 2021 by Britoil Offshore Services to Marine Capabilities Marcap LLC, Abu Dhabi (ARE) and has been renamed *Marcap Shine*.

OSV *Constructor 1*, ex *Olympic Boa* '16, *Olympic Athene* '16, *Seabed Constructor* '20, *Pacific Constructor* '21 (2014 – 9682148) has been sold in 2021 by Thome Offshore Management to Dong Fang Offshore Co. Ltd., Taichung City (TWN) and has been renamed *Orient Constructor*.

OSV *Emerald Sea*, ex *Maersk Defender* '06 (1996 – 9131163) has been sold in 2020 by McDermott Asia Pacific Pte. Ltd. to Selat

Marine Services Co. LLC, Sharjah (ARE) and has been renamed *C 100*.

AHTS *Ena Frontier*, ex *Toisa Envoy* '19 (2013 – 9427055) has been sold in 2021 by Eastern Navigation Pte. Ltd. to African Marine Solutions Invt, Cape Town (ZAF) and has been renamed *Umkhuseli*.

AHTS *Kathy K* (2009 – 9444118) has been sold in 2021 by RK Offshore Ship Management to Berlitz Offshore Ltd. and has been renamed *Bes Energy*.

AHTS *Lewek Ebony* (2007 – 9423877) has been sold in 2021 by Emas Offshore Services to Hermes Maritime Services, Mumbai (IND) and has been renamed *Vision*.

AHTS *Lewek Stork* (2006 – 9354947) has been renamed *JP88 Stork* in 2021 by Emas Offshore Services.

AHTS *Miclyn Grace* (2009 – 9535955) has been sold in 2021 by Miclyn Express Offshore Pte. to Bintang Samudera Sdn. Bhd., Sarawak (MYS) and has been renamed *M Grace*.

AHTS *Miclyn Grand* (2009 – 9535967) has been sold in 2021 by Miclyn Express Offshore Pte. to Team Shipping Co. LLC, Dubai (ARE) and has been renamed *TSC Kamyar*.

AHTS *MMA Almighty*, ex *Jaya Almighty* '16, *MMA Almighty* '18, *Hai Duong 11* '19 (2010 – 9582207) has been sold in 2021 by MMA Offshore Asia Pte. Ltd. to Oceanindo Prima Sarana PT, Jakarta (IDN) and has been renamed *OPS Aqeela*.

AHTS *Pacific Warlock* (2003 – 9250048) has been sold in 2021 by Swire Pacific Offshore Ops. to Allianz Middle East Ship Management, Abu Dhabi (ARE) and has been renamed *Allianz Warlock*.

AHTS *Pacific Wyvern* (2003 – 9270622) has been sold in 2021 by Swire Pacific Offshore Ops. to Hermes Maritime Services Pvt., Mumbai (IND) and has been renamed *Aquaman*.

AHTS *Posh Resolve* (2011 – 9587910) has been sold in 2021 by POSH Fleet Services Pte. Ltd. to Guangzhou Salvage Bureau, Guangdong (CHN).

AHTS *Sea Sovereign* (2006 – 9376139) has been sold in 2020 by Gulfmark Asia Pte. Ltd. to Trinity Offshore Pte. Ltd., Singapore and has been renamed *Geo Sovereign*.

OSV *Sea W*, ex *Sea Witch* '21 (2008 – 9392975) has been sold in 2021 by Deep Sea Supply Management to Blue Whale Maritime Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai (IND) and has been renamed *Sagar Energy*.

Tug *STI T1*, ex *Wm Matahari Satu* '10 (2004 – 9335006) has been sold in 2021 by Seahorse Heavy Trans. Pte. Ltd. to Daewoo



MULTRATUG 8 (The Netherlands)

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ARES (Norway)

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E&C Co. Ltd., Busan (KOR) and has been renamed *DWT-10*.

AHTS *Swissco Synergy* (2011 – 9616474) has been sold in 2021 by Swissco Offshore Pte. Ltd. to Ofco Offshore Support, Abu Dhabi (ARE) and has been renamed *Ofco Synergy*. AHTS *Swiwar Surya*, ex *Swiwar Crusader* '11, *Swiwar Surya* '15, *Tan Cang 66* '17 (2010 – 9555400) has been sold in 2021 by Swiwar Offshore Pte. Ltd. to SKOSV Sdn. Bhd., Kuala Lumpur (MYS) and has been renamed *SK Pioneer*.

AHT *Teras Ariel* (2013 – 9659971) has been sold in 2021 by Teras Offshore Pte. Ltd. to Echo Cargo & Shipping LLC, Dubai (ARE) and has been renamed *ES Ariel*.

Newbuildings:

Tugs *IMS Adam 101* (2021 – 9762388) and *IMS Adam 102* (2021 – 9762390). Yard: Guangzhou Nansha Xinghua Shipyard, Guangzhou (CHN), ynr. resp. BF-2257 and BF-2258. 489 GT. Dim. 32,00 x 12,80 x 5,48 m. Operator: PM Coast Maritime S. Pte. Ltd. Tug *Infiniti Virtus* (2021 – 9942469). Yard: Forward Marine Enterprises, Sibul, ynr. FM-180. 209 GT. Dim. 24,40 x 8,00 x 3,65 m. Engines: 2x Yanmar, total: 1.658 bhp. Operator: Infiniti Marine Pte. Ltd., Singapore. Tug *MV Oritselaju 20* (2021 – 9778234) Yard: Guangdong Bonny Fair Heavy Ind., Guangzhou, ynr. BF-2255. 489 GT. Dim. 32,00 x 11,00 x 5,60 m. Engines: 2x Niigata, total: 4.994 bhp. Operator: Greenbay Marine Pte. Ltd., Singapore, Tug *Winning Pioneer 55* (2021 – 9910583). Yard: Berjaya Dockyard, Sibul, bnr. SBJ515. 298 GT. Dim. 30,00 x 8,60 x 4,20 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, total: 2.432 bhp. Speed: 12 kn. Operator: Winning Int'l Group, Singapore.

Scrapped:

AHTS *IK Merdeka*, ex *Neftegaz 7* '95, *Whalley Supporter* '96, *Geofjord* '08, *Cava* '10, *Offshore Intervention* '12 (1984 – 8313922) operated by Baltic Ship Management Pte. Ltd., Singapore has been sold for scrap in 2021.

SOUTH AFRICA

Transactions:

AHTS *GS Libra* (2020 – 9721205, launched as *OSV Grace*) has been sold in 2020 by Marine Bulk Carriers to Stratos Vessel Sdn Bhd, Kuala Lumpur (MYS) and has been renamed *Keyfield Grace*.

Tug *Umzumbe*, ex *Otto Buhr* '98 (1982 – 8119780) has been sold in 2020 by Portnet Dredging Services to Ce Phas Creations, Port Elizabeth, without change of name.

SOUTH KOREA

Transaction:

Art.pushtug *Zenith Jump*, ex *Shoshin Maru* '04 (2001 – 8971293) has been renamed *Won Jin 7* in 2021 by Kumjin Shipping Co. Ltd., Busan.

SPAIN

Transaction:

Utility *Aitana B* (2016 – 9776169) has been sold in 2021 by Zumaia Offshore SL to Van Wijngaarden Marine Services B.V. (NLD) and has been renamed *Waalstroom*.

Scrapped:

Tug *A. Gaudi* (1974 – 7330002) operated by

SA de Trabajos y Obras has been scrapped in July 2021 at Vigo.

SWITZERLAND

Transaction:

OSV *Sardis* (2008 – 9416903) has been sold in 2021 by ABC Maritime AG to Ageo Marine Sdn. Bhd., Kuala Lumpur (MYS) and has been renamed *Java Irdina*.

TAIWAN

Transactions:

Tugs *Sky 401*, ex *Union 9* '09 (1997 – 9120188) and *Sky 501*, ex *Trafalgar* '06, *Adsteam Trafalgar* '07, *Smit Trafalgar* '09 (1998 –



DEFENDER (Norway)

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NORMAND STATESMAN (Norway)

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SAR FAME (Norway)

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9174593) have been sold in 2021 by Smit Kueen Yang to Yu Pin Shipping, Kaohsiung. Sky 501 has been renamed Yu Fu No. 569.

THAILAND

Transactions:

Tug [Tarua 114](#) (1986 – 8706519) has been sold in 2020 by Port Authority of Thailand to JC Marine Service Co. Ltd., Chon Bun and has been renamed *JC Marine 50*.

Tugs [Tarua 204](#) (1991 – 9005663) and [Tarua 205](#) (1991 – 9005675) have been sold in 2020 by Port Authority of Thailand to Sriracha Tugboat Co. Ltd., Chon Bun and have been renamed resp. *Sriracha 40* and *Sriracha 41*. Tug [The Neptune](#) (1980 – 8007755) has been sold in 2021 by Surattahni Dockyard Co. to SC Management Co. Ltd., Bangkok and has been renamed *RS 42*.

TURKEY

Transaction:

Tug [Sanmar Terminal XXIII](#) (2019 – 9803821) has been sold in 2021 by Sanmar Denizcilik Makina to MedTug SA, Sines (PRT) and has been renamed *Med Antares*.

Newbuildings:

Tug [Bozcay VI](#) (2021 – 9898826). Yard: Sanmar Denizcilik Makina, Tuzla, ynr. 204. 120 GT. Dim. 18,28 x 8,20 x 3,80. Total: 2.363 bhp. Operator: builders account. Tug [Icdas-7](#) (2021-9913353). Yard: Icdas Celik Enerji Tersana ve Ulasim, Biga, ynr. 29. 345 GT. Dim. 23,94 x 11,80 x 4,60 m. Total: 5.120 bhp. Operator: builders account. Tug [Kurtarma 15](#) (2021 – 9915040). RAsstar 2900SX design. Yard: Sanmar Denizcilik Makina, Istanbul, ynr. 157. 495 GT. Dim. 29,40 x 13,30 x 5,50 m. Engines: 2x MTU, 16V 4000 M37L, total: 7.340 bhp. Bollardpull: 91,4 tonnes, speed: 14,5 kn. Operator: Directorate General of Coastal Safety. Tug [Yenicay XII](#) (2021 – 9908968). RAsstar 1800 design. Yard: Sanmar Denizcilik Makina, Tuzla, ynr. 171. 146 GT. Dim. 18,07 x 9,20 x 3,50 m. Operator: builders account.

UKRAINE

Transaction:

OSV [Eagle Frontier](#), ex *Maersk Frontier* '18(1992 – 9034767) has been sold in 2021 by Eagle Shipping Ltd. to Alliance LLC, St. Petersburg (RUS) and has been renamed *Rubin*.

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

Transactions:

AHTS [Al Hoot](#), ex *Viking Seahorse* '03 (1983 – 8207549) has been sold in 2020 by Hoot Al Bahar Petroleum to Ashraf Al Shareef Petroleum, Dubai and has been renamed *Gratitude*.

Tug [Al Hamra Challenger](#) (1983 – 8353324) has been sold in 2021 by unknown interests to Paradigm Marine & Technical, Mumbai (IND) and has been renamed *Hamra Challenger*.

Utility [Artemis Star](#) (2011 – 9612820) has been sold in 2021 by Allianz Middle East Shipping to Tender Service Scheveningen B.V. – Den Haag (NLD) and has been renamed *Estrella*.

AHTS [Hamzeh](#) (2011 – 9601053) has been sold in 2021 by Gulf Glory Marine Services LLC to FLB Marine & Offshore Inc., Dubai and has been renamed *Alvaro*.

OSV [NMS 203](#) (1982 – 7915761) has been sold in 2021 by Adnoc Logistics & Services to Orient Oil Co. LLC, Sharjah and has been renamed *Khaled VIII*.

AHTS [Seabulk Grant](#) (2008 – 9407794) has been sold in 2021 by Seacor Offshore Dubai

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LLC to OceanPact Servicos Maritimos, Rio de Janeiro (BRA) and has been renamed *Parcel Manoel Luis*.

AHTS *Swissco Opal* (2013 – 9683166) has been sold in 2021 by Selat Marine Services Co. LLC to Alpha Logistics Services Eps, Mombasa (KEN) and has been renamed *Aylah 1*.

AHTS *Zain*, ex *Union Leo '90*, *Arab Leo '05* (1983 – 8303769) has been renamed *S S Victory* in 2021 by Whitesea Shipping & Supply LLC, Sharjah.

Newbuilding:

Tug *Med XXXV* (2021 – 9898890).

RAMparts 2300-MM design. Yard: Eregli Shipyard, ynr. ER79. 290 GT. Dim. 23,00 x 10,90 x 4,40 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, 3512C. Operator: Abu Dhabi Ports.

Scrapped:

Tug *Darwish 4*, ex *MMB 330 '7*, *Britoil 18 '00*, *Seaways 2 '12*, *Ocean Caspian 1 '17* (1999 – 8814328) operated by Westin General Trading LLC, Dubai has been scrapped in May 2021 at Gadani Beach (PAK).

Tug *Indusbank* (1969 – 6818708) operated by Smit Lamnalco Ltd., Sharjah has been scrapped in summer 2021 at Curacao (ANT).

AHTS *Intercom I*, ex *Dearborn 203 '75*, *Banda Seahorse '98*, *Stanford Prince '12*, *Ocean Prince '14*, *MNG Endeavour '16*, *Sea Amber '21* (1974 – 7390430) operated by Emerald Shipping Management, Ajman has been scrapped in June 2021 at Gadani Beach (PAK).

OSV *Stand Supplier*, ex *Ted Martin '81*, *Argos '01*, *Stanford Supplier '12* (1977 – 7726316) operated by Global Marine Ship Management & Ops., Dubai has been sold for scrap in January 2021.



SEA SAFETY (Norway)

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UNITED KINGDOM

Transactions:

Tug *Balaban*, ex *Jaya Valiant '97*, *Sarah Corrina '01*, *Lamnalco Harrier '17* (1996 – 9142746) has been sold in 2020 by Cubbert Business LP to 2 E Dinizcilik Sanayi Tic AS, Istanbul (TUR) and has been renamed *Palovit*.

Tug *DMS Condor*, ex *Shoalworker '01*, *Camperduin '04* (2001 – 9251987) has been sold in 2021 by MarineCo Ltd. to Jenkins Marine Ltd., Poole without change of name. OSV *Grampian Explorer* (2003 – 9223473) has been transferred in 2021 by North Star Shipping to Boston Putford Offshore Safety, Lowestoft without change of name. She will be converted into ERRV.

Tug *MarineCo Ashanti*, ex *Kilp '08* (2005 – 9319636) has been sold in 2021 by

MarineCo UK Ltd. to Wulf Seetransporte GmbH, Cuxhaven (DEU) and has been renamed *Ashanti*.

Utility *MarineCo Hathi* (2008 – 9479723) has been sold in 2021 by MarineCo UK Ltd. to Acta Marine B.V., Den Helder (NLD) and has been renamed *Coastal Bruiser*.

Tug *Oxcar* (1978 – 7703065) has been sold in 2021 by Forth Estuary Towage Ltd. to Carmet Tugs and has been renamed *CT Oxton*.

Tug *Princeton*, ex *Alex Falck '04*, *Kapitan Engler '04* (1965 – 6606117) has been sold in 2021 by Griffin Towage Ltd. to unknown interests for conversion into a yacht.

OSV *Standard Olympus*, ex *Olympus '19* (2014 – 9703526) has been sold in 2021 by Fletcher Shipping to Aquaship AS, Kristiansand (NOR) and has been renamed *Grip Explorer*.

OSV's *Toisa Resolute* (2021 – 9777307) and *Toisa Reveille* (2021 – 9777319) have been sold in 2021 by Sealion Shipping Ltd. to Tianjin Sino Ocean Qingwu No. 1, Tianjin (CHN) and have been renamed resp. *Guo Hai Min An* and *Guo Hai Min Kang*.

Scrapped:

SSSVs *VOS Protector*, ex *Cam Protector '95*, *Viking Protector '07* (1983 – 8215455) and *VOS Sentinel*, ex *Sentinel Maria '87*, *Cam Sentinel '95*, *Viking Sentinel '03* (1982 – 9121410) operated by Vroon Offshore Services Ltd., Aberdeen have been scrapped in July 2021 at Esbjerg (DNK).

UNITED STATES

Transactions:

OSV *Bourbon* (2004 – 9315513) has been sold in 2021 by Tidewater Marine LLC to NFE Vessel Management LLC, New York, NY and has been renamed *NFE Clean Energy*.



GSP LICORN (Romania)

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Tugs *Bulwark* (1976 – 7507409) and *Stalwart* (1976 – 7507382) have been sold in 2021 by Crowley Marine Services Inc. to Marine Service Int'l Inc., Seattle, WA and have been renamed resp. *Bulwark I* and *Stalwart II*. Pushertug *Dana Cruz* (2010 – 9592769) has been sold in 2021 by Foss Maritime Co LLC to unknown American interests.

OSV *Ensco Conqueror* (1981 – 8353336) has been renamed *Lori G* in 2021 by Guilbeau Marine Inc., Golden Meadow, LA.

OSV *Grady Fagan* (1998 – 9205108) has been sold in 2021 by unknown interests to Blue Marlin LLC, Port O'Connor, TX and has been renamed *Capt. Woodrow*.

OSV *Grand Slam* (2007 – 9382308) has been sold in 2021 by Gulfmark Americas Inc. to Python Engineering Co., Warri (NGA) and has been renamed *MV Python 202*.

OSVs *Harvey Pacer*, ex *Claire M. Callais '13* (2003 – 9297747) and *Harvey Spur*, ex *Gloria B. Callais '13* (2003 – 8980701) have been renamed resp. *Gol Worker* and *Gol Power* in 2021 by Harvey Gulf Marine LLC, New Orleans, LA.

OSV *HOS Super H* (1998 – 9206683) has been sold in 2021 by Hornbeck Offshore Operators to VLB Shipping & Brokerage, British Virgin Islands and has been renamed *Lady Keish*.

OSV *Ingrid* (2009 – 9529889) has been renamed *Doug* in 2021 by Galliano Marine Services LLC, Cut Off, LA.

OSV *Keri Candies* (2006 – 9257357) has been sold in 2021 by Otto Candies LLC to NL Marine Services Inc., St. Johns (CAN) and has been renamed *Dantzig*.

AHTS *Mansour Tide*, ex *Sanko Crocus '10* (2009 – 9412933) has been sold in 2021 by Tidewater Marine LLC to Sinoshipping Logistics HK Co., Houston, TX without change of name.

DSV *Ocean Inspector* (2004 – 8987888) has been sold in 2021 by Oceaneering International Inc. to STS Maritima SpA, Vina del Mar (CHL) and has been renamed *STS Poseidon*.

OSV *Roseanna*, ex *Cheramie Bo-Truc No. 32 '03* (1978 – 7914482) has been sold in 2020 by Kevin Gros Offshore Service to Germaine Pakanolice Shipping, Miami, FL and has been renamed *Germaine*.

OSV *Ryan Chouest*, ex *Conrad Bruckmann '95* (1995 – 9137040) has been renamed *Petrus* in 2021 by Edison Chouest Offshore, Cut Off, LA. She will be converted into a superyacht with a maximum budget of \$ 30m.

OSV *St. Louis* (2005 – 9285304) has been sold in 2021 by Tidewater Marine LLC to

NFE Vessel Management LLC, New York, NY and has been renamed *NFE Sustainability*. OSV *Triton Patriot*, ex *Red Beard '81*, *Tidal Seahorse '94*, *Offshore Pacific '96*, *Sea Fox '10* (1973 – 7332050) has been sold in 2021 by Triton Diving Services LLC to Khushiyaal Dat., Georgetown (GUY) and has been renamed *Marine Patriot*.

Newbuildings:

Tug *Apollo* (2021 – USCG 1313793). Yard: Diversified Marine Inc, Portland, OR, ynr. 43. Dim. 23,47 x 12,19 x 4,26. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, 3512-E, total: 6.000 bhp.

Bollardpull: 94 tonnes. Operator: Crowley Maritime Corp., San Francisco.

Towboat *Adrienne M. Moore* (2021 – USCG 130709). Yard: Main Iron Works LLC, Houma, LA, ynr. 469. 196 GT. Dim. 23,77 x 9,75 x 3,04 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, C32, total: 1.600 bhp. Operator: Ingram Marine

Group, New Orleans, LA.

Towboat *Gianna Hull* (2021 – USCG 1309468). Yard: Metal Shark, Bayou La Battre, ynr. 102. Dim. 36,57 x 10,66 x 7 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, total: 4.000 bhp. Operator: Florida Marine Transporters Inc. Mandeville, LA.

Towboat *Jared Phillips* (2021 – USCG 1302323). Yard: FMT Shipyard & Repair LLC, ynr. 105. Dim. 37,18 x 10,36 x 3,65 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar 3516, total: 4.200 bhp. Operator: Parker Towing Company, Tuscaloosa, AL.

Towboat *Olive Parker* (2021 – USCG 1310861). Yard: C&C Marine and Repair, Bele Chasse, LA, ynr. UR-NB8. 550 GT, Dim. 44,95 x 10,36 x 3,32 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, 3516B, total: 4.400 bhp. Operator: Parker Towing Company, Tuscaloosa, AL.



ODISSEY (Russia)

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PACIFIC WARLOCK (Singapore)

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TERAS ARIEL (Singapore)

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Towboat [Rock Hall](#) (2021 – USCG 1294623). Yard: Chesapeake Shipbuilding & Naval Architects, ynr. 132. Dim. 28,65 x 10,36 x 3,20 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar 3512, total: 3.000 bhp. Operator: Vane Brothers Company, Baltimore, MD.

OSV [Seacor Tarahumara](#) (2021 – 9903097). Yard: Master Boat Builders, Coden, AL, ynr. 452. 1.634 GT. Dim. 67,36 x 14,63 x 5,48 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, 3512C-HD, total: 3.874 bhp. Speed: 14 kn. Operator: Seacor Marine LLC, Houston, TX.

Tug [Tom Cornwell](#) (2021 – USCG 1307050).

Yard: Main Iron Works LLC, Houma, LA, ynr. 470. 196 GT. Dim. 23,77 x 9,75 x 3,04 m. Engines: 2x Caterpillar, C32, total: 2.000 bhp. Operator: Ingram Marine Group, Nashville, TN.

Scrapped:

OSVs [Broussard Tide](#) (2003 – 9273519) and [Fortier Tide](#) (2003 – 9291822) operated by Tidewater Marine LLC have been sold for scrap in 2018.

OSV [Triton Freedom](#), ex *San Patricio* '95, *Lincoln* '96, *Andrea Martin* '89, *Andie* '90, OMS *Patricio* '92, *Salem River* '96, *Gulf*

Diver V '09 (1974 – 7366893) operated by Triton Diving Services LLC, Metairie, LA has been sold for scrap in 2021.

VENEZUELA

Transaction:

AHTS [Mamut I](#), ex *Petroman Norseman* '91, *Pike* '98, *Isla Coronado* '09 (1982 – 8216368) has been renamed *Capitan Picardi* in 2021 by Servipica, Guanta.

VIETNAM

Transactions:

AHTS [Pacific Vung Tau](#), ex *Reynaldo Tide* '18 (2010 – 9586942) has been sold in 2021 by Seahorse Marine & Energy JSC to Tan Cang Offshore Services JSC, Ho Chi Min City and has been renamed *Tan Cang 63*.

AHTS [Tan Cang 63](#), ex *Armada Tuah 9* '14 (2002 – 9292352) has been sold in 2021 by Tan Cang Offshore Services JSC to Ningbo Chenyang Maritime, Zhejiang (CHN) and has been renamed *Chen Yang 9*.

Scrapped:

AHTS vessels [Sea Meadow 08](#), ex *Randfonn* '93, *Normand Trym* '08, *Fivel* '15 (1984 – 8309933) and [Sea Meadow 09](#), ex *Polar Titan* '92, *Viking Titan* '00, *Troms Titan* '04, *Normand Titan* '08, *Eems* '15 (1985 – 8401420) operated by Haduco have been sold for scrap in 2021.



ORITSELAJU 20 (Singapore)

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YEMEN

Scrapped:

Tug *Al-Ghadeer* (1985 – 8421688) operated by Aden Refinery Co., Aden has been scrapped in April 2021 at Gadani Beach (PAK).

Additions to previous editions:

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UNITED STATES

OSVs *Jermaine Gibson*, ex *Slap Shot* '12 (2008 – 9382334) and *Touchdown* (2008 – 9382281) have been sold in 2020 by Gulfmark Americas Inc. to Python Engineering (NGA) and have been renamed resp. *Python 203* and *Python 204*.

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NORWAY

OSV *Skandi Buchan* (2002 – 9263514) has been sold in 2021 by DOF Management AS to Gardline Shipping Ltd., Great Yarmouth (GBR) and has been renamed *Horizon Geodiscovery*.

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DENMARK

OSV *Wilson Aegean*, ex *Skandi Marstein* '17, *Eurus Express* '20 (1996 – 9122978) has been sold in 2021 by World Marine Offshore A/S to Antey LLC, Vladivostok (RUS) and has been renamed *Arctic*. She will be converted for the aquaculture sector.

UNITED STATES

OSV *Paul W. Murrill* (2002 – 9281396) has been sold in 2020 by Laborde Marine Management LLC to Ocean Guardian Holding, Seattle, WA and has been renamed *Ocean Valour*.

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GERMANY

Tug *Vorwärts*, ex *Soloven* '01 (1955 – MMSI 211173930) operated by H. Schramm & Sohn GmbH, Brunsbüttel has been scrapped in July 2021 at Grenaa (DNK).

NORWAY

AHTS vessels *Skandi Pacific* (2011 – 9447653) and *Skandi Saigon* (2011 – 9447641) have been transferred in 2021 by Skandi Management AS for 26 months bareboat charter to OceanPact Servicos Maritimos SA, Rio de Janeiro (BRA), as part of the agreements, forward sale of the vessels has been agreed whereby OceanPact shall purchase the vessels at the end of the charter period. Have been renamed resp. *Richedo de Sao Pedro* and *Richedo de Sao Paulo*.



ESTRELLA (Emirates)

photo: Willem Koper

Tug *Vortex* (2010 – 9525508) has been sold in 2021 by Østensjø Rederi AS to Panfido, Venice (ITA) and has been renamed *Vita C*.

UNITED KINGDOM

Tug *TTMS Viking*, ex *Bargarth* '09, *Tennaherdhya* '17 (1966 – 6611083) has been sold in 2021 by TTM Services UK Ltd. to Eastern Marine Services Ltd., Lowestoft and will be renamed *Anglian Viking*.

Regarding the sale of tug *Este* (1973 – 7302873) the editors received following reaction. We were misled by our sources and would like to apologise for the mistake. Dear Sir's, I kindly would like to draw your intention to our tug BOCK. Obviously something has been mixed up leading to spreading false information about selling and buying and I do not know from where you have obtained such wrong idea. We have bought and renamed our tug BOCK in 2013, ex ESTE, internally from owners. My

owner bought her via VEBEG from German Government, ex Spring. So, nothing to do with Geeste, Midgard and no connection at all with Grimsby Ltd. Kindly take a note. Mit freundlichen Grüßen / Best Regards Mario Hey.

Request:

In case you have changed your email-address, please let us know and send an email to wwtugosvnews@gmail.com

Sources: Chris Gee, Equasis, Jasiu van Haarlem, Marcon Int'l, Ko Rusman, Seabrokers Group, Shipbreaking (Robin des Bois), Shipping News Clippings, Tugboat Information.com, Tugs Towing & Offshore Newsletter, World Ship Society, Zeebrief – Scheepsfotoruilbeurs and several internetsites.

Note:

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TARUA 204 (Thailand)

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