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ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT INNOVATION

- Damen continuously invests in environmentally relevant product innovations.
- Damen's designers and developers are investigating possibilities to contribute to a new generation of cleaner ships.
- Continuous aim is directed at optimising the energy efficiency without losing performance and reliability.
- Damen has won several awards proving its commitment to the upgrading of our products.

ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT DESIGN

- Damen is continuously working on designs which offer our clients the best compromise between optimal performances and minimal environmental impact.
- We consider the Lifecycle Perspective during the design of our products using sustainable resources, to minimise the environmental impact during the processes.
- Primary and secondary systems are chosen taking into consideration the applicable local environmental laws and conscientiously associated to particular designed hull shapes to provide our clients with the most energy efficient solution.
- Our design team is always available for customers to discuss any wishes regarding environmental friendly solutions.

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The management of Damen Shipyards Gorinchem is committed to ensure continuous improvement of our products and production methods with the objective to reduce our environmental impact.

Being aware that the products we make represent the largest impact on our environment, Damen is duly focusing on optimising its design, and constantly working on environmentally relevant product innovations. Damen is committed to its stakeholders needs and requirements of Environmentally Sustainability.

In addition, we have taken progressive actions to reduce the environmental impacts of our facilities and bring awareness to our employees in relation to every day's activities.



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CHIEF PRODUCTS OFFICER

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ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT BUILDING PROCESS

- Damen is committed to ensure building processes are executed with minimal environmental impact.
- Damen meets at least all local environmental laws and requirements on our local building locations.
- Damen commits itself to apply Damen Code of Conduct. Best practices are applied to our own building process worldwide.
- Investments are made to reduce environmental effects and create safe conditions for our employees and surroundings.
- We advocate adoption of prudent environmental practice by all our subcontractors and suppliers.

ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT PRODUCT USE

- Damen's commitment to work for a better environment doesn't stop with the handover of a finished product. Our Services department is ready to offer our client total life support.
- The training department can provide training for an optimal use of the ship, a proper handling and discarding of hazardous and polluting substances, prevention of emergency situations and disaster prevention.
- We also offer overhaul services, to assure the ability to safely perform activities in respect of local environmental laws or requirement and reduce environmental impact.

ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT RECYCLING

- Damen recognises that optimal recycling starts in the design phase, with a careful selection of components, and continues until the production is completed, with a conscious choice of materials.
- Damen will (in the near future) apply the green passport on all product ranges, for an optimal traceability of used hazardous materials, which enables easier recycling.
- Our Service department can also give a "second life" to your fleet.

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