



Kvarken Link's New Ferry Project - Towards the Future

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PRESENTATION CONTENT

- 1. New Kvarken Link's ferry building place
- 2. Why Ferry Innovations coming from Finland?
- 3. NB 6002 Wasaline Ferry
- 4. Technology Trends
- 5. How new technologies are implement in NB6002 Wasaline Ferry?
- 6. Conclusions



Newbuilding 6002 for Wasaline – Rauma Marine Constructions Oy





RMC Focus product niches

Car-/Passenger Ferries



- ✓ Obvious need for a fleet renewal in Northern Europe ferry market
- ✓ Well segmented and competitive market considered as RMC's greatest potential





Renewal of the ageing Finnish icebreaker fleet. Governmental target execution prior to 2029
 Polar activities, commercial and strategic, increases the need for professional ice operations especially in Arctic regions

Navy Vessels (Finnish Navy)



Squadron 2020 corvettes for the Finnish Navy is the focus project, as well as the SQ2000 Mid Life Upgrade
 Defence co-operation between Finland and Sweden is a potential incentive for RMC in way of security of supplies

Research and Special Vessels



- ✓ Research and Supply Vessels for harsh conditions is a segment where RMC's knowledge profile can add value
- ✓ National interests and a capability to integrate with those in way of academic research and industrial cooperation opens the potential

Opportunistic Floating Structures



- ✓ New developing segment covering all kind of floating structures such as power stations, recreational or real-estate buildings
- ✓ Growing urban population in larger centres demands an utilisation of water areas for construction



Finland – Leader in RoPax and Ferry Development

Continous and Complete Value Chain

	Actor	Task	Speciality
OPERATION	Tallink – Silja Wasaline Eckerö Line Internat. Operators	Operation in Baltic areas Tourist cruising Goods transportation International links 	 Climate and conditions Management Navigation Skills
DESIGN CONSTRUCTION MAINTENANCE	Rauma Marine Constructions	 RoPax ships Design Engineering & Construction Modification Maintenance 	 Traditions, Experience Naval Architecture Skilful network Competitive cost structure
RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT	Aalto University Business Finland RMC and network	Innovation Ground Applied Science Model Tests Analysis for the Industry 	 Data Base Top Level Know How Network Environment Impact Understanding
EDUCATION AUTHORITIES	Aalto University SAMK Maritime Schools	 Naval Architecture+Navigation Ph.D. degrees Master degrees Officer and Seafarer Education 	 Traditions Knowledge Facilities and Functionalities



Newbuilding 6002 for Wasaline



TECHNOLOGY

- Dual Fuel with LNG as primary energy source
 Possibility to use bio-LNG
- Electric Propulsion Drive with Azimuth Thruster Units
- Battery Power for Port entry/departure, Peak Shaving, Hotel Load and Boost Power
- Energy recovery and Environmental footprint in focus
- Ice Class 1A Super
- Passenger and Crew Comfort

MAIN DIMENSIONS		CAPACITIES	
Loa	150.0 m	Passengers	800
Lwl	137.8 m	Lane metres	1500
Beam mld.	26.0 m	Cabins	68
Draught, Design	6.10 m	Speed	20 kn
Gross Tonnage, about	24 300	Public Decks	2 (Restaurants, Business Lounge,
Deadweight, Design abt.	3 500 t		Family Cafeteria, Shop,Conference)
Max. persons onboard (LSA)	1 000	Route:	Vasa – Umeå (Bothnian Corridor Service)



Newbuilding 6002 for Wasaline – Schedule

Production start	9 / 2019
Keel laying	2 / 2020
Launching	8 / 2020
Delivery	4 / 2021



Newbuilding 6002 for Wasaline – Towards the Future

- Hybrid solutions
 - Dual fuel system (LNG & MGO) & Battery systems
 - Hybrid propulsion.
- Electric propulsion
 - Increase fuel economy
 - Longer maintenance intervals
- Energy efficiency
 - Hull form
 - Energy recovery systems
 - Turn around time in harbors
- Automation & autonomous
 - higher reliability of components and sub systems → increase safety level onboard
 - Higher automation level \rightarrow ship complexity increase
- Emission
 - Zero emission operations in harbor.
 - Emission limits.

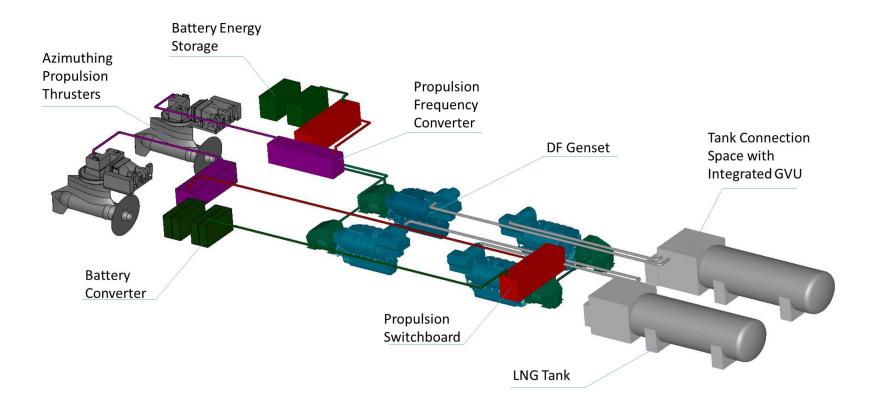


Newbuilding 6002 for Wasaline – Developed hull design

- CFD optimized hull form
 - Reduce the hull resistance in open water → reduce installed engine power and fuel consumption
 - Reduce the hull resistance in ice → good ice breaking capability and better fuel economy in ice condition.
 - Optimized hull form for Vaasa & Umeå sea state.
- In Future
 - Using CFD calcutaion method will increase all the time
 - How to modelling ice dynamic in CFD?



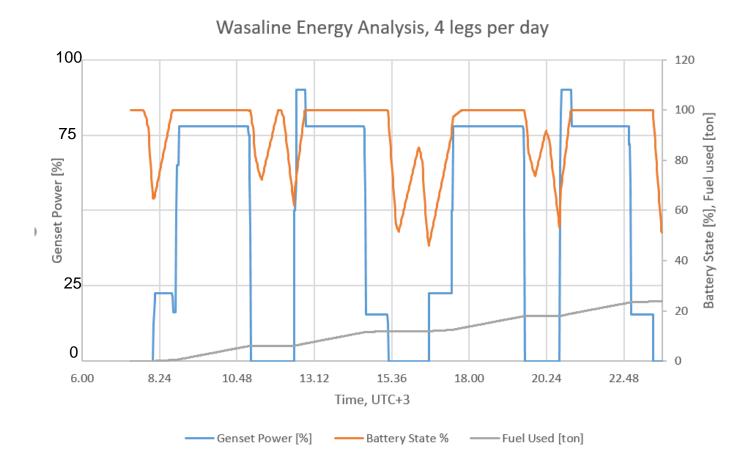
Newbuilding 6002 for Wasaline – Energy Solution and Power Transmision





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Newbuilding 6002 for Wasaline – Power Demand and Energy Consumption





Newbuilding 6002 for Wasaline – Manoeuvrability and Battery Operation

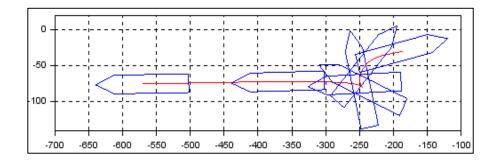
In-house code for:

- Power demand
- Energy expenditure
- Manoeuvring time in port
- Comparing propulsion options

Further development ongoing



Departure, Vaasa







Newbuilding 6002 for Wasaline – Emission comparison

• Emissions will reduce extremely by using new technologies

Emission	Diesel Mechanical	LNG Electric
SOx,	X ton/year	-100 %
NOx,	X ton/year	-80 %
PM,	X ton/year	-98 %
CO ₂	X ton/year	-25 %



Intelligent – Shipbuilding – Technology

- Increased automation in modern ships have created new weak points in the overall performance of the ships
 - increased instability in integration due to software mal functions
- Autonomous ships' R&D-efforts will give a higher reliability of components and sub systems
 - by extension an increased safety
- Mission based development of future ships will ensure deeper technology understanding
 - theoretical knowledge supported with experience and deep understanding
- Talent and well educated people will contribute to keep continuity in the shipping value chain
 - a guarantee for the sustainability education research development shipbuilding operation



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