

## Marine Fuel Cells and the Water-Go-Round

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# The growth of shipping means drastic cuts in emissions are required to meet the targets = Zero Emission





From: Third IMO GHG Study 2014

### **Commercial Benefits of Zero**

- Higher revenue and Lower total cost of ownership
- Fuel price certainty
- Less complicated on-board systems with less frequent and simpler maintenance
- Low noise, no exhaust = happier customers
- Green marketing = more customers
- Win public contracts





### Maritime Fuel Cell (MarFC) Project



codes and standar







• Port of Honolulu, Hawaii

Sandia National

Laboratories

- U.S. DOE's FC Office and the U.S. DOT's Maritime Administration funded
- FC Unit replaces diesel generators providing auxiliary power on board to ships at berth
- Four 30-kW fuel cells (Total 100 kWnet), power-conversion equipment and 75 kg of on-board hydrogen storage

• Enough energy to power 10 refrigerated containers for 20 continuous hours of operation http://www.lydrogenics.com/about-the-company/news-updates/2015/09/01/nothing-but-water-hydrogen-fuel-celfprovide-renewable-power-to-honolulu-port GOLDEN GATE



### National "Conditional Approval In Principle" for Zero/V

### Nov. 1, 2017



Statement of Approval in Principle 2017.11.01

### STATEMENT OF CONDITIONAL APPROVAL IN PRINCIPLE

Glosten/Sandia National Laboratories Zero-V Hydrogen Research Vessel

This is to certify that Zero-V Hydrogen Research Vessel is granted Conditional Approval In Principle (CAIP).

The approval is based on the prospective DNVGL Rules for Classification of Ships Pt. 6 Ch. 2

Sec. 3 - Fuel Cell Ship Installations - FC (01-2018 edition), IGF Code - International code of

safety for ships using gases or other low-flashpoint fuels, Part A.

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Acknowledging that the current regulatory status does not allow for a conventional approval of hydrogen as fuel and fuel cells on maritime applications, this CAIP is a precursor to the more extensive alternative design process as described by the applicable statutory instruments.

No deviations have been identified that would be considered to be major show-stoppers from a regulatory point of view, given the available information in the design drawings in Appendix 2. Compliance with/clarifications of comments in Appendix 1 is a condition for the Approval in Principle, but comments need not be clarified/solved at this stage of the project.

Classification and Certification of specific installations may be granted subject to plan approval and survey as specified by the Rules, findings in future HAZIDS, risk assessments, explosion analysis etc.



10 x 180 kW hydrogen fuel Power cell racks VESSEL PARTICULARS – PROPULSION 2 x 500 kW PM motors Propulsion Bow Thruster 500 kW, retractable Gas Ventazimuthing Stern Thrusters 2 x 500 kW tunnel Propellers Wake-adapted fixed pitch Rudders High-lift LH<sub>2</sub> Tanks 2 x 28,800 gal type C LH2 Storage Tanks -Meteorological Instrument Mast — Bunker Station -2001

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Legal information

https://share-ng.sandia.gov/news/resources/news\_releases/hydrogen\_boat/ http://energy.sandia.gov/transportation-energy/hydrogen/market-transformation/maritime-fuel-cells/

### Sandia National Laboratories Next Step for the MarFC 100 kW FC Container









MarFC 100 kW FC Container

Planned location for the MarFC

Nimitz Marine Facility

*R/V Robert Gordon Sproul* docked at Nimitz Marine Facility

- The Scripps Institute of Oceanography (SIO) to use the MarFC unit to provide shore power for the Research Vessel (R/V) Robert Gordon Sproul
- While in Port, the vessel requires 480 VAC 3-phase shore power 24 hours per day.
- The MarFC unit is currently being refitted for 480 VAC
- Deployment scheduled for 6 months Starting ~ 10/1/2019

# Marine hydrogen fuel cell systems can use off-the-shelf technology





Enhydra









### Water-Go-Round

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- Aluminum catamaran
- 70′ / 21 m LOA
- 84 passenger (reconfigurable)
- 22 knot top speed
- 2x 300 kW electric motors
- 360 kW PEM fuel cell
- 100 kWh Li-ion battery
- H<sub>2</sub>: 242 kg @ 250 bar

### The WGR project is a partnership



### **Funding & Administration**



# Cost-Sharing Partners BAY Street Image: Street<



# The WGR will be on the water in Fall 2019 and will operate for at least 3 months in trials for CARB

Planned uses during the trial:

- Commuter ferry
- Excursion/tour boat
- Research/survey vessel
- Package/freight delivery
- Crew boat



After the project concludes, the vessel will enter commercial service (TBD)



### The fueling will look like today's operation with diesel



California's Office of Spill Prevention and Response (OSPR) has exempted hydrogen fueling from the insurance requirements imposed on diesel fueling







### Water-Go-Round Features









Roof windows and bow observation deck to create a fantastic viewing experience



### HyPM<sup>™</sup>-R120 Fuel Cell Power Rack









120 kW

240 kW + 1 more rack = 360 kW for the WGR

## Keel laying ceremony (Nov. 8, 2018)





## **End of April**





## End of May







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