

Ship Sim

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Your first port of call for the latest virtual shipping news

From the Bridge returns

The "From the Bridge" page returns with a new user in the spotlight as well as a new spot the difference quiz.



No job too big or small...

Reviewing the New Horizons
vessel Agile Solution.

 **Latest POTM
winner**

 **Ship review: Multipurpose ship
Agile Solution**

 **New real life pictures of ships around
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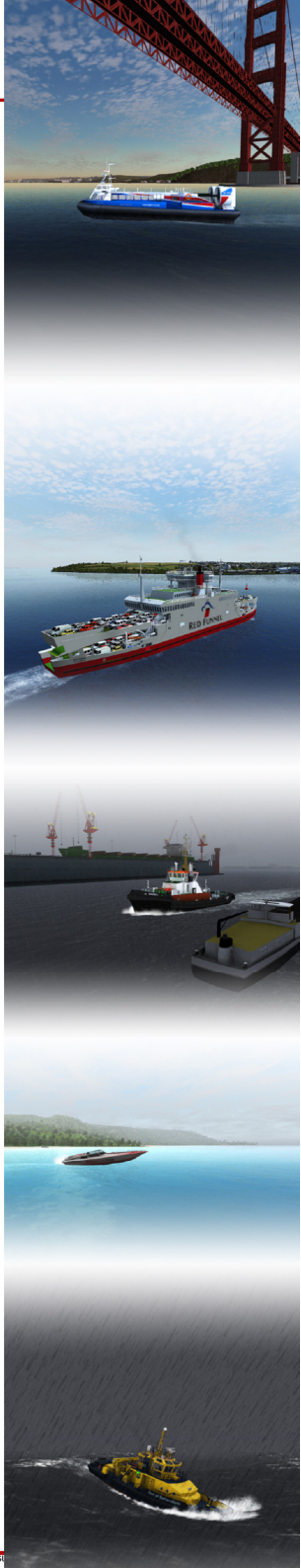
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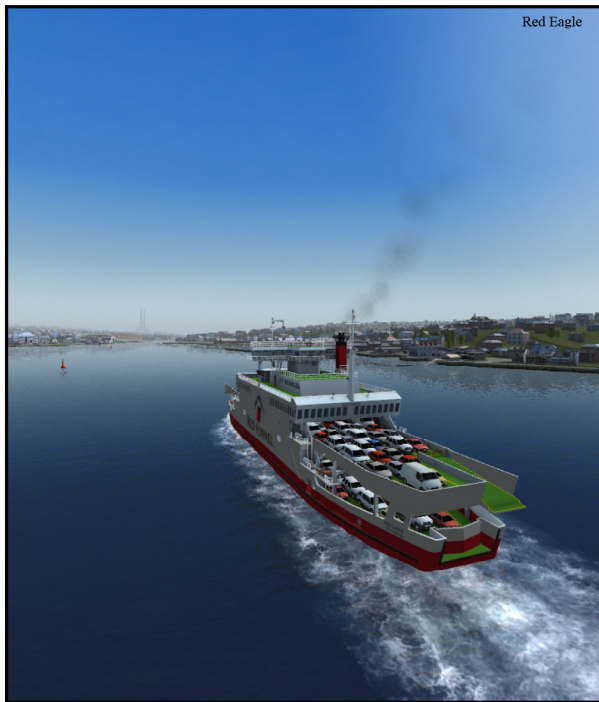
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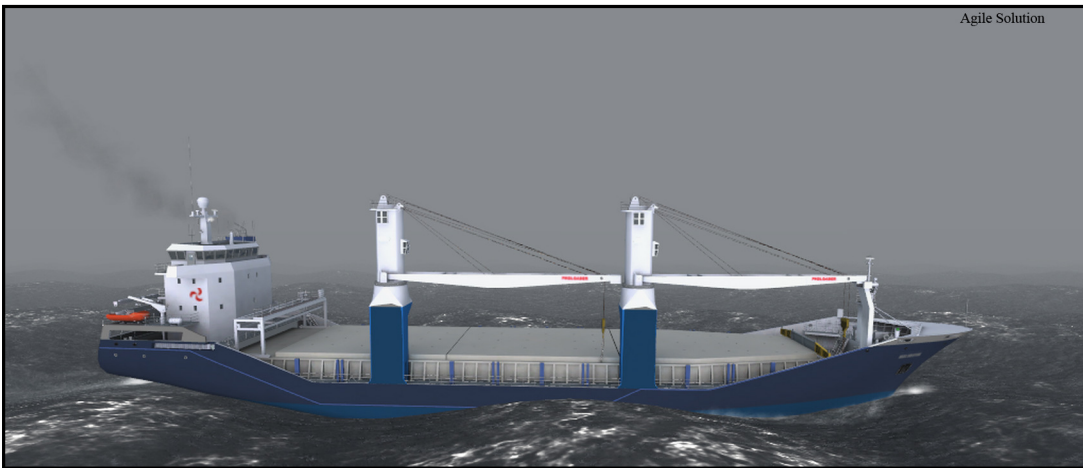
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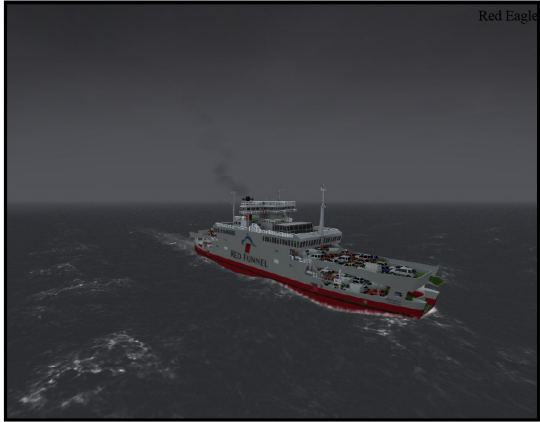
Agile Solution



Marbella Delight



Red Eagle



Ocean Star



Transferring a pilot



competitions

Welcome to the competitions page!

Here you will find all sorts of competitions, from quizzes to “guess the ship”.

Why not try the new word search?

Ship Quiz

- What does “GRT” mean?
- How old is the Deo Volente?
- What is the gross tonnage of the Furie?
- What is the beam of Jumbo Javelin?
- Is Elbe included in New Horizons or on the Shipyard as a separate vessel?

Nautical Term of the Month

Abel Brown

Guess the Ship

Look at the picture, can you guess the name of the ship, when she was built and her operator?



Word Search

Y K Y V C B J D S Z K D F J N
F Z M J L I Q H O F E Y H I D
J F E D A P E C E P Y B N E O
L Z G M J R I A V W N T C S H
V Z E W P L G F J D Z Z Q D T
Z E I A B R Q H I N O K F I O
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Z F R R S Z V S I T C T V W N
H C K I T Y I R I N W A J G G
H A Z O C S O I S E K A L E X
D J Q A Q X I K J E R J X B X
H A R S E I L L E T N E L O S
E T Z Y S H E C H W T Y O Y H
I P M X T L R H E W R V A C X

Send your answers to any of the above questions in an email to shipsimmag@googlemail.com Winners will be mentioned in next month's competitions page.



CONGRATULATIONS!
To May's POTM Winner
Aad the Pirate



EDITOR'S CHOICE



Agile Solution

By ShipAddict

The Agile Solution made its first appearance in Ship Simulator when the SS06 add-on was first released. It has since been included in New Horizons as well as being sold independently on the Shipyard.

The 3D model is a replica of the “Deo Volente” owned by Hartman Seatrade. Deo Volente was handed over to her owners in December 2006 and is a multipurpose vessel allowing her to

undertake heavy lift operations as well as the ability to transport containers and other cargos.

Hartman Seatrade aim to make the ship stand out from other vessels of similar capability with her high speed of 18 knots, compared to about 12 knots that similar ships of her size travel at. The aim behind this was to try and reduce passage time on crossings and deliver goods to destinations quicker.

The owners also take the comfort and well being of Deo Volente’s crew seriously by providing a swimming pool (which

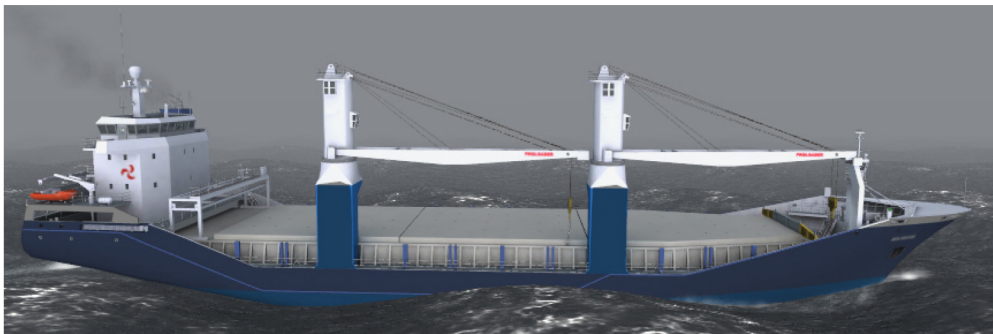
doubles up as a car garage in winter!), large cabins as well as other amenities. The ship is also automated in many ways, including an integrated pilot ladder, one-handle closing systems on doors etc. The ship also has an ice strengthened hull and a slim lined bow along with closed forecastle in order to keep sailing at a decent speed in bad weather.

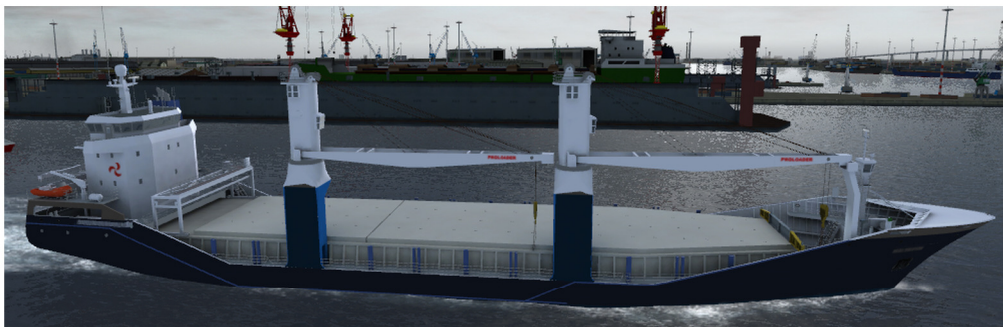
Freight handling

The ship has one large hold providing 4850m³ of space that can be used to store containers along with other cargos. The hold is securely

covered by 10 box like hatch covers that are fully weather tight. On her main deck two large cranes are situated which when combined can handle up to 240 tons. Each crane is capable of lifting 81 tons at 24 meters and 120 tons at 16 meters.

In game, many of the features mentioned above have been modelled. The 3D model itself is one of the most detailed models in the game giving including a relatively high detailed bridge and external model. (Bollards, ladders etc).





Like the real ship Agile Solution makes use of a bow thruster that enhances manoeuvrability within port. She is a very manoeuvrable vessel meaning she can easily fit into tight spots within an environment. Her bridge gives good clear views over the deck and fore-castle as well as a clear view astern. With her single propeller she is capable of achieving anything up to 20 knots in a rela-

tively short amount of time. Agile Solution is a popular ship on multiplayer and can often be seen in various environments. Many players enjoy sailing her down to the North entrance in

Marseille and then docking in the basin. Some players also choose to make their way through the port either to the South entrance or from the South entrance.

In conclusion, Agile Solution is a valuable addition to the game and is well worth purchasing for those who have not already!



ShipSim Magazine *Needs you!*

We are constantly looking for new people to contribute to the magazine. Every month we need new people to write content.

Some content is only as little as 3 paragraphs! So getting involved couldn't be easier.

We need volunteers in order for ShipSim Magazine to continue to grow. We are also happy to organise articles several months in advance if you can't do anything for the next issue.

If you'd like to help in any way please send an email to:

shipsimmag@googlemail.com

All questions and queries should also be sent to the same address.

All help is much appreciated!

last month's quiz answers

Congratulations to Dave16nl for guessing last month's guess the ship correctly

Ship Quiz

Question:

1. 314m
2. 22,542 GRT
3. Elephant
4. 36m
5. New Horizons

Guess the Ship

Tallin's Superstar.

Nautical Term

"Beaufort Scale"

The scale that describes wind speed.

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- Vessel in Focus
- Competitions page
- *And much more!*

Stena Hollandica

An account of travelling on
the new super ferry for Stena Line.

ShipSim Magazine Issue 11 will be
available from the 28th July.

Any information in this box may
change.

FROM THE BRIDGE

Spot the *difference!*



USER IN THE SPOTLIGHT

MV Esperanza

Hey there Ship Sim Community, I'm MV Esperanza or some people call me Devin. I've been with ship simulator pretty much from the beginning starting with SS06 and finally moving on to SS08, I remember walking through a shopping center when a Ship Simulator Title caught my eye. I was very much into Flight Simulator and Thought I would give it a go... So I got SS06 fairly quickly since Christmas was around the corner like 2 weeks away and I popped it into my computer and played for hours although I did get bored quickly of doing Missions so I decided to back away for awhile! Then than 2 years later the New Instalment was in. SS08 had arrived and there was a big jump to the New Forum and the

New Game, I registered for the Forum in May of 07, (My profile won't say that but We all know why) Anyway then I started getting into the Forum and actually using my forum account, I got into the forum and found myself on the forum more than playing SS, then came my Gaming computer where I finally got SS08 to work in outstanding Performance with everything on high and no lagging at all. On the Forum I have contributed to new on SSE and even to starting my own virtual company Greenpeace Virtual the success of the VC has taken off since I have made improvements to the company! Over the Years of Being at SS I have become in love with many ships until one ship has been on my mind 24-

7 and she's still driving me insane on how much I want to captain her The MV Esperanza as my username has come to be. When I started SS08 all I could think about was Ocean Star this Ocean Star that I found myself trying to draw the thing 5 times a day now that has changed to a different ship that has done a better thing with the world the MV Esperanza is Eco Ship that helps the worlds oceans and I just cant wait tell Extremes comes out so I can sail the thing already, Now I found myself drawing a new ship The MV Esperanza and now I just wait tell the release of SSE! I have also found that saving the whales is a good part of contributing the worlds oceans. I had my mind set on Going to Mar-

itime College to get my degree in Maritime Transportation to be an Officer on Tugs Large ship and Ferries when I told my dad he was like that's it you want to work on a cruise ship and do the something over and over again tell I found out about Greenpeace and what they do and their ships which one I fell in love with I told my dad and he said that that he really liked the idea of actually doing something to make a difference on a Ship like stopping illegal Whaling or Fishing or even saving the Worlds Rainforest, so once I leave High School I want to go to Cal Maritime. To follow my goal in Maritime Transportation! But for now I'll be playing SS with this Great Community!

notices

Looking for artists

ShipSim Magazine is looking for someone to carry on the "Old Nick and Bernard" cartoon series featured in the magazine. If you are interested please send an email to shipsimmag@googlemail.com.

ShipSim News Page

The ShipSim News page will not go ahead due to no interest from the community.

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The official ShipSim Magazine competition - the winners!

VSTEP have selected 3 winning slogans. Congratulations to the winners, a copy of Ship Simulator Extremes will be on its way in August!

Slogan 1: Discover the Sea on Your PC

Slogan 2: So real, you need to wipe the salt off your screen!

Slogan 3: Raise the anchor and sim away

Thanks to all who entered!

server information

Below is information on various custom servers open to players. It gives information on who runs the server, and when it's generally open. Servers marked with a * require New Horizons.

IRI5HJ4CK's Towing Service Official Server (Marseille) *

This is the official IJTS server. www.ijts.co.uk

Emails are sent out with up to date information on the IJTS server.

Viking Tug Company Server 1 (Marseille) *

One of three Viking Tug Company servers

Hosted by TJK normally runs 24/7 except for short periods for daily maintenance.

Viking Tug Company Server 2

Second of the three Viking Tug Company servers

Hosted by TJK normally runs 24/7 except for short periods for daily maintenance.

CALLING ALL SERVER HOSTS!

If you host a server and would like to let people know about it please send ShipAddict a message. We'd be more than happy to advertise your server here.

events

IJTS Server

The IRI5HJ4CK's towing service server is now back online for the foreseeable future. It normally runs on Friday evenings and through out the weekend.

www.ijts.co.uk for details.

Regular Multiplayer Meetings

Check the billboard topic at the top of the Media board for up-to-date information on server meetings.



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IRI5HJ4CK's Towing Service

Steam allows players to enrich their in-game experience, by providing an overlay which allows you to surf the internet, chat with friends and see the latest news. I (McGherkin) have created a Ship Simulator Group, and am looking for someone to host a server every weekend. If you are interested, you can PM me on the SS forum, join the Steam group at <http://steamcommunity.com/groups/ShipSimulator> and comment there, or email me at McGherkinstudios@hotmail.co.uk

Hope to see you soon! **McGherkin**

The IRI5HJ4CK Towing Company (IJTS) was the official "Brand" Name, given to the daily occurrence of towing which would occur, most often, in Marseille.

The IJTS' Community was set up to help "Multiplayer Thursday" again - And our success has been tremendous, with our Online Server (which is kindly hosted by our friend Captain Marc), being physically full at periods.

We would love for you to be part of our community - You can "Join the Crew" Here: www.ijts.co.uk

Thankyou!
IRI5HJ4CK & The Team