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ABB Propulsion Products for Main Propulsion and Thrusters



Azipod[®] - The most environmental friendly propulsion system



- Azimuthing electric propulsion and thruster system
- Electric motor is inside a submerged pod
- Speed controlled fixed pitch propeller
- Propulsion module can be rotated 360 degrees around its vertical axis
- Azipod[®] is a registered trade mark of ABB



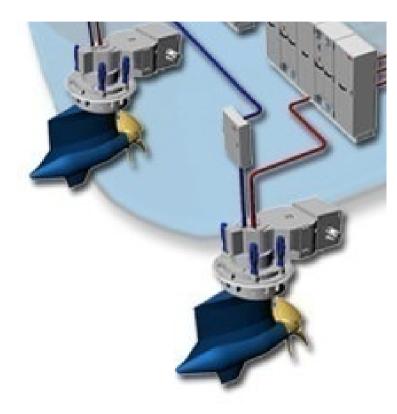
Electric Propulsion System



- Power plant principle
- Optimum loading of prime movers
- Free location for engines
- Speed controlled fixed pitch propellers
- Redundant systems
- Excellent controllability of the electric motor



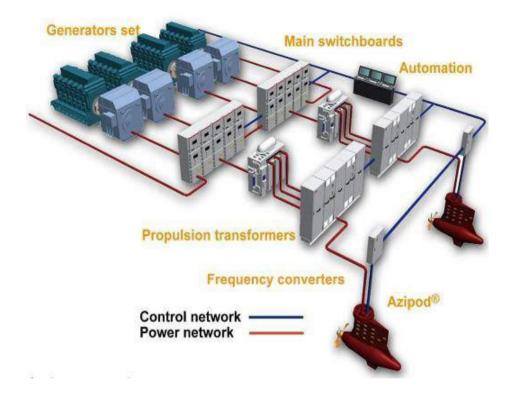
Azipod[®] System



- Improved hydrodynamic efficiency
- Excellent manoeuvrability
- No need for separate rudders, long shaftlines and stern thrusters
- Space savings
- Improved environmental friendliness
- Reduced noise and vibrations



Benefits of Azipod[®] System

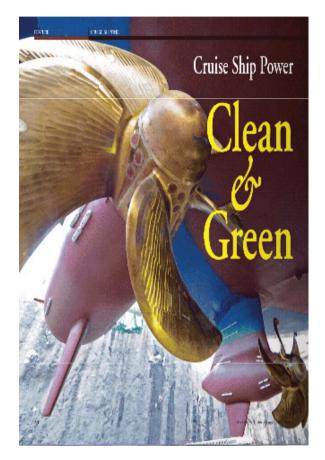


Compared to shaftline systems Azipod propulsion provides:

- Improved safety and redundancy
- Improved fuel efficiency and reduced life cycle cost
- Most environmental friendly propulsion system
- Remarkably improved comfort onboard
- Excellent characteristics in ice operation
- Easier general arrangement and more payload
- Straightforward and fast installation
- Shipbuilding process and investment advantages



Most Environmental Friendly Propulsion Systems



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- Minimum environmental footprint in production and use of propulsion unit
- Makes the design and building of environmentally friendly ships easier
- Saves fuel due to high internal and hydrodynamic efficiency as well as by using less auxiliary ships
- Reduced environmental risk
- Adaptible to future green energy sources



Development History of ABB Propulsion Products



2011 **/** New Azipod C factory in Shanghai

2010 Order for n:o 100 Azipod vessel,

2008 **Azipod XO introduction**



2007 New Azipod factory in Helsinki

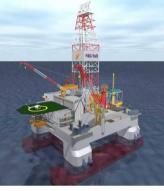
2004 **Azipod CZ deliveries for drilling rig**



2001 **CRP** Azipod introduction













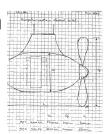
1995 **1**st Cruise Vessel application, "*Elation*"

1994 **1**st Icebreaker application "*Röthelstein*"

1989 / Prototype installation

1987 Original Azipod Idea

2000







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Propulsion Units Open water applications





- Azipod[®]VO
- Azipod[®]XO
- Open water applications up to 20 + MW

- Azipod[®]CO
- Open water applications 1,3 - 4,5 MW





Propulsion Units Icegoing applications



- Azipod[®]VI
- Ice applications for different ice classes
- Delivered power range 0,5 16 MW



Propulsion Units High efficiency applications



- Azipod[®]XC
- Contra rotating application for high speed vessels
- Up to 100 MW total propulsion power



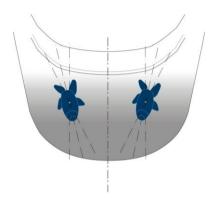
Thruster Units

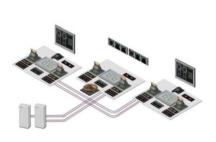


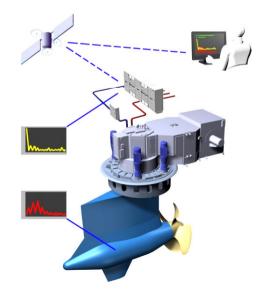
- Azipod[®]CZ thruster
- Open water applications for thrust up to 60 – 84 tons/unit
- Power range 3,3 4,5 MW
- Pushing propeller with a nozzle
- High kN/kW ratio



Azipod XO - System with Inherent Intelligence



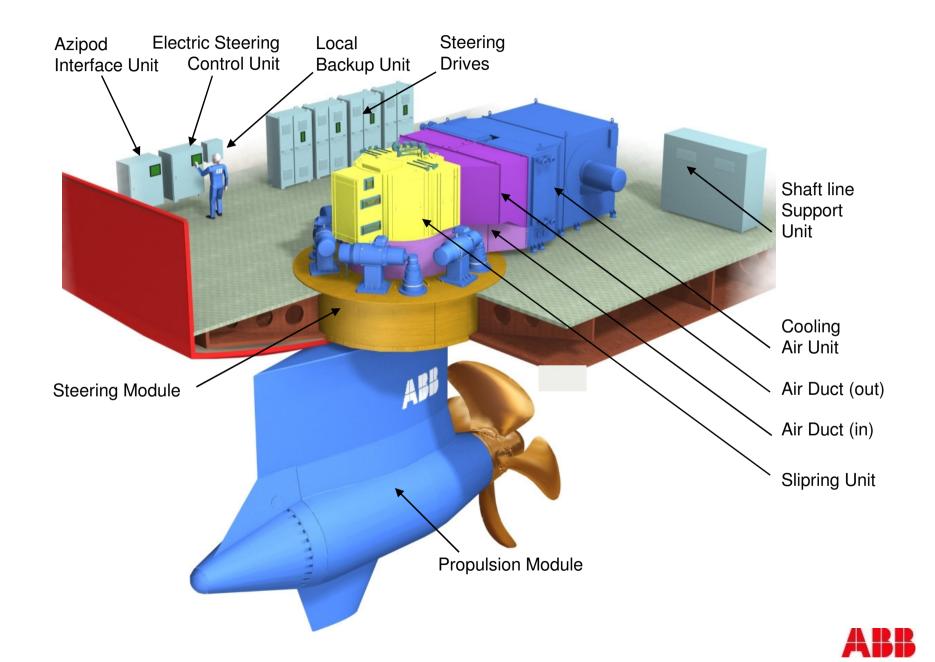




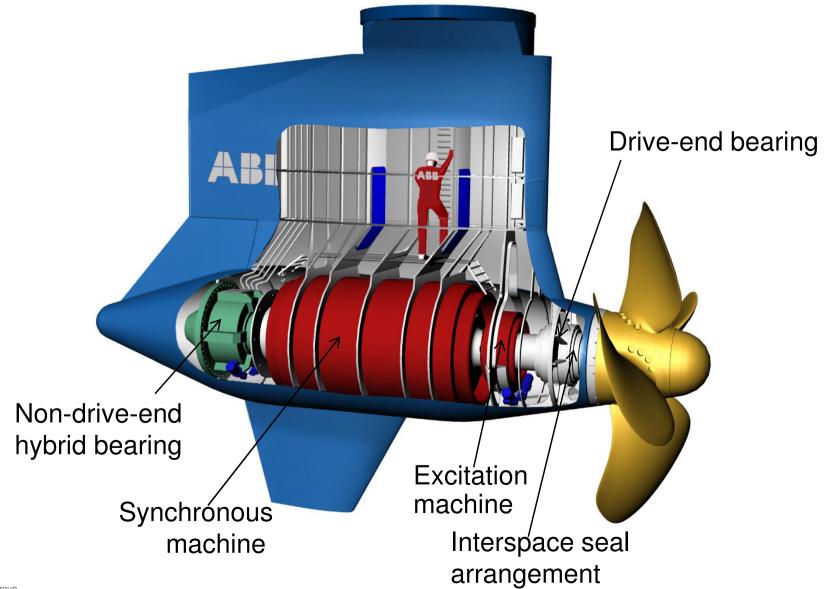
- Azipod Dynamic Optimizer
 - Collects data and optimizes Azipod toe-angle to improve efficiency
- Intelligent Bridge Control Interface
 - Real time information for optimized operating practices
- Propulsion Condition Monitoring System
 - Monitoring of key componets for optimized maintenance
 - Enables remote monitoring



Azipod[®] XO

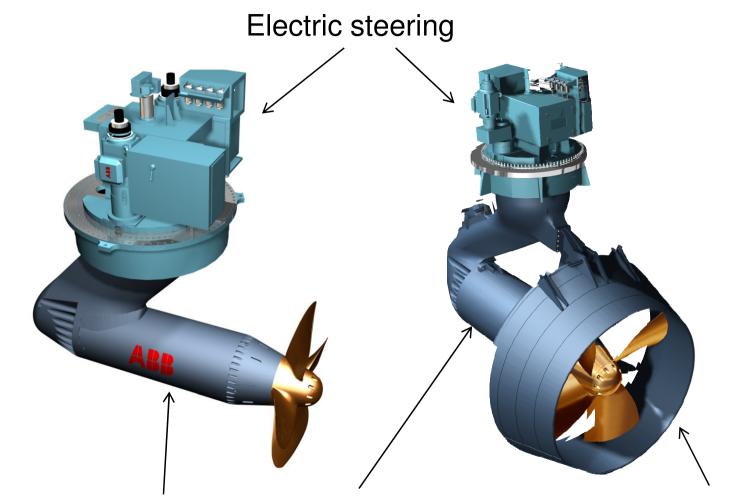


Azipod® XO



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Azipod[®] CO and Azipod[®] CZ



Permanent magnet synchronous motors directly cooled to sea water

Nozzle for high thrust applications



High Standard Production Facilities



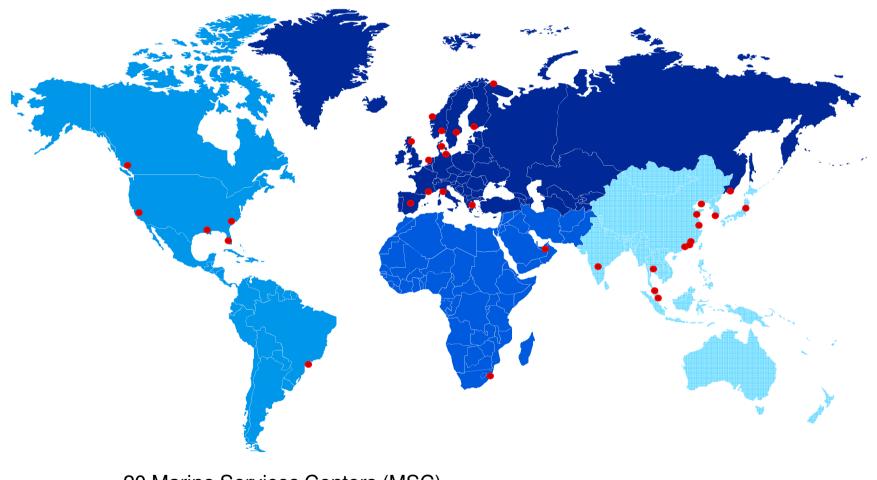
- Production line in Helsinki, Finland
 - Operations started 2007
 - Azipod[®] V , X products



- Production line to in Shanghai China
 - Azipod[®]C products
 - Operations started 2011



Global ABB Marine service network



20 Marine Services Centers (MSC)
15 Crane Service Centers (CSC)

• ABB Marine and Crane Services



Azipod[®] Service





- Dedicated Azipod Regional Service Centers to support world wide Marine Service network
- Regional Service Centers
 - Customer contacts
 - Dedicated and specialized Azipod service personnel
 - Capability to technically lead large Azipod service projects
 - Necessary workshops and tooling
 - Azipod service support for other Azipod service locations
 - Service and spare parts sales
- Local Service Centers
 - Customer contacts
 - Service and spare part sales



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Azipod[®] Service



Customer event at Azipod service workshop in Houston

- Azipod Regional Service Centers
 - Helsinki, Finland
 - Houston, USA
 - Murmansk, Russia
 - Shanghai, China



Summary of Azipod[®] References, June 2012

Vessel type	Number
Cruise vessels	52
Ice going vessels Ice breakers, Arctic cargo vessels	27
Ferries	8
Yachts	7
Research vessels	5
Offshore support vessels	5
Other special vessels Pipe layer, Crane vessel, Heavy lift, Patrol vessel, WTI	8
Drilling rigs	2

Total delivered or on order: □ Over 250 Azipod[®] units □114 vessels

Total Propulsion Power: 2 600 MW

Installation at more than 30 different shipyards

About 7 500.000 operating hours



Azipod XO



Azipod XC

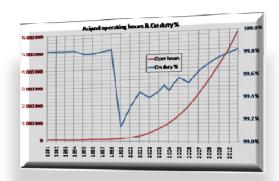
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Azipod CO



Experiences After 7 500 000 Operating Hours



- Deep cooperation with many operators and shipyards have complemented the understanding of Azipod concept
- For most customers Azipod concept exceeds the expectations
- We have identified certain components that are critical for undisturbed operation and they receive meticulous attention
- The technical challenges have been approached by systematic analysis and solved
- Correct operation of the vessel and maintenance according to instructions are essential
- Due to being a new concept the pod propulsion challenges have received much attention in media. However, the reliablity of the system is at the same level as with other propulsion concepts
- Essential to have the product responsibility and know-how in one organization, from R&D to service including mechanical, electrical, control and hydrodynamical competence



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