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Auramarine reaches a historical milestone.

Ten thousand delivered products!



Auramarine is the world's leading supplier of auxiliary equipment for large diesel engines and marine industry. Another customer segment of the company is the diesel based power station industry worldwide. The total number of skid mounted auxiliary units produced by Auramarine has now exceeded 10,000 since the production began over three decades ago. 17th February was time for a little celebration at the Finnish factory.

Market leader with 30 years of experience

The development from a small product supplier to a leading fuel oil supply unit manufacturer has been based on a consistent strategy: Auramarine's aim is to make things easy for the customer. Customer oriented approach has meant tailoring booster solutions to suit the customer's needs. The customer receives a ready-made, proven entity with customised configuration which needs only to be connected for use. More and more often, customers wish to buy their solutions on turn-key basis.

The ability to deliver solutions for challenging conditions is another strength of Auramarine. When the product needs to meet the requirements of explosion protection or when especially good corrosion resistance is required, for example, the know-how of Auramarine comes into its own.

The finest ships in the world trust Auramarine fuel oil supply units

Products of the world's leading fuel oil supply unit manufacturer can be found on every continent and on all the seas in the luxury cruisers and cargo vessels of the world. Auramarine products are delivered to the world's leading shipyards and engine manufacturers.

Growth requires expansion and innovation

Since 2001, Auramarine products have been manufactured also on Chinese soil. At present, the plant in Shanghai produces approximately half of the company's products. Auramarine is looking to grow in new branches of industry as well. The company is applying its wide-ranging experience in liquid flows to sectors that benefit the environment.

Towards lower sulphur fuels

Legislation concerning the sulphur emissions of marine traffic has changed. The strictest requirements have already come into force at European ports and in the United States. Low sulphur fuels are undeniably and increasingly being favoured. The changeover to using low sulphur Marine Gas Oil requires expertise in fuel systems, so that well-intentioned changes do not place the durability of the engines or maritime safety at jeopardy.

Auramarine has superior experience in ship fuel systems and it offers fast, reliable and affordable service when the switch to low sulphur fuel is needed. The Auramarine MGO Handling System includes planning, required technical equipment and alteration work.

For the benefits of the seas - Ballast water treatment systems

The treatment of ballast waters is extremely important because every year, states and the fishing industry incur costs amounting to millions because of alien species that are carried from one water system to another in the ballast water of ships. The only way of restricting the further spreading of invasive species through ballast water is to ensure that all States ratify and implement the BWM Convention, and all vessel operators fit appropriate technology on all ships.

Auramarine Crystal Ballast project is currently entering an intensive type approval testing phase and the first system type approvals and final products are expected to reach the market in the second half of 2010.

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About Auramarine Ltd

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Caption: Mechanic Auno Purmonen and electrician Veikka-Valtteri Nikula were also involved in the production of the ten thousandth fuel oil supply unit.



Caption: Cause for celebration: Feeder Booster Unit AMB-Mc-18-SS, number 10000.