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Triton Battery Hybrid Propulsion

Hybrid propulsion systems benefit of the best from two systems - the combination of electric propulsion and diesel drive.

The Hybrid system enables ships with variable power requirements to run at high propeller efficiency. In such a system design the vessel can utilize the power required for the specific operation in pure electric mode, or in diesel mechanical mode, or in a boost mode by engaging both systems.

The Hybrid system configuration is a fuel efficient and flexible system, with high redundancy.
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HST Marine Ltd, has ordered a hybrid crew transfer vessel (CTV) based on the new Chartwell24 design. This innovative vessel will provide support for the offshore wind sector, and comply with air quality legislation for the industry by reducing vessel emission and fuel consumption.

Brunvoll delivery is a standardized hybrid package for propulsion with hotel load supply and charge interface to shore connection. The system design is compact with focus on weight and volume optimal for high speed vessels. Integrated system design with focus on control philosophy, fuel savings and ergonomics.

The hybrid propulsion system allows for flexible operation from silent zero emission operation in Electric battery mode at low speed powered from batteries, to capably and efficient transit speed in Diesel Mechanical mode.

Operation modes:

DM-mode for diesel mechanical fuel-optimized propulsion of the CP propellers up to design speed. The PTO PM-machine may be used for battery charging at optimal SFOC.

EL-mode is electrical propulsion for slow steaming powered from battery. The rpm and pitch are optimized for maximum efficiency.

Hybrid mode is a mix with EL-mode on one propeller and DM-mode on the other. It increases the redundancy of the vessel and makes it possible to operate with only one engine available.

The system is optimized for slow speed sailing within the harbour areas and makes it possible to reduce total fuel consumption, noise and local emissions.