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Technology Development - New Technologies

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thyssenkrupp Marine Systems – Operating Unit Submarines

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thyssenkrupp – Organizational overview

thyssenkrupp Business Areas



Components Technology

Sales (€ mill)	6,753
EBIT ²⁾ (€ mill)	313
Employees	29,627



Elevator Technology

Sales (€ mill)	7,208
EBIT ²⁾ (€ mill)	794
Employees	51,335



Industrial Solutions

Sales (€ mill)	6,256
EBIT ²⁾ (€ mill)	424
Employees	19,388



Materials Services

Sales (€ mill)	14,254
EBIT ²⁾ (€ mill)	206
Employees	20,226



Steel Americas

Sales (€ mill)	1,773
EBIT ²⁾ (€ mill)	(138)
Employees	3,725



Steel Europe

Sales (€ mill)	8,697
EBIT ²⁾ (€ mill)	492
Employees	27,601

Key indicators – fiscal year 2014/2015¹⁾

1) Continuing operations (after reclassification of Steel Americas) before consolidation. 2) Adjusted before consolidation, after definition changes



Business Unit thyssenkrupp Marine Systems

Operating Units

Submarines



Kiel

Surface Vessels



Hamburg/Emden

Services



Kiel/Hamburg/Emden

Atlas Elektronik



Generic Tasks of Research and Development

Mid- and Long-Term Enhancement of Competitiveness

Technology Leadership

Cost Leadership

Enhancement of Customer Value

Cost Reduction

Risk Reduction



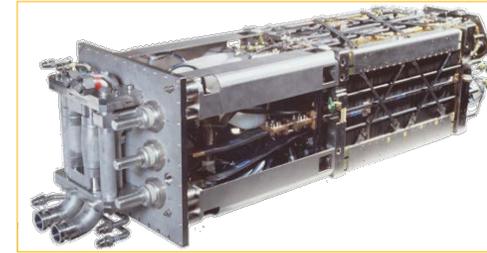
Scope of Research and Development Activities

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Activi-
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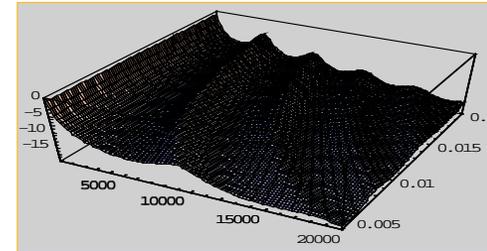
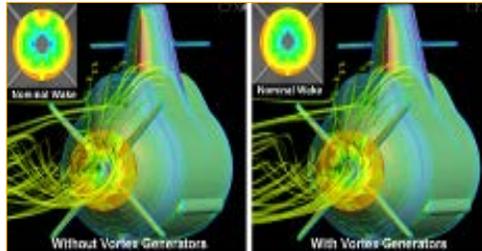
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Components and
Systems



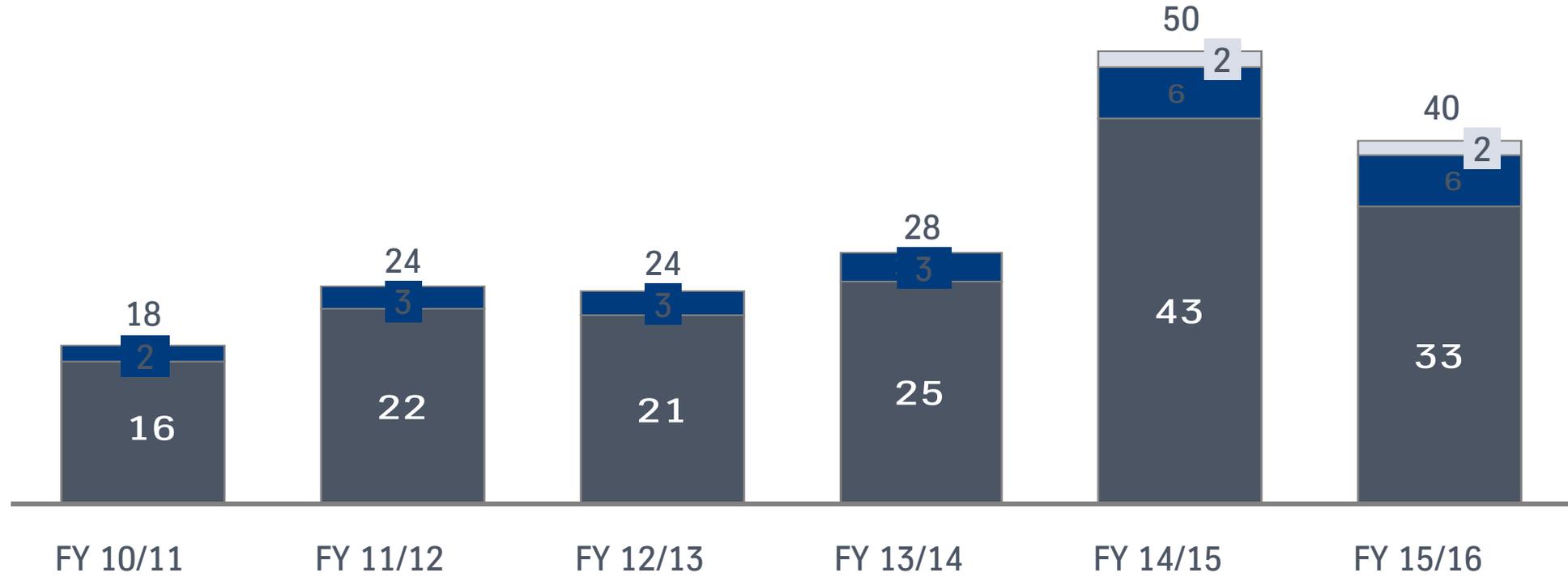
Processes and
Tools



Research & Development Expenditure

Mio. EUR

- OU Services
- OU Surface Vessels
- OU Submarines



More than 160 R+D projects running at present time

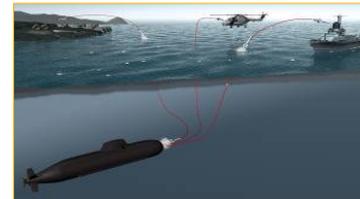


Long Lasting Developments¹

Weapon Section *1988 - 1994*
Torpedo Counter Measures *1999 - 2005*

ISUS 90 Family *1990 - 2005*
PERMASYN® Motor *1985 - 2005*
Fuel Cell System *1980 - 2005*
IDAS *1996 -*
Lithium Battery System *2003 -*

Class 212 *1987 - 2005*
Class 214 *1996 - 2007*



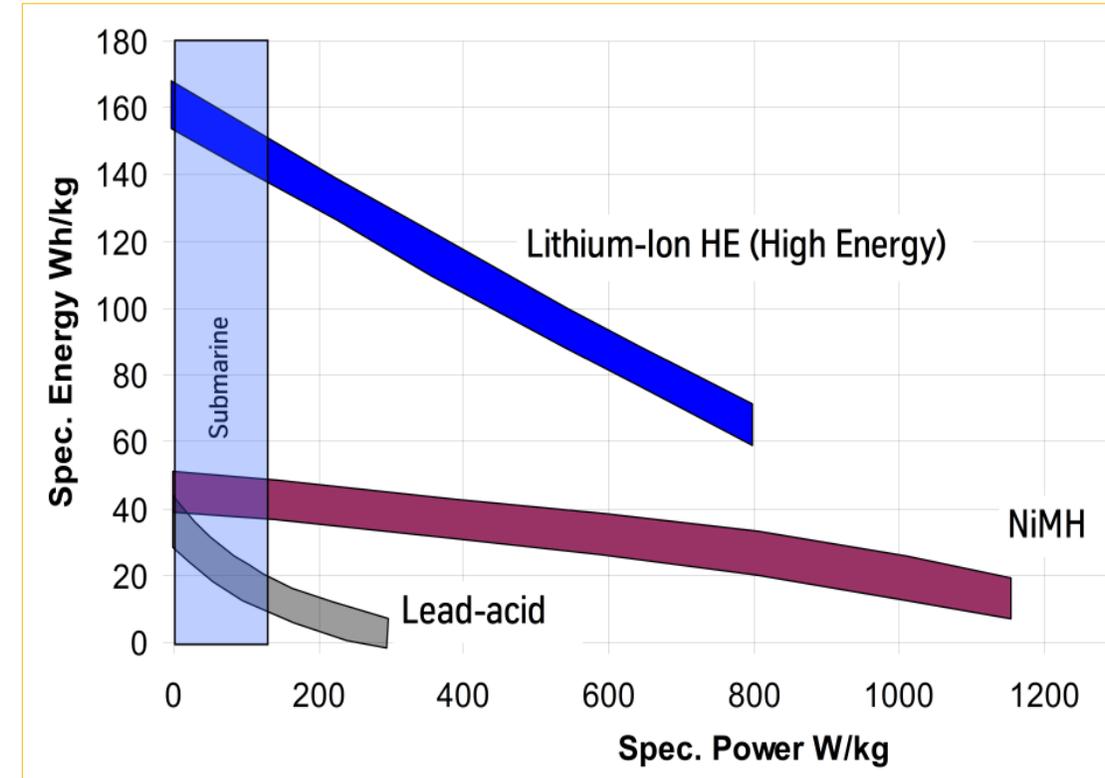
¹ From start of development to delivery of first submarine with this technology



Lithium Ion Batteries - Introduction and Motivation

To Improve Operational Value of the Submarine

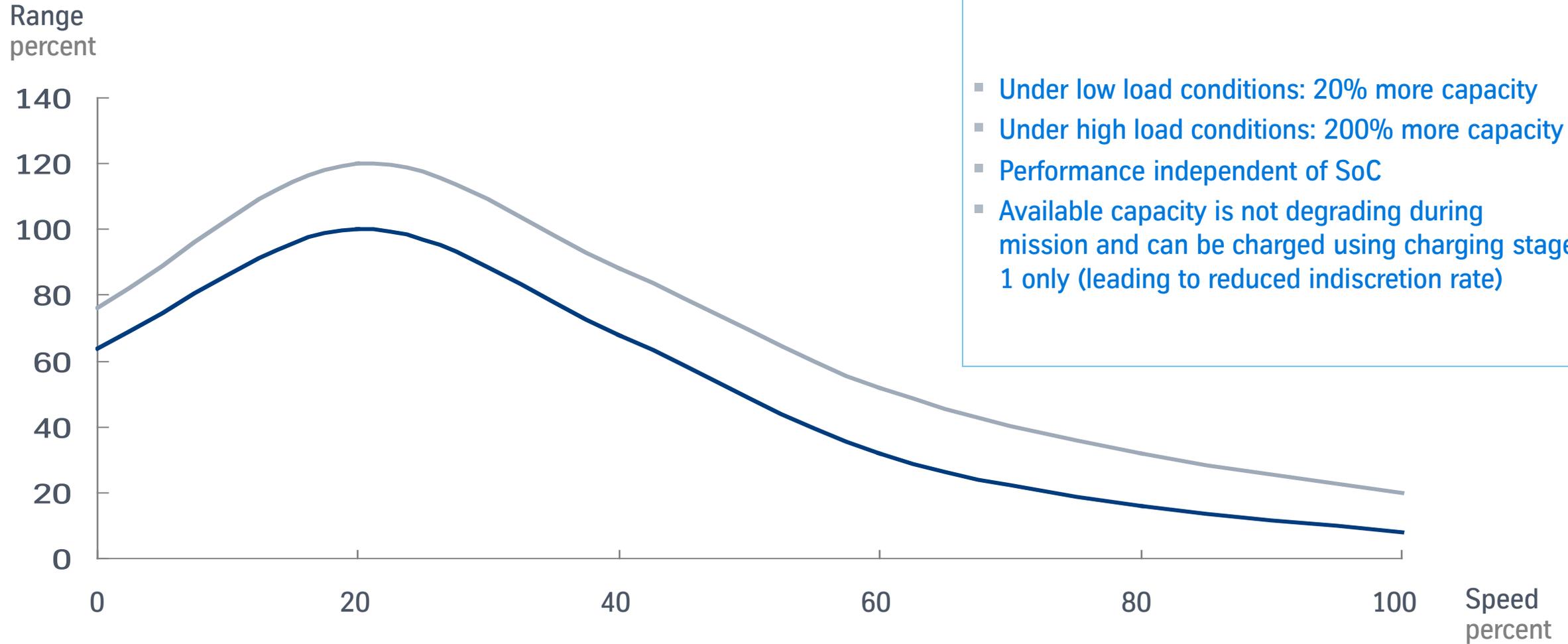
- Extend time submerged
- Increase speed spectrum while submerged
 - Complement to the AIP-System designed to fulfill low power requirements
- Decrease indiscretion rate
 - Improved charging and discharging characteristics
- Increase availability
 - Decrease maintenance requirements
- Decouple submarine performance from battery characteristics (as much as possible)
 - High speed independent from State of Charge (SoC)
- Extend life time.



Technical Concept

How about Performance?

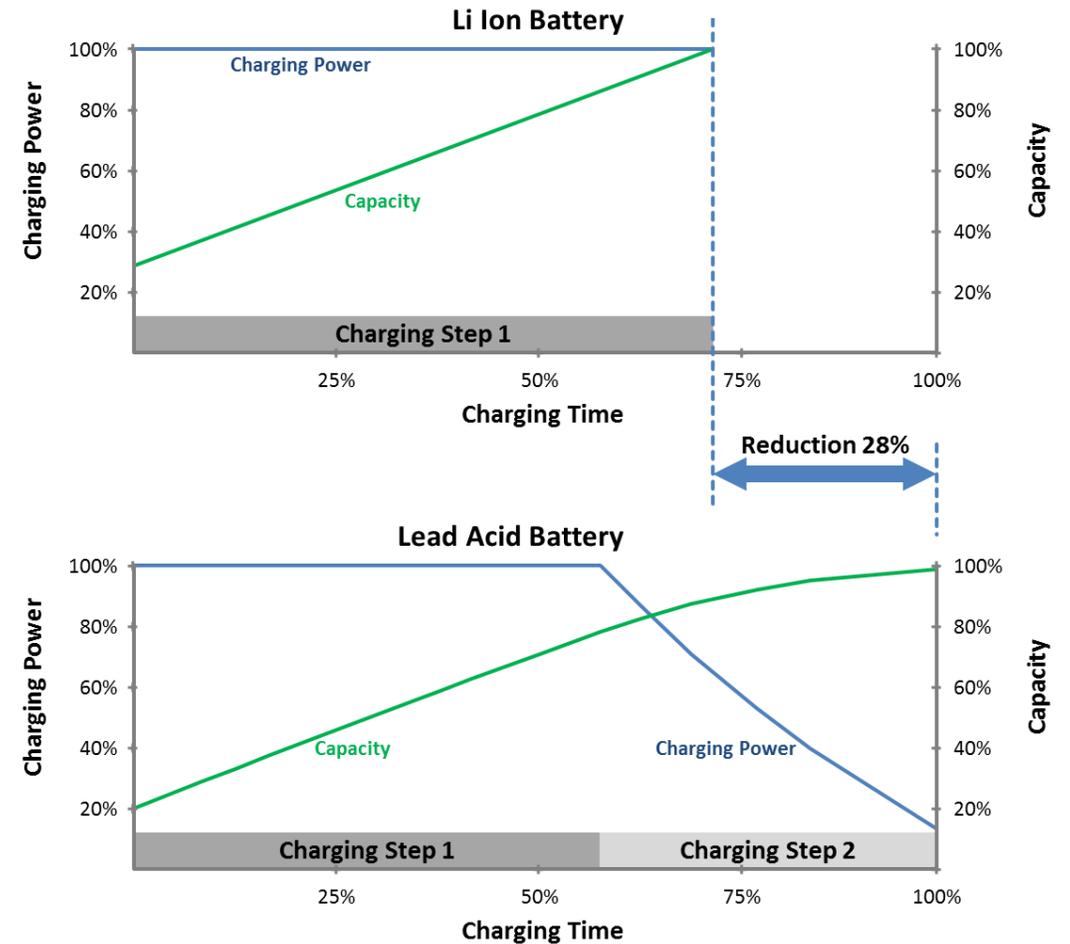
LIB 93%
Lead Acid 80%



Comparison of Charging Times

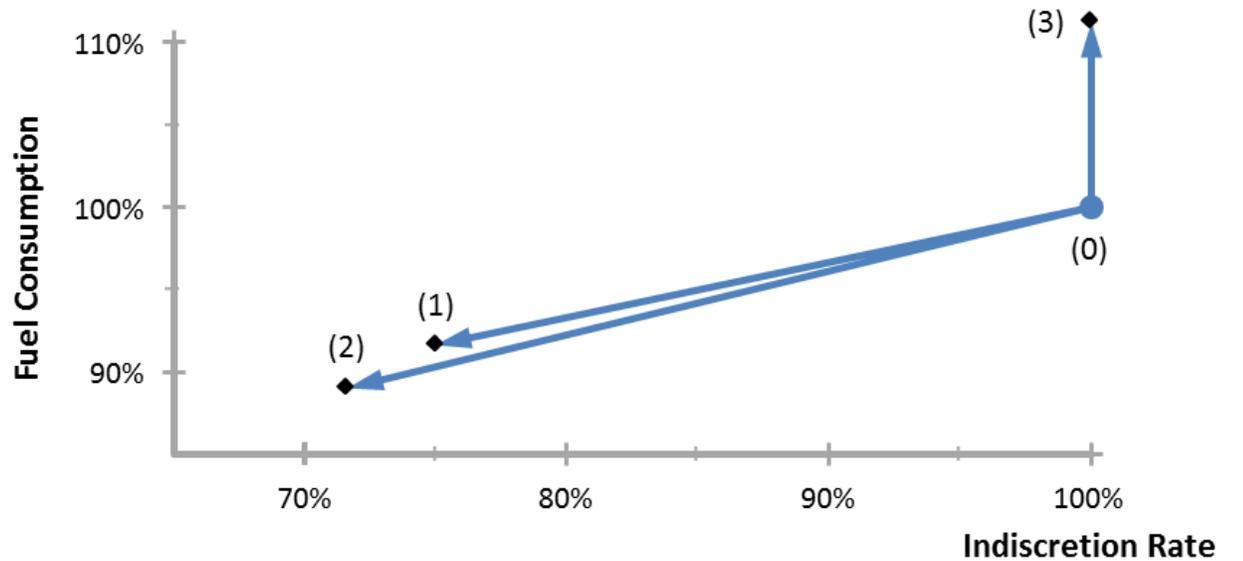
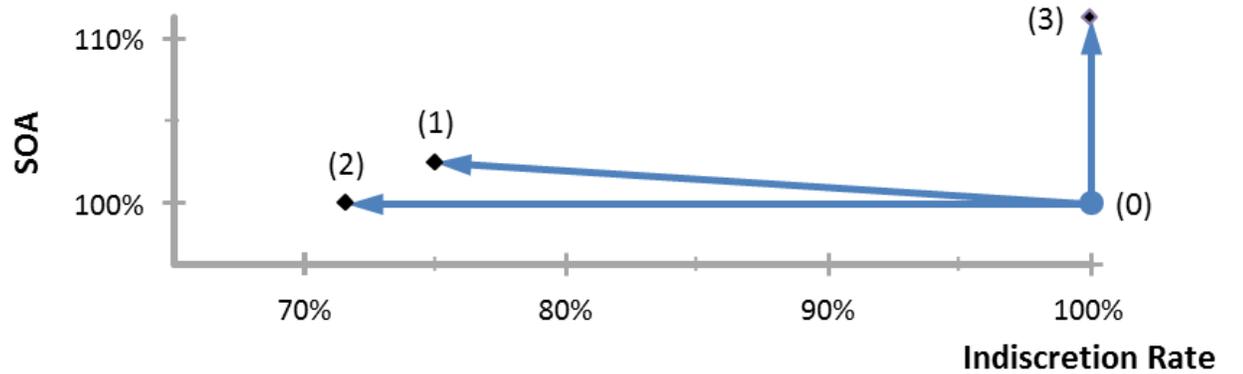
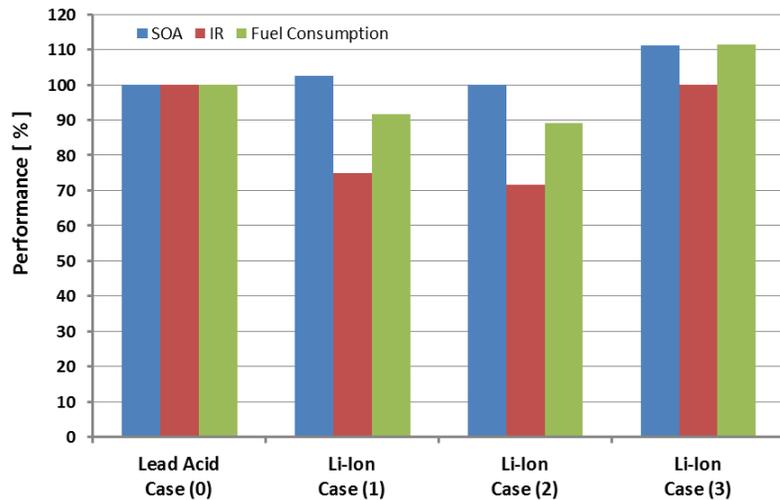
- Boundary Conditions

- Both batteries are discharged with the same charging power
- Both batteries are discharged the same time (same discharged energy)
- Both batteries are charged with the same max. charging power
 - Lead Acid Battery: Charging Step 1 with max. power, charging step 2 with max Voltage and reduced current (= reduced charging power)
 - Li Ion Battery: Only charged in charging step 1
- The charging time of the Li Ion battery is approx. 28% less than the charging time of the lead acid battery. This means improved Indiscretion Rate



Optimization of Transit SOA

- Lead Acid Battery
 - Case (0): Optimized transit SOA for Indiscretion Rate
- Li-Ion Battery
 - Case (1): Same speed combination as in case (0)
 - Case (2): Same SOA as in case (0)
 - Case (3): Same IR as in case (0)



Major Integration Aspects

System Safety is Critical!

Risk

- Thermal Runaway and the chain reaction within the battery compartment
- High Energy Chemistries bear the risk of open fire in the battery compartment
 - NCA – Nickel-Cobalt-Aluminum
 - NMC – Nickel-Manganese-Cobalt
 - NCO – Nickel-Cobalt-Oxide

Trigger

- | | |
|---------------------|---|
| ▪ Overcharge | <i>To be handled by control electronics</i> |
| ▪ Overload | |
| ▪ Overheat | <i>To be handled by mechanical integration</i> |
| ▪ Mechanical Damage | |
| ▪ Internal Short | <i>A manufacturer's quality assurance issue with a remaining risk</i> |
- **There are intrinsically safe chemistries**
 - LFP – Lithium-Iron-Phosphate.

A damage and risk assessment lead to high safety integrity level (\geq SIL4) requirement for the control electronics when NCA/NMC/NCO is used.



Battery Development at thyssenkrupp Marine Systems

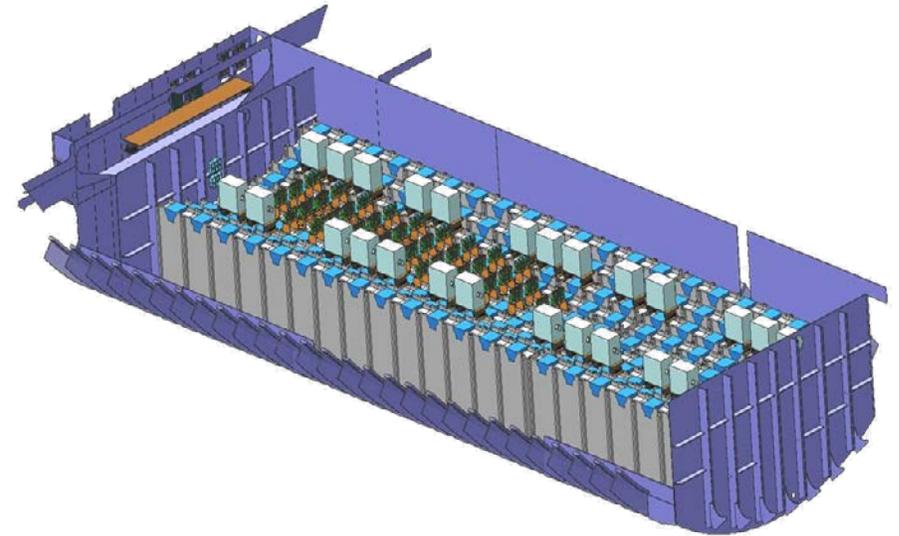
Decision

- Selection of well established cell manufacturer with system development competency
 - Standard cell as core element
 - Selection of LFP (blend) as the cell chemistry
 - Focus on system integration as thyssenkrupp Marine Systems expertise.
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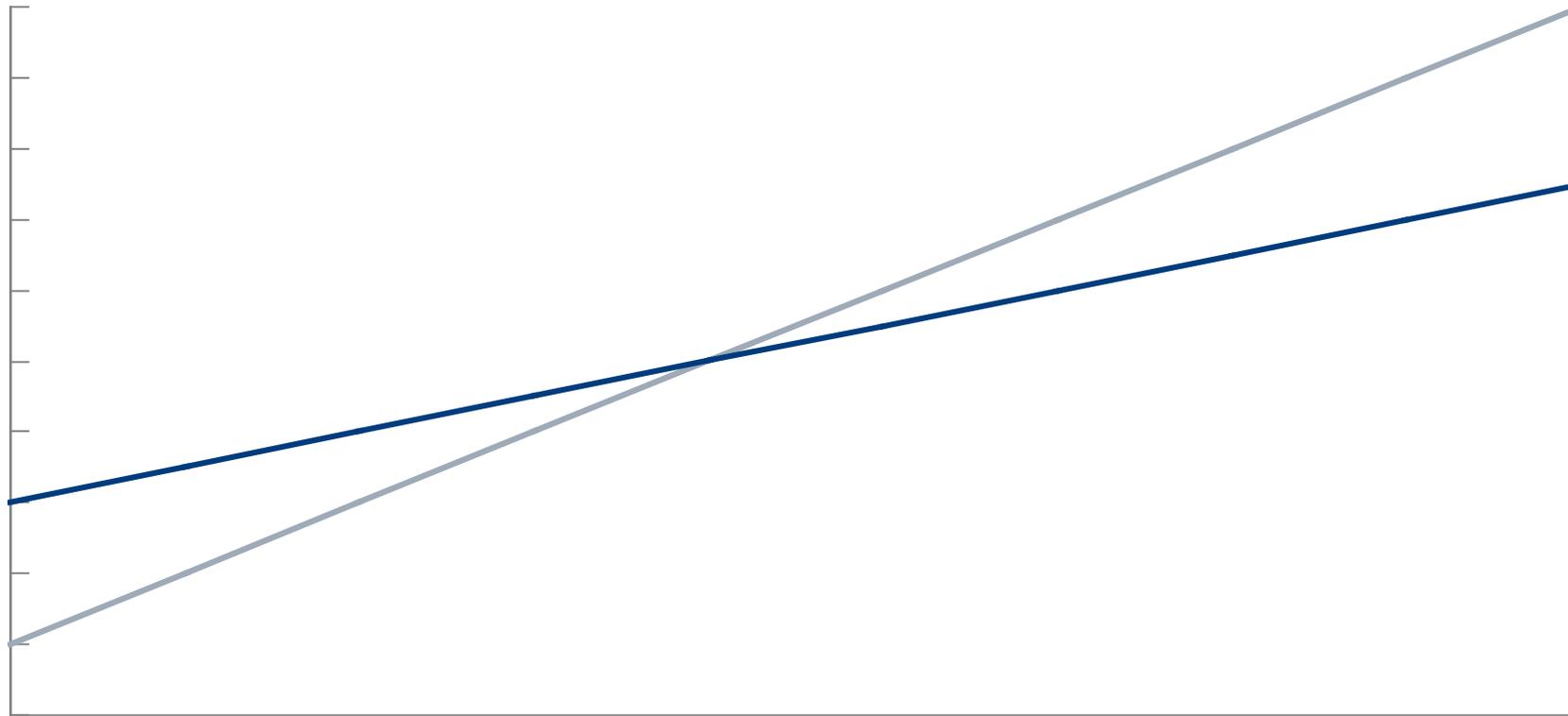
Lithium-Ion Battery Integration into the Submarine

	Cl. 214
Number of modules transversal	12
Number of modules longitudinal	2 x 16
Module voltage [V]	89 - 125
Energy per module [kWh]	38
Total number of modules	384
Number of modules per string	6
String voltage range [V]	535 - 752
Engine voltage range [V]	520 - 830
Number of strings	64
Total number of cells	101376
Energy [MWh]	14,5



Methanol Reformer – Why start the Development

Weight/Volume of energy storage and conversion



Fuel cell with metal hydrides

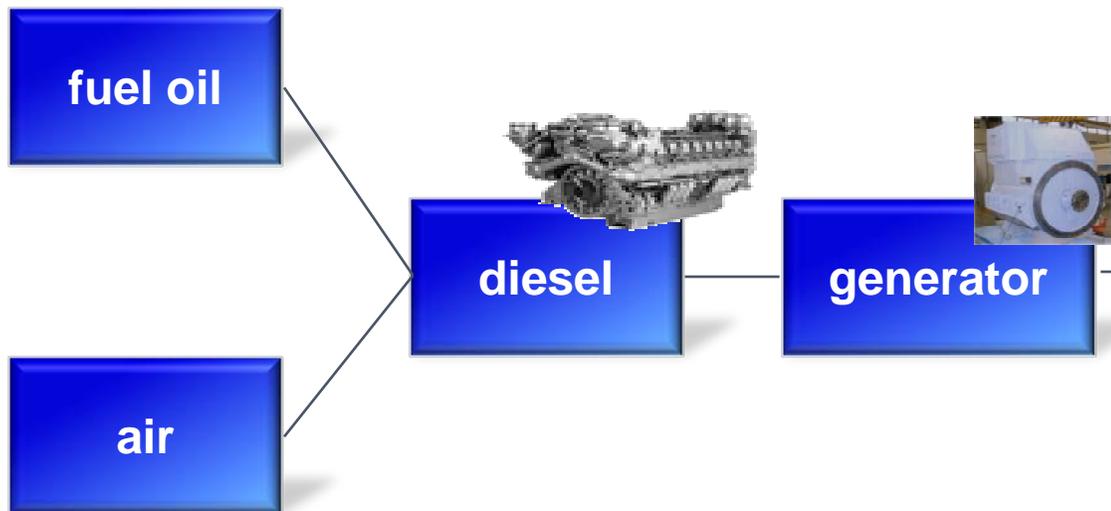
Fuel cell with methanol reformer

AIP energy to store

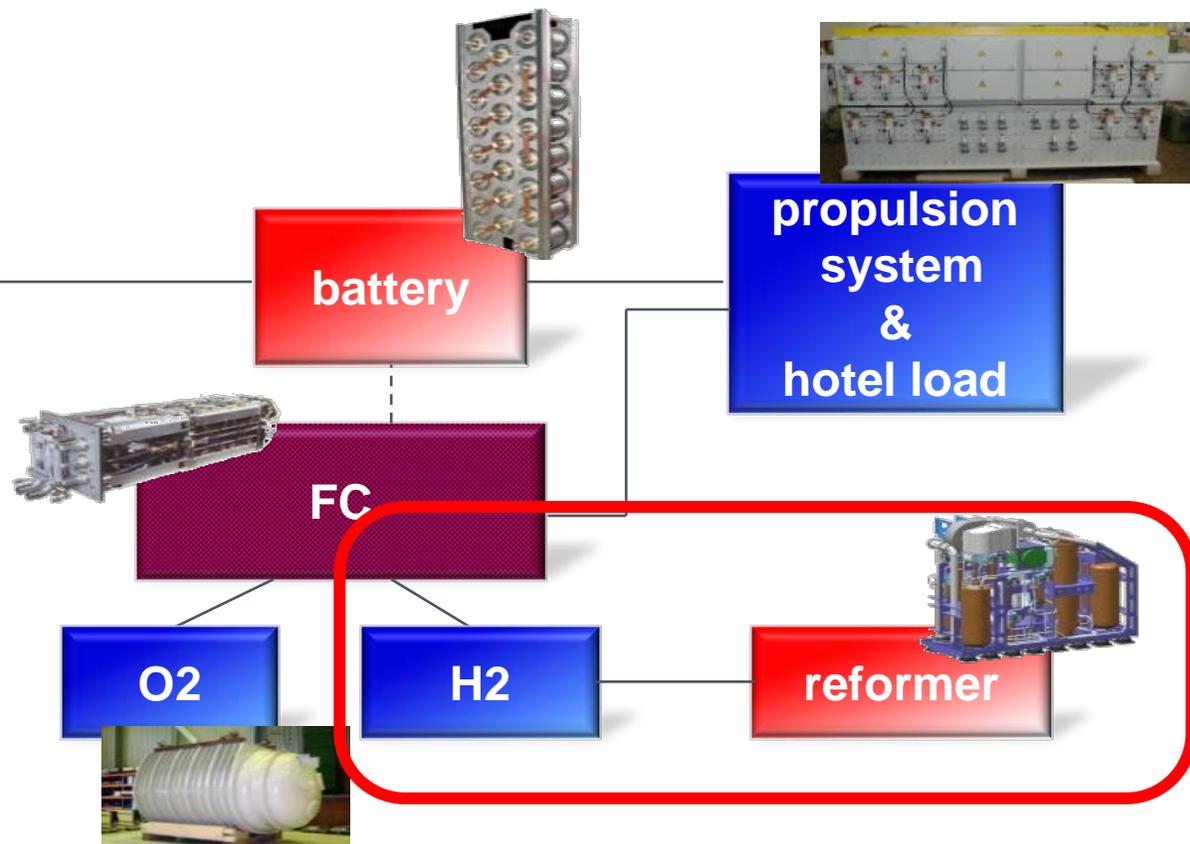


Power Supply

surface- / snorkel operation



submerged operation



Source: Siemens, Gaia, MTU, Piller



Hydrogen Generation by Methanol Steam Reforming

- Simple alcohol CH₃OH
- Lowest reforming temperatures of 250° - 300°C
- Cheap and easily available worldwide (like LOX)
- Methanol steam reforming is a proven technology in the process industry



Best choice for hydrogen generation on submarines

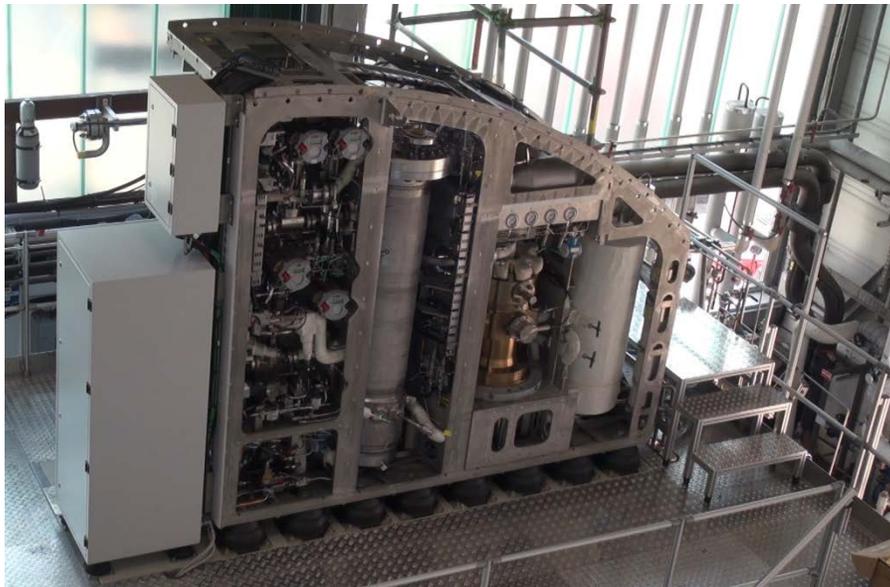


Fuel Cell Methanol Reformer System

The Fuel Cell Methanol Reformer System (FCMRS) combines the advantage of the existing, proven Fuel Cell System with the advantage to utilize a liquid fuel with high energy density. A first demonstrator has been operated since the year 2000

The reformer prototype system has been set into operation in the test field at thyssenkrupp Marine Systems premises in Kiel in summer 2015.

The system has already successfully produced ultra-pure hydrogen. Furthermore the Fuel Cell Modules have been operated on hydrogen produced by the reformer system.



Methanol Reformer



Fuel Cell Modules



IDAS at a Glance

- IDAS – Changing the paradigms of anti submarine warfare!
 - Active self defence against airborne ASW for submerged submarines
 - High precision through Human in the Loop Concept
 - Coastal and small surface targets attack capability

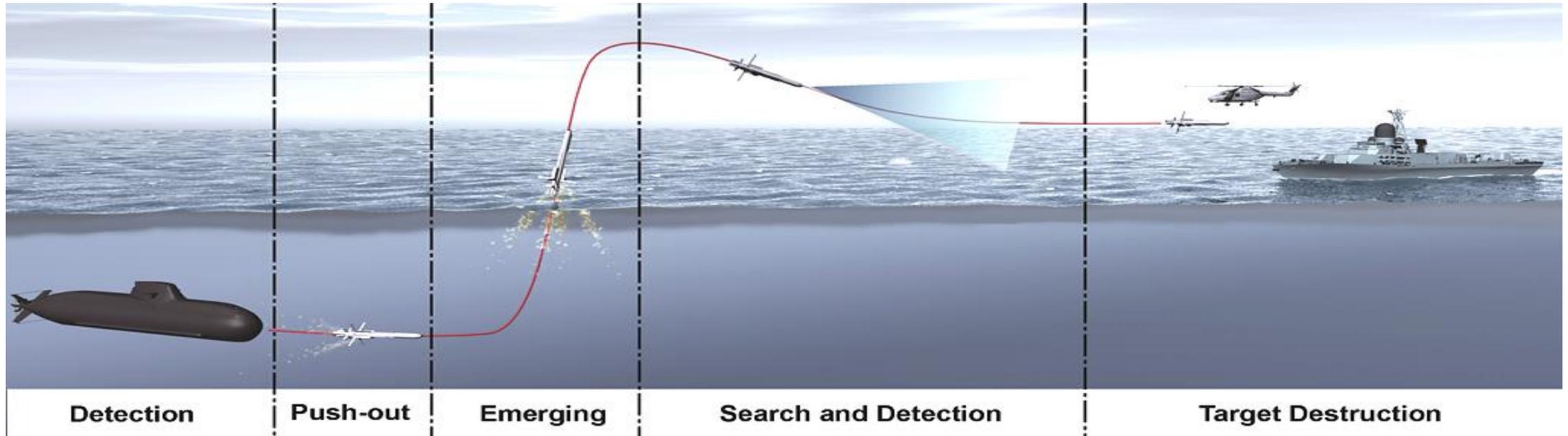


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BGT Defence

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Operational Concept

The IDAS Target Spectrum

Defensive Role



Offensive Role



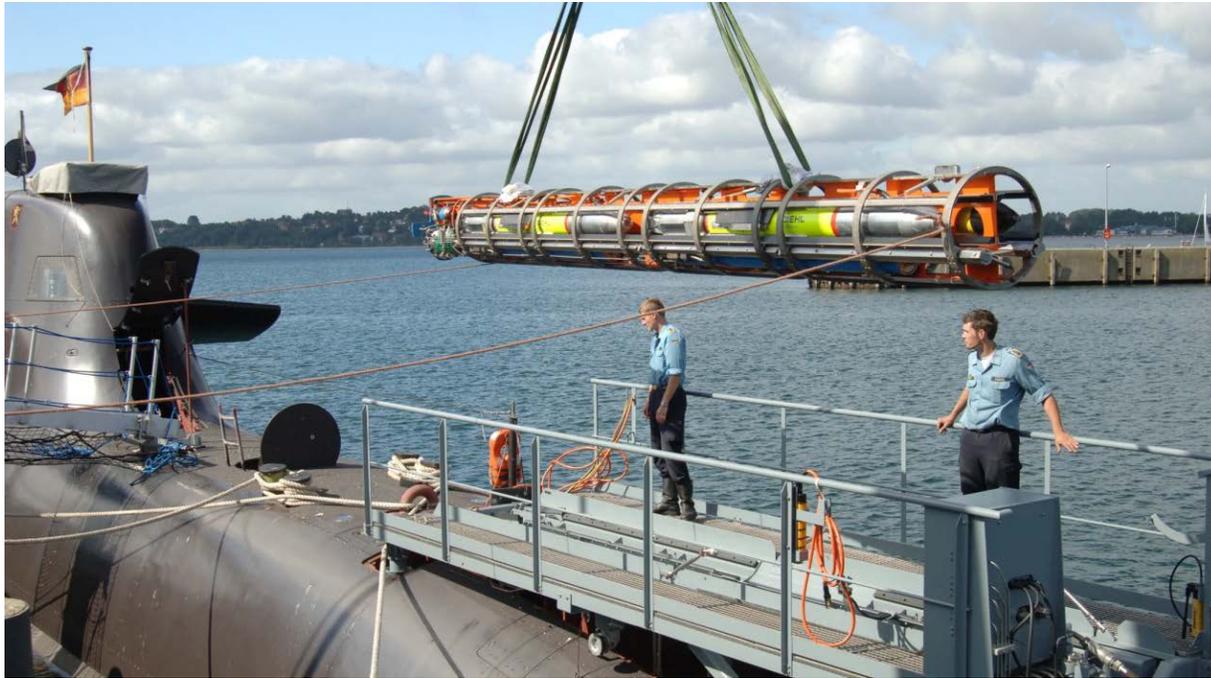
Weapon of choice for targets which are too fast or not accessible for a heavy weight torpedo, or for which a torpedo is over dimensioned



Technical Concept

- IDAS Submarine Integration

Very easy integration, handling with existing equipment for standard heavy weight torpedoes



Operator controlled during the whole mission



Technical Concept

- IDAS Launching Container System
 - Four (4) missiles per launching container
 - All launching subsystems in container (autonomy)
 - Weight/ dimensions comparable to heavy weight torpedo, easy retrofit to all standard torpedo tubes

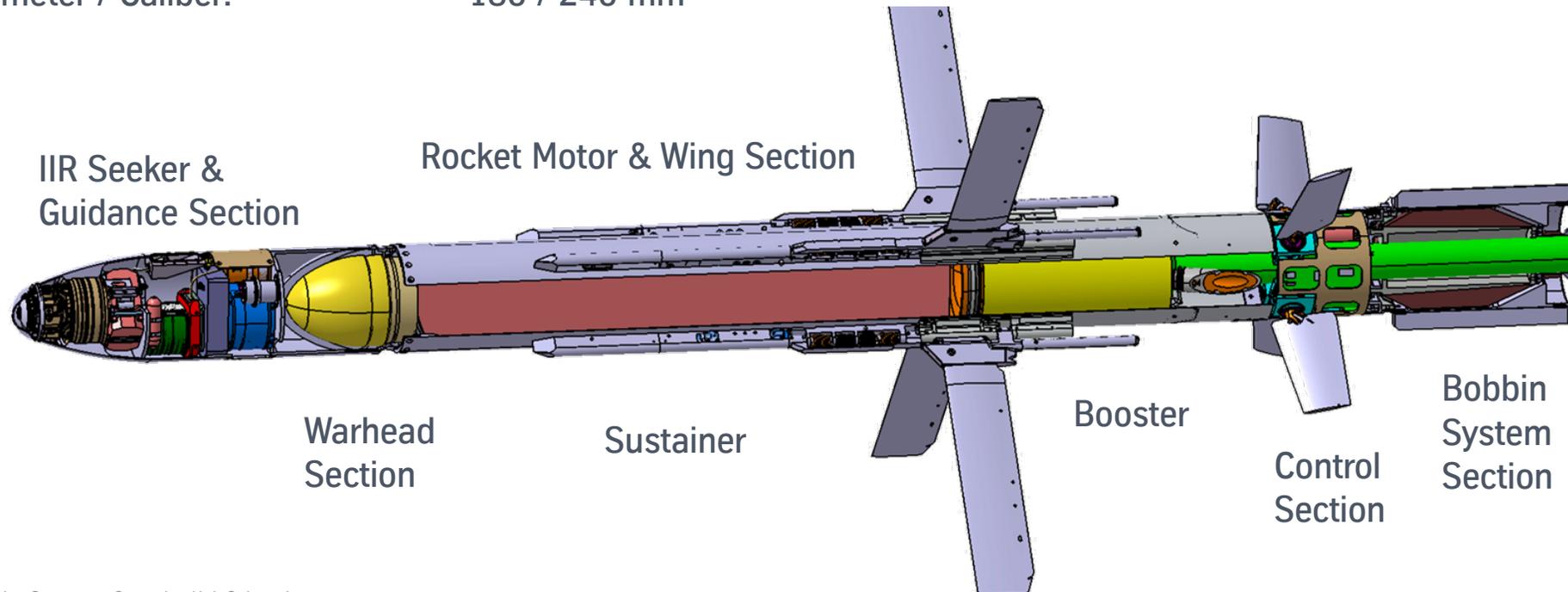


The IDAS Missile

- Main Technical Data

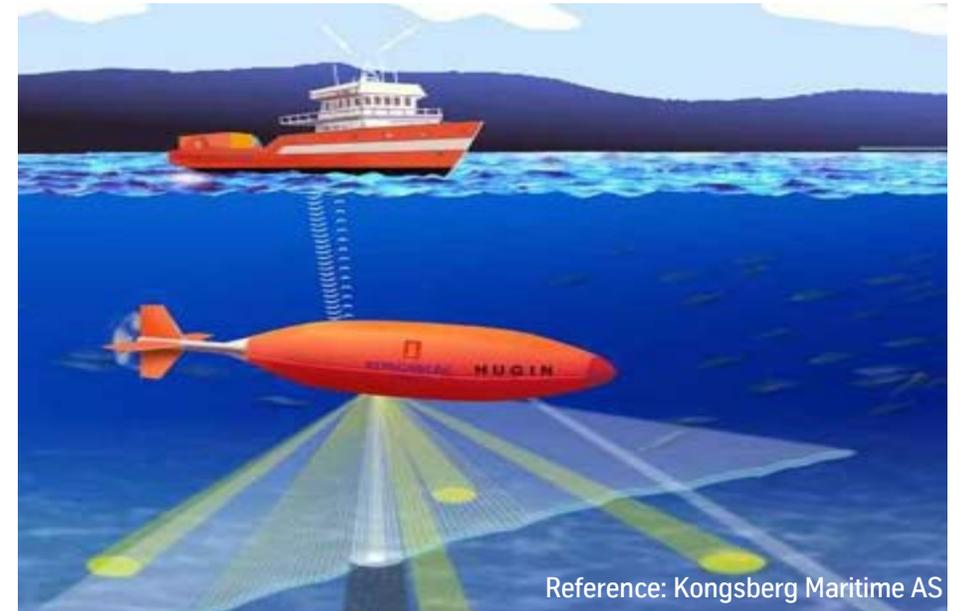
- Launching Mass: 138 kg
- Length: 2800 mm
- Diameter / Caliber: 180 / 240 mm

- Mass of Warhead: 15-20 kg
- Range: approx. 20 km
- Cruising Speed: approx. 230 m/s



Unmanned Underwater Vehicles on Submarine

- What is the original purpose of unmanned underwater vehicles?
- Normally
 - AUVs bring sensors from the surface
 - down in the ocean
 - close to the targets
 - away from disturbing noise and vibrations
- Submarines
 - AUVs bring sensors from down into the ocean
 - away from the submarine
 - to areas of very shallow waters
 - to the surface
 - to areas with a high risk for Manned Underwater Vehicles.



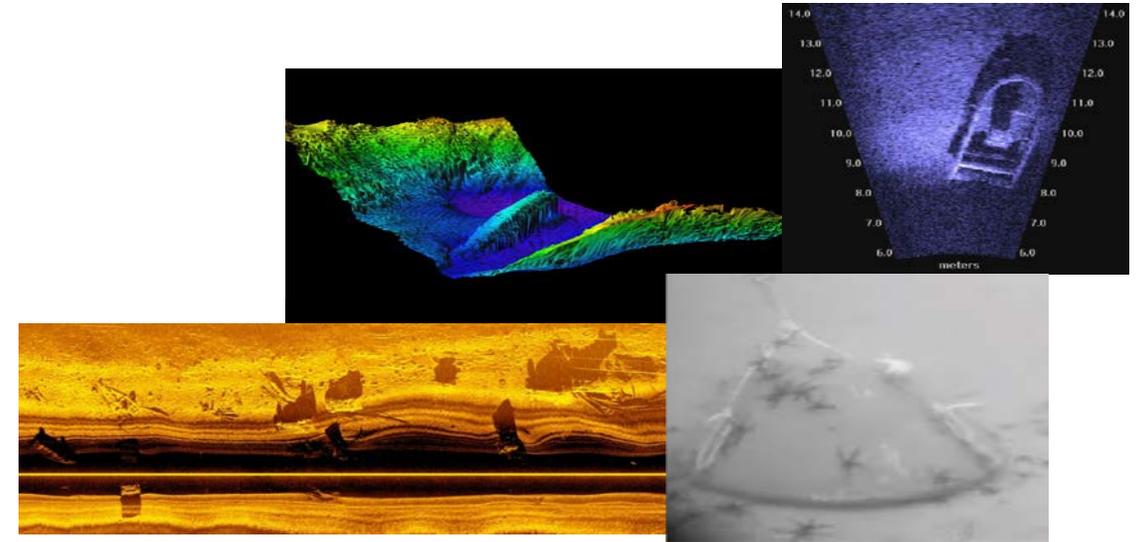
Tasks of UUVs Deployed by Submarines

- Rapid environmental assessment (REA)
 - sonar images and conditions
 - bathymetric data
 - water current information
 - mine reconnaissance
 - pictures of underwater objects
- Preparation and assistance of landing activities
 - actual situation assessment
 - guidance of the combat diver teams
 - visual escorting of landing forces on/offshore
 - communication relay

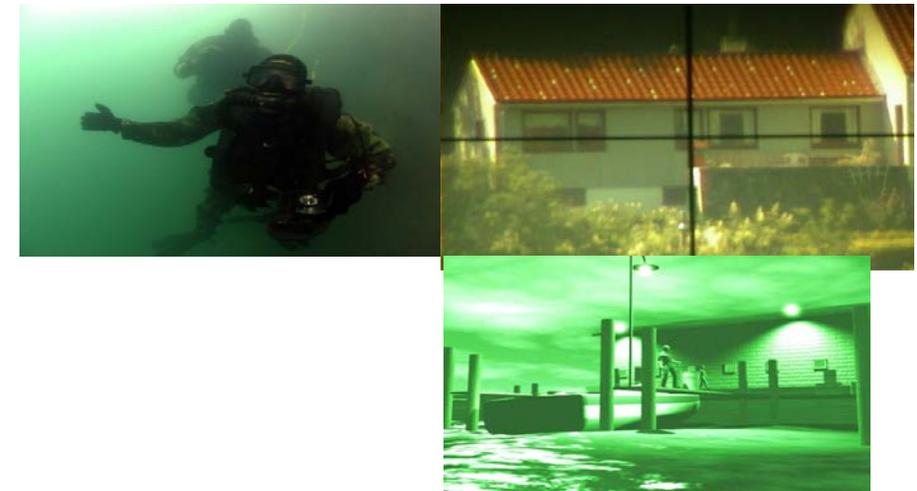
Meanwhile the submarine could stay covert

Observing areas which were inaccessible for conventional submarines

In parallel while the submarine fulfils other tasks.

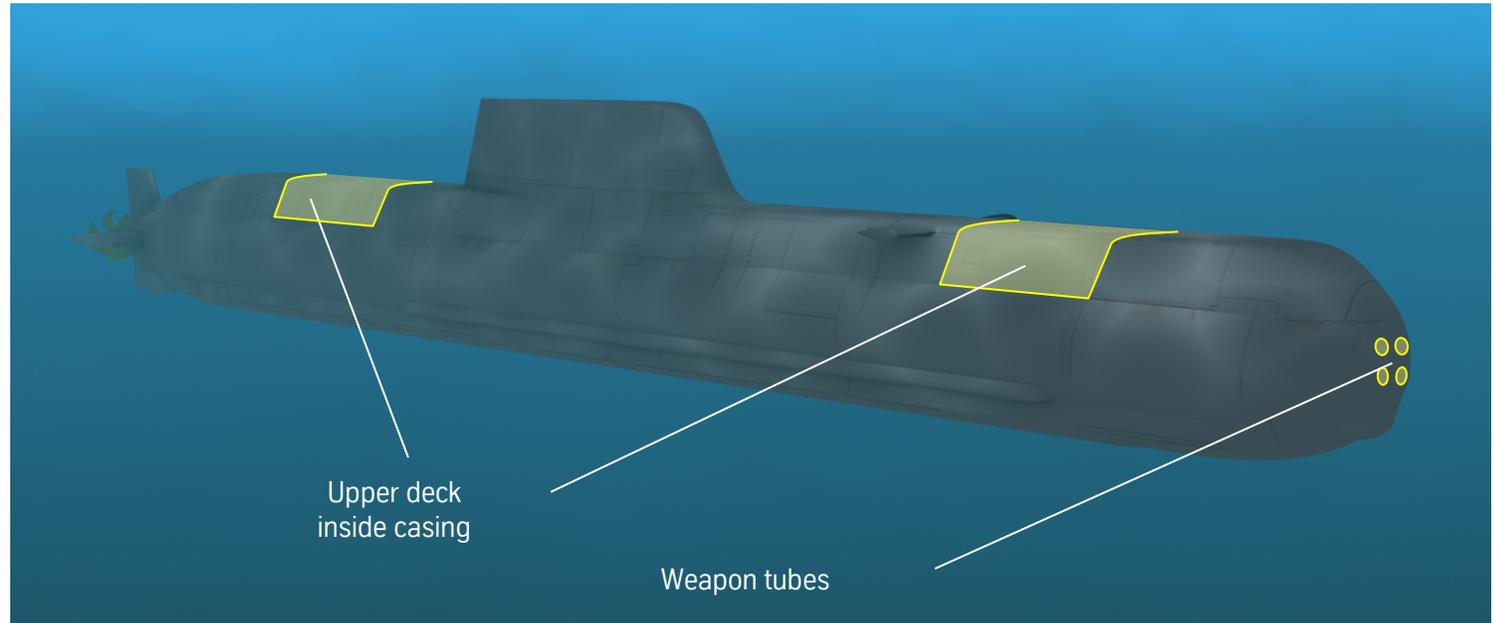


⇒ online data link to the submarine



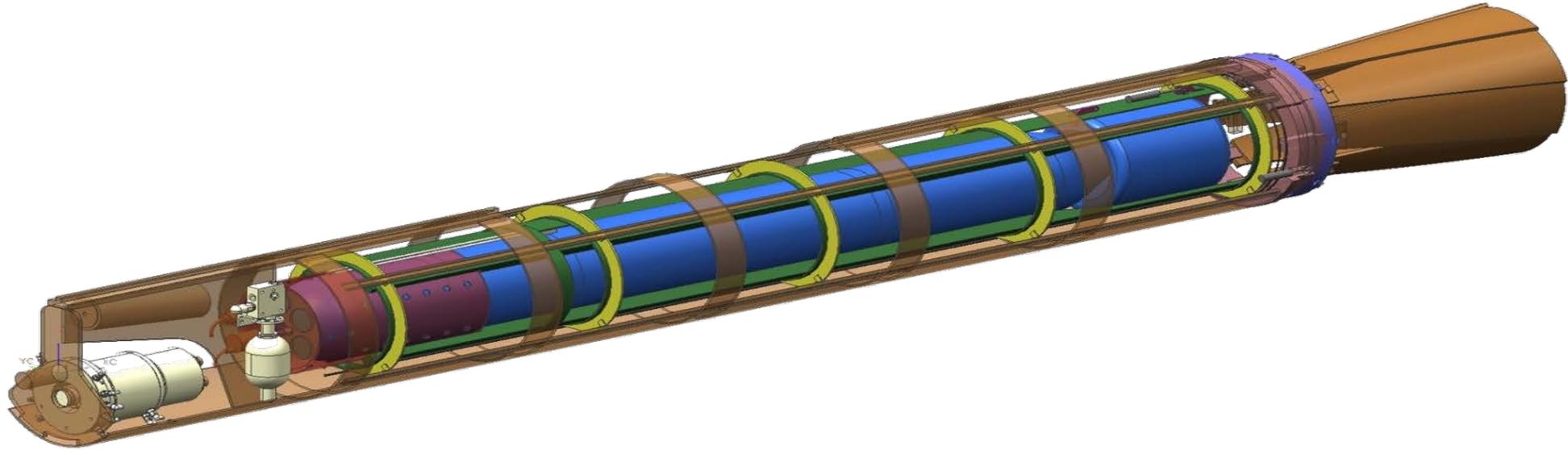
Concept Idea – UUV Launch & Recovery System for Submarines

- Capable for retrofitting on existing HDW Class Submarines
 - less conversion effort
 - easy to handle and simple interfaces
 - also for new submarine projects
 - Minimized negative influence on the present submarine performance
 - no additional signatures
 - not visible if the submarine is surfaced
 - no disturbing flow noise around stowage devices
 - no further appendages
 - no increased drag or manoeuvring limitations for the submarine
 - no/minimal increased weight
- ⇒ Only two options for integration UUVs on submarines.



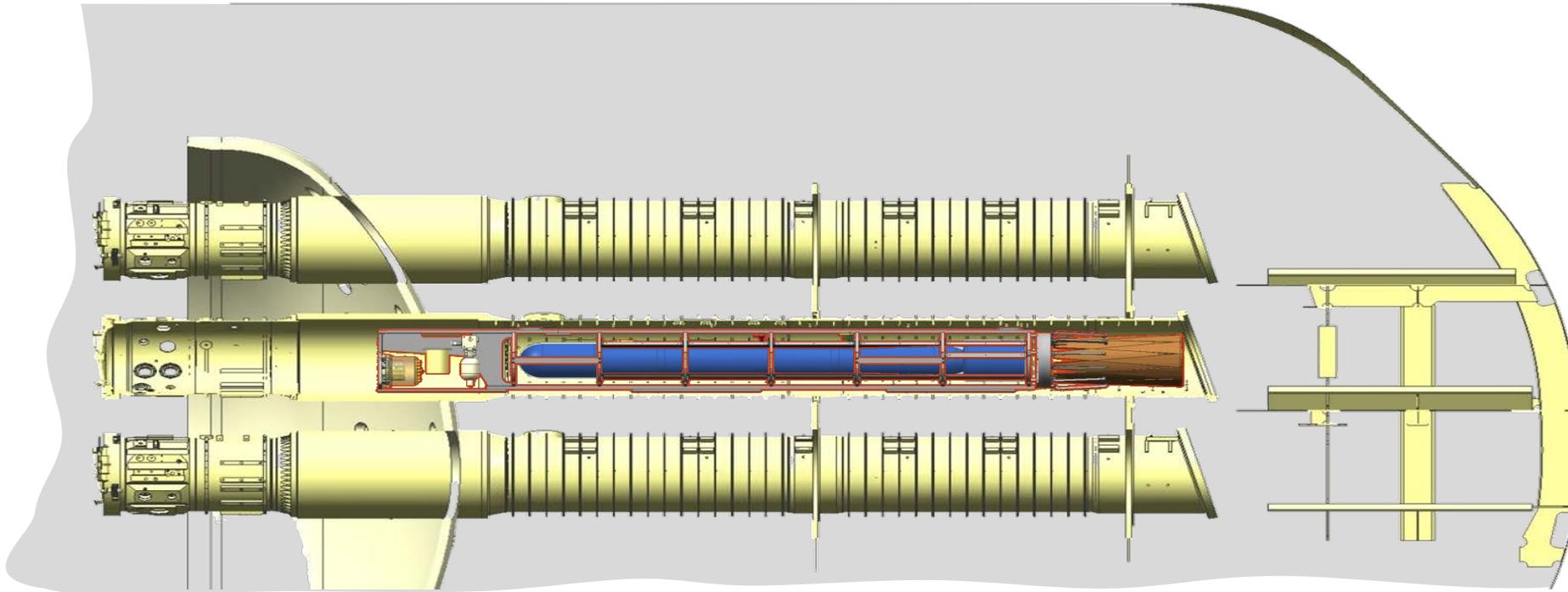
Launch & Recovery System for Weapon Tubes

- e.g. AUV DAVID made by Diehl BGT Defences



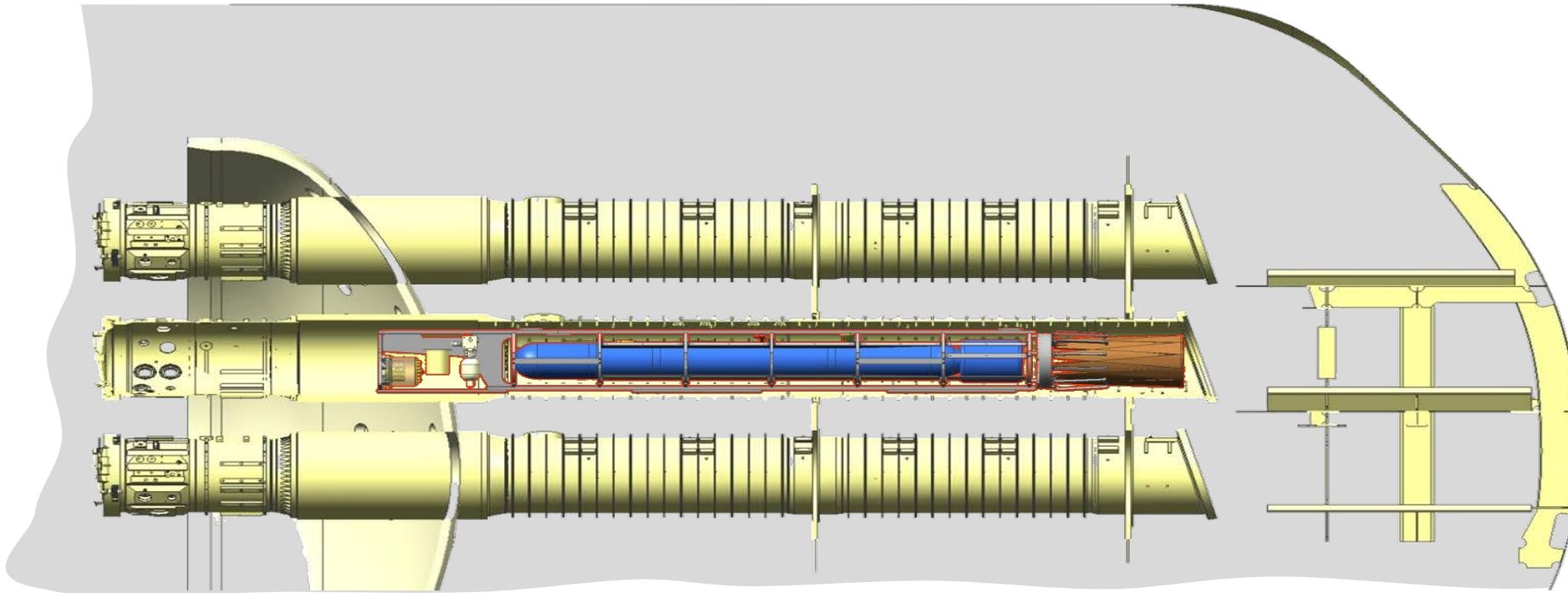
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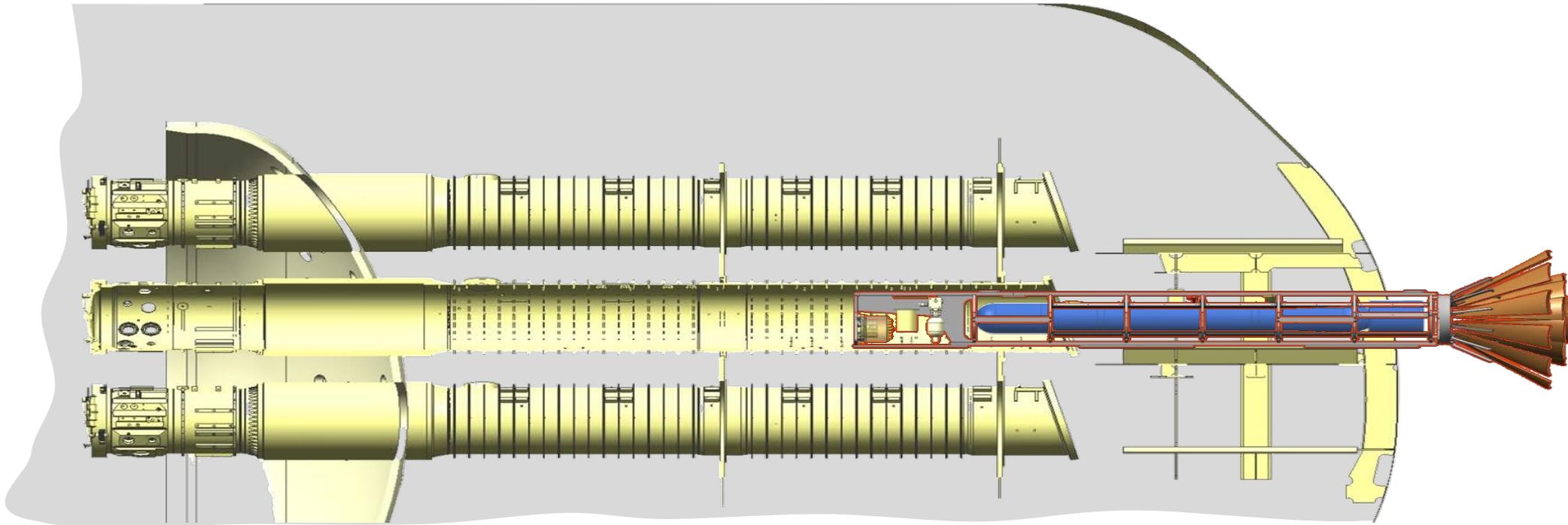
Launch & Recovery System for Weapon Tubes

- Horizontal movement in the weapon tube



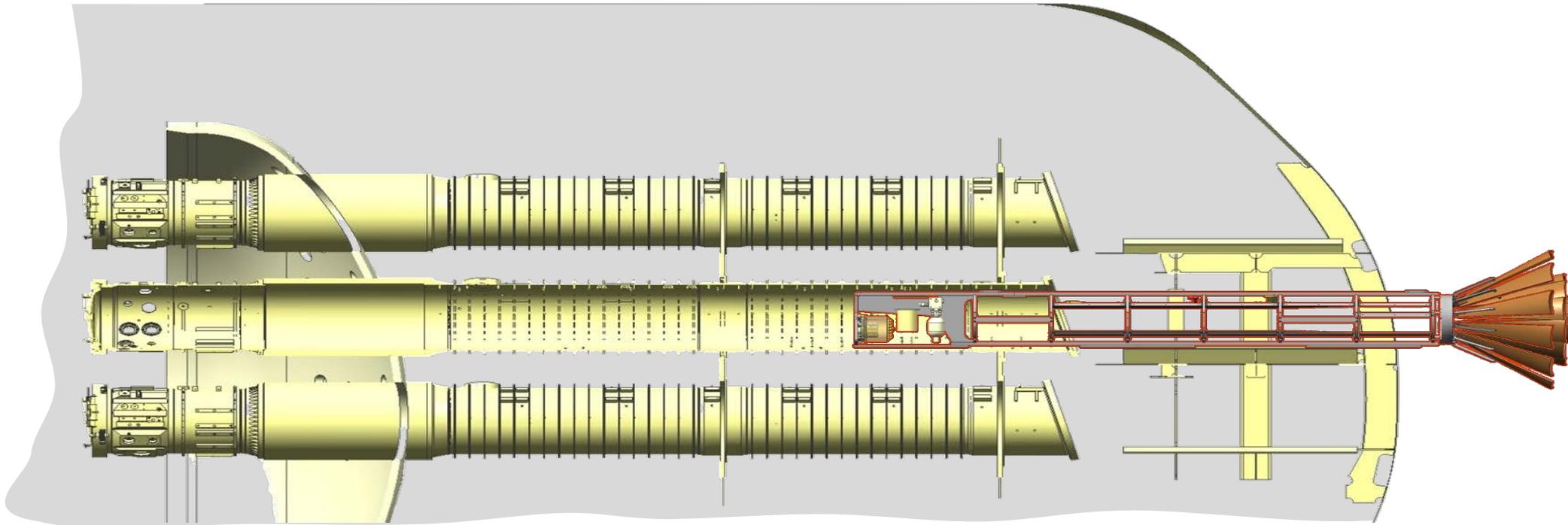
Launch & Recovery System for Weapon Tubes

- Launching of the AUV



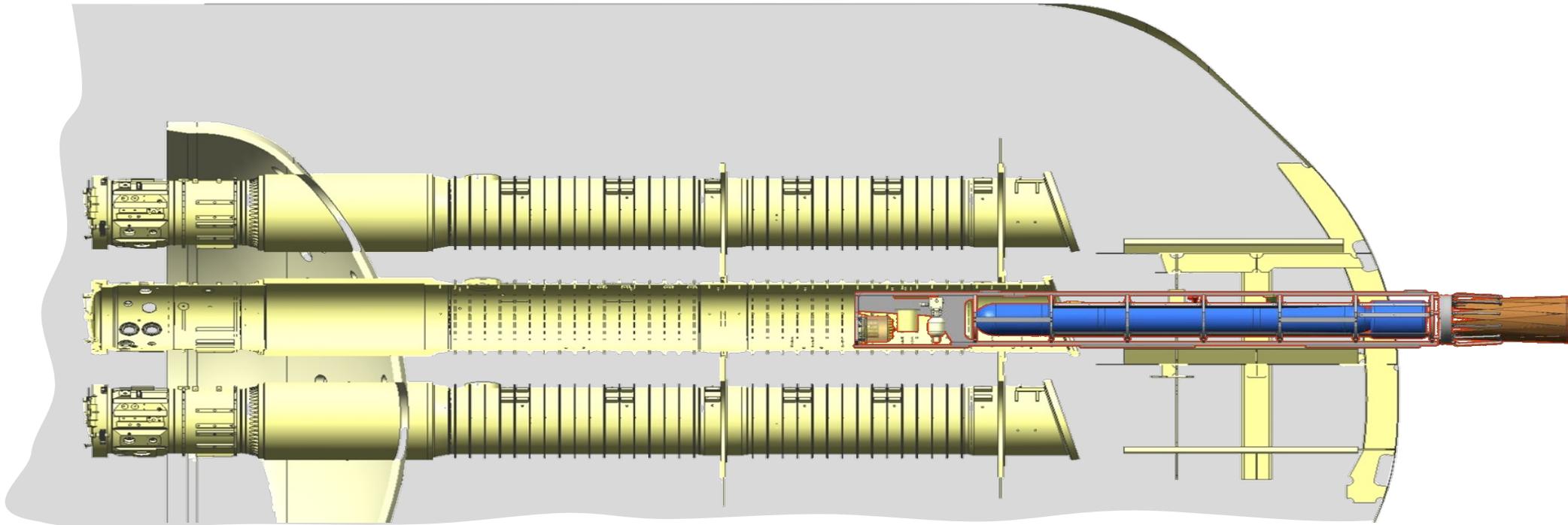
Launch & Recovery System for Weapon Tubes

- Recovery of the AUV



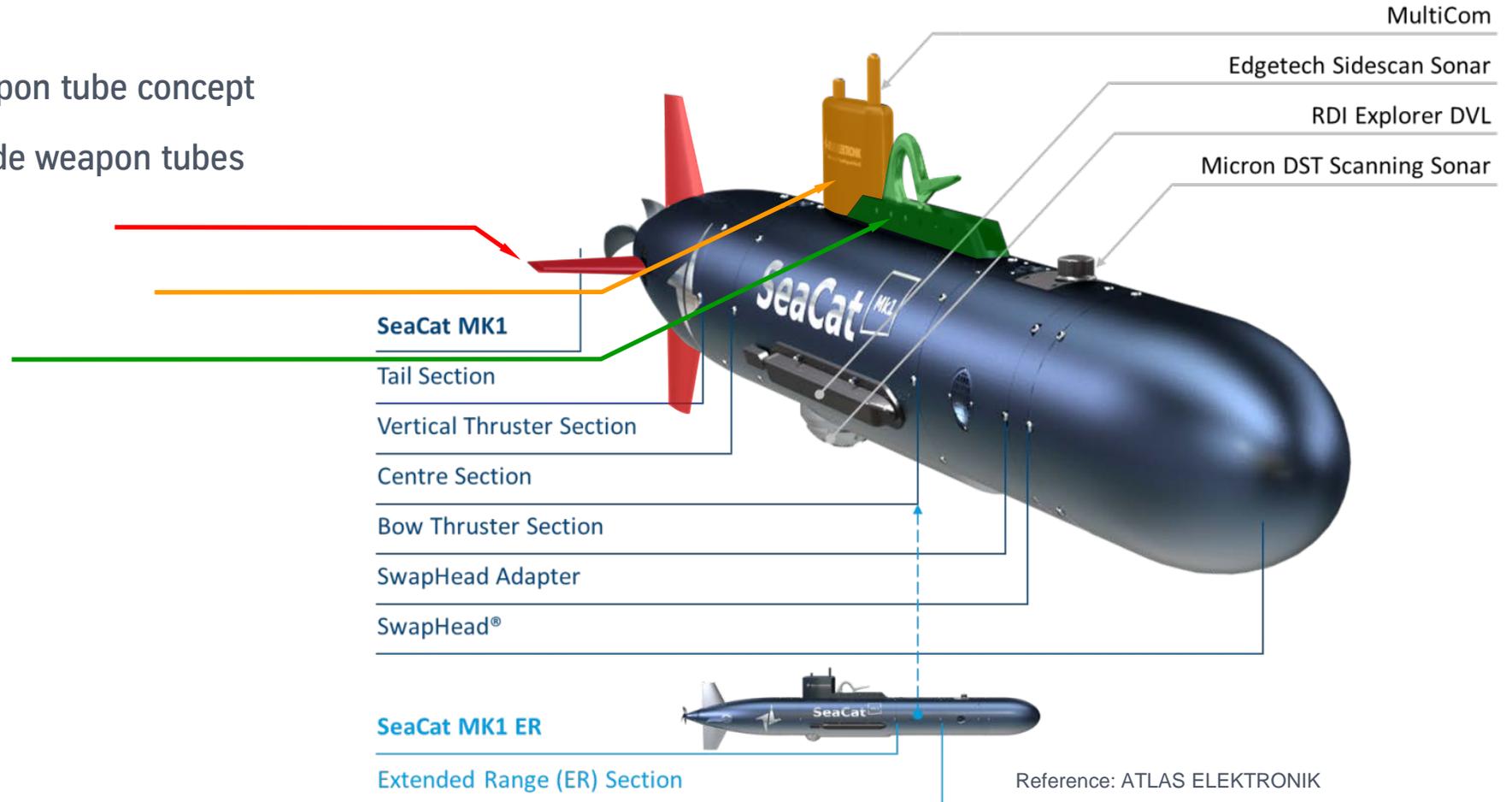
Launch & Recovery System for Weapon Tubes

- Retraction into the weapon tube.



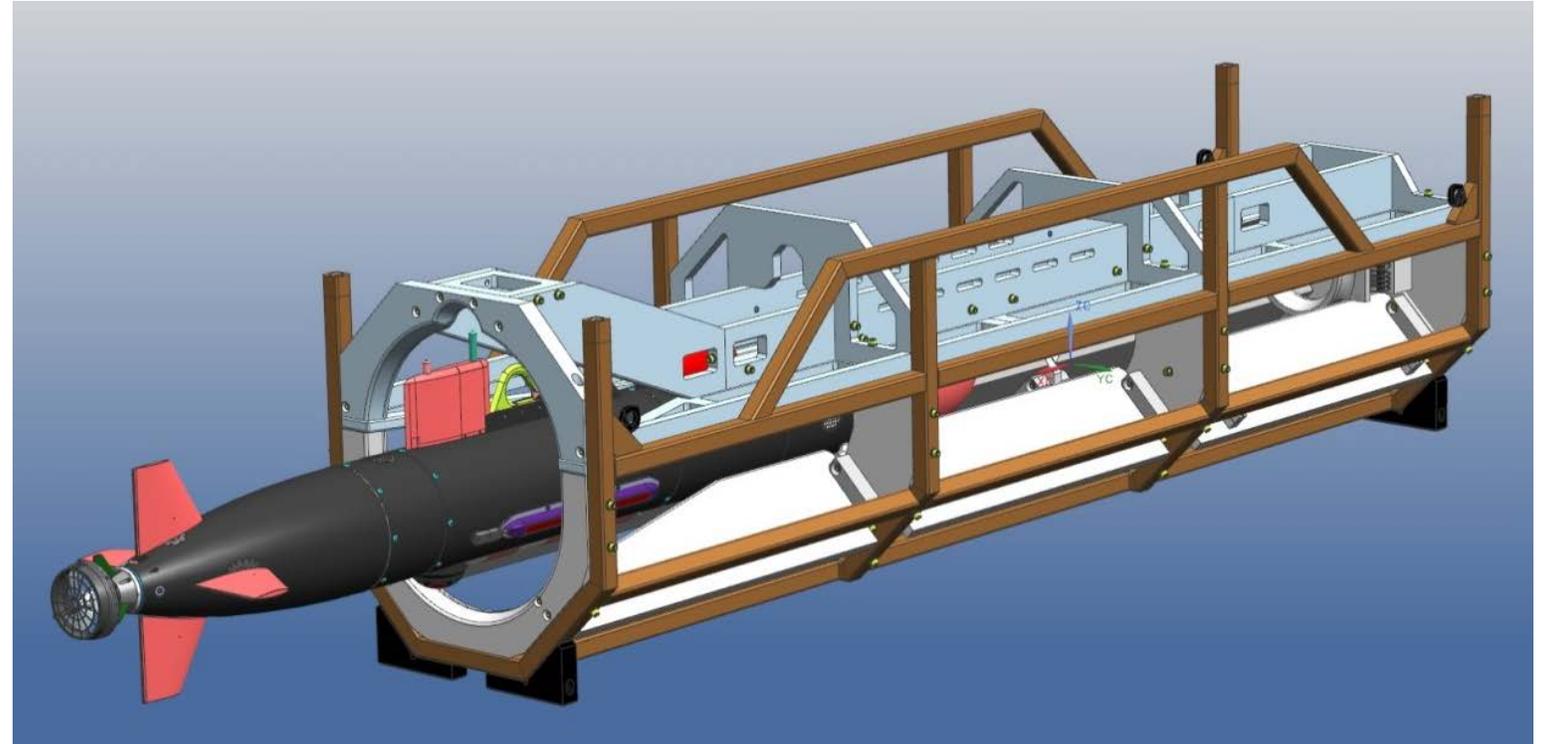
SeaCat MKI (ATLAS ELEKTRONIK)

- Main dimension fit for weapon tube concept
 - Modification for use inside weapon tubes
 - Ruder dimensions
 - Sail and com antenna
 - Recovery hook



Continuation with SeaCat MKI

- Experience with launch & recovery procedure
- Next practical trials focusing
 - autonomous location
 - reacting on movements of submarine
 - data communication
- Interim launch & recovery device for SeaCat MKI



Latest Harbour Trials Summer 2015



- Autonomous locating...
- and docking of SeaCat MKI into interim launch & recovery device
- ...and launching

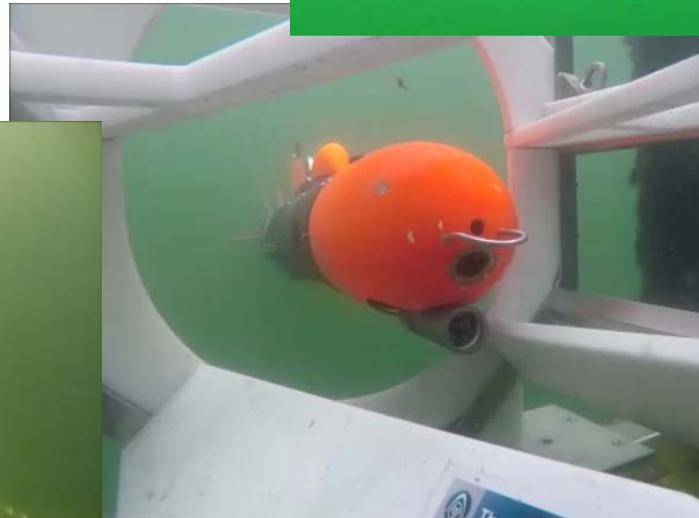
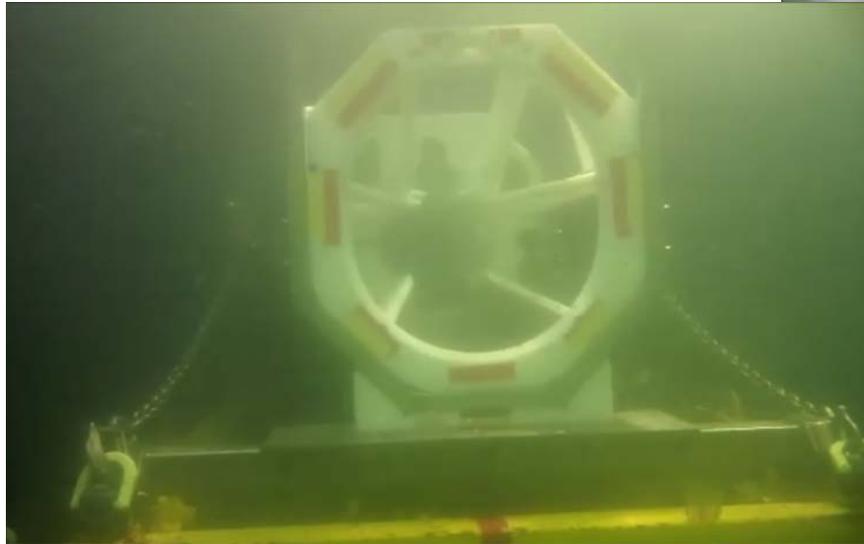


Reference: thyssenKrupp Marine Systems & ATLAS ELEKTRONIK



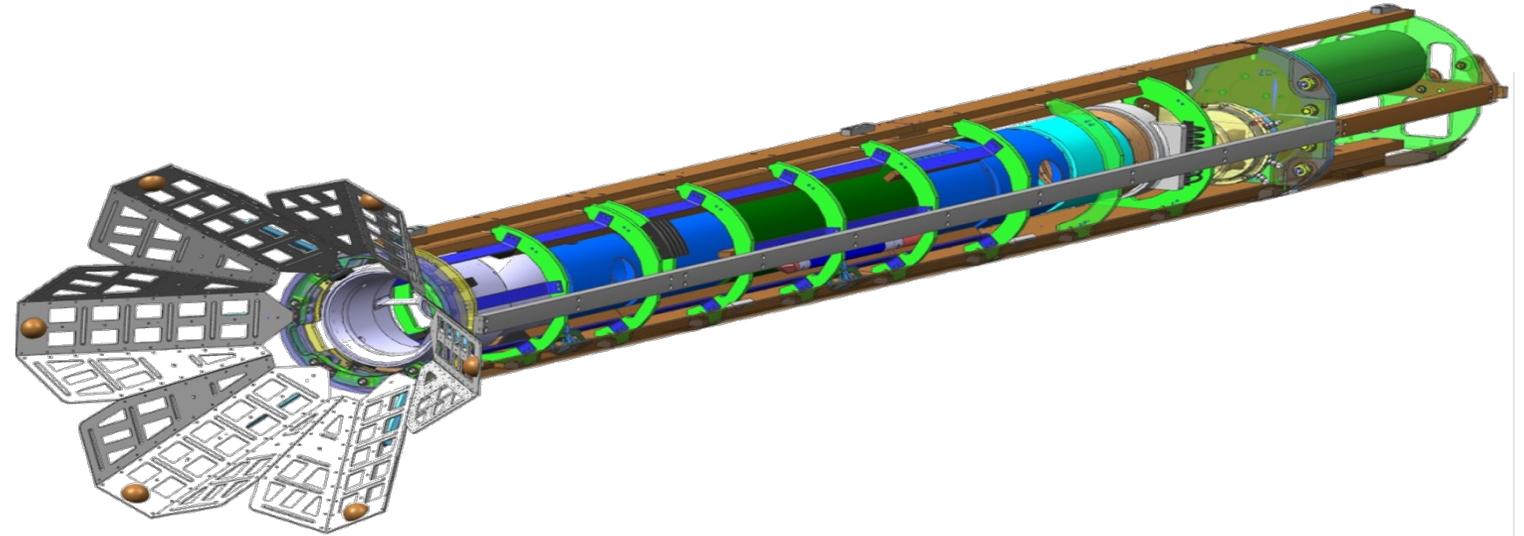
Conclusion

- Reached Aims at launch & recovery
 - Mechanical function demonstrated
 - Drive in & out by AUV impellent
 - Autonomous locating and manoeuvring to recovery device



Results and Next Steps

- Functionality of the weapon tube L&R device was demonstrated at harbour trails
- Modification on our launch & recovery system for trials inside a weapon tube
- Changeover to the SeaCat System from ATLAS ELEKTRONIK .

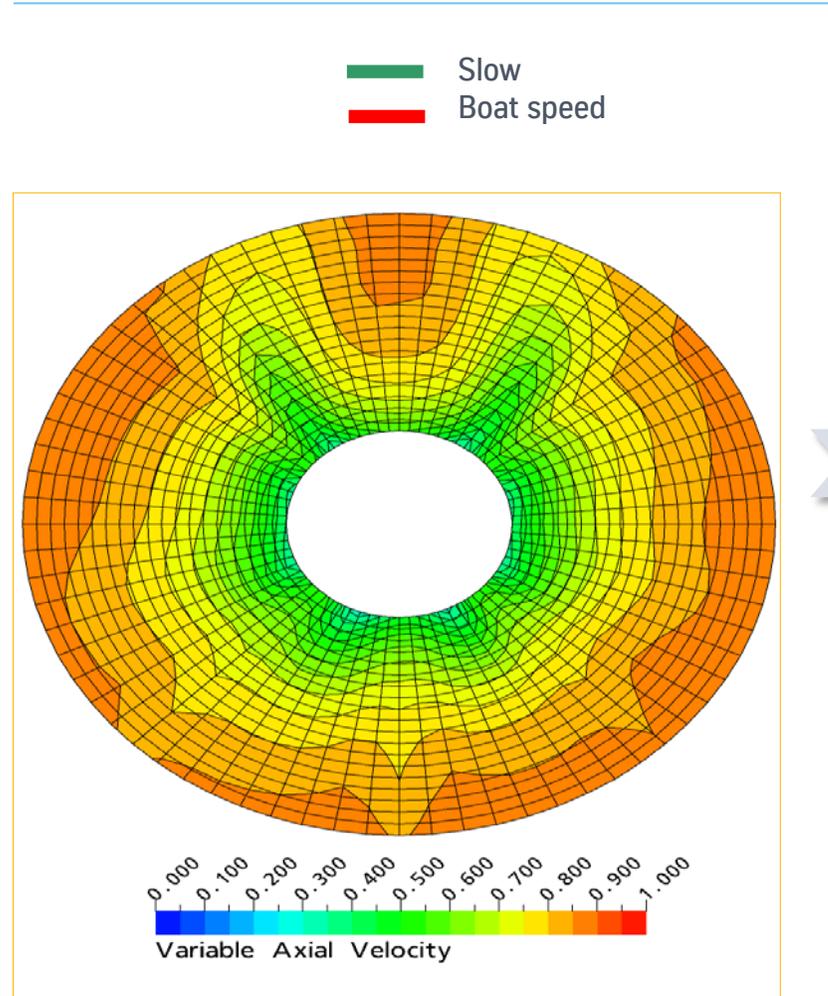


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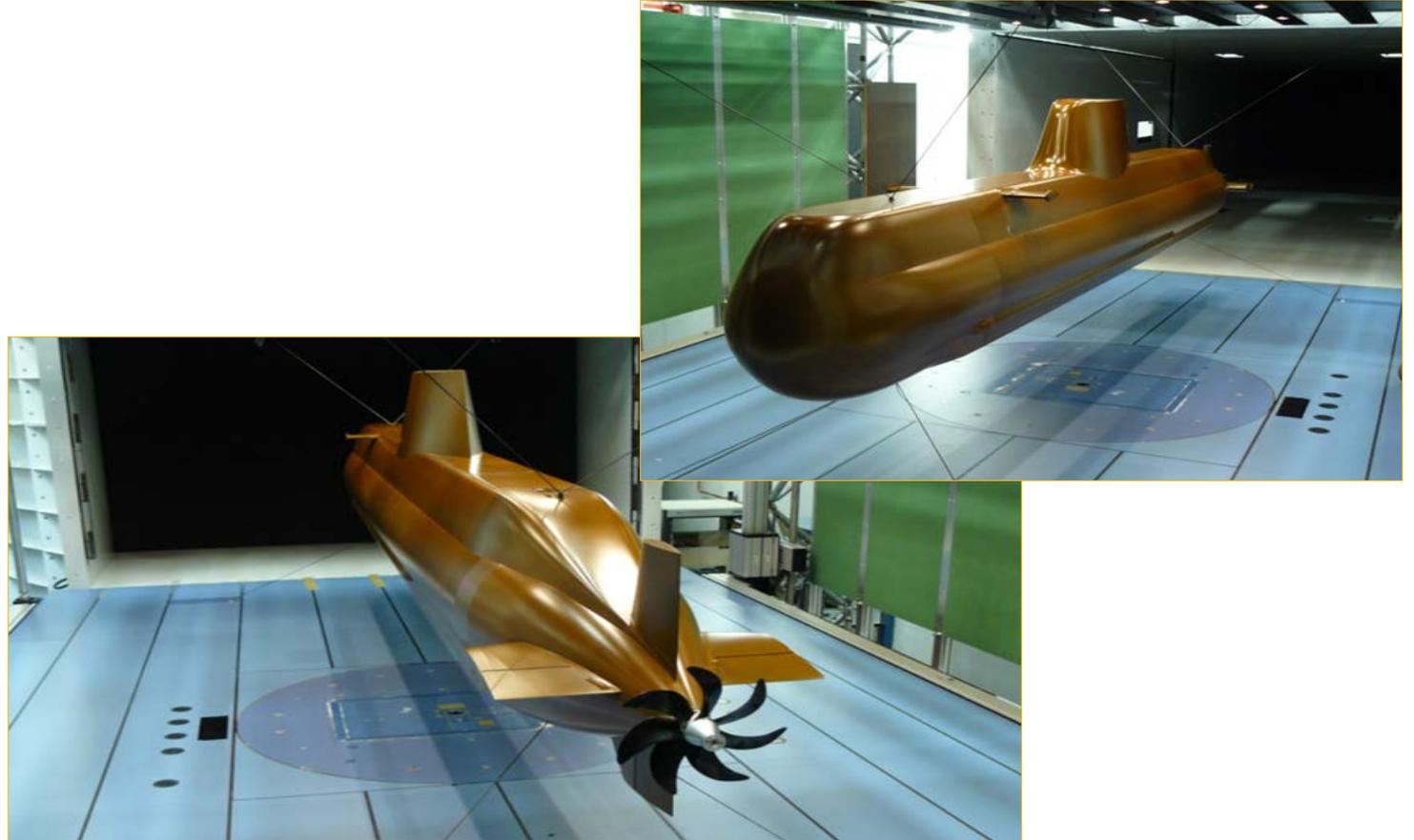


Propeller Design: Inhomogeneous Inflow to the Propeller

Simulations ...

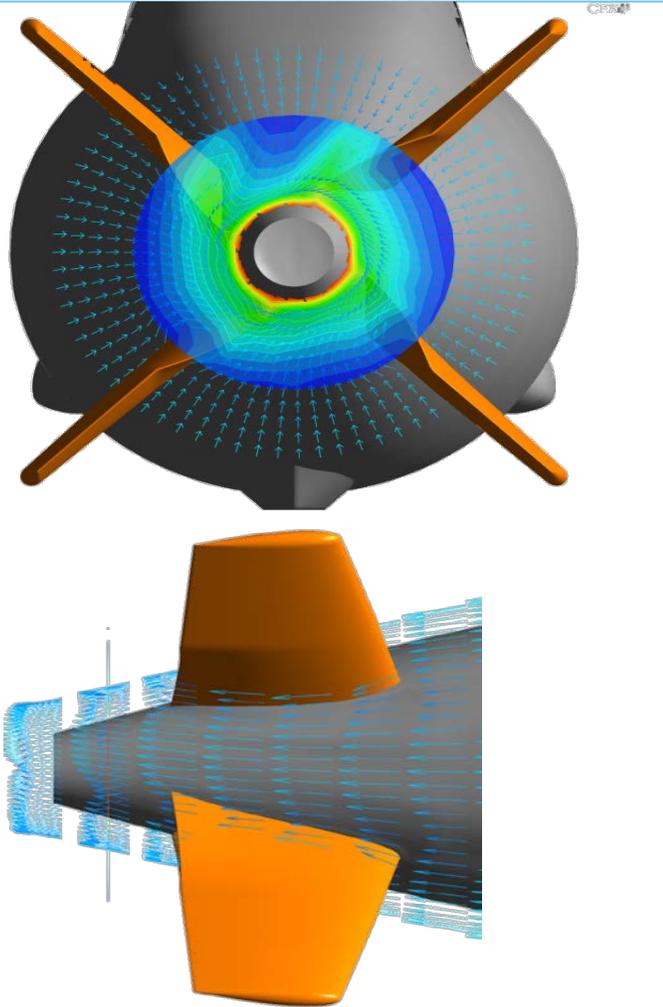


... verified by model tests

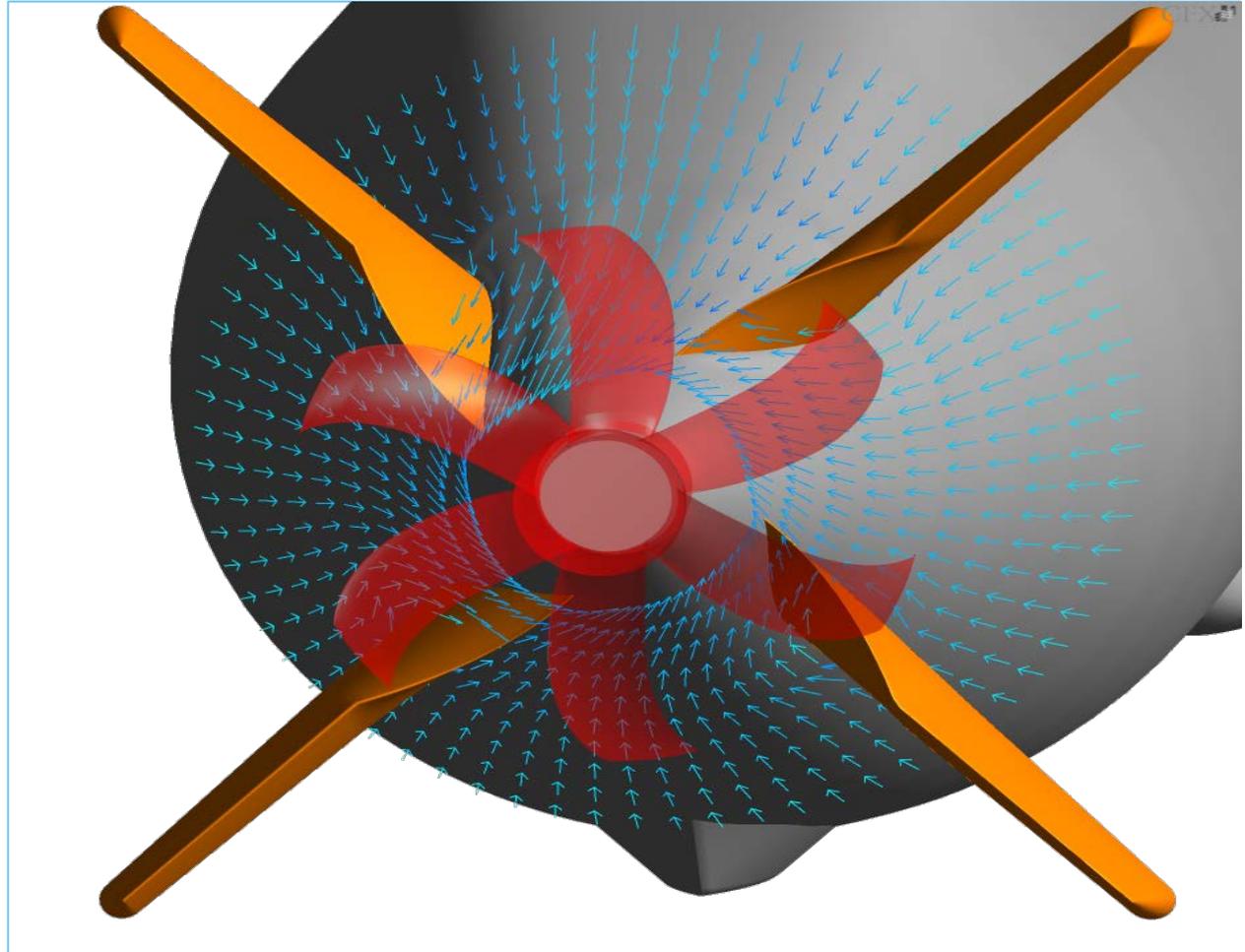


Pre-swirl Rudder

Front of the Propeller

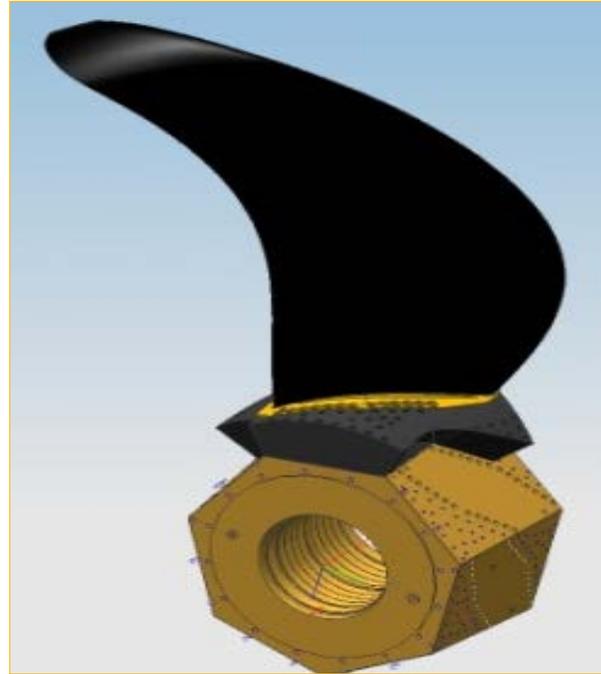
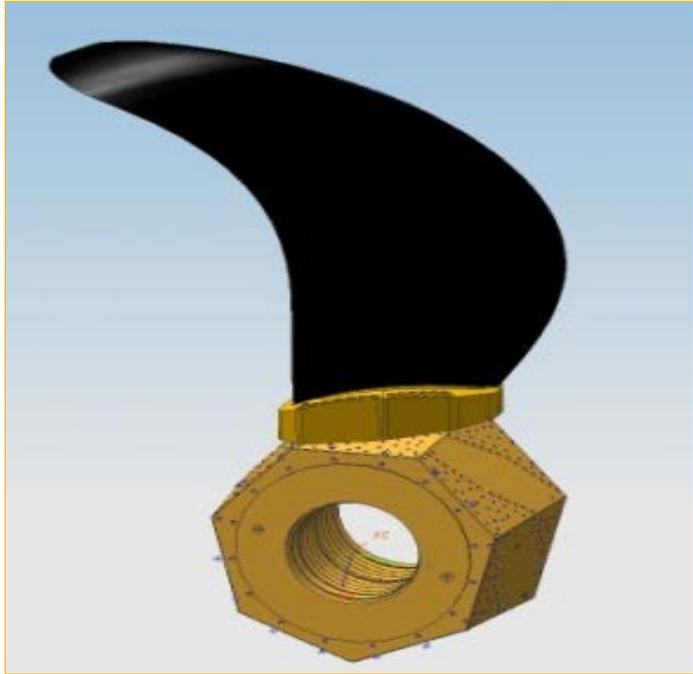


Behind the Propeller



Composite Propeller - Design Principle

Blades individually screwed to the hub for ease of individual replacement

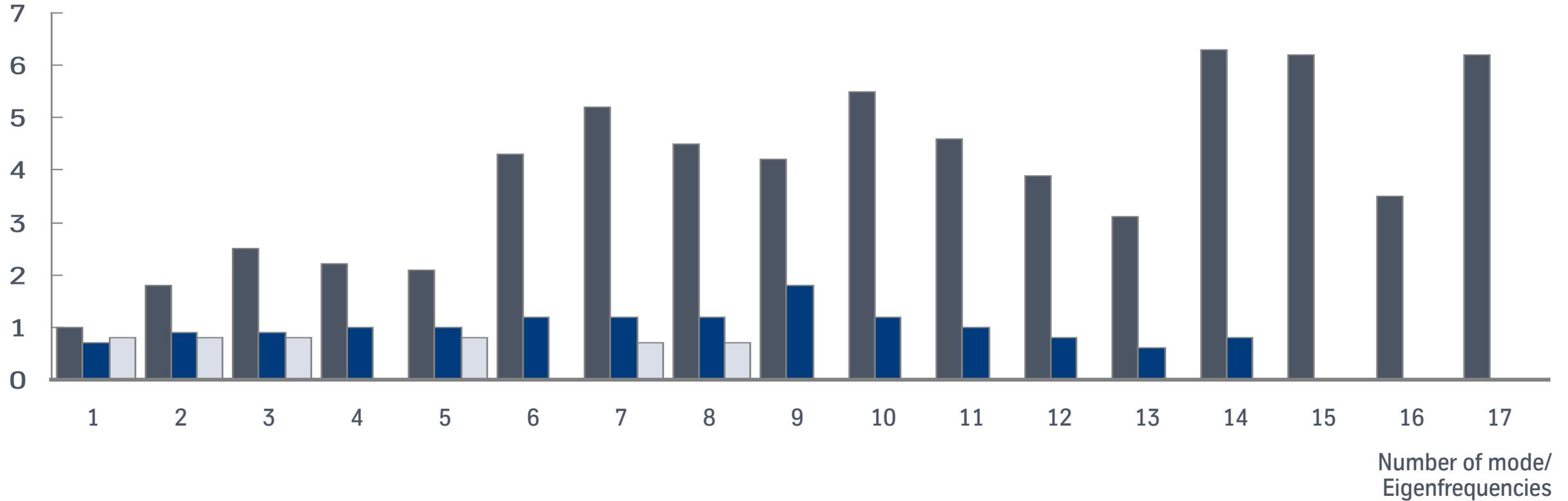


Comparison of modal Loss Factors of different Propellers

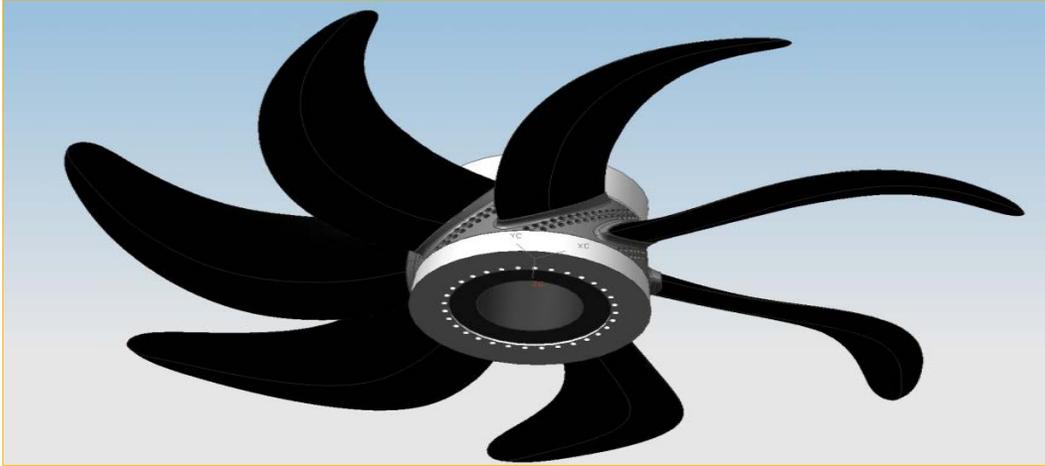
- tkMS inhouse production
- AIR modComp2
- Sonoston

Loss Factors

Loss factor
percent



FRP Propeller

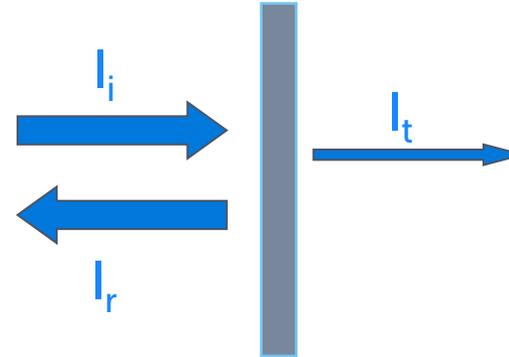


- Replaceable Blades
- Reduced Weight
- Improved Resilience
- Improved Shape and Manufacturing Precision
- Under Verification with German Navy

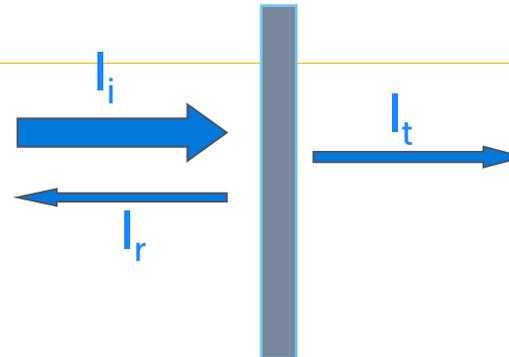


Acoustic Coating - Types

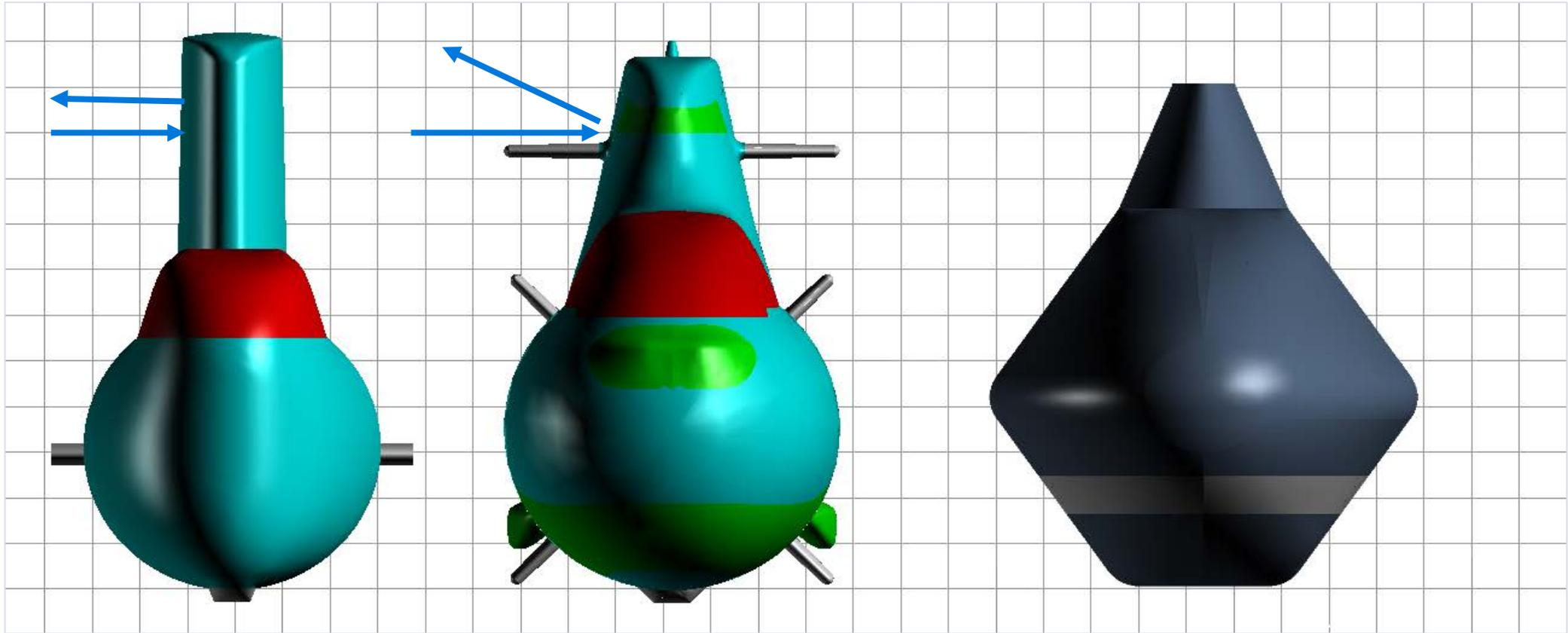
*Transmission Loss
Coating (TLC)
(Minimized transmitted
intensity):*



*Anechoic
Coating (ANC)
(Absorbing material):*



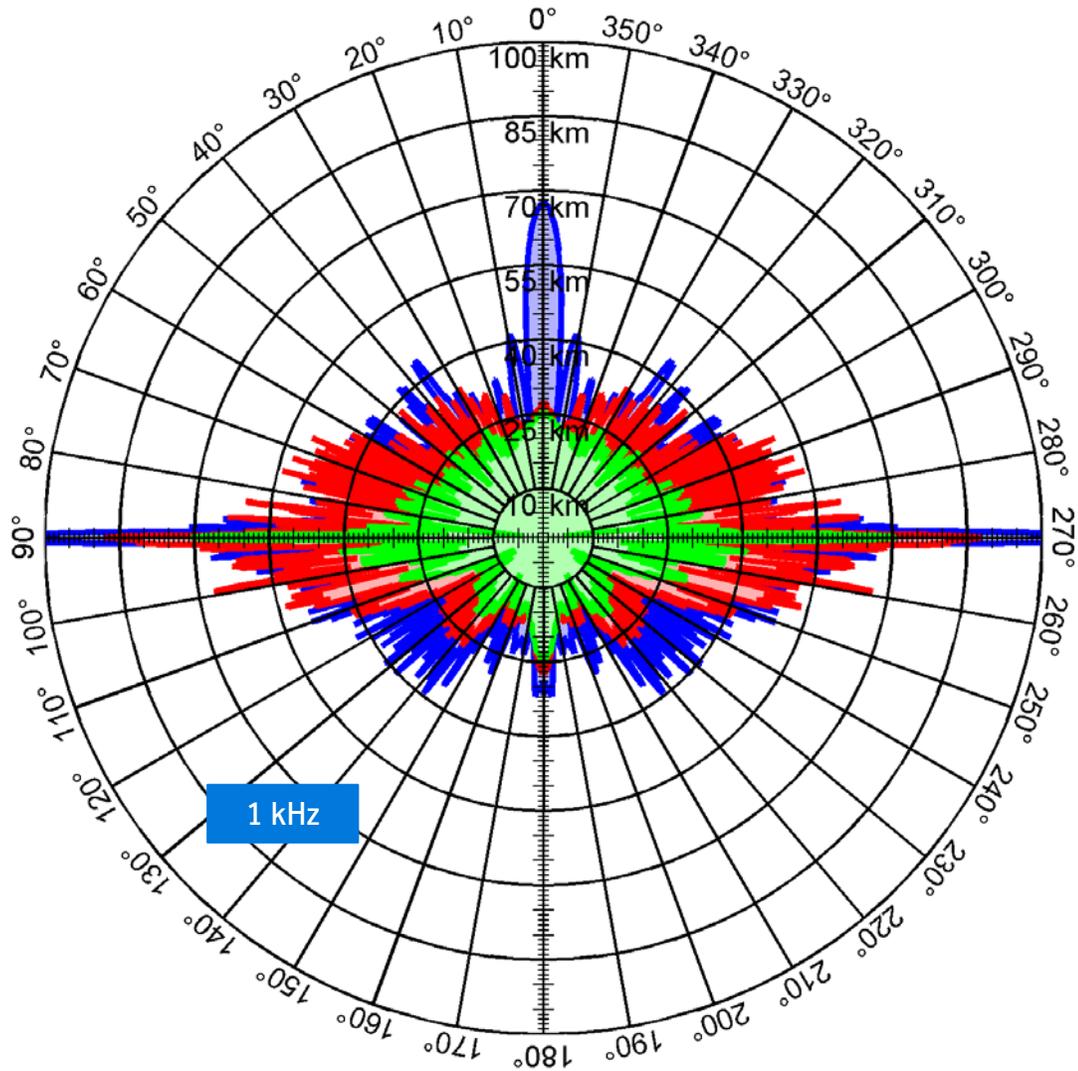
Acoustic Coating



Shaping designed to
achive low target echo strength values



Acoustic Coating - Detection Range: BeTSSi *) Comparison



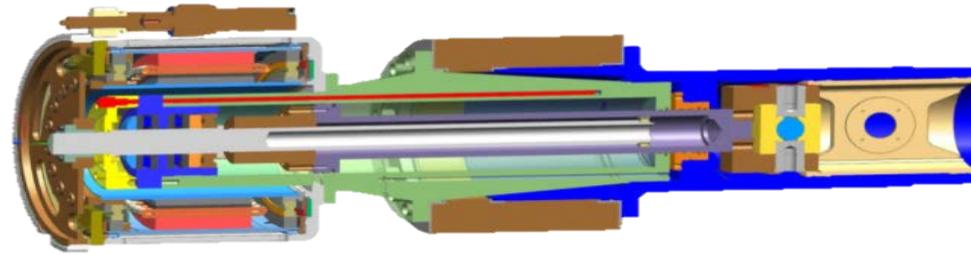
Sub	Detection Area
BeTSSi	3910 km ²
BeTSSi Coated	3111 km ²
BeTSSi Shaped	1472 km ²

Sub	Detection Range
BeTSSi	121 km
BeTSSi Coated	88 km
BeTSSi Shaped	70 km

*) Standard submarine for TES simulations



Some more Examples



- Electrical rudder actuator
- UUV integration
- TCM Systems
- ...

