

# **Uptake and Market Development of Wind Propulsion Technologies: A Hybrid Solution**

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## International Windship Association Network

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#### **IWSA Activities**

- Network members, events, publications
- Promote communications
- Incubate projects, accelerator, hubs
  - Educate seminars, research
- Facilitate standards, policy

#### Membership & Organisation

- Structure NPO, elected board, member-driven
- Growth 12 members (2014) 130+ (2020)
- Wider Network 1000+

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• Advisory – IMO, EU, National Govts

#### HUB DEVELOPMENT

- Europe Atlantic (Nantes, Fra)
- Europe North Sea & Baltic
- North America (Vancouver)
- N.E. Asia (JP-KOR-CHN)
- South Pacific (Fiji, RMI)



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**1.5C Target:** All ships designed and built today must operate in a net zero emissions world at the end of their service life."

# What can Wind Propulsion Deliver?

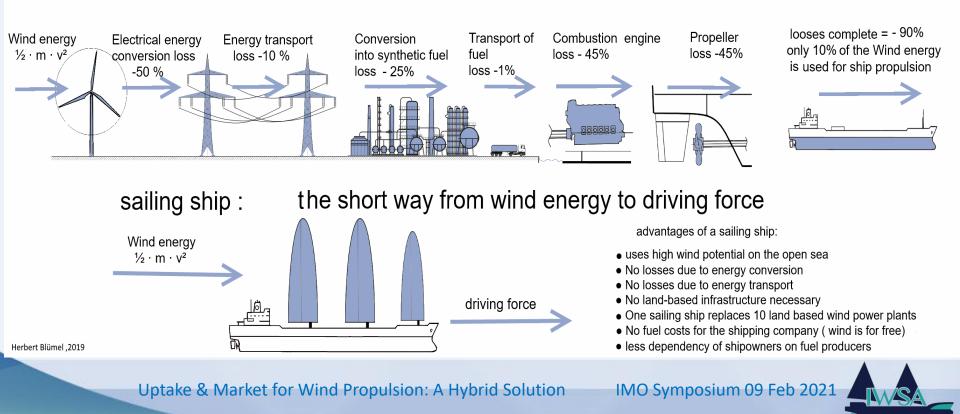
ZERO-EMISSIONS ENERGY COMPONENT TODAY RETROFIT: 5-20% propulsive energy delivery & potential up to 30% OPTIMISED NEWBUILD: 50-80%+ possible with operational changes RESILIENCE & EFFICIENCY

UNIQUELY AVAILABLE TO SHIPPING

# **Direct Application of Wind Power**

Primary Renewable – <u>abundant</u> energy, delivered directly at the point of use, <u>no cost</u> for life of vessel + <u>no new infrastructure</u> ++ no <u>onboard storage</u> Facilitates Secondary Renewables (H, NH3, Battery etc.) - by reducing power requirements, +++ <u>range extender</u> +++ <u>speed/power option</u> +++ <u>onboard production</u> potential

power 2 fuel concept: the long way from wind energy to driving force...



# Hybrid W.A.V.E.

WIND	+ ACTIVITY +	Vessel	+	Eco-fuels
Wind –assist or Primary wind power (Primary Renewable)	Operational optimisation	Vessel optimisation		Renewable energy or waste-derived fuels (Secondary Renewables)
<ul> <li>-retrofit wind-assist</li> <li>(5-20% savings –</li> <li>possible up to 30%)</li> <li>-newbuild primary</li> <li>wind 50%++</li> <li>-today's tech +optimise</li> <li>&amp; cheaper</li> <li>-lease/OPEX approach</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>-voyage &amp; fleet management</li> <li>-weather routing</li> <li>-speed reduction</li> <li>-virtual arrival</li> <li>-crew training</li> <li>-data/ blockchain</li> <li>-new business models etc.</li> </ul>	-design -size & capacity -energy management system -energy efficiency measures -air lubrication -reduced engine power etc.	6	<ul> <li>-2<sup>nd</sup> gen biofuels</li> <li>-batteries</li> <li>-synthetic fuels + CCS</li> <li>-bio-gas/liquids</li> <li>-H2 &amp; H2 carriers</li> <li>*Electric propulsion</li> <li>systems enables</li> <li>modular approach</li> </ul>
20-30%	+ 20% +	20-30%	4	20-40%

Note: All figures are estimates. Any one measure in each category could provide a significant % of the proposed total.

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### The Iron Triangle Challenge

#### Technology Available Now Ease of Retrofit Installations Predictability & Future Proofing

- secure % of fuel price & availability vs emissions legislation, stranded assets, carbon levys etc.

OPEX Approach: Pay-As-You Save Financing – Wind as a Service - Lease & Modular Rentals reduce CAPEX CAPEX Approach - ROI's - \$600/ton+ CARBON Approach – No external costs – carbon/eco- footprint

Certified - Classification Societies: Wind-Assist Guidelines.
 Compliant –COLREGS, Ports, Environment/Carbon.
 Modern - Automated, EMS Integrated, Weather Optimised
 Validated - 3rd Party Validation Platforms Development

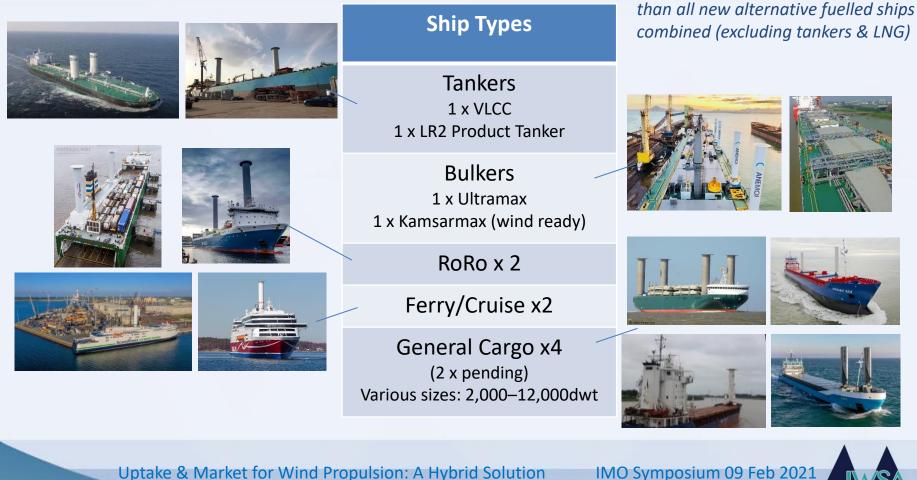
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#### Large Vessel Installations Today...

13 Ocean Going Vessels with Wind-assist systems installed by end of Q1 2021 + more than 20 small sail cargo, fisheries & cruise vessels in operation (following slide)





**NOTE:** More WPT vessels in operation

## Small Vessel & Traditional Sail Developments

**Operations:** Cargo



**Operations:** Fisheries



**Operations:** Cruise







Technology & Networks















Ship Designs



**Builds & Retrofits** 



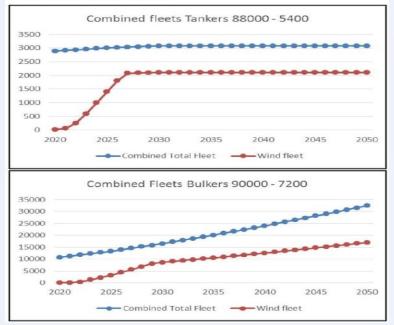


## **Market Forecasts & Pipeline Status**

End of 2022/23: Existing Pipeline – 47+ retrofit & newbuild vessels sea trialling & commercial operations + >30 smaller vessels. (NOTE: excludes any new commercial contracts made 2020-22) Robust R&D Pipeline: 30+ Additional technologies & projects under development worldwide

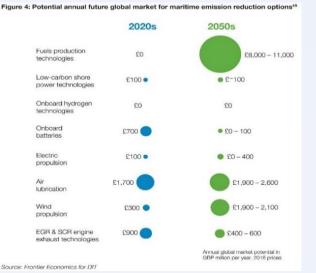
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#### **2050**s

UK Government <u>Clean Maritime Plan</u> (July 2019), research: **37,000 – 40,000 vessels with wind** propulsion systems installed or roughly 40-45% of the global fleet.



EU Report '...max. market potential for bulk carriers, tankers & container vessels = 3,700-10,700 installed systems until 2030 (varied by fuel price, speed, discount rate)

'Study on the analysis of market potentials & market barriers for Wind Propulsion Technologies for ships'. (CE Delft 2016/7)

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## **Project News...**

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**Ventifoil/Suction Wing** 2x10m installation – Van LouisDreyfus Dam Shipping. 2<sup>nd</sup>: Boomsma Shipping Q1,2021, Tharsis Sea-River Shipping 2 x wing sails Q2 2021



Silenseas Range 210m, 23,000GT, 410 pax./crew, 17kn wind +Solid sail system



DSIC

VLCC 300,000dwt: 2 x retractable wing sail sea trials completed – new build order 4 sails, 2022



**Rotorsail Installations & Projects** – New Build Bulker – delivery Q4 2021 + Rord Braren vessel Q1 2021 + Sea-Cargo 2 x tiltable rotors Q1 2021. Oldendorff Carriers JDP - 207,000 dwt Newcastlemax - 2022 Wartsila Service/Support +



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**Car Carrier design** – Oceanbird new build 2023/4: x wing sails <10 knots wind only. Launch 2024.





**Canopee** – Build started on 121m RoRo launch 2022 - 4 wing sails + LNG = 35% GHG savings



**Neoline** – Build contract with Neopolia – 2 x 136m RoRo primary wind vessels <80% fuel savings - launch 2023



**SGS** –Feasibility study complete + ESA develop fuel saving prediction system

**Wing sail system** – retrofit + operation system = 30% fuel saving – detailed design stage – installation on 1<sup>st</sup> tanker 2022 – CHEK H2020 project

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# **Projects and Collaborations**



#### **WASP: EU Interreg North Sea Project**

- Five wind-assist installations monitor & verify
- Develop business models
- Recommendations to help facilitate wind propulsion uptake.





**SA Collabora** 





#### **WiSP: Joint industry Project**

- Improve methods for transparent performance prediction + provide ship owners/operators with fast low-cost predictions for their fleet
- Review the regulatory perspective including status of rules and regulations, EEDI etc.



#### **Wind Propulsion Accelerator**

- Support WPT development: concept to market
- Five Wind Propulsion Hubs + Incubator Fund
- Test Fleet for WPT + Research + Training
- Installation & Newbuild Support Facility







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# Win-Wind Propulsion....



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