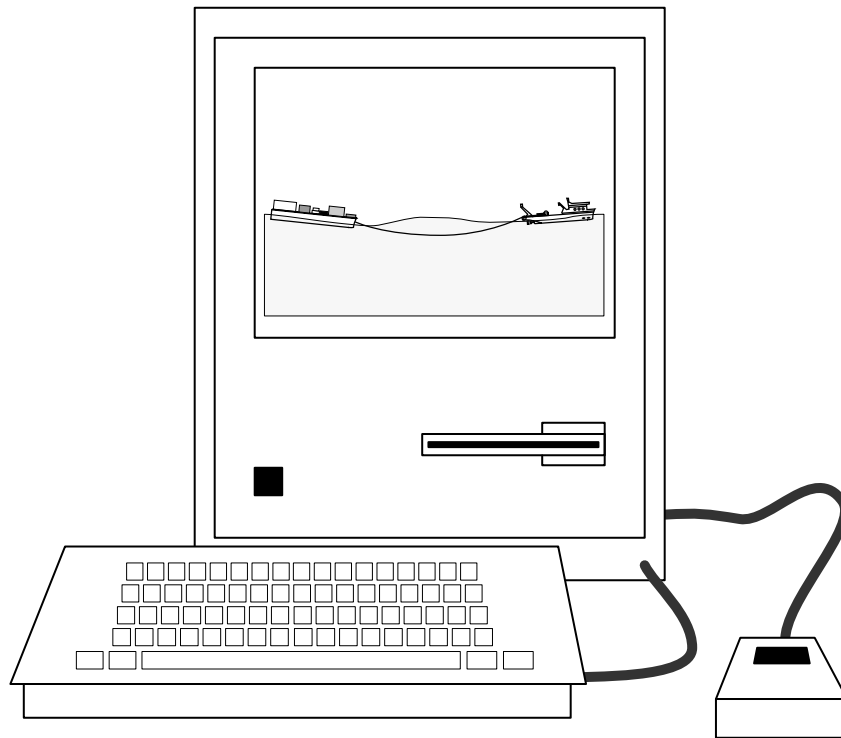


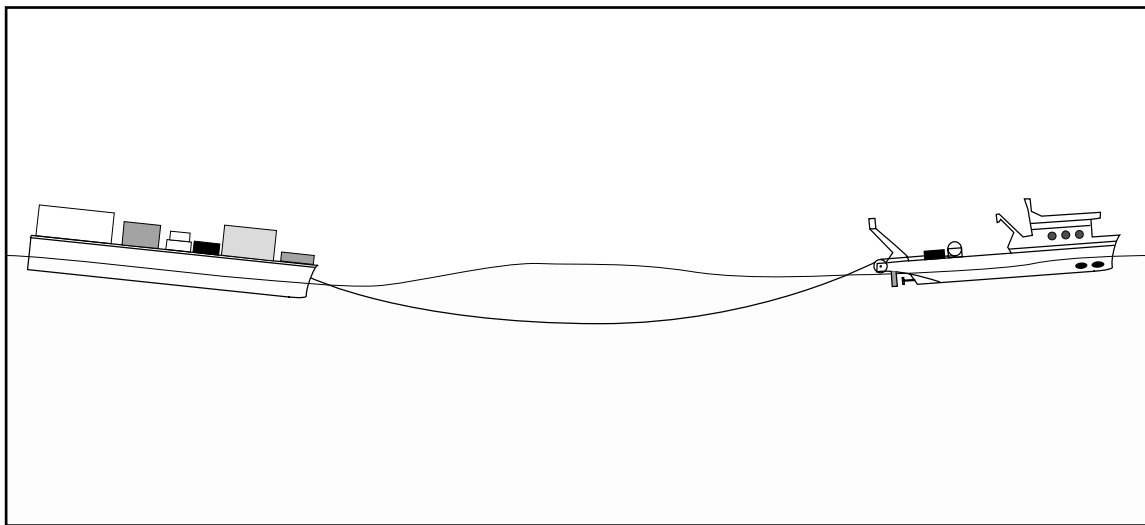
***Introducing Towsim™***  
***Tug, Barge, and Towline Analysis***  
***from SeaSoft® Systems***



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## *Description and Capabilities of Towsim*



### *Executive Summary*

**Towsim** is a comprehensive program used for design, evaluation, maintenance and failure analysis of simple or composite towlines used in open-ocean tug-barge-towline systems. It provides detailed towline and vessel performance data under arbitrary water depth and environmental conditions, including characteristic (r.m.s.) and peak towline loads in the forecast maximum storm for a particular route. The analysis can be used to optimize towline characteristics in trip planning for a specific route/environment and is suitable for on-board real-time use in an advisory capacity for setting optimal towline scope and/or optimal tug heading during storm penetration or survival preparations. Characteristics of the towline, including mass, hydrodynamic and elastic properties of each element of a multi-element towline, are

fully specifiable. Tug-barge-towline systems are characterized by extreme nonlinearities at every phase of performance analysis; **Towsim** fully accommodates these nonlinearities at all levels, including system statics, quasi-statics (low-frequency oscillations, produced by variable wind and wave-drifting forces, with typical periods of oscillation of one to ten minutes) and dynamics (wave-induced oscillations with typical periods of 4 to 30 seconds). Direct comparison of **Towsim's** nonlinear dynamic load calculation with the quasi-static catenary calculation often used as an approximation is provided as an output option. Execution is carried out in the frequency domain, resulting in short execution times and unambiguous predictions of statistical response.

## Introduction

**Towsim** models the highly nonlinear dynamics of a tug-barge-towline system with multi-element towline. Physical towline characteristics including mass, hydrodynamic and elastic properties of each element of a multi-element towline are fully specifiable. Long-period oscillations of the system are characterized and contributions to long-period motions from low-frequency components of variable wind and wave-drift force are computed. Towline load calculations, unlike quasi-static catenary calculations which are often erroneously applied in this situation, are fully dynamic and utilize a proprietary algorithm for the fast and efficient calculation of nonlinear low-frequency and wave-frequency dynamic load levels. It has been designed to provide a complete, wave-basin-type environment that functions in the following capacities:

### • *Towline Design*

**Towsim** provides detailed towline performance data for particular tug-barge-towline combinations under specifiable water depth and environmental conditions. This permits, for example, reliable estimation of peak towline loads in the forecast "maximum storm" for a particular route. This analysis can then be used to optimize towline characteristics for a specific route and vessel configuration.

### • *Route Planning*

**Towsim** is well-suited to route optimization analyses for routing around forecast significant weather systems. Such planning can reduce risk of towline failure in the event of worse-than-forecast conditions and can improve barge handling and tracking performance.

### • *Towline Evaluation & Failure Analysis*

The flexibility of **Towsim** with regard to variations in vessel, towline and environmental characteristics makes it useful for the evaluation of existing towline configurations and detailed analysis of line failures.

### • *Real-Time on-Board Advisory*

Microcomputer execution capability permits on-board installation of **Towsim** which can then be used to adjust towline payout and tugboat heading to achieve minimum line loads in given environmental conditions. This capability is particularly useful in extreme conditions when the probability of line failure is significant.

## Overview

The program comprises three distinct phases of calculation: "static", "low-frequency" (typical periods of oscillation of one to four minutes) and "wave-frequency" (typical periods of oscillation of 4 to 30 seconds).

### • *Statics*

Calculates static offset characteristics of the towline which may comprise up to ten uniform, nonlinear elastic sublines; each of these can be assigned arbitrary mass, elastic and hydrodynamic properties. The calculation incorporates a proprietary (analytically exact) treatment of the nonlinear catenary-elastic behavior of towline materials.

For determination of mean towline profile, any one of the following "boundary conditions" may be specified: mean line tension at tugboat, mean horizontal line tension component, mean tug-barge separation, mean line departure angle from horizontal at tugboat.

The user-interface program has extensive help capabilities to provide weight, elasticity and breaking strength estimates for a wide range of towline materials including wire rope, chain, Kevlar, polypropylene and nylon.

### • *Low-Frequency Dynamics*

Low-frequency tug-barge relative oscillations can be excited by slowly-varying wind and current speeds and by the action of second-order wave-drift forces. The highly nonlinear force-separation characteristic of this dynamical system requires a fully nonlinear

model of the low-frequency dynamics; **Towsim** uses a carefully crafted energy-based model to account for these nonlinearities. Built-in analytical models for all low-frequency exciting forces are used to estimate the resulting oscillations in vessel separation and towline tension. Wave-drift forces are automatically computed; alternatively, wave-drift force coefficients can be supplied by the user for special applications.

Damping of low-frequency oscillations is determined using a fully nonlinear model for current, wind, wave and towline damping contributions. The characteristic period and amplitude of the low-frequency contribution to motions and line tension oscillations are output.

### • **Wave-Frequency Dynamics**

Wave-excited dynamics are characterized by extensive regular and irregular wave calculations. These features provide complete flexibility for modelling of realistic under-way conditions as well as model-basin test conditions.

**Regular wave analysis:** Wave-frequency contributions to vessel motions are computed at the mean tug-barge separation as determined by the specified mean towline profile. This calculation is done by one or more of the SeaSoft vessel motion programs; for example **Shipsim** or **Jacksim**. Alternatively, vessel motion RAOs can be user-supplied. Vessel motion calculation is carried out in the frequency domain and wave-frequency vessel motions are assumed to be uninfluenced by towline tension oscillations. (Low-frequency vessel motions, by contrast, are determined ONLY by towline tension oscillations.) Calculation of maximum and minimum towline tension values at tug and barge due to regular wave excitation is fully nonlinear. Regular wave characteristics including amplitude, period and direction relative to tugboat heading are specifiable.

**Irregular wave analysis:** The results of regular wave response calculations for tug and barge are superposed to provide irregular wave towline endpoint motion statistics. These endpoint motions are then used in turn as input for a nonlinear irregular wave analytical model of towline tension oscillations.

The outputs from these calculations are statistics of relative endpoint motions and towline tension oscillation at each end, including maximum/minimum expected tension values for a given storm duration. The irregular wave calculation can be done for a wide choice of irregular wave spectra and for either long-crested irregular waves such as those produced in a wave basin, or naturally occurring short-crested irregular waves. In addition an independent swell component of arbitrary height, period and direction can be specified simultaneously with the irregular sea.

For towline design purposes the analysis of system response to wave excitation, described above, is supplemented by a wave-frequency analysis of towline performance which is unencumbered by the complex phasing of the six degrees of vessel motion in a wave field. This analysis comprises, at each specified period of oscillation, a simulated constant amplitude tangential motion of one end of the towline. This motion thereby serves to excite towline tension oscillations; there is no motion of the opposite end. This supplementary capability is useful for standardized quantitative characterization of towline performance at wave frequencies.

### • **Characteristic & Peak Tension Estimates**

**Towsim** provides a variety of options for characterization of towline loads in irregular wave conditions, including estimates of the mean tension level, the one or two standard deviation tension level, the most probable peak tension level in a storm of given duration, and upper and lower bounds to the peak tension level in a storm of given duration. The bounding calculations are useful because they are independent of assumptions relating to the statistical independence or correlations between low- and wave-frequency load contributions.

The following appendices document a typical trial run of **Towsim**. Appendix A contains samples of operator console displays presented during a session with the user-interface program used to create and modify the data file required for program execution. Appendix B contains overall system-related tabular output from **Towsim**. Appendix C contains sample tug-specific output. Appendix D contains sample barge-specific output.



\*\*\*\* Page 5: Tug Environmental Area, Moment and Enhancement Data \*\*\*\*

Include <<Wind?>> Yes

2) Head-on wind effective drag area ..... 118.00 square meters  
 3) Head-on wind drag area centroid (from CG) ..... .00 meter  
 4) Beam-on wind effective drag area ..... 550.00 square meters  
 5) Beam-on wind drag area centroid (from CG) ..... .00 meter  
 6) Wind force enhancement factor ..... 1.00

10) Include <<Current?>>? Yes

11) Head-on current effective drag area ..... 59.00 square meters  
 12) Head-on current drag area centroid (from CG) ... .00 meter  
 13) Beam-on current effective drag area ..... 225.00 square meters  
 14) Beam-on current drag area centroid (from CG) ... .00 meter  
 15) Current force enhancement factor ..... 1.00

20) Head-on <<wave drift force>> enhancement factor 1.00

\*\*\*\* Page 6: Barge Hydrostatic Characteristics \*\*\*\*

1) Vessel displacement ..... 6034.00 metric tons  
 2) Transverse metacentric height (KMT)..... 32.20 meters  
 3) Longitudinal metacentric height (KML)... 45.10 meters  
 4) Vertical center of buoyancy (VKB)..... 2.04 meters  
 5) Vertical center of gravity (VKG)..... 13.20 meters  
 6) Vessel water plane area ..... 1480.00 square meters  
 7) Length of vessel at waterline ..... 43.40 meters  
 8) Beam of vessel at waterline ..... 34.20 meters  
 9) Vessel draft ..... 4.08 meters

10) Pitch damping is ..... Computed  
 12) Roll damping is ..... Computed  
 14) Heave damping is ..... Computed

16) Pitch period is ..... Computed  
 18) Roll period is ..... Computed  
 20) Heave period is ..... Computed

\*\*\*\* Page 7: Barge Gyrodii and Bilge Specifications \*\*\*\*

1) Pitch Gyrodii ..... 25.50 meters  
 2) Roll Gyrodii ..... 27.30 meters  
 3) Yaw Gyrodii ..... 18.40 meters  
 4) Bilge radius at maximum beam station ... .00 meters

5) Is there a bilge keel ..... No  
 9) Forward speed (knots) ..... .00

10) Specify passive roll-suppression system? No

\*\*\*\* Page 8: Barge Low-Frequency Dynamics Characteristics \*\*\*\*

1) Wind force model ..... Barge  
 2) Current force model ..... Barge

10) Include constant force/moment on vessel No

\*\*\*\* Page 9: Barge Environmental Area, Moment and Enhancement Data \*\*\*\*

1) Include <<Wind?>> Yes

2) Head-on wind effective drag area ..... 2600.00 square meters  
 3) Head-on wind drag area centroid (from CG) ..... .00 meter  
 4) Beam-on wind effective drag area ..... 2700.00 square meters  
 5) Beam-on wind drag area centroid (from CG) ..... .00 meter  
 6) Wind force enhancement factor ..... .84

10) Include <<Current?>>? Yes

11) Head-on current effective drag area ..... 139.00 square meters  
 12) Head-on current drag area centroid (from CG) ... .00 meter  
 13) Beam-on current effective drag area ..... 177.00 square meters  
 14) Beam-on current drag area centroid (from CG) ... .00 meter  
 15) Current force enhancement factor ..... 1.00

20) Head-on <<wave drift force>> enhancement factor .80

\*\*\*\* Page 10: Towline information \*\*\*\*

1) Vessel type for barge ..... Ship/barge-type  
 2) Number of sublimes (Max 10) ..... 2  
 3) Maximum horizontal load ..... 500.00 metric tons  
 4) Offset increment for static offset table ..... 10.00 meters  
 5) Number of points in interpolation table ..... 30  
 6) Reset default added mass coefficient ..... 1.00  
 7) Reset default square-law drag coefficient ..... 1.00  
 8) Towline attachment height at Tug ..... 6.80 meters  
 9) Towline attachment height at Barge ..... 6.70 meters  
 10) Mean line profile determined by ..... Towline tension  
 11) Towline tension ..... 70.00 metric tons  
 12) Low-frequency surge damping is ..... Computed  
 14) Low-frequency sway damping is ..... Computed  
 16) Low-frequency yaw damping is ..... Computed

\*\*\*\* Page 10A: Subline Specifics \*\*\*\*

-> Subline attached to tug

1) Tow line type A (of 1 type(s))  
 2) Subline number: 1 of 2  
 3) Subline composition ..... Wire  
 4) Subline length ..... 700.00 meters  
 5) Subline outside diameter ..... 60.00 millimeters  
 6) Wt/unit length in water ..... 12.81 kgw/meter  
 7) Breaking strength ..... 232.67 metric tons  
 8) Added mass coefficient ..... 1.00  
 9) Transverse drag coefficient ..... 1.00  
 10) Compliance coefficient #1 (alpha1) ..... 0.559E-04 (m.ton)\*\*-1  
 11) Compliance coefficient #2 (alpha2) ..... 0.000E+00 (m.ton)\*\*-2  
 12) Compliance coefficient #3 (alpha3) ..... 0.000E+00 (m.ton)\*\*-3

("?" for default physical data: "C", "D", "I" to Copy, Delete, Insert)

\*\*\*\* Page 10A: Subline Specifics \*\*\*\*

-> Subline attached to barge

1) Tow line type A (of 1 type(s))  
 2) Subline number: 2 of 2  
 3) Subline composition ..... Nylon  
 4) Subline length ..... 30.00 meters  
 5) Subline outside diameter ..... 141.00 millimeters  
 6) Wt/unit length in water ..... 1.34 kgw/meter  
 7) Breaking strength ..... 375.05 metric tons  
 8) Added mass coefficient ..... 1.00  
 9) Transverse drag coefficient ..... 1.00  
 10) Compliance coefficient #1 (alpha1) ..... 0.126E-02 (m.ton)\*\*-1  
 11) Compliance coefficient #2 (alpha2) ..... 0.000E+00 (m.ton)\*\*-2  
 12) Compliance coefficient #3 (alpha3) ..... 0.000E+00 (m.ton)\*\*-3

("?" for default physical data: "C", "D", "I" to Copy, Delete, Insert)

\*\*\*\* Page 11: Low-frequency dynamics selection \*\*\*\*

1) Calculate low-frequency dynamics: Yes

\*\*\*\* Page 13: Wind Conditions \*\*\*\*

1) Wind speed ..... 30.00 knots  
 2) Wind heading ..... 210.00 degrees  
 3) Wind spectral type ..... Davenport

\*\*\*\* Page 14: Current Conditions \*\*\*\*

- 1) Current speed ..... 1.00 knots
- 2) Current heading ..... 180.00 degrees
- 3) Current variation with depth ..... No variation
- 4) Current spectral type ..... Steady current

\*\*\*\* Page 15: Line Extension / Regular wave characteristics \*\*\*\*

- 1) Regular wave characteristics follow

\*\*\*\* Page 16: Regular Wave Characteristics \*\*\*\*

- 1) Number of different periods (Max 30): 30
- 2) Periods (seconds) -
 

3.00	3.50	4.00	4.50	5.00	5.50
6.00	6.50	7.00	7.50	8.00	8.50
9.00	9.50	10.00	10.50	11.00	11.50
12.00	12.50	13.00	13.50	14.00	14.50
15.00	15.50	16.00	16.50	17.00	17.50
- 3) Use constant wave height or wave slope: height
- 4) Wave height ..... 4.00 meters
- 5) Wave direction ..... 180.00 degrees

\*\*\*\* Page 17: Irregular wave specifications \*\*\*\*

- 1) Include irregular waves? Yes
- 2) Wave type: Bretschneider
- 4) Wave direction: 180.00 degrees
- Wave parameters -
- 6) Significant height: 5.50 meters
- 7) Spectrum peak period: 6.00 seconds
- 8) Use long-crested irregular wave model

\*\*\*\* Page 18: Background swell characteristics \*\*\*

- 1) Specify background swell? Yes
- 2) Swell height: 3.00 meters
- 3) Swell period: 12.00 seconds
- 4) Swell heading: 200.00 degrees

\*\*\*\* Page 19: Output options 1 \*\*\*\*

- 1) Output static offset data ..... Yes
- 2) Compute quiescent equilibrium ..... Yes
- 3) Output mean orientation & line loads data ..... Yes
- 4) Output low-frequency motions/loads data ..... Yes
- 5) Include wave-frequency dynamics ..... Yes
- 6) Output wave-frequency fairlead motions and line load RAOs Yes
- 7) Output static/dynamic line load RAO comparisons at tug .... Yes
- 8) Output wave-frequency line load RAOs at barge ..... Yes
- 9) Output one-page line dynamics summaries ..... Yes
- 12) Use <<Upper Bound>> algorithm for wave-frequency loads .... Yes
- 13) Storm duration (hours) for peak motion/load statistics..... 6.00
- 14) Treat barge as an anchor ..... No
- 15) Swap tug, barge data

\*\*\*\* Page 20: Output options 2 \*\*\*\*

- 1) Use <<two>> standard deviation (sigma) statistical output values
- 3) Output RAOs for principal wave directions ..... Yes
- 7) Output vessel motions summary ..... Yes
- 9) User-supplied vessel wave-frequency RAO data ..... No
- 10) User-supplied wave drift force coefficients ..... No
- 11) Create plotter file ..... No
- 12) Debug option is off



APPENDIX B: Sample Output

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 \*\*\*\*\* I. Line Characteristics Summary \*\*\*\*\*  
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>>> Line Type A of 1 Type(s)

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- Segment - Type	Length (m.)	Nominal Diameter (mm)	Submerged Weight (kgw/m.)	Elastic Coefficients		
				Alpha 1 (m.ton** <sup>-1</sup> )	Alpha 2 (m.ton** <sup>-2</sup> )	Alpha 3 (m.ton** <sup>-3</sup> )
1 Wire	700.00	60.00	12.81	0.559E-04	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
2 Nylon	30.00	141.00	1.34	0.126E-02	0.000E+00	0.000E+00

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Table Index	Tug Tension (m.ton)	Barge Tension (m.ton)	Horizontal Tension (m.ton)	Line angle		Endpoint Separation (m.)	Bottom Length (m.)
				Tug (deg)	Barge (deg)		
1	4.68	4.33	.00	90.0	-90.0	.00	.00
2	6.84	6.63	5.00	43.0	-41.0	652.40	.00
3	22.72	22.67	22.24	11.8	-11.1	726.48	.00
4	39.75	39.73	39.48	6.7	-6.4	731.35	.00
5	56.91	56.90	56.72	4.6	-4.5	733.54	.00
6	74.11	74.10	73.97	3.5	-3.4	735.21	.00
7	91.32	91.32	91.21	2.8	-2.8	736.70	.00
8	108.54	108.54	108.45	2.4	-2.4	738.12	.00
9	125.77	125.77	125.69	2.0	-2.1	739.50	.00
10	143.00	143.00	142.93	1.8	-1.8	740.86	.00
11	160.23	160.24	160.17	1.6	-1.6	742.22	.00
12	177.47	177.47	177.41	1.4	-1.5	743.56	.00
13	194.70	194.71	194.66	1.3	-1.4	744.90	.00
14	211.94	211.95	211.90	1.2	-1.3	746.24	.00
15	229.18	229.19	229.14	1.1	-1.2	747.57	.00
16	246.42	246.42	246.38	1.0	-1.1	748.91	.00
17	263.66	263.66	263.62	.9	-1.0	750.24	.00
18	280.89	280.90	280.86	.9	-1.0	751.57	.00
19	298.13	298.14	298.10	.8	-.9	752.90	.00
20	315.37	315.38	315.34	.8	-.9	754.23	.00
21	332.61	332.62	332.59	.7	-.8	755.55	.00
22	349.85	349.86	349.83	.7	-.8	756.88	.00
23	367.09	367.10	367.07	.6	-.8	758.21	.00
24	384.33	384.34	384.31	.6	-.7	759.54	.00
25	401.57	401.58	401.55	.6	-.7	760.87	.00
26	418.81	418.82	418.79	.6	-.7	762.19	.00
27	436.05	436.06	436.03	.5	-.7	763.52	.00
28	453.29	453.30	453.28	.5	-.6	764.85	.00
29	470.53	470.54	470.52	.5	-.6	766.18	.00
30	487.77	487.78	487.76	.5	-.6	767.50	.00

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Towsim Sample Problem

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 \*\*\*\*\* II. Equilibrium Condition Summary \*\*\*\*\*  
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>>> Specified environmental conditions produced the following  
 net moment and force components:

	Global system	Vessel system
X Force	-73.43 m.ton	-74.92 m.ton
Y Force	-15.09 m.ton	2.72 m.ton
Vertical Moment	0.00 ton-meter	0.00 ton-meter

>>> Specified environmental conditions produced the  
 following net global quasi-static displacements:

	Global system	Vessel system
X Displacement	-719.89 m.	-734.46 m.
Y Displacement	-148.00 m.	26.64 m.
Yaw Displacement	13.69 deg	13.69 deg
Vessel Orientation	13.69 deg	

>>> Estimated mean line conditions in specified environment

Line #/Type	Total Tension (m.ton)		Horizontal Tension (m.ton)	Endpoint Separation (m.)	Bottom Length (m.)	Fairlead Line Angle (deg)	
	Tug	Barge				Plan	Profile
1/a	75.10	75.09	74.96	735.29	.00	11.61	3.49

\*\*\*\*\* III. VESSEL AND ENVIRONMENT SUMMARY \*\*\*\*\*

Water depth	100.00 meters
Water density	1025.18 kgw/cubic meter
Air density	1.25440 kgw/cubic meter
Vessel displacement	6034.00 metric tons
Transverse metacentric height	32.20 meters
Longitudinal metacentric height	45.10 meters
Vertical center of buoyancy	2.04 meters
Vertical center of gravity	13.20 meters
Vessel water plane area	1480.00 square meters
Length of vessel at waterline	43.40 meters
Beam of vessel at waterline	34.20 meters
Vessel draft	4.08 meters
Wind force model	Barge
Current force model	Barge
Surge damping is	Computed
Sway damping is	Computed
Yaw damping is	Computed

— WIND CONDITIONS —

Wind spectral type	Davenport
Wind speed	30.00 knots
Wind heading	210.00 degrees
Head-on effective drag area	2600.00 square meters
Head-on drag area centroid	.00 meters
Beam-on effective drag area	2700.00 square meters
Beam-on drag area centroid	.00 meters
Wind force enhancement factor	.84

— CURRENT CONDITIONS —

Current spectral type	Steady current
Current speed	1.00 knots
Current heading	180.00 degrees
Head-on effective drag area	139.00 square meters
Head-on drag area centroid	.00 meters
Beam-on effective drag area	177.00 square meters
Beam-on drag area centroid	.00 meters
Current force enhancement factor	1.00

— WAVE CONDITIONS —

Wave spectral type	Bretschneider
Computed significant wave height	5.29 meters
Direction of maximum seas	180.00 degrees
Spectrum peak period	6.00 seconds
Computed significant swell height	3.00 meters
Swell direction	200.00 degrees
Swell period	12.00 seconds
Head-on wave drift force factor	.80

\*\*\*\*\* IV. STATIC EQUILIBRIUM SUMMARY \*\*\*\*\*

>>> Most stable equilibrium <<<

– (GLOBAL COORDINATE SYSTEM) –

Vessel heading ..... 13.69 degrees  
 Vessel Northwards displacement..... -719.89 meters  
 Vessel Westwards displacement..... -148.00 meters

Environmental forces: Most stable equilibrium

– (VESSEL COORDINATE SYSTEM) –

Static (x,y) forces due to wind: ( -39.9, -11.7) metric tons  
 Static (x,y) forces due to wave reflection: ( -24.2, 16.7) metric tons  
 Static (x,y) forces due to swell reflection: ( -8.4, -2.8) metric tons  
 Static (x,y) forces due to current: ( -2.4, .6) metric tons

\*\*\*\*\* V. LOW-FREQUENCY DYNAMICS SUMMARY \*\*\*\*\*

Long-period single-amplitude surge motions:

Period ..... 28.68 sec  
 Still water damping ..... .55 percent  
 Damping due to wind ..... .99 percent  
 Damping due to current ..... 2.90 percent  
 Damping due to wave reflection ..... 10.12 percent  
 Damping due to swell reflection ..... .58 percent  
 Total damping from linear sources ..... 15.13 percent  
 Linearized square-law line damping ..... .84 percent  
 Total linearized square-law damping ..... .84 percent  
 Net equivalent linear damping ..... 15.97 percent

Two sigma motion due to wind ..... 1.11 meters  
 Two sigma motion due to wave reflection ... 3.28 meters  
 Two sigma motion due to swell reflection ... 2.07 meters  
 Total Two sigma motion ..... 4.32 meters  
 Extreme motion in 6.0 hr. storm ..... 6.65 meters

Long-period single-amplitude "sway" motions (low sway-yaw mode):

Period ..... 130.76 sec  
 Still water damping ..... 1.38 percent  
 Damping due to wind ..... 1.23 percent  
 Damping due to current ..... 1.38 percent  
 Damping due to wave reflection ..... 19.50 percent  
 Damping due to swell reflection ..... .99 percent  
 Total damping from linear sources ..... 24.48 percent  
 Linearized square-law line damping ..... .01 percent  
 Total linearized square-law damping ..... 3800.01 percent  
 Net equivalent linear damping ..... 3824.48 percent

Two sigma motion due to wind ..... 3.44 meters  
 Two sigma motion due to wave reflection ... 15.25 meters  
 Two sigma motion due to swell reflection ... 7.11 meters  
 Total Two sigma motion ..... 17.17 meters  
 Extreme motion in 6.0 hr. storm ..... 27.44 meters

Long-period single-amplitude "yaw" motions (high sway-yaw mode):

Period ..... 20.81 sec  
 Still water damping ..... .73 percent  
 Damping due to wind ..... .30 percent  
 Damping due to current ..... .39 percent  
 Damping due to wave reflection ..... 5.52 percent  
 Damping due to swell reflection ..... .58 percent  
 Total damping from linear sources ..... 7.51 percent  
 Linearized square-law line damping ..... 0.00 percent  
 Total linearized square-law damping ..... .04 percent  
 Net equivalent linear damping ..... 7.55 percent

Two sigma motion due to wind ..... .00 deg  
 Two sigma motion due to wave reflection ... .78 deg  
 Two sigma motion due to swell reflection ... .32 deg  
 Total Two sigma motion ..... .85 deg  
 Extreme motion in 6.0 hr. storm ..... 1.58 deg

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 \*\*\*\*\* VI. Low-Frequency Maximum/Minumum Line Loads Summary \*\*\*\*\*  
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+++ This data reflects <<maximum>> "two sigma" LOW-FREQUENCY loads +++

Line #/Type	Total Tension (m.ton)		Horizontal Tension (m.ton)	Endpoint Separation (m.)	Bottom Length (m.)	Line Profile Angle (deg)
	Tug	Barge				
1/a	125.69	125.69	125.61	739.49	.00	2.04

+++ This data reflects <<minimum>> "two sigma" LOW-FREQUENCY loads +++

Line #/Type	Total Tension (m.ton)		Horizontal Tension (m.ton)	Endpoint Separation (m.)	Bottom Length (m.)	Line Profile Angle (deg)
	Tug	Barge				
1/a	38.84	38.82	38.56	731.09	.00	6.93

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 \*\*\*\*\* VI. Low-Frequency Maximum/Minumum Line Loads Summary \*\*\*\*\*  
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+++ This data reflects <<maximum>> storm extreme LOW-FREQUENCY loads +++

Line #/Type	Total Tension (m.ton)		Horizontal Tension (m.ton)	Endpoint Separation (m.)	Bottom Length (m.)	Line Profile Angle (deg)
	Tug	Barge				
1/a	154.32	154.32	154.25	741.75	.00	1.65

+++ This data reflects <<minimum>> storm extreme LOW-FREQUENCY loads +++

Line #/Type	Total Tension (m.ton)		Horizontal Tension (m.ton)	Endpoint Separation (m.)	Bottom Length (m.)	Line Profile Angle (deg)
	Tug	Barge				
1/a	30.95	30.93	30.57	728.83	.00	9.30

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\*\*\*\*\* VII. Line Endpoint Motion/Load Data \*\*\*\*\*  
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Wave heading ..... 166.3 deg  
Wave height ..... 4.0 m.  
Water depth ..... 100.0 m.  
Endpoint separation 735.3 m.  
Forward Speed ..... .0 meters/sec

>>> NOTES:

- 1) Line data measured at Tugboat
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Encounter Wave Period (sec)	Wave Length (m.)	Wave slope (deg)	+++ Quasi-Linear +++ Motion RAOs (m./m.)		+++ Nonlinear +++ Load Data (m.ton)	
			Endpoint Normal Comp. amp/phase	Endpoint Tangent Comp. amp/phase	Peak amp/phase	Min amp/phase
			3.00	14.0	51.3	0.00/ -60
3.50	19.1	37.7	.01/ 130	.05/ 90	76.59/ 46	73.61/ 226
4.00	25.0	28.9	.07/ -63	.01/ -57	77.47/ -68	72.73/ 112
4.50	31.6	22.8	.09/ -22	.13/ -88	76.43/ 15	73.77/ 195
5.00	39.0	18.5	.23/ 120	.11/ -119	79.32/ -103	70.88/ 77
5.50	47.2	15.3	1.09/ 160	.24/ 172	81.93/ -177	68.27/ 3
6.00	56.1	12.8	2.45/ -157	.49/ -169	85.66/ 164	64.54/ 344
6.50	65.9	10.9	2.94/ -117	.41/ -134	80.01/ 166	70.19/ 346
7.00	76.4	9.4	2.65/ -93	.19/ -99	90.68/ -80	59.52/ 100
7.50	87.7	8.2	2.30/ -79	.10/ -5	91.02/ 24	59.18/ 204
8.00	99.8	7.2	2.03/ -70	.22/ 40	96.14/ 46	54.06/ 226
8.50	112.7	6.4	1.82/ -64	.33/ 53	98.09/ 18	52.11/ 198
9.00	126.3	5.7	1.67/ -58	.42/ 59	84.22/ -62	65.97/ 118
9.50	140.7	5.1	1.55/ -54	.49/ 64	99.40/ 101	50.80/ 281
10.00	155.9	4.6	1.46/ -50	.55/ 67	90.53/ 9	59.67/ 189
10.50	171.7	4.2	1.38/ -47	.60/ 70	98.35/ 75	51.85/ 255
11.00	188.3	3.8	1.32/ -44	.64/ 72	124.13/ -153	26.07/ 27
11.50	205.4	3.5	1.28/ -41	.67/ 74	121.69/ 35	28.51/ 215
12.00	223.0	3.2	1.24/ -38	.71/ 75	118.47/ 107	31.73/ 287
12.50	241.1	3.0	1.21/ -36	.73/ 76	92.84/ 178	57.36/ 358
13.00	259.5	2.8	1.18/ -34	.76/ 77	93.05/ -16	57.15/ 164
13.50	278.1	2.6	1.16/ -32	.78/ 78	113.68/ 38	36.52/ 218
14.00	297.0	2.4	1.14/ -31	.81/ 79	122.00/ 75	28.20/ 255
14.50	315.9	2.3	1.13/ -29	.83/ 80	118.82/ 106	31.38/ 286
15.00	334.9	2.2	1.12/ -28	.85/ 80	107.85/ 135	42.35/ 315
15.50	353.8	2.0	1.11/ -27	.87/ 81	93.02/ 166	57.18/ 346
16.00	372.8	1.9	1.10/ -26	.89/ 81	79.92/ -112	70.28/ 68
16.50	391.6	1.8	1.09/ -25	.91/ 82	89.84/ -8	60.36/ 172

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\*\*\*\*\* VIII. Dynamic/Static Line Load Comparison \*\*\*\*\*  
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Wave heading ..... 166.3 deg  
Wave height ..... 4.0 m.  
Water depth ..... 100.0 m.  
Endpoint separation 735.3 m.  
Forward Speed ..... .0 meters/sec

>>> NOTES:

- 1) Line data measured at Tugboat
- 2) Motions/loads arise from regular wave excitation
- 3) RAOs are 'single amplitude/single amplitude'
- 4) Positive phase angles are phase leads
- 5) Phase angles relative to wave crest at centroid of Tugboat

Encounter Wave Period (sec)	Wave Length (m.)	Wave slope (deg)	+++ Quasi-Static +++ Load Data (m.ton)		+++ Dynamic +++ Load Data (m.ton)	
			Peak amp/phase	Min amp/phase	Peak amp/phase	Min amp/phase
			3.00	14.0	51.3	75.92/ -86
3.50	19.1	37.7	76.74/ 53	73.46/ 233	76.59/ 46	73.61/ 226
4.00	25.0	28.9	77.43/ -68	72.77/ 112	77.47/ -68	72.73/ 112
4.50	31.6	22.8	76.36/ -3	73.84/ 177	76.43/ 15	73.77/ 195
5.00	39.0	18.5	79.49/ -104	70.70/ 76	79.32/ -103	70.88/ 77
5.50	47.2	15.3	82.31/ -178	67.89/ 2	81.93/ -177	68.27/ 3
6.00	56.1	12.8	86.29/ 166	63.91/ 346	85.66/ 164	64.54/ 344
6.50	65.9	10.9	80.29/ 172	69.91/ 352	80.01/ 166	70.19/ 346
7.00	76.4	9.4	90.73/ -80	59.47/ 100	90.68/ -80	59.52/ 100
7.50	87.7	8.2	90.96/ 23	59.24/ 203	91.02/ 24	59.18/ 204
8.00	99.8	7.2	96.16/ 46	54.04/ 226	96.14/ 46	54.06/ 226
8.50	112.7	6.4	98.14/ 19	52.06/ 199	98.09/ 18	52.11/ 198
9.00	126.3	5.7	83.98/ -60	66.22/ 120	84.22/ -62	65.97/ 118
9.50	140.7	5.1	99.53/ 101	50.67/ 281	99.40/ 101	50.80/ 281
10.00	155.9	4.6	90.63/ 11	59.57/ 191	90.53/ 9	59.67/ 189
10.50	171.7	4.2	98.58/ 75	51.62/ 255	98.35/ 75	51.85/ 255
11.00	188.3	3.8	123.65/ -154	26.55/ 26	124.13/ -153	26.07/ 27
11.50	205.4	3.5	121.74/ 35	28.46/ 215	121.69/ 35	28.51/ 215
12.00	223.0	3.2	118.56/ 107	31.64/ 287	118.47/ 107	31.73/ 287
12.50	241.1	3.0	92.72/ 177	57.48/ 357	92.84/ 178	57.36/ 358
13.00	259.5	2.8	92.97/ -15	57.23/ 165	93.05/ -16	57.15/ 164
13.50	278.1	2.6	113.77/ 38	36.43/ 218	113.68/ 38	36.52/ 218
14.00	297.0	2.4	122.12/ 75	28.08/ 255	122.00/ 75	28.20/ 255
14.50	315.9	2.3	118.93/ 106	31.27/ 286	118.82/ 106	31.38/ 286
15.00	334.9	2.2	107.91/ 135	42.29/ 315	107.85/ 135	42.35/ 315
15.50	353.8	2.0	93.00/ 165	57.20/ 345	93.02/ 166	57.18/ 346
16.00	372.8	1.9	79.68/ -113	70.52/ 67	79.92/ -112	70.28/ 68
16.50	391.6	1.8	89.81/ -7	60.39/ 173	89.84/ -8	60.36/ 172

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\*\*\*\*\* VII. Line Endpoint Motion/Load Data \*\*\*\*\*  
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Wave heading ..... 166.3 deg  
Wave height ..... 4.0 m.  
Water depth ..... 100.0 m.  
Endpoint separation 735.3 m.  
Forward Speed ..... .0 meters/sec

>>> NOTES:

- 1) Line data measured at Barge
- 2) Motions/loads arise from regular wave excitation
- 3) RAOs are 'single amplitude/single amplitude'
- 4) Positive phase angles are phase leads
- 5) Phase angles relative to wave crest at centroid of Tugboat

Encounter Wave Period (sec)	Wave Length (m.)	Wave slope (deg)	+++ Quasi-Linear +++ Motion RAOs (m./m.)		+++ Nonlinear +++ Load Data (m.ton)	
			Endpoint Normal Comp. amp/phase	Endpoint Tangent Comp. amp/phase	Peak amp/phase	Min amp/phase
3.00	14.0	51.3	0.00/ 51	0.00/-140	75.97/ -86	74.21/ 94
3.50	19.1	37.7	.02/ 7	.04/ 174	76.77/ 55	73.41/ 235
4.00	25.0	28.9	0.00/ -30	.08/ 110	77.39/ -68	72.80/ 112
4.50	31.6	22.8	.06/ 93	.14/-109	76.35/ -10	73.84/ 170
5.00	39.0	18.5	.13/ -58	.07/ 98	79.53/-104	70.66/ 76
5.50	47.2	15.3	.22/ 76	.06/ 42	82.41/-178	67.77/ 2
6.00	56.1	12.8	.34/ -83	.20/-106	86.48/ 167	63.71/ 347
6.50	65.9	10.9	.49/ -88	.33/-104	80.39/ 174	69.80/ 354
7.00	76.4	9.4	.72/ 119	.44/ 107	90.69/ -80	59.50/ 100
7.50	87.7	8.2	1.05/-138	.53/-150	90.88/ 23	59.31/ 203
8.00	99.8	7.2	1.50/-115	.61/-131	96.11/ 46	54.07/ 226
8.50	112.7	6.4	1.96/-152	.66/-177	98.11/ 19	52.08/ 199
9.00	126.3	5.7	2.29/ 118	.67/ 86	83.87/ -59	66.32/ 121
9.50	140.7	5.1	2.57/ -15	.64/ -51	99.52/ 100	50.66/ 280
10.00	155.9	4.6	3.20/ 171	.55/ 134	90.64/ 11	59.54/ 191
10.50	171.7	4.2	5.66/ -28	.33/ -94	98.62/ 75	51.56/ 255
11.00	188.3	3.8	15.75/-164	2.39/ 37	123.39/-154	26.80/ 26
11.50	205.4	3.5	4.23/ -7	1.37/-162	121.69/ 35	28.49/ 215
12.00	223.0	3.2	2.50/ 92	1.16/ -54	118.54/ 107	31.64/ 287
12.50	241.1	3.0	1.92/ 177	1.09/ 38	92.64/ 176	57.54/ 356
13.00	259.5	2.8	1.63/-107	1.06/ 119	92.92/ -15	57.27/ 165
13.50	278.1	2.6	1.47/ -41	1.05/-170	113.76/ 38	36.42/ 218
14.00	297.0	2.4	1.37/ 16	1.04/-107	122.13/ 75	28.06/ 255
14.50	315.9	2.3	1.30/ 69	1.04/ -52	118.93/ 106	31.26/ 286
15.00	334.9	2.2	1.25/ 115	1.05/ -3	107.90/ 135	42.28/ 315
15.50	353.8	2.0	1.21/ 157	1.06/ 40	92.97/ 165	57.22/ 345
16.00	372.8	1.9	1.18/-165	1.07/ 79	79.59/-113	70.60/ 67
16.50	391.6	1.8	1.16/-131	1.08/ 114	89.78/ -6	60.40/ 174

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\*\*\*\* IX. Upper bound <<<Wave-Frequency>>> Motion/Load Statistical Data \*\*\*\*  
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— Wave Characteristics —

Wave Spectral Type — Bretschneider; Long-crested seas

Requested Significant wave height .... 5.50 m.  
Calculated Significant wave height ... 5.29 m.  
Spectrum peak period ..... 6.00 seconds  
Spectrum characteristic wind speed ... 8.30 meters/sec  
Direction of maximum seas ..... 180.00 degrees

+++ Background Swell Data +++

Requested Significant swell height ... 3.00 m.  
Calculated Significant swell height .. 3.00 m.  
Swell direction ..... 200.00 degrees  
Swell period ..... 12.00 seconds

>>> NOTE: Wave-frequency motion/loads computed at EXTREME low-frequency offset point

+++ Upper Bound <<<Wave-Frequency>>> Motions/Loads Summary +++

<Endpoint MOTIONS:>	Two-Sigma variation	Two-Sigma rate	Two-Sigma Characteristic Period
	(m.)	(m./sec)	(sec)
Tug-end tangential	1.28	.90	8.95
Tug-end normal	4.70	4.31	6.86
Barge-end tangential	2.31	1.34	10.82
Barge-end normal	8.58	4.94	10.90
Relative tangential	2.57	1.53	10.57
Relative normal	9.91	6.74	9.23
<Endpoint LOADS:>	Mean value PLUS Two-sigma variation	Mean value MINUS Two-sigma variation	
	(m.ton)	(m.ton)	
Tug-end loads	187.15	121.49	
Barge-end loads	187.11	121.54	

+++ Most Probable Extreme Upper Bound <<<Wave-Frequency>>> Motions/Loads +++

>>> Storm duration: 6.00 hrs. <<<

<Endpoint motion variations:>	Most Probable Extreme value
Tug-end tangential .....	2.50 m.
Tug-end normal .....	9.18 m.
Barge-end tangential .....	4.51 m.
Barge-end normal .....	16.75 m.
Relative tangential .....	5.02 m.
Relative normal .....	19.34 m.
<Endpoint loads (mean plus extreme variation):>	
Tug-end extreme load .....	218.40 m.ton
Barge-end extreme load .....	218.32 m.ton

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 \*\*\*\*\* X. Upper Bounds on Net Characteristic Line Loads \*\*\*\*\*  
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— Upper Bound Two-Sigma <<Maximum/Minimum>> Line Loads —

(m.ton)

Line #/Type	Mean Tension		++++ MAXIMUM ++++		++++ MINIMUM ++++	
	Tug	Barge	Tug	Barge	Tug	Barge
1/a	75.10	75.09	135.40	135.38	14.80	14.81

— Upper Bound Two-Sigma Line Load <<Variations>> —

(m.ton)

Line #/Type	Mean Tension		Low-frequency Variation		Wave-frequency Variation	
	Tug	Barge	Tug	Barge	Tug	Barge
1/a	75.10	75.09	50.59	50.59	32.83	32.78

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 \*\*\*\*\* XI. Upper Bounds on Storm Extreme Line Loads \*\*\*\*\*  
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— Upper Bound Storm-Extreme <<Maximum/Minimum>> Line Loads —

(m.ton)

Line #/Type	Mean Tension		++++ MAXIMUM ++++		++++ MINIMUM ++++	
	Tug	Barge	Tug	Barge	Tug	Barge
1/a	75.10	75.09	218.40	218.32	.00	1.26

— Upper Bound Storm-Extreme Line Load <<Variations>> —

(m.ton)

Line #/Type	Mean Tension		Low-frequency Variation		Wave-frequency Variation	
	Tug	Barge	Tug	Barge	Tug	Barge
1/a	75.10	75.09	79.22	79.23	64.08	64.00

APPENDIX C: Sample Tug Output

SeaSoft Systems Software Library

Volume 1  
Displacement-Hull Offshore Vessels

SHIPSIM Version 2.9

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Towsim Sample Problem

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\*\*\*\*\* I. PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS SUMMARY \*\*\*\*\*  
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— SITE CHARACTERISTICS —

WATER DEPTH ..... 100.00 METERS  
WATER DENSITY ..... 1025.18 KGW/CUBIC METER

— VESSEL CHARACTERISTICS —

DISPLACEMENT ..... 2950.00 M.TONS  
VERTICAL (Z) KB ..... 2.70 METERS  
VERTICAL (Z) KG ..... 2.70 METERS  
LONGITUDINAL GM ..... 39.50 METERS  
TRANSVERSE GM ..... 1.80 METERS  
PITCH GYRADIUS ..... 14.20 METERS  
ROLL GYRADIUS ..... 3.60 METERS  
YAW GYRADIUS ..... 15.00 METERS

— DYNAMICALLY SIMILAR BOX CHARACTERISTICS —

BOX LENGTH ..... 50.12 METERS  
BOX WIDTH ..... 10.85 METERS  
BOX DRAFT ..... 5.29 METERS



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 \*\*\*\*\* II. UNMOORED VESSEL MOTION CHARACTERISTICS \*\*\*\*\*  
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— NATURAL PERIODS AT ZERO SPEED —

NATURAL ROLL PERIOD ..... 6.3 SECONDS  
 NATURAL PITCH PERIOD ..... 5.9 SECONDS  
 NATURAL HEAVE PERIOD ..... 6.2 SECONDS

— QUASI-LINEAR ZERO SPEED DAMPING COEFFICIENTS —

NATURAL ROLL DAMPING ..... 5.8 PERCENT  
 NATURAL PITCH DAMPING ..... 9.3 PERCENT  
 NATURAL HEAVE DAMPING ..... 12.4 PERCENT

REGULAR WAVE HEIGHT..... 4.0 METERS  
 WATER DEPTH ..... 100.0 METERS

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 \*\*\*\*\* II. UNMOORED VESSEL MOTION CHARACTERISTICS \*\*\*\*\*  
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— REGULAR WAVE DATA: WAVE HEADING = 180.0 DEG  
 WAVE HEIGHT = 4.0 M.  
 FORWARD SPEED = .0 M./SEC

+++ QUASI-LINEAR RESPONSE RAOS (S.A./S.A.) +++

WAVE PERIOD (SEC)	WAVE LENGTH (M.)	WAVE SLOPE (DEG)	SURGE ( M. / M. )		SWAY ( M. / M. )		HEAVE ( M. / M. )	
			AM/PHASE		AM/PHASE		AM/PHASE	
3.00	14.0	51.29	.03/ -90.1		0.00/ 90.0		0.00/ 44.8	
3.50	19.1	37.68	.05/ 89.4		0.00/ -90.4		0.00/-131.0	
4.00	25.0	28.85	0.00/ 87.7		0.00/ -91.4		0.00/-129.4	
4.50	31.6	22.80	.12/ -95.5		0.00/ 86.6		.04/ 53.2	
5.00	39.0	18.46	.13/ -99.2		0.00/ 84.3		.09/ 59.4	
5.50	47.2	15.26	.04/-102.6		0.00/ 82.2		.05/ 72.4	
6.00	56.1	12.82	.09/ 75.0		0.00/ -99.3		.16/ -83.6	
6.50	65.9	10.93	.23/ 73.6		0.00/-100.2		.49/ -53.6	
7.00	76.4	9.42	.36/ 73.1		0.00/-100.6		.70/ -31.9	
7.50	87.7	8.21	.47/ 73.2		0.00/-100.5		.81/ -19.7	
8.00	99.8	7.21	.56/ 73.9		0.00/-100.1		.86/ -12.9	
8.50	112.7	6.39	.63/ 74.8		0.00/ -99.5		.90/ -8.8	
9.00	126.3	5.70	.69/ 75.9		0.00/ -98.8		.92/ -6.2	
9.50	140.7	5.12	.74/ 77.0		0.00/ -98.0		.94/ -4.5	
10.00	155.9	4.62	.77/ 78.2		0.00/ -97.3		.95/ -3.4	
10.50	171.7	4.19	.80/ 79.3		0.00/ -96.6		.96/ -2.6	
11.00	188.3	3.82	.83/ 80.3		0.00/ -96.0		.97/ -2.0	
11.50	205.4	3.51	.85/ 81.3		0.00/ -95.4		.97/ -1.5	
12.00	223.0	3.23	.87/ 82.1		0.00/ -94.9		.98/ -1.2	
12.50	241.1	2.99	.89/ 82.9		0.00/ -94.4		.98/ -1.0	
13.00	259.5	2.77	.90/ 83.6		0.00/ -94.0		.98/ -.8	
13.50	278.1	2.59	.92/ 84.2		0.00/ -93.6		.98/ -.6	
14.00	297.0	2.42	.93/ 84.7		0.00/ -93.3		.99/ -.5	
14.50	315.9	2.28	.95/ 85.1		0.00/ -93.0		.99/ -.4	
15.00	334.9	2.15	.97/ 85.6		0.00/ -92.7		.99/ -.3	
15.50	353.8	2.03	.98/ 85.9		0.00/ -92.5		.99/ -.3	
16.00	372.8	1.93	1.00/ 86.2		0.00/ -92.3		.99/ -.2	
16.50	391.6	1.84	1.02/ 86.5		0.00/ -92.1		.99/ -.2	
17.00	410.4	1.75	1.03/ 86.8		0.00/ -92.0		.99/ -.2	
17.50	429.2	1.68	1.05/ 87.0		0.00/ -91.8		.99/ -.1	

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 \*\*\*\*\* II. UNMOORED VESSEL MOTION CHARACTERISTICS \*\*\*\*\*  
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— REGULAR WAVE DATA: WAVE HEADING = 180.0 DEG  
 WAVE HEIGHT = 4.0 M.  
 FORWARD SPEED = .0 M./SEC

+++ QUASI-LINEAR RESPONSE RAOS (S.A./S.A.) +++

WAVE PERIOD (SEC)	WAVE LENGTH (M.)	WAVE SLOPE (DEG)	ROLL (DEG/DEG) AM/PHASE	PITCH (DEG/DEG) AM/PHASE	YAW (DEG/DEG) AM/PHASE
3.00	14.0	51.29	0.00/ -85.6	0.00/ -87.6	0.00/ 180.0
3.50	19.1	37.68	0.00/ 96.7	0.00/ 101.9	0.00/ -4
4.00	25.0	28.85	0.00/ 100.0	.01/ -62.7	0.00/ 178.6
4.50	31.6	22.80	0.00/ -76.2	.02/ -52.2	0.00/ 176.6
5.00	39.0	18.46	0.00/ -71.6	.05/ 143.4	0.00/ -5.7
5.50	47.2	15.26	0.00/ -63.4	.33/ 163.3	0.00/ -7.8
6.00	56.1	12.82	0.00/ 139.8	.86/ -161.8	0.00/ -9.3
6.50	65.9	10.93	0.00/ -154.1	1.15/ -127.1	0.00/ -10.2
7.00	76.4	9.42	0.00/ -117.6	1.15/ -108.7	0.00/ -10.6
7.50	87.7	8.21	0.00/ -106.7	1.11/ -100.0	0.00/ -10.5
8.00	99.8	7.21	0.00/ -102.0	1.08/ -95.7	0.00/ -10.1
8.50	112.7	6.39	0.00/ -99.6	1.05/ -93.4	0.00/ -9.5
9.00	126.3	5.70	0.00/ -98.0	1.03/ -92.1	0.00/ -8.8
9.50	140.7	5.12	0.00/ -97.0	1.02/ -91.3	0.00/ -8.0
10.00	155.9	4.62	0.00/ -96.2	1.01/ -90.8	0.00/ -7.3
10.50	171.7	4.19	0.00/ -95.7	1.01/ -90.6	0.00/ -6.6
11.00	188.3	3.82	0.00/ -95.2	1.00/ -90.4	0.00/ -6.0
11.50	205.4	3.51	0.00/ -94.8	1.00/ -90.3	0.00/ -5.4
12.00	223.0	3.23	0.00/ -94.5	1.00/ -90.2	0.00/ -4.9
12.50	241.1	2.99	0.00/ -94.2	1.00/ -90.1	0.00/ -4.4
13.00	259.5	2.77	0.00/ -94.0	1.00/ -90.1	0.00/ -4.0
13.50	278.1	2.59	0.00/ -93.8	1.00/ -90.1	0.00/ -3.6
14.00	297.0	2.42	0.00/ -93.6	.99/ -90.1	0.00/ -3.3
14.50	315.9	2.28	0.00/ -93.4	.99/ -90.0	0.00/ -3.0
15.00	334.9	2.15	0.00/ -93.2	.99/ -90.0	0.00/ -2.7
15.50	353.8	2.03	0.00/ -93.1	.99/ -90.0	0.00/ -2.5
16.00	372.8	1.93	0.00/ -93.0	.99/ -90.0	0.00/ -2.3
16.50	391.6	1.84	0.00/ -92.9	.99/ -90.0	0.00/ -2.1
17.00	410.4	1.75	0.00/ -92.8	.99/ -90.0	0.00/ -2.0
17.50	429.2	1.68	0.00/ -92.7	.99/ -90.0	0.00/ -1.8

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 \*\*\*\*\* II. UNMOORED VESSEL MOTION CHARACTERISTICS \*\*\*\*\*  
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— REGULAR WAVE DATA: WAVE HEADING = 180.0 DEG  
 WAVE HEIGHT = 4.0 M.  
 FORWARD SPEED = .0 M./SEC

>>> NOTE: Point coordinates are given in vessel system;  
 Vectorial motion components are in a rotated r.h. system  
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+++ DISPLACEMENT RAOS IN M. PER UNIT WAVE AMP. (S.A./S.A.) +++

— COORDINATES —  
 ( -25.4, .0, 6.8)

WAVE PERIOD (SEC)	X COMP AM/PHASE	Y COMP AM/PHASE	Z COMP AM/PHASE
3.00	0.00/ -60	.01/ -89	.03/ -89
3.50	.01/ 130	.01/ 89	.05/ 90
4.00	.07/ -63	0.00/ -55	.01/ -57
4.50	.09/ -22	.03/ -90	.13/ -88
5.00	.23/ 120	.02/ -113	.11/ -119
5.50	1.09/ 160	.04/ 176	.24/ 172
6.00	2.45/ -157	.07/ -174	.49/ -169
6.50	2.94/ -117	.05/ -146	.41/ -134
7.00	2.65/ -93	.01/ -130	.19/ -99
7.50	2.30/ -79	.03/ 58	.10/ -5
8.00	2.03/ -70	.06/ 63	.22/ 40
8.50	1.82/ -64	.08/ 67	.33/ 53
9.00	1.67/ -58	.10/ 70	.42/ 59
9.50	1.55/ -54	.11/ 73	.49/ 64
10.00	1.46/ -50	.12/ 75	.55/ 67
10.50	1.38/ -47	.13/ 76	.60/ 70
11.00	1.32/ -44	.14/ 78	.64/ 72
11.50	1.28/ -41	.15/ 79	.67/ 74
12.00	1.24/ -38	.15/ 80	.71/ 75
12.50	1.21/ -36	.16/ 81	.73/ 76
13.00	1.18/ -34	.16/ 82	.76/ 77
13.50	1.16/ -32	.17/ 83	.78/ 78
14.00	1.14/ -31	.17/ 84	.81/ 79
14.50	1.13/ -29	.17/ 84	.83/ 80
15.00	1.12/ -28	.18/ 85	.85/ 80
15.50	1.11/ -27	.18/ 85	.87/ 81
16.00	1.10/ -26	.19/ 85	.89/ 81
16.50	1.09/ -25	.19/ 86	.91/ 82
17.00	1.08/ -24	.20/ 86	.93/ 82
17.50	1.08/ -23	.20/ 86	.95/ 83

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 \*\*\*\*\* III. IRREGULAR WAVE STATISTICS SUMMARY \*\*\*\*\*  
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— ENVIRONMENTAL CHARACTERISTICS —

WAVE SPECTRAL TYPE — BRETSCHNEIDER  
 : LONG-CRESTED SEAS

CALCULATED SIGNIFICANT WAVE HEIGHT ..... 5.29 M.  
 SPECTRUM PEAK PERIOD ..... 6.00 SECONDS  
 CHARACTERISTIC WIND SPEED ..... 8.21 M./SECOND  
 DIRECTION OF MAXIMUM SEAS ..... 180.00 DEGREES

+++ BACKGROUND SWELL DATA +++

CALCULATED SIGNIFICANT SWELL HEIGHT .... 3.00 M.  
 SWELL DIRECTION ..... 200.00 DEGREES  
 SWELL PERIOD ..... 12.00 SECONDS

— VESSEL DYNAMICS SUMMARY —

+++ SIGNIFICANT SINGLE AMPLITUDE FORCES/TORQUES +++

	SIGNIFICANT VALUE	SIGNIFICANT RATE	CHARACTERISTIC PERIOD (SEC)
SURGE (M.TONS)	251.48	258.78	6.11
SWAY (M.TONS)	81.81	44.25	11.62
HEAVE (M.TONS)	586.95	325.50	11.33
ROLL (M.TON-MTR)	60.32	32.49	11.67
PITCH (M.TON-MTR)	5552.18	4621.45	7.55
YAW (M.TON-MTR)	489.19	274.28	11.21

+++ SIGNIFICANT SINGLE AMPLITUDE MOTIONS +++

	SIGNIFICANT VALUE	SIGNIFICANT RATE	CHARACTERISTIC PERIOD (SEC)
SURGE (M. )	1.35	.82	10.38
SWAY (M. )	.45	.23	12.07
HEAVE (M. )	1.73	1.12	9.76
ROLL (DEG)	.91	.50	11.49
PITCH (DEG)	9.50	9.11	6.55
YAW (DEG)	.63	.34	11.60

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— LOCAL MOTION SUMMARIES: SELECTED POINTS —

>>> NOTE: Point coordinates are given in vessel system;  
 Vectorial motion components are in a rotated r.h. system  
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+++ SIGNIFICANT SINGLE AMP. DISPLACEMENTS +++

POINT COORDINATES ( X, Y, Z)	X COMP	Y COMP	Z COMP
( -25.4, .0, 6.8)	4.69	.32	1.28

APPENDIX D: Sample Barge Output

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Towsim Sample Problem

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\*\*\*\*\* I. PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS SUMMARY \*\*\*\*\*  
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— SITE CHARACTERISTICS —

WATER DEPTH ..... 100.00 METERS  
WATER DENSITY ..... 1025.18 KGW/CUBIC METER

— VESSEL CHARACTERISTICS —

DISPLACEMENT ..... 6034.00 M.TONS  
VERTICAL (Z) KB ..... 2.04 METERS  
VERTICAL (Z) KG ..... 13.20 METERS  
LONGITUDINAL GM ..... 31.90 METERS  
TRANSVERSE GM ..... 19.00 METERS  
PITCH GYRADIUS ..... 25.50 METERS  
ROLL GYRADIUS ..... 27.30 METERS  
YAW GYRADIUS ..... 18.40 METERS

— DYNAMICALLY SIMILAR BOX CHARACTERISTICS —

BOX LENGTH ..... 43.70 METERS  
BOX WIDTH ..... 36.61 METERS  
BOX DRAFT ..... 3.68 METERS

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 \*\*\*\*\* II. UNMOORED VESSEL MOTION CHARACTERISTICS \*\*\*\*\*  
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— NATURAL PERIODS AT ZERO SPEED —

NATURAL ROLL PERIOD ..... 14.6 SECONDS  
 NATURAL PITCH PERIOD ..... 10.9 SECONDS  
 NATURAL HEAVE PERIOD ..... 8.4 SECONDS

— QUASI-LINEAR ZERO SPEED DAMPING COEFFICIENTS —

NATURAL ROLL DAMPING ..... 5.0 PERCENT  
 NATURAL PITCH DAMPING ..... 1.2 PERCENT  
 NATURAL HEAVE DAMPING ..... 12.9 PERCENT

REGULAR WAVE HEIGHT..... 4.0 METERS  
 WATER DEPTH ..... 100.0 METERS

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 \*\*\*\*\* II. UNMOORED VESSEL MOTION CHARACTERISTICS \*\*\*\*\*  
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— REGULAR WAVE DATA: WAVE HEADING = 166.3 DEG  
 WAVE HEIGHT = 4.0 M.  
 FORWARD SPEED = .0 M./SEC

+++ QUASI-LINEAR RESPONSE RAOS (S.A./S.A.) +++

WAVE PERIOD (SEC)	WAVE LENGTH (M.)	WAVE SLOPE (DEG)	SURGE ( M. / M. )		SWAY ( M. / M. )		HEAVE ( M. / M. )	
			AM/PHASE		AM/PHASE		AM/PHASE	
3.00	14.0	51.29	0.00/ -90.0		0.00/ 90.0		0.00/ 21.1	
3.50	19.1	37.68	.04/ 89.9		.01/ -90.1		0.00/-147.0	
4.00	25.0	28.85	.08/ -90.3		.02/ 89.7		.01/ 46.0	
4.50	31.6	22.80	.13/ -90.6		.03/ 89.5		.02/ 56.7	
5.00	39.0	18.46	.05/ -90.8		.01/ 89.2		.01/ 63.7	
5.50	47.2	15.26	.08/ 89.0		.02/ -91.0		.02/-111.8	
6.00	56.1	12.82	.22/ 88.8		.05/ -91.1		.09/-108.5	
6.50	65.9	10.93	.35/ 88.8		.09/ -91.2		.20/-105.0	
7.00	76.4	9.42	.46/ 88.8		.11/ -91.2		.37/ -99.9	
7.50	87.7	8.21	.55/ 88.8		.13/ -91.1		.62/ -91.8	
8.00	99.8	7.21	.62/ 88.9		.15/ -91.0		.93/ -79.0	
8.50	112.7	6.39	.68/ 89.0		.17/ -91.0		1.24/ -61.8	
9.00	126.3	5.70	.73/ 89.1		.18/ -90.9		1.42/ -43.9	
9.50	140.7	5.12	.76/ 89.2		.19/ -90.8		1.43/ -29.7	
10.00	155.9	4.62	.79/ 89.3		.19/ -90.7		1.38/ -20.0	
10.50	171.7	4.19	.82/ 89.4		.20/ -90.6		1.31/ -13.8	
11.00	188.3	3.82	.84/ 89.4		.20/ -90.6		1.25/ -9.7	
11.50	205.4	3.51	.86/ 89.5		.21/ -90.5		1.21/ -7.0	
12.00	223.0	3.23	.87/ 89.5		.21/ -90.4		1.17/ -5.2	
12.50	241.1	2.99	.89/ 89.6		.22/ -90.4		1.14/ -3.9	
13.00	259.5	2.77	.90/ 89.6		.22/ -90.4		1.11/ -3.0	
13.50	278.1	2.59	.92/ 89.7		.22/ -90.3		1.10/ -2.3	
14.00	297.0	2.42	.93/ 89.7		.23/ -90.3		1.08/ -1.8	
14.50	315.9	2.28	.94/ 89.7		.23/ -90.3		1.07/ -1.4	
15.00	334.9	2.15	.96/ 89.7		.23/ -90.2		1.06/ -1.1	
15.50	353.8	2.03	.97/ 89.8		.24/ -90.2		1.05/ -.9	
16.00	372.8	1.93	.99/ 89.8		.24/ -90.2		1.04/ -.8	
16.50	391.6	1.84	1.00/ 89.8		.24/ -90.2		1.04/ -.6	
17.00	410.4	1.75	1.02/ 89.8		.25/ -90.2		1.03/ -.5	
17.50	429.2	1.68	1.04/ 89.8		.25/ -90.2		1.03/ -.4	

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\*\*\*\*\* II. UNMOORED VESSEL MOTION CHARACTERISTICS \*\*\*\*\*  
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— REGULAR WAVE DATA: WAVE HEADING = 166.3 DEG  
WAVE HEIGHT = 4.0 M.  
FORWARD SPEED = .0 M./SEC

+++ QUASI-LINEAR RESPONSE RAOs (S.A./S.A.) +++

WAVE PERIOD (SEC)	WAVE LENGTH (M.)	WAVE SLOPE (DEG)	ROLL (DEG/DEG) AM/PHASE	PITCH (DEG/DEG) AM/PHASE	YAW (DEG/DEG) AM/PHASE
3.00	14.0	51.29	0.00/ -80.8	0.00/ 92.2	0.00/ 0.0
3.50	19.1	37.68	0.00/ 140.5	0.00/ -84.5	.01/ 179.9
4.00	25.0	28.85	0.00/ -4.4	0.00/ 37.8	0.00/ -.3
4.50	31.6	22.80	0.00/ 9.2	.01/ 101.7	.01/ -.5
5.00	39.0	18.46	0.00/ 16.2	.04/ 111.9	.02/ -.8
5.50	47.2	15.26	0.00/-160.0	.07/ 116.6	.03/ -1.0
6.00	56.1	12.82	0.00/-159.0	.11/ 117.5	.03/ -1.1
6.50	65.9	10.93	0.00/-161.9	.16/ 116.2	.03/ -1.2
7.00	76.4	9.42	.01/-170.9	.23/ 113.6	.03/ -1.2
7.50	87.7	8.21	.01/ 171.8	.31/ 110.7	.03/ -1.1
8.00	99.8	7.21	.01/ 148.4	.44/ 107.9	.03/ -1.0
8.50	112.7	6.39	.01/ 128.7	.62/ 105.7	.03/ -1.0
9.00	126.3	5.70	.02/ 116.6	.92/ 104.2	.03/ -.9
9.50	140.7	5.12	.03/ 110.0	1.44/ 103.8	.03/ -.8
10.00	155.9	4.62	.05/ 106.5	2.54/ 105.2	.03/ -.7
10.50	171.7	4.19	.07/ 104.8	6.01/ 113.3	.03/ -.6
11.00	188.3	3.82	.10/ 104.4	20.18/-149.0	.03/ -.6
11.50	205.4	3.51	.14/ 105.0	5.90/ -99.5	.03/ -.5
12.00	223.0	3.23	.20/ 106.6	3.55/ -93.8	.03/ -.4
12.50	241.1	2.99	.28/ 109.6	2.68/ -91.9	.03/ -.4
13.00	259.5	2.77	.41/ 114.6	2.23/ -91.1	.03/ -.4
13.50	278.1	2.59	.61/ 123.4	1.95/ -90.7	.03/ -.3
14.00	297.0	2.42	.96/ 140.6	1.77/ -90.4	.03/ -.3
14.50	315.9	2.28	1.35/ 172.9	1.64/ -90.3	.03/ -.3
15.00	334.9	2.15	1.29/ -150.6	1.54/ -90.2	.03/ -.2
15.50	353.8	2.03	1.00/ -128.9	1.46/ -90.1	.03/ -.2
16.00	372.8	1.93	.80/ -117.8	1.40/ -90.1	.03/ -.2
16.50	391.6	1.84	.67/ -111.5	1.35/ -90.1	.03/ -.2
17.00	410.4	1.75	.58/ -107.5	1.31/ -90.0	.03/ -.2
17.50	429.2	1.68	.52/ -104.9	1.28/ -90.0	.04/ -.2

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WAVE HEIGHT = 4.0 M.  
FORWARD SPEED = .0 M./SEC

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with (x,z) in plane of line, z upwards along line tangent

+++ DISPLACEMENT RAOs IN M. PER UNIT WAVE AMP. (S.A./S.A.) +++

WAVE PERIOD (SEC)	COORDINATES ( 21.7, .0, 6.7)			COORDINATES ( 21.7, .0, 6.7)		
	X COMP AM/PHASE	Y COMP AM/PHASE	Z COMP AM/PHASE	X COMP AM/PHASE	Y COMP AM/PHASE	Z COMP AM/PHASE
3.00	0.00/-128	.01/ -39	0.00/ 39	0.00/ 19	.02/ -59	.03/ -86
3.50	.02/-172	.04/ -81	.04/ -5	.02/ 32	.03/ -78	.06/ 53
4.00	0.00/ 149	.02/-105	.08/ -69	.07/ -61	.02/-101	.09/ -68
4.50	.06/ -86	.06/ 4	.14/ 70	.08/ 17	.07/ -18	.05/ -3
5.00	.13/ 121	.08/-166	.07/ -81	.10/ 118	.09/-154	.17/-104
5.50	.22/-103	.08/ -50	.06/-137	1.13/ 149	.06/ -77	.28/-178
6.00	.34/ 96	.08/ 132	.20/ 73	2.56/-150	.14/ 156	.44/ 166
6.50	.49/ 91	.10/ 117	.33/ 75	3.38/-113	.10/ 145	.20/ 172
7.00	.72/ -60	.11/ -41	.44/ -72	2.09/-104	.11/ -44	.61/ -80
7.50	1.05/ 41	.13/ 53	.53/ 29	2.99/ -97	.16/ 54	.62/ 23
8.00	1.50/ 64	.14/ 66	.61/ 48	3.26/ -89	.20/ 65	.83/ 46
8.50	1.96/ 27	.15/ 16	.66/ 2	2.70/-110	.21/ 33	.90/ 19
9.00	2.29/ -61	.16/ -83	.67/ -93	.63/ 112	.08/ -52	.35/ -60
9.50	2.57/ 164	.16/ 136	.64/ 128	3.90/ -29	.24/ 111	.96/ 101
10.00	3.20/ -8	.17/ -35	.55/ -45	2.33/-163	.17/ 5	.61/ 11
10.50	5.66/ 151	.19/ 127	.33/ 85	6.98/ -31	.29/ 107	.92/ 75
11.00	15.75/ 15	.15/ -59	2.39/-142	15.12/-160	.10/ 3	1.90/-154
11.50	4.23/ 172	.14/ 26	1.37/ 17	5.34/ -15	.25/ 54	1.83/ 35
12.00	2.50/ -87	.15/ 128	1.16/ 125	1.93/ 63	.27/ 104	1.70/ 107
12.50	1.92/ -2	.15/ -141	1.09/-141	1.13/-146	.11/ 145	.69/ 177
13.00	1.63/ 72	.15/ -63	1.06/ -60	2.28/ -78	.09/ 19	.70/ -15
13.50	1.47/ 138	.14/ 0	1.05/ 9	2.63/ -37	.23/ 46	1.52/ 38
14.00	1.37/-163	.15/ 50	1.04/ 72	2.30/ -4	.30/ 68	1.84/ 75
14.50	1.30/-110	.20/ 97	1.04/ 127	1.59/ 24	.37/ 91	1.72/ 106
15.00	1.25/ -64	.25/ 157	1.05/ 176	.74/ 53	.35/ 128	1.29/ 135
15.50	1.21/ -22	.25/-149	1.06/-139	.14/-164	.21/ 164	.70/ 165
16.00	1.18/ 14	.25/-106	1.07/-100	.80/-101	.08/-138	.18/-113
16.50	1.16/ 48	.24/ -69	1.08/ -65	1.35/ -80	.11/ -19	.58/ -7
17.00	1.14/ 79	.24/ -36	1.09/ -33	1.75/ -63	.21/ 14	1.08/ 17
17.50	1.13/ 107	.24/ -6	1.10/ -4	2.00/ -48	.30/ 34	1.49/ 35

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 SWELL DIRECTION ..... 186.31 DEGREES  
 SWELL PERIOD ..... 12.00 SECONDS

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	SIGNIFICANT VALUE	SIGNIFICANT RATE	CHARACTERISTIC PERIOD (SEC)
SURGE (M.TONS)	526.60	519.37	6.37
SWAY (M.TONS)	118.11	126.67	5.86
HEAVE (M.TONS)	1293.83	731.75	11.11
ROLL (M.TON-MTR)	377.93	369.62	6.42
PITCH (M.TON-MTR)	10587.43	10646.30	6.25
YAW (M.TON-MTR)	2742.16	3728.11	4.62

+++ SIGNIFICANT SINGLE AMPLITUDE MOTIONS +++

	SIGNIFICANT VALUE	SIGNIFICANT RATE	CHARACTERISTIC PERIOD (SEC)
SURGE (M. )	1.50	.94	10.04
SWAY (M. )	.22	.17	8.12
HEAVE (M. )	1.90	1.10	10.85
ROLL (DEG)	.38	.18	13.28
PITCH (DEG)	20.65	11.81	10.99
YAW (DEG)	.42	.49	5.32

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POINT COORDINATES ( X, Y, Z)	X COMP	Y COMP	Z COMP
( 21.7, .0, 6.7)	8.55	.69	2.31
( 21.7, .0, 6.7)	9.88	.75	2.57