

#### Cedre Information Day 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014

# Operational Response at Cedre

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#### **Overview of Cedre's missions**

- A PRIORITY PUBLIC SERVICE MISSION (expertise and support to authorities) "to provide operational advice to the relevant authorities in an emergency situation" for surface, marine or
- inland waters.
- All pollutants: oil, HNS, other.



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# Chemical risks at the Emergency Response Centre

- 110 -140 requests each year
- 50% real incidents, among which 50% concern chemicals
- 6 duty engineers for the Emergency Response activity, two GIS specialists.
- Laboratory and meso scale experiments
- Agents able to be mobilised in the field.
- Network activation: CASU, Ifremer, Universities...



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# Chemical risks in

our public service agreements

- Environment ministry (MEDDE) approval
- Civil protection (DGSCGC) approval
- Transaid support centre for north-west France
- ICE focal point for France
- MAR-ICE focal point for Europe

In the event of such activations, the aim is to provide <u>all useful elements</u> to the inquirer (fire brigade, local or national authorities), by working together as a network.



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#### Several response levels

- Emergency response
- More in-depth research
  - Pollutant identification
  - Bibliography
- Incident management: expert committees, command posts
- In the field: impact mitigation and assessment
- Modelling
- Analyses
- Experimentation



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#### Past incidents

# A40 road accident 2013Container ship MSC Flaminia 2012





Photo: SDIS 40

Photo: Smit Salvage

#### – Liquid bulk carrier YM Uranus (2010)

Photo: Marine nationale





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#### Three examples of incidents



Source: Marine nationale

May 2013 Accident on A63. photo SDIS 40

YM Uranus Date: 05/10/10 France

> MSC Flaminia Date: 14/07/2012 Atlantic, Channel Photo: Smit Salvage







# Fire on board the MSC FLAMINIA

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#### **MSC Flaminia**

14 July: Fire then explosion on board container ship MSC Flaminia travelling from Charleston (US) to Antwerp. On board: 2876 containers, 150 hazardous Position 1000 NM from Land's End. Two crew members were killed, one other died two months later. Mayday sent out, ship abandoned. 17 July: 2 tugs on site 21 August: decision to send experts (GB & FR) on board 21 August: Germany accepted ship 28 August: experts on board 1<sup>st</sup> September: started towing to Germany 3 September, entered Channel 9 September: Arrived in Wilhelmshaven.

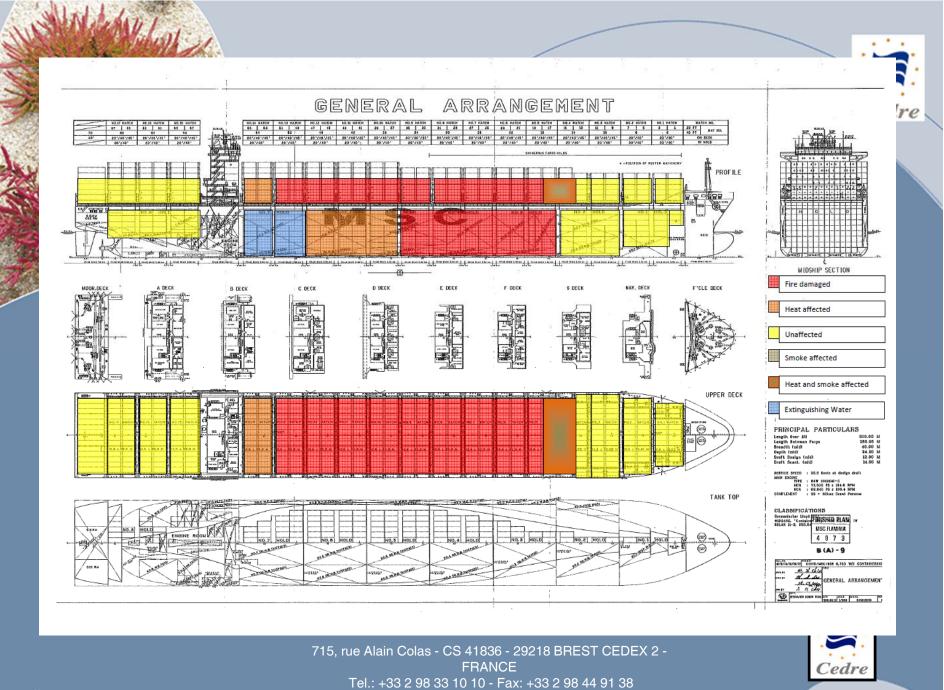


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#### "FLAMINIA" - Container Spreadsheet

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#### Feedback

Fluctuating DGD. Need to have ALL documents, in order to contact sender or consignee.

IMDG code should be completed by MSDS

MSDS sometimes obscure, or even non-existent Insufficient or even erroneous DGD in form of Excel spreadsheet

Incident scenarios not suited to the situation

Very good contacts with Belgian and English experts

Many expert committees working independently



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#### CONCLUSIONS

- Problem specific to container ships
  - Chemical risk together with oil pollution
  - Long-lasting
  - On land logistics
  - Importance of working together



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chemical tanker built in 2008.

**Owner: Yilmar Maritime Shipping** 

Manager: Ibex Maritime Ltd

**Operator: V.Ships** 

Offices based in Istanbul



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#### The facts

05:30 UTC+2 (French time)

Collision between chemical tanker YM Uranus (120 m) and bulk carrier Hanjin Rizhao (292 m) 30 NM (55 km) west of Ushant (Brittany, France).

Collision on stern starboard side of Uranus: manoeuvre to overtake bulk carrier.

The Uranus was travelling from Porto Marghera (Italy) to Amsterdam

Immediately, the crew of the Uranus sent out a Mayday call. The ship, with a 20° list, was evacuated.



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## The facts (2)

05:45. The *Cedre* duty engineer was notified by the French Navy Operational Centre (COM). The request concerned the risks presented by a cargo with UN n° 1993.

• 6,400 T on board

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- Answer: Generic number. This number covers several hundred products.
  - Flammable, non-water-miscible product.



### The facts (3)

- 08:52 Cedre called COM to provide them with the name of the product PyGas (pyrolysis gasoline)
- Name obtained by contacting ship owner in Istanbul. The owner provided us with a MSDS from the producer Polimeri Europa, a subsidiary of ENI.
- This was once again a generic sheet.
- Flash Point less than 0°C
- Flammability: 1.4%-7.6% vol
- Composition
  - Benzene: 0-50%
  - Toluene 0-30%
  - Xylene 0-20%
  - Styrene 0-30%
  - Dicyclopentadiene 0-30%
- DATA GIVEN TO THE ASSESSMENT & RESPONSE TEAM before the helicopter took off



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# The facts (4)

- Around 09:00 Crew airlifted off by helicopter (13 men on board life raft).
- Around 09:30 Assessment team (Navy, naval fire brigade) hoised on board by helicopter.
- Survey conducted on board by naval firefighters). No traces of gas. Name of product known but not yet its composition.



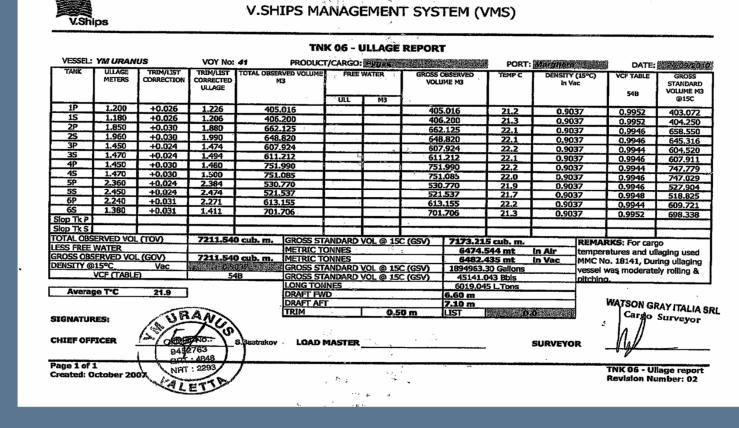
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#### Investigation into type of cargo

Loading plan obtained at 10:25 (Ibex Maritime Ltd)

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#### Document obtained at 15:37: details on the nature of the cargo obtained by inquiring directly to the manufacturer

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Polimeri Europa S.p.A. Sede legale: Piazza Boldrini,1 - 20097 San Donato Milanese (Mi) Capitale Sociale 51,553,400,000,00 i.v. C.F. & Reg.Imprese Milano 03823300821 Parl. IVA IT 01768800748 - R.E.A Milano n. 1351279 Societé soggetta all'attivité di directore e coordinamento dell'Eni S.b.A. Società con unido socio,

Rapporto di prova nº: 200219970 Punto di Prelievo :- MSL#PSS#DA 1304. Data/ora di campionamento :: 07/09/2610-16:25 Prodotto : BK RESIDUA MSL#PSS - Tipo :

Specifica di riferimento: pF2560/02#BK RESIDUA

Caratteristiche	U.d.m.	Valori	Limiti	Metodi d'analisi		
				Interno PE	Altri	
1 <sup>-</sup> Provenienza	-	DA 1304		-	-	
2 Destinazione	-	OLANDA		-	-	
3 Nome_nave	-	YM URANUS		-	•	
4 Tipo_Prelievo	-	P_IMBARCO		-	-	
5 Densita' (a 15 °C)	kg/L .	0.9037	0.820-0.930	ME64005 ·	ASTM D 4052	
6 T iniziale di distillazione	°C	48	30 min	ME14009	ASTM D 86	
7 T finale di distillazione	°C	190	210 max	ME14009	ASTM D 86	
8 Totale raccolto	% v	99		ME14009	ASTM D 86	
9 Residuo	. % v	1		ME14009	ASTM D 86	
10 Idrocarburi C4 e inferiori	%p	0.24		ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
11 Idrocarburi C5	%p	5.89		ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
12 Idrocarburi non aromatici C6-C8	%p ·	1.16		ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
13 Benzene	%p	0.61		ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
14 Toluene	- %p	5.31		ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
15 Etilbenzene	%p	4.09	1	ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
16 Xileni	% p	12.99		ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
17 Stirene	%p	18.11		ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
18 Idrocarburi aromatici C9	%p	22.16		ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
19 Idrocarburi non aromatici C9	%p	1.25		ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
20 DCPD(Endo+Eso)	%p	15.89	· ·	ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
21 Idrocarburi C10 e superiori	%p	28.2		ME31007	ASTM D 5134	
22 Gomme non lavate	mg/100 mL	260	700 max	ME13001	ASTM D 381	
23 Gomme lavate	mg/100 mL	223		ME13001	ASTM D 381	
24 Numero di Bromo	gBr/100g	90	120 max	ME51001	ASTM D 1159	
25 Valore Dienico	gI/100g	10.7	. 35 max	ME25001	UOP 326	
26 Cloro	ppm p	<1	10 max	ME64007	ASTM D 5808	
27 Zolfo	ppm p	90,4	250 max	ME64006	ASTM D 5453	
28 Prelievo eseguito da:	ppp	WATSON GRAY				

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Responsabile laboratorio



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# CONCLUSIONS:

Information gathering can take time...

- Indispensable for
  - understanding the situation
  - taking emergency measures
  - ensuring operator safety (airlifting without protective clothing, open cockpit ... )
  - ...and protecting the environment
- anticipating how events are liable to evolve and for describing scenarios (what to do if the ship sinks, breaks when being towed near to the coast...)



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#### The experts need to know ...

- The ship's characteristics and its condition
- The exact nature and quantity of the product(s)
  - The characteristics of the product(s)
  - The hazards related to the product(s)
  - Information on behaviour (physico-chemical evolution, drift)
- Sensitive and vulnerable resources



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#### Timeline

- Road accident on 18 May. 6.8 m3 of gear oil on the motorway then in the surrounding environment. No containment.
- Flooding periods.
- Call to Cedre on 23 May from Polmar correspondent who knows us. Proposal to send agent on site.
- Meeting scheduled for 12 June. Aerial strikes.
- Finally meeting and visit on site on 19 June 2013
- Still high rainfall



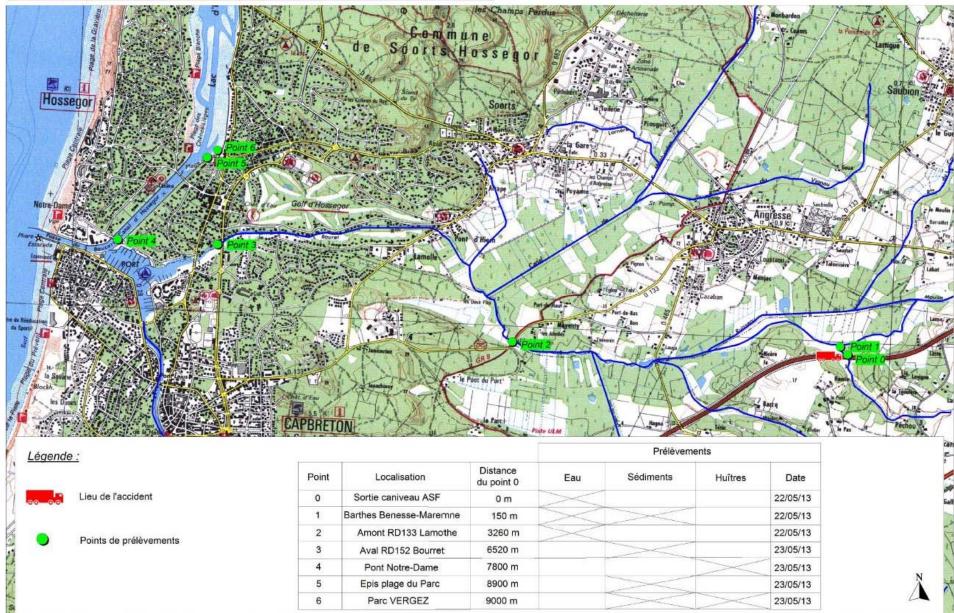
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Localisation points de prélèvements, pollution ANGLAMOL 99 du 18 mai 2013



#### ANGLAMOL 99

- Manufacturer Lubrizol
- Mixture of products including one complex substance answering to the name of: reactions product of bis(4-methylpentan-2-yl)dithiophophoric acid with phosphorus oxide, propylene oxide and amines, C12-14 alkyl(branched). 20-29.9%
- Oleic amine 5-9.9%
- Reaction products of 1,3,4 thiadiazoline-2,5 dithione, formaldehyde and phenol, heptyl derivs. 1 to 4.9%
- Phenol heptyl derivs 0.1-0.9%
- QSP mineral oil
- D=1.07



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# Main characteristics of the principal product (ECHA site)

- Solubility (39.5 to 138 mg/L) i.e. 0.014%
- PNEC 0.0012 mg/L
- NOEL 0.12 mg/L
- BCF 430
- $\log KOC = 1.35-5.9$
- Low biodegradability •
- Overall a stable, bioaccumulable pollutant, liable to constitute a source of chronic pollution.



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## Cedre's actions

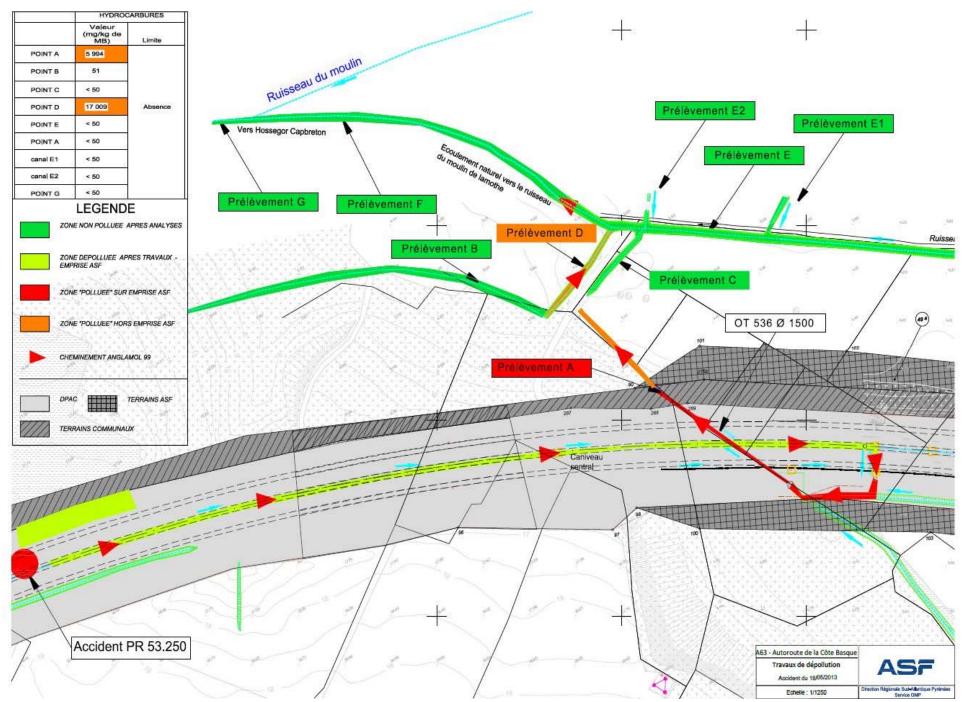
1. Between 23 May and 12 June, contacts with Ifremer Arcachon, manufacturer, river associations, Departmental Directorate of Territories and the Sea (DDTM), ....

- 2. On-site mission on 19 June
- ASF cleaned up pipelines under its responsibility. DDTM had no contact with polluter or his representative.
- Analyses performed by ASF.
- Site visit



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#### Recommendations

5 weeks after the incident, strong smell from sediment, sheen when sediment mixed.

Once weather drier, remove sediment and vegetation between ASF pipe and main stream, store and treat. Area around 150 m long and 10 m wide

Contact ASF, who have begun clean-up, in order to coordinate work and form a united front before the polluter.

Response still ongoing. Contacts in October with the river associations to redetermine the relevance of total hydrocarbon analyses.



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#### Conclusions

- Always try to understand the situation in the field, the issues at stake, the gaps, especially in an emergency
- Provide the most relevant information
- Go further, call upon all our networks, including in the private sector...
- If the situation requires it, pilot scale experimentation
- Advice goes beyond simply providing a technical service



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