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FastBallast: The Future of IMO Compliant Maritime Compliance Testing

Enhanced Features Position FastBallast as the Gold Standard for Maritime Compliance.

Chelsea Technologies, a global leader in maritime compliance solutions, is pleased to announce the launch of its next-generation FastBallast system, poised to modernise ballast water compliance testing.

Launching December 2025, FastBallast redefines what an upgrade can be.

Designed to meet the latest IMO regulations, FastBallast empowers all maritime stakeholders involved in shipping operations to meet evolving environmental regulations with confidence, combining laboratory-grade accuracy with robust, shipboard practicality.

The maritime industry has changed drastically. With two significant IMO resolutions taking effect on 1 February 2025, the landscape of ballast water management is shifting rapidly. These resolutions mandate a new format for ballast water record books (BWRBs) and introduce approval requirements for electronic BWRBs, signalling a decisive move towards digital record-keeping.

FastBallast is not simply prepared for these changes. It anticipates them instead. Investing in FastBallast now is a strategic move for operators seeking to stay ahead of evolving compliance demands and strengthen their competitive edge.

Key Features & Benefits

- Designed to Meet IMO Regulations Provides unmatched reliability for regulatory compliance.
- Enhanced Testing Accuracy Improved detection capabilities ensure compliance with the most stringent discharge standards.
- User-Friendly Interface Streamlined design and intuitive software minimise crew training time.
- Portability and Durability Compact and robust for seamless use onboard or at port facilities.

The FastBallast system will be available for orders starting October 2025, with an official hard launch in December 2025.

It will be showcased at Europort 2025 in November and Marintec China in Shanghai in December, where attendees can experience live demonstrations and meet Chelsea Technologies' technical experts.

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Who is Chelsea Technologies?

Chelsea Technologies, established over 60 years ago, is a leading provider of innovative sensors and systems for environmental monitoring. Our fluorometers, sensors, and optical systems are used worldwide to support oceanographic research, monitor pollution and contaminants, enhance water treatment processes, and ensure compliance with ballast water and exhaust gas wash water monitoring regulations.

We take pride in our deep engineering expertise, which is ingeniously applied to create some of the world's most sensitive, accurate, and reliable environmental monitoring sensors and systems.