

IMPACT OF FATIGUE ON MARITIME ACCIDENTS A CASE STUDY:

GROUNDING OF FRI OCEAN

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ABSTRACT

This study analyzes maritime fatigue as one of the main reasons of marine accidents. Several reasons were found to be causing fatigue, such as working hours and conditions. Thus, a case study of Fri Ocean merchant vessel is reported to discuss how fatigue plays an important role in the accident. The accident is investigated and how avoiding fatigue could prevent from such accidents is presented.

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