



First MAN B&W Diesel engine over 100,000 bhp now in service

Copenhagen, 22 February 2006. The first diesel engine with more than 100,000 bhp has gone into service on February 22 2006. MAN B&W Diesel licensee Hyundai Heavy Industries in Korea has built the 12K98MC with 101,640 bhp.

The engine is installed in the first of a series of container ships with a capacity over 9,000 teu being built for Greek owner Costamare. The vessels will be chartered to COSCON (COSCO Container Lines) in China.

Engine data:

Power	74,760 kW / 101,640 bhp
Speed	97 r/min
MEP	19.2 bar
Height	Approx. 16 m
Width	Approx. 11 m
Length	Approx. 25 m
Weight	Approx. 2,100 tons



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About MAN B&W Diesel

MAN B&W Diesel is the World's leading designer of large-bore diesel engines. The company designs two- and four-stroke diesel engines, generating sets, turbochargers and CP propellers, which are manufactured by MAN B&W Diesel and its licensees. Engine outputs range from 450 to 97,300 kW. MAN B&W Diesel has approximately 6,700 employees, located in Germany, Denmark, UK, France, Czech Republic and China. The company's worldwide service network consists of Authorised Repair Shops and service centres. MAN B&W Diesel is a subsidiary of the German industrial group MAN AG.

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