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The Arctic Ice-Breaking LNG Carrier for Yamal LNG

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Total of Transit Voyages in 2010-2013

	2010	2011	2012	2013
Total Volume of Transit Cargo, t	111 000	820 789	1 261 545	1 355 897
Total Number of Transit Voyages	4 (2 of them in ballast)	34 (10 of them in ballast)	46 (13 of them in ballast)	71 (22 of them in ballast)

Question : To be or not to be independent from Ice-Breakers ?





The Shipping scheme of the Project



a Conventional LNG Carrier



an Ice-breaker

No : It's an High Ice-Class Double-Acting LNG Carrier





<u>Main Particulars</u>: LOA: 300 m / B: 50 m / Draft: 12 m 172,600 m3 Cargo Capacity / BOR: 0.13%/vol/day / 45 MW propulsion power

COMPUTER DESIGN AND MODEL TESTS FOR OPTIMIZING HULL AND PROPULSION



Several Propulsion Concepts



Several Bow Concepts











Several Testing Facilities Several Test Programs



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Arc7 vessels can operate year-round independently from IA (Ice-breaker Assistance) in South Western part of Kara Sea





Ice Class Notation and Hull reinforcement



Currently NSR Administration and RMRS rules do not allow bulbous bow for vessels with Ice Class above Arc 4 along the NSR

For safety aspects and efficiency , a moderate ice bow has been chosen for this Double-Acting or Push-Pull vessel

Bow options and ship's performances Open water Ice





* The development of a more powerful azimuthal thruster is required for the project (Arc7 15 MW compared to existing Arc7 13 MW) with overtorque of 180% for ice navigation

* The development of a load bank for coping with gas mode operations in ice (Tri-fuel Diesel Electric propulsion)

An innovative propulsion system for a LNG carrier





Factory Acceptance Tests of First Arc7 – 15 MW - Azipod (Dec. 2014)





- The basic concept of the hull was generic , capable to incorporate all types of Cargo Containment System (MOSS, SPB Membrane)

- The final choice was made after a thorough assessment of all the technical aspects (impacts of fatigue, vibrations, ice loads, ice collision and requirement for bilge keel)

<u>Applied CCS</u>: Membrane GTT NO96 GW (Glass Wool) from GazTransport & Technigaz

- Dual Classification of Bureau Veritas & Russian Maritime Register (RMRS)

The Cargo Containment System







For harsh environment and low temperatures of -52°C

Sheltered Mooring decks



Ice boxes and Ballast tanks heating

Winterization of the Ship

Winterized bridges (Aft & Fwd)











Vessel #1 is under construction at Shipyard (South Korea)

- Keel laying : 23d March 2015
- Sea Trials : January 2016
- Gas Trials : February 2016
- Ice Trials : May 2016 in Kara Sea







The ship will be the first ice-breaking LNG Carrier , designed to be independent from Ice Breakers assistance , to achieve a safe, sustainable, reliable, and cost effective maritime transportation along the Northern Sea Route







Bear in mind the invitation date for the Ice trials in Kara Sea : May 2016 as you are invited ...