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MARLOW BLUE OCEAN DOCKLINE

Plastic waste disposal is a hot topic right now, and rightly so, it's a serious cause for concern. Marlow Ropes is doing its bit, and you can help, by using its new Blue Ocean range of lines. Nominated for a DAME award at the METSTRADe equipment show in Amsterdam, Blue Ocean dock line is actually made from 100% waste plastic bottles. It's used to create rPET (recycled polyester) yarn. It is available in black or silver white with a Blue Ocean fleck un-spliced on reels and pre-spliced in 12-16mm diameters in lengths from 6m to 12m. Marlow says that the unique construction offers the same popular attributes available with its other mooring products including good abrasion resistance and shock absorption with soft and supple flexibility and zero strength loss or shrinkage. **PRICE** £29.95 **CONTACT** www.marlowropes.com



ADVANCED YACHT SYSTEMS WATER MAKER

Advanced Yacht Systems has launched a watermaker called the Dessalator Navigator. According to Advanced Yacht Systems, the purest water, the highest outputs and the greatest reliability comes from constant flow high pressure watermakers. Up until now, these have all required a small amount of user input to adjust pressure. In contrast, the Navigator is a fully automatic 'one-touch' high pressure watermaker range, able to work with network control systems such as Sheiber, used by Beneteau. The space saving pump-motor assembly has an even smaller footprint than standard Dessalator models for ease of installation. **PRICE** From £9,164 **CONTACT** www.advanceyacht.co.uk

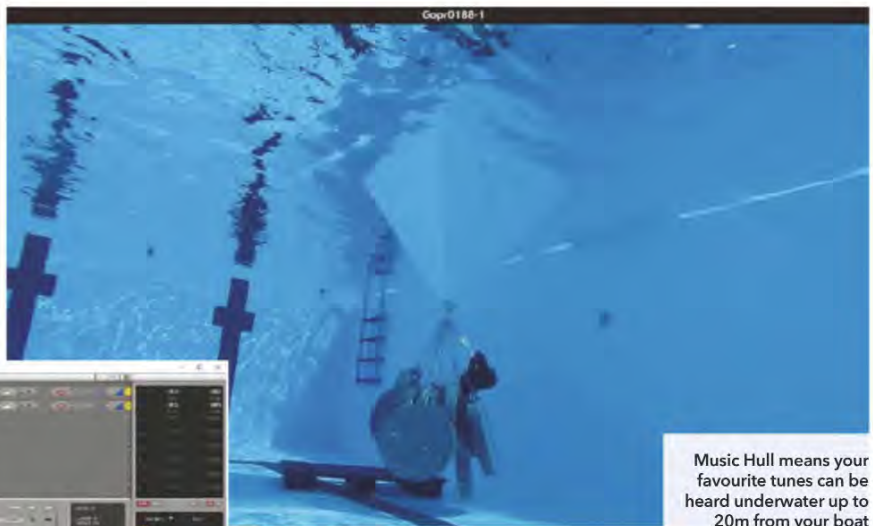
VIDEOWORKS MUSIC HULL

If you can't bear to be parted from your latest Taylor Swift album, even when swimming from your boat, Videoworks can now ensure that the magic never ends. Music Hull transforms the hull itself into a loudspeaker that can propagate high definition sound underwater.

Fitted for the first time to a Pershing 8X, the system is based on the installation of shakers on the inner surface of the stern section.

It works by 'bending waves, filling space with an even acoustic pressure without requiring holes or openings in the hull. The high fidelity of the sound is guaranteed by an electronic equalisation algorithm that allows the system to independently calibrate in real time'. So that clears that up!

It can be heard up to a radius of about 20m from the boat, and what's really clever is a



Music Hull means your favourite tunes can be heard underwater up to 20m from your boat



feature that makes it very different from classic external loudspeakers: the intensity decreases

linearly and not with the square of the distance, which means it decreases more slowly as you move away from the vessel.

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