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Videoworks at METSTRADE 2024: Unveiling Advanced Solutions for the Yachting Sector

Videoworks exhibits its solutions at METSTRADE, at RAI Amsterdam from 19 to 21 November 2024 (stand 10.111) for maximising connectivity, control systems and experiencing high-performing audio/video solutions:

- Special preview of the latest version of the LIDAR intrusion detection system for onboard security.
- Videoworks graphical user interface to control the on-board comfort and entertainment systems.
- The SD WAN system for optimising Internet on yachts.
- The ETO Panel to manage the entertainment and control systems.
- Visitors can also admire the free-standing B&W 801 D4 Signature speakers and the Sony Bravia FW-98BZ53L professional display

Videoworks is excited to present its latest technological solutions for yachts at METSTRADE 2024, that is taking place from November 19 to 21 at RAI Amsterdam (stand 10.111). Visitors will have the opportunity to explore cutting-edge innovations designed to enhance onboard connectivity, security, and comfort, including the new LIDAR security system, seamless internet access, user-friendly control panels, and premium audio and visual equipment.

According to CEO **Maurizio Minossi**, METSTRADE is a vital platform for Videoworks, allowing the company to showcase innovations that improve life onboard luxury yachts. *“The Dutch trade show is essential for Videoworks,”* he says. *“Our focus here is on pioneering technologies that serve the needs of modern yachting, from optimized internet access and user-centric control systems to enhanced security solutions. Our SD-WAN technology ensures reliable internet access, the ETO Panel offers complete onboard management, and the intuitive GUI interface tool provides customizable control—all supported by top-tier sound systems.”*

Stefan Nieuwenhuys, General Director of **Videoworks Europe BV**, adds: *“With our office right here in Amsterdam/Schiphol, it’s fantastic to have the Mets at our doorstep. Our team of system engineers and specialists has been working hard to prepare our latest solutions, and we’re excited to share them with you at the show!”*

Cutting-Edge Security with LIDAR Technology

Videoworks’ latest security solution leverages LIDAR technology, originally developed for detailed mapping, to create an invisible protective barrier around the yacht. This system can detect even small objects, offering optimal protection for entry points and side areas of the vessel. The technology continuously scans the surroundings, detecting potential intrusions in real time with minimal false alarms. Videoworks’ LIDAR system is integrated with traditional security cameras, ensuring comprehensive security coverage while prioritizing privacy by capturing only data, not images. Our security specialist, **Antonio Gasperetti** can guide you through the latest developments in onboard security.

User-Friendly Control with the GUI interface tool

Giovanni Varone, Yachting Sales Manager explains that *“The aim of the GUI interface tool is to provide customized control with an interface tailored to different instruments. The GUI (Graphical User Interface) simplifies the management of onboard systems, such as lighting, audio, video, and more, accessible from smartphones, tablets, or smart TVs.”* Built with HTML5, the interface tool allows yacht owners, guests, and crew to easily control various features through an intuitive interface. Additionally, a linked Admin Panel offers crew members straightforward management of sources and settings, while advanced 5G and low-orbit satellite support ensure uninterrupted entertainment streaming.

Reliable, Home-Like Internet with SD-WAN

Videoworks' SD-WAN technology provides yacht owners and guests with smooth and reliable internet access, enabling them to stream content and enjoy online services as if they were at home, even when offshore. This advanced connectivity solution improves internet speed and stability, supporting seamless streaming from platforms like Netflix and Sky without disruptions. Connectivity expert **Paolo Tagliapietra** is available at METSTRADE to explain the benefits of SD-WAN for modern yachting.

Total Yacht Control with the ETO Panel

To assist onboard specialists in managing electronic systems, Videoworks has developed the ETO (Electrical Technical Officer) Panel, an easy-to-use interface accessible on tablets or smartphones. This platform enables the crew to monitor everything from temperature and humidity to energy usage across the yacht. Integrated with our customized interface tool GUI or with the Crestron one, the ETO Panel allows efficient control of all onboard systems and customizable settings, offering a comprehensive view of all operational aspects.

Premium Sound and Visual Experience

At the Videoworks stand, visitors can experience the high-performance B&W 801 D4 Signature speakers, powered by a Devialet Expert Pro amplifier, designed for those seeking refined audio experiences. Accompanying the speakers is the Sony Bravia FW-98BZ53L display, which offers impressive visuals with deep blacks, high brightness, and cinema-quality colors, delivering an immersive viewing experience for onboard guests.

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