

PRESS RELEASE

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PALFINGER Presents Latest Marine Crane Generation at Europort

PALFINGER, the world's leading producer of innovative lifting solutions, is making waves with its latest product update – the redesigned PK 6.501 M foldable knuckle boom crane. Equipped with state-of-the-art control systems, all PALFINGER MARINE foldable knuckle boom cranes are being upgraded to the most advanced manufacturing technology. The PK 6.501 M crane will be presented at Europort in Rotterdam from November 7 to 10, 2023.



The redesigned PK 6.501 M crane will be presented at Europort in Rotterdam from November 7 to 10, 2023. © PALFINGER

PALFINGER took up the challenge of further improving performance by redesigning its PK series of foldable knuckle boom cranes. At this year's Europort, the spotlight will be on the PK 6.501 M, the fourth and latest redesign in the new PK generation, which is making its grand debut. The PK 6.501 M boasts several major enhancements, including improved outreach and optimized lifting geometry. All eyes will be on the single Power Link system featured on the new crane series. Designed to operate reliably on crew transfer vessels (CTV), among others, as well as in various segments such as aquaculture, this innovative linkage system ensures a constant lifting moment regardless of the boom position - resulting in an increase in lifting capacity. With this technology, the crane can lift its maximum load in all positions, offering compact transport size, consistent lifting force and stable operating speed.

PALTRONIC: Precision and power in every move

The crane is also equipped with the PALTRONIC 40, an IP67 rated control system that ensures safe operation even in rough seas and bad weather conditions. The compact design of the PAL40 system, with the controller seamlessly integrated into the operator terminal, not only saves space but also

simplifies installation. In 2024 PALFINGER will roll out further updates to the PK generation cranes and PAL40 control system, including some highly anticipated features.

Europort: Where innovation takes the helm

Europort 2023, held in Rotterdam, serves as a global maritime hub where cutting-edge technology and complex shipbuilding solutions come together. Jarle Sørstrønen, Product Line Leader Marine Solutions at PALFINGER about the company's presence at this year's Europort: "PALFINGER's redesigned PK 6.501 M crane is an industry highlight at this year's Europort fair and underlines our company's commitment to pioneering advances in maritime technology. We invite you to visit us at stand 4202, experience our state-of-the-art marine technology first-hand, and join PALFINGER MARINE in shaping the future of the maritime industry."

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ABOUT PALFINGER MARINE

The international mechanical engineering company PALFINGER is the world's leading provider of innovative crane and lifting solutions. As a global partner for pioneering and reliable deck equipment and lifesaving appliances, PALFINGER MARINE supplies high-quality products to fulfill standardized and customized demands. Supported worldwide by a network of experienced and skilled specialists, we provide flexible and efficient service solutions. Our portfolio gives a competitive edge to customers in the maritime and offshore industry.

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