



EYOS

NORWEGIAN FJORDS
& LOFOTEN ISLANDS

ABOARD SCINTILLA MARIS





AN EXPEDITION ALONG THE NORWEGIAN COAST

is an unforgettable and beautiful journey. Embark your expedition yacht in Bodø for an intimate look at Norway's indented and dramatic coastline, and sail through narrow fjords with towering mountain peaks on either side. During the long days of the summer, you'll experience Norway's famous midnight sun and watch lingering, dramatic sunsets take over the sky.

Norway comes alive in the summer, and your final itinerary will intentionally be left flexible, providing the best opportunity to take advantage of each day's activities. Cruise spectacular fjords and marvel at glacially carved waterways winding through steep and jagged mountainsides. Along the way, travel comfortably and safely in the capable hands of *Scintilla Maris's* experienced crew and learn from your expert Expedition Leader, who will offer their insights through this incredible landscape.





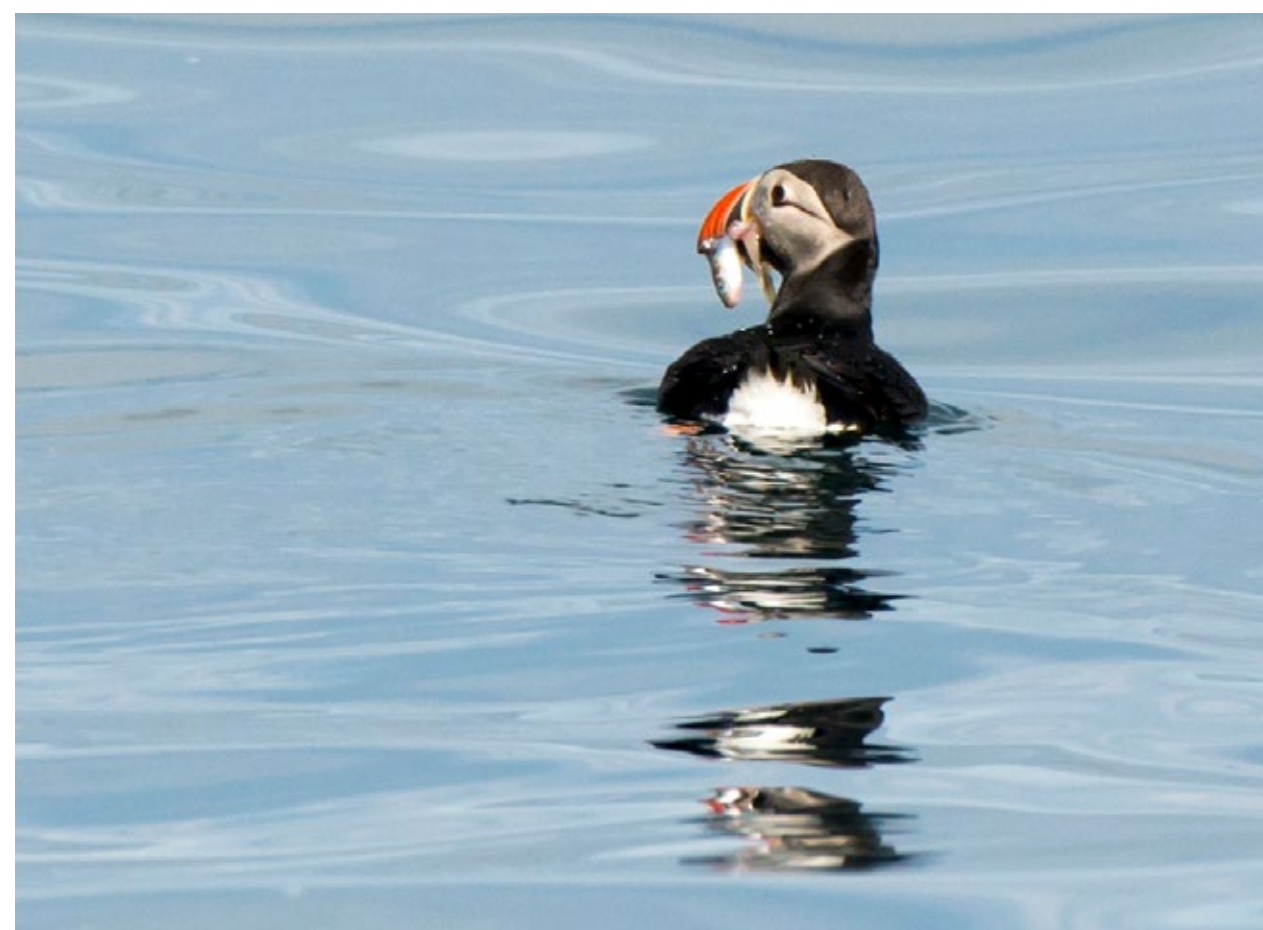
DAY 1 BODØ

Embark in Bodø, located just north of the Arctic Circle, and explore the narrow channels of Saltstraumen. This region has some of the fastest flowing tidal currents in the world, and while it 'always' happens, our chance to experience it depends on departure time from Bodø and tide times on the day.

DAY 2 LOFOTEN ISLANDS

The Lofoten Islands are a chain of islands extending from the coast of Norway into the exposed waters of the North Atlantic Ocean, and home to many small communities that have made their living from the ocean for many generations. For centuries, the main economy of the islands has been the rich winter cod fishery, which is exported as dried stock fish. There are many exciting locations to explore within the Lofotens; the islands also offer good fishing opportunities. However, the exposed nature means that we are very much at the whim of the weather in this region.

Depending on the season, seabirds (Puffins, among others) may be breeding in abundance along this coast. Otherwise, remote landings, hiking, maybe a chance to drop a fishing line and see what bites?



DAY 3 TYSFJORD

Head inland to explore Tysfjord. Hellmobotn lies at the head of this large fjord and offers excellent hiking options in a dramatic landscape. Originally the site of a winter village for nomadic Sami people, this small settlement lies at the start of a hiking trail that heads up into the mountains and across into Sweden.

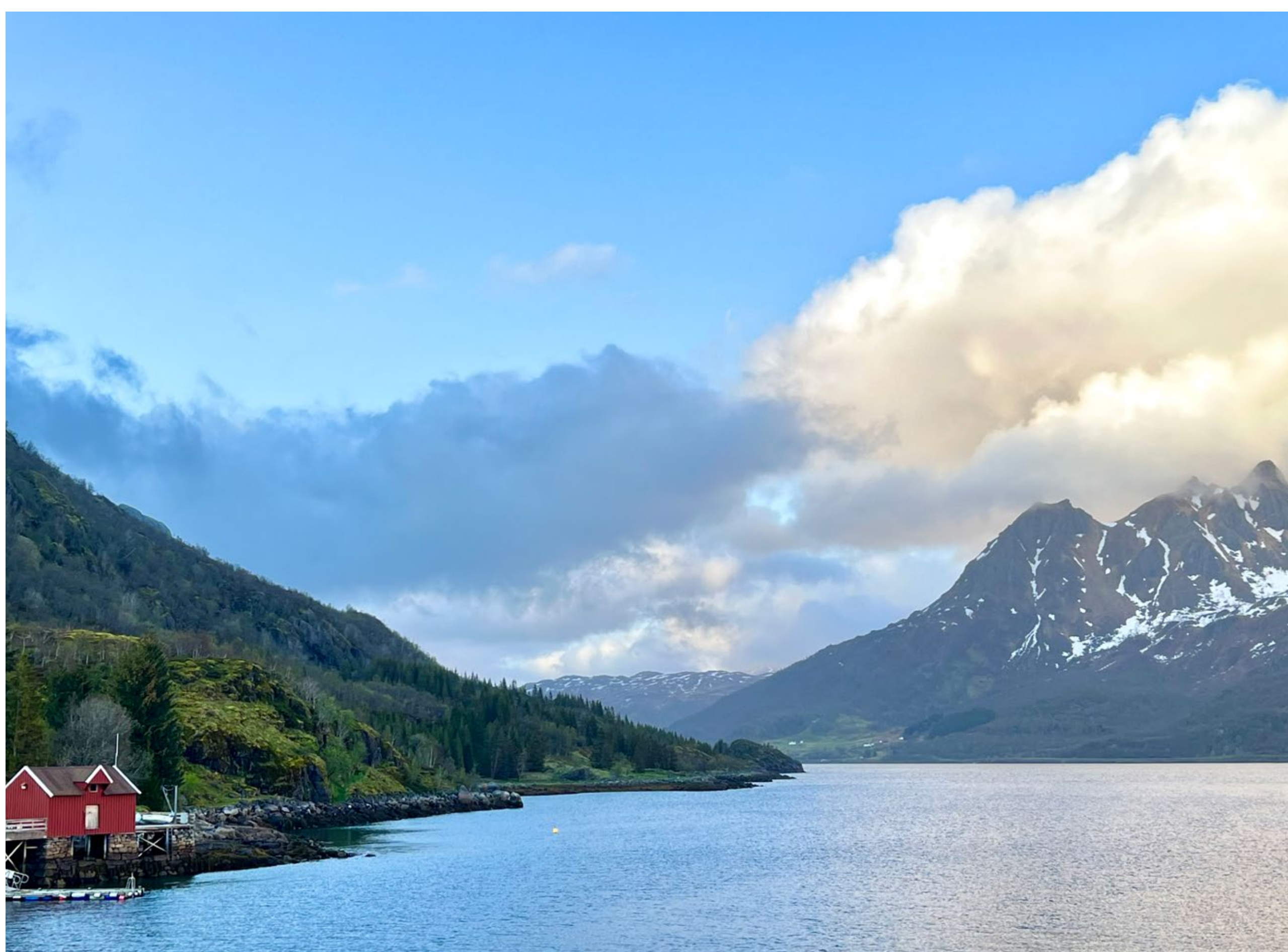
DAY 4 HENNINGSVÆR AND TROLLFJORDEN

A picture postcard Norwegian fishing village, Henningsvær is located on several small islands off the southern coast of the large island of Austvågøya. Enjoy a stroll here, admiring its traditional fishing village architecture.

Trollfjorden, an impossibly narrow, two-kilometer long stretch of water, is one of the most scenic and beautiful fjords in all of Norway. Enjoy time on deck as you pass along the smooth stone walls of this narrow gorge. If the opportunity exists, you may be able to enjoy a hike in the area.

DAY 5 LONKANFJORD

Located on the edge of a national park, Lonkanfjord is a lovely, nearly uninhabited fjord in Nordland—a great opportunity for hiking.







DAY 6 ANDENES

This small town is known as one of the best places to search for sperm whales. These ocean leviathans inhabit the ocean around a small submarine canyon a few miles offshore in the open Atlantic Ocean. Weather permitting, we will use the *Scintilla Maris* as our whale watching platform. Finding and watching these animals requires some patience, but if we are fortunate, a close encounter with these remarkable animals will be truly memorable. Shoreside, we can learn more about these huge mammals in the Whale Centre museum, which houses a sperm whale skeleton.

DAY 7 TROMSØ

With over 60,000 residents, Tromsø is one of the largest cities above the Arctic Circle and known as the “gateway to the Arctic”. We bid farewell to our expedition yacht today as we disembark and begin our journeys homeward.



THE EYOS TEAM

ABOUT US

Your expedition will be supported by both an on-board EYOS Expedition Leader and a strong shore-based team on hand to provide 24/7 support for the duration of the voyage. Together we are underpinned by several decades of Arctic experience. We are passionate about the Arctic and genuinely look forward to sharing it with you. Although our field staff members have completed hundreds of expeditions in polar latitudes, we have never lost our enthusiasm for ice and the experiences that it provides.

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SCINTILLA MARIS



46m *Scintilla Maris* is a brand new expedition yacht built on the recycled hull of a classic DAMEN trawler design. With new hybrid engines offering four sailing modes, she is extremely efficient and nearly vibration-free—a nimble vessel ideal for exploration.

SPECIFICATIONS

BUILDER
DAMEN MAASKANT

GUESTS
8-10

YEAR BUILT
1988

CREW
8-10

COMPLETE REBUILD
2023

MAX SPEED
13.5 KNOTS

LENGTH
45.68M

ENGINE
MARELLI
ELECTRO MOTOR/
4 VOLVO
GENERATORS

BEAM
9M

DRAFT
4.9M

LOUNGE



Emulating a boutique hotel, *Scintilla Maris*'s interiors have a contemporary, loft-like feel with skylights and a bold color scheme. She accommodates ten guests in a large owner's suite midship and four double cabins in the lower deck, but she offers a flexible crew to guest ratio depending on size of charter party. A natural light-filled lounge, spacious dining room, and open-air kitchen provide a variety of welcoming and relaxing common spaces.

DINING ROOM AND
OPEN KITCHEN





ACCOMMODATIONS

Scintilla Maris comfortably accommodates 10 guests in a spacious master cabin, 2 double-bed cabins and 2 bunk-style twin cabins, all with ensuite showers and amenities.



OWNERS
CABIN

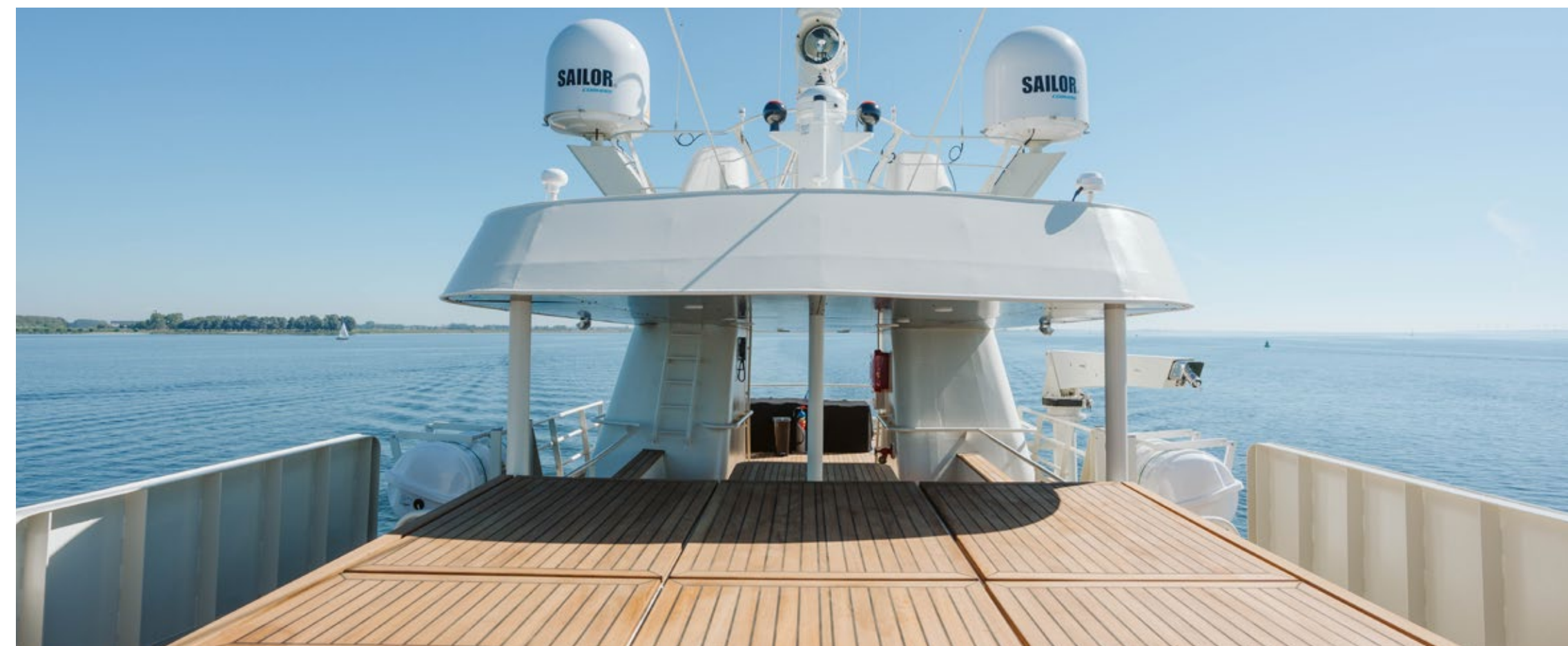
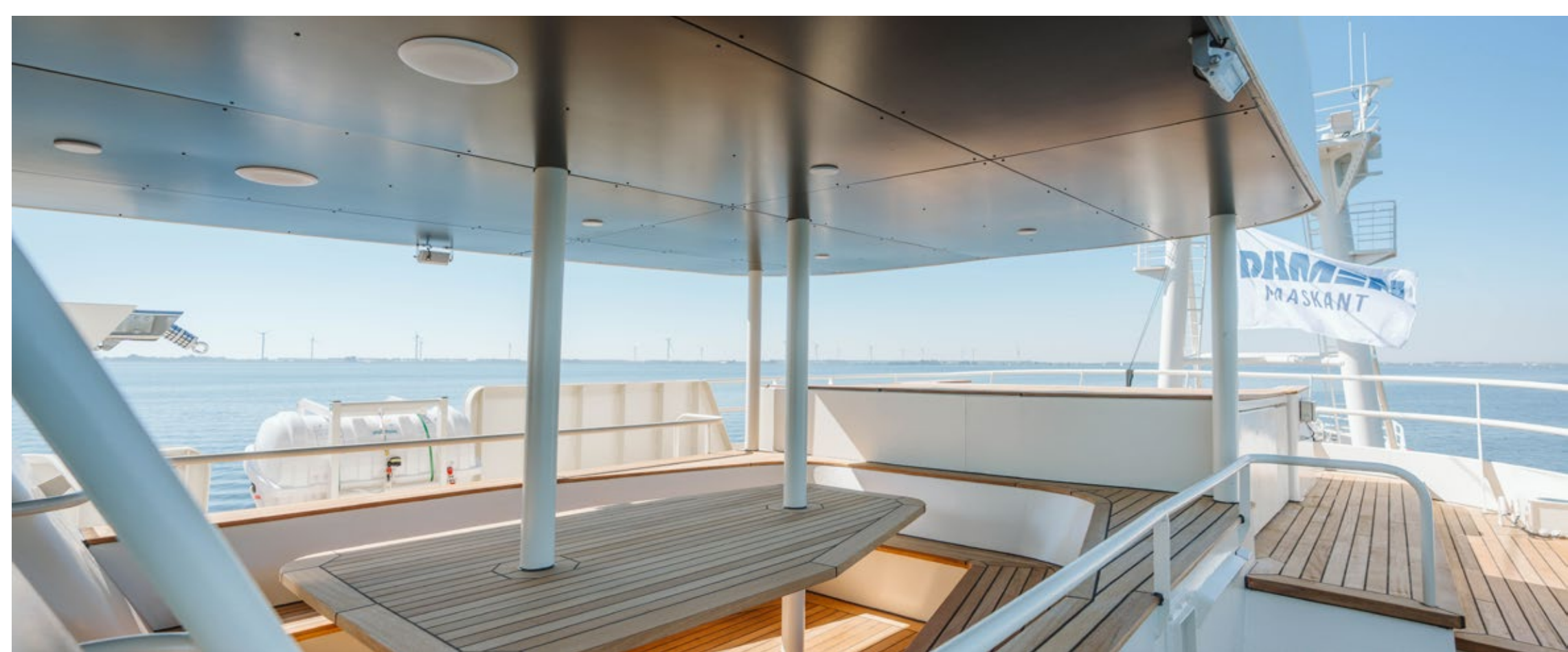
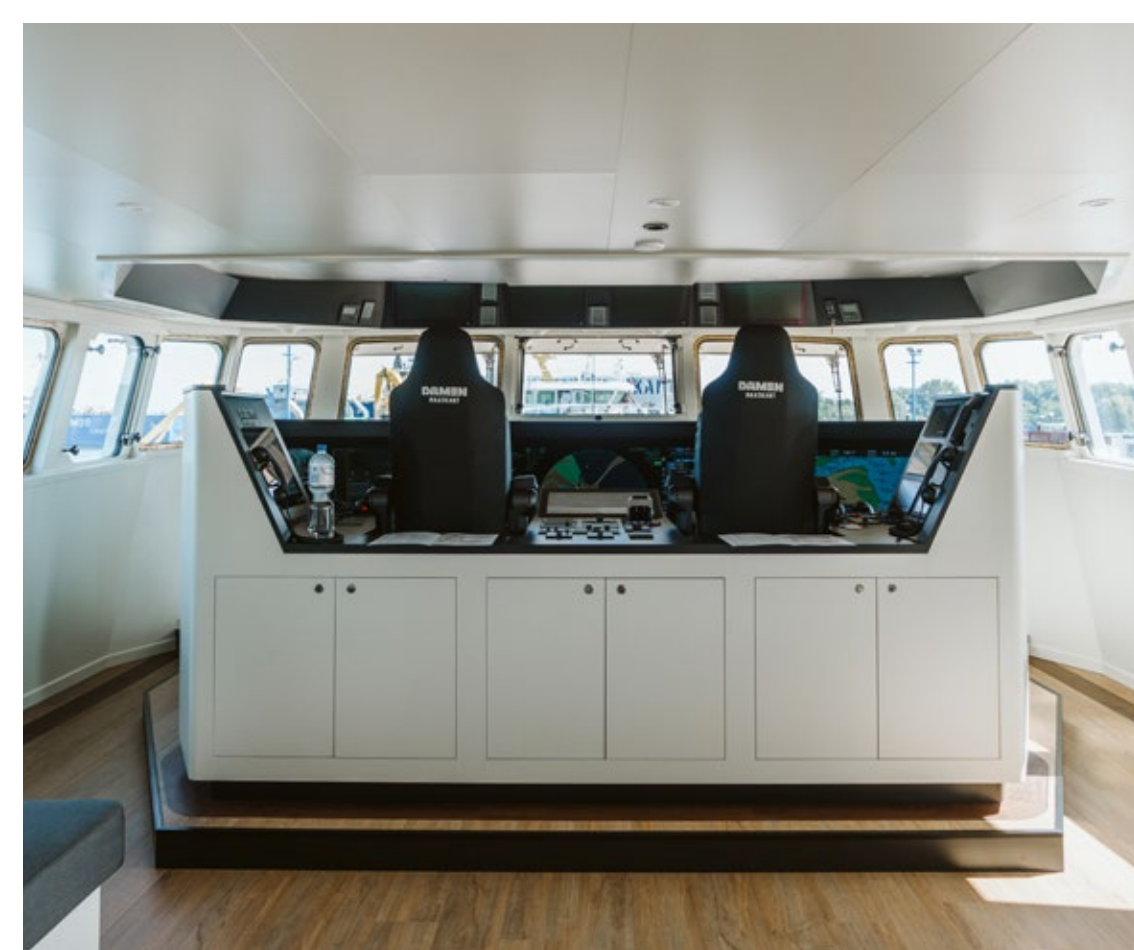




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