



Occurrences Entered into the ATSB Maritime Safety Database
Between 17 March 2012 and 23 March 2012

Occurrence Date	ATSB Reference Number	Occurrence Time	Time Zone	Investigation	Location	Vessel Name	Identifier Type	Identifier	Occurrence Type	Summary
15/03/2012	MA201200036	9:38	UTC+8	No	At sea about 185 nm south-east of Esperance, Western Australia	Lindesay Clark	IMO No	8407424	Equipment failure	At 0938 hrs (LT) the Power Failure alarm for the Bridge control system for the main engine sounded. The main engine slowed from 120 rpm to 70 rpm. The fault was unable to be rectified and at 1100 the ship resumed passage with the main engine in engine room control and watches being kept. Eventually a blown 24 Vdc fuse was found but when replaced failed to restore bridge control of the main engine. The ship continued passage to Kwinana without bridge control where further repairs were undertaken.
16/03/2012	MA201200038	23:25	UTC+10	No	Cement Australia berth in Port of Brisbane	CSL Thevenard	IMO No	7926150	Flooding	At about 2325 hrs (LT) the fire alarm sounded. Upon inspection the duty engineer found the pipe tunnel (duct keel) to be flooded to about 1.5m deep. Ballasting operations were stopped and the duct keel pumped out. At 0311 on 17 March, once dry, inspection of the duct keel revealed a flange gasket to have failed in the ballast piping leaking ballast water into the space. At 0545 the gasket was renewed, the seal confirmed and operations recommenced.

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