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Ship-Iceberg Collision Incident Report



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Vessel Characteristics

Name: Chesapeake

Flag: USA

ASPPR Ice Class: Unknown

Lloyd's Class:

Baltic Class:

Unknown

Unknown

Vessel Type:

Sailing Vessel

Owner:

Registered Country:

Year of Manufacture: Bow Shape: Unknown

Stem Angle:

Dimensions (m):

Length: Beam:

Depth:

Prime Mover: Sail

Transmission:

Unknown

Power (kW):

Propellers:

Prop. Type: Unknown

Service Speed:

Stern Form: Steel Grade:

Unknown

Miscellaneous Vessel Notes:

Collision Details

Date: 16-Jun-1818

Visibility (nautical miles):

Visibility: Unknown

Unknown

Visibility - Snow:

Visibility - Fog:

Unknown

Visibility - Light: Unknown Air Temperature:

WaterTemperature:

Wind Speed:

WaveHeight:

Sea State: Unknown

Collision Speed:

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Mass (tonnes):

Gross:

Net:

Dead:

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Damage Details

Damage Sustained: Yes Damage Report No. :

Scenario: Direct Impact Steel Failure Type: Unknown

Severity: Cracks Size - Length (m):

Location: Bow Size - Height (m):

Code: Appendage Damage Below WL (m):

Length of Downtime: Damage Above WL - Height (m):

Cost of Downtime: Damage Above WL - Length (m):

Cost to Repair:

No. Lives Lost: 1

No. Injuries: Cause of Deaths/Injuries: Drowned

Cargo Loss: Unknown

Pollution: Unknown Pollution Potential: Unknown

Cause of Damage:

Ran foul of an island of ice in the North Atlantic.

Damage Description:

Bowsprit, foremast, head of her mainmast, and maintopmast carred away, and the chief mate was lost overboard. Spoken to on June 18 in 42°51'N 43°17'W.

Ice Details

Ice Briefing Received: Unknown

Iceberg Population: IIP Iceberg Number:

Sea Ice Concentration: Position of Nearest Known Iceberg:

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Iceberg Shape: Unknown Latitude: ° ' " N

Iceberg Size: Unknown Longitude: ° ' " W

Length: Date of Observation:

Width:

Iceberg Tonnage:

Route Details

Geographic Area: Grand Banks

Collision Latitude: 42 $^{\circ}$ 51 $^{\prime}$ " N

Collision Longitude: 043 ° 17 ' " W

Locale Accuracy: Estimated

Voyage:

Displacement: Draft FWD (m):

Captain's Experience: Unknown

Radar Equipped?: Unknown

Radar Details:

Origin: New York

Destination: Amsterdam

Distance:

Cargo at Event:

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