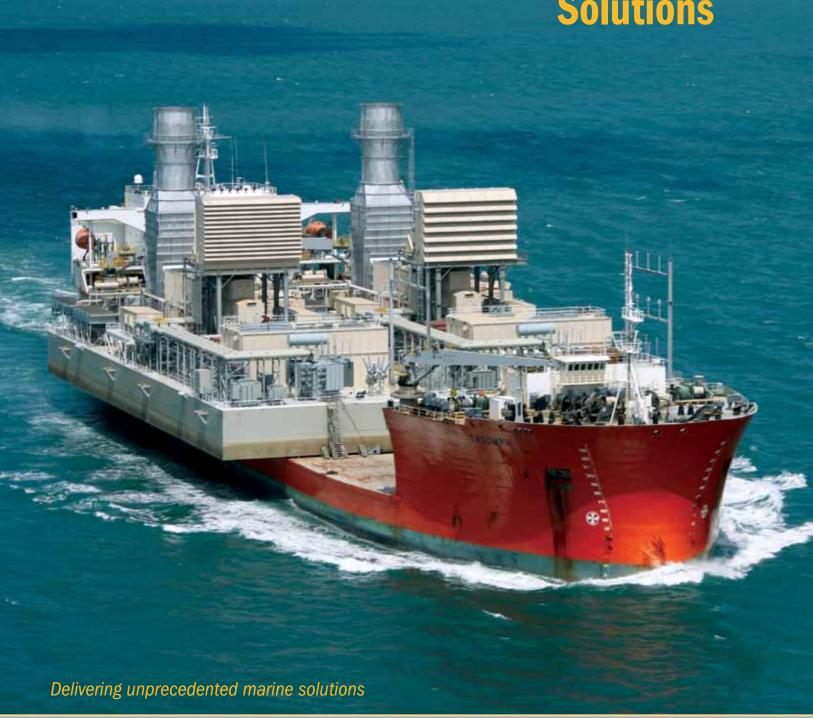


# Floating Power

# **Generation Solutions**



#### **INNOVATION**

# **Delivering Value through Vision and Innovative Thinking**

Since 1974, Waller Marine, Inc. has set the standard for innovation and quality in naval architecture and marine services. As EPC Contractors and Marine Engineers, Waller Marine utilizes the latest technologies in developing Floating Power Plants (FPP) and FPSO designs to meet each client's specific requirements.

With state-of-the-art engineering software, we turn our conceptual designs into a 3D model and virtually walk through the floating power plant to analyze the structure, review regulatory compliance, and resolve design issues before resources are committed to construction.

We employ a diverse group of professionals to satisfy the multi-discipline practices associated with design, construction management, regulatory assistance, project development and contractual compliance. On any given project, a Waller design team is comprised of experts in the disciplines of naval architecture, marine engineering, power plant engineering and construction.

The depth of experience our personnel hold permits the forging of breakthrough ideas and conceptual designs for the application of traditional land-based generating technologies to a marine environment.

#### **SUSTAINABILITY**

### **Pushing Beyond the Limits**

Only at Waller Marine—with our diversified team of engineers and naval architects—will you find unique, sustainable solutions for the design and construction of FPPs and Floating Energy Centers (FECs). The latter being the integration of electrical generating technologies with other commodities such as LNG, fresh water, hydrogen based generation, and the simultaneous production of synthesis gas and chemicals.

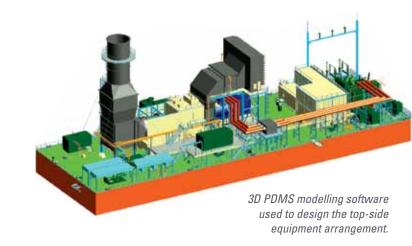
In the development of our most recent FPP, mounting large industrial gas turbines for operation on a floating structure required an in-depth understanding of the challenges in design and construction of highly damped foundations and supporting structures. Foremost, the associated system

dynamics that are at play with a 650-ton turbine-generator rotating at high speed, developing an enormous 230,000 horse power, has to be absorbed by the supporting structures. Subsequently, vibration (during run-up, operation and rundown speeds), high structural loading, resonance, and mass damping issues were also taken into consideration to build a successful platform for the turbine.

Additionally, the turbine foundations are supported by the barge structures that are designed to permit the flow of forces into the hull without overstressing components; while still permitting flexure of the hull girder due to differential weight distribution and thermal gradients. By isolating the turbine foundation from the influences of the barge structure is thus a priority.

Our turbine support design philosophy considered these variables with a resulting solution that included a large prestressed concrete plinth supported on springs and a system of hydraulic jacks. The plinth, a monolithic reinforced concrete structure, was designed internally with a complex array of rebar and a specially selected concrete mix. This combination produced a high damping capability to absorb the changing vibration induced amplitudes that occur during start up and stop operations, as well as, the structural strength to support high loading.

At Waller Marine, we have an extensive portfolio of FPPs using both 60 Hz and 50 Hz gas turbines, ranging from 5 MW to 250 MW in simple cycle mode and up to 500 MW in combined cycle mode. All of our simple cycle FPPs are designed to be easily converted to a combined cycle operation with the addition of a heat recovery and steam turbine generating barge. Let us design a solution, engineer and construct your next offshore support and transportation vessel.



#### **BARGE MOUNTED GE 7FA GAS TURBINES**



**Specifications** 

NAMES: Margarita I and Josefa Rufina I

EPC CONTRACTOR: Waller Marine, Inc.

BUILDER: Signal International, Inc.

CLASSIFICATION: ABS

CONSTRUCTION: All welded steel and reinforced

concrete foundation

LENGTH OVERALL: 300 feet (91.4m)

BREADTH: 100 feet (30.5m)

DEPTH: 20 feet (6.1m)

LIGHTSHIP WEIGHT: 6,700 Short Tons

DESIGN DECK LOAD: 6,000 psf DECK SQ. FOOTAGE: 30,000 sf

TURBINE

GENERATOR TYPE: GE 7FA

**GENERATING** 

CAPACITY: 171 Mega Watts (ISO)-simple cycle

### **Marine Equipment and Systems**

Ballast system

Bilge system

Oily water separators

Fire pumps; diesel and motor driven

Marine sanitation device

Fuel, water, sludge and ballast storage tanks

Potable water pressure sets Domestic hot water system Below deck ventilation systems

Deck drain system

Barge service diesel generator

Barge mooring brackets

## **Power Plant Equipment and Systems**

Gas turbine cooling fin-fan coolers

Liquid fuel system (for dual fuel machines)

Diesel fuel treatment skid (for dual fuel machines)

Gas fuel system

Water wash system

Water injection system (if water injection is required)

Reverse osmosis system & storage

Gas receiving station

CO<sub>2</sub> storage and distribution

Motor control center & switchgear

Central Control Room and offices with fiber optics

Central communications system

Warehouse

Main step up transformer 11Kv/230Kv

Auxiliary transformer

Station transformer

SF6 Breaker

Transmission take-off tower

Gas turbine starting system (water cooled 12 pulse

LCI system)

Fire protection and fire fighting systems

30 meter stack



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