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RESEARCH VESSEL METEOR

TENDER expected in July 2026



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- INSPECTION: Planned for July 2026
- LOCATION: Germany, TBD
- INSPECTION ON SITE: TBD
- BIDDING: **The tender is currently in the planning stage and is expected in July 2026.**

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NAME:	METEOR
MANUFACTURER:	Schlichting Werft
TYPE:	711 - Research Vessel
MAIN PURPOSE:	Oceanographic / hydrographic research / Fishery research
IN SERVICE SINCE:	March 1986
IMO NO.:	8411279
CLASS RELATION:	DNV Class
MAIN CLASS NOTATION:	☒ 100 A5 ✕ MC
DESIGN CLASS NOTATION:	AUT E2(H) E2 (M)
OPERATIONAL STATUS:	In Operation
DNV-ID:	G31355
LENGTH OVERALL:	97.5 m
BREADTH OVERALL:	16.5 m
MAX DRAUGHT:	6.5 m
BRT / BRZ:	4,280
DWT:	1014

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Technical Data (All measurements given are approximate)	
Propulsion type diesel electric, LDW	
Main propulsion:	4 x MaK 6M332 1,000 kW each
Drive propulsion:	2 x LDW GC3127 1,150 kW each
Thruster:	retractable thruster 1 x HRP 6011 PT 1,100 KW

Equipment Information (All measurements given are approximate)	
Navigational System:	GPS, GPS attitude sensor (Seapath 320 / MRU5), radio-direction finder, 2 x RADARs, 2 x gyro compass, ECDIS
Acoustic Equipment:	Multibeam echosounder (Kongsberg EM122, Kongsberg EM710), sediment echosounder (Teledyne Reason ParaSound P70), Pinger receiver
Lifting Gear:	Stern A-frame, 3 auxiliary cranes, 1 provision crane, jibboom, corer handling device, side gallow
Accommodation:	34 crewmember and max. 30 scientists
Laboratories and scientific rooms:	20 laboratories on the main deck with approx. 400 sqm working space for multidisciplinary research in marine geology, geophysics, meteorology, oceanography, climatology, fishery, ecology, and hydro-chemistry.



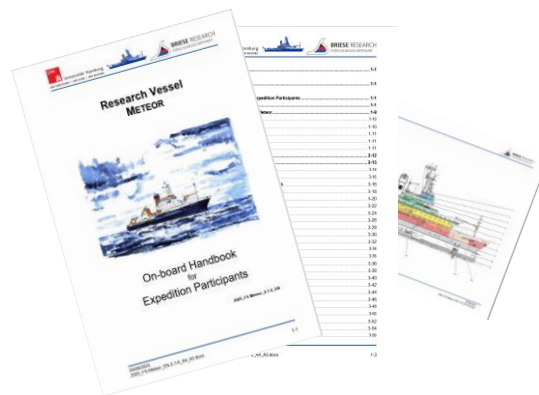
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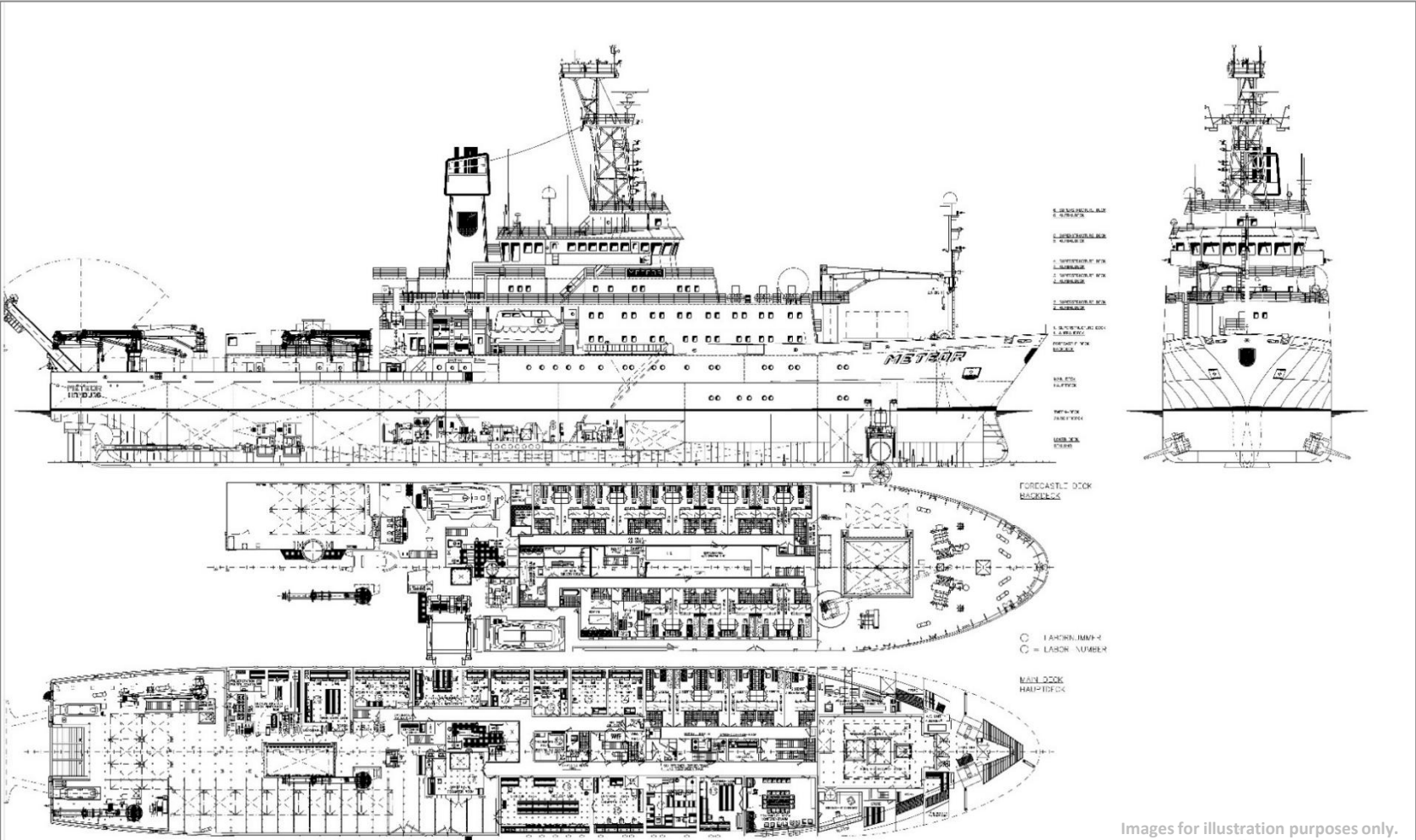
For more information, please follow the links below:

THE METEOR HANDBOOK: <https://fiona.uni-hamburg.de/d1574276/handbookmeteor05.06.2025.pdf>



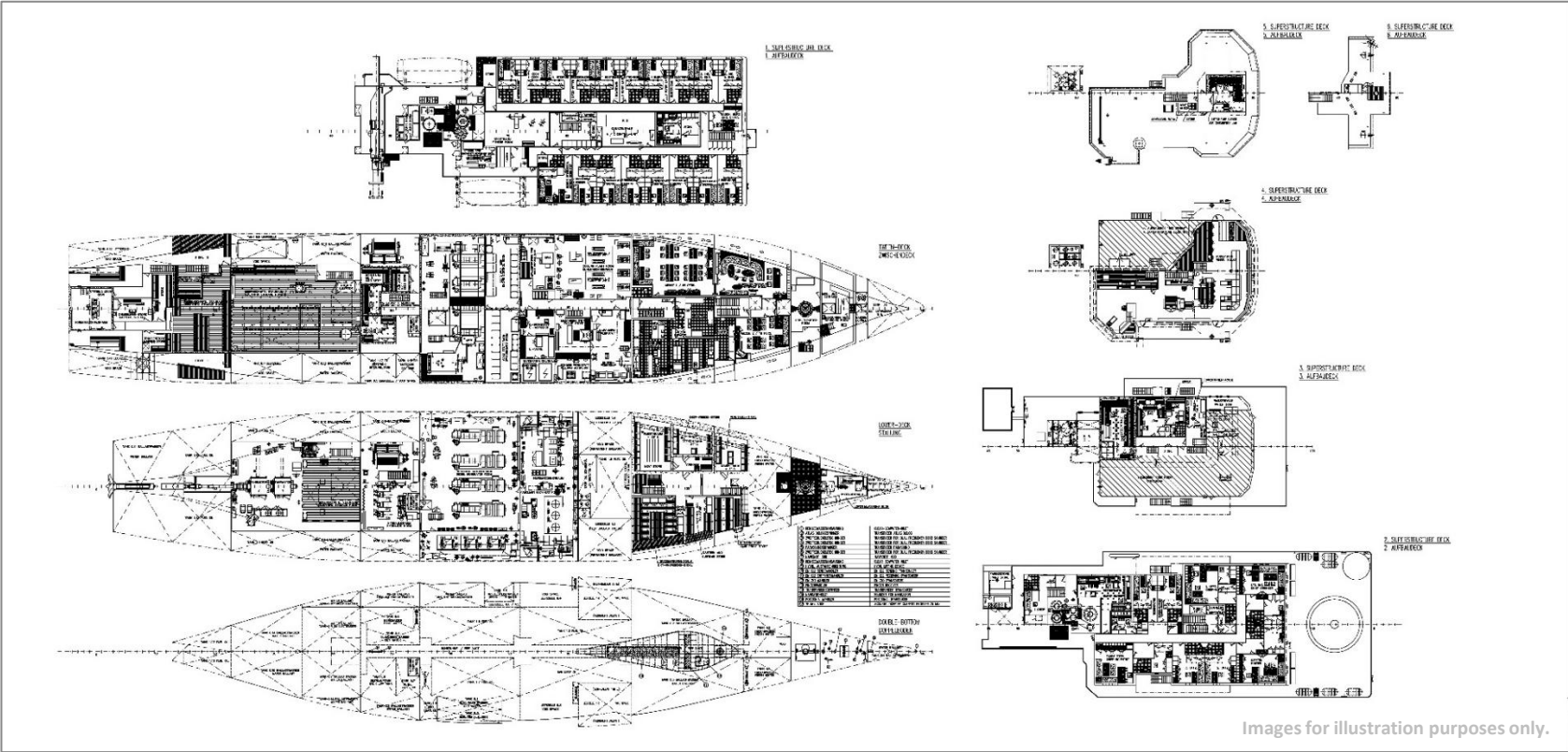
WALK THROUGH VIDEO METEOR: <https://cabuff.ceos.uni-kiel.de/tours/meteor/web/index.htm>





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GENERAL-PLAN METEOR: <https://www.lfd.uni-hamburg.de/meteor/meteor-dokumente/meteor-generalplan.pdf>



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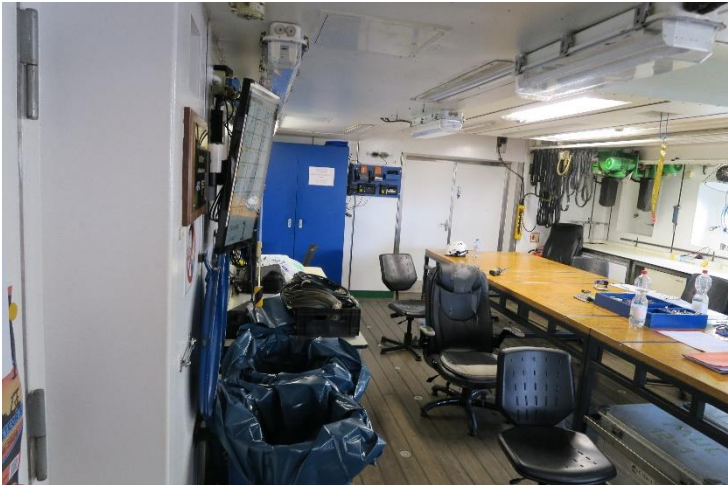


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