HUMPHREE

Trim and stabilisation systems

REFERENCE DOCUMENT



Queensland Police - 24m Patrol Vessel

Humphree Interceptors: 4x HE945, 75mm blade deployment

Humphree Control systems: Active Ride Control (HSC5)

Propulsion: 2x 5 Bladed Propellers

Vessels: Series 1 – Lyle M. Hoey, W. Conroy, Brett T. Handran

Series 2 - Perry Irwin, Brett Irwin, Damian Leeding

Data:

-Top speed: 25 knots

-LOA: 25.1 m

-Displacement: 64,790kg (half load)

Results:

- At hump speed the vessel saved 4% fuel and gained 0.8 knots
- At cruising speed the vessel saved around 2% fuel with a speed increase of around 0.5 knots
- Rolling motions at 20 knots was reduced by 48%
- Pitching motions at 20 knots was reduced by 20%