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<b>Type of facility</b> Towing tank	<b>Year constructed/upgraded</b> Constructed 2015
<b>Name of facility</b> Small Craft Competence Centre	<b>Location</b> (if different from the above address) Tallinna 19, Kuressaare, Saaremaa, Estonia, 93811
<b>Main characteristics</b> (dimensions of tank/basin/test section; for simulators: full mission, part task or desk top) Towing tank (L x B x D) – 60 x 5 x 3 meters	
<b>Drawings of facility</b>	
Top-view plan	
Cross-section-view plan	

## Detailed characteristics (carriages, wave/current/wind generators, instrumentations, etc.)

Unmanned belt-driven towing carriage, maximum model dimensions up to 3 m and 250 kg. Highest speed 5.7 m/s. The vibratory response and the deflection of the carriage at its midspan remain below 1.0 mm during test runs.

6-flap wave generator – linear (1st order Stoke wave) and nonlinear (Jonswap, Pierson-Moskowitz, ISSC, TMA Spectra) waves; wave height up to 0,35 m; wave length 0,2 – 20 m; Wave frequency up to 2,8 Hz.

## Applications (Tests performed)

### Model tests

- Resistance test
- Seakeeping test
- Roll decay test, dynamic stability test
- LCG optimization tests
- Wedge/interceptor trim optimization test
- Streamline test
- Open-water maneuvering
- Propulsion/bollard pull test

### Other tests

- Lainergy NextWave wave energy converter prototype tests
- TalTech Centre for Biorobotics underwater robot tests
- Autonomous Surface Vessel NYMO tests in towing tank and on open water
- TalTech Centre for Biorobotics underwater pressure and velocity sensor tests
- Hull cleaning device prototype tests

## Published description (Publications on this facility)

### Publications on SCC

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- "Market Update: Estonia. Taking to the Water", Carol Fulford, Marina World, July/August 2017 - <https://www.scc.ee/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/MarinaWorld-Estonian-harbours.pdf>
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- "Estonian Workboats. Piercing through Waves and International Markets", Daniel Barnes, Inside Marine, Jan/Feb 2017 - <https://www.scc.ee/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/Inside-Marine-Baltic-Workboats-2.pdf>

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