## "The DockMaster" © 2012

for Windows

## An Engineering Tool

- Specifically designed to meet the needs of dry dock personnel other Naval Architecture/Engineering type software tools that can be used to perform some dry dock calculations are expensive, difficult to use, and require extensive training
- In addition to providing standard docking and undocking calculations the "DockMaster" calculates dock/tank loading, generates pumping plans, and is user friendly.

### • A Management & Planning tool

- Quickly make decisions on your ability to dock a particular ship for bid purposes.
- Determine changes required to bring ship into proper list/trim conditions prior to docking/undocking.
- Track changes to ship's condition while in dock.

#### A Training tool

• Train Dry Dock personnel in acceptable docking/undocking prerequisites and how to prevent or correct unacceptable scenarios.



Vessel File About Help



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- ➤ Single or multiple dock versions
- > Floating, Graving, Synchro-Lifts, Marine Railways
- > Docks can be of US or Metric Standard design or for multiple dock versions, a combination
- Comprehensive Help File
- > Install on as many computers as desired
- > Fully Tested and Industry Proven

DM Consulting

Units of Measure for Ship Data

Metric

• US

Drydock to use for Calculations

- © Floating Drydock (US Standard)
- Graving Dock 1 (US Std)
- © Graving Dock 2 (Metric)

Vessel Data

Floating Drydock (Metric)

Graving Dock 1 (US Standard)

Graving Dock 2 (Metric)

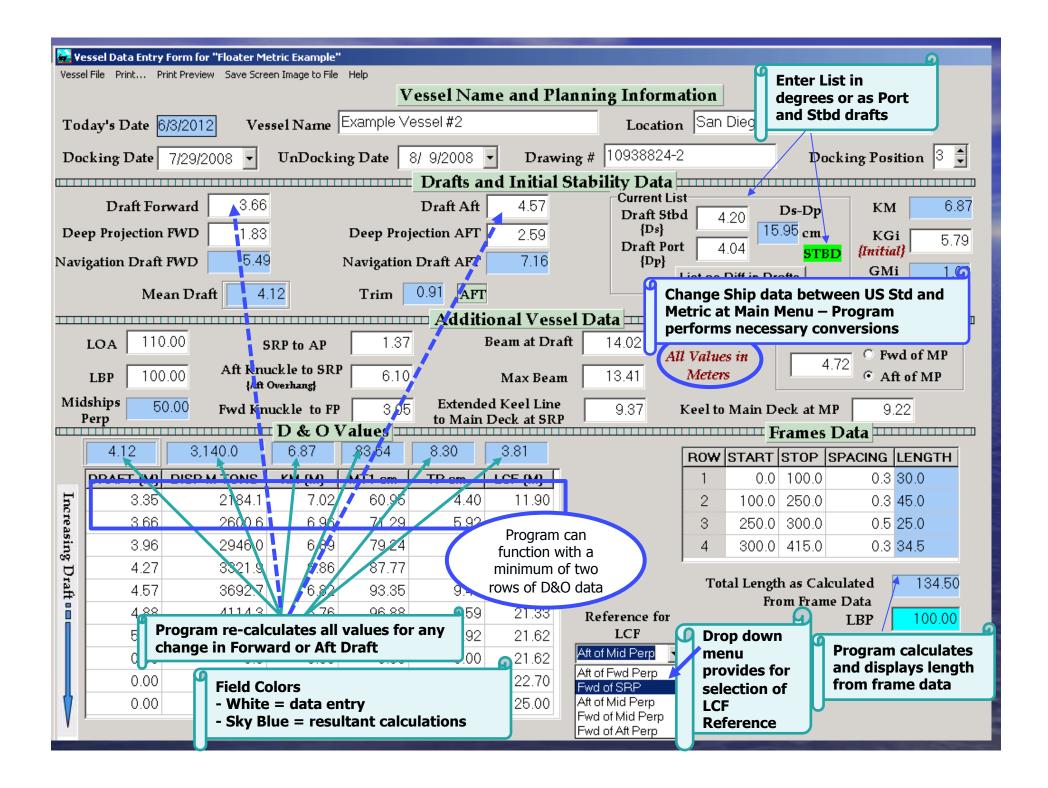
Docking Calculations UnDocking Calculations

**Ship Loading** 

Quarter-Ten Tidal Curve Generator Emergency Loading

## Vessel Data

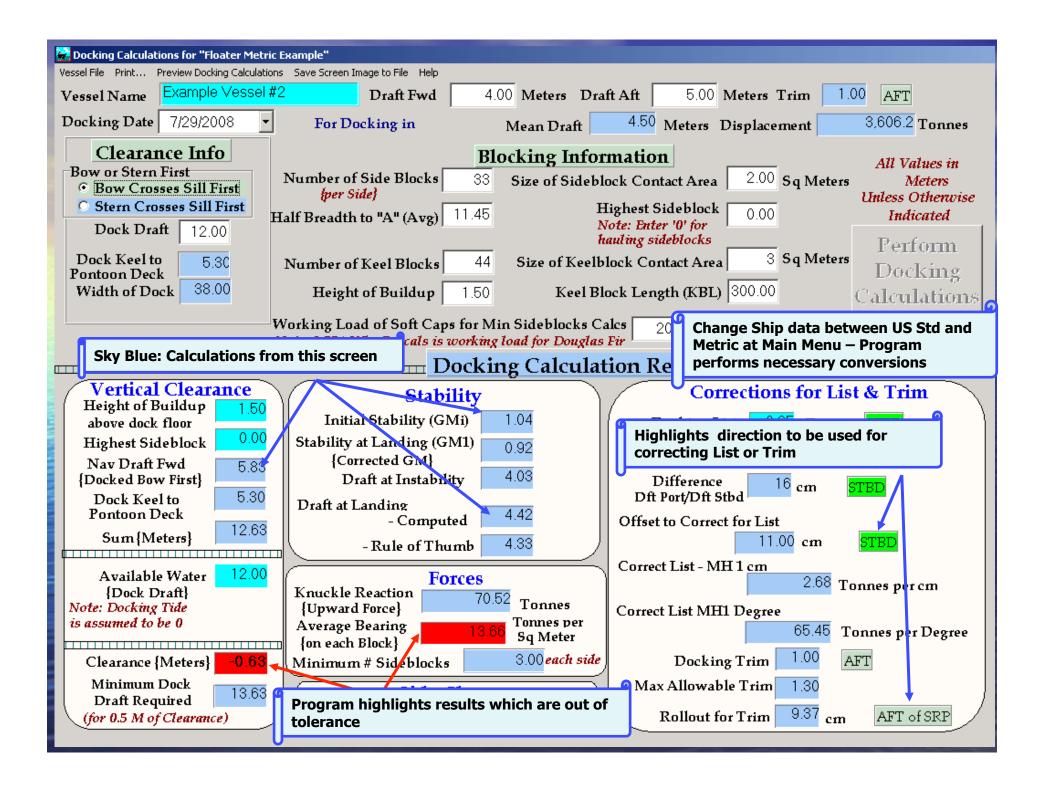
- "The DockMaster" uses vessel data provided by the User to perform calculations; results output to the screen and printer.
- Single, User Friendly Screen for Entering Data
- Required Vessel Data
  - Basic data such as Drafts and Other Curves (D&O)
    information, List, KG, LCG, Length Overall, Length
    Between Perpendiculars
  - Frame Spacing (for tracking weight changes while vessel is in dock or to calculate offsetting weights to remove excess trim or list)



# **Docking Calculations**

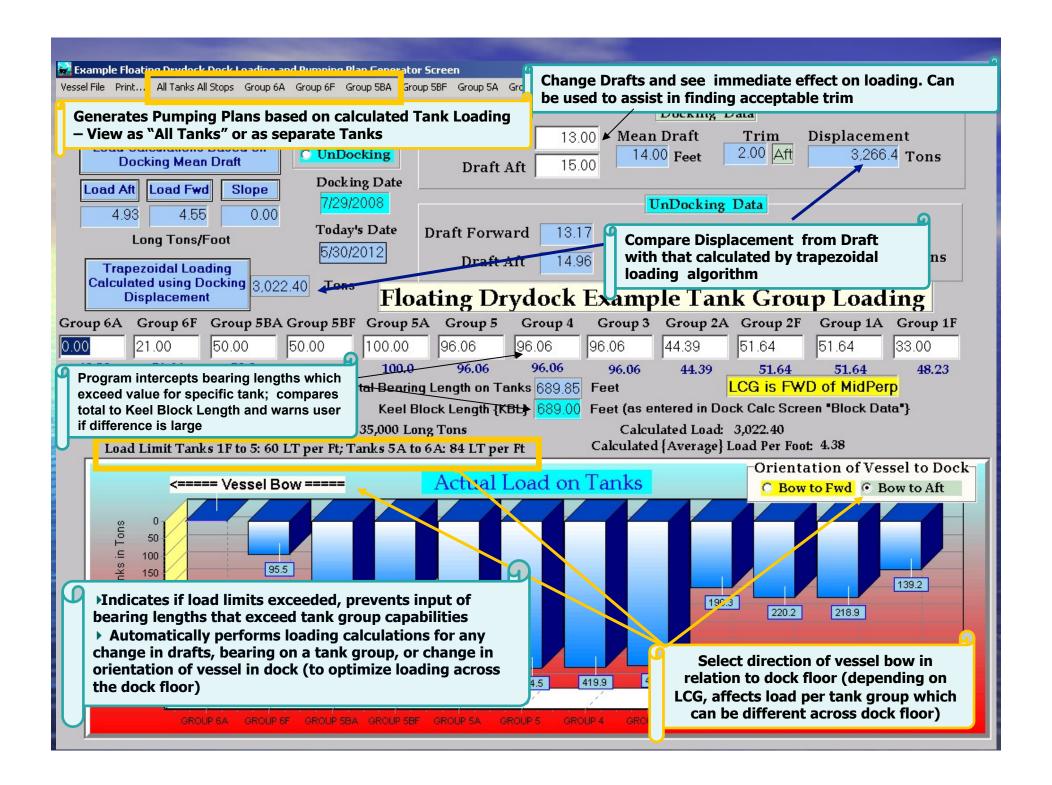
#### Calculates:

- Initial stability
- Changes in stability during landing
- Predicted Draft of instability
- Knuckle block loading, Average loading on blocks
- Corrections for List and Trim
- Clearance over the blocks and side clearance
- Quickly determine how changes in various factors affect stability: for example, change Draft Forward or Draft Aft and all associated calculations are automatically re-computed
- Automatically highlights any results that are out of acceptable tolerance (i.e. clearances, stability, loading, etc.) on screen and in printed reports



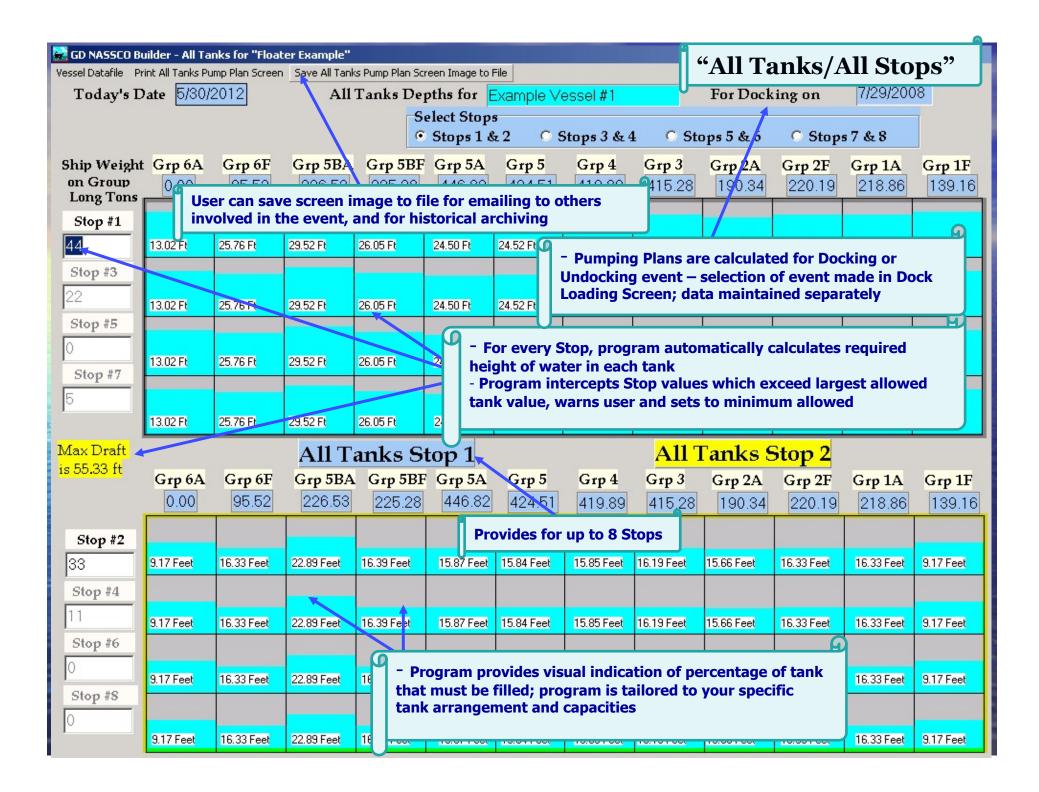
Floating Dry Dock (Metric)

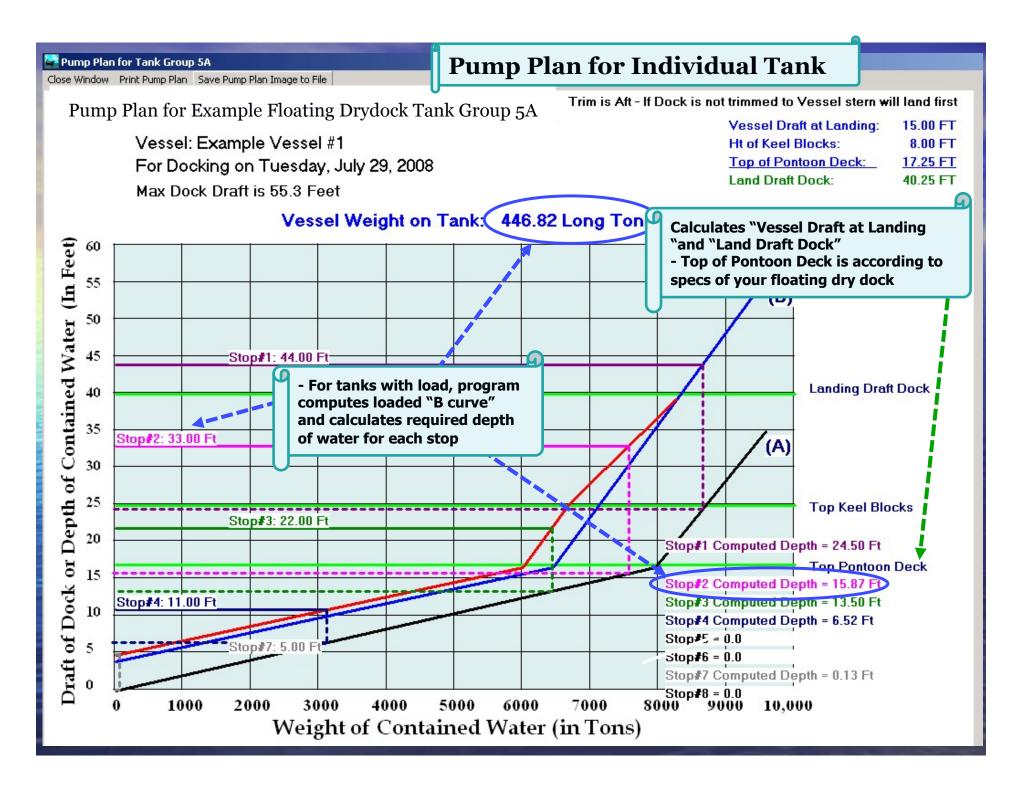
- Calculates and provides numeric and graphical results for Trapezoidal Load, Average Load on Dock/Tanks and Weight Per Unit length
- Uniquely tailored to Purchaser's Floating Dry Dock
  - Tank specifications (number, name of tanks, "A" and "B" curve data)
  - Dock specs necessary for calculations resides as permanent data in program.
- Dock Loading results used as input to generate Pumping Plans.
  - Input up to 8 Stops for Docking or Undocking
  - View as All Tanks or individually

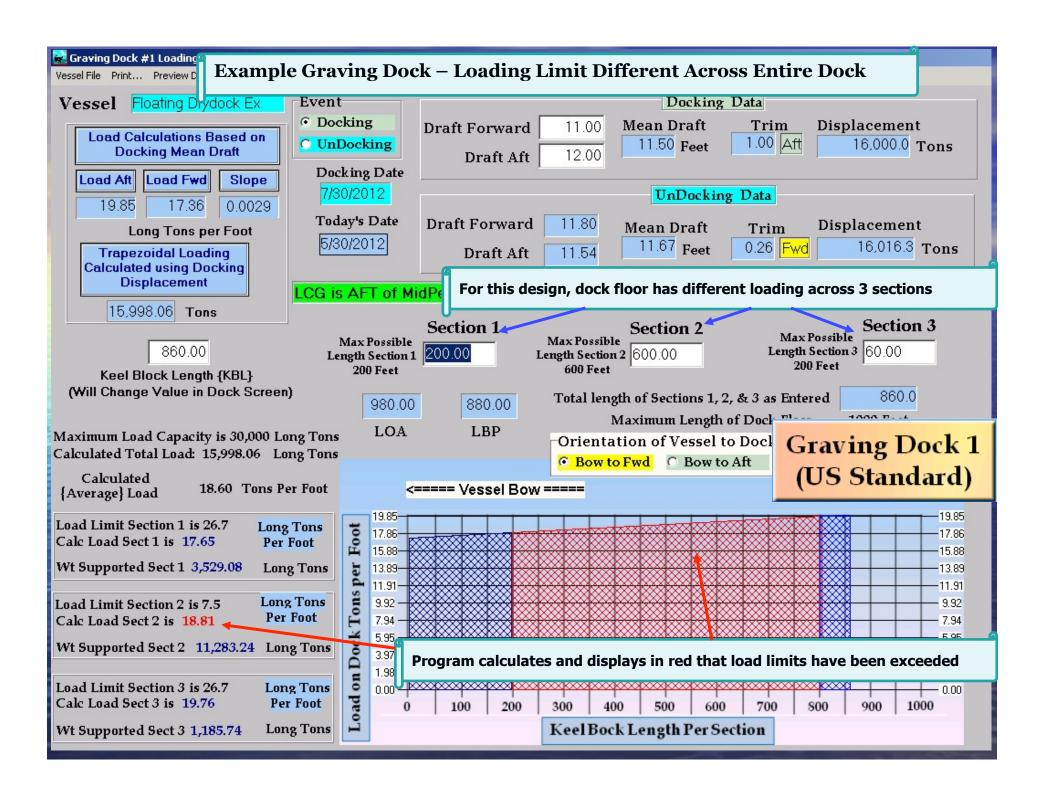


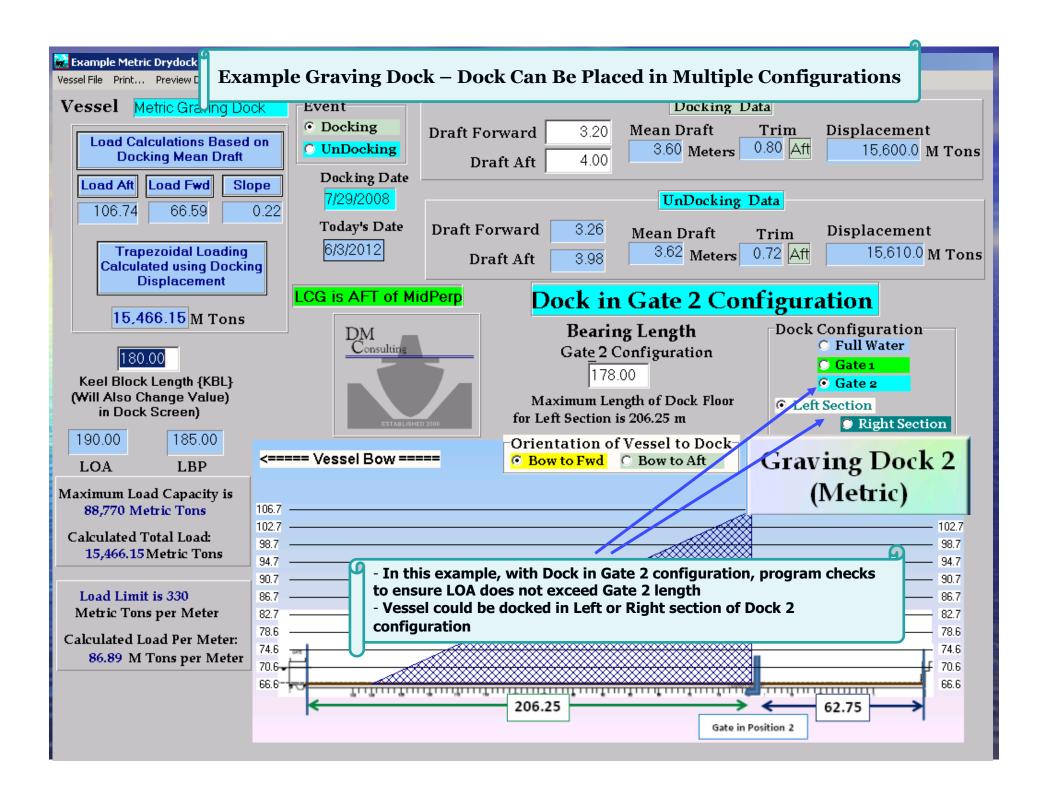


- Displayed as consolidated "All Tanks/All Stops" Plan and as individual Tank Plans (as graphs)
- Plans generated for Docking or Undocking events
  - Results maintained as separate data
- Print to local or network printer or send images as email attachments so Docking Team Members have necessary data for the event



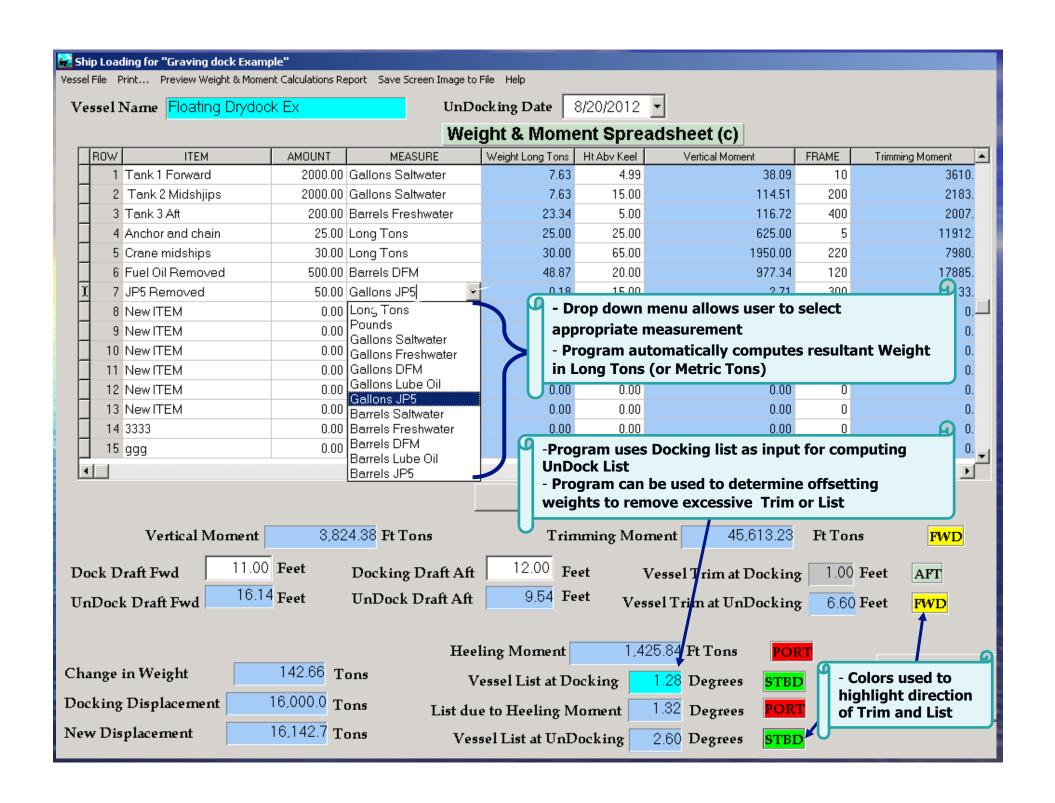


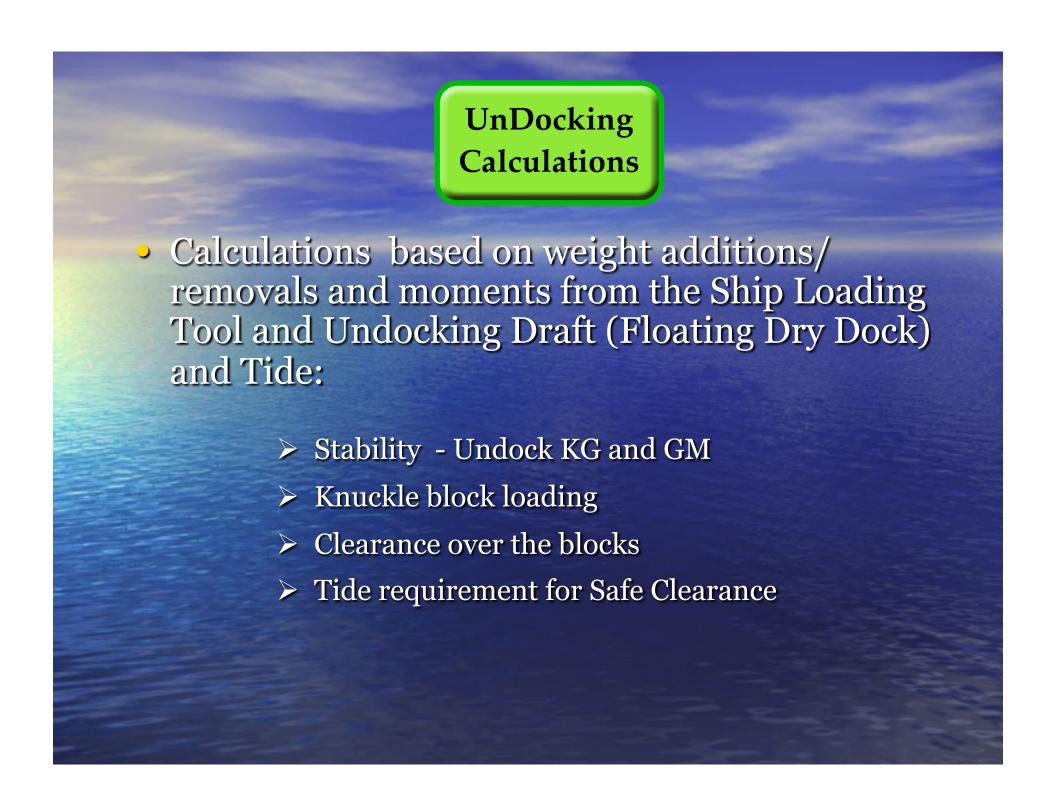


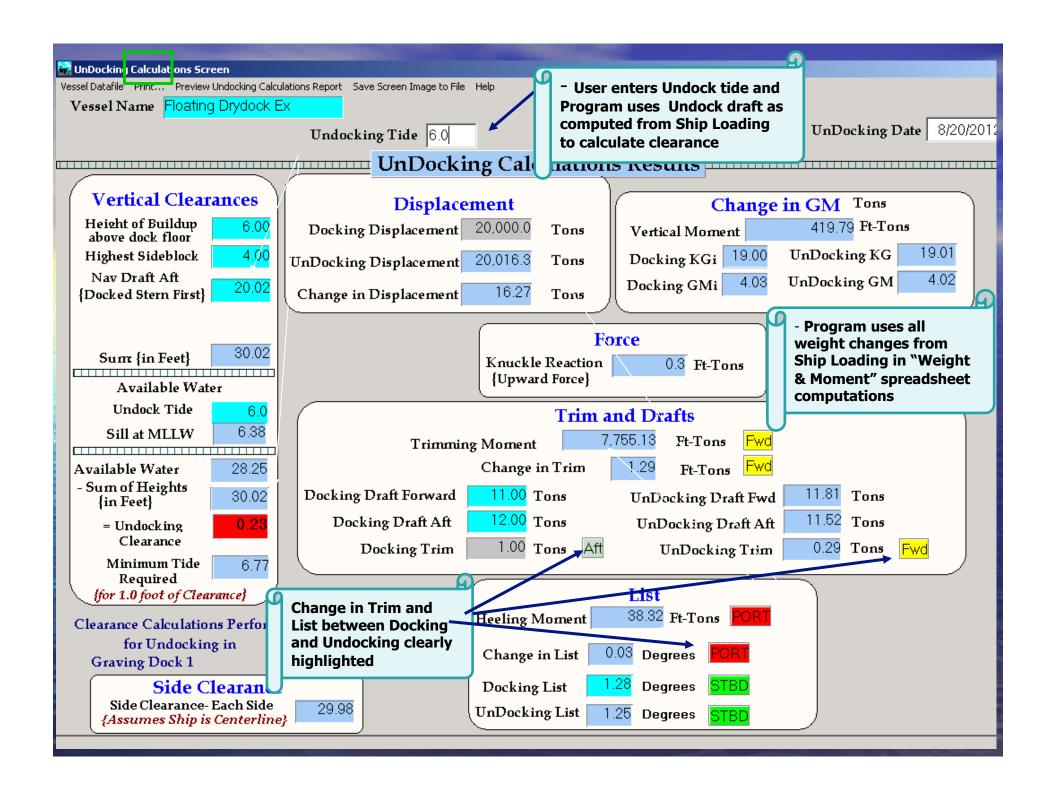


## **Ship Loading**

- Ship Loading while in dock is tracked using the "Weight & Moment Spreadsheet ©"
  - A powerful, fully integrated tool for managing weight changes
  - Can also be used prior to docking to determine amount and location of offsetting weights to counter unacceptable list or trim.
- Select type of Measurement: Spreadsheet automatically calculates weight in Long Tons (or if Metric Vessel data, in Tonnes).
  - Tons, Pounds, Gallons/Barrels of Salt Water, Fuel Oil, Diesel Oil,
     JP5, Fresh Water Other measures can be added if needed.
  - If Metric is active, User can select Metric Tons, Kilograms, etc
- Enter Frame Location Distance to LCG and Trimming Moments are automatically calculated.
- Select PORT or STBD and distance off centerline Spreadsheet calculates appropriate Heeling Moment.
- Integrates all new List, Trim, Displacement/Drafts and Stability information into undocking calculations.

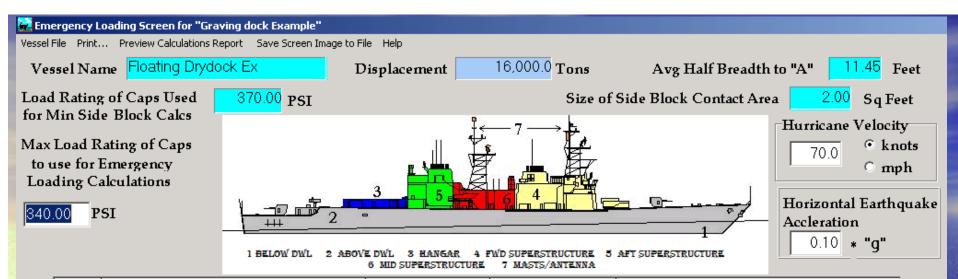








- Calculates required number of side blocks required for seismic and hurricane conditions based on overturning moments
- Calculates individual hurricane overturning moments for each surface area entered using wind force in knots or m.p.h.
- Provides user with summary of side blocks:
  - Number entered in docking screen
  - Calculated number from docking calculations
  - Calculated number to resist seismic forces
  - Calculated number to resist hurricane forces



ROW	ITEM	AREA {Sq Feet}	LEVER {Feet}	OVERTURNING MOMENT (Foot-Lbs)
1	Below DWL	400.0	7.5	58,800.0
2	Above DWL	900.0	23.6	416,304.0
3	Bow Section	240.0	33.5	157,584.0
4	Deck House	120.0	51.5	121,128.0
5	Aft Deck House	310.0	49.5	300,762.0
6	Fwd Mast	100.0	55.0	107,800.0
7	Aft Mast	80.0	32.0	50,176.0
8	New Item	0.0	0.0	0.0
9	New Item	0.0	0.0	0.0
10	New Item	0.0	0.0	0.0
		Delete Row		1,212,554.00

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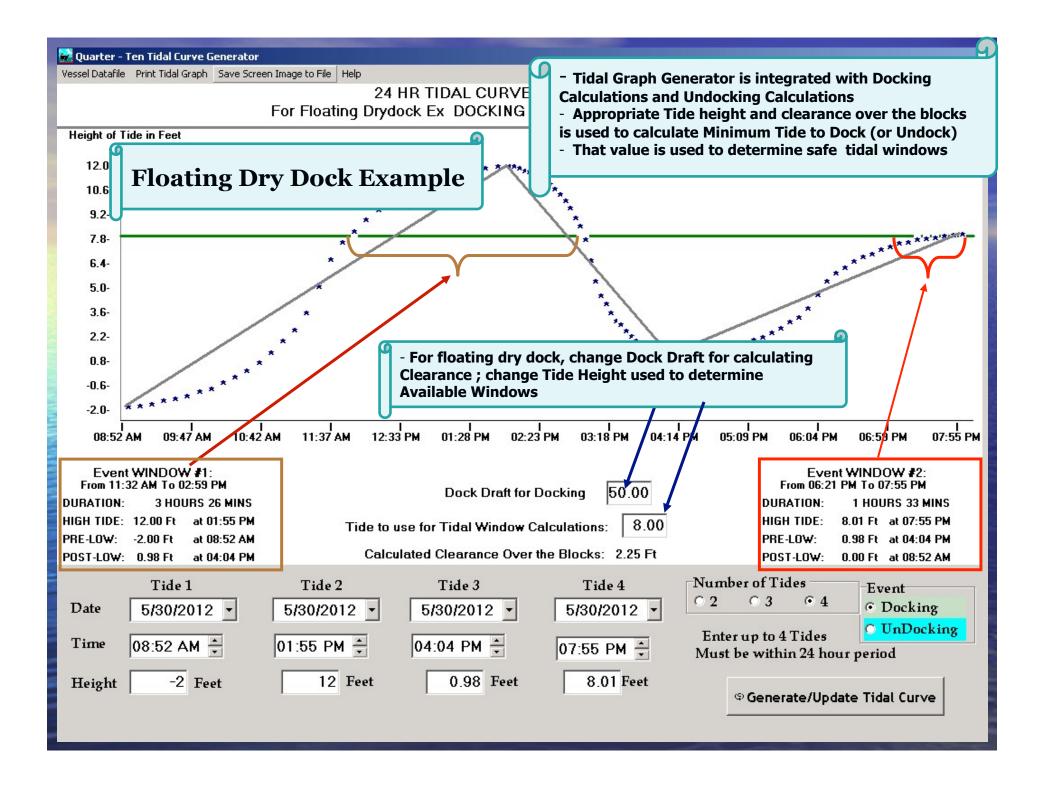
30 Number Side Blocks Entered in Docking Screen Minimum Number Side Blocks Required 28.00 For Non-Emergency Conditions {as determined in Docking Calculations Screen} Required Number Side Blocks (Per Side) 89.00

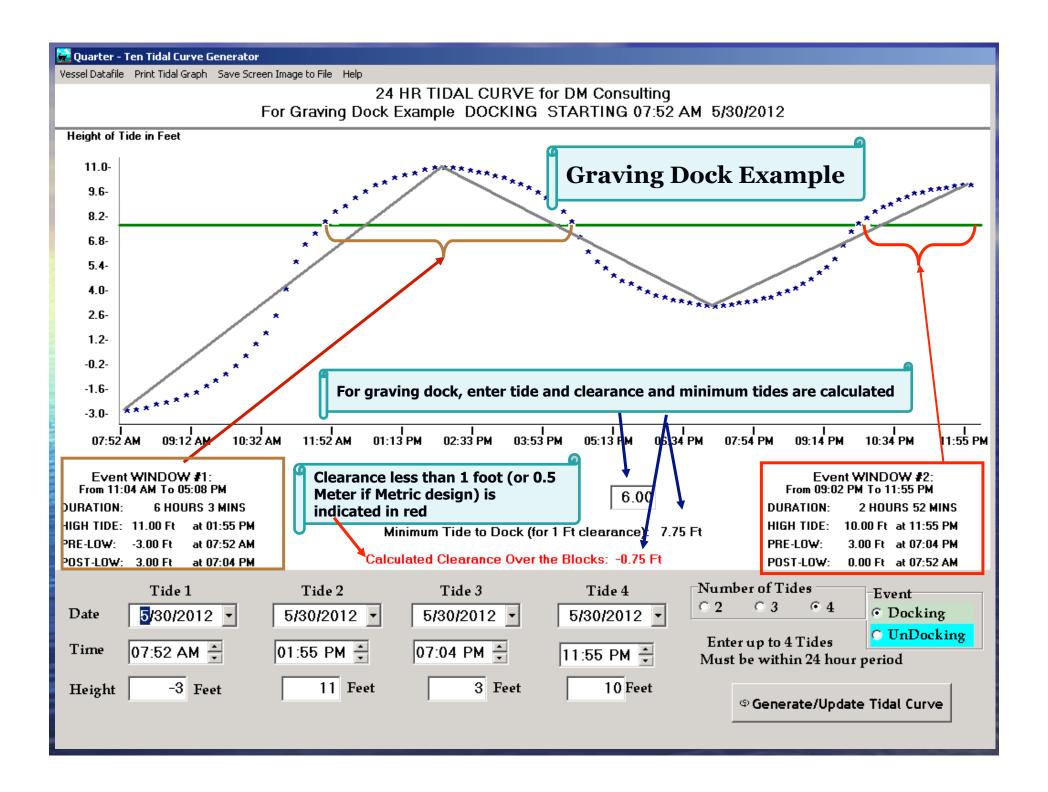
to Resist Seismic Forces Including Dead Load Required Number Side Blocks (Per Side) to Resist Hurricane Including Dead Load Total Hurricane Overturning Moment Foot-pounds

Overturning Moment Due to Seismic Forces 68,096,000.00 Foot-pounds

Quarter-Ten Tidal Curve Generator ©

- Fully integrated uses results from calculated docking/undocking clearances as baseline data.
- A graphics based generator that automatically computes and displays a quarter-ten tidal curve.
- Determines available windows for safe dockings within a 24 hour tidal period.
- User friendly protects the user from entering invalid dates and times – input 2, 3 or 4 tides within one diurnal period





## Other Features

> Detailed reports with all formulas print on standard size paper





- > Help/User Manual and example vessels supplied with the program.
- > Install on as many computers as desired
- Email vessel data and pumping plans to members of docking team
- > Technical support through DM Consulting