

**COMPANY:**

R. Nibbe KG,  
Germany

**YARD INFORMATION:**

Volkswerft GmbH  
Stralsund (Germany) 412  
Design: VW 1100

**DEMOLITION:**

Hamburg 15/10/2000 © S. Wiedner

**2001: Renamed OCEAN** (DAL charter expired).

**2002: Renamed CALA PROVIDENCIA** (charter name Costa Container Lines).

**2003: Renamed OCEAN** (previous charter expired).

**2005: To VIAMARE Schiffahrts GmbH & Co. KG, Germany.**

**2007: To MC (MarConsult)-Schiffahrt (GmbH & Co.) KG, Germany. Longterm charter to US-based Crowley Marine reported.**

**2008: To K&K Schiffahrts GmbH & Co. KG, Germany.**

**2010: To Freese Shipping GmbH & Co. KG, Germany.**

**2014: To Crowley Marine Services Inc., USA (flag changed to Marshall Islands).**

**2017: To Oikos Maritime Inc, Greece. Renamed AVRA MITERAS.**

**2021: Sold to MSC. Renamed MSC IZMIR F.**

**BASIC DATA:**

GT: 12029  
DWT: 14587  
TEU: 1122  
Reefer: 150  
Loa: 157.15  
Bmd: 23.50  
Draft: 9.30  
Engine: 1x oil Sulzer 7RTA52U  
Power: 10920 kW  
Speed: 19.5 kn  
Cranes: 2x45t

**OWNER & FLAG HISTORY:**

MSC IZMIR F since 01/02/2022  
AVRA MITERAS since 01/01/2017  
OCEAN since 01/12/2003  
CALA PROVIDENCIA since 01/05/2002  
OCEAN since 01/10/2001  
URUNDI 12-05-2000 LRF  
Flag Date of record Source  
Liberia since 01/01/2017  
Marshall Islands since 01/02/2014  
Antigua and Barbuda since 01/01/2001  
Germany 12-05-2000 LRF  
Registered owner Date of record Source  
AVRA OCEANWAY LTD since 23/02/2022  
AGIOS NIKOLAOS SHIPPING since 12/01/2017

CROWLEY MARINE SERVICES INC during 02/2014  
 OCEAN REEDEREI NIBBE since 01/07/2009  
 OCEAN 20-12-1996 LRF  
 Ship manager Date of record Source  
 MSC SHIPMANAGEMENT LTD since 23/02/2022  
 OIKOS MARITIME INC since 12/01/2017  
 CROWLEY MARINE SERVICES INC during 02/2014  
 FREESE SHIPPING GMBH & CO KG since 09/12/2010  
 K&K SCHIFFFAHRTS GMBH & CO KG since 01/06/2008  
 MC-SCHIFFFAHRT GMBH since 17/02/2007  
 VIAMARE SCHIFFFAHRTS GMBH since 01/10/2005  
 NIBBE R 20-12-1996 LRF

**NAME HISTORY:**

OCEAN	1996-97	Partenreederei ms "OCEAN", Germany
ANKARA	1997-98	Partenreederei ms "OCEAN", Germany
OCEAN	1998-99	Partenreederei ms "OCEAN", Germany
URUNDI	1999-01	Partenreederei ms "OCEAN", Germany
OCEAN	2001-02	Partenreederei ms "OCEAN", Antigua and Barbuda
CALA PROVIDENCIA	2002-03	Partenreederei ms "OCEAN", Antigua and Barbuda
OCEAN	2003-09	Partenreederei ms "OCEAN", Antigua and Barbuda
OCEAN	2009-14	ms "OCEAN" Reederei Nibbe KG, Antigua and Barbuda
OCEAN	2014-17	Crowley Marine Services Inc, Marshall Islands
AVRA MITERAS	2017-21	Agios Nikolaos Shipping , Liberia
MSC IZMIR F	2021-	Avra Oceanway Ltd, Liberia

**GENERAL VESSEL INFORMATION:**

2007:



## Crowley big on Caribbean

28 September 2007 19:43 GMT UPDATED 27 June 2012 8:02 GMT

By **Eric Martin**

**US-based Crowley Maritime has chartered two larger boxships for its service to the Caribbean, the company announced today.**

The company picked up Netherlands-based JR Shipping's 1,138-teu Eclips (built 1997) and the 1,122-teu Ocean (built 1996), both flagged in the Netherlands.

Miller declined to disclose the price of the charters, but he said they are long-term.

2022:



### MSC swoops on BALTHASAR SCHULTE (4,250 teu) and AVRA MITERAS (1,122 teu)

As part of its ongoing ship acquisition campaign MSC has added two more vessels to its portfolio, the 4,250 teu 'classic panamax' BALTHASAR SCHULTE (YZJ 4250) and the 1,122 teu AVRA MITERAS (VW 1100) which the Geneva-based carrier purchased from Borealis Maritime and Oikos Maritime Inc. respectively.

The prices of these transactions have not been reported. The BALTHASAR SCHULTE has now been delivered and renamed MSC ROWAN. The AVRA MITERAS is meanwhile already on charter to MSC and will soon be renamed MSC IZMIR F.

The AVRA MITERAS was meanwhile built in Germany in 1996 by Stralsund-based Volkswerft, originally as the OCEAN.

(Source: Alphaliner Weekly Newsletter 08/2022)

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