

Israeli Navy

Operational FiFi on board Israeli navy ships



"You can't start a fire without a spark"

Bruce Springsteen



DC challenges on board the Israeli Surface fleet Mandatory Service – 32 Months - PIEXIT **Volunteering service – Rotating every 2 years** Multitasking – No unique FF role 24/7 team on board - Daily life on Shore **Multiple & Crowded Systems**

Fire Fighting Doctrine

FUE

Fire extinguishing systems Evolution in IN fleet



Sa'ar 4 1970-

- Spectronix not assimilated in IMCS
- Halon Gas machinery rooms and mast
- Manual pipes/lfex



- Fire detection sensors
- Halon Gas Machinery + EER
- AFFF Machinery & landing deck
- FM sprinklers Ammo

- Fire detection sensors
- Novec
- Watermist accommodation included
- FM sprinklers Ammo
- AFFF landing deck
- A-60 floor

Sa'ar 6

2020-

Our Goal

Fully

automated

Reshef

2027-

Manual activation

Fire/Flooding Doctrine

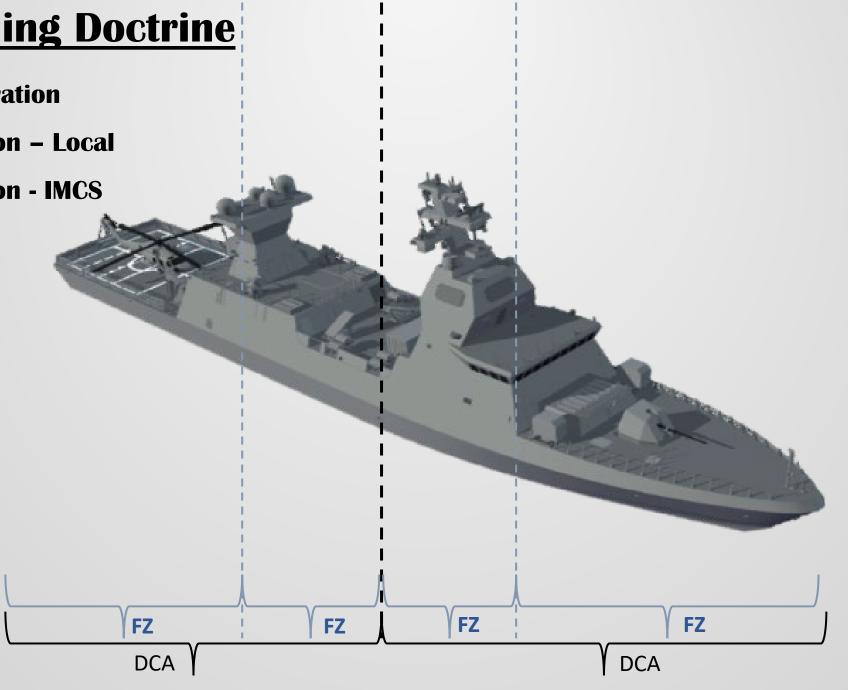
Automated operation

Manual operation – Local

Manual operation - IMCS

Priority

Abort



Fire Fighting Doctrine – IN Corvettes

Fire – First response \rightarrow **Crucial stage**

Shore (4 Rotating DC teams)

Sea (2 Permanent DC teams)

Local sealing ASAP

Controlled fire extinguishing actions - <u>closing</u> <u>all systems and A/C, power cut-off</u>

FF and equipment arrangement

Wounded personnel evacuation

<u>Challenge – Short-term certification teams</u>

Zone sealing ASAP

Controlled Fire extinguished actions <u>- Keeping</u> combat systems and maneuvering ability

FF and equipment arrangement

Wounded personnel evacuation, <u>First aid/field-</u> <u>conditioned surgery</u>

<u>Challenge – Dealing both with fire and mission</u>

IN Fifi doctrine summary

Fire Center

Interior circle

Support and cooling team

Exterior circle (second)

Exterior circle (third)

Rescue Passageway

Intrusion Teams

Interfering team

Evacuation & rescue team

Port & Sea training is not enough!



Advantages of Collaborative DC training with Israeli Fire & Rescue Authority



Best facility training – Fire & Flooding Coping with real fire Study cases: Backdraft, Flashover, chimney effect,

smoke management

Qualifies Professional IN Fire Fighters for Better understanding of Maritime DC

Looking forward

New DC Trainer – flood & fire

Increasing collaboration with israel's Fire & Rescue authority Implementing new & further automated Fifi systems in new Surface Fleet



Thank You!

