# **CATERPILLAR**®

### C9 ACERT<sup>®</sup> MARINE PROPULSION

510 mhp (503 bhp) 375 bkW



Image shown may not reflect actual engine.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

I-6, 4-Stroke-Cycle-Diesel
Emissions IMO compliant
Displacement
Rated Engine Speed2500
Bore 112.0 mm (4.41 in)
Stroke 149.0 mm (5.87 in)
Aspiration Turbocharged-Aftercooled
Governor Electronic
Cooling System Heat Exchanger
Weight, Net Dry (approx)
Refill Capacity
Cooling System 47.0 L (12.4 gal)
Lube Oil System
Oil Change Interval
Caterpillar <sup>®</sup> Diesel Engine Oil 10W30 or 15W40
Rotation (from flywheel end) Counterclockwise
Flywheel and flywheel housing SAE No. 1
Flywheel Teeth 113
Max. Exhaust Backpressure 10.0 kPa (40.2 in. water)
Fuel Consumption

#### STANDARD ENGINE EQUIPMENT

#### **Air Inlet System**

Corrosion-resistant sea water aftercooler core, air cleaner/fumes disposal system (closed)

#### **Control System**

Electronic governor, HEUI<sup>™</sup> fuel system, A4 electronic control module, engine-mounted 70-pin dedicated customer connector, SAE J1939 data link

#### **Cooling System**

Thermostat and housing, belt-driven centrifugal jacket water pump, gear-driven auxiliary sea water pump, expansion tank, engine-mounted heat exchanger, removal tube bundle (for sea water), engine oil cooler, auxiliary sea water lines, transmission oil cooler

#### **Exhaust System**

Watercooled exhaust manifold and wastegated turbocharger

#### Flywheel and Flywheel Housings

SAE No. 1 flywheel (113 teeth), SAE No. 1 flywheel housing

#### Fuel System

Fuel filter (RH or LH service), fuel transfer pump, fuel priming pump

#### Lube System

Crankcase breather, oil filter (front center service), oil filler (RH or LH service), oil level gauge (RH or LH service), oil pan, oil pan drain (RH or LH service), lubricating oil, gear-driven engine oil pump

#### **Mounting System**

Front support (adjustable height)

#### **Protection System**

Electronic overspeed shutoff

#### General

Torsional vibration damper and guard, lifting eyes, literature, variable engine wiring, RH or LH service options

#### **ISO Certification**

Factory-designed systems built at Caterpillar ISO 9001:2000 certified facilities

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#### **MARINE ENGINE PERFORMANCE**

#### Preliminary

#### D Rating — DM8138-00



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Engine Power bhp	402	
	268	
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	1475	
	1254	
t e	1033	
Torque Ib ft	811	
	590	
	.492	
, v	.451	
BSFC Ib/bhp/hr	.410	
=	.369	
		900 1100 1300 1500 1700 1900 2100 2300 2500
		Engine Speed - rpm
		English Maximum Power 503 bhp

	Engine Speed rpm	Rated Engine Power bkW	Rated Engine Torque N•m	BSFC g/bkW/hr	Fuel Rate L/hr
Maximum Power Data	2500 2400 2300 2200	375 375 375 375	1433 1492 1557 1628	221.7 217.8 212.1 208.5	98.3 97.1 95.5 93.3
	2100	375	1705	205.6	92.3
	2000	375	1791	204.8	90.9
	1900	375	1885	202.9	90.8
	1800	363	1926	203.7	88.3
	1700	344	1932	206.8	84.9
	1600	322	1922	209.3	80.5
	1500	290	1846	208.3	72.0
	1400	231	1576	224.6	62.0
	1300	166	1219	244.1	48.2
	1200	144	1146	255.4	43.8
	1100	117	1016	282.2	39.5
	1000	100	955	288.2	34.6
	900	84	891	295.0	29.4
	800	67	800	306.0	24.5
Prop	2500	375	1433	221.7	98.3
Demand	2274	281	1181	213.1	71.5
Data	1999	188	896	215.4	48.2
	1574	94	569	229.4	25.7

	Engine Speed rpm	Rated Engine Power bhp	Rated Engine Torque Ib ft	BSFC lb/bhp//hr	Fuel Rate gal/hr
Maximum Power Data	2500 2400 2300 2200 2000 1900 1800 1700 1600 1500 1400 1300 1200 1100 1000 900	503 503 503 503 503 503 503 486 461 431 389 310 222 193 157 134 113	1076 1056 1100 1147 1200 1257 1320 1389 1419 1424 1416 1361 1161 899 845 749 704 657	0.366 0.359 0.350 0.344 0.339 0.338 0.335 0.336 0.341 0.345 0.344 0.371 0.403 0.421 0.466 0.476 0.487	26.0 25.6 25.2 24.7 24.4 24.0 24.0 23.3 22.4 21.3 19.0 16.4 12.7 11.6 10.4 9.1 7.8
	800 800	90	589	0.487	6.5
Prop Demand Data	2500 2274 1999 1574	503 377 251 126	1050 871 660 419	0.366 0.352 0.355 0.379	26.0 18.9 12.7 6.8



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#### DIMENSIONS



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(1) Length to Flywheel Housing	1198.7 mm	47.19 in.		
(2) Width	974.0 mm	38.30 in.		
(3) Height	982.8 mm	38.69 in.		
Weight, Net Dry (approx)	946 kg	2,086 lb		

Note: Do not use for installation design.

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#### **RATING DEFINITIONS AND CONDITIONS**

#### **D** Rating (Intermittent Duty)

% Load Factor: up to 50

% Time at Rated RPM: 16

Typical Time at Full Load:

Typical Hour/Year: 1000 to 3000

Typical Applications: For vessels operating at rated load and rated speed up to 16% of the time (up to 50% load factor). Typical applications could include but are not limited to vessels such as offshore patrol boats, customs boats, police boats, some fishing, fireboats, or harbor tugs. Typical operation ranges from 1000 to 3000 hours per year. **Power** at declared engine speed is in accordance with ISO3046-1:2002E. Caterpillar maintains ISO9001:1994/QS-9000 approved engine test facilities to assure accurate calibration of test equipment. Electronically controlled engines are set at the factory at the advertised power corrected to standard ambient conditions. The published fuel consumption rates are in accordance with ISO3046-1.

**Fuel rates** are based on fuel oil of 35° API [16°C (60°F)] gravity having an LHV of 42 780 kJ/kg (18,390 Btu/lb) when used at 29°C (85°F) and weighing 838.9 g/L (7.001 lb/U.S. gal). Additional ratings may be available for specific customer requirements. Consult your Caterpillar representative for additional information.

Performance data is calculated in accordance with tolerances and conditions stated in this specification sheet and is only intended for purposes of comparison with other manufacturers' engines. Actual engine performance may vary according to the particular application of the engine and operating conditions beyond Caterpillar's control.

Power produced at the flywheel will be within standard tolerances up to 50°C (122°F) combustion air temperature measured at the air cleaner inlet, and fuel temperature up to 52°C (125°F) measured at the fuel filter base. Power rated in accordance with NMMA procedure as crankshaft power. Reduce crankshaft power by 3% for propeller shaft power.

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