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Cat® 3516E High Output

Marine Propulsion Engine

Government & Defense Applications

The Cat® 3516E High Output (HO) propulsion engine is engineered to support government and public-sector marine operations requiring immediate response, precise control, and sustained high-power capability. Delivering high torque at low rpm, the Cat 3516E HO enables confident maneuvering, escort, ship assist, and patrol operations, even in constrained or high-risk environments. Its ability to transition rapidly from standby to full power supports mission readiness and fast reaction to evolving operational demands.

Features and Benefits:

ENGINE DESIGN

- Advanced combustion and sequential air system for optimized engine performance, acceleration, and efficiency
- Optimized power density (Rated Power vs. Weight) and streamlined engine packaging (L x W x H)
- Enhanced control of fuel injection optimized through crank timing and the latest A5 ECM technology
- Optimized fuel injector nozzle geometry and electronic injection control for improved fuel delivery
- Improved low speed torque capability designed for tug and hybrid configurations
- Global dealer network for service around the clock

RAPID RESPONSE

- High low-end torque and rapid throttle response deliver precise maneuverability and quick reactions, while steady engine speed under load helps to ensure predictable performance in demanding escort, patrol, and assist operations

PROVEN PERFORMANCE

- Up to 3000 kW delivers strong pull and high speed, while compact power density frees space onboard and proven acceleration helps to ensure consistent performance across demanding duty cycles

FUTURE READY

- Can easily be upgraded to meet IMO III emissions with the addition of Caterpillar's SCR technology

Specifications

Configuration	V 16, 4 -Stroke-Cycle Diesel	Bore x Stroke	170 mm x 215 mm / 6.69 in x 8.46 in
Emissions	IMO II	Refill Capacity	250 Hr. Shallow Sump: 189 L / 50 US gal
Rated Engine Speed	1800 rpm	Lube Oil System w/ Oil Filter Change	1000 Hr. Deep Sump: 798 L / 211 US gal
Displacement	78.1 L (4766 in³)	Oil Change Interval	250 hours (Shallow Sump) 1000 hours (Deep Sump)
Aspiration	Sequential Turbocharged / Aftercooled	Rotation (from flywheel end)	Clockwise or Counterclockwise
Governor	Electronic (A5 ECM)	Cooling	Heat Exchanger or Keel Cooled
Flywheel Housing	SAE No. 00 with SAE No. 00 Flywheel (183 teeth)		



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Ratings and Fuel Consumption

Commercial Propulsion Engines

Rating	mhp	bhp	bkW	rpm	U.S. g/h	g/bkWh	IMO	U.S. EPA	EU	China
C	3195	3151	2350	1800	147.9	202.6	II/III	NC	NC	NC
D	3549	3500	2610	1800	165.6	204.1	II/III	T4 ¹	NC	NC
D	3807	3755	2800	1800	178.1	204.6	II/III	T4 ¹	NC	NC
D	4079	4023	3000	1800	192.3	206.2	II/III	T4 ¹	NC	NC

¹ Contact factory for T4 availability

ISO 3046 / fluid consumption tolerance of -0 /+5 %

Marine Rating Definition for Propulsion Engines:

C Rating (Maximum Continuous)

Typical applications: For vessels operating at rated load and rated speed up to 50% of the time with cyclical load and speed (20% to 80% load factor).

Typical operation ranges from 2000 to 4000 hours per year.

D Rating (Intermittent Duty)

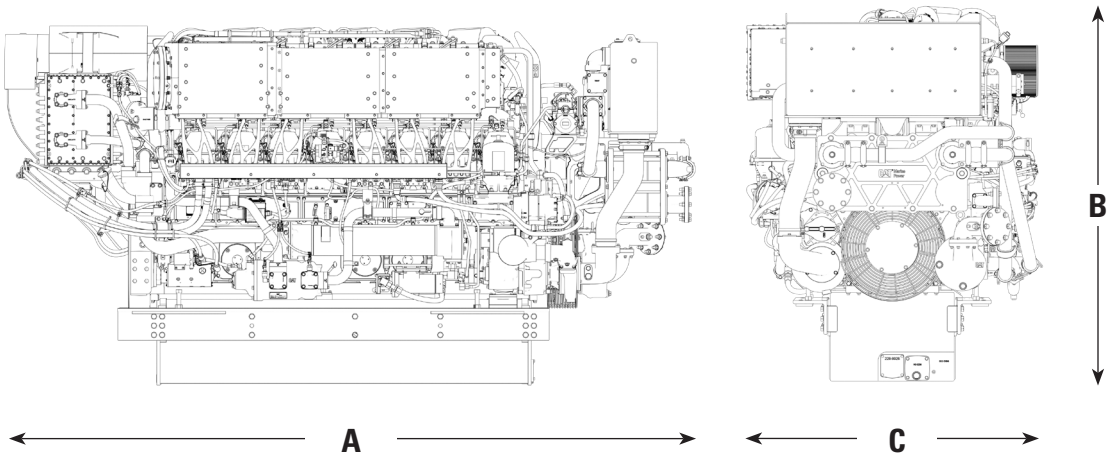
Typical Applications: For Vessels operating at rated load and rated speed up to 16% of the time (up to 50% load factor).

Typical operation ranges from 1000 to 3000 hours per year.

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Dimensions

All dimensions are approximate.



A Length (Approx)	3123 mm	123.0 in	C Width (Approx)	1800 mm	71.0 in
B Height (Approx)	2263 mm	89.0 in	Dry Weight (Approx)	11500 kg	25353 lb

Note: Do not use for installation design. See general dimension drawings for detail. Weights and dimensions are approximations.

Standard and Optional Equipment

Standard Equipment

- Corrosion-resistant aftercooler core
- Dual A5 engine control modules with electronic unit injection and low pressure fuel system
- Sequential water-cooled turbochargers
- Water-cooled exhaust manifold
- Vibration damper and guard
- Duplex fuel filtration
- Self-cleaning (maintenance free) & centrifugal oil filtration
- Serviceable hard heat shields
- Meets SOLAS regulations
- LECP2 instrument control panel

Optional Equipment

- Front-mounted plate-type heat exchanger
- SCAC and Jacket Water expansion tank
- Marine Classification Society compliance
- Power take-off
- Certified Marine alarm and protection system
- LECP3 instrument control panel
- Seawater auxiliary pump
- Mounting rails
- CW or CCW rotation
- Closed crankcase ventilation

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