



Training in The Netherlands  
Yard IHC Merwede Kinderdijk

# TID CUTTER SIMULATOR TRAINING AT KINDERDIJK – THE NETHERLANDS

## October 5 to October 10, 2009

This year the Training Institute for Dredging (TID) will organize the cutter simulator training at Kinderdijk, The Netherlands.



### Training to get the most out of your cutter dredger

The effect of training can be enormous. The return on investment of a training programme can be significant. Imagine dredging between 8 and 10 million m<sup>3</sup> per year with a larger CSD. When increasing productivity with only 5 % an additional production of 450.000 m<sup>3</sup> per year will be achieved. With these amounts one will earn back the investment in training in no time.

Experience has shown that significant improvements can be reached by proper training. In the field production improvements up to 70% have been seen. In addition, an improved operational efficiency leads to a better planned operation with less operational risks.



## TID Simulator Training

It is a pleasure for the Training Institute for Dredging (TID) to announce they will organize a cutter operator courses.

### Cutter operator training with a simulator

TID has set up a tempting programme for new and existing operators combining practical instruction on a simulator and classroom training aiming at fundamental operational improvement. A simulator gives the possibility to train participants under specific conditions and enables trainers to show specific results and effects. Hazardous situations can be experienced without danger, risk or loss of production.

### Level 1 cutter operator training

Main objective: The goal of a level 1 training is to learn the participant to operate a cutter suction dredger, to minimize failures and breakdown of the equipment and to recognize the relationship between operational parameters and the dredging process.

Max. number of participants: 8  
Duration: 6 days  
Price per participant Euro 4080,-

### Level 2 cutter operator training

Main objective: The goal of a level 2 training is to learn the participant to operate a cutter suction dredger in the most efficient way by understanding the theoretical and practical principles of hydraulic transport and dealing with force during the dredging process and by a thorough understanding of the possibilities and constraints of the equipment.

Max. number of participants: 8  
Duration: 6 days  
Price per participant Euro 4080,-

**Note!** The simulator course is a highly intensive course. Participants participate in a double shift programme, meaning that during the workshops, lectures and simulator exercises the participants will get maximum personal attention.

### Agenda

	Level	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6
Training 1	1	5/10	6/10	7/10	8/10	9/10	10/10
Training 2	2	5/10	6/10	7/10	8/10	9/10	10/10

### Location

TID – yard IHC Merwede Kinderdijk – The Netherlands

### Registration

The trainings are open for registration to all. Registration will be on a first come first serve basis. Registration can be done at [www.dredgetraining.com](http://www.dredgetraining.com)

### Accommodation

Upon request TID can assist in arranging hotel accommodation.

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### More information

More information is available on [www.dredgetraining.com](http://www.dredgetraining.com)