



VCU CombiRope



The Maritime Specialist

About VCU, Visserij Coöperatie Urk (Urk Fisheries Cooperative, VCU) has been a leading name in the fishing industry since 1922. As a professional maritime specialist, we distinguish ourselves by offering a full-service concept of both goods and services.

The fishing gear and the fishing vessels are our core business ! From steel wire to gasoil and from fishing nets to the catch processing and winches, we have it in our stock. We can deliver, produce, service or repair all these necessary items for your fishing industry. As a cooperative, we work innovatively, allowing our members, partners and clients to make use of our fast service, expertise and reliability.

This cooperative possesses three modern premises on Urk. The head office, as well as VCU Oil B.V., VCU Store B.V., VCU Safetycentre B.V., VCU Maritime B.V. and VCU TCD B.V. are located in Urk.

We are specialised in providing technical services and performing repairs, revisions, (large-scale) rebuilding, conversions and construction of a variety of vessels. Furthermore, the VCU TCD is specialized in the fabrication of winches and related hydraulic systems named "Osey Urk Winches". VCU's modern vehicle fleet consists of service buses and crane trucks. These are employed to quickly perform repairs or deliveries on-site. Our working range includes The Netherlands, France, Belgium, Germany, Denmark, Norway and the UK.

SOME SPECIALIZED PRODUCTS ARE:

- **Gasoil deliveries in all fishing ports around the North Sea**
- **Combination ropes for the flyshooting Danish seining**
- **Steel wire and chain for fishing industry**
- **Nets for flyshooting, twin- and quadrigging, beamtrawling and shrimp fishery.**
- **OSEY Urk (flyshooting) winches**
- **VCU CatchManagement system (grading, weighing and recording fish hauls onboard)**
- **Complete catch processing systems (transporting, grading, washing, holding, etc.)**
- **Bubble Slurry™ Ice systems**



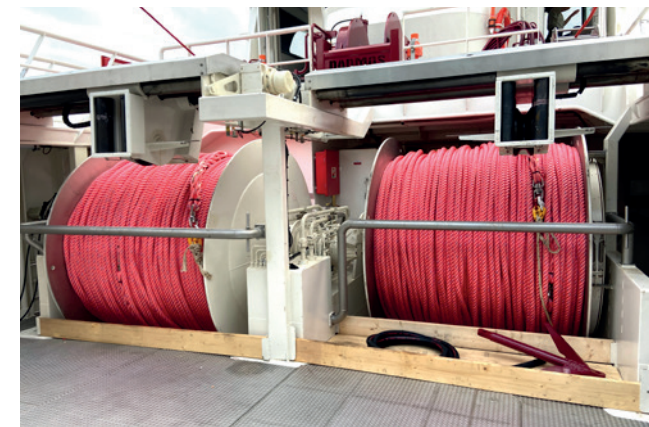
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VCU CombiRope. VCU Maritime is specialized in Combination Rope. This is a combination of steel wire and rope in which the strands of steel wire are completely covered with ropes. This combination creates a strong and flexible rope. It is mainly used by the flyshooting fishing method. VCU Maritime works directly with several factories all around the world. In combination with the experience of the fisherman on sea, we create and deliver the best quality and the highest possible breaking load. VCU Maritime offers VCU CombiRope at very competitive prices. Deviating sizes and qualities can be provided upon request with different fishing grounds. VCU Maritime can also supply all possible kinds of end fittings.

BENEFITS OF COMBINATION ROPE, AND SERVICE AT LOCATION:

- Long lengths per roll, this means less splices. And the first wear and tear is at the splicing. So there is less tear and wear.
- Reel on with hydraulic winches under tension, so the Combination Rope has a longer lifetime.
- High break strength, this means less breaking and effective fishing time.
- It comes like one piece spliced on board.
- An experienced rigging specialist by inserting the rigging.
- Mobile flexibility because the truck at different locations.
- Reeling off and disposal the old rope and responsible recycling.
- Very quick rigging, 3 à 4 hour.
- 24 hour, 6 days service with truck (day and night), Monday-Saturday.



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