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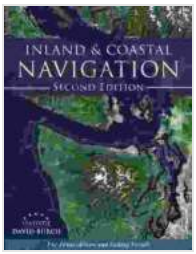

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A Holistic Approach to Marine Engineering

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In-Depth Exploration of Propulsion Systems

The book places particular emphasis on the diverse range of propulsion systems employed in modern vessels. Diesel engines, gasoline engines, and hybrid propulsion systems are examined in great detail, with a focus on their performance characteristics, fuel efficiency, and environmental impact. The authors provide practical guidance on selecting the most suitable propulsion system for specific vessel types and operating conditions.

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Auxiliary Systems and Equipment

The book recognizes the critical role played by auxiliary systems and equipment in ensuring the safety, comfort, and efficiency of vessels. It covers a wide array of topics, including bilge pumps, fire detection systems, pumps and valves, and refrigeration and air conditioning systems. Readers will learn how to operate and maintain these systems effectively, enhancing the overall performance and reliability of their vessels.

Revised and Expanded for the Latest Industry Standards

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Written by Experienced Marine Professionals

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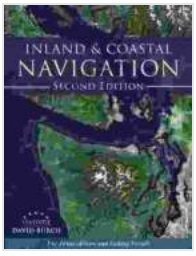

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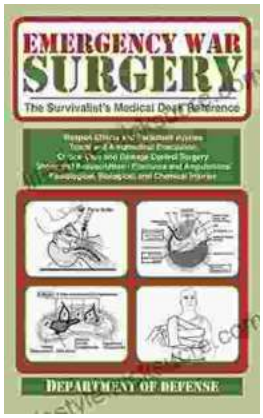

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