

GUIDI: ACCESSORIES FOR SUPERYACHTS

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Guidi di Grignasco is one of the main manufacturers in terms of yacht accessories who has been around since 1968. With a vast range of bronze hardware items, brass ones, chromium plated ones nickel and aluminium ones, sea cocks, non stick valves, exhaust pipes, water filters, fuel filters water strainers as well as a whole range of taps for galleys and bathrooms. After having become one of the main suppliers to Italian shipyards and foreign ones too, Guidi has expanded to supply the mega yacht and refit international market in which he's already operating. After having attended several main yacht shows including Yare which is the Italian event dedicated to this high end segment and refit market as well, Guidi launched his new range of non stick valves built to serve engine cooling circuitry - "Alex" is Guidi's thirteenth patent. "Alex" ensures full flow because it boasts a straight path rather than a curved one thus ensuring maximum efficiency and thanks to reduced sizing and the absence of levers it can be installed in the smallest spaces. The valve possesses two back to back cuffs with stopper shutters set at 90° which perform better than standard valves normally deployed in yachts. "Alex" can also be installed into bathrooms and on board sea water treatment plants with special modifications.

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