

# Blasting/Painting Area Computation of Ships and Offshore Rigs.

*SHIPS & OFFSHORE OIL RIGS UNDERGOING MAJOR REPAIRS  
NEED ACCURATE AREA WHEN DETERMINING BLASTING AND  
PAINTING REQUIREMENTS.*

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EXACO's proprietary programming (AREAC.EXE in C++) is a Windows program that lets you make measurements onboard ships/vessels and create 3D models from digitized data and photographs. The process is quick and organized and the area models produced are

detailed and accurate.

### How Does EXACO AREA COMPUTATION Work?

Measurement on control points onboard vessel (principle dimensions). Generate a CAD from program menu.

Take pictures onboard and load them as digital photographs in EXACO's AREAC Program.

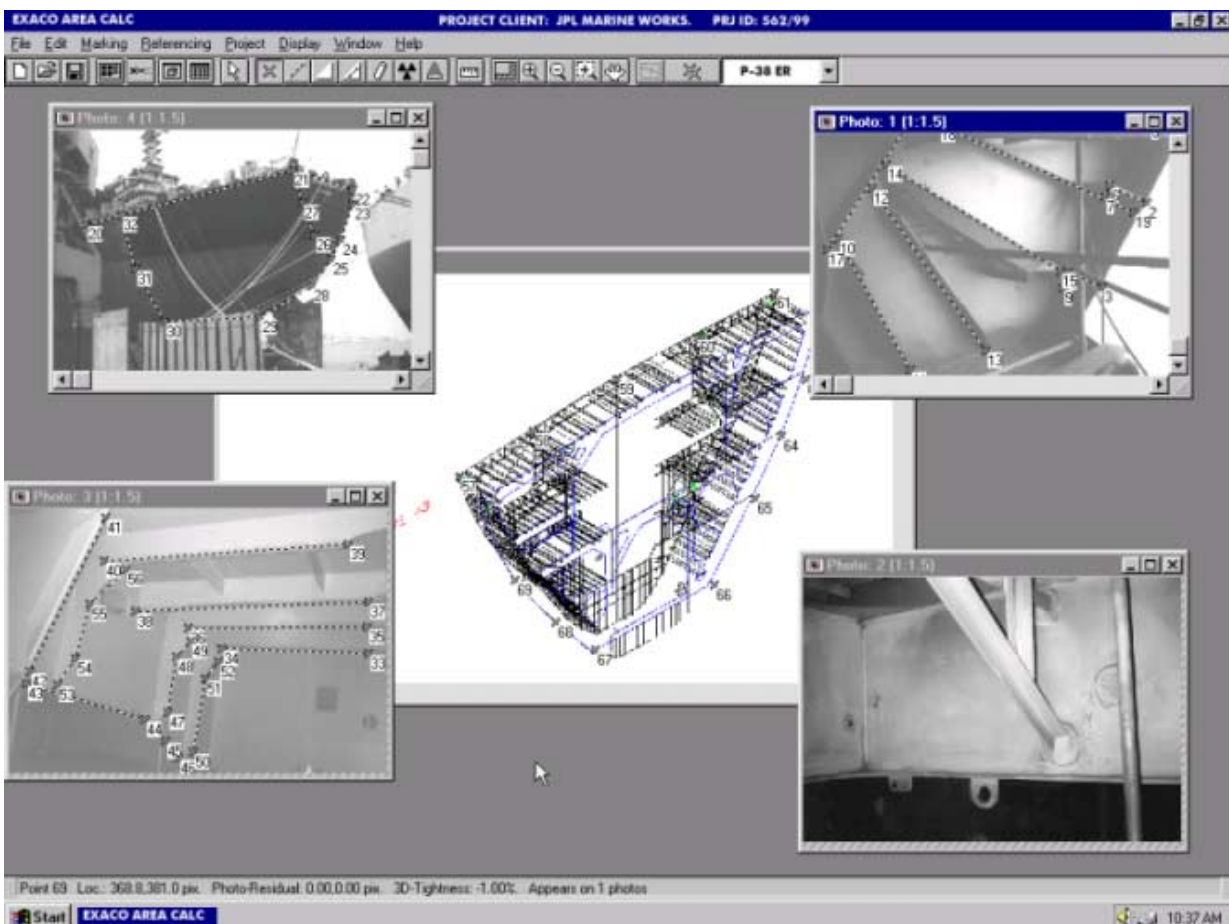
Mark and Reference the AREA key points.

- Using the Point and Line tools, mark on the CAD and/or photograph

- the areas you want to measure.

- Use the image zoom function to increase the precision and ease of making.

- Use the Referencing functions to align which points on different photographs represent the same location on the object or in the



area.

**Process the Information.**

- Select the "Process" menu item and allow program's algorithm processes your referencing area data.

- EXACO's AREAC produces an accurate 3D model by using an advanced algorithm that adjusts input data, creates 3D point data, and computes area data in metric (imperial system pending).  
**View and Export**

**the AREA model.**

- View the resulting AREA model in EXACO's program 3D Viewer.  
- Display accurate coordinate, distance and area measurements.

for bulkhead and frame calculation is within +/- 7% but generally within 5% margin.

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**Accuracy**

The accuracy of a final EXACO's AREAC measurement depends on a number of factors: the resolution and number of photographs, the angles between the photographs, the number of referenced points, and very important actual measurements onboard etc.  
Typical accuracy

