



MV Circe Shell (+1942)

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Details

general

nationality: [british](#)
 purpose: [transport](#)
 type: [tanker](#)
 propulsion: [motor vessel](#)
 date built: 1931

details

weight (tons): 8207 [grt](#)
 dimensions: 142,5 x 18,9 x 10,4 m
 engine: 2x 6cyl diesel engines, twin screws
 power: 713 [n.h.p.](#)
 speed: 11 knots

about the loss

cause lost: [torpedo](#)
 date lost: [21/02/1942](#) [dd/mm/yyyy]
 casualties:

about people

builder: [Howaldtswerke A. G., Kiel](#)
 owner: [Anglo-Saxon Petroleum Co. Ltd., London](#)

captain:

about the wreck

depth:
 orientation:
 protected:
 war grave:

updates

entered by: [Allen Tony](#)
 entered: 26/10/2007
 last update: [Vleqqeert Nico](#)
 last update: 24/05/2009

Position

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latitude: 11°03'0X" N
 longitude: 062°03'0X" W
 division: 1'=60"
 remarks: Position is PA.
 ref. used: [www.ubootwaffe.net](#)

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History

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Circle Shell MV was a British Motor Tanker of 8,207 tons built in 1931. On the 21st February 1942 when on route from GLASGOW and RIVER CLYDE for CURACAO , DIVERTED TO TRINIDAD in ballast she was torpedoed by U-161 and sunk by gunfire. 1 crew lost from a total crew of 58.

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About Builder(s)

[Howaldtswerke A. G., Kiel](#)
Kiel and Hamburg

