


“The light
must never go out.”

Gustav Dalen
Winner, Nobel Prize, 1912

Pharos Marine 
Automatic Power



The global leader in signaling products and services.

From buoys to foghorns, obstruction bridge and aviation lights to radar beacons, Automatic Power and Pharos Marine provide the latest equipment and the most advanced technology for signaling products and services throughout the world.

Nearly a century ago, when Pharos Marine's founder Gustav Dalen said, "The light must never go out," his words became the foundation for a corporate vision that has guided our company to this day. Because of that commitment, you can be confident that every product we engineer, every project recommendation that we make, every customer service that we provide is based on that concept of reliability. Fulfilling the promise is integral to our way of working and has resulted in the evolution of a total range of products and services designed to ensure dependable performance.

Today, customers worldwide look to us as a complete resource, the only company that can offer the advantage of a comprehensive choice of equipment and expertise. Because we develop long-term relationships with our customers, we can anticipate, advise, solve, and service virtually any signaling situation. We call this total approach EnCompass.



Supplying quality products and services is our mission; we are manufacturers, rather than distributors. Our staff engineers research, develop and produce equipment designed specifically for your requirements. And we deliver as promised, whether your order is a simple spare part or a long-term, complex project.

For ports and harbours, lighthouse authorities, offshore oil rigs, bridges, aircraft obstruction signaling, and for many other applications where navigational safety is of primary concern, the world has our number. We are proud to answer the call.





The widest choice of signaling products for ports and harbours, coastal navigation, aviation, and the oil and gas industry

For almost a century, our company has always been at the forefront of technology, offering the most advanced and reliable equipment to our customers. Our products have continually evolved and become increasingly sophisticated to meet an ever-widening variety of applications.

The result of our constant research and development is that today we offer such a broad choice that our customers can always find the specific solution they need, without having to “over-spec” or “under-spec.” No compromises are necessary.

Over the years, we have developed many innovative products, from the earliest acetylene lanterns to incandescent lanterns with automatic lamp changers to the newest patented LED technology. Our field-proven products are designed not for the sake of change,

but so that the best and most efficient products will be available for your particular use. We can customize products to meet your precise requirements.



- Lighthouses, towers and channel markers
- Radar beacons (racon)
- Buoys and buoyant beacons
- Remote monitoring and control systems
- Obstruction lights
- Leading lights
- Sound signals
- Large-scale solar power systems
- Primary and secondary battery systems
- Bridge gates and crash barriers
- Bridge lighting
- Barge running lights
- Aviation lights
- Lite Pipe®
- Fog detectors





Your one resource for complete support services

Our customers count on us for a complete range of services, and we deliver no less. From initial planning to implementation to continuous maintenance, our experts work closely with your experts to make certain that you get the reliable result your project requires. It's an all-inclusive approach that we have developed through years of working with customers and learning what support services they need.

On the hostile North Sea, where our company, Sims Systems, provides service and maintenance personnel out of Lowestoft and Aberdeen. In the Straits of Malacca, where API Pharos Marine supplies signal lighting on the main sea route between the Indian Ocean and the South China Sea. All around the world, we're the one company that can provide total service support.



- Project planning
- Engineering design
- Transportation
- Installation
- Testing
- Commissioning
- Licensed professional engineers
- Fully insured and bonded technicians
- Training of operating and maintenance personnel
- Full documentation
- Maintenance contracts
- Financial planning and advice for large and small projects
- Turnkey projects anywhere in the world
- Hurricane response



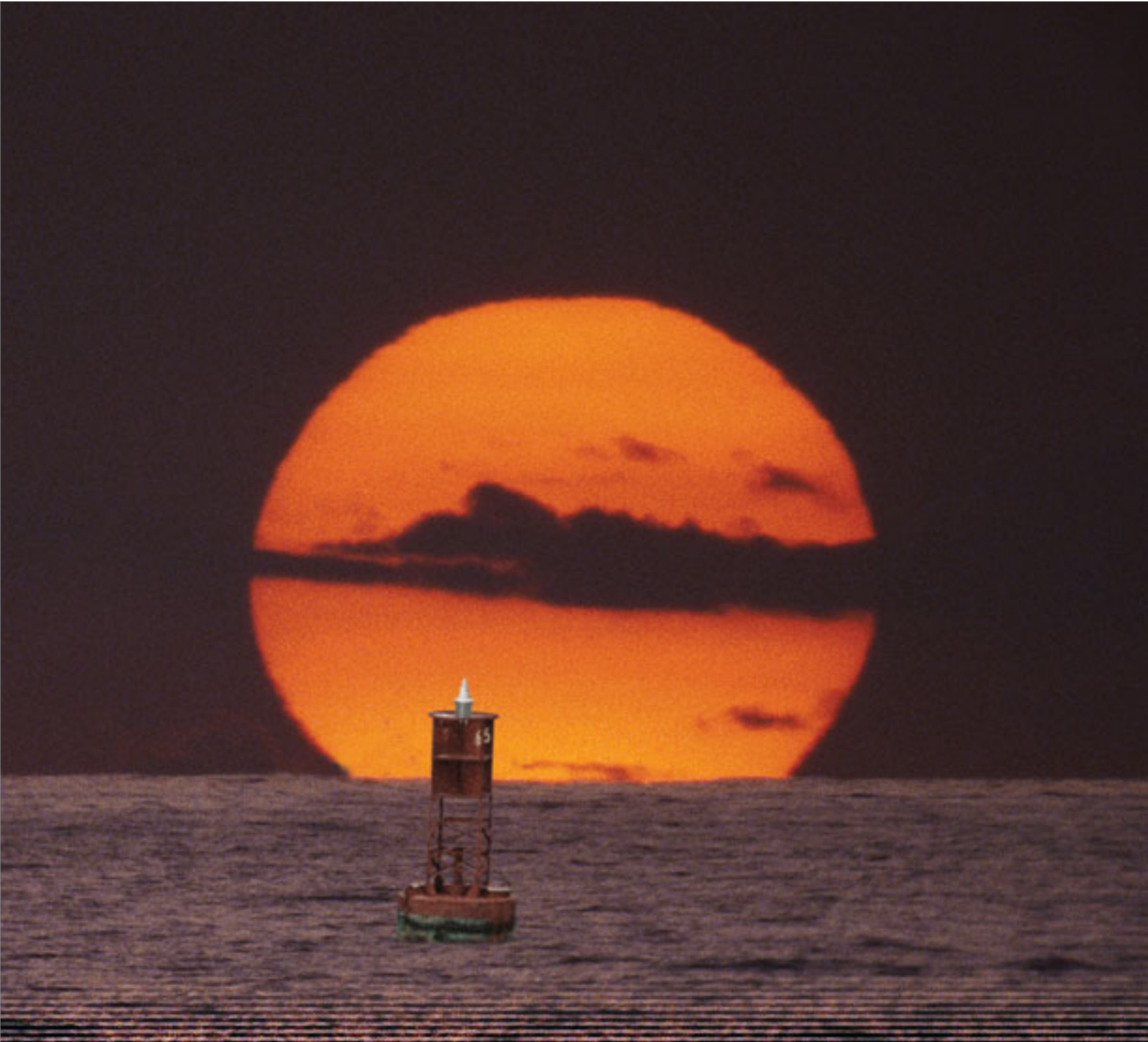


Industry leadership based on a solid history of reliability

It is integral to our operation: a commitment to reliability that starts with expert engineering for our current products and extends through research and development of tomorrow's innovations. It shows in every conversation, every transaction, every service we provide. Trustworthy performance is the basis of our reputation for quality, and is the prime reason that our customers have made us the global leader in our field.

Our experience means that we can anticipate and follow through on your needs, providing the dependable planning and backup that make your job easier. Whether you are dealing with complex regulations or employee training or project design, you can count on our help. Any time. Any place.





Decades of experience in navigation signaling

Gustav Dalen's words, "The light must never go out," have come to symbolize the combined corporate vision of Automatic Power/Pharos Marine.

Automatic Power

Originating in 1947 as The Lighthouse, Inc., API provided aids to navigation for the first oil rigs off the coast of Texas. By 1966, the company had expanded to five separate entities throughout the world, and in that year merged with Wallace & Tiernan. A subsequent merger of Wallace & Tiernan and Penn Salt Company formed the Pennwalt Corporation, making Automatic Power a division of the larger group. In 1989, API merged with Pharos Marine, making the combined group a world leader in the field. Today Automatic Power/Pharos Marine is a division of Toxaway Capital Partners, and has strategic locations throughout the U.S. and overseas, as well as a worldwide network of agents

Pharos Marine

Named after the famous lighthouse that stood on the Isle of Pharos in Alexandria, Egypt, Pharos Marine began making aids to navigation more than 100 years ago. The company's founder, Gustav Dalen, had a distinguished career, winning a Nobel Prize when he introduced a system of acetylene gas lights capable of operating for a year without service. Pharos Marine has provided products for some of the most famous navigation projects around the world, including the first buoys for the Panama Canal. Now partnered with Automatic Power, Pharos Marine operates worldwide from offices in London, Stockholm and Singapore.



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