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#### Professional Rescue Equipment for smaller vessels

Rescue Scoop:

Crane- or boom operated rescue net for recovering able or disabled persons Manual recovery system for gentle, horizontal

Rescue Frame Rescue Dummy:

rescue of casualties Realistic rescue dummy of human proportions

(1,8m tall, 85kg max weight)

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