



PORT OF
GULFPORT
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Investing in the Ports of the Future

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ABOUT THE PORT OF GULFPORT

The Port of Gulfport is a deep-water, international seaport located in Gulfport, Mississippi.

Established in 1902, the agency is responsible for the daily operations of the Port of Gulfport, serving as a landlord port for many international businesses.





ADVANTAGES OF THE PORT OF GULFPORT

NEW FACILITIES & EQUIPMENT

Encompassing 300 acres, the Port offers:

- Over 5,000 feet of berthing space
- Plentiful open storage space
- Available covered warehouse space
- 3 ship-to-shore gantry cranes
- Authorized channel depth of 36 feet, with active pursuit of deepening & widening

EASY CONNECTIVITY

- 90 minute journey to open Gulf waters
- 18-mile transit from sea buoy to dock
- 5 miles from Interstate 10
- Foreign Trade Zone #92 located on the dock
- On-dock access to Class 1 rail service through Kansas City Southern

1 IN 17 : A STRATEGIC SEAPORT



TRADITIONAL PORT STRUCTURE



EVOLUTION OF SHIPPING



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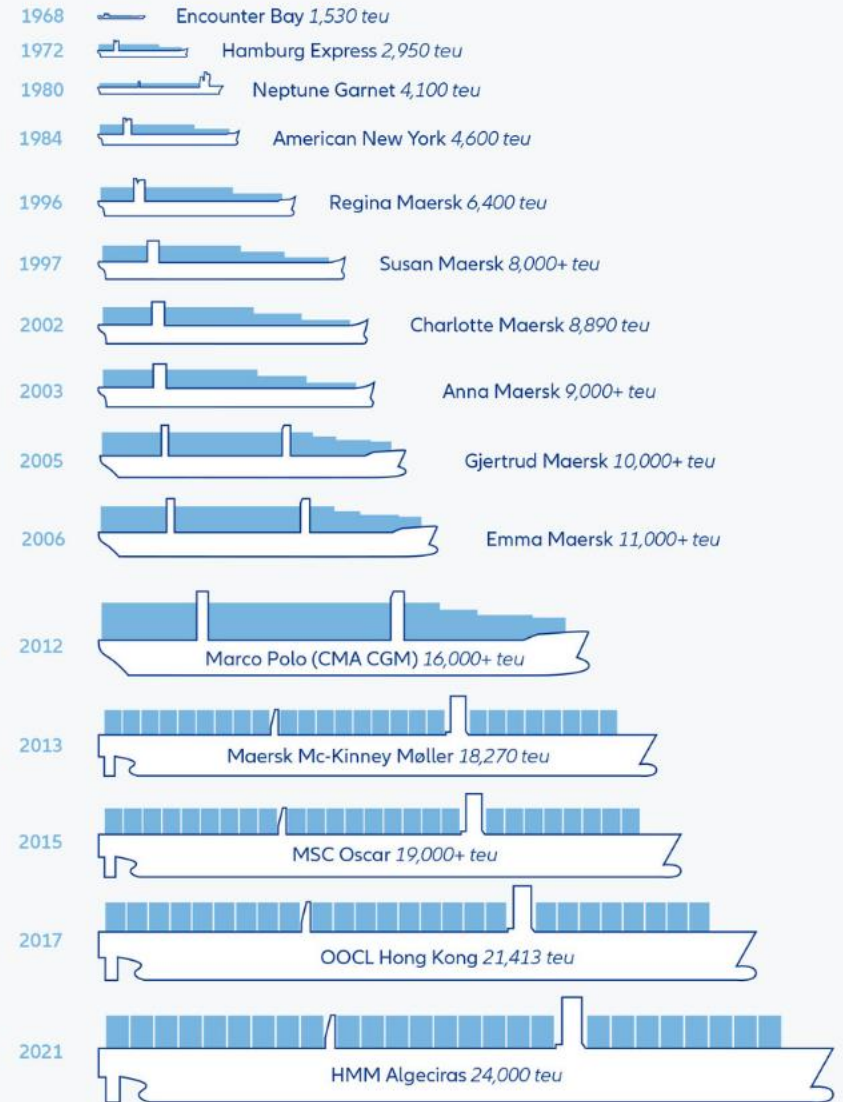
CONTAINERIZATION



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50 years of container ship growth



Increase in size of ships in graphic is not to scale

Approximate ship capacity data: Container-transportation.com; AGCS

Source: Allianz Global Corporate & Specialty

SMART PORT TECHNOLOGY

Providing Mississippi institutions with access to a deepwater cluster of technology, merging government and academia together for a shared purpose

Create a competitive advantage for the Port of Gulfport.



PORT SECURITY TODAY

Maritime Transportation and Security Act (MTSA) 2004

General Security

Vessel Security

Facility Security

Transportation Security

Area Maritime Security



PORT SECURITY TOMORROW

Resiliency

Technology

Emerging Threats







QUESTIONS?



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