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The Federal Bureau of Maritime Casualty Investigation (BSU) hereby announces the publication of the Annual Report 2021 on

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The BSU's annual report for 2021 was published today. It provides an overview of the work of the authority in the past year. One focus of the report is the presentation of currently ongoing investigations of accidents. E.g., the BSU started two investigations from the area of recreational shipping, an area that was less in focus in previous years.

Second main part of the report is dealing with statistics. Accident occurrences are examined and explained in more detail on the basis of detailed overviews and illustrations. The number of notifications and marine casualties has increased again in 2021, but this is due less to an increase in accidents than to the “slump in numbers” in 2020. In 2021, the figures are back at the pre-pandemic level.

All investigation reports, safety recommendations and other information published by the BSU are available at

<https://www.bsu-bund.de/EN/Publications>.

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