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COMPANY PROFILE

ENGINEERING THE FUTURE

MANAGEMENT SYSTEM CERTIFICATION
DNV
ISO 9001 • ISO 45001

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ABOUT KRAATZ

INDUSTRIAL
MARINE
OFF-SHORE
MINING
OIL & GAS

Kraatz, a proud subsidiary of the Ohlthaver & List Group of Companies, has been a cornerstone of Namibian engineering excellence since 1947.

With a legacy steeped in rich heritage and unwavering commitment, we are a trusted name among national and international clients across the on-shore, off-shore, mining and industrial sectors.

Our presence in **Walvis Bay** ensures that we deliver comprehensive, world-class and value-driven engineering solutions tailored to meet the unique needs of our clients.

Kraatz is not just service provider, but a partner, dedicated to fostering growth and innovation through exceptional and engineering expertise.

We hold ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 45001:2018 certifications awarded by Det Norske Veritas (DNV), demonstrating our commitment to internationally recognised standards for quality management and occupational health and safety management.

Our core business provides specialised estimation, fabrication, installation, service, repair & maintenance to a vast range of assets in the industrial & maritime engineering industries.

SECTORS / KEY FOCUS AREAS

SECTORS

- Mining & Mineral Processing
- Marine & Off-shore
- Oil & Gas
- F&B Processing
- SMPP Construction
- Renewable Energy

KEY FOCUS AREAS

- Project Management & Operations
- Structural Steel Fabrications / Installations
- SMPP Construction
- Process Plant Maintenance
- On-site Project Support
- Workshop / Machine Shop Facilities / Laydown Areas
- Flexible & Reliable Workforce Outsourcing
- Supply Chain Management
- Human Resource Management

> AS A TRUSTED LEADER IN INDUSTRIAL AND MARITIME ENGINEERING AND ONE OF THE LONGEST STANDING ENGINEERING COMPANIES IN NAMIBIA, KRAATZ EXCELS IN PROVIDING INNOVATIVE, FIT-FOR-PURPOSE ENGINEERING SOLUTIONS THAT UTILISE CUTTING-EDGE TECHNOLOGY AND SPECIALISED SERVICES, ENSURING THE HIGHEST STANDARDS OF QUALITY AND CUSTOMER SATISFACTION.

OUR IDENTITY

At Kraatz we are proudly aligned to the OL Persona – our high-performance heartbeat that represents the OL organisation. We embody the OL Persona of being authentic, caring and passionate and our exceptionally dedicated and handpicked team consistently delivers ingenious, tailor-made engineering solutions through our world class expertise and technology.

OUR VALUES

Let's Talk | Let's do it | Hooked on results | We grow people | We all serve | Naturally today for tomorrow | We do the right things

OUR VISION
Engineering the future with purpose, precision and pride.

OUR PURPOSE
Kraatz exists because of its people who are passionate about working hard to solve complex problems in the industrial engineering sector. Ultimately we aim to make a difference and ensure sustainable outcomes for all stakeholders and by doing so boost our economy & standard of living for our communities and people.

OUR PEOPLE
We believe that a company is only as good as its people. We therefore invest significant time and resources in development and create an attractive working environment for all our employees.

OUR MISSION
To deliver world class, innovative engineering solutions that power our client's success and drive sustainable development.

SHEQ
Our goal is to maintain and improve our culture of responsibility where safety, health, environmental and quality compliance in the workplace takes priority.

MARINE & OFF-SHORE

WALVIS BAY

SECTORS

- Project Management & Operations
- Multi-Disciplined Service Teams
- Flexible & Reliable Workforce Outsourcing
- Planning & Costing
- Procurement / Project Support
- Resource Management
- Project Design
- Steel Fabrications & Installations
- Service / Maintenance & Modifications
- Specialised Welding
- Mechanical Work
- Structural Modifications
- Customs Services / Bonding
- Bunkering Services
- Launch Services / Taxis
- Project Client Facilities
  - Laydown Area
  - Workshop & Storage
- Quayside / Alongside Space
- Dry Docking
- Crane Logistics
- Project - Mobile Facility Units
- Scaffolding / Working Platforms
- Rope Access
- Rigging
- 3rd Party NDT / INSP
- Installations / Maintenance
- HSSE
- Blasting & Coating
- Machining
- Marine Electrical / Technical
- Tech / Instrumental
- Hydraulics
- Tank Cleaning / Gas Free
- Waste Material Handling
- Hull Repairs
- Conversions
- Propulsion Repair
- Pipework
- Travelling Repairs
- Carpentry

MARINE & OFFSHORE CLIENTS

SCHLUMBERGER
PUMA
TRANS OCEAN
ENGEN
ODFJELL DRILLING

AFRISHORE
TIDEWATER
HANGANA SEAFOOD
DEBMARINE
PESCANOVA

BLUE SEA FISHING / PEREIRA
BOURBON
SEAFLOWER
NAMIBIAN NAVY
NAMIBIAN FISHERIES

INDUSTRIAL

STRUCTURAL STEEL FABRICATIONS
MAINTENANCE
INSTALLATIONS

SERVICES

- Project Management & Operations
- Steel Fabrications & Installations
- Process Plant Maintenance & Service
- SMPP Construction
- Tank Building API 650
- Mechanical Work
- Plate work / Piping / Ducting
- Machining
- Specialised Welding

KEY INDUSTRIAL CLIENTS

SWAKOP URANIUM
NAVACHAB GOLD MINE
NAMDEB / DEBMARINE
LEWCOR
B2GOLD

ADP
NAMCOR
WALVIS BAY SALT COMPANY
DUNDEE PRECIOUS METALS
IAP

RÖSSING URANIUM
LODESTONE
OHORONGO CEMENT
NAMIBIA BREWERIES
SCHLUMBERGER

OL NEXENTURY
OL LEISURE
NAMIBIA DAIRIES

WORKSHOPS / MACHINE SHOP

WALVIS BAY

WORKSHOP

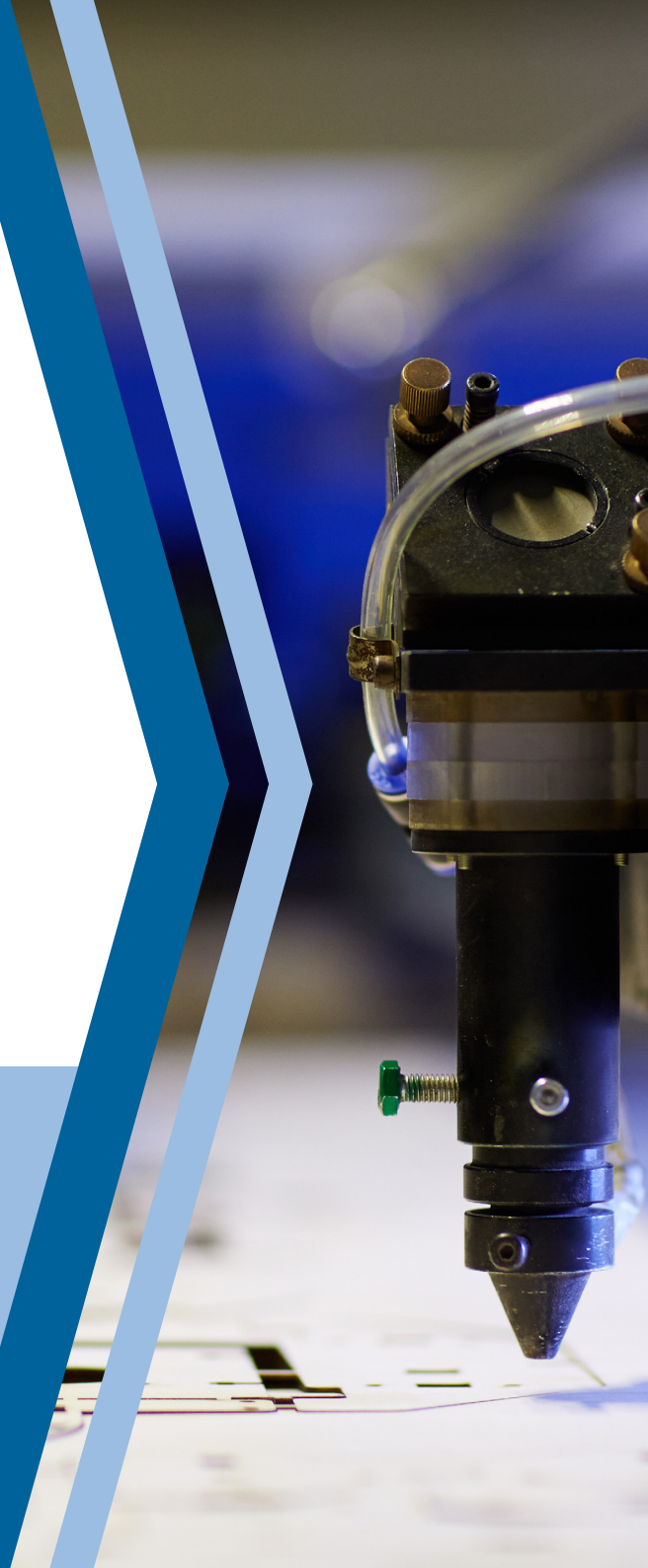
- **Press Brakes** (max plate thickness 20mm; bend length 3600mm)
- **Horizontal Rolls** (max plate thickness 20mm; max length 2000mm)
- **Guillotine** (max plate thickness 13mm; max length 3100mm)
- **Punching Machines** (max hole size 30mm)
- **Plasma Cutters** (max plate thickness 60mm)
- **Lazer Cutter** (max plate thickness 25mm – depending on type of metal)
- **Motorised Flame Profile Cutters**
- **Circular Saws**
- **MIG Welding Machines**
- **TIG Welding Machines**
- **Overhead Cranes** (16 ton + 12 ton + 5 ton)
- **Hydraulic Presses** (180 tons)

MATERIALS

- Carbon steel (Lloyds GR A)
- Stainless steel
- Aluminium
- Copper
- Yorcalbro
- CuniFe
- Duplex
- VRN wear plates
- Hardox wear plates
- Creusabro 8000

Spacious Workshop Areas: 5200m^2
Equipped Welding / Fabrication Areas
Lifting & Hoisting Equipment
Red Seal Rigging Team
Storage Space / Laydown Areas
Cleaning & Painting Areas
Testing & Inspection Areas
Machining

Plasma Cutting
Piping
Platework
Fitting
Drilling
Milling
Line Boring



SENIOR MANAGEMENT TEAM

Terrence Makari
Acting: Managing Director

Ndina Modino
Human Capital Manager

Francois Champion
Financial Director

Janine Smith
Finance Manager

Tafadzwa Kamwaza
Management Accountant

Pieter De Witt
General Manager: Marine and Offshore

Gerhard Myburgh
General Manager: Industrial and Workshop

Michael Revill
SHEQ Manager

Fiina Shuuya
Project Manager: Mining

Gerhard Liebenberg
Project Manager: Industrial

Kasperienda Murorua
Project Manager: Marine and Offshore

Costa Jonas
Works Manager

Ricardo Mouton
Procurement Manager

Hesmar Venter
Head of Estimation

Wilmerie Schafer
Estimator: Operational Excellence

Ramira de Wee
Superintendent: Marine

Frans Shinavene
Superintendent: Marine

ENGINEERING SERVICES & PRODUCTS

WORKSHOPS

- Walvis Bay

MACHINE SHOP

- Walvis Bay
- Marine, Mining, Industrial
- Fitting, Milling, Drilling
- Line Boring

MARINE & OFF-SHORE

- Ship Repair & Modifications
- Steel Fabrication & Installation
- Red Seal Rigging
- Dry Docking
- Off-shore Service Teams
- Steelwork, Blasting & Coating
- Propeller Repair & Alignment

MINING

- Mining Assets Maintenance & Repair
- Steel Fabrication & Installation
- SAG / Ball / Rod Mill Refining & Repairs
- Tank Building API 650
- Strip Down Inspections
- Mechanical Work
- Plate Work / Piping / Ducting

INDUSTRIAL

- Strategic Project Management
- Specialised Planning & Costing
- Mechanical Service & Maintenance
- Fabrication & Installation
- Structural Modifications
- Skilled & Flexible Service Teams
- International Quality Standards

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ENGINEERING THE FUTURE

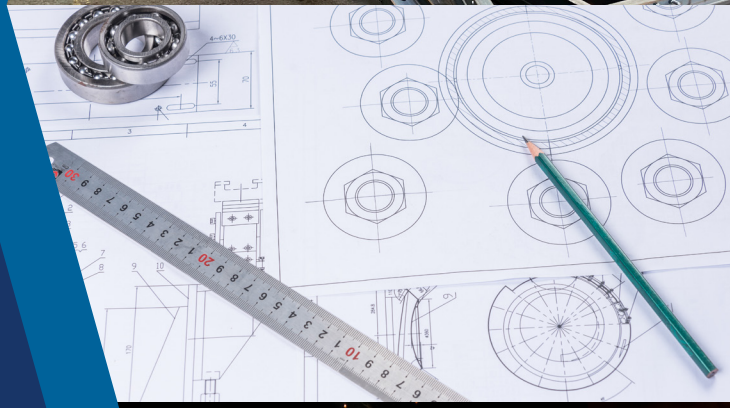
It is with great pride that we look back at numerous achievements and milestones over the years. These include a proven track record over 77 years and the growth of Kraatz into a multi-national company with a strong presence in key Namibian locations.

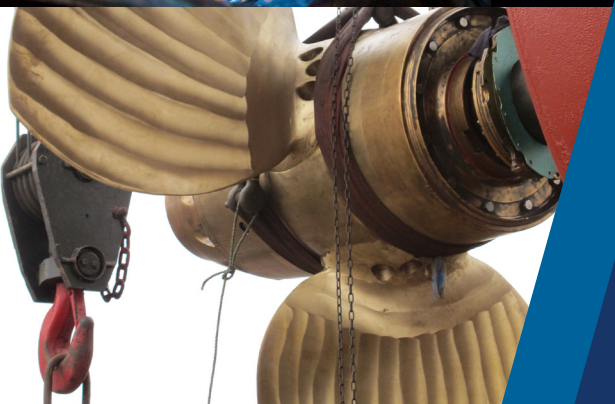
Over the years we have completed complex projects for high-profile clients like Rössing Uranium, Ohorongo Cement, Namibia Breweries and many more, while consistently adhering to international quality standards, including the most recent ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 45001:2018 certification from Det Norske Veritas (DNV). We are recognised for innovative engineering solutions that drive sustainability and economic growth in Namibia.

Kraatz is also seen as an employer that actively contributes.

We are a force for good, contributing to the community through employment opportunities and Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) initiatives, fostering local growth and development. At the same time we also adhere to responsible and ethical engineering practices, supporting initiatives that improve and grow the industrial & maritime industry of Namibia.

We remain passionate about excellence, expertise, quality, adaptation, diversity and flexibility. We have a deep commitment to investing in the latest technology and look forward to many more years of pioneering innovative engineering solutions to create a better Namibia.





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