Overview:

The purpose of the Coast Guard Maritime Information Exchange (CGMIX) website is to make Coast Guard maritime information available on the public internet in the form of searchable databases. Much of the information on the CGMIX website comes for the Coast Guard’s Maritime Information for Safety and Law Enforcement (MISLE) information system. The information in CGMIX is automatically updated on a weekly basis. CGMIX is a fully Certified and Accredited system, meaning that it meets Federal requirements for Information Security and Privacy. Comments or suggestions can be submitted to the Coast Guard from the following web form: [http://cgmix.uscg.mil/CGSupportServices/contactus.aspx?Module=PSIX](http://cgmix.uscg.mil/CGSupportServices/contactus.aspx?Module=PSIX).

Features:

USCG Approved Equipment. This database contains listings of equipment and materials approved or certified by the US Coast Guard for use on commercial vessels and recreational boats.

USCG Accepted Laboratories. This database contains a listing of USCG accepted laboratories for testing of materials and equipment. It is intended for the use for manufacturers of commercial and recreational safety equipment and material to locate and contact USCG accepted independent laboratories for testing purposes for USCG Type Approval.

Port State Information Exchange (PSIX). This database contains vessel specific information, including results of boardings, examinations and inspections derived from MISLE. The information contained in PSIX includes data on U.S. flag vessels, foreign vessels operating in U.S. waters, and Coast Guard contacts with those vessels.

Incident Investigation Reports. The Incident Investigation Report database provides information regarding maritime incidents investigated by the Coast Guard under Part D of Title 46 of the U.S. Code. These published reports are limited to reportable marine casualties, as defined in Section 4.05 of Title 46 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

USCG Liferaft Servicing Facilities. This database contains a listing of USCG accepted liferaft servicing facilities.

MARPOL Certificates of Adequacy. This database contains a listing of U.S. Ports and Terminals holding valid MARPOL Certificates of Adequacy (COAs). U.S. Ports and Terminals are issued Certificates of Adequacy (COAs) as evidence that their facilities meet the requirements of Annexes I, II, and V of the 1978 Protocol to the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL 73/78).
The URL for CGMIX is http://cgmix.uscg.mil. It is also accessible from the main page of Homeport, the Coast Guard’s internet portal for the maritime industry, http://homeport.uscg.mil.