Normand Rover is the world’s first offshore vessel equipped with the new Compact Azipod® propulsion system offering enhanced maneuverability, reduced vibration and noise, fuel and space savings as well as simplified ship construction and maintenance.

- with Compact Azipod® propulsion,

Normand Rover is an advanced multifunctional platform supply/ROV vessel of UT 745E design, constructed by Aker Brattvaag, Soviknes Verft AS. The vessel, which was delivered in November 2001, is owned by Island Offshore and operated by Solstad Offshore.

**Automation and DP**

ABB has delivered a complete package solution to Normand Rover including two Compact Azipod® propulsion systems. Equivalent package solutions will also be supplied to two sister ships scheduled for delivery from Soviknes Verft in 2002 and 2003.

ABB’s scope of supply to Normand Rover and her two sister ships includes:

**El. Power and Compact Azipod®:**
- 2 x Compact Azipod®, each 2.3 MW
- Generator Sets
- 690V Main Switchboards
- 450/220V Main Switchboards
- Emergency Switchboard
- Filters and Transformers
- Converters for Compact Azipod®
- Motor for Azimuth Thruster

**Power Management System**

**Dynamic Positioning System, AUTR**
- Normand Rover, DP Class 2
- Following two vessels, DP Class 3

**Engineering and El. Installation**

Through innovative solutions, high competence and true global capability ABB Marine contributes to high-performance vessels and more profitable operation. To oil & gas related vessels we supply complete integrated solutions covering electric power generation & distribution, electric propulsion drives, Azipod® propulsion systems, drilling drive systems as well as automation and dynamic positioning systems.