**Maritime transport vocabulary**

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| Ancre  | An anchor  |
| Arrimer  | To stow  |
| Babord | Port side |
| Barre (roue) | The tiller / the wheel  |
| Bateau à aubes | A paddle steamer  |
| Battre pavillon de... | To fly the flag of  |
| Bollard | Bollard |
| Bossoirs  | Davits  |
| Caboteur  | A coaster  |
| Cale  | A hold  |
| Capitaine  | The master / captain |
| Cargo  | Cargo (cargo boat) |
| Carte marine | Marine chart  |
| Chargement  | The cargo, shipment, loading |
| Charger | To load  |
| Cheminée  | The funnel  |
| Coque  | The hull  |
| Décharger | To unload, discharge  |
| Ecoutille | Hatch |
| Equipage | Crew  |
| Flotte marchande | Merchant fleet  |
| Fret  | Freight  |
| Gouverner | Steer  |
| Hélice  | Propeller  |
| Jeter l'ancre | To drop anchor  |
| Lest  | Ballast  |
| Lever l'ancre | To weigh anchor  |
| Machine  | Engine  |
| Marin  | Sailor  |
| Matelot | Able seaman |
| Méthanier Minéralier | Methane tankerOre carrier  |
| Mouillage  | Anchorage  |
| Navire à moteur | motor ship (MS), a motor vessel(MV) |
| Navire de commerce | Merchant ship  |
| Patron | Skipper  |
| Passerelle (cabine de conduite) | Bridge |
| Pétrolier  | Tanker  |
| Phare | Lighthouse |
| Pont (les étages) | Deck |
| Porte-conteneur | Container ship |
| Poupe  | Stern  |
| Proue  | Bow  |
| Second  | Mate  |
| Terminal à conteneur | Container terminal |
| Tirant d’eau | Draft |
| Tribord | Starboard side |
| Vapeur  | Steamship, a steamer  |
| Vraquier  | Bulk carrier  |

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