

**Device for launching and recovering a marine craft, and associated
launching and recovery method**

Device (1) for launching and recovering a marine craft (4), comprising a cage (3) for receiving the craft (4) with docking means (26) adapted to receive the front part of the craft (4) and a traction cable connected to the cage (3) and able to be hitched to the craft (4).

The launching and recovery device (1) comprises a handling structure (2) adapted to be fixed to a naval vehicle (5) and means (29) for locking the cage (3) to the structure (2), the cage (3) being connected to the structure (2) by lifting cables (12, 13) via a system of wheels (10a, 10b, 11a, 11b) and actuators (10c, 11c).

Reference: Figure 1