

# SEND EMERGENCY CALL Simrad VHF

**Condition:** send an emergency call

**Intention:** Alarming of ships and coastal radio stations

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1. Send the emergency alarm via DSC.

1.1 Open the red ,DISTRESS' protective cover.

1.2 Press the red button below for 3 seconds.

*The general emergency call is made without indicating the nature of the emergency and may also be sent without position information. For sending a qualified emergency call enter the 'DISTRESS CALL' menu.*

2. Set channel 16 on the radio.

*Press the red '16 9' key.*

3. Set maximum transmission power.

*Press the 'OK / H/L' key. The display must show 'Hi' in the upper left corner.*

4. Make the emergency call.

*EXAMPLE:*

*MAYDAY MAYDAY MAYDAY this is Transocean Transocean Transocean*

*Call sign DA1234 MMSI 211334455*

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*Position 40-50 North 003- 47 East, Fire on board, 1 person, request assistance*