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Aqualand expands

The Aspro Ocio Group has installed new attractions from Polin Waterparks & Pool Systems at two of its Aqualand waterparks in France.

The venues in question are at St Cyr Sur Mer in the south of France and in Bassin d'Arcachon on the west coast. Both are the leading waterparks in their respective region.



Hybrid waterslides at Aqualand Bassin d'Arcachon

At Aqualand Bassin d'Arcachon, the new attraction comes in the shape of a pair of Polin's Racer Hybrid waterslides, comprising two tube slides side by side that run out into different attractions. One ends with a bowl ride, or Space Boat as Polin calls it, while the other flows into a Turbolance boomerang slide, where riders are propelled uphill before rushing down over a bump and into a splash pool.

"We invested €1.5 million for our 2011 additions," reveals Aqualand Bassin d'Arcachon manager Wilfrid Lenandais. "The new slides enhanced the adrenaline throughout the park. We are very satisfied with the new ride and our guests are just as happy."

Down at Aqualand St Cyr Sur Mer, situated between Marseilles and Toulon, the addition of a Black Hole Turbolance represents the first significant expansion for seven years. The new attraction, as the name suggests, is a combination of Polin's Turbo Lance and Black Hole slides and has been supplied in a unique colour scheme.

Both sets of slides supplied to the Aqualand parks feature Polin's RTM (Resin Transfer Molding) fibreglass finish, shiny on both the inside and outside.