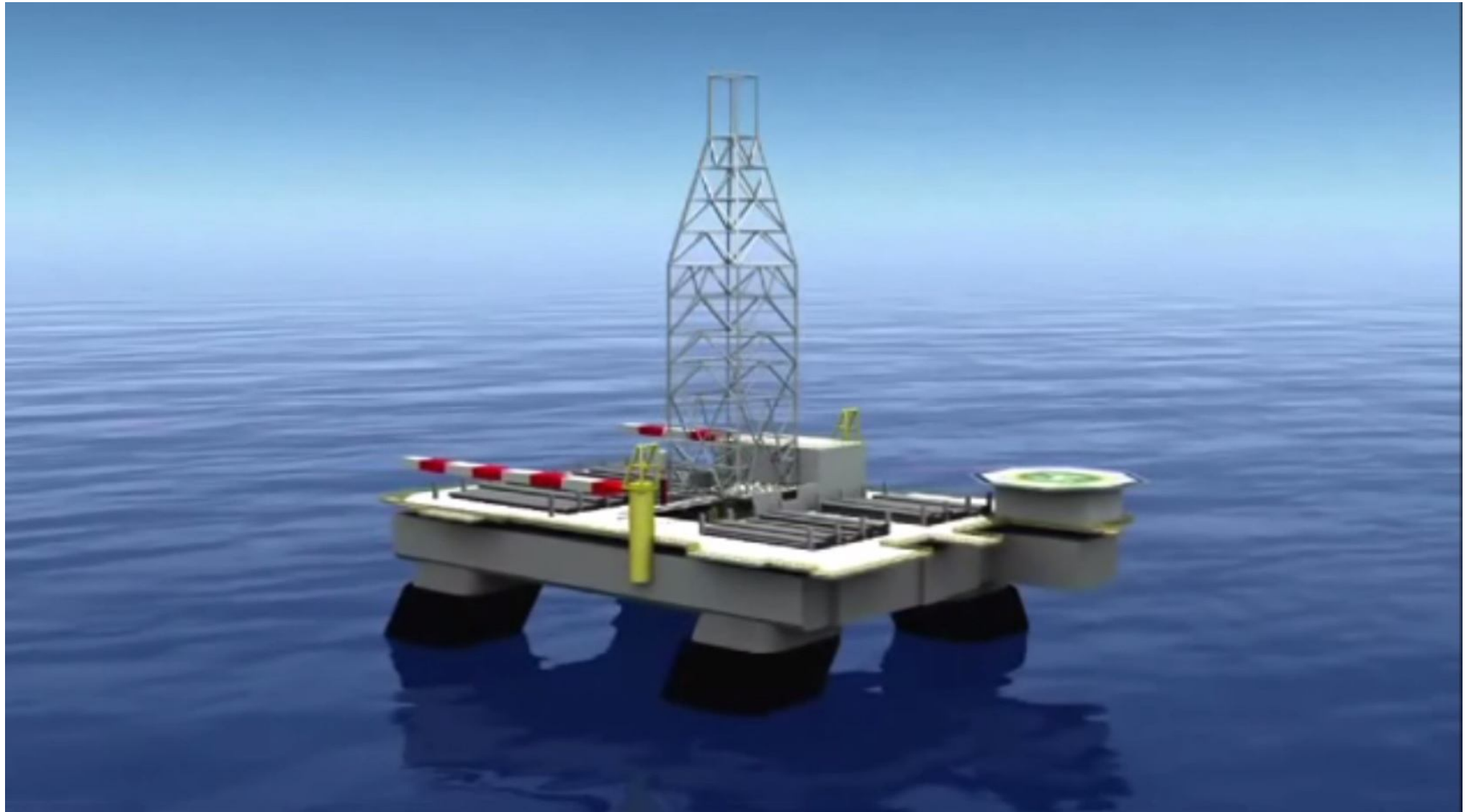
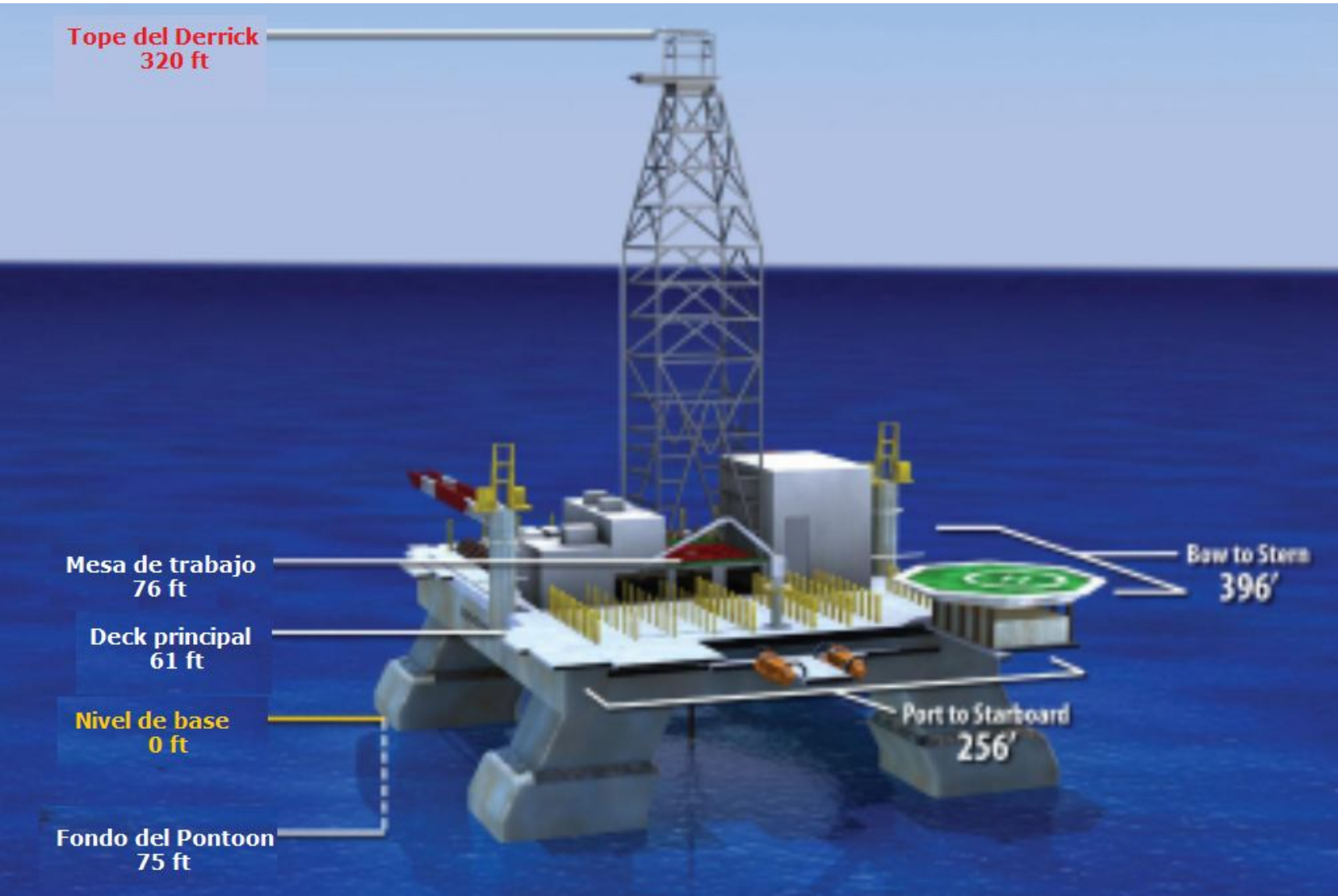


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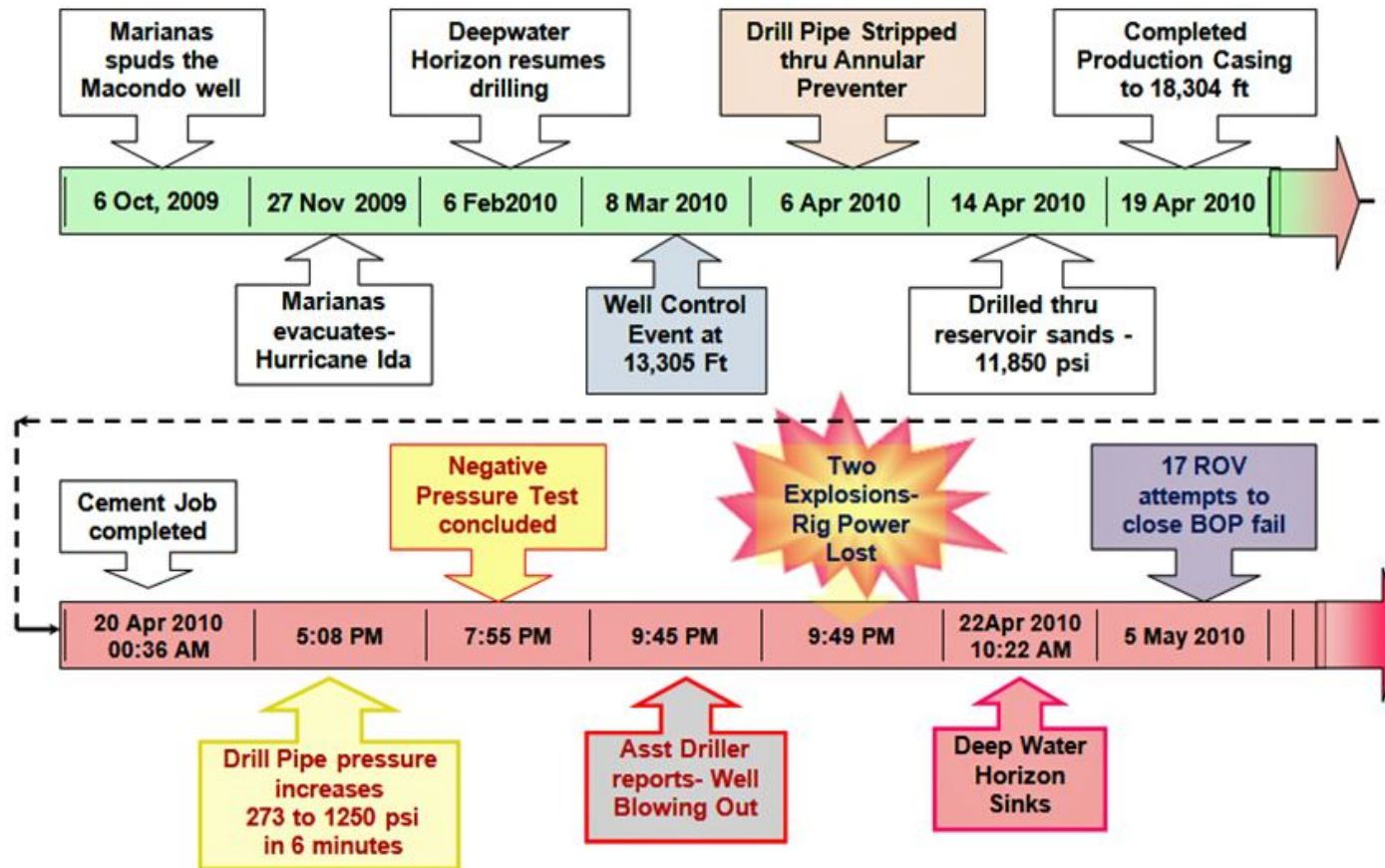
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- Costoso

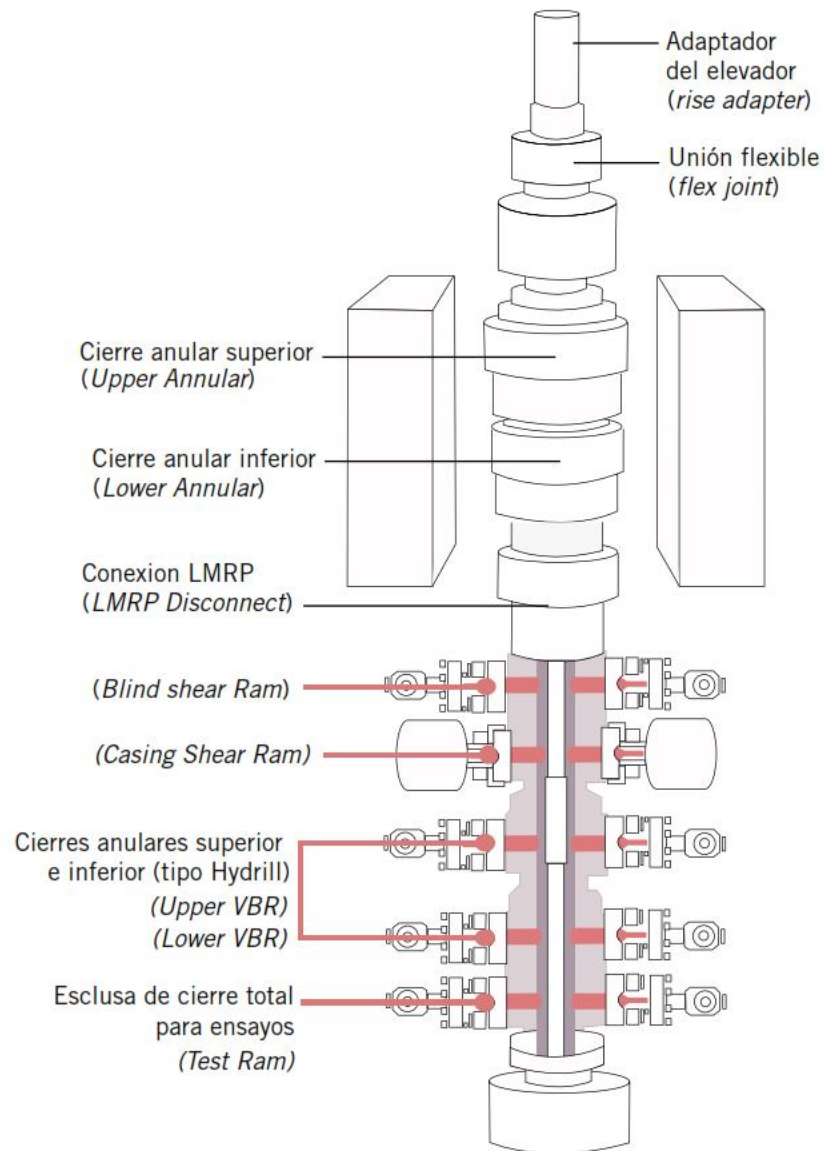


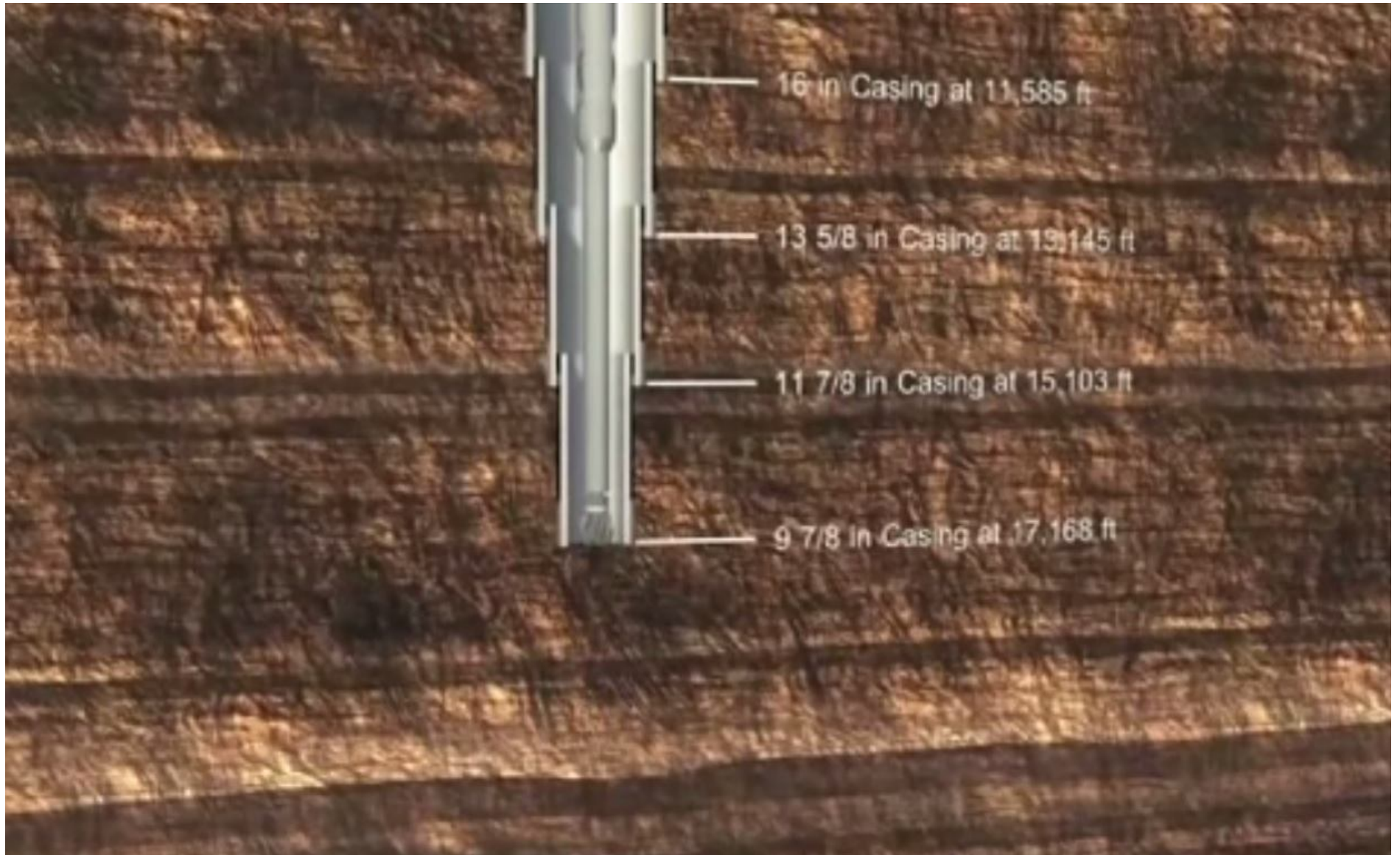




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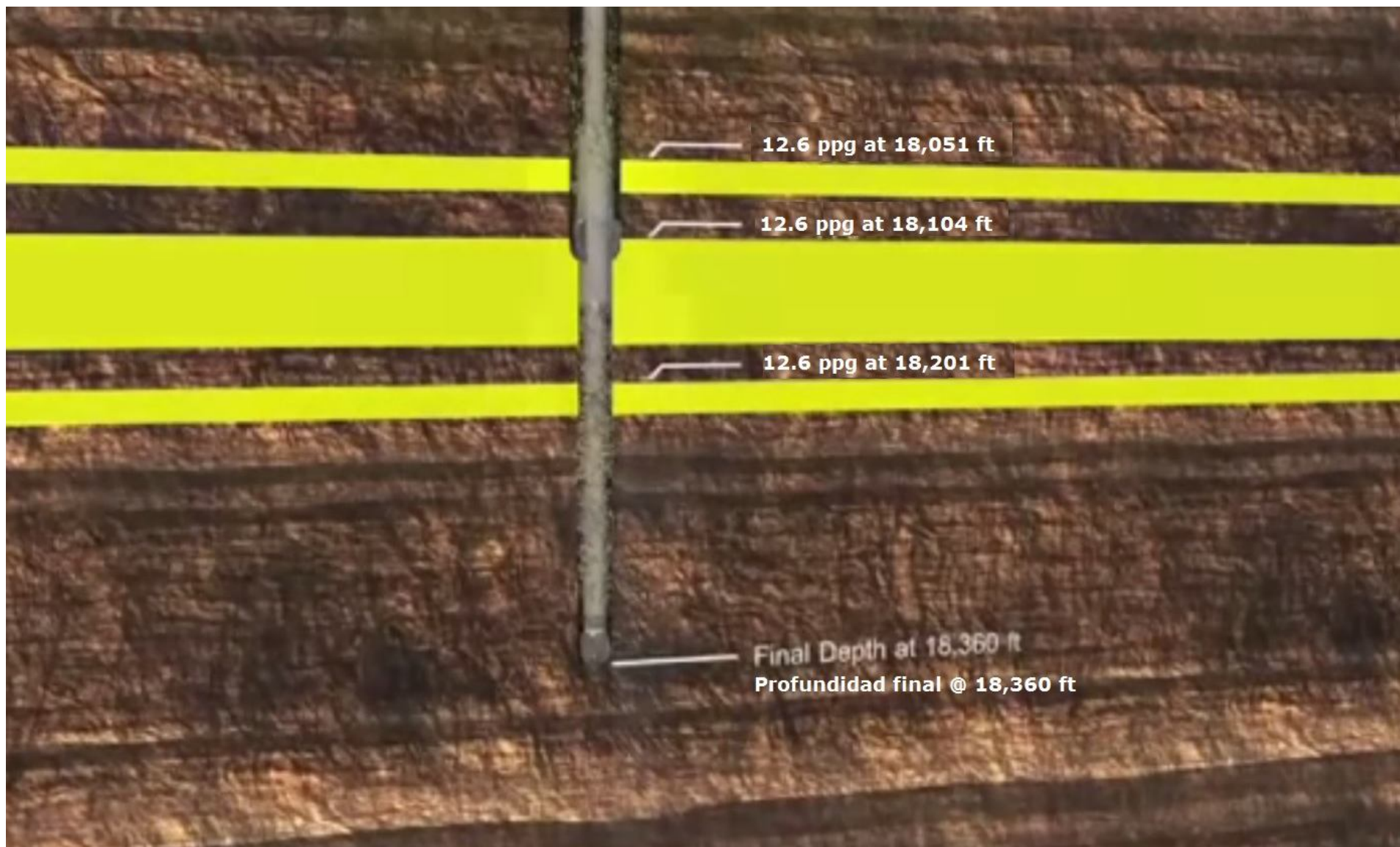












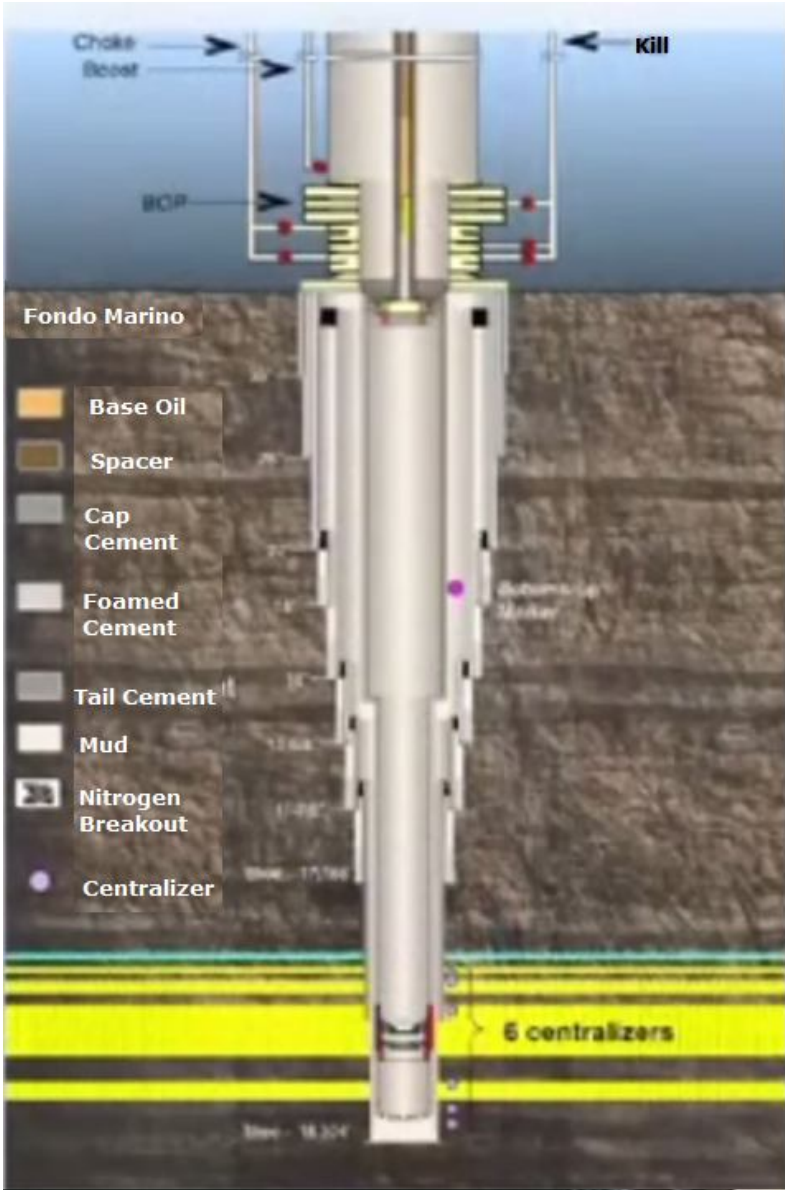
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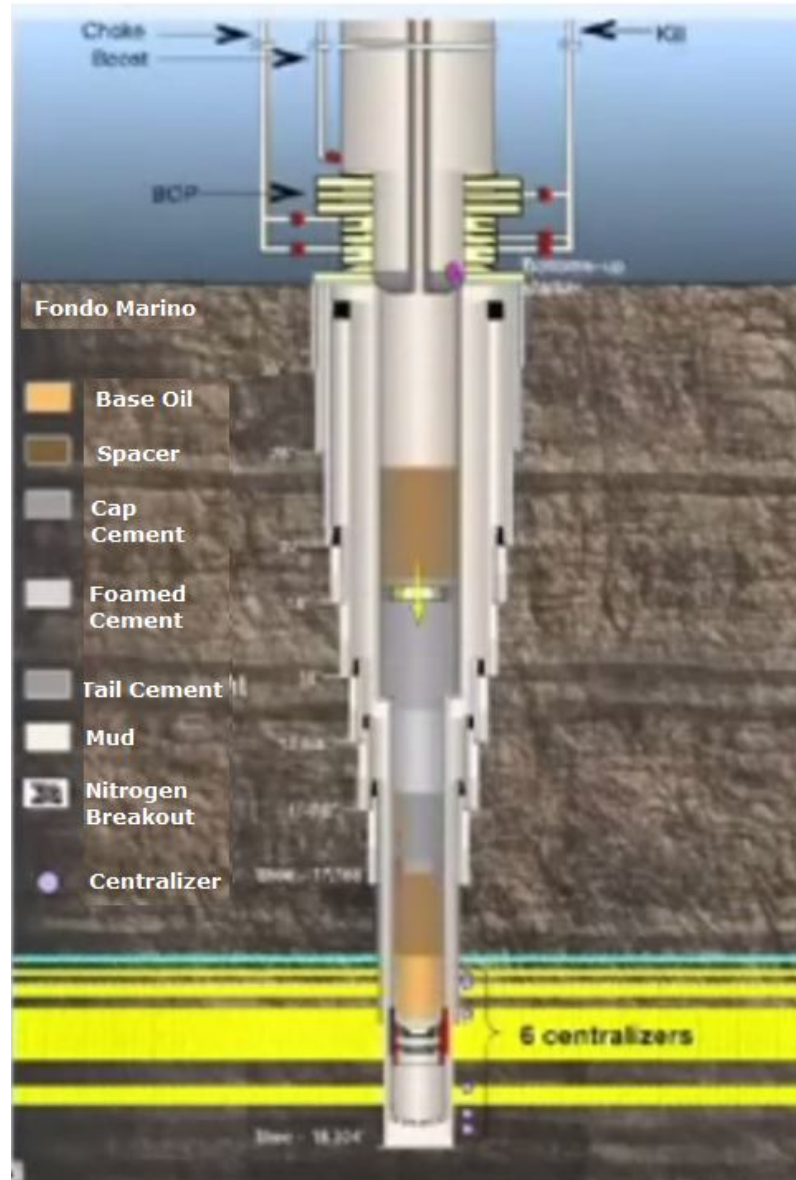
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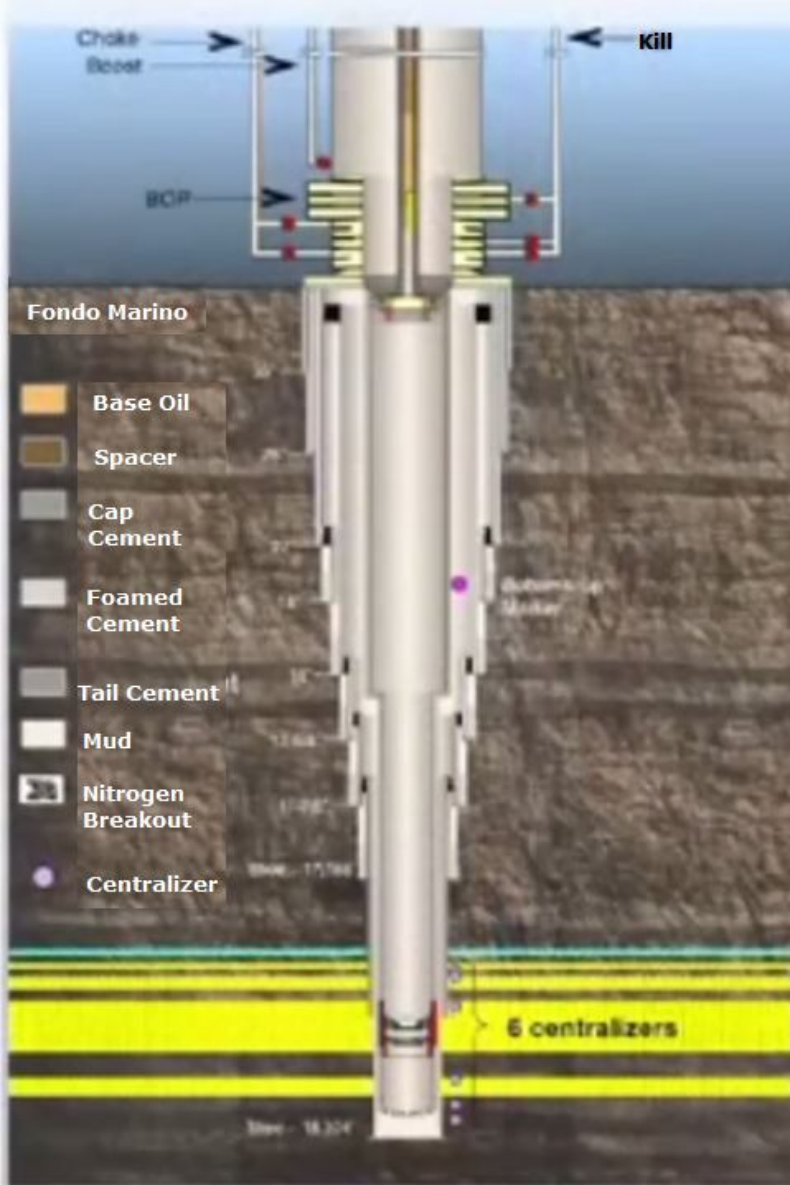
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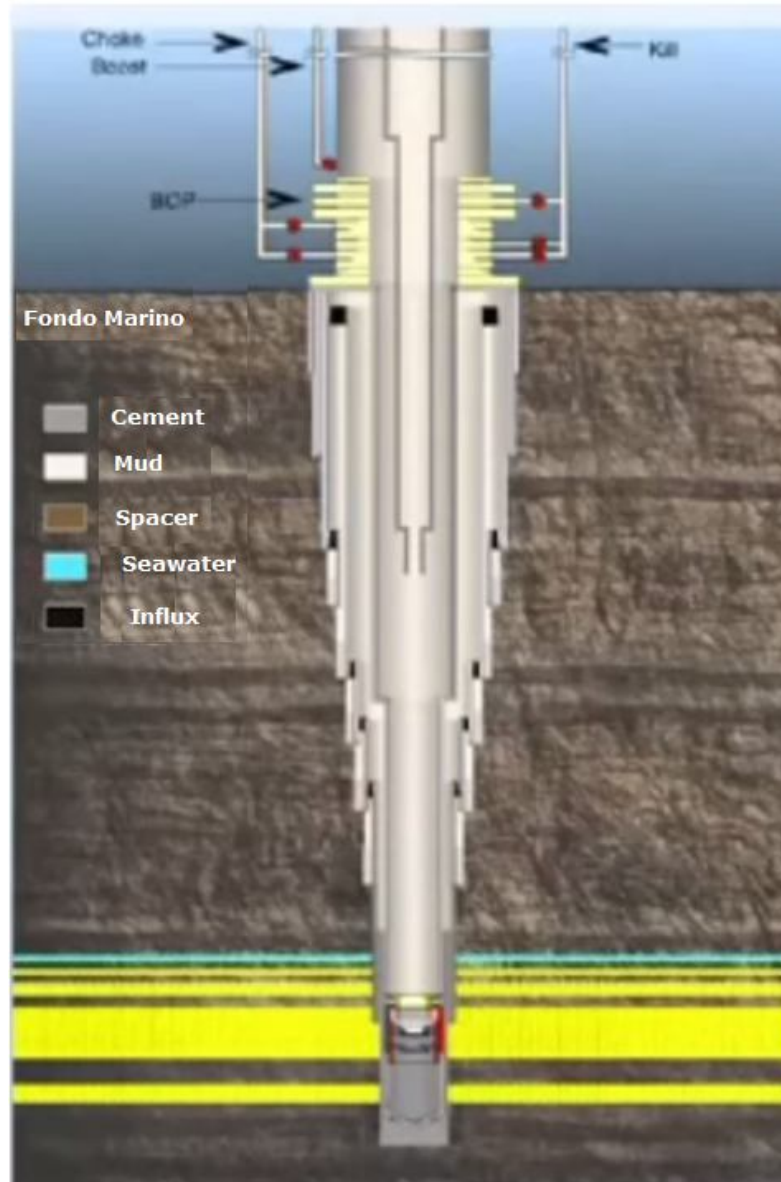




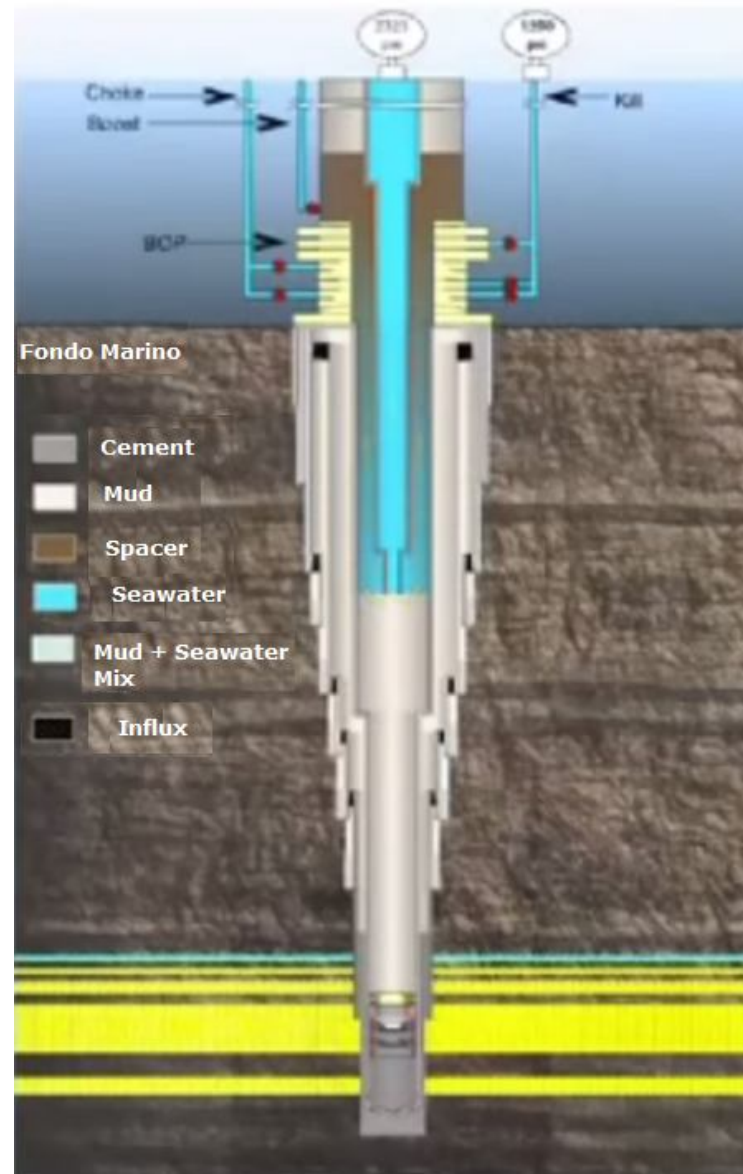
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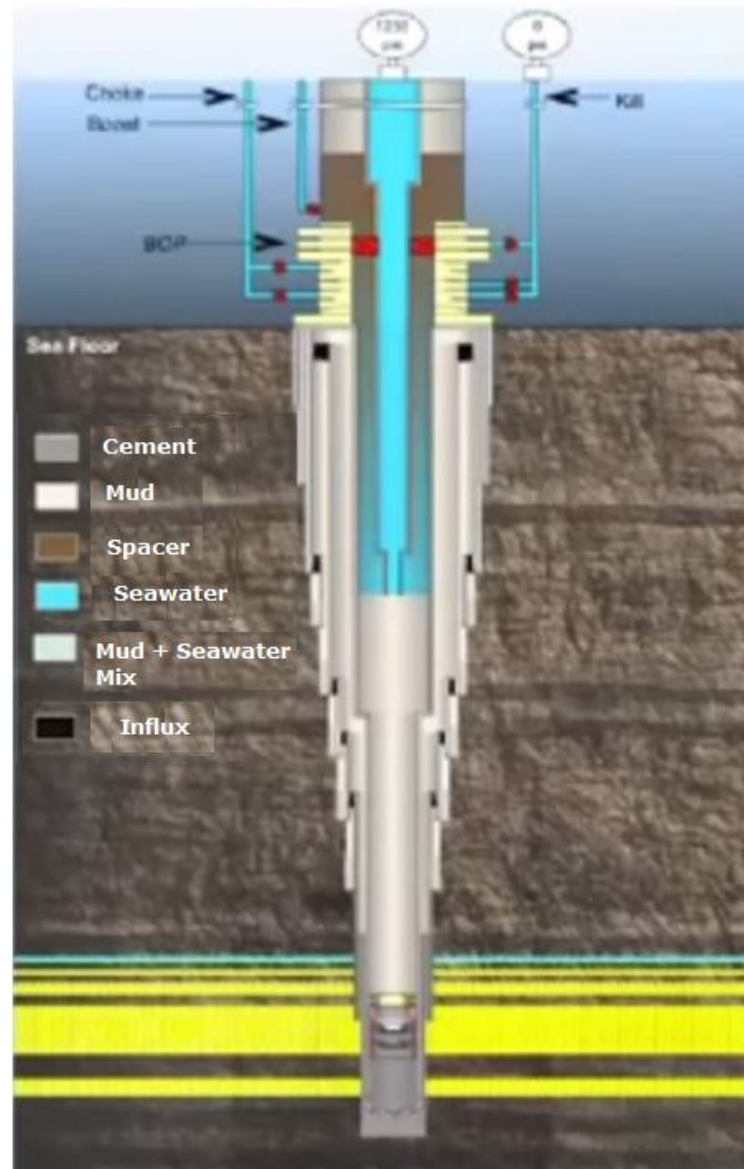


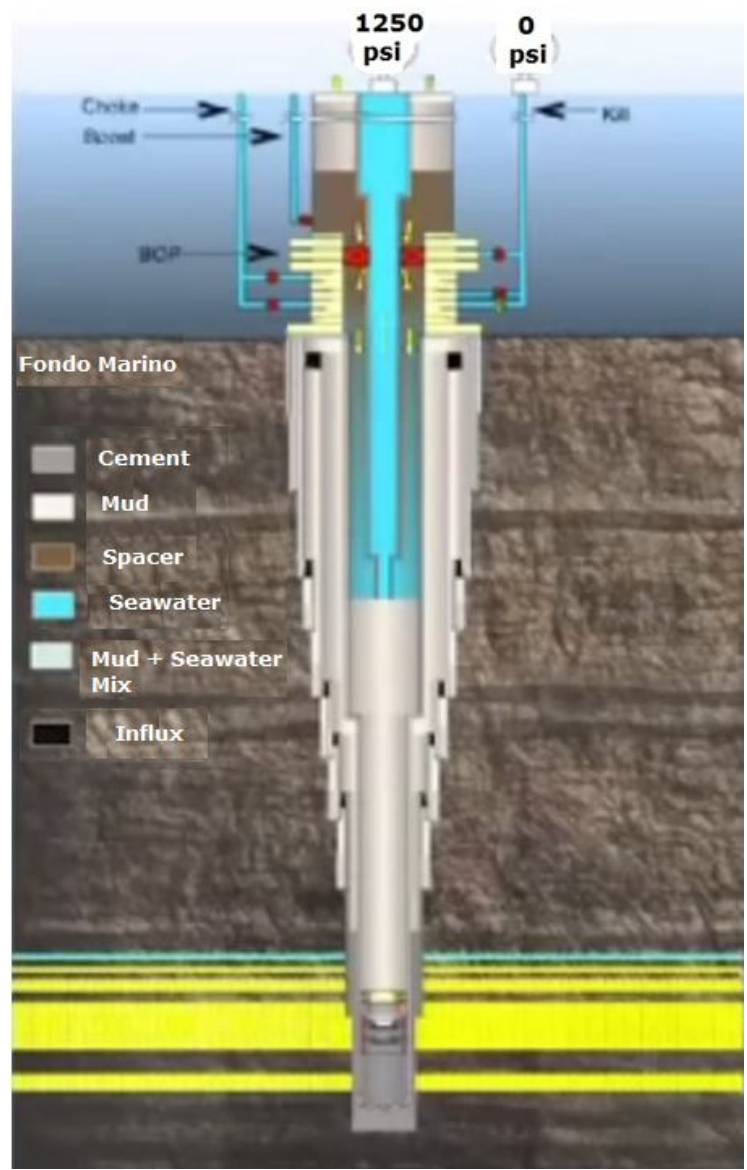
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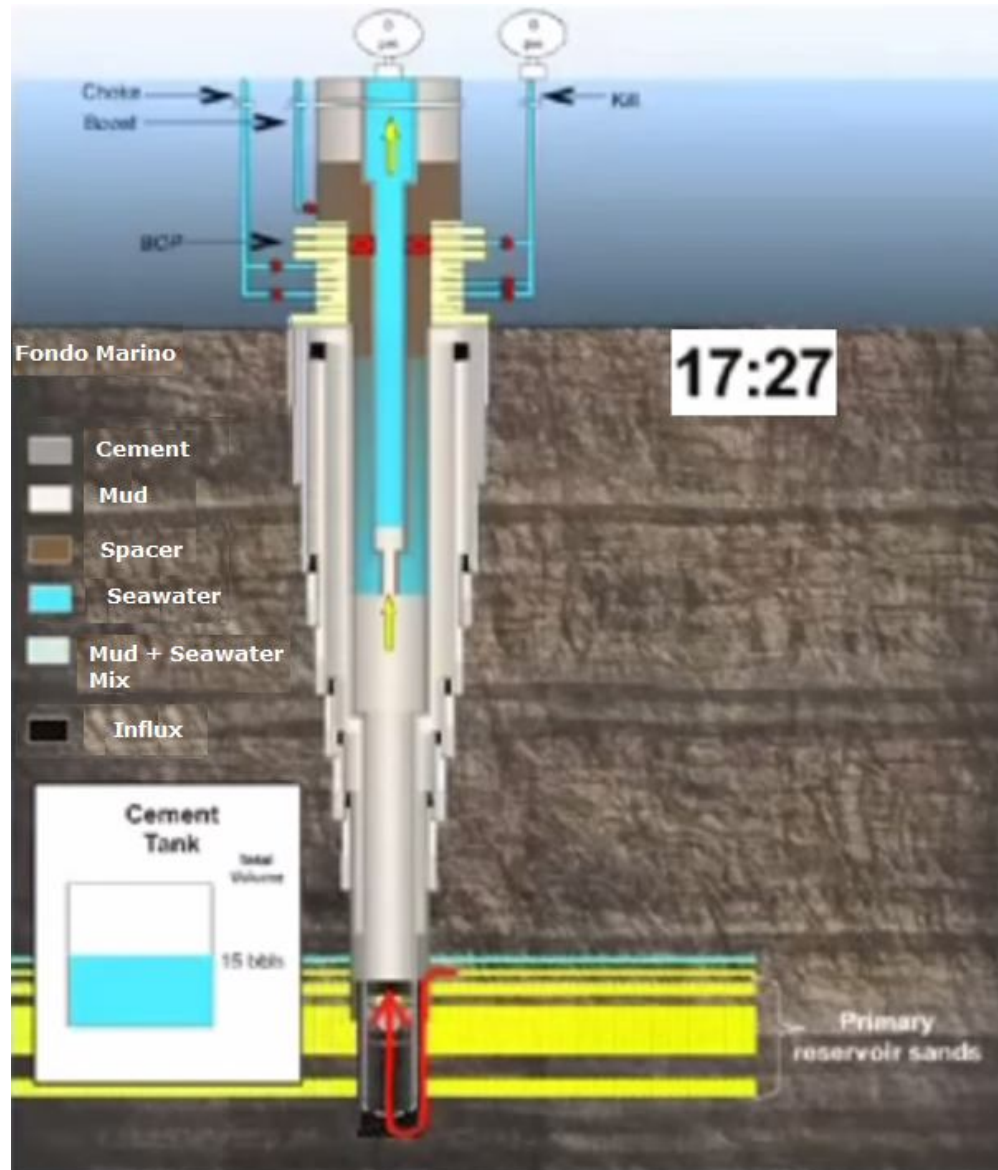


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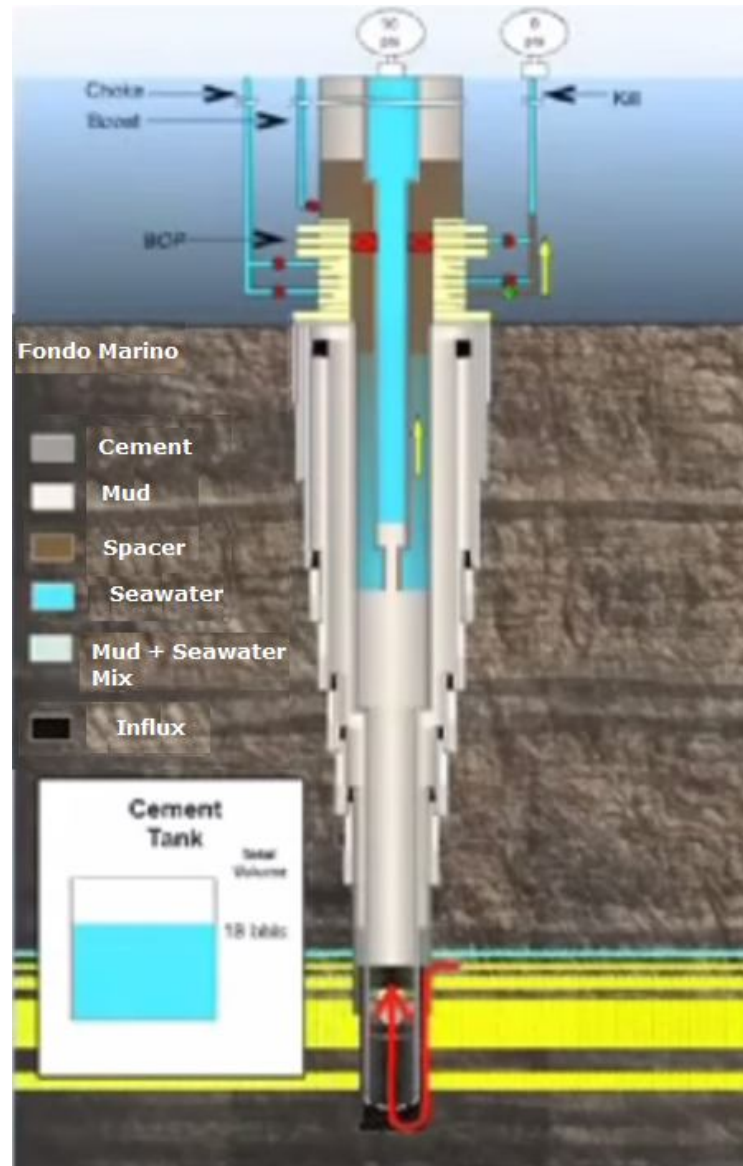




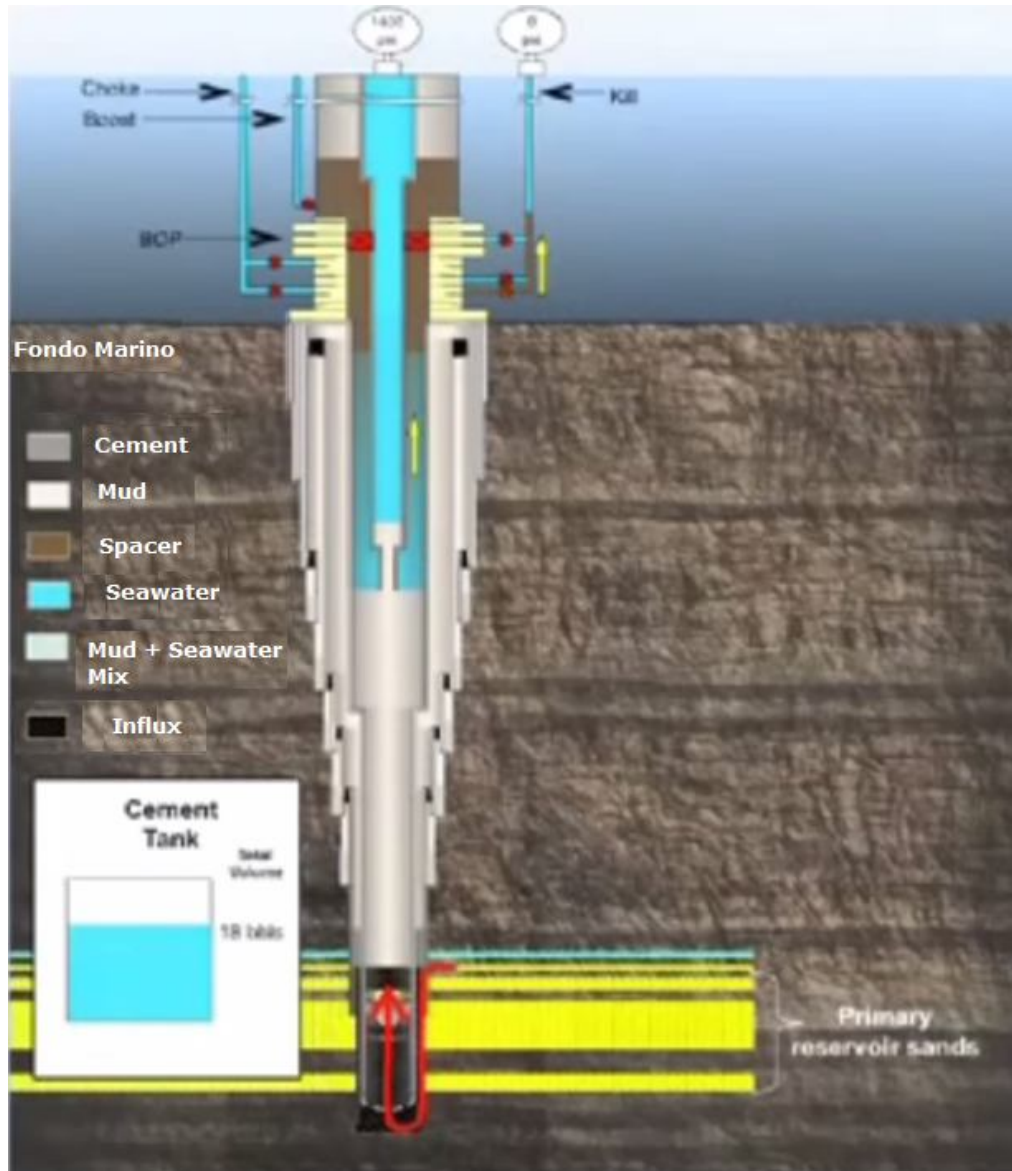
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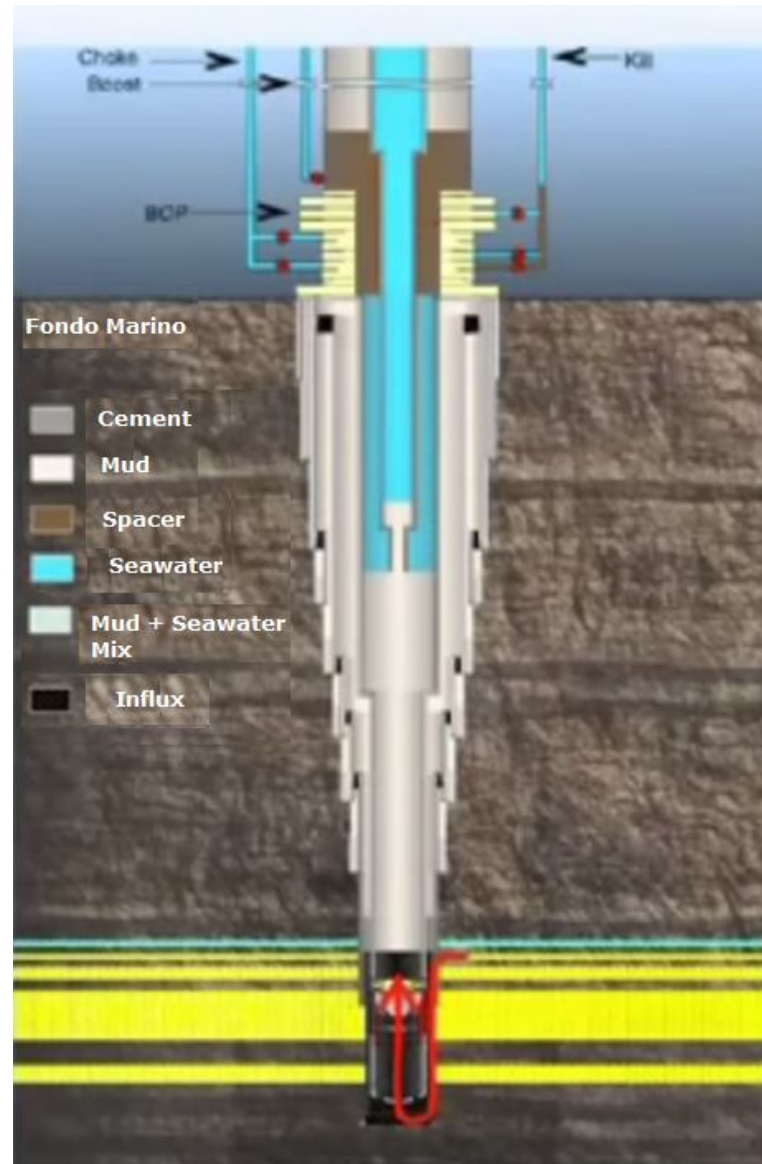


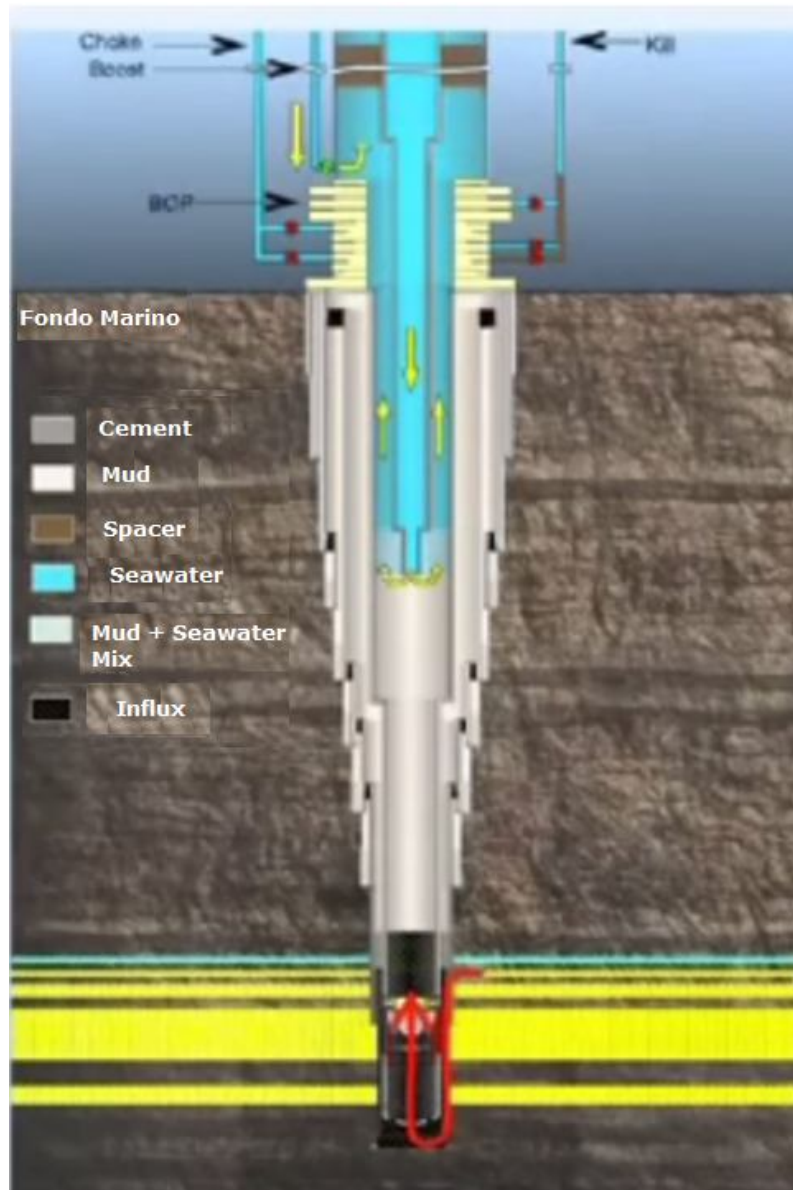
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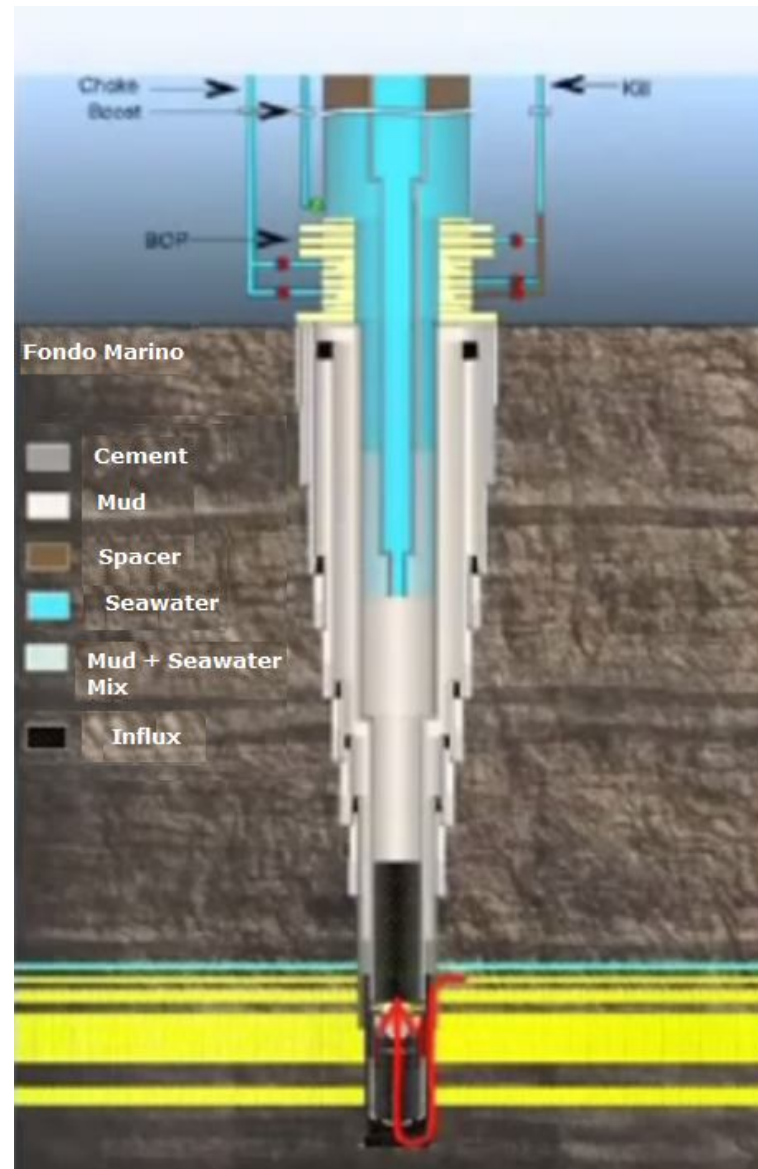


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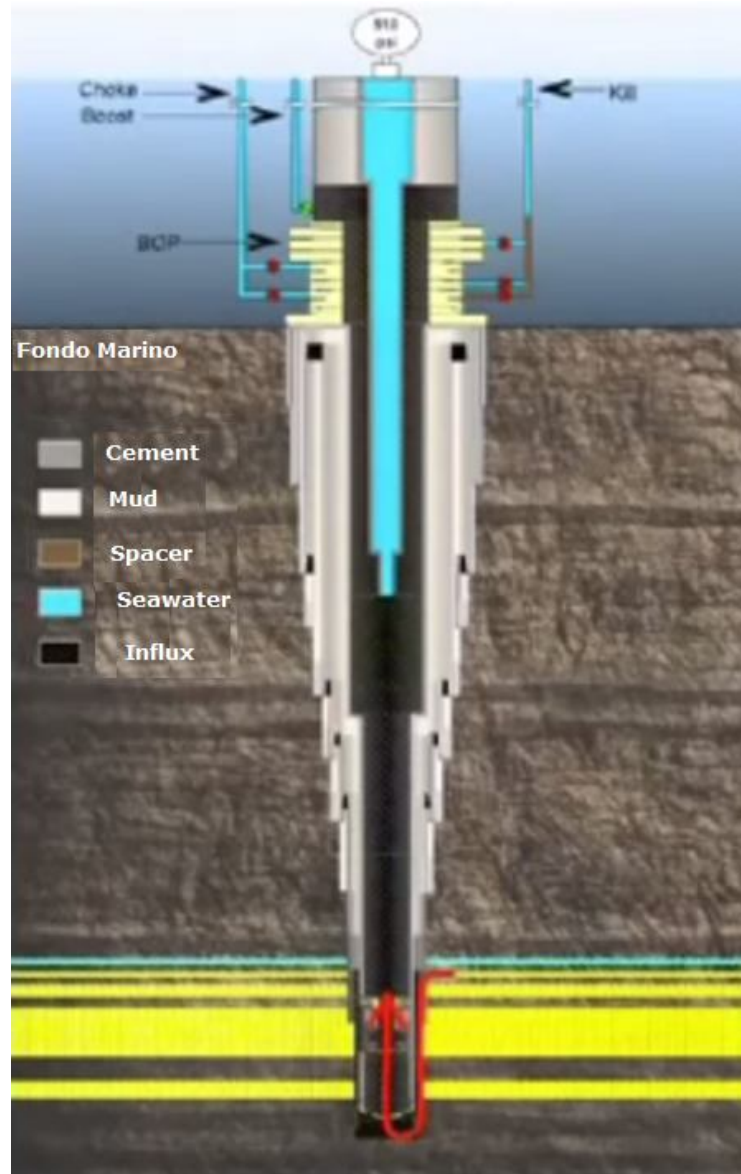


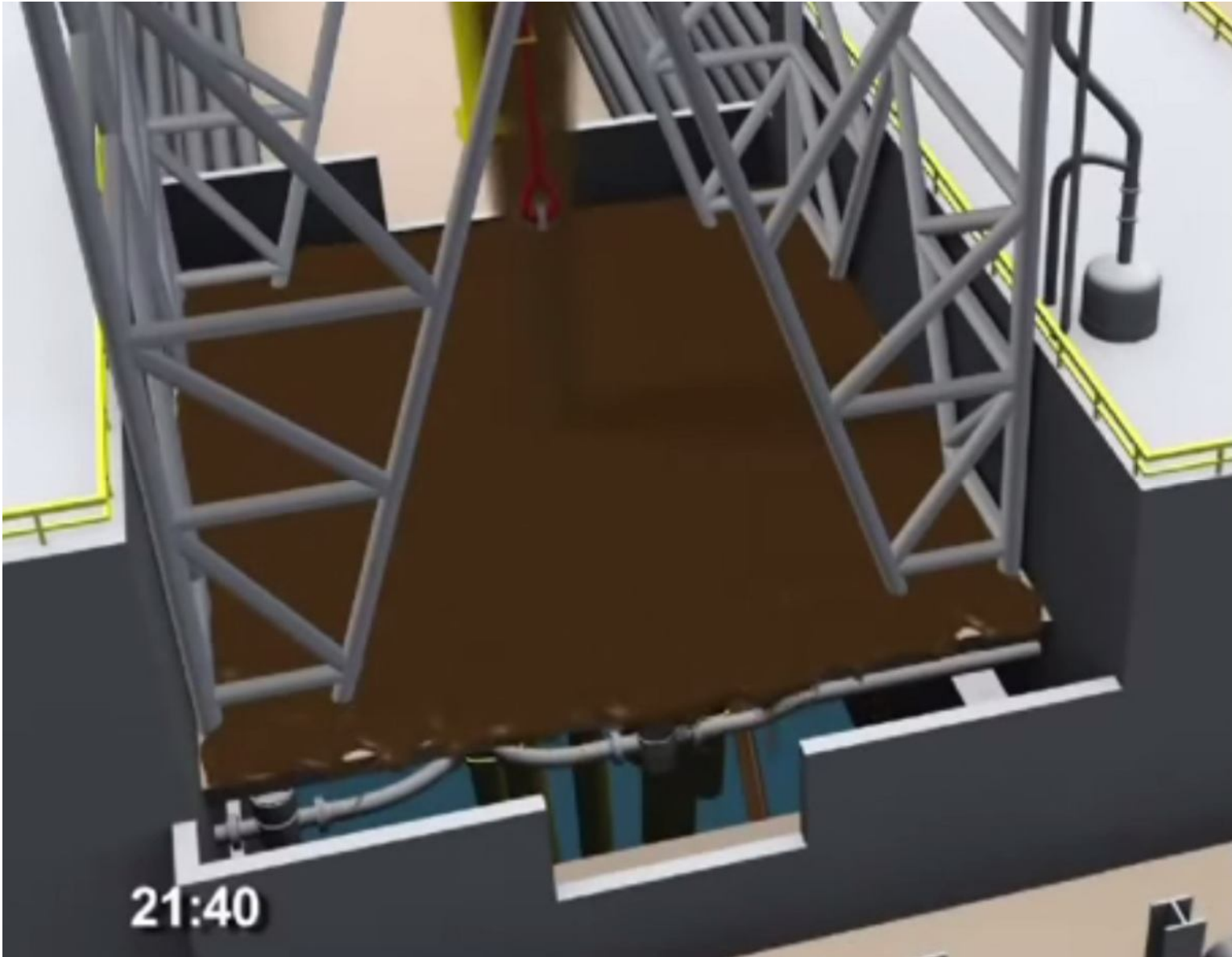


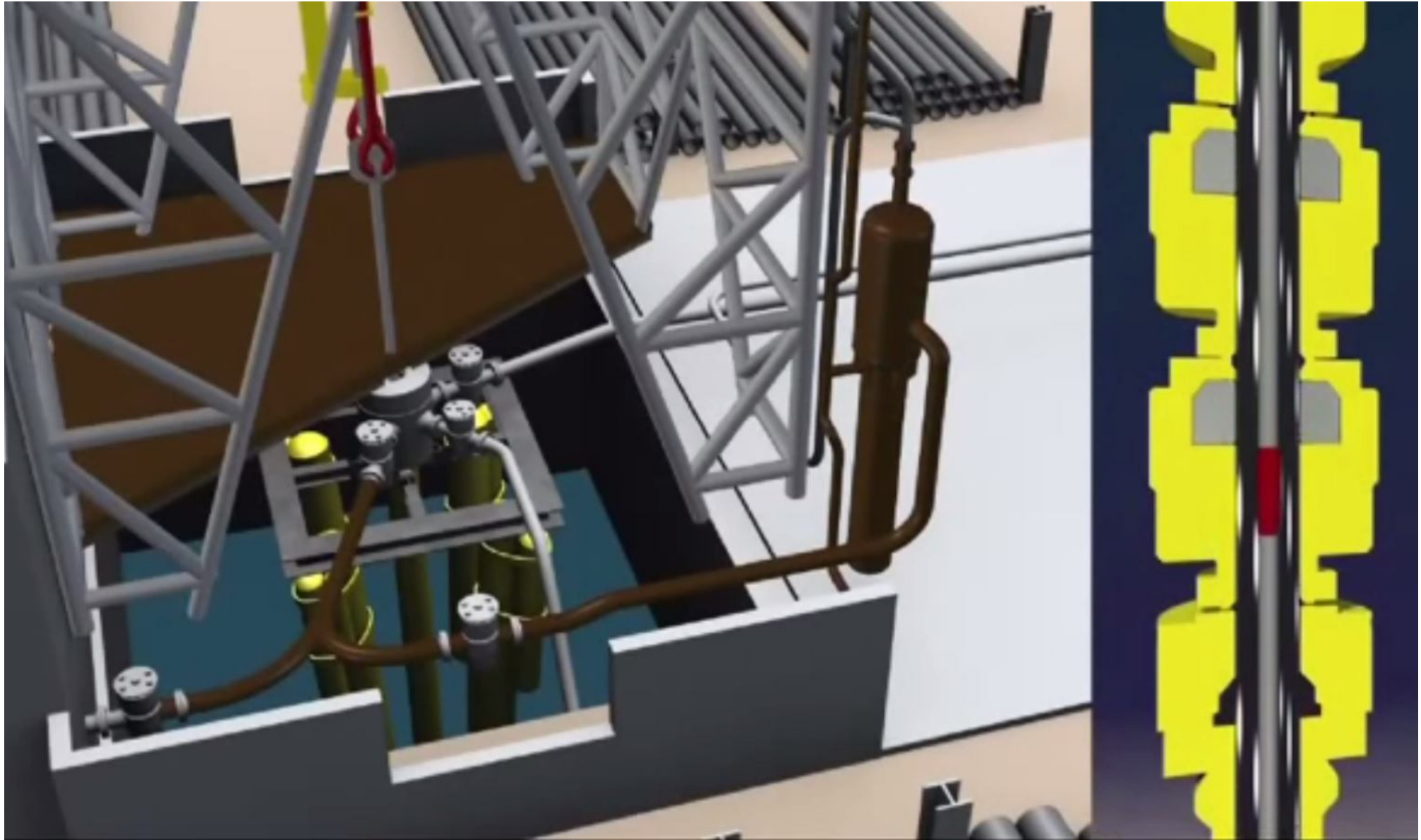


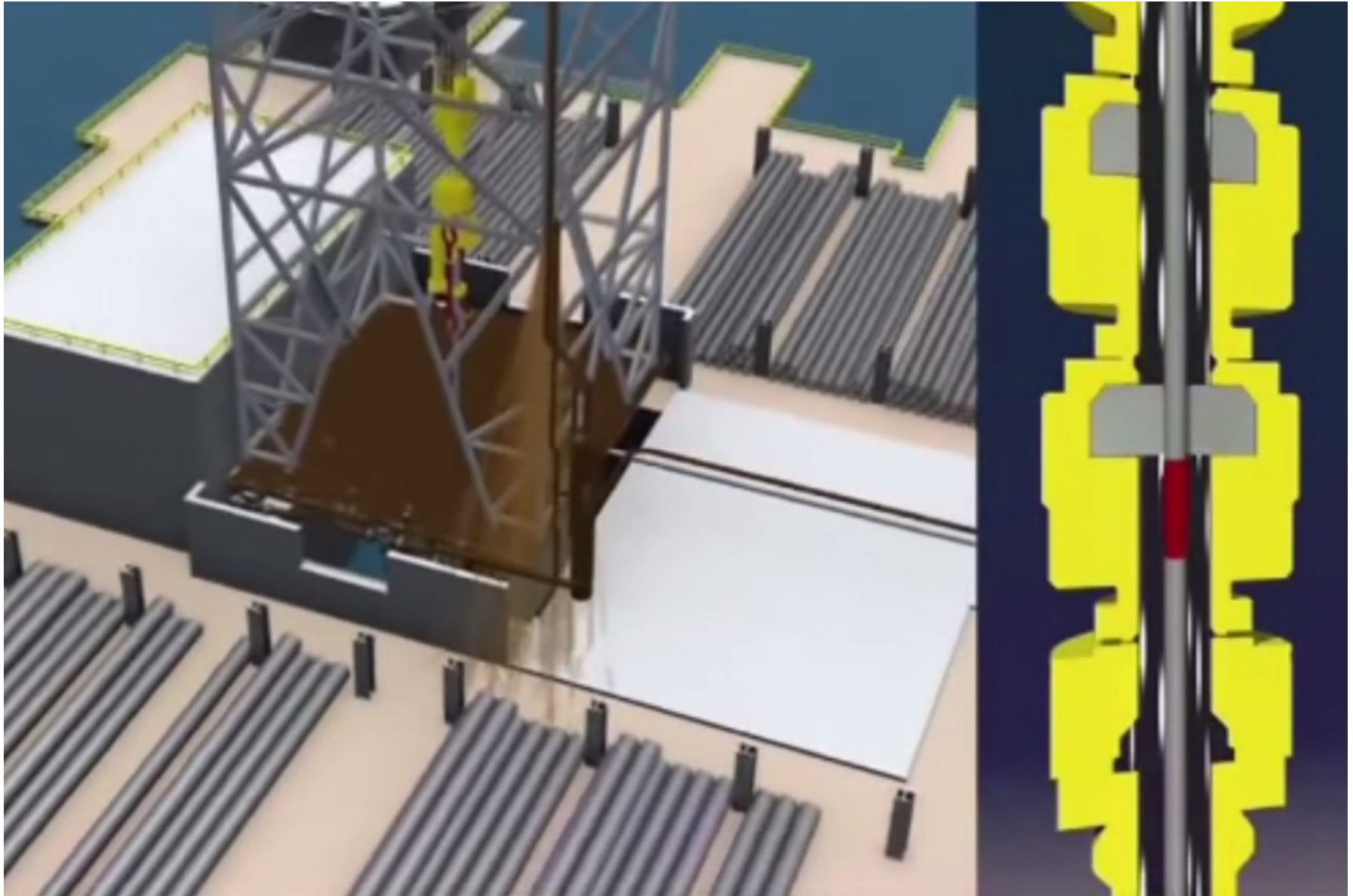




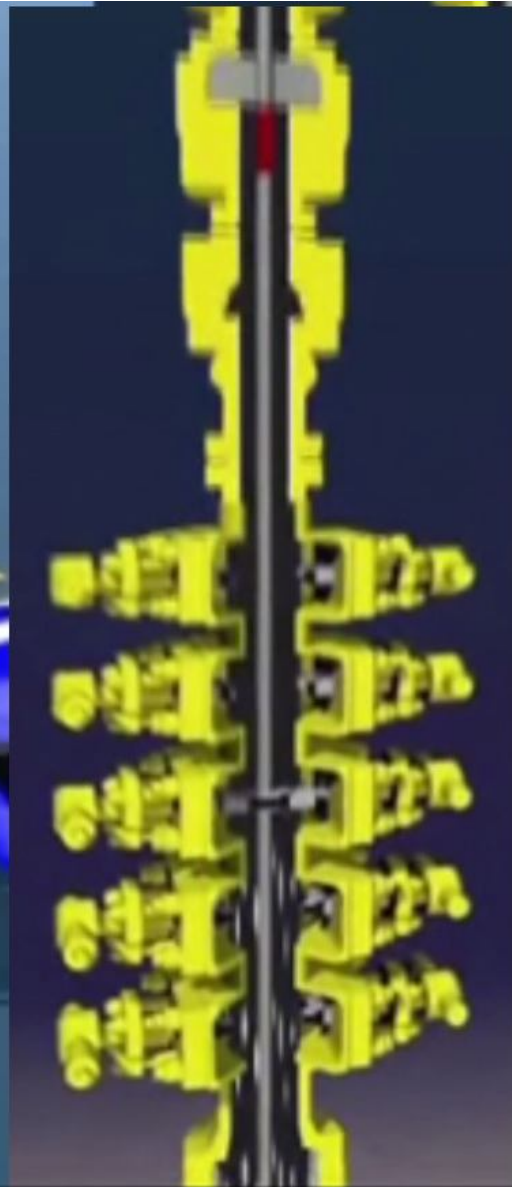
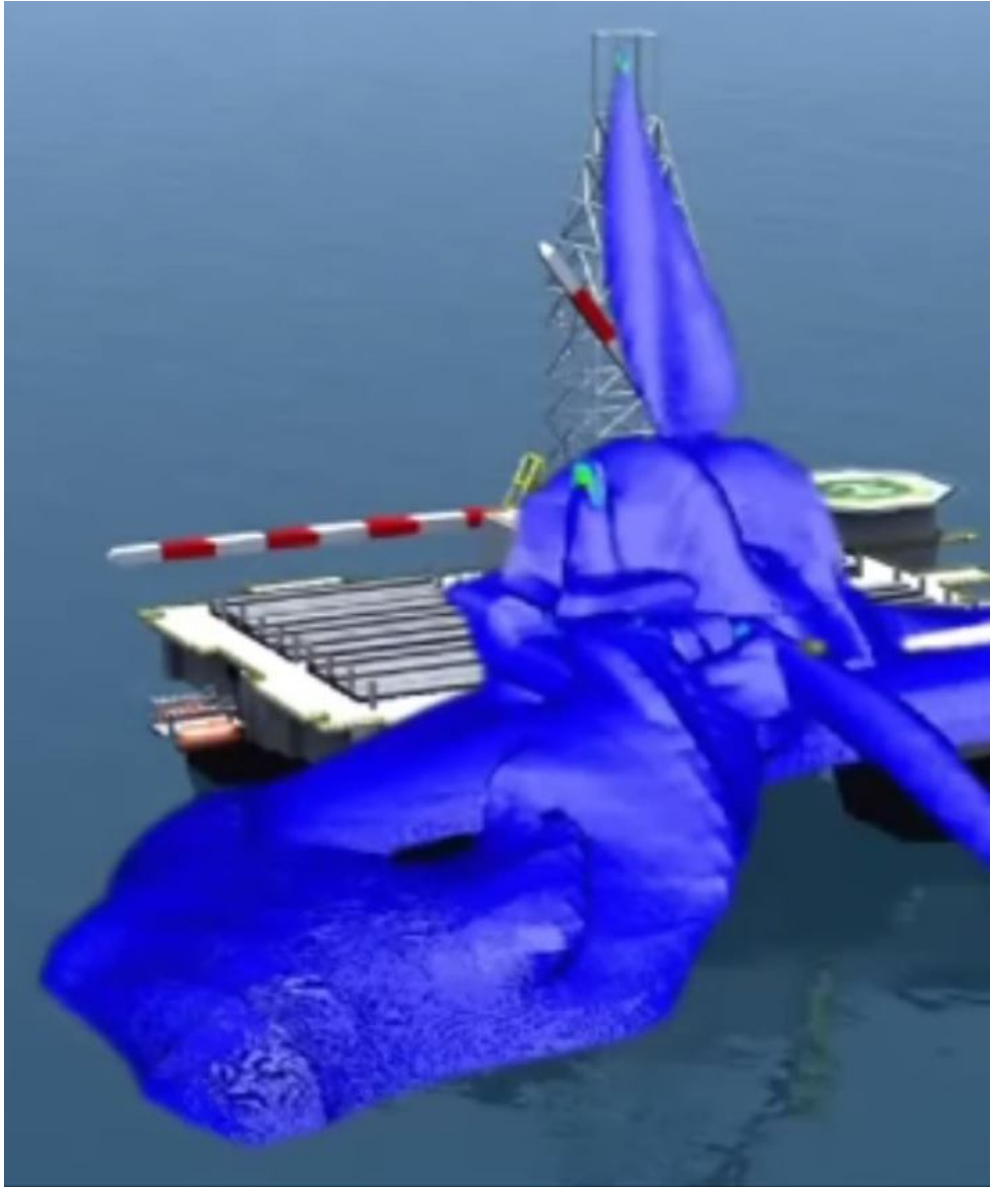


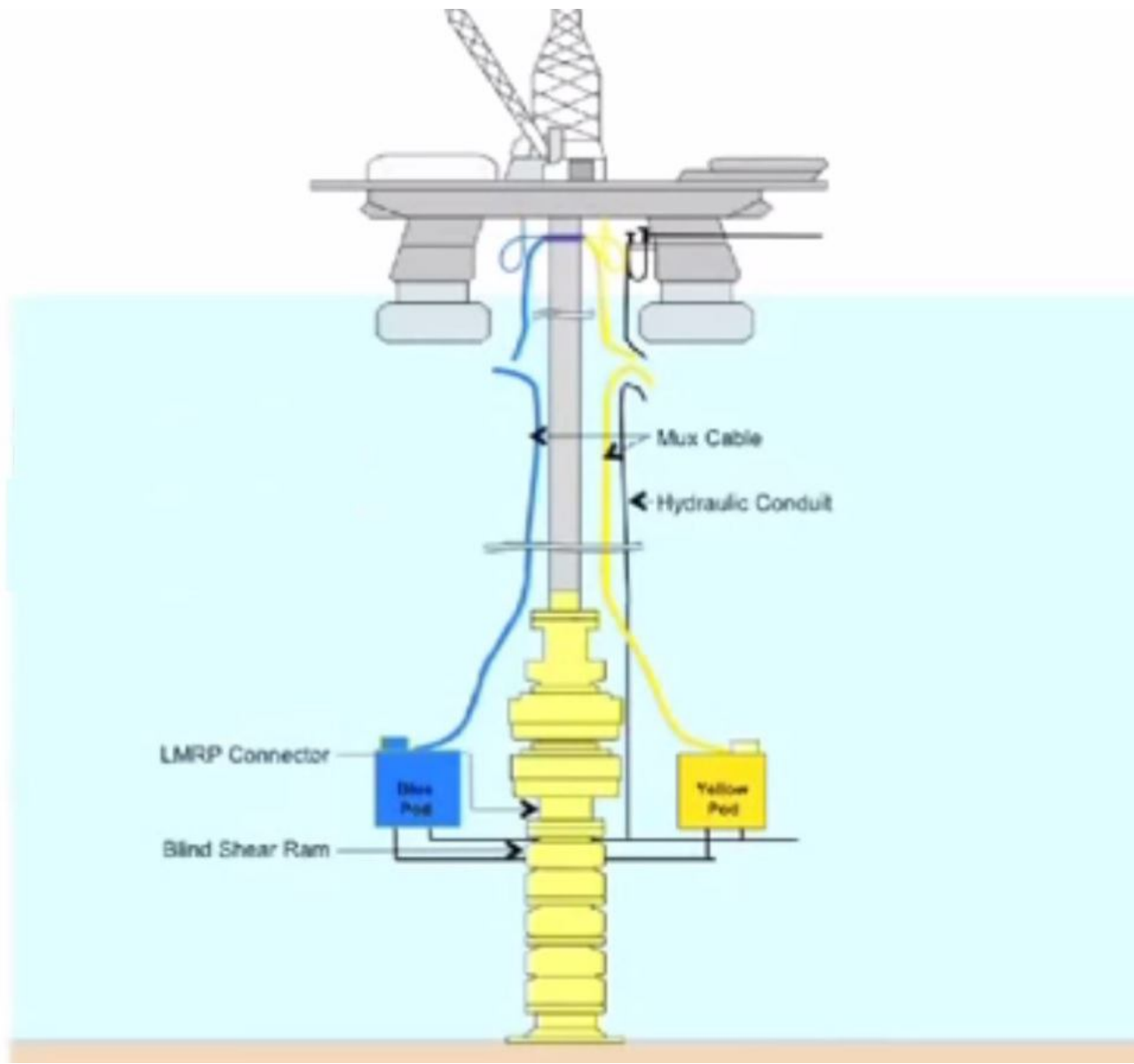


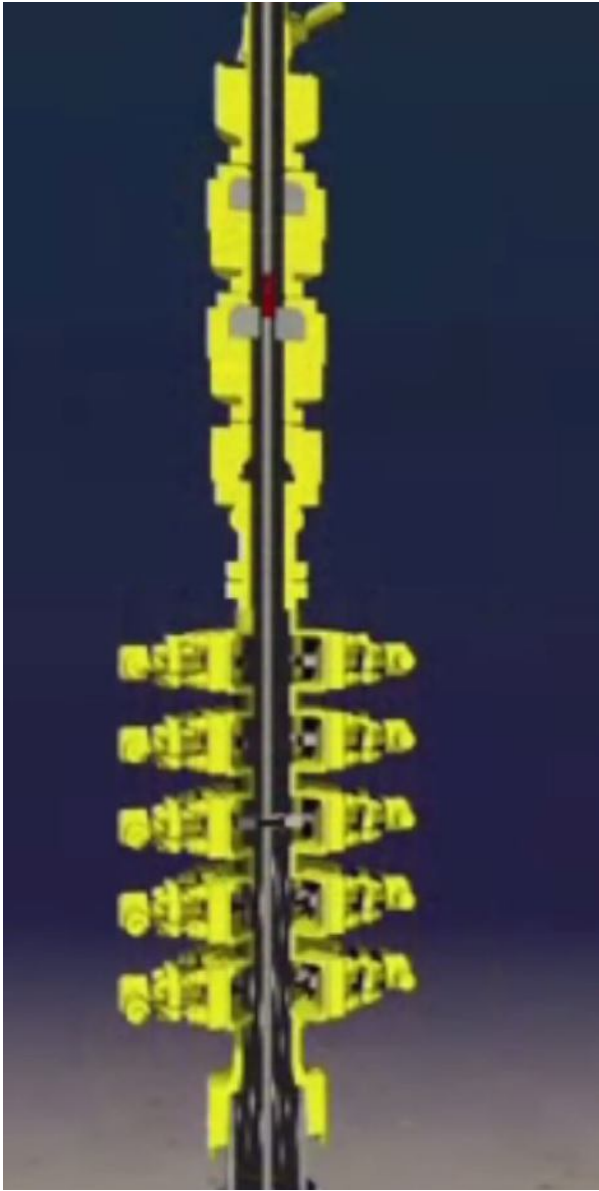




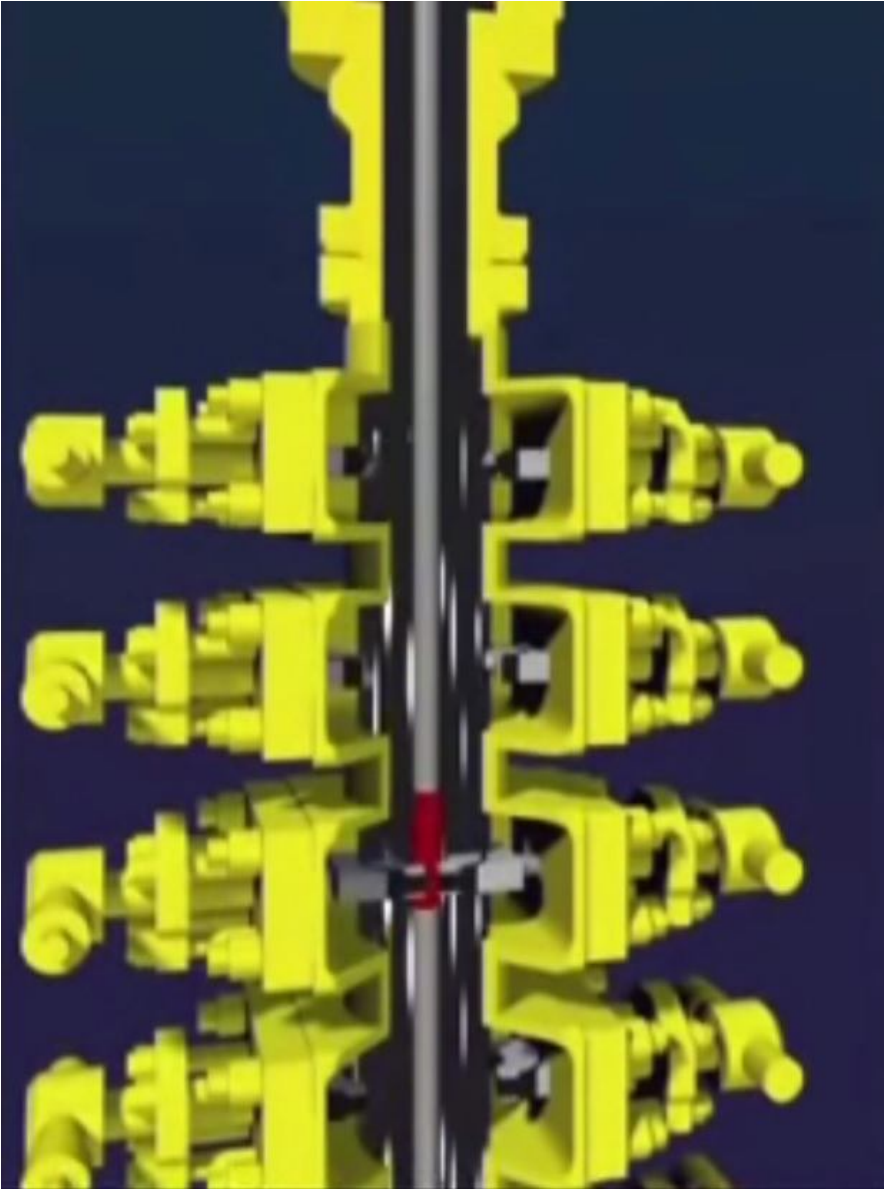


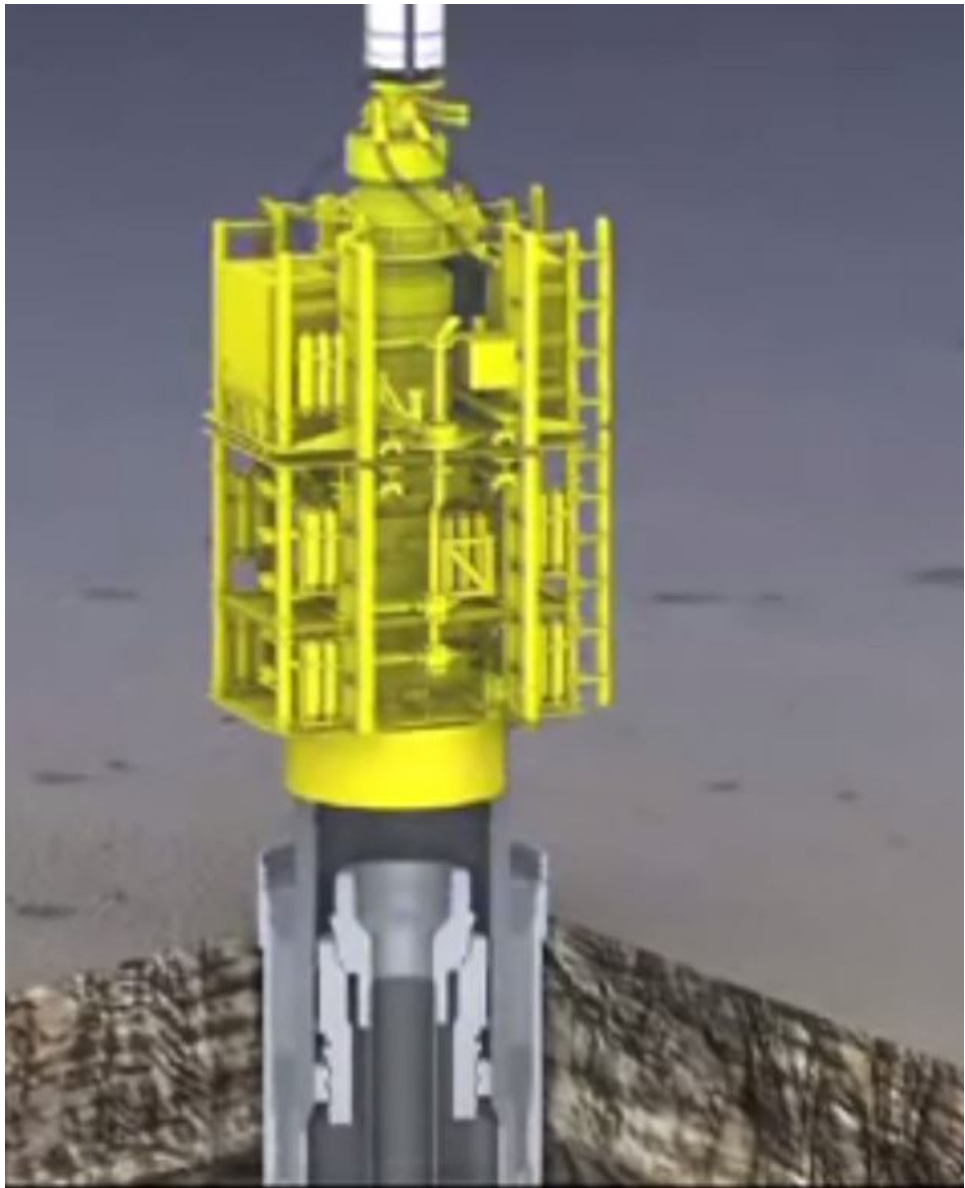


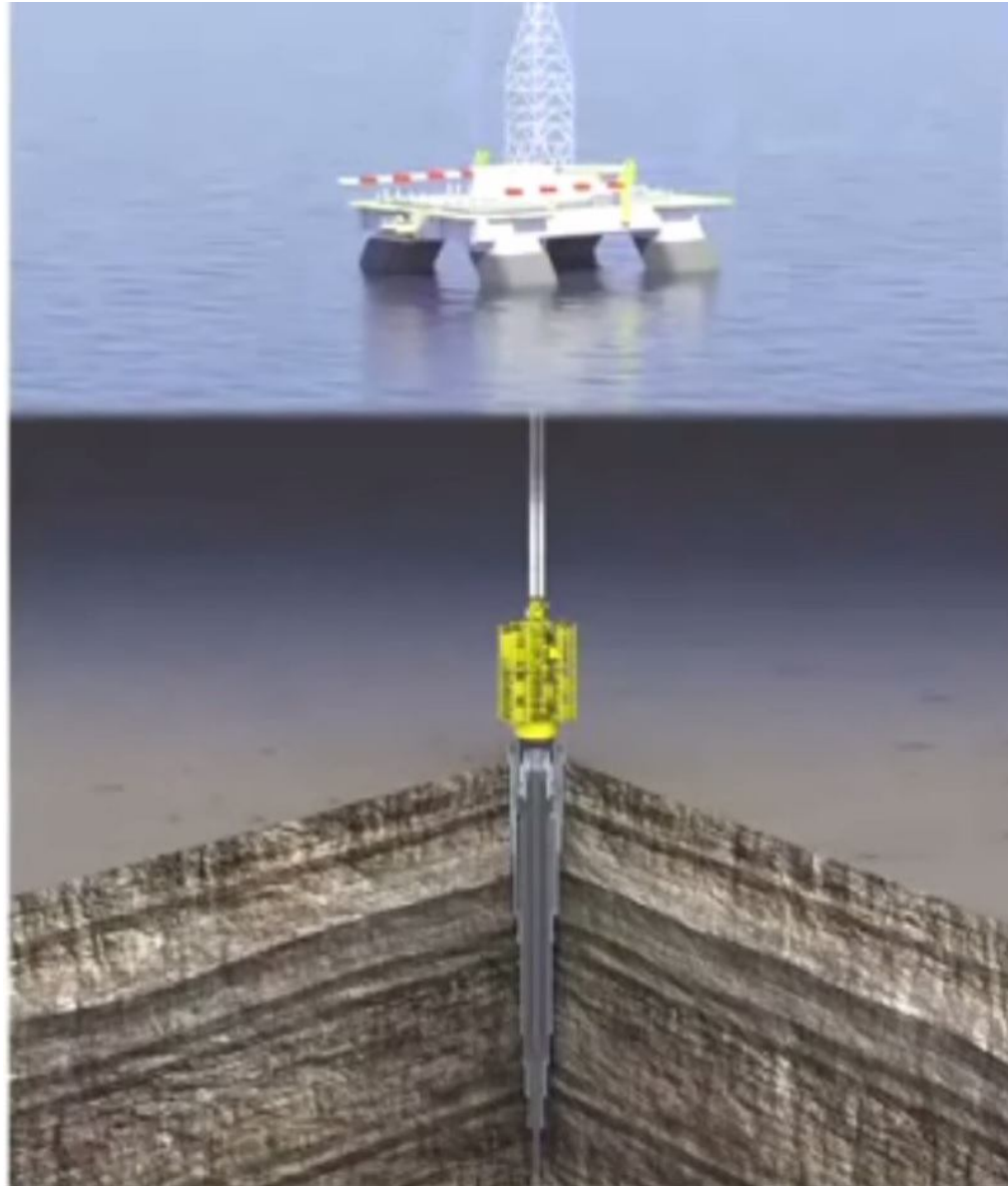










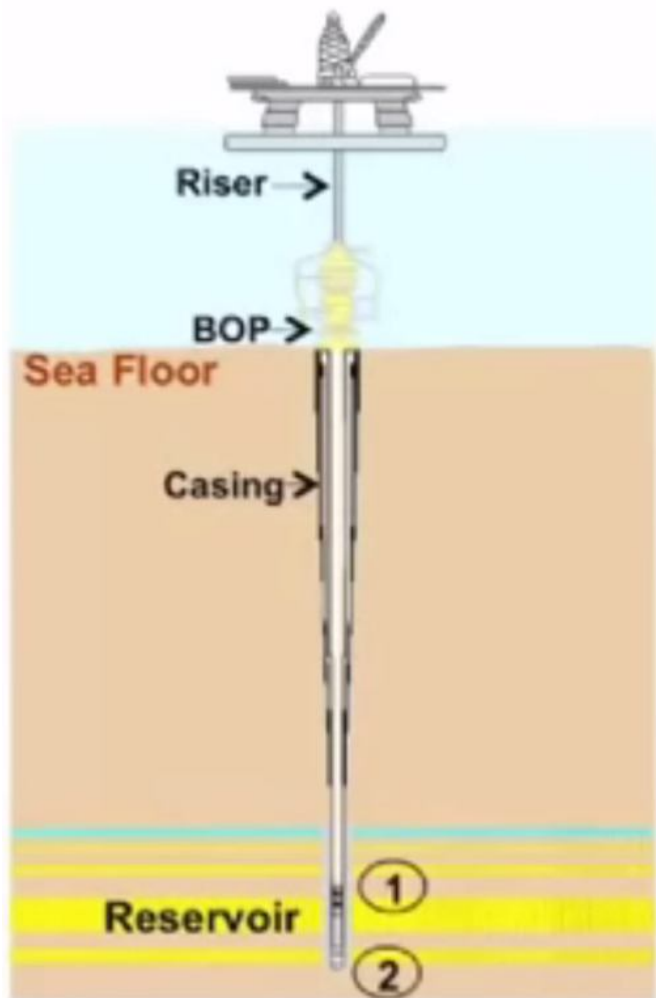




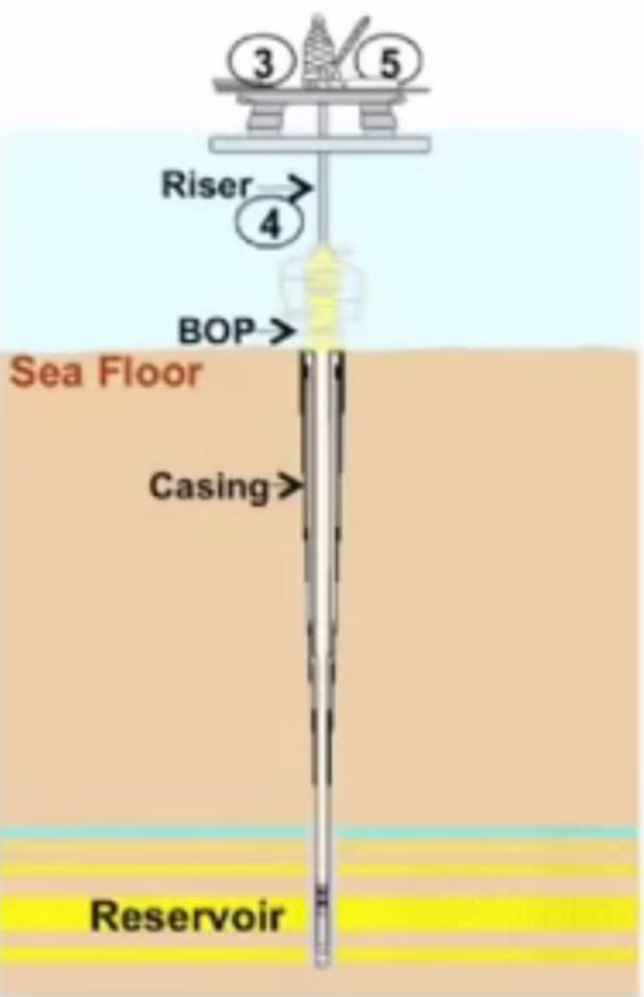
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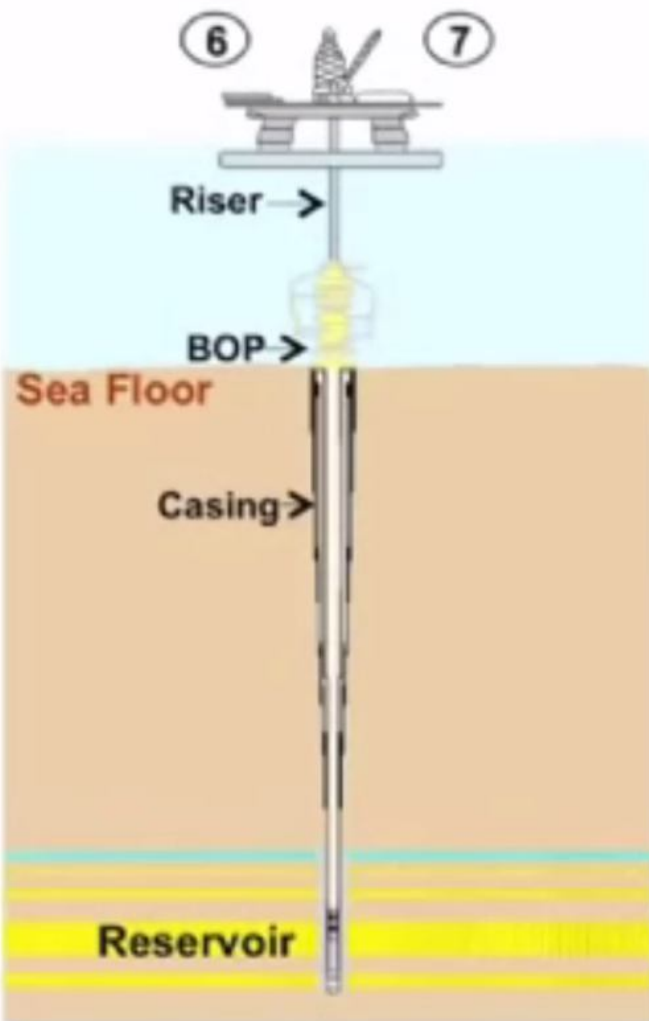
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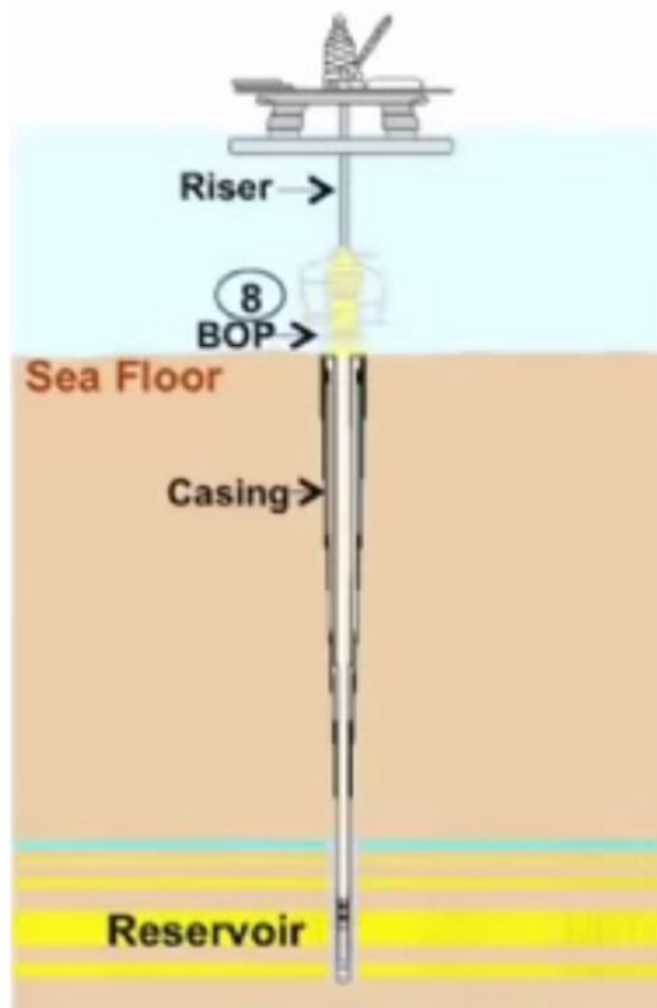
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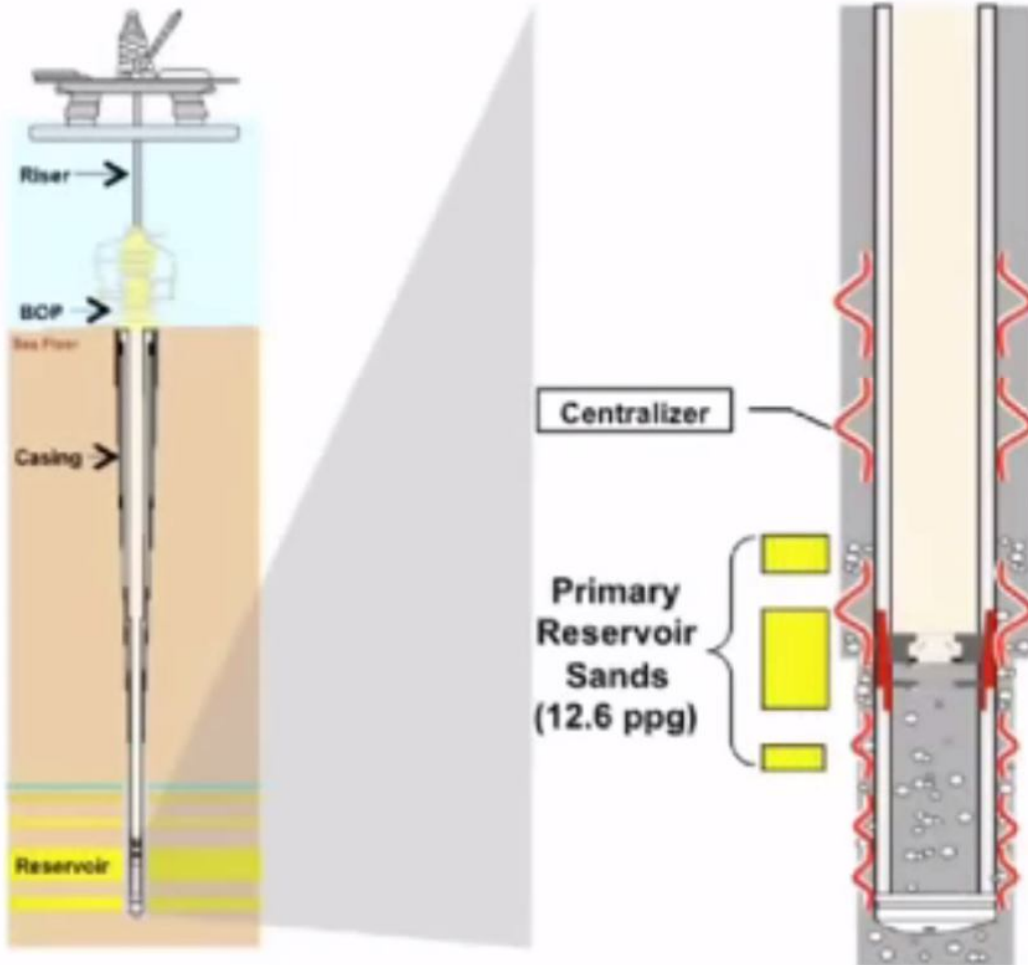
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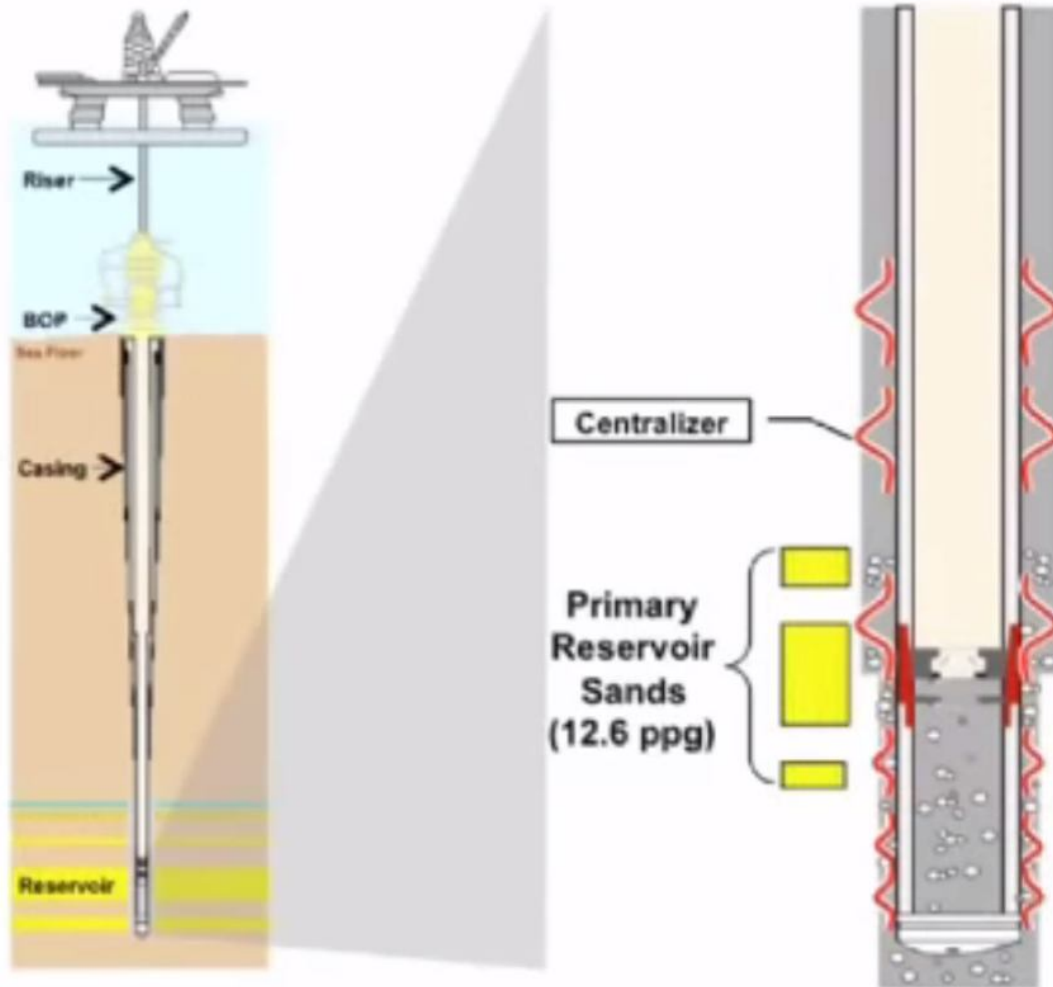
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- High percentage of nitrogen made it difficult to create a stable foam
- No fluid loss additives in cement
- Small volume of cement in relation to displacement volume
- Cement lab tests were not comprehensive

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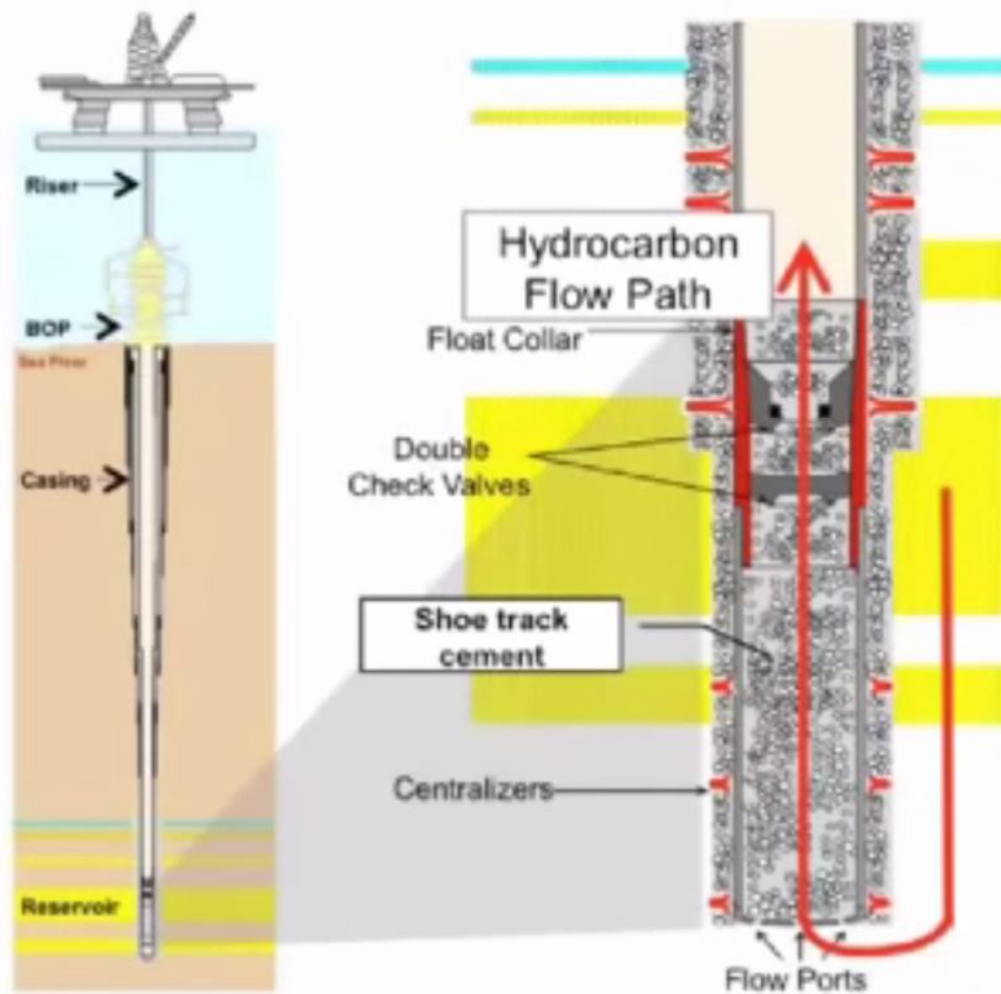
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- Foam slurry was likely unstable and resulted in nitrogen breakout
- Casing was well-centralized across the primary hydrocarbon zones

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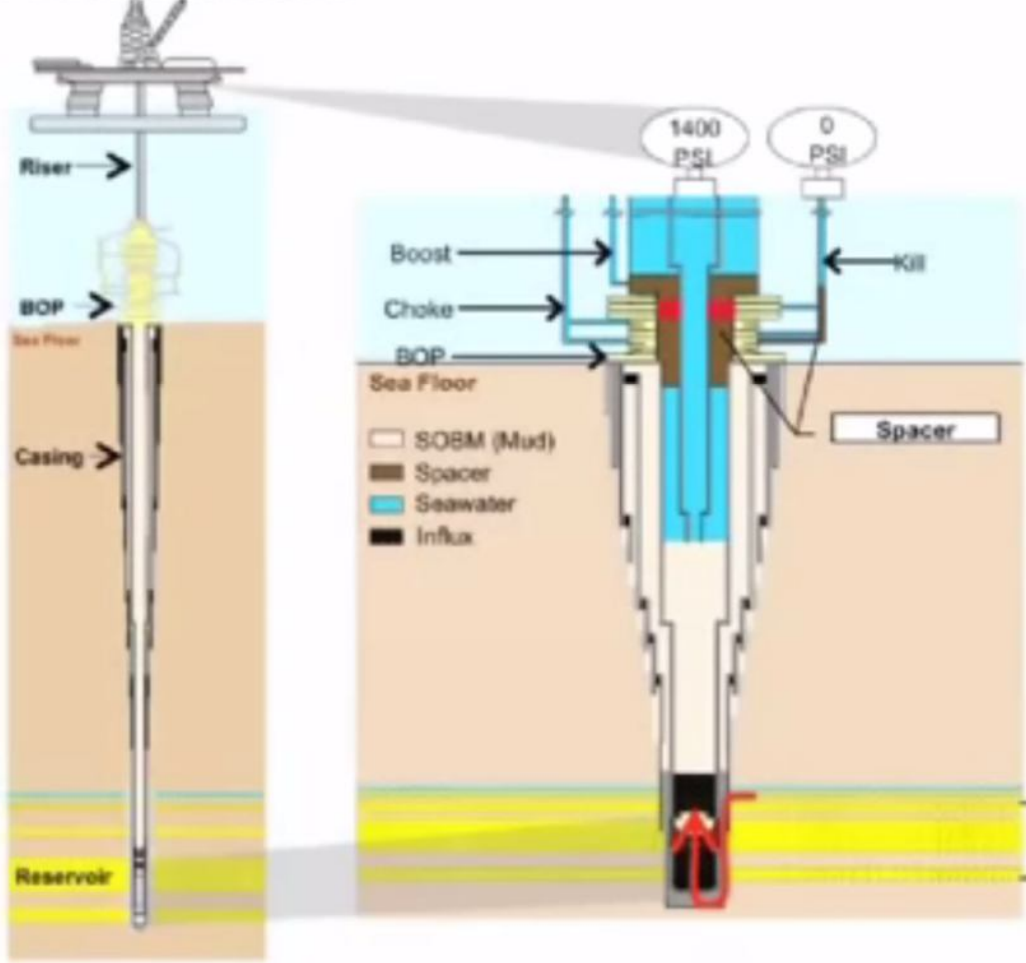
### Shoe track mechanical barriers did not isolate hydrocarbons



- Shoe track cement failed to prevent influx
- Float collar valves failed to seal
- Flow came through the shoe track at the bottom of the casing

# Key Finding #3

Negative pressure test was accepted, although well integrity had not been established



- Viscous spacer flowed across BOP, possibly inhibiting kill line pressure readings

- Bleed-off volumes indicated communication with reservoir

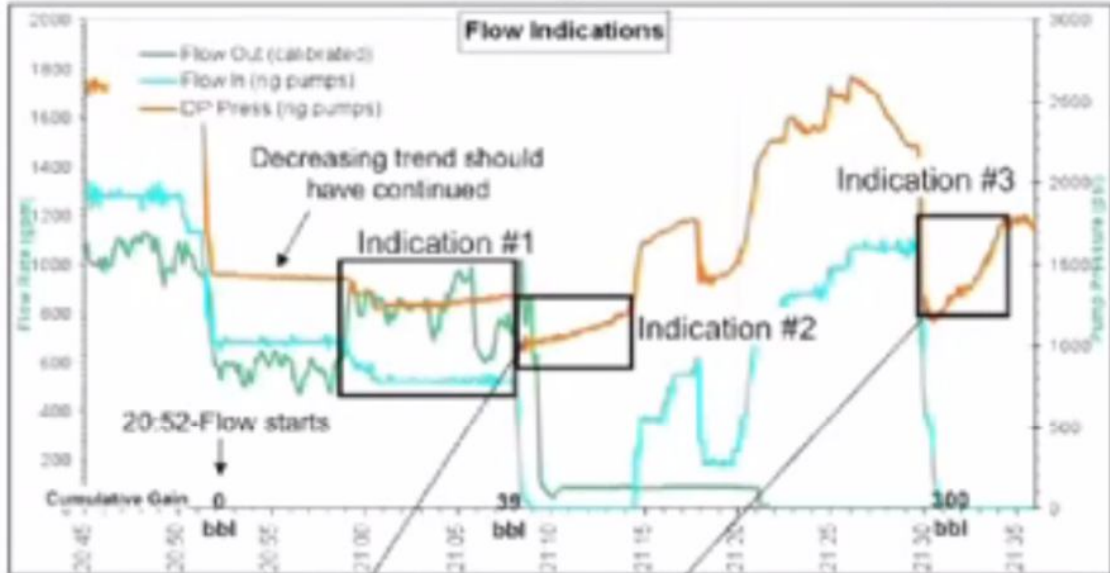
- Abnormal pressure attributed to "bladder effect"

- Test incorrectly deemed successful

Primary reservoir sands

# Key Finding #4

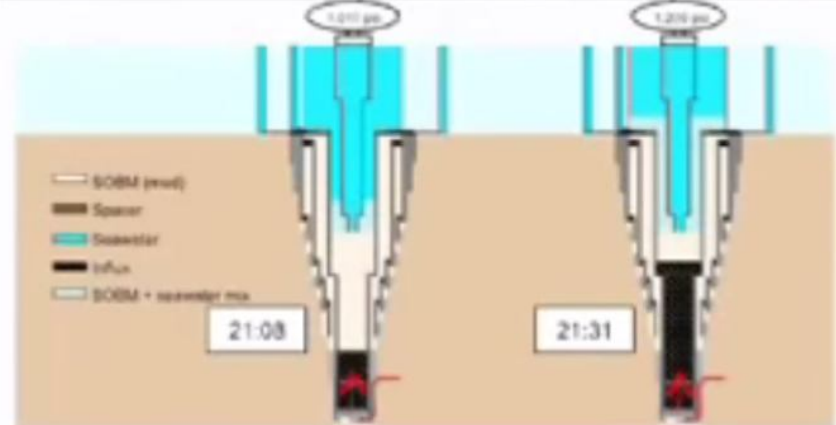
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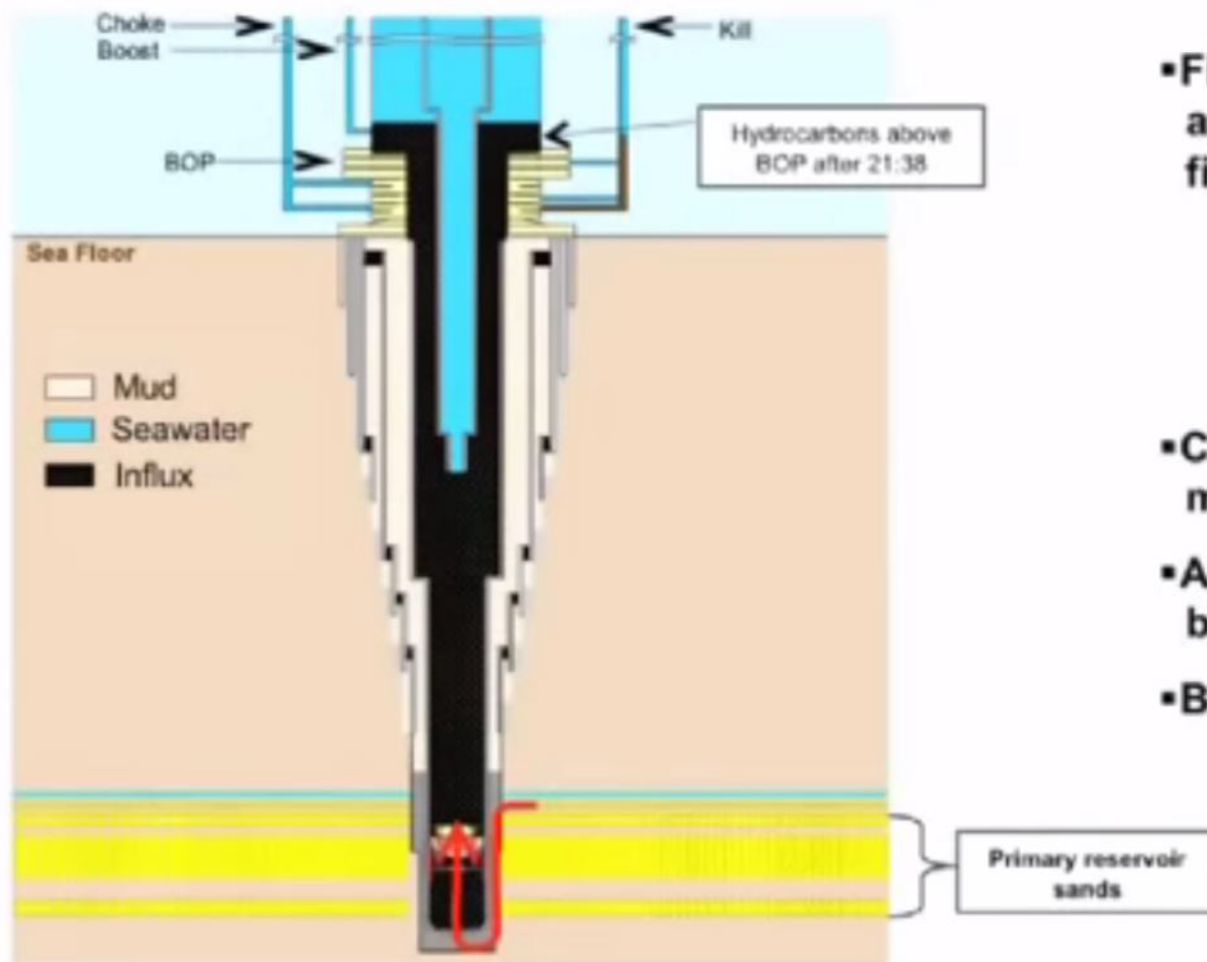
- #1: Drill pipe pressure increased by 100 psi, expected decreased – ~39 bbl gain from 20:58 to 21:08
- #2: Drill pipe pressure increased by 246 psi with pumps off
- #3: Drill pipe pressure increased by 556 psi with pumps off - ~300 bbl gain

• No well control actions taken



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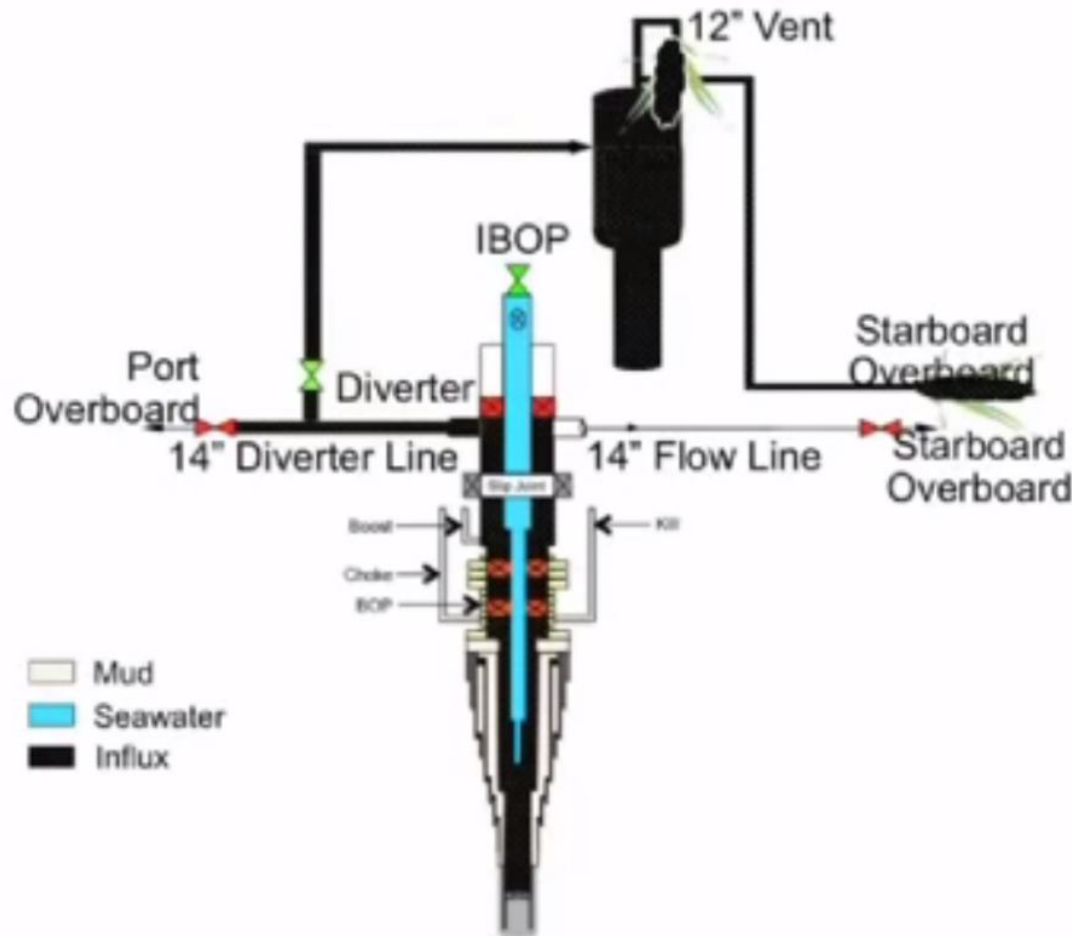
### Well control response actions failed to regain control of well



- First well control response approximately 40 minutes after first indication
  - Hydrocarbons above BOP after 21:38
- Closed diverter and routed flow to mud gas separator
- Annular preventer was activated, but did not seal
- BOP sealed six minutes later

## Key Finding #6

### **Diversion to mud gas separator resulted in gas venting onto rig**



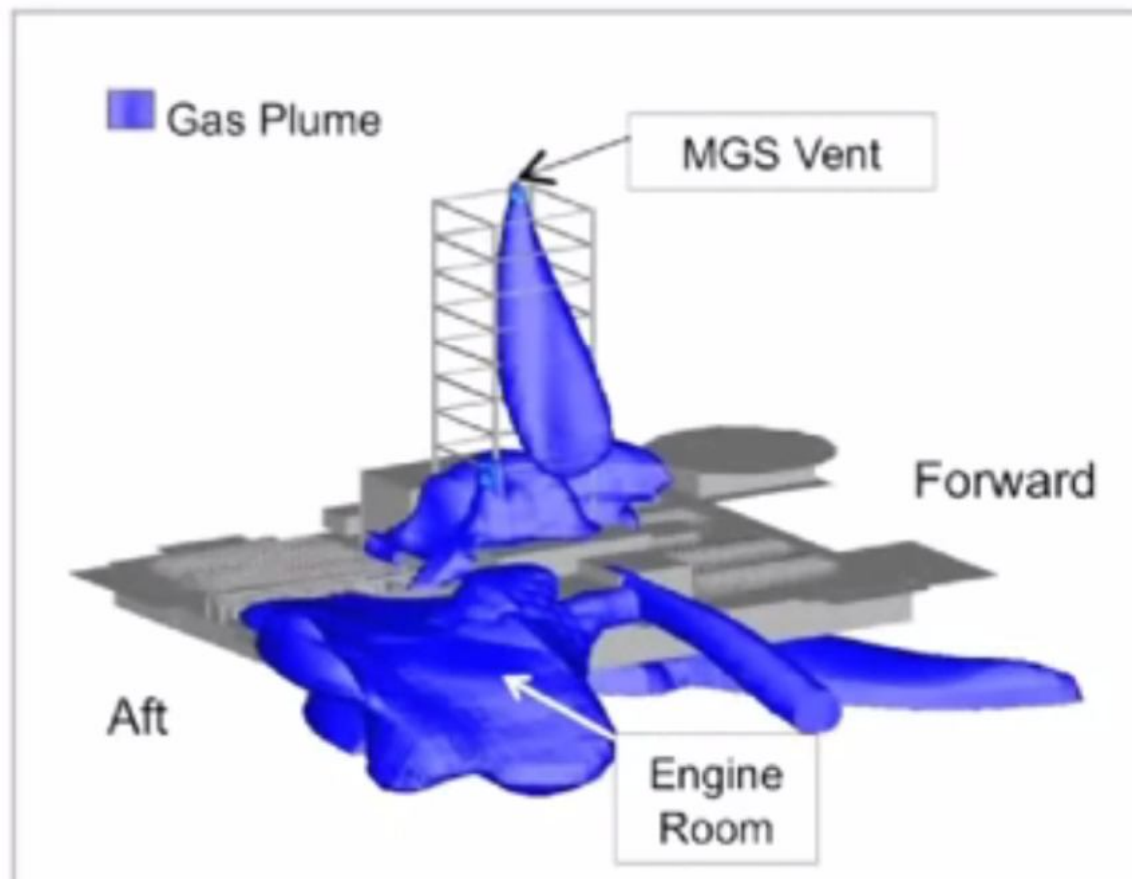
- Hydrocarbons diverted to mud gas separator versus routing overboard

- Surface gas handling system overwhelmed

- Combustible gas vented onto rig, enveloping possible ignition sources

## Key Finding #7

### Fire and gas system did not prevent hydrocarbon ignition

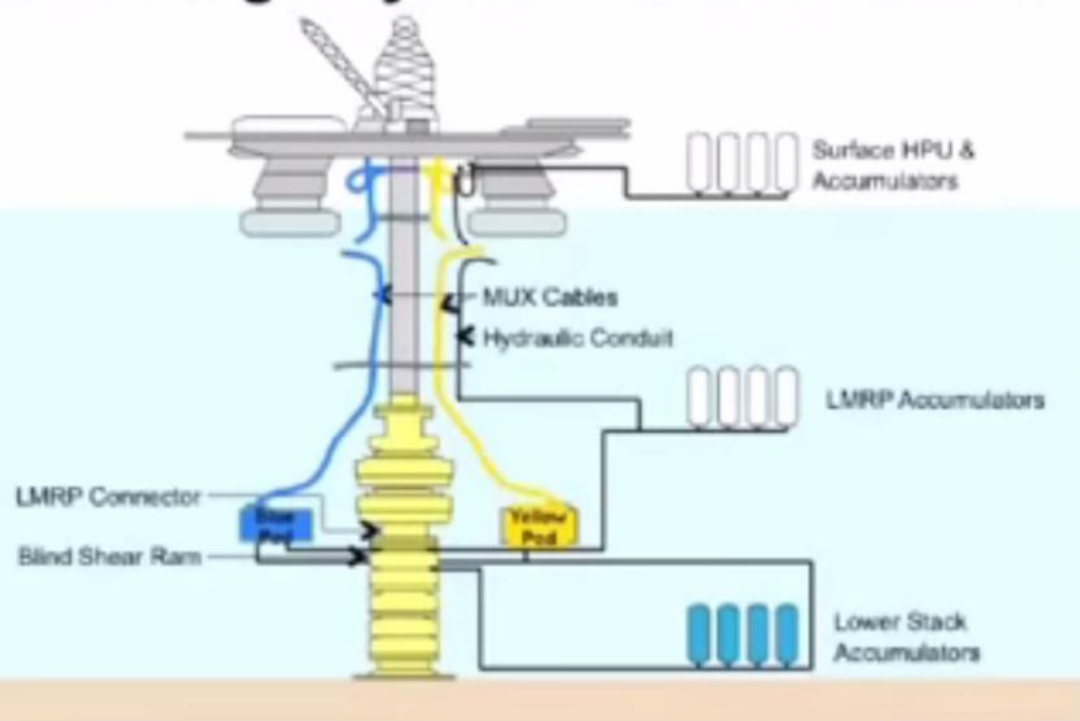


- **Gas dispersed rapidly across rig**
  - Gas entered engine room through air intakes
  - Engines went into over-speed
  - Engines were one potential source of ignition



## Key Finding #8

### BOP emergency mode did not seal well



Emergency Methods of BOP Operation Available

Manual	Automatic	ROV Intervention
EDS HP Blind Shear	AMF	HOT Stab AMF Auto-shear

- **Initial explosions and fire**
  - Damaged MUX cables and hydraulic line
  - Resulted in failure of the emergency disconnect system
  
- **Automatic Mode Function did not complete due to:**
  - Defective solenoid valve
  - Insufficient charge on batteries
  
- **Post-accident ROV intervention likely activated blind shear rams**
  
- **Potential weaknesses in testing and maintenance of BOP**

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