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### Discussion:

EPC - Floating Production Storage and Offloading (FPSO)

### Speaker:

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Sunday, 03rd December 2023 12.30 WIB - End

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# Introduction to FPSO

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### Type of Offshore Platform

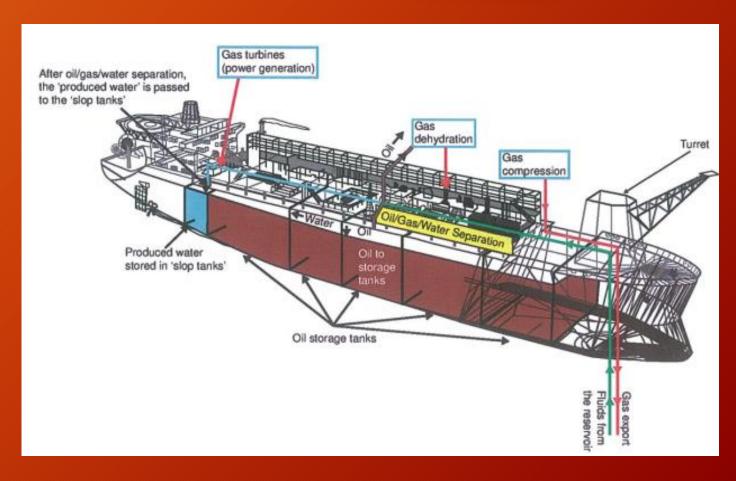


- 1. Fixed Platform
- 2. Fixed Platform
- 3. Compliant Tower
- 4. TLP
- 5. TLP
- 6. SPAR
- 7. Semisub
- 8. Semisub
- 9. FPSO
- 10. Jacket Platform
- 11. Subsea Tieback
- 12. Subsea Manifold

### Definition of FPSO

FPSO is large permanently moored oil tanker that has an oil and gas processing facility mounted onto its deck





### What is FPSO Role

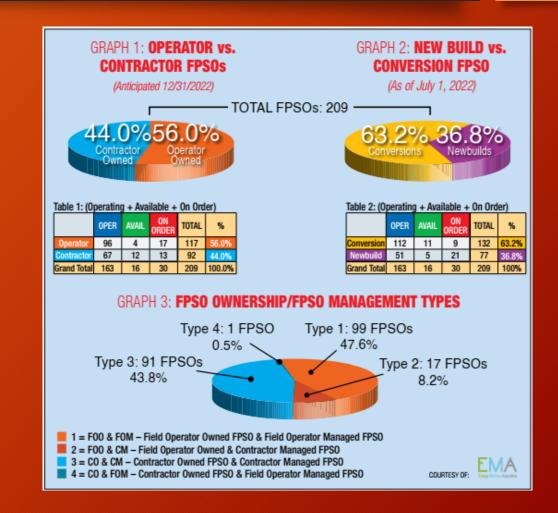
- Provide a safe environment for production operations;
- Provide facilities to deliver a high level of production uptime;
- Provide facilities with the reliability & integrity for life of field operations;
- Provide crude oil storage, offloading capability;
- Provide facilities to process, export or dispose of with associated fluids and contaminants;
- Provide suitable utilities and accommodation to support production operations;

It's about the safe production of hydrocarbon resources

### World Fleet FPSO

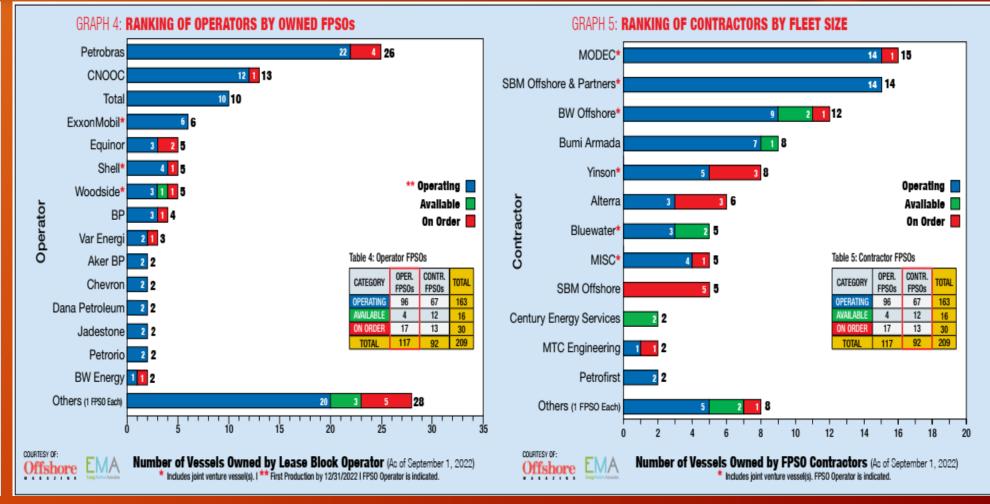
Offshore Magazine (Data as off 1st September 2022)

- 163 units Operating FPSO
  - 51 units New Build
  - 112 units Conversion
- 16 units Available FPSO
  - 5 units New Build
  - 11 units Conversion
- 30 units Under Construction
  - 21 units New Build
  - 9 units Conversion



### Worldwide FPSO Distribution





### FPSO Family

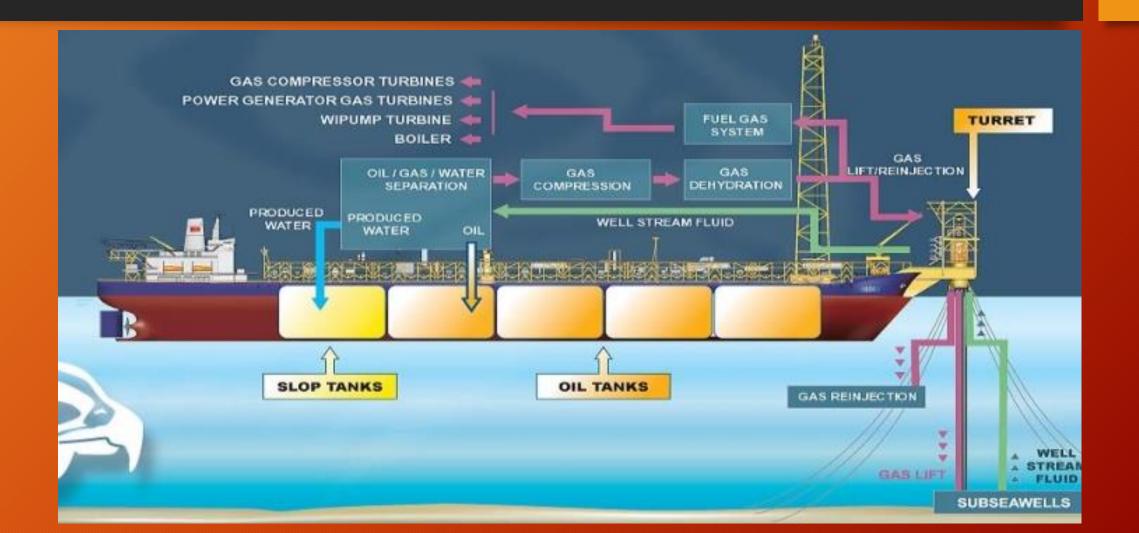
- Regular Tankers
- SPM Terminals
- FPU (Floating Production Unit)
- FSO (Floating Storage & Offloading unit)
- FPSO (Floating Production Storage & Offloading)
- FSRU (Floating Storage Regasification Unit)
- FLNG (Floating Liquefied Natural Gas)

### Why FPSO?

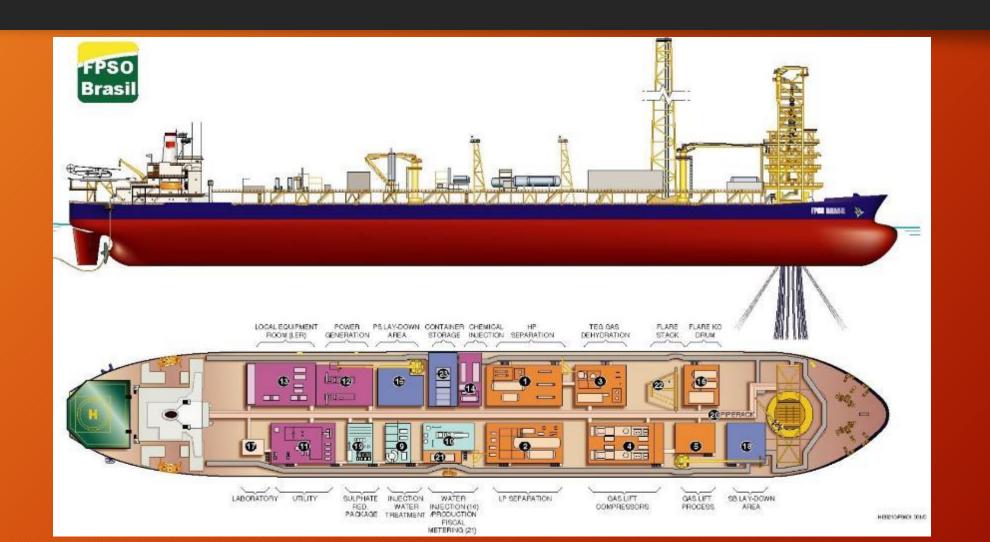
- Recoverable asset
- Marginal fields (North Sea)
- Political stability (Nigeria)
- Re-use is feasible
- Lack of infrastructure (storage)
- Deep water
- Improve First Oil Date
- Parallel engineering
- Drill while you build



# FPSO Layout



## FPSO Layout



### Design Drivers

- Reservoir characteristics
- Field life/service life
- Site conditions
- Subsea development lay-out
- Regulatory standards & operator requirements
- Well intervention needs

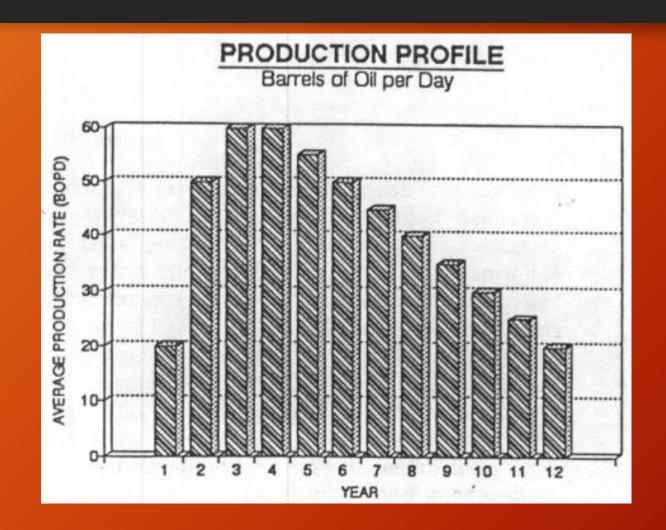
### Reservoir Characteristic

- Plateau production capability
- Pressure, temperature, viscosity
- Wax, asphaltenes
- CO2 and H2S content → materials, coatings
- Water cut → bpd throughput > bopd
- Gas Oil Ratio (GOR) → compression, gas swivel
- Water or gas injection
- Gas lift

### **Production Profile**

Usually peaking up front

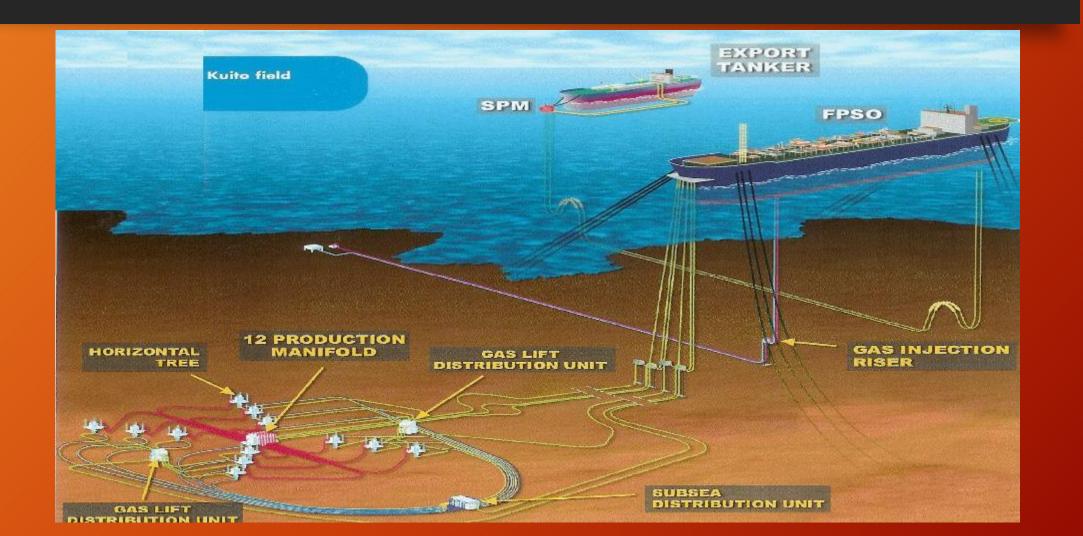
Water cut influence



### **Site Conditions**

- Sea surface (wind, waves and current) ->
   spread mooring or wheather-vaning
- Waves → motions, accelerations → workability; extreme motions, stresses; fatigue
- Current profile for riser design → Vortex shedding
- Water depth → riser design and mooring system selection
- Sea bed soil condition for Anchor selection
- Air temperature → possibility of icing on GTG

## Subsea lay-out



### Standard and Codes

- Classification Society (Lloyds, ABS, DNV, etc.)
- Flag State
- International Conventions : IMO, SOLAS, MARPOL
- Detailed standards: API, ASME, ISO, ILO, etc.
- Owner requirement

### Vessel Sizing

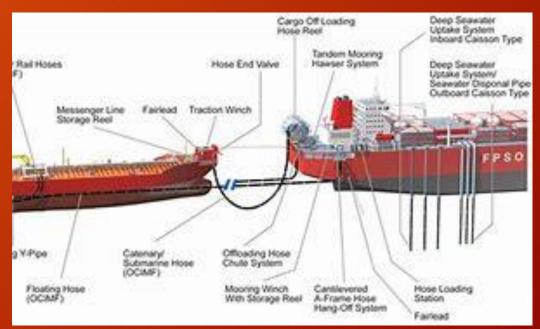
- Field production rate (bopd)
- Oil specific gravity (ton/m3, degrees API)
- Shuttle tanker schedule, days between offloading
- Sea state persistence data
- Complexity, size & weight of process plant
- Gas disposal : use, export, re-inject
- Availability of ships (for conversion)

### Shuttle Tanker Schedule

- Regular or irregular
- Effect of weather while offloading and require disconnecting
- Mechanical breakdowns



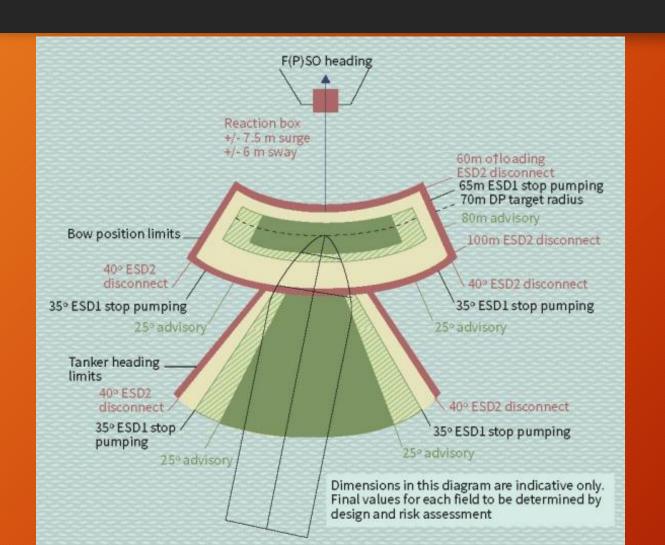
FPSO Storage capacity = BOPD x Shuttle Interval + 10 ~ 15% reserve



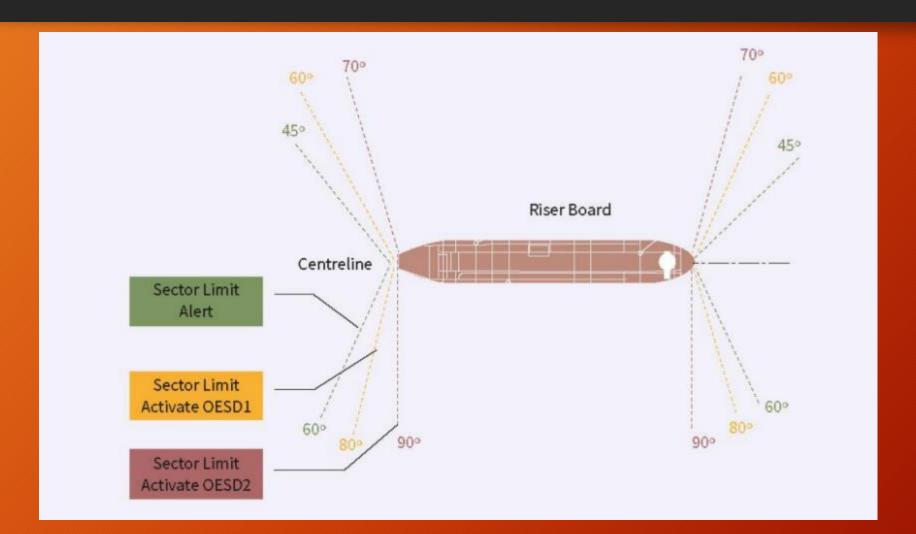
# Criteria for Tandem Offloading Source UKOOA

	Connect	Disconnect
Sign wave height	4.5 m	5.5-6.0 m
Max wave height	8 m	9.5 m
Max wave period	15 sec	15 sec
Wind speed	35-40 knots	35-40 knots
Visibility	500-800 m	

### Tandem Offloading Limits Turret Moored FPSO



# Tandem Offloading Limits Spread Moored FPSO



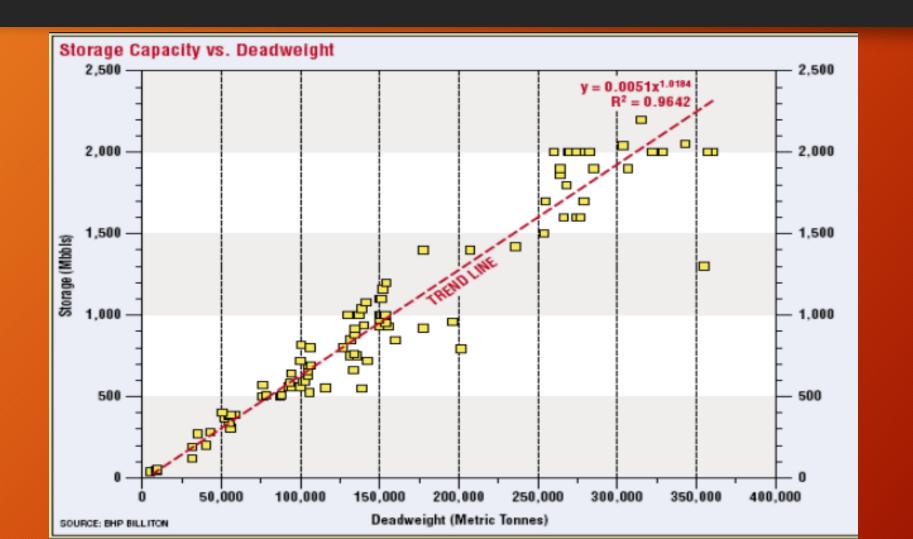
### Design Steps

- Determine total storage tank capacity
- Max. filling of tanks typically 98%
- Determine dwt capacity requirement
- Add estimated weight of the process plant
- From comparable ships, estimate main dimensions and lightweight or steel weight
- Allow for project specifics (e.g. turret)

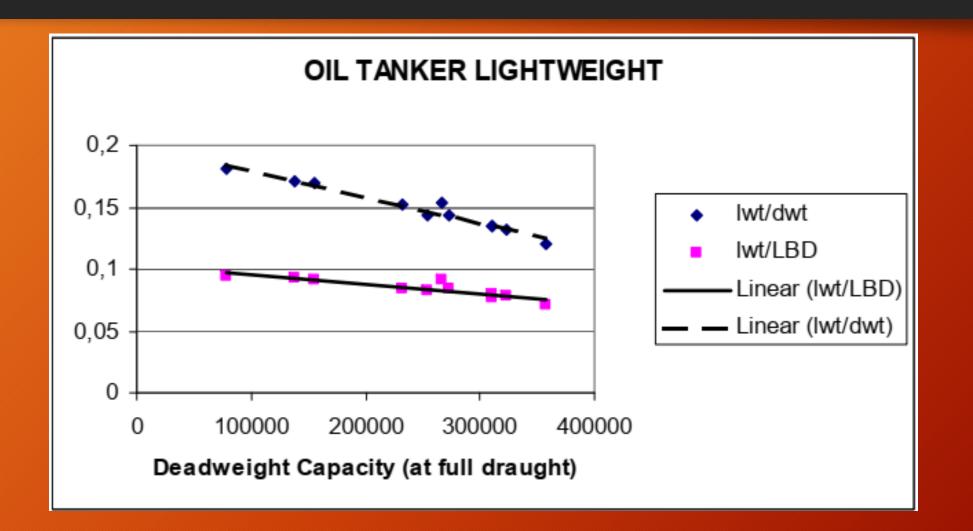
### Main Dimension

- Largely determined by deadweight capacity
- Sometimes restriction of draught
- In North Sea and similar: risk of green water on deck / slamming on bow → ship shape with high freeboard at bow
- In benign areas: barge shape (cheaper to build)

### FPSO DWT-Volume Ratio



### Tanker Light Weight



### Design Approach

- Determine the required storage capacity
- Start with an "educated" guess of dimensions
- Determine scantlings, based on Rules or first principles
- Check the required storage volume, weight capacity
- Include reasonable volume for water ballast
- Change dimensions and start again

The lwt/dwt statistics of tankers enable a bypass of the cumbersome determination of scantlings

### Design Spiral - Hull Definition

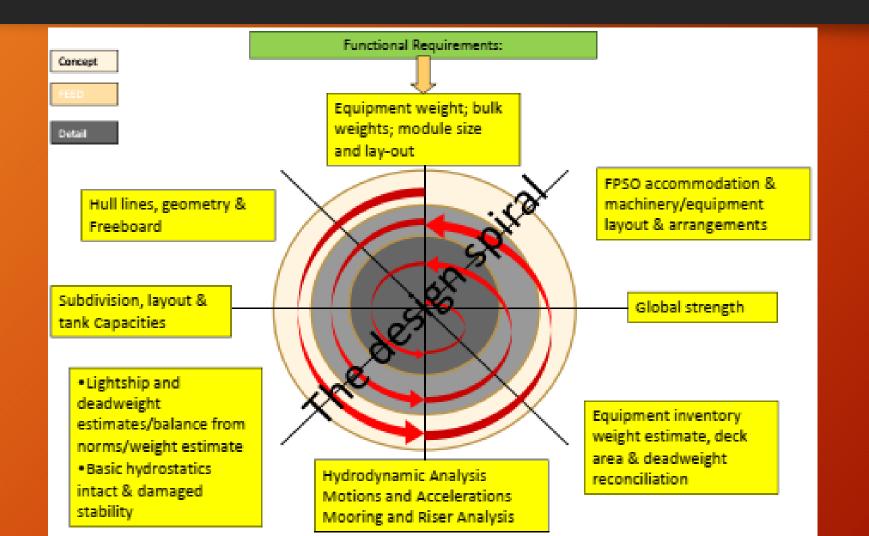
### Objective:

 Validate and update initial sizing of hull - achieve frozen hull definition for accurate costing and FEED

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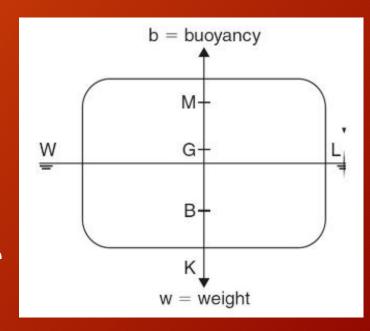
- Track around the 'design spiral' validating the initial hull sizing against the design requirements;
- Detail required to a level that de-risks the hull sizing and weights before FEED
- Margins include allowance for design growth at later stages
  - Hull & turret
  - Topsides weight and space
- At this stage investigations can be made into design options e.g. impact of fwd vs aft accommodation, tank layout etc

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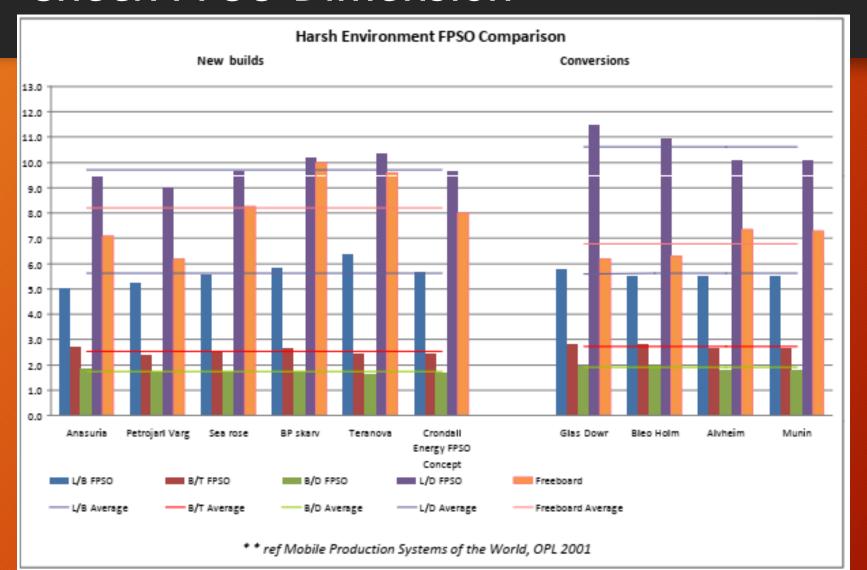


### Check FPSO Dimension

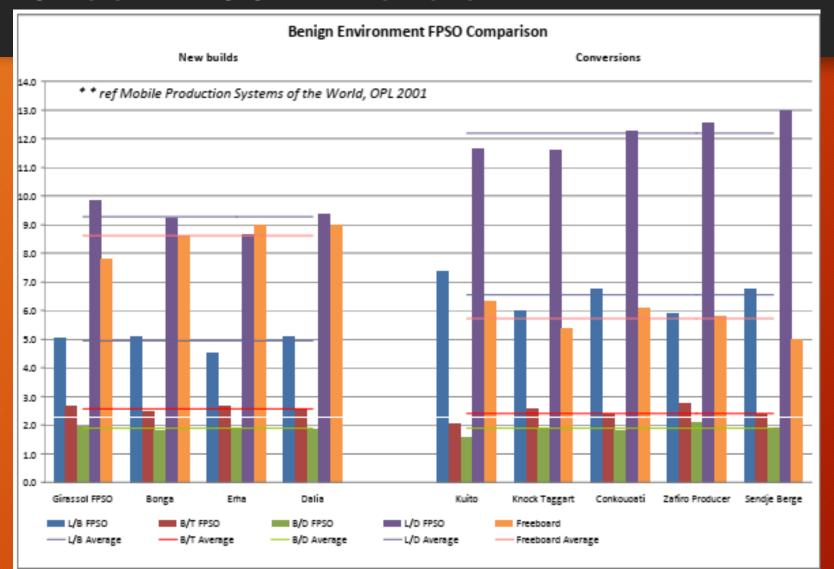
- Displacement = ρgC<sub>B</sub>LBT + skin, appendices
- Displacement = lightweight (incl. process plant) + deadweight + suspended items (risers, anchor lines)
- Deadweight = cargo weight + fuel + fluids in systems + crew + miscellaneous
- T max = D freeboard
- Minimum freeboard determined by ship rules, for large tankers abt. 6 m
- Positive GM (GM = MB + BK GK)
- Typical hull steel weight ≈ 13 ~ 16% of displacement



### Check FPSO Dimension



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## FPSO can be Differentiate by

Construction	Conversion and new build	
Shape	Ship-shapes or barge shapes	
Cargo	Oil, LNG	
Mooring	Spread moored, weather-vaning (turret) - Internal turret - External turret	
Offloading	Tandem offloading (oil product) or side-by-side (LNG product)	

### FPSO Shape

### **Barge Shape**

- Benign area
- Normally new built
- Easier construction





### Ship Shape

- North sea or similar
- Green water on deck
- Risk of slamming at bow
- High freeboard at bow
- Normally conversion

### New Built Vs Conversion

### **New Built FPSO**

- Field-appropriate design and fatigue lives are more easily achieved
- Technical, commercial and environmental risks are more easily managed
- Systems intended to survive harsh environments are more easily designable
- Re-sale and residual values are maximized and
- Reusability opportunities are improved

### Conversion

- Capital costs are reduced
- Design and construction schedules are reduced
- More construction facilities are available and
- Overall project-supervision requirements are reduced

### Design Arrangement

- Spread mooring or SPM
- SPM midship, internal in bow, external to bow
- Side or tandem offloading
- Flare tower or ground flare; position
- Separation between LQ and flare
- Heliport unrestricted access
- Process plant subdivision

# Mooring

Soft Yoke (Nigeria)



Spread Moored (Nigeria)



# Mooring

### Internal Turret (UK)



### DP (China)



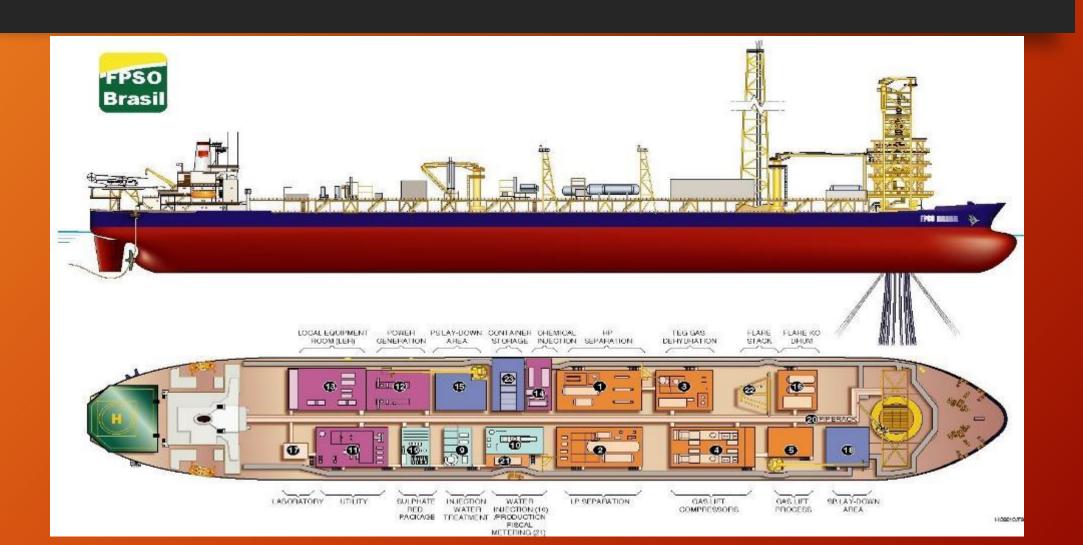
### Offloading

- Usually within 24 hours
- Sea-state limits for mooring up and for remaining moored
- Shuttle tanker may be purpose built or a tanker of convenience



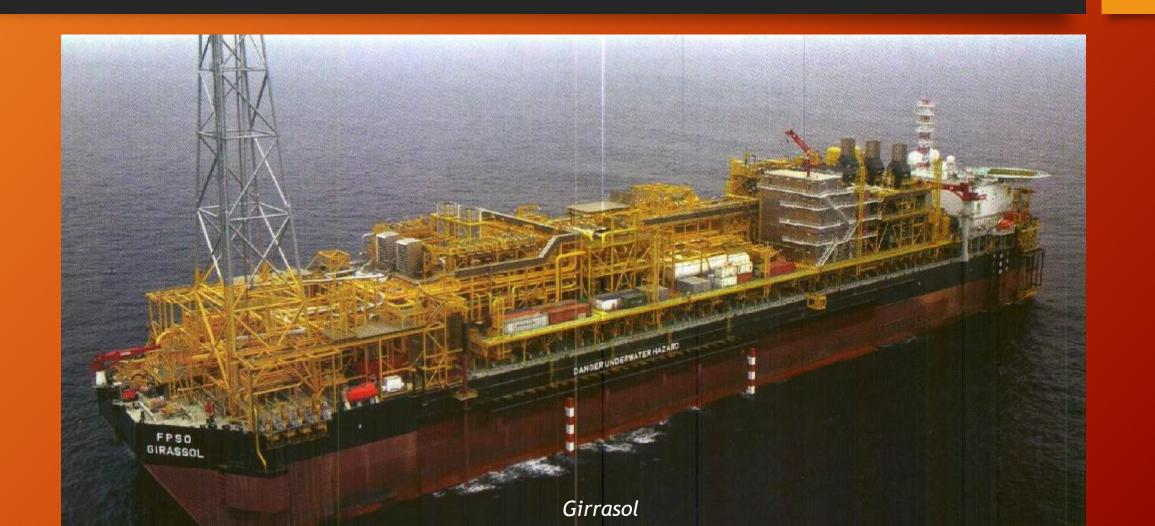












## LNG FSRU - New Built

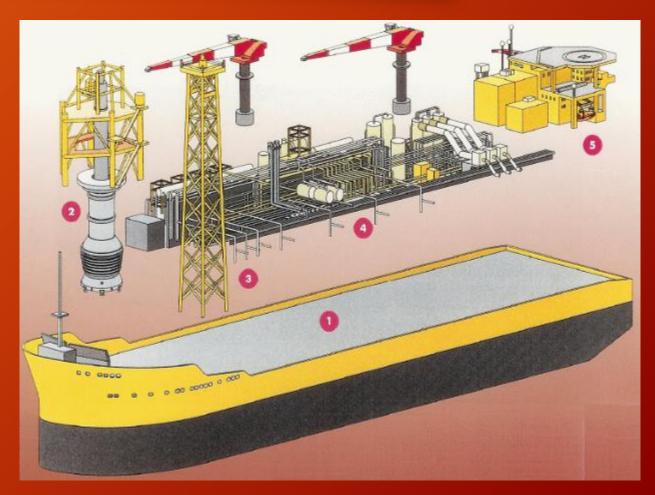


## LNG FSRU - Conversion

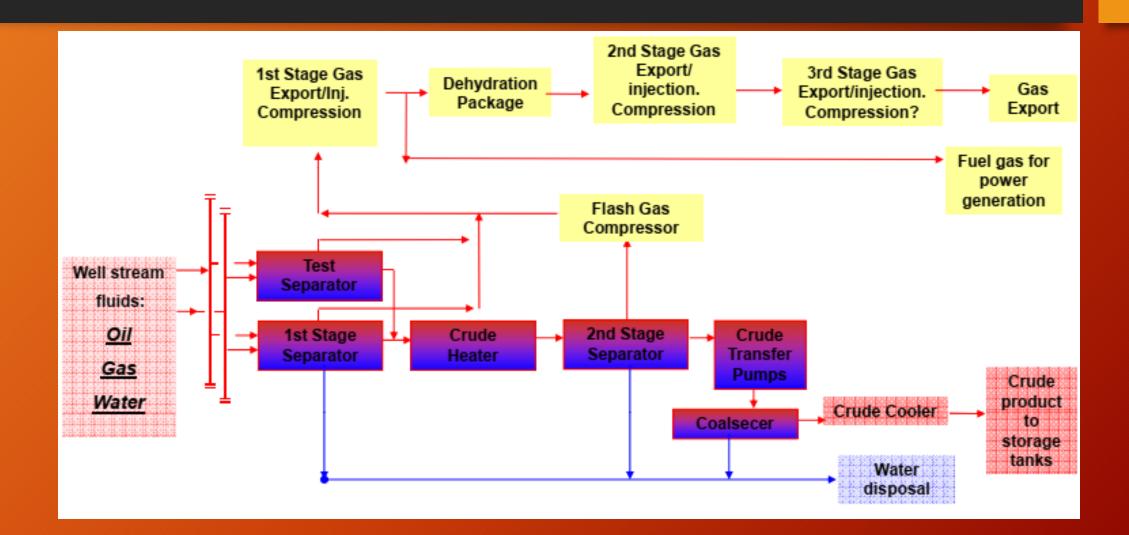


### Process Plant

- At elevation above maindeck
- Subdivided in functional Pre-Assembled Units (PAUs), "pancakes"
- Weight and size determined by available lifting device and transportation device



### Typical FPSO Process



# FPSO - Conversion Demolition of Existing Deck Structure

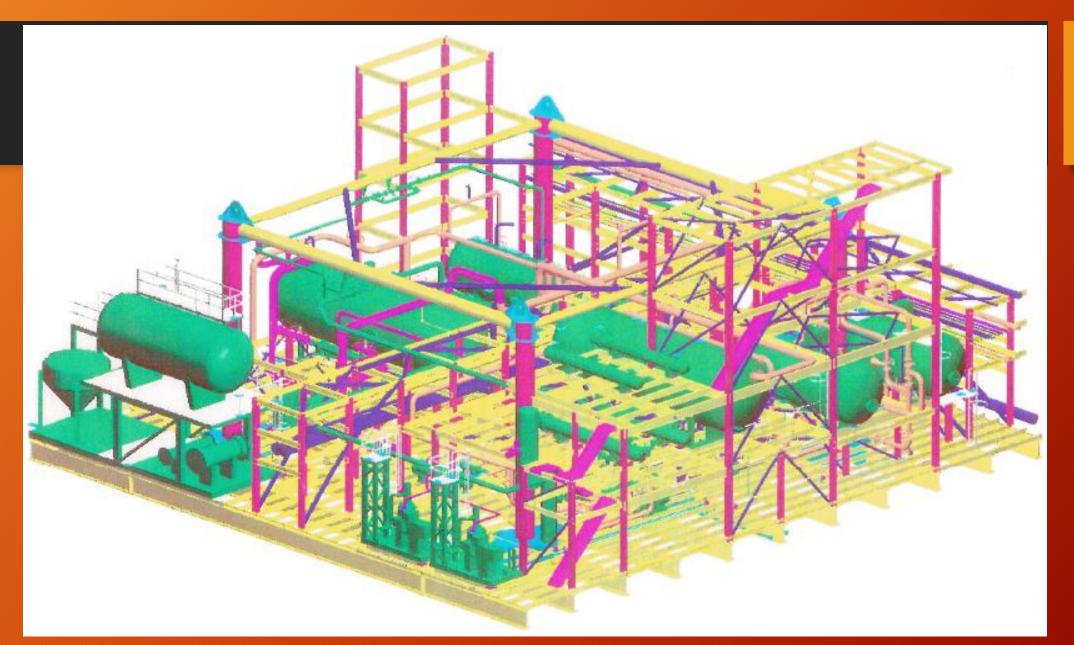


#### **Elevated Deck**

- Typically 2.5 m above (closed) main deck
- Minimizes impact of green water
- Provides natural ventilation
- Separates (explosions in) topsides from cargo tanks
- For Northern North Sea:
  - Green water: elevation above still water to be taken 18-22 m at bow, 10-12 m midship and stern

### Typical (FPSO) Process Plant

- Separation Oil, Gas, Water
- Stabilized crude oil storage
- Gas handling compressors, dehydration
- Water cleaning & disposal
- Cooling and heating
- Flare
- Injection: gas, water, chemicals
- Gas lift
- Utilities



CSU Module - ABB Lumus Global



CSU Module - Load out

### Structural Weight Process Facilities

- Depends on flat versus 3D Pre-Assembled Units (PAU)
- Typically 30-40 % of total PAU weight
- Self bearing structure for
  - Load out
  - Installation by heavy lift
  - Decoupling from ship's hogging/sagging

## Assembly

- "Pancake approach" saves time (ideally)
- Normally will add more weight
- Planning and logistics are essential
- Don't wait, expedite





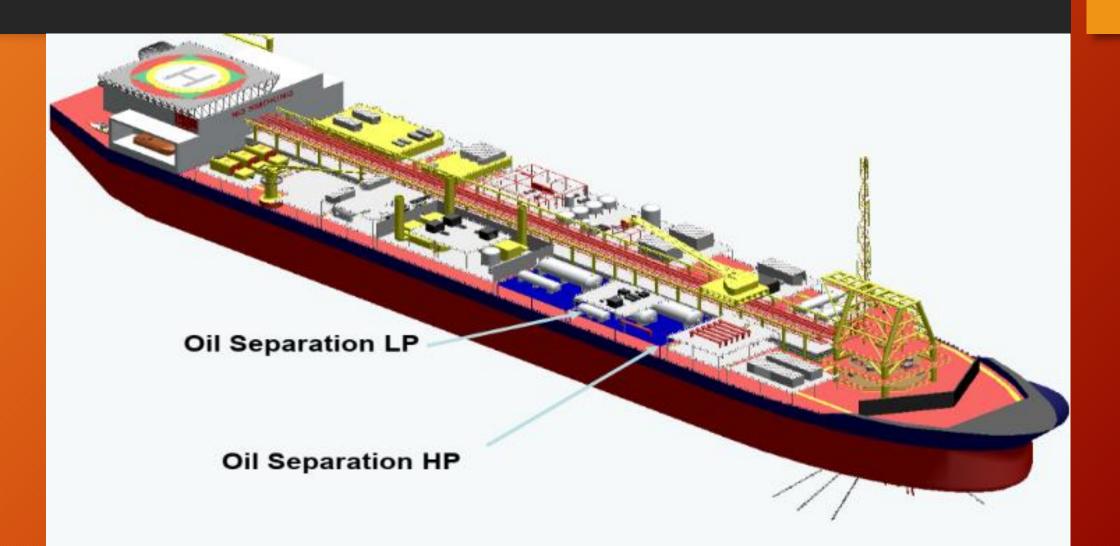
# Lifting Provision



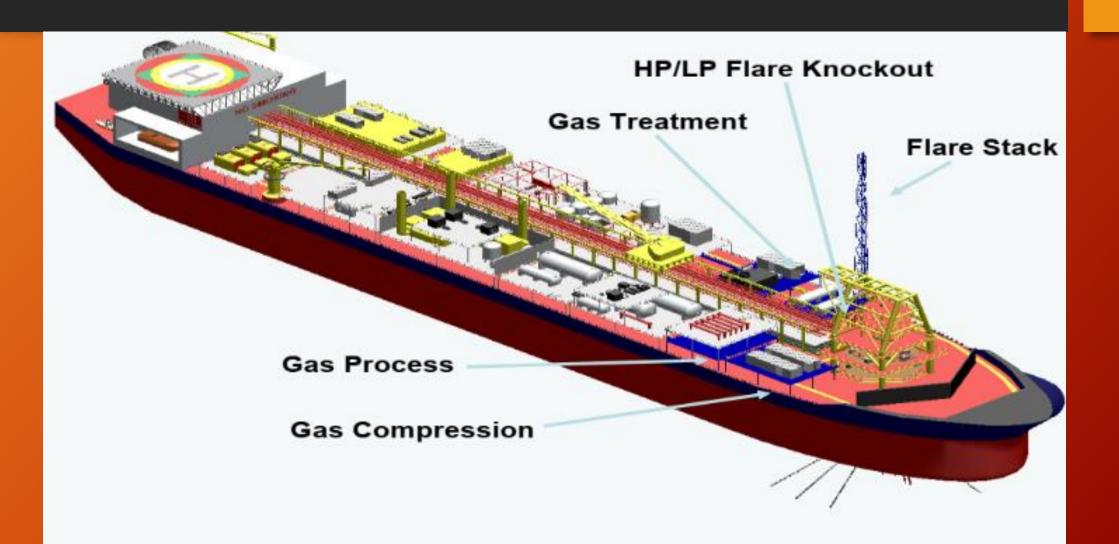
# Typical Complete Topside



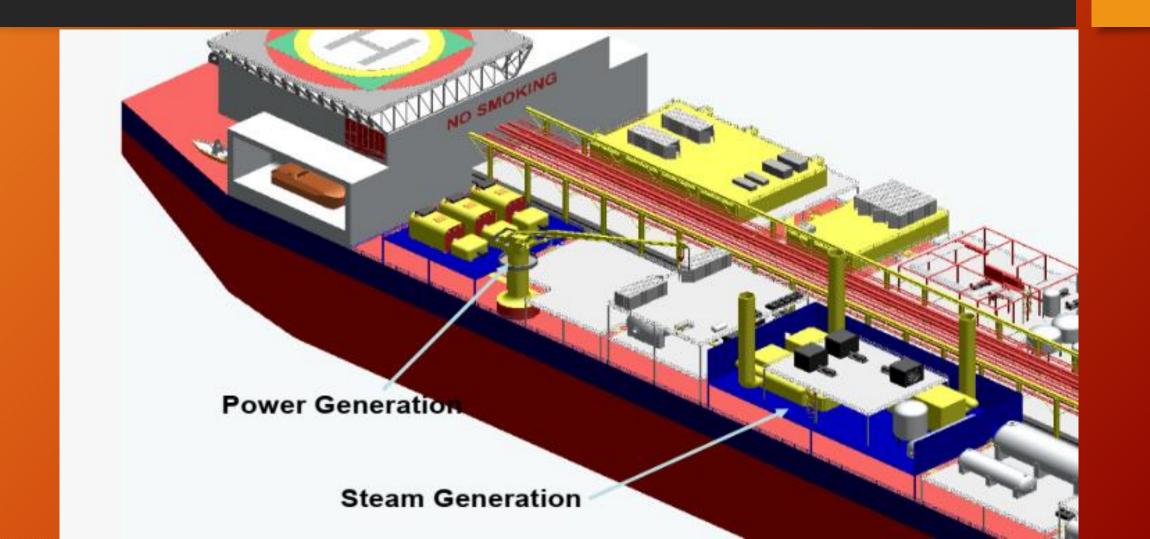
## Oil Separation Module



### Gas Compression Module



### Steam Power Generation



### FPSO System

