FPSO Requirements



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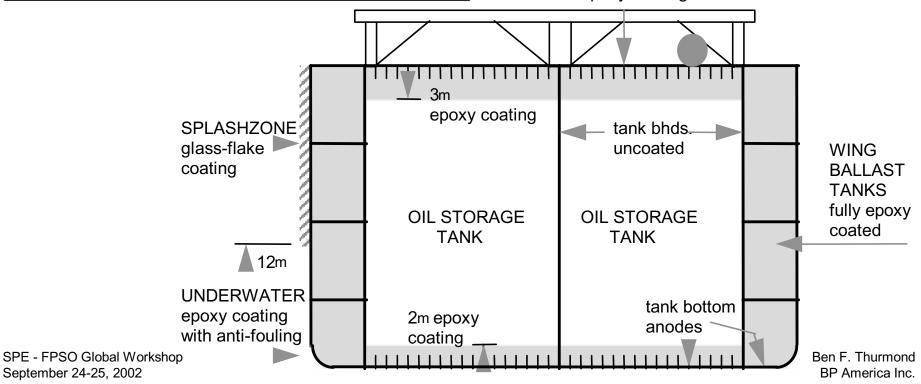
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Long-term Hull Integrity

Key Elements:

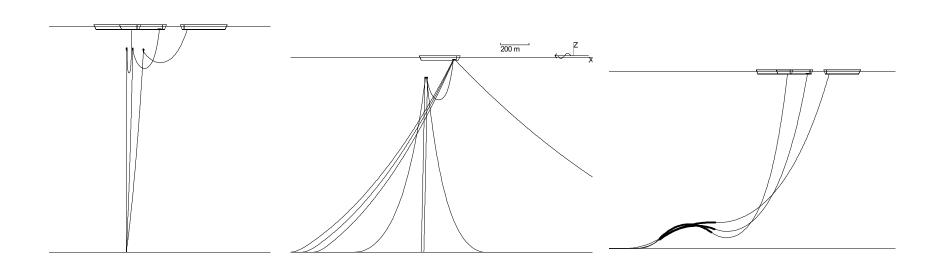
- Fatigue Resistance/Detailing
- Material Selection
- Coatings
- Cathodic Protection
- Accessibility/Maintainability

DECK epoxy coatings



Riser Performance

- Risers represent the key technology for deepwater FPSOs.
- FPSO behavior/responses are critical to riser concept selection, detail design, and installed cost.
- Coupled motions, turret location, weathervaning performance, hull form, and operating procedures are all pieces to the puzzle.



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