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Double securing Well Intervention





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Background

Havtil – The activities reguulations § 92 Lifting Operations

"It shall be ensured that personnel do not come under suspended loads"

NORSOK R-003

4.8.1 Fundamental Safety Requirements

Personnel shall not walk under suspended load.

6.3.4 Well Intervention equipment

Before personnel may perform work underneath a suspended load, the load shall be secured so that the lifting appliance is not load-bearing

NORSOK R-002

4.1 Safety Goals

The lifting equipment shall be designed in such that no common cause failures or a single failure results in an unacceptable risk as determined by the risk assessment

Risk Assessment – Wireline Lifting Operations

Norsk Olje & Gass – Håndbok for sikker håndtering av kabelutstyr (01.04.2019)

- Established as mitigating action for work close to suspended loads / red zone
- No technical solution available at the time handbook was published

5.1 Main Principles

- If possible, avoid manual handling of equipment in exposed zone
- Evaluate working position based on unintended movement of load
- Reduce time personnel is in exposed zone ALARP
- Reduce number of personnel in exposed zone ALARP
- Load shall be static before personnel enters exposed zone and guiding of load is done
- Where possible, equipment related to wireline operations shall be double secured



New technology – Double Securing Installations

2020 – Start of a journey with multiple double securing solutions introduced in the Wireline operations

- Wireline Safe Frame (Norse Technology)
- LYNX mast (Dwellop)
- InterLift (Wellvene)
- ALPA winch (Axess group)
- Lubricator Securing Bridge (Stavanger Engineering)

Wireline Safe Frame

- NORSOK compliance
- Connected with QU on top of WL BOP
- Provides double securing during BHA handling
- Removes need for scaffolding for access to BHA







LYNX mast

- NORSOK Compliance
- No need for guy wires (secured in hatch)
- No scaffolding
- Low footprint
- Arm to guide and secure rig up





InterLift

Mechanically secured lifting of rig up

- No need for wireline mast
- Hydraulic piston to move (rotates) rig up away from well center
- Available in multiple configurations (BOP, QU size etc.)
- Total height and weight of rig up need to be considered case by case



WEIGHTS AND DIMS Quad BOP c/w lower piston asso

Quad BOP c/w lower piston assembly = 5.2T Height = 10.1ft I.D - 6.625"

Dual BOP c/w Lower piston assembly = 3.7T Height = 7.1ft I.D - 6.625"

Upper Piston Assembly = 1.2T Height = 8ft I.D - 6.625"

Toolstring clamp c/w 2ft Lubricator Pup joint 500kg lifting capacity



ALPA Winch

NORSOK R-002 Annex K class II system

- Connected to DDM to provide double securing lift Wireline operations on drill floor (through derric)
- NORSOK R-002 Annex K rated dual winch system. Conventional method air hoist system (single system)

ALPA - Redundant Winch

Redundant Lifting Appliance - Double Secured Winch for Traverse Crane and DDM Draw Work Mounting





Kvitebjørn - DDM setup



Gudrun - overhead crane setup



Lubricator Securing Bridge

- Provides break-point above BOP or further up from bridge floor
- Bridge self-skidding (North South)
- Lubricator securing module self-skidding (East West)
- One remote control panel for operation
- Do not lift only hold.





Summary

- Before 2020 limited technical solutions
- No "one size fits all"
- 2025 More operations with double securing features than without (Norway)
- Norway leading the way limited focus international (as of now)
- Focus and priority from Operators major contributors to development of mentioned solutions

