



Gulf drilling international laid up rigs

What jackup rigs did Gulf drill rebrand?

Gulf Drilling International (GDI) has rebranded three jackup rigs it purchased from Seadrill earlier this year. The rigs, formerly known as West Castor, West Telesto, and West Tucana, have been renamed Al Bidda, Mesaieed, and Laffan, respectively.

Who owns Seadrill jack-up rig fleet in Qatar?

Gulf Drilling International (GDI), a subsidiary of Gulf International Services (GIS), has completed the purchase of Seadrill jack-up rig fleet and related joint venture (JV) interest in Qatar. As a result of the transaction, Gulfdrill became a wholly owned subsidiary of GDI.

Did GDI buy Seadrill jackup rigs?

Qatar-based Gulf Drilling International (GDI) has renamed three jackup rigs it purchased from Seadrill earlier in 2024. GDI agreed to acquire the 400-ft rated West Castor, West Telesto, and West Tucana for \$338 million in May 2024, with the transaction closing in June.

How much is GDI acquiring Jack-up rigs in Qatar?

The total consideration for the acquisition of the three jack-up rigs (of Gulfdrill) is \$325mn and \$13mn for the acquisition of the joint venture interest. With this transaction, GDI contracted offshore fleet in Qatar has reached 10 rigs, further consolidating its position as the largest jack-up operator in Qatar.

Where were offshore drilling rigs made, primarily?

Until the early 1970s, most offshore drilling rigs were built in U.S. yards (31 of the 327 rigs listed here were built in a year beginning with a 2). The offshore drilling rig was invented in Texas.

How many drilling rigs are in the Gulf of Mexico?

There are 14 active drilling rigs in the Gulf of Mexico, as stated in the passage 'Each rig successfully secured its respective well in progress and took evasive actions to avoid the storm's path'. The U.S. Gulf of Mexico is also home to more than 1,000 fixed production platforms.

A decade later, on 1st of May 2014, Gulf International Services (GIS), acquired all remaining JDC shares, increasing its stake in GDI to 100%. In the last two decades till date, GDI has ...

Gulf Drilling International Ltd. (GDI), a subsidiary of Gulf International Services (GIS), the largest oilfield service company in Qatar, officially signed on 8 September 2014, four new contracts ...

GDI had struck a \$338mn deal with the US-based Seadrill Jack Up Holding to acquire the latter's 50% stake in the joint venture Gulfdrill and its three jack-up rigs. The total ...



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The Bermuda-based player has now entered into a definitive agreement to divest the rig trio and its 50% equity interest in the joint venture ...

Bermuda-based drilling contractor Seadrill has agreed to sell for \$338 million cash its Qatar jack-up fleet and its 50% equity interest in the joint ...

Well-equipped. Gulf Drilling International (GDI) has taken delivery of the new offshore rig "Halul", a KFELS B Class jack up rig, on budget and with a perfect ...

"The economic downturn, that by 2009 was in full force, resulted in a lower demand for drilling services, excess rig supply and lower day rates. By 2010, approximately 30 per cent ...

GDI owns and operates a fleet of twelve (12) offshore drilling rigs, seven (7) land rigs, two (2) dp self-propelled liftboats, and one (1) accommodation jack-up.

Seadrill Ltd. has agreed to sell its Qatar jackup fleet and its 50% equity interest in the joint venture that operates these rigs offshore Qatar to ...

Gulf Drilling International (GDI) announced today that the new jack-up drilling rig "Dukhan" has been accepted by Qatar Petroleum, and left NKOM Shipyard at Ras Laffan ...

Gulf Drilling International is a Qatari-owned company that provides onshore and offshore oil and gas drilling services. The company offers land and offshore drilling, liftboat ...

GDI provides drilling rigs and related services to oil and gas exploration and production companies primarily in Qatar. As of 2024, the company operates twelve offshore jack-up ...

Gulf Drilling International Ltd, have signed a definitive agreement with Seadrill for the utilization of the offshore drilling rig "West Tucana". As a part of the ...

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Market Leadership Gulf Drilling International is the largest jack-up rig operator in Qatar, highlighting its dominant presence in the local offshore drilling market and offering a ...

Seadrill is a leading offshore drilling contractor utilizing advanced technology to unlock oil and gas resources for clients across harsh and benign locations around the globe.

Seadrill Limited ("Seadrill" or the "Company") (NYSE OSE: SDRL) today announced that it has completed the previously disclosed sale of three jack-up rigs--the West ...

Rig Les Hat awarded 2024 Jack Up Rig of the year by Shell (Worldwide Award) Malcolm Jones, VP Wells East, Qatar Shell Service Company awarded the Les Hat team "Shell"s JU Rig of the ...

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