Offshore Wind Turbine Foundation

Monopile CP Retrofit Options

Deepwater Norway AS

Environmental Variables Internal

- Conditions
 - Partially filled with Static Seawater
 - Mixture of atmospheric and submerged
 - Sealed conditions or are they??



Design Codes

- DNV (Det Norske Veritas) Certification
- DNV OS-J101 Design of Offshore Wind Turbine Structures
- Early versions a bit vague on corrosion protection
- Later revisions of OS-J101 included improved corrosion protection/ monitoring
- Cathodic Protection refers to DNV-RP-B401
 - is this applicable??

CP Retrofit

- Need to minimise any retrospective activities
- Working inside is very difficult
- Need to Consider overall Solution including the installation
- Not just about the material costs



Internal CP Systems - Monopiles



Sacrificial Anode Retrofit

- RetroLink
- Simple suspended anode solution,
- Designed and engineered for durable service
- Can be customised





Up the Ladder

Vessel to Turbine Lift



And Down Again

Assembling Anodes on lower deck

Ready to Lift Anodes



Lowering of String

Insert Rope

- Very Expensive
- Stainless rope difficult to cast
- Over-potential issues
- Does not solve corrosion issue necessarily

Monitoring



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