

Offshore Technology Conference 2018 Fact Sheet

PURPOSE: The Offshore Technology Conference (OTC) showcases leading-edge technology for offshore

drilling, exploration, production, and environmental protection. OTC is the world's foremost event for the development of offshore resources. The conference, in its 50th edition, attracts

attendees and exhibiting companies from around the globe.

WHERE: NRG Park

Houston, Texas, USA

WHEN: 30 April-3 May 2018

WHO ATTENDS: Engineers, technicians, executives, operators, scientists, and managers from more than 100

countries and all fields in the offshore energy sector.

FREQUENCY: Annual FOUNDING DATE: 1969

2018 PRELIMINARY

STATISTICS: Exhibiting Companies: 2,000+ representing 40+ countries (including divisions and

subsidiaries) and 23 international pavilions

Exhibit net square feet: 500,000+ sq. ft, including outdoor exhibits

Attendance: 70,000+ attendees representing 100+ countries (includes exhibit

personnel)

Technical Presentations: 350+ technical presentations, 22 topical breakfast and luncheons, and

11 panel sessions

Media Coverage: 300+ journalists from around the world

2017 FINAL STATISTICS: Attendance: 64,700+ representing 100+ countries (includes exhibit

personnel)

ORGANIZER: Offshore Technology Conference

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SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS

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American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE)
American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical, and Petroleum
Engineers (AIME)

American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE)
American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME)
Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers - Oceanic
Engineering Society (IEEE-OES)

Marine Technology Society (MTS)
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International Association of Drilling Contractors (IADC) Petroleum Equipment & Services Association (PESA)

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American Association of Drilling Engineers (AADE)

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