



VALLOUREC & MANNESMANN TUBES

First time down under

V & M TUBES presented VAM – VAM RISER – VAM DRILLING products at the Deep Offshore Technology (DOT) Conference in Perth.

The 20th Deep Offshore Technology (DOT) International Conference & Exhibition 3 – 5 December 2008 in Perth Australia was platform for a team from different divisions presenting in the three days event their products and answer the questions asked by operators, service industry and engineering companies.

The tremendous interest was unexpected and therewith all team members are happy about the success and that all the effort will pay of.

The next Generation of Deepwater challenges was the topic guiding the three days sessions: four papers were successfully presented by our team members – one paper was highlighted on the PennWell / Offshore magazine web pages.

Titles of papers presented:

- 2nd Generation Drill Pipe Riser (DPR): A step change in Performance for Deepwater Intervention
- Fatigue Resistant Threaded and Coupled Connectors for Deepwater Riser Systems: Design and Performance Evaluation by Analysis and Full Scale Tests
- Developments in Riser Technology for the Next Generation Ultra-Deep HPHT Wells
- Drilling Saver and Faster with Improved Technologies for Challenging Drilling Applications

