DRILLING VESSEL

ABSTRACT

The invention relates to a drilling vessel having a firing line, along which a tubular string is passed into the sea during drilling activities, the firing line extending in a substantially vertical direction, and a tubular string support structure. According to the invention, the tubular string support structure comprises a cart transport system configured for moving the at least one cart between its support position in the firing line, and its secondary position outside the firing line.

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