

## 50 Years of Response Technology



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## **TORREY CANYON (1967)**





The salvage experts were unanimous in the view - shared by the British government that the best chance of preventing the further escape of oil was to try to salve the tanker in one piece and refloat her. Provided that the weather held out, the chances of saving her were at that time reasonable.



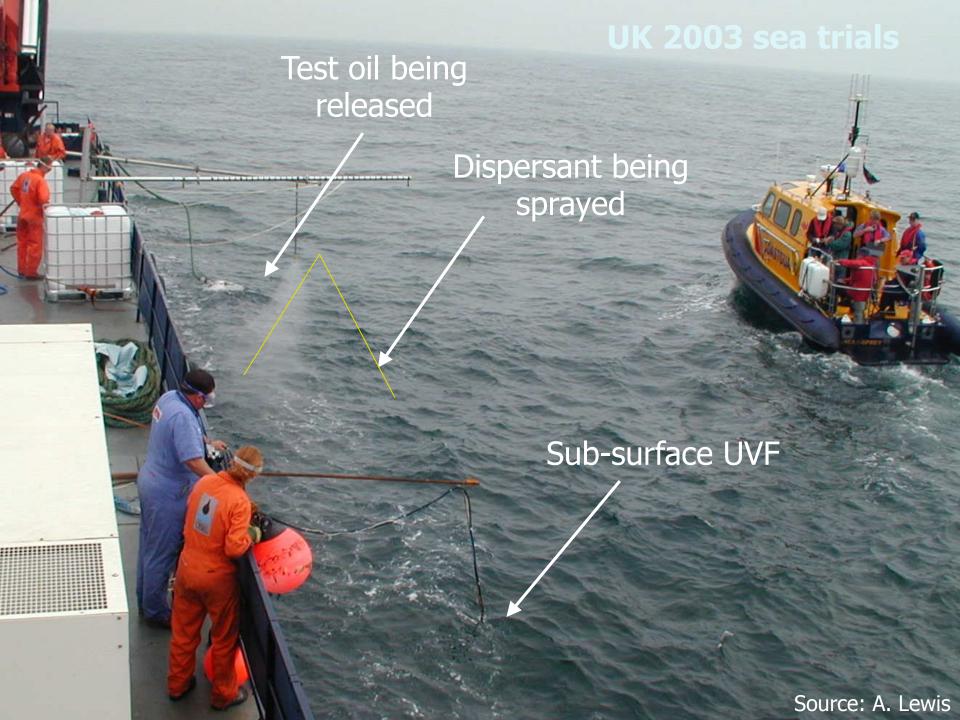


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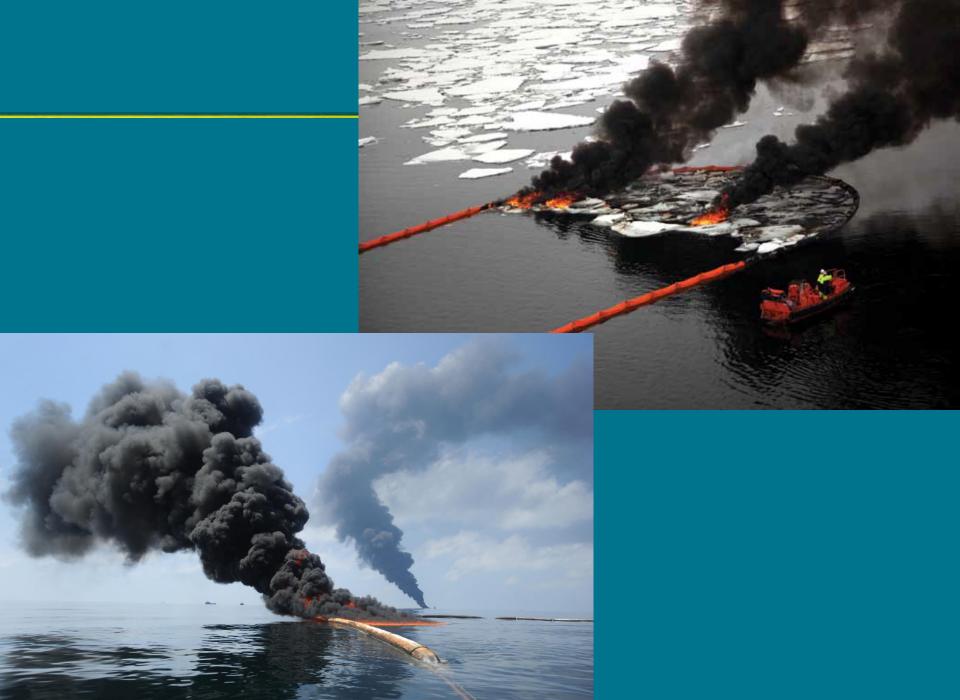


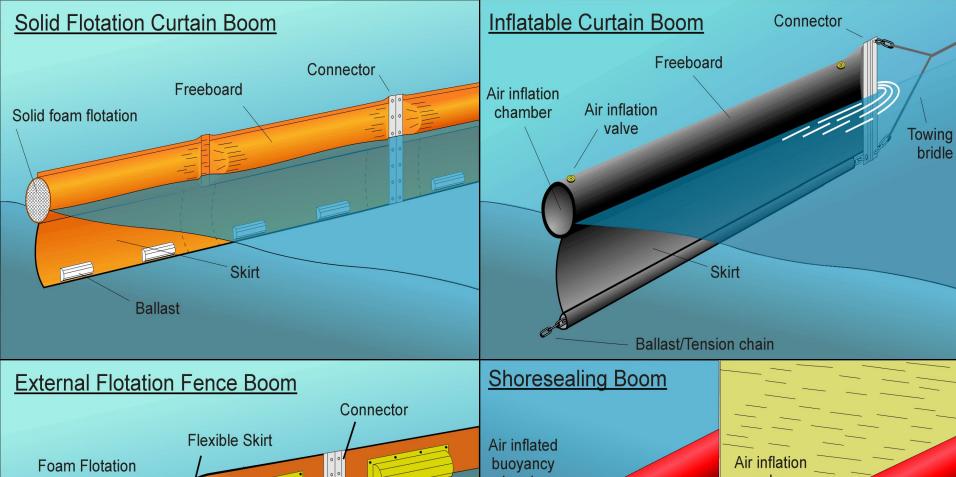


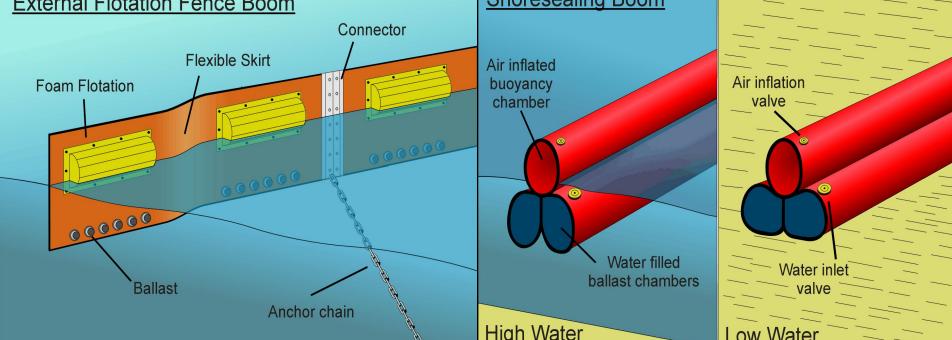






















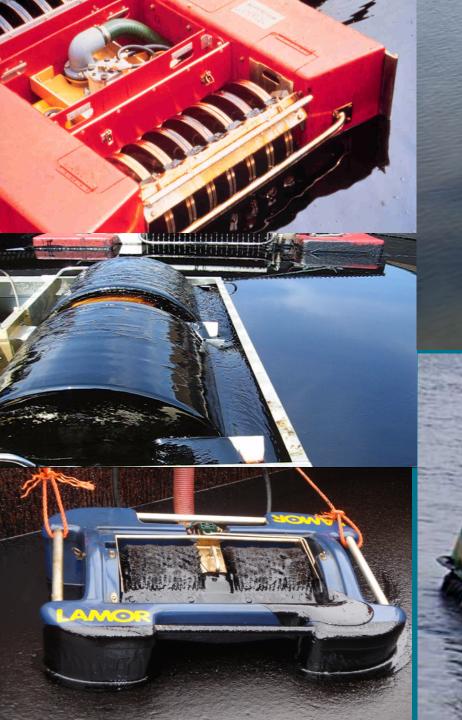






# Skimmers































### **Any Questions!**

#### The Answers are in the Exhibit Hall



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