

IADC WellSharp Driller Level Well Control (Surface)

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| Duration | 4 Days |
| Target group | The IADC WellSharp “Well Control for Drilling Operations – for Drillers” course has been designed for anyone expected to shut-in a well, such as drillers and assistant drillers. |
| Prerequisites | Prior IADC or IWCF certification at Introductory or Driller Level is required. The training is role-specific so previous experience in an assistant driller or driller role during drilling operations is assumed. Please contact us to discuss candidate suitability if you have any doubts or queries. |
| Objective | The IADC WellSharp Driller Level Well Control course is essential training for those currently working in a role that is expected to shut-in a well. The course aims to reinforce and improve the candidate’s existing knowledge and appreciation of the various stages of shutting-in a well; from kick detection to shutting in the well, to monitoring once the well is shut in and monitoring the well-kill operation. |
| Contents | <p>The course is delivered over 4 days through presentation of a series of interactive lectures supported by videos and animations, supplemented by a classroom workbook and further self-study exercises and practical work on a drilling simulator. Topics covered include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drilling, Workover & Completion Plan - Awareness Shut In Procedures & Verification Well Control Concepts Post Shut In Monitoring & Activities Mud & Pit Management Pre-Recorded Data Well Control Methods Casing & Cementing Considerations Causes of Kicks Risk Management Barriers Equipment Shallow Gas, Water Flows & Tophole Drilling Extract of Subsea Elements Abnormal Pressure Warning Signs Well Control Drills Kick Detection Well Control Practice with Simulators Hands-on simulation exercises will be conducted |
| Exam | Successful completion of the course and a minimum score of 75% in the written assessment and 70% in the practical skills assessment will result in IADC WellSharp Driller Level certification which is valid for two years. |