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Coupled dynamic analysis of subsea mining riser systems

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Research topics:

• To extend the 1D flow model to include particles and three phase flow with compressible gas (gas-lift scenarios).

Integration of 1D flow model in SIMA

Industrial goal:

 To contribute towards positioning the Norwegian Maritime industry in the forefront wrt. commercial harvesting of subsea minerals

Scientific questions:

 How will transients related to start-up and operation of mining riser system contribute to riser response?

Innovations:

 A framework for performing dynamic response analysis of long riser systems with internal and external flow

Cooperating company:

