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The Mega Transport Experts

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# Offshore Bound! Deck & Jacket Load Out



## Job Specs

### Weight:

591 & 332 Tons

### Dimensions:

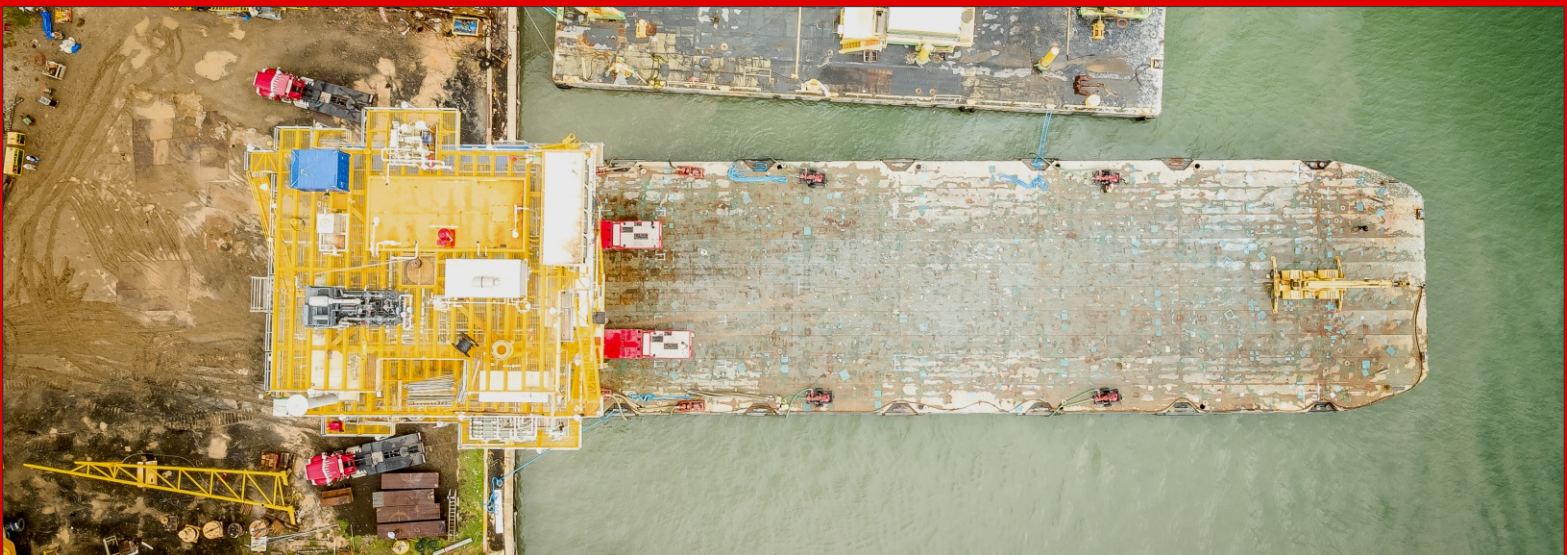
Deck: 72' L x 65' W x 97' H

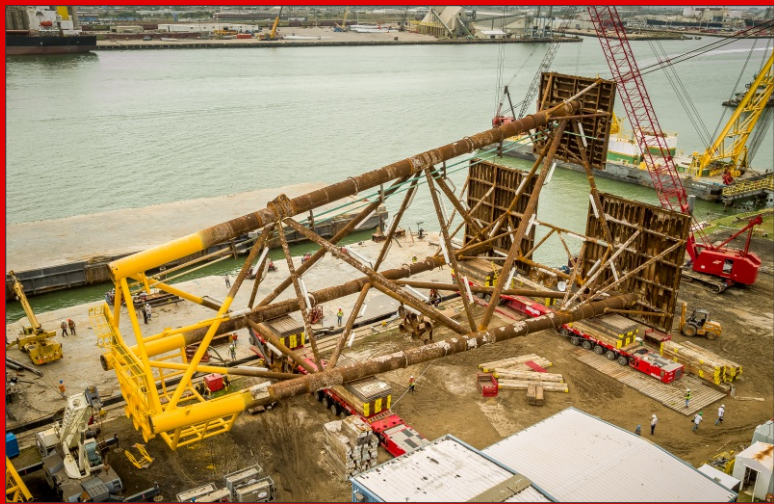
Jacket: 156' L x 70' W x 66' H

### Equipment Used:

28 axle lines of SPMTs,  
2 power packs, 2 - 6 axle  
spacer deck, crane mats,  
barge ramps, water pumps  
and winch trucks

Berard has been serving the needs of the oil & gas industry's top companies for decades and this project was another prime example with the load out of this deck and jacket package destined for the Gulf of Mexico. The team worked within a very congested work site as well as overcoming poor ground conditions. First to load out was the 591 ton, three pile deck which was first caroused in place to line up with the barge. The deck was then moved onto the barge and with it having such a high center of gravity, the team ensured that the deck was kept level as it rolled on. Next to go was the 332 ton jacket. SPMTs were positioned perpendicular so that the jacket could be side loaded due to the site's space constraints. Another challenge was having to stack several crane mats on top of SPMTs to keep the jacket level for easier lifting once it reached it's destination offshore. Thanks to all of our dedicated team members and our valued client for making this another awesome project!





# The Shipyard Moving The Harvey Fleet



## Job Specs

**Weight:**  
720 - 1,132 Tons

**Dimensions:**  
201' L x 48' W

**Equipment Used:**  
40 axle lines of SPMTs  
and 2 power packs

The Berard Team recently assisted a shipyard with the removal and storage of several offshore supply vessels (OSVs). The client lifted the vessels from the water using their own synchronous lift system and once lifted and level with the bulkhead, Berard team members placed SPMTs under the hull to raise and transport the OSVs off of the lift. It was a very tight fit as the team moved each vessel into the client's fabrication shop, then backing out while making a hard left turn out of the shop area. The maneuverability of the SPMTs and the skill set of our team members played a key role in making this difficult transport happen.





# Leaders In Philanthropy Award



Berard received the 2017 Leaders in Philanthropy Corporate award from the Community Foundation of Acadiana for generosity to Iberia Parish causes. Berard was the first company to fund the Leader in Me project for the Iberia Parish School System, a program that creates a culture of student empowerment that every child can be a leader at the elementary level. Berard has also donated to, participated, and volunteered in many cultural community organizations including Iberia Performing Arts League, Shadows on the Teche, The Bayou Teche Museum, the Gumbo Cook-Off, Symphony in the Park, the Dave Robicheaux Festival, and the Louisiana Sugar Cane Festival Association through Stars of Style.

# Lift & Move Event Report



The Berard team had a great time last month exhibiting at the Lift & Move event in Baton Rouge. The event is a way to get high school students interested in the crane, rigging and heavy transport industries. Berard team member Harley Mitchell gave demonstrations on our 13 axle heavy haul trailer as well as Trey Scarabin and Jacob Boudreaux giving a great show of our SPMTs. The event was a great success and we were glad to take part in helping students get a glimpse into our industry.





# Merry Christmas!

The Berard team sends our warmest holiday greetings to all of our team members, their families, and our valued clients. We are thankful for another successful year made possible by the dedication of our team, and the trust of our clients.

With all good wishes to you and your family for health and happiness throughout the coming year.

*From all of us at*

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# Cody Labit

## Asst. Service Technician



Cody Labit joined the team in November of 2014 and has been a dedicated part of the Berard team ever since. He assists our great service team in keeping our equipment in top running order.

Cody enjoys working at Berard and comments, "I enjoy being with great coworkers and bosses in a family atmosphere. They take care of their employees. I really like working on the equipment that we use to make the big moves every day."

He is a 3rd generation drag racer and enjoys cookouts, being with friends and family. Cody is married to Kayla and they have 2 dogs—Roscoe and Bentley.



# Happy Birthday!

**Happy Birthday to These Dedicated Team Members!**

Amanda Hebert  
Raven Naquin  
Michele Simpson

Daron Holmes  
Jacob Rogers  
Trey Scarabin