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The Monthly Newsletter from the Berard Team



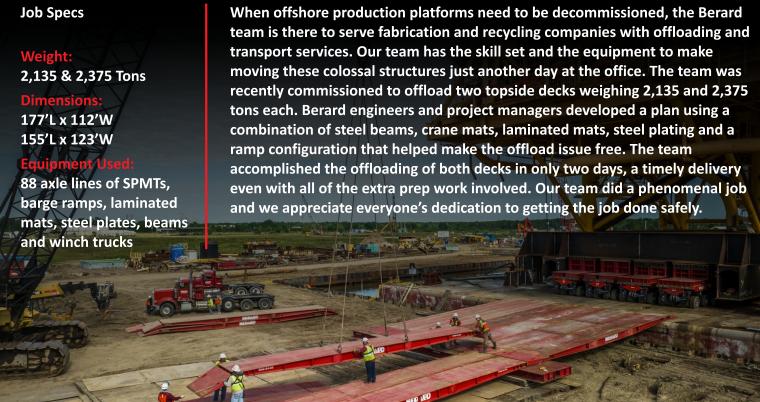
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**The Mega Transport Experts** 

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**Job Specs** 

#### Weight:

1,139 Tons

### **Dimensions:**

199'L x 41'W

#### Equipment Used:

48 axle lines of SPMTs, 2 spacers, ramps and winch trucks

The Berard team recently loaded out the first of three oceanographic research vessels dedicated to advancing marine science along U.S. coasts. The 199'x 41' Taani is being built as part of a project led by Oregon State University and funded by the U.S. National Science Foundation to provide scientists with valuable new tools to study critical issues such as rapidly changing ocean conditions. The team used 48 axle lines of SPMTs to lift the 1,139 ton vessel and transport it to the client's dry dock. Once at the bulkhead, Berard worked closely with the shipyard's dry dock team to coordinate the smooth and timely transfer of the vessel from land to dry dock. Now on the dry dock, the team maneuvered the vessel and lowered it onto pre-positioned supports. The SPMTs were then removed and the Taani was later floated off and readied for further outfitting by the shipyard. Berard was proud to be chosen to transport this amazing research ship.













Every job site comes with risks. From the moment our team arrives on site, our team members do our best to minimize the risk of injury by implementing a strong job site safety plan. With several pieces of equipment moving around simultaneously, good communication is key to keeping everyone out of harms way.

Berard team members work closely with our clients team to ensure everyone's on the same page, thus making sure each and every team member has a safe day and goes home to their families.

# Always wear personal protective equipment (RPE

PPE is essential on construction sites. Everyone on your team must wear a hardhat, high viz vest, glasses, and gloves whenever necessary.

## Limit crowd sizes in work areas

Crowds are pretty common on construction sites with large teams. But they can also increase the risk of injury if not managed properly.

## Keep work areas clea

You also want to ensure that you're keeping your work areas as clean and clear as possible.

## > Keep a communication device or hand

If someone on your job sites does experience an injury, you want to make sure to contact help as quickly as possible.

Birthdays @ Berard

# Happy Birthday!

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

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