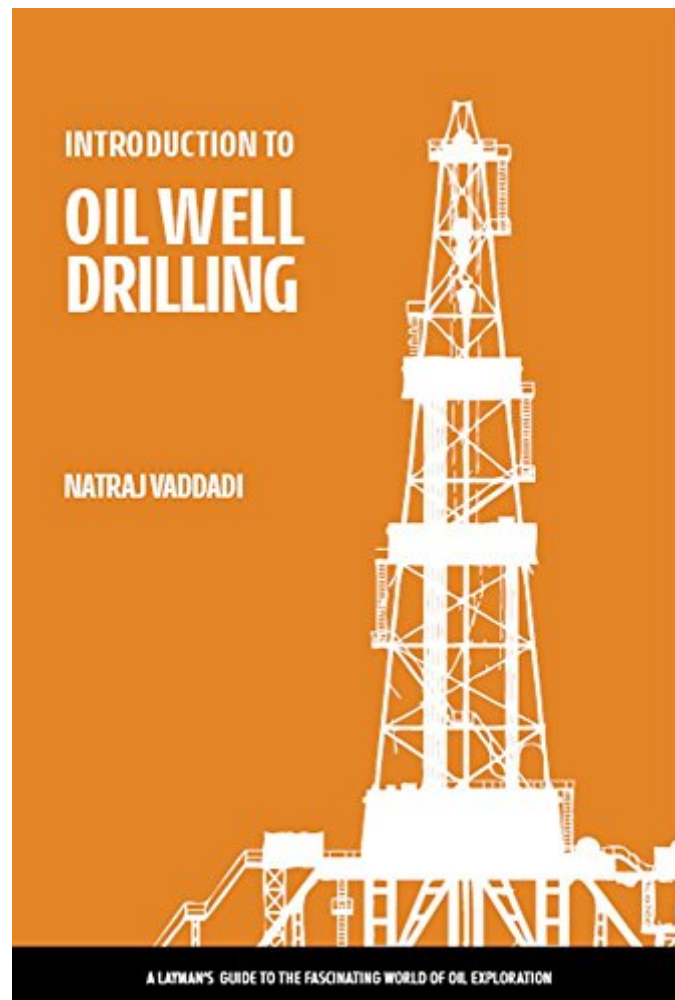




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# INTRODUCTION TO OIL WELL DRILLING: A Layman's Guide To The Fascinating World Of Oil Exploration



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Unfortunately, there are some too small figures in the book so I couldn't read all the names of machinery parts. And there's no possibility to zoom in these figures (pictures).

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