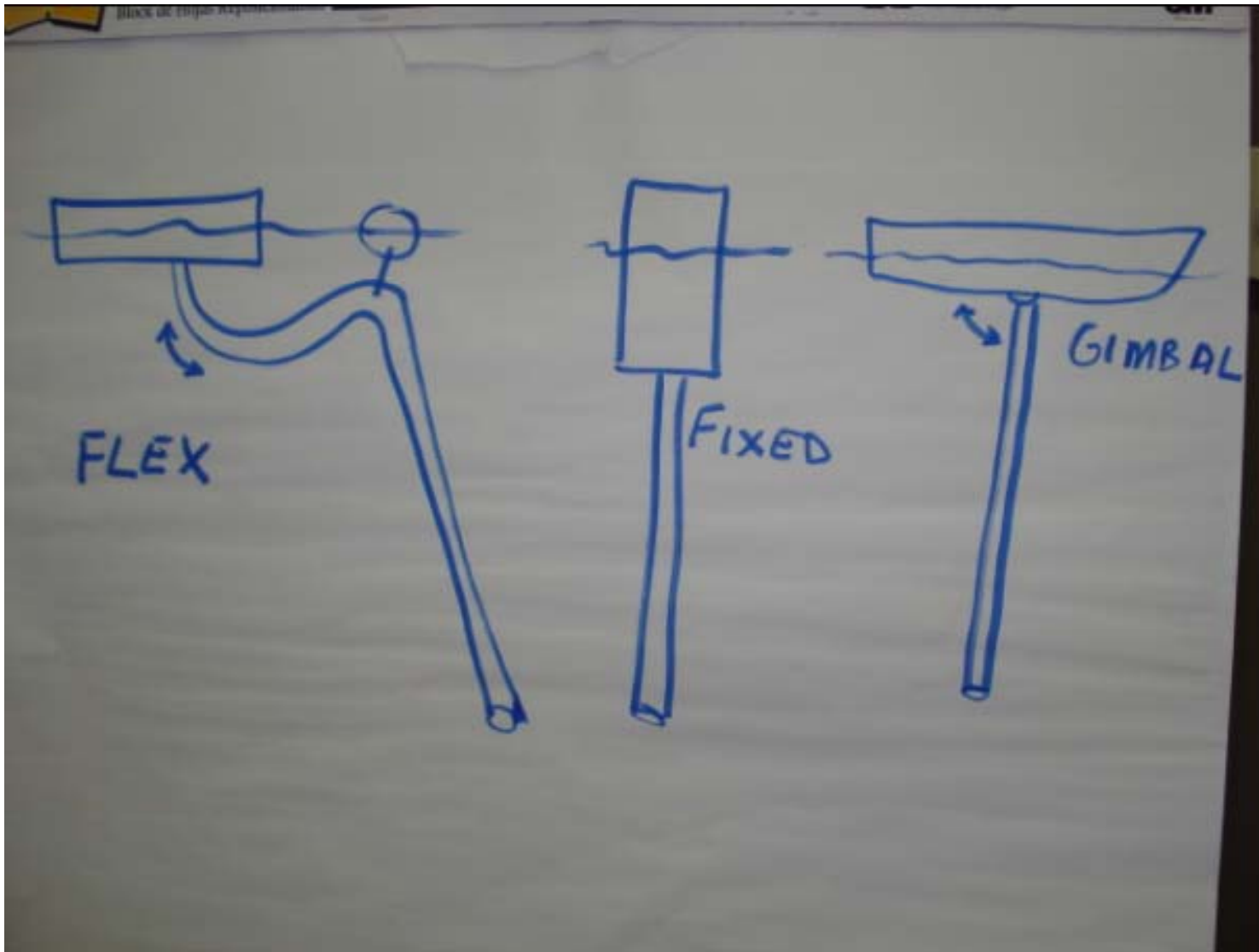


Pipe/Platform Interface

- What are the state-of-the-art technologies for the technical component?
- Considerations
 - Technical Readiness Level
 - Manufacturing Readiness Level
 - Size or Diameter

Configurations



Precedent Technology

- Lessons learned from past case studies
 - Systems that can accept high strains tend to fail less
 - System problem
- Off-shore industry routinely handles multiple risers (1 m diameter) in substantial depths
 - Technology probably can be adapted to larger diameters