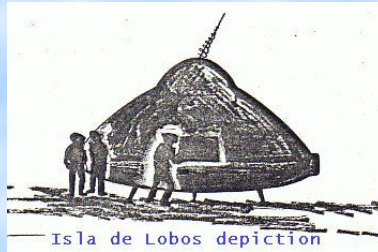


## 1972: Isla de Lobos, Uruguay

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*Sketch of the scene and occupants*

Isla de Lobos is a small island a few miles off the Uruguayan coast, just where the River Plate meets the Atlantic Ocean. Its name means literally “island of the fur seals”, as these animals roam freely, and it is a lonely place where the only outstanding feature is the lighthouse. The maintenance of this lighthouse is the responsibility of the Navy, and for that purpose a small garrison of 4 or 5 men is kept on the island. Their main task is to attend to the electric generators, as the actual operation of the beam is automatic. It is a routine and non-stressing job, and the tours of duty are 15 days in and 15 days out.

Corporal Juan Maria Fuentes Figueroa, age 41, encountered a multicolored, humming domed disc at his military base on Isla de Lobos, Rocha province, Uruguay and pointed his gun at three entities he saw on the ground. The entities were wearing rubber-like black diver suits, and the backs of their heads were elongated, as if they were wearing hoods. He was paralyzed when he did this. A blinding flash occurred when the object took off, then it flew away silently.

These two entities were about 1.50 m. (5 ft), while the third one, the last to descend, was 1.75-1.80 m. (6 ft). Thus, their

heights were within the normal human limits . Their silhouettes were dark, as if they were wearing heavy black rubber suits. The witness attributed their slow and deliberate motions to the weight of their suits, and thinks that his presence surprised the strangers at the beginning of an operation never to be completed. The most distinctive feature of the entities, clearly noticeable in the profile view that they offered to the witness, was the elongated shape of the back o their heads. It is not clear if this corresponds to the heads themselves, or it is was the result of some type of hood or garment.

**Reliability evaluation:**

**- very high -**

**something really seen by the witness;**

**one single witness only;**

**confusion with a possible helicopter and its crew**

