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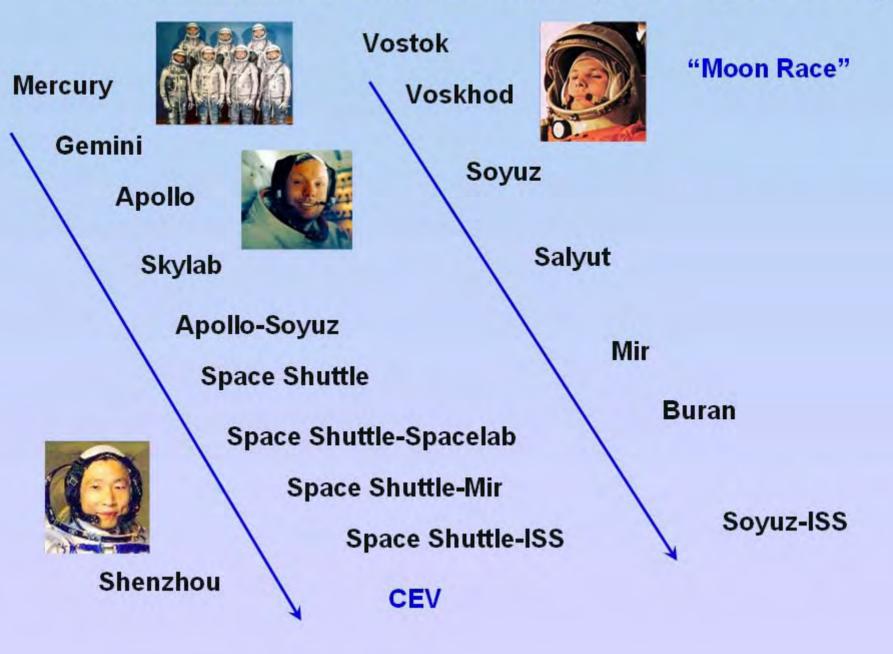


"A Brief History of Manned Spaceflight"

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U.S., Russia, and China Human Space Flight History



World Manned Spaceflight Launch Sites



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Spaceports

Brazil (FAB, AEB)	Alcantara Launch Center
Canada (CAF, CSA)	Fort Churchill
China (CNSA)	Jiuquan Satellite Launch Center • Taiyuan Satellite Launch Center • Wenchang Satellite Launch Center • Xichang Satellite Launch Center
Europe (ESA) France (CNES)	Guiana Space Centre (in French Guiana)
India (ISRO)	Satish Dhawan Space Centre
Israel (ISA)	Palmachim Airbase
Italy (ASI)	San Marco platform (coastal sublittoral of Kenya)
Japan (JAXA)	Tanegashima Space Center • Uchinoura Space Center
South Korea (KARI)	Naro Space Center
Sweden (SSC)	Esrange
Pakistan (SUPARCO)	Sonmiani Launch Center
Russia (RKA)	Baikonur Cosmodrome (in Kazakhstan) • Dombarovskiy • Kapustin Yar • Plesetsk Cosmodrome • Svobodny • Vostochny Cosmodrome
USA (NASA, DoD)	in USA: Kennedy Space Center • Wallops Flight Facility • Cape Canaveral Air Force Station • Vandenberg Air Force Base • elsewhere: Reagan Test Site
Private	in USA: Corn Ranch • Kodiak Launch Complex • Mid-Atlantic Regional Spaceport • Mojave Airport & Spaceport • Oklahoma Spaceport • Spaceport America • elsewhere: Ocean Odyssey

Baikonur Cosmodrome



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Baikonur Cosmodrome



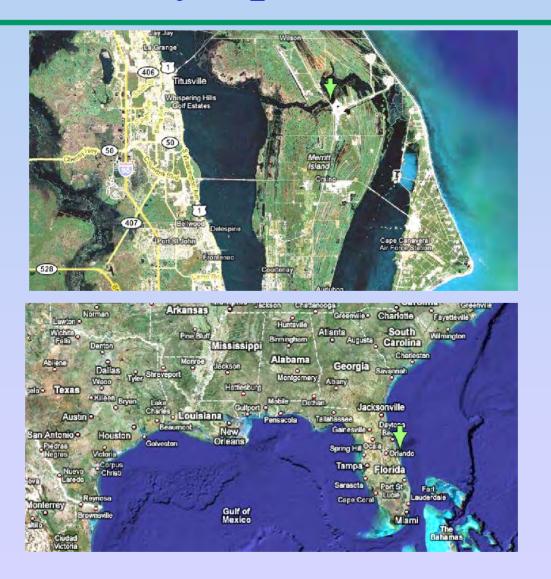
Soyuz Rocket and Spacecraft



Soyuz Apollo Soyuz Test Project NASA

Soyuz TMA-9 launch RSA

Kennedy Space Center



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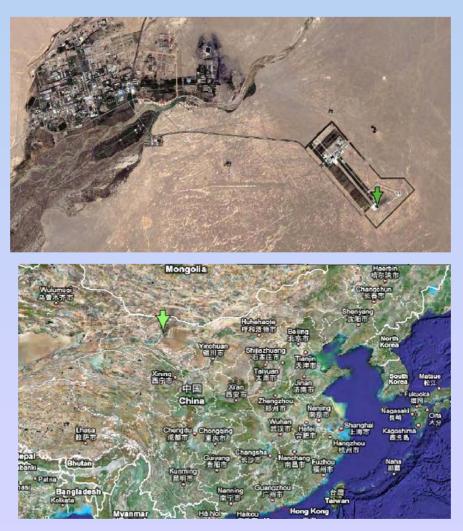


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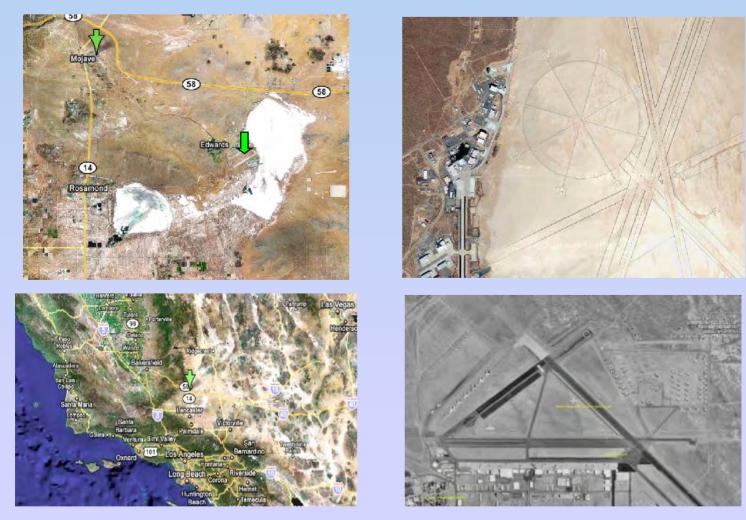


Jiuquan Satellite Launch Center



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Mojave Spaceport & Edwards AFB



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Yuri Gagarin







Gagarin in his space suit

12 April 1961

Valentina Tereshkova



1st Woman in Space

16 June 1963

Mercury Program Astronauts

A. Shepherd, W. Schirra, J. Glenn



V. Grissom, S. Carpenter, D. Slayton, G. Cooper

Apollo 11 Crew: Neil Armstrong, Edwin Aldrin, Michael Collins



Yang Liwei 杨利伟



CNSA Astronaut



1st Taikonaut

CNN: October 16, 2003

X-15 Spaceplane

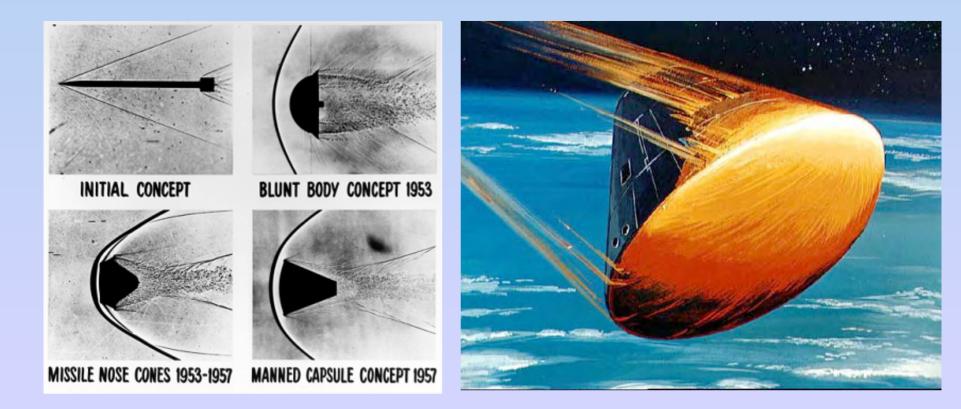




Launch from B52 bomber Ascent to > 100 km Landing at EAFB

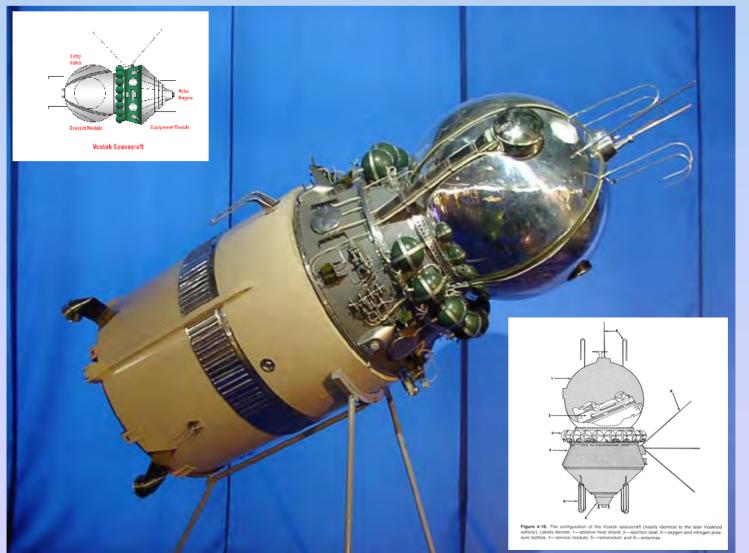
US Air Force, North American Aviation, Wikipedia

Ballistic Re-entry



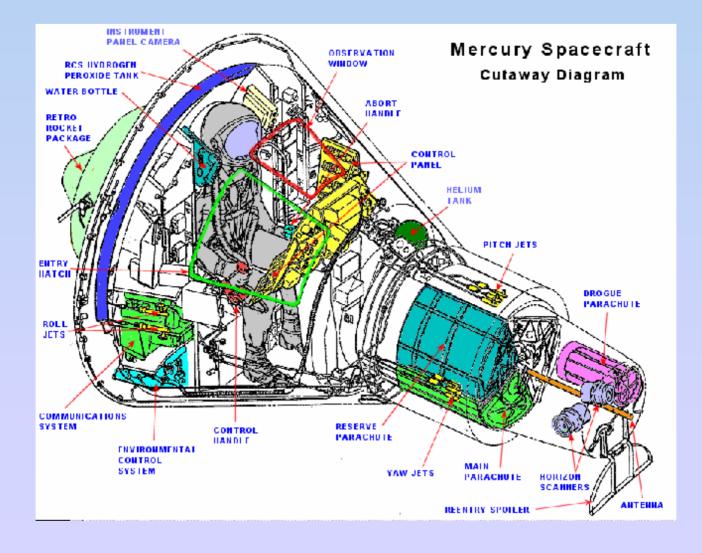
Schlieren optics photos from wind tunnel tests and concept of blunt ballistic re-entry vehicle with ablative heat shield

Vostok: 1st Manned Spacecraft



RSA Wikipedia Nicogossian *et al.* 1989.

Mercury Spacecraft "Capsule"



NASA

Mercury Launch Vehicles



Redstone and Atlas

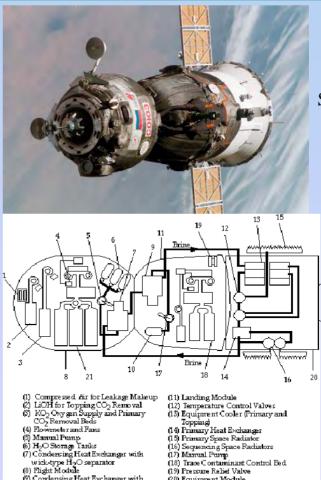
Gemini Spacecraft



NASA Nicogossian *et al.* 1989.

Soyuz Spacecraft





Soyuz TMA-6

RSA, Nicogossian et al. 1989

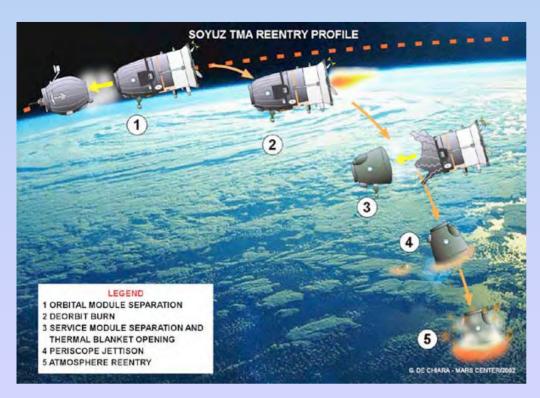
 (19) Heistie (chief valve (20) Equipment Module
(21) KO₂ Beds for Oxygen Supply and Trace Contaminant Removal with Activated Charcoal and Bacteria Filter

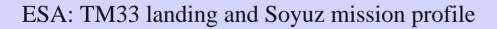
 (b) Contensing Heat Exchanger with wick-type H₂O separator
(10) H₂OStorage Tank

Soyuz Interior



Soyuz Landing









Extravehicular Activities, EVAs



First Russian and first American space walks (EVA's) plus modern STS maneuvering unit NASA

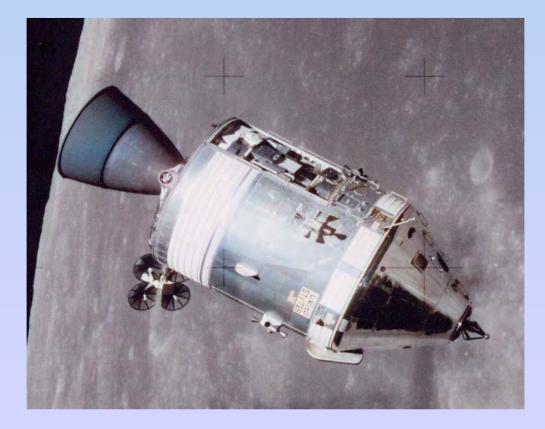
Saturn V



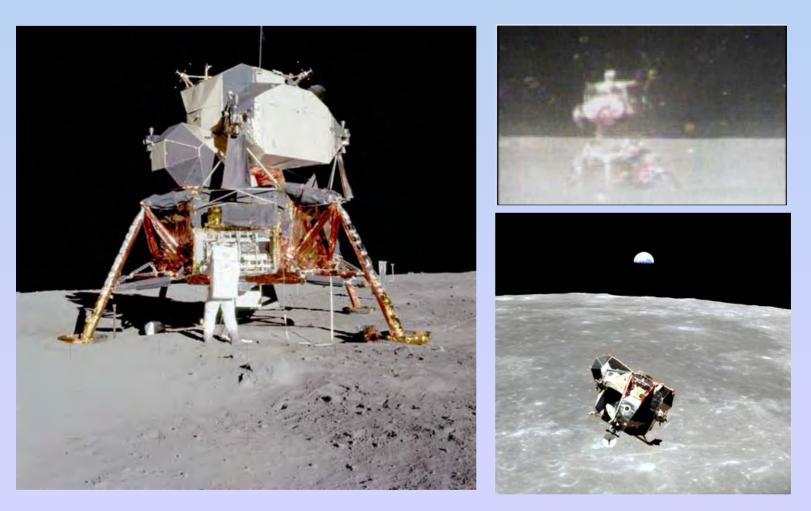
Saturn V was the largest rocket and launched the Apollo spacecraft and SkyLab

NASA, Nicogossian et al. 1989

Apollo Command & Service Modules

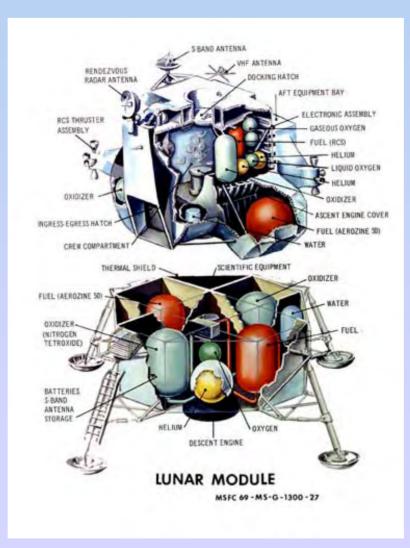


Apollo Lunar Module



Apollo 11 LM on lunar surface and returning to command module. _{NASA} Apollo 16 lift-off from moon.

Apollo Lunar Module



NASA

Lunar Surface Activities: Apollo 17





Rover activities in lunar highlands and note potentially biohazardous dust on astronaut E. Cernan



NASA

Apollo Command Module Landing & Recovery



Apollo 17 Landing and Recovery Operations

STS Launch and Landing







Space Shuttle Configuration



Shuttle components for the cargo bay and a view of the mid-deck

Lifting Bodies





Dryden Flight Research Center EC69-2353 Photographed 10/13/72 Lifting Bodies: X-24A, M2-F3, HL-10 demonstrated the ability re-enter the Earth from space flight and helped to test the technology necessary for future aircraft to fly at hypersonic cruise speeds.

> Lifting body aircraft were gliders used to test aerodynamics of unpowered re-entry vehicles

Buran

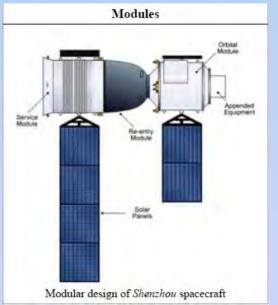


The Russian version of the Shuttle only flew once in an unmanned mode

> Energia RSA

Shenzhou Spacecraft







CNN:Monday, October 6, 2003 Wikipedia

Shenzhou Landing



CNN:Monday, October 6, 2003

Salyut 7 Space Station



Salyut 7 from Soyuz TM13 RSA & Wikipedia

Progress Cargo Vehicle



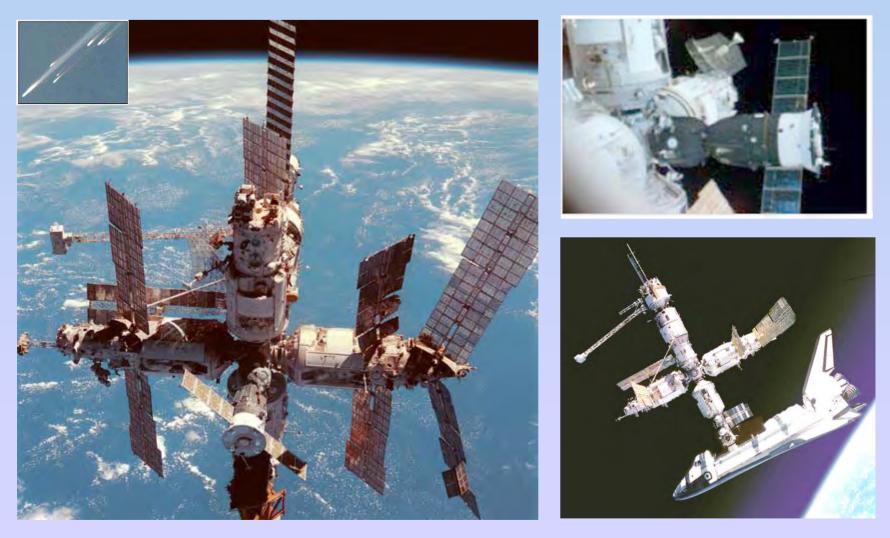
Progress M52

Skylab: Converted Saturn IVB Stage



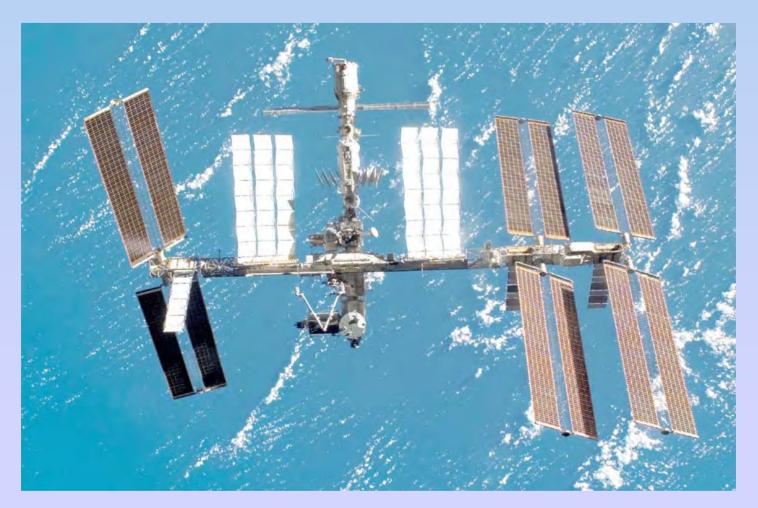
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Mir Space Station

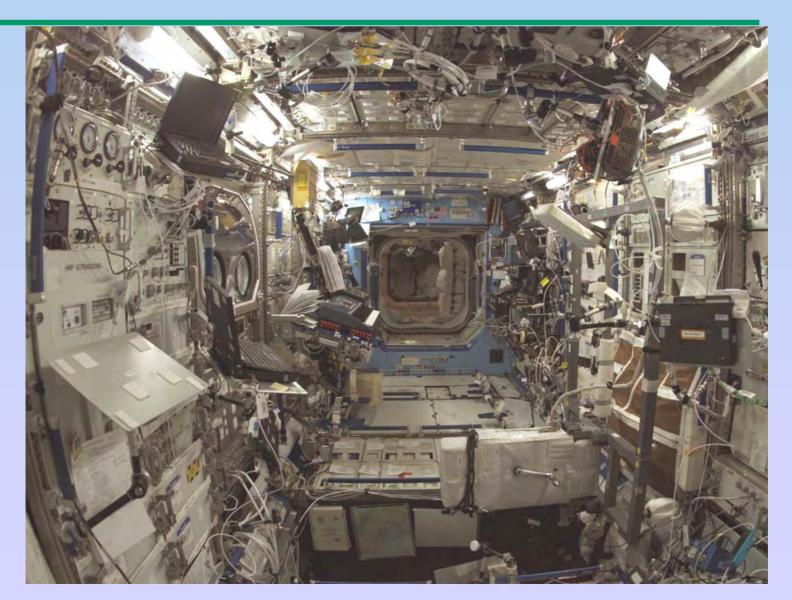


Mir on June 12, 1998; Re-entry 3-23-2001; Mir docked to Atlantis and Soyuz. Wikipedia

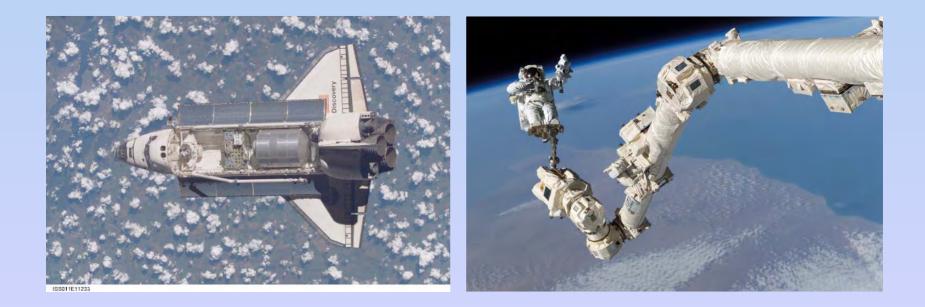
International Space Station after STS 123 Mission



ISS Interior

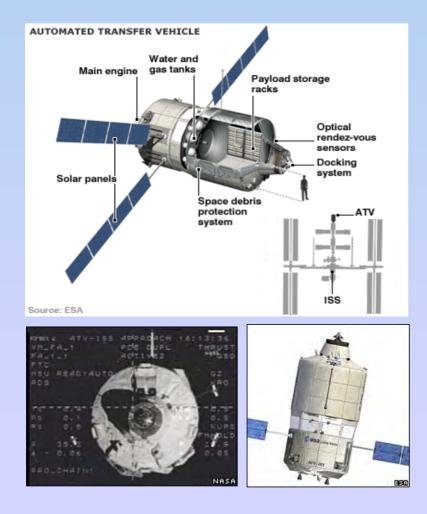


STS / ISS Integration & Assembly



Shuttle, Soyuz, Progress, Jules Verne / ATM Logistics

Jules Verne / Automated Transfer Vehicle





European Space Agency, ESA and BBC News 9 March 2008

EV-CPDS: Extra-Vehicular Charged Particle Spectrometer

V-CPDS: Intra-Vehicular Charged Particle Spectrometer

TEPC: Tissue Equivalent Proportional Counter

RAM: *Radiation* Area Monitors TLDs)

PRD: Passive Radiation Dosimeter (TLDs)

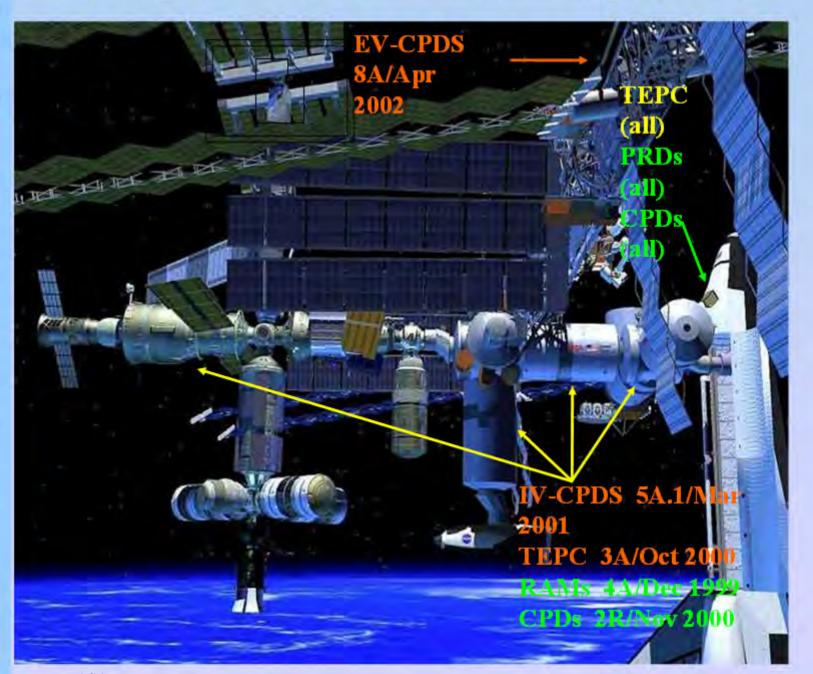
CPD: Crew Passive Dosimeter TLDs, PNTD)

Active nstrument realime telemetry

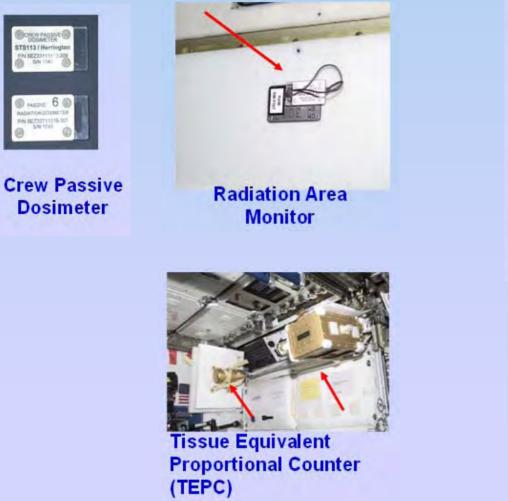
Active nstrument no real-time elemetry

Passive nstrument

U.S. Space Radiation Monitoring System

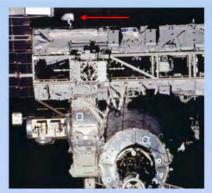


Radiation Monitoring on ISS





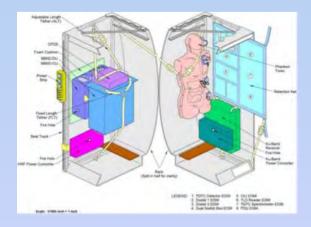
Intra-Vehicular Charged Particle Directional Spectrometer (IV-CPDS)



Extra-Vehicular Charged Particle Spectrometer (EV-CPDS)

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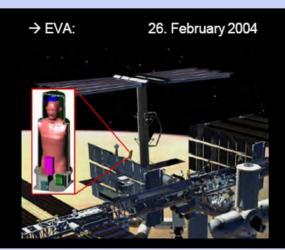
Instrumented Phantom Studies













SpaceShipOne





Astronaut Mike Melvill after the September 29, 2004 spaceflight.





SpaceShipOne landing after June 21, 2004 space flight

1st Commercial Manned Spaceflight Scaled Composites, Inc. Launch from White Knight Aircraft Ascent to > 100 km Landing at Mojave Spaceport

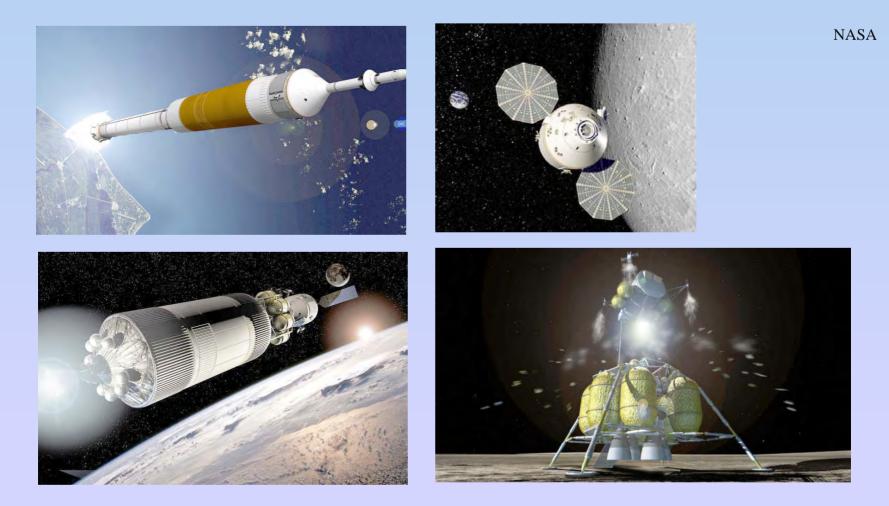
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CEV CHARACTERISTICS

- The CEV will be part of a Crew Transportation System (CTS) that consists of the CEV, the CEVLV, and a launch escape system.
- The CEV shall dock in Earth orbit with the Earth Departure Stage (EDS)
- The CEV shall be capable of rendezvous and docking with the Lunar Surface Access Module (LSAM), which appears to perform the same function as the Apollo Lunar Module.
- The CEV propulsive capability must be capable of returning the spacecraft from lunar orbit to re entry and landing on Earth.
- The CEV shall utilize either parachutes or parafoils.
- The initial crew size will be no less than four
- The CEV shall contain a health monitoring system, a galley, and a waste management facility.
- Launch escape capability must include on-the-pad, throughout the complete booster ascent, and Earth orbit in the event of a failure of the EDS.
- Thus it would appear that the CEV/CTS/EDS/LSAM combination would be launched into orbit separately, docked together, depart for the Moon, the CEV/LSAM would dock in lunar orbit and the CEV return to an earth or water landing.
- The EDS may be reusable or may be stored on orbit elsewhere and be re-fuelable.
- The requirements description also mandates that the CEV design be expandable. All four elements shall be called Constellation space vehicles.

Constellation Program Concepts



Ares Rocket, Earth Departure Vehicle, Lunar Surface Module and Crew Exploration Vehicle

Orion: Crew Exploration Vehicle

