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INTRODUCTION

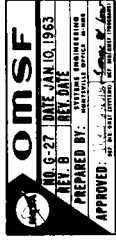
This document contains Flight Mission Assignment Summary and Configuration and Flight Data Summary Charts for Apollo/Saturn and Apollo/Little Joe II flight programs.

Proposed changes to this document shall be submitted to OMSF for review and coordination. Changes, where significant, will be discussed in System Review Meetings and subject to final approval by the Management Council.

Periodic revisions will be made to the Apollo Flight Mission Assignment document to reflect approved changes and to depict flight missions as they are better defined.

APOLLO/SATURN I FLIGHT MISSION ASSIGNMENT SUMMARY

1. LAUNCH DATE	OCT '61		APR '62		NOV '62		MAR '63		AUG '63		DEC '63		MAR '64		JUN '64		OCT '64		DEC '64		MAR '65		JUN '65		SEP '65		DEC '65		MAR '66		JUN '66	
	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA		
2. LAUNCH VEH.	1	2	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3. SPACE CRAFT.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4. MISSION OBJECTIVES	UNMANNED																															
a. LAUNCH VEHICLE (LV) (MSFC Responsibility)	UNMANNED																															
	<p style="text-align: center;">LV QUALIFICATION</p> <p>1. Structures 2. Propulsion 3. Guidance (Active) 4. S-I/S-IV Stage Separation 5. EDS Full Capab.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Without R & D Instrumentation</p>																															
b. SPACE CRAFT (SC) (MSC Responsibility)	UNMANNED																															
	<p style="text-align: center;">SC QUALIFICATION</p> <p>1. Structures 2. SC Systems Opn Characteristics 3. SM Prop.(off-load) Includ. Restart 4. CM Re-entry 5. LES Jettison 6. SM-CM Separat. 7. Crew Safety 8. Recovery Sys. 9. Guid. & Navig.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Manned</p> <p>1. Manned Orbital Flight 2. Opn. CSM Sys. w/Man. Control 3. Evaluation of Guid. System 4. Evaluate Multiman Inflight Crew Performance 5. Maneuvering Capability of CM RCS During Reentry 6. Complete Recovery Operation</p>																															
c. SPACE VEHICLE (SV)	UNMANNED																															
	<p style="text-align: center;">SV QUALIFICATION</p> <p>1. EDS Full Capab. 2. Physical & Flight Compatibility of LV & SC 3. LV-SC Separation 4. Instrumentation, Communications, Tracking</p> <p style="text-align: center;">SPARE</p>																															
d. OTHER	UNMANNED																															



APOLLO/SATURN I-B CONFIGURATION AND FLIGHT DATA SUMMARY

LAUNCH DATE	AUG '65	NOV '65	JAN '66	MAR '66	MAY '66	AUG '66	NOV '66	FEB '67	MAY '67	AUG '67	NOV '67	FEB '68
LAUNCH VEHICLE NO.	SA-201	SA-202	SA-203	SA-204	SA-205	SA-206	SA-207	SA-208	SA-209	SA-210	SA-211	SA-212
SPACE CRAFT NO.												
4. SPACE VEH. CONFIG. A LAUNCH VEH. (LV) (1) FIRST STAGE (S-I) (2) SECOND STAGE (S-IV B) (3) INSTRUMENTATION UNIT (IU)	PROTO. (Thirteenth)	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.		
	PROTO. (First)	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.		
	DEV.	DEV.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.	PROD.		
												SPARE
B SPACECRAFT (SC) (1) LUNAR EXCUR. MODULE (LEM) (2) SERVICE MODULE (SM) (3) COMMAND MODULE (CM) (4) LAUNCH ESCAPE SYS. (LES)	← (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. LEM Adapter	← (PROD. Structure)	← (PROD. Structure)	← (PROD. Structure)	← (PROD. Structure)	← (PROD. Structure)	← (PROD. Structure)	← (PROD. Structure)	← (PROD. Structure)	← (PROD. Structure)	← (PROD. Structure)
	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)	← (Tower, Jettison Motor Active Only)
	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)	← (Ascend Stage Only)
5. LV PAYLOAD CAP. (LBS) (ORBITAL)	30,000	30,000	30,000	32,000	32,500	32,500	32,500	32,500	32,500	32,500	32,500	32,500
6. SC ORBITAL WT. (LBS)												
7. FLIGHT DATA FLIGHT AZIMUTH A. TRACKING NETWORK PROFILE (BASED ON B. INSERTION CONDITIONS) C. ORBIT. ALT. (N. Mi. - NOM) D. STAY TIME (MINIMUM)	105°	105°	105°	72°	72°	72°	72°	72°	72°	72°	72°	72°
	AMR	AMR	AMR	MERCURY	MERCURY	MERCURY	MERCURY	MERCURY	MERCURY	MERCURY	MERCURY	MERCURY
	ORBITAL	ORBITAL	ORBITAL	ORBITAL	ORBITAL	ORBITAL	ORBITAL	ORBITAL	ORBITAL	ORBITAL	ORBITAL	ORBITAL
	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR	CIRCULAR
8. RECOVERY	NO	NO	NO	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND
9. LAUNCH COMPLEX	37A	37B	37A	37B	37A	37B	37A	37B	37A	37B	37A	37B

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APOLLO/SATURN V FLIGHT MISSION ASSIGNMENT SUMMARY

1. LAUNCH DATE	MAR '66	JUL '66	OCT '66	DEC '66	FEB '67	APR '67	JUN '67	AUG '67		OCT '67		DEC '67		FEB '68		APR '68		JUN '68		AUG '68	
								SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA	SA
2. LAUNCH VEH.	SA-501	SA-502	SA-503	SA-504	SA-505	SA-506	SA-507														
3. SPACE CRAFT																					
4. MISSION OBJECTIVES	UNMANNED ← MANNED →																				
a. LAUNCH VEHICLE (LV) (MSC Responsibility)	P 1. Structures 2. Propulsion 3. Guidance (Active) 4. EDS	P 1. Structures 2. Propulsion 3. Guidance (Active) 4. S-IC/S-II Stage Separ. 5. EDS	P 1. Structures 2. Propulsion 3. Guidance (Active) 4. S-IC/S-II/S-IVB Stage Separ.s 5. EDS 6. S-IVB Re-start (Fkfst)	P 1. Structures 2. Propulsion (S-IVB Prop. Mission to be Defined so as to Satisfy CM Re-entry Requirements) 3. Guidance (Active) 4. S-I C/S-II/S-IVB Stage Separations 5. EDS	P 1. Structures (Full Prop. Loading) 2. Propulsion 3. S-IVB Re-start 4. Guidance (Active) 5. S-IC/S-II/S-IVB Stage Separ.s 6. EDS	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
b. SPACE CRAFT (SC) (MSC Responsibility)	S 1. LES Jettison	S 1. Launch & Exit Environmental Parameters 2. LES Jettison	S 1. Launch & Exit Environmental Parameters 2. LES Jettison	S 1. CM Re-entry at 36,000 fps (Max Heat Rate) Max. Total Heat Load 2. LES Jettison 3. CM & SM Structures 4. CM/SM Separation 5. Recovery Systems 6. SM Propulsion (to be Defined so as to Satisfy CM Re-entry Requirements)	S 1. Struct. (Compl. SC, Full Prop. Load) 2. LES Jettison 3. CM/SM Separ. 4. LEW/SM Separ. 5. LEM Prop. 6. SM Prop. (Long Duration - and Multiple Re-start) 7. CM Re-entry 8. Recovery Systems	P 1. Manned Flight 2. SC Operation 3. Opn 1 Techniques 4. Potential Lunar Mission	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
c. SPACE VEHICLE (SV)	S 1. Physical and Flight Compatibility of LV & SC and SV & Gnd.	S 1. Physical and Flight Compatibility of LV & SC and SV & Gnd. 2. LV/SC Separ.	S 1. Physical and Flight Compatibility of LV & SC and SV & Gnd. 2. LV/SC Separ.	S 1. Physical and Flight Compatibility of LV & SC and SV & Gnd. 2. LV/SC Separ.	S 1. Physical and Flight Compatibility of LV & SC and SV & Gnd. 2. LV/SC Separ. 3. EDS	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
d. OTHER																					

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APOLLO/SATURN V CONFIGURATION AND FLIGHT DATA SUMMARY

LAUNCH DATE	MAR'66	JUL '66	OCT'66	DEC '66	FEB '67	APR '67	JUN '67	AUG '67	OCT '67	DEC '67	FEB '68	APR '68	JUN '68	AUG '68	OCT '68	
LAUNCH VEHICLE NO.	SA-501	SA-502	SA-503	SA-504	SA-505	SA-506	SA-507	SA-508	SA-509	SA-510	SA-511	SA-512	SA-513	SA-514	SA-515	
SPACE CRAFT NO.																
4. SPACE VEH. CONFIG.																
A. LAUNCH VEH. (LV)																
(1) FIRST STAGE (S-I)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)	PROTO. (FIRST)
(2) SECOND STAGE (S-II)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)
(3) THIRD STAGE (S-III)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)	PROTO. (INERT)
(4) INSTRUMENTATION UNIT (IU)	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.	PROTO.
B. SPACECRAFT (SC)																
(1) LUNAR EXCUR. MODULE (LEM)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)	DEV. (PROD. LEM Adapter)
(2) SERVICE MODULE (SM)	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config
(3) COMMAND MODULE (CM)	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config	PROD. Struct. External Config
(4) LAUNCH ESCAPE SYS. (LES)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)	PROD. (Tower Jettison Motor Active Only)
5. LV PAYLOAD CAP. (LBS) ESCAPE	---	---	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000	<90,000
6. SC ORBITAL WT. (LBS)																
7. FLIGHT DATA																
A. TRACKING NETWORK																
FLIGHT AZIMUTH	90°	105°	105°													
TRACKING NETWORK	AMR	AMR	AMR													
B. PROFILE (BASED ON INSERTION CONDITIONS)																
ORBIT. ALT. (N. Mi.-NOM)	BALLISTIC	BALLISTIC	ORBITAL	●												
STAY TIME (MINIMUM)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
8. RECOVERY																
RECOVERY	NO	NO	NO	YES WATER	YES WATER	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND	YES LAND
9. LAUNCH COMPLEX																
LAUNCH COMPLEX	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39

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APOLLO/LITTLE JOE II FLIGHT MISSION ASSIGNMENT SUMMARY

1. LAUNCH DATE	MAY 63	JUL 63	AUG 63	OCT 63	APR 64	JUN 64	SEP 64	NOV 64
2. MISSION NO.	PA-1	NONE	A-001	—	NONE	A-002	PA-2	A-003
a. LAUNCH VEH.	NONE	LJ II-1	LJ II-2	LJ II-3	LJ II-4	LJ II-5	NONE	LJ II-6
b. SPACECRAFT	BP-6	NONE	BP-12	BP 23	NONE	BP-22	AFRM O10	AFRM 002
3. MISSION OBJECTIVES	<p><u>PRIMARY</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Det. aerodyn. stability char. of escape config. during pad abort. 2. Dem. cap. of escape syst. to propel the CM safe dist. from the LV during pad abort. 3. Dem. launch escape lower release mech. 4. Dem. oper. of lower jettison motor. 5. Dem. parachute recovery system. <p><u>SECONDARY</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dem. abort & recovery timing sequence. 2. Det. dyn. of CM during jettison of escape tower. 3. Dem. op. of R & D instr. & comm. equipt. used on subs. fits. 4. Dem. compat. of prot. GSE with CM. 5. Det. init. sep. traj. of the escape tower. 6. Det. escape tower vib. during pad abort. 	<p><u>PRIMARY</u></p> <p>Launch Veh. qualification only</p>	<p><u>PRIMARY</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dem. struct. integrity of escape tower. 2. Dem. cap. of escape syst. to propel CM to a predetermined distance from LV. 3. Det. aerodyn. stability char. of escape config. for Max "Q" abort condition. 4. Dem. oper'n of CM-SM separation mechanism. 5. Dem. of parachute recovery system. <p><u>SECONDARY</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dem. LJ II spacecraft compatibility. 2. Det. aerodynamic loads due to fluctuating pressures on the CM & SM during LJ II launch. 	<p><u>PRIMARY</u></p> <p>Back-up to LJ II-1 and LJ II-2</p>	<p><u>PRIMARY</u></p> <p>Launch Veh. control system qualification.</p>	<p><u>PRIMARY</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Det. aerodyn. stability of CM during an abort, simulating a Sat-I trajectory prior to lower jettison. 2. Dem. cap. of LES to propel CM to safe distance from LV prior to lower jettison. 3. Det. cap. of RCS to rate stabilize the CM for reentry. <p><u>SECONDARY</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dem. parachute recovery systems. 	<p><u>PRIMARY</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dem. structural integ. of the production CM during pad abort. 2. Det. operational characteristics of CM subsystems during pad abort. 3. Demonstrate CM/SM separation mechanisms. <p><u>SECONDARY</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dem. abort and recovery sequence. 2. Det. stability of escape config. 	<p><u>PRIMARY</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dem. struct. integ. of the prod. CSM under an abort at high dyn. pressures in transonic speed ranges. 2. Det. op'n' char. of sub-systems at high dyn. pressure incurred by escape config. during an abort. 3. Det. cap. of RCS to rate stabilize CM for reentry. <p><u>SECONDARY</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Det. dyn. of CM during an abort resulting in high dynamic pressure on escape config. 2. Dem. abort and recovery sequences 3. Dem. parachute recovery system

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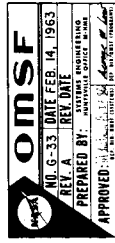
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APOLLO/LITTLE JOEII CONFIGURATION AND FLIGHT DATA SUMMARY

1. LAUNCH DATE	MAY-63	JUL-63	AUG-63	OCT-63	APR-64	JUN-64	SEP-64	NOV-64
2. MISSION NO.	PA-1	NONE	A-001	—	NONE	A-002	PA-2	A-003
A. LAUNCH VEH. NO.	NONE	LJ II-1	LJ II-2	LJ II-3	LJ II-4	LJ II-5	NONE	LJ II-6
B. SPACE CRAFT NO.	BP-6	NONE	BP-12	BP-23	NONE	BP-22	AFRM 010	AFRM 002
3. SPACE CRAFT CONFIGURATION								
A. COMMAND MODULE (CM)	DEV.	—	DEV.	—	—	DEV.	PRODUCTION	PRODUCTION
B. SERVICE MODULE (SM)	DEV.	—	DEV.	—	—	DEV.	PRODUCTION	PRODUCTION
C. LAUNCH ESCAPE SYSTEM (LES)	PRODUCTION	—	PRODUCTION	—	—	PRODUCTION	PRODUCTION	PRODUCTION
4. LAUNCH COMPLEX	WSMR	WSMR	WSMR	WSMR	WSMR	WSMR	WSMR	WSMR



GLOSSARY OF TERMS

The purpose of this glossary is to explain the terms used in describing launch vehicle and spacecraft configurations and the assignment of flight mission priorities.

1. PRODUCTION (PROD.)

- a. Production as used for the launch vehicle is defined as an item incorporating the final design. All systems have been flight qualified for manned flight applications of the item. R&D instrumentation has been removed. Manufacturing is accomplished utilizing production techniques.
- b. Production as used for the spacecraft is defined as an item that is representative of the final design to a degree sufficient to start flight qualification of the item. Systems (e. g., crew safety, abort, re-entry, recovery, etc.) essential to the safety of the astronaut are flight qualified prior to the first manned flight. Other systems are qualified during manned flights. Extensive design changes and refinements may be expected. Manufacturing is accomplished utilizing production techniques.

2. PROTOTYPE (PROTO.) is defined as an item representative of the final design, but possibly requiring design changes and refinements. Systems are operating to the extent and degree necessary to flight qualify the item for manned flight applications.

3. DEVELOPMENTAL (DEV.) is defined as an item similar in characteristics and performance, but not necessarily representative of the final design. Systems are functioning only to the extent necessary to accomplish a particular flight mission objective. Certain systems may be essentially inert, but instrumented for obtaining flight data necessary for defining the final design while other systems may be carried as passengers for the purpose of evaluating flight performance prior to activating, or closing the loop for, the system.

4. PRIORITY OF MISSION OBJECTIVES - The purpose of the terms, primary (P) and secondary (S), as used in defining priorities of mission objectives, is to provide a guide for depicting the area where major consideration will be given in defining flight mission assignments, flight profiles, propellant loading, instrumentation, etc. The mission priority does not necessarily infer that the primary missions are over-riding the secondary missions, but rather that they are given principle consideration in integrating and implementing the mission objectives.

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