

Premier Multi-User Spaceport



KSC Programs and Projects







Exploration Ground Systems



Gateway — A spaceport for human and robotic exploration to the Moon and beyond



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2019 KSC Key Milestones

	SpaceX Demo-1	LC 39A
June 27	Mobile Launcher rolls testing to SLC 39B	
	Orion Launch Abort System Test	SLC-46
✓ October 10	ICON Mission	CCAFS

Remaining Milestones Planned in 2019

Boeing Pad Abort Test – Target date 11/4/19

Boeing Orbital Flight Test – Target date mid December

SpaceX In-Flight Abort Test – Target date early December

Gateway Logistics Contract Award

2020 KSC Key Milestones

Orion Mass Simulator on dock KSC – 1/24/20

SpaceX Demo-2

Boeing Crewed Flight Test

Solar Orbiter – 2/5/20

SLS Boosters arrive and processing begins – 3/18/20

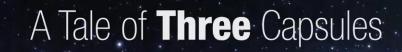
Orion turnover to EGS – 5/16/20

MARS 2020 – 7/17/20

Sentinel 6A – 11/15/20

Landsat-9 – 12/15/20









NASAOrion

BEYOND EARTH ORBIT



SpaceXCrew Dragon



BoeingCST-100 Starliner

LOW-EARTH ORBIT



COMMERCIAL









SpaceX Demo-1 March 2, 2019

Boeing Hotfire & Parachute Tests May 22, 2019











Moon Before Mars

On the Moon, we can take reasonable risks while astronauts are just three days away from home.

There we will prove technologies and mature systems necessary to live and work on another world before embarking on what could be a 2-3 year mission to Mars.

The Artemis Program

Artemis is the twin sister of Apollo and goddess of the Moon in Greek mythology. Now, she personifies our path to the Moon as the name of NASA's program to return astronauts to the lunar surface by 2024.

When they land, Artemis astronauts will step foot where no human has ever been before: the Moon's South Pole.

With the horizon goal of sending humans to Mars, Artemis begins the next era of exploration.





Gateway is Essential for 2024 Landing

- Initial Gateway focuses on the minimum systems required to support a 2024 human lunar landing while also supporting Phase 2
- Provides command center and aggregation point for 2024 human landing
- Establishes strategic presence around the Moon – US in the leadership role
- Creates resilience and robustness in the lunar architecture
- Open architecture and interoperability standards provides building blocks for partnerships and future expansion

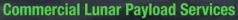






Artemis I: First human spacecraft to the Moon in the 21st century Artemis Support Mission: First high-power Solar Electric Propulsion (SEP) system Artemis Support Mission: First pressurized module delivered to Gateway Artemis Support Mission: Human Landing System delivered to Gateway

Artemis III: Crewed mission to Gateway and lunar surface



- CLPS-delivered science and technology payloads

Early South Pole Mission(s)

- First robotic landing on eventual human lunar return and In-Situ Resource Utilization (ISRU) site
- First ground truth of polar crater volatiles



- Increased capabilities for science and technology payloads



Humans on the Moon - 21st Century

First crew leverages infrastructure left behind by previous missions

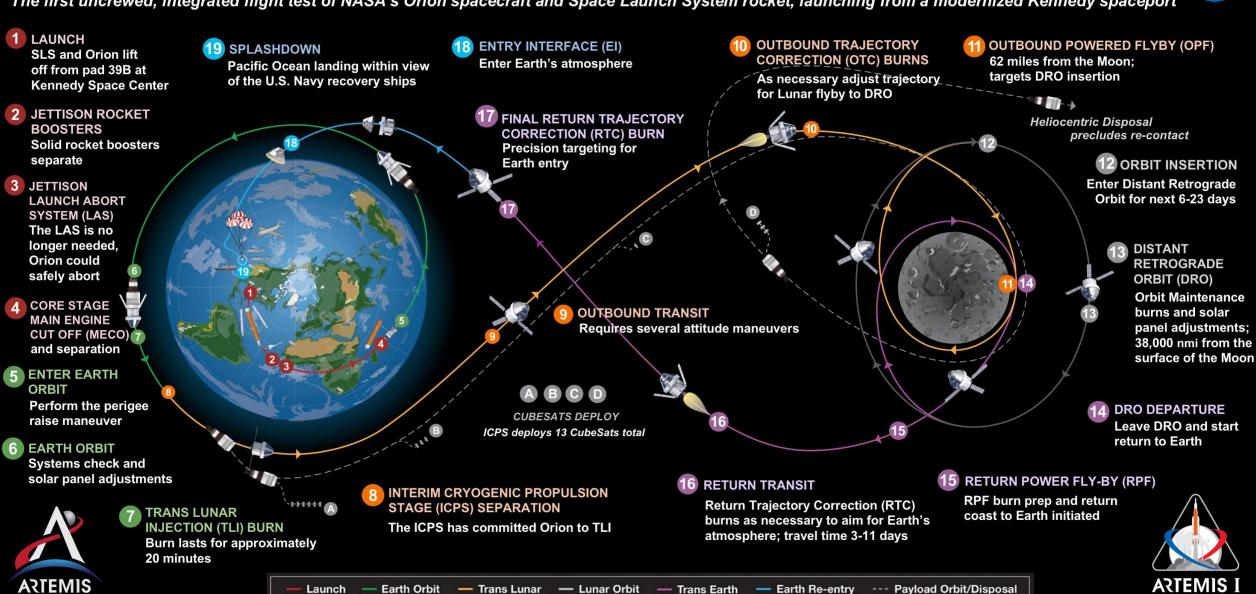
LUNAR SOUTH POLE TARGET SITE

2020

ARTEMIS I



The first uncrewed, integrated flight test of NASA's Orion spacecraft and Space Launch System rocket, launching from a modernized Kennedy spaceport



Achieving 2024 – A Parallel Path to Success

Artemis will see government and commercial systems moving in parallel to complete the architecture and deliver crew



Artemis I

First flight test of SLS and Orion as an integrated system

Artemis II

First flight of crew to the Moon aboard SLS and Orion

Artemis III

First crew to the lunar surface; Logistics delivered for 2024 surface mission

Between now and 2024, U.S. industry delivers the launches and human landing system necessary for a faster return to the Moon and sustainability through Gateway.



PPE

Power and Propulsion Element arrives at NRHO via commercial rocket

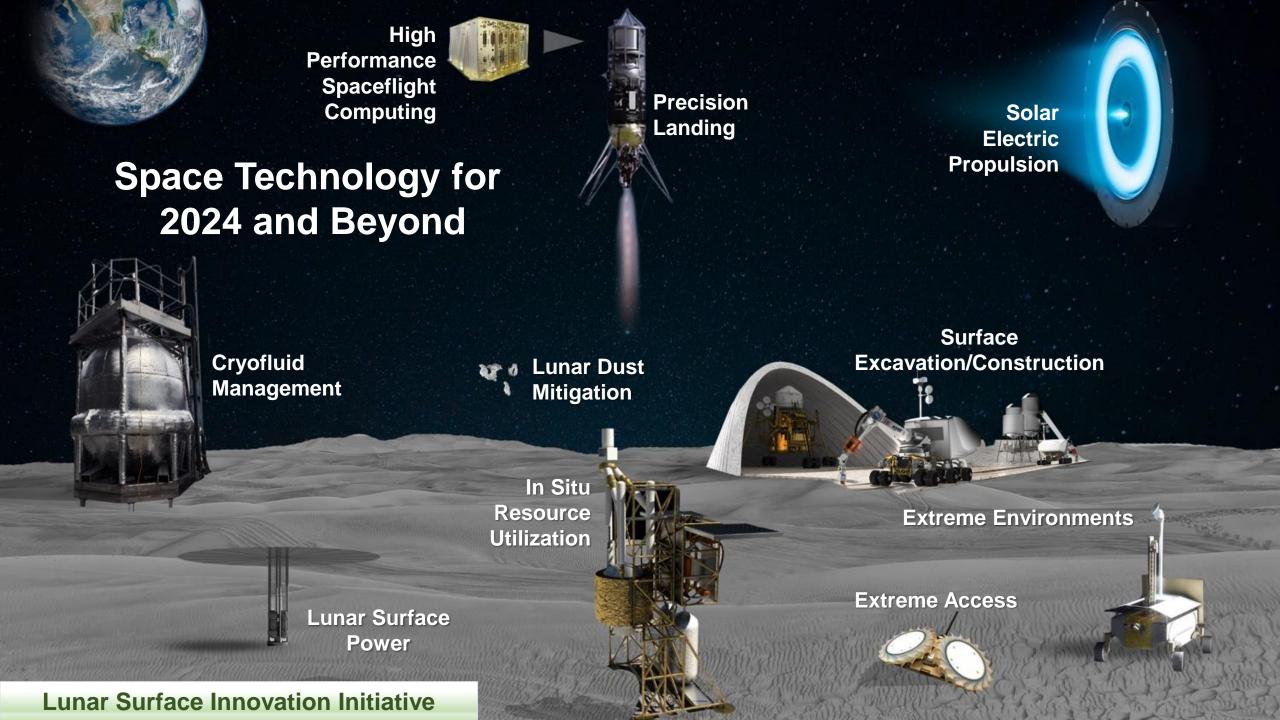
Pressurized Module

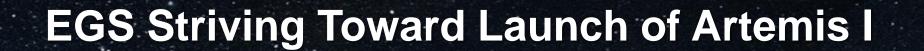
Small area for crew to check out systems prior to lunar transfer and decent

Human Landing System

Transfer	Descent	Ascent
Transfers lander from Gateway to low lunar orbit	Descends from Transfer Vehicle to lunar surface	Ascends from lunar surface to Gateway

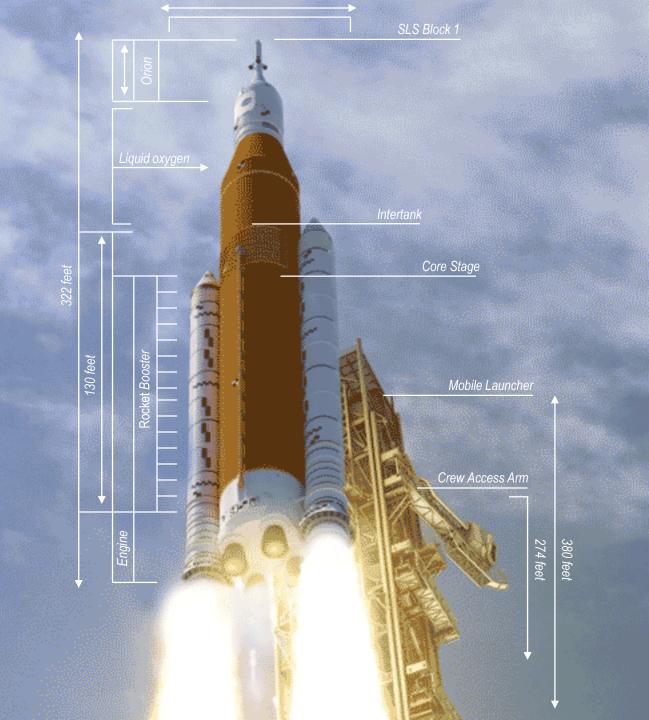
Up to three commercial rocket launches, depending on distribution of the Transfer, Descent, and Ascent functions

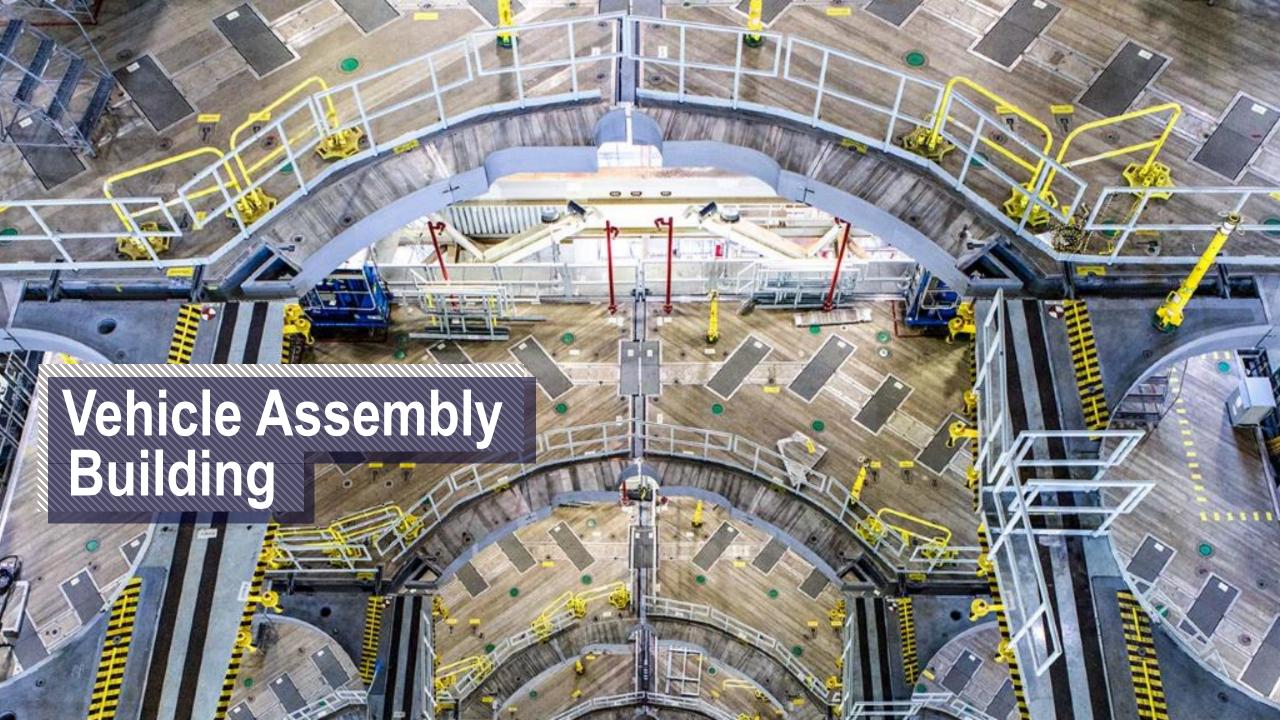




Artemis I

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Orion Ascent Abort-2 Flight Test July 2, 2019

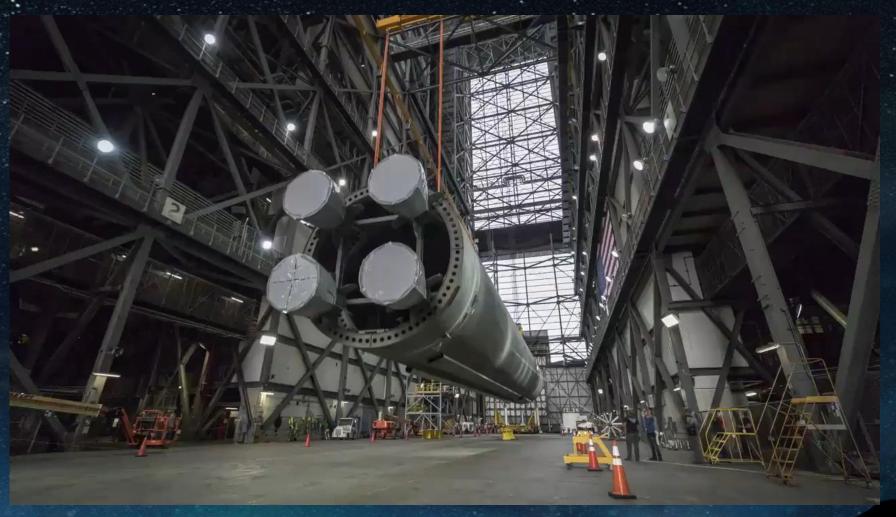




SLS Core Stage Pathfinder

October 15-16, 2019







Launch Services Program Manifest

2019



ICON
Ionospheric Connection Explorer



Venture Class Launch Services 2020



Solar Orbiter



Mars 2020



Sentinel 6A (Jason-CS)



Landsat-9

Providing Advisory Services



Commercial Crew Program



Commercial Resupply Services



Gateway Logistics

Ionospheric Connection Explorer (ICON) October 10, 2019





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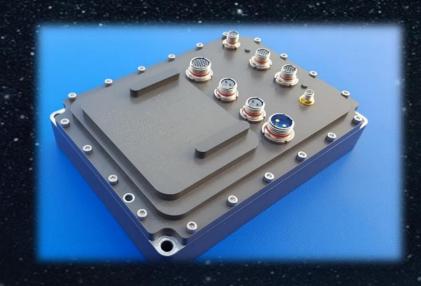








Exploration Research and Technology - 2019 Awards



FLC Interagency Partnership Award for Technology Transfer

- KSC is the only NASA center to win award in 2019
- The Autonomous Flight Termination System (AFTS) augments or replaces the functions of the traditional human-in-the-loop system
- Allows multiple vehicles to be launched and tracked at the same time
- AFTS transferred to 30+ commercial space companies and other government organizations

NASA's Technology Transfer Licensing Award

- KSC won with 18 patent licenses in FY18
- Patent licensing is one of the ways we transfer NASA technologies to industry

KSC Roadmap – September 2019

