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The Apollo Maintenance Plan is presented in accordance with Exhibit I, Paragraph 5.5 of the Apollo NAS 9-150 Contract. This issue constitutes the fourth revision of the original document which was first published as SID 62-202 on May 1, 1962. The Maintenance Concept, SID 62-702, has been incorporated as an integral part of this plan.

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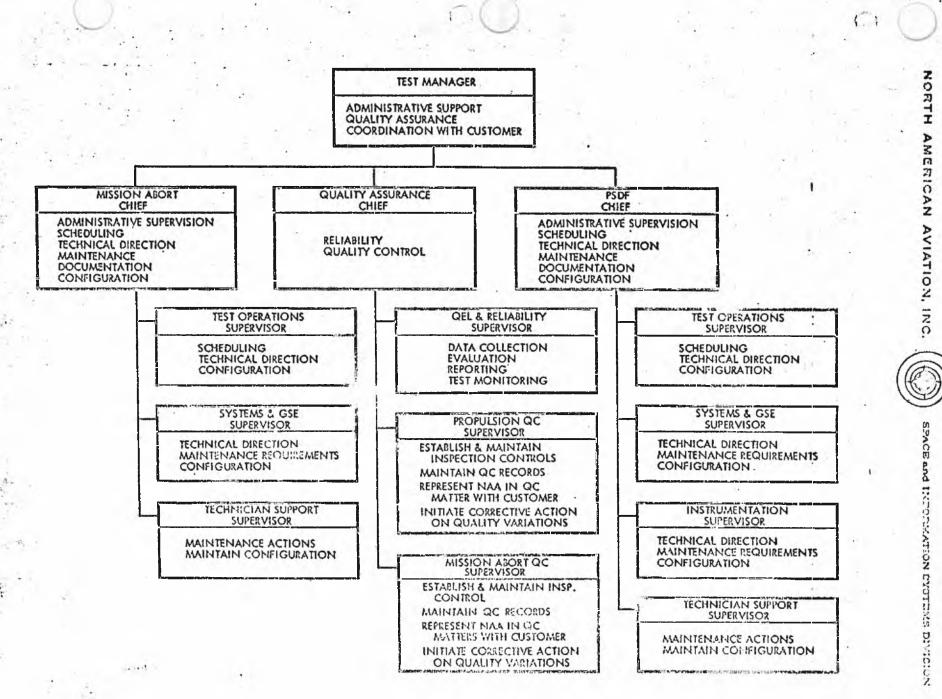
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INTRODUCTION

In accordance with the recent NASA request, this document combines both the Apollo Maintenance Concept and the Apollo Maintenance Plan. Section I comprises the conceptual presentation. The intent of the Concept is to summarize those basic elements and considerations that are essential in formulating an effective maintenance support activity. Section II contains the plan. The purpose of the Plan is to describe what maintenance is, what its restraints are, where it will be performed, and who is : responsible for its management and conduct. A Glossary of Terms is included at the end of the document. This revision reflects the views of Division management partiment to maintenance planning, requirements, responsibilities, and activities that are within the contractor's scope of authority.

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I. MAINTENANCE CONCEPT

SCOPE

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This section presents the contractor's philosophy and approach regarding the development of effective maintenance support for Apollo test and mission objectives. It is the basic intent of the Concept to establish the principles upon which a maintenance activity will be structured, as well as to outline the parameters within which it will operate. Fundamental considerations such as objective, requirements, and planning, are dealt with in the body of the text, and corollary factors such as maintenance levels, maintenance areas, and maintenance functions are also covered.

1.1.1 General

The philosophy expressed in this Concept is principally based on the contractual requirement that NAA/S&ID will perform and/or control all maintenance associated with Apollo Spacecraft, ground support equipment, and spares (end items and materiel) provided by the contractor. Within the context of this document, maintenance is defined as those functions which are required to retain materiel in. or restore it to, a serviceable condition.

The Concept, in substance, results from a detailed study of the Apollo Program Plan, the General Test Plan, the Facilities Plan, the Quality Control Plan, the Reliability Plan, and the Master Development Schedule. It is equally the result of a thorough examination of Apollo test and mission objectives, and a critical analysis of what will be required from a maintenance standpoint to support them.

1.2 MAINTENANCE OBJECTIVES

First among the considerations to be resolved before a maintenance activity is established are the objectives to be achieved. The Apollo maintenance objectives are: To maintain system reliability, to ensure operational capability, and to provide optimum maintenance support for Apollo Test and Operations in order that tests may be carried out as scheduled.

1.3 HA INTENANCE REQUIREMENTS

The determination of requirements that are essential to the performance of maintenance is next in importance after maintenance objectives have been established. These requirements are of a manifold nature and have to do with such considerations as site location, programmed capability, provisioning support, test and operational schedules, and the economy of maintenance operations. Considerations that pertain expressly to maintenance activities are defined and described in succeeding paragraphs:

1.3.1 <u>Mainterance Categoriea</u>

For the purposes of effective planning, scheduling and provisioning, mnintenance is aligned under two distinct entegories. These categories are scheduled maintenance and unscheduled mnintenance. Scheduled maintenance is preventive in nature and can be predicted with reasonable accuracy. Unscheduled maintenance is corrective in nature, cannot be predicted, results from a deficiency or discrepancy, and usually arises during a test, operation, or scheduled maintenance activity. The various functions that are performed as a consequence of scheduled and unscheduled maintenance requirements are described below.

1-3.2 <u>Maintenance Functions</u>

Maintenance comprises many functions, each of which is essential to the successful accomplishment of the maintenance objectives. These functions

include inspection, cervicing, adjustment, calibration, modification, repair and overhaul. The depth at which these functions may be performed is directly influenced by the maintenance capability programmed for the individual test site.

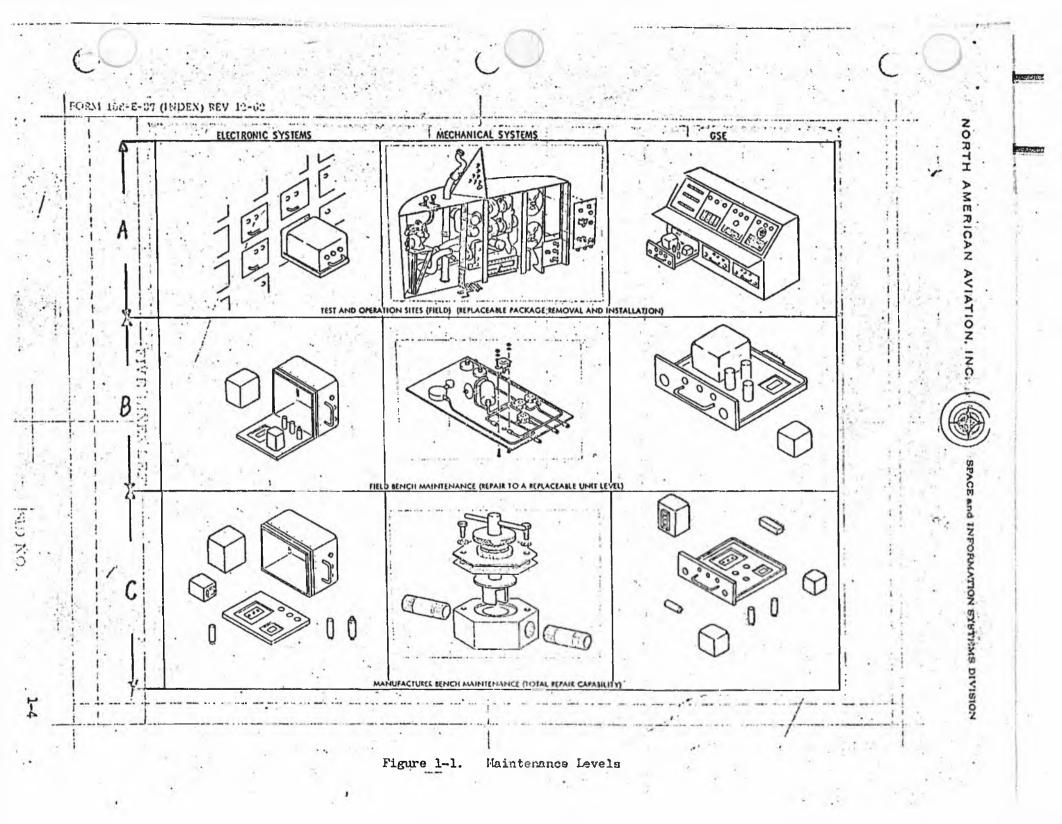
MAINTENANCE PLANNING

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In order to achieve the maintenance objectives previously expressed, extensive analysis and planning are required. Considerable attention must be given as to where maintenance will take place, what depth of maintenance is possible at each test site, and who is organizationally responsible for maintenance management at various locations. Consideration must bloo be given to the economy of operation, and to the corollary need for avoiding a duplication of facilities or equipment. A studied analysis of projected Apollo Program tests and operations has been instrumental in determining the maintenance requirements at various areas, and has indicated the need to establish varying levels of maintenance to support test and operations in these areas.

1.4.1 <u>Maintenance Levels</u>

The contractor has determined that maintenance objectives can best be achieved by establishing three distinct levels of maintenance capability. These levels will hereafter be referred to as A, B, and C. This division of maintenance lends itself to programming facilities, equipment and personnel in an economical manner to meet the requirements of test and operations. It also avoids the provisioning of costly facilities and equipment at each area, and still provides an optimum capability that will be responsive to requirements. Levels of maintenance relating to electronic systems, mechanical systems, and ground support equipment are examplified in Figure 1-1.



- 1.4.1.1 <u>A-Level Maintenance</u>. Maintenance accomplished at this level is generally limited to inspection, test, removal and installation of replaceable packages or components such as drawers and panel assemblies, and system verification.
- 1.4.1.2 <u>B-level Maintenance</u>. This level of maintenance provides a greater capability and depth of penetration than that assigned to A-Level. For example, a replaceable package or component may be repaired through replacement down to a replaceable serialized unit, i.e., an amplifier or value assembly. B-Level maintenance is generally available at each test site.
- 1.4.1.3 <u>C-Level Maintenance</u>. This level of maintenance provides a total maintenance capability. Maintenance actions performed at this level include extensive modification, repair, and overhaul. The contractor's and subcontractors' factory facilities are utilized to support C-Level maintenance as required.

1.4.2 <u>Maintenance Areas</u>

Review of the Apollo Program Plan indicates that tests and operations will be performed at S&ID-Downey, Florida Facility, White Sands Missile Range, and Manned Spacecraft Center. Various levels of maintenance will be performed at these areas in support of test and operations. Test and operations are also programmed at Marshall Space Flight Center and at El Centro, but no contractor maintenance effort has been programmed by the contractor.

1.4.3 <u>Maintenance Organization</u>

The nature of the Apollo Frogram does not lend itself to an organizational separation of maintenance from test and operations at the Test Sites. The

contractor organization at individual Test Sites is set up to perform both test and operations and maintenance. The contractor and its subcontractors are organized to provide extensive maintenance at factory facilities. The contractor's maintenance management organization, depicting functional responsibilities and subcontractor and customer interfaces, is presented in Figure 1.-2.

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II. MAINTENANCE PLAN

2.1 SCOPE

This section defines and describes what maintenance is, what its constraints are, where it is performed, and who is responsible for its accomplishment. Illustrations that depict maintenance flow, maintenance organization, and maintenance documentation are also included.

2.1.1 <u>General</u>

This plan was developed to deal expressly with pure maintenance activity requirements, responsibilities, and functions. The organization, system and methods described in the successding text resulted from a review of other Apollo planning documentation, a thorough evaluation of program requirements, and the performance of detailed support analyses. Though not covered in this document, certain essential factors such as facilities, quality control, training, and other support functions or services have been considered. Information on these subjects is provided in the publications listed in the Bibliography appended to this document.

As used herein, maintenance applies to end items and materiel that have completed the manufacturing cycle, and have been transferred to the customer by a properly executed Form DD-250.

MAINTENANCE ANALYSIS

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Naintenance analyses shall be performed on all Apollo spacecraft, ground support equipment and trainers provided by the contractor and its subcontractors. The objective of these analyses is to determine the maintenance capability and maintenance support required for each end item of equipment that is within the scope of contractor responsibility. Principal elements of the maintenance analysis are the spares summary, the special tools and equipment summary, and the task and equipment analysis. The Apollo Support Plan, SID 62-702-1, describes the system and procedures used to develop these analyses from basic input material and information sources.

2.3 MAINTENANCE CATEGORIES

Two categories of maintenance are involved in keeping Apollo end items operable and support material serviceable. These categories are identified as scheduled maintenance and unscheduled maintenance. Scheduled maintenance consists of predictable tasks that must be performed at periodic intervals in order to assure the reliability and availability of a system. The Apollo Master Repair Schedule (MRS) SID 63-903, provides a forecast of predictable maintenance requirements. This document is defined and described in detail in the Apollo Support Plan, SID 62-702-1. Unscheduled maintenance consists of tasks performed at unpredictable intervals due to discrepancies or deficiencies within a system.

2.3.1 Scheduled Meintenence

Scheduled maintenance will be performed on spacecraft, ground support equipment and associated spares at periodic intervals throughout their service life. This category of maintenance is preventive in nature and is intended to retain equipment and material in a serviceable condition. Inspection and servicing are two examples of scheduled maintenance functions.

2.3.2 Unscheduled Maintenence

Unscheduled maintenance will be performed on spacecraft, ground support equipment and spares as a result of discrepancies and deficiencies found during test operations or during scheduled inspections. This category of maintenance is corrective in nature and is intended to restore equipment to a serviceable condition. Fault isolation and repair are two examples of unscheduled maintenance functions.

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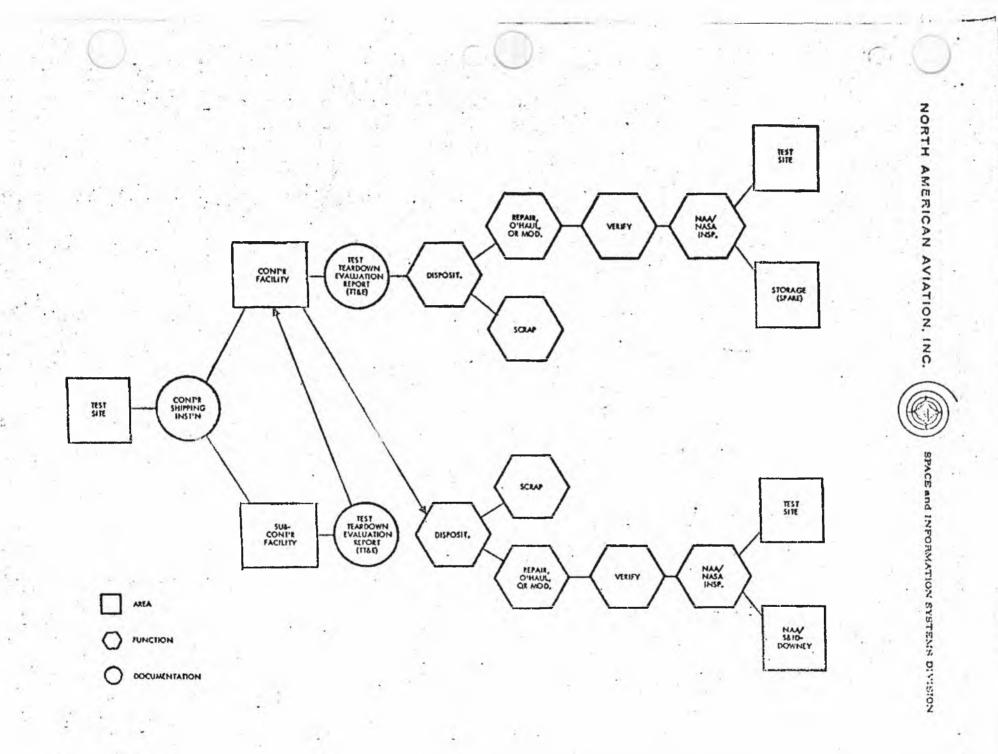
MAINTENANCE LEVELS AND FUNCTIONS

Three levels of maintenance (A, B, and C) have been established to provide realistic and economical support through all stages of the Apollo Program. These levels are commensurate with equipment configuration and location, and therefore determine the scope of maintenance functions which may be performed, i.e., fault isolation, verification, repair, servicing, calibration, adjustment, inspection, modification, and overhaul. A- and B-level maintenance flow is illustrated in Figure 2-1, and C-Level maintenance flow is illustrated in Figure 2-2.

2.4.1 <u>A-Level Maintenance</u>

This level of maintenance relates to functions and tasks that are performed on an installed system of flight hardware or GSE. It is maintenance at the system level. A-Level repair of a system is accomplished by the removal of a faulty replaceable package, repair of the package or replacement with a qualified spare, and verification of the system. These activities will include in-place servicing and adjusting that can be performed through external access points.

All A-Level maintenance performed must be within the verification capability of available ground support equipment that is common to systems and inte-



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Figure 2-2. C-Level Maintenance Flow

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grated systems checkout. This level of maintenance is intended to return a system to an operational condition in the minimum amount of time.

- 2.4.1.1 <u>Testing System Malfunction</u>. When a system malfunction occurs in an Apollo end item, a test will be conducted with available GSE to isolate the fault to a replaceable package in its installed configuration. At this level of maintenance, test points will be confined to those that are externally located. The GSE used to detect and isolate a fault must also be capable of system verification after repair has been accomplished.
- 2.4.1.2 <u>Remain</u>. The repair of Apollo equipment at this level of maintenance consists of the removal of replaceable packages suspected or determined to be faulty, and the installation of serviceable packages. It also includes the removal and installation of externally accessible items such as bulbe or indicator lens, as well as limited structural repair not requiring disassembly, structural reverification, or special tools and test equipment. No repair will be attempted at this level of maintenance that cannot be performed with available certified equipment, spares, facilities, and trained personnel.
- 2.4.1.3 <u>Servicing</u>. The elements of servicing at this level of maintenance include cleaning, lubricating, charging, flushing, purging, and the replacement of filters and desiccators. All elements of this maintenance function are confined to servicing at externally accessible service points. There will be no requirement to remove replaceable packages at this level of maintenance.
- 2.4.1.4 <u>Calibration and Adjustment</u>. Certain ground support equipment and all test measurement equipment are subject to periodic calibration and adjustment. At this level of maintenance, calibration and adjustment of an assembled

system consists of that which can be accomplished at externally available test and adjustment points. The performance of these tasks will be constrained by the verification capability of available equipment provided for system operational checkout.

2.4.1.5 <u>Inspection</u>. This level of inspection involves the verification of the physical and functional integrity of a system or group of systems while in the operational configuration. It also includes inspections that are associated with the verification of all A-Level maintenence tacks.

Within the maintenance aspect, inspection will occur as a result of a completed maintenance action (conformance verification). An inspection that reveals a discrepancy can also result in a requirement to perform unscheduled maintenance (discrepancy identification). The removal of equipment access doors and inspection plates also constitutes a maintenance action (accessibility requirements).

- 2.4.1.6 <u>Modification</u>. This level of modification pertains to limited structural changes on spacecraft and ground support equipment that will not require reverification of structural integrity. Modification at an A-Level of maintenance also includes the exchange of a replaceable package for a new configuration or a modified package. It further includes authorized modifications which are possible while the system is in an operational configuration.
- 2.4.1.7 Overhaul. This activity does not apply to A-Level maintenance.

2.4.2 B-Level Maintenance

This level of maintenance pertains to functions and tasks that are performed on a replaceable package. It is maintenance at the package level. B-Level

repair of a package is accomplished by the removal of a faulty item, and replacement down to the serialized unit level with a qualified spare. Repair at this level can only be accomplished with the package removed from the end item system of which it is a portion, and will take place in the Bench Maintenance Area where isolation of the failure as well as verification of the repair can be accommodated.

B-Level maintenance will include all tasks that can be performed on a replaceable package in the banch maintenance area, except the disassembly of replaceable serialized units or components that make up the replaceable package. Internal access points can be serviced, or adjusted and tested as needed to return a replaceable package to an operable condition. On electronic equipment, a replaceable serialized unit will be of the type that does not require soldering for removal or installation...it may be a plug-in or threaded fastener type.

- 2.4.2.1 <u>Testing Replaceable Package</u>. The testing of a malfunctioned replaceable package that has been removed from an end item will be performed at the site Bench Maintenance Area. At this level of maintenance, available equipment (EME) will be capable of isolating the fault in a replaceable package to a replaceable serialized unit or units, and will verify the serviceability of the package after repair has been made.
- 2.4.2.2 <u>Repair</u>. Apollo equipment repair at this level of maintenance applies particularly to the restoration of replaceable packages to a serviceable condition after malfunction and removal from a system. After the malfunction is isolated to a replaceable serialized unit, repair will consist of removing the faulty unit and installing a serviceable spare.

Repairs that are more complex and require a deeper penetration than that involved in the exchange of a replaceable serialized unit will be considered C-Level maintenance which is covered under the overheul phase. Under certain conditions at a Test Site, an exception might be made to allow the exchange of a feulty part in a replaceable unit with a provisioned spare (C-Level maintenance).

- 2.4.2.3 <u>Servicing</u>. The elements of so, sing at this level of maintenance are essentially the same as those described under A-Level, but at a greater depth. Consequently, the performance of this function is extended to include the removal of replaceable packages or units in order to permit servicing at internally located access points.
- 2.4.2.4 <u>Calibration and Adjustment</u>. At this level of maintenance, access to a replaceable package is required in order to accomplish calibration and adjustment. These functions shall only be performed on a replaceable package or one of its replaceable units in a Bench Maintenance antironment. The calibration or adjustment of equipment that cannot be verified with available BNE or standard certified test equipment will be avoided.
- 2.4.2.5 <u>Inspection</u>. The performance of inspection at this level of maintonance applies particularly to the varification of integrity of equipment assigned to the Banch Maintanance Area for maintenance. It also includes the verification and acknowledgement of all maintenance tasks parformed at the E-Lavel.
- 2.4.2.6 <u>Modification</u>. End item modification at this level of maintenance generally comprises the exchange of a replaceable unit in a replaceable package with a modified unit. However, it may also include any end item component modification that has been approved, and that can be performed within the parameters of B-Level maintenance.

2.4.2.7 Overhaul. This activity does not apply to B-Level maintenance.

2.4.3 <u>C-Level Maintenance</u>

This level of maintenance provides the most comprehensive capability of the three levels established. It encompasses all maintenance that lies beyond the scope of levels previously described. C-level maintenance will be performed at the contractor's facility or a subcontractor's facility, where all of the provisions for modification, repair, or overhaul that can be accomplished are available. The maximum depth of penetration is possible in C-level maintenance, since fault isolation can be carried to the lowest replaceable part or group of parts with factory equipment. This equipment will provide a verification capability sufficient to accomplish the certification of all items repaired.

To prevent the costly duplication of test equipment, the contractor and its subcontractors will perform modification, repair and overhaul with the same facilities as used in manufacturing.

2.4.3.1 <u>Modification. Repair and Overhaul</u>. The modification, repair and overhaul of Apollo end items at a C-Level of maintenance accommodates the performance of these functions to the level required, e.g., complete modification, repair or overhaul to the lowest part level...such as a resistor, dicde, seal or bracket. The fault isolation and repair varification capability of available ground support equipment will permit the accomplishment of all maintenance required.

2.5 MAINTENANCE AREAS

Maintenance of Apollo and itema and materiel will be performed at the contractor's facility, at subcontractors' facilities, and at the Test Sites. The contractor's and subcontractors' facilities will be programmed to accommodate C-Level maintenance, and the test sites will be programmed to support B-Level maintenance.

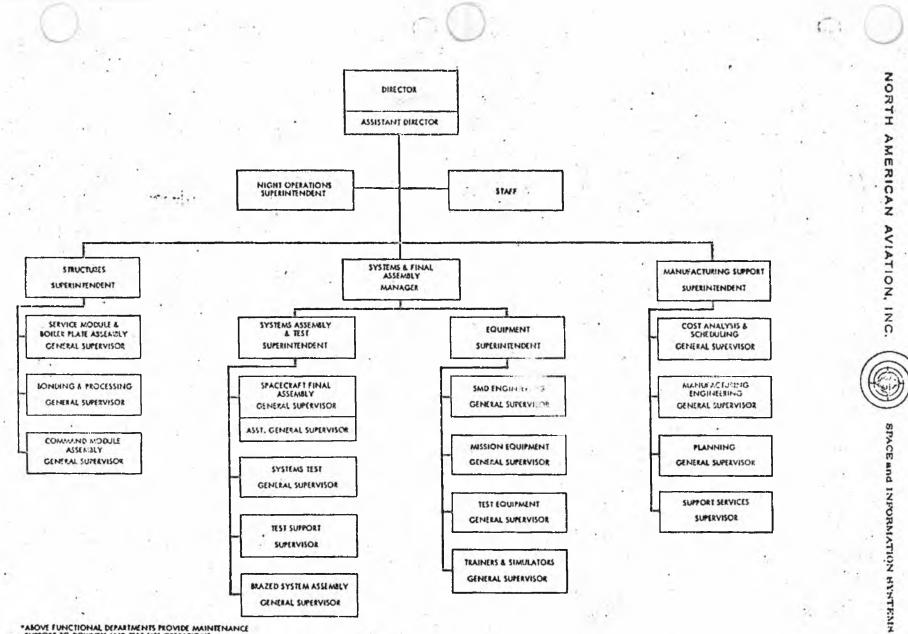
2.5.1 <u>S&ID-Downey</u>

All levels of maintenance support for end items and materiel are provided by the contractor at S&ID-Downey. Manufacturing provides the organization (see Figure 2-5) and facilities to support Downey Test Operations as well as Test Site requirements. Manufacturing Bench Maintenance is organized and oriented to support Downey Test Operations, as well as to support C-Level maintenance requirements originating at the Test Sites.

- 2.5.1.1 <u>Bench Maintenance Area</u>. The Bench Maintenance Area at S&ID-Downsy is located in Building 290. This area is equipped to permit A, B, and some C-Level modification, repair and overhaul of Apollo end items and material. Subcontractor maintenance equipment and personnal are also situated in the area to provide specialized testing, repair, and certification of sub-contractor furnished items. To preclude the compromise of hardware reliability during maintenance, this area is equipped to provide a high degree of environmental control, i.e., cleanliness, humidity, and temperature control.
- 2.5.1.2 <u>Manufacturing Production Area</u>. NAA/S&ID manufacturing production facilities are located within the Downey complex. This complex provides back-up support for C-Level maintenance requirements that are generated at Downsy and the Test Sites. The same organization, facilities, equipment, and personnel which were utilized for the initial fabrication of Apollo hardware will be used to perform modification, repair and overhaul of end items and materiel.

2.5.2 Florida Facility

The contractor maintains an activity at the Florida Facility to provide maintenance support for Apollo Test Operations at that site. Apollo Test and Operations, (see Figure 2-4) at the Florida Facility, is organized



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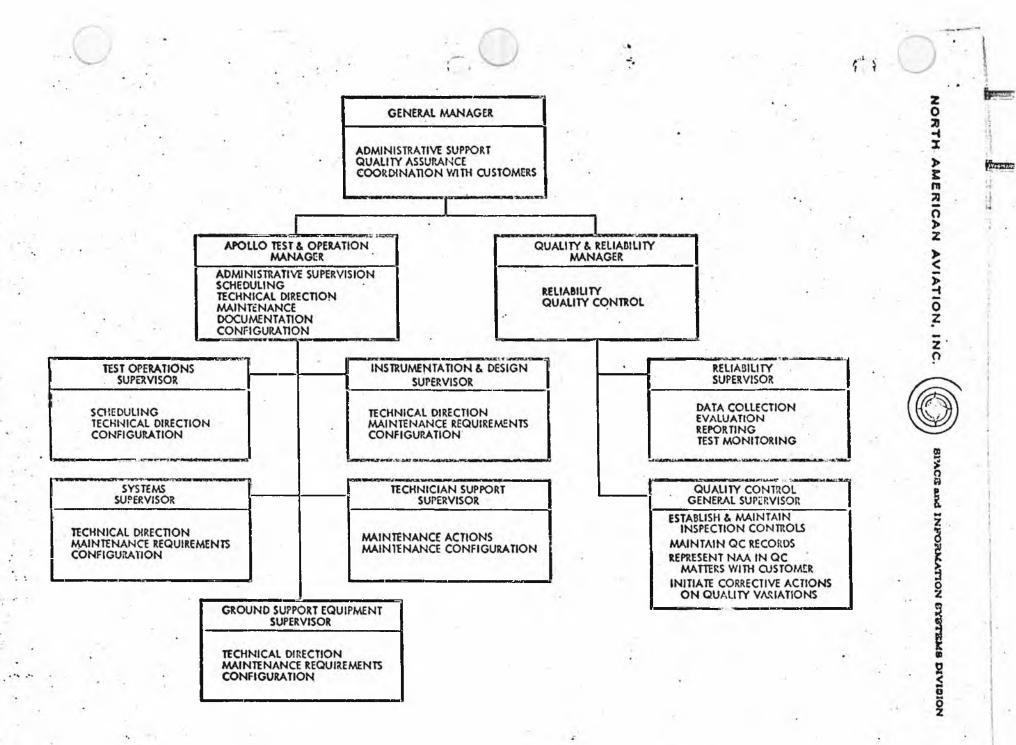


Figure 2-4. S&ID Apollo Program Organization, Florida Facility

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ip provide A- and B-Level maintenance support. There are three principal areas at this site where maintenance will be performed. These are the Operations and Checkout Area, the Launch Area, and the Bench Maintenance Area.

- 2.5.2.1 Operations and Checkout Area. Maintenance tasks performed in this area support the receiving and checkout of spacecraft, systems, subsystems, and related ground support equipment prior to transfer to the launch area. Maintenance support in this area is generally limited to A-Level and involves the inspection, test, adjustment, calibration, removal, installation, and verification of replaceable packages. Modification that is within the capability of programmed equipment and personnel may also be performed in this area. All B-Level maintenance requirements that originate in the Operations and Checkout Area are supported by the Bench Maintenance Area.
- 2.5.2.2 Launch Area. Maintenance tasks performed in this area involve the mating of launch vehicle and spacecraft, with subsequent servicing and preflight checkout. Maintenance requirements occurring in this area are predominantly of an unscheduled nature. Launch Area maintenance tasks will generally be limited to the A-Level. B-Level maintenance requirements originating in this area will be supported by the Bench Maintenance Area.
- 2.5.2.3 <u>Remote Areas</u>. In addition to the three principal areas cited above, certain maintenance tasks will be performed in the Static Firing Facility, Cryogenic Facility, Radar Bore Sight Facility, Parachute Facility, Hypergolic Facility, Ordnance Facility, and Environmental Control Facility. Naintenance tasks performed in these areas are generally limited to A-Level

and consist of such functions as inspection, servicing, calibration, and minor modification. The site Bench Maintenance Area will provide B-level support for the Remote Areas.

2.5.2.4 This area has been programmed to provide E-Level Bench Maintenance Area. Maintenance support for the Operations and Checkout Area, the Launch Area, and the Remote Areas. and will have repair and recertification capabilities to a replaceable package level. Maintenance tacks performed in the Bench Maintenance Area will consist primarily of fault isolation in replaceable packages to the lowest replaceable unit, and recertification of the package when repair is completed. Certain modification tasks will also be performed in the Bench Meintenance Area. These will include the installation of modified replaceable units in replaceable packages, as well as other specifically authorized changes that are within the verification capability of available GSE. Maintenance requirements originating at the site that are beyond the B-level capability will be referred to the contractor or subcontractor as appropriate. These items are routed in accordance with the Source Maintenance Recoverability (SNR) code which designates the repair location. The SMR code is defined and described in the Apollo Support Plan, SID 62-702-1.

2.5.3 White Sands Missile Range

Maintenance support requirements exist at WSNR in two widely separated locations, and for two entirely different test operations. These locations are the Mission Abort Area and the Propulsion Systems Development Facility (PSDF). Maintenance activities at Mission Abort and FSDF are under the immediate direction of their respective Chief of Test Operations and these, organizationally, are subordinate to the overall direction of the WSNR Test Manager (see Figure 2-5). Maintenance requirements originating at Mission Abort or PSDF which are beyond the programmed capability of these areas will be referred to the contractor or subcontractor. The SMR code assigned to reparable items designates where they will be repaired. This information is contained in the Site Support List.

2.5.3.1 <u>Mission Abort Area</u>. The Mission Abort Area contains a Vertical Assembly Building (VAB) and a Launch Facility. Receiving inspection and checkout of systems and ground support equipment takes place in the VAB. Scheduled and unscheduled maintenance tasks performed in this building are all confined to the A-Level. Stacking and integrated system checkout are conducted at the Leunch Facility, utilizing the launch pad and service tower. Maintenance tasks performed in this area are generally of an unscheduled nature, and are also confined to the A-Level. Modifications of a minor nature that fall within an A-Level capability will be performed at both the VAB and the Launch Facility.

A Meter Room, situated in the VAB, is equipped with sufficient bench maintenance equipment (BME) to provide B-Level maintenance support for mission abort test operations.

The Technical Area of the WSMR complex contains laboratory and test facilities far more extensive then those located at the Apollo test areas. Arrangements will be made through NASA to obtain support from these facilities when the maintenance capability at the Mission Abort Area proves inadequate.

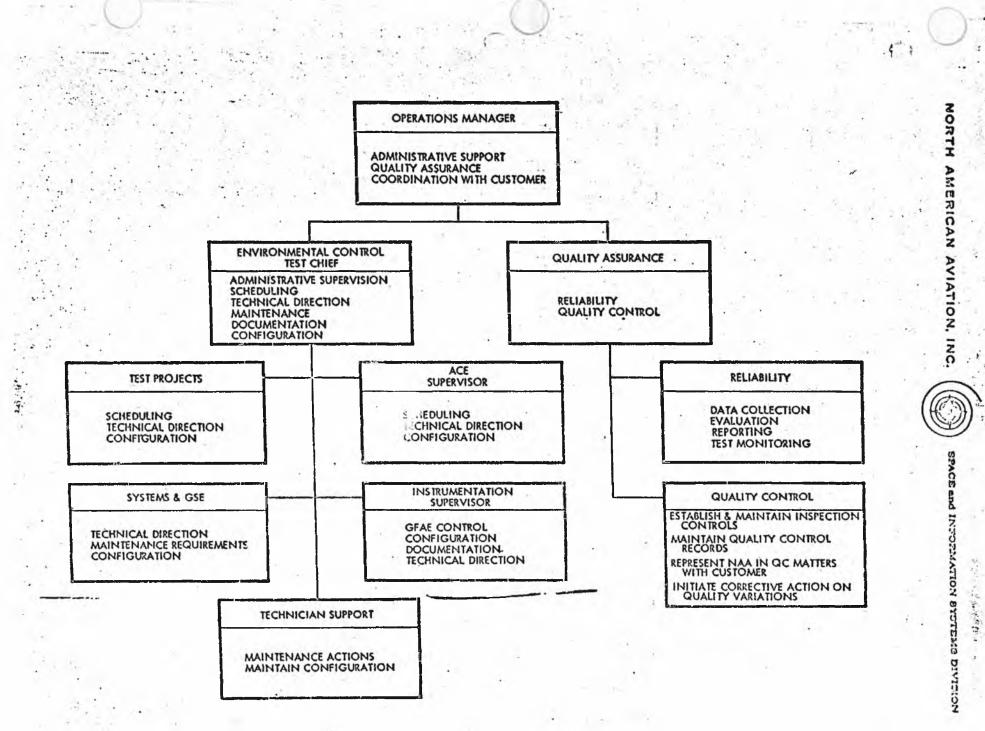
2.5.3.2 <u>Propulsion Systems Development Facility</u>. Maintenance is performed in two locations at the PSDF. These locations are the Test Fixture Arez and the Meter Room. Maintenance tasks performed in the Test Fixture Area generally fall within the A-Level and involve receiving inspection, servicing, calibration, minor modification, etc. The Neter Room contains EME that provides B-Level maintenance support to the Test Fixture Area.

As with the Mission Abort Area, arrangements will be made to obtain support from the Technical Area of the WSME complex when the maintenance capability at PSDF proves inadequate.

2.5.4 <u>Manned Spacecraft Center</u>

Spacecraft environmental test programs encompassing all of the multiple system environmental chamber (thermal-vacuum) tests will be conducted in the Environmental Proof Simulator Facility at the Manned Spacecraft Center (MSC). Maintenance performed in support of these tests will occur in the Assembly and Checkout Area, the Test Chamber, and the Bench Maintenance Area. Trainer Maintenance is the responsibility of MSC. The organization responsible for maintenance at MSC is shown in Figure 2-6.

- 2.5.4.1 <u>Assembly and Checkout Area</u>. The receipt, assembly and checkout of spacecraft, prior to insertion in the Test Chamber, will be conducted in the Assembly and Checkout Area located adjacent to the Test Chamber. Maintenance tasks performed in this area will generally be confined to the A-Level, and will consist of inspection, servicing, testing, etc. Minor modi.'ications that fall within the A-Level capability may also be performed in this area. Maintenance requirements originating in this area that are beyond the A-Level will be supported by Fanch Maintenance.
- 2.5.4.2 <u>Test Chamber Area</u>. Maintenance tasks performed in this area will generally be of an unscheduled nature and confined to the A-Level. These tasks will include fault isolation to the removable package level, as well as removal, installation and system verification.



S&ID, Apollo Program Organization, Manned Spacecraft Center Figure 2-6.

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2.5.4.3 <u>Banch Maintenance Area</u>. The Bench Maintenance Area at MSC is intended to provide B-Level maintenance support to the Assembly and Checkout Area and, in some instances, to maintenance requirements originating in the Test Chamber.

Maintenance tasks performed in this area will primarily involve fault isolation of replaceable packages to the lowest replaceable unit, and certification of the unit when repair is completed. Certain modification tasks will also be performed in the Earch Maintenance Area. These will include the installation of modified replacement units in replaceable packages, as well as other specifically authorized changes that are within the verification capability of available GSE. Maintenance requirements originating at MSC that are beyond the 2-level will be referred to the contractor or subcontractor as designated in the SME code. The Site Support List contains SME code information.

2.5.5 El Centro Perachute Test Facility

Northrop-Ventura has prime responsibility at the El Centro Parachute Test Facility. However, NAA will provide maintenance support from S&ID-Downey on an "as required" basis. A small stock of spares is maintained at El Centro, and NAA/S&ID provides a parts man and liaison engineer to the facility.

2.5.6 <u>Marabell Space Flight Center</u>

The extent of maintenance to be performed at Marshall Space Flight Center (MSFC) is presently unknown. When information on the subject is available, it will be included in the plan. Once defined, the maintenance effort required at MSFC shall be a matter of separate contractual coverage.

2.5.7 <u>Subcontractor Maintenance</u>

Major subcontractors provide maintenance support at their respective manufacturing facilities, at SkiD-Downey, and at the test sites. Each of these subcontractors have prepared and submitted a support plan which delineates the maintenance support they will provide. These plans have been approved by the contractor.

- 2.5.7.1 <u>Subcontractor Facilities</u>. Equipment and personnel to accommodate C-Level maintenance will be available at subcontractor facilities to provide maximum product support.
- 2.5.7.2 <u>SAID-Downey Facility.</u> Major subcontractors will provide equipment and personnel for the Downey Banch Maintenance Area to support the system, sub-system, and component maintenance requirements of their product. The maintenance performed here will generally be confined to the B-Lavel, whereas C-Level maintenance will usually be performed at their respective manufacturing facilities.
- 2.5.7.3 Test Sites. Major subcontractors will maintain field engineers and field service engineers at the Test Sites to advise and assist NAA/S&ID maintenance personnel in the performance of maintenance on subcontractor products. Major subcontractors will provide technicisms to familiarize and train the contractor's maintenance personnel in the operation and maintenance of sub-contractor products.

2.6 PREINSTALLATION ACCEPTANCE (PIA)

Preinstallation acceptance of designated spares has been established as a requirement to ensure that the reliability of spacecraft and GSE systems and subsystems will not be compromised.

2.6.1 PIA Stars

Spacecraft and supporting GSE spares are classified in accordance with cortain criteria and require PIA at varying depths and intervals. Some of the criteria that is considered in determining the classifiestion of PIA spares are criticality, storage, material composition, reliability history, installation menhours, complex circuity, and effect on vehicle system or CSE when installed.

- 2.6.1.1 <u>PTA Spares Classification</u>. Clessification of PTA spares are as follows: Class 1 - Critical or complex items clearly requiring site receiving,
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2.6.2 <u>FIA Implorentation</u>

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Preinstallation acceptance of designated spacecraft and supporting GSE spares will be performed at SALE-Downey and at the Test Sites. The performance of PIA will be accomplished by Manufacturing Bench Maintenance and subcontractor maintenance support at SALD-Downey, and site bonch maintenance at the Test Sites. Maintenance tasks involved in PIA will generally fall within the E-Lovel capability.

2.7 MAINTENANCE DOCUMENTATION

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Figure 2-7. Test Preparation Sheet

d. Document the need for procurement or fabrication of components or parts.

Apollo Test and Operations will initiate a TFN for each item of work to be performed on Spacecraft and ground support equipment. The task requirement will be entered and approved on this form prior to work being accomplished. On completion of the work item(s) described, Quality Control will verify the quality performance of the tank and an inspection verification stamp will be entered on the form. The TFN provides a means of maintaining a permanent record of work performed. The flow of TFN and TFNS Forms are illustrated in Figure 2-8.

- 2.7.1.2 Test Preparation Modification Sheet. The Test Preparation Modification Sheet (TFMS) will authorize work which represents a correction, addition or deletion to a TPS as originally released. Apollo Test and Operations will prepare a TPMS (see Figure 2-9) before the TPS is completed and closed out. The TFMS shall be indexed and filed as an integral part of the original TFS.
- 2.7.1.3 <u>TPS & TPNS Index</u>. This document will serve as an index of all Test Preparation Sheets and Test Preparation Modification Sheets originated, and will sequentially list each TPS and TPNS prior to work being accomplished. NAA/SAID and HASA Quality Control will indicate the completion of work by inserting an inspection acceptance stamp in an appropriate block of the index (see Figure 2-10).
- 2.7.1.4 <u>Discrepancy Record</u>. This form will be used to record discrepancies on spacecraft, ground support equipment, and spares. A Discrepancy Record (DR) will be initiated on items which cannot be returned to design configuration, or on discrepancies which invalidate a previously accepted test. The DR (see Figure 2-11) can be initiated by either S&ID Quality Control, Apollo Test end Operations, or NASA Quality Assurance and Inspection.

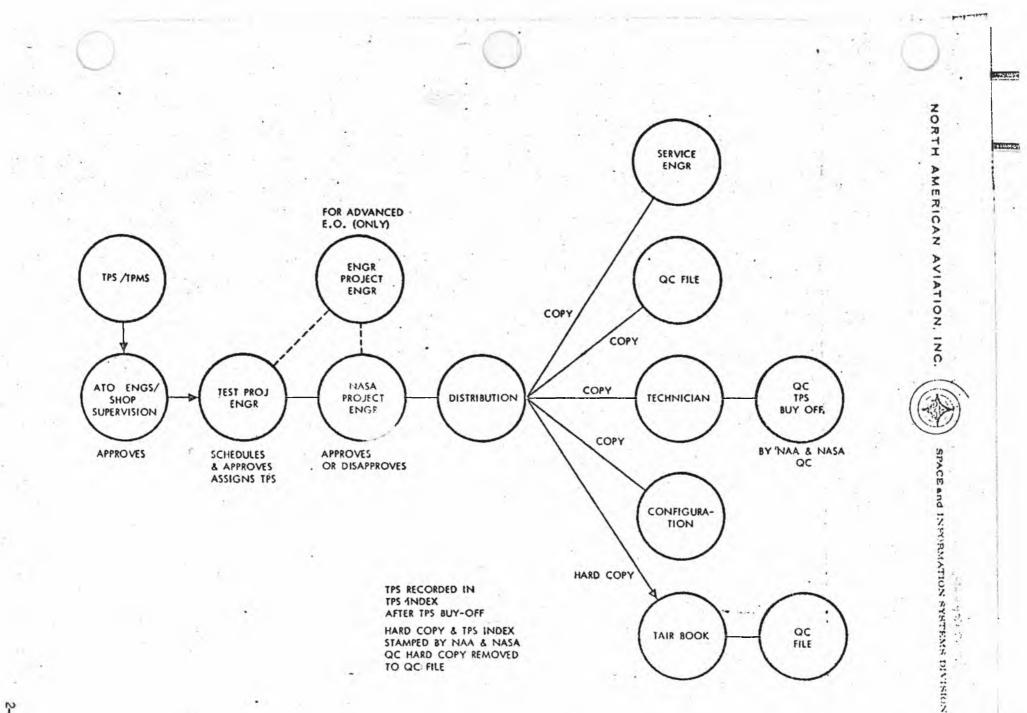


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Figure 2-11. Discrepancy Record

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- 2.7.1.5 <u>Discretancy Record Event Sheet</u>. A Discrepancy Record Squark Sheet (DRSS) will be used to record minor discrepancies on spacecraft, ground support equipment, and spares. The DESS (see Figure 2-15) will be initiated on items that can be returned to design configuration, and may be propered by either S&ID or MASA Quality Control. Discrepancies will be antered sequencially in the DRSS and each squark sheet shall be numbered. Corrective action on a DRSS will be determined by either ATRO Engineering or ATRO Shop Supervision.
- 2.7.1.6 <u>Discretancy Record Index</u>. This index (see Figure 2-14) will be maintained by SdD Quality Control, will sequentially list each DN written, and will accurately reflect DR status. Upon the satisfactory completion of a DR disposition action, the DR hard copy will be removed from the applicable TATR Book. A buy-off will be affected by entry of the DR in the Discrepancy Record Index, and verified by an S&D and MASA Quality Control inspection vorification stamp.
- 2.7.1.7 Part Removal Record. Any part or component to be removed from Apollo end items will be listed on the Part Removal Record, Form 79-Q (see Figure 2-15). In addition to part name, identification number and serial number, the reason for removal will be noted. Quality Control will verify each removal and replacement, and will also record the new part serial number and the original part number before the removal or replacement is accomplished. In conjunction with the entry on Form 79-Q, entries will also be made on the Installed Equipment Serialization Record and the Operational Time Change Items forms.

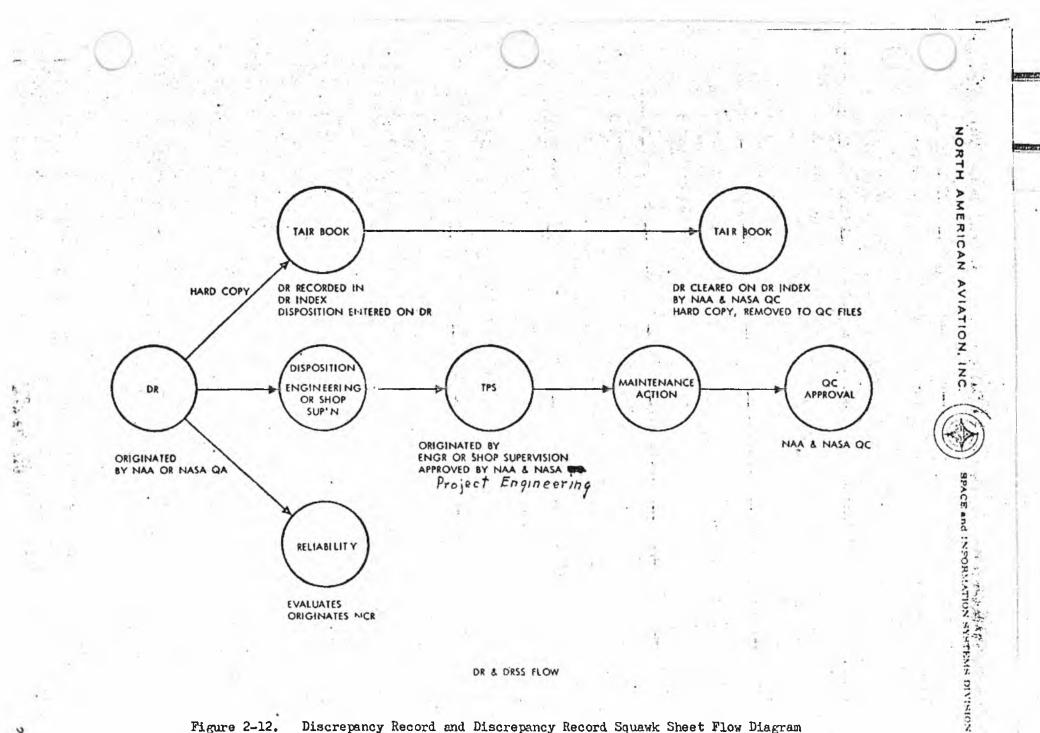


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Part Removal Record

Figure 2-15. Part Removal Record

- 2.7.1.8 Installed Equipment Serialization Record. The Installed Equipment Serialization Record, Form 917-B (see Figure 2-16), will be used to record all part names, part numbers, serial numbers, installation date and, if applicable, property tag numbers of installed parts, accomblics, components and modules. Entries will be made by Quality Control with the assistance of Apollo Test and Operations, and verified by inspection. Appropriate entries will also be made in the Fart Removal Record.
- 2.7.1.9 <u>Operating Time and Discrepancy Record</u>. This document, Form 917-A (see Figures 2-17 and 2-18), will be used for accountability and traceability, as well as to record operating time or cycles and discrepancies of functional time-significant items. Quality Control will make entries on this form, which will also be used in conjunction with the Operational Time Change Items form.
- 2.7.1.10 <u>Operational Time Change Items</u>. Quality Control will use the Operational Time Change Items, Forms 917-A (see Figure 2-19), to record the transfor of operating time/cycles from the Operational Time and Discrepancy Record when a functional assembly is absorbed into a higher assembly.

2.7.2 <u>Meteriel Condition Identification</u>

Materiel condition status tags (AF Form 50 Series) are utilized in this program to identify the condition of individual items of material. These tags are attached to an item at all times, except when the item is installed as part of a system, subsystems assembly or GSE. The following paragraphs describe the individual tags and their purpose.

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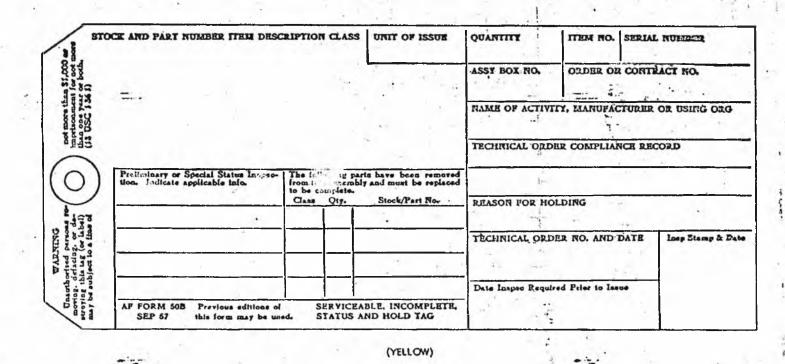
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Figure 2-20. Serviceable, Incomplete Status Hold Tag

attached to items that are ready for use in all respects, or that are ready for use except for changes to be incorporated or tests to be performed. Removal of this tag can only be made with the authority of Quality Control.

- 2.7.2.2 <u>Remrable Tag.</u> The Reparable Tag, AF Form 50D (see Figure 2-21), is green. This tag is used to identify material that is not serviceable but that is reparable. Whenever an item is determined to be unserviceable by test, inspection, or other means, a determination will be made as to the reparability of the item. If determined to be reparable, a Reparable Tag will be attached to the item. The tag will remain attached until the item undergoes repair, or until other disposition has been determined.
- 2.7.2.3 <u>Rejected or Condemned Tag</u>. The Rejected or Conderned Tag, AF Firm 503 (see Figure 2-22), is red. This tag is attached to any item that is determined by inspection, test, or other means to be malfunctioning or unserviceable. The tag will remain attached to an item until a determination has been made as to whether or not the item is reparable. If the item is determined to be reparable, the Rejected or Conderned Tag will be removed and replaced with a Reparable Tag.

2.8 SUPPORT MANUALS

In accordance with contractual requirements, Apollo support manuals shall be developed by the contractor and its subcontractors to cover the Apollo spacecraft, ground support equipment and trainers. These manuals provide procedurs information on end item checkout, operation and maintenance, as well as transportation and handling. Support manual management and development is fully described in the Apollo Support Plan, SID 62-702-1.

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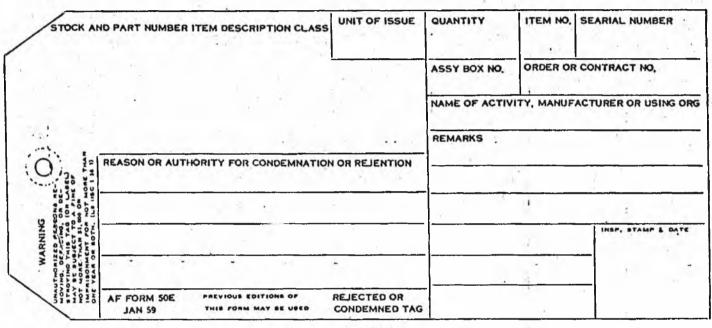
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Figure 2-21. Reparable Tag



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Figure 2-22.

Rejected or Condemned Tag

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Apollo Program Plan (Confidential), SID 62-223

This document describes the effort involved in designing and developing the Apollo Command Module, Service Module, and Spacecraft Adapter, and integrating the Lamar Excursion Module (LEM) into the total spacecraft design. The Program Plan is divided into three sections: The management plans, the technical development plan, and summaries of other partiment plans. The purpose of this document is to present to the reader a comprehemeive understanding of all aspects of the total program.

General Test Plan. SID 62-109 Series

The General Test Plan is presented in five volumes, containing test plan research and development information for Project Apollo Spacecraft. Each of the volumes is revised quarterly by the System Integration Department of Apollo Engineering.

General Test Plan Research and Development for Project Apollo Spacecreft (Confidential), SIR 62-103-1

This volume presents the overall test logic for Project Apollo and provides a summary of the testing activities relating to individual system, ground qualification, acceptance, and multiple systems. The summarized information concerns objectives, procedures, schedules, and facilities. General Test Plen Research and Development for Project Apollo Spececraft (Confidential). SID 62-109-2

This volume contains information on individual systems development, and detailed systems test plans for the Apollo service propulsion system, reaction control system, etc.

General Test Plan Research and Development for Project Apollo Statescraft (Confidential). SID 62-109-3

This volume establishes and describes the ground qualification test program for Apollo Spacewraft and Ground Support Equipment (GSE).

General Test Flan Research and Development for Project Apollo Spacessit

This volume describes the acceptance criteria for Ayollo Spacecraft Equipment, and Ground Support Equipment (GSE), assembled at NAA/SOLD and its subcontractors.

General Test Plan Research and Development for Project Apollo Spececraft (Confidential), SID 62-109-5

This volume presents detailed test plans for the multiple systems tests described in Volume I, SID 62-109-1. The test location and the menner in which NAA/S&ID will accomplish the testing is specified.

Facilities Plan for Project Apollo Spacecraft (Confidential). SID 62-153 This document reflects S&ID's plan for the facilities required to fulfill Apollo Program objectives. The requirements are established on the basis of currently defined activities and schedules. Included in the Plan are S&ID Apollo facilities, major subcontractor facilities, and the NAS& facilities involving S&ID technical support or engineering effort. This plan is prepared by the Apollo Facilities Department.

Apollo Guelity Control Plan. SID 62-154-1

This document describes the methods and techniques used to implement quality control procedures for the Apollo Program. Quality Control activities are summarized for the overall program during all phases of Project Apollo. This plan is updated as required by the Quality Engineering Department.

Apollo Guality Control Plan (Instaction and Test Control Point Flor Charts). SID 62-154-2

This document defines the general areas where quality inspection will be performed during the fabrication and assembly of Apollo Spacecraft and associnted GSE. The specification used at each inspection point is also given. The detail inspection requirements are delineated in the Fabrication Assembly Inspection Record (FAIR) book which is described in the Apollo Manufacturing Plan, SID 62-102. The Apollo Quality Control Plan (Inspection and Test Control Foint Flow Charts), SID 62-154-2; is updated as required by the Quality Engineering Department.

Apollo Peliability Plan (Confidential). SID 62-205

This document provides an overall plan for implementation and administration of the Apollo Reliability Frogram. The plan also presents the organization, controls, and procedures to be employed by S&ID in meeting the requirements specified in the NAS 9-150 Contract. This document is revised as required by the Apollo Reliability Department.

Apello Support Plan. SID 62-702-1

The purpose of this document is to define the Apollo material support requirements, as well as to describe the system and methods to be used by NAA/S&ID in satisfying the requirements. This plan covers all S&ID material support functions from provisioning through inventory disposition and provides detailed guide lines for support manuals management and development.

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Avollo Training Plan (Confidential). SID 62-162

This document describes the Apollo training program, and the requirements for achieving an integrated training effort for personnel participating in a mission. Apollo Logistics Training Department revises this plan as required.

Master Repair Schedule. SID 63-903

This document identifies and lists all reparable items that partain to the Apollo Spacecraft and Ground Support Equipment. It provides information upon which preliminary scheduling and manpower programming reparable item repair can be based. The Source Maintenance Recoverability (SMR) Code—a derivative of Maintenance Analysis—is entered adjacent to each item to show whether it is provisioned, where it can be removed and replaced, where it can be repaired, and who has disposition authority. The document also forecasts the cyclic repair of the items listed.

GLOSSARY OF TERMS

This glossery defines terms that relate to the Apollo Program in general. It is spacifically applicable to the Apollo Support Plan, SID 52-702-1, the Apollo Maintenance Plan, SID 52-702-2, and will be applicable to all subsequently produced maintenance planning documentation.

placed, or serviced.

ACCEPTANCE

The act of an authorized representative, by which the customer approves specific services rendered, or acknowledges that certain specified articles are in conformity with the requirements of the contract.

The relative cars with which a component or an assembly can be approached to be repaired. re-

ACCESSIBILITY

ACCESSORY

ADJUSTIENT

AIRFRAME

ARTICIE

ASSEMBLY

ATTACHMENT

BENCH MALIFTENANCE EQUIPMENT (EME) increase the effective use of some other mechanism or piece of equipment.

A mechaniam or device encloyed to facilitate or

A means by shidh parts, all of a machine or device, are adjusted to one another to attain an operating standard psculiar to the unit.

Assembled structural and herodynamic components of a spacecraft of lauren vehicle.

A unit of hardware, or any portion of the hordware, required by the contract.

A combination of parts or subscendlies that may be taken apart without destruction, which has no application or use of its can, but is essential for the completeness of a more complex item with which it is combined. An assorbly is an element of a component and upperforms functions necessary to the operation of the component as a whole.

A Supplementary device fastoned to or mounted on a machine, apparatus, or other and item, so as to vary or extend its basic function.

Equipment required to support subsystem and component testing. It is designed to provide the capability of isolating and dofining malfunctions.

combined systems BOILERPLATE

BUIK ITEMS

CALTBRATE

CALTERATION TESTS

CHECKOUT

COMMAND MODULE

COMMON AND STANDARD ITEMS

COMMON HARDWARE

COMMON TOOL

COMPONENT

A simulated module for predevelopmental and developmental tests leading to the design of the spacecraft.

Cortain rew materials and semi-fabricated items used in the manufacture of an article, including standard, commercial, and military hardware, e.g., clips, clamps, fasteners, bolts, nuts, washers, hozes and lubricants.

A method of comparing an instrument, device, or dial with a standard to determine its accuracy, capacity or graduations, or devising a scale.

Tests conducted to determine the input-to-output characteristics of a measuring device, component, or assembly; these tests are also conducted to verify that the characteristics are within specified tolerances.

A sequence of operational and calibrational tests needed to determine the condition and status of a required operational function.

The personnel and control vehicle in Apollo, containing command and communication facilities and crew provisions.

Certain items of common and standard use, commercially available to industry, that adequately satisfy the requirements of the end article.

Certain items having multiple applications, e.g., nuts, bolts, screws, washers, pins, keys, grownets, rivets, etc.

Tools in general use that are applicable to a variety of material, e.g., screwdrivers, hazeers, drill presses, etc.

A functional part of a system, subsystem, or replaceable package or module that is essential to their operational completeness. A component is a combination of units or parts that together may be functionally independent of, or an independent entity within, a complete operating module or subsystem, but which provide a self-contained function necessary for proper module, subsystem, and/or system operation.

CONSUMABLE MATERIAL CONTRACT SCHEDULE

CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR FURNISHED EQUIPMENT (CFE)

CONTROLLED ENVIRONMENT

CONTROLLED PARTS

CORRECTIVE MAINTENANCE

CRITICAL NATCHING ASSEMBLIES

CRITICAL MATCHING PARTS

CRITICAL MATCHING SPACECRAFT SUPPORT EARDWARE

CUSTOMER

CUSTCHER WORK ORDER (CWO)

DELIVERABLE FOULPMENT

The physical neture of an iten; the physical arrangement of components which comprise a - spacecraft and its dimensions.

A type of item that is expended through user

The prime contract executed by the Government and the prime contractor which, in addition to the terms and conditions thereof, includes by reference or otherwise. Specifications, drawings, exhibits, and other data necessary to its proper discharge.

The individual or concern that enters into a prime contract with the Government, e.g., North American Aviation, Inc.

An item of equipment provided by the contractor under the terms of a contract.

An environment in which factors such as hundity, pressure, and temperature are under control.

Parts, essenblies, or components which require lot or comial number identification.

Naintenance performed on a noncoholuled basis to restore equipment to a corviceable condition.

Assemblies that are specifically matched to a perticular spacegraft. GSB and iten, trainer, or simulator.

Farts that are specifically identified for use on a particular spacecraft, GSE end item, trainer, or simulator.

Assomblies that require spacific fit to the individual vohicle.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

An S&ID form which authorizes the performance of certain work such as the overhaul, repair, or modification of equipment. The CWO is used to identify and control items during the overhaul, repair, or modification cycls.

All menufactured herdvare that is complete to the degree required, and ready for delivery to any scheduled destination.

DIAGNOSIS

DIRECT SUPPORT MATERIEL

The process of identifying a calfunction to the level of component, sessibly, or part at which the maintenance action will be taken.

Froperty which may be incorporated into or attached to an end item, or which may be consumed or expended in the performance of a contract. It includes raw and processed material, parts, essemblics, components, and small tools and suppliwhich may be consumed in normal use in the performance of a contract.

Oscilloscopes, countors, diula, printera, lighta, indicators, scalas, sta., used to provide visual intalligence.

A space system or any of its principal systems or subsystem elements, e.g., launch vehicle, spacecraft, ground support system, propulsion engine, or guidence system. Also, articles which will be delivered directly to a Covernment installation or provided as GFP to a contrastor.

The aggregate of the conditions and forces that influence or affect an article and its performance throughout its cervice hife.

A category of materials that are not accountable upon issue.

An occurrence, produced by sudien or gradual deterioration, which couses equipment performence to deviate from specified limits.

The average number of feilures occurring per unit of time in a specified piece of equipment.

The process of determining the cause of failure within a given system.

Equipment furnished to the contractor by the Government.

All property in the persession of, or acquired directly by the Government, and subsequently delivered or otherwise made available to the contractor.

DISFLAY

END ITEN

SWVISCHELTE

EXPENDABLES.

FAILURE

FAILURE RATE

FAULT ISOLATION

GOVERNMENT FURNISHED EQUIPMENT (GFE)

COVERNMENT FURNISHED PROFERTY (GFP)

Gung

HANDBOOKS

HARDWARE

IDERTIFICATION

INDIRECT SUPPORT MATERIEL

INSFECTION

INSPECTION AGENCY

All non-flight implements or devices required to inspect, test, adjust, calibrate, appraise, gage, measure, repair, overhaul, assemble, disassemble, transport, safeguard, record, store, actuate, or otherwise perform a function in support of the spacecraft and boilerplate during (1) tests at factory subsequent to manufacturing completion, (2) prelnunch, launch, and postlaunch operations at test sites, and (3) major devolopment tests such as house spacecraft tests, propulsion tests, and environmental tests. This includes equipment required to support ground support equipment as defined herein.

In a general sense, any small book containing specialized information or instructions.

The physical object, as distinguished from its capability or function (actual engines, cases, pumps, the guidance system, or other components of the spacecraft or GSE). The term is also used in regard to a stage of development, e.g., the passage of a device or component from the design or planning stage into the hardware stage as the finished product.

A term referring to a controlled serial or lot number thich relates the part, assembly, model, etc., to a particular lot of raw reterial, manufacturing process, manufacturer, manufacturing date, cure data, receiving date, purchased lot, historical data, essembly process, matched equipment, expiration date.

Equipment, machinery, structures, and consumable material, used on a recursing basis for outfitting, maintaining or operating purposes. It also includes maintenance stock, tool orib supplies, stationery, office supplies, non-productive herdwars, fuel, bottled water, day ico, etc.

The examination, including testing, of contract work, articles and services, to determine conformance to contract requirements.

L Government agency, or an agency acting on behalf of the Government, which determines that contracted work, articles and services, conform to technical requirements.

INSPECTION, FINAL

An inspection which may occur either at the contractor's plant or at any other designsted location. Its purpose is to verify compliance with applicable drawings and/or opecifications, and to insure conformance with requirements of the contract.

An inspection which is performed at the contractor's plant or a subcontractor's plant. Its purpose is to establish that the articles inspected are in conformity with requirements of the contract prior to shipsont to the place of final inspection and acceptance.

Final inspection and acceptance which is acknowledged in a binding meaner by an authorized representative of the customer.

The physical and functional combination of two or more systems required to complete an operational function, e.g., stabilization and control system, guidance and navigation system, reaction control system, and service propulsion system.

A test of a vehicle or stage with two or more systems involved.

Assamblies, subassamblies, and replaceable parts that can be substituted for one another without physical or electrical medification.

A property given a part co that it may be used in more than one application.

In a recket vehicle or other system, a common boundary between one component and another; the junction points or the points within or between systems or subsystems where matching or accommolation must be properly achieved in order to make their operation compatible with the successful operation of all other functional entities in the space vehicle and its ground support.

An authorization to proceed with fabrication or procurseent of long load time items prior to the normal approval cycle.

INSPECTION, PRELIMINARY

INSPECTION, RECORD

INTEGRATED SYSTEM

INTEGRATED SYSTEMS TEST

INTERCHANGEABLE UNITS

INTERCHANGEABILITY

INTERFACE

INTERIM RELEASE/EMERGENCY RELEASE

LAUNCH COMMIT

LAUNCH ESCAPE SYSTEM (LES)

LOGISTICS SUPPORT

LOT SCHEDULE

LONG LEAD TIME ITEMS

LINAR EXCURGION MODULE (LEM)

MAINPAIMABILITY

MAINTENANCE

MALFUNCTION

That point in time when the vehicle is actually released.

A system providing for commend module recovery in case of mission abort after launch and prior to orbit, and consisting of the launch escape motor, launch escape tower, and tower jettison motor,

The support given by an organization to an activity by means of which are furnished all, or any part of, its supplies, equipment maintsnance, transportation, storage, or any other like service, so as to enable the activity to carry out its intended operation more expeditiously.

A schedule directing that an item be inspected, orated, and readied for shipment prior to the lot number date, and shipped in the time period essigned.

Items that connet be delivered within a short time span because of their complexity of design, complicated manufacturing processes, or limited production or procurement cycles.

The two-men vehicle which will land on the moon after the Apollo spacecraft enters lunar orbit.

A quality of the combined features of material design and installation that permits or enhances the accomplishment of maintenance by personnal of average skill. Material design parameters include such items as the operational and environmental conditions under which the maintenance functions will be performed. Also included are repairability and serviceability, which are functions of the ease with which maintenance activities may be performed to avert or correct malfunctions.

All actions required to retain material in, or restore it to, a serviceable condition. Its phases include corvicing, repair, modification, overhaul, test, inspection, and condition determination.

A general term used to denote the inability of a product to give satisfactory performance. It need not constitute a failure if readjustment of operator controls can restore an acceptable operating condition. MATERIAL

MATERIEL

HEDIFICATION

MODULE

STRABLE ITEM

OVEREAUL

PACKAGING

PART

FECULIAR AND NON-STANDARD ITEMS

The substance or goods out of which an item is. or can be, made.

Items of all kinds required for the equipment, maintenance, operation, and support of activities.

A change in the design of an item, effected in order to correct a design deficiency, to facilitate production, or to improve operational effectiveqess.

A combination of components contained in one package, or so arranged that together they are common to one mounting, which provides a complete function or functions to a system and/or subsystem in which it operates. (See command module, service module, lumar accursion module, etc.)

MASA'S DELEGATED REFRESENTATIVE A representative of MASA stationed at a supplier's plant, or a representative of the inspection agency to whom quality assurance functions have been delegated.

> An iter designed and procured with the intention of disposing of it et failure rather than attempting repair.

> The rebuilding or extensive repairing and recorditioning of an item of equipment which has deteriorated through testing or extensive use.

The cleaning, preservation, and packing in unit quantities; interior cushioning and bracing; design and utilization of interior and exterior containers; identification of contents of inner and outer containers; and loading.

The smallest subdivision of a system; an individual piece having an inherent functional capability. but unable to function without the interaction of other parts or forces, and ordinarily not subject to disassembly without destruction.

Items peculiar to the equipment design of the contractor, subcontractor or supplier, for which no known common or standard item can be substituted. and for which design approval may not have been received.

PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE

PRIME CONTRACTOR

PROCEDURES

PROTOTYPE MODEL

PURCHASED PARTS

RECLAMATION

RELEASE

RELIABILITY

REPAIR

REPAIRABILITY

REPLACEABLE PACKAGE

The inspection, care, and servicing required to maintain equipment and facilities in a serviceable condition.

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The step-by-step menner in which any given task is performed.

A model suitable for complete evaluation of electrical and mechanical form, design, and performance. In its final form it employs approvel parts and is completely representative of final equipment.

Articles manufactured by outside sources in conformance to S&ID drawings and identified by S&ID part numbers.

The process of recovering required, serviceable, and economically reparable components and materials

An approval to fabricate or procure items of materiel support.

The probability that a system, subsystem, component or pirt, will perform its required function: under defined conditions at a designated time and for a specified operating period. Dependability probability measure.

The restoration of a system or equipment to a setisfactory operating condition after melfunction, demage, or deterioration.

The probability that when maintenance action required by equipment malfunction is taken, (1) the system will be restored to a satisfactory operating condition in a given period of time with a given manpower expenditure; and (2) the equipment will remain in satisfactory operating condition over a specified period of time.

An item of equipment that may be mounted in or removed from a spacecraft, checkout console, or the like, as a single package. A replaceable package or module is a combination of components contained in one package, or so arranged that together they are common to one mounting, which provides a complete function or functions for a system and/or subsystem in which it operates.

REPLACEABLE SERIALIZED UNIT

REPLACEMENT

SERVICEABILITY

SERVICEABLE CONDITION

SERVICE LIFE

SERVICE MODULE

SERVICING

SHELF LIFE

SITE SUPPORT LIST

SPACECRAFT

SPARE PART

SPECIAL TOOLS

The smallest serialized unit that can be replaced without soldering.

The substitution of one unit for another functionally identical unit.

A function of equipment design, configuration, installation, and operation that indicates the degree to which maintenance requirements are minimized and simplified.

That condition in which the article is considered suitable for carrying out the purpose for which it was designed or authorized.

The period of time or number of functional performances during which an item, installed in an operational system, will be expected to remain in a serviceable condition.

The Apollo module containing propulsion equipment, fuel, reaction control systems, and communications power. Used for thrust after booster separation, mid-course correction, lunar orbit, lunar orbit ejection, and earth return mid-course correction. It is jettisoned prior to re-entry.

The work performed at regular intervals, on under a recognized system, to keep equipment operable. It includes cleaning, lubricating, adjusting, charging, and changing of filters, decidators, etc.

That period of time during which an item can remain in storage without having its operability affected.

A list of materiel items essential to the support of a scheduled program at a field site.

In the Apollo Progrem, any component or combination of components of the flight vehicle not part of the launch vehicle, e.g., launch escape system, command module, service module, or adapter.

Any part, subassembly, or component kept in reserve for the maintenance and repair of major items of equipment.

Specially designed tools required to perform a special function of maintenance, assembly, disassembly, etc.

SUBASSEMBLY

SUBCONTRACTOR

SUBSYSTEM

SUPPLIER

SUPPORT MANUAL

System

TEST ARTICLE

TEST SITE

TEST SUPPORT PART

TRACEABILITY

A combination of parts comprising a definable entity of an assembly, a unit, or a component, which performs a function essential to the propaoperation of the assembly, unit, or component.

An organization, company or manufacturer that is under contract to a prime contractor, and has been delegated the responsibility for design, manufacture, and support of a system.

A mejor element in a system, comprised of a singl module or combination of modules plus independent components that contribute to modular functions, all interconnected and interrelated within a system and performing a specific system function.

A contractor or subcontractor sctually performing the services or producing the contract articles.

A publication containing detailed information on technical procedures, including instructions on handling, inspection, storage, operation, maintenance, checkout, repair, modification, and operhaul of given equiptent.

Any combination of complete operating squipment, comprised of a grouping or interconnection of subsystems or other functional entities, capable of performing a specific operational function or functions. Included are zerospace systems, supply systems, command and control systems, Aud all associated material.

An item that appears on a contractor, subcontractor or vendor drawing, and will be utilized as a tilsubject of a test.

A facility established at a selected geographic location for conducting a specific operation or test.

A part that is required for a unique application to accomplish a test function, and will not appear on a contractor, subcontractor, or supplier drawing as a functional part of that drawing.

A term which indicates the degree of yield from search for an item's history, application, use, and location.

TRADE-OFF

INEP

The procedure of traing a degree of an attribute to gain a degree of another attribute, e.g., accrificing a degree of performance to obtain a greater degree of reliability under certain conditions, or vice versa.

An assembly, or any combination of parts, subassemblies, and assemblies mounted together, normally capable of independent operation in a variety of situations.

The following definitions have been included as a means of further clarifying the depth and scope of the three levels of maintenance.

A-IEVEL NAINTENANCE

All activity necessary to service, adjust, and evaluate the readiness of a system, and which can be performed with minimum delay. It includes maintenance which is within the limits of equipment configuration and within the verification cepability of GSE common to systems and integrate systems checkout. Examples of system maintenance are as follows:

- Electrical: Service, adjust, and checkout, or fault isolate to a replaceable package level (fuel cell). Remove and install replaceable package and perform system verification.
- Electronic: Service, adjust, and checkout, or fault isolate to a replaceable package level (gyro acceleronator package). Remove and install replaceable package and perform system verification.
- Mechanical: Service, adjust, and checkout, or fault isolato to a replaceable package (orygen control panel). Remove and install replaceable package and perform system verification.

B-LEVEL MAINTENANCE

Replaceable package maintenance accomplished through replacement down to the replaceable serialized unit level. It includes maintenance which is within the verification capability of GSE common to replaceably package checkout. Examples of replaceable package maintenance are as follows:

- Electrical: Fault isolate to the replaceable serialized unit level (glycol pump, purge, valve). Service, adjust, or replace down to the serialized unit, and certify replaceable package.
- Electronic: Fault isolate to the replaceabl. serialized unit level (gyro preamplifier - ECA). Service, adjust, or replace down to replaceable serialized unit, and certify replaceable package.
- Mechanical: Fault isolate to the replaceable serialized unit level (purp, purge, valve, pressure relief valve). Service, adjust, and replace down to replaceable uni and cortify replaceable package.

All maintenance activity essociated with the Apol J Program which is beyond the A- and B-Levels, including total repair, modification and overhaul.

> Electrical: Detailed disassembly to the part level (penetration of stack assambly, replacement of plates, connectors, etc.). Reassemble, adjust, calibrate. functionally check and certify.

Electronic:

Detailed disassembly to the part level (dicdes, resistors capacitors, etched circuit:, etc.). Replacement of defective parts or assemblios. and reassemble. Adjust, calibrate, functionally check and certify.

C-LEVEL MAINTENANCE