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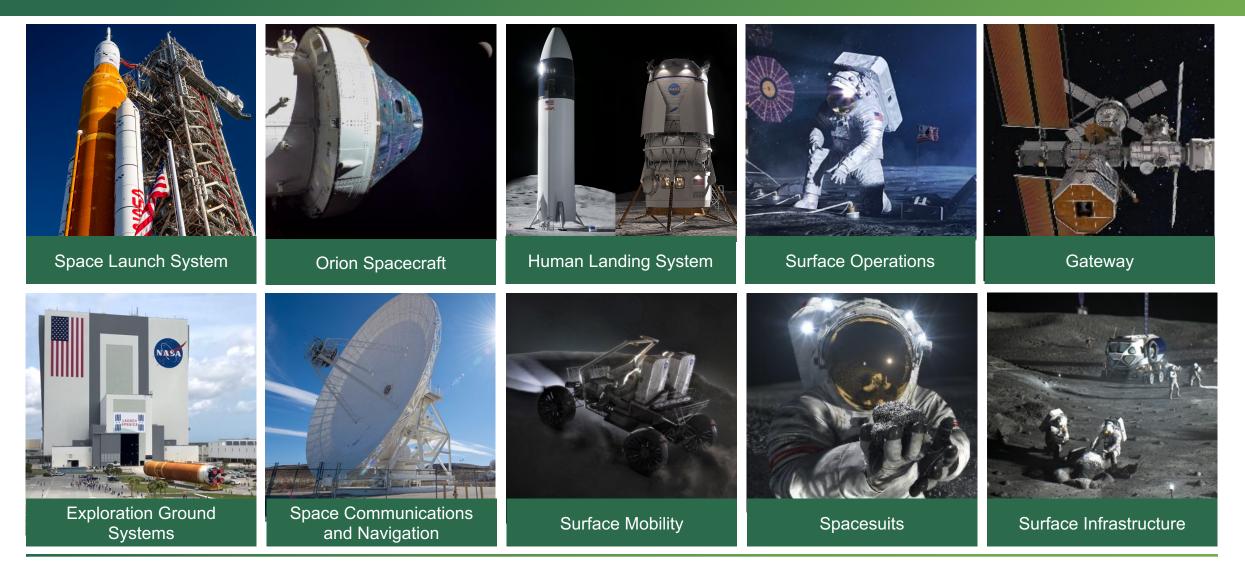
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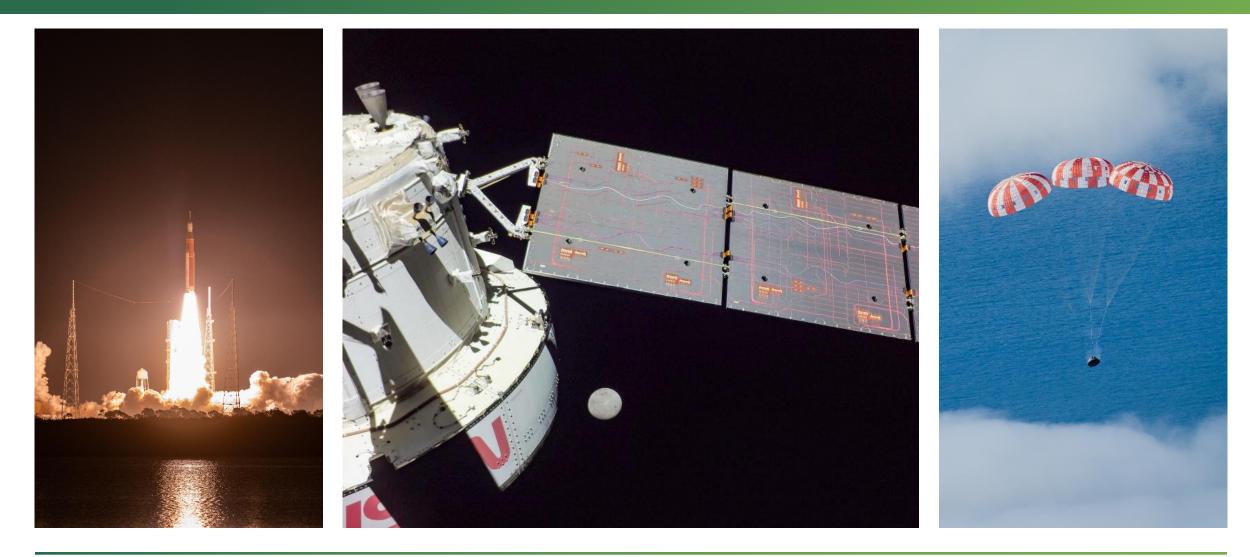
The Artemis Campaign





Artemis I

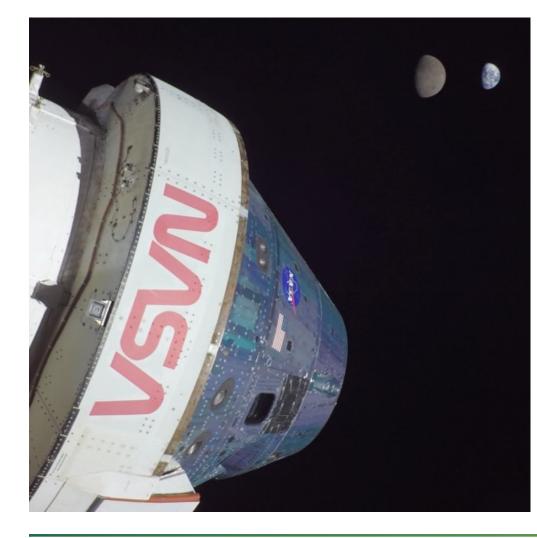




Artemis II

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ARTEMIS FIRSTS:

- Crewed integrated flight test of the Space Launch System (SLS) rocket, Orion spacecraft, and Exploration Ground Systems (EGS) at KSC
- Active Orion Launch Abort System (LAS)
- Demonstration of Orion life support systems
- Proximity operations demonstrations
- Human data collection in transit to and from the Moon, in lunar orbit, and through reentry and splashdown
- Conducting new science and technology demonstrations in orbit

NEW ELEMENTS:

- Orion life support systems
- Launch Complex 39B emergency egress system for crew and new liquid hydrogen system

COMMON ELEMENTS:

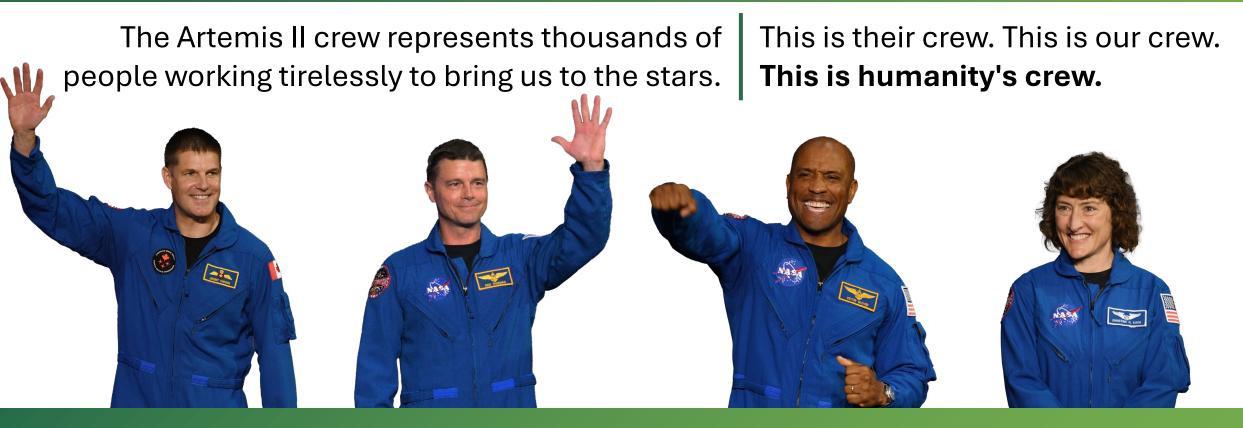
- SLS rocket Block 1 configuration
- Orion crew spacecraft
- Mobile Launcher 1

ENSURING CREW SAFETY IS OUR TOP PRIORITY!

The Artemis II Crew

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Jeremy Hansen Mission Specialist Canadian Space Agency Astronaut

Reid Wiseman Commander NASA Astronaut

Victor Glover Pilot NASA Astronaut Christina Hammock Koch Mission Specialist NASA Astronaut

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Moon to Mars Architecture Workshops

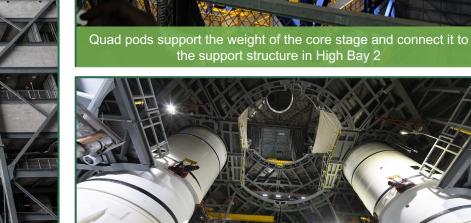
Artemis II Progress

Artemis II core stage is 'hard down' and fully supported by

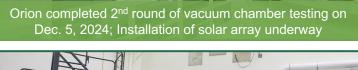
the structure in High Bay 2 in the Vehicle Assembly

Building on Dec. 12, 2024

the support structure in High Bay 2



Stacking of Artemis II booster segments complete at Kennedy Space Center on Feb. 19, 2025



Artemis I Orion crew module, now the Orion Environmental

Test Article, returned from Glenn after 11-month testing

campaign to undergo propulsion functional testing





Artemis III

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ARTEMIS FIRSTS:

- Human landing in South Pole region and return
- Orion to human landing system direct mission including crew docking activity
- Use of Near Rectilinear Halo Orbit (NRHO)
- Four astronauts to lunar orbit
- Two astronauts to lunar surface to collect scientific samples and data
- Conducting new science and technology demonstrations

NEW ELEMENTS:

- Orion full up rendezvous, proximity operations, and docking systems
- Starship human landing system
- Advanced spacesuits and tools to explore the surface and collect samples

COMMON ELEMENTS:

- SLS rocket Block 1 configuration
- Orion crew spacecraft
- Mobile Launcher 1

Artemis III Progress







Andre Douglas (Artemis II backup astronaut), right, and Kate Rubins participate in JETT 5



SpaceX Starship 6th Test Flight Nov. 21, 2024: In Orbit Maneuvers



Interim cryogenic propulsion stage complete final testing and checkout



Axiom Spacesuit Design Unveiled at IAC 2024





Core stage liquid oxygen tank completed hydrostatic proof testing



Artemis IV





ARTEMIS FIRSTS:

- Crewed mission to Gateway
- Launch, delivery, and integration of a space station module in lunar orbit
- Crew transfer from Orion to human landing system (HLS) via Gateway
- Precursor Deep Space Logistics flight to Gateway
- Conducting new science and technology demonstrations

NEW ELEMENTS:

- Space Launch System rocket Block 1B configuration Mobile Launcher 2 with supporting ground systems
- SpaceX Sustaining Starship HLS
- Gateway modules: Power and Propulsion Element and Habitation and Logistics Outpost (pre-staged in orbit); International Habitat (launched on SLS Block 1B alongside the crew aboard Orion); Deep Space Logistics

COMMON ELEMENTS:

- Common SLS elements
- Orion crew spacecraft
- Spacesuits and support systems

Artemis IV Progress

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Mobile Launcher 2 Rig & Set 1.5 Weeks Ahead of Schedule; Tower Mod 4 Installed



Work continues on Mobile Launcher 2 tower segments January 14, 2025





Liquid hydrogen tank for core stage in progress





All four universal stage adapter structural qualification article panels are aligned and loaded on Vertical Assembly Tool

Artemis V







ARTEMIS FIRSTS:

- Use of the lunar terrain vehicle (LTV) rover by crew to access more of the lunar surface and collect diverse scientific samples
- Use of second lunar lander design
- Use of new RS-25 engines
- Conducting new science and technology demonstrations

NEW ELEMENTS:

- Blue Moon human landing system
- LTV unpressurized rover with scientific instruments
- Gateway modules: ESPRIT Refueling Module (European System Providing Refueling Infrastructure and Telecommunications), Canadarm3 robotic arm

COMMON ELEMENTS:

- Space Launch System rocket Block 1B configuration
- Orion crew spacecraft
- Mobile Launcher 2 with supporting ground systems
- Spacesuits and support systems

Artemis V+ Progress







composite case winding



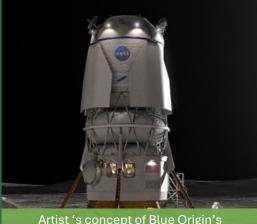
Testing of Intuitive Machines' Moon RACER lunar terrain vehicle at NASA's Johnson Space Cetner



Trial Booster Obsolesces and Life Extension (BOLE) for Artemis 9



Testing of Lunar Outpost's Eagle lunar terrain vehicle at NASA's Johnson Space Center



Artist 's concept of Blue Origin's Blue Moon human landing system





Testing of Astrolab's FLEX lunar terrain vehicle at NASA's Johnson Space Center

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Artemis II will be the first to send crew around the Moon and will include a Canadian crew member



NASA's annual Moon to Mars Architecture Workshops engage space agencies from around the world. In 2024, 18 countries were represented



Artist's concept of Gateway, including Canadarm3 and United Arab Emirates Gateway Airlock



Orion European Service Module , provided by ESA and involving 10 European countries

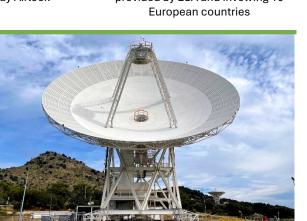


NASA completes agreement with Japan for the provision of the Pressurized Rover, which will also host multiple science instruments



Several international partner science payloads were flown on Artemis I; NASA currently negotiating with several entities, including international partners, to again fly CubeSats





Deep Space Station 53 is a new waveguide antenna that went online in February 2022 at NASA's Deep Space Network's ground station in Madrid

Closing





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