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**Open Chat (Everyone)**

GSFC: Waiting for system to warm up

Mike Toillion: No worries, let me know if I can help with anything.

Mike Toillion: Hi Doug : )  
----- (01/22/2014 10:57) -----

Doug Whittet: Hi!  
----- (01/22/2014 10:59) -----

Murthy Gudipati: Hello! Is the sound off (I can't hear)?

Mike Toillion: For audio, please dial into the teleconference below.

Murthy Gudipati: OK - let's hope we will have a good sync!  
----- (01/22/2014 11:03) -----

Murthy Gudipati: \*6 to UNMUTE as well?

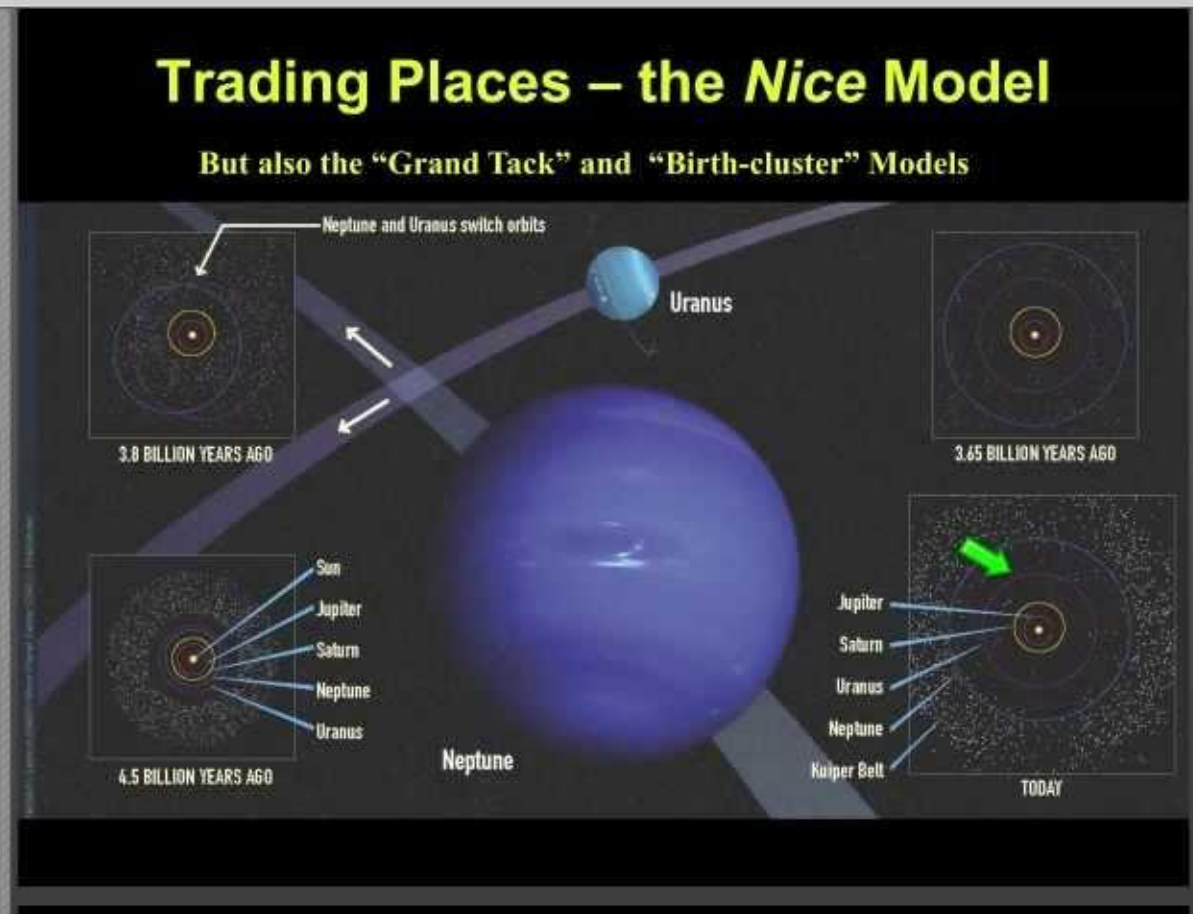
Mike Toillion: Yes, that's correct. Thanks!  
----- (01/22/2014 11:09) -----

Mike Toillion: To expand the slides locally, click the Full Screen button located to the upper right of the slides.

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What Roles do Primitive Icy Bodies Play in the Origin of Life? Full Screen



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00:00:13,520 --> 00:00:11,450  
just very very briefly i'm going to say

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00:00:15,470 --> 00:00:13,530  
good afternoon to the people watching

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00:00:18,500 --> 00:00:15,480  
and also to anyone who's going to be

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watching this are as a recording just a

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00:00:23,870 --> 00:00:21,359  
few aunt min notes to deal with if you

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happen to be dialed into this but only

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on the audio side you are welcome to

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the event for today on the front of the

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website if you've been looking a

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00:00:41,299 --> 00:00:37,829  
document that's the basis of this

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00:00:43,160 --> 00:00:41,309  
presentation in the last day or so it

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00:00:46,190 --> 00:00:43,170

changed quite significantly and I just

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00:00:48,560 --> 00:00:46,200

wanted to mention the fact that it was

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00:00:51,500 --> 00:00:48,570

being edited in a different system we

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00:00:54,740 --> 00:00:51,510

then uploaded the revised document into

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00:00:56,959 --> 00:00:54,750

Google Docs the comments that have been

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00:00:58,970 --> 00:00:56,969

added entered previously therefore

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00:01:01,580 --> 00:00:58,980

vanished but I wouldn't want anyone to

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00:01:04,340 --> 00:01:01,590

think that they weren't read it was just

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00:01:07,070 --> 00:01:04,350

part of the editing cycle the title was

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00:01:09,140 --> 00:01:07,080

also a new and improved one just in case

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00:01:11,960 --> 00:01:09,150

anyone was thinking wait is this the one

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00:01:14,300 --> 00:01:11,970

that I'm is meant to the end and finally

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00:01:17,179 --> 00:01:14,310

this session is being recorded so

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00:01:20,240 --> 00:01:17,189

anything that you type or say is going

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00:01:21,890 --> 00:01:20,250

to be placed on the internet and with

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00:01:27,920 --> 00:01:21,900

that I think I'm going to pass over to

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00:01:29,840 --> 00:01:27,930

Mike okay welcome everyone Jamie and I

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00:01:33,050 --> 00:01:29,850

are going to teen tag on this

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00:01:36,710 --> 00:01:33,060

presentation and as you some of you

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00:01:39,550 --> 00:01:36,720

probably know see earlier led a webinar

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00:01:41,660 --> 00:01:39,560

on the organics that are found in

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00:01:43,819 --> 00:01:41,670

primitive meteorites particularly

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00:01:47,749 --> 00:01:43,829

carbonaceous chondrites and also in

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00:01:50,060 --> 00:01:47,759

commentary samples so for that reason we

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00:01:54,440 --> 00:01:50,070

didn't delete the word I see from the

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00:01:57,910 --> 00:01:54,450

title new title but we do really want to

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00:02:01,179 --> 00:01:57,920

address the issue of where are the major

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00:02:04,190 --> 00:02:01,189

issues and what do we know about

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00:02:06,830 --> 00:02:04,200

primitive bodies in the solar system and

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00:02:07,350 --> 00:02:06,840

their role in delivering organics and

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00:02:09,779 --> 00:02:07,360

water

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00:02:13,620 --> 00:02:09,789

to especially the young earth but also

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00:02:17,300 --> 00:02:13,630

to the other planets such as Mars so

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00:02:20,390 --> 00:02:17,310

with that we have prepared a number of

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00:02:23,280 --> 00:02:20,400

graphics here to give you a little more

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00:02:26,730 --> 00:02:23,290

visual information on things that are

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00:02:29,310 --> 00:02:26,740

written down in words but probably will

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00:02:31,230 --> 00:02:29,320

jump over a few of these graphics rather

51  
00:02:34,910 --> 00:02:31,240  
than discuss it in detail that you will

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00:02:37,830 --> 00:02:34,920  
be able to access those at your will

53  
00:02:40,650 --> 00:02:37,840  
when your download the presentation and

54  
00:02:44,810 --> 00:02:40,660  
of course we would invite anyone to

55  
00:02:47,130 --> 00:02:44,820  
interrupt the remarks at any time

56  
00:02:50,220 --> 00:02:47,140  
because the whole point here is to gain

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00:02:52,050 --> 00:02:50,230  
new insights from you and also to

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00:02:55,890 --> 00:02:52,060  
discuss the insights that the team is

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00:03:00,150 --> 00:02:55,900  
developed so this particular document

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00:03:03,150 --> 00:03:00,160  
which is on the web now was developed by

61  
00:03:06,900 --> 00:03:03,160  
the folks whose names you see here any

62  
00:03:11,850 --> 00:03:06,910  
Fred Paulie Francis dark myself and

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00:03:13,890 --> 00:03:11,860

Jamie and so the final editing of the

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00:03:17,460 --> 00:03:13,900

presentation was done by Jamie and

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00:03:19,830 --> 00:03:17,470

myself as recently as this morning so we

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00:03:21,979 --> 00:03:19,840

take the full blame and give the credit

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00:03:26,670 --> 00:03:21,989

to others for what you're about to hear

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00:03:30,479 --> 00:03:26,680

all right so let's move on now the issue

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00:03:33,360 --> 00:03:30,489

is what can we say about the S or

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00:03:35,039 --> 00:03:33,370

biological significance of comets what

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00:03:37,560 --> 00:03:35,049

was that what was their role and by the

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00:03:39,600 --> 00:03:37,570

way of course to be rights as well what

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00:03:42,900 --> 00:03:39,610

was the role in delivering water and

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prebiotic organics to early Earth as

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you'll see in this outline we're going

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to present this morning this afternoon

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rather depends where you are the issue

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is not so simply resolved because within

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the last 10 years there's been a

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tremendous revolution that has occurred

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in our understanding of the motion of

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planets early in the solar system and

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the way which that not only mixed the

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populations of dry and

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icy bodies radially but also then change

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the understanding of what was delivered

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to terrestrial planets and when that

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delivery occurred it's still an evolving

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00:04:30,310 --> 00:04:28,130

picture so the other part of the problem

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is that we really don't have very good

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00:04:38,950 --> 00:04:34,550

information yet on the taxonomy of these

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icy planetesimals because it's only been

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the past 20 years that we've really had

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the powerful infrared and radio

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00:04:50,080 --> 00:04:46,870

instruments that can permit us to

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00:04:53,890 --> 00:04:50,090

quantify the actual organic composition

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00:04:57,760 --> 00:04:53,900

and water in these various bodies we'll

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00:05:02,290 --> 00:04:57,770

talk about that for a bit so let's go on

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00:05:03,880 --> 00:05:02,300

then and begin with the story you have

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00:05:09,159 --> 00:05:03,890

to remember to use that little arrow

101  
00:05:11,920 --> 00:05:09,169  
there this chart shows a cartoon of some

102  
00:05:14,530 --> 00:05:11,930  
of the processes that occurred in the

103  
00:05:17,290 --> 00:05:14,540  
planet-forming phase actually from the

104  
00:05:19,630 --> 00:05:17,300  
running running from the collapse of the

105  
00:05:23,620 --> 00:05:19,640  
natal cloud core and the formation of

106  
00:05:26,320 --> 00:05:23,630  
the proto solar nebula and then evolving

107  
00:05:29,440 --> 00:05:26,330  
towards the protoplanetary disk and in

108  
00:05:33,010 --> 00:05:29,450  
particular there many processes that we

109  
00:05:36,700 --> 00:05:33,020  
now know occurred at that time some of

110  
00:05:39,850 --> 00:05:36,710  
them like in is a pointer for a moment

111  
00:05:44,230 --> 00:05:39,860  
some of them actually involve transport

112  
00:05:46,690 --> 00:05:44,240  
both radially in and out some involved

113  
00:05:50,590 --> 00:05:46,700

transport vertically shown over here is

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00:05:52,420 --> 00:05:50,600

a circle above the midplane a carrying

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00:05:55,180 --> 00:05:52,430

material up to the region where UV

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00:05:57,330 --> 00:05:55,190

optical and x-rays can penetrate and of

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course that represents different depths

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but there one can actually see a lot of

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00:06:05,320 --> 00:06:02,780

processing going on in these ways a lot

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of laboratory astro chemistry and

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00:06:10,510 --> 00:06:07,160

chemical physics is going on to

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understand these processes but as you

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00:06:16,540 --> 00:06:14,300

can imagine the taking these kinds of

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00:06:17,780 --> 00:06:16,550

processes and relating those to what we

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00:06:20,510 --> 00:06:17,790

now see and kana

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and primitive meteorites is a major

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story in itself and one that's

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developing and will continue to develop

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for the next few decades I believe so so

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that's part of the picture as well

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jumping from the the nebular page to the

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point at which the Sun formed about 4.6

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billion years ago one of the

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developments that occurred just in the

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last three years was the development of

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a model to describe the migration of

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giant planets from the their punitive

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formative zones inward towards 1.5 au

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and outward again to their current

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resident locations the sack actually

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occurred within the first hundred

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00:07:19,730 --> 00:07:16,500

thousand years or so and the dynamical

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simulations actually go on until 600k

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00:07:27,470 --> 00:07:22,710

years but the key point is that Jupiter

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00:07:29,720 --> 00:07:27,480

and Saturn migrated inward as a result

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of gas drag this is all before the gas

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cleared the nebula you'll notice it's

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long before the formation of the

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terrestrial planets and it's long before

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the of course the mood forming event

151  
00:07:44,210 --> 00:07:41,580  
which was roughly 40 to 80 million years

152  
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after formation of the earth on

153  
00:07:48,860 --> 00:07:47,100  
formation of the Sun excuse me the key

154  
00:07:52,330 --> 00:07:48,870  
point and take home point of this slide

155  
00:07:58,640 --> 00:07:52,340  
is that if you look at the center panel

156  
00:08:00,650 --> 00:07:58,650  
the particular card bars are the color

157  
00:08:05,120 --> 00:08:00,660  
points represent material that was

158  
00:08:07,070 --> 00:08:05,130  
formed either within about two au of the

159  
00:08:10,060 --> 00:08:07,080  
Sun or outbound of that so these would

160  
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be dry planetesimals

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in the former case and I see ones or wet

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ones if you like that were formed

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farther out this process when Jupiter

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actually migrated inwards and then out

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again left the this material in the

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region of the scattered around in the

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region of one to three at you and so it

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mixed the dry planetesimals outwards and

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the icy winds inward of course the icy

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ones would have vaporized or begun to

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sublime but if one extends that beyond

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this to what happened that as far out of

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six and eight a you what it means is

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that material that was was mixed and

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from one region into another and so this

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will play a major role in understanding

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what was delivered to the growing

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proto-earth proto mars and so on but

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also in what role later developments had

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toward subsequently delivery material to

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the altar estrella planets and of course

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we need to know the nature of these

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bodies in order to assess what it was

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that could have delivered ok so the

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grant sack is this is called actually

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succeeds in predicting a low-mass mars

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and most other models do not succeed at

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that so this has given it more than just

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casual acceptance within the community

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we don't know that it's fully correct so

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on these are course developing things so

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let's move on a bit after formation of

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the planetary system let's call that to

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be at around 100 million years at

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formation of the Sun a separate

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dynamical model called the nice model

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actually predicts the dynamical

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evolution of the outer planet region and

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roots begins at 100 million years with

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the outer planets now and they're

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00:10:18,510 --> 00:10:15,440  
approximately their their current

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locations between 5 and 14 astronaut

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good units and they were in the order of

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Jupiter Saturn Neptune and then Uranus

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Neptune wind-up tune inside because you

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00:10:32,100 --> 00:10:29,590  
need to make neptr Oh Neptune in within

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00:10:33,720 --> 00:10:32,110  
that hundred million year interval and

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00:10:36,930 --> 00:10:33,730  
it's difficult to do it if it's very far

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away but even Uranus was only 14 AU from

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the protosun from the Sun at that time

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00:10:45,870 --> 00:10:43,170  
there also was an icy disk planetesimals

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and of course as we now know from the

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00:10:49,860 --> 00:10:48,310

previous slide this disk probably also

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contains some material that have been

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injected outward from the dry region of

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the protoplanetary disk 2 1 2 3 au

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region then as Jupiter Saturn migrated

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to their tutor one knee motion residents

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by ejection of planetesimals and they're

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feeding zones they basically caused a

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destabilization of the disk at around

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3.8 billion years ago in which Neptune

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and Uranus now switch places and the

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outer disk is destabilized so is the

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inner asteroid belt and both of these

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classes of bodies then are flung through

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the solar system with the icy bodies

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going primarily into forming the Kuiper

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disk or out to the Oort cloud and of

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course many of the asteroids and many of

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these bodies me iso disk would then be

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flown through the inner solar system and

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would bombard the terrestrial planets so

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again this this model dynamical model

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which has achieved success by resolving

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the explanations for about eight or nine

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major conundrums about the giant planets

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themselves and also their companion

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bodies such as the Trojan asteroids and

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so on has achieved great acceptance

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within the community and so challenge it

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presents for this particular webinar is

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to keep in mind the grand tack the beast

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model I didn't mention the birth cluster

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model for origin of the some knob

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placement somebody's in the Oort cloud

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during the in the sun's birth cluster

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but these three dynamical models

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together have

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we change the picture dramatically as to

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what we need to know about the primitive

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planetesimals and then also their

253  
00:12:40,920 --> 00:12:38,500  
dynamical delivery and the numbers that

254  
00:12:44,550 --> 00:12:40,930  
were delivered at various times to the

255  
00:12:46,230 --> 00:12:44,560  
young earth for example so the issue

256  
00:12:49,680 --> 00:12:46,240  
then is since that we know they're rich

257  
00:12:51,810 --> 00:12:49,690  
in organic sandwich in water could they

258  
00:12:53,640 --> 00:12:51,820  
have delivered those materials to the

259  
00:12:55,920 --> 00:12:53,650  
terrestrial planets and sufficient

260  
00:13:00,660 --> 00:12:55,930  
abundance to have influenced the

261  
00:13:02,460 --> 00:13:00,670  
emergence of life itself okay so let's

262  
00:13:04,980 --> 00:13:02,470  
move on maybe a lot of things to talk

263  
00:13:07,080 --> 00:13:04,990

about so this just reminds you of the

264

00:13:10,320 --> 00:13:07,090

reservoirs today I won't go into that in

265

00:13:12,750 --> 00:13:10,330

detail they're basically two for sure

266

00:13:16,050 --> 00:13:12,760

that namely IG bodies reside in your

267

00:13:19,500 --> 00:13:16,060

cloud in the Kuiper disk and there may

268

00:13:22,890 --> 00:13:19,510

be met some in the main belt as well and

269

00:13:25,530 --> 00:13:22,900

we can look to the grand tack as the

270

00:13:27,390 --> 00:13:25,540

reason why they might be there but we

271

00:13:30,330 --> 00:13:27,400

don't actually have any detection of

272

00:13:33,030 --> 00:13:30,340

water vapor or any other gas released

273

00:13:34,860 --> 00:13:33,040

from any of these active asteroids so

274

00:13:36,990 --> 00:13:34,870

it's not clear yet whether those

275

00:13:39,300 --> 00:13:37,000

asteroids are activated by collisions or

276

00:13:42,090 --> 00:13:39,310

whether some actually are activated by

277

00:13:45,990 --> 00:13:42,100

water and when the asteroid moves

278

00:13:47,790 --> 00:13:46,000

towards its perihelion spizz ition okay

279

00:13:51,390 --> 00:13:47,800

so how do we get at these questions

280

00:13:53,910 --> 00:13:51,400

about the material that is contained

281

00:13:55,500 --> 00:13:53,920

within commentary bodies and these icy

282

00:13:58,200 --> 00:13:55,510

planetesimals and how that might be

283

00:14:01,350 --> 00:13:58,210

delivered to earth well this is just a

284

00:14:03,240 --> 00:14:01,360

take-home message which says you really

285

00:14:06,750 --> 00:14:03,250

don't learn much about the composition

286

00:14:08,040 --> 00:14:06,760

by looking at an image of the object you

287

00:14:10,920 --> 00:14:08,050

know you just learn something about us

288

00:14:14,690 --> 00:14:10,930

it's a history for example this this

289

00:14:17,540 --> 00:14:14,700

object is heavily eroded by mass loss

290

00:14:21,900 --> 00:14:17,550

whereas something like build to

291

00:14:24,660 --> 00:14:21,910

nucleuses as enormous vertical structure

292

00:14:26,790 --> 00:14:24,670

hundreds of meters spires hundreds of

293

00:14:29,220 --> 00:14:26,800

meters of high and so forth and it's

294

00:14:31,440 --> 00:14:29,230

thought to be a pristine not heavily

295

00:14:34,710 --> 00:14:31,450

eroded since it was placed in its

296

00:14:35,519 --> 00:14:34,720

present orbit so what instead one needs

297

00:14:38,309 --> 00:14:35,529

to do is

298

00:14:41,579 --> 00:14:38,319

to begin to look at the chemicals of

299

00:14:44,699 --> 00:14:41,589

which these objects are made and one of

300

00:14:46,860 --> 00:14:44,709

the first Clues it was quantitated

301  
00:14:50,699 --> 00:14:46,870  
quantitatively derived a taxonomy if you

302  
00:14:53,960 --> 00:14:50,709  
like was based on not the the primary or

303  
00:14:56,160 --> 00:14:53,970  
native volatiles from which comets are

304  
00:14:59,850 --> 00:14:56,170  
composed because when this work was done

305  
00:15:03,299 --> 00:14:59,860  
it was not possible to measure those one

306  
00:15:05,759 --> 00:15:03,309  
could only measure the fragments that

307  
00:15:08,249 --> 00:15:05,769  
derived from those molecules and so C 2

308  
00:15:11,549 --> 00:15:08,259  
and C n are bright and easily seen in

309  
00:15:14,249 --> 00:15:11,559  
the optical and so a team led by Mike

310  
00:15:17,400 --> 00:15:14,259  
Ahern and his collaborators basically

311  
00:15:19,439 --> 00:15:17,410  
quantified the ratio of c2 CN at number

312  
00:15:20,910 --> 00:15:19,449  
of comets and showed that for comets

313  
00:15:23,730 --> 00:15:20,920

from the Kuiper belt they seem to be

314

00:15:26,910 --> 00:15:23,740

sufficiently substantially depleted in

315

00:15:29,369 --> 00:15:26,920

this ratio whereas relatively a smaller

316

00:15:31,829 --> 00:15:29,379

number of Oort cloud comets were so

317

00:15:34,429 --> 00:15:31,839

depleted so this was indication was

318

00:15:37,679 --> 00:15:34,439

suggested that this could be perhaps a

319

00:15:39,059 --> 00:15:37,689

cosmic ganic difference although other

320

00:15:40,920 --> 00:15:39,069

people thought maybe it was due to

321

00:15:43,259 --> 00:15:40,930

processing because of Jupiter family

322

00:15:44,850 --> 00:15:43,269

comments from the Kuiper belt have been

323

00:15:48,809 --> 00:15:44,860

in their orbits for a long time whereas

324

00:15:51,629 --> 00:15:48,819

many of your cloud comets it not so it

325

00:15:56,699 --> 00:15:51,639

also dramatized need for looking at the

326

00:15:59,240 --> 00:15:56,709

individual parent or primary of all

327

00:16:02,549 --> 00:15:59,250

sizes we don't like to call them and

328

00:16:06,569 --> 00:16:02,559

this chart reminds you of the two dozen

329

00:16:11,519 --> 00:16:06,579

or so primary volatiles which have now

330

00:16:13,049 --> 00:16:11,529

been detected in commentary bodies when

331

00:16:14,999 --> 00:16:13,059

they've been vaporized and entered

332

00:16:17,480 --> 00:16:15,009

Tacoma there in the gas phase and they

333

00:16:20,309 --> 00:16:17,490

are then amenable to detection by

334

00:16:23,069 --> 00:16:20,319

looking at their rotation vibrational

335

00:16:25,679 --> 00:16:23,079

emissions or the rotational emissions at

336

00:16:30,990 --> 00:16:25,689

infrared and radio wavelengths

337

00:16:33,509 --> 00:16:31,000

respectively so what's shown here is two

338

00:16:35,429 --> 00:16:33,519

things one is the range of species water

339

00:16:38,009 --> 00:16:35,439

being at the top but the other is the

340

00:16:40,610 --> 00:16:38,019

range of abundance in it given nucleus

341

00:16:43,060 --> 00:16:40,620

and what you see immediately is that

342

00:16:46,480 --> 00:16:43,070

whenever water is used as a mess

343

00:16:48,550 --> 00:16:46,490

Rick you see huge range of abundance of

344

00:16:52,390 --> 00:16:48,560

for example co by a factor of a hundred

345

00:16:55,720 --> 00:16:52,400

in going from one body to another and in

346

00:16:58,450 --> 00:16:55,730

co<sub>2</sub> almost a factor of 20 and so on

347

00:17:02,680 --> 00:16:58,460

whereas other molecules show a much

348

00:17:05,020 --> 00:17:02,690

smaller gradient for example hcs there

349

00:17:07,870 --> 00:17:05,030

is by about a factor of 5 and so on we

350

00:17:09,640 --> 00:17:07,880

don't understand this yet we think

351

00:17:11,800 --> 00:17:09,650

perhaps it may be in some cases

352

00:17:13,960 --> 00:17:11,810

cosmogonic and that's of course one of

353

00:17:16,750 --> 00:17:13,970

the key issues in understanding how to

354

00:17:18,220 --> 00:17:16,760

relate these measurements to delivery

355

00:17:22,530 --> 00:17:18,230

from different regions of the

356

00:17:26,650 --> 00:17:22,540

protoplanetary disk to young planets and

357

00:17:31,510 --> 00:17:26,660

delivery goes to the atmospheric content

358

00:17:32,980 --> 00:17:31,520

of those particular objects well I'm

359

00:17:34,900 --> 00:17:32,990

going to skip over this so you can go

360

00:17:38,800 --> 00:17:34,910

back and look at this later this is from

361

00:17:40,210 --> 00:17:38,810

the Akari space observatory and for some

362

00:17:44,430 --> 00:17:40,220

reason I just seem to go into full

363

00:17:46,630 --> 00:17:44,440

screen display here okay that's good and

364

00:17:48,640 --> 00:17:46,640

the key point is that this was a

365

00:17:51,280 --> 00:17:48,650

paradigm shift and our understanding of

366

00:17:54,340 --> 00:17:51,290

comets and occurred the paper was

367

00:17:56,500 --> 00:17:54,350

published in 2012 a half j and until

368

00:17:58,870 --> 00:17:56,510

then no one really understood that co<sub>2</sub>

369

00:18:01,480 --> 00:17:58,880

was so important relative to water or

370

00:18:05,070 --> 00:18:01,490

that it was so more much more abundant

371

00:18:08,170 --> 00:18:05,080

than co this was a major surprise and

372

00:18:10,300 --> 00:18:08,180

there was some indication from

373

00:18:14,200 --> 00:18:10,310

interstellar chemistry this would be so

374

00:18:16,120 --> 00:18:14,210

but it's generally not clear the degree

375

00:18:18,220 --> 00:18:16,130

to which comets are made of interstellar

376

00:18:20,320 --> 00:18:18,230

material so we don't know whether this

377

00:18:22,300 --> 00:18:20,330

co<sub>2</sub> is a heritage of the interstellar

378

00:18:24,400 --> 00:18:22,310

medium or whether it was something that

379

00:18:26,470 --> 00:18:24,410

was easily produced in the

380

00:18:28,690 --> 00:18:26,480

protoplanetary disk for example

381

00:18:30,850 --> 00:18:28,700

reactions between co and O radicals

382

00:18:33,190 --> 00:18:30,860

produce co<sub>2</sub> and every collision

383

00:18:35,890 --> 00:18:33,200

essentially and then you can condense

384

00:18:40,750 --> 00:18:35,900

that co<sub>2</sub> rapidly on a grain and enter it

385

00:18:44,620 --> 00:18:40,760

into a comet nucleus and this could be !

386

00:18:47,260 --> 00:18:44,630

issue key point is the simultaneity of

387

00:18:48,290 --> 00:18:47,270

measurement and what you really want to

388

00:18:50,090 --> 00:18:48,300

do and this is

389

00:18:52,360 --> 00:18:50,100

is done at infrared wavelengths is to

390

00:18:55,190 --> 00:18:52,370

measure a whole suite of molecule

391

00:18:57,470 --> 00:18:55,200

simultaneously shown on the left here

392

00:18:58,940 --> 00:18:57,480

you see approximately nine molecules

393

00:19:01,580 --> 00:18:58,950

that are measured routinely in every

394

00:19:03,980 --> 00:19:01,590

comet and then others is a total logs

395

00:19:05,840 --> 00:19:03,990

which are more difficult to measure and

396

00:19:09,830 --> 00:19:05,850

they are also targeted as well in common

397

00:19:12,800 --> 00:19:09,840

too common so this gives you the power

398

00:19:14,720 --> 00:19:12,810

to assess how the material is

399

00:19:16,790 --> 00:19:14,730

distributed within the cometary nucleus

400

00:19:19,310 --> 00:19:16,800

by looking at how it's actually

401  
00:19:22,040 --> 00:19:19,320  
distributed and coming off in the coma

402  
00:19:24,920 --> 00:19:22,050  
if you see the a polar species coming in

403  
00:19:26,300 --> 00:19:24,930  
one direction on the polar species in a

404  
00:19:28,970 --> 00:19:26,310  
different direction from the nucleus

405  
00:19:30,680 --> 00:19:28,980  
that suggests strongly that they're two

406  
00:19:32,750 --> 00:19:30,690  
distinct types phases that are not

407  
00:19:35,270 --> 00:19:32,760  
hitter at home ingeniously mixed within

408  
00:19:37,640 --> 00:19:35,280  
the nucleus and we do indeed see that in

409  
00:19:41,620 --> 00:19:37,650  
some comments so that is another part of

410  
00:19:45,710 --> 00:19:41,630  
the puzzle I'll just to dramatize this

411  
00:19:48,820 --> 00:19:45,720  
created this cartoon which compares

412  
00:19:52,160 --> 00:19:48,830  
three Oort cloud comets and everyone

413  
00:19:53,690 --> 00:19:52,170

people who don't study comments tend to

414

00:19:55,390 --> 00:19:53,700

think everything in the Oort cloud is

415

00:19:59,630 --> 00:19:55,400

the same in terms of its composition

416

00:20:01,450 --> 00:19:59,640

everything in the Hartley oh I'm sorry

417

00:20:04,490 --> 00:20:01,460

in the Kuiper belt is the same and so on

418

00:20:06,530 --> 00:20:04,500

but if you look at this so it's at the

419

00:20:10,220 --> 00:20:06,540

low end of the diet of the diagram you

420

00:20:14,020 --> 00:20:10,230

see this a particular depiction of the

421

00:20:16,700 --> 00:20:14,030

overall composition of the comet here

422

00:20:18,920 --> 00:20:16,710

where the blue represents the water

423

00:20:20,510 --> 00:20:18,930

vapor and the trace gases are everything

424

00:20:23,660 --> 00:20:20,520

else in the small wedge that's just

425

00:20:26,390 --> 00:20:23,670

above that but if you break that the

426

00:20:28,820 --> 00:20:26,400

trace gas is down comment by comet then

427

00:20:32,080 --> 00:20:28,830

for Hartley 2 for example you find that

428

00:20:35,840 --> 00:20:32,090

co2 comprised almost eighty percent of

429

00:20:38,600 --> 00:20:35,850

the trace gas whereas for garad it was

430

00:20:40,370 --> 00:20:38,610

about a third and four luling about the

431

00:20:42,590 --> 00:20:40,380

same so here you see a dramatic

432

00:20:45,050 --> 00:20:42,600

difference in these three comets from

433

00:20:46,130 --> 00:20:45,060

the same reservoir clearly indicating

434

00:20:49,160 --> 00:20:46,140

that they're quite different their

435

00:20:51,830 --> 00:20:49,170

composition so again if you look at

436

00:20:53,990 --> 00:20:51,840

other molecules different differentiated

437

00:20:55,310 --> 00:20:54,000

by these colors you can see for example

438

00:20:57,560 --> 00:20:55,320

a huge

439

00:21:00,230 --> 00:20:57,570

difference in this particular species as

440

00:21:03,560 --> 00:21:00,240

you go from comet comet to comment so

441

00:21:05,450 --> 00:21:03,570

this is a clear indication of perhaps

442

00:21:07,640 --> 00:21:05,460

they were formed in different regions of

443

00:21:09,140 --> 00:21:07,650

the pillow contrary disk or incorporated

444

00:21:12,080 --> 00:21:09,150

material formed in those different

445

00:21:14,860 --> 00:21:12,090

regions and so on this is part of the

446

00:21:18,500 --> 00:21:14,870

puzzle that we need to get two answers

447

00:21:22,430 --> 00:21:18,510

okay so I've kind of mentioned several

448

00:21:25,610 --> 00:21:22,440

of these paradigm shifts have occurred

449

00:21:27,890 --> 00:21:25,620

in very recent time that are informing

450

00:21:29,780 --> 00:21:27,900

us about the nature of these bodies and

451  
00:21:32,300 --> 00:21:29,790  
how they can relate to understanding

452  
00:21:37,160 --> 00:21:32,310  
their role in delivering such material

453  
00:21:40,550 --> 00:21:37,170  
to the young planets now we've tried to

454  
00:21:42,050 --> 00:21:40,560  
group these commentary bodies the

455  
00:21:44,300 --> 00:21:42,060  
infrared teams have together put

456  
00:21:49,790 --> 00:21:44,310  
together approximately database on

457  
00:21:52,520 --> 00:21:49,800  
roughly 25 to 30 comments and for the

458  
00:21:56,570 --> 00:21:52,530  
ones that are best characterized we're

459  
00:21:59,870 --> 00:21:56,580  
able to show that in fact the ethane for

460  
00:22:02,600 --> 00:21:59,880  
example if one just shows the number of

461  
00:22:04,610 --> 00:22:02,610  
comets and the versus the abundance of

462  
00:22:06,290 --> 00:22:04,620  
ethane relative to water you can see

463  
00:22:08,090 --> 00:22:06,300

this is a real clumping in this area at

464

00:22:10,460 --> 00:22:08,100

around point six percent relative to

465

00:22:12,680 --> 00:22:10,470

water but there are several comments

466

00:22:15,380 --> 00:22:12,690

that are highly enriched by factors of

467

00:22:17,720 --> 00:22:15,390

two or so and others that are not we

468

00:22:21,710 --> 00:22:17,730

depleted and we see the same thing and

469

00:22:26,260 --> 00:22:21,720

methanol both or normal as we call it

470

00:22:30,409 --> 00:22:26,270

enriched and depleted if one moves on to

471

00:22:35,389 --> 00:22:30,419

look at these order the is actually

472

00:22:42,169 --> 00:22:35,399

17 different things either steal lemons

473

00:22:43,820 --> 00:22:42,179

review what is he someone dude please

474

00:22:50,690 --> 00:22:43,830

are getting a lot of pick up on a mic

475

00:22:53,180 --> 00:22:50,700

consumer sorry about that Mike I'm is

476

00:22:57,379 --> 00:22:53,190

going to meet that line for now okay

477

00:22:59,479 --> 00:22:57,389

thanks the green region represents CEO

478

00:23:01,039 --> 00:22:59,489

rich comets which are as you see they're

479

00:23:05,149 --> 00:23:01,049

rare in this population we only have

480

00:23:08,359 --> 00:23:05,159

four of them a total of the 18 display

481

00:23:10,729 --> 00:23:08,369

here so less than 20 about a quarter or

482

00:23:13,759 --> 00:23:10,739

perhaps twenty percent of the comments

483

00:23:15,849 --> 00:23:13,769

or CEO rich but once when you look for

484

00:23:18,680 --> 00:23:15,859

correlations of molecule to molecule

485

00:23:19,970 --> 00:23:18,690

really the thing that jumps out at you

486

00:23:24,349 --> 00:23:19,980

if you look at this for a little while

487

00:23:26,720 --> 00:23:24,359

is it hcn is correlated with ethane but

488

00:23:28,909 --> 00:23:26,730

not with CEO and not with methane for

489

00:23:30,769 --> 00:23:28,919

example and so this suggests that

490

00:23:32,029 --> 00:23:30,779

looking at different comets in there in

491

00:23:34,249 --> 00:23:32,039

the correlation of these two molecules

492

00:23:36,590 --> 00:23:34,259

might in fact reveal some new

493

00:23:41,499 --> 00:23:36,600

information and sure enough when you do

494

00:23:44,180 --> 00:23:41,509

that you see that again the three bodies

495

00:23:46,609 --> 00:23:44,190

there's a group that has a high ratio

496

00:23:50,570 --> 00:23:46,619

for both this is could be regarded as a

497

00:23:52,519 --> 00:23:50,580

mixing line but most comets are down in

498

00:23:55,129 --> 00:23:52,529

this region of the mixing line only a

499

00:23:59,239 --> 00:23:55,139

few are up at the high end and there are

500

00:24:03,169 --> 00:23:59,249

a few of roads if you like which have

501  
00:24:05,149 --> 00:24:03,179  
very little f ain but a lot of hcn we

502  
00:24:09,109 --> 00:24:05,159  
think this is a different group of

503  
00:24:11,119 --> 00:24:09,119  
comets we've called them depleted comets

504  
00:24:12,979 --> 00:24:11,129  
but we think there is another story

505  
00:24:15,859 --> 00:24:12,989  
behind this and we're trying to unravel

506  
00:24:21,529 --> 00:24:15,869  
with the line of evidence that we have a

507  
00:24:24,200 --> 00:24:21,539  
half perhaps these are formed the HCM in

508  
00:24:26,299 --> 00:24:24,210  
some comments is actually not a primary

509  
00:24:30,379 --> 00:24:26,309  
species that Rather's formed in the coma

510  
00:24:31,369 --> 00:24:30,389  
by some mechanisms well let's move on we

511  
00:24:33,169 --> 00:24:31,379  
don't really want to get into the

512  
00:24:37,340 --> 00:24:33,179  
details of all this just to give you the

513  
00:24:39,710 --> 00:24:37,350

broad brush overview another key metric

514

00:24:41,240 --> 00:24:39,720

we look at cosmogonic parameters

515

00:24:44,720 --> 00:24:41,250

these are things we think remain

516

00:24:47,260 --> 00:24:44,730

unchanged from the time of formation the

517

00:24:49,580 --> 00:24:47,270

you know any molecule that has

518

00:24:51,409 --> 00:24:49,590

symmetrically located hydrogen atoms

519

00:24:53,779 --> 00:24:51,419

will have nuclear spins that can be

520

00:24:57,620 --> 00:24:53,789

aligned or anti aligned and under

521

00:25:00,710 --> 00:24:57,630

exchange those things are in that ratios

522

00:25:03,320 --> 00:25:00,720

invariant so this gives rise to a

523

00:25:05,480 --> 00:25:03,330

temperature which one can call the

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00:25:07,039 --> 00:25:05,490

nuclear spin temperature and the key

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00:25:10,669 --> 00:25:07,049

point is that if one looks at different

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00:25:13,520 --> 00:25:10,679

primaries such as ammonia shown here the

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00:25:16,820 --> 00:25:13,530

ortho para ratio for ammonia and various

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00:25:19,130 --> 00:25:16,830

comets approaches the equilibrium value

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00:25:21,710 --> 00:25:19,140

at temperatures above about 35 Kelvin

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00:25:25,399 --> 00:25:21,720

water approaches a different value this

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00:25:27,950 --> 00:25:25,409

curve and also can be equilibrated

532

00:25:30,049 --> 00:25:27,960

roughly 50 Calvin but if you take the

533

00:25:31,399 --> 00:25:30,059

temp and spin temperatures and compare

534

00:25:34,159 --> 00:25:31,409

the one with another in these two

535

00:25:37,399 --> 00:25:34,169

species within a given comet what's

536

00:25:39,890 --> 00:25:37,409

remarkable is that they clump in a very

537

00:25:42,620 --> 00:25:39,900

narrow region of this temper at this

538

00:25:44,830 --> 00:25:42,630

space and so this tells you that these

539

00:25:47,840 --> 00:25:44,840

independent molecular species are

540

00:25:50,330 --> 00:25:47,850

registering a same nuclear spin

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00:25:52,490 --> 00:25:50,340

temperature even though their

542

00:25:54,830 --> 00:25:52,500

chemistry's are significantly different

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00:25:56,710 --> 00:25:54,840

and we think that's a very important

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00:25:59,029 --> 00:25:56,720

clue into the formation mechanism

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00:26:03,289 --> 00:25:59,039

another thing it's very hard to change

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00:26:06,430 --> 00:26:03,299

in these Isis is the isotopic ratios and

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00:26:08,840 --> 00:26:06,440

the key thing there is to look at the

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00:26:11,299 --> 00:26:08,850

ideally the isotopes and individual

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00:26:13,640 --> 00:26:11,309

species so we'll take a quick look at

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00:26:16,899 --> 00:26:13,650

what is known at one or two of these

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00:26:21,620 --> 00:26:16,909

isotopes in particular nitrogen carbon

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00:26:24,860 --> 00:26:21,630

and hydrogen so for example here is a

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00:26:28,399 --> 00:26:24,870

survey done by Manfred Shaheen and their

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00:26:30,950 --> 00:26:28,409

collaborators and for 18 comets they

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00:26:33,470 --> 00:26:30,960

showed that the carbon 12 13 ratio

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00:26:35,240 --> 00:26:33,480

measured in situ or cm and by the way

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00:26:38,060 --> 00:26:35,250

keep in mind these are minor

558

00:26:40,430 --> 00:26:38,070

constituents there are fragments of may

559

00:26:43,640 --> 00:26:40,440

be produced in part from dust we really

560

00:26:46,649 --> 00:26:43,650

don't know all the origins of these two

561

00:26:49,049 --> 00:26:46,659

radicals but the bottom line is that

562

00:26:51,719 --> 00:26:49,059

the mean mean value is in good agreement

563

00:26:55,200 --> 00:26:51,729

with the terrestrial ratio for carbon-12

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00:26:57,839 --> 00:26:55,210

carbon-13 is that true for nitrogen no

565

00:27:00,599 --> 00:26:57,849

it's not in fact the earth itself is

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00:27:03,899 --> 00:27:00,609

enriched dramatically relative to the

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00:27:07,979 --> 00:27:03,909

cosmic value by a factor of two and the

568

00:27:12,180 --> 00:27:07,989

Comets are enriched in that ratio 14 15

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00:27:14,009 --> 00:27:12,190

and by another factor of two so the 1459

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00:27:17,789 --> 00:27:14,019

ratio is about a hundred and forty in

571

00:27:20,759 --> 00:27:17,799

the mean there's been no explanation for

572

00:27:22,200 --> 00:27:20,769

this Nora's have been any explanation

573

00:27:25,409 --> 00:27:22,210

for the enrichment of the earth itself

574

00:27:28,080 --> 00:27:25,419

in terms of nitrogen vers versus the

575

00:27:30,509 --> 00:27:28,090

cosmic value so this represents a puzzle

576  
00:27:32,039 --> 00:27:30,519  
as to why the Comets are different from

577  
00:27:35,099 --> 00:27:32,049  
the earth did they have a role in

578  
00:27:36,839 --> 00:27:35,109  
enhancing the earth above the nebular

579  
00:27:39,869 --> 00:27:36,849  
value is that the the reason the earth

580  
00:27:42,719 --> 00:27:39,879  
is high in nitrogen 14 verse 15 ratio or

581  
00:27:44,849 --> 00:27:42,729  
not Mike it looks like penny may have

582  
00:27:49,109 --> 00:27:44,859  
raised your hand oh we have a hand

583  
00:27:50,460 --> 00:27:49,119  
raised light up no it's gone no penny

584  
00:27:53,190 --> 00:27:50,470  
the lines are open if you want to speak

585  
00:27:56,609 --> 00:27:53,200  
over the phone okay thanks um yeah I was

586  
00:28:00,119 --> 00:27:56,619  
just wondering you know what extent

587  
00:28:03,330 --> 00:28:00,129  
would we multiple EC the preservation of

588  
00:28:07,369 --> 00:28:03,340

you were just addressing the relative

589

00:28:09,960 --> 00:28:07,379

isotope in rock record of highly

590

00:28:12,710 --> 00:28:09,970

geologically active bodies holder forces

591

00:28:15,060 --> 00:28:12,720

what we might see in much less

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00:28:18,169 --> 00:28:15,070

geologically active bodies like the

593

00:28:20,700 --> 00:28:18,179

surfaces of icy moon yeah I think

594

00:28:22,440 --> 00:28:20,710

probably Jamie's better qualified to

595

00:28:25,649 --> 00:28:22,450

talk to the meteoritic record on that

596

00:28:28,440 --> 00:28:25,659

yeah but as far as geologically I'd your

597

00:28:33,779 --> 00:28:28,450

body's I don't have much to say about

598

00:28:37,830 --> 00:28:33,789

that okay a good question yeah so penny

599

00:28:41,249 --> 00:28:37,840

I don't know that actually have not

600

00:28:45,509 --> 00:28:41,259

myself looked at the literature as to

601  
00:28:48,719 --> 00:28:45,519  
the where that terrestrial ratio comes

602  
00:28:50,729 --> 00:28:48,729  
from of course as we all know nitrogen

603  
00:28:51,289 --> 00:28:50,739  
gas is the principal carrier in the

604  
00:28:53,600 --> 00:28:51,299  
atmos

605  
00:28:57,019 --> 00:28:53,610  
but I have not looked at what's what the

606  
00:29:00,950 --> 00:28:57,029  
rock record tells us perhaps unwelcome I

607  
00:29:03,619 --> 00:29:00,960  
could could clarify that point wells in

608  
00:29:07,989 --> 00:29:03,629  
Helena and it seems like an tme that

609  
00:29:11,029 --> 00:29:07,999  
maybe this is you know you know in which

610  
00:29:13,340 --> 00:29:11,039  
some group within the asteroid you've

611  
00:29:15,619 --> 00:29:13,350  
ever happens I'll be looking at it but I

612  
00:29:18,019 --> 00:29:15,629  
haven't read every single paper so i'm

613  
00:29:20,629 --> 00:29:18,029

not sure if anybody else has books with

614

00:29:23,979 --> 00:29:20,639

that issue that it seems it's important

615

00:29:27,859 --> 00:29:23,989

to try to see what if anything of that

616

00:29:30,680 --> 00:29:27,869

more influence of these these potential

617

00:29:33,229 --> 00:29:30,690

grocery deliveries to the early Earth

618

00:29:35,210 --> 00:29:33,239

may have been preserved in the rock

619

00:29:38,570 --> 00:29:35,220

record than I are or where we cannot

620

00:29:40,159 --> 00:29:38,580

expect to actually people well I guess

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00:29:42,919 --> 00:29:40,169

if one wants to go back to the

622

00:29:45,289 --> 00:29:42,929

moon-forming event you know you could

623

00:29:47,299 --> 00:29:45,299

argue this has been argued by various

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00:29:50,060 --> 00:29:47,309

people that significant fraction of the

625

00:29:53,090 --> 00:29:50,070

outgassing of the earth had occurred by

626

00:29:55,909 --> 00:29:53,100

then and a lot of that primordial

627

00:29:59,869 --> 00:29:55,919

atmosphere was removed but during that

628

00:30:02,359 --> 00:29:59,879

collision Mike and so then if you

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00:30:05,090 --> 00:30:02,369

deliver a new atmosphere you would think

630

00:30:07,789 --> 00:30:05,100

that or at least augmented dramatically

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00:30:09,649 --> 00:30:07,799

then you would think that the nitrogen

632

00:30:11,599 --> 00:30:09,659

meso topic ratio and the incoming

633

00:30:15,619 --> 00:30:11,609

material would be an important thing to

634

00:30:18,109 --> 00:30:15,629

know to compare with the n2 gas on the

635

00:30:20,119 --> 00:30:18,119

earth today so I'm going to say this if

636

00:30:21,680 --> 00:30:20,129

the point of today's webinar is to make

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00:30:23,960 --> 00:30:21,690

sure that we're listing important

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00:30:26,119 --> 00:30:23,970

questions in the roadmap not necessarily

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00:30:27,919 --> 00:30:26,129

to answer those questions today so

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00:30:30,879 --> 00:30:27,929

that's this is a good thing to make sure

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00:30:32,989 --> 00:30:30,889

is captured in the document that this is

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00:30:34,669 --> 00:30:32,999

understanding what the Federation

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00:30:37,399 --> 00:30:34,679

without the topic signatures is likely

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00:30:38,989 --> 00:30:37,409

to be make sure that that's captured is

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research that needs to be done and

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Francis a hand raised their present

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00:30:49,340 --> 00:30:45,809

Gardner yeah I was just going to say

648

00:30:50,960 --> 00:30:49,350

what you just said the questions open I

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00:30:52,820 --> 00:30:50,970

don't think there is quite an answer I

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00:30:55,909 --> 00:30:52,830

for earth it's a little complicated

651  
00:30:59,570 --> 00:30:55,919  
because things have been reset through

652  
00:31:02,340 --> 00:30:59,580  
geologic time and volatile isotopes are

653  
00:31:05,340 --> 00:31:02,350  
pretty easy to change

654  
00:31:08,690 --> 00:31:05,350  
we you know I know that there are very

655  
00:31:11,370 --> 00:31:08,700  
abilities among at least Mars and Earth

656  
00:31:13,260 --> 00:31:11,380  
but i'm not sure we know exactly where

657  
00:31:16,650 --> 00:31:13,270  
those differences come from at this

658  
00:31:18,690 --> 00:31:16,660  
moment we should just make sure that

659  
00:31:20,100 --> 00:31:18,700  
when the final version of this document

660  
00:31:22,260 --> 00:31:20,110  
is written the best captured as a

661  
00:31:30,169 --> 00:31:22,270  
question that's needing some more

662  
00:31:37,919 --> 00:31:33,779  
all right so enough said about carbon

663  
00:31:42,090 --> 00:31:37,929

and nitrogen i do want to caution people

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00:31:45,419 --> 00:31:42,100

about the accepting the values that on

665

00:31:50,159 --> 00:31:45,429

the face of them for example these check

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00:31:54,390 --> 00:31:50,169

marks on the right compare some issues

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00:31:57,240 --> 00:31:54,400

of bulk IDPs and build to entity and 14

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00:31:59,720 --> 00:31:57,250

15 is consistent with terrestrial if if

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00:32:02,039 --> 00:31:59,730

you look at the actual the over the

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00:32:04,350 --> 00:32:02,049

shown on the left here is kind of an

671

00:32:09,419 --> 00:32:04,360

oval this is from a figure by dominique

672

00:32:12,810 --> 00:32:09,429

pocket lor-van and so essentially the

673

00:32:14,610 --> 00:32:12,820

bulk overlaps the terrestrial value the

674

00:32:16,380 --> 00:32:14,620

mean of course is a little different but

675

00:32:18,720 --> 00:32:16,390

there does there's an issue as to

676

00:32:22,740 --> 00:32:18,730

whether in fact the overlap is

677

00:32:24,180 --> 00:32:22,750

sufficient at the one signal level the

678

00:32:27,270 --> 00:32:24,190

other point to keep in mind is that

679

00:32:30,149 --> 00:32:27,280

thomas ammonia is the principal carrier

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00:32:32,970 --> 00:32:30,159

volatile nitrogen and we have no idea

681

00:32:35,070 --> 00:32:32,980

what it's 15 nitrogen enrichment maybe

682

00:32:38,490 --> 00:32:35,080

in comets so we really don't even know

683

00:32:41,360 --> 00:32:38,500

how to compare the dominant carrier of

684

00:32:44,610 --> 00:32:41,370

ultra nitrogen comets with the

685

00:32:47,399 --> 00:32:44,620

atmospheric value in the earth the next

686

00:32:49,710 --> 00:32:47,409

point which people often tend over

687

00:32:51,690 --> 00:32:49,720

forget is that the origins of commentary

688

00:32:54,960 --> 00:32:51,700

CNR uncertain which comes up to the

689

00:32:57,470 --> 00:32:54,970

point that was just made namely CN can

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00:33:01,950 --> 00:32:57,480

impart come from ice like HCM

691

00:33:06,299 --> 00:33:01,960

association of the precursor or from the

692

00:33:07,270 --> 00:33:06,309

rock the dust grains are coral CM jets

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00:33:09,910 --> 00:33:07,280

and various

694

00:33:12,580 --> 00:33:09,920

correlated with dust grains and so this

695

00:33:15,550 --> 00:33:12,590

raises an issue as to whether the CN is

696

00:33:18,100 --> 00:33:15,560

in fact really a faithful measure of the

697

00:33:20,560 --> 00:33:18,110

overall bulk in a comment or whether

698

00:33:24,220 --> 00:33:20,570

when once we begin to measure ammonia

699

00:33:26,650 --> 00:33:24,230

will see different value and final point

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00:33:29,350 --> 00:33:26,660

which I mentioned briefly in passing was

701  
00:33:31,300 --> 00:33:29,360  
the fact that we think that HCN may be

702  
00:33:36,900 --> 00:33:31,310  
produced from Siena nakoma so to turn

703  
00:33:39,370 --> 00:33:36,910  
that around an important sub from a

704  
00:33:42,070 --> 00:33:39,380  
comet and what didn't what proportions

705  
00:33:45,100 --> 00:33:42,080  
is stored in the nucleus as opposed to

706  
00:33:48,460 --> 00:33:45,110  
be produced in the coma from reactions

707  
00:33:50,650 --> 00:33:48,470  
such as cyanogen plus a hydrocarbon such

708  
00:33:53,790 --> 00:33:50,660  
as methane my question just got typed in

709  
00:33:58,300 --> 00:33:53,800  
on the cat wonder there okay so we have

710  
00:34:00,450 --> 00:33:58,310  
is it Ron yes follow talisman syllabus

711  
00:34:02,740 --> 00:34:00,460  
have similarities what you display for

712  
00:34:05,950 --> 00:34:02,750  
comments does a suggestive commentary

713  
00:34:07,870 --> 00:34:05,960

origin for Enceladus volatiles that I

714

00:34:10,780 --> 00:34:07,880

think is an interesting question one

715

00:34:13,270 --> 00:34:10,790

that we've kicked around here in my

716

00:34:15,370 --> 00:34:13,280

group at Goddard quite a lot my

717

00:34:19,600 --> 00:34:15,380

understanding right now is that hunter

718

00:34:22,270 --> 00:34:19,610

wait who is the P I on the instrument

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00:34:27,130 --> 00:34:22,280

that's measured these volatiles from

720

00:34:31,870 --> 00:34:27,140

Cassini now things that essentially most

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00:34:36,000 --> 00:34:31,880

or even all of the smaller molecules can

722

00:34:39,240 --> 00:34:36,010

be derived by destruction of benzene and

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00:34:42,909 --> 00:34:39,250

most of what they see as hydrocarbons

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00:34:45,340 --> 00:34:42,919

there is some water and so it's not

725

00:34:48,010 --> 00:34:45,350

clear to me now even what is being

726

00:34:50,880 --> 00:34:48,020

released from Enceladus because by the

727

00:34:54,940 --> 00:34:50,890

time you measure something in the plumes

728

00:34:57,580 --> 00:34:54,950

it could have only a in direct relation

729

00:34:59,920 --> 00:34:57,590

to the material that actually was being

730

00:35:04,630 --> 00:34:59,930

released from the base of the plume

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00:35:06,490 --> 00:35:04,640

itself so but nevertheless the idea of

732

00:35:08,950 --> 00:35:06,500

the cometary origin foreign solidus has

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00:35:10,180 --> 00:35:08,960

been suggested

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00:35:12,000 --> 00:35:10,190

I think it's actually even in the

735

00:35:15,670 --> 00:35:12,010

literature but I think we don't have the

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00:35:19,780 --> 00:35:15,680

hard evidence yet to test that

737

00:35:21,609 --> 00:35:19,790

hypothesis so that's something that one

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00:35:23,650 --> 00:35:21,619

would like to do and of course now that

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00:35:27,370 --> 00:35:23,660

we know there are plumes of water on

740

00:35:30,370 --> 00:35:27,380

Europa at the South Pole which was just

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00:35:32,829 --> 00:35:30,380

published in science we'd like to know

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00:35:38,980 --> 00:35:32,839

whether other species are being released

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00:35:43,750 --> 00:35:38,990

as well ok so now comparing these two

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00:35:46,990 --> 00:35:43,760

metrics has been done by sanaka and

745

00:35:50,520 --> 00:35:47,000

allocated company and what's interesting

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00:35:53,500 --> 00:35:50,530

is that suddenly what you see is that

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00:35:55,990 --> 00:35:53,510

for a variety of comets and these by the

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00:35:58,540 --> 00:35:56,000

way are grouped by orbiting blast and

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00:36:01,390 --> 00:35:58,550

dissemination areas we get good

750

00:36:04,720 --> 00:36:01,400

correlation between opr clustering and

751

00:36:07,390 --> 00:36:04,730

the isotopic ratio of nitrogen but there

752

00:36:10,089 --> 00:36:07,400

is one comet these are two fragments of

753

00:36:13,450 --> 00:36:10,099

Russian Blackmon 3 which is an ecliptic

754

00:36:15,010 --> 00:36:13,460

comet that's lit they're totally

755

00:36:17,829 --> 00:36:15,020

different so it's quite of something

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00:36:20,020 --> 00:36:17,839

going on we don't understand and until

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00:36:22,060 --> 00:36:20,030

we do understand it we can't assess this

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00:36:24,490 --> 00:36:22,070

take this is a metric to assess what

759

00:36:27,010 --> 00:36:24,500

might be delivered to the earth now

760

00:36:30,099 --> 00:36:27,020

let's just touch on hydrogen and the d2h

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00:36:33,160 --> 00:36:30,109

ratio because this is a key metric for

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00:36:35,859 --> 00:36:33,170

many studies not just for commentary

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00:36:39,400 --> 00:36:35,869

Isis and so on this is this is work done

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00:36:42,700 --> 00:36:39,410

by Olivier mousset and in fact on the

765

00:36:44,200 --> 00:36:42,710

right panel of showing the d2h ratio is

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00:36:47,970 --> 00:36:44,210

a function of distance from the young

767

00:36:52,660 --> 00:36:47,980

son and this already incorporated

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00:36:55,300 --> 00:36:52,670

something like five to fourteen au which

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00:36:56,890 --> 00:36:55,310

was the region for the giant planets at

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00:37:00,130 --> 00:36:56,900

the beginning of the nice model

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00:37:02,680 --> 00:37:00,140

dynamical simulation we already know

772

00:37:05,079 --> 00:37:02,690

from the case of Saturn what the beast

773

00:37:07,930 --> 00:37:05,089

no value is its basis i'm sorry what the

774

00:37:10,780 --> 00:37:07,940

dth ratio is it's been measured to be be

775

00:37:13,740 --> 00:37:10,790

slow and methane very accurately

776

00:37:18,000 --> 00:37:13,750

untighten so it's right about where the

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00:37:20,220 --> 00:37:18,010

arrow is now right about there drupal

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00:37:23,640 --> 00:37:20,230

is usually taken to be the nebular value

779

00:37:26,490 --> 00:37:23,650

and that's a roughly two times 7-5 l

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00:37:29,880 --> 00:37:26,500

don't know why he has this would be a

781

00:37:31,740 --> 00:37:29,890

water model at the position of Jupiter

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00:37:34,950 --> 00:37:31,750

but of course Jupiter itself is really

783

00:37:40,430 --> 00:37:34,960

dominated by hydrogen which is from the

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00:37:44,130 --> 00:37:40,440

nebula was taken as the value for nebula

785

00:37:45,810 --> 00:37:44,140

is it for comments the issue is how do

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00:37:49,590 --> 00:37:45,820

they compare with the terrestrial water

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00:37:52,670 --> 00:37:49,600

and if you ask that question three years

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00:37:56,760 --> 00:37:52,680

ago the answer would have been

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00:37:59,790 --> 00:37:56,770

encompassed by this lips to the right

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00:38:02,190 --> 00:37:59,800

here that for total of seven comets the

791

00:38:04,590 --> 00:38:02,200

mean value is twice enriched relative to

792

00:38:09,150 --> 00:38:04,600

terrestrial water and so this led people

793

00:38:11,220 --> 00:38:09,160

to assess the possibility of delivery of

794

00:38:14,220 --> 00:38:11,230

our associates by cometary impact is

795

00:38:16,110 --> 00:38:14,230

being quite small affleck roughly ten

796

00:38:20,010 --> 00:38:16,120

percent of her ass ocean water could

797

00:38:23,400 --> 00:38:20,020

come from comets of this type what and

798

00:38:25,800 --> 00:38:23,410

when Hartley 2 was active Herschel

799

00:38:28,290 --> 00:38:25,810

measured the D to weight ratio and water

800

00:38:30,540 --> 00:38:28,300

released from hardly to which is a

801  
00:38:33,300 --> 00:38:30,550  
Kuiper belt object and bingo it was

802  
00:38:37,020 --> 00:38:33,310  
exactly coincident with the value of

803  
00:38:40,560 --> 00:38:37,030  
east mall with in error and so at this

804  
00:38:43,020 --> 00:38:40,570  
point people who know little about comet

805  
00:38:44,940 --> 00:38:43,030  
said aha this could mean that you know

806  
00:38:48,090 --> 00:38:44,950  
comets are responsible for its oceans

807  
00:38:51,570 --> 00:38:48,100  
after all but the real issue here is

808  
00:38:53,640 --> 00:38:51,580  
that one comet does not make a mean we

809  
00:38:57,780 --> 00:38:53,650  
don't really know what the diversity of

810  
00:39:00,120 --> 00:38:57,790  
do H is within Kuiper belt population if

811  
00:39:02,070 --> 00:39:00,130  
you don't know what the mean value is we

812  
00:39:03,840 --> 00:39:02,080  
we know something more about where those

813  
00:39:05,900 --> 00:39:03,850

bodies came from and how they were

814

00:39:08,940 --> 00:39:05,910

delivered to the Kuiper belt through the

815

00:39:10,590 --> 00:39:08,950

dynamical models Oh yet don't know how

816

00:39:12,330 --> 00:39:10,600

many of those bodies could have been

817

00:39:15,630 --> 00:39:12,340

delivered to the terrestrial planets

818

00:39:18,450 --> 00:39:15,640

during that event so there are those two

819

00:39:22,890 --> 00:39:18,460

things that are some questions that need

820

00:39:24,100 --> 00:39:22,900

a significant work in order to help to

821

00:39:26,740 --> 00:39:24,110

assess

822

00:39:31,450 --> 00:39:26,750

a question of where deters get its water

823

00:39:34,150 --> 00:39:31,460

and it's organic inventory so I've kind

824

00:39:37,930 --> 00:39:34,160

of captured those caveats and cautions

825

00:39:39,040 --> 00:39:37,940

here you can look at those at your

826

00:39:41,890 --> 00:39:39,050

letter I don't want to take any more

827

00:39:46,240 --> 00:39:41,900

time at this point to do it let's move

828

00:39:48,100 --> 00:39:46,250

on towards the refractory material and I

829

00:39:50,170 --> 00:39:48,110

have just two slides on comets and then

830

00:39:51,910 --> 00:39:50,180

Jamie's going to take over and because

831

00:39:56,400 --> 00:39:51,920

she has much more to say about this

832

00:39:59,790 --> 00:39:56,410

stuver and her colleagues work on the

833

00:40:02,800 --> 00:39:59,800

organics and primitive meteorites and

834

00:40:06,550 --> 00:40:02,810

and in the start of samples but

835

00:40:10,170 --> 00:40:06,560

fundamentally crystal silicates come in

836

00:40:13,450 --> 00:40:10,180

two forms crystalline or amorphous and

837

00:40:16,510 --> 00:40:13,460

it's been a mantra for a long time that

838

00:40:19,660 --> 00:40:16,520

if one sees crystal and silicates and

839

00:40:22,660 --> 00:40:19,670

comets they must have come from the near

840

00:40:26,730 --> 00:40:22,670

Sun location and this applies outward

841

00:40:31,690 --> 00:40:29,230

protoplanetary disk to the outer comet

842

00:40:34,030 --> 00:40:31,700

forming region that was of course the

843

00:40:37,570 --> 00:40:34,040

natural when comet when the giant

844

00:40:40,360 --> 00:40:37,580

planets didn't move around when comets

845

00:40:44,260 --> 00:40:40,370

were always formed far from the young

846

00:40:46,300 --> 00:40:44,270

son or evolve son and so on so this also

847

00:40:48,940 --> 00:40:46,310

has to be re-examined in the light of

848

00:40:51,610 --> 00:40:48,950

all these new models and so on but

849

00:40:53,730 --> 00:40:51,620

nevertheless it is interesting that the

850

00:40:56,740 --> 00:40:53,740

crystal silicates have been seen in

851

00:40:59,020 --> 00:40:56,750

comets that have origin in the Kuiper

852

00:41:00,360 --> 00:40:59,030

belt that's where they form does it mean

853

00:41:02,470 --> 00:41:00,370

where the dust form to where the

854

00:41:05,980 --> 00:41:02,480

volatiles condense but that's where the

855

00:41:11,410 --> 00:41:05,990

comet itself formed so this presents a

856

00:41:13,680 --> 00:41:11,420

major in itself now the mineralogy of

857

00:41:17,230 --> 00:41:13,690

those dust particles is the other

858

00:41:21,780 --> 00:41:17,240

interesting part of that some inclusions

859

00:41:23,890 --> 00:41:21,790

have been used to identify interstellar

860

00:41:26,680 --> 00:41:23,900

particles that were included within the

861

00:41:27,740 --> 00:41:26,690

return common sense others are nebular

862

00:41:29,720 --> 00:41:27,750

origin and

863

00:41:31,790 --> 00:41:29,730

I think Jamie will say a lot more about

864

00:41:35,090 --> 00:41:31,800

that but just to stick with the

865

00:41:36,950 --> 00:41:35,100

silicates for a minute the the Carnegie

866

00:41:42,410 --> 00:41:36,960

group is and others have demonstrated

867

00:41:45,230 --> 00:41:42,420

that the dust in comet Bill 2 is formed

868

00:41:48,230 --> 00:41:45,240

within probably about seven solar radii

869

00:41:50,540 --> 00:41:48,240

have the young sun so that stuff is

870

00:41:52,700 --> 00:41:50,550

definitely not interstellar up for some

871

00:41:57,110 --> 00:41:52,710

of the high nitrogen 15 inclusions

872

00:42:00,230 --> 00:41:57,120

perhaps so I think why don't you go

873

00:42:03,080 --> 00:42:00,240

ahead actually try to keep my comments

874

00:42:05,330 --> 00:42:03,090

very brief and it's focused on some of

875

00:42:08,240 --> 00:42:05,340

the questions in this road map document

876

00:42:09,710 --> 00:42:08,250

that address delivery of organics by icy

877

00:42:12,200 --> 00:42:09,720

bodies and the chemistry with you on an

878

00:42:15,020 --> 00:42:12,210

icy bodies in order to do that I went to

879

00:42:17,150 --> 00:42:15,030

looking at meteorites as well part of

880

00:42:18,890 --> 00:42:17,160

this is because analysis of organic

881

00:42:21,560 --> 00:42:18,900

compounds in comets had been primarily

882

00:42:23,600 --> 00:42:21,570

limited to volatile and spectroscopic

883

00:42:25,670 --> 00:42:23,610

measurements that can be made with the

884

00:42:27,110 --> 00:42:25,680

exception of the material returned by

885

00:42:31,400 --> 00:42:27,120

the Stardust mission from the ville to

886

00:42:33,020 --> 00:42:31,410

coma the startups allowed us to get a

887

00:42:35,300 --> 00:42:33,030

little bit of more compound specific

888

00:42:37,250 --> 00:42:35,310

organic identification of some of the

889

00:42:40,130 --> 00:42:37,260

complex organics for example the amino

890

00:42:42,260 --> 00:42:40,140

acid glycine was detected but there's

891

00:42:45,020 --> 00:42:42,270

still a lot we don't know about the

892

00:42:47,360 --> 00:42:45,030

prebiotic chemistry some of the larger

893

00:42:49,550 --> 00:42:47,370

organics that might be present in these

894

00:42:52,750 --> 00:42:49,560

icy bodies and this road map document is

895

00:42:55,550 --> 00:42:52,760

talking about the potential delivery of

896

00:42:58,970 --> 00:42:55,560

this type of material from RC bodies and

897

00:43:01,070 --> 00:42:58,980

from other meteorites to the early Earth

898

00:43:03,020 --> 00:43:01,080

so I thought it looks just a little bit

899

00:43:05,270 --> 00:43:03,030

at some of what we know about meteoritic

900

00:43:06,980 --> 00:43:05,280

organics what clues they give us about

901  
00:43:08,630 --> 00:43:06,990  
the type of prebiotic chemistry that

902  
00:43:11,750 --> 00:43:08,640  
might be going on in these bodies and

903  
00:43:14,800 --> 00:43:11,760  
what questions shall remain that we hope

904  
00:43:17,360 --> 00:43:14,810  
the roadmap will address in the future

905  
00:43:19,070 --> 00:43:17,370  
so I wanted to point out here that most

906  
00:43:21,440 --> 00:43:19,080  
of the organic studies that have been

907  
00:43:26,350 --> 00:43:21,450  
done on meteorites are on carbonaceous

908  
00:43:30,740 --> 00:43:26,360  
chondrite which let's do this my pointer

909  
00:43:33,020 --> 00:43:30,750  
which are subdivided into a sub groups

910  
00:43:35,030 --> 00:43:33,030  
here and the work that's been done

911  
00:43:37,700 --> 00:43:35,040  
looking at organic inventory of these

912  
00:43:41,360 --> 00:43:37,710  
carbonaceous chondrites has shown a lot

913  
00:43:43,310 --> 00:43:41,370

of variation among these subgroups

914

00:43:45,350 --> 00:43:43,320

and we don't really know where the icy

915

00:43:47,570 --> 00:43:45,360

bodies will necessarily said what type

916

00:43:49,160 --> 00:43:47,580

of chemistry is going on there there are

917

00:43:50,990 --> 00:43:49,170

similarities between all these subgroups

918

00:43:53,360 --> 00:43:51,000

but also some differences deadly

919

00:43:55,010 --> 00:43:53,370

questions lead to questions we do you

920

00:43:57,370 --> 00:43:55,020

think that the CI carbonaceous

921

00:44:00,080 --> 00:43:57,380

chondrites may be the most similar to

922

00:44:01,280 --> 00:44:00,090

icy bodies there the carbonaceous

923

00:44:04,370 --> 00:44:01,290

chondrites that have seen the most

924

00:44:06,170 --> 00:44:04,380

aqueous alteration liquid water present

925

00:44:07,760 --> 00:44:06,180

on the parent body so there's a

926

00:44:10,490 --> 00:44:07,770

suggestion that they may be related to

927

00:44:14,000 --> 00:44:10,500

comets and two other icy bodies and I'll

928

00:44:15,830 --> 00:44:14,010

show you a little bit about how that

929

00:44:19,820 --> 00:44:15,840

mainly just some differences in the

930

00:44:22,310 --> 00:44:19,830

organic compounds that are produced but

931

00:44:24,590 --> 00:44:22,320

just to start looking at some of the

932

00:44:26,210 --> 00:44:24,600

diversity that might exist this is

933

00:44:28,820 --> 00:44:26,220

looking at the merchants and meteorite

934

00:44:31,190 --> 00:44:28,830

which is a cm2 carbonaceous chondrite

935

00:44:32,780 --> 00:44:31,200

it's the carbonaceous chondrite that's

936

00:44:35,510 --> 00:44:32,790

been the most heavily studied for

937

00:44:38,810 --> 00:44:35,520

organics and what we find is a very wide

938

00:44:40,580 --> 00:44:38,820

diversity of organic compound a lot of

939

00:44:43,370 --> 00:44:40,590

insoluble organic matter is it's

940

00:44:45,170 --> 00:44:43,380

macromolecular material but also quite a

941

00:44:47,330 --> 00:44:45,180

number of different compound classes in

942

00:44:49,040 --> 00:44:47,340

the soluble organic matter and I've

943

00:44:51,620 --> 00:44:49,050

highlighted just a couple of compound

944

00:44:54,020 --> 00:44:51,630

classes they're irrelevant astrobiology

945

00:44:56,240 --> 00:44:54,030

roadmap to understanding the origin of

946

00:44:58,820 --> 00:44:56,250

the compounds relevant for the origin of

947

00:45:01,760 --> 00:44:58,830

life so things such as amino acids

948

00:45:03,650 --> 00:45:01,770

amines purines pyrimidines and heck

949

00:45:06,080 --> 00:45:03,660

nitrogen heterocycles things like that

950

00:45:08,480 --> 00:45:06,090

and we see that there are there's a

951  
00:45:11,030 --> 00:45:08,490  
large amount of these types of molecules

952  
00:45:14,390 --> 00:45:11,040  
there's a rich prebiotic chemistry going

953  
00:45:16,670 --> 00:45:14,400  
on here and in fact recent studies of

954  
00:45:18,770 --> 00:45:16,680  
the soluble material showed that there's

955  
00:45:20,810 --> 00:45:18,780  
likely millions of different structures

956  
00:45:23,060 --> 00:45:20,820  
of diverse structures of organic

957  
00:45:25,280 --> 00:45:23,070  
compounds in the merchants and meteorite

958  
00:45:27,620 --> 00:45:25,290  
and so when we learn from this if we're

959  
00:45:30,080 --> 00:45:27,630  
looking at the potential delivery of

960  
00:45:32,000 --> 00:45:30,090  
organics from primitive icy bodies that

961  
00:45:34,970 --> 00:45:32,010  
impacted the early Earth or other young

962  
00:45:37,130 --> 00:45:34,980  
planets is that a very large diversity

963  
00:45:42,680 --> 00:45:37,140

of these compounds necessary for life

964

00:45:44,240 --> 00:45:42,690

could have been delivered and if we

965

00:45:47,510 --> 00:45:44,250

focus in a little bit on some of the

966

00:45:49,940 --> 00:45:47,520

molecules that we care about a lot for

967

00:45:50,430 --> 00:45:49,950

life on earth we can look at amino acids

968

00:45:52,890 --> 00:45:50,440

and it

969

00:45:54,750 --> 00:45:52,900

in clio basis animate alas as we know

970

00:45:56,609 --> 00:45:54,760

are the building blocks of proteins and

971

00:45:59,370 --> 00:45:56,619

enzymes and serve a lot of important

972

00:46:01,829 --> 00:45:59,380

roles in life on earth one of the

973

00:46:04,559 --> 00:46:01,839

mysteries or interesting factors about

974

00:46:06,980 --> 00:46:04,569

them is that amino acids are chiral that

975

00:46:09,510 --> 00:46:06,990

is amino acid molecules exist in two

976  
00:46:12,930 --> 00:46:09,520  
non-superimposable mirror image forms

977  
00:46:15,089 --> 00:46:12,940  
like your hands abiotic chemistry forms

978  
00:46:16,710 --> 00:46:15,099  
equal amounts of the two we get racemic

979  
00:46:18,960 --> 00:46:16,720  
mixture is equal amount to the left and

980  
00:46:21,030 --> 00:46:18,970  
right hand but life on Earth uses almost

981  
00:46:23,819 --> 00:46:21,040  
exclusively the left-handed form of

982  
00:46:26,069 --> 00:46:23,829  
these molecules and the way that life

983  
00:46:27,870 --> 00:46:26,079  
went but that chemistry went from

984  
00:46:29,760 --> 00:46:27,880  
producing the sequel mixtures to life

985  
00:46:32,430 --> 00:46:29,770  
using specifically the left-handed is a

986  
00:46:34,559 --> 00:46:32,440  
big question in astrobiology research

987  
00:46:36,960 --> 00:46:34,569  
and origin of life research what is the

988  
00:46:39,059 --> 00:46:36,970

origin of that biological homo chirality

989

00:46:40,920 --> 00:46:39,069

and I'll show you in a minute what we

990

00:46:43,020 --> 00:46:40,930

might learn from meteorites about it and

991

00:46:45,960 --> 00:46:43,030

how that extrapolate to some of these

992

00:46:48,530 --> 00:46:45,970

icy bodies I also point out nucleobases

993

00:46:52,770 --> 00:46:48,540

because a range of nuclear bases and nut

994

00:46:54,780 --> 00:46:52,780

similar compounds have been shown I've

995

00:46:59,550 --> 00:46:54,790

been detected in carbonaceous chondrite

996

00:47:01,800 --> 00:46:59,560

you just went and I showed your a

997

00:47:04,800 --> 00:47:01,810

variety of compounds some of which like

998

00:47:08,339 --> 00:47:04,810

a demain and guanine are used in DNA and

999

00:47:10,050 --> 00:47:08,349

RNA I'm in life on earth but also some

1000

00:47:12,420 --> 00:47:10,060

alternate structures that are produced

1001  
00:47:15,359 --> 00:47:12,430  
by about a chemistry and show up in

1002  
00:47:17,910 --> 00:47:15,369  
these meteorites but aren't used much in

1003  
00:47:19,740 --> 00:47:17,920  
life and so that types of a final point

1004  
00:47:22,380 --> 00:47:19,750  
on that slide which is that there's

1005  
00:47:25,410 --> 00:47:22,390  
prebiotic chemistry that occurred on icy

1006  
00:47:27,390 --> 00:47:25,420  
bodies on rocky bodies can produce a

1007  
00:47:29,700 --> 00:47:27,400  
very large chemical diversity compared

1008  
00:47:32,819 --> 00:47:29,710  
to the specificity used in biology and

1009  
00:47:35,150 --> 00:47:32,829  
that's not own question of interest of

1010  
00:47:37,260 --> 00:47:35,160  
astrobiology roadmap I think does

1011  
00:47:39,510 --> 00:47:37,270  
understanding the diversity and the

1012  
00:47:41,430 --> 00:47:39,520  
distribution of these chemicals produced

1013  
00:47:43,980 --> 00:47:41,440

in probiotic environments or on icy

1014

00:47:46,829 --> 00:47:43,990

bodies help us understand the origin of

1015

00:47:48,960 --> 00:47:46,839

the biological specificity why life uses

1016

00:47:52,319 --> 00:47:48,970

only the left-handed amino acids or

1017

00:47:53,670 --> 00:47:52,329

certain nuclear bases and this actually

1018

00:47:56,250 --> 00:47:53,680

came up a little bit in some of the

1019

00:47:58,350 --> 00:47:56,260

other roadmap webinars that have half

1020

00:48:00,510 --> 00:47:58,360

already particularly we had an earlier

1021

00:48:02,370 --> 00:48:00,520

one about sources of organic monomers

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00:48:06,120 --> 00:48:02,380

and some of these same questions were

1023

00:48:08,910 --> 00:48:06,130

released there we have two more slides I

1024

00:48:12,300 --> 00:48:08,920

think this one is just showing that

1025

00:48:13,950 --> 00:48:12,310

amino acid abundant varies across meteor

1026  
00:48:18,240 --> 00:48:13,960  
our class of us we have ten minutes left

1027  
00:48:21,840 --> 00:48:18,250  
so okay what I wanted to point out here

1028  
00:48:24,510 --> 00:48:21,850  
is that my pointer will go on the left

1029  
00:48:27,210 --> 00:48:24,520  
side here our meteorites that have been

1030  
00:48:28,470 --> 00:48:27,220  
extensively a curiously altered they

1031  
00:48:30,570 --> 00:48:28,480  
were exposed to a lot of liquid water

1032  
00:48:32,790 --> 00:48:30,580  
and their parent body let me go to about

1033  
00:48:35,310 --> 00:48:32,800  
here these meteorites have seen much

1034  
00:48:37,170 --> 00:48:35,320  
less water on their parent body and this

1035  
00:48:39,390 --> 00:48:37,180  
is a logarithmic scale of amino acid

1036  
00:48:41,730 --> 00:48:39,400  
abundant we see that the amino acid

1037  
00:48:43,800 --> 00:48:41,740  
abundance is quite sensitive to the

1038  
00:48:48,900 --> 00:48:43,810

amount of aqueous alteration on the

1039

00:48:50,970 --> 00:48:48,910

parent body and I think that that gives

1040

00:48:52,980 --> 00:48:50,980

us something to look at as we start to

1041

00:48:54,720 --> 00:48:52,990

hopefully be able to examine organic

1042

00:48:58,260 --> 00:48:54,730

inventory and comments with future

1043

00:49:00,240 --> 00:48:58,270

comments sample return missions whether

1044

00:49:02,040 --> 00:49:00,250

these icy bodies where there's more

1045

00:49:04,170 --> 00:49:02,050

Equus alteration work potential for

1046

00:49:05,670 --> 00:49:04,180

liquid water interactions would affect

1047

00:49:09,900 --> 00:49:05,680

the abundance and distribution of

1048

00:49:13,500 --> 00:49:09,910

compounds that we see and the last point

1049

00:49:14,970 --> 00:49:13,510

I wanted to raise as a question that may

1050

00:49:17,610 --> 00:49:14,980

be of interest for the roadmap and

1051

00:49:21,180 --> 00:49:17,620

future research is going back that homo

1052

00:49:22,800 --> 00:49:21,190

chirality question abiotic chemistry

1053

00:49:25,140 --> 00:49:22,810

produces equal amounts of left and

1054

00:49:26,760 --> 00:49:25,150

right-handed most amino acids and most

1055

00:49:29,040 --> 00:49:26,770

meteorites that have been studied are

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00:49:33,120 --> 00:49:29,050

also racemic we see equal amounts to the

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00:49:35,460 --> 00:49:33,130

left and right but left-handed excesses

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00:49:38,370 --> 00:49:35,470

have been identified in some amino acids

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00:49:40,080 --> 00:49:38,380

in some meteorites and this plot began

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00:49:43,020 --> 00:49:40,090

is showing the correlation of those

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00:49:45,420 --> 00:49:43,030

excesses with aqueous alteration on the

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00:49:47,460 --> 00:49:45,430

parent body and again meteorites on the

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00:49:50,520 --> 00:49:47,470

left here these are just looking at the

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00:49:52,980 --> 00:49:50,530

percent of left-handed access in everest

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00:49:54,630 --> 00:49:52,990

amino acid i serve a lead in a variety

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00:49:57,150 --> 00:49:54,640

of meteorites the ones on the Left have

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00:49:59,100 --> 00:49:57,160

seen more aqueous alteration and also

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00:50:02,400 --> 00:49:59,110

show more of this left-handed excess and

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00:50:05,880 --> 00:50:02,410

so we wonder whether there are processes

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00:50:07,259 --> 00:50:05,890

on these icy bodies in these areas were

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00:50:09,329 --> 00:50:07,269

provided chemistry

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00:50:11,729 --> 00:50:09,339

been exposed to a grease alteration that

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00:50:13,919 --> 00:50:11,739

might have amplified in excess of

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00:50:15,389 --> 00:50:13,929

left-handed amino acids but then might

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00:50:17,759 --> 00:50:15,399

have been delivered to the early Earth

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00:50:20,149 --> 00:50:17,769

or to other planetary surfaces and in

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00:50:22,919 --> 00:50:20,159

some way helped to seed that origin of

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00:50:27,509 --> 00:50:22,929

biological homo chirality so this is a

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00:50:30,899 --> 00:50:27,519

question for for future research I see

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00:50:34,169 --> 00:50:30,909

Doug just asked about measuring Carol

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00:50:36,359 --> 00:50:34,179

accesses and comments I'm waiting for

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00:50:38,819 --> 00:50:36,369

Thomas sample return for that to happen

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00:50:40,679 --> 00:50:38,829

i think i'm not sure i don't know of any

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00:50:44,759 --> 00:50:40,689

way to be able to measure that remotely

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00:50:47,789 --> 00:50:44,769

the chiral accesses it's correct that

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00:50:50,549 --> 00:50:47,799

there's no tyrol measurement capability

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00:50:52,709 --> 00:50:50,559

and rosette correct yeah I'm pretty sure

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00:50:57,839 --> 00:50:52,719

the correct Aleta yes so we really need

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00:50:59,729 --> 00:50:57,849

either institute measurements and comets

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00:51:01,739 --> 00:50:59,739

which have a sort of chromatography that

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00:51:03,329 --> 00:51:01,749

can do chiro measurements or bringing

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00:51:05,880 --> 00:51:03,339

samples back and being able to do those

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00:51:07,409 --> 00:51:05,890

measurements here and I see penny asking

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00:51:09,929 --> 00:51:07,419

about destruction organics during entry

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00:51:12,359 --> 00:51:09,939

and impact on to the receiving target Oh

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00:51:15,929 --> 00:51:12,369

would I see materials be more or less

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00:51:18,120 --> 00:51:15,939

likely that's a good question that's not

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00:51:19,859 --> 00:51:18,130

what I've thought about much mike has

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00:51:22,499 --> 00:51:19,869

something to say about it yeah I would

1100

00:51:26,329 --> 00:51:22,509

like to comment on that you know the

1101  
00:51:32,969 --> 00:51:26,339  
real issue is the entry process its size

1102  
00:51:34,829 --> 00:51:32,979  
has benefits from breakup of the body if

1103  
00:51:37,109 --> 00:51:34,839  
you bring in a body that's a kilometer

1104  
00:51:39,569 --> 00:51:37,119  
diameter it pretty much is going to hit

1105  
00:51:41,819 --> 00:51:39,579  
the ground before it breaks up but when

1106  
00:51:45,889 --> 00:51:41,829  
you get to maybe a hundred meters or

1107  
00:51:49,859 --> 00:51:45,899  
less than the pressure wave which the

1108  
00:51:53,309 --> 00:51:49,869  
body encounters as the shock builds up

1109  
00:51:57,209 --> 00:51:53,319  
on entry will in fact cause a disruption

1110  
00:52:00,209 --> 00:51:57,219  
but it depends on the binding energy of

1111  
00:52:02,789 --> 00:52:00,219  
the material itself so for example a

1112  
00:52:06,409 --> 00:52:02,799  
rock like a meteorite that reaches the

1113  
00:52:09,659 --> 00:52:06,419

ground may have a binding energy that's

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00:52:13,339 --> 00:52:09,669

something on the order of maybe 10,000

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00:52:15,210 --> 00:52:13,349

dynes per square centimeter whereas a

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00:52:17,940 --> 00:52:15,220

comet nucleus

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00:52:20,820 --> 00:52:17,950

a binding energy that is much much

1118

00:52:22,589 --> 00:52:20,830

smaller hundred times at least and so

1119

00:52:26,430 --> 00:52:22,599

the comet nucleus is going to actually

1120

00:52:29,640 --> 00:52:26,440

be broken up fairly easily and the

1121

00:52:32,790 --> 00:52:29,650

fragments will be decelerated quite

1122

00:52:34,830 --> 00:52:32,800

easily and they will essentially reach

1123

00:52:38,280 --> 00:52:34,840

the ground pretty much intact and

1124

00:52:40,500 --> 00:52:38,290

deliver their organics as they as they

1125

00:52:42,690 --> 00:52:40,510

do that the stone is like the

1126  
00:52:45,420 --> 00:52:42,700  
carbonaceous chondrites and so on and

1127  
00:52:47,940 --> 00:52:45,430  
merchants and so on those those bodies

1128  
00:52:51,109 --> 00:52:47,950  
reach the ground is pregnant sat at

1129  
00:52:54,660 --> 00:52:51,119  
range in size from elana meters

1130  
00:52:56,820 --> 00:52:54,670  
millimeters to meters and they also

1131  
00:53:00,690 --> 00:52:56,830  
deliver their materials to the ground

1132  
00:53:03,599 --> 00:53:00,700  
intact but it's the small particles that

1133  
00:53:05,810 --> 00:53:03,609  
are entering say own sizes on the order

1134  
00:53:07,950 --> 00:53:05,820  
of millimeters and so on like IDPs

1135  
00:53:09,510 --> 00:53:07,960  
basically are going to lose almost all

1136  
00:53:12,990 --> 00:53:09,520  
their organics because they get super

1137  
00:53:15,089 --> 00:53:13,000  
heated and even get vaporized and so on

1138  
00:53:17,040 --> 00:53:15,099

it I said no we're running out of time

1139

00:53:19,740 --> 00:53:17,050

here I just want to say I noted that

1140

00:53:22,109 --> 00:53:19,750

down it has perhaps something against

1141

00:53:25,109 --> 00:53:22,119

you included in the road map document

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00:53:28,290 --> 00:53:25,119

that they're gonna think I'm noting some

1143

00:53:30,109 --> 00:53:28,300

of this down the document I will make

1144

00:53:31,950 --> 00:53:30,119

sure that that gets into the final

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00:53:34,260 --> 00:53:31,960

documented some vets to go to the

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00:53:36,540 --> 00:53:34,270

roadmap no these are very very valuable

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00:53:38,370 --> 00:53:36,550

college yeah it's the point of this is

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00:53:40,980 --> 00:53:38,380

to come up with the where we want to go

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00:53:42,859 --> 00:53:40,990

as research for the next ten years it's

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00:53:45,480 --> 00:53:42,869

very good to have these comments now

1151  
00:53:47,579 --> 00:53:45,490  
Andy Mike I suppose someone's going to

1152  
00:53:51,480 --> 00:53:47,589  
send us this list of comments is that

1153  
00:53:54,420 --> 00:53:51,490  
right it is you can never comments but

1154  
00:53:56,160 --> 00:53:54,430  
given that we are just coming to the top

1155  
00:53:59,130 --> 00:53:56,170  
of the hour I was going to take a moment

1156  
00:54:01,290 --> 00:53:59,140  
to to mention to people that the the

1157  
00:54:04,650 --> 00:54:01,300  
document that this presentation is based

1158  
00:54:06,720 --> 00:54:04,660  
on is now open for comments just in case

1159  
00:54:08,460 --> 00:54:06,730  
any of the people present or anyone

1160  
00:54:11,070 --> 00:54:08,470  
listening to this hasn't done that

1161  
00:54:12,930 --> 00:54:11,080  
before all you have to do is click on

1162  
00:54:15,300 --> 00:54:12,940  
the link and that will take you straight

1163  
00:54:18,660 --> 00:54:15,310

to the Google document we do request

1164

00:54:21,390 --> 00:54:18,670

that if you have a google ID login with

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00:54:24,190 --> 00:54:21,400

them purely because it helps the authors

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00:54:25,900 --> 00:54:24,200

then see who's making which comment if

1167

00:54:29,050 --> 00:54:25,910

don't have a Google idea if you could

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00:54:32,530 --> 00:54:29,060

just note your name down on the comments

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00:54:35,200 --> 00:54:32,540

in case they need to get active and just

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00:54:38,200 --> 00:54:35,210

to be clear the overall process exactly

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00:54:40,180 --> 00:54:38,210

as we've been doing here is to note any

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00:54:43,030 --> 00:54:40,190

questions or ideas that could help

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00:54:45,130 --> 00:54:43,040

strengthen the paper because we are

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00:54:47,170 --> 00:54:45,140

coming to the end of the process we

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00:54:49,480 --> 00:54:47,180

still have a few weeks for people feel

1176  
00:54:52,030 --> 00:54:49,490  
to put their comments in but now would

1177  
00:54:53,710 --> 00:54:52,040  
be a great time to do it so we'd

1178  
00:54:56,170 --> 00:54:53,720  
encourage you to go back to the paper

1179  
00:54:58,420 --> 00:54:56,180  
insert any comments on there and yes

1180  
00:55:02,349 --> 00:54:58,430  
everything that's been entered into the

1181  
00:55:05,170 --> 00:55:02,359  
chat box will also be available now are

1182  
00:55:07,180 --> 00:55:05,180  
there any last questions or the

1183  
00:55:09,579 --> 00:55:07,190  
presenters need to to make any last

1184  
00:55:11,910 --> 00:55:09,589  
comments before we wrap it up this is

1185  
00:55:16,120 --> 00:55:11,920  
the last slide at my cabbage some

1186  
00:55:18,760 --> 00:55:16,130  
references there y plus we're going to

1187  
00:55:21,220 --> 00:55:18,770  
post a bibliography and so on and our

1188  
00:55:23,740 --> 00:55:21,230

next to go around so I think that will

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00:55:28,109 --> 00:55:23,750

help people somewhat getting back into

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00:55:33,520 --> 00:55:30,609

excellent well in that case thank you

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00:55:36,250 --> 00:55:33,530

very much for a great presentation and

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00:55:38,260 --> 00:55:36,260

we hope to see everybody's comments

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00:55:40,680 --> 00:55:38,270

being popped in to the google document