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00:00:01,360 --> 00:00:03,910
Good day from International
Space Station flight control

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00:00:03,910 --> 00:00:06,210
room at the Johnson
space center in Houston

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00:00:06,210 --> 00:00:09,630
as another week begins
for the orbital laboratory

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00:00:09,630 --> 00:00:12,290
for the expedition 33 crew.

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00:00:12,290 --> 00:00:15,150
Here in the ISS flight
control room the orbit two team

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00:00:15,150 --> 00:00:16,870
of flight controllers is on duty

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00:00:16,870 --> 00:00:20,540
at this hour having taken
a handover earlier today

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00:00:20,540 --> 00:00:24,150
from the orbit one team that
presided over the first half

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00:00:24,150 --> 00:00:25,650
of the crew workday that began

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00:00:25,650 --> 00:00:29,130
with a wake-up call
at 1 AM central time.

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00:00:29,130 --> 00:00:32,250
On console at this hour

tending to business,

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00:00:32,250 --> 00:00:34,770

along with other
flight control teams

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00:00:34,770 --> 00:00:38,100

around the world are the
orbit two flight director

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00:00:38,100 --> 00:00:39,390

on the right side
of your screen.

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00:00:39,390 --> 00:00:41,410

Mike Lammers, joined on console

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00:00:41,410 --> 00:00:45,300

by spacecraft communicator Mark
Reagan who is talking directly

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00:00:45,300 --> 00:00:48,840

to the crew on board the
International Space Station.

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00:00:48,840 --> 00:00:53,420

That expedition 33 crew, led by
station commander Suni Williams

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00:00:53,420 --> 00:00:55,540

on the left of your screen along

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00:00:55,540 --> 00:00:58,180

with Russian cosmonaut Yuri
Malenchenko in the middle

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00:00:58,180 --> 00:01:00,710

and Aki Hoshida a
flight engineer

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00:01:00,710 --> 00:01:04,320
from the Japan aerospace
exploration agency are

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00:01:04,320 --> 00:01:08,620
in their 78th day in space
their 76th day aboard the

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00:01:08,620 --> 00:01:10,910
International Space Station.

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00:01:10,910 --> 00:01:13,260
A few moments ago Suni
Williams a reported

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00:01:13,260 --> 00:01:16,370
that the flight control
team here on the ground

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00:01:16,370 --> 00:01:20,850
that the crew is gliding through
what she called a manic Monday

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00:01:20,850 --> 00:01:24,260
where they're working a couple
of in-flight maintenance issues,

29

00:01:24,260 --> 00:01:26,790
nothing of any tremendous
significance,

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00:01:26,790 --> 00:01:32,780
but those issues include the
replacement earlier today

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00:01:32,780 --> 00:01:36,650
of a pretreat tank in the
waste and hygiene compartment

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00:01:36,650 --> 00:01:38,780
that is located in
the destiny laboratory

33
00:01:38,780 --> 00:01:40,830
of the International
Space Station.

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00:01:40,830 --> 00:01:43,320
You're looking at
video that was acquired

35
00:01:43,320 --> 00:01:46,720
about 3 AM central
time on Monday.

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00:01:46,720 --> 00:01:48,040
Suni Williams working

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00:01:48,040 --> 00:01:52,360
to reinstall a brand-new
pretreat tank that is essential

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00:01:52,360 --> 00:01:55,430
for the operation of the
waste and hygiene compartment

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00:01:55,430 --> 00:01:57,530
in the destiny laboratory.

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00:01:57,530 --> 00:02:01,170
The R&R of that tank, which
is conducted periodically,

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00:02:01,170 --> 00:02:04,040
was of no consequence
but the problem occurred

42
00:02:04,040 --> 00:02:06,520
with the attempt to

reactivate the system,

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00:02:06,520 --> 00:02:09,710

which yielded no joy.

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00:02:09,710 --> 00:02:12,000

Specialists are off
scratching their heads

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00:02:12,000 --> 00:02:15,150

and developing troubleshooting
plans as they pore

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00:02:15,150 --> 00:02:17,350

through the data from the waste

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00:02:17,350 --> 00:02:20,630

and hygiene compartment
before offering any further

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00:02:20,630 --> 00:02:23,480

recommendations to the space
station crew onboard the

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00:02:23,480 --> 00:02:26,180

International Space
Station for another attempt

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00:02:26,180 --> 00:02:29,610

to reactivate the waste
and hygiene compartment.

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00:02:29,610 --> 00:02:32,310

One of the options may be
to change out that tank.

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00:02:32,310 --> 00:02:36,960

Its' possible that a bad set of
pretreat liquids may be existing

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00:02:36,960 --> 00:02:40,920

in that tank that was replaced
by Williams earlier today.

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00:02:40,920 --> 00:02:44,550

We'll be waiting for further
words on the disposition

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00:02:44,550 --> 00:02:47,990

of the reactivation of the
waste and hygiene compartment.

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00:02:47,990 --> 00:02:52,410

One of the other issues
that Williams faced

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00:02:52,410 --> 00:02:55,630

in the early morning hours
was the reloading of software

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00:02:55,630 --> 00:02:58,880

on express rack two in
the destiny laboratory.

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00:02:58,880 --> 00:03:02,490

You're looking here at
video of a laptop computer

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00:03:02,490 --> 00:03:06,170

that she attempted to reload
software on for the governing

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00:03:06,170 --> 00:03:10,820

of experiment data coming
down from that express rack.

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00:03:10,820 --> 00:03:14,680

The activity that took about an
hour this morning yielded no joy

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00:03:14,680 --> 00:03:16,720

either user in the loading

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00:03:16,720 --> 00:03:19,470

of that new software

for express rack two.

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00:03:19,470 --> 00:03:22,700

And as a result the

payload operations Center

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00:03:22,700 --> 00:03:24,840

at Marshall space flight

Center in Huntsville,

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00:03:24,840 --> 00:03:27,380

Alabama that is responsible

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00:03:27,380 --> 00:03:31,210

for payload operations aboard

the orbital laboratory is off

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00:03:31,210 --> 00:03:35,260

considering what other

options may be necessary

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00:03:35,260 --> 00:03:38,170

and any troubleshooting

activities that may be on work

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00:03:38,170 --> 00:03:42,750

to try to successfully load new

software on express rack two.

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00:03:42,750 --> 00:03:45,530

The old load of software

is operating just fine,

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00:03:45,530 --> 00:03:48,960

no impact to science at
this point as Suni Williams

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00:03:48,960 --> 00:03:49,940
and the payload team

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00:03:49,940 --> 00:03:53,770
at the Marshall Space Flight
Center are off discussing any

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00:03:53,770 --> 00:03:56,370
options for the next attempt

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00:03:56,370 --> 00:04:00,210
to reload new software
on express rack two.

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00:04:00,210 --> 00:04:02,920
One of the items on
tap for this first day

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00:04:02,920 --> 00:04:06,690
of October is the start of
a busy week of activities

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00:04:06,690 --> 00:04:10,620
in preparation for the scheduled
launch on Sunday evening

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00:04:10,620 --> 00:04:15,020
of the SpaceX Dragon vehicle
from launch complex 40

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00:04:15,020 --> 00:04:18,250
at the Cape Canaveral Air
Force Station in Florida,

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00:04:18,250 --> 00:04:20,570
the second flight of
the Dragon spacecraft

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00:04:20,570 --> 00:04:22,760
to the International
Space Station

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00:04:22,760 --> 00:04:25,420
and the first commercial
resupply mission

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00:04:25,420 --> 00:04:28,480
to the International Space
Station carrying a significant

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00:04:28,480 --> 00:04:32,750
amount, about a thousand pounds,
of experiments and supplies

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00:04:32,750 --> 00:04:36,380
for the residents of the
International Space Station.

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00:04:36,380 --> 00:04:39,810
Over the weekend
of the SpaceX team

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00:04:39,810 --> 00:04:43,610
down at the cape successfully
conducted a hot fire test

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00:04:43,610 --> 00:04:46,640
of the falcon nine launch
vehicle's first stage

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00:04:46,640 --> 00:04:48,100
Merlin engines.

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00:04:48,100 --> 00:04:51,160
They are poring over the
data throughout the course

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00:04:51,160 --> 00:04:52,070

of the day.

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00:04:52,070 --> 00:04:56,110

Everything appears to have gone well with that hot fire test.

96

00:04:56,110 --> 00:04:58,150

Other internal reviews are worried under way

97

00:04:58,150 --> 00:05:00,820

by the SpaceX technicians and engineers

98

00:05:00,820 --> 00:05:06,300

down at launch complex 40, and a further review and a final poll

99

00:05:06,300 --> 00:05:09,650

for a "go/no go" for Sunday's launch will be taken

100

00:05:09,650 --> 00:05:12,730

to the International Space Station mission management team

101

00:05:12,730 --> 00:05:14,780

this coming Thursday.

102

00:05:14,780 --> 00:05:18,420

If all goes as planned the falcon nine will lift off

103

00:05:18,420 --> 00:05:21,040

from the Cape Canaveral Air Force station

104

00:05:21,040 --> 00:05:27,470

at 7:35 PM central time 8:35 PM
Eastern time on Sunday night.

105

00:05:27,470 --> 00:05:30,280

That will set up a rendezvous
that will take just a bit

106

00:05:30,280 --> 00:05:36,150

over two days, enabling the
Dragon to reach the vicinity

107

00:05:36,150 --> 00:05:38,150

of the International Space
Station on Wednesday,

108

00:05:38,150 --> 00:05:44,000

October 10 for a grapple by the
station's robotic arm Canadarm2

109

00:05:44,000 --> 00:05:48,390

that will be operated by Aki
Hoshide and Suni Williams

110

00:05:48,390 --> 00:05:50,880

from the cupola robotic
workstation

111

00:05:50,880 --> 00:05:54,380

in the International Space
Station, as was the case back

112

00:05:54,380 --> 00:05:56,090

in May for the maiden
flight of Dragon

113

00:05:56,090 --> 00:05:57,620

to the International
Space Station

114

00:05:57,620 --> 00:06:01,770

on a demonstration flight that
also carried a small amount

115
00:06:01,770 --> 00:06:03,480
of cargo to the complex.

116
00:06:03,480 --> 00:06:07,710
This time they will reach out,
grapple the Dragon and berth it

117
00:06:07,710 --> 00:06:10,840
to the Earth facing port
on the harmony module

118
00:06:10,840 --> 00:06:13,170
of the International
Space Station for just

119
00:06:13,170 --> 00:06:16,730
under three weeks of berth
operations to unload that cargo

120
00:06:16,730 --> 00:06:19,660
and load supplies and
experiments back into Dragon

121
00:06:19,660 --> 00:06:22,590
for its return to Earth and
a splashdown off the coast

122
00:06:22,590 --> 00:06:26,940
of Southern California that
is scheduled for October 28.

123
00:06:26,940 --> 00:06:30,510
Live coverage on
Sunday night originating

124
00:06:30,510 --> 00:06:33,830
from the Kennedy space Center in

Cape Canaveral Air Force station

125

00:06:33,830 --> 00:06:36,030
of the SpaceX Dragon launched

126

00:06:36,030 --> 00:06:38,870
on the first commercial
resupply mission is scheduled

127

00:06:38,870 --> 00:06:41,850
for 6 PM central time
7 PM Eastern time.

128

00:06:41,850 --> 00:06:46,020
Again the launch scheduled on
an instantaneous launch window

129

00:06:46,020 --> 00:06:50,750
at 7:35 PM central time
8:35 PM Eastern time

130

00:06:50,750 --> 00:06:53,600
on Sunday night October 7.

131

00:06:53,600 --> 00:06:58,940
To that end Williams and Hoshide
will be using a laptop computer

132

00:06:58,940 --> 00:07:03,520
in the destiny laboratory's
robotic workstation today

133

00:07:03,520 --> 00:07:09,740
in order to conduct a robotic
training exercise using a

134

00:07:09,740 --> 00:07:14,720
pre-loaded program to
simulate the arrival of Dragon

135
00:07:14,720 --> 00:07:18,200
and their simulated
grapple and berthing

136
00:07:18,200 --> 00:07:21,400
of the Dragon spacecraft
to the nadir port

137
00:07:21,400 --> 00:07:24,380
of the Earth facing
port of harmony.

138
00:07:24,380 --> 00:07:27,320
The issue with that
robotics workstation

139
00:07:27,320 --> 00:07:31,720
in the destiny laboratory
that also continues to be

140
00:07:31,720 --> 00:07:35,150
under technical discussion
was the unsuccessful attempt

141
00:07:35,150 --> 00:07:39,860
on Friday to replace a
remote power control module,

142
00:07:39,860 --> 00:07:44,340
an RPCM if you will, that
that is used for the routing

143
00:07:44,340 --> 00:07:47,400
of electrical power to
that robotics workstation.

144
00:07:47,400 --> 00:07:51,370
An attempt to replace
the current RPCM

145

00:07:51,370 --> 00:07:53,580

with a spare was not successful.

146

00:07:53,580 --> 00:07:55,350

A second spare was
also attempted

147

00:07:55,350 --> 00:07:56,880

to be installed by
Suni Williams.

148

00:07:56,880 --> 00:08:02,270

It too was not successful in
a power up of that new RPCM

149

00:08:02,270 --> 00:08:07,040

and so the old remote power
control module was reinstalled

150

00:08:07,040 --> 00:08:10,110

in the destiny laboratory.

151

00:08:10,110 --> 00:08:13,690

It is up and running,
establishing communications

152

00:08:13,690 --> 00:08:17,780

but there is no indication
of a power flow to the unit.

153

00:08:17,780 --> 00:08:21,560

As a result to ensure the
redundant power supply goes

154

00:08:21,560 --> 00:08:25,540

to that robotics workstation,
the crew will be installing

155

00:08:25,540 --> 00:08:27,950

on Tuesday a jumper
cable to make sure

156

00:08:27,950 --> 00:08:30,250

that the lab robotics
workstation,

157

00:08:30,250 --> 00:08:33,410

one of two that exist in the
International Space Station,

158

00:08:33,410 --> 00:08:36,730

has a redundant power capability
and is available to the crew

159

00:08:36,730 --> 00:08:41,400

as a hot back up to their cupola
workstation robotics workstation

160

00:08:41,400 --> 00:08:44,500

that they they will be
operating out of on October 10

161

00:08:44,500 --> 00:08:49,030

for the grapple and berthing
of the Dragon spacecraft.

162

00:08:49,030 --> 00:08:52,490

Amidst all of this scientific
experiments continue onboard the

163

00:08:52,490 --> 00:08:54,010

International Space Station.

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00:08:54,010 --> 00:08:56,570

One of the experiments in
work today is called the

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00:08:56,570 --> 00:08:58,320

In Space experiment.

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00:08:58,320 --> 00:09:02,300

Principal investigators for
that are Dr. Alice Gast of MIT

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00:09:02,300 --> 00:09:05,940

and Dr. Eric Furst of the
University of Delaware.

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00:09:05,940 --> 00:09:09,610

The In Space experiment,
that's a fancy acronym

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00:09:09,610 --> 00:09:12,670

for Investigating The Structure
Of Paramagnetic Aggregates

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00:09:12,670 --> 00:09:14,740

From Colloidal Emulsions.

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00:09:14,740 --> 00:09:18,120

Basically studies the behavior
of magnetic colloidal fluids

172

00:09:18,120 --> 00:09:21,060

under the influence of
various magnetic fields.

173

00:09:21,060 --> 00:09:25,090

The technology and data gleaned
from this experiment is designed

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00:09:25,090 --> 00:09:28,040

to improve the ability to design
structures, such as bridges

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00:09:28,040 --> 00:09:31,700

and buildings and to better
withstand earthquake damage

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00:09:31,700 --> 00:09:36,200

to structures by
formulating better structures

177

00:09:36,200 --> 00:09:37,710

and better materials with which

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00:09:37,710 --> 00:09:40,130

to build buildings
back on Earth.

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00:09:40,130 --> 00:09:42,380

While all this is going
on, another spacecraft

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00:09:42,380 --> 00:09:43,850

that continues to
orbit the Earth.

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00:09:43,850 --> 00:09:47,450

That being the Edoardo Amaldi
automated transfer vehicle

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00:09:47,450 --> 00:09:50,190

that undocked from the
International Space Station

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00:09:50,190 --> 00:09:53,480

from the aft port of the
Zvezda service module back

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00:09:53,480 --> 00:09:57,430

on Friday afternoon at
4:44 PM central time

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00:09:57,430 --> 00:10:01,210

over Western Kazakhstan ending
a six-month stay onboard the

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00:10:01,210 --> 00:10:02,830
International Space Station.

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00:10:02,830 --> 00:10:06,350
The belated undocking of Edoardo
Amaldi occurred three days

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00:10:06,350 --> 00:10:09,520
behind schedule because
of a communications glitch

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00:10:09,520 --> 00:10:12,740
between the service
module software

190

00:10:12,740 --> 00:10:15,020
and the automated
transfer vehicle.

191

00:10:15,020 --> 00:10:17,940
That was solved by Russian
flight controllers permitting

192

00:10:17,940 --> 00:10:20,640
the undocking to
occur back on Friday.

193

00:10:20,640 --> 00:10:24,260
Edoardo Amaldi has continued
to move away to phase away

194

00:10:24,260 --> 00:10:27,200
from International Space
Station to a safe distance

195

00:10:27,200 --> 00:10:30,850
for what is expected to be
a pair of deorbit burns,

196

00:10:30,850 --> 00:10:34,460

engine firings if you will,
retrograde engine firings

197

00:10:34,460 --> 00:10:37,220
on Tuesday afternoon
and Tuesday evening

198

00:10:37,220 --> 00:10:40,220
that will send Edoardo
Amaldi into a reentry

199

00:10:40,220 --> 00:10:43,510
into the Earth's atmosphere
where it will burn up harmlessly

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00:10:43,510 --> 00:10:45,210
over the Pacific Ocean.

201

00:10:45,210 --> 00:10:49,750
This animation shows essentially
the reentry of Edoardo Amaldi

202

00:10:49,750 --> 00:10:53,020
and its breakup over
the Pacific Ocean.

203

00:10:53,020 --> 00:10:56,110
A special recording device
will measure the data

204

00:10:56,110 --> 00:11:00,250
from that breakup and send
back information to engineers

205

00:11:00,250 --> 00:11:03,650
and scientists on the ground
who are developing spacecraft

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00:11:03,650 --> 00:11:06,030
of the future so they better

understand the breakup

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00:11:06,030 --> 00:11:09,120

characteristics of
a space vehicle

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00:11:09,120 --> 00:11:12,210

that is reentering the
Earth's atmosphere.

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00:11:12,210 --> 00:11:13,720

And so that's a look ahead

210

00:11:13,720 --> 00:11:16,380

at what's happening aboard the
International Space Station

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00:11:16,380 --> 00:11:19,430

and a look at some of the
activities that lie ahead