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00:00:06,309 --> 00:00:03,909
good morning and welcome to today's

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00:00:08,470 --> 00:00:06,319
mission status briefing with us today is

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00:00:10,790 --> 00:00:08,480
derek hossman the international space

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00:00:14,549 --> 00:00:10,800
station lead flight director who's just

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00:00:16,230 --> 00:00:14,559
coming off his orbit two shift derry

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00:00:18,630 --> 00:00:16,240
good morning thank you and uh it's good

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00:00:21,109 --> 00:00:18,640
to be here today to talk about uh

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00:00:23,189 --> 00:00:21,119
what uh is another productive and uh

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00:00:24,790 --> 00:00:23,199
very busy day on board the shuttle

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00:00:25,750 --> 00:00:24,800
endeavour and the international space

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00:00:28,230 --> 00:00:25,760
station

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00:00:31,029 --> 00:00:28,240
um as i left the the control center the

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00:00:32,790 --> 00:00:31,039

both crews were wrapping up their day

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00:00:34,389 --> 00:00:32,800

with preparations for tomorrow's

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00:00:37,750 --> 00:00:34,399

spacewalk of course we'll be conducting

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00:00:40,069 --> 00:00:37,760

the second spacewalk eva 2 tomorrow and

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00:00:41,750 --> 00:00:40,079

the spacewalking crew which were eva 2

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00:00:43,510 --> 00:00:41,760

is going to be drew feustel and mike

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00:00:45,830 --> 00:00:43,520

think we're wrapping up their final

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00:00:48,069 --> 00:00:45,840

preparations a final review of their

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00:00:50,229 --> 00:00:48,079

procedures gathering of the tools

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00:00:51,510 --> 00:00:50,239

and eventually they'll be uh spending

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00:00:52,950 --> 00:00:51,520

the night in the airlock overnight so

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00:00:55,590 --> 00:00:52,960

we'll we'll button them up in the

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00:00:57,270 --> 00:00:55,600

airlock and then depress it to 10-2 and

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00:00:59,029 --> 00:00:57,280

10-2 psi and start what we call

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00:01:01,029 --> 00:00:59,039

overnight camp out

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00:01:02,229 --> 00:01:01,039

but i'll go back and start with the

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00:01:03,670 --> 00:01:02,239

beginning of the day as you heard

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00:01:05,830 --> 00:01:03,680

yesterday from

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00:01:08,149 --> 00:01:05,840

leroy kane the shuttle program decided

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00:01:10,469 --> 00:01:08,159

to do a focused inspection which is a

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00:01:12,789 --> 00:01:10,479

procedure that we have a placeholder for

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00:01:14,550 --> 00:01:12,799

on flight day six and it's a way to to

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00:01:16,469 --> 00:01:14,560

use the orbiter boom sensor system to

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00:01:18,310 --> 00:01:16,479

take a closer look at areas of interest

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00:01:20,630 --> 00:01:18,320

on the orbiter tile

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00:01:22,630 --> 00:01:20,640

what that involves is using the space

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00:01:24,710 --> 00:01:22,640

station robotic arm

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00:01:26,630 --> 00:01:24,720

to grapple the obss and pull it out of

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00:01:28,630 --> 00:01:26,640

the orbiter payload bay or the the

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00:01:30,710 --> 00:01:28,640

cradle along the edge of the payload bay

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00:01:32,710 --> 00:01:30,720

we then maneuver the obsessed to a

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00:01:35,270 --> 00:01:32,720

handoff position at which point the

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00:01:37,510 --> 00:01:35,280

shuttle arm grapples the obss station

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00:01:39,350 --> 00:01:37,520

arm backs off and then the the shuttle

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00:01:41,350 --> 00:01:39,360

crew executes a

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00:01:43,749 --> 00:01:41,360

pre-planned series of maneuvers that put

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00:01:45,429 --> 00:01:43,759

the obss in the right position so the

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00:01:47,109 --> 00:01:45,439

sensors take a look at the areas that

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00:01:48,550 --> 00:01:47,119
folks wanted to look at

52
00:01:51,270 --> 00:01:48,560
that's all completed that was done

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00:01:53,749 --> 00:01:51,280
without incident and per procedure took

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00:01:54,710 --> 00:01:53,759
on the order of two hours of crew time

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00:01:56,789 --> 00:01:54,720
and that

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00:01:58,469 --> 00:01:56,799
the data and all the imagery collected

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00:02:00,389 --> 00:01:58,479
from that focused inspection is now on

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00:02:02,709 --> 00:02:00,399
the ground in the hands of the imagery

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00:02:04,950 --> 00:02:02,719
team that's going to do the analysis and

60
00:02:06,469 --> 00:02:04,960
report back to the mmt and my

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00:02:08,070 --> 00:02:06,479
expectation is that

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00:02:10,389 --> 00:02:08,080
when leroy is back to briefly this

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00:02:13,589 --> 00:02:10,399

afternoon you'll he'll hear more about

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00:02:15,510 --> 00:02:13,599

the results of that focused inspection

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00:02:17,350 --> 00:02:15,520

in addition in yesterday's briefing we

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00:02:19,190 --> 00:02:17,360

talked about an an issue that we had

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00:02:22,710 --> 00:02:19,200

yesterday during eba one with greg

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00:02:24,790 --> 00:02:22,720

shamatov's spacesuit or his is emu

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00:02:27,350 --> 00:02:24,800

the issue was a failed carbon dioxide

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00:02:29,030 --> 00:02:27,360

sensor uh when we when we lose that

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00:02:31,190 --> 00:02:29,040

carbon dioxide sensor we have rules in

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00:02:33,830 --> 00:02:31,200

place that say that we have to assume a

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00:02:35,589 --> 00:02:33,840

lesser capability so we had to cut eva1

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00:02:37,190 --> 00:02:35,599

a bit short

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00:02:39,509 --> 00:02:37,200

that again as we mentioned yesterday

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00:02:42,309 --> 00:02:39,519

that suit will not be used on eva's two

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00:02:44,630 --> 00:02:42,319

or three so uh it will be reused on eba

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00:02:46,710 --> 00:02:44,640

four when sham top goes back outside but

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00:02:48,309 --> 00:02:46,720

what we did today was perform a dry out

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00:02:49,670 --> 00:02:48,319

procedure in which we

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00:02:51,670 --> 00:02:49,680

blow

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00:02:54,630 --> 00:02:51,680

cool air through the suit and and over

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00:02:56,390 --> 00:02:54,640

the sensor in an effort to dry it out um

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00:02:57,830 --> 00:02:56,400

interestingly enough when we activated

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00:02:59,990 --> 00:02:57,840

the suit this morning the sensor had

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00:03:02,309 --> 00:03:00,000

already been recovered we had we had a

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00:03:03,990 --> 00:03:02,319

good and nominal reading from the co2

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00:03:05,350 --> 00:03:04,000

sensor which is not completely

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00:03:06,790 --> 00:03:05,360

unexpected is

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00:03:08,070 --> 00:03:06,800

you know it's moisture in the sensor

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00:03:09,270 --> 00:03:08,080

that causes the problem and you would

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00:03:11,190 --> 00:03:09,280

expect

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00:03:12,790 --> 00:03:11,200

once we get the crew out of the suit

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00:03:15,509 --> 00:03:12,800

that that moisture would abate and

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00:03:18,149 --> 00:03:15,519

evaporate but we went ahead with the uh

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00:03:20,550 --> 00:03:18,159

the dry up procedure as planned and the

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00:03:21,670 --> 00:03:20,560

the co2 sensor looks good so we're

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00:03:23,670 --> 00:03:21,680

assuming that it's going to be good and

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00:03:25,910 --> 00:03:23,680

we're going to plan to execute a nominal

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00:03:28,470 --> 00:03:25,920

eva4

101
00:03:31,030 --> 00:03:28,480
but we do have pre-planned bingo points

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00:03:33,190 --> 00:03:31,040
in all of our evas or spacewalks

103
00:03:34,630 --> 00:03:33,200
such that if you have an issue at any

104
00:03:36,390 --> 00:03:34,640
point of the eva

105
00:03:38,390 --> 00:03:36,400
any any number of reasons can cause you

106
00:03:40,229 --> 00:03:38,400
to come back inside but we have

107
00:03:42,470 --> 00:03:40,239
pre-planned points at which we can back

108
00:03:44,229 --> 00:03:42,480
out we understand the work ahead of us

109
00:03:46,630 --> 00:03:44,239
so that we can cleanly and efficiently

110
00:03:49,350 --> 00:03:46,640
cut the space walk short and we've got

111
00:03:51,190 --> 00:03:49,360
those identified for eva4 so our plan

112
00:03:52,550 --> 00:03:51,200
going in is to just take one final look

113
00:03:54,710 --> 00:03:52,560

at those bingos that we define

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00:03:56,630 --> 00:03:54,720

pre-flight and then make sure that they

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00:03:59,030 --> 00:03:56,640

make sense now that we've got once we

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00:04:00,550 --> 00:03:59,040

have evas 1 through 3 behind us and then

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00:04:03,190 --> 00:04:00,560

we'll make the right decision based on

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00:04:05,750 --> 00:04:03,200

what happens during eva4

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00:04:07,030 --> 00:04:05,760

we're assuming that this co2 sensor will

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00:04:08,710 --> 00:04:07,040

work well

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00:04:11,030 --> 00:04:08,720

but there's a lot of variables in terms

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00:04:12,869 --> 00:04:11,040

of how hard greg is working how much

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00:04:15,110 --> 00:04:12,879

he's perspiring how much other moisture

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00:04:17,590 --> 00:04:15,120

is in the suit etc etc so

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00:04:19,990 --> 00:04:17,600

we got a good dry out a good sensor and

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00:04:21,189 --> 00:04:20,000

we'll plant a nominal eva4 with an

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00:04:22,790 --> 00:04:21,199

understanding that if we have a repeat

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00:04:26,230 --> 00:04:22,800

of the problem we understand how to how

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00:04:28,469 --> 00:04:26,240

to back out of that eva if we need to

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00:04:31,749 --> 00:04:28,479

additionally yesterday you received a

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00:04:34,070 --> 00:04:31,759

briefing on the plans for the uh for us

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00:04:35,189 --> 00:04:34,080

obtaining imagery during the 25 soyuz

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00:04:37,110 --> 00:04:35,199

undock

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00:04:38,950 --> 00:04:37,120

we're still continuing working toward

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00:04:40,710 --> 00:04:38,960

that goal the the plans and procedures

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00:04:42,070 --> 00:04:40,720

are coming together

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00:04:44,150 --> 00:04:42,080

in terms of the status nothing has

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00:04:46,230 --> 00:04:44,160

changed since yesterday uh as a matter

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00:04:48,070 --> 00:04:46,240

of fact as i left the control center uh

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00:04:50,550 --> 00:04:48,080

the 25s crew

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00:04:52,629 --> 00:04:50,560

dima paolo and katie we're reviewing

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00:04:54,870 --> 00:04:52,639

procedures and uplink messages from our

143

00:04:57,590 --> 00:04:54,880

russian colleagues related to that

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00:04:59,830 --> 00:04:57,600

to the unique aspects of the the imagery

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00:05:01,670 --> 00:04:59,840

during the undock and they were there

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00:05:03,990 --> 00:05:01,680

was a plan to have a tag up

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00:05:05,670 --> 00:05:04,000

with the experts in moscow to talk about

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00:05:07,590 --> 00:05:05,680

those procedures so that that plan is

149

00:05:09,830 --> 00:05:07,600

coming together very nicely we have all

150

00:05:11,749 --> 00:05:09,840

the technical aspects nailed down in

151
00:05:13,909 --> 00:05:11,759
terms of the station attitude the

152
00:05:15,350 --> 00:05:13,919
attitude timeline the plan for the soyuz

153
00:05:18,150 --> 00:05:15,360
and then the plan

154
00:05:20,310 --> 00:05:18,160
for the activities of the soyuz crew

155
00:05:21,749 --> 00:05:20,320
inside the spacecraft in order to get

156
00:05:22,870 --> 00:05:21,759
the inventory that we want to get so

157
00:05:24,870 --> 00:05:22,880
that's

158
00:05:26,390 --> 00:05:24,880
i'm really impressed uh with the off

159
00:05:27,270 --> 00:05:26,400
console team that has worked over the

160
00:05:29,189 --> 00:05:27,280
past

161
00:05:30,629 --> 00:05:29,199
five or six days to make that story come

162
00:05:32,310 --> 00:05:30,639
together

163
00:05:33,749 --> 00:05:32,320

now they've they've handed that package

164

00:05:35,029 --> 00:05:33,759

off to the real time team and we'll

165

00:05:37,430 --> 00:05:35,039

start working it

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00:05:39,270 --> 00:05:37,440

as a nominal part of the mission

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00:05:41,670 --> 00:05:39,280

plan looking forward to the undock on

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00:05:43,189 --> 00:05:41,680

monday

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00:05:45,270 --> 00:05:43,199

as i mentioned we started preparations

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00:05:47,670 --> 00:05:45,280

for eva2

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00:05:48,870 --> 00:05:47,680

when i did the pre-flight briefing

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00:05:52,710 --> 00:05:48,880

i i

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00:05:54,950 --> 00:05:52,720

as possibly one of the more challenging

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00:05:57,350 --> 00:05:54,960

evas just because we're actuating a

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00:05:59,670 --> 00:05:57,360

number of quick disconnects or qd's uh

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00:06:02,390 --> 00:05:59,680

related to the uh the ammonia system

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00:06:04,150 --> 00:06:02,400

these are qd's that have had leaks

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00:06:06,390 --> 00:06:04,160

in the past and have been difficult to

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00:06:07,990 --> 00:06:06,400

manipulate in the past so

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00:06:10,790 --> 00:06:08,000

there's a real possibility tomorrow that

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00:06:13,830 --> 00:06:10,800

we will have some ammonia leakage as we

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00:06:16,230 --> 00:06:13,840

as we set up these qd's to do the refill

183

00:06:17,830 --> 00:06:16,240

of the leaking photovoltaic thermal

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00:06:19,430 --> 00:06:17,840

control system

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00:06:21,510 --> 00:06:19,440

we've got the procedures in place such

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00:06:23,189 --> 00:06:21,520

that we will decontaminate the eva crew

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00:06:24,790 --> 00:06:23,199

once they get inside the airlock we've

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00:06:26,390 --> 00:06:24,800

got what we call drager tubes that will

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00:06:27,990 --> 00:06:26,400

monitor the amount of ammonia in the

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00:06:30,070 --> 00:06:28,000

atmosphere

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00:06:31,670 --> 00:06:30,080

and so we feel comfortable

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00:06:34,390 --> 00:06:31,680

going forward with the eva with

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00:06:35,990 --> 00:06:34,400

understanding that if if we do get

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00:06:37,029 --> 00:06:36,000

contaminated with ammonia which is

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00:06:38,629 --> 00:06:37,039

possible

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00:06:41,909 --> 00:06:38,639

we understand how to clean the crew up

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00:06:43,590 --> 00:06:41,919

and keep them safe once they come inside

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00:06:45,270 --> 00:06:43,600

one question that came up yesterday that

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00:06:47,909 --> 00:06:45,280

i didn't have an answer for was the

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00:06:50,469 --> 00:06:47,919

total volume of this photovoltaic or

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00:06:52,390 --> 00:06:50,479

pvtcs loop that we're filling the total

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00:06:55,909 --> 00:06:52,400

volume in the system the volume of

203

00:06:58,390 --> 00:06:55,919

ammonia is 55 pounds and what we plan to

204

00:07:01,830 --> 00:06:58,400

transfer or top off the system with is

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00:07:03,430 --> 00:07:01,840

five pounds of ammonia from the

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00:07:04,950 --> 00:07:03,440

external thermal control system which

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00:07:06,309 --> 00:07:04,960

was one of the primary systems on the

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00:07:09,350 --> 00:07:06,319

truss

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00:07:11,189 --> 00:07:09,360

i think that's all i have for status

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00:07:12,790 --> 00:07:11,199

okay derek thank you very much we'll

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00:07:14,070 --> 00:07:12,800

take questions now starting here in

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00:07:15,670 --> 00:07:14,080

houston

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00:07:16,629 --> 00:07:15,680

we'll ask you to step up to the mic

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00:07:21,350 --> 00:07:16,639

please

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00:07:25,430 --> 00:07:23,430

yes go ahead

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00:07:27,029 --> 00:07:25,440

phillip sloss with nasa spaceflight.com

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00:07:29,189 --> 00:07:27,039

um can you

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00:07:31,430 --> 00:07:29,199

just talk about progress in terms of

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00:07:32,870 --> 00:07:31,440

your mid deck transfer status

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00:07:34,950 --> 00:07:32,880

yeah actually uh

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00:07:37,189 --> 00:07:34,960

i got a status this morning from our our

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00:07:38,390 --> 00:07:37,199

aco who's a flight control position in

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00:07:40,790 --> 00:07:38,400

the shuttle

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00:07:42,230 --> 00:07:40,800

uh flight control room that manages

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00:07:43,589 --> 00:07:42,240

transfer and i don't have specific

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00:07:46,390 --> 00:07:43,599

numbers but he told me this morning that

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00:07:48,550 --> 00:07:46,400

we were well ahead so middeck transfers

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00:07:50,070 --> 00:07:48,560

are all going extremely well we didn't

229

00:07:51,430 --> 00:07:50,080

have a lot of transfer on this flight

230

00:07:55,270 --> 00:07:51,440

going in

231

00:07:56,830 --> 00:07:55,280

but we're hours and hours ahead

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00:08:00,869 --> 00:07:56,840

good

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00:08:02,710 --> 00:08:00,879

gina uh gina cincer abc news um you

234

00:08:04,869 --> 00:08:02,720

know we heard the pope this morning uh

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00:08:07,589 --> 00:08:04,879

visit with uh the crew

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00:08:09,670 --> 00:08:07,599

and you know he expressed uh good wishes

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00:08:11,830 --> 00:08:09,680

for paolo nespoli and what that brought

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00:08:14,070 --> 00:08:11,840

to mind is just in terms of long

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00:08:16,550 --> 00:08:14,080

duration space flight you'll be dealing

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00:08:18,390 --> 00:08:16,560

a lot with those kind of family issues

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00:08:20,390 --> 00:08:18,400

down the road so talk to me a little bit

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00:08:23,029 --> 00:08:20,400

about the wealth of knowledge you're

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00:08:24,950 --> 00:08:23,039

gaining on space station for dealing

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00:08:27,270 --> 00:08:24,960

with crews with long duration space

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00:08:29,990 --> 00:08:27,280

flight and their family issues and and

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00:08:33,509 --> 00:08:30,000

how you you know you assemble that for

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00:08:34,949 --> 00:08:33,519

going beyond low earth orbit someday

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00:08:36,870 --> 00:08:34,959

and one of the things uh one of the

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00:08:39,190 --> 00:08:36,880

lessons learned that we we took forward

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00:08:41,269 --> 00:08:39,200

from our experience with us astronauts

251
00:08:43,990 --> 00:08:41,279
on on the mir space station

252
00:08:46,070 --> 00:08:44,000
was was the importance of connectivity

253
00:08:47,990 --> 00:08:46,080
with the folks on the ground with family

254
00:08:50,230 --> 00:08:48,000
members with mission control and of

255
00:08:51,910 --> 00:08:50,240
course on the mir space station

256
00:08:53,670 --> 00:08:51,920
without a network of tdrs satellites

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00:08:55,750 --> 00:08:53,680
they had very limited

258
00:08:58,550 --> 00:08:55,760
communications opportunities with the

259
00:08:59,910 --> 00:08:58,560
ground you know a few hours a day

260
00:09:01,670 --> 00:08:59,920
at best

261
00:09:04,310 --> 00:09:01,680
with the space station with our with our

262
00:09:05,750 --> 00:09:04,320
network of tdrs satellites we have

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00:09:09,269 --> 00:09:05,760

quite a bit of coverage i mean at any

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00:09:11,829 --> 00:09:09,279

given hour we have 40 45 50 minutes of

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00:09:13,670 --> 00:09:11,839

communications with the ground so

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00:09:14,630 --> 00:09:13,680

you know any time any issue they can

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00:09:16,230 --> 00:09:14,640

simply

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00:09:17,910 --> 00:09:16,240

make a call to the ground and they have

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00:09:19,910 --> 00:09:17,920

all the

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00:09:22,550 --> 00:09:19,920

resources available to them

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00:09:24,550 --> 00:09:22,560

that we're ready to provide in addition

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00:09:26,389 --> 00:09:24,560

to that

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00:09:28,070 --> 00:09:26,399

we have regularly scheduled

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00:09:30,470 --> 00:09:28,080

personal family conferences or private

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00:09:31,269 --> 00:09:30,480

family conferences which are video cons

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00:09:35,750 --> 00:09:31,279

with

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00:09:37,509 --> 00:09:35,760

have what we call the ip phone which is

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00:09:39,750 --> 00:09:37,519

which is a phone that they can

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00:09:42,070 --> 00:09:39,760

essentially pick up and and dial anybody

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00:09:44,630 --> 00:09:42,080

on the planet um for large portions of

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00:09:46,310 --> 00:09:44,640

the day and it's not continuous but

282

00:09:48,550 --> 00:09:46,320

it's another important resources for the

283

00:09:50,870 --> 00:09:48,560

crew just to stay connected

284

00:09:51,990 --> 00:09:50,880

with friends and families and and

285

00:09:53,269 --> 00:09:52,000

relatives

286

00:09:55,430 --> 00:09:53,279

um

287

00:09:58,790 --> 00:09:55,440

we also have a of an organization here

288

00:10:00,790 --> 00:09:58,800

at jsc whose job it is uh to to

289

00:10:03,110 --> 00:10:00,800

basically provide psychological support

290

00:10:04,949 --> 00:10:03,120

to the crew so meet their meet their

291

00:10:07,110 --> 00:10:04,959

needs while they're on orbit the

292

00:10:08,949 --> 00:10:07,120

personal needs with friends and family

293

00:10:10,550 --> 00:10:08,959

so i think i i think we actually do a

294

00:10:12,870 --> 00:10:10,560

really really good job and we've come a

295

00:10:14,230 --> 00:10:12,880

long way in terms of of family support

296

00:10:15,990 --> 00:10:14,240

and psychological support for the

297

00:10:17,350 --> 00:10:16,000

long-duration crew members and that's

298

00:10:18,550 --> 00:10:17,360

been pretty consistent feedback that

299

00:10:20,470 --> 00:10:18,560

we've gotten

300

00:10:22,710 --> 00:10:20,480

when they come home and debrief is that

301

00:10:26,389 --> 00:10:22,720

they felt very connected

302

00:10:32,150 --> 00:10:29,110

hi rob perlman with collectspace.com

303

00:10:34,550 --> 00:10:32,160

tonight this bit work right soon the

304

00:10:36,550 --> 00:10:34,560

space walkers will be camping out uh for

305

00:10:38,069 --> 00:10:36,560

the evening but then for the third eba

306

00:10:41,509 --> 00:10:38,079

as i understand you're going to be doing

307

00:10:43,829 --> 00:10:41,519

this new light weight exercise

308

00:10:46,630 --> 00:10:43,839

pre-breathe and then if that works you

309

00:10:48,069 --> 00:10:46,640

may do it for the fourth as well

310

00:10:49,990 --> 00:10:48,079

so this potentially could be the last

311

00:10:52,550 --> 00:10:50,000

camp out

312

00:10:55,350 --> 00:10:52,560

my question is how do you determine what

313

00:10:57,590 --> 00:10:55,360

works is it just waiting until to see if

314

00:10:59,110 --> 00:10:57,600

they for this new procedure does is it

315

00:11:01,269 --> 00:10:59,120

just waiting to see if they get the

316

00:11:02,389 --> 00:11:01,279

bends or is there some test that they

317

00:11:03,110 --> 00:11:02,399

have to pass

318

00:11:07,190 --> 00:11:03,120

what

319

00:11:09,190 --> 00:11:07,200

the camp out okay

320

00:11:11,670 --> 00:11:09,200

what you're referring to is the in-suit

321

00:11:13,509 --> 00:11:11,680

light exercise or what you know

322

00:11:16,710 --> 00:11:13,519

everything's got an acronym so we refer

323

00:11:17,509 --> 00:11:16,720

to it as isle isle or isle

324

00:11:19,910 --> 00:11:17,519

and

325

00:11:22,150 --> 00:11:19,920

first i want to make clear that the i o

326

00:11:24,550 --> 00:11:22,160

protocol has gone through the same

327

00:11:27,110 --> 00:11:24,560

rigorous ground testing that the campout

328

00:11:29,430 --> 00:11:27,120

protocol and the exercise pre-brief

329

00:11:31,350 --> 00:11:29,440

protocol is done so it's been it's been

330

00:11:33,430 --> 00:11:31,360

validated with with many many test

331

00:11:35,990 --> 00:11:33,440

subjects under many different conditions

332

00:11:38,230 --> 00:11:36,000

against the same criteria that the camp

333

00:11:39,670 --> 00:11:38,240

out protocol and the uh exercise

334

00:11:41,829 --> 00:11:39,680

pre-breathe protocol were validated

335

00:11:42,790 --> 00:11:41,839

against so it's a it's a medically

336

00:11:45,110 --> 00:11:42,800

proven

337

00:11:47,190 --> 00:11:45,120

perfectly sound protocol so what we're

338

00:11:48,550 --> 00:11:47,200

doing on orbit is not a test

339

00:11:50,870 --> 00:11:48,560

but it's the first time we've used the

340

00:11:53,190 --> 00:11:50,880

protocol so that that's why we decided

341

00:11:55,430 --> 00:11:53,200

to use it on eva 3 by starting with it

342

00:11:57,829 --> 00:11:55,440

on eva 1 because anytime you try

343

00:12:00,069 --> 00:11:57,839

something different with something

344

00:12:02,470 --> 00:12:00,079

as complicated as a station can be with

345

00:12:04,629 --> 00:12:02,480

with the air lock and and the computer

346

00:12:06,230 --> 00:12:04,639

systems and support systems

347

00:12:08,230 --> 00:12:06,240

we like to go through it carefully and

348

00:12:10,230 --> 00:12:08,240

methodically so

349

00:12:11,750 --> 00:12:10,240

there is no larger risk of the bins with

350

00:12:12,949 --> 00:12:11,760

the out protocol than there is with any

351
00:12:14,949 --> 00:12:12,959
of the other protocols that we've been

352
00:12:17,990 --> 00:12:14,959
using having said that that would

353
00:12:20,310 --> 00:12:18,000
certainly be a criteria that at the end

354
00:12:22,710 --> 00:12:20,320
of eva 3 we would ask the crew for

355
00:12:24,550 --> 00:12:22,720
feedback you know was there did you feel

356
00:12:26,150 --> 00:12:24,560
in any differently than you did for eva

357
00:12:28,150 --> 00:12:26,160
1 and eva2

358
00:12:29,350 --> 00:12:28,160
um was there anything that you didn't

359
00:12:31,269 --> 00:12:29,360
like about

360
00:12:33,350 --> 00:12:31,279
the way the protocol was executed were

361
00:12:34,310 --> 00:12:33,360
there any surprises with the procedures

362
00:12:36,310 --> 00:12:34,320
so

363
00:12:38,069 --> 00:12:36,320

you know really it's a

364

00:12:39,829 --> 00:12:38,079

it's a tested protocol it's a validated

365

00:12:41,269 --> 00:12:39,839

protocol we we consider it equivalent to

366

00:12:42,550 --> 00:12:41,279

the ones we're using the ones we'll use

367

00:12:43,990 --> 00:12:42,560

tonight and the ones we've used in the

368

00:12:45,350 --> 00:12:44,000

past but

369

00:12:46,710 --> 00:12:45,360

since it's new we'll have the tag up

370

00:12:48,550 --> 00:12:46,720

with the crew and say

371

00:12:50,550 --> 00:12:48,560

did you feel anything different which we

372

00:12:52,870 --> 00:12:50,560

don't expect and is there any were there

373

00:12:54,230 --> 00:12:52,880

any surprises with the procedures do we

374

00:12:56,629 --> 00:12:54,240

need to change something do you know we

375

00:13:00,629 --> 00:12:56,639

do do we need to do something better

376

00:13:05,829 --> 00:13:04,069

okay any other questions here in houston

377

00:13:08,710 --> 00:13:05,839

we have reporters on the phone bridge

378

00:13:10,870 --> 00:13:08,720

we'll go there now uh marcia done

379

00:13:14,389 --> 00:13:10,880

yes hi can you hear me yes here you're

380

00:13:16,870 --> 00:13:14,399

fine um yes derek i was wondering um

381

00:13:19,190 --> 00:13:16,880

is there no way to replace the sensor in

382

00:13:21,750 --> 00:13:19,200

greg chamotov's suit or even give him a

383

00:13:24,150 --> 00:13:21,760

different spacesuit component so you

384

00:13:25,990 --> 00:13:24,160

don't have to worry about this on on the

385

00:13:27,990 --> 00:13:26,000

fourth spacewalk

386

00:13:30,629 --> 00:13:28,000

yeah generally speaking it it's

387

00:13:32,949 --> 00:13:30,639

difficult to do on orbit maintenance of

388

00:13:34,470 --> 00:13:32,959

of the spacesuits just because of the

389

00:13:37,190 --> 00:13:34,480

you know the complexity the suits and

390

00:13:39,910 --> 00:13:37,200

the tools and the spare parts required

391

00:13:42,470 --> 00:13:39,920

ironically enough but we did fly

392

00:13:44,629 --> 00:13:42,480

we we did fly a spare co2 sensor on this

393

00:13:45,670 --> 00:13:44,639

flight it came up on uf6

394

00:13:47,509 --> 00:13:45,680

however

395

00:13:49,189 --> 00:13:47,519

you know it was looking ahead to a point

396

00:13:50,870 --> 00:13:49,199

where we had a procedure in place to do

397

00:13:53,590 --> 00:13:50,880

the change out so we don't have the

398

00:13:54,949 --> 00:13:53,600

procedure is not done it's not validated

399

00:13:57,430 --> 00:13:54,959

and we're not ready to do that kind of

400

00:14:00,550 --> 00:13:57,440

co2 sensor change out on orbit although

401
00:14:02,710 --> 00:14:00,560
looking ahead to a post shuttle station

402
00:14:04,069 --> 00:14:02,720
at some point we will be able to do that

403
00:14:05,430 --> 00:14:04,079
and we'll have the spares in place and

404
00:14:07,829 --> 00:14:05,440
the procedures in place we just don't

405
00:14:09,670 --> 00:14:07,839
have it for this mission

406
00:14:13,430 --> 00:14:09,680
the other challenge we have is that this

407
00:14:15,910 --> 00:14:13,440
is an extra large hard upper torso or

408
00:14:18,870 --> 00:14:15,920
hut that shamatoft wears and we don't

409
00:14:20,310 --> 00:14:18,880
have another one of those on board

410
00:14:21,910 --> 00:14:20,320
the third thing so it's not a simple

411
00:14:24,230 --> 00:14:21,920
changeout the third thing i'd point out

412
00:14:25,590 --> 00:14:24,240
is that there's no guarantee even if we

413
00:14:27,750 --> 00:14:25,600

did change out the sensor that we

414

00:14:29,189 --> 00:14:27,760

wouldn't have a repeat of this issue

415

00:14:31,110 --> 00:14:29,199

you know it's all driven by moisture

416

00:14:32,870 --> 00:14:31,120

which in turn is driven by

417

00:14:33,829 --> 00:14:32,880

many times how how hard the crew is

418

00:14:34,710 --> 00:14:33,839

working

419

00:14:36,069 --> 00:14:34,720

so

420

00:14:37,590 --> 00:14:36,079

what we think is the best posture at

421

00:14:39,590 --> 00:14:37,600

this point is to drive

422

00:14:42,949 --> 00:14:39,600

the sensor out as we did uh today and

423

00:14:44,310 --> 00:14:42,959

then uh give it a go on ebay four

424

00:14:46,629 --> 00:14:44,320

thank you and i was just wondering if

425

00:14:48,470 --> 00:14:46,639

you could um talk about your feelings

426

00:14:51,829 --> 00:14:48,480

and your team's feelings during the

427

00:14:53,269 --> 00:14:51,839

pope's call um it was a historic moment

428

00:14:54,550 --> 00:14:53,279

on both fronts and i'm just wondering if

429

00:14:56,470 --> 00:14:54,560

you could talk a little bit about that

430

00:14:59,110 --> 00:14:56,480

aspect please yeah i i thought it was

431

00:15:00,870 --> 00:14:59,120

just an amazing event really really a

432

00:15:02,710 --> 00:15:00,880

beautiful event as we

433

00:15:04,710 --> 00:15:02,720

as we set up

434

00:15:06,069 --> 00:15:04,720

for the event we set up the video and

435

00:15:08,310 --> 00:15:06,079

check the uh

436

00:15:09,350 --> 00:15:08,320

the video and the and the sound with the

437

00:15:11,910 --> 00:15:09,360

crew

438

00:15:13,590 --> 00:15:11,920

on our monitors in mission control we

439

00:15:16,069 --> 00:15:13,600

had a shot of the vatican

440

00:15:17,750 --> 00:15:16,079

um and people passing by and then we had

441

00:15:19,670 --> 00:15:17,760

had a shot of the uh

442

00:15:21,829 --> 00:15:19,680

of the pope getting set up and getting

443

00:15:25,110 --> 00:15:21,839

miked up and i you know it it was just

444

00:15:26,629 --> 00:15:25,120

an amazing beautiful event um i thought

445

00:15:29,430 --> 00:15:26,639

his words uh

446

00:15:31,269 --> 00:15:29,440

um were extremely eloquent

447

00:15:33,829 --> 00:15:31,279

and uh i thought the crew did a great

448

00:15:35,430 --> 00:15:33,839

job of addressing his question so it was

449

00:15:36,629 --> 00:15:35,440

an honor and a privilege to be a part of

450

00:15:37,990 --> 00:15:36,639

it

451
00:15:39,509 --> 00:15:38,000
thank you very much

452
00:15:41,430 --> 00:15:39,519
you're welcome

453
00:15:43,269 --> 00:15:41,440
bill harwood

454
00:15:45,269 --> 00:15:43,279
yeah thanks uh derek a quick question

455
00:15:47,590 --> 00:15:45,279
from yesterday uh we were told during

456
00:15:49,110 --> 00:15:47,600
the the undocking uh briefing that we

457
00:15:50,710 --> 00:15:49,120
got that once they've undocked they

458
00:15:52,470 --> 00:15:50,720
cannot redock

459
00:15:53,990 --> 00:15:52,480
um i got to think about that i'm just

460
00:15:55,910 --> 00:15:54,000
curious if they really did have a

461
00:15:57,990 --> 00:15:55,920
problem resealing the habitation module

462
00:15:59,910 --> 00:15:58,000
or something like that is there no way

463
00:16:01,590 --> 00:15:59,920

to come back to station or is that

464

00:16:02,389 --> 00:16:01,600

absolutely forbidden

465

00:16:04,710 --> 00:16:02,399

thanks

466

00:16:06,949 --> 00:16:04,720

well i'll tell you that uh a redoc is

467

00:16:09,350 --> 00:16:06,959

not analyzed and when i say analyzed i

468

00:16:11,829 --> 00:16:09,360

mean

469

00:16:13,509 --> 00:16:11,839

the specifics of the clearances the the

470

00:16:14,470 --> 00:16:13,519

loads on the station

471

00:16:17,189 --> 00:16:14,480

um

472

00:16:19,430 --> 00:16:17,199

the thing the the attitude control

473

00:16:22,310 --> 00:16:19,440

coming back in

474

00:16:24,790 --> 00:16:22,320

so that is not it's not an analyzed

475

00:16:26,949 --> 00:16:24,800

configuration that that we would call a

476

00:16:29,430 --> 00:16:26,959

nominal backup plan

477

00:16:32,230 --> 00:16:29,440

in addition as you heard yesterday the

478

00:16:33,670 --> 00:16:32,240

the hatch a hatch leak scenario or an

479

00:16:36,710 --> 00:16:33,680

inability to close the hatch is

480

00:16:38,150 --> 00:16:36,720

considered a very very remote outcome if

481

00:16:40,870 --> 00:16:38,160

there was a small leak as you heard

482

00:16:43,350 --> 00:16:40,880

yesterday the expectation is that

483

00:16:44,870 --> 00:16:43,360

that we would feed that leak and and get

484

00:16:47,030 --> 00:16:44,880

the crew on the ground

485

00:16:49,189 --> 00:16:47,040

having said that in the extremely

486

00:16:50,550 --> 00:16:49,199

unlikely scenario that you couldn't get

487

00:16:52,790 --> 00:16:50,560

the hatch closed

488

00:16:55,030 --> 00:16:52,800

my expectation is that we would uh that

489

00:16:57,269 --> 00:16:55,040

soyuz would station keep

490

00:16:58,629 --> 00:16:57,279

for as long as required a day maybe two

491

00:17:00,790 --> 00:16:58,639

days until

492

00:17:02,870 --> 00:17:00,800

we as a as the two programs got

493

00:17:05,669 --> 00:17:02,880

comfortable that it was safe to redock

494

00:17:07,110 --> 00:17:05,679

and my expectation in in that scenario

495

00:17:09,270 --> 00:17:07,120

is that we would get there we would get

496

00:17:11,590 --> 00:17:09,280

comfortable and in that unlikely event

497

00:17:14,230 --> 00:17:11,600

we would re-dock

498

00:17:19,270 --> 00:17:16,829

okay james

499

00:17:21,669 --> 00:17:19,280

dean right thank you james dean from

500

00:17:24,390 --> 00:17:21,679

florida today i just had a few questions

501
00:17:26,870 --> 00:17:24,400
um first eric you were you mentioned the

502
00:17:28,950 --> 00:17:26,880
potential for ammonia contamination as i

503
00:17:30,870 --> 00:17:28,960
recall the um

504
00:17:32,230 --> 00:17:30,880
bake out procedures and things like that

505
00:17:34,630 --> 00:17:32,240
can be pretty time consuming i was just

506
00:17:38,070 --> 00:17:34,640
wondering if that's built into

507
00:17:39,430 --> 00:17:38,080
the eva timeline or if um if you do have

508
00:17:40,310 --> 00:17:39,440
to do something like that is that going

509
00:17:42,070 --> 00:17:40,320
to

510
00:17:43,110 --> 00:17:42,080
jeopardize getting any of the planned

511
00:17:44,789 --> 00:17:43,120
work done

512
00:17:46,630 --> 00:17:44,799
now for for better or for worse we've

513
00:17:48,950 --> 00:17:46,640

got a lot of experience with these quick

514

00:17:51,990 --> 00:17:48,960

disconnects and the ammonia leakage that

515

00:17:54,150 --> 00:17:52,000

often accompanies those operations so so

516

00:17:56,070 --> 00:17:54,160

what we do is we build

517

00:17:58,789 --> 00:17:56,080

what we call the wet ammonia quick

518

00:18:01,029 --> 00:17:58,799

disconnect operations or the the

519

00:18:02,950 --> 00:18:01,039

operations that the crew is actually

520

00:18:04,470 --> 00:18:02,960

opening and closing the valves and and

521

00:18:06,549 --> 00:18:04,480

making the connections

522

00:18:08,470 --> 00:18:06,559

we build those uh we build the timeline

523

00:18:11,029 --> 00:18:08,480

such that those activities with the

524

00:18:13,750 --> 00:18:11,039

so-called wet qd's are in the first half

525

00:18:15,350 --> 00:18:13,760

or first third of the eva so therefore

526

00:18:16,950 --> 00:18:15,360

you know we get to a point about halfway

527

00:18:19,270 --> 00:18:16,960

through the eva where we're done with

528

00:18:21,270 --> 00:18:19,280

ammonia and then we can take credit in

529

00:18:23,270 --> 00:18:21,280

terms of bake out time in the second

530

00:18:25,430 --> 00:18:23,280

half of the eva for eva2 for example

531

00:18:27,909 --> 00:18:25,440

we're doing work on the the solar alpha

532

00:18:29,590 --> 00:18:27,919

rotary joiner sarge so we're getting

533

00:18:31,029 --> 00:18:29,600

bake out credit for that entire time

534

00:18:32,870 --> 00:18:31,039

where we're doing other work so

535

00:18:35,270 --> 00:18:32,880

generally speaking

536

00:18:37,750 --> 00:18:35,280

we don't lose content if we get

537

00:18:39,750 --> 00:18:37,760

contaminated

538

00:18:41,590 --> 00:18:39,760

thanks uh regarding that sarge work i

539

00:18:43,830 --> 00:18:41,600

was wondering if you could

540

00:18:45,029 --> 00:18:43,840

air it at all to what was done on 126 i

541

00:18:46,950 --> 00:18:45,039

was thinking

542

00:18:48,789 --> 00:18:46,960

that maybe that was a little bit more

543

00:18:50,549 --> 00:18:48,799

arduous because there was some debris

544

00:18:52,070 --> 00:18:50,559

that needed to be uh scraped up and

545

00:18:53,510 --> 00:18:52,080

cleaned off that i

546

00:18:55,990 --> 00:18:53,520

presume isn't going to be necessary this

547

00:18:57,029 --> 00:18:56,000

time that's cool but how similar are

548

00:18:59,270 --> 00:18:57,039

they

549

00:19:01,510 --> 00:18:59,280

uh very similar operations we we don't

550

00:19:02,789 --> 00:19:01,520

expect uh to do like you said we don't

551

00:19:04,950 --> 00:19:02,799

expect to do the kind of cleanup that

552

00:19:07,830 --> 00:19:04,960

was required on previous missions uh the

553

00:19:10,310 --> 00:19:07,840

lubrication itself is very similar and

554

00:19:12,150 --> 00:19:10,320

uh as a matter of fact i mean this this

555

00:19:14,789 --> 00:19:12,160

particular the the port sarge has been

556

00:19:16,549 --> 00:19:14,799

performing very well and we're we're a

557

00:19:17,909 --> 00:19:16,559

few months ahead of where this

558

00:19:20,230 --> 00:19:17,919

preventative maintenance would actually

559

00:19:22,150 --> 00:19:20,240

be required um but since we had the

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00:19:23,590 --> 00:19:22,160

opportunity we're going to go into it go

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00:19:24,710 --> 00:19:23,600

go take care of it now and get it out of

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00:19:26,549 --> 00:19:24,720

the way

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00:19:27,990 --> 00:19:26,559

but you are correct and that we don't ex

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00:19:30,870 --> 00:19:28,000

we certainly don't expect and hope we

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00:19:34,310 --> 00:19:30,880

don't find uh any significant debris or

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00:19:36,789 --> 00:19:34,320

any other uh contamination on the joint

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00:19:38,470 --> 00:19:36,799

uh thank you and lastly um i just have

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00:19:39,909 --> 00:19:38,480

heard some mentions of storm

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00:19:41,029 --> 00:19:39,919

troubleshooting i'm not familiar with

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00:19:42,710 --> 00:19:41,039

what's going on there and i just

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00:19:44,630 --> 00:19:42,720

wondered if you could explain that and

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00:19:46,630 --> 00:19:44,640

is there any uh potential issues

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00:19:48,150 --> 00:19:46,640

regarding the uh re-rendezvous and use

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00:19:50,710 --> 00:19:48,160

of storm for that

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00:19:53,190 --> 00:19:50,720

no issues big picture no issues with the

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00:19:54,710 --> 00:19:53,200

the storm hardware and no impacts or no

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00:20:00,390 --> 00:19:54,720

changes to the re-rendezvous that we

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00:20:04,950 --> 00:20:03,510

okay is that it from you james

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00:20:08,310 --> 00:20:04,960

thank you

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00:20:10,310 --> 00:20:08,320

any other questions here in houston

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00:20:11,909 --> 00:20:10,320

seeing none we'll wrap up this briefing

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00:20:14,310 --> 00:20:11,919

you can follow

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00:20:16,870 --> 00:20:14,320

activities in space the international

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00:20:22,070 --> 00:20:16,880

space station and endeavour's