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00:00:07,349 --> 00:00:05,829  
good afternoon everyone

2  
00:00:09,830 --> 00:00:07,359  
welcome to our

3  
00:00:11,910 --> 00:00:09,840  
happy post-launch press conference for

4  
00:00:13,110 --> 00:00:11,920  
juno and the atlas v rocket launched

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00:00:15,669 --> 00:00:13,120  
earlier

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00:00:17,590 --> 00:00:15,679  
in the afternoon here to talk about the

7  
00:00:18,870 --> 00:00:17,600  
mission and the status of the juno

8  
00:00:21,590 --> 00:00:18,880  
spacecraft

9  
00:00:23,830 --> 00:00:21,600  
is jim adams the deputy director for the

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00:00:27,109 --> 00:00:23,840  
planetary science division at nasa

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00:00:29,509 --> 00:00:27,119  
headquarters in washington

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00:00:32,229 --> 00:00:29,519  
scott bolton the juno principal

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00:00:34,630 --> 00:00:32,239

investigator from the southwest research

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00:00:38,069 --> 00:00:34,640

institute

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00:00:40,869 --> 00:00:38,079

and jan chodas the juno project manager

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00:00:43,350 --> 00:00:40,879

from the jet propulsion laboratory and

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00:00:45,910 --> 00:00:43,360

we'll begin first with jim adams jim

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00:00:48,389 --> 00:00:45,920

well thanks george it was a great day

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00:00:50,549 --> 00:00:48,399

for a launch and we're extremely happy

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00:00:53,270 --> 00:00:50,559

that the weather cooperated with us and

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00:00:55,510 --> 00:00:53,280

tropical storm emily dissipated

22

00:00:56,229 --> 00:00:55,520

in the caribbean

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00:01:00,229 --> 00:00:56,239

we're

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00:01:03,029 --> 00:01:00,239

proud of the juno team

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00:01:05,030 --> 00:01:03,039

um entering the launch phase of this our

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00:01:07,350 --> 00:01:05,040

year of the solar system

27

00:01:09,590 --> 00:01:07,360

and we're looking forward to just some

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00:01:10,789 --> 00:01:09,600

fantastic science in roughly five years

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00:01:13,270 --> 00:01:10,799

time

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00:01:15,910 --> 00:01:13,280

i think the team should be commended

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00:01:17,190 --> 00:01:15,920

for delivering this mission on cost and

32

00:01:19,190 --> 00:01:17,200

on schedule

33

00:01:21,429 --> 00:01:19,200

in an environment that is extremely

34

00:01:23,590 --> 00:01:21,439

difficult and the expectations of the

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00:01:26,390 --> 00:01:23,600

team were very high and so

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00:01:28,390 --> 00:01:26,400

i uh i convey my thanks

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00:01:29,429 --> 00:01:28,400

to everybody who was involved in the

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00:01:30,390 --> 00:01:29,439

juno

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00:01:32,630 --> 00:01:30,400

effort

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00:01:34,069 --> 00:01:32,640

and we look forward to the science that

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00:01:35,469 --> 00:01:34,079

we're going to get back

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00:01:38,069 --> 00:01:35,479

here in

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00:01:40,870 --> 00:01:38,079

2016 right scott

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00:01:43,749 --> 00:01:40,880

take it over you know

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00:01:46,469 --> 00:01:43,759

yeah 2016. in fact the next stop is

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00:01:48,710 --> 00:01:46,479

jupiter we arrived there july 4th

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00:01:50,789 --> 00:01:48,720

on 2016.

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00:01:53,190 --> 00:01:50,799

go into orbit there polar orbit and

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00:01:55,109 --> 00:01:53,200

start to unlock those secrets of jupiter

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00:01:57,030 --> 00:01:55,119

that we've been trying to get at for a

51  
00:01:58,709 --> 00:01:57,040  
long time i

52  
00:02:00,069 --> 00:01:58,719  
can't be happier i mean i could not be

53  
00:02:01,990 --> 00:02:00,079  
happier than this is sort of like a

54  
00:02:03,510 --> 00:02:02,000  
dream come true

55  
00:02:05,429 --> 00:02:03,520  
um you know

56  
00:02:07,030 --> 00:02:05,439  
more than 10 years ago we had these

57  
00:02:09,109 --> 00:02:07,040  
ideas

58  
00:02:11,110 --> 00:02:09,119  
and then you know yesterday looking at

59  
00:02:12,869 --> 00:02:11,120  
that rocket i realized started really

60  
00:02:15,030 --> 00:02:12,879  
starting to put together that this is

61  
00:02:16,790 --> 00:02:15,040  
happening there's the spacecraft inside

62  
00:02:19,350 --> 00:02:16,800  
the rocket

63  
00:02:21,750 --> 00:02:19,360

and we're about to leave and

64

00:02:24,309 --> 00:02:21,760

and today we left

65

00:02:25,750 --> 00:02:24,319

and we're on our way and

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00:02:27,589 --> 00:02:25,760

you know at this point the the

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00:02:29,830 --> 00:02:27,599

spacecraft's out it's open the solar

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00:02:32,390 --> 00:02:29,840

rays are open we're flowing our

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00:02:34,550 --> 00:02:32,400

electricity through the veins of juno

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00:02:36,949 --> 00:02:34,560

and we're on our way and

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00:02:39,509 --> 00:02:36,959

getting ready now to gather all the

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00:02:42,710 --> 00:02:39,519

great science and get everything working

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00:02:43,990 --> 00:02:42,720

and it's just really a thrill it's

74

00:02:45,430 --> 00:02:44,000

exciting

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00:02:47,350 --> 00:02:45,440

it's a relief

76  
00:02:48,949 --> 00:02:47,360  
because there's some tension associated

77  
00:02:50,630 --> 00:02:48,959  
with this of course

78  
00:02:51,910 --> 00:02:50,640  
but i'm happy that everything worked on

79  
00:02:53,589 --> 00:02:51,920  
schedule and

80  
00:02:54,949 --> 00:02:53,599  
you know we're on budget on schedule we

81  
00:02:58,550 --> 00:02:54,959  
launched on the first day the whole

82  
00:03:01,030 --> 00:02:58,560  
story is consistent so i'm happy

83  
00:03:02,309 --> 00:03:01,040  
and jan i'll give you some details of uh

84  
00:03:06,070 --> 00:03:02,319  
exactly what's going on with the

85  
00:03:11,509 --> 00:03:08,630  
thanks scott well this is certainly a

86  
00:03:12,550 --> 00:03:11,519  
wonderful day for the juno team

87  
00:03:15,750 --> 00:03:12,560  
we

88  
00:03:17,190 --> 00:03:15,760

had planned for this day for many years

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00:03:19,589 --> 00:03:17,200

everything

90

00:03:21,270 --> 00:03:19,599

clicked off like clockwork today we

91

00:03:22,630 --> 00:03:21,280

didn't

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00:03:24,149 --> 00:03:22,640

launch at the opening of the window but

93

00:03:27,990 --> 00:03:24,159

we had planned to have our 69-minute

94

00:03:29,350 --> 00:03:28,000

window here today to allow for things to

95

00:03:31,509 --> 00:03:29,360

check out at the last minute make sure

96

00:03:33,990 --> 00:03:31,519

everything was on track ready to go

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00:03:35,910 --> 00:03:34,000

we lifted off at 12 25

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00:03:39,270 --> 00:03:35,920

pm eastern daylight time

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00:03:42,869 --> 00:03:39,280

we separated 53 minutes later

100

00:03:46,149 --> 00:03:42,879

so about 1 18 p.m eastern daylight time

101  
00:03:48,229 --> 00:03:46,159  
the launch vehicle left us off at the

102  
00:03:49,990 --> 00:03:48,239  
nominal attitude right where we wanted

103  
00:03:55,110 --> 00:03:50,000  
to be the launch vehicle folks did a

104  
00:04:00,630 --> 00:03:58,470  
and the deep space network was amazing

105  
00:04:02,070 --> 00:04:00,640  
perth had acquired us uh that's that's

106  
00:04:06,470 --> 00:04:02,080  
the issa station that we had for

107  
00:04:08,630 --> 00:04:06,480  
downlink recording um at 1 18 30 24

108  
00:04:11,990 --> 00:04:08,640  
seconds after we separated from the

109  
00:04:13,509 --> 00:04:12,000  
centaur upper stage the canberra dss 34

110  
00:04:17,030 --> 00:04:13,519  
station

111  
00:04:18,870 --> 00:04:17,040  
locked up with us at 118 45

112  
00:04:21,030 --> 00:04:18,880  
39 seconds

113  
00:04:22,870 --> 00:04:21,040

to lock up after separation which is

114

00:04:24,469 --> 00:04:22,880

just a phenomenal statistic from the

115

00:04:26,230 --> 00:04:24,479

deep space network

116

00:04:27,749 --> 00:04:26,240

couldn't be happier with that

117

00:04:30,150 --> 00:04:27,759

we started our solar array deployment

118

00:04:32,550 --> 00:04:30,160

about five minutes later as planned uh

119

00:04:36,710 --> 00:04:32,560

the arrays deployed properly

120

00:04:38,230 --> 00:04:36,720

we spun down to 0.4 rpm as predicted

121

00:04:42,469 --> 00:04:38,240

right on the dot and then the spacecraft

122

00:04:44,950 --> 00:04:42,479

spun us back up to one rpm as planned

123

00:04:47,110 --> 00:04:44,960

we were left off about 19 degrees off

124

00:04:50,070 --> 00:04:47,120

sun within the 20 degree cone that we

125

00:04:51,510 --> 00:04:50,080

needed so we did not need to turn to to

126

00:04:54,870 --> 00:04:51,520

put the arrays on the sun we were

127

00:04:56,390 --> 00:04:54,880

already pointed in the right direction

128

00:04:59,830 --> 00:04:56,400

so everything

129

00:05:03,189 --> 00:04:59,840

was our favorite word nominal

130

00:05:05,270 --> 00:05:03,199

we um we also on my way over here um i

131

00:05:08,870 --> 00:05:05,280

got a call saying that we had sent in

132

00:05:10,310 --> 00:05:08,880

our first uh command we we sent a no-op

133

00:05:12,469 --> 00:05:10,320

a command that doesn't do anything just

134

00:05:14,710 --> 00:05:12,479

proves that we do have command ability

135

00:05:17,189 --> 00:05:14,720

so i'm happy to say that we are

136

00:05:18,469 --> 00:05:17,199

stable we are spinning

137

00:05:19,909 --> 00:05:18,479

we are

138

00:05:21,749 --> 00:05:19,919

power positive

139

00:05:23,430 --> 00:05:21,759

the arrays are picking up power and

140

00:05:25,350 --> 00:05:23,440

recharging the battery and we're

141

00:05:27,270 --> 00:05:25,360

commandable and so those are the four

142

00:05:28,870 --> 00:05:27,280

things that we wanted today couldn't be

143

00:05:30,710 --> 00:05:28,880

happier

144

00:05:31,830 --> 00:05:30,720

the um the other thing i was going to

145

00:05:34,230 --> 00:05:31,840

note was

146

00:05:36,790 --> 00:05:34,240

our batteries only discharged to 90

147

00:05:39,430 --> 00:05:36,800

percent during the ascent so they gave

148

00:05:40,710 --> 00:05:39,440

us a phenomenal performance during that

149

00:05:42,710 --> 00:05:40,720

time and in fact they didn't have to

150

00:05:45,670 --> 00:05:42,720

work that long because they were good

151  
00:05:48,469 --> 00:05:45,680  
for six or six plus hours

152  
00:05:50,629 --> 00:05:48,479  
after separation and we we got off on

153  
00:05:53,909 --> 00:05:50,639  
the solar rays within minutes

154  
00:05:55,749 --> 00:05:53,919  
so thank you thank you thank you to the

155  
00:05:56,710 --> 00:05:55,759  
extended juno team

156  
00:05:59,270 --> 00:05:56,720  
our

157  
00:05:59,990 --> 00:05:59,280  
ksc and launch vehicle friends

158  
00:06:02,309 --> 00:06:00,000  
the

159  
00:06:05,270 --> 00:06:02,319  
science community that's that we

160  
00:06:07,510 --> 00:06:05,280  
were eager to do this for it was just a

161  
00:06:09,670 --> 00:06:07,520  
team effort from start to finish i'm

162  
00:06:11,350 --> 00:06:09,680  
really looking forward to a great ops

163  
00:06:13,430 --> 00:06:11,360

ride

164

00:06:15,909 --> 00:06:13,440

thank you jan and we'll take questions

165

00:06:17,670 --> 00:06:15,919

now please give the your name an

166

00:06:19,110 --> 00:06:17,680

affiliation when the microphone comes to

167

00:06:20,870 --> 00:06:19,120

you and we'll start here in the front

168

00:06:22,870 --> 00:06:20,880

with marcia

169

00:06:25,350 --> 00:06:22,880

marcia done associated press probably

170

00:06:27,510 --> 00:06:25,360

for mr adams and maybe dr bolton too but

171

00:06:28,710 --> 00:06:27,520

um today of all days people are worried

172

00:06:30,629 --> 00:06:28,720

about money

173

00:06:33,350 --> 00:06:30,639

and i'm just wondering um a billion

174

00:06:35,189 --> 00:06:33,360

dollars i know is on on cost but can you

175

00:06:36,950 --> 00:06:35,199

just sort of say why

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00:06:38,629 --> 00:06:36,960

you guys think that

177

00:06:41,670 --> 00:06:38,639

this is going to be well money well

178

00:06:46,390 --> 00:06:43,350

i'll go first and then scott can correct

179

00:06:51,510 --> 00:06:49,029

actually um you know

180

00:06:53,990 --> 00:06:51,520

under exploring the solar system is all

181

00:06:57,350 --> 00:06:54,000

about finding our place in the universe

182

00:07:00,629 --> 00:06:57,360

and there is something about exploration

183

00:07:03,670 --> 00:07:00,639

that strokes the spirit of every person

184

00:07:06,950 --> 00:07:03,680

and so i believe that unlocking the

185

00:07:08,950 --> 00:07:06,960

mysteries of how we got here

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00:07:10,710 --> 00:07:08,960

is a fundamental question that if

187

00:07:13,749 --> 00:07:10,720

everybody would pause and think about

188

00:07:16,070 --> 00:07:13,759

for a moment they would find

189

00:07:18,469 --> 00:07:16,080

is something that's deep within them and

190

00:07:20,710 --> 00:07:18,479

i believe that it's worth the money

191

00:07:22,950 --> 00:07:20,720

to go find out the answers to these

192

00:07:24,550 --> 00:07:22,960

questions

193

00:07:26,710 --> 00:07:24,560

you want to add anything i think you

194

00:07:28,950 --> 00:07:26,720

said it pretty well i mean

195

00:07:30,309 --> 00:07:28,960

i think you know searching for our

196

00:07:32,390 --> 00:07:30,319

origin and understanding the

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00:07:35,110 --> 00:07:32,400

fundamentals of nature is uh is

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00:07:38,230 --> 00:07:35,120

something that uh all societies

199

00:07:40,150 --> 00:07:38,240

should be trying to do and of course

200

00:07:41,830 --> 00:07:40,160

the more successful your society is the

201  
00:07:43,510 --> 00:07:41,840  
more you can afford to

202  
00:07:45,350 --> 00:07:43,520  
to go after these really fundamental

203  
00:07:47,589 --> 00:07:45,360  
questions that are so important and

204  
00:07:49,990 --> 00:07:47,599  
that's really how you progress

205  
00:07:51,589 --> 00:07:50,000  
technologically that's how you progress

206  
00:07:53,589 --> 00:07:51,599  
philosophically

207  
00:07:55,909 --> 00:07:53,599  
you have to learn about ourselves and

208  
00:07:57,990 --> 00:07:55,919  
and and these investments are really in

209  
00:07:59,990 --> 00:07:58,000  
ourselves and i and i believe they're

210  
00:08:02,550 --> 00:08:00,000  
worth it the other thing about you know

211  
00:08:04,309 --> 00:08:02,560  
a billion dollars is a lot of money

212  
00:08:06,869 --> 00:08:04,319  
um but if you think about what we're

213  
00:08:08,790 --> 00:08:06,879

doing with juno we're we're um

214

00:08:10,309 --> 00:08:08,800

we've got incredibly sophisticated

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00:08:11,990 --> 00:08:10,319

instruments some of the most advanced

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00:08:13,749 --> 00:08:12,000

that have ever ever been on any

217

00:08:15,670 --> 00:08:13,759

spacecraft at all

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00:08:17,110 --> 00:08:15,680

and we're going into orbit around

219

00:08:20,150 --> 00:08:17,120

jupiter

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00:08:21,909 --> 00:08:20,160

with these um so traditionally

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00:08:24,070 --> 00:08:21,919

these things are even more expensive and

222

00:08:25,749 --> 00:08:24,080

and we've we've really designed

223

00:08:26,390 --> 00:08:25,759

something through the synergy of the of

224

00:08:27,589 --> 00:08:26,400

the

225

00:08:29,510 --> 00:08:27,599

engineers

226

00:08:31,110 --> 00:08:29,520

and the managers and the scientists

227

00:08:32,550 --> 00:08:31,120

together to do to it even more

228

00:08:34,709 --> 00:08:32,560

efficiently than it's ever been done

229

00:08:36,949 --> 00:08:34,719

before so i think we're we're showing

230

00:08:38,870 --> 00:08:36,959

that you can even get more done for the

231

00:08:41,670 --> 00:08:38,880

money

232

00:08:43,430 --> 00:08:41,680

okay stefano

233

00:08:45,509 --> 00:08:43,440

yes thank you stefano called them for

234

00:08:46,870 --> 00:08:45,519

italian radio and tv

235

00:08:48,710 --> 00:08:46,880

um

236

00:08:50,550 --> 00:08:48,720

excuse me what is the current speed of

237

00:08:52,550 --> 00:08:50,560

the spacecraft

238

00:08:55,910 --> 00:08:52,560

if you know

239

00:08:58,230 --> 00:08:57,430

we'll probably have to get that oh yeah

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00:08:59,509 --> 00:08:58,240

we'll have to get back to you i'm not

241

00:09:01,190 --> 00:08:59,519

sure if it's in the press kit or not but

242

00:09:02,310 --> 00:09:01,200

you're asking at separation what was our

243

00:09:03,590 --> 00:09:02,320

what was our velocity the only thing i

244

00:09:06,310 --> 00:09:03,600

can tell you is it's greater than the

245

00:09:08,230 --> 00:09:06,320

escape velocity of the earth

246

00:09:10,230 --> 00:09:08,240

but i i don't know that exact number but

247

00:09:12,550 --> 00:09:10,240

i'll bet you uh one of our guys can get

248

00:09:15,430 --> 00:09:12,560

that to you

249

00:09:17,670 --> 00:09:15,440

okay question right here

250

00:09:19,350 --> 00:09:17,680

uh leo enright with uh irish television

251

00:09:21,350 --> 00:09:19,360

i i was wondering what an average day at

252

00:09:23,910 --> 00:09:21,360

the office is going to look like for the

253

00:09:26,230 --> 00:09:23,920

flight control team for the next five

254

00:09:28,870 --> 00:09:26,240

years i mean is there a room where

255

00:09:30,790 --> 00:09:28,880

people will gather every day to control

256

00:09:32,790 --> 00:09:30,800

the spacecraft or do they just come to

257

00:09:34,949 --> 00:09:32,800

it once a week or

258

00:09:37,910 --> 00:09:34,959

can they do it you know from their sofa

259

00:09:40,310 --> 00:09:37,920

at home with an internet connection or

260

00:09:41,990 --> 00:09:40,320

you know could you talk just briefly how

261

00:09:43,829 --> 00:09:42,000

does it look when you're in a coast for

262

00:09:47,350 --> 00:09:43,839

this length

263

00:09:49,750 --> 00:09:47,360

well um it's not five years of boredom

264

00:09:52,710 --> 00:09:49,760

that's for sure uh at first what we'll

265

00:09:54,710 --> 00:09:52,720

do is monitor the spacecraft around the

266

00:09:56,389 --> 00:09:54,720

clock because we want it's a it's a

267

00:09:58,310 --> 00:09:56,399

brand new baby we want to make sure that

268

00:10:00,389 --> 00:09:58,320

we learn to

269

00:10:01,990 --> 00:10:00,399

understand and appreciate its quirks and

270

00:10:04,470 --> 00:10:02,000

idiosyncrasies

271

00:10:06,630 --> 00:10:04,480

so we want to monitor it carefully when

272

00:10:08,870 --> 00:10:06,640

we feel comfortable and so we have dsn

273

00:10:11,430 --> 00:10:08,880

passes around the clock when we feel

274

00:10:12,630 --> 00:10:11,440

comfortable that we can um we'll

275

00:10:13,910 --> 00:10:12,640

probably give up on the night shift

276  
00:10:16,550 --> 00:10:13,920  
first

277  
00:10:18,550 --> 00:10:16,560  
and uh we'll back off a little bit

278  
00:10:21,670 --> 00:10:18,560  
we do have a

279  
00:10:23,190 --> 00:10:21,680  
maneuver planned at 20 days which may or

280  
00:10:24,949 --> 00:10:23,200  
may not be needed depending on how the

281  
00:10:26,870 --> 00:10:24,959  
launch vehicle performed and we should

282  
00:10:28,310 --> 00:10:26,880  
know that uh within a week we'll know

283  
00:10:29,990 --> 00:10:28,320  
whether we need to do that maneuver or

284  
00:10:32,870 --> 00:10:30,000  
not but

285  
00:10:35,269 --> 00:10:32,880  
we were left off in such a great place

286  
00:10:39,030 --> 00:10:35,279  
from the launch vehicle um

287  
00:10:43,110 --> 00:10:41,509  
then we'll move into um

288  
00:10:44,630 --> 00:10:43,120

characterizing the instruments so we'll

289

00:10:46,710 --> 00:10:44,640

get to know the engineering subsystems

290

00:10:48,389 --> 00:10:46,720

first and then we'll do the low voltage

291

00:10:50,069 --> 00:10:48,399

checkouts of the instruments and the

292

00:10:51,670 --> 00:10:50,079

high voltage checkouts of the ins of the

293

00:10:53,430 --> 00:10:51,680

three instruments that operate at high

294

00:10:55,350 --> 00:10:53,440

voltage that'll take through about

295

00:10:57,670 --> 00:10:55,360

december

296

00:10:59,110 --> 00:10:57,680

then we have our two deep space

297

00:11:01,910 --> 00:10:59,120

maneuvers

298

00:11:05,190 --> 00:11:01,920

about a year after launch september 2012

299

00:11:07,110 --> 00:11:05,200

time frame we start our dsm preparation

300

00:11:08,870 --> 00:11:07,120

campaign as we call it in about the

301  
00:11:10,310 --> 00:11:08,880  
february time frame we want to make sure

302  
00:11:12,389 --> 00:11:10,320  
that we

303  
00:11:14,710 --> 00:11:12,399  
dot the eyes and cross the t's take that

304  
00:11:16,790 --> 00:11:14,720  
design down to the nth level have the

305  
00:11:18,150 --> 00:11:16,800  
right peer level reviews independent

306  
00:11:20,150 --> 00:11:18,160  
reviews to make sure that we're not

307  
00:11:21,590 --> 00:11:20,160  
missing something and so

308  
00:11:23,269 --> 00:11:21,600  
the team will

309  
00:11:25,829 --> 00:11:23,279  
decrease in size because we'll have a

310  
00:11:27,910 --> 00:11:25,839  
larger staff at the start we carry some

311  
00:11:29,590 --> 00:11:27,920  
of the development folks into operations

312  
00:11:31,910 --> 00:11:29,600  
to make sure that we benefit from their

313  
00:11:33,509 --> 00:11:31,920

knowledge and and we

314

00:11:35,269 --> 00:11:33,519

we don't miss anything as we make the

315

00:11:36,710 --> 00:11:35,279

transition into a more of a steady state

316

00:11:39,030 --> 00:11:36,720

operations

317

00:11:40,710 --> 00:11:39,040

so we'll work on that dsm preparation

318

00:11:42,310 --> 00:11:40,720

and then

319

00:11:43,350 --> 00:11:42,320

the months fly by pretty quickly when

320

00:11:44,630 --> 00:11:43,360

you're doing something like that and

321

00:11:47,509 --> 00:11:44,640

then a year later we have the earth

322

00:11:48,949 --> 00:11:47,519

flyby october 2013. so i and we'll do

323

00:11:50,870 --> 00:11:48,959

the same sort of preparation campaign

324

00:11:54,389 --> 00:11:50,880

several months ahead of time using the

325

00:11:56,870 --> 00:11:54,399

earth flyby um appropriately as a as a

326

00:11:59,430 --> 00:11:56,880

practice run for what we're going to do

327

00:12:01,030 --> 00:11:59,440

on one of our passes at jupiter

328

00:12:03,190 --> 00:12:01,040

then when we go out into the quiet

329

00:12:04,710 --> 00:12:03,200

cruise i believe we will have some

330

00:12:06,389 --> 00:12:04,720

downtime

331

00:12:08,230 --> 00:12:06,399

shortly after launch we'll get down to

332

00:12:09,990 --> 00:12:08,240

the two tracks a day and then we'll get

333

00:12:11,350 --> 00:12:10,000

down to the two trucks a week and one

334

00:12:13,110 --> 00:12:11,360

track a week then it'll it'll go up and

335

00:12:15,509 --> 00:12:13,120

down depending on the activities that we

336

00:12:17,430 --> 00:12:15,519

have on board and and how often when

337

00:12:19,509 --> 00:12:17,440

we're doing the uh instrument checkouts

338

00:12:21,030 --> 00:12:19,519

for example we'll have more passes in

339

00:12:22,629 --> 00:12:21,040

the quiet cruise we'll be down to about

340

00:12:24,790 --> 00:12:22,639

once a week but people

341

00:12:26,870 --> 00:12:24,800

people do meet daily we'll have daily

342

00:12:28,790 --> 00:12:26,880

status meetings for several months very

343

00:12:30,310 --> 00:12:28,800

it's a very tactical operation at this

344

00:12:31,030 --> 00:12:30,320

point um

345

00:12:33,430 --> 00:12:31,040

we

346

00:12:35,430 --> 00:12:33,440

like the team to come in to do that to

347

00:12:36,629 --> 00:12:35,440

have those tech those technical meetings

348

00:12:38,389 --> 00:12:36,639

and make sure we have the tag up but we

349

00:12:40,949 --> 00:12:38,399

have a distributed team

350

00:12:44,230 --> 00:12:40,959

the spacecraft team is flying it out of

351  
00:12:46,389 --> 00:12:44,240  
denver and so we have all the modern

352  
00:12:48,069 --> 00:12:46,399  
conveniences of internet video

353  
00:12:49,509 --> 00:12:48,079  
conferencing teleconferencing that we

354  
00:12:51,829 --> 00:12:49,519  
use we've used during our development

355  
00:12:53,269 --> 00:12:51,839  
and we'll continue to to do that and

356  
00:12:55,509 --> 00:12:53,279  
then of course we have the whole science

357  
00:12:57,509 --> 00:12:55,519  
community we want the scientists to come

358  
00:12:59,190 --> 00:12:57,519  
and reside with us at jpl during the

359  
00:13:00,870 --> 00:12:59,200  
checkouts but then they'll be back at

360  
00:13:02,949 --> 00:13:00,880  
their institutions we've already proven

361  
00:13:04,389 --> 00:13:02,959  
out that we can flow the data end to end

362  
00:13:06,389 --> 00:13:04,399  
all the way out to their institutions

363  
00:13:08,069 --> 00:13:06,399

they can they can use their familiar

364

00:13:09,829 --> 00:13:08,079

equipment and

365

00:13:12,310 --> 00:13:09,839

be at their home institutions when they

366

00:13:14,389 --> 00:13:12,320

uh get their data so so it'll really the

367

00:13:17,750 --> 00:13:14,399

tempo will vary from the start of the

368

00:13:19,030 --> 00:13:17,760

mission as we progress

369

00:13:23,110 --> 00:13:19,040

bill

370

00:13:24,470 --> 00:13:23,120

answered my question too but but just

371

00:13:25,750 --> 00:13:24,480

maybe a little follow on sometimes these

372

00:13:27,350 --> 00:13:25,760

flights deep space missions there's

373

00:13:29,269 --> 00:13:27,360

still software development required and

374

00:13:30,629 --> 00:13:29,279

you're still working on the science plan

375

00:13:31,509 --> 00:13:30,639

during transit is this a mission where

376  
00:13:33,110 --> 00:13:31,519  
you pretty well know what you're going

377  
00:13:34,550 --> 00:13:33,120  
to do when you get there or are you

378  
00:13:35,910 --> 00:13:34,560  
still refining how you're going to go

379  
00:13:37,910 --> 00:13:35,920  
about it

380  
00:13:40,629 --> 00:13:37,920  
as far as the flight software that's

381  
00:13:43,030 --> 00:13:40,639  
residing in the onboard processor from

382  
00:13:45,430 --> 00:13:43,040  
the engineering perspective

383  
00:13:48,470 --> 00:13:45,440  
we have no post-launch development

384  
00:13:51,189 --> 00:13:48,480  
planned we have already designed and

385  
00:13:54,389 --> 00:13:51,199  
tested our joi sequence that's not to

386  
00:13:56,069 --> 00:13:54,399  
say that we won't do

387  
00:13:57,670 --> 00:13:56,079  
we'll dust off those notebooks when we

388  
00:13:59,030 --> 00:13:57,680

get close we'll run that again we'll

389

00:14:00,230 --> 00:13:59,040

make sure that anything that we've

390

00:14:02,470 --> 00:14:00,240

learned from the behavior of the

391

00:14:04,550 --> 00:14:02,480

spacecraft will modify the sequence as

392

00:14:07,509 --> 00:14:04,560

appropriate but i would consider that

393

00:14:09,110 --> 00:14:07,519

more part of normal business

394

00:14:10,949 --> 00:14:09,120

i'll let scott talk about the science

395

00:14:12,629 --> 00:14:10,959

planning because some of it's done to a

396

00:14:14,629 --> 00:14:12,639

certain level and others will continue

397

00:14:17,110 --> 00:14:14,639

to refine

398

00:14:19,750 --> 00:14:17,120

to a large scale we have the science

399

00:14:21,030 --> 00:14:19,760

plan figured out um and we kind of know

400

00:14:22,790 --> 00:14:21,040

what we're going to do and in fact

401  
00:14:25,110 --> 00:14:22,800  
that's one of the reasons that this this

402  
00:14:27,750 --> 00:14:25,120  
mission is so efficient is that we've

403  
00:14:29,750 --> 00:14:27,760  
designed it in the way to uh to just

404  
00:14:32,550 --> 00:14:29,760  
gather the data with with little

405  
00:14:34,790 --> 00:14:32,560  
detailed planning unlike some of the uh

406  
00:14:37,110 --> 00:14:34,800  
other types of missions that go

407  
00:14:38,710 --> 00:14:37,120  
but we still haven't built the sequences

408  
00:14:40,710 --> 00:14:38,720  
for what would actually be run at

409  
00:14:42,310 --> 00:14:40,720  
jupiter so we we will have to do that

410  
00:14:43,269 --> 00:14:42,320  
and there will be some choices that can

411  
00:14:45,990 --> 00:14:43,279  
be made

412  
00:14:47,670 --> 00:14:46,000  
and and some of those choices will wait

413  
00:14:49,750 --> 00:14:47,680

to see how the instruments are

414

00:14:51,590 --> 00:14:49,760

functioning and and the idiosyncrasies

415

00:14:53,350 --> 00:14:51,600

that jan mentioned earlier

416

00:14:55,110 --> 00:14:53,360

when we go through all the calibrations

417

00:14:57,430 --> 00:14:55,120

and we go through how the and learn how

418

00:14:58,949 --> 00:14:57,440

the instruments work and exactly

419

00:15:01,990 --> 00:14:58,959

how well the measurements are that we

420

00:15:04,230 --> 00:15:02,000

can predict um then we will refine our

421

00:15:06,470 --> 00:15:04,240

plan a little bit but to a large scale

422

00:15:07,990 --> 00:15:06,480

we have our plan already figured out

423

00:15:09,189 --> 00:15:08,000

when we go into orbit we know pretty

424

00:15:11,350 --> 00:15:09,199

much where we're going to get what

425

00:15:12,550 --> 00:15:11,360

measurement

426

00:15:13,750 --> 00:15:12,560

one quick follow and i think you guys

427

00:15:15,110 --> 00:15:13,760

addressed this at one of the pre-launch

428

00:15:16,550 --> 00:15:15,120

and i can't remember what the answer was

429

00:15:18,470 --> 00:15:16,560

when you guys do the flyby are you going

430

00:15:19,829 --> 00:15:18,480

to be taking any imagery or science i

431

00:15:23,030 --> 00:15:19,839

mean what's the when's the first time

432

00:15:25,670 --> 00:15:23,040

we're going to see any pictures of

433

00:15:27,350 --> 00:15:25,680

earth i mean yeah we're going to for the

434

00:15:28,710 --> 00:15:27,360

first time out of your instruments

435

00:15:29,590 --> 00:15:28,720

that's what i'm looking for

436

00:15:31,749 --> 00:15:29,600

um

437

00:15:33,269 --> 00:15:31,759

well i can't tell you that that uh when

438

00:15:35,749 --> 00:15:33,279

the first day that we'll get an image

439

00:15:37,749 --> 00:15:35,759

down of anything because we may we may

440

00:15:39,910 --> 00:15:37,759

accelerate that plan from what we have

441

00:15:40,790 --> 00:15:39,920

right now depending on how things work

442

00:15:43,269 --> 00:15:40,800

but

443

00:15:45,430 --> 00:15:43,279

right now we plan to operate

444

00:15:46,949 --> 00:15:45,440

most of the instruments at the earth one

445

00:15:49,030 --> 00:15:46,959

to learn how they operate and make sure

446

00:15:51,269 --> 00:15:49,040

that we understand how a sequence that

447

00:15:53,990 --> 00:15:51,279

we would actually operate near jupiter

448

00:15:55,189 --> 00:15:54,000

will work sort of an example in previous

449

00:15:56,150 --> 00:15:55,199

missions that have gone to the outer

450

00:15:58,470 --> 00:15:56,160

planets

451  
00:16:00,389 --> 00:15:58,480  
that have had earth flybys you know it's

452  
00:16:02,069 --> 00:16:00,399  
really dictated by the energy and the

453  
00:16:04,150 --> 00:16:02,079  
fact that you need to go around in order

454  
00:16:06,230 --> 00:16:04,160  
to get out to the outer planet you made

455  
00:16:08,389 --> 00:16:06,240  
incredible use of the fact that you went

456  
00:16:09,430 --> 00:16:08,399  
by the earth not only to calibrate your

457  
00:16:11,430 --> 00:16:09,440  
instruments

458  
00:16:13,189 --> 00:16:11,440  
but to also get new science but maybe

459  
00:16:14,550 --> 00:16:13,199  
most importantly you learn about the

460  
00:16:16,230 --> 00:16:14,560  
spacecraft

461  
00:16:17,509 --> 00:16:16,240  
long before you get to the outer planet

462  
00:16:19,590 --> 00:16:17,519  
when you're going there so that you can

463  
00:16:21,189 --> 00:16:19,600

adapt your plan if needed

464

00:16:23,590 --> 00:16:21,199

so we will make use of all of those

465

00:16:25,749 --> 00:16:23,600

things we will be limited by the fact

466

00:16:27,829 --> 00:16:25,759

that some instruments we will have to

467

00:16:29,749 --> 00:16:27,839

analyze and make sure that thermally

468

00:16:31,430 --> 00:16:29,759

this close to the sun since they're

469

00:16:33,430 --> 00:16:31,440

designed to operate at the jupiter that

470

00:16:35,189 --> 00:16:33,440

we aren't taking any risks

471

00:16:37,189 --> 00:16:35,199

that will be our first priority and then

472

00:16:39,509 --> 00:16:37,199

the calibrations that are unique at

473

00:16:41,430 --> 00:16:39,519

earth will also be the second priority

474

00:16:44,470 --> 00:16:41,440

and then the third will be whatever new

475

00:16:47,110 --> 00:16:44,480

science we can possibly get

476  
00:16:49,030 --> 00:16:47,120  
okay a question right here in the back

477  
00:16:50,790 --> 00:16:49,040  
mark ratterman from talking space

478  
00:16:53,590 --> 00:16:50,800  
question for scott bolton

479  
00:16:55,670 --> 00:16:53,600  
do you think that our educators that are

480  
00:16:57,910 --> 00:16:55,680  
teaching our middle school high school

481  
00:16:59,030 --> 00:16:57,920  
children do you think that they'll

482  
00:17:00,790 --> 00:16:59,040  
be uh

483  
00:17:03,189 --> 00:17:00,800  
be having some exciting things to talk

484  
00:17:04,390 --> 00:17:03,199  
about after juno enters orbit or will

485  
00:17:06,230 --> 00:17:04,400  
they have some

486  
00:17:08,230 --> 00:17:06,240  
things to talk to their kids about

487  
00:17:09,350 --> 00:17:08,240  
beforehand

488  
00:17:11,110 --> 00:17:09,360

um

489

00:17:13,510 --> 00:17:11,120

well i i hope they have exciting things

490

00:17:15,270 --> 00:17:13,520

to talk about beforehand um even right

491

00:17:17,590 --> 00:17:15,280

now because there are exciting things i

492

00:17:18,949 --> 00:17:17,600

i assume you mean just respect to juno

493

00:17:21,990 --> 00:17:18,959

though

494

00:17:23,350 --> 00:17:22,000

not all science but

495

00:17:24,949 --> 00:17:23,360

there will be some things that they can

496

00:17:26,390 --> 00:17:24,959

talk about a lot of them are

497

00:17:27,990 --> 00:17:26,400

technological

498

00:17:30,230 --> 00:17:28,000

stuff advances that we've made with

499

00:17:31,909 --> 00:17:30,240

solar arrays the radiation vault things

500

00:17:33,909 --> 00:17:31,919

that are unique to juno the challenges

501  
00:17:35,750 --> 00:17:33,919  
that have gone on i think help teach

502  
00:17:37,750 --> 00:17:35,760  
kids that might be interested in

503  
00:17:39,830 --> 00:17:37,760  
engineering and the science that's

504  
00:17:42,150 --> 00:17:39,840  
coming is lessons that we've already

505  
00:17:44,070 --> 00:17:42,160  
started to incorporate in curriculum uh

506  
00:17:45,110 --> 00:17:44,080  
for that those grade levels and in fact

507  
00:17:46,630 --> 00:17:45,120  
we're trying to push it down to

508  
00:17:48,950 --> 00:17:46,640  
elementary school

509  
00:17:50,150 --> 00:17:48,960  
now of course once we get to jupiter and

510  
00:17:52,230 --> 00:17:50,160  
we learn

511  
00:17:54,710 --> 00:17:52,240  
the new things that juno uh is going to

512  
00:17:56,390 --> 00:17:54,720  
learn for us

513  
00:17:58,630 --> 00:17:56,400

that will open up you know

514

00:18:00,710 --> 00:17:58,640

a wealth of new information that will

515

00:18:02,789 --> 00:18:00,720

provide it and so you know that may

516

00:18:06,470 --> 00:18:02,799

dwarf what we've been able to do prior

517

00:18:09,029 --> 00:18:06,480

to that at least with respect to juno

518

00:18:15,590 --> 00:18:09,039

okay let's come up here to the front to

519

00:18:19,669 --> 00:18:17,430

uh hi ken kramer for space flight

520

00:18:21,110 --> 00:18:19,679

magazine for uh scott bolton please um

521

00:18:22,630 --> 00:18:21,120

london if you could tell us a little bit

522

00:18:25,350 --> 00:18:22,640

about uh

523

00:18:27,590 --> 00:18:25,360

how this idea originated in in your mind

524

00:18:29,350 --> 00:18:27,600

the kernel of the idea when you came up

525

00:18:30,870 --> 00:18:29,360

with it how it might have evolved is it

526

00:18:32,630 --> 00:18:30,880

is it every

527

00:18:33,909 --> 00:18:32,640

bit that you wanted

528

00:18:35,669 --> 00:18:33,919

this this you know the idea for the

529

00:18:37,029 --> 00:18:35,679

mission did it evolve over time with the

530

00:18:40,549 --> 00:18:37,039

instruments or

531

00:18:42,789 --> 00:18:40,559

what um it did uh some some uh

532

00:18:45,430 --> 00:18:42,799

instrument ideas might have been uh like

533

00:18:49,110 --> 00:18:45,440

a revelation um other ones have evolved

534

00:18:52,230 --> 00:18:49,120

over time um it started long before i

535

00:18:54,230 --> 00:18:52,240

i was a kid uh when when the first

536

00:18:57,110 --> 00:18:54,240

scientists were trying to go into polar

537

00:18:59,990 --> 00:18:57,120

orbit around jupiter in fact

538

00:19:02,230 --> 00:19:00,000

even in the 70s people were arguing as

539

00:19:03,990 --> 00:19:02,240

we started to plan galileo

540

00:19:06,150 --> 00:19:04,000

that maybe they should maybe

541

00:19:07,990 --> 00:19:06,160

that kind of a mission should be a polar

542

00:19:09,750 --> 00:19:08,000

orbiter

543

00:19:10,789 --> 00:19:09,760

most of those studies were aimed at

544

00:19:12,390 --> 00:19:10,799

trying to understand the polar

545

00:19:14,230 --> 00:19:12,400

magnetosphere

546

00:19:15,669 --> 00:19:14,240

although some of them understood that if

547

00:19:17,190 --> 00:19:15,679

you could go into polar orbit you might

548

00:19:19,430 --> 00:19:17,200

be able to get better measurements of

549

00:19:20,549 --> 00:19:19,440

the magnetic and gravity field

550

00:19:22,150 --> 00:19:20,559

and then

551  
00:19:24,630 --> 00:19:22,160  
in the

552  
00:19:26,310 --> 00:19:24,640  
late 80s and 90s

553  
00:19:29,830 --> 00:19:26,320  
there were missions that were conceived

554  
00:19:32,710 --> 00:19:29,840  
of uh to go into uh

555  
00:19:34,789 --> 00:19:32,720  
close orbits polar near polar not truly

556  
00:19:37,029 --> 00:19:34,799  
polar but highly inclined orbits similar

557  
00:19:40,150 --> 00:19:37,039  
to junos to look at the magnetic field

558  
00:19:42,230 --> 00:19:40,160  
in the gravity field

559  
00:19:44,310 --> 00:19:42,240  
and those one of those was called inside

560  
00:19:45,750 --> 00:19:44,320  
jupiter and it progressed and tried to

561  
00:19:48,070 --> 00:19:45,760  
try to win it was also proposed

562  
00:19:49,830 --> 00:19:48,080  
competitively and and didn't make it all

563  
00:19:51,909 --> 00:19:49,840

the way to the final round

564

00:19:54,310 --> 00:19:51,919

and then about the time um

565

00:19:57,350 --> 00:19:54,320

cassini was flying by

566

00:20:00,870 --> 00:19:57,360

jupiter um i was on the cassini team on

567

00:20:02,710 --> 00:20:00,880

a few instruments as a co-investigator

568

00:20:06,470 --> 00:20:02,720

and was arguing that we should do

569

00:20:09,190 --> 00:20:06,480

science at jupiter as we flew by

570

00:20:11,750 --> 00:20:09,200

and i was able to persuade

571

00:20:14,390 --> 00:20:11,760

enough people that that that opened the

572

00:20:16,310 --> 00:20:14,400

door but i was also tasked with figuring

573

00:20:18,470 --> 00:20:16,320

out which science we should do

574

00:20:20,070 --> 00:20:18,480

so a colleague of mine and myself ran

575

00:20:21,990 --> 00:20:20,080

workshops to try to figure out the

576

00:20:23,350 --> 00:20:22,000

science that we could do by uh going by

577

00:20:24,470 --> 00:20:23,360

cassini

578

00:20:26,870 --> 00:20:24,480

and

579

00:20:28,870 --> 00:20:26,880

one of those experiments that i came up

580

00:20:31,430 --> 00:20:28,880

with was to borrow

581

00:20:33,350 --> 00:20:31,440

the radar antenna it was the also uses

582

00:20:34,950 --> 00:20:33,360

the high gain antenna on cassini and map

583

00:20:37,510 --> 00:20:34,960

jupiter's radiation belts because it

584

00:20:38,950 --> 00:20:37,520

could work in a listen only mode it was

585

00:20:40,950 --> 00:20:38,960

an instrument that was primarily

586

00:20:43,750 --> 00:20:40,960

designed to see through the clouds of

587

00:20:44,630 --> 00:20:43,760

titan and map out titan's surface which

588

00:20:46,230 --> 00:20:44,640

was

589

00:20:47,350 --> 00:20:46,240

incredibly high priority also for

590

00:20:48,950 --> 00:20:47,360

cassini

591

00:20:51,190 --> 00:20:48,960

and i knew i was very familiar with that

592

00:20:53,270 --> 00:20:51,200

because i was also working to figure out

593

00:20:55,669 --> 00:20:53,280

what we should do at titan so i knew how

594

00:20:57,750 --> 00:20:55,679

that instrument worked pretty well

595

00:21:00,070 --> 00:20:57,760

and um

596

00:21:01,830 --> 00:21:00,080

so we borrowed this thing and and and i

597

00:21:03,669 --> 00:21:01,840

and i suggested that we make a map of

598

00:21:06,710 --> 00:21:03,679

these high-energy radiation belts which

599

00:21:09,590 --> 00:21:06,720

was part of the science that i had done

600

00:21:11,510 --> 00:21:09,600

before and that got approved and one of

601  
00:21:13,350 --> 00:21:11,520  
my other co-investigators came up and

602  
00:21:16,230 --> 00:21:13,360  
said you know can you use that to figure

603  
00:21:18,390 --> 00:21:16,240  
out the water abundance inside jupiter

604  
00:21:20,549 --> 00:21:18,400  
and i said no i don't think so and we

605  
00:21:22,789 --> 00:21:20,559  
worked out some details and then the

606  
00:21:24,230 --> 00:21:22,799  
next day i was uh you know getting ready

607  
00:21:27,029 --> 00:21:24,240  
to work and

608  
00:21:29,190 --> 00:21:27,039  
literally in the shower

609  
00:21:31,350 --> 00:21:29,200  
and i realized gosh if i yeah i was

610  
00:21:32,630 --> 00:21:31,360  
looking for water and there i was

611  
00:21:34,549 --> 00:21:32,640  
um

612  
00:21:36,870 --> 00:21:34,559  
and i realized gosh if we got a bunch of

613  
00:21:39,270 --> 00:21:36,880

these antennas in the right place over

614

00:21:41,110 --> 00:21:39,280

the poles i could get away from the

615

00:21:42,630 --> 00:21:41,120

noise of the radiation belts and see

616

00:21:43,430 --> 00:21:42,640

into the planet

617

00:21:47,350 --> 00:21:43,440

and

618

00:21:48,950 --> 00:21:47,360

colleague had asked for

619

00:21:50,470 --> 00:21:48,960

and so i came back in the next day kind

620

00:21:53,830 --> 00:21:50,480

of excited saying i think i figured out

621

00:21:55,510 --> 00:21:53,840

a way to do this um but not with cassini

622

00:21:57,110 --> 00:21:55,520

and we don't have anything that can do

623

00:21:58,950 --> 00:21:57,120

it but i think if you made something

624

00:21:59,909 --> 00:21:58,960

like this it might work

625

00:22:01,750 --> 00:21:59,919

and

626  
00:22:03,669 --> 00:22:01,760  
that colleague of mine was named toby

627  
00:22:05,669 --> 00:22:03,679  
owen and he went and got a colleague of

628  
00:22:07,190 --> 00:22:05,679  
his name daniel gautier

629  
00:22:09,590 --> 00:22:07,200  
and they came in and tried to argue with

630  
00:22:11,190 --> 00:22:09,600  
me why that was so important to do

631  
00:22:13,110 --> 00:22:11,200  
and how fundamental that measurement

632  
00:22:15,190 --> 00:22:13,120  
would be and they were saying it was the

633  
00:22:17,190 --> 00:22:15,200  
could be the basis of a mission

634  
00:22:18,950 --> 00:22:17,200  
and i had my doubts although i knew

635  
00:22:21,510 --> 00:22:18,960  
because every scientist thinks their

636  
00:22:24,310 --> 00:22:21,520  
science is really important

637  
00:22:26,870 --> 00:22:24,320  
turns out there's is

638  
00:22:28,630 --> 00:22:26,880

and i realized uh later that they were

639

00:22:31,669 --> 00:22:28,640

largely responsible for the cassini

640

00:22:33,510 --> 00:22:31,679

mission uh getting conceived so i

641

00:22:35,110 --> 00:22:33,520

realized that they really knew a lot

642

00:22:37,110 --> 00:22:35,120

about why we should do things and so i

643

00:22:39,270 --> 00:22:37,120

started looking more carefully and then

644

00:22:41,830 --> 00:22:39,280

and that's basically how that

645

00:22:44,310 --> 00:22:41,840

experiment then had to be go through a

646

00:22:46,390 --> 00:22:44,320

long painstaking process of convincing

647

00:22:48,230 --> 00:22:46,400

my colleagues that knew

648

00:22:49,990 --> 00:22:48,240

about the hardware and the measurements

649

00:22:51,430 --> 00:22:50,000

that it could actually be done a lot of

650

00:22:53,350 --> 00:22:51,440

people didn't think that we could figure

651  
00:22:54,789 --> 00:22:53,360  
out how to do this but i we kept pushing

652  
00:22:57,270 --> 00:22:54,799  
and kept working

653  
00:22:58,230 --> 00:22:57,280  
and once we got that figured out

654  
00:23:01,909 --> 00:22:58,240  
um

655  
00:23:03,510 --> 00:23:01,919  
we then joined uh with the other teams

656  
00:23:05,590 --> 00:23:03,520  
that were already interested in doing

657  
00:23:06,789 --> 00:23:05,600  
jupiter's gravity and magnetic fields

658  
00:23:08,230 --> 00:23:06,799  
and then another team that was

659  
00:23:09,750 --> 00:23:08,240  
interested in doing the polar magnesium

660  
00:23:11,990 --> 00:23:09,760  
i put them all together under one

661  
00:23:14,630 --> 00:23:12,000  
umbrella and nasa came out with an

662  
00:23:16,149 --> 00:23:14,640  
opportunity that could allow that kind

663  
00:23:18,549 --> 00:23:16,159

of a mission

664

00:23:21,029 --> 00:23:18,559

you know at that level of expense and

665

00:23:23,029 --> 00:23:21,039

and complexity and so we all came in

666

00:23:24,870 --> 00:23:23,039

under one umbrella and proposed juno and

667

00:23:28,310 --> 00:23:24,880

that was back i mean the ideas were

668

00:23:30,950 --> 00:23:28,320

conceived maybe back in around 2000 1999

669

00:23:34,149 --> 00:23:30,960

when the water abundance idea came in

670

00:23:37,510 --> 00:23:34,159

and it got added for uh

671

00:23:39,270 --> 00:23:37,520

the ao was about 2003

672

00:23:40,630 --> 00:23:39,280

and so that's when the teams all came

673

00:23:42,710 --> 00:23:40,640

together and so that's how long we've

674

00:23:45,029 --> 00:23:42,720

been working together

675

00:23:46,710 --> 00:23:45,039

so if i could just follow up jim green

676  
00:23:50,149 --> 00:23:46,720  
when you heard this or your predecessor

677  
00:23:51,590 --> 00:23:50,159  
what did you think

678  
00:23:53,269 --> 00:23:51,600  
what uh

679  
00:23:55,350 --> 00:23:53,279  
well first off

680  
00:23:59,190 --> 00:23:55,360  
uh juno was selected when we came on

681  
00:24:00,710 --> 00:23:59,200  
board this is jim green and myself

682  
00:24:05,269 --> 00:24:00,720  
and we were

683  
00:24:06,710 --> 00:24:05,279  
immediately impressed with how well it

684  
00:24:07,669 --> 00:24:06,720  
was run

685  
00:24:09,909 --> 00:24:07,679  
and

686  
00:24:12,710 --> 00:24:09,919  
the fact that it had been it had spent

687  
00:24:15,430 --> 00:24:12,720  
some time uh in phase b

688  
00:24:16,870 --> 00:24:15,440

and so it was ready to graduate and so

689

00:24:18,789 --> 00:24:16,880

one of the first things that we did was

690

00:24:21,029 --> 00:24:18,799

we ran it through a confirmation review

691

00:24:23,190 --> 00:24:21,039

where we said okay no kidding for sure

692

00:24:24,470 --> 00:24:23,200

for real is this science that we really

693

00:24:26,070 --> 00:24:24,480

want to do

694

00:24:28,950 --> 00:24:26,080

can we do it

695

00:24:30,950 --> 00:24:28,960

at the cost and on schedule that that's

696

00:24:33,110 --> 00:24:30,960

been proposed

697

00:24:34,789 --> 00:24:33,120

derived during the phase b

698

00:24:36,549 --> 00:24:34,799

and all of the answers came back

699

00:24:38,789 --> 00:24:36,559

unanimously yes

700

00:24:40,870 --> 00:24:38,799

and so we said

701  
00:24:42,149 --> 00:24:40,880  
uh this is compelling science let's move

702  
00:24:44,630 --> 00:24:42,159  
forward

703  
00:24:46,870 --> 00:24:44,640  
and we're very excited about it

704  
00:24:49,110 --> 00:24:46,880  
it's going to tell us a lot about

705  
00:24:50,310 --> 00:24:49,120  
not just jupiter but i'm sure scott's

706  
00:24:52,710 --> 00:24:50,320  
mentioned in some of the science

707  
00:24:55,029 --> 00:24:52,720  
briefings of just about the solar system

708  
00:24:56,310 --> 00:24:55,039  
in general and how it was formed and

709  
00:25:00,070 --> 00:24:56,320  
maybe even a little bit about how the

710  
00:25:01,909 --> 00:25:00,080  
earth was formed so we're very excited

711  
00:25:03,750 --> 00:25:01,919  
any other questions

712  
00:25:05,510 --> 00:25:03,760  
all right we have

713  
00:25:07,750 --> 00:25:05,520

well let's get craig because he's right

714

00:25:07,760 --> 00:25:11,990

right here

715

00:25:16,390 --> 00:25:14,549

thanks very much it's craig kovald with

716

00:25:19,269 --> 00:25:16,400

aerospace america

717

00:25:21,909 --> 00:25:19,279

for jim adams uh a question right

718

00:25:23,029 --> 00:25:21,919

relative to the decadal

719

00:25:25,669 --> 00:25:23,039

um

720

00:25:28,950 --> 00:25:25,679

now that you've had some time uh

721

00:25:31,029 --> 00:25:28,960

how do things stand with issa on major

722

00:25:32,390 --> 00:25:31,039

issues on the decadal anything new there

723

00:25:35,029 --> 00:25:32,400

relative

724

00:25:37,669 --> 00:25:35,039

mars for example so the the decadal

725

00:25:39,029 --> 00:25:37,679

survey is for those that don't know is a

726  
00:25:41,909 --> 00:25:39,039  
10 year

727  
00:25:44,310 --> 00:25:41,919  
outlook of the science that ought to be

728  
00:25:48,149 --> 00:25:44,320  
pursued by planetary science

729  
00:25:50,149 --> 00:25:48,159  
from 2013 to 2023 essentially or the end

730  
00:25:51,669 --> 00:25:50,159  
of 2022

731  
00:25:54,630 --> 00:25:51,679  
we're in the process

732  
00:25:56,789 --> 00:25:54,640  
of mapping out our plan on how to

733  
00:25:58,710 --> 00:25:56,799  
respond to the decadal survey

734  
00:26:01,350 --> 00:25:58,720  
and international partnerships like in

735  
00:26:02,549 --> 00:26:01,360  
all of our missions play a key role in

736  
00:26:05,350 --> 00:26:02,559  
that

737  
00:26:07,269 --> 00:26:05,360  
it's not quite all firmed up yet but

738  
00:26:09,909 --> 00:26:07,279

we're working on that what we're really

739

00:26:12,310 --> 00:26:09,919

excited about is the fact that

740

00:26:15,190 --> 00:26:12,320

juno played a key role in the previous

741

00:26:16,710 --> 00:26:15,200

decadal survey and tells us a lot uh

742

00:26:18,950 --> 00:26:16,720

answers a lot of the questions that were

743

00:26:21,430 --> 00:26:18,960

asked by the previous decadal survey and

744

00:26:23,190 --> 00:26:21,440

so we're looking forward to

745

00:26:24,870 --> 00:26:23,200

doing that in the middle of this decade

746

00:26:27,269 --> 00:26:24,880

as we're working on

747

00:26:29,350 --> 00:26:27,279

responding and putting together missions

748

00:26:31,269 --> 00:26:29,360

that will respond to the next decadal

749

00:26:34,470 --> 00:26:31,279

survey

750

00:26:36,789 --> 00:26:34,480

okay we'll take one more question uh

751

00:26:38,950 --> 00:26:36,799

this lady right in front right here

752

00:26:41,350 --> 00:26:38,960

jackie goddard for the times of london

753

00:26:43,430 --> 00:26:41,360

um this phrase unlocking the mysteries

754

00:26:45,430 --> 00:26:43,440

of the universe is one that folks like

755

00:26:47,350 --> 00:26:45,440

you use a lot in explaining stuff to us

756

00:26:50,070 --> 00:26:47,360

and that we use a lot when we're writing

757

00:26:53,029 --> 00:26:50,080

our articles and whatever um in terms of

758

00:26:55,110 --> 00:26:53,039

this particular mission how great a leap

759

00:26:56,549 --> 00:26:55,120

in understanding are we expecting is it

760

00:26:58,470 --> 00:26:56,559

going to be kind of inching our way

761

00:27:00,470 --> 00:26:58,480

along that scale of understanding or are

762

00:27:02,070 --> 00:27:00,480

we expecting one

763

00:27:03,110 --> 00:27:02,080

giant leap

764

00:27:05,430 --> 00:27:03,120

um

765

00:27:07,909 --> 00:27:05,440

well my belief is that we make progress

766

00:27:08,870 --> 00:27:07,919

by taking many small steps

767

00:27:13,510 --> 00:27:08,880

and

768

00:27:15,590 --> 00:27:13,520

get to do once in a rare while but most

769

00:27:17,990 --> 00:27:15,600

of the progress we make

770

00:27:21,669 --> 00:27:18,000

as humans is is we make small steps and

771

00:27:23,269 --> 00:27:21,679

we just have to keep at it

772

00:27:25,190 --> 00:27:23,279

you know whether this is a giant leap or

773

00:27:27,750 --> 00:27:25,200

a small step maybe is is somewhat

774

00:27:28,870 --> 00:27:27,760

judgment here but i i think that the

775

00:27:30,710 --> 00:27:28,880

real

776

00:27:33,510 --> 00:27:30,720

interest in juno

777

00:27:36,389 --> 00:27:33,520

and and jupiter is that it's really

778

00:27:39,350 --> 00:27:36,399

giving us insight into the very earliest

779

00:27:43,430 --> 00:27:39,360

times of our of our solar system

780

00:27:45,909 --> 00:27:43,440

formation right after the sun formed

781

00:27:48,149 --> 00:27:45,919

to the beginning of the planet the first

782

00:27:49,909 --> 00:27:48,159

planet and uh and in that sense it's a

783

00:27:52,789 --> 00:27:49,919

big leap because

784

00:27:55,269 --> 00:27:52,799

that's a big step to take to get that

785

00:27:58,070 --> 00:27:55,279

first step that goes from a sun

786

00:28:00,789 --> 00:27:58,080

or a star to the planets because

787

00:28:02,389 --> 00:28:00,799

you know the the planets are made a

788

00:28:04,950 --> 00:28:02,399

little bit differently than the sun or

789

00:28:06,389 --> 00:28:04,960

we wouldn't be here today and there is a

790

00:28:08,149 --> 00:28:06,399

difference there we don't really

791

00:28:10,070 --> 00:28:08,159

understand how that happened or what

792

00:28:12,070 --> 00:28:10,080

happened and what the elements or

793

00:28:14,830 --> 00:28:12,080

volatiles were doing early in the solar

794

00:28:17,269 --> 00:28:14,840

system and so that's a big step a big

795

00:28:21,350 --> 00:28:17,279

leap um

796

00:28:26,149 --> 00:28:23,590

imply that that other steps aren't

797

00:28:27,669 --> 00:28:26,159

equally important i mean i think that if

798

00:28:29,430 --> 00:28:27,679

we're going to understand nature and

799

00:28:31,269 --> 00:28:29,440

understand ourselves and our role and

800

00:28:32,870 --> 00:28:31,279

all of the planets we need to keep

801  
00:28:34,710 --> 00:28:32,880  
looking at all the planets we need to

802  
00:28:37,350 --> 00:28:34,720  
look at every body we can in the solar

803  
00:28:39,029 --> 00:28:37,360  
system and in the universe and galaxy

804  
00:28:40,549 --> 00:28:39,039  
stars everything and really try to

805  
00:28:43,990 --> 00:28:40,559  
understand how they're different and

806  
00:28:44,870 --> 00:28:44,000  
what role they play and how we fit in

807  
00:28:49,029 --> 00:28:44,880  
todd

808  
00:28:51,029 --> 00:28:49,039  
just curious if

809  
00:28:53,110 --> 00:28:51,039  
any of you were conscious of the fact

810  
00:28:56,549 --> 00:28:53,120  
that you guys are the first

811  
00:28:57,669 --> 00:28:56,559  
post shuttle era launch and

812  
00:28:59,990 --> 00:28:57,679  
what's your

813  
00:29:01,590 --> 00:29:00,000

thoughts if any have been on that and

814

00:29:03,269 --> 00:29:01,600

whether you uh

815

00:29:05,830 --> 00:29:03,279

really could um

816

00:29:09,269 --> 00:29:05,840

kind of kind of feel that

817

00:29:10,789 --> 00:29:09,279

i certainly felt it today as that rocket

818

00:29:12,310 --> 00:29:10,799

was going up

819

00:29:14,630 --> 00:29:12,320

and i think a lot of people around the

820

00:29:16,789 --> 00:29:14,640

center did and i'm just wondering what

821

00:29:19,430 --> 00:29:16,799

your thoughts are on that that's a great

822

00:29:21,430 --> 00:29:19,440

question and maybe all three of us could

823

00:29:22,389 --> 00:29:21,440

answer what we think about that

824

00:29:24,950 --> 00:29:22,399

um

825

00:29:27,029 --> 00:29:24,960

about four months ago i was in an

826

00:29:28,870 --> 00:29:27,039

elevator with charlie bolden

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00:29:32,389 --> 00:29:28,880

and i said

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00:29:34,070 --> 00:29:32,399

you know junos is the first launch after

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00:29:36,070 --> 00:29:34,080

the last shuttle

830

00:29:37,990 --> 00:29:36,080

and we need to find a way

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00:29:41,430 --> 00:29:38,000

to engage the people that are going to

832

00:29:43,350 --> 00:29:41,440

feel that loss and so i said you know

833

00:29:44,630 --> 00:29:43,360

normally we invite 300 to a thousand

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00:29:47,350 --> 00:29:44,640

people out to

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00:29:49,350 --> 00:29:47,360

an expendable launch vehicle launch

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00:29:52,549 --> 00:29:49,360

i said charlie what do you think

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00:29:54,389 --> 00:29:52,559

about inviting 10 000 people

838

00:29:56,630 --> 00:29:54,399

and he said that's a great idea let's

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00:29:58,630 --> 00:29:56,640

figure out how to make that happen

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00:29:59,990 --> 00:29:58,640

and um you know i immediately backed

841

00:30:01,269 --> 00:30:00,000

away and i said oh well i don't know if

842

00:30:03,510 --> 00:30:01,279

i could do ten thousand maybe five

843

00:30:05,909 --> 00:30:03,520

thousand he said if you don't try

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00:30:08,070 --> 00:30:05,919

if you don't try then you won't make it

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00:30:09,430 --> 00:30:08,080

and latest estimates were that we beat

846

00:30:12,149 --> 00:30:09,440

the 10 000

847

00:30:13,350 --> 00:30:12,159

not just invitees but actual people that

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00:30:16,870 --> 00:30:13,360

watched

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00:30:18,549 --> 00:30:16,880

and we're extremely excited about

850

00:30:19,990 --> 00:30:18,559

coupling

851  
00:30:21,430 --> 00:30:20,000  
the uh

852  
00:30:24,310 --> 00:30:21,440  
the energy

853  
00:30:26,870 --> 00:30:24,320  
that the nation has with regard to human

854  
00:30:30,230 --> 00:30:26,880  
space flight into understanding what

855  
00:30:32,710 --> 00:30:30,240  
we're doing in science because right now

856  
00:30:35,190 --> 00:30:32,720  
science is really the positive face of

857  
00:30:37,510 --> 00:30:35,200  
this agency we're looking very forward

858  
00:30:40,149 --> 00:30:37,520  
to what we can tell the world about what

859  
00:30:41,909 --> 00:30:40,159  
we're doing in planetary science

860  
00:30:44,230 --> 00:30:41,919  
and you know stick around it's going to

861  
00:30:45,350 --> 00:30:44,240  
be a great year we've got grail and msl

862  
00:30:47,909 --> 00:30:45,360  
coming up

863  
00:30:50,630 --> 00:30:47,919

and it's just going to be fantastic

864

00:30:53,430 --> 00:30:50,640

you guys have comments on that

865

00:30:57,029 --> 00:30:53,440

um well i mean it was exciting it's sort

866

00:30:59,350 --> 00:30:57,039

of a privilege i feel um to be in that

867

00:31:01,110 --> 00:30:59,360

that transition spot and have the

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00:31:03,509 --> 00:31:01,120

attention in the spotlight that comes

869

00:31:04,950 --> 00:31:03,519

with that um you know we didn't plan

870

00:31:06,710 --> 00:31:04,960

this when we were figuring out when to

871

00:31:08,389 --> 00:31:06,720

launch we were just trying to figure out

872

00:31:09,990 --> 00:31:08,399

you know when are we going to finish and

873

00:31:11,669 --> 00:31:10,000

where's jupiter and where's earth and

874

00:31:14,710 --> 00:31:11,679

how do we get there

875

00:31:16,470 --> 00:31:14,720

and uh we picked our launch date and uh

876

00:31:18,789 --> 00:31:16,480

or i should say the launch date picked

877

00:31:20,230 --> 00:31:18,799

us and

878

00:31:22,710 --> 00:31:20,240

and then the shuttle program started to

879

00:31:24,630 --> 00:31:22,720

wind down and of course uh you know

880

00:31:26,389 --> 00:31:24,640

the exact last shuttle danced around a

881

00:31:28,710 --> 00:31:26,399

little bit and we ended up falling on

882

00:31:30,389 --> 00:31:28,720

that uh right where it is i have a great

883

00:31:32,070 --> 00:31:30,399

respect for the human space flight

884

00:31:34,470 --> 00:31:32,080

program and and the shuttle program i

885

00:31:36,470 --> 00:31:34,480

think they achieved incredible things

886

00:31:38,470 --> 00:31:36,480

and so i'm honored to you know be in

887

00:31:39,830 --> 00:31:38,480

this transition uh trying to help out a

888

00:31:41,990 --> 00:31:39,840

little bit i think you're right there's

889

00:31:44,389 --> 00:31:42,000

people that that feel a loss and and

890

00:31:47,509 --> 00:31:44,399

there's also um the public that needs to

891

00:31:50,310 --> 00:31:47,519

understand that um the nasa is more than

892

00:31:52,710 --> 00:31:50,320

about the shuttle um it's really about

893

00:31:55,830 --> 00:31:52,720

exploration in general and just reaching

894

00:31:58,870 --> 00:31:55,840

out trying to understand and and reach

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00:32:01,110 --> 00:31:58,880

ourselves both physically as humans out

896

00:32:03,669 --> 00:32:01,120

to the stars you know when i was a kid i

897

00:32:05,990 --> 00:32:03,679

used to look up you know from these dark

898

00:32:07,830 --> 00:32:06,000

fields and feel myself hurtling through

899

00:32:09,750 --> 00:32:07,840

space on this planet

900

00:32:11,269 --> 00:32:09,760

you know kind of on a rock i'm curling

901  
00:32:12,149 --> 00:32:11,279  
through this three-dimensional star

902  
00:32:13,509 --> 00:32:12,159  
field

903  
00:32:15,269 --> 00:32:13,519  
i used to imagine this of course i

904  
00:32:17,509 --> 00:32:15,279  
watched star trek too

905  
00:32:19,190 --> 00:32:17,519  
and um

906  
00:32:20,789 --> 00:32:19,200  
and i think that you know reaching out

907  
00:32:23,750 --> 00:32:20,799  
there trying to get out there is very

908  
00:32:25,430 --> 00:32:23,760  
important so i you know i i really uh

909  
00:32:27,669 --> 00:32:25,440  
love this the shuttle program and the

910  
00:32:29,830 --> 00:32:27,679  
apollo program that came before that but

911  
00:32:31,509 --> 00:32:29,840  
we're in this magical period and we need

912  
00:32:34,230 --> 00:32:31,519  
to make sure that everybody realizes

913  
00:32:36,549 --> 00:32:34,240

that nasa also reaches out to understand

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00:32:39,269 --> 00:32:36,559

nature with science and this is a

915

00:32:40,870 --> 00:32:39,279

platform to emphasize that to people and

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00:32:43,190 --> 00:32:40,880

so i think that

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00:32:45,669 --> 00:32:43,200

we're fortunate that

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00:32:48,389 --> 00:32:45,679

to be here and juno fortunately is sort

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00:32:50,070 --> 00:32:48,399

of an exciting fundamental mission

920

00:32:53,190 --> 00:32:50,080

that can carry that kind of thing

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00:32:58,470 --> 00:32:56,789

jan you may have your own views

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00:32:59,909 --> 00:32:58,480

i i would just like i agree with what

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00:33:01,269 --> 00:32:59,919

jim and scott said and i guess i would

924

00:33:03,590 --> 00:33:01,279

just like to add that

925

00:33:06,230 --> 00:33:03,600

it's uh it's serendipitous that we are

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00:33:08,549 --> 00:33:06,240

the first mission to launch um in the

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00:33:10,070 --> 00:33:08,559

post shuttle era and i'd like to think

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00:33:15,269 --> 00:33:10,080

that the

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00:33:17,990 --> 00:33:15,279

flight program has generated in the

930

00:33:20,630 --> 00:33:18,000

american and world population

931

00:33:22,549 --> 00:33:20,640

will carry over to the

932

00:33:25,110 --> 00:33:22,559

planetary scientific missions a little

933

00:33:27,029 --> 00:33:25,120

more than it used to as jim pointed out

934

00:33:29,590 --> 00:33:27,039

you know it's unusual to get 10 000

935

00:33:32,149 --> 00:33:29,600

people at a planetary launch

936

00:33:34,070 --> 00:33:32,159

an unmanned launch and so i'm just happy

937

00:33:36,310 --> 00:33:34,080

for the opportunity to

938

00:33:38,870 --> 00:33:36,320

uh publicize the great science that

939

00:33:40,310 --> 00:33:38,880

we're doing and maybe we're getting some

940

00:33:42,470 --> 00:33:40,320

of that because we're riding on the

941

00:33:46,310 --> 00:33:42,480

coattails of the excitement and

942

00:33:47,830 --> 00:33:46,320

emotion of the last shuttle launch

943

00:33:49,669 --> 00:33:47,840

all right that's going to conclude our

944

00:33:51,750 --> 00:33:49,679

launch coverage today

945

00:33:54,310 --> 00:33:51,760

and we're going to close out now with a

946

00:33:55,430 --> 00:33:54,320

replay of the launch from earlier this

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00:34:05,350 --> 00:33:55,440

afternoon

948

00:34:07,909 --> 00:34:06,950

t minus 10

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00:34:08,790 --> 00:34:07,919

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950

00:34:09,829 --> 00:34:08,800

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951  
00:34:10,710 --> 00:34:09,839  
7

952  
00:34:11,669 --> 00:34:10,720  
6

953  
00:34:12,629 --> 00:34:11,679  
5

954  
00:34:13,669 --> 00:34:12,639  
4

955  
00:34:14,629 --> 00:34:13,679  
3

956  
00:34:15,510 --> 00:34:14,639  
2

957  
00:34:16,950 --> 00:34:15,520  
1

958  
00:34:20,950 --> 00:34:16,960  
ignition

959  
00:34:23,750 --> 00:34:20,960  
and liftoff of the atlas 5 with juno on

960  
00:34:25,990 --> 00:34:23,760  
a trek to jupiter a planetary piece of

961  
00:34:27,109 --> 00:34:26,000  
the puzzle on the beginning of our solar

962  
00:34:29,109 --> 00:34:27,119  
system

963  
00:34:31,829 --> 00:34:29,119

patriarch rule program is in progress

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00:34:36,869 --> 00:34:31,839

vehicle body rates look good

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00:34:40,069 --> 00:34:38,310

some big chamber pressures have

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00:34:42,069 --> 00:34:40,079

plateaued rolling all the signatures

967

00:34:53,589 --> 00:34:42,079

look good rd180 operation looks

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00:34:53,599 --> 00:34:56,389

mach 1

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00:34:56,399 --> 00:35:05,030

smb chambers continue to roll off