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00:00:20,230 --> 00:00:17,430
good evening and welcome to nasa's

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00:00:22,710 --> 00:00:20,240
kennedy space center in florida for the

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00:00:24,310 --> 00:00:22,720
spacex crs 11 post launch news

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00:00:26,630 --> 00:00:24,320
conference we wouldn't be here if it

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00:00:28,390 --> 00:00:26,640
weren't a tremendously successful day

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00:00:31,589 --> 00:00:28,400
and we're all very pleased to be here

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00:00:33,270 --> 00:00:31,599
and i'm happy to be joined by to my left

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00:00:35,030 --> 00:00:33,280
mr ven fenn

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00:00:37,270 --> 00:00:35,040
manager of the international space

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00:00:38,950 --> 00:00:37,280
station transportation integration

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00:00:40,549 --> 00:00:38,960
office at johnson space center in

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00:00:44,310 --> 00:00:40,559
houston

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00:00:49,670 --> 00:00:47,190

hans kunigsmann spacex vice president of

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00:00:51,590 --> 00:00:49,680

build and flight reliability and the

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00:00:53,510 --> 00:00:51,600

chief engineer on console for today's

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00:00:55,350 --> 00:00:53,520

successful launch gentlemen thank you

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00:00:57,029 --> 00:00:55,360

for joining me thank you michael and

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00:00:59,029 --> 00:00:57,039

we'll start off with uh some opening

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00:01:00,950 --> 00:00:59,039

statements great uh it's great to be

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00:01:03,110 --> 00:01:00,960

here thank you very much um and

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00:01:05,030 --> 00:01:03,120

congratulations to our spacex colleagues

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00:01:07,590 --> 00:01:05,040

another uh wonderful launch we're very

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00:01:08,789 --> 00:01:07,600

much looking forward to having a dragon

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00:01:10,789 --> 00:01:08,799

come visit

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00:01:12,550 --> 00:01:10,799

come back to visit the space station

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00:01:14,710 --> 00:01:12,560

in this case especially so because this

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00:01:19,030 --> 00:01:14,720

dragon uh was one that had come to us

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00:01:21,350 --> 00:01:19,040

previously back in 2014 on um crs4

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00:01:23,109 --> 00:01:21,360

let's see it's been the space station is

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00:01:25,749 --> 00:01:23,119

in excellent shape ready to receive

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00:01:27,270 --> 00:01:25,759

dragon it's been a busy couple of days

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00:01:29,830 --> 00:01:27,280

and a busy weekend

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00:01:33,030 --> 00:01:29,840

yesterday the crew members for 49 s did

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00:01:35,030 --> 00:01:33,040

safely land in kazakhstan this morning

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00:01:36,789 --> 00:01:35,040

the on-orbit crew

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00:01:38,310 --> 00:01:36,799

packed finished packing cygnus and

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00:01:39,910 --> 00:01:38,320

closed the hatch

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00:01:42,069 --> 00:01:39,920

tomorrow they'll unbirth cygnus and

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00:01:44,149 --> 00:01:42,079

that'll clear the way for dragon to come

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00:01:45,910 --> 00:01:44,159

back to space station on monday at 10

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00:01:49,350 --> 00:01:45,920

a.m eastern

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00:01:52,149 --> 00:01:49,360

thank you okay thank you hans i'm super

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00:01:54,310 --> 00:01:52,159

happy as always after a good launch

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00:01:56,870 --> 00:01:54,320

and i do want to really thank nasa for

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00:01:59,429 --> 00:01:56,880

the opportunity to bring up cargo and uh

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00:02:01,590 --> 00:01:59,439

and and and do what we uh what we love

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00:02:03,990 --> 00:02:01,600

to do launching rockets and deploying

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00:02:05,830 --> 00:02:04,000

spacecraft and um

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00:02:09,270 --> 00:02:05,840

also like to uh like the opportunity to

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00:02:11,029 --> 00:02:09,280

thank the team falcon19 did super great

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00:02:14,070 --> 00:02:11,039

today

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00:02:16,309 --> 00:02:14,080

and uh pat team work worked awesome

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00:02:17,670 --> 00:02:16,319

dragon team is uh it's very busy right

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00:02:20,390 --> 00:02:17,680

now i'm pretty sure they're doing

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00:02:22,630 --> 00:02:20,400

they're doing excellent and then 41st

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00:02:25,110 --> 00:02:22,640

spaceping and the faa that

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00:02:26,390 --> 00:02:25,120

support us uh you know in a very great

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00:02:28,150 --> 00:02:26,400

way today too

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00:02:29,750 --> 00:02:28,160

so and and in particular the person i

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00:02:30,949 --> 00:02:29,760

would like to thank is my micheline this

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00:02:32,630 --> 00:02:30,959

was not uh

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00:02:34,150 --> 00:02:32,640

not here at this press conference but

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00:02:37,110 --> 00:02:34,160

who was at the other press conference

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00:02:38,550 --> 00:02:37,120

for opening the skies and clearing the

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00:02:41,670 --> 00:02:38,560

the clouds and

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00:02:43,830 --> 00:02:41,680

making making it possible to launch

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00:02:45,110 --> 00:02:43,840

through the florida afternoon summer

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00:02:47,750 --> 00:02:45,120

afternoon

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00:02:51,670 --> 00:02:50,229

dragon is on orbit the solar arrays are

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00:02:53,750 --> 00:02:51,680

deployed

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00:02:55,670 --> 00:02:53,760

they're working working well they're you

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00:02:56,710 --> 00:02:55,680

know pointing to the sun and producing

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00:02:59,509 --> 00:02:56,720

power

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00:03:01,509 --> 00:02:59,519

um we will we will open the guidance and

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00:03:04,550 --> 00:03:01,519

control door um

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00:03:05,750 --> 00:03:04,560

a little bit later today and then

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00:03:07,750 --> 00:03:05,760

as

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00:03:09,030 --> 00:03:07,760

you already heard um dragon is going to

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00:03:11,830 --> 00:03:09,040

birth

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00:03:12,710 --> 00:03:11,840

with the station on monday morning uh

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00:03:15,589 --> 00:03:12,720

yeah

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00:03:17,830 --> 00:03:15,599

10 10 a.m exactly

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00:03:21,270 --> 00:03:17,840

and the falcon 9 second stage has been

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00:03:23,110 --> 00:03:21,280

deorbited it it landed

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00:03:24,949 --> 00:03:23,120

in the ocean south

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00:03:28,229 --> 00:03:24,959

west of australia

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00:03:30,830 --> 00:03:28,239

and from what i can tell the mission was

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00:03:33,830 --> 00:03:30,840

excellent and a great success and had

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00:03:36,550 --> 00:03:33,840

no no hiccups

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00:03:38,390 --> 00:03:36,560

the countdown was very smooth very quiet

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00:03:40,149 --> 00:03:38,400

i had the opportunity to be back in my

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00:03:42,149 --> 00:03:40,159

chief engineer role today

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00:03:44,229 --> 00:03:42,159

and i really enjoyed it enjoyed it

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00:03:45,830 --> 00:03:44,239

greatly and it was great fun maybe i do

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00:03:46,949 --> 00:03:45,840

this again

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00:03:50,550 --> 00:03:46,959

so

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00:03:54,390 --> 00:03:52,630

we agree thank you hans

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00:03:55,350 --> 00:03:54,400

okay at this time we'll take questions

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00:03:56,949 --> 00:03:55,360

and

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00:03:59,670 --> 00:03:56,959

for those of you who are following on

101
00:04:03,910 --> 00:03:59,680
social media please use the hashtag

102
00:04:05,429 --> 00:04:03,920
asknasa emily from our nasa social media

103
00:04:07,670 --> 00:04:05,439
group is here to

104
00:04:09,429 --> 00:04:07,680
facilitate getting your questions out if

105
00:04:11,110 --> 00:04:09,439
you're in the room please raise your

106
00:04:13,509 --> 00:04:11,120
hand if you have a question

107
00:04:15,190 --> 00:04:13,519
wait for the radio microphone state your

108
00:04:16,949 --> 00:04:15,200
name and affiliation

109
00:04:19,030 --> 00:04:16,959
and to whom you're addressing your

110
00:04:22,390 --> 00:04:19,040
question and we'll go ahead and take

111
00:04:24,390 --> 00:04:22,400
questions uh chris here in the front row

112
00:04:26,790 --> 00:04:24,400
uh chris gebhardt with nasa space flight

113
00:04:28,469 --> 00:04:26,800

um with one for both of you um for hans

114

00:04:30,469 --> 00:04:28,479

i'm wondering if you can talk a little

115

00:04:32,310 --> 00:04:30,479

bit about recovery operations for the

116

00:04:33,990 --> 00:04:32,320

booster i understand this is the first

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00:04:35,670 --> 00:04:34,000

time you're going to start streamlining

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00:04:38,550 --> 00:04:35,680

some of those processes for recovering

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00:04:40,550 --> 00:04:38,560

the booster once it's landed

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00:04:43,189 --> 00:04:40,560

and for the nasa question um can you

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00:04:45,670 --> 00:04:43,199

talk a little bit about cygnus um being

122

00:04:50,390 --> 00:04:45,680

unbirthed about a month ahead of when it

123

00:04:54,230 --> 00:04:52,710

okay so i mean i think thanks for that

124

00:04:55,590 --> 00:04:54,240

question because i i

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00:04:57,990 --> 00:04:55,600

should also mention the first stage

126
00:04:59,430 --> 00:04:58,000
landed really really well on the landing

127
00:05:01,990 --> 00:04:59,440
zone run um

128
00:05:05,189 --> 00:05:02,000
from what i can tell was a

129
00:05:07,510 --> 00:05:05,199
an excellent centered landing and uh

130
00:05:09,749 --> 00:05:07,520
and um we're gonna you know take the

131
00:05:11,749 --> 00:05:09,759
next couple days to uh

132
00:05:13,350 --> 00:05:11,759
to save it break it over and then bring

133
00:05:14,469 --> 00:05:13,360
it in the hangar and

134
00:05:16,070 --> 00:05:14,479
inspect it

135
00:05:18,310 --> 00:05:16,080
as you pointed out um we're gonna

136
00:05:20,150 --> 00:05:18,320
streamline it so it's gonna be um

137
00:05:21,189 --> 00:05:20,160
uh less inspections probably than the

138
00:05:23,270 --> 00:05:21,199

first one

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00:05:24,790 --> 00:05:23,280

and um and then we got to decide what we

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00:05:26,629 --> 00:05:24,800

do with that uh with this particular

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00:05:28,950 --> 00:05:26,639

booster

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00:05:31,430 --> 00:05:28,960

okay oh go ahead sorry with respect to

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00:05:33,189 --> 00:05:31,440

cygnus um yeah it's just demonstrating

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00:05:35,189 --> 00:05:33,199

its operational flexibility so a few

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00:05:37,510 --> 00:05:35,199

months ago it came up and delivered

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00:05:41,110 --> 00:05:37,520

about 3000 kilograms worth of

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00:05:43,510 --> 00:05:41,120

cargo resupply and research and um based

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00:05:44,870 --> 00:05:43,520

on its um it's we got everything out we

149

00:05:46,790 --> 00:05:44,880

got everything back in it's completely

150

00:05:48,870 --> 00:05:46,800

packed it's full of disposal as well as

151
00:05:50,629 --> 00:05:48,880
a few other experiments so because it's

152
00:05:53,110 --> 00:05:50,639
full we decided since we had this one

153
00:05:55,590 --> 00:05:53,120
day opportunity after the launch scrub

154
00:05:57,670 --> 00:05:55,600
on the first to go ahead and unbirth

155
00:05:59,510 --> 00:05:57,680
cygnus now it's got two experiments it's

156
00:06:01,110 --> 00:05:59,520
doing after

157
00:06:02,629 --> 00:06:01,120
post unbirth

158
00:06:03,909 --> 00:06:02,639
so it's going to stick around in orbit

159
00:06:05,670 --> 00:06:03,919
for about a week so it's going to do the

160
00:06:07,830 --> 00:06:05,680
sapphire experiment as well as deploy

161
00:06:10,469 --> 00:06:07,840
some nanoracks external deployers

162
00:06:11,590 --> 00:06:10,479
external payloads

163
00:06:13,830 --> 00:06:11,600

uh ken

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00:06:16,309 --> 00:06:13,840

hi ken cramer from universe today in the

165

00:06:19,270 --> 00:06:16,319

northeast astronomy forum for um

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00:06:21,430 --> 00:06:19,280

for hanson for nasa for hunts um

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00:06:22,790 --> 00:06:21,440

can you talk about um any improvements

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00:06:24,629 --> 00:06:22,800

that you have made you've learned

169

00:06:26,070 --> 00:06:24,639

lessons from from landing we talked

170

00:06:27,510 --> 00:06:26,080

about that a little bit before that you

171

00:06:28,870 --> 00:06:27,520

learned a couple i wonder if you have

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00:06:29,749 --> 00:06:28,880

applied any

173

00:06:32,150 --> 00:06:29,759

um

174

00:06:34,629 --> 00:06:32,160

to this to this boot to this booster

175

00:06:36,629 --> 00:06:34,639

like the grid fins changing or the paint

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00:06:38,710 --> 00:06:36,639

on the side or anything else to the

177

00:06:41,990 --> 00:06:38,720

engine that you can tell about about any

178

00:06:44,309 --> 00:06:42,000

engines and um for the for for nasa the

179

00:06:46,469 --> 00:06:44,319

how long um crew supplies we have now uh

180

00:06:49,110 --> 00:06:46,479

with this mission for the astronauts uh

181

00:06:51,749 --> 00:06:49,120

on the iss

182

00:06:53,909 --> 00:06:51,759

so um on this one the there's a visible

183

00:06:55,909 --> 00:06:53,919

change on the landing zone we um paint

184

00:06:57,510 --> 00:06:55,919

the deck

185

00:07:00,629 --> 00:06:57,520

with something that is more conductive

186

00:07:02,790 --> 00:07:00,639

that's the one you can see when you

187

00:07:07,110 --> 00:07:02,800

watch the camera on the first stage

188

00:07:10,550 --> 00:07:07,120

um other than that um we we fine-tune

189

00:07:13,110 --> 00:07:10,560

um minor parts and components

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00:07:14,550 --> 00:07:13,120

um not not overall a whole lot of

191

00:07:16,230 --> 00:07:14,560

changes

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00:07:19,749 --> 00:07:16,240

nothing good

193

00:07:23,670 --> 00:07:21,830

okay and with respect to uh consumables

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00:07:25,270 --> 00:07:23,680

on board we're in really good shape on

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00:07:27,350 --> 00:07:25,280

board right now it's uh greater than six

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00:07:29,189 --> 00:07:27,360

months i think in all categories there

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00:07:31,110 --> 00:07:29,199

is some food going up and i get those

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00:07:33,110 --> 00:07:31,120

exact numbers for you afterwards

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00:07:35,110 --> 00:07:33,120

but but really the utility of

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00:07:37,189 --> 00:07:35,120

spacex and the spacex mission is science

201
00:07:38,710 --> 00:07:37,199
so we have literally tons of science

202
00:07:41,830 --> 00:07:38,720
going up on this so it's been focused

203
00:07:43,350 --> 00:07:41,840
more towards utilization and research

204
00:07:46,150 --> 00:07:43,360
but but we're in good shape as far as

205
00:07:47,749 --> 00:07:46,160
consumables on board

206
00:07:49,110 --> 00:07:47,759
okay we'll take a question here then

207
00:07:51,110 --> 00:07:49,120
then we'll go to the phone for a

208
00:07:53,350 --> 00:07:51,120
question and then uh emily has a couple

209
00:07:54,869 --> 00:07:53,360
of social media questions we'll take hi

210
00:07:56,629 --> 00:07:54,879
stephen clark from space flight now a

211
00:07:58,550 --> 00:07:56,639
couple of questions uh one for each of

212
00:08:01,029 --> 00:07:58,560
you i guess for hans

213
00:08:03,350 --> 00:08:01,039

with the two-day weather delay um

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00:08:05,029 --> 00:08:03,360

does that impact your launch date

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00:08:08,070 --> 00:08:05,039

mid-june at all

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00:08:09,189 --> 00:08:08,080

for bulgaria set and for um

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00:08:11,270 --> 00:08:09,199

vin

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00:08:15,189 --> 00:08:11,280

can you talk a little bit about

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00:08:17,909 --> 00:08:15,199

your status on crs-2 the crs-2 providers

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00:08:19,909 --> 00:08:17,919

have you turned on any missions uh or

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00:08:21,189 --> 00:08:19,919

ordered any missions uh

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00:08:23,430 --> 00:08:21,199

from any of the three providers that you

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00:08:24,830 --> 00:08:23,440

have under crs-2 yet and if so which

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00:08:27,589 --> 00:08:24,840

ones

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00:08:29,350 --> 00:08:27,599

thanks so with respect to the bulgaria

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00:08:31,670 --> 00:08:29,360

then the next launch basically um it's

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00:08:33,990 --> 00:08:31,680

still mid mid-june we gotta we gotta

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00:08:36,630 --> 00:08:34,000

evaluate um if if anything moves um but

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00:08:38,310 --> 00:08:36,640

that's currently that's not um

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00:08:39,269 --> 00:08:38,320

not planned for

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00:08:41,029 --> 00:08:39,279

um

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00:08:43,029 --> 00:08:41,039

i guess that was all the questions you

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00:08:45,509 --> 00:08:43,039

had from me right okay

234

00:08:47,190 --> 00:08:45,519

yeah let's see uh with respect to crs2

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00:08:48,550 --> 00:08:47,200

yeah all three of our vendors are in

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00:08:51,110 --> 00:08:48,560

very good shape

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00:08:52,710 --> 00:08:51,120

they've all completed their first three

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00:08:53,750 --> 00:08:52,720

iss integration reviews that was a

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00:08:56,310 --> 00:08:53,760

kickoff

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00:08:57,910 --> 00:08:56,320

that was requirements review and then

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00:08:59,350 --> 00:08:57,920

preliminary design type review and all

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00:09:00,310 --> 00:08:59,360

of them making progress towards the

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00:09:01,590 --> 00:09:00,320

dates

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00:09:03,030 --> 00:09:01,600

that they need to for the iss

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00:09:05,030 --> 00:09:03,040

integration portion

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00:09:07,269 --> 00:09:05,040

we have turned on one mission so far in

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00:09:08,949 --> 00:09:07,279

crs2 and that's an orbital atk mission

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00:09:11,829 --> 00:09:08,959

and that was just due to mission needs

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00:09:13,590 --> 00:09:11,839

based on when their crs1

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00:09:15,750 --> 00:09:13,600

when we look at the overall fleet of

251
00:09:18,310 --> 00:09:15,760
resupply vehicles out in that time frame

252
00:09:20,870 --> 00:09:18,320
and what capabilities they are there are

253
00:09:25,269 --> 00:09:20,880
and where crs1 timing ends up and we've

254
00:09:29,110 --> 00:09:27,269
okay let's go to the telephone and take

255
00:09:31,750 --> 00:09:29,120
a call from james dean from florida

256
00:09:32,870 --> 00:09:31,760
today james

257
00:09:35,910 --> 00:09:32,880
all right thanks so much i had a couple

258
00:09:37,509 --> 00:09:35,920
questions for hans first on flight rate

259
00:09:39,190 --> 00:09:37,519
you mentioned before

260
00:09:40,870 --> 00:09:39,200
the launch how that's improving i wonder

261
00:09:42,550 --> 00:09:40,880
if you could comment on

262
00:09:44,710 --> 00:09:42,560
you know what is enabling you to to

263
00:09:45,750 --> 00:09:44,720

sustain this this pace you've achieved

264

00:09:47,910 --> 00:09:45,760

so far

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00:09:49,509 --> 00:09:47,920

this year and um

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00:09:51,190 --> 00:09:49,519

i i think if schedules were to hold you

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00:09:52,710 --> 00:09:51,200

have a particularly busy stretch coming

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00:09:54,310 --> 00:09:52,720

up with launches from

269

00:09:56,470 --> 00:09:54,320

both coasts is that a particular

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00:09:57,750 --> 00:09:56,480

challenge for you

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00:10:00,710 --> 00:09:57,760

sorry i'm not sure i captured the

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00:10:02,150 --> 00:10:00,720

question totally

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00:10:04,550 --> 00:10:02,160

yeah

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00:10:06,550 --> 00:10:04,560

james can you please ask that again uh

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00:10:09,110 --> 00:10:06,560

your audio is just a little bit uh low

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00:10:11,190 --> 00:10:09,120

here for us to hear

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00:10:12,630 --> 00:10:11,200

okay i'm sorry i'll try again uh hans i

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00:10:14,710 --> 00:10:12,640

wonder if you could comment on your

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00:10:16,069 --> 00:10:14,720

flight rate so far this year what is

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00:10:17,190 --> 00:10:16,079

enabling you

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00:10:19,509 --> 00:10:17,200

to

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00:10:21,910 --> 00:10:19,519

sustain this pace that you're at right

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00:10:24,230 --> 00:10:21,920

now and you have a busy stretch coming

284

00:10:26,230 --> 00:10:24,240

up with launches from both coasts is

285

00:10:27,910 --> 00:10:26,240

that going to be a particular challenge

286

00:10:29,910 --> 00:10:27,920

for you coming up soon

287

00:10:31,430 --> 00:10:29,920

uh okay um yeah

288

00:10:32,949 --> 00:10:31,440

thank you that's a that's actually an

289

00:10:36,069 --> 00:10:32,959

excellent question um

290

00:10:38,870 --> 00:10:36,079

so a lot of that is um turning things

291

00:10:39,750 --> 00:10:38,880

into routine i would say and learning

292

00:10:41,990 --> 00:10:39,760

um

293

00:10:45,030 --> 00:10:42,000

just to deal with this operation better

294

00:10:47,110 --> 00:10:45,040

and better every time

295

00:10:49,190 --> 00:10:47,120

the situation that we launched from both

296

00:10:50,710 --> 00:10:49,200

coasts is something that uh

297

00:10:53,110 --> 00:10:50,720

is uh

298

00:10:54,949 --> 00:10:53,120

somewhat new for us we've had this in

299

00:10:57,750 --> 00:10:54,959

and and you know with a little bit of

300

00:11:00,230 --> 00:10:57,760

separation in the past um

301
00:11:02,949 --> 00:11:00,240
and uh we've uh we've set up the teams

302
00:11:05,590 --> 00:11:02,959
to be able to cope with that and uh

303
00:11:08,630 --> 00:11:05,600
basically have the ability to uh

304
00:11:10,230 --> 00:11:08,640
to launch from both sides uh within you

305
00:11:12,829 --> 00:11:10,240
know a short

306
00:11:21,430 --> 00:11:15,590
period okay um we have another caller on

307
00:11:26,150 --> 00:11:24,310
hi uh first off congratulations on the

308
00:11:27,110 --> 00:11:26,160
successful reuse of the the dragon

309
00:11:28,710 --> 00:11:27,120
capsule

310
00:11:30,630 --> 00:11:28,720
uh i was wondering now that you've

311
00:11:32,710 --> 00:11:30,640
achieved both the uh the first reuse of

312
00:11:35,190 --> 00:11:32,720
the first stage and the dragon capsule

313
00:11:35,990 --> 00:11:35,200

uh has nasa given any interest in using

314

00:11:45,030 --> 00:11:36,000

a

315

00:11:47,750 --> 00:11:45,040

question goes to you right yes so um so

316

00:11:50,230 --> 00:11:47,760

we are uh that that question has been

317

00:11:52,629 --> 00:11:50,240

posed we we are looking at it

318

00:11:55,430 --> 00:11:52,639

uh we are we're evaluating every aspect

319

00:11:58,069 --> 00:11:55,440

of it very carefully and there is no

320

00:11:59,990 --> 00:11:58,079

schedule yet when we might

321

00:12:01,750 --> 00:12:00,000

go down that path but but we're looking

322

00:12:02,710 --> 00:12:01,760

at it

323

00:12:06,069 --> 00:12:02,720

okay

324

00:12:08,230 --> 00:12:06,079

see how things are shaping up on social

325

00:12:10,150 --> 00:12:08,240

media emily do you have some questions

326

00:12:11,750 --> 00:12:10,160

yeah thanks mike uh this question is

327

00:12:13,269 --> 00:12:11,760

from mary robinette and she wants to

328

00:12:15,190 --> 00:12:13,279

know with the successful reuse of the

329

00:12:16,949 --> 00:12:15,200

dragon capsule and falcon 9's beautiful

330

00:12:18,790 --> 00:12:16,959

landing what's the next milestone you're

331

00:12:20,230 --> 00:12:18,800

aiming for

332

00:12:28,629 --> 00:12:20,240

um

333

00:12:30,629 --> 00:12:28,639

milestones coming up with falcon heavy

334

00:12:33,750 --> 00:12:30,639

and and crew dragon um

335

00:12:36,150 --> 00:12:33,760

uh both later this year so um

336

00:12:38,629 --> 00:12:36,160

uh that keeps us busy

337

00:12:39,990 --> 00:12:38,639

and um

338

00:12:42,790 --> 00:12:40,000

yeah what's i would say those are the

339

00:12:43,910 --> 00:12:42,800

the two the two major major milestones

340

00:12:45,750 --> 00:12:43,920

coming up

341

00:12:48,949 --> 00:12:45,760

it's so that that's actually those are

342

00:12:52,389 --> 00:12:50,310

great there are two more questions from

343

00:12:53,750 --> 00:12:52,399

social media this one's from joe foster

344

00:12:56,790 --> 00:12:53,760

how many missions do you think you can

345

00:12:59,269 --> 00:12:56,800

continue to reuse a dragon capsule

346

00:13:01,910 --> 00:12:59,279

so we we

347

00:13:03,990 --> 00:13:01,920

we planned for multiple missions um to

348

00:13:04,790 --> 00:13:04,000

be to be able to use dragon

349

00:13:06,230 --> 00:13:04,800

and

350

00:13:08,629 --> 00:13:06,240

when this dragon comes back we will

351

00:13:10,629 --> 00:13:08,639

evaluate and see if we um

352

00:13:12,949 --> 00:13:10,639

you know i described this last time you

353

00:13:15,110 --> 00:13:12,959

have this is like uh every component has

354

00:13:16,790 --> 00:13:15,120

a life and then every mission takes a

355

00:13:18,870 --> 00:13:16,800

little bit off and you have to have a

356

00:13:22,550 --> 00:13:18,880

certain life remaining basically in

357

00:13:24,310 --> 00:13:22,560

order to do the next mission with margin

358

00:13:26,150 --> 00:13:24,320

and and it depends a little bit on how

359

00:13:28,629 --> 00:13:26,160

that how that works out

360

00:13:31,030 --> 00:13:28,639

um if i had to guess probably a couple

361

00:13:33,910 --> 00:13:32,710

this last one's from matt camper he

362

00:13:36,870 --> 00:13:33,920

wants to know how did it feel to be the

363

00:13:37,350 --> 00:13:36,880

100th launch from 39a today

364

00:13:40,230 --> 00:13:37,360

great

365

00:13:41,829 --> 00:13:40,240

[Laughter]

366

00:13:42,870 --> 00:13:41,839

okay uh chris has a question here in the

367

00:13:45,430 --> 00:13:42,880

front row

368

00:13:48,069 --> 00:13:45,440

uh yeah for hans um what's the status of

369

00:13:49,590 --> 00:13:48,079

building the new landing pads at lz1 in

370

00:13:51,269 --> 00:13:49,600

preparation for falcon heavy later this

371

00:13:53,509 --> 00:13:51,279

year that's an excellent question i

372

00:13:56,550 --> 00:13:53,519

should have actually driven by that

373

00:13:59,750 --> 00:13:58,150

i don't think we're done with that yet

374

00:14:01,910 --> 00:13:59,760

but i think we started building it i

375

00:14:03,110 --> 00:14:01,920

mean it's just uh i i'm sorry i didn't i

376

00:14:09,509 --> 00:14:03,120

didn't have the time to drive by and

377

00:14:14,870 --> 00:14:11,509

stephen

378

00:14:16,790 --> 00:14:14,880

now again um

379

00:14:19,189 --> 00:14:16,800

your next mission i understand is sort

380

00:14:20,629 --> 00:14:19,199

of a longer mission for you bulgaria

381

00:14:21,590 --> 00:14:20,639

said i think it's something like six

382

00:14:24,150 --> 00:14:21,600

hours

383

00:14:26,710 --> 00:14:24,160

uh to spacecraft separation uh based on

384

00:14:28,710 --> 00:14:26,720

what i've heard from your customer

385

00:14:31,829 --> 00:14:28,720

um uh can you talk a little bit about

386

00:14:33,189 --> 00:14:31,839

that mission profile and and uh

387

00:14:35,189 --> 00:14:33,199

what's required to do that sort of

388

00:14:37,030 --> 00:14:35,199

injection

389

00:14:39,189 --> 00:14:37,040

uh are you sure

390

00:14:41,509 --> 00:14:39,199

um because i

391

00:14:43,509 --> 00:14:41,519

i didn't hear that so far and uh i would

392

00:14:44,949 --> 00:14:43,519

i would like you i would be

393

00:14:47,509 --> 00:14:44,959

you know i would have paid attention to

394

00:14:49,590 --> 00:14:47,519

that and um and looked into this more

395

00:14:51,350 --> 00:14:49,600

deeply but um

396

00:14:53,350 --> 00:14:51,360

i have to admit i i don't have the

397

00:14:55,430 --> 00:14:53,360

information on this

398

00:14:57,590 --> 00:14:55,440

it's it's it's from uh bulgaria said

399

00:14:58,710 --> 00:14:57,600

they did a journalist presentation uh

400

00:15:01,509 --> 00:14:58,720

last week

401
00:15:04,069 --> 00:15:01,519
um can we come back to you and maybe see

402
00:15:07,030 --> 00:15:04,079
if we can clarify that sure because i'd

403
00:15:10,310 --> 00:15:08,310
okay uh ken

404
00:15:11,430 --> 00:15:10,320
hi ken kramer again for hans um i was

405
00:15:13,670 --> 00:15:11,440
just wondering

406
00:15:16,230 --> 00:15:13,680
the dragon d you have considered using

407
00:15:17,990 --> 00:15:16,240
this as a as an orbiting science lab in

408
00:15:20,790 --> 00:15:18,000
the past i wonder do you have any any

409
00:15:21,990 --> 00:15:20,800
missions any plans any customers to fly

410
00:15:23,110 --> 00:15:22,000
the dragon

411
00:15:26,550 --> 00:15:23,120
in orbit

412
00:15:29,829 --> 00:15:28,230
i know i know we did we did consider

413
00:15:31,509 --> 00:15:29,839

that and i know we we worked on that but

414

00:15:33,670 --> 00:15:31,519

i don't know what the the current status

415

00:15:38,710 --> 00:15:33,680

on this project is whether we uh we will

416

00:15:41,670 --> 00:15:40,230

okay we're uh we're going to get the

417

00:15:44,389 --> 00:15:41,680

microphone to question here in the

418

00:15:46,550 --> 00:15:44,399

second row hi um mary ellen john from

419

00:15:48,389 --> 00:15:46,560

wave report space hans

420

00:15:50,230 --> 00:15:48,399

there's um some question about the

421

00:15:52,629 --> 00:15:50,240

damage that if there was any damage done

422

00:15:57,590 --> 00:15:52,639

to the dragon on the previous flight and

423

00:16:02,230 --> 00:15:59,110

on the previous flight you mean the

424

00:16:05,110 --> 00:16:02,240

flight before this flight the um ts so

425

00:16:05,990 --> 00:16:05,120

this dragon flew on crs-4

426
00:16:07,509 --> 00:16:06,000
and

427
00:16:10,310 --> 00:16:07,519
from what i can tell there was no

428
00:16:12,629 --> 00:16:10,320
particular damage when i say it takes

429
00:16:14,949 --> 00:16:12,639
lives of of components that's just

430
00:16:16,629 --> 00:16:14,959
normal operation that's basically just a

431
00:16:18,949 --> 00:16:16,639
shaking and rattling that you have

432
00:16:21,269 --> 00:16:18,959
during during launches and

433
00:16:23,509 --> 00:16:21,279
and it's not another particular damage

434
00:16:24,710 --> 00:16:23,519
per se that's what this the part is

435
00:16:26,790 --> 00:16:24,720
designed for

436
00:16:29,829 --> 00:16:26,800
i'm not aware of any damage to dragon on

437
00:16:31,749 --> 00:16:29,839
its then beyond that that usage

438
00:16:35,030 --> 00:16:31,759

uh the overall you know just the the

439

00:16:37,030 --> 00:16:35,040

normal normal usage on on last flight

440

00:16:39,269 --> 00:16:37,040

and then on the salt water front

441

00:16:43,269 --> 00:16:39,279

we've made steady progress to um

442

00:16:45,990 --> 00:16:45,030

just being in a salty atmosphere is

443

00:16:50,389 --> 00:16:46,000

usually

444

00:16:52,230 --> 00:16:50,399

uh already uh pretty pretty bad so um my

445

00:16:54,629 --> 00:16:52,240

understanding is right now that we've

446

00:16:57,670 --> 00:16:54,639

cleaned this up pretty well and

447

00:17:00,949 --> 00:16:57,680

and and that allows us to use more and

448

00:17:03,670 --> 00:17:02,230

okay

449

00:17:05,829 --> 00:17:03,680

emily do you have any other questions

450

00:17:07,429 --> 00:17:05,839

that you'd like to ask at this time all

451
00:17:09,350 --> 00:17:07,439
right uh then we'll wrap things up with

452
00:17:10,390 --> 00:17:09,360
a final question from sawyer

453
00:17:12,470 --> 00:17:10,400
thank you very much mike sawyer

454
00:17:14,710 --> 00:17:12,480
rosenstein with talking space uh for

455
00:17:16,230 --> 00:17:14,720
hans with the launches picking up now

456
00:17:18,630 --> 00:17:16,240
with there being more of them and with

457
00:17:21,270 --> 00:17:18,640
block five being capable of doing barge

458
00:17:23,189 --> 00:17:21,280
or land landings uh can you talk a

459
00:17:24,710 --> 00:17:23,199
little bit about the process for example

460
00:17:27,189 --> 00:17:24,720
two weeks coming up between launches in

461
00:17:28,470 --> 00:17:27,199
the decision process on barge versus

462
00:17:30,310 --> 00:17:28,480
land landings

463
00:17:32,390 --> 00:17:30,320

so the barge versus land landing is

464

00:17:33,830 --> 00:17:32,400

always driven by

465

00:17:35,750 --> 00:17:33,840

i want to say how much fuel you have

466

00:17:37,510 --> 00:17:35,760

left after your main mission

467

00:17:39,750 --> 00:17:37,520

and if you have enough fuel left you you

468

00:17:41,830 --> 00:17:39,760

return to the land that's um in

469

00:17:43,990 --> 00:17:41,840

generally easier for us and saves money

470

00:17:46,630 --> 00:17:44,000

because we don't have to send the

471

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

drone ship out there

472

00:17:51,270 --> 00:17:48,960

in general it seems that drone ship and

473

00:17:53,669 --> 00:17:51,280

land landing are equally

474

00:17:56,470 --> 00:17:53,679

um i don't want to say easy

475

00:17:59,190 --> 00:17:56,480

but for for the rocket itself it seems

476

00:18:00,470 --> 00:17:59,200

to be the same basically

477

00:18:02,549 --> 00:18:00,480

in terms of

478

00:18:05,029 --> 00:18:02,559

of of hitting the the deck and hitting

479

00:18:08,150 --> 00:18:05,039

the the the landing spot

480

00:18:11,029 --> 00:18:08,160

or rather landing on the right spot

481

00:18:12,950 --> 00:18:11,039

so the decision is literally just

482

00:18:14,390 --> 00:18:12,960

depending on how

483

00:18:16,710 --> 00:18:14,400

how much fuel you have left and that

484

00:18:18,470 --> 00:18:16,720

depends on the orbit on the satellite

485

00:18:21,510 --> 00:18:18,480

how heavy the satellite is what kind of

486

00:18:23,270 --> 00:18:21,520

mission it is and

487

00:18:25,590 --> 00:18:23,280

and all these these factors so we know

488

00:18:28,390 --> 00:18:25,600

this in generally we know this um

489

00:18:30,549 --> 00:18:28,400

a while before i mean it's not not the

490

00:18:31,830 --> 00:18:30,559

two weeks um you know this month ahead

491

00:18:33,750 --> 00:18:31,840

of time

492

00:18:35,510 --> 00:18:33,760

so then you're working your schedules to

493

00:18:37,669 --> 00:18:35,520

adjust to try and account for the

494

00:18:39,669 --> 00:18:37,679

payload for that as well yeah i mean the

495

00:18:42,390 --> 00:18:39,679

two weeks um at the at the end of the

496

00:18:44,630 --> 00:18:42,400

day um yeah we you need to get the

497

00:18:46,310 --> 00:18:44,640

vehicle and the payload ready and um and

498

00:18:47,270 --> 00:18:46,320

we have multiple places where we can do

499

00:18:49,669 --> 00:18:47,280

this now

500

00:18:52,310 --> 00:18:49,679

so it's

501
00:18:55,029 --> 00:18:53,190
okay

502
00:18:56,789 --> 00:18:55,039
thank you very much for coming

503
00:18:58,549 --> 00:18:56,799
before we leave i wanted to

504
00:19:01,350 --> 00:18:58,559
let you know a couple of

505
00:19:03,190 --> 00:19:01,360
notes on nasa television before dragon

506
00:19:05,909 --> 00:19:03,200
arrives at the space station as venn was

507
00:19:08,150 --> 00:19:05,919
talking about orbital atk's cygnus cargo

508
00:19:09,590 --> 00:19:08,160
spacecraft is set to depart the station

509
00:19:12,549 --> 00:19:09,600
tomorrow

510
00:19:14,310 --> 00:19:12,559
expedition 52 flight engineers uh peggy

511
00:19:16,789 --> 00:19:14,320
whitson and jack fisher will be

512
00:19:19,270 --> 00:19:16,799
operating the robot arm nasa television

513
00:19:22,150 --> 00:19:19,280

coverage starts at 8 30 a.m eastern time

514

00:19:24,390 --> 00:19:22,160

for an expected 9 10 a.m release

515

00:19:26,549 --> 00:19:24,400

and then on monday dragon makes its

516

00:19:28,390 --> 00:19:26,559

arrival nasa television coverage will

517

00:19:31,110 --> 00:19:28,400

begin at 8 30 a.m

518

00:19:32,549 --> 00:19:31,120

for an expected capture at about 10 a.m

519

00:19:34,549 --> 00:19:32,559

eastern time

520

00:19:39,830 --> 00:19:34,559

and for more information on the spacex

521

00:19:42,070 --> 00:19:39,840

crs 11 mission please visit www.nasa.gov

522

00:19:46,950 --> 00:19:42,080

spacex and more information about the