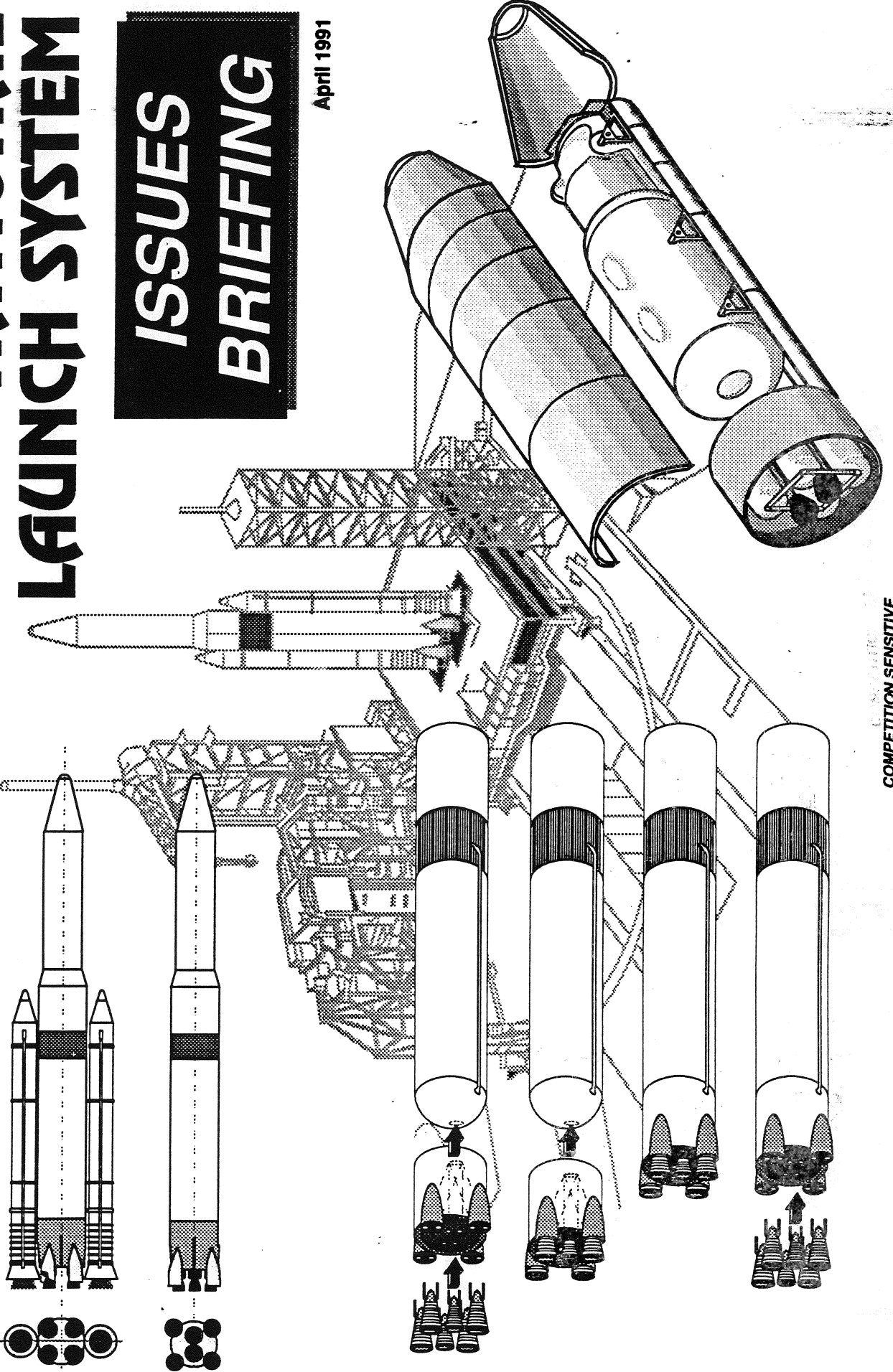




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HLLV PROCESSING ENHANCEMENTS ~~OVERSIS~~

• STREAMLINE PAPER SYSTEM

- LESS COMPLEX TECHNICAL OPERATION PROCEDURES (TOP'S) PROCESSING
- LESS ~~STANDARD~~ AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURES
- BAR CODE ACCOUNTING SYSTEM

• OPTIMIZE QUALITY VERIFICATION SYSTEM

- ~~2~~ TWO TECH SYSTEM FOR V^{'FLOOR'}WORK/BUY OPERATIONS
- QC V^{INSPECTOR}AUDITS COMPLETED PROCEDURES OFFLINE
- TASK LEADER RESPONSIBLE ~~FOR~~ ^{TO} UPHOLD QPRD VERIFICATION REQUIREMENT ON TOP'S.
- BAR CODE OMRS ACCOUNTING SYSTEM
- QUALITY ENGINEERING MAINTAINS LIFE/CYCLE ACCOUNTABILITY, ~~FOR~~ ^{HARDWARE FAILURE/INCIDENT} RECURRANCE STUDIES AND MONITORS OVERALL QUALITY CONTROL SYSTEM
- GOVERNMENT QUALITY ONLY INVOLVED ~~ON~~ ^{WITH} MAJOR INTEGRATED HARDWARE CRITICALITY I VERIFICATIONS.

• TEST/WORK OPERATIONS

- SYSTEM ORIENTED TECHNICIAN TEAMS ~~TEAM~~ ^{CERTIFIED BY SYSTEM}
- TASK LEADER (SYSTEM ENGINEER / ~~LEAD~~ ^{SENIOR} TECHNICIAN) RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCOMPLISHING TEST/OPERATION, ^{WITH AUTHORITY OVER TEAM} ~~WITH SPECIALIZED~~ ~~TECHNICIAN TEAM ANSWERING TO H~~
- PERFORM AS MUCH ELEMENT CHECKOUT AS POSSIBLE TO MINIMIZE INTEGRATED TESTING/ENHANCE 'LAUNCH ON DEMAND' CAPABILITY.

• VEHICLE/GSE DESIGN TO ENHANCE GROUND CHECKOUT

- AUTOMATED CHECKOUT / SERVICING ^{IN AVIONICS SYSTEMS}
- UTILIZE BITE CIRCUITS ~~AS MUCH AS PRA~~
- WELD JOINTS IN FLUID SYSTEMS TO ELIMINATE FITTINGS WHERE POSSIBLE.
- E/M TVC AND ENGINE VALVE CONTROL FOR CORE VEHICLE.

VAB INTEGRATED FLOW (5 DAYS)

PAD INTEGRATED FLOW (5 DAYS)

1.5 STAGE INTEGRATED VEHICLE PROCESSING

NASA

- △ CARGO ASSY IN TRANSFER AISLE
- CONN SLING/PREP FOR LIFT
- LIFT TRANS STAGE
- SOFT MATE
- HARD MATE
- SLING REMVL

CORE VEH RDY FOR CARGO

P/L PRECONNECT WRAP CKS

ELEC I/F CONNECTS

CARGO/CORE CONN CLOSEOUTS

CORE AVIONICS SYS CKS

△ CORE PWIR UP

CARGO INT

ROLLOUT PREPS

TRANSFER TO PAD (AS214)

△ MLP HARD DOWN

PAD VALIDATION (S0009)

MLP/LCC LN VER

△ CORE PWIR UP

LOAD FLT COMPUTER

HAZ GAS PREPS

CORE GUCP CONNECT

PAD/MLP LD2/LR2 LCKS/PURGE VER

LH2/LDR AUTO FUNK C/O

HW SAFING SYS C/O

CTV HYPER. PROP LOAD (S0024)

CTV HYPER PREPS

△ CALL TO STATIONS

ZZZ QD CONN

△ PAD CLEAR

ZZZ OXID FILL

△ QID DEMATES

ZZZ FUEL FILL

△ QID DEMATES

ZZZ HE PRES TO FLT/MSS/PROP TO REG LOCKUP

△ PAD OPEN

LOX DP & COND (S1005)

LH2 DP & COND (S1006)

TCDDT (S0017)

LOAD STRAEC'S

□ STIME FRT'S

□ G-LS AUTO SEQ/TVC CKS

△ T-O

IMU/GUIDANCE VER

ORDNANCE INSTL (S15009)

CORE AVIONICS CLOSEOUT

ZZZ TSM/GUCPT-O ORD

ORD CLOSEOUT

ZZZ TVC BATT INSTL

LAUNCH COUNTDOWN (i)

△ CALL TO STATIONS

□ AVIONICS & FLT CNTL ACT

FINAL NEM LOAD

□ STIMEC LOAD

AFT PLATFORM REMVL

□ TVC CK

FINAL CLOSEOUTS

CRYO LOAD PREPS

ZZZ CRYO LOAD

□ TERMINAL CNT

△ LAUNCH (T-O)

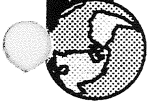
NOTES:

1. ASSUME CTV HYPER SERVICE SAME AS ORBITER FRCS
2. P/L ORD REQUIREMENTS NO GREATER THAN CORE STAGE
3. ASSUME SIMPLIFIED STIME FRT
4. NO LAUNCH PAD HELIUM SIGNATURE TEST
5. NO PLUGS OUT TEST

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CONCERNS:

1. ITEM 4. ABOVE
2. BATTERY INSTN ALLOWANCE
3. AFT CLOSEOUT ALLOWANCE



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AGENDA

- OVERVIEW** *Jim Madewell*
- CORE VEHICLE ANALYSIS** *Jim McCurry*
- CARGO TRANSFER VEHICLE** *Dick Collart*
- LAUNCH SITE PROCESSING** *Gary Letchworth*
- SUMMARY** *Jim Madewell*

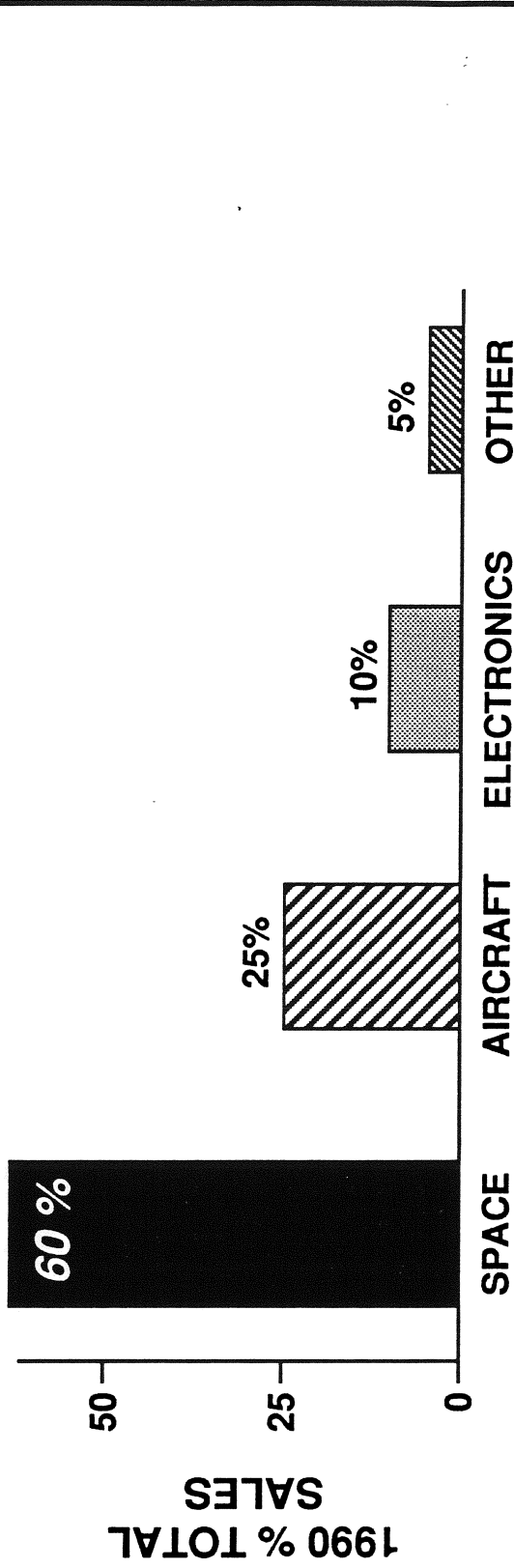


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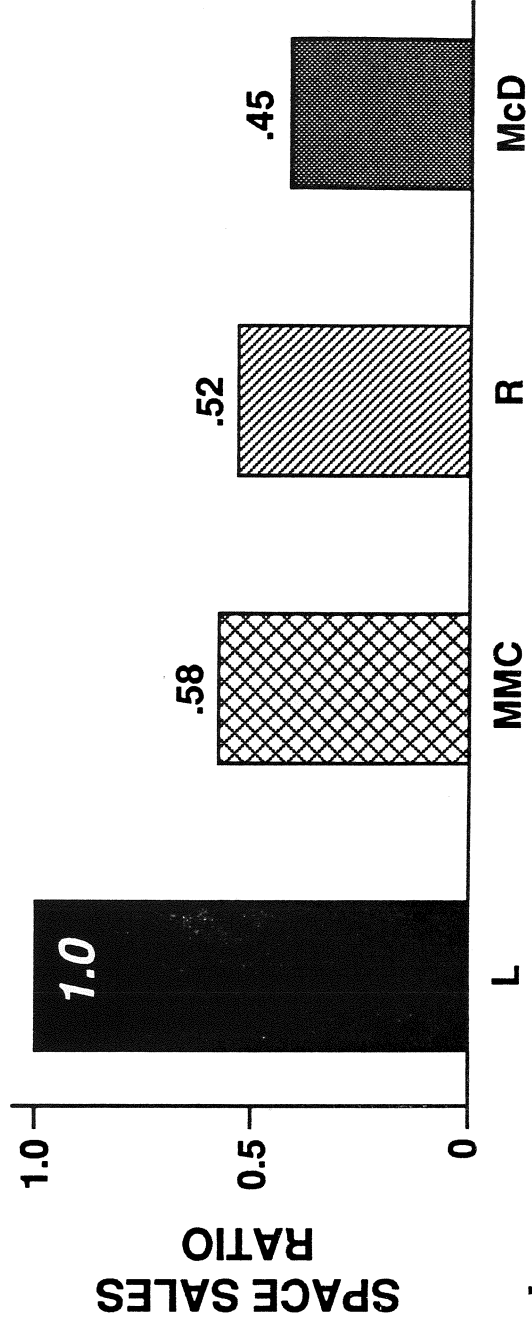
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LOCKHEED IS A SPACE COMPANY



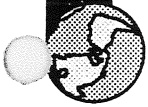
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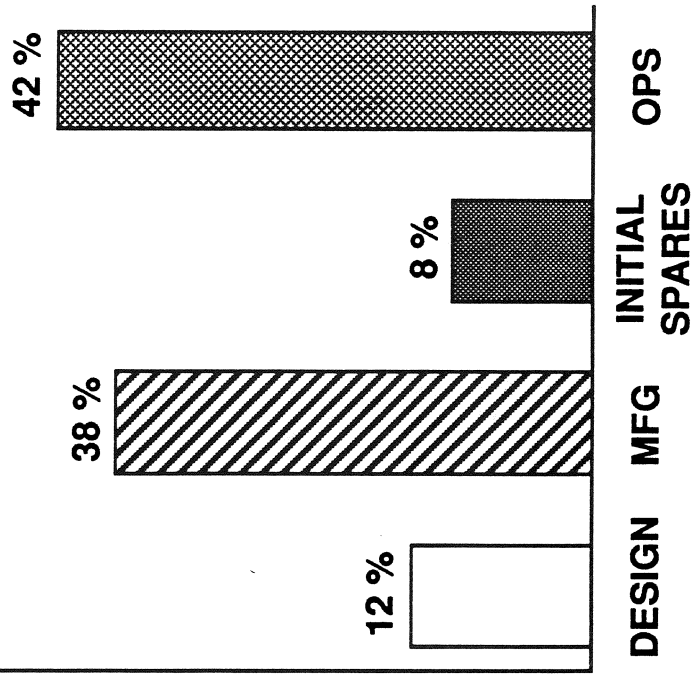
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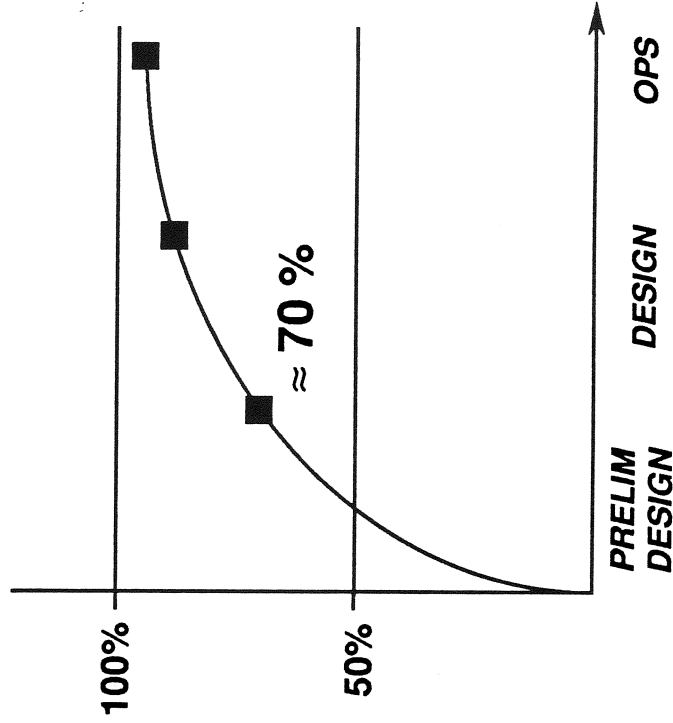


EFFECTIVE CONCURRENT ENGINEERING

TACTICAL AIRCRAFT LIFE CYCLE COST



OPS IMPACT

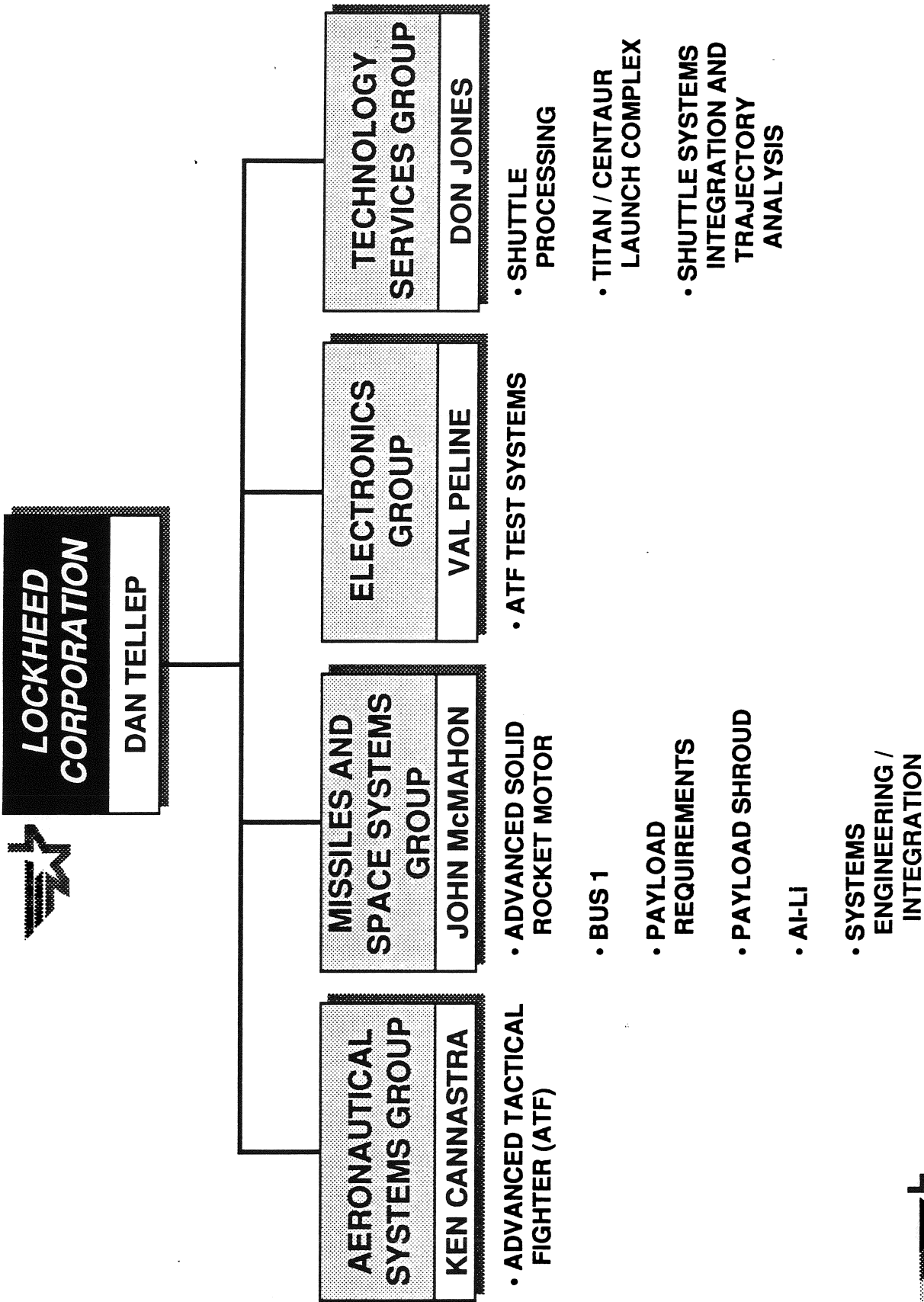


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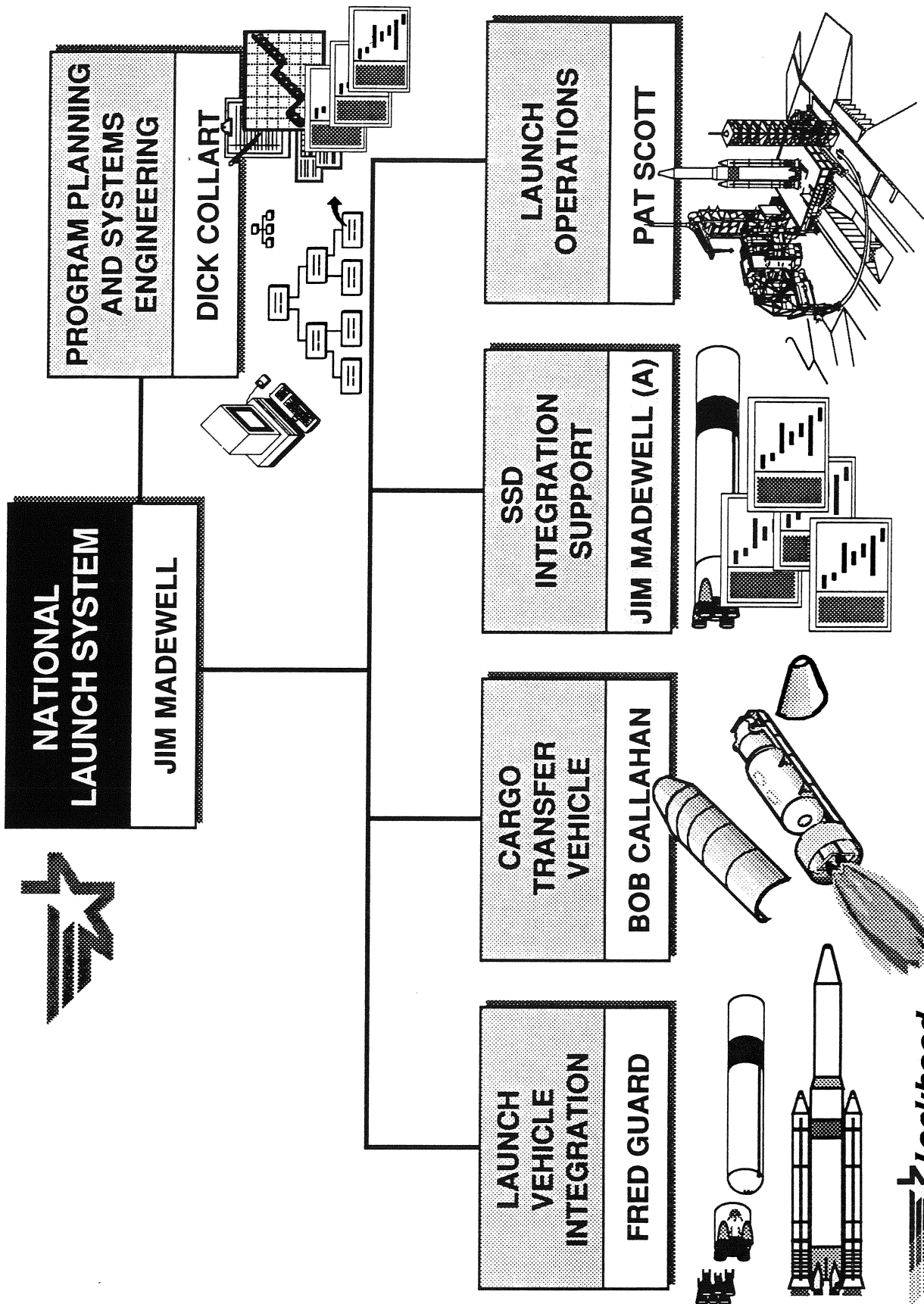


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LOCKHEED NLS PROJECT OFFICE ORGANIZATION

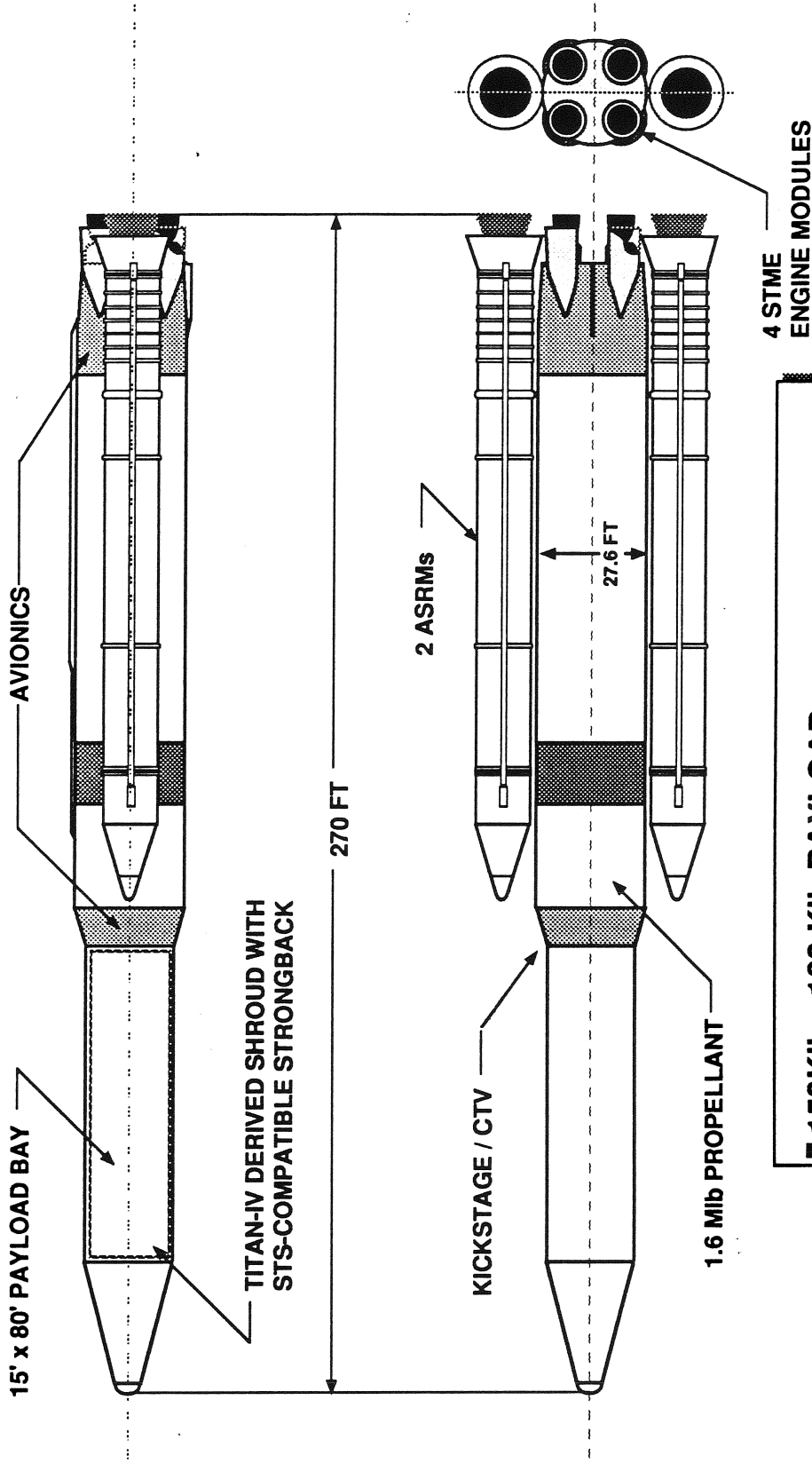


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BASELINE NASA HLLV

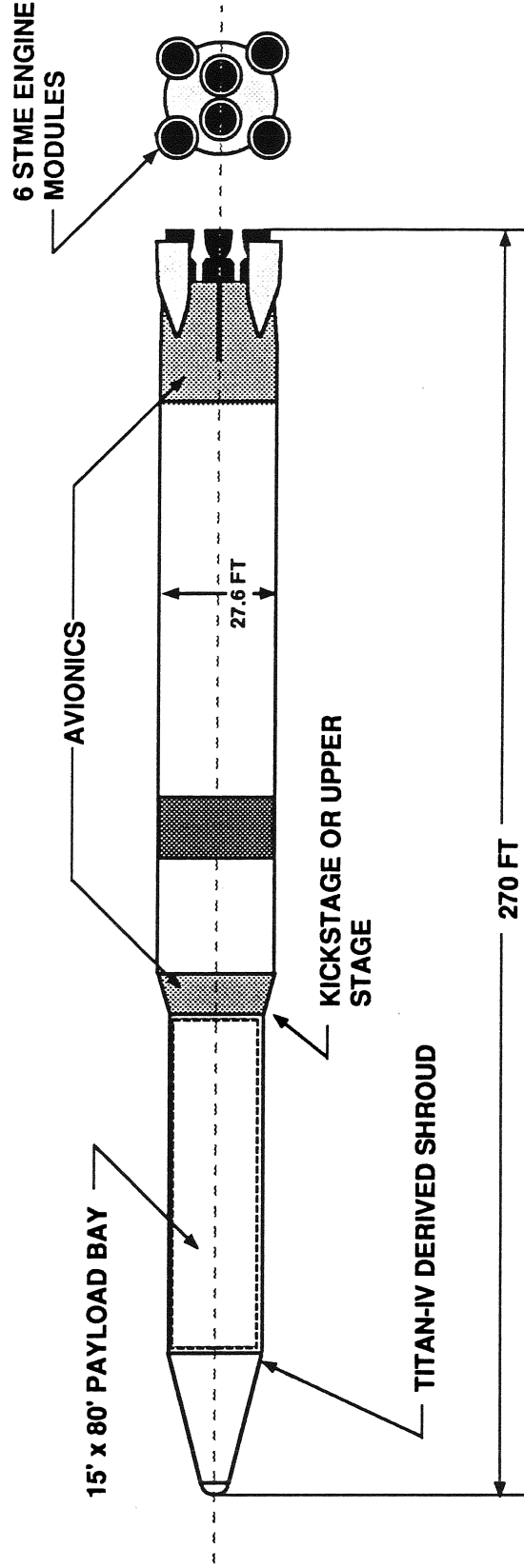


- 150Kib - 160 Kib PAYLOAD
- PROPULSION MODULE: 4 SUSTAINER STMEs
- 1999 LAUNCH FROM LC-39 (KSC)



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BASELINE 50Kib 1.5 STAGE VEHICLE



- 50 - 80 Kib PAYLOAD
- PROPULSION MODULE: 4 STAGED STMES
2 SUSTAINER STMES
- 2002 FIRST LAUNCH FROM LC-34 / 37 (CCAFS)

CORE VEHICLE ANALYSIS

NLS ANALYSIS ACTIVITIES

OCTOBER 1990

- DEFINED 11 HLLV CONFIGURATIONS AND ASSESSED PERFORMANCE
- DEVELOPED HLLV SUBSYSTEM TRADE TREES

- IDENTIFIED ASRM GROWTH OPTIONS

NOVEMBER — DECEMBER 1990

- ASSESSED SIX HLLV CONFIGURATIONS FOR NEW CORE VEHICLE ENGINE DESIGN
- ASSESSED SMALL SOLID BOOSTERS (CASTORS) WITH CORE VEHICLE PER MSFC REQUEST

- MODELED CORE VEHICLE ENGINE PLUME FOR ASRM PLUME HEATING ISSUES

JANUARY — MARCH 1991

- ASSESSED ASRM NOZZLE EXTENSION PERFORMANCE
- ASSESSED EIGHT NEW HLLV BASELINE CONFIGURATIONS (7 NASA, 1 DoD) PER MSFC REQUEST

- QUALITATIVELY ASSESSED CORE VEHICLE ENGINE CONFIGURATIONS FOR RADIATIVE AND CONVECTIVE HEATING ISSUES WITH ASRMS
- OPTIMIZED MECO TARGETS



CONFIGURATIONS DEFINITION PROCESS

PERFORMANCE/ COMPATIBILITY

- ASRM COMPATIBILITY
- PAYLOAD COMPATIBILITY
- ASCENT CONSTRAINTS ADHERENCE
- MINIMUM CORE MODIFICATIONS
- DoD / NASA CORE COMMONALITY

GEOMETRY

- ASRM GROWTH OPTIONS
- THRUST STRUCTURE DEFINITION
- PLUME HEATING IMPACTS
- PROPELLANT FEED LINE DEFINITION
- STME NOZZLE / THROTTLE DEFINITION
- ET STRETCH

SUBSYSTEM INTEGRATION

- SYSTEMS ENGINEERING AND INTEGRATION PLAN
- INTEGRATED LAUNCH VEHICLE ANALYSIS
- COMMON CORE UNIQUE CONSIDERATIONS
- PROPULSION SYSTEM TEST ENGINEERING
- MAN-RATING PLAN
- LOGISTICS / OPERATIONAL SUPPORT

INITIAL
ASSESSMENT

CURRENT
ASSESSMENT

PLANNED
ASSESSMENT





PERFORMANCE GROUND RULES AND CONSTRAINTS

AERODYNAMICS

- CONFIGURATION SPECIFIC FOREBODY (AXIAL AND NORMAL) AND POWER-ON BASE EFFECTS AERO

CONSTRAINTS

- 4G ACCELERATION LIMITING VIA STME THROTTLING OR ENGINE SHUTDOWN
- 900 psf DYNAMIC PRESSURE CONSTRAINT
- SRB APOGEE CONSTRAINT

ENVIRONMENT

- FEBRUARY PMBT FOR ASRMs
- NO WINDS
- 1963 PATRICK ATMOSPHERE

TRAJECTORY SIMULATION

- PITCH RATE OPTIMIZATION
- NASA MISSION
 - MECO ORBIT: 31 x 220 nm, 28.5° INCLINATION
 - MECO ALTITUDE: 70 nm
 - SHROUD JETTISON: 13,180 lbm OF TOTAL 24,486 lbm SHROUD JETTISONED AT MECO





PERFORMANCE GROUND RULES AND CONSTRAINTS (cont'd)

TRAJECTORY SIMULATION (cont'd)

- DoD MISSION
 - MECO ORBIT: 80 x 150 nm, 28.5° INCLINATION
 - MECO ALTITUDE: 80 nm
 - SHROUD JETTISON: 11,979 lbm OF TOTAL 19,572 lbm SHROUD JETTISONED AT 400,000 FT

MASS PROPERTIES

- ET CORE PROPELLANT LOAD: 1,600,000 lbm
- ET CORE MASS PROPERTIES FROM MSFC / PD DOCUMENTS
- FLIGHT PERFORMANCE RESERVES: 2% CORE VEHICLE BURNOUT WEIGHT (APPROXIMATELY 1% OF MISSION TOTAL ΔV)
- PAYLOAD MASS IS MAXIMIZED FOR FLIGHT PERFORMANCE RESERVES REMAINING AT MECO

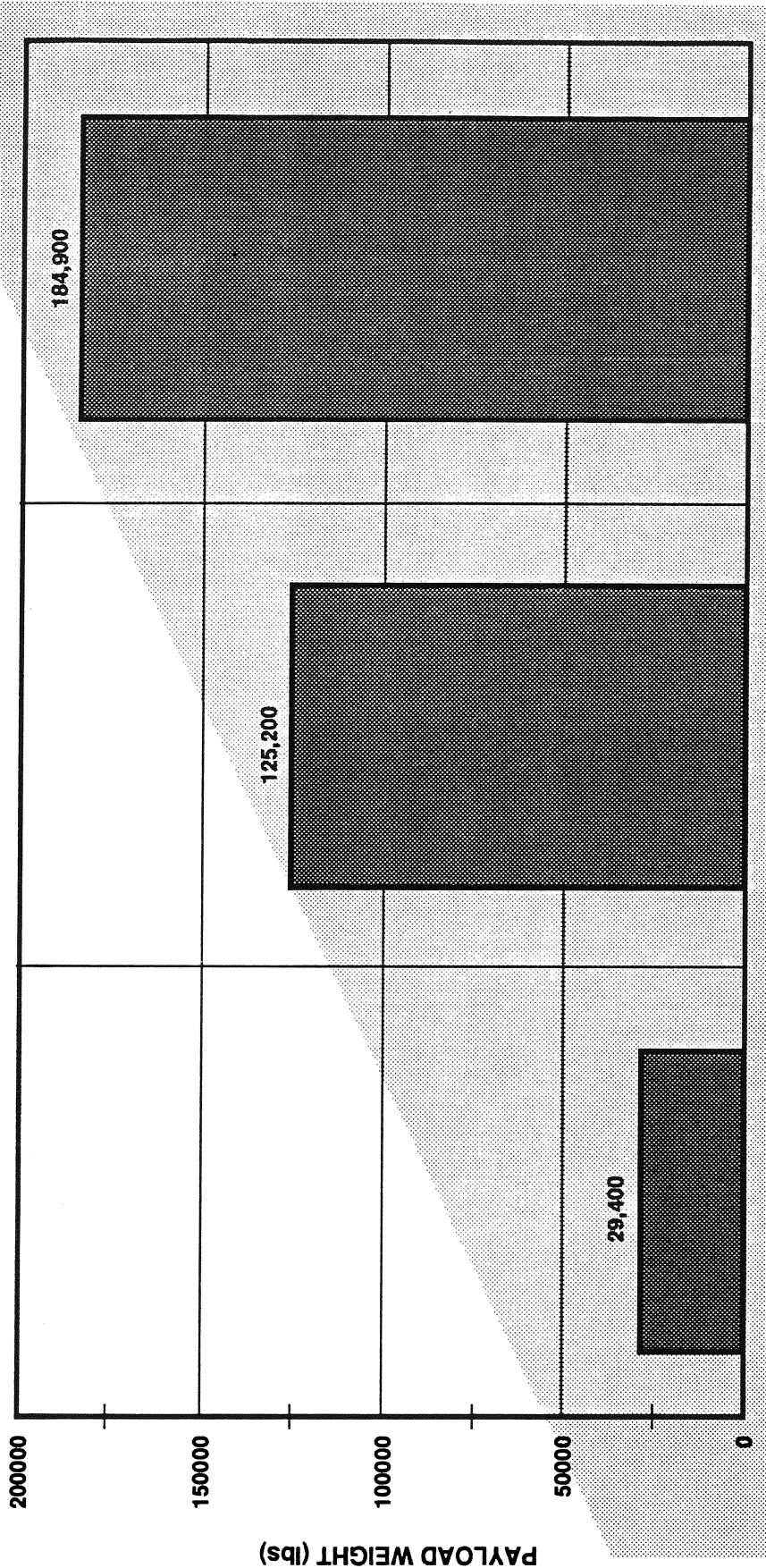
PROPULSION

- A3A ASRM PERFORMANCE PROFILE WITH THRUST-RISE AND TAIL-OFF STME SPECIFICATIONS
 - THRUST: 580,000 lbf VACUUM
 - Isp: 432 sec VACUUM
 - MIXTURE RATIO (OXIDIZER:FUEL): 6:1

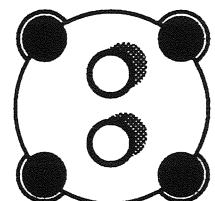
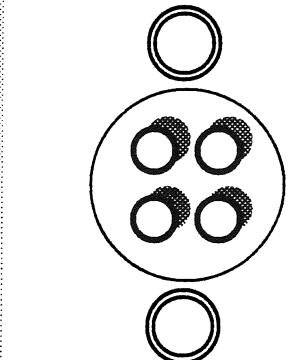
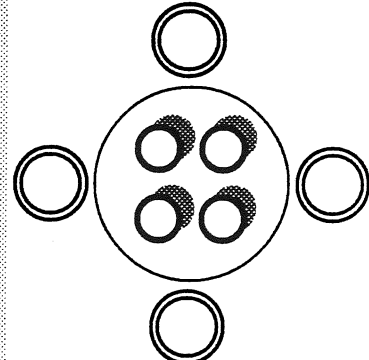


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CURRENT NLS PERFORMANCE



PAYLOAD WEIGHT (lbs)



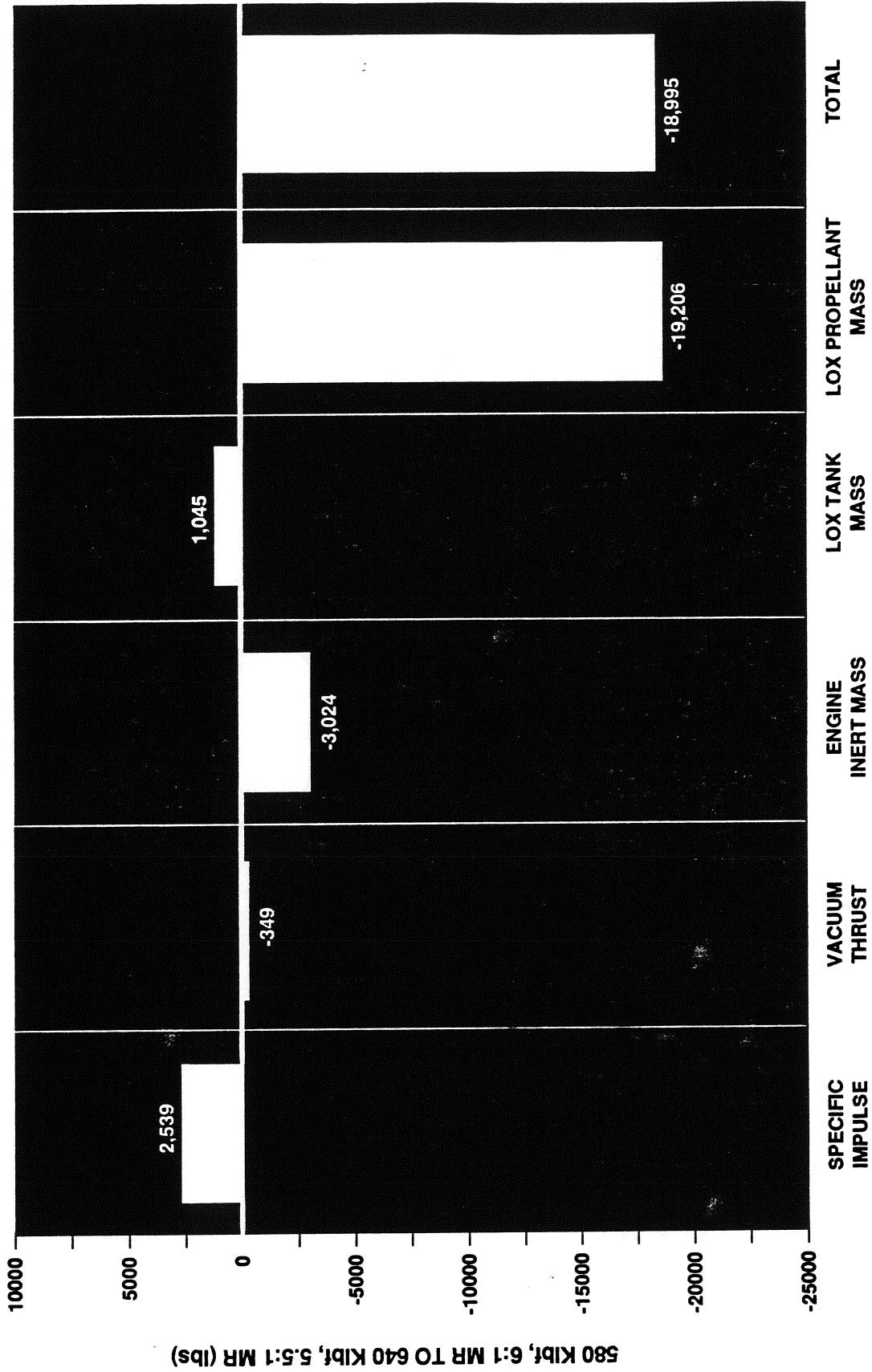
INDICATES STAGED ENGINES



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PERFORMANCE SENSITIVITIES DUE TO STME RE-SIZING



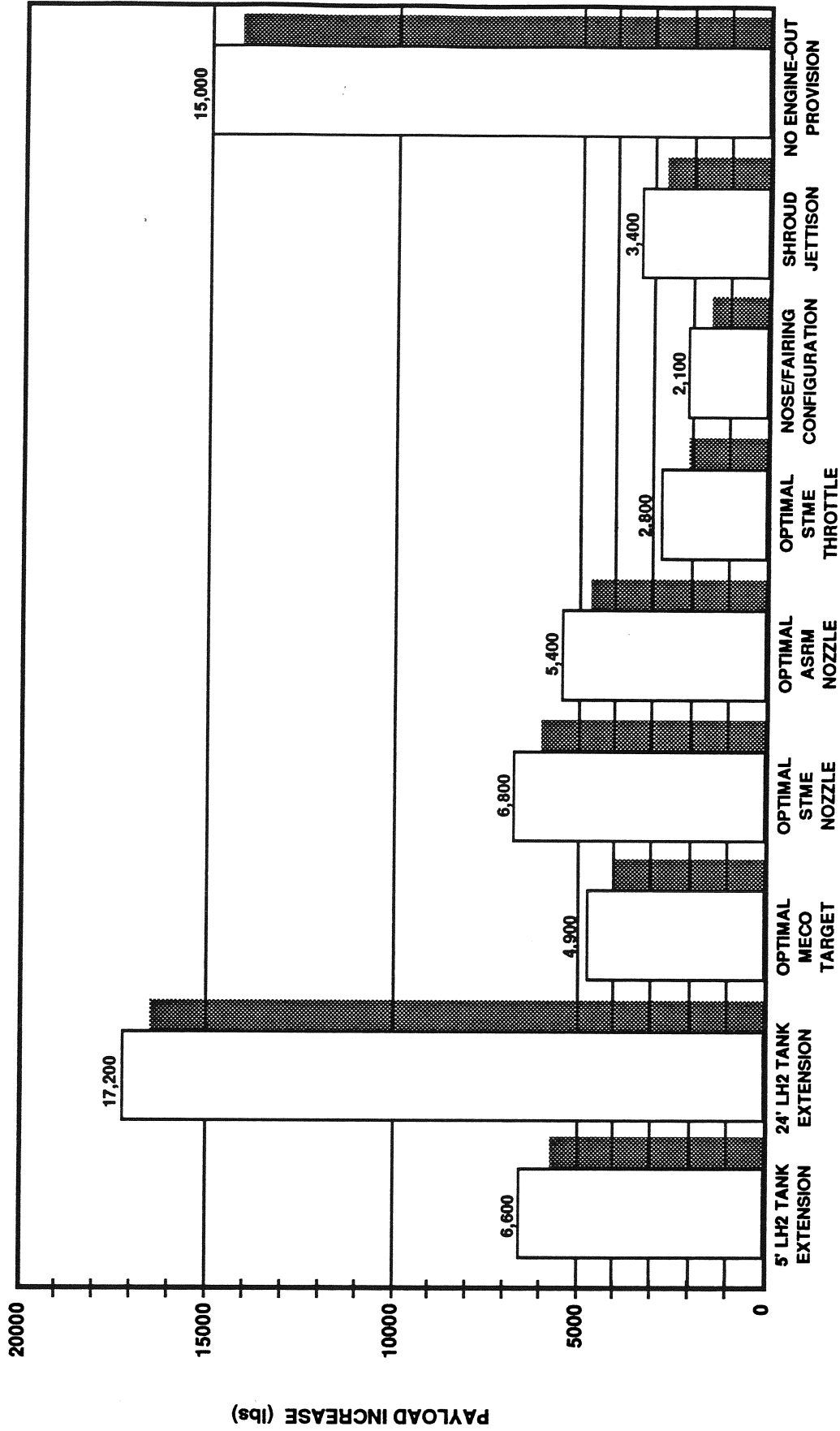
580 Kibf, 6:1 MR TO 640 Kibf, 5.5:1 MR (lbs)



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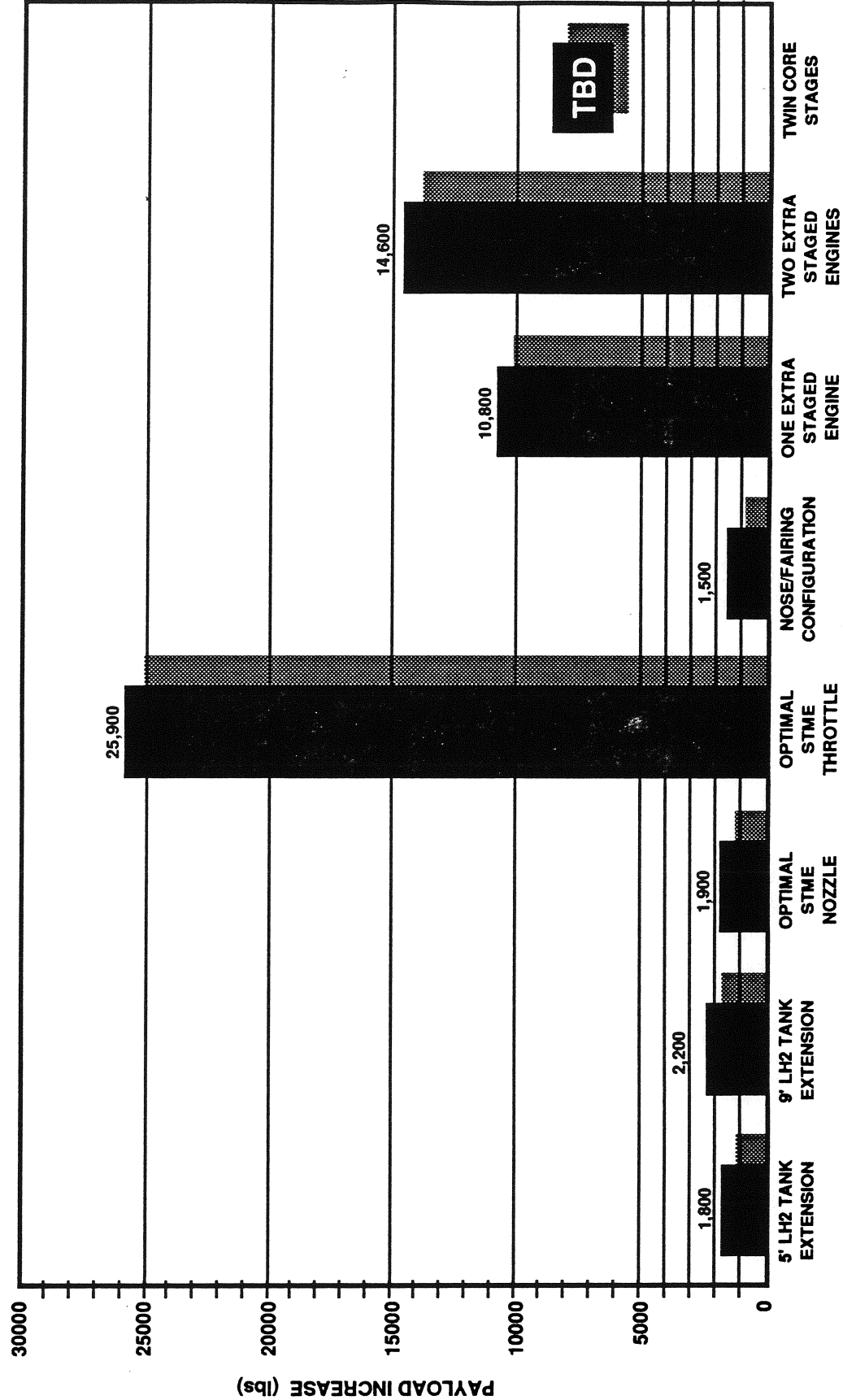
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METHODS OF HLLV PERFORMANCE AUGMENTATION — NASA CONFIGURATION



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METHODS OF NLS PERFORMANCE AUGMENTATION —
DoD CONFIGURATION



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ADDITIONAL DESIGN ISSUES

PERFORMANCE

- PERFORMANCE TRENDS INDICATE THAT BOTH THE NASA AND DoD CONFIGURATIONS NEED A HIGHER THRUST STME (650—700 Kibf VACUUM THRUST CLASS) TO BALANCE PAYLOAD MAXIMIZATION, NUMBERS OF CORE ENGINES, AND CORE PROPELLANT QUANTITY
- STAGING OF STMEs PRE-MECO PROVIDES 10—40 Kibm PAYLOAD INCREASE
- MECO TARGET OPTIMIZATION FOR NASA AND DoD MISSIONS COULD ENHANCE BOTH VEHICLE PERFORMANCE AND RANGE SAFETY
- ALL CONFIGURATIONS MEET ASCENT CONSTRAINTS WITH EXCEPTION OF 4-ASRM VEHICLE
 - ASRM APOGEE ALTITUDE CONSTRAINT VIOLATED (RECOVERY AND REUSE ISSUE)

ADDITIONAL DESIGN ISSUES (cont'd)

PLUME HEATING

- **PLUME HEATING ANALYSIS IS A LONG-LEAD ITEM**
 - **RADIATIVE HEATING PREDICTION IS ANALYTICALLY ACCURATE (BASED ON PLUME CONSTITUENTS)**
 - **CONVECTIVE HEATING PREDICTION IS EMPIRICAL (BASED ON PLUME INTERACTIONS)**
- **ASRM RADIATIVE HEATING WILL BE HIGHER THAN RSSRM**
 - **STME HEAT SHIELDING MAY BE REQUIRED**
- **ANALYSIS WILL BE REQUIRED TO DETERMINE DOMINANCE OF CONVECTIVE AND RADIATIVE BASE HEATING FOR BOTH CORE AND ASRM**
- **CORE VEHICLE CONVECTIVE HEATING "HOT SPOTS" WILL LOCALIZE BETWEEN ADJACENT STME PAIRS**
- **CONVECTIVE HEATING FLIGHT DATA FOR CLUSTER OF FOUR LIQUID ENGINES IS LIMITED OR NON-EXISTENT**



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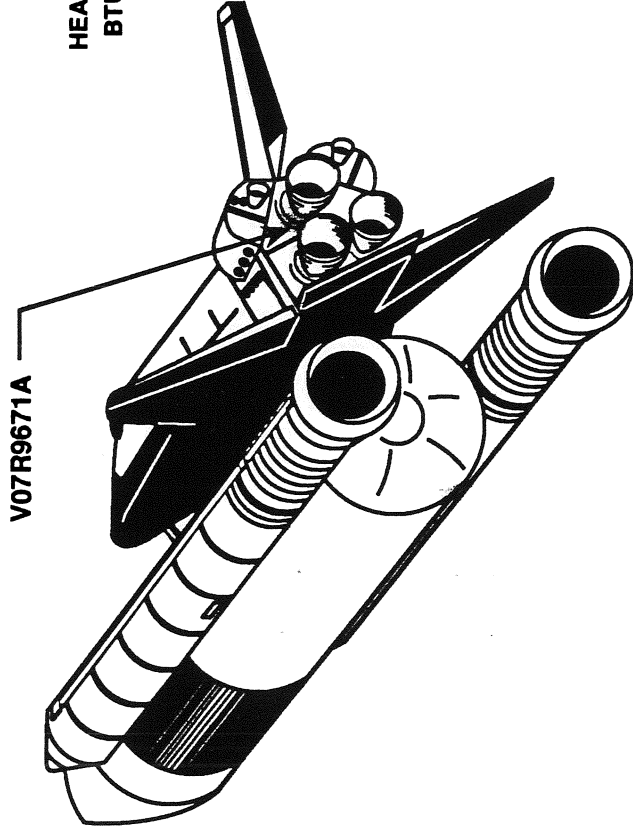
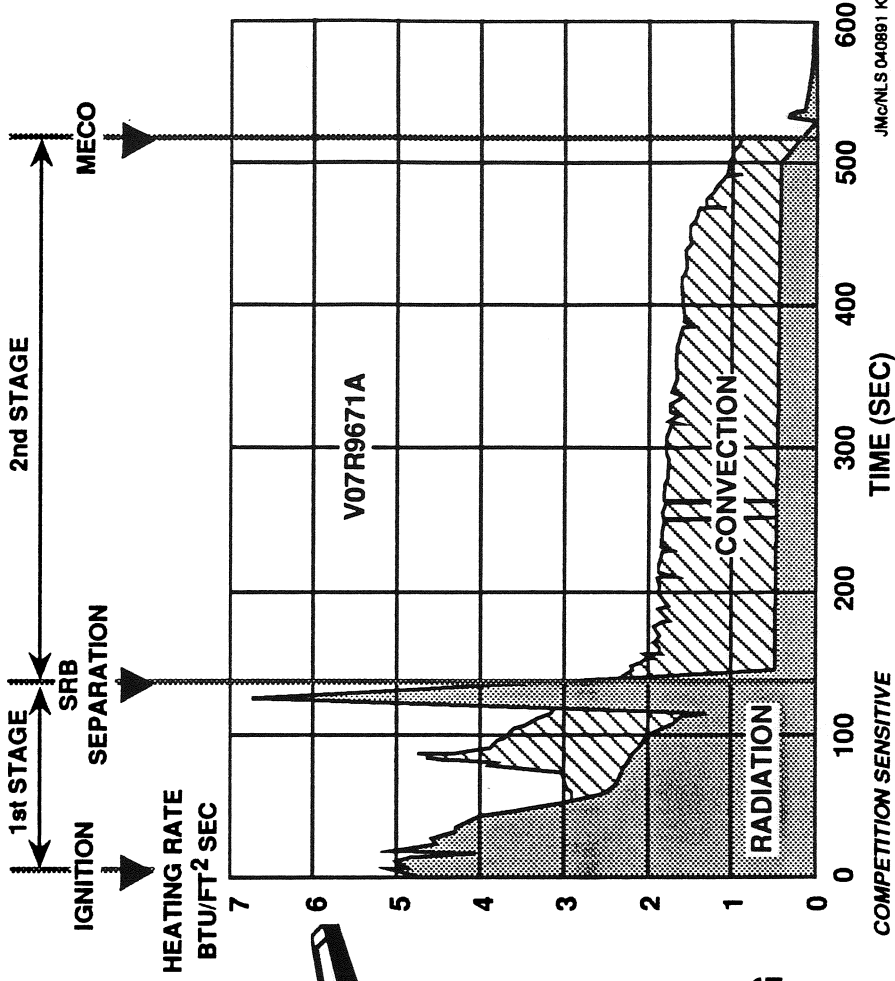
PLUME HEATING BASICS

PLUME RADIATION

- RADIATION FROM HOT PLUME GAS
- RADIATION FROM HOT PLUME PARTICLES
- HIGHER RADIATION HEATING FROM SOLID ROCKET MOTORS BECAUSE PARTICLES RADIATE MORE EFFICIENTLY

PLUME CONVECTION

- PLUME CONVECTION HEATING DUE TO INTERSECTING PLUMES THAT CAUSE HOT PLUME GAS TO RECIRCULATE INTO BASE REGION
- PLUME SIZE INCREASES WITH ALTITUDE WHICH INCREASES PLUME INTERACTION



TYPICAL SHUTTLE BASE HEATING ENVIRONMENTS





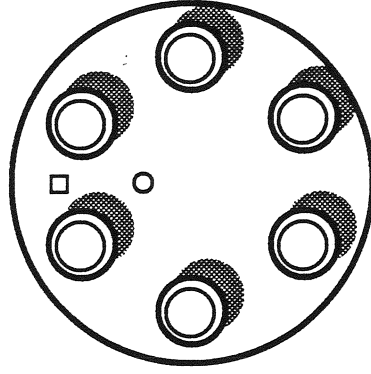
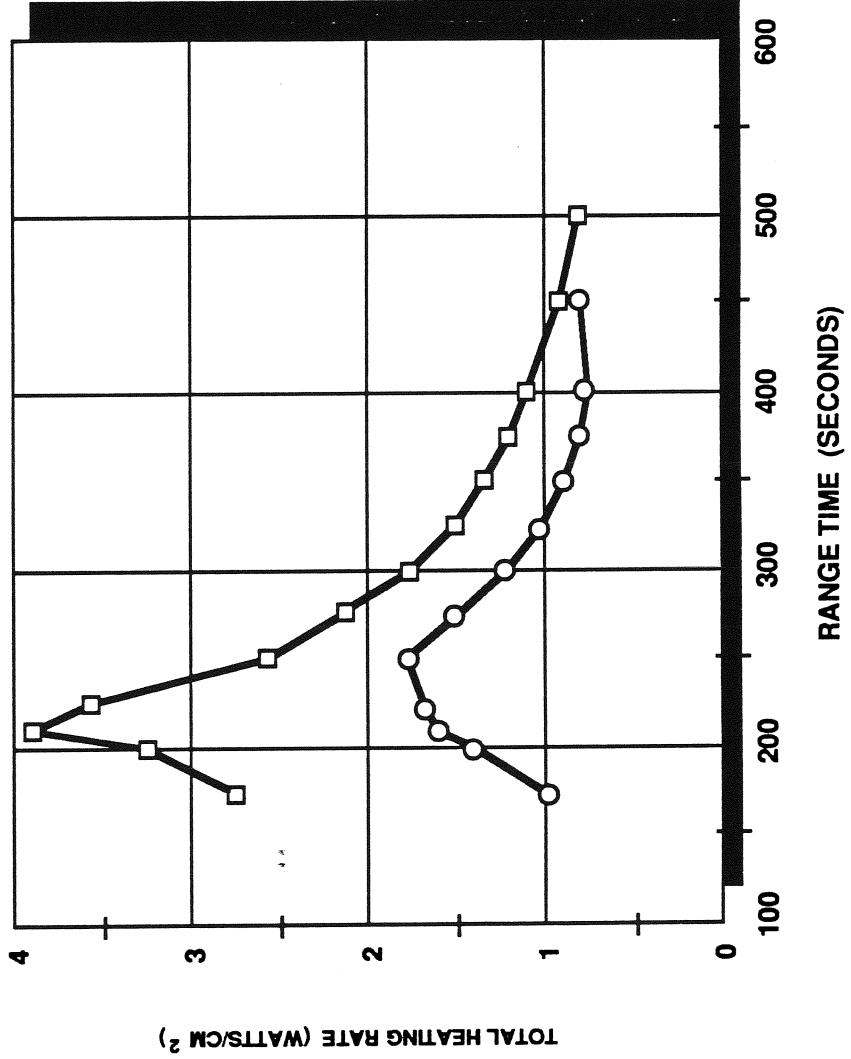
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EXPERIMENTAL FLIGHT DATA

- SATURN 1 S-IV STAGE
- LO₂/LH₂ @ CHAMBER PRESSURE OF 300 PSIA
- 160,000 TO 250,000 FEET ALTITUDE

FLIGHT DATA RESULTS



○ INNER
□ OUTER

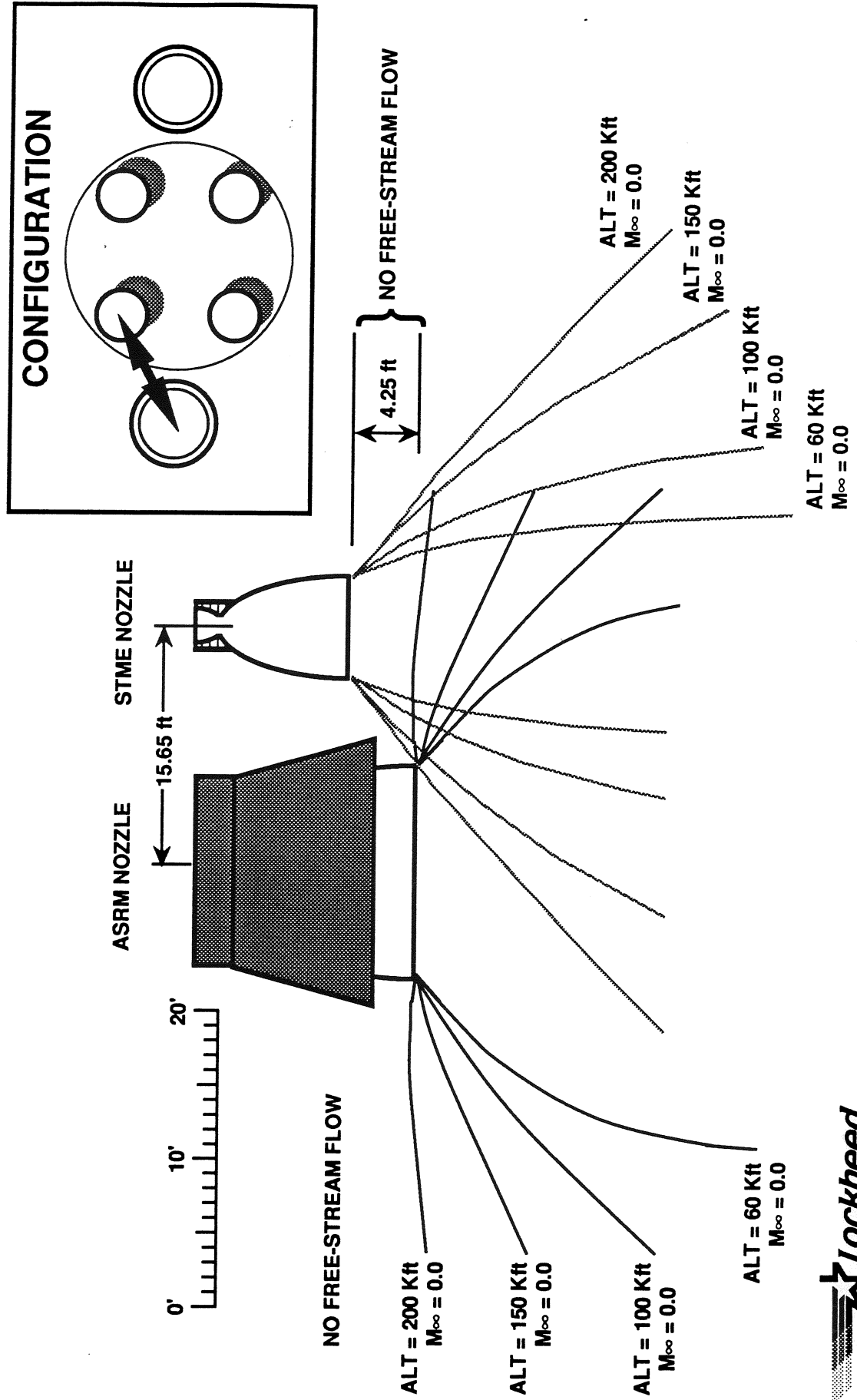


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ASRM (AFT POSITION) / STME PLUME BOUNDARIES

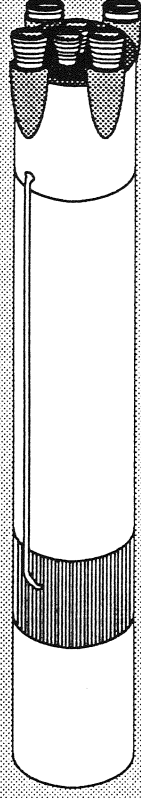


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FUTURE WORK

- **CORE VEHICLE SIZING AND PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENTS**
- **CORE ENGINE-OUT CONTROLLABILITY REQUIREMENTS**
- **USE OF UPPER STAGE PERFORMANCE FOR ASCENT ABORT PROTECTION**
- **SUBSYSTEM FUNCTIONAL DEFINITION AND COMPONENT SELECTION TRADE STUDIES**
- **ASRM PERFORMANCE GROWTH OPTIONS**
- **MAN-RATING AND VEHICLE HEALTH MANAGEMENT SCARRING**





CARGO TRANSFER VEHICLE (CTV)



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SYSTEMS ENGINEERING APPROACH

REFINE MISSION REQUIREMENTS

- SSF SUPPORT
- PAYLOAD SUPPORT
- LAUNCH FREQUENCY
- FLOW REQUIREMENTS DOWN TO APPROPRIATE LEVEL
- NON-SSF MISSIONS
- MISSION LIFE
- PERFORMANCE CAPABILITY

IDENTIFY CANDIDATE CONFIGURATIONS AND ISSUES

- SEPARATE vs COMBINED CTV / KICKSTAGE
- EXPENDABLE vs REUSABLE VEHICLE
- NEW VEHICLE vs EXISTING

DEVELOP CANDIDATES TO LEVEL NECESSARY FOR TRADE STUDIES

PERFORM TRADES TO SELECT CANDIDATES; CRITERIA INCLUDES:

- LIFE CYCLE COST
- SUPPORTABILITY
- PERFORMANCE vs REQUIREMENTS
- COST / SCHEDULE / TECHNICAL RISK
- SAFETY / RELIABILITY / MAINTAINABILITY
- GROWTH CAPABILITY



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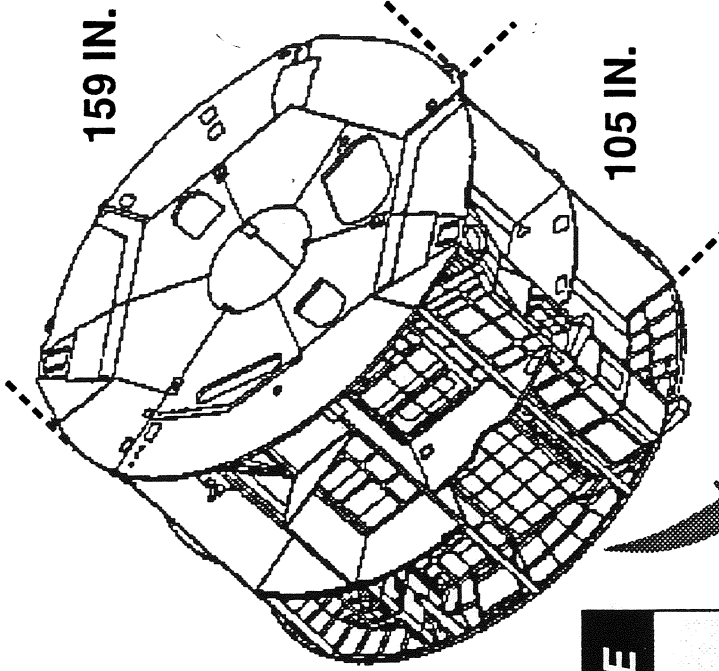


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BUS 1 OVERVIEW

GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS

- ONGOING LOCKHEED PROGRAM
- CLASSIFIED MISSION WITH P/L UNIQUE AVIONICS
- MULTI-YEAR OPERATION IN LEO
- 3-AXIS CONTROL PLUS ORBIT TRANSFER



- MMH/N204 (BIPROP)
- 7700 OR 11500 lbm
- 200 lbf (2) AND 14 lbf (12) THRUSTERS
- 5900—6600 lbm (DRY) WITH NO AVIONICS

EXISTING LOCKHEED PROGRAMS SUPPORT

ALL AVIONICS EXCEPT PROXIMITY OPERATIONS

FEATURES APPLICABLE TO CTV / KICKSTAGE

- PROPELLANT CAPACITY EXCEEDS REQUIREMENTS
- MULTIPLE BURNS AND REUSABILITY POTENTIAL
- THRUST LEVELS WELL-MATCHED
- EXTENSIVE REDUNDANCY
- QUALIFIED FOR STS AND TITAN-IV
- LARGE VOLUME FOR SUBSYSTEMS
- EASY ACCESS FOR MAINTENANCE
- AVOIDS DEVELOPMENT OF TWO SEPARATE VEHICLES



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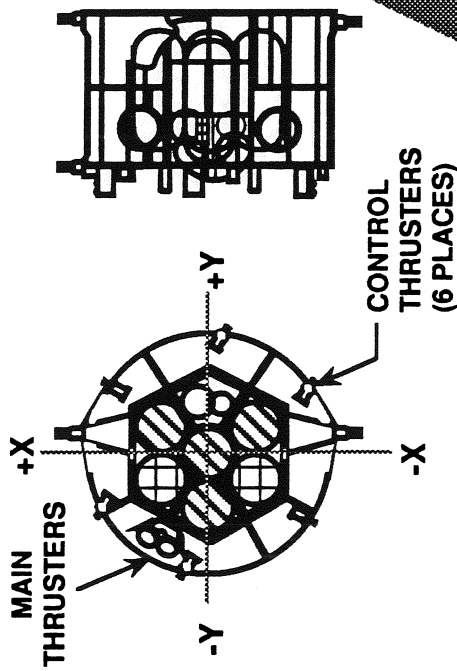
- CTV / KICKSTAGE PRELIMINARY REQUIREMENTS ANALYSIS
- CTV / KICKSTAGE PRELIMINARY CONFIGURATION DEFINITION (EQUIPMENT LIST INCLUDING POWER, WEIGHT, SIZES, AND HERITAGE)
- TRADE SPACE (REQUIREMENTS / DESIGN ISSUES) DEFINED
- INTEGRATED LOCKHEED ACTIVE PROGRAMS AVIONICS
- PAYLOAD MANIFESTING CONCEPTS FEASIBILITY STUDY
- MISSION ANALYSES
 - PERFORMANCE DATA FOR CTV AND COMBINED CTV / KICKSTAGE
 - CTV CONTROLLABILITY WITH STRONGBACK AND PAYLOADS
- BUS 1 REUSABILITY ASSESSMENT (STRUCTURAL FRACTURE MECHANICS AND PROPULSION ELEMENT LIFE ASPECTS)
- SPACE STATION FREEDOM INTERFACE ISSUES
- PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE
- COST COMPARISON OF EXISTING DESIGNS vs NEW DESIGN



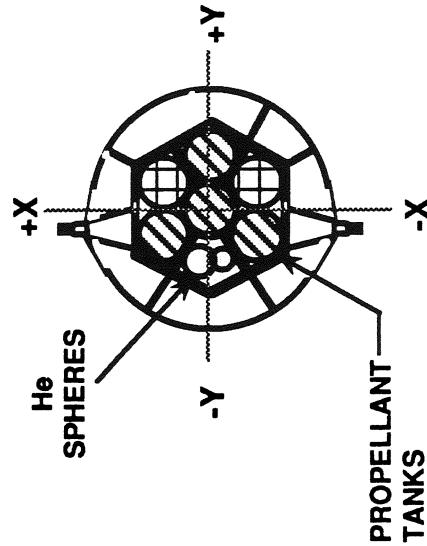
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BUS 1 CONFIGURATION OPTIONS



**BUS 1
PRODUCTION
FLOW**



KICKSTAGE / CTV

- REUSABLE VERSION
- FULL AVIONICS (INCLUDING HLLV)
- PROXIMITY OPERATIONS SENSORS
- MAXIMUM BATTERY COMPLEMENT
- SOLAR ARRAY
- 6-DOF RCS
- SSF, STS COMPATIBLE
- LEO THERMAL CONTROL
- STS RETRIEVABLE
- DOCKING, GRAPPLE FIXTURES

KICKSTAGE

- EXPENDABLE VERSION
- SIMPLE AVIONICS
- MINIMUM BATTERY COMPLEMENT
- MINIMUM RCS
- SOME STRUCTURAL ELEMENTS DELETED
- 4- OR 6-TANK CONFIGURATION
- MINIMUM THERMAL CONTROL
- SOME PROPULSION VALVES, INSTRUMENTATION DELETED



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VEHICLE CONFIGURATION OPTIONS

EQUIPMENT	EXPENDABLE KICKSTAGE	REUSABLE KICKSTAGE	EXPENDABLE KICKSTAGE/CTV	REUSABLE KICKSTAGE/CTV	EXPENDABLE CTV	REUSABLE CTV
AVIONICS						
• KICKSTAGE + HLLV	●	●	●	●	●	●
• KICKSTAGE/CTV + HLLV						
• CTV ONLY					●	●
PROPULSION						
• HIGH ΔV + SIMPLE RCS	●	●	●	●	●	●
• HIGH ΔV + 6-DOF RCS						
• LOW ΔV + 6-DOF RCS					●	●
• RETRIEVABLE / REUSABLE						●
POWER						
• MIN BATTERY COMPLEMENT	●	●	●	●	●	●
• MAX BATTERY COMPLEMENT						●
• SOLAR ARRAYS						●
PROX OPS EQUIPMENT						
• SENSORS / AVIONICS						●
• DOCKING MECHANISM					●	●
• GRAPPLE FIXTURES						●
THERMAL CONTROL						
• TRANSIENT	●	●	●	●	●	●
• LONG-LIFE LEO						●

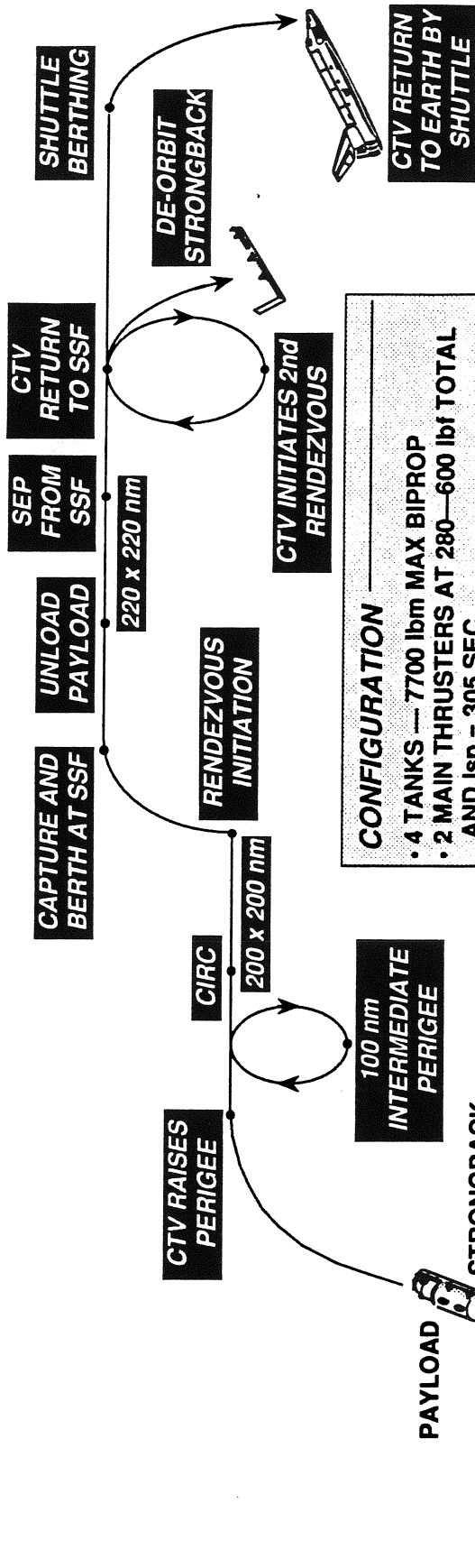


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COMBINED MISSION SCENARIO



CONFIGURATION

- 4 TANKS — 7700 lbf MAX BIPROP
- 2 MAIN THRUSTERS AT 280—600 lbf TOTAL AND $I_{sp} = 305$ SEC
- DOUBLY REDUNDANT RCS THRUSTERS OPERATING AT 20—40 lbf THRUST PER SET

MASS STATEMENT

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| • PAYLOAD = 80000 lb | • STRONGBACK/FIXED SHROUD = 16000 lbfm |
| • BUS (DRY) = 6500 lbfm | • BUS FLIGHT EQUIPMENT = 3500 lbfm |
| • PROPELLANT = 7700 lbfm | • HLLV AVIONICS = 1500 lbfm |

STUDY RESULTS

- PROPELLANT MARGIN + 1033 lbfm FOR MISSION
- CAN CORRECT FOR TYPICAL LAUNCH VEHICLE DISPERSIONS
- BUS 1 CAN ACCOMMODATE 7.5 MIN LAUNCH DELAY FOR CASE OF NO HLLV AZIMUTH CONTROL
- NEGATIVE V-BAR APPROACH TO SSF FEATURES GUIDANCE SIMPLICITY, LOW POTENTIAL COST, AND MISSION SAFETY
- 6-DOF POTENTIALLY FEASIBLE USING THRUSTERS ONLY ON BUS 1

ORBIT ESTABLISHMENT, RENDEZVOUS, AND STRONGBACK DE-ORBIT PERFORMED BY SINGLE VEHICLE



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PAYLOAD MANIFESTING CONCEPT

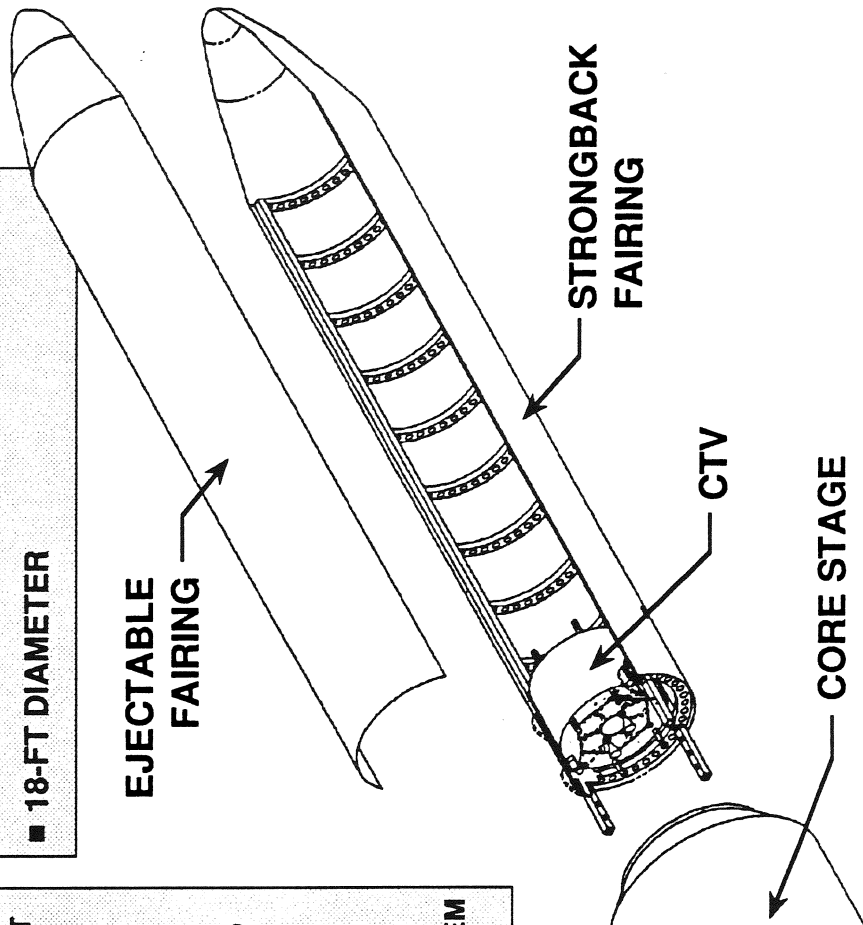
**REQUIREMENTS: SIZE 15 FT x 80 FT;
PAYLOAD 80,000 LBS
DESIGN CONCEPT: STS BAY
DUPLICATION**

BENEFITS

- STS INTERFACE COMPATIBILITY OFFERS SIGNIFICANT MANIFESTING BENEFITS
 - PAYLOADS MAY BE DEVELOPED INDEPENDENTLY AS LOWER UNITS NEED NOT CARRY LOADS OF UPPER UNITS
 - MAXIMIZES COMMONALITY WITH EXISTING SYSTEMS
- CONCEPT MINIMIZES STRUCTURAL MODIFICATION TO BUS 1
 - TRUNNIONS CARRY CTV LAUNCH LOADS ONLY; LOADS DURING CTV BURNS ARE MUCH SMALLER
 - PAYLOAD LAUNCH LOADS CARRIED AROUND CTV TO HLLV
- CONCENTRATE "NEW DEVELOPMENT" TO ONE SYSTEM ELEMENT; i.e., THE SHROUD / STRONGBACK

DESIGN

- C-STRUCTURAL SECTION ON STRONGBACK HALF
- STANDARD SHROUD ON OTHER HALF
- 18-FT DIAMETER



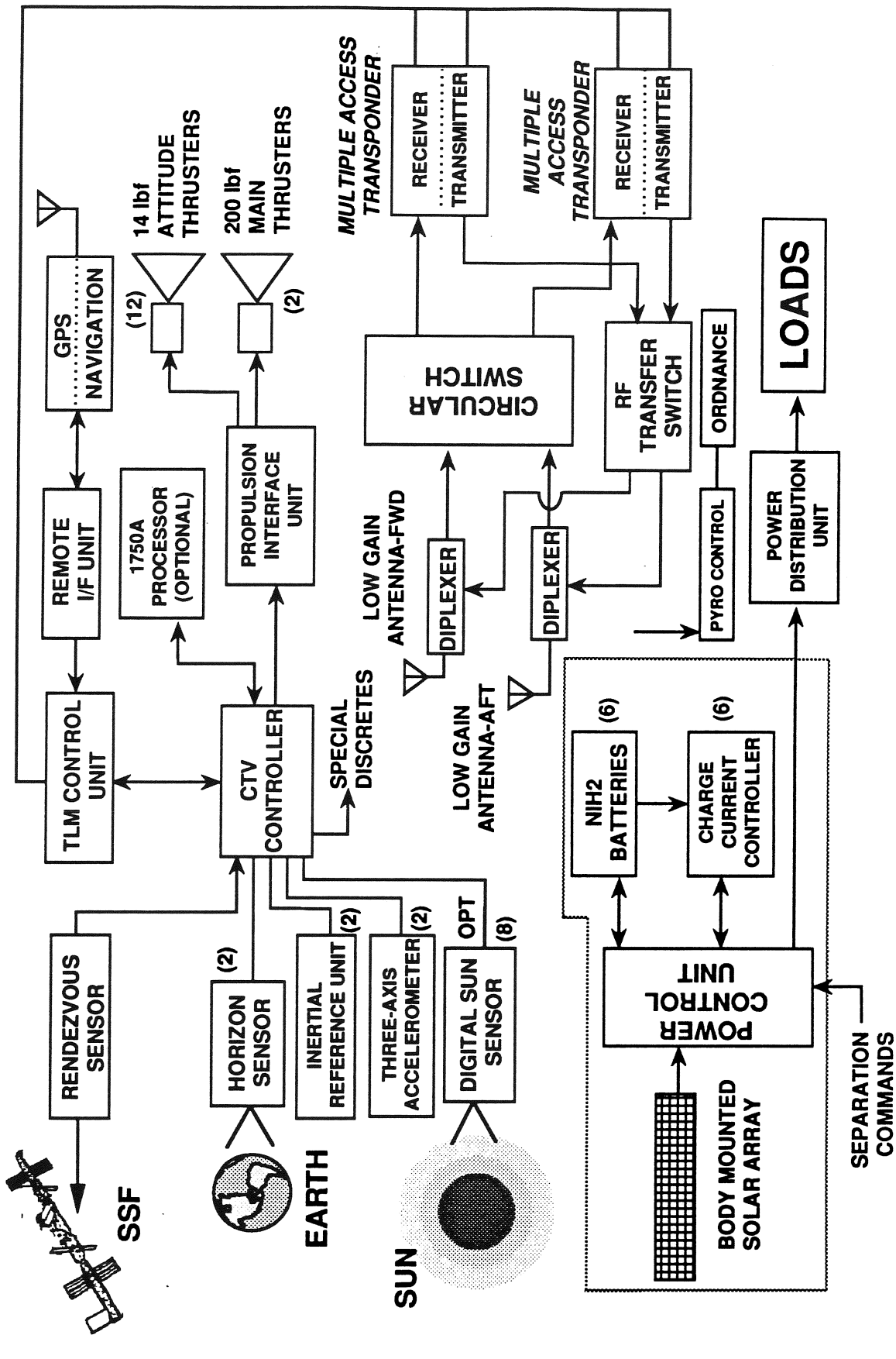
WEIGHT

STRONGBACK	16,000 lbs
DEPLOYABLE SHROUD	7,000 lbs



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CTV AVIONICS FUNCTIONAL FLOW DIAGRAM

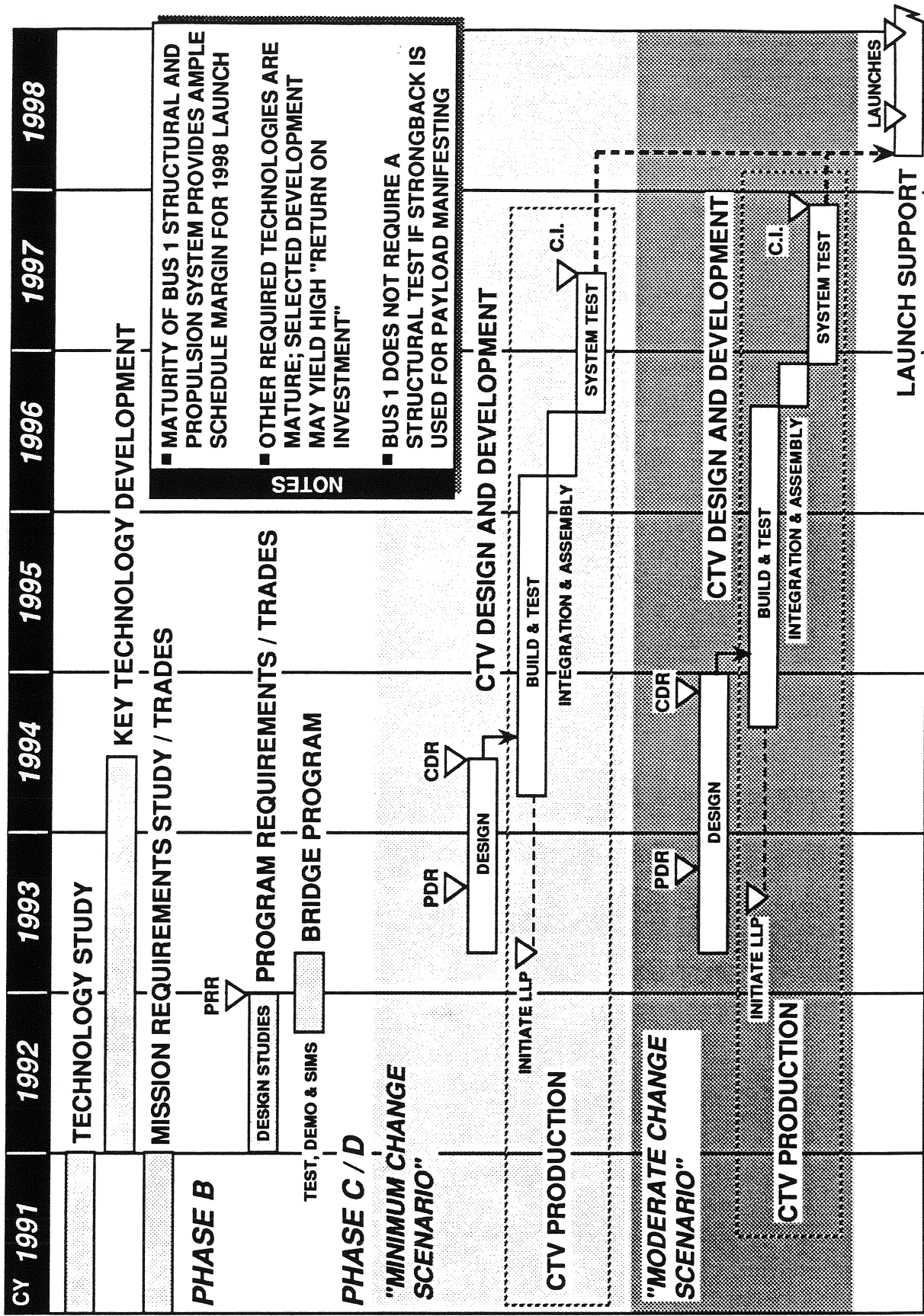


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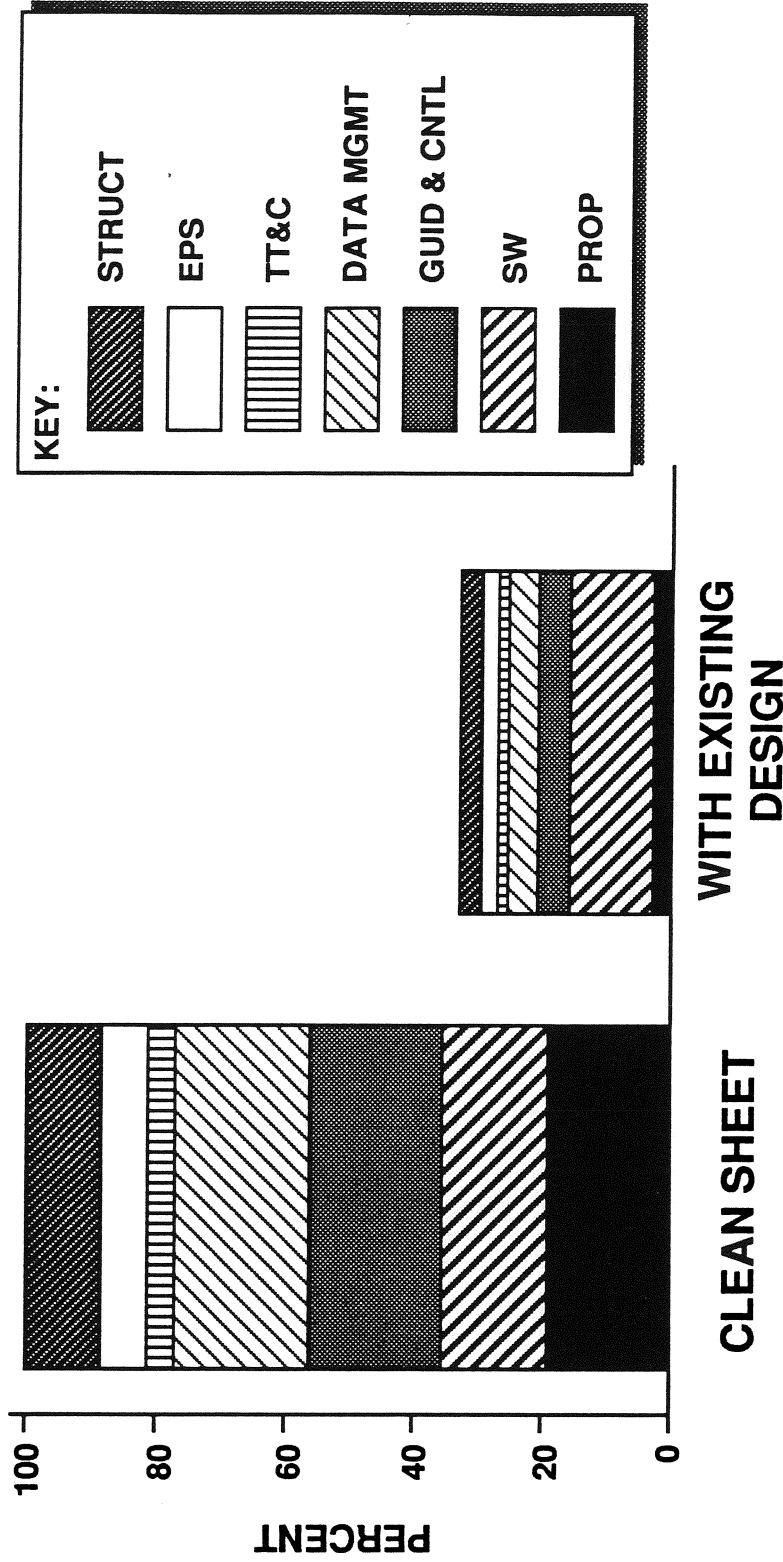
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TOTAL DEVELOPMENT SAVING

DDT&E ALLOCATION



USING EXISTING DESIGNS WILL RESULT IN UP TO 27 PERCENT REDUCTION IN TOTAL VEHICLE COST AND UP TO 72 PERCENT REDUCTION IN DDT&E COMPARED TO A CLEAN SHEET APPROACH IN CTV DEVELOPMENT



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SUMMARY

BUS 1 PERFORMS THE KICKSTAGE AND CTV FUNCTIONS USING THE SAME VEHICLE

- AMPLE PROPULSIVE CAPABILITY FOR CTV + KICKSTAGE
- MINIMUM TECHNICAL, SCHEDULE, AND COST RISK
- AMPLE VOLUME FOR CTV AND HLLV EQUIPMENT
- EFFICIENT INTERFACE TO 15-FT DIAMETER PAYLOAD
- ESTABLISHED STS INTERFACES

LOCKHEED CONTINUES TO SUPPORT MSFC IN-HOUSE FEASIBILITY AND COST STUDIES

- REQUIREMENTS DEFINITION: CTV, KICKSTAGE, SSF INTERFACE
- KEY CONCEPT DEVELOPMENT / COST MODELING OF ALTERNATIVES
 - CTV + KICKSTAGE COMBINATION
 - REUSABLE vs EXPENDABLE
 - PROXIMITY OPERATIONS / RENDEZVOUS CONCEPTS
 - SSF INTERFACES
 - PAYLOAD ACCOMMODATIONS / MANIFESTING
 - NLS AVIONICS INTEGRATION





LAUNCH SITE PROCESSING

OUTLINE

- NLS VEHICLE EVOLUTION
- TITAN-IV DERIVED SHROUD / BUS-1 KICKSTAGE / CTV

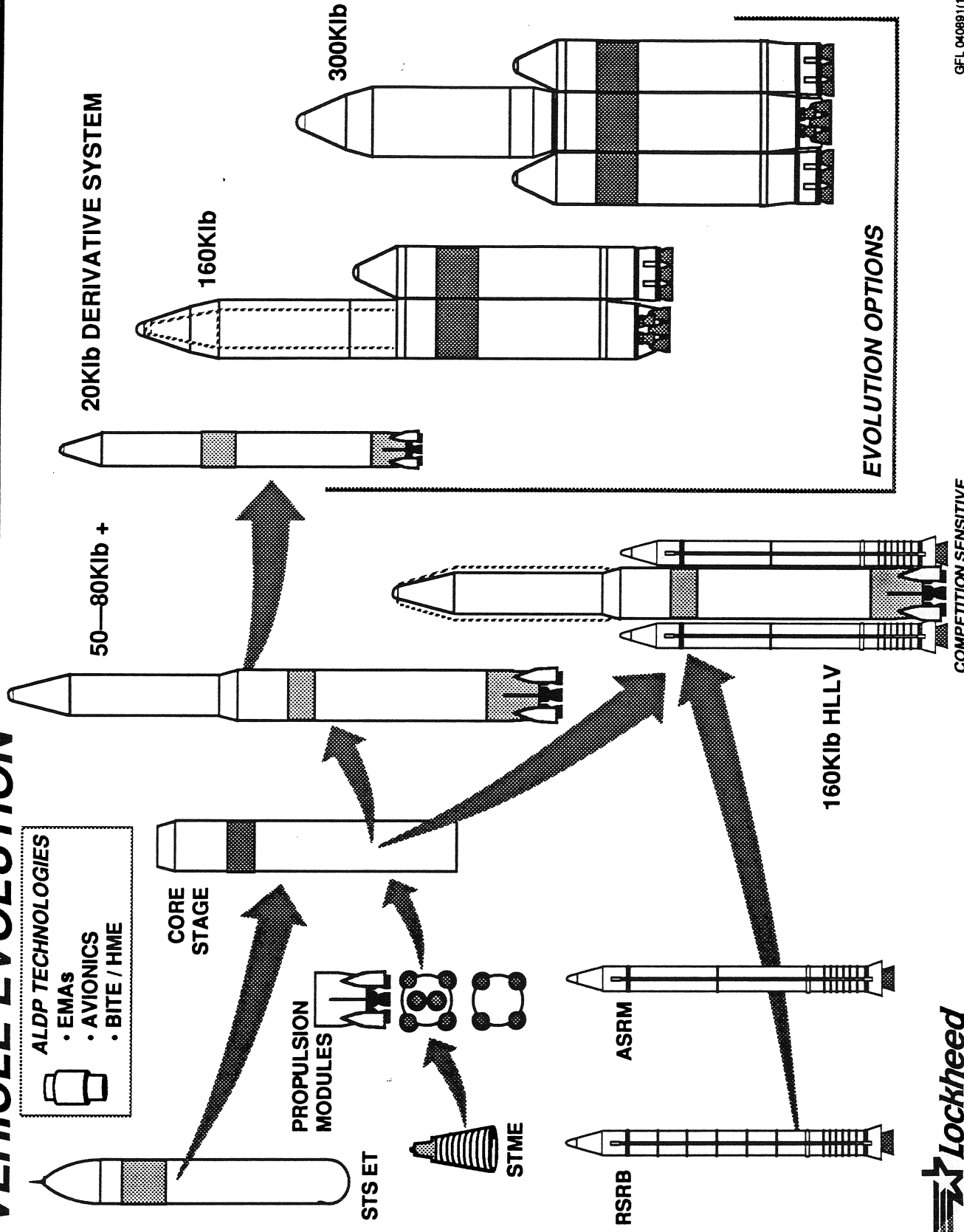
- CORE STAGE INTEGRATION — PROCESSING OPTIONS
- SCHEDULING METHODOLOGIES
- CORE VEHICLE INTEGRATION TIMELINES
- NLS INTEGRATED PROCESSING SCENARIO
- STS 1993+ INTEGRATED PROCESSING TIMELINE (GOAL)
- NLS INTEGRATED PROCESSING TIMELINES

- NLS FLIGHT ELEMENT PROCESSING — ACTIVITIES AND TECH MANHOURS
- NLS / STS FLIGHT ELEMENT PROCESSING — TOTAL MANHOUR COMPARISON

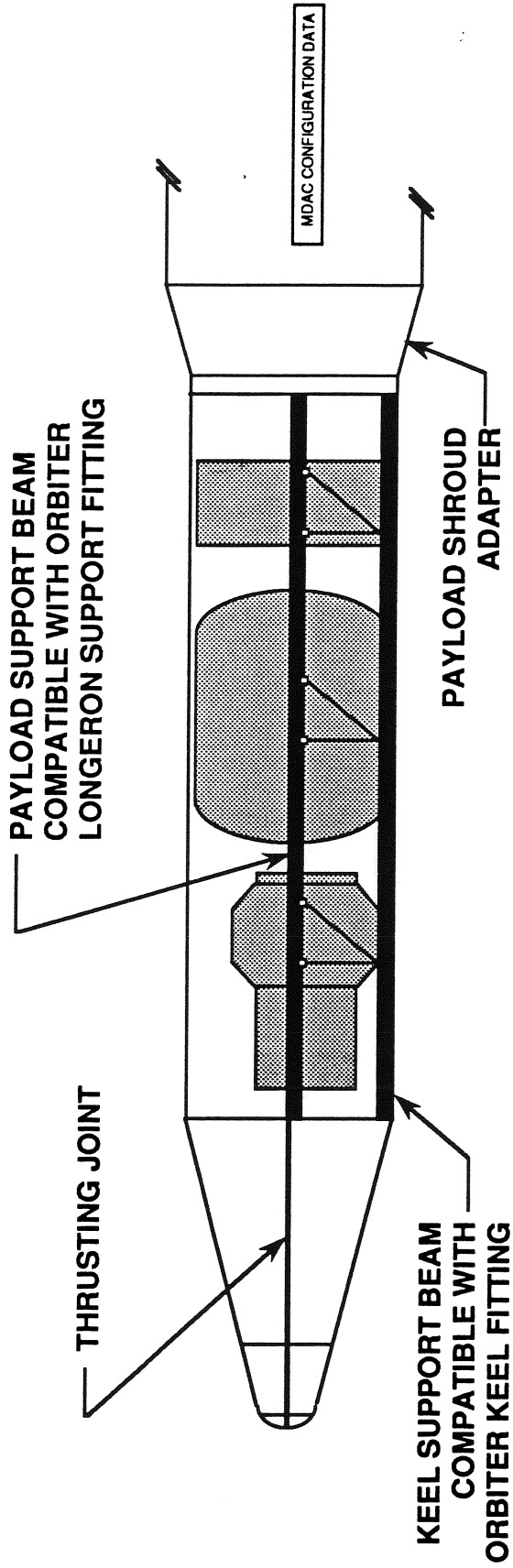
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VEHICLE EVOLUTION

- ALDP TECHNOLOGIES**
- EMAS
 - AVIONICS
 - BITE / HME

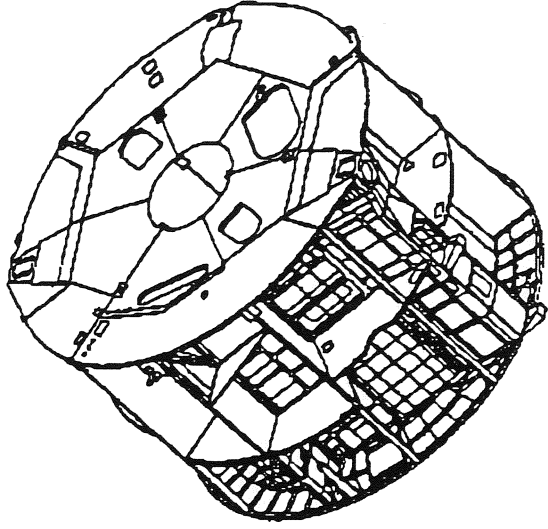


TITAN-IV DERIVED PAYLOAD SHROUD (HLLV)



BUS 1 KICKSTAGE / CTV

- BUS-1 SERVES AS CTV AND KICKSTAGE
- SAVES \$100M COST OF SEPARATE CTV PROCESSING FACILITY
- SAVES APPROXIMATELY \$30M COST OF 2 SEPARATE STAGES





NLS LAUNCH SITE FACILITY OPTIONS

FLIGHT ELEMENT

PROCESSING FACILITY OPTION

PROPULSION MODULE

- NEW PROPULSION MODULE PROCESSING FACILITY
- NEW CORE ASSEMBLY / PROCESSING FACILITY
- EXISTING VAB HIGHWAY OR LOWBAY

CORE STAGE

- NEW CORE ASSEMBLY / PROCESSING FACILITY
- EXISTING VAB HIGHWAY

ADAPTER

- NEW CARGO INTEGRATION FACILITY
- NEW CORE ASSEMBLY / PROCESSING FACILITY
- VAB LOWBAY
- SMAB*
- VIF*

SHROUD

- NEW CARGO INTEGRATION FACILITY
- VPF (< 60 FT, < 60 Kib)

STRONGBACK

- NEW CARGO INTEGRATION FACILITY (VERTICAL)
- SSPF (HORIZONTAL)

KICKSTAGE, CTV

- NEW SHARED vs SEPARATE HAZARDOUS PROCESSING FACILITIES
- SAEF-2
- ESA-60
- HMF
- RSRB RPSF

PAYLOADS

- EXISTING KSC, CCAFS vs NEW FACILITIES (e.g., SSPF)

INTEGRATED VEHICLE LAUNCH

- LC-39A/B
- LC-34 / 37
- LC-40 / 41*

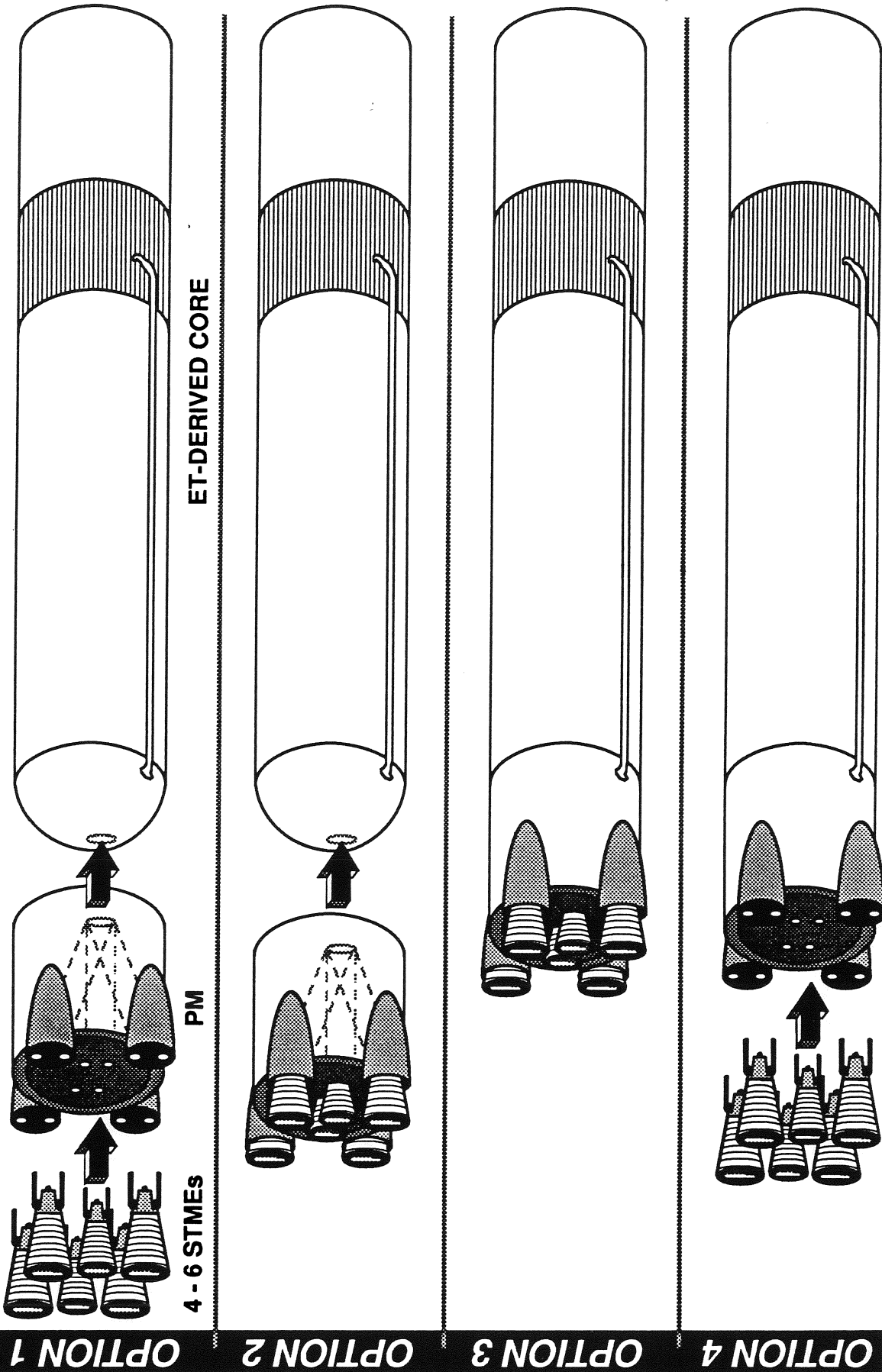
* ASSUMES 1.5 STAGE VEHICLE REPLACES TITAN-IV



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CORE STAGE INTEGRATION — LAUNCH PROCESSING OPTIONS



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CORE STAGE INTEGRATION — LAUNCH PROCESSING OPTIONS (cont'd)

■ CORE INTEGRATION SCHEDULES FOR OPTIONS 1, 2, AND 3 HAVE BEEN EVALUATED ON A PRELIMINARY BASIS; OPTION 4 EVALUATION IN PROGRESS

■ CORE STAGE CONFIGURATION SELECTION CRITERIA:

— INTERFACE COMPLEXITY / CONTROL

— CHECKOUT REQUIREMENTS AT LAUNCH SITE

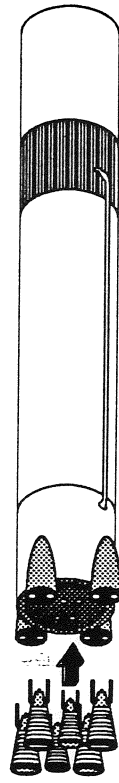
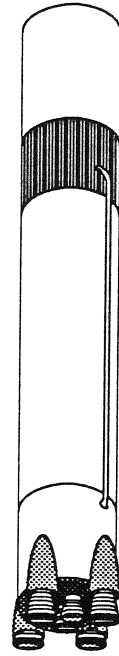
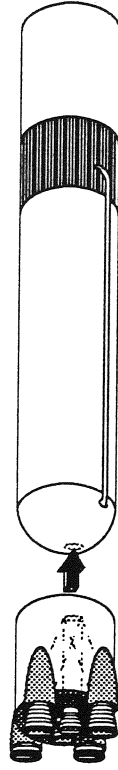
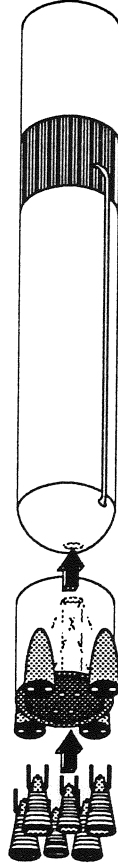
— CHECKOUT REQUIREMENTS AT MANUFACTURER(S)

— DUPLICATION OF CHECKOUT ("SHIP-AND-SHOOT" SUCCESS LIMITED TO DATE)

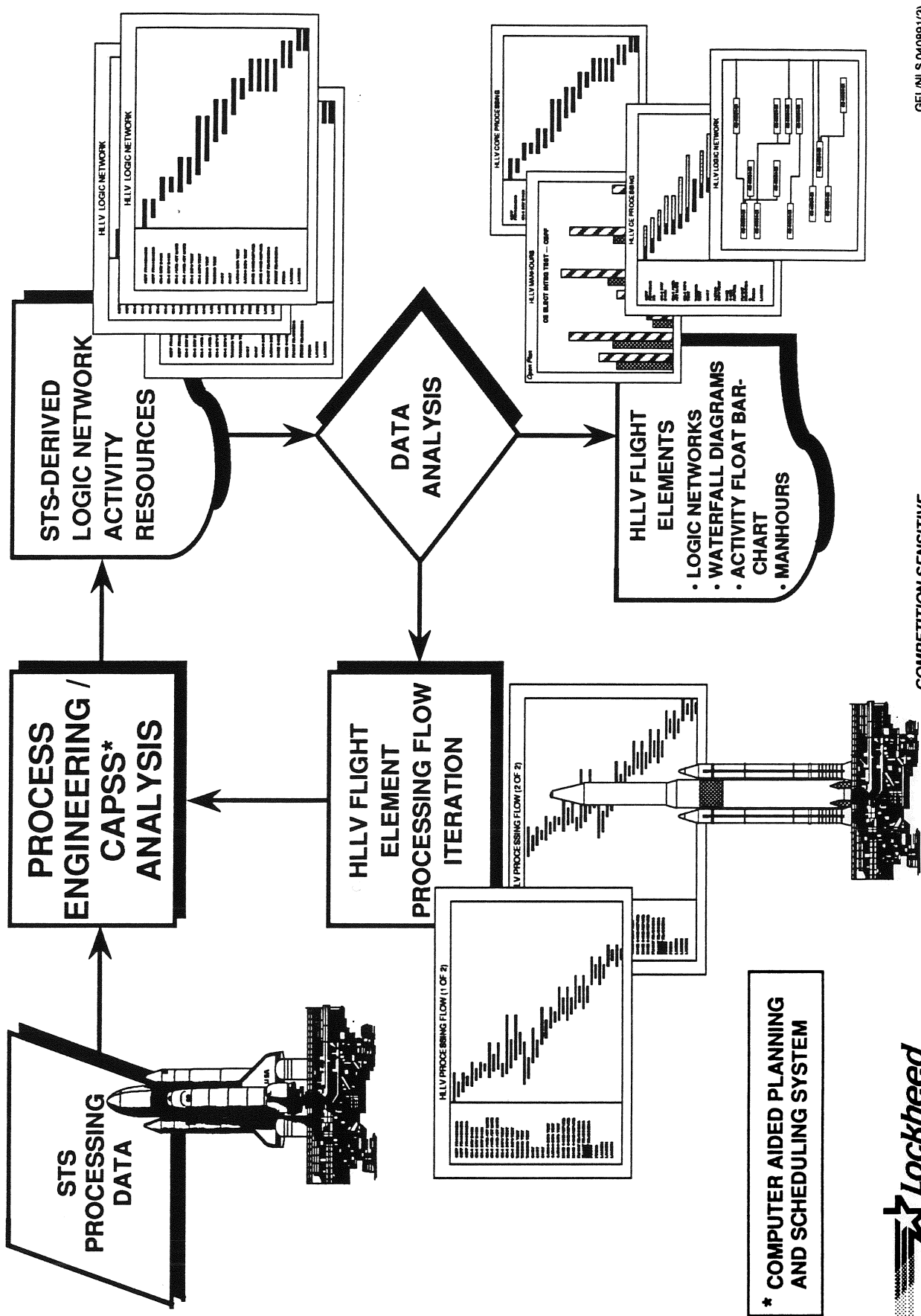
— MISSION FLEXIBILITY

— EVOLUTION OF PROPULSION MODULE TO RECOVERABLE P/A MODULE

— AVIONICS ARCHITECTURE



SCHEDULING METHODOLOGY

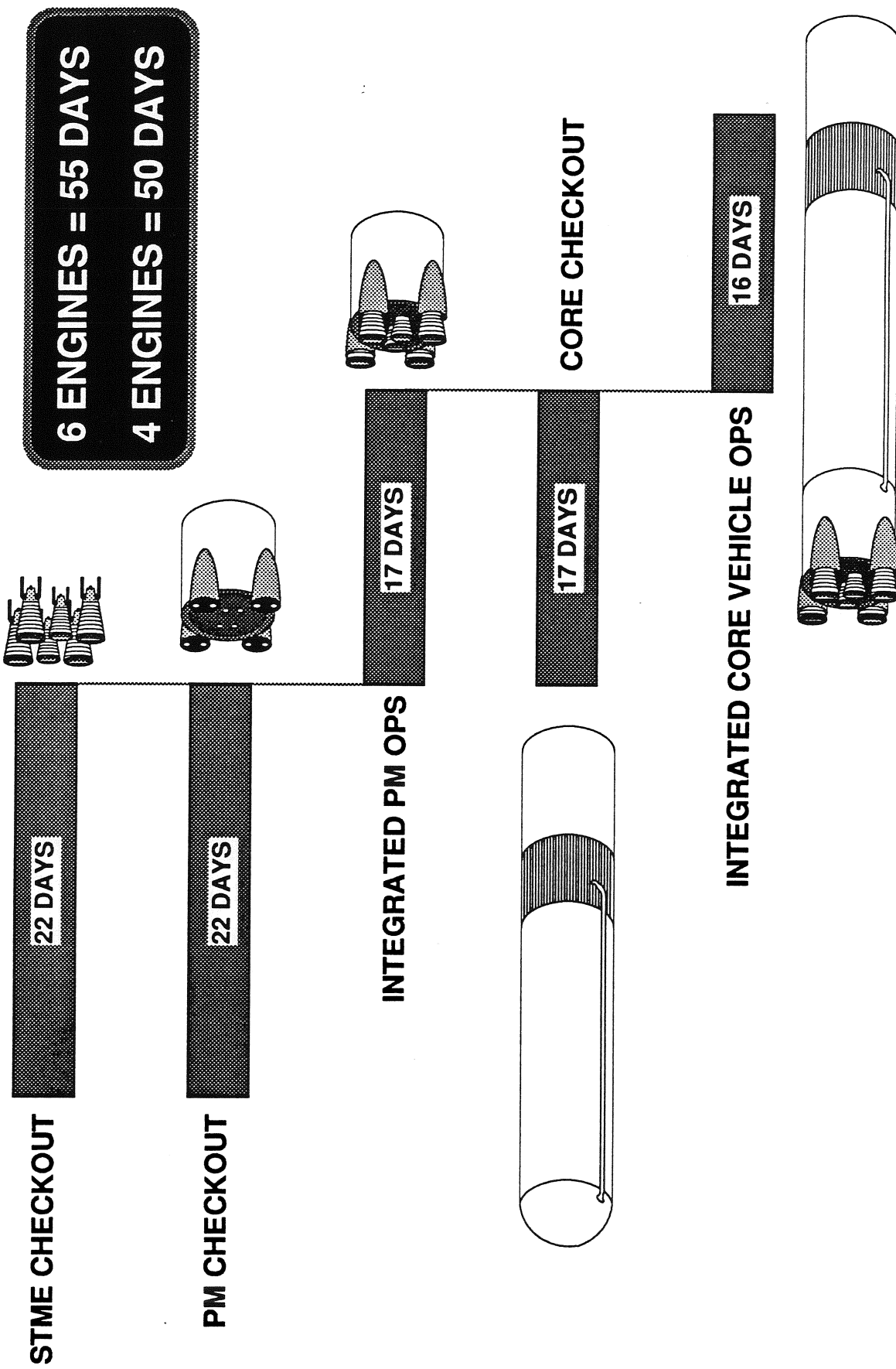


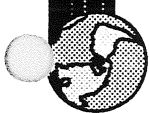
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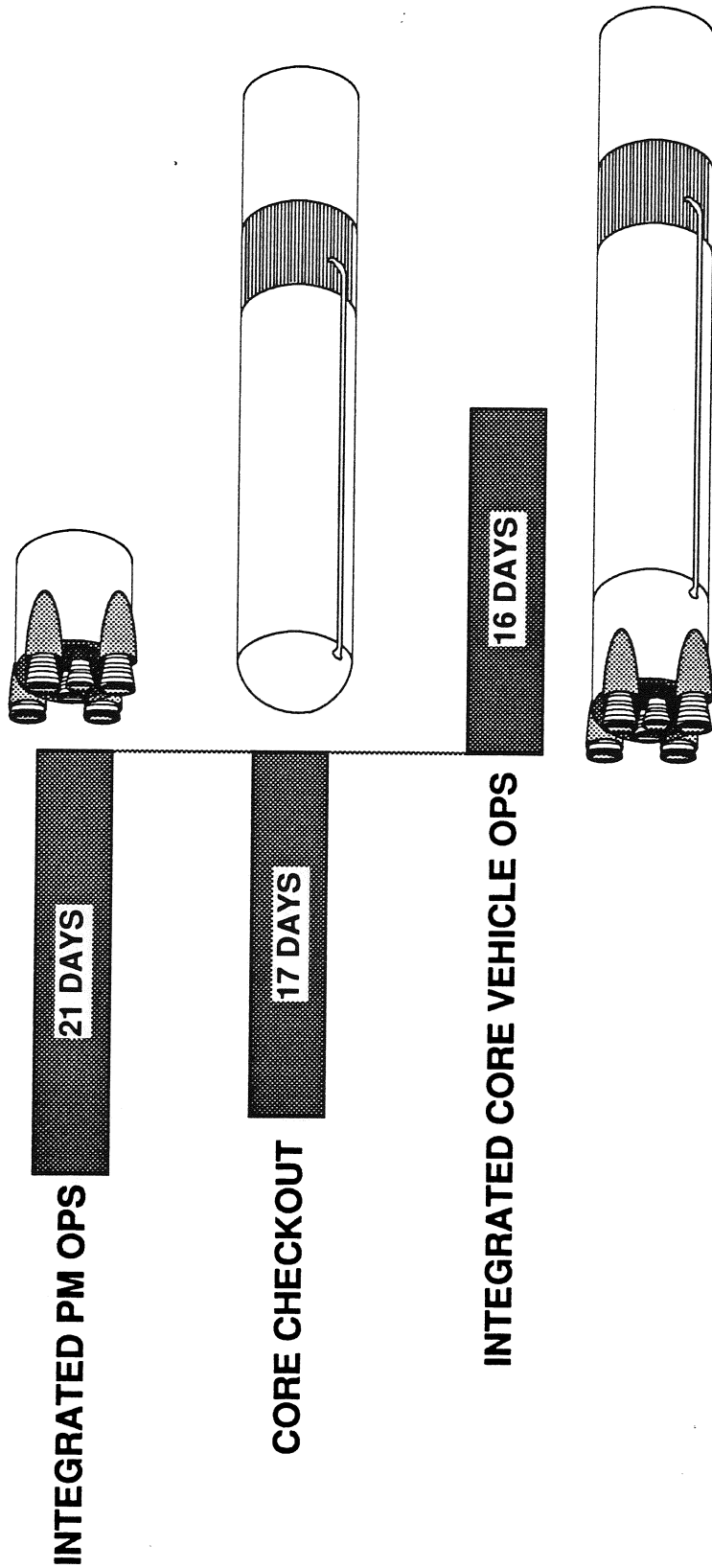
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OPTION 1 CORE VEHICLE INTEGRATION TIMELINE





OPTION 2 CORE VEHICLE INTEGRATION TIMELINE



6 ENGINES = 37 DAYS
4 ENGINES = 34 DAYS



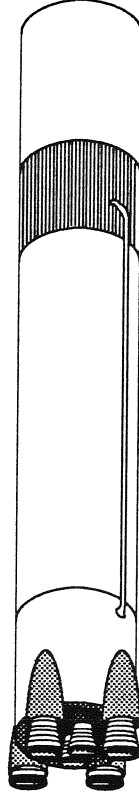
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OPTION 3 CORE VEHICLE INTEGRATION TIMELINE

INTEGRATED CORE VEHICLE OPS

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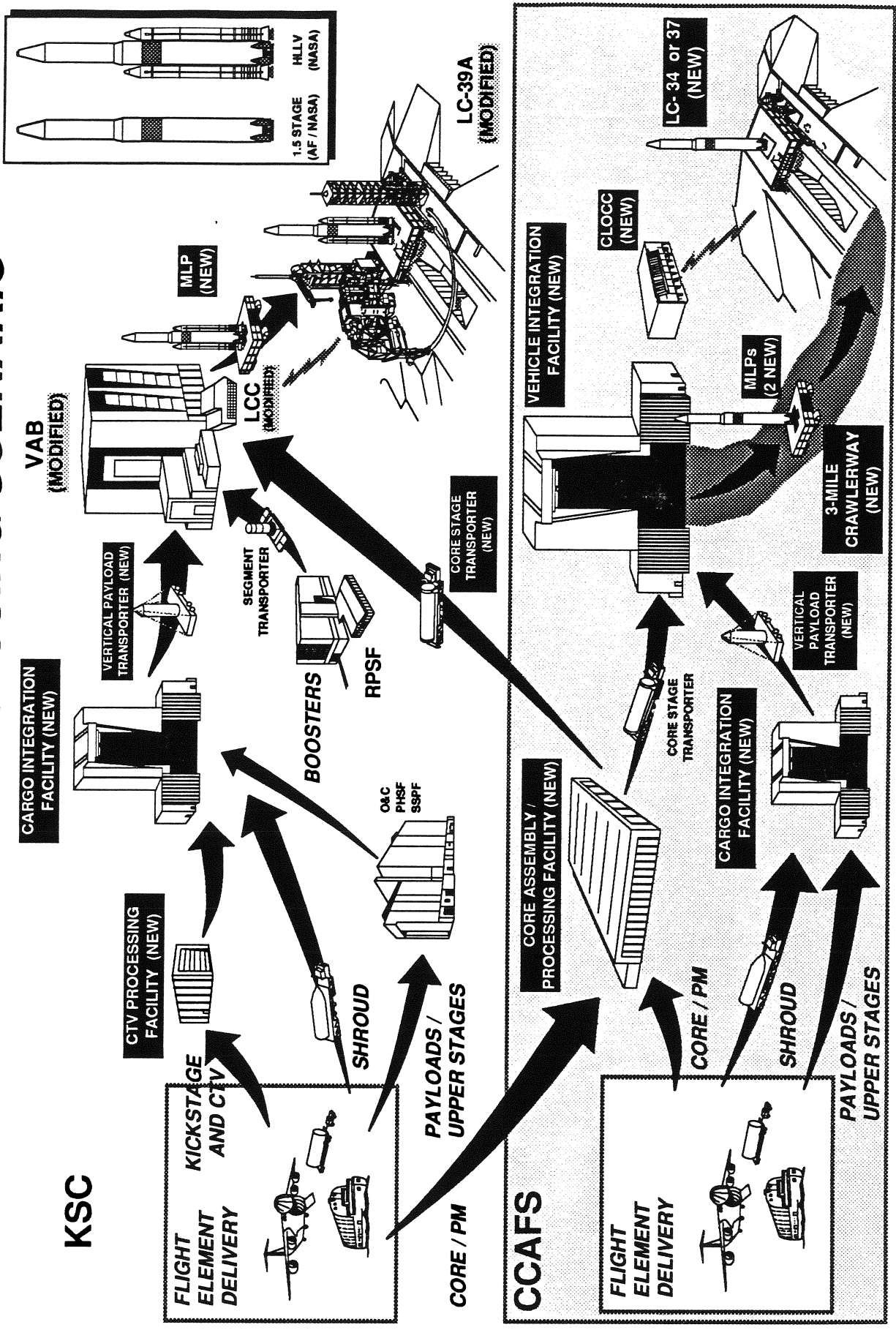


6 ENGINES = 24 DAYS
4 ENGINES = 21 DAYS



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NLS INTEGRATED PROCESSING SCENARIO

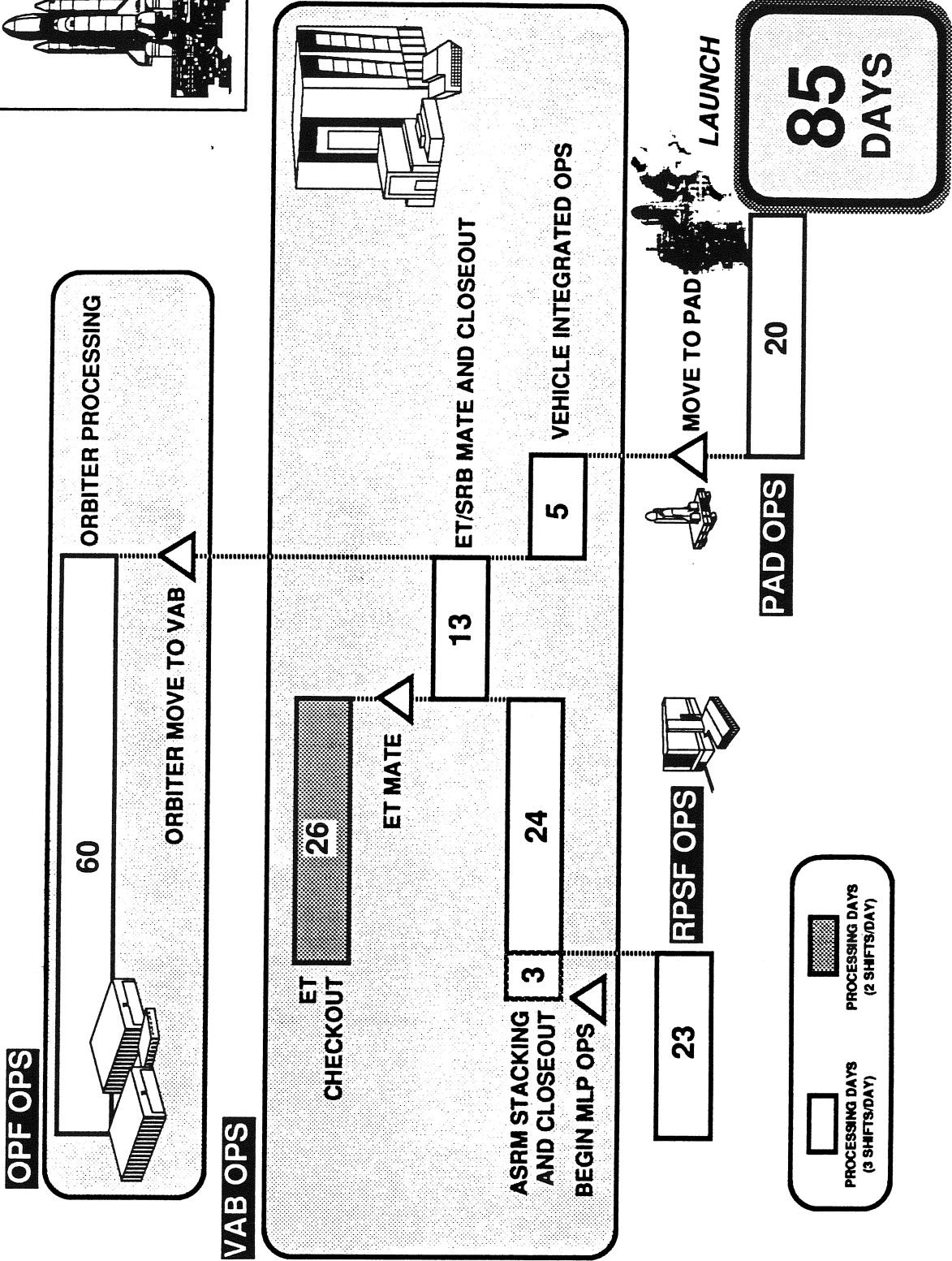
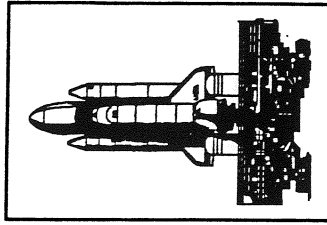


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STS 1993+ INTEGRATED PROCESSING TIMELINE (GOAL)



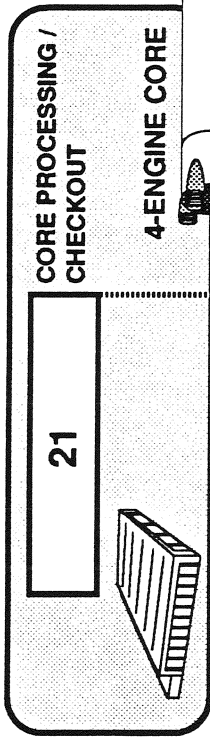
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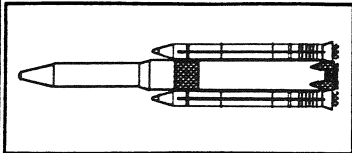
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HLLV BASELINE PROCESSING TIMELINE

CORE ASSEMBLY / PROCESSING FACILITY OPS

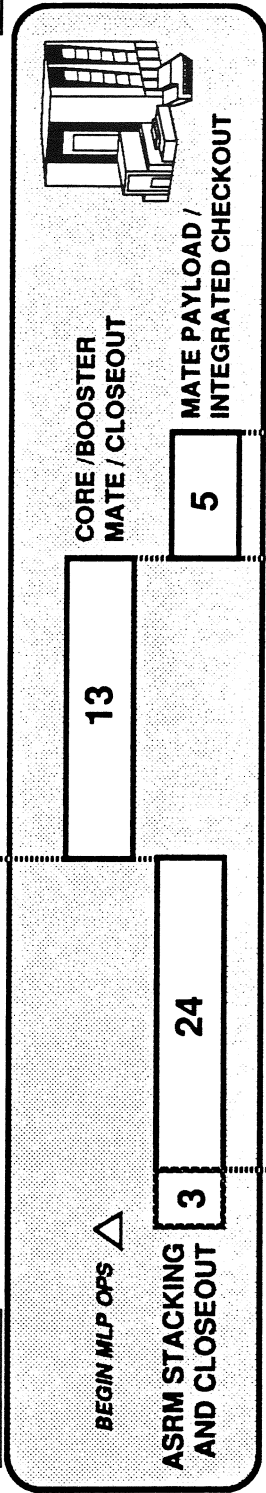


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VAB OPS

MOVE CORE TO VAB



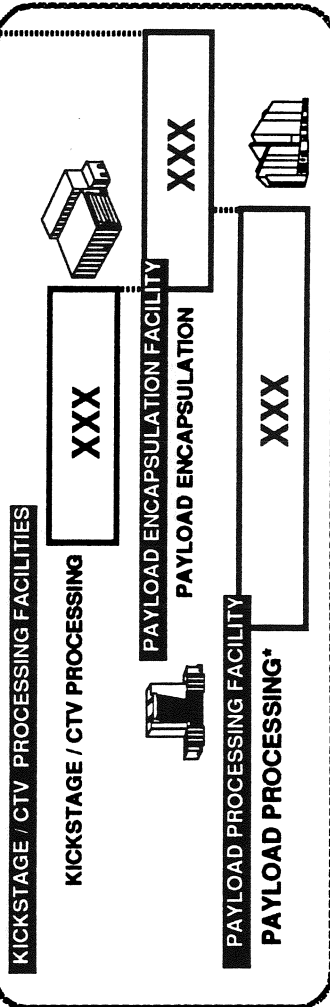
RPSF OPS
ASRM PROCESSING



MOVE PAYLOAD TO VAB

MOVE TO PAD

PAYLOAD OPS



79 DAYS

PROCESSING DAYS (7/3 SHIFTING)

* POTENTIAL CRITICAL PATH ITEM



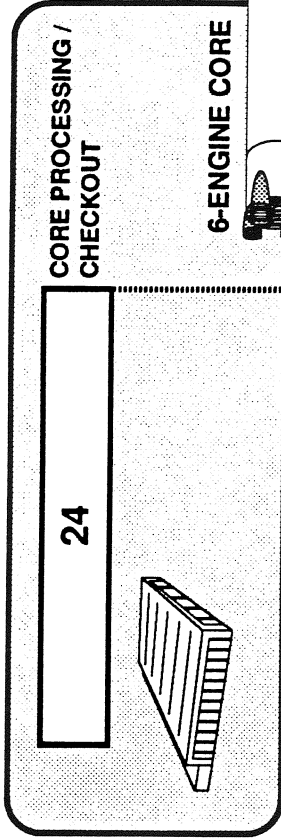
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1.5 STAGE INTEGRATED PROCESSING TIMELINE

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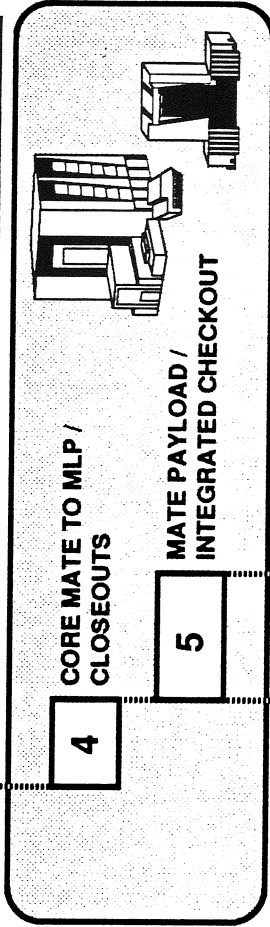
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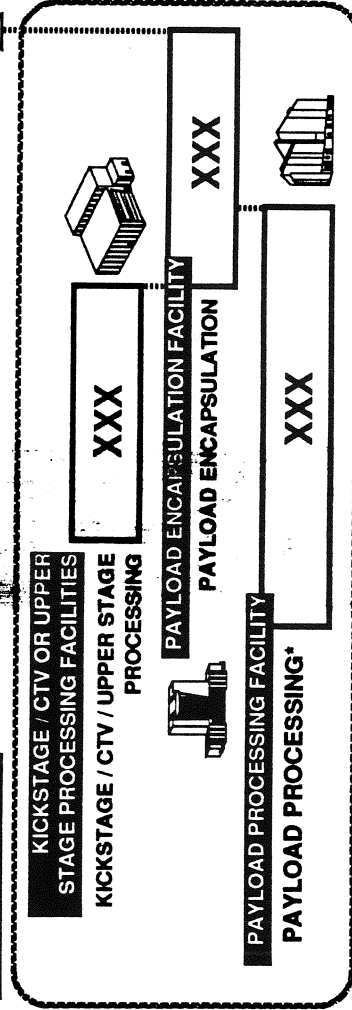
6-ENGINE CORE

MOVE CORE TO VAB

VAB (OR VIF) OPS



PAYLOAD OPS



MOVE PAYLOAD TO VAB

MOVE TO PAD

PAD OPS

14

LAUNCH

**47
DAYS**

* POTENTIAL CRITICAL PATH ITEM



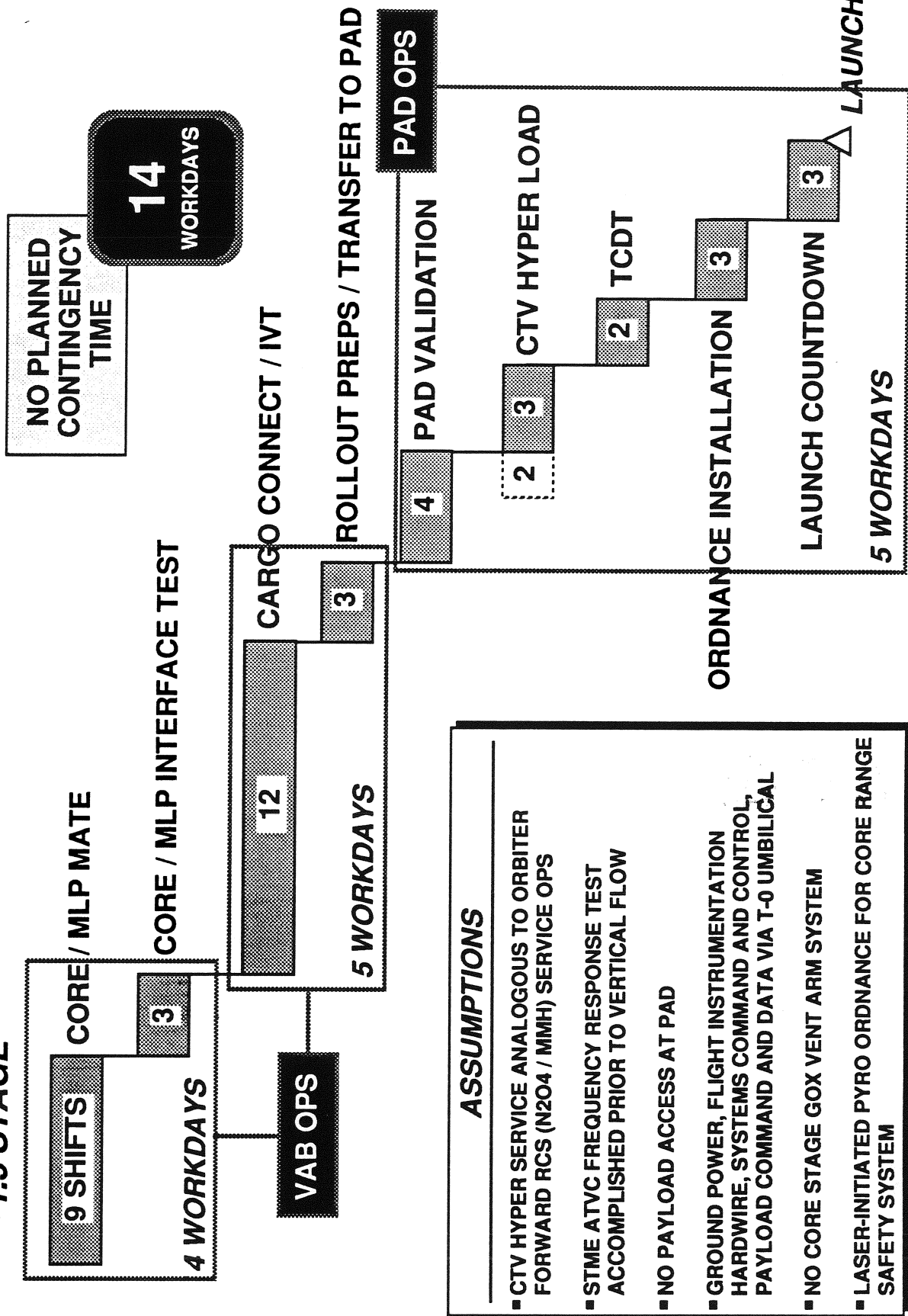
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ACCELERATED INTEGRATED LAUNCH OPERATIONS FLOW ASSESSMENT

— 1.5 STAGE



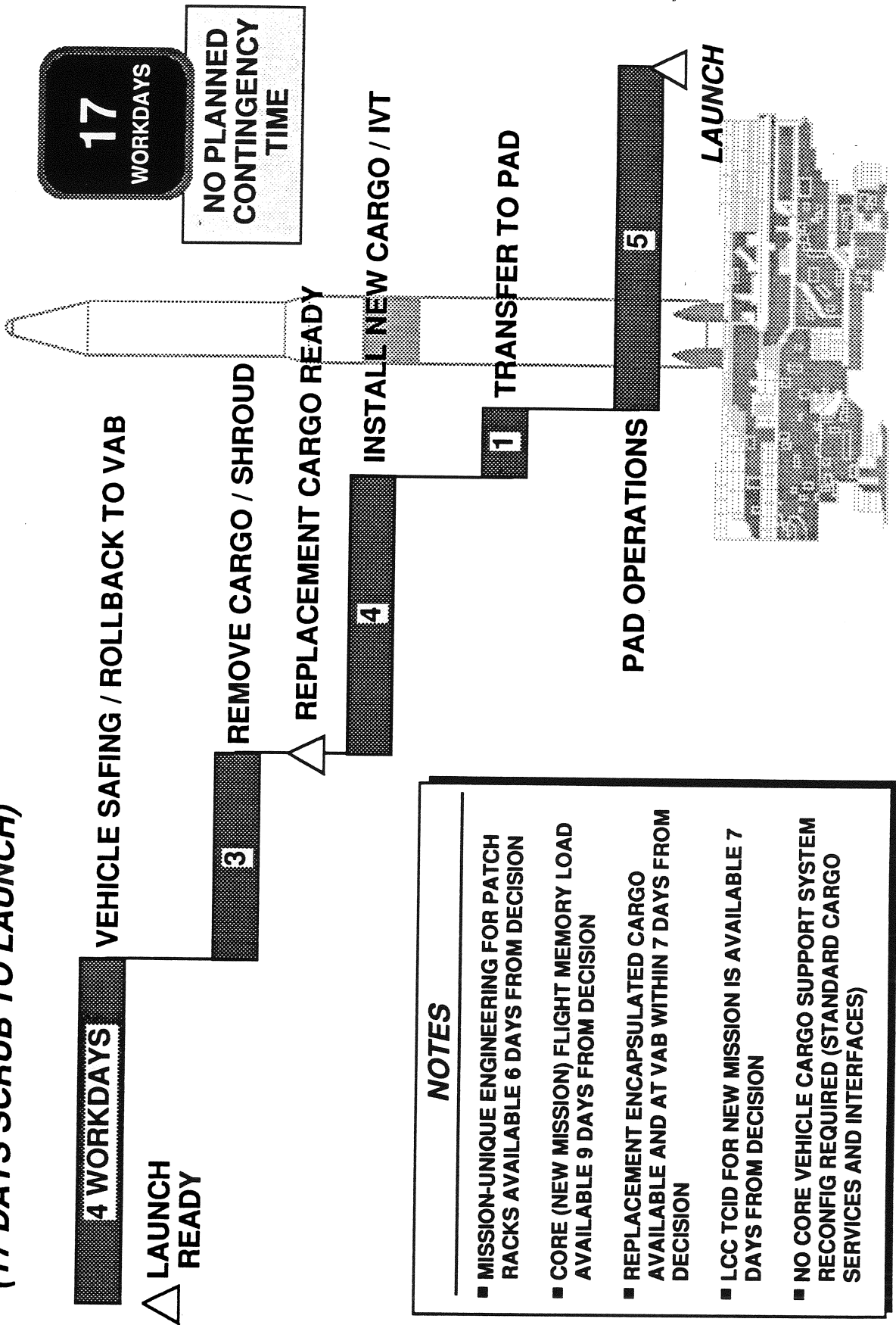
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ACCELERATED 1.5 STAGE CARGO CHANGEOUT ASSESSMENT (17 DAYS SCRUB TO LAUNCH)



NOTES

- MISSION-UNIQUE ENGINEERING FOR PATCH RACKS AVAILABLE 6 DAYS FROM DECISION
- CORE (NEW MISSION) FLIGHT MEMORY LOAD AVAILABLE 9 DAYS FROM DECISION
- REPLACEMENT ENCAPSULATED CARGO AVAILABLE AND AT VAB WITHIN 7 DAYS FROM DECISION
- LCC TCID FOR NEW MISSION IS AVAILABLE 7 DAYS FROM DECISION
- NO CORE VEHICLE CARGO SUPPORT SYSTEM RECONFIG REQUIRED (STANDARD CARGO SERVICES AND INTERFACES)

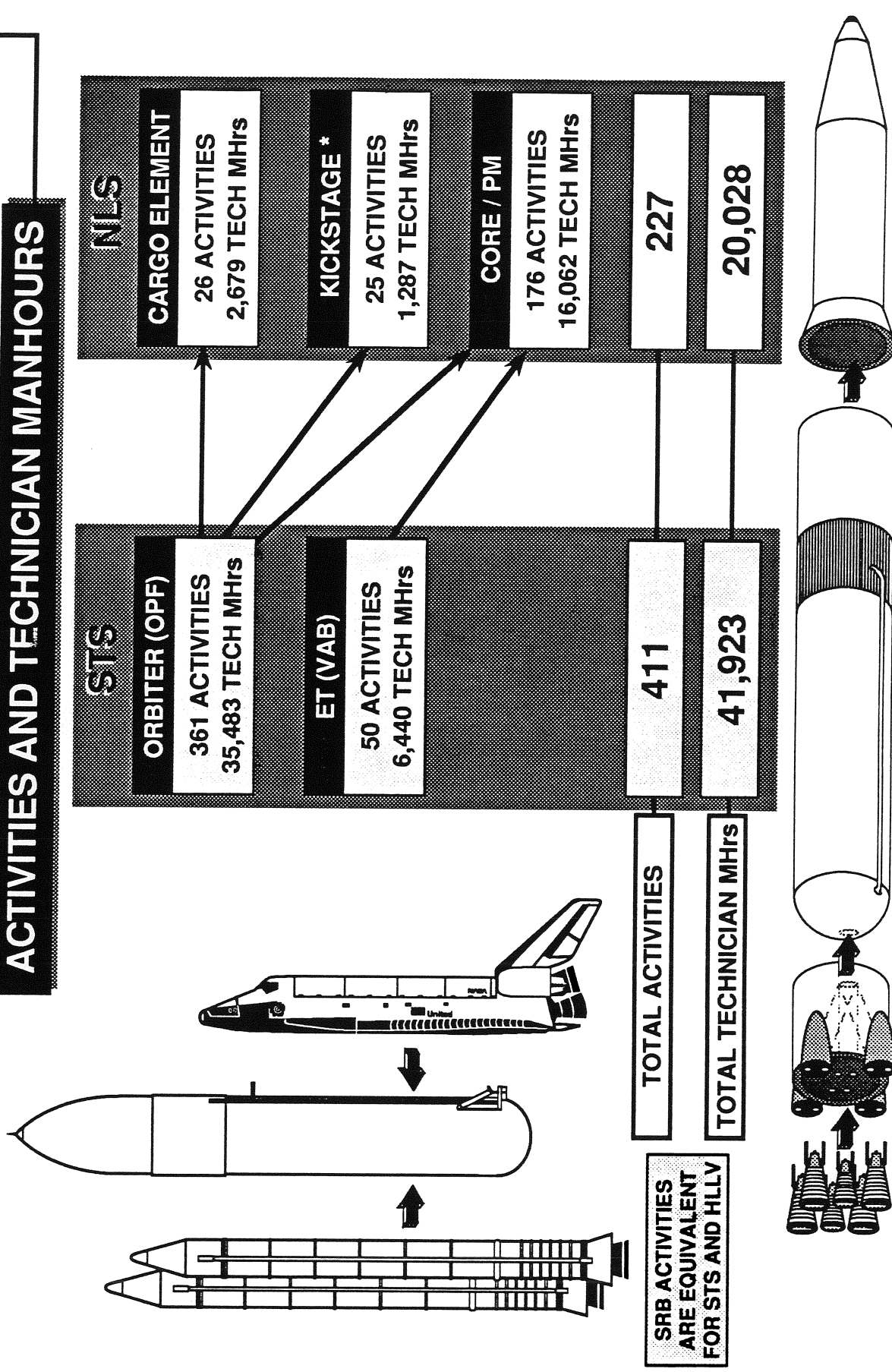


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NLS FLIGHT ELEMENT PROCESSING

ACTIVITIES AND TECHNICIAN MANHOURS



SRB ACTIVITIES ARE EQUIVALENT FOR STS AND HLLV

*HMF PROCESSING MANHOURS EXCLUDED

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NLS FLIGHT ELEMENT PROCESSING (cont'd) — PRELIMINARY

■ QUESTION: HOW WOULD AN HLLV OR 1.5 STAGE VEHICLE COMPARE TO STS IF IT WERE PROCESSED TODAY?

TOTAL MANHOURLY COMPARISONS

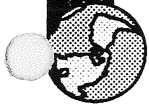
ELEMENT	STS-36 (Mhrs)	HLLV (Mhrs)	1.5 STAGE (Mhrs)
SRB BUILDUP	20,000 ①	20,000 ①	—
SRB STACKING	33,488 ①	33,488 ①	—
ET STAND-ALONE	15,092 ①	—	—
ORBITER ③	212,583 ①	—	—
ET (OR CORE) / SRB (OR ASRM) MATE & CLOSEOUT	37,292 ①	37,292 ①	—
VAB INTEGRATED OPS	10,655 ①	10,655 ①	10,655
PAD INTEGRATED OPS	77,652 ①	31,061	31,061
KICKSTAGE	—	6,911 ②	6,911 ②
CARGO ELEMENT	—	14,386 ②	14,386 ②
CORE / PM	—	OPTION 1 86,253	OPTION 1 86,253
		OPTION 3 37,638	OPTION 3 37,638
TOTAL MANHOURS	406,762	240,046	149,266
		191,431	100,651

① LSOC PROGRAM CONTROLS STS-36 ACTUAL Mhrs

② APPLIED SPC SUPPORT RATIO TO TECH Mhrs

③ EXCLUDES LANDING AND RECOVERY OPS FOR COMPARISON PURPOSES





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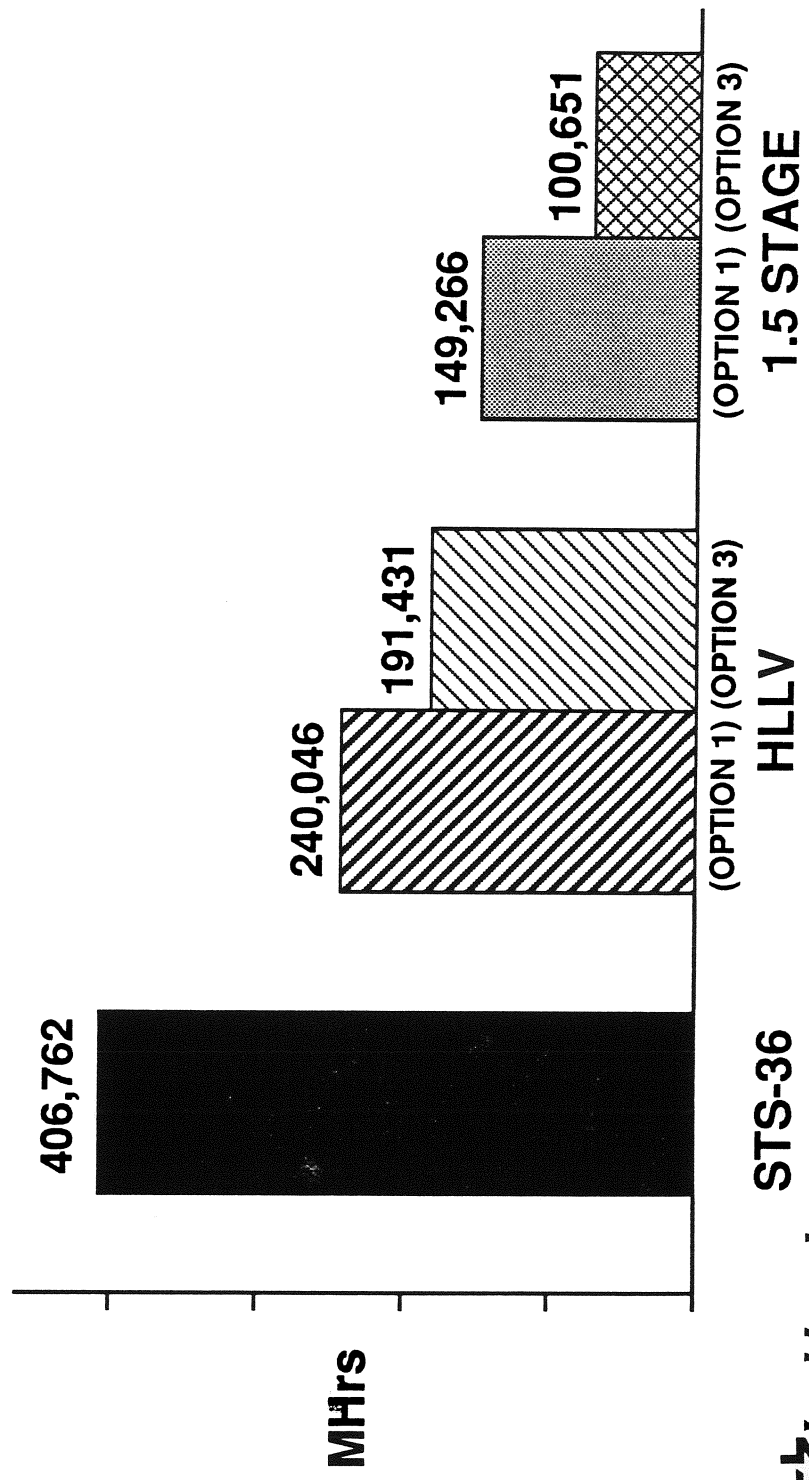
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TOTAL MANHOURLY COMPARISONS (cont'd)

PRELIMINARY

■ ANSWER:

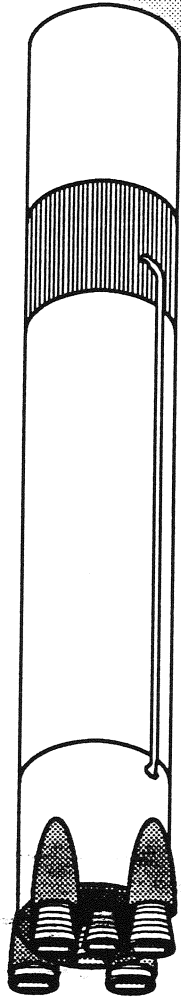
- 1.5 STAGE REQUIRES AS FEW AS 25% OF TOTAL STS MANHOURS
- HLLV REQUIRES AS FEW AS 47% OF TOTAL STS MANHOURS



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LOCKHEED LAUNCH SITE OBSERVATIONS

■ FOR MINIMUM LAUNCH SITE FLOW TIME, AN INTEGRATED CORE / PROPULSION MODULE IS PREFERRED . . .

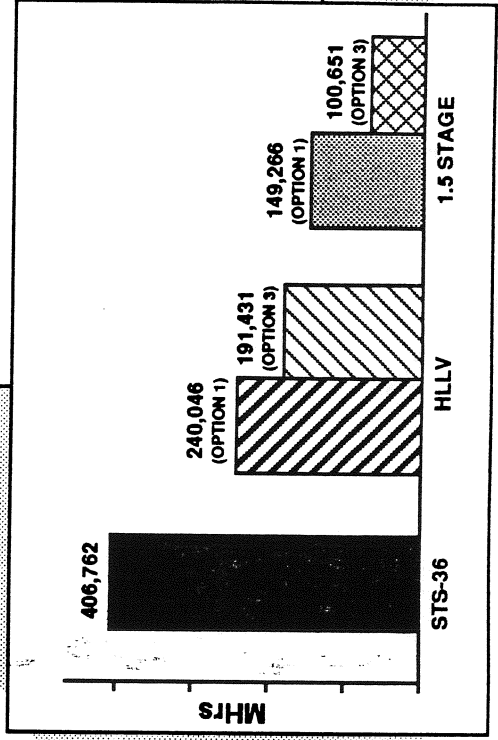
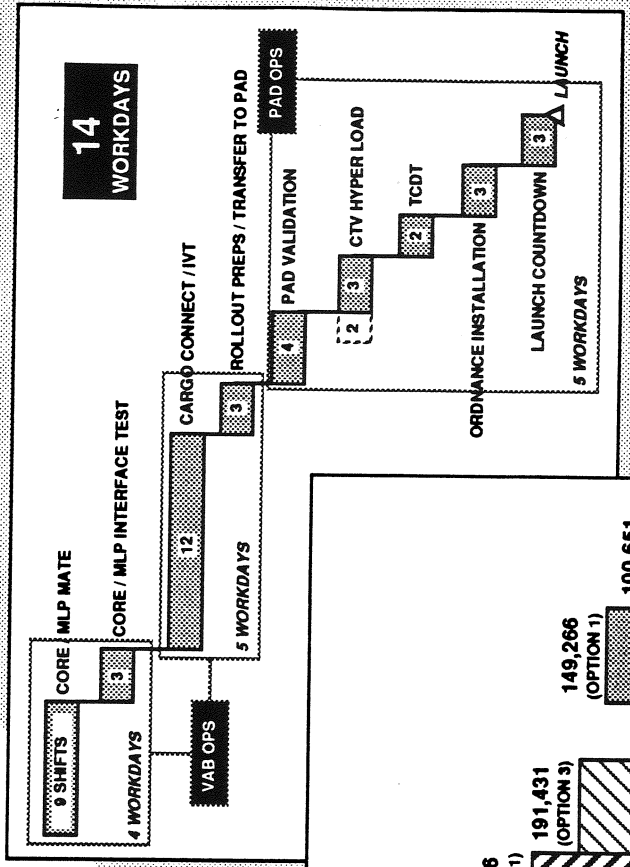


... BUT AN INTEGRATED PROGRAM ASSESSMENT IS ESSENTIAL TO AVOID SUB-OPTIMIZATION

■ INTEGRATED VEHICLE OPERATIONS IN 14 DAYS

■ CARGO CHANGEOUT IN 17 DAYS

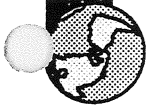
■ HLLV AND 1.5 STAGE PROCESSING MANHOURS SIGNIFICANTLY LESS COMPARED TO STS



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SUMMARY



BASELINE CORE SENSITIVITY

BASELINE CORE CONFIGURATIONS ARE EXTREMELY SENSITIVE TO T_{STME}, MR_{STME}, AND MF_{CORE}

BUS 1 ADVANTAGES

BUS 1 PERFORMS KICKSTAGE AND CTV FUNCTIONS USING THE SAME STAGE WITH 13.4 % PROPELLANT MARGIN

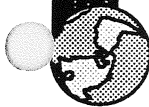
INTEGRATED CORE / PROPULSION MODULE EFFICIENCIES

A FACTORY-INTEGRATED CORE / PROPULSION MODULE REDUCES LAUNCH SITE FLOW BY 40% (31 DAYS) AND LABOR HOURS BY 32%

CORE STAGE LAUNCH PROCESSING

CORE STAGE TURNAROUND (LAUNCH-READY TO LAUNCH-READY) WITH NEW PAYLOAD REQUIRES 17 WORKDAYS; HANGAR-READY TO LAUNCH-READY REQUIRES 14 WORKDAYS





PLUME HEATING

PLUME HEATING ANALYSIS IS A KEY FACTOR IN THE DESIGN OF ENGINE SPACING, EXIT PLANE / GIMBAL PLANE POSITION, FEEDLINE LAYOUT, TANK BOTTOM LOCATION, AND HEAT SHIELDING WEIGHT

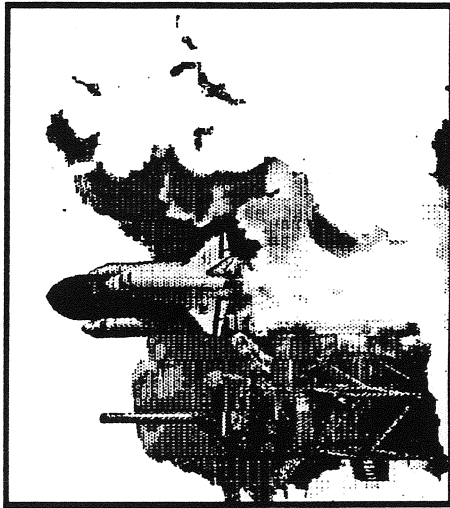
Al-Li MAY HAVE A ROLE IN NLS

LOCKHEED IS THE FREE WORLD'S LARGEST USER OF ALUMINUM LITHIUM (APPROXIMATELY 500,000 LB / YEAR) AND HAS FABRICATED AND FLOWN MAJOR Al-Li SPACE STRUCTURES FOR 5 YEARS

LASER-INITIATED ORDNANCE SUPPORTS LAUNCH-ON-NEED AND REDUCES LAUNCH SITE LABOR HOURS

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