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during 1988 the national research council s space science board reorganized itself to more effectively address nasa s advisory needs the board s scope was broadened it was renamed the space studies board and among other new initiatives the committee on human exploration was created the new committee was intended to focus on the scientific aspects of human exploration programs rather than engineering issues their research led to three reports scientific prerequisites for the human exploration of space published in 1993 scientific opportunities in the human exploration of space published in 1994 and science management in the human exploration of space published in 1997 these three reports are collected and reprinted in this volume in their entirety as originally published with the beginnings of the u s space program there was a pressing need to develop facilities that could support the technology research and development testing and operations of evolving space systems redundancy in facilities that was once and advantage in providing flexibility and schedule accommodation is instead fast becoming a burden on scarce resources as a result there is a clear perception in many sectors that the u s has many space r d facilities that are under utilized and which are no longer cost effective to maintain at the same time it is clear that the u s continues to possess many space r d facilities which are the best or among the best in the world in order to remain world class in key areas careful assessment of current capabilities and planning for new facilities is needed the national facility study nfs was initiated in 1992 to develop a comprehensive and integrated long term plan for future aerospace facilities that meets current and projected government and commercial needs in order to assess the nation s capability to support space research and development r d a space r d task group was formed the task group was co chaired by nasa and dod the task group formed four major technologically and functionally oriented working groups human and machine operations information and communications propulsion and power and materials structures and flight dynamics in addition to these groups three supporting working groups were formed systems engineering and requirements strategy and policy and costing analysis the space r d task group examined several hundred facilities against the template of a baseline mission and requirements model developed in common with the space operations task group and a set of excursions from the baseline the model and excursions are described in volume 3 of the nfs final report in addition as a part of the effort the group examined key strategic issues associate the 2011 national research council decadal survey on biological and physical sciences in space recapturing a future for space exploration life and physical sciences research for a new era was written during a critical period in the evolution of science in support of space exploration the research agenda in space life and physical sciences had been significantly descoped during the programmatic adjustments of the vision for space exploration in 2005 and this occurred in the same era as the international space station iss assembly was nearing completion in 2011 out of that period of change recapturing a future for space exploration presented a cogent argument for the critical need for

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individual chapters review laboratory investigations under simulated space conditions studies for the design of successful space experiments or for supporting the interpretation of astronomical and space mission recorded data related theoretical models numerical simulations and in situ observations demonstrate the necessity of experimental work on the earth s surface the expertise of the contributing scientists covers a broad spectrum and is included in general overviews from fundamental science to recent space technology the book intends to serve as a reference for researchers and graduate students on the most recent activities and results in laboratory astrophysics and to give reviews of their applications in astronomy planetology cosmochemistry space research and solar system exploration issues in astronautics and space research 2013 edition is a scholarlyeditions book that delivers timely authoritative and comprehensive information about spacecraft and rockets the editors have built issues in astronautics and space research 2013 edition on the vast information databases of scholarlynews you can expect the information about spacecraft and rockets in this book to be deeper than what you can access anywhere else as well as consistently reliable authoritative informed and relevant the content of issues in astronautics and space research 2013 edition has been produced by the world s leading scientists engineers analysts research institutions and companies all of the content is from peer reviewed sources and all of it is written assembled and edited by the editors at scholarlyeditions and available exclusively from us you now have a source you can cite with authority confidence and credibility more information is available at scholarlyeditions com the committee on space biology and medicine reviewed and updated prior reports to suggest strategies for research in space biology and medicine based on information gathered since 1987 the report provides a review of biology and medicine that can be studied in the space environment discusses the fundamental research issues and questions with space biology and medicine disciplines identifies the most promising experimental challenges in those disciplines evaluates the potential for space research to provide advances within each discipline and prioritizes research topics to the extent feasible disciplines include sciences which study plant animal and human systems at the molecular cellular system and whole organism levels the section about physiology gravity and space includes cell biology developmental biology plants gravity and space sensorimotor integration bone physiology skeletal muscle cardiovascular and pulmonary systems endocrinology and immunology the section about additional space environment issues includes radiation hazards and behavioral issues the final section examines setting priorities in research and programmatic and policy issues numerous countries and regions now have very active space programs and the number is increasing these maturing capabilities around the world create a plethora of potential partners for cooperative space endeavors while at the same time heightening competitiveness in the international space arena this book summarizes a public workshop held in november 2008 for the purpose of reviewing past and present cooperation coordination and competition mechanisms for space and earth science research and space exploration identifying significant lessons learned and discussing how those lessons could best be applied in the future particularly in the areas of cooperation and collaboration presentations and initial discussion focused on past and present experiences in international cooperation and competition to

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upgraded this revised document first published in 1982 describes the network s current radio astronomy capabilities and future capabilities that will be made available by the ongoing network upgrade the bibliography which includes published papers and articles resulting from radio astronomy observations conducted with network facilities has been updated to include papers to may 1987 renzetti n a and levy g s and kuiper t b h and walken p r and chandlee r c jet propulsion laboratory the workshop on decadal science strategy surveys was held on november 14 16 2006 to promote discussions of the use of national research council nrc decadal surveys for developing and implementing scientific priorities to review lessons learned from the most recent surveys and to identify potential approaches for future surveys that can enhance their realism utility and endurance the workshop involved approximately 60 participants from academia industry government and the nrc this report summarizes the workshop presentations panel discussions and general discussions on the use of decadal surveys for developing and implementing scientific priorities in astronomy and astrophysics planetary science solar and space physics and earth science decadal science strategy surveys report of a workshop summarizes the evnts of the three day workshop this is the space station freedom ssf evolution study 1993 final report performed under nasa contract nas8 38783 task order 5 1 this task examined 1 the feasibility of launching current national space transportation system nsts compatible logistics elements on expendable launch vehicles elv s and the associated modifications and 2 new non nsts logistics elements for launch on elv s to augment current ssf logistics capability evans david b unspecified center launch vehicles logistics space station freedom space station payloads logistics management space transportation system spacecraft design spacecraft launching as part of its ongoing commitment to the nation s space program nasa s medical leadership asked the institute of medicine iom to review specific aspects of the scientific basis policies and procedures associated with the longitudinal study of astronaut health lsah nasa created the lsah in 1992 to address a variety of issues including both the health of astronauts during space flight and the longer term health issues that might be associated with space flight and flight training this study commissioned by the national aeronautics and space administration nasa examines the role of robotic exploration missions in assessing the risks to the first human missions to mars only those hazards arising from exposure to environmental chemical and biological agents on the planet are assessed to ensure that it was including all previously identified hazards in its study the committee on precursor measurements necessary to support human operations on the surface of mars referred to the most recent report from nasa s mars exploration program payload analysis group mepag greeley 2001 the committee concluded that the requirements identified in the present nrc report are indeed the only ones essential for nasa to pursue in order to mitigate potential hazards to the first human missions to mars the mars mission research center m2rc is one of nine university space engineering research centers established by nasa in june 1988 it is a cooperative effort between ncsu and a t in greensboro the goal of the center is to focus on research and educational technologies for planetary exploration with particular emphasis on mars the research combines mission analysis and design hypersonic aerodynamics and propulsion structures and controls composite materials and fabrication methods in a cross disciplined program directed towards

the development of space transportation systems for lunar and planetary travel the activities of the students and faculty in the m2rc for the period 1 jul 1990 to 30 jun 1991 are described unspecified center the objective was to determine the direction auxiliary propulsion research and development should take to best meet upcoming needs the approach used was to define the important electrical and chemical propulsion characteristics in terms of the demands that will be imposed by future spacecraft comparison of these desired characteristics and capabilities with those presently available was then used to identify deficiencies smith w w and clark j p unspecified center nasa cr 165502 vol 1 d180 25956 3 vol 1 nas3 21952 this last volume of the springerbriefs in space life sciences series is setup in 5 main parts the 1st part shortly summarizes the history of life science research in space from the late 40s until today with focus on europe and germany followed by a part on describing flight opportunities including the space shuttle spacelab system and the international space station iss in the 3rd part it focuses on extraordinary success stories of this constantly challenging research program and highlights some important key findings in space life science research the book introduces in the 4th part innovative developments in non invasive biomedical diagnostics and training methods for astronauts that emerge from this program and are of benefit for people on earth especially in the aging society last but not least in its 5th part it closes with an outlook on the future of space life sciences in the upcoming era of space exploration the book is intended for students and research scientists in the life sciences and biomedicine as well as for interested lay persons who wish to get an overview of space life science research its early days current status and future directions

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Science Management in the Human Exploration of Space 1997-09-18 a little known yet critical part of nasa history life in space explores the many aspects and outcomes of nasa s research in life sciences a little understood endeavor that has often been overlooked in histories of the space agency maura mackowski details nasa s work in this field from spectacular promises made during the reagan era to the major new directions set by george w bush s vision for space exploration in the early twenty first century at the first flight of nasa s space shuttle in 1981 hopes ran high for the shuttle program to achieve its potential of regularly transporting humans cargo and scientific experiments between earth and the international space station mackowski describes different programs projects and policies initiated across nasa centers and headquarters in the following decades to advance research into human safety and habitation plant and animal biology and commercial biomaterials mackowski illuminates these ventures in fascinating detail by drawing on rare archival sources oral histories interviews and site visits while highlighting significant achievements and innovations such as space radiation research and the neurolab spacelab mission mackowski reveals frustrations lost opportunities stagnation and dead ends stemming from frequent changes in presidential administrations and policies for today s dreams of lunar outposts or long term spaceflight to become reality mackowski argues a robust program in space life sciences is essential and the history in this book offers lessons to help prevent leaving more expectations unfulfilled

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A Strategy for Research in Space Biology and Medicine Into the Next Century 1998-09-22 u s european collaboration in space science reviews the past 30 years of space based research across the atlantic the book which was prepared jointly with the european space science committee under the aegis of the european science foundation begins with a broad survey of the historical and political context of u s european cooperation and collaboration in space the focus of the book is a set of 13 u s european missions in astrophysics space physics planetary sciences earth sciences and life and microgravity research that illustrate lessons learned on the evolution of the cooperation mission planning and scheduling international

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von karman john von neumann charles yeager

Issues in Astronautics and Space Research: 2013 Edition 2013-05-01 this handbook is a comprehensive collection of data formulas definitions and theories concerning the natural environment it was written by scientists of the air force cambridge research laboratories afcrl which in 1976 became the air force geophysics laboratory afgl it was designed to serve a broad spectrum of users the planner designer developer and operator of aerospace systems the scientist who will find the tables and figures a convenient reference in his own field the specialist who needs environmental data in another discipline and science minded people who seek a summary of space age environmental research revisions of individual chapters and sections of this handbook will be published as additional environmental research efforts pay off in new knowledge

NASA's Plan to Restructure the Space Station Freedom 1991 the nasa deep space network operates and maintains the earth based two way communications link for unmanned spacecraft exploring the solar system it is nasa s policy to also make the network s facilities available for radio astronomy observations the network s microwave communication systems and facilities are being continually upgraded this revised document first published in 1982 describes the network s current radio astronomy capabilities and future capabilities that will be made available by the ongoing network upgrade the bibliography which includes published papers and articles resulting from radio astronomy observations conducted with network facilities has been updated to include papers to may 1987 renzetti n a and levy g s and kuiper t b h and walken p r and chandlee r c jet propulsion laboratory

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U.S.-European Collaboration in Space Science 1998-06-30 this is the space station freedom ssf evolution study 1993 final report performed under nasa contract nas8 38783 task order 5 1 this task examined 1 the feasibility of launching current national space transportation system nsts compatible logistics elements on expendable launch vehicles elv s and the associated modifications and 2 new non nsts logistics elements for launch on elv s to augment current ssf logistics capability evans david b unspecified center launch vehicles logistics space station freedom space station payloads logistics management space transportation system spacecraft design spacecraft launching

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Solar and Space Physics 2013-09-26 this study commissioned by the national aeronautics and space administration nasa examines the role of robotic exploration missions in assessing the risks to the first human missions to mars only those hazards arising from exposure to environmental chemical and biological agents on the planet are assessed to ensure that it was including all previously identified hazards in its study the committee on precursor measurements necessary to support human operations on the surface of mars referred to the most recent report from nasa s mars exploration program payload analysis group mepag greeley 2001 the committee concluded that the requirements identified in the present nrc report are indeed the only ones essential for nasa to pursue in order to mitigate potential hazards to the first human missions to mars

Controlling Cost Growth of NASA Earth and Space Science Missions 2010-10-21 the mars mission research center m2rc is one of nine university space engineering research centers established by nasa in june 1988 it is a cooperative effort between ncsu and a t in greensboro the goal of the center is to focus on research and educational technologies for planetary exploration with particular emphasis on mars the research combines mission analysis and design hypersonic aerodynamics and propulsion structures and controls composite materials and fabrication methods in a cross disciplined program directed towards the development of space transportation systems for lunar and planetary travel the activities of the students and faculty in the m2rc for the period 1 jul 1990 to 30 jun 1991 are described unspecified center

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