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# **Soyuz-26, Expedition 27 Increment 27 Mission Operations Readiness Review (MORR)**

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**BASELINE 02/14/11**

*Presented to:*

**NASA/Goddard Space Flight Center  
Networks Integration Management Office, Code 450.1**



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# Review Board

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# Review Schedule

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# Mission Overview

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# Mission Profile

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- **Vehicle:** Russian Soyuz
- **Launch Date/Time:** March 30, 2011/0043 GMT
- **International Space Station (ISS) Docking:** April 01, 2011
- **Length of Time Docked:** 6 months (becomes the Russian Crew Return Vehicle)
- **Station Element:** Soyuz
- **Orbit:** 146 nautical miles
- **Inclination:** 51.6 degrees
- **Payload:** Crew, Logistics and Supplies



# ISS Supply Sequence

Date	Flight	Launch Vehicle/Elements	
10/07/10	24S Russian Soyuz (Expedition 25)	Crew Transport, Logistics and Re-supply	ISS Increment 25
10/27/10	40P Russian Progress	Logistics and Re-supply	
12/15/10	25S Russian Soyuz (Expedition 26)	Crew Transport, Logistics and Re-supply	ISS Increment 26
01/22/11	HTV-2 Japanese H-II Transfer Vehicle	Logistics and Re-supply	
01/28/11	41P Russian Progress	Logistics and Re-supply	
<b>02/15/11</b>	<b>ATV 2 (Automated Transfer Vehicle) - Johannes Kepler</b>	Logistics and Re-supply	
<b>02/24/11</b>	<b>ULF5 Space Shuttle (STS-133)</b>	<b>EXPRESS Logistics Carrier 4 (ELC4), Permanent Multi-Purpose Module (PMM)</b>	
<b>03/30/11</b>	<b>26S Russian Soyuz (Expedition 27)</b>	<b>Crew Transport, Logistics and Re-supply</b>	ISS Increment 27
<b>04/19/11</b>	<b>ULF6 Space Shuttle (STS-134)</b>	<b>Alpha Magnetic Spectrometer (AMS-2), ExPRESS Logistics Carrier (ELC3)</b>	
<b>04/27/11</b>	<b>42P Russian Progress</b>	<b>Logistics and Re-supply</b>	
<b>05/30/11</b>	<b>27S Russian Soyuz (Expedition 28)</b>	<b>Crew Transport, Logistics and Re-supply</b>	ISS Increment 28
<b>06/21/11</b>	<b>43P Russian Progress</b>	<b>Logistics and Re-supply</b>	
<b>06/28/11</b>	<b>ULF7 Space Shuttle (STS-135)</b>	<b>Multi-Purpose Logistics Module (MPLM) Raffaello and a Lightweight Multi-Purpose Carrier (LMC)</b>	

**Red Date = Launch Planned**

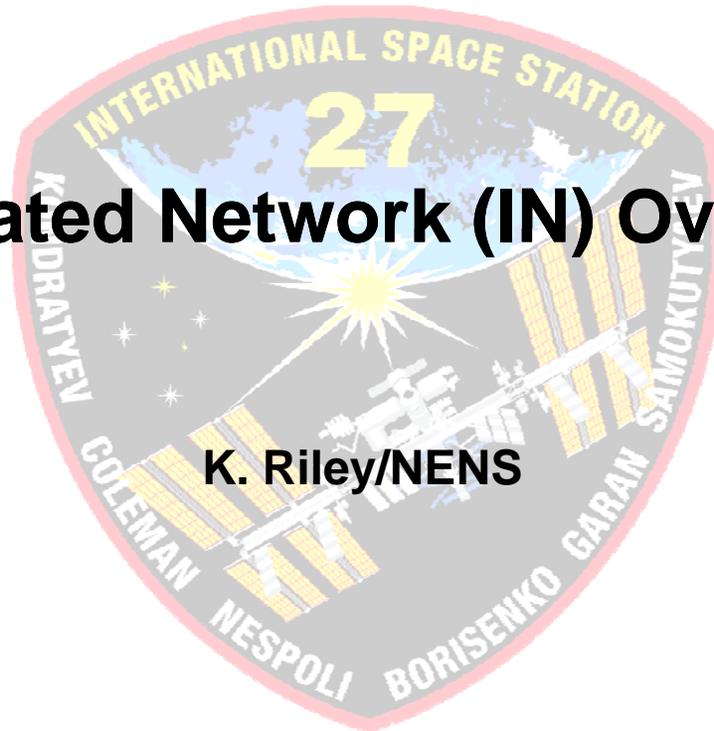
**Gray Date = Completed Missions**



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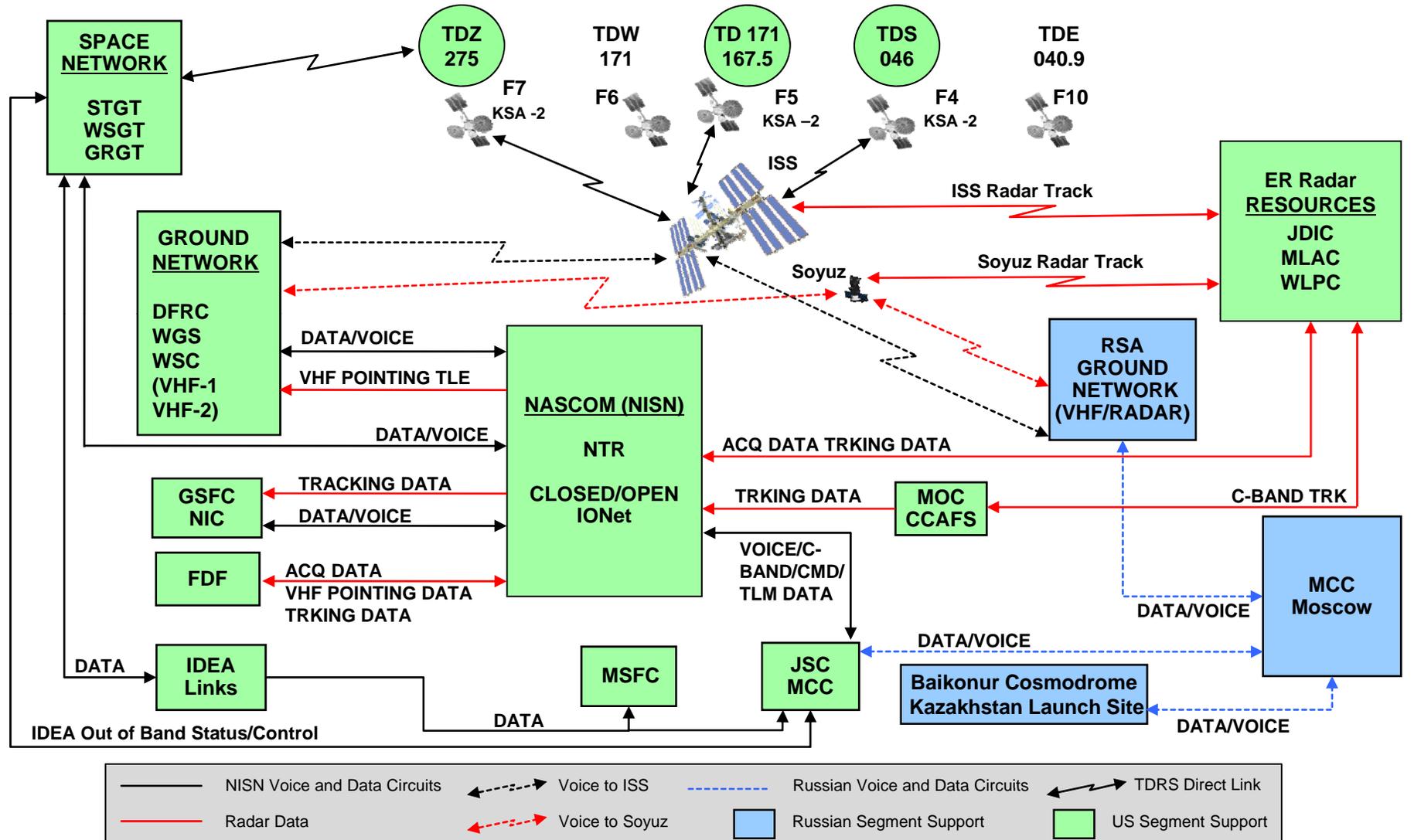
# Integrated Network (IN) Overview

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# ISS/Soyuz IN Overview Chart





# Documentation

Document Title	Status	Published Date
<i>TDRSS Network Operations Support Plan for International Space Station, 450-TNOSP-ISS</i>	Original	02/2010
<i>TDRSS Network Operations Support Plan for International Space Station, Very High Frequency Annex, 450-TNOSP-ISS VHF Annex</i>	Original DCN 001	09/2006 02/2009
Interim Support Instruction (ISI) – Pre-mission Status	In Process	Launch minus 30 (02/28/11)
ISI – Mission Status	In Process	Launch minus 7 (03/22/11)
ISI – Mission Support	In Process	Launch minus 5 (03/24/11)
ISI – Mission Configuration Freeze for Soyuz 26 Docking	In Process	Docking minus 7 (03/24/11)
ISI – Mission Configuration Freeze for Soyuz 24 Undocking	In Process	Undocking minus 7 (03/09/11)
ISI – Mission Termination (Soyuz 24)	In Process	At conclusion of mission (03/16/11)
<i>Configuration Management Freeze Policy for Integrated Networks and Supporting Elements, 450-CMFP-HSF/ELV</i>	Original	06/2007
<i>NASA Integrated Services Network Standard Operating Procedures, NISN SOP-0002</i>	Revision C	11/2007
<i>Soyuz/Progress/ISS Joint Flight Rules, Vol D, NSTS-12820</i>	Final PCN-6	09/2006 05/2009



# Requirement Changes

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- **Program Requirements Document (PRD) changes**
  - **None**



# Operational/Network Changes

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- **Space Communications Network Services (SCNS) Contract Change**
  - **The transition from the Near Earth Network Services (NENS) contract to the SCNS contract will occur on 04/09/11. Entities affected by this transition include:**
    - **GSFC Mission Integration and Operations**
      - **Human Space Flight (HSF) Team (Ground Network Operation Manager's [GNOM], Spaceflight Mission Manager's [SMM], Advanced Mission Planning/ HSF Doc's) / GSFC NIC**
      - **Electronic Systems Test Laboratory (ESTL)**
    - **GSFC Test and Integration**
    - **GSFC Sustaining Engineering**
    - **Wallops Ground Site (WGS)**
    - **White Sands Complex (WSC)**



## Operational/Network Changes (cont'd)

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- **Very High Frequency (VHF) Recording (WGS and WSC)**
  - **WGS will implement VHF-1/2 transmit and receive recording via the Mission Operations Voice Enhancement (MOVE) system – 02/25/11**
  - **WSC will implement approved EC-TO015-4 VHF-1/2 transmit and receive record capabilities – 03/01/11**



# Network Verification Test

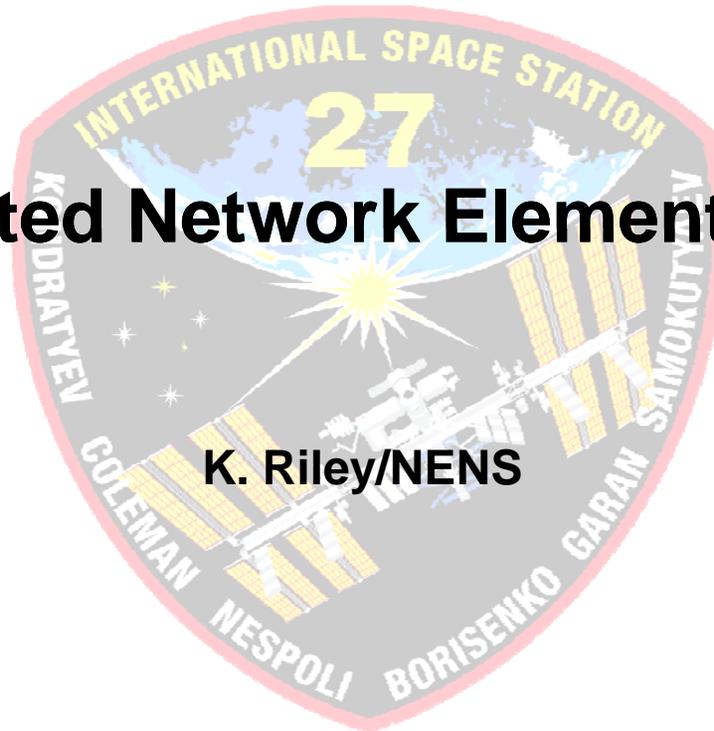
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- **VHF Emergency Communication Verification Passes**
  - **VHF-1 two-way voice checks performed with ISS and WGS on 01/10, DFRC on 01/13 & 02/04, and WSC on 01/14 & 02/04\***
    - **WSC support was unacceptable due to excessive noise on the system 1 downlink (CDS# 259244)**
      - **Suspect system 1 Power Amplifier (PA)**
      - **New PA ordered**
    - **\*WSC VHF antenna stopped tracking during ISS pass on 02/04 due to blown fuse in antenna elevation motor. Suspect extreme cold temperature. Site has exercised antenna on several occasions since 02/04 with no problems. Supports both VHF-1 and VHF-2**
    - **WSC VHF-2 tracking verified by shadowing VHF-1; no active voice communications checks on VHF-2 due to radiation restrictions over the US range**



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# Integrated Network Element Status



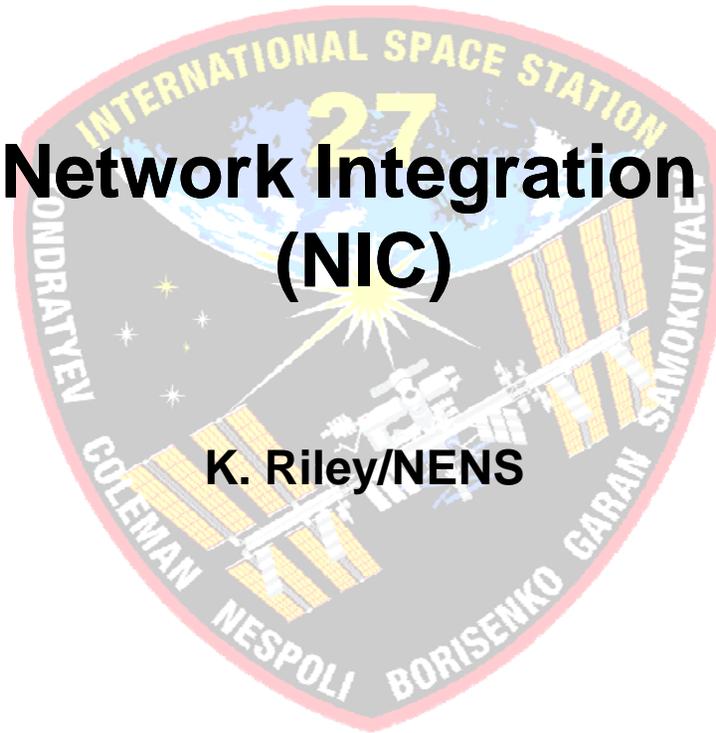
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# GSFC Network Integration Center (NIC)

**K. Riley/NENS**





## IN Element Status – NIC

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- **Operational Changes since the Soyuz 25 MORR**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software (S/W)	None	None
Hardware (H/W)	None	None

- **Open Discrepancy Reports (DR)**
  - **None**



## IN Element Status – NIC (cont'd)

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- **Open Work**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	None	None

- **Projected Changes**

- **None**



## IN Element Status – NIC (cont'd)

- **NIC Facility Status**

Item	Status	Comments
Commercial Power	G	
Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS)	G	
Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning (HVAC)	G	
Mission Management Area (MMA)	G	

- **Staffing, Training, and Certification**

- Staffing is sufficient to meet all requirements

- **Documentation Status**

- Documentation is up to date

- **Summary and Readiness Assessment**

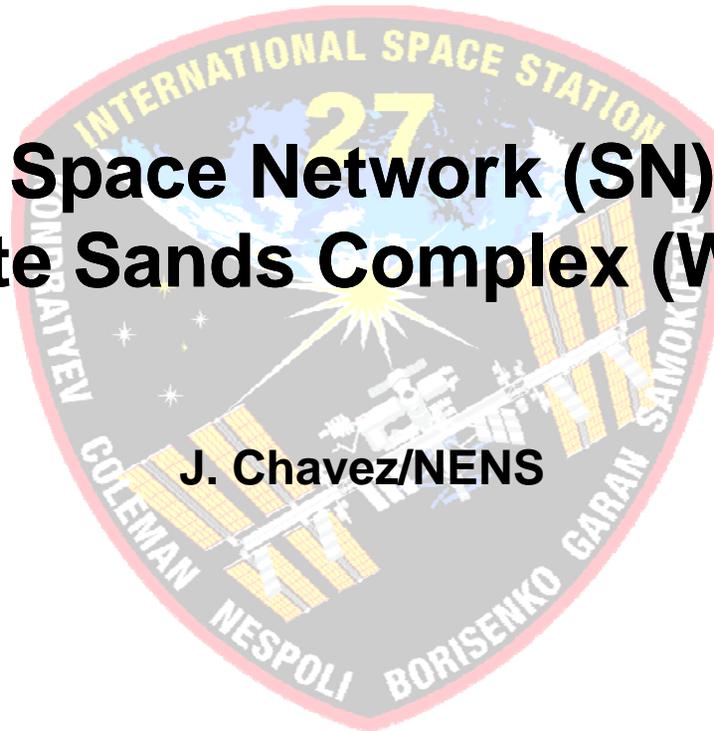
- NIC is ready to support the Soyuz 26/Expedition 27 and ISS Increment 27



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# Space Network (SN) White Sands Complex (WSC)

J. Chavez/NENS





# IN Element Status – SN

- SN Operational Changes since the Soyuz 25 MORR**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	S/W delivery 10006	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Maintenance and TDRS-K specific deliveries</li><li>• Completed 02/16/11</li></ul>
	Space Network Access System (SNAS) release 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Transition is planned for – 03/2011 (Post STS-133)</li><li>• This includes updating the servers at White Sands and the Mission Control Center (MCC) clients</li></ul>
Hardware	MOVE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Replaces obsolete Multi-Conference Digital Switch (MDS) system at the WSC</li><li>• Second TDRSS Ground Terminal (STGT) MOVE currently shadowing the Legacy System. Dual operations on 02/18/11</li><li>• WSGT and GRGT still on Legacy</li></ul>
	Antenna Sub-System Controller (SSC) Replacement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Replace obsolete 286 based Central Processing Unit (CPU) chassis with Pentium/Linux architecture. Replace obsolete Input/Output (I/O) boards</li><li>• Complete STGT installation 01/2011</li></ul>



## IN Element Status – SN (cont'd)

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- **Open DRs**
  - None
- **Open Work**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	Antenna SSC Replacement	White Sands Ground Terminal (WSGT) phase of testing in spare antenna
	MOVE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• WSGT shadowing should start 04/01/11</li><li>• Guam Remote Ground Terminal (GRGT) shadowing should start 07/2011</li></ul>

- **Projected Changes**
  - None



## IN Element Status – SN (cont'd)

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- **Tracking and Data Relay Satellite (TDRS) Fleet Management Status**
  - **TDRS-4 (TDS) Power System Degradation**
    - **Battery 1 has failed, and Battery 2 has shown signs of soft short in at least one cell**
    - **Current eclipse season 01/20/11 to 03/23/11**
  - **TDRS-4 (TDS) Telemetry Errors**
    - **TDRS-4 downlink experiencing irregular, apparently random telemetry errors (hits)**
    - **Spare Traveling Wave Tube Amplifier (TWTA) available – corrective action will be performed under GSFC Code 452 direction**



## IN Element Status – SN (cont'd)

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- **TDRS Fleet Management Status (cont'd)**
  - **TDRS-4 (TDS) Ku-band Single Access (KSA-2) forward power below specification**
    - **The KSA-02 forward service is 5.7 dB below specification for normal power operations and 4.8 dB below specification for high power operations**
    - **A spare TWTA is available for this service**



## **IN Element Status – SN (cont'd)**

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- **Staffing, Training and Certification**
  - **Staffing is sufficient to meet all requirements**
- **Documentation Status**
  - **Documentation is up to date**
- **Summary and Readiness Assessment**
  - **SN is ready to support the Soyuz 26/Expedition 27 and ISS Increment 27**



# IN Element Status – WSC VHF

- **WSC VHF Operational Changes since the Soyuz 25 MORR**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	None	None

- **Open DRs**

Mission Impact (Y/N)	DR#	System/Subsystem	Problem Description	Operational Workaround	Current Status	Projected Closure Date
Y	258962	VHF-1	Noisy downlink	Operate on System 2 Determined excessive noise with HPA #1	Yellow	05/31/11
Y	259244	VHF-1	Noisy downlink	Operate on System 2	Yellow	05/31/11
Y	259310	VHF-1	Blown fuse in antenna controller	Replace fuse	Yellow	02/28/11



## IN Element Status – WSC VHF (cont'd)

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- **Open Work**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	VHF	Audio record capabilities
Hardware	VHF	Audio record capabilities

- **Projected Changes**

- **Addition of the transmit and receive audio record capabilities (EC TO015-4)**
- **Replacement PA**
  - **There will be recertification and operational testing after the system 1 PA is installed before its returned to operational**



## **IN Element Status – WSC VHF (cont'd)**

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- **Staffing, Training and Certification**
  - **Staffing is sufficient to meet all requirements**
- **Documentation Status**
  - **Documentation is up to date**
- **Summary and Readiness Assessment**
  - **WSC VHF systems are ready to support the Soyuz 26/Expedition 27 and ISS Increment 27**



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# Wallops Ground Station (WGS)

M. Harris/NENS





# IN Element Status – WGS

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- **Operational Changes since the Soyuz 25 MORR**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	Transition to upgraded Windows XP version of Wallops Orbital Tracking Resource Scheduler (WOTRS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Front/End Database completed 01/18/11</li><li>• WOTRS transition completed 01/24/11</li><li>• No impact to support expected</li></ul>
Hardware	MOVE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Addition of the transmit and receive audio record capabilities 02/25/11</li></ul>

- **Open DRs**

- **None**



## IN Element Status – WGS (cont'd)

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- **Open Work**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	None	None

- **Projected Changes**

- **None**



## **IN Element Status – WGS (cont'd)**

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- **Staffing, Training and Certification**
  - **Staffing is sufficient to meet all requirements**
- **Documentation Status**
  - **Documentation is up to date**
- **Summary and Readiness Assessment**
  - **WGS is ready to support the Soyuz 26/Expedition 27 and ISS Increment 27**



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# Dryden Flight Research Center (DFRC)

**D. Boston/Arcata Associates**





## IN Element Status – DFRC

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- **Operational Changes since the Soyuz 25 MORR**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	None	None

- **Open DRs**
  - **None**



## IN Element Status – DFRC (cont'd)

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- **Open Work**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	None	None

- **Projected Changes**

- **None**



## IN Element Status – DFRC (cont'd)

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- **Staffing, Training and Certification**
  - **Staffing is sufficient to meet all requirements**
- **Documentation Status**
  - **Documentation is up to date**
- **Summary and Readiness Assessment**
  - **DFRC is ready to support the Soyuz 26/Expedition 27 and ISS Increment 27**



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# NASA/DoD C-bands Eastern Range (ER)



**M. Gawel/ER**



# IN Element Status – NASA/DoD C-bands

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- **Operational Changes since Soyuz 25 MORR**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	None	None

- **Open DRs**
  - **None**



# IN Element Status – NASA/DoD C-bands

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- **Open Work**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	None	None

- **Projected Changes**

- **None**



# IN Element Status – NASA/DoD C-bands

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- **NASA/Department of Defense (DoD) Radars**
  - **The following NASA/DoD Radars will be available:**
    - **Merritt Island 19.14 (MLAC), Jonathan Dickinson 28.14 (JDIC), and Wallops Island Radar 5 (WLPC)**
  - **Plan is to use MLAC, JDIC, and WLPC for Orbit 6**
    - **MLAC, JDIC, and WLPC will track Orbit 6 and provide Low Sample Rate (LSR) data to FDF**



# **IN Element Status – NASA/DoD C-bands**

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- **Staffing, Training and Certification**
  - **Staffing is sufficient to meet all requirements**
- **Documentation Status**
  - **Documentation is up to date**
- **Summary and Readiness Assessment**
  - **ER is ready to support the Soyuz 26/Expedition 27 and ISS Increment 27**



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# NASA Integrated Services Network (NISN)

A. Duany/UNITeS





# IN Element Status – NISN

- Operational Changes since Soyuz 25 MORR**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>None</li></ul>
Hardware	OC-12 upgrades to support HSF requirements in accordance with NISN Support Request (NSR) 34555	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>With the carrier's infrastructure upgrade to OC-12's between GSFC/WSC, JSC/WSC, and GSFC/MSFC hardware between these sites has been upgraded to support OC-12's</li><li>The OC-12's replace the GSFC/WSC OC-3 (transitioned 01/31/11), JSC/WSC OC-3 (transitioned 01/17/11) and the two DS-3's between GSFC/MSFC (transitioned 12/28/10)</li></ul>



## **IN Element Status – NISN (cont'd)**

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- **Marshall Space Flight Center (MSFC)-Russian Services**
  - **The Standard Definition (SD) encoders and decoders in Houston and Moscow have been upgraded with Adtec devices capable of handling High Definition (HD) and SD 11/2010**
  - **During 12/2010 additional bandwidth was partitioned to support the Russian BITS telemetry data stream from Houston to Moscow. BITS telemetry data flow and testing will begin later in this year**
  - **Digital Internet Protocol (IP) based video distribution system has been installed and is running in parallel with analogue video system at MCC-Moscow in 12/2010**
  - **Houston Moscow Mission Services transitioned to Consolidated Mission Services on 10/13/10. All systems have been operating nominal**



## IN Element Status – NISN (cont'd)

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- **Open PMDS Tickets**
  - None
- **Open Work**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	None	None

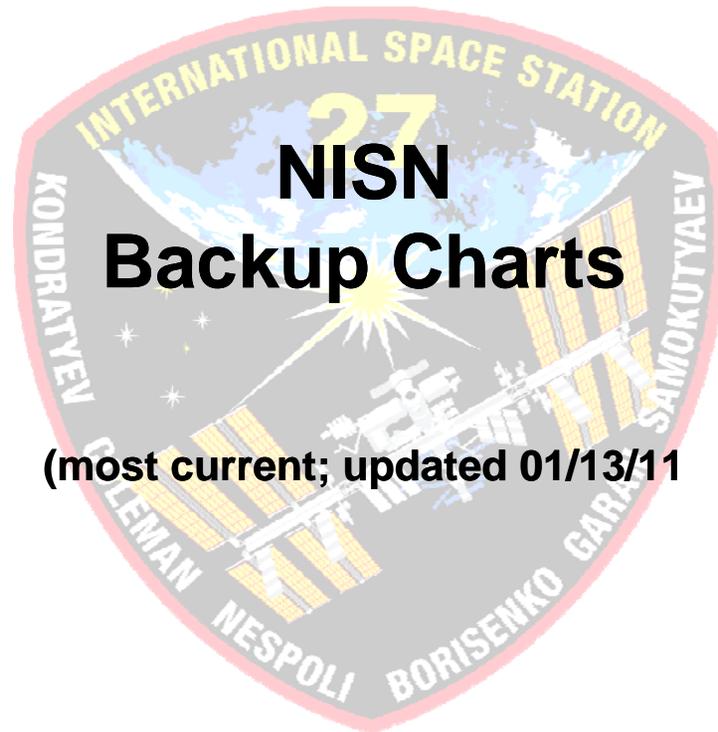
- **Projected Changes**
  - None



## **IN Element Status – NISN (cont'd)**

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- **Staffing, Training and Certification**
  - **Staffing is sufficient to meet all requirements**
- **Documentation Status**
  - **Documentation is up to date**
- **Summary and Readiness Assessment**
  - **NISN will process all Freeze Exemption Requests (FER) during mission in accordance with NISN SOP-002, published 10/2009**
  - **NISN is ready to support the Soyuz 26/Expedition 27 and ISS Increment 27**

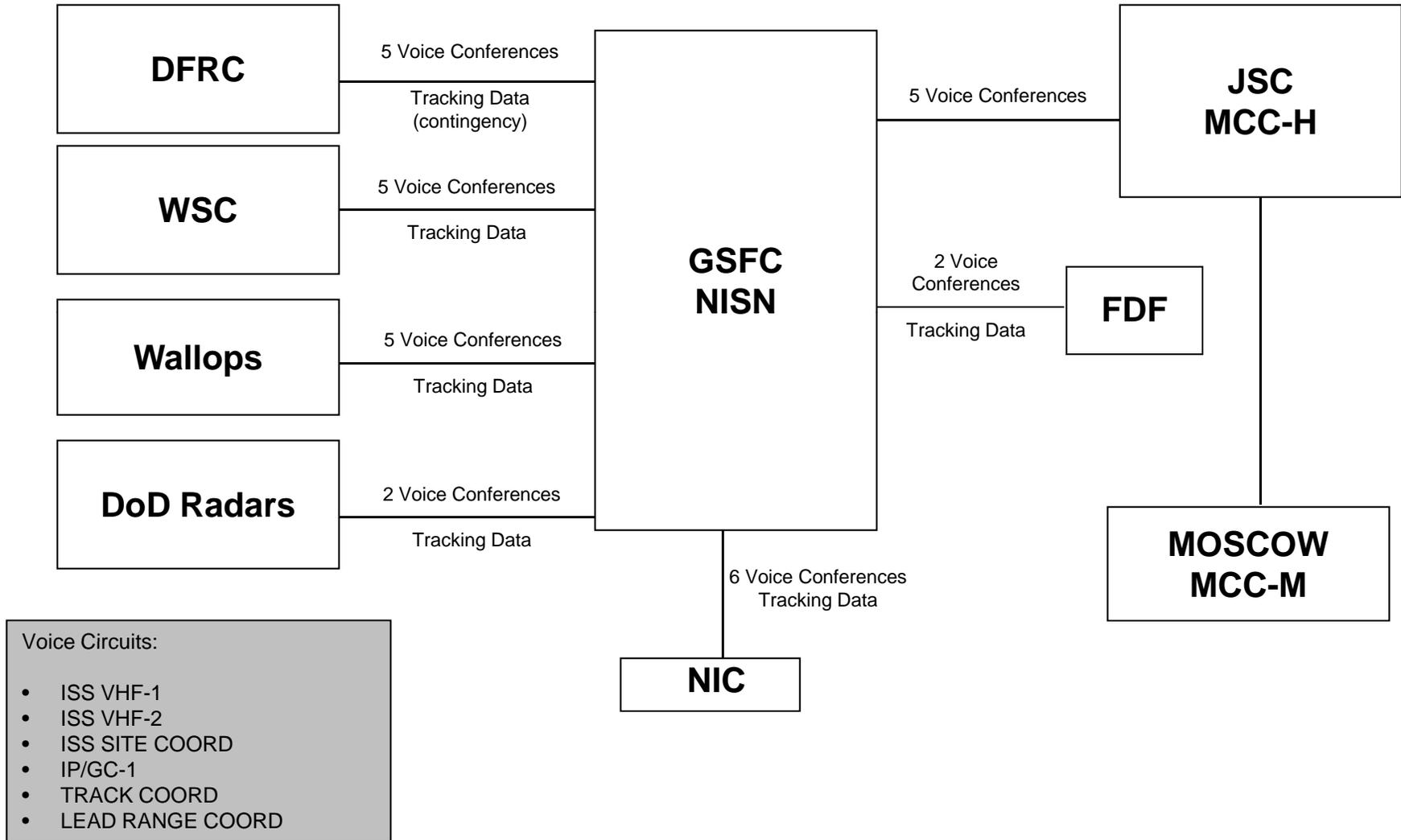


# NISN Backup Charts

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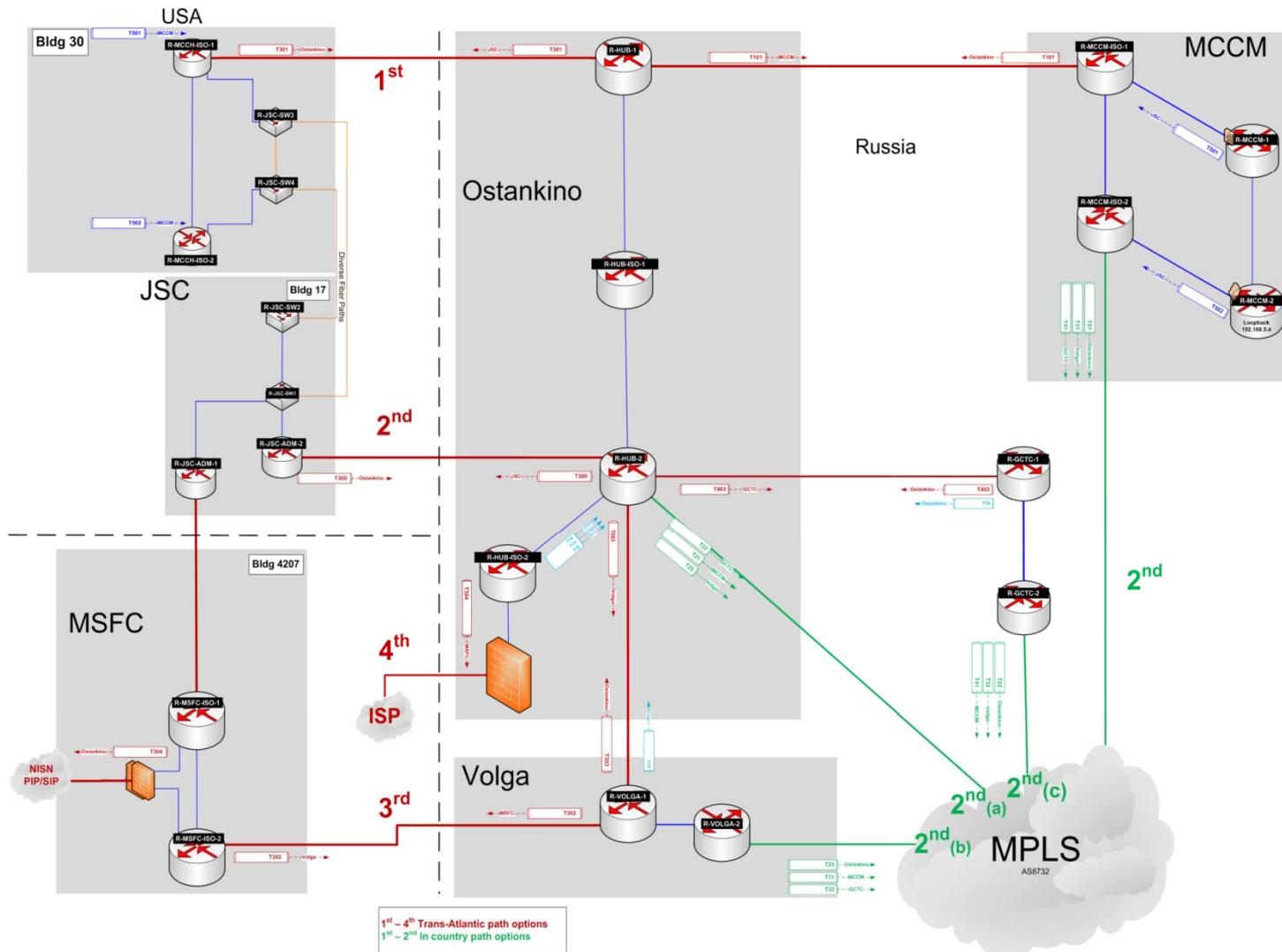


# Soyuz Integrated Network Voice and Data Circuits





# Russian Mission Network Backbone





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# Flight Dynamics Facility (FDF)

**N. Wilcox/FDSS**





# IN Element Status – FDF

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- **Operational Changes since Soyuz 25 MORR**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	None	None

- **Open DRs**
  - **None**



## IN Element Status – FDF (cont'd)

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- **Open Work**

Type	System	Significant Changes
Software	None	None
Hardware	Two-Line Elements (TLE)	Verify receipt/processing of Soyuz 26 TLE by VHF sites

- **Projected Changes**

- **None**



## **IN Element Status – FDF (cont'd)**

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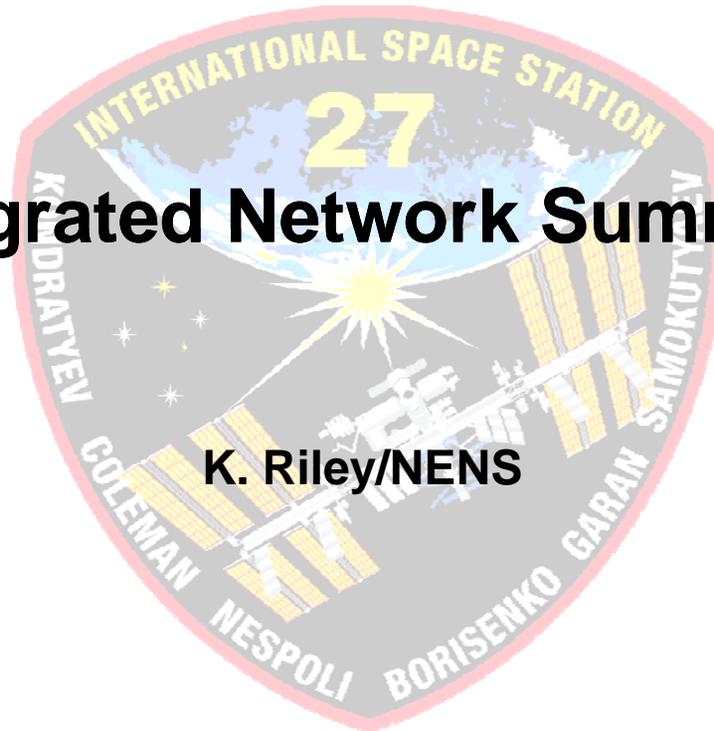
- **Staffing, Training and Certification**
  - **Staffing is sufficient to meet all requirements**
- **Documentation Status**
  - **Soyuz 26 Mission Support Plan (MSP) will be delivered by 03/23/10**
- **Summary and Readiness Assessment**
  - **FDF is ready to support the Soyuz 26/Expedition 27 and ISS Increment 27**



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# Integrated Network Summary

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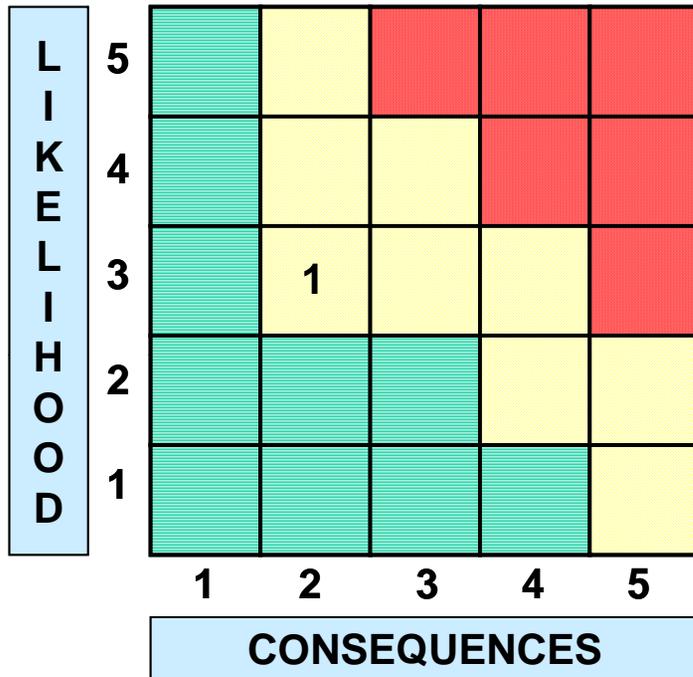


# Requirements/Test Matrix

Network Resource	Requirement	Verification Method	Verification Complete
Space Network	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ISS S-band Forward/Return</li> <li>ISS K-band Forward/Return</li> </ul>	Operational	Operational
White Sands VHF-1 VHF-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contingency communications support to ISS</li> <li>Soyuz contingency communications support during selected view periods from early orbit through ISS docking</li> </ul>	Emergency Comm Verification Passes (VHF-1)	01/14/11 & 02/04/11
Wallops VHF-1 VHF-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contingency communications support to ISS</li> <li>Soyuz contingency communications support during selected view periods from early orbit through ISS docking</li> </ul>	Emergency Comm Verification Passes (VHF-1)	01/10/11
Dryden VHF-1 VHF-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contingency communications support to ISS</li> <li>Soyuz contingency communications support during selected view periods from early orbit through ISS docking</li> </ul>	Emergency Comm Verification Passes (VHF-1)	01/13/11 & 02/04/11
Eastern Range	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>C-band metric data support, tracking of Soyuz for VHF-2, and C-band slaving at DFRC for emergency support only</li> </ul>	Operational	Operational
NASA Integrated Services Network	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Voice/Data Communications</li> </ul>	Operational	Operational
Flight Dynamics Facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide Tracking and Data Relay Satellite System (TDRSS) vectors for ISS support</li> <li>Perform ISS orbit determination for acquisition data and planning products</li> <li>Provide TLEs for VHF tracking</li> </ul>	Operational  Operational  Simulated Orbital Support	Operational   Operational



# Risks



LxC Trend	Rank	Approach	Risk Title
➡	1	M	VHF-2

Criticality	L x C Trend	Approach
<b>High</b>	⬇ Decreasing (Improving)	M – Mitigate
<b>Med</b>	⬆ Increasing (Worsening)	W – Watch
<b>Low</b>	➡ Unchanged	A – Accept
	* New since last mission	R – Research



# VHF-2 Risk

Rank	Risk Statement	Approach & Plan	Comments
<p>1</p> 	<p>If the VHF-2 system is not periodically End-to-End (ETE) tested including Radio Frequency (RF) transmission, then the system's readiness to support cannot be validated</p>	<p>Mitigate</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>U.S. Airways is reviewing the request for testing and an approval letter was sent from the airline</li> <li>Test plan has been completed. Plans are to establish quarterly ETE test</li> <li>Testing of the VHF-2 emergency voice interfaces via DFRC/WSC/WGS has been placed on hold. The use of the U.S. restricted frequencies is being revisited by JSC Spectrum Management</li> </ul>	<p>VHF-2 Systems at DFRC, WSC, and WPS are utilized to support emergency voice communications with Soyuz capsules. CONUS use of the VHF-2 frequency is restricted by FCC, as it is allocated commercially</p> <p>Systems readiness tests are conducted monthly to verify the system, minus the RF transmission, which is restricted</p> <p>VHF-2 would be used in contingency situations on Soyuz; should the Astronauts have to evacuate the ISS to the Soyuz capsule</p> <p>Note: The FAA has refused to allow the use of the restricted frequency for periodic VHF-2 system validation</p> <p>The last VHF-2 ETE Comm check was performed in September 2004</p>

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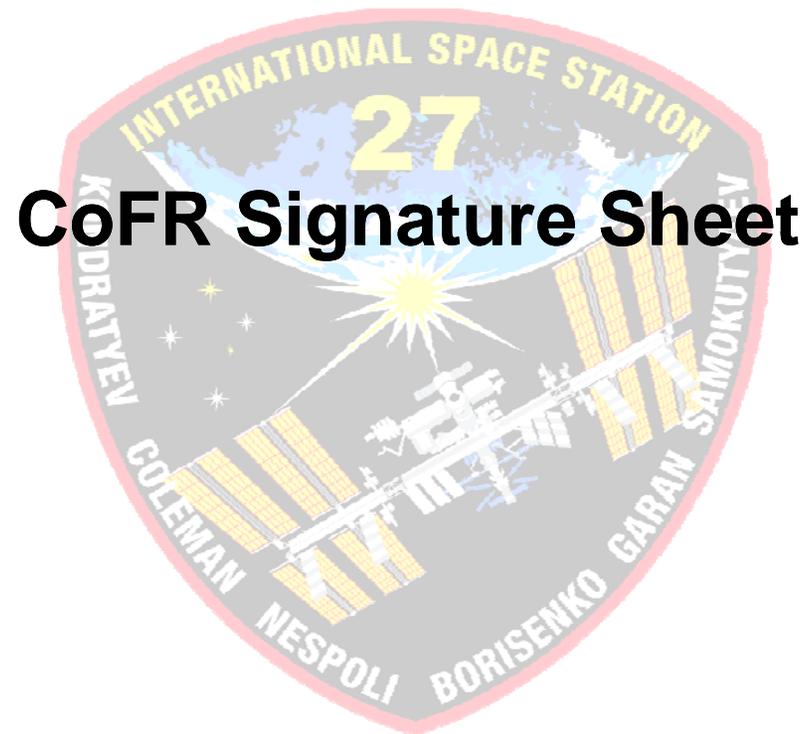


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# Readiness Assessment



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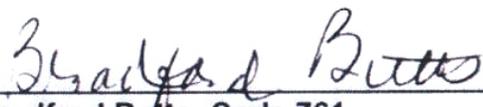


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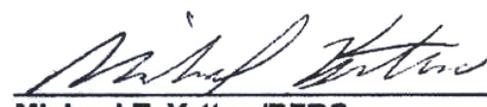
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# Abbreviations and Acronyms





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ANTC	Antiqua Island 91.14	MDS	Multi-Conference Digital Switch
CoFR	Certificate of Flight Readiness	MILA	Merritt Island Launch Annex
CCB	Configuration Control Board	MLAC	Merritt Island 19.17
CPU	Central Processor Unit	MMA	Mission Management Area
DoD	Department of Defense	MOC	Morrell Operations Center (formerly ROCC)
DCN	Document Control Number	MOD	Mission Operations Directorate
DFRC	Dryden Flight Research Center	MORR	Mission Operations Readiness Review
DR	Discrepancy Report	MOVE	Mission Operations Voice Enhancement
ER	Eastern Range	MSFC	Marshall Space Flight Center
ESTL	Electronic Systems Test Laboratory	NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
ETE	End-to-End	NASCOM	NASA Communications
FDF	Flight Dynamics Facility	NENS	Near Earth Networks Services
FER	Freeze Exemption Requests	NIC	Network Integration Center
FRR	Flight Readiness Review	NISN	NASA Integrated Services Network
GMT	Greenwich Mean Time	NSR	NISN Support Request
GN	Ground Network	PDL	Ponce de Leon
GNOM	Ground Network Operation Manager	PRD	Program Requirements Document
GRGT	Guam Remote Ground Terminal	RF	Radio Frequency
GSFC	Goddard Space Flight Center	SCNS	Space Communications Network Services
H/W	Hardware	SD	Standard Definition
HD	High Definition	SGLT	Space-to-Ground Link Terminal
HSF	Human Space Flight	SMM	Spaceflight Mission Manager
HVAC	Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning	SN	Space Network
IN	Integrated Network	SNAS	Space Network Access System
I/O	Input/Output	SORR	Stage Operations Readiness Review
IP	Internet Protocol	SSC	Sub-System Controller
IPE	Internet Protocol Encapsulator	STGT	Second TDRSS Ground Terminal
ISI	Interim Support Instruction	STS	Space Transportation System
ISS	International Space Station	S/W	Software
JDIC	Jonathan Dickinson 28.14	TBD	To Be Determined
JSC	Johnson Space Center	TCDT	Terminal Countdown Demonstration Test
KFRL	Kennedy Forward Return Link	TDRS	Tracking and Data Relay Satellite
KSA	Ku-band Single Access	TDRSS	Tracking and Data Relay Satellite System
KSC	Kennedy Space Center	TLE	Two-Line Elements
LOP	Local Operating Procedures	TOCC	TDRSS Operations Control Center
LSR	Low Sample Rate	TRK	Tracking
MCC	Mission Control Center	TT&C	Tracking, Telemetry, and Command

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<b>TWTA</b>	<b>Traveling Wave Tube Amplifier</b>
<b>UNITeS</b>	<b>Unified NASA Information Technology Services</b>
<b>UPS</b>	<b>Uninterruptible Power Supply</b>
<b>VHF</b>	<b>Very High Frequency</b>
<b>WLPC</b>	<b>Wallops Island Radar 5</b>
<b>WGS</b>	<b>Wallops Ground Station</b>
<b>WOTRS</b>	<b>Wallops Orbital Tracking Resource Scheduler</b>
<b>WSC</b>	<b>White Sands Complex</b>
<b>WSGT</b>	<b>White Sands Ground Terminal</b>