

SPACECRAFT TESTED IN VACUUM CHAMBER SIMULATING OUTER SPACE

Workmen examine a new space simulation chamber in the National Aeronautics & Space Administration Jet Propulsion Laboratory at California Institute of Technology. Measuring 47 feet (14 meters) high and 27 feet (7.5 meters) in diameter, the stainless steel vacuum chamber is used to test unmanned space vehicles. Temperatures can be lowered to 310 degrees F. (188 degrees C) below zero.

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