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Friday, Jan. 12, 1996

Vehicle: [OV-102/Columbia](#)

Mission number: STS-75

Location: [OPF Bay 2](#)

Primary payload: Tethered Satellite-1R/USMP-3

Astronauts: 7

Orbital altitude: 184 statute miles

Inclination: 28.45 degrees

Mission Duration: 8 days, 22 hours, 36 minutes

Launch date: Feb. 22 3:08 p.m. EST

[Landing](#) date: Mar. 7 7:38 a.m. EST

STS-75 IN WORK TODAY:

- Orbiter mid-body closeouts
- Ammonia boiler servicing
- Coolant loop servicing
- Landing gear test cycles
- Nose gear thermal protection system closeouts
- Hydraulic system testing
- Final testing of TSS-1R in the Operations and Checkout Building

STS-75 WORK SCHEDULED NEXT WEEK:

- Changeout of hydrogen prevalve in feed line to Main Engine No. 1
- Close payload bay doors in preparation for rollover

STS-75 WORK COMPLETED:

- Testing of orbiter flight controls

STS-76/[OV-104 Atlantis](#)

OPF Bay 1

(MIR-3)

Among the activities recently complete are the [drag chute](#) installation, potable water servicing, installation of the waste containment system, and checkout of the lights in the orbiter docking system. A functional test of the orbiter docking system is in work today and polishing of windows No. 3 and No. 4 is being performed. In the [Vehicle Assembly Building](#), the forward center [solid rocket booster](#) segment is being mated to the left stack.

[STS-72](#)

The [solid rocket booster recovery ships](#) Liberty and Freedom returned to Hangar AF on Cape Canaveral Air Station this morning. Nothing unusual has been observed on either booster. "Quick-look" data from the solid rocket boosters and Endeavour's three [main engines](#) shows nominal performance.

KSC 24-Hour Weather Summary

[Shuttle Landing Facility](#) - 7:00 a.m.

Today's minimum temperature: 57 degrees

Yesterday's maximum temperature: 69 degrees

Lowest relative humidity: 28 percent

Peak wind speed/direction: 20 mph/S

Precipitation : .34 inches

Total monthly precipitation: 5.62 inches

Barometric pressure : 29.85 inches