



#### **Cygnus and ISS Cargo Resupply Update**

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#### 2012 a Big Year For Cygnus and Antares

- COTS Demo and CRS Orb-1 Spacecraft in Advanced Testing
  - ➤ Thermal Vacuum Testing, Mechanical Environments for COTS Demo
  - ➤ EMI/EMC Testing, Thermal Vacuum
    Testing and Mechanical Environments for
    Orb-1
- Demo Software Ready for Final Joint Testing
- Antares Forging Ahead with Significant Hardware Deliveries and Integration Activities for Test Launch and COTS Demo Launchers
- Pad Turnover in Less Than 2 Months!



#### **Update – Welcome Antares**



Designed to Provide Versatile, Cost-effective Access to Space for Medium-Class Payloads

Currently Under Contract to Support NASA International Space Station (ISS) Re-supply Missions



#### **PAYLOAD FAIRING**

- 3.9 meter diameter by 9.9 meter envelope
- Composite Construction
- Non-contaminating Separation Systems

#### STAGE 2

- ATK CASTOR® 30/30B Solid Motor with Active Thrust Vectoring
- Orbital MACH avionics module
- Cold-gas 3-axis Attitude Control System

#### STAGE 1

- Liquid Oxygen/RP-1 fueled
- Two AJ26 engines with independent thrust vectoring
- 3.9 meter booster derived from heritage Zenit design

#### **Antares Hardware Progress**



#### **Booster**



Hot Fire and Test Flight Boosters Being Processed @ Wallops



**CRS Launch Cores Delivered** 



ORB-1 Launch Booster Tankage Complete

## Main Engine System



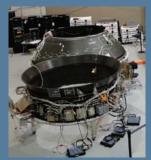
- ✓1st Four Engines
  Successfully
  Hot-fire Tested @
  Stennis
- √ 1<sup>st</sup> Three Engines

  Delivered to Wallops
- ✓ Hot Fire Test Engines
  Integrated into Engine
  Section





#### **Upper Stack**



- ✓Upper Stack &
  Cygnus Pathfinder
  Complete
- ✓Upper Stack
  Integration @
  Wallops
- ✓ Avionics Testing Complete





#### **Antares WFF Launch Site Progress**



### Horizontal Integration Facility



- - ✓ Structure Complete
  - ✓ Interior Complete
  - ✓ Occupancy 3/11



#### **Launch Pad**



- ✓Ramp & Flame Trench Complete ✓Tanks Installed
- ✓ Deluge Tower
- ✓ Deluge Tov Complete





#### Infrastructure



- ✓ HIF GSE Delivered
- ✓TEL Complete
- ✓Transporters
  Available
- ✓TEL Pathfinder On-Going







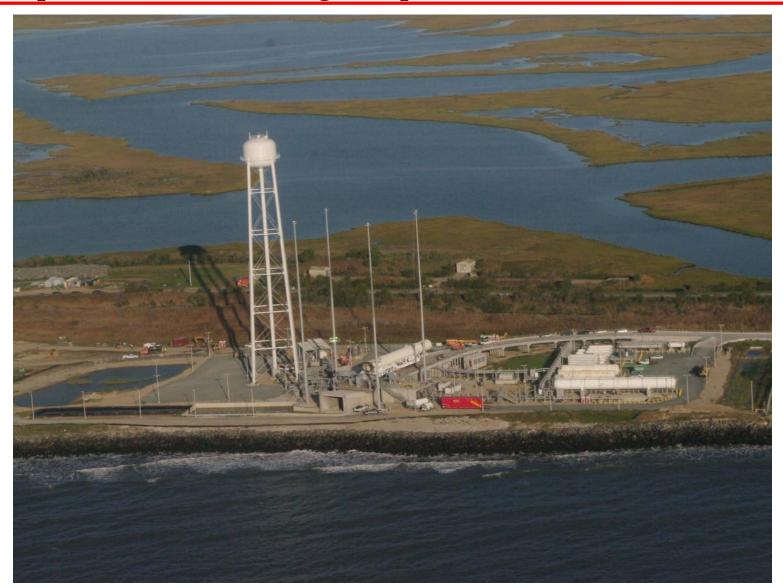
#### **Aft Bay Mated to Core for Pad Hot Fire**







#### **Wallops Launch Pad Nearing Completion**



#### TEL Pathfinder Nov 2011 Featuring Rapid Retract and 2X Load Proof Test









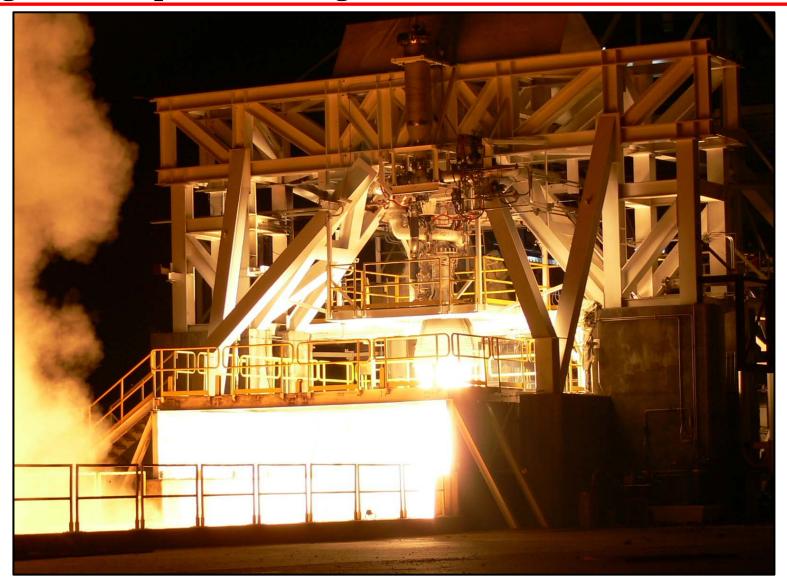
### Orb-1 and Orb-2 First Stage Cores Near WFF





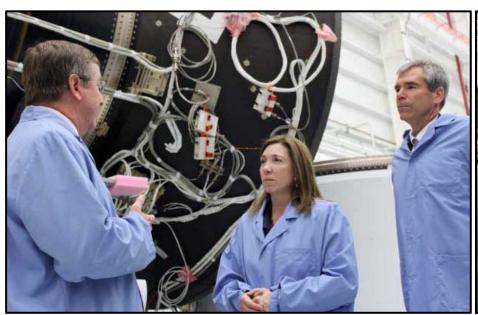


### **Engine 7 Acceptance Testing - 17 Nov 2011**











### **Cygnus Service Modules for Demo and Orb-1 in Test at Dulles VA**





### Cygnus Service Module for Demo in TVAC at Dulles VA





## Demo Mission Pressurized Cargo Module at Wallops Flight Facility Orbital Innovation Young





### Pressurized Cargo Module M-3 Bag Loading Demonstration





### **Astronaut View Inside Loaded Pressurized Cargo Module at Wallops Flight Facility**





## PCM's for Orb-1 and 2 at Thales Alenia, Italy







### First Enhanced Module Primary Structure



#### Summary



#### Orbital Continues to Make Progress Toward Antares Test Launch and COTS Demonstration Mission

- ➤ Facilities at Wallops Nearing Completion
- ➤ Antares Hardware for First 3 Missions Either Integrated or Available for Integration
- ➤ Cygnus Spacecraft for First 2 Missions Completing Testing and Ready for Integration at Launch Site in May 2012

#### Schedule for Major Mission Milestones Firming Up

- ➤ Pad Turnover in Early April
- ➤ Pad First Stage Hot Fire in Late Spring
- ➤ Test Flight in Early Summer
- ➤ COTS Demo in Late Summer (Dependant on NASA approval)

### **Questions?**



