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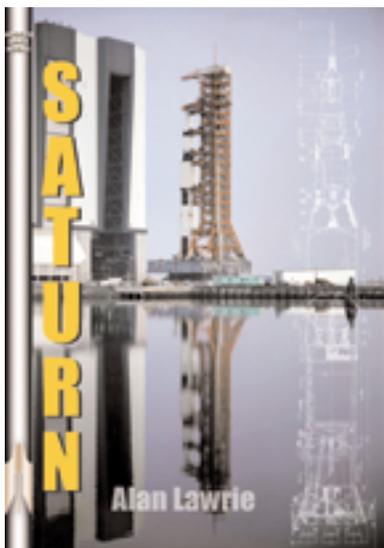
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Lawrie, Alan. Saturn V, by Alan Lawrie and Robert Godwin. Apogee Books, 2005. 328p index DVD-Video/ROM (Space series, 54) ISBN 1-894959-19-1 pbk, \$27.95.

This is a timely book. NASA administrator Griffin recently announced the replacement vehicles that will supersede the space shuttle. The two vehicles, manned and cargo, use off-the-shelf technology and hark back to the systems and designs of the Saturn V of the Apollo program. The first 125 pages of the book reproduce the "Saturn V News Reference" that was distributed to the press in loose-leaf form in 1967, prepared by the major Saturn contractors. The next 150 pages, written by satellite propulsion engineer Lawrie, concern "The Complete Manufacturing and Test Records." The next 30 pages contain the 1965 "Saturn V Payload Planner's Guide" produced by the Douglas Corporation. In addition, the book comes with a DVD-ROM that includes films of Saturn V tests. This timely and useful book is recommended to libraries that serve the space science and engineering communities. Summing Up: Recommended. All levels. --- A. M. Strauss, Vanderbilt University



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