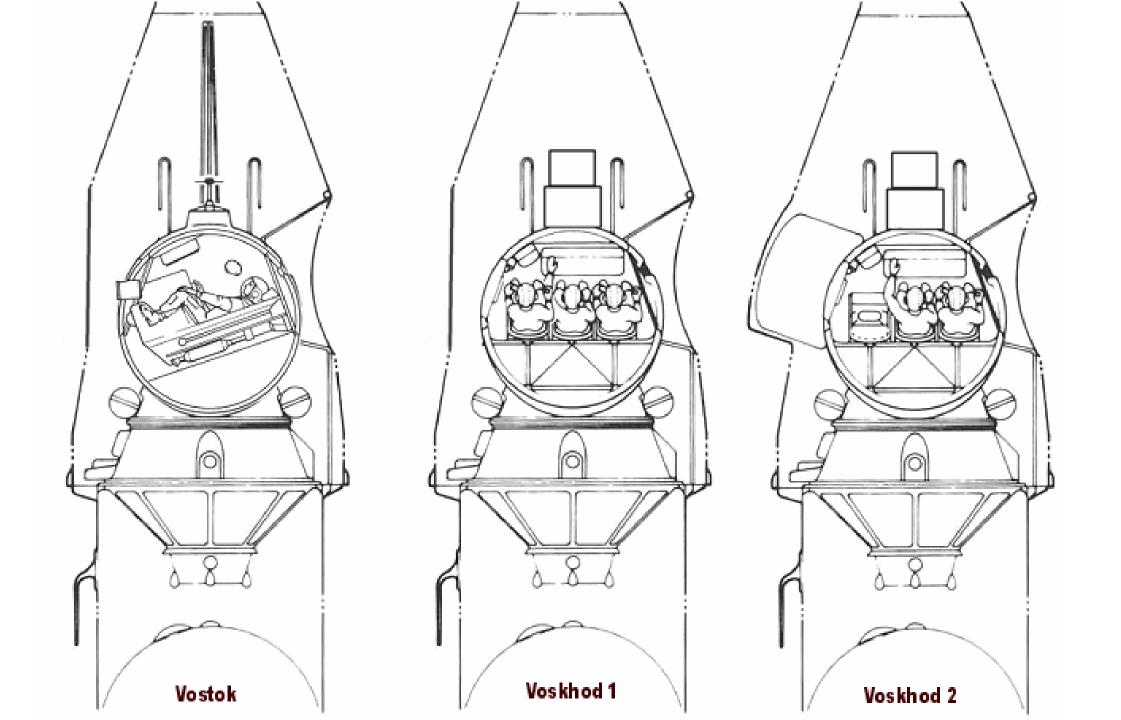
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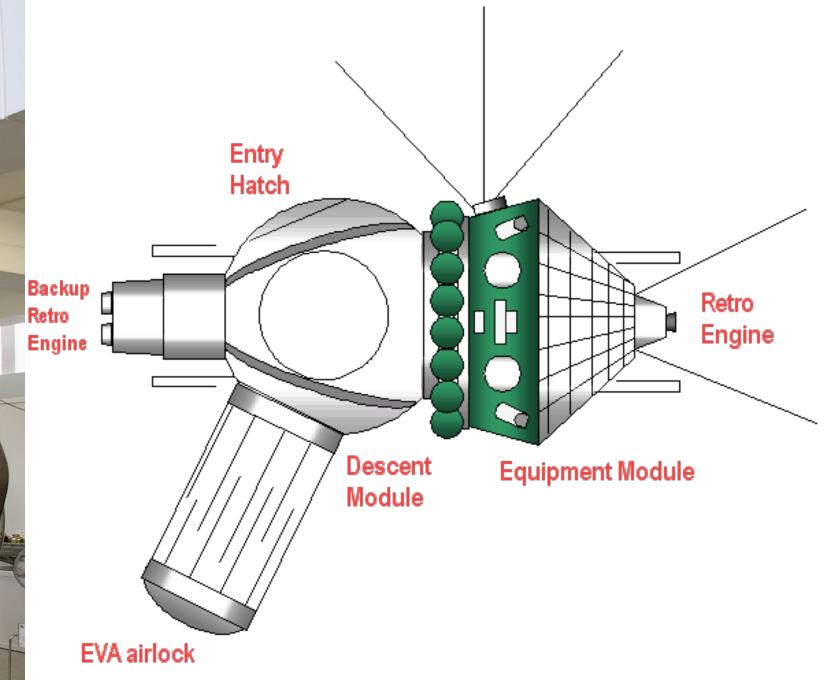
Every Soviet Human Spaceflight Before Apollo 11

- May 1963: Last of 4 single-person Mercury orbital flights (Mercury-Atlas 9)
- June 1963: Last of 6 single-person Vostok flights (Vostok 6)
- October 1964: First multi-crew spacecraft (Voskhod 1)
- March 1965: First EVA (Voskhod 2)
 - March 1965-November 1966: 10 crewed Gemini missions
 - January 1966: Korolev's death
 - May 1966 Voskhod 3 cancelled
 - January 1967: First spacecraft fatalities (Apollo 1)
- April 1967: First inflight fatality (Soyuz 1)
 - October 1968: Apollo 7
- October 1968: First Soviet crewed rendezvous (Soyuz 3)
 - December 1968: Apollo 8
- January 1969: First docking of two crewed spacecraft (Soyuz 4&5)
 - March-May 1969: Apollo 9, Apollo 10











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Soyuz 7K-OK Program

- November 1966 Attitude control failure, self-destruct (Kosmos 133)
- December 1966 Launch failure
- February 1967 Ballistic reentry, heat shield failure, sank (Kosmos 140)
- April 1967 Fatal parachute failure (Soyuz 1)
- October 1967 First automatic docking (Kosmos 186/188)
- April 1968 Automatic docking (Kosmos 212/213)
- August 1968 Orbital test (Kosmos 238)
- October 1968 First Soviet rendezvous, docking failure (Soyuz 2/3)
 - First crew transfer between spacecraft by EVA (Soyuz 4/5)
 - Rendezvous failure, docking failure (Soyuz 6/7/8)
 - 17.7 day long-duration flight (Soyuz 9)
 - Docking failure (Soyuz 10/Salyut 1)
 - Depressurization on reentry resulted in 3 deaths (Soyuz 11)
- April 1971

• June 1970

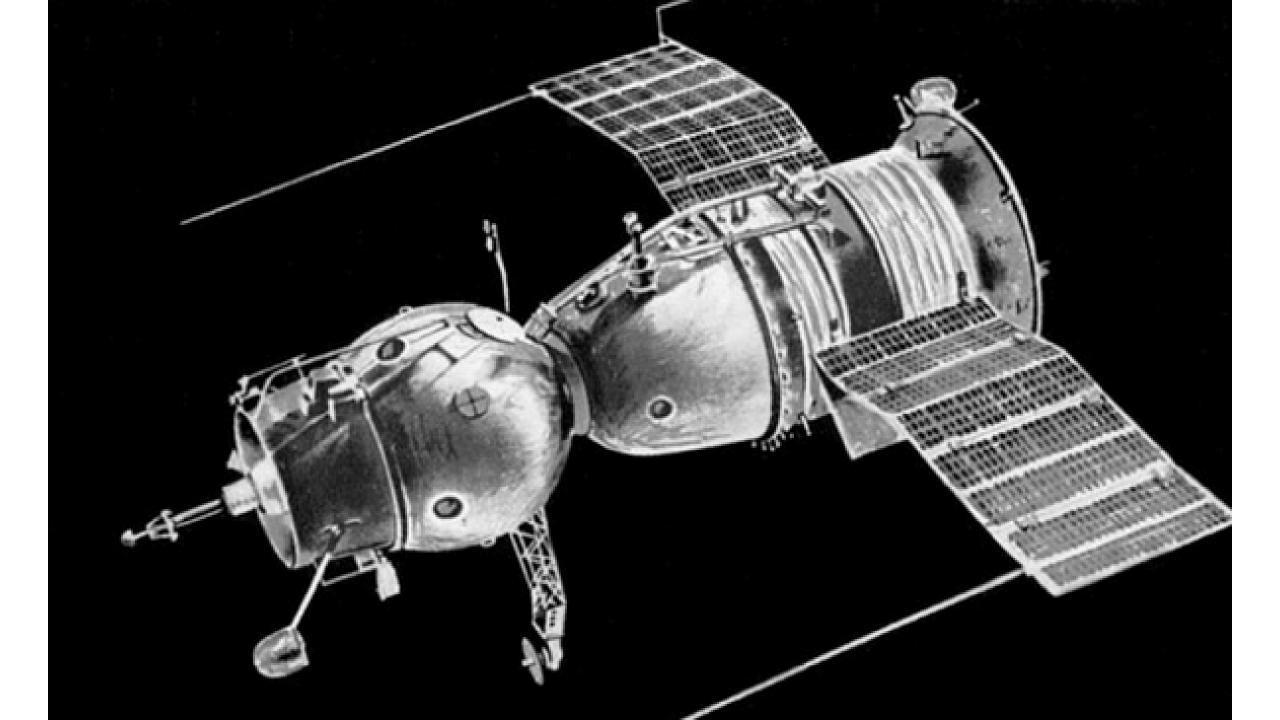
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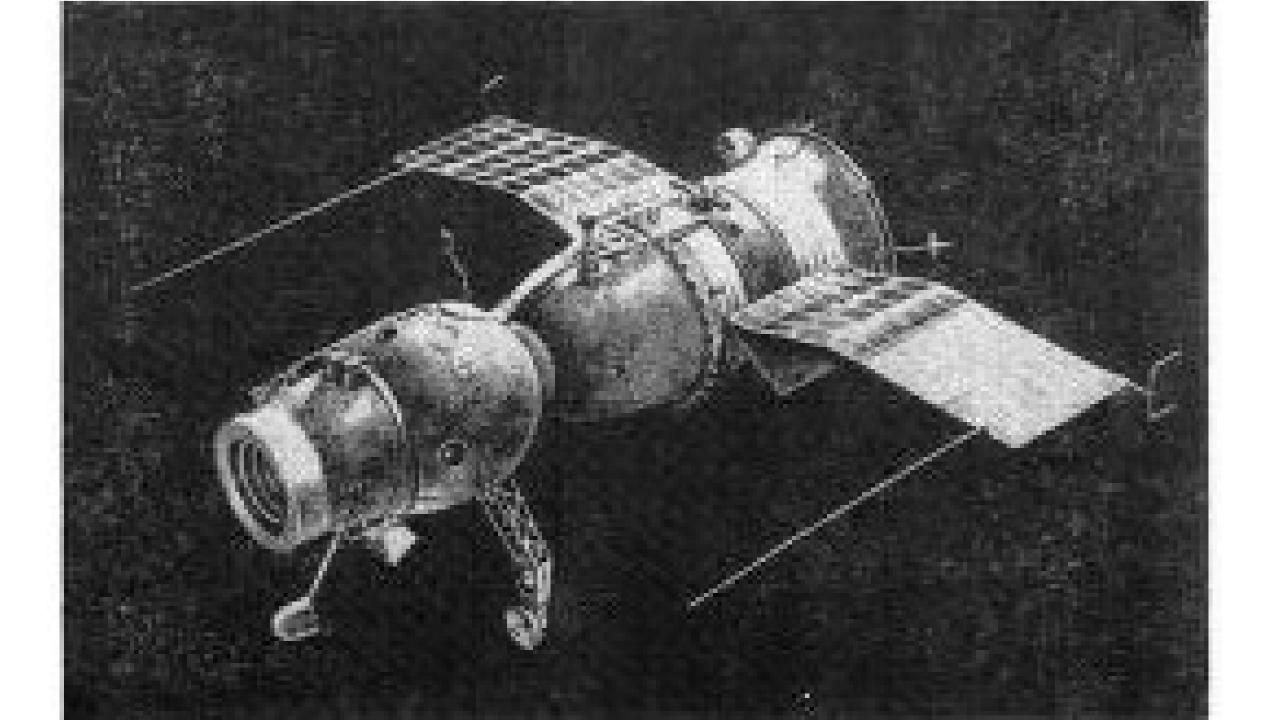
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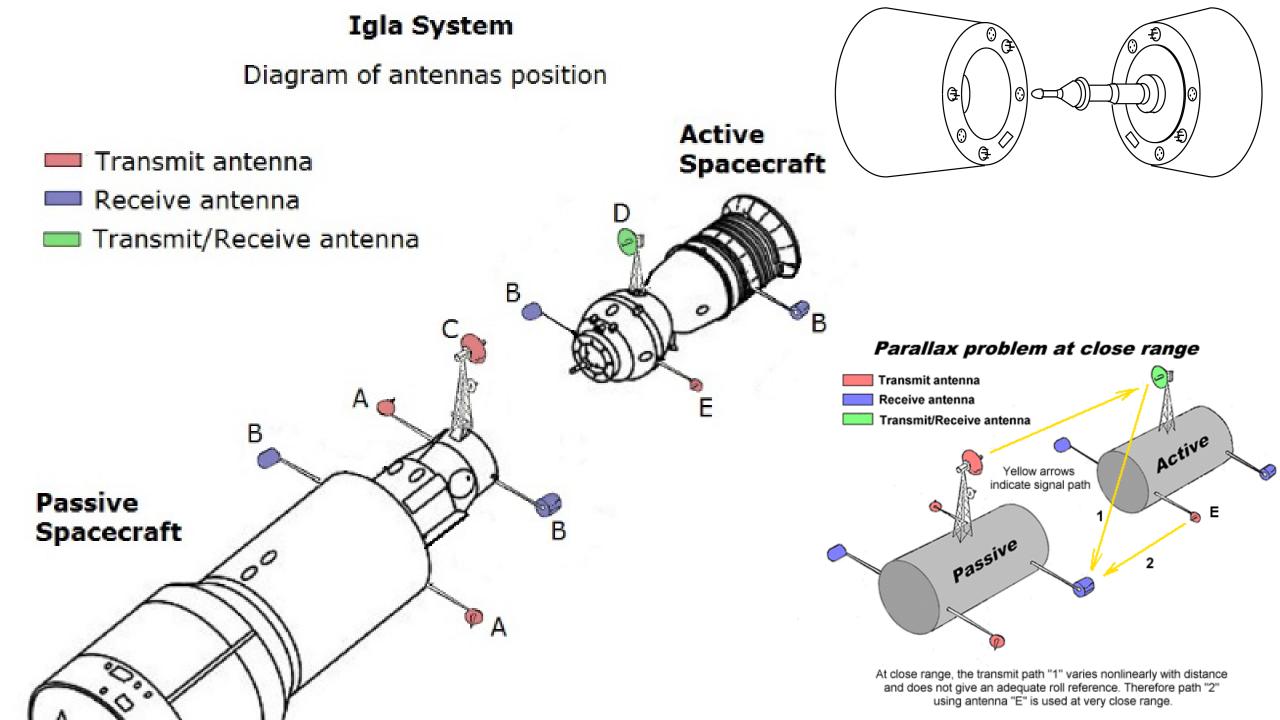
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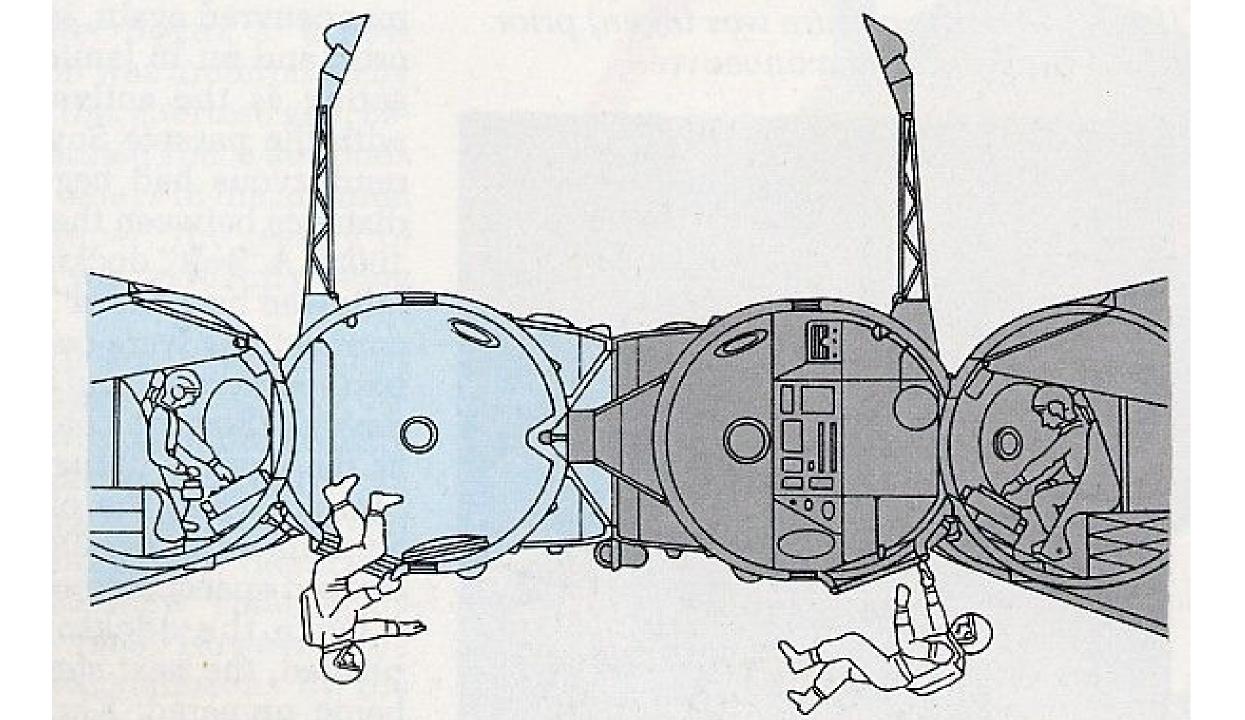
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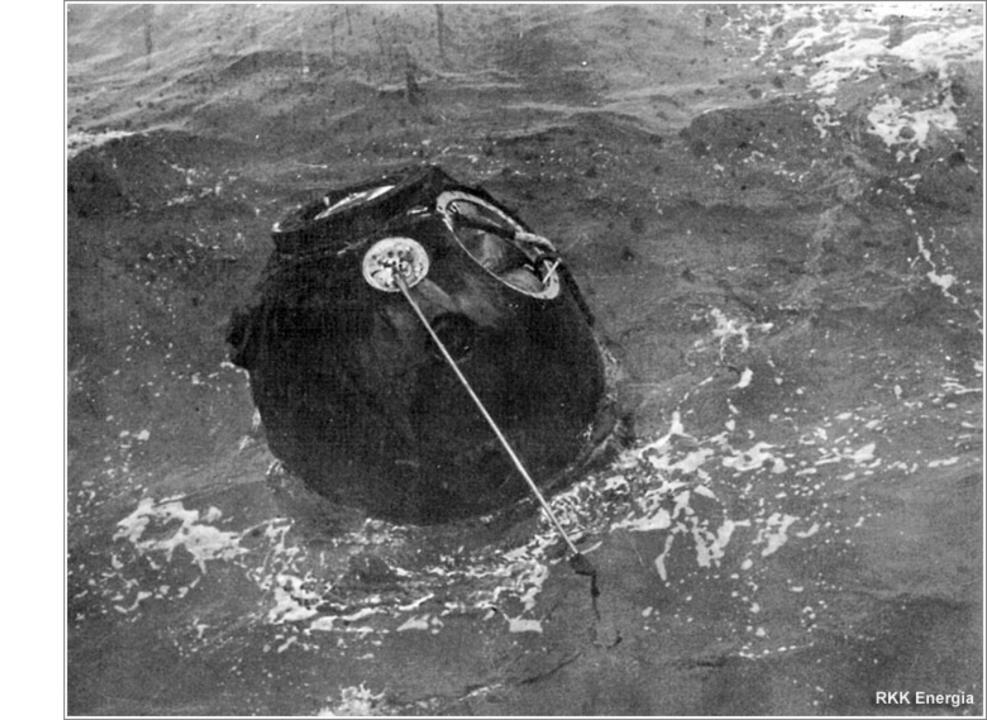


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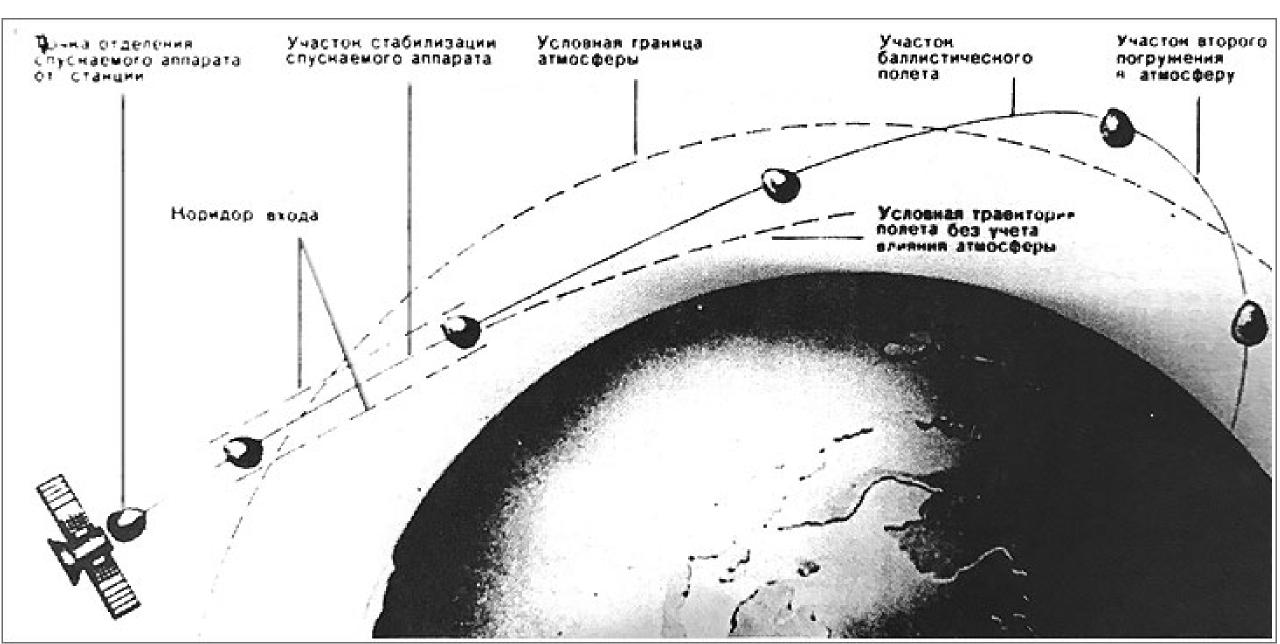
- March 1967: First Earth orbital test (Kosmos 146)
- April 1967: Earth orbital test with no restart (Kosmos 157)
- September 1967: Launch failure
- November 1967: Launch failure
- March 1968: Deep space mission, self-destruct before landing (Zond 4)
- April 1968: Launch failure
- July 1968: Explosion on the launch pad during testing
- September 1968: First circumlunar flight, ballistic reentry (Zond 5)
- November 1968: Circumlunar, skip reentry, depressurized, crashed (Zond 6)
- January 1969: Launch failure
- August 1969: Circumlunar flight, skip reentry (Zond 7)
- October 1970: Circumlunar flight, ballistic reentry (Zond 8)



Zond 5



Zond 6 "Skip" Reentry



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 - Astronaut perspectives on the American and Soviet space programs
- Chertok Volume 3 Chapter 9 ("The Voskhods and the First Spacewalk")
 - An insider's story of Voskhod 1 and Voskhod 2
- Spacewalker video
 - A dramatization of the Voskhod 2 mission
- Harvey Chapter 5 ("The First Cosmonauts to the Moon")
 - The Zond and Soviet lunar landing programs