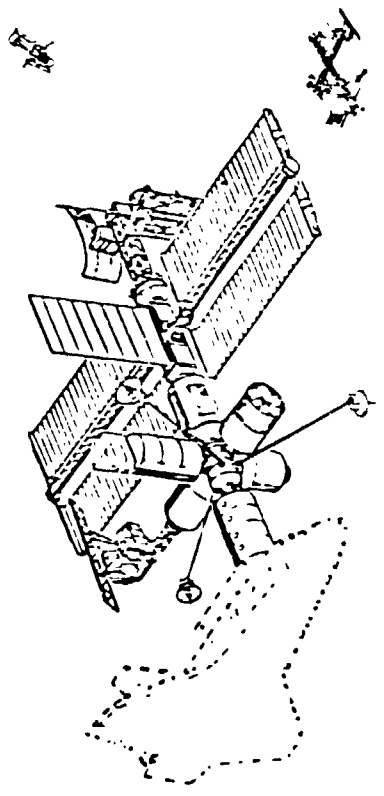


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# CUSTOMER AND MISSION INFLUENCES ON SPACE STATION ARCHITECTURE

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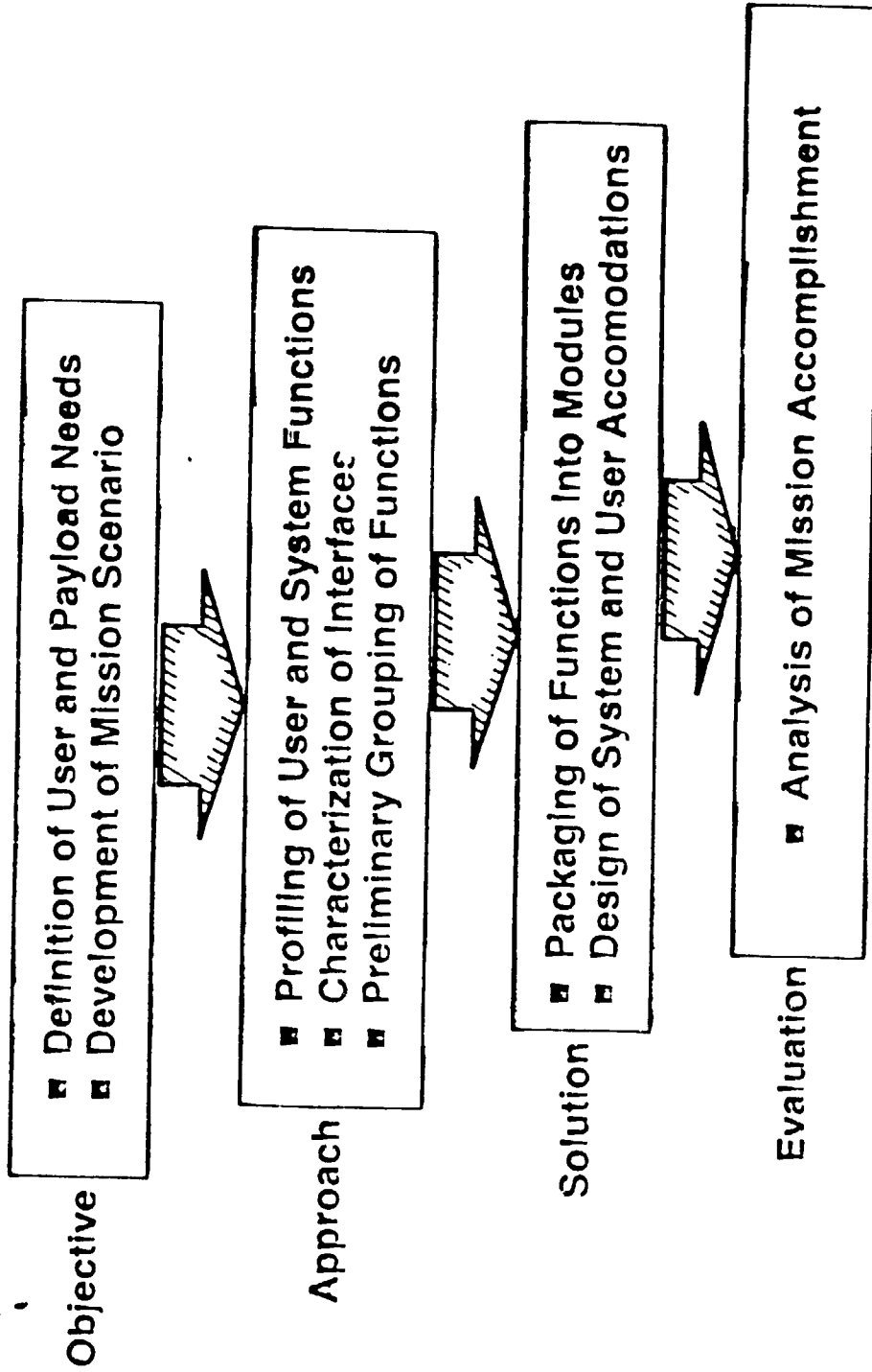
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# ARCHITECTURAL CONSIDERATIONS IN A SPACE STATION

- **Uses (Missions)** Science, Applications, Commerce, Defense (Integrated and Isolated)
- **Occupants** Scientists, Engineers, and Technicians
- **Activities** Interior: Habitation, Control, Research, Production, Maintenance, Logistics with IVA  
Exterior: Berthing, Sensing, Assembly/Checkout, Maintenance, and Logistics with EVA
- **Interfaces** Shuttle, Attached Payloads, Free-Flight Payloads, and Long- and Short-Range Excursion Vehicles
- **Utilities** Atmosphere, Water, Power, Data, Communications, Thermal
- **Locomotion** Orientation, Reboost, Manipulation, Excursion
- **Environments** Exterior: Low Earth Orbit and Operations  
Interior: Life Sustaining and Protecting Stage and Payload Storage
- **Technology/Cost** Budget-Dependent: Development vs Operations

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# DEVELOPMENT OF SPACE STATION ARCHITECTURE



# MANNED PLATFORM ACTIVITY SPECTRUM

(Science) (Technology) (Commercial)  
(National and International)

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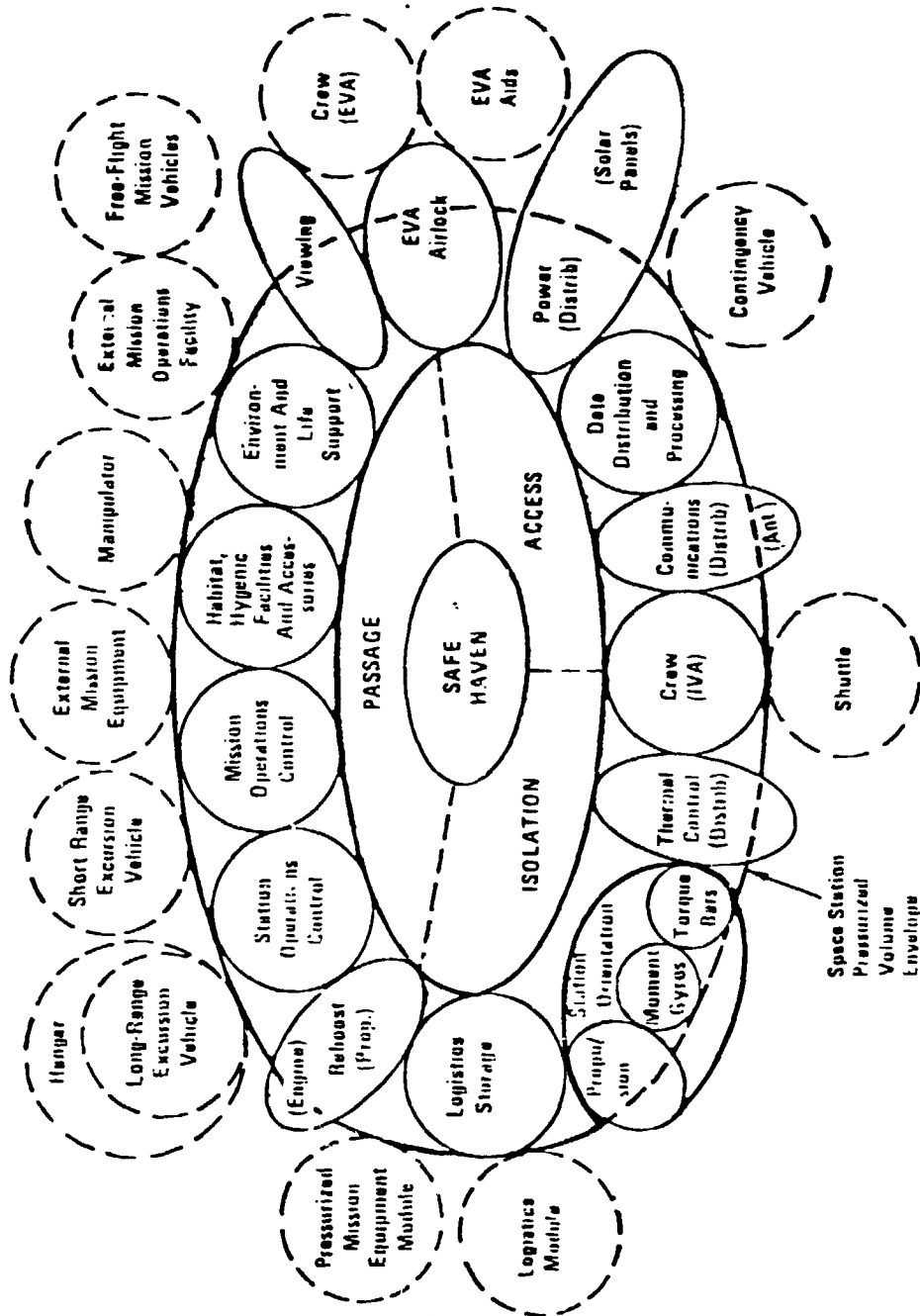
## Interior

- Payload Operations
  - Life Science
  - Material Processing Applications
  - Technology Demonstrations
- Control Center(s) for:
  - Interior Operations
  - Exterior Operations/Accessories
  - Exterior Payloads
  - Maneuvering Vehicles
- Habitation/Recreation
- Maintenance/Logistics
- Traffic (Daily Routine and Periodic)
- Safe Haven
- Exterior Viewing
  - Operations
  - Sight-Seeing

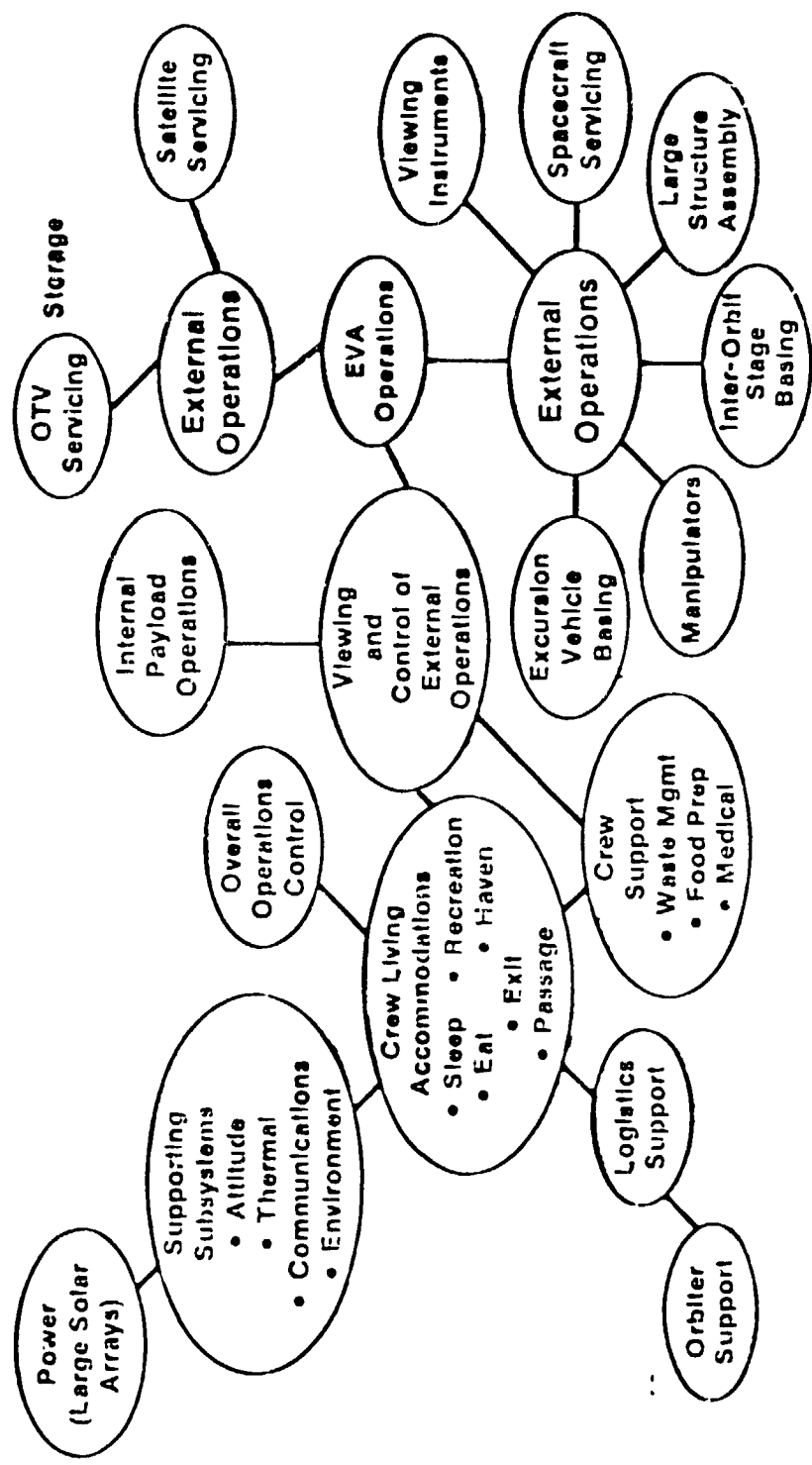
## Exterior

- Attached Payload Operations
  - Science Instruments
  - Applications Instruments
  - Large Space Systems
  - Development of:
    - Technology (Prototypes, Performance Measurement)
    - Operations (Assembly, Alignment, EVA)
  - Assembly Accessories
  - Hi-Alt-Vehicle Buildup/Stowage/Launch Spacecraft Servicing
- Attached/Detached Payload Operations (Tended/Tethered/Teleoperated)
  - Material-Processing
  - Free Flyers
  - Rendezvous Testing, Tow/Dock Services and Low-G Payloads
  - Co-Orbiting Platform
- Sustaining Resource Installations
- Shuttle Interaction Operations

# BASIC SPACE STATION ELEMENTS

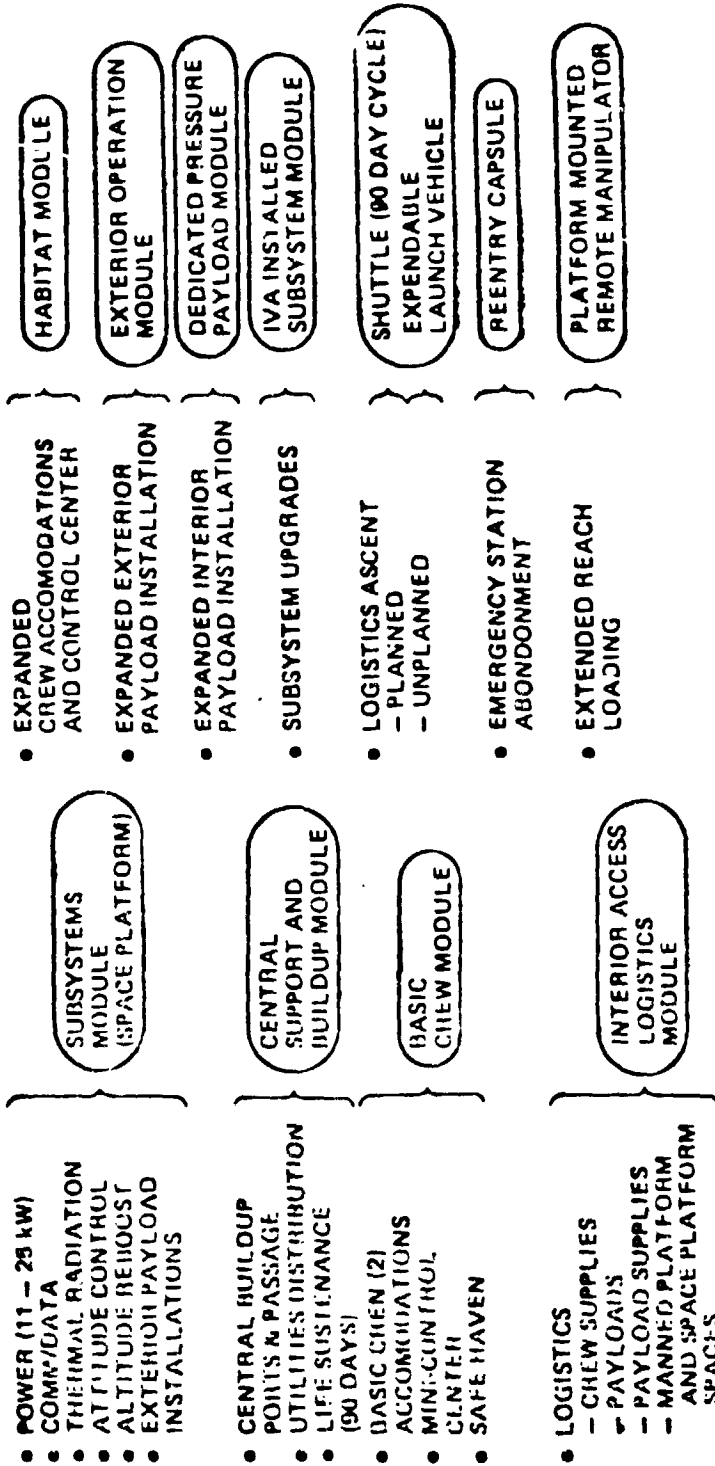


# INITIAL FUNCTIONAL GROUPING



# REQUIREMENTS FULFILLMENT CONGREGATION (HIGH-MODULARITY CONCEPT)

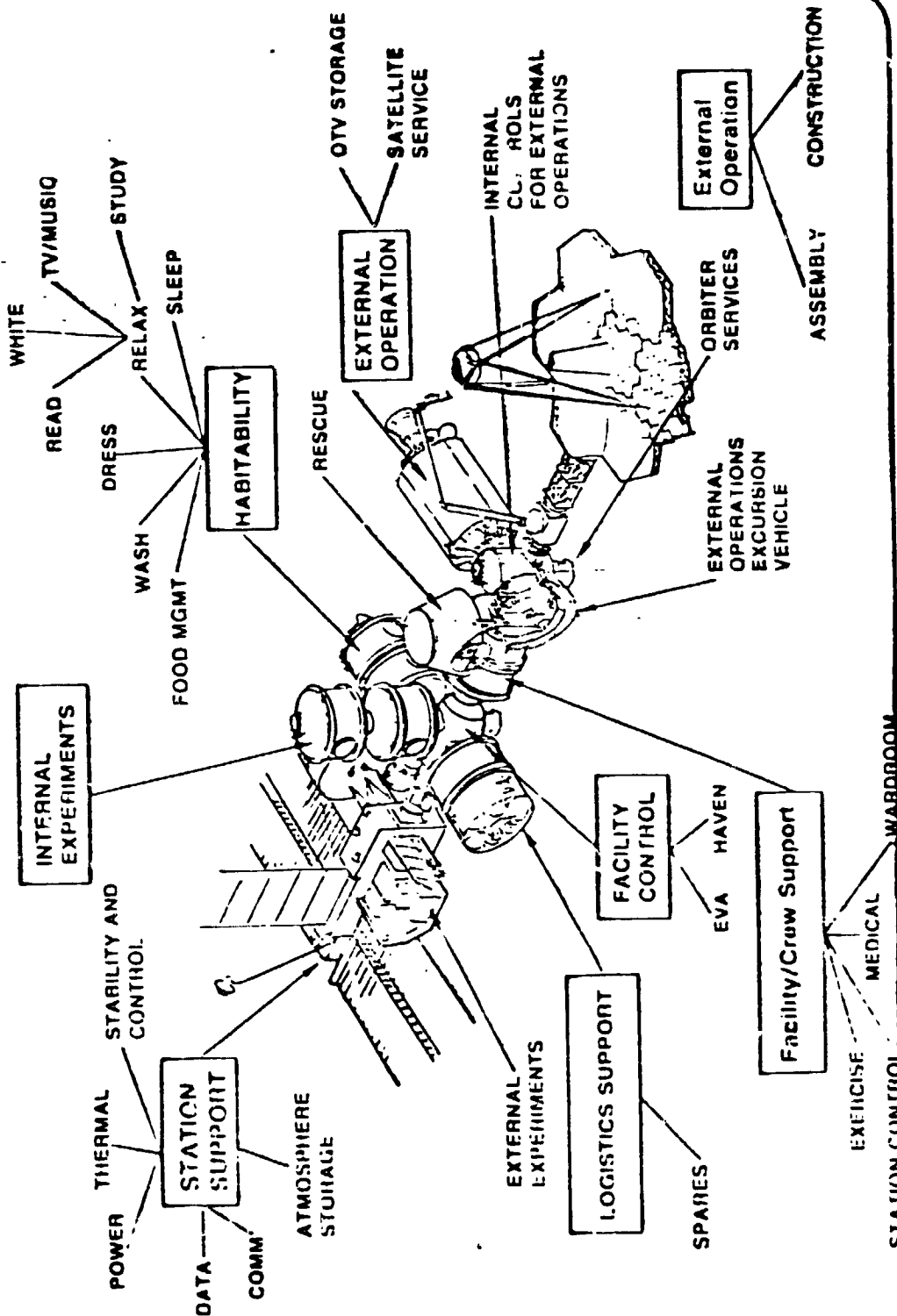
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# SPACE STATION ELEMENTS





# CONFIGURATION ASPECTS OF PAYLOAD ACCOMMODATIONS

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Location Type	Pressurized Module
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Internal</li> <li>● Built-In</li> <li>● Transient</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ External</li> <li>● Non-Viewing</li> <li>● Viewing               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— Stellar</li> <li>— Solar</li> <li>— Earth</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Large Assembly</li> <li>● Periodically Serviceable</li> <li>● Small Reusable Stages</li> <li>● Large Reusable Stages</li> <li>● Large Propellant Storage</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any Berth</li> <li>Space-Directed</li> <li>Earth-Directed</li> <li>Large Free Volume</li> <li>Close-In Access Aids</li> <li>Possibly Enclosed</li> <li>Semi-Remote Berth</li> <li>Semi-Remote Berths (Near Station Centerline)</li> </ul>

### Constraints

- Approach/Exit Movement Corridors
- Solar Array Shadowing
- Radiator Reflections
- Manipulator Access (Shuttle/Space Station)
- Multiple Orbiter Berthing Ports
- Interim Berthing During Assembly or Exchange

### Exterior Payload Operations/Time Impact Configuration Significantly

# ARCHITECTURE OPTIONS FOR PAYLOAD ACCOMMODATIONS

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## Laboratory Module(s) (Interior Payloads)

- Lab Functions Only
- Lab and Crew Qtrs Hybrid
- Lab and Sta-Control Hybrid
- Dedicated Types
- General Purpose Types
- Short Module
- Long Module/Unpartitioned
- Long Module/Partitioned
- Some Long, Some Short
- Accessories:
  - Built-In Radiator
  - Scientific Airlock

## Service Center (Exterior Payloads)

- Integrate With Multiple Docking Adapter
- Separate Multi-Berth Unit (Trusswork) (Tunnel)
- One Unit/10 Berths (All-In-One)
- Two Units/5 Berths (i.e. Modular)
- Incorporates Big Manipulator
- Incorporates Radiators
- Articulating (For Broad Op's Flexibility)
- Central, Top or End-Mounted
- Rotating Berths For Maximum Viewing Payload, or Assembly Op's Flexibility
- Hangar Provisions (Pressurized/Unpressurized)

# SPECTRUM OF SERVICES SCENARIOS (RELATED TO SPACE STATION)

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## ■ User Types and Service Locations:

	<u>On Station</u>	<u>Off Station</u>
● Space Station Attached Payloads	✓	
● Free Flying Spacecraft	✓	Via TMS
● Teleoperator Maneuvering System	✓	Via TMS
● Space Platform	?	Via TMS
● Space Platform Attached Payloads	?	Via TMS
● Reusable Orbit Transfer Vehicles	✓	
● R/JTV-Boosted Free-Flying Spacecraft	✓	
● R/OTV-Boosted Servicer	✓	

# SPACE STATION SERVICE CENTER

## Objective

- Provide a Broad Range of Enabling and Sustaining Services to Resident and Transient Payloads

## Service Functions (in Graduated Capability/Time)

- Berthing      ■ Replenishment      ■ Stowage
- Activation      ■ Enclosure      ■ Checkout and Launch
- Deployment      ■ Replacement      ■ Manipulation
- Diagnosis      ■ Modification      ■ Maintenance
- Alignment      ■ Assembly      ■ Surface Treatment

## Types of Payloads (Nasa, DoD, Commercial, Foreign)

- Self-Propelled Spacecraft      ■ Palletized Payloads (Resident/Non-Resident)
- Propulsion-Staged Spacecraft      ● Science
- Teleoperator Maneuverer      ● Earth Applications
- Orbit Transfer Vehicle(s)      ● Technology
- Reusable Orbit Transfer Vehicle      ■ Space Platforms (?)

# SPACE STATION SERVICE CENTER (CONT.)

## Major Configuration Elements

- Servicing Control Centers (General and Dedicated)
- Articulated, Truss Beams(s) with Berthing Ports
- Power, Data and Communications Distribution
- Liquid, Gas Storage and Distribution Systems
- Manipulator(s): Major and Localized — Minor Types
- Enclosure(s): Permanent and Portable
- EVA Access/Assistance Equipment
- Interior Stowage (Replacement/Modification items)
- Exterior Stowage (Interim and Long Term Berthing)
- Tool and Supplies Stowage
- Diagnostic and Checkout Equipment
- Work Bench Areas
- Directed Lighting

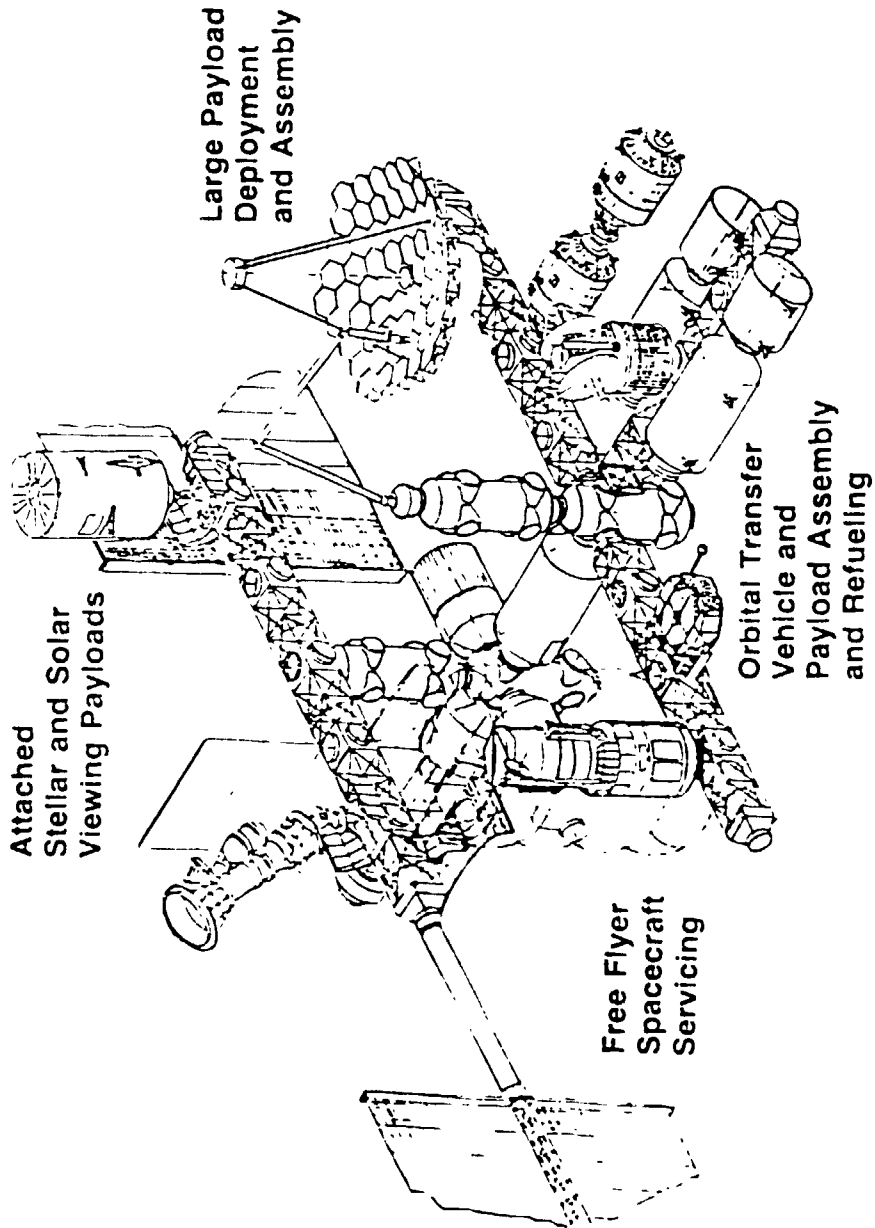
## Configuration Constraints

- Extensive Crew Visibility of Operations
- Safe Rendezvous and Exit Flight Corridors
- Efficient Shuttle RMS Loading Access or Handover
- Extensive Payload (Berth) Separation for Viewing or Movement Freedom
- Minimal Solar Array Shadowing and Radiator Reflection

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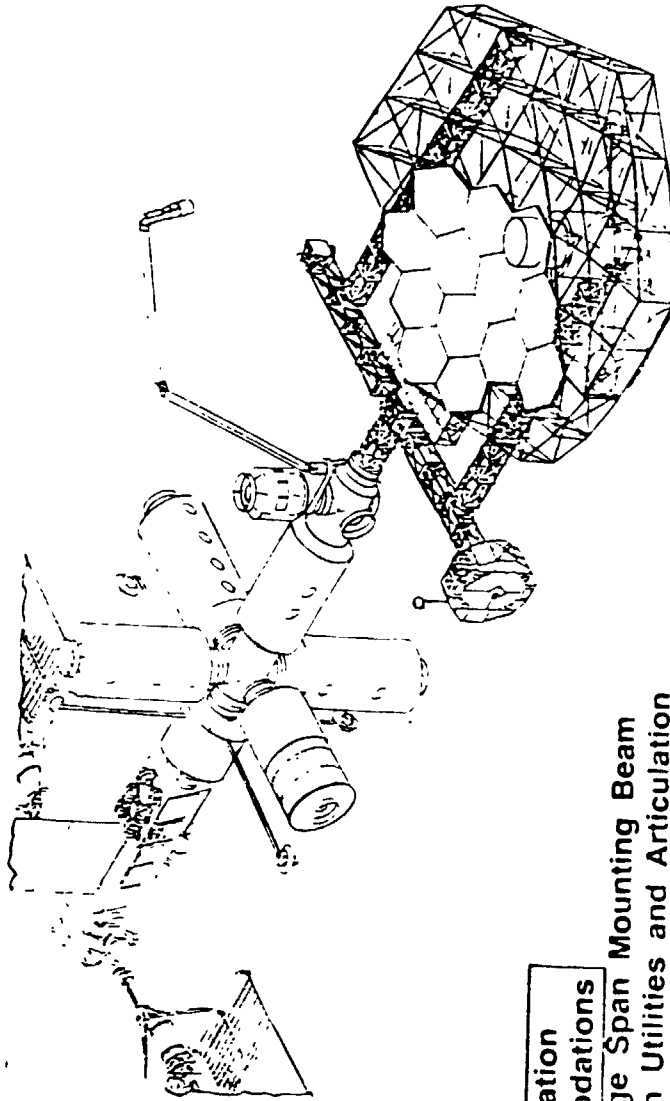
# ATTACHED PAYLOAD AND MULTI-SERVICE CENTER

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**Space Station  
Accommodations**

- Large Span Mounting Beam  
With Utilities and Articulation
- Long Reach Manipulator
- Interim Stowage Locations  
For Construction Elements
- Operational Viewing

- Internal Control Center
- EVA Crew Capabilities
- Possible Enclosure/Contamination  
Shield Provisions

# SPACE STATION MISSIONS EARLY SET (1991-93)

**Missions Externally Attached to SS Base  
(Or Co-Orbiting Platform)**

SAA 0001	Cosmic Ray Nuclei
SAA 0002	Space Plasma Physics
SAA 0003	Solar Optical Telescope
SAA 0004	Shuttle IR Telescope Facility
SAA 0006	Starlab
SAA 0201	LIDAR Facility
SAA 0306	CELS Pallet
COM 1202	EOS Production Units
COM 1203	ECG Production Units
COM 1105	Communications Test Lab
TDM 2010	Materials Performance
TDM 2060	Deployment/Assembly/Construction
TDM 2070	Structural Dynamics
TDM 2080	Design Verification
TDM 2210	Large Space Antenna Technology
TDM 2260	Earth Observation Instrument
TDM 2310	Fluid Management Technology
TDM 2410	Attitude Control Technology
TDM 2420	Figure Control Technology
TDM 2460	Telepresence and EVA Technology
TDM 2470	Interactive Human Factors
TDM 2510	Environmental Effects Technology
TDM 2560	Satellite Servicing Technology
TDM 2570	OTV Servicing Technology

**Missions Accommodated Inside SS Laboratory Modules**

SAA 0307	Life Science Laboratory
COM 1201	MPS Lab #1
TDM 2020	Materials Processing
TDM 2520	Habitation Technology
TDM 2530	Medical Technology
TDM 2580	On-Board Operations Technology

**Free-Flyer Missions Serviced At/By SS Base**

SAA 0012	Space Telescope
SAA 0013	Gamma Ray Observatory
SAA 0014	X-Ray Timing
SAA 0016	Solar Max Mission
SAA 0017	AXAF
SAA 0019	Far UV Spectroscopy

**Planetary Missions Supported at SS Base**

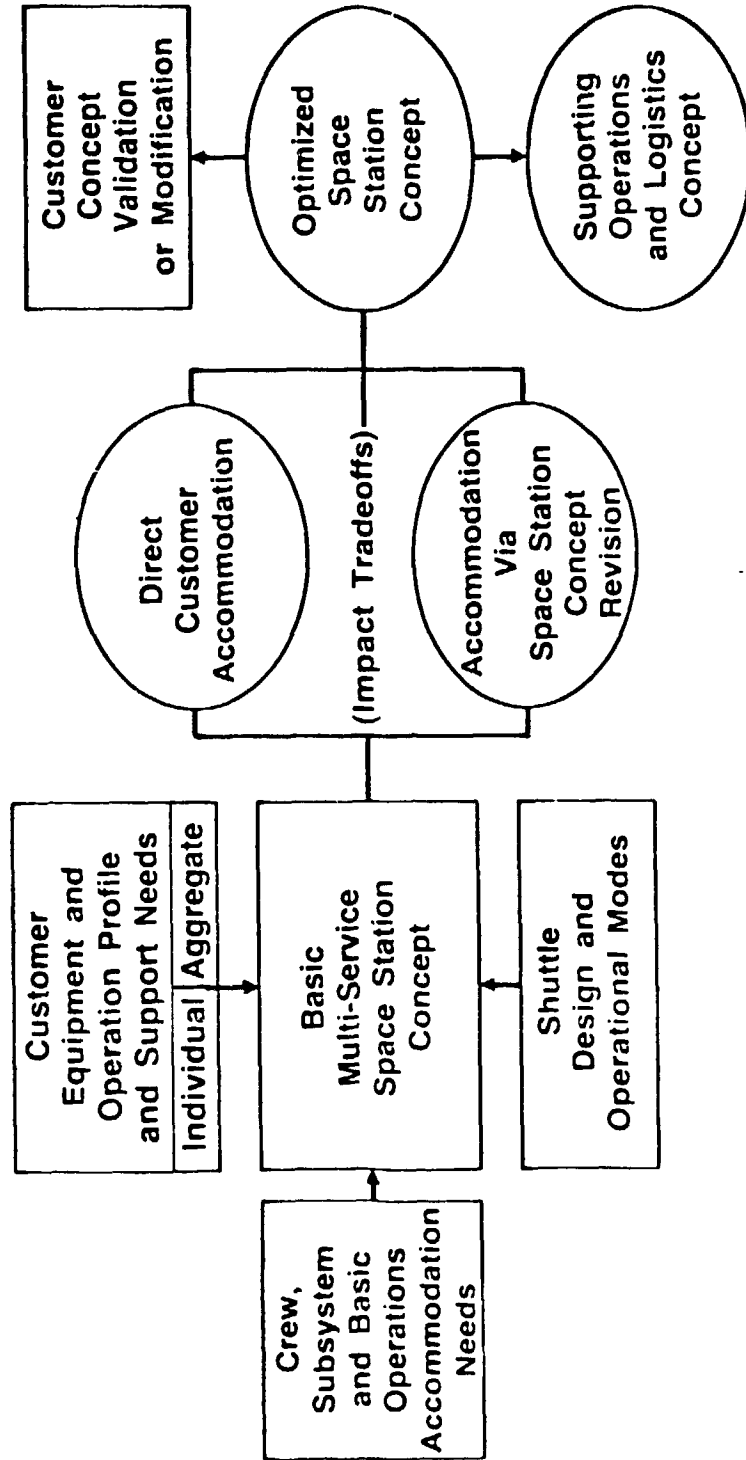
SAA 0102	Lunar Geochemical Orbiter
SAA 0105	Titan Probe

**Missions Supported By Polar Platform**

SAA 0202	Earth Sciences Research
COM 1019	Stereo Multi-Linear Array



# CUSTOMER ACCOMMODATION CONSIDERATIONS IN ARCHITECTURE



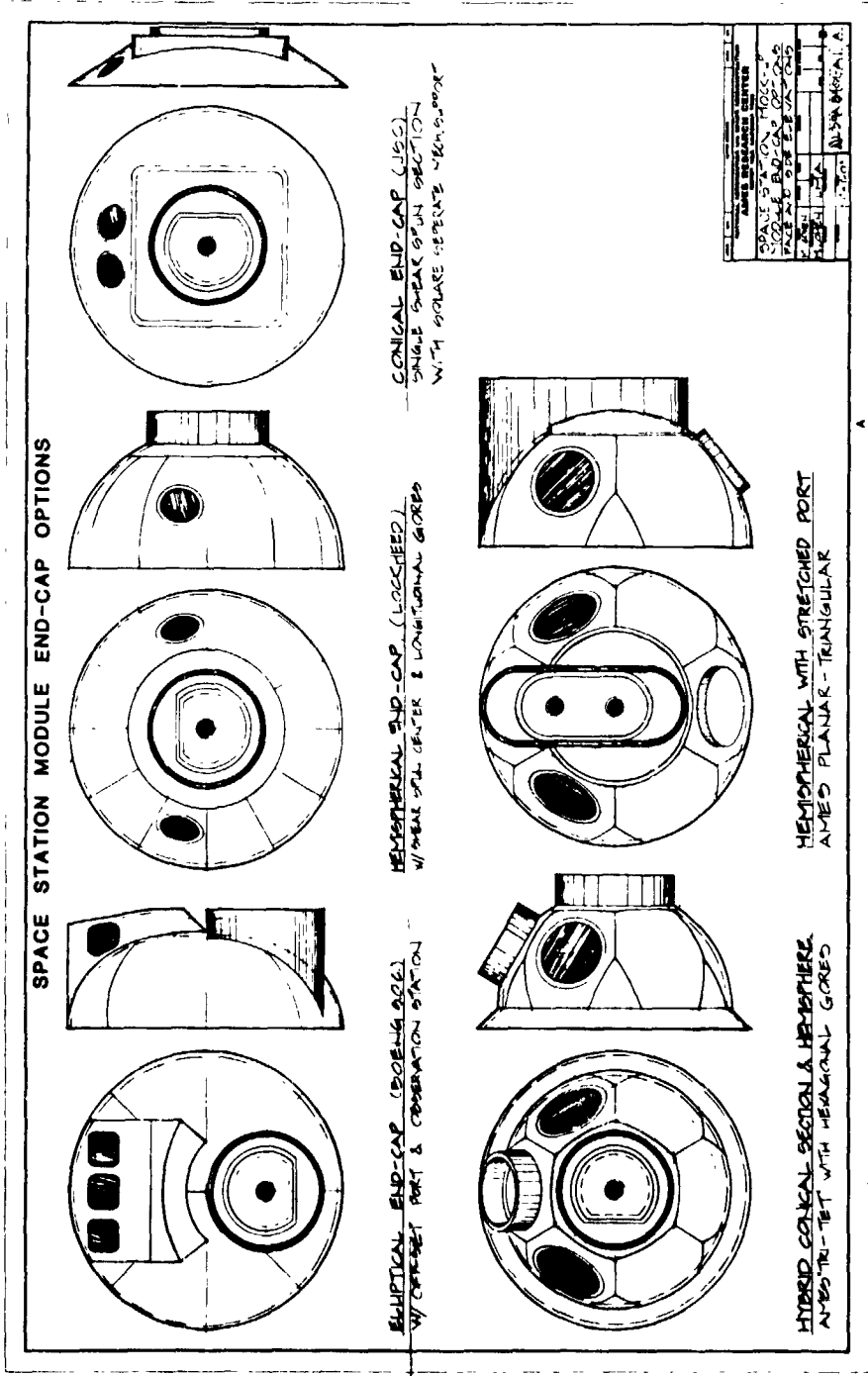
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