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INTRODUCTION

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- SPACE FLIGHT--EXPERIMENTS (Highly relevant)
- SPACE SCIENCES--EXPERIMENTS (Highly relevant)
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ROCKETS (AERONAUTICS)--(Relevant)
SCIENCE--STUDY AND TEACHING (Relevant)

See also subdivisions STUDY AND TEACHING, or PROBLEMS, EXERCISES, ETC.,
or AMATEURS' MANUALS under subject headings of interest, such as
ASTRONOMY, ASTROPHYSICS, SPACE SCIENCES, etc.

SKYLAB PROGRAM (Relevant)
SPACE BIOLOGY (Relevant)
SPACE MEDICINE (Relevant)
SPACE STATIONS (Relevant)
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SPACELAB PROJECT (Relevant)
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science projects in general are listed below. Some suggested terms are given
as aids in searching. Space sciences material will be indexed under terms
beginning ASTRONOMY, ASTRONAUTICS, SPACE, etc. The following indexes are
available in most public and college libraries.

Applied Science & Technology Index (1913-) Z7913.I7*
See: Science--Exhibits
Science--Experiments

Current Index to Journals in Education (1969-) Z5813.C8
See: Science Activities
Science Experiment
Science Fairs
Science Projects
Science Talent Search

Education Index (1929-) Z5813.E23
See: Science--Activities
Science--Exhibits
Science--Experiments
Science--Projects

General Science Index (1978-, Z7401.G46*
See: Science Fairs, School
Science--Exhibitions

Magazine Index (May 1985-) Available on film/COM reader SSRR
See: Science--Exhibitions
Science--Experiments

Readers' Guide to Periodical Literature (1900-) AI3.R45
See: Science Fairs
Science Fairs, School
Science--Experiments
Science Talent Search

Note: Consult reference librarian for location of abstracting and indexing
services in the Science Reading Room

Resources in Education (1966-) Z5813.R4

See: Science Activities
Science Experiments
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Science Projects

Vertical File Index (1932-1934-) Z1231.P2V48

See: Science--Study and Teaching
Subject of interest, e.g., Astronomy, Chemistry, etc.

Students may also need to use space-oriented and more technical abstracting and indexing services for further information. Sample titles are listed below. These titles may be available only in large or specialized libraries.

Aerospace Medicine and Biology (1952-)
Air University Library Index to Military Periodicals (1949-)
Astronomy and Astrophysics Abstracts (1969-)
Engineering Index (1884-)
Government Reports Announcements & Index (1946-)
International Aerospace Abstracts (1961-)
Mathematical Reviews (1940-)
Metals Abstracts (1968-)
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