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NROL-67 Lifts Off on April 10, 2014

A National Reconnaissance Office (NRO) payload was successfully launched aboard a United Launch Alliance Atlas V rocket from Space Launch Complex-41E, Cape Canaveral Air Force Station (CCAFS), Florida, at 1:45 p.m. EDT, on April 10, 2014.

"This afternoon's successful launch of NROL-67 demonstrates once again the unassailable commitment of NRO and its industry partners to the national security of the United States and its allies. I applaud the dedicated team that made this possible and express my gratitude to every member of that team," said Colonel Clint Hunt, USAF, Director, NRO Office of Space Launch.

NROL-67 is the first of three 2014 NRO launches. The next NRO launch is on schedule for May 2014, also from CCAFS.

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