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Artemis Accords: Principles for a Safe, Peaceful, and Prosperous Future

- The Artemis Accords describe a **shared vision** for the peaceful exploration and use of outer space.
- The Accords are a multilateral **nonbinding, whole-of-government political commitment** to advance high-level principles for the peaceful exploration and use of outer space, increase the safety of operations, reduce uncertainty, and promote the sustainable and beneficial use of space for all humankind.
- The Accords advance principles grounded in the **1967 Outer Space Treaty**.
- The Accords were inspired by the **Artemis Program**.
- They were launched in **2020 by eight countries** including the United States.



Japan-US Civil Space Framework Agreement

