

Review: LEGO® Space: Building the Future

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"Are you a LEGO fan? Are you a Space fan? Look no further. This is your book."

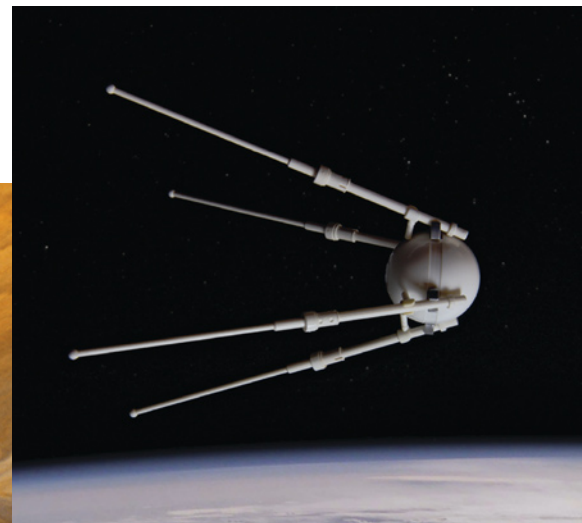
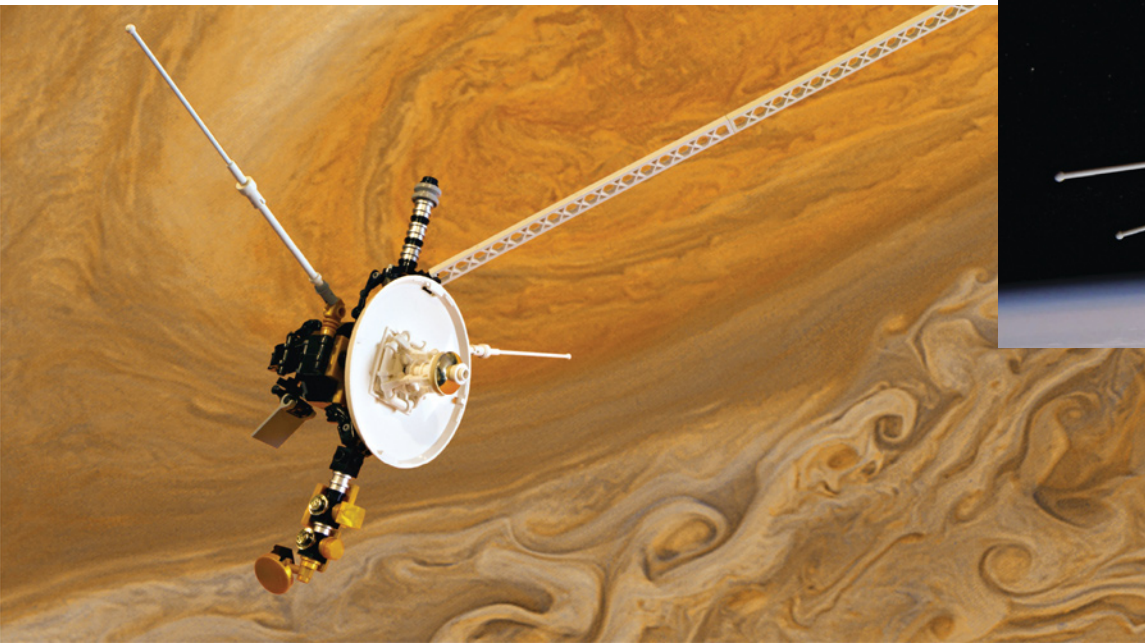
This could be the ad for this book, but the truth is that this is probably the best book I've read about LEGO. Okay, okay, yes, I am a fan of LEGO Classic Space, and maybe my view is clouded by this, but before you think I am a hopeless case, keep reading.

What stands out about this book is not the subject itself, but how the authors have shaped the book telling a story about the conquest of space. The first part tells us the first steps taken by humans in space, the launch of the Sputnik, the first moon landing ... then it immerses you in a science fiction story where there is a lot of research, colonization, betrayal and war. All shown through photographs that often border on perfection.

The construction quality is no surprise, especially if you follow the work of the authors on the Internet, yet I cannot help but show my admiration for the careful detail show in each of the models, regardless of scale. And don't forget that the book includes instructions for some of the models. Although honestly, this time I'm happy just looking.

I know that those who are not interested enough in science fiction and space may find this book less interesting. I'm sorry for them; they don't know what they're missing. Definitely a must for fans of Space.

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Peter Reid's Exo Suit
LEGO CUUS00 #006



original fan submission (not final product)

as seen in

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