

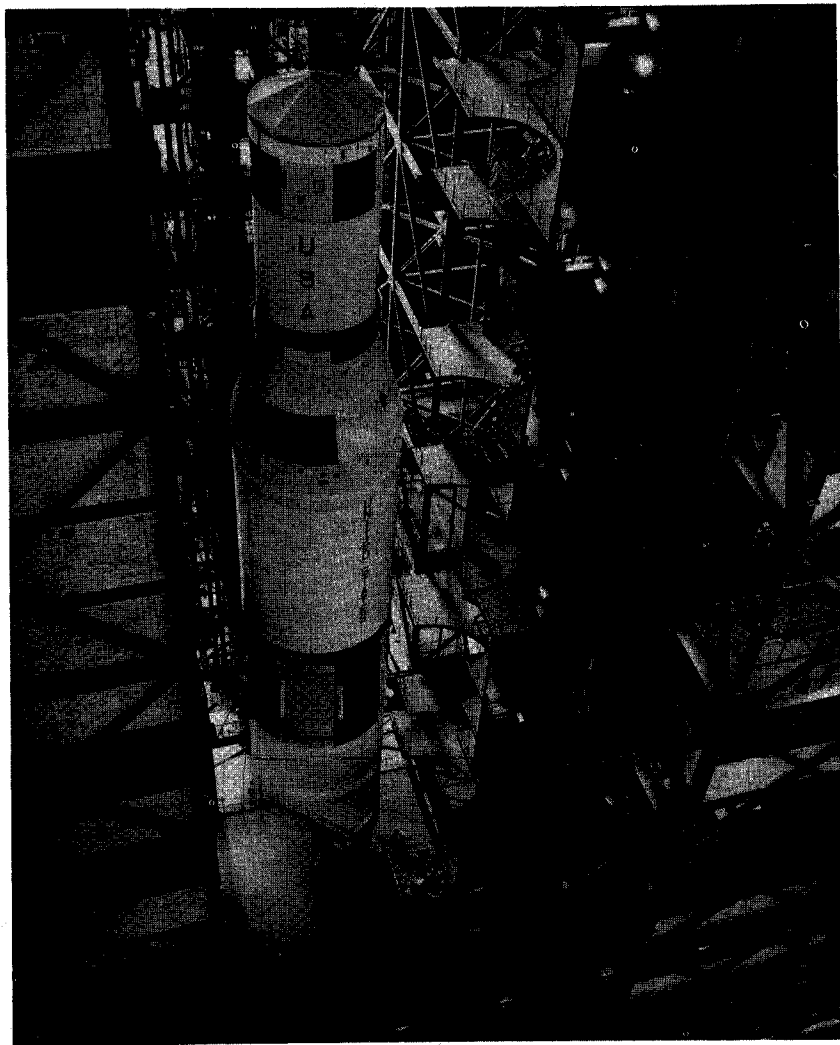


FIGURE 39

We also provide a launch complex 39 control center (Fig. 45), where schedules and equipment records (such as equipment coming in and equipment being modified, etc.) are displayed so the NASA launch operations manager can bring in contractors, review the schedules with them, and determine what activities must be accomplished on any given day. There is a daily meeting held with all the contractors to review the activities necessary in leading to a successful AS-501 launch. Figure 46 shows some of the displays in the control center. In summary (Fig. 47), our activities at KSC have been directed toward getting the site ready for processing of the AS-501 vehicle. We are