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Astronaut unhurt; jet damaged after mishap

United Press International
HOUSTON — A small jet aircraft piloted by astronaut T.K. Mattingly ran off a rain-slick runway during a landing at Ellington Air Force base, damaging the plane extensively but not hurting Mattingly, the space agency said Wednesday.

"Astronaut Mattingly was not injured late Tuesday when his T-38 jet aircraft ran off the runway," the National Aeronautics and Space Administration said in a prepared statement.

The accident occurred at 9:25 p.m. Tuesday and Mattingly "walked away from the accident," NASA said.

He was not immediately available for comment.

Mattingly, 46, of Chicago, is a Navy captain who commanded the fourth Space Shuttle this year and the Apollo 16 module in 1972. He had logged 4,130 hours of flight time in jet aircraft.

NASA said he was returning to Houston alone from business

at the Air Force Space Division in Los Angeles and had stopped at El Paso to refuel before the accident.

"Approximately 3,000 feet after touching down on runway 18 at Ellington the aircraft ran the side of the runway, onto a stop about 30 feet of concrete surface," the agency said.

The T-38 sustained "considerable damage" to the nose section and landing gear.

"It is considered repaired until the aft fuselage is replaced," the agency said.

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