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Expedition ICEWALK
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Final Script

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FADE IN:

1. TITLE SEQUENCE (PBS Promo version)

2. EXTERIOR. EXOTIC-LOOKING AREA OF THE AUSTRALIAN BUSH

A wide shot of Graeme Joy, wearing an Australian cowboy hat and sunglasses.

GRAEME JOY: (on camera)

Hi, I'm Graeme Joy,

the Australian member of Expedition

ICEWALK ...

... here to tell you about the ozone hole.

3. Move in for a closeup of Graeme. He tilts back his hat or takes it off.

Australians already have the world's
highest rate of skin cancer.

Scientists predict that will get worse as the
ozone hole over Antarctica continues to
expand.

On Expedition ICEWALK, we explored the
ozone depletion that scientists have now
detected over the North Pole.

Come along, and see why all of us, all
around the globe, should be concerned
about "The Amazing Vanishing Ozone."

4. ICEWALK RE-INTRODUCTION

A FAST-PACED MONTAGE THAT ALLOWS THE PROGRAM TO BE VIEWED
AS A SEPARATE VIDEO FROM THE OTHER PROGRAMS IN THE SERIES.

Closeup of Robert Swan's face covered with ice.

ROBERT SWAN: (voiceover)

ON EXPEDITION ICEWALK ...

5. An arctic panorama, with the seven explorers, their names and countries.

... SEVEN OTHER EXPLORERS
FROM AROUND THE
WORLD ...

6. Explorers coming up over a hill, slowly, in a row.

... JOINED WITH ME TO
MANHAUL SLEDGES ...

7. Great shot of them in snowy haze slowly trudging over ice.

... OVER 700 MILES
TO THE NORTH POLE.

8. Darryl Roberts with frosty beard trudges past the camera.

WE DID IT TO DRAW
ATTENTION ...

9. A huge ice hill with person struggling upward.

... TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL
PROBLEMS FACING
THE WORLD.

10. The explorers walk ahead, looking like they're headed into white nothingness.

ESPECIALLY THE ARCTIC.

AN ARCTIC MONTAGE:

11. White expanse of sculptural ice shapes.

12. A polar bear on his haunches.

13. Two Inuit woman; one has a baby in her hood.

14. An Inuit with a dogsled heading toward the camera.
15. A group of Arctic wolves.
16. The aurora borealis.
17. Students manhauling sledges; the whole group of them comes close to the camera.

I THINK YOUNG PEOPLE ARE
THE ONES WHO WILL SAVE
THE ENVIRONMENT.
SO ICEWALK HAD A STUDENT
EXPEDITION.
TWENTY-TWO YOUNG
PEOPLE FROM AROUND THE
WORLD ...

18. Students with their igloo.

CAME TO THE ARCTIC ...
TO LEARN ABOUT THE LAND
AND ITS PEOPLE ...

20. Neil Trivett gives instruction to students holding an orange atmospheric balloon.

TO PERFORM EXPERIMENTS
ALONGSIDE SCIENTISTS ...

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cutaway to:

61. Shot of Emma Westerman and the ozone experiment.

EMMA WESTERMAN:

(voiceover)

HI, I'M EMMA WESTERMAN

FROM AUSTRALIA.

62. A wide shot across the arctic landscape to the two domed weather station buildings.

WE DID AN OZONE

MEASUREMENT...

63. Neil Trivett is unfolding the orange-torpedo balloon; students are all around.

SUPER: DR. NEIL TRIVETT

Environment Canada

USING A BALLOON WITH AN

OZONESONDE TO MEASURE

OZONE IN THE ATMOSPHERE

NEARER THE EARTH'S

SURFACE.

NEIL TRIVETT: (on camera)

Here we go ... unfold it gently.

64. The students inflate the balloon.

FIRST, WE HAD TO

CAREFULLY INFLATE

THE BALLOON.

65. The orange balloon fills the screen.

66. An aerial of the group of students with the balloon.

THEN, A NUMBER OF
MEASURING INSTRUMENTS
WERE ATTACHED
TO IT. THEY READ NOT ONLY
THE OZONE ...

67. Lewis Poulin with ozonesonde in hand.

68. Pan shot from Neil holding the strings up to the balloon floating in the sky.

... BUT ALSO THE
TEMPERATURE,
HUMIDITY, WIND SPEED
AND DIRECTION.

69. Neil on camera.

NEIL TRIVETT: (on camera)
We're going to attach a meteorological
sonde and an ozonesonde.

From this we will get the profile. Each foot
as the balloon rises, we will get the ozone
concentration at the surface, a little higher,
a little bit higher.

70. The balloon in the air.

TWO STUDENTS HELD THE
BAR THAT GUIDED THE
BALLOON.

This is 6 pages of 36 for this script, and 139 for the four-part series.

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