EXT: GRU'S SHIP

DR. NEFARIO

Hang on Gru!

Gru tries to open the hatch but the G-force is too great. Gru loses his grip and starts to fall.

DR. NEFARIO

Oh no!

GRU

Aaaaaaaaaaah!

Gru falls through the open roof-hatch and lands safely inside. He turns and sees several minions in the back of his ship. He sheepishly waves at them. They wave back.

GRU

Vector has the girls! Go!

EXT: SKY

Gru's ship speeds through the air.

INT: GRU'S SHIP

GRU

What happened to the ship? It's big again!

DR. NEFARIO

Not as big as the moon's going to be.

GRU

What?!

DR. NEFARIO

The larger the mass of an object, the quicker the effects of the shrink ray wear off! I call it the Nefario principle. I just came up with it now, actually.

GRU

Oh no!

INT: VECTOR'S ESCAPE POD - SAME

The moon begins to grow. It crushes the coffee mug that was holding it.

The girls stare at the beach ball sized moon.

MARGO

Did you see that?

The girls pound on their glass enclosure.

GIRLS

Vector! Help! Over here! Help!

VECTOR

Hey, what are you girls doing back there?

Vector struggles to keep control of his ship as the moon rolls.

The girls continue to scream as the moon flattens Vector!

VECTOR

Ouch.

The moon rolls

EXT: GRU'S SHIP - SAME

Vector's ship is flying erratically.

GRU

Get as close in as you can!

A GRAPPLING HOOK is shot from Gru's ship. It connects with Vector's ship.

GRU

You got it!

Nefario holds the ship steady.

INT: VECTOR'S SHIP

The girls scream as they try to avoid the rapidly expanding moon.

GIRLS

AAAHHHHIIIIIEEEEEE!

Suddenly, behind them there is a GROAN from the hull of the ship! SCCREEEEEUNNNGH.

The rear hatch opens! The girls walk to the edge of the ship.

MARGO

Mr. Gru, up here!

AGNES & EDITH

Mr. Gru!

Gru stands on the wing of his ship and calls up to the girls.

GRU

Okay, girls, girls! You're going to have to jump!

The girls look nervous. It's a big jump.

EDITH

Jump? Are you INSANE?!

GRU

Don't worry! I will catch you!

Gru holds his arms out wide, ready to catch them. They exchange looks. Then--

MARGO

You gave us back.

GRU

I know, I know and it is the worst mistake I ever made. But you have to jump now.

They girls know that Gru is going to be there for them.

MARGO

It will be okay.

GRU

Okay girls.

MARGO

Jump now!

Agnes and Edith jump. WHOOOOSH! They SCREAM as they fall.

Gru catches the girls and passes them down to Dr. Nefario. Then looks up at Margo, who still seems unsure.

GRU

Margo I will catch you and I will never let you go again.

Margo takes her glasses off and begins to jump but Vector grabs her and pulls her back into the ship.

VECTOR

Not so fast.

GRU

Margo!

MARGO

Let me go.

Vector laughs as he aims his squid launcher at Gru.

GRU

No!

Just when he is ready to fire, the rapidly expanding moon knocks him over and pushes Margo out the door.

Margo screams as she falls but she is able to grab hold of the cable that is connecting the two ships together.

MARGO

Woah!

EXT: VECTOR'S ESCAPE POD

Vector pulls himself back to safety.

EXT: GRU'S SHIP

GRU

I'm coming Margo. Hang on!

Gru stands on the wing of the plane while the two other girls watch.

Margo is barely holding on.

INT: VECTOR'S ESCAPE POD - SAME

Vector is stuck to the moon after it rolls over him.

EXT: GRU'S SHIP

Gru walks the cable between the two planes like a tightrope. The shifting planes makes it difficult for him to keep his balance.

INT: VECTOR'S ESCAPE POD - SAME

Vector is smashed into the side of his ship.

EXT: GRU'S SHIP

The cable is torn from Vector's ship. Margo and Gru fall through the air.

They both fall screaming when --

Miraculously a YELLOW HAND reaches down and grabs Gru's extended arm! A chain of minions extends up to Gru's ship.

GRU

I got you!

Gru and Margo hang on for dear life swinging in the air.

INT: VECTOR'S ESCAPE POD - SAME

The moon grows quickly, crushing everything inside the escape pod. Vector is about to be flattened. The moon expands into the control panel where pushes a large button.

EXT: VECTOR'S ESCAPE POD - SAME

The escape pod's engine fires up to maximum velocity.

EXT: GRU'S SHIP - NIGHT

Gru holds Margo close as Vector's escape pod zooms higher. The cable is slowly retracted back into his ship.

Just then, the moon expands, shattering the escape pod. KA-BLAM!

VECTOR

Aaaaaaaaaaaaah! Noooooooooo!

It hits him and he holds on for dear life as the moon rockets into space.