








“Global Wrap 11/18/08” Script

		SHOT / TITLE	DESCRIPTION
1.	00:00	Animated Open	Animated Open
2.	00:07 00:12	Animated Open Footage of the G20 Economic Summit	VOICE OVER: I'M ANTONIO NEVES AND THIS IS THE GLOBAL WRAP FOR TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18 TH . TWO DAYS AGO LEADERS OF THE WORLD'S MAJOR ECONOMIES, KNOWN AS THE G20, MET IN WASHINGTON. THE PURPOSE WAS TO DEVELOP A COORDINATED RESPONSE TO THE GLOBAL ECONOMIC DOWNTURN.
3.	00:24	Footage of Senate meeting with heads of auto industry 	VOICE OVER: THE CREDIT CRUNCH WAS THE MAIN TOPIC AGAIN TODAY IN WASHINGTON, THIS TIME THE LEADERS WERE FROM THE U.S. AUTO INDUSTRY. THE HEADS OF GM, CHRYSLER, AND FORD TOLD A SENATE COMMITTEE THEY NEED IMMEDIATE GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL AID SO THEY CAN STAY IN BUSINESS. TOMORROW THEY WILL TAKE THEIR REQUEST TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.




<p>4.</p> <p>00:41</p> <p>00:46</p>	<p>Map graphic</p> <p>Footage of factories and factory workers in China</p>		<p>VOICE OVER:</p> <p>AND IN BEIJING CHINESE PREMIER WEN JERBOA SAYS THE EFFECT OF THE GLOBAL FINANCIAL CRISIS IS WORSE THAN EXPECTED. SO FAR MORE THAN 67,000 FACTORIES HAVE CLOSED IN CHINA. AND TODAY COMPANIES IN TWO CHINESE PROVINCES WERE TOLD THEY NEED GOVERNMENT PERMISSION BEFORE THEY CAN LAYOFF MORE THAN 40 WORKERS.</p>
<p>5.</p> <p>01:03</p> <p>01:10</p>	<p>Map graphic</p> <p>Footage of farming in Brazil as well as shots of the stock market and people walking in streets</p>		<p>VOICE OVER:</p> <p>THE SLOWDOWN IN ASIA IS HURTING SOYBEAN FARMERS IN BRAZIL. CHINA HAS BEEN THEIR BIGGEST MARKET. BUT NOW, THE GOVERNMENT SAYS, SOYBEAN EXPORTS ARE DROPPING. FARMERS ARE CUTTING BACK ON PLANTING AND LOOKING FOR OTHER WAYS TO MAKE MONEY. THE ECONOMIC SLOW DOWN IS HAVING ONE BENEFIT - THE AMOUNT OF RAINFOREST BEING CLEARED FOR FARMING IS WAY DOWN.</p>



6.	01:26 01:31	Map graphic Footage of Vladimir Putin 	VOICE OVER: IN RUSSIA, LEGISLATORS VOTED TO INCREASE THE PRESIDENT'S TERM IN OFFICE FROM FOUR YEARS TO SIX. OBSERVERS SAY THE CHANGE IN THE CONSTITUTION MAY BE ONE STEP IN A PLAN TO RETURN FORMER PRESIDENT VLADIMIR PUTIN TO HIS OLD JOB. HE WAS FORCED BY TERM LIMITS TO LEAVE THE PRESIDENCY FOR RUSSIA'S NUMBER TWO JOB, PRIME MINISTER, EARLIER THIS YEAR.
7.	01:49 01:53	Map graphic Footage of super tanker as well as the pirates that overtook it 	VOICE OVER: OFF THE COAST OF KENYA, PIRATES HAVE STRUCK AGAIN. THE TARGET THIS TIME, A SUPER TANKER FILLED WITH CRUDE OIL. THE TANKER BELONGS TO A SAUDI ARABIAN OIL COMPANY. IT'S THE LARGEST SHIP EVER TAKEN BY PIRATES AND THERE ARE NO REPORTS OF INJURIES. IT'S EXPECTED THE PIRATES WILL ATTEMPT TO RANSOM THE VESSEL BACK TO THE OIL COMPANY.



8.	02:12 02:17	Map graphic Footage of baseball stadium and photos of Eri Yoshida 	VOICE OVER: AND FINALLY, IN JAPAN 16-YEAR-OLD ERI YOSHIDA IS MAKING HEADLINES. SHE'S THE FIRST FEMALE EVER TO BE SIGNED TO PLAY PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL. SHE'LL START THE SEASON WITH KOBE 9 CRUISE, A MINOR LEAGUE TEAM.
9.	02:28		VOICE OVER: THAT'S YOUR GLOBAL WRAP FOR TODAY, I'M ANTONIO NEVES FOR THE.NEWS.

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