

BRINGING SPACE DOWN TO EARTH

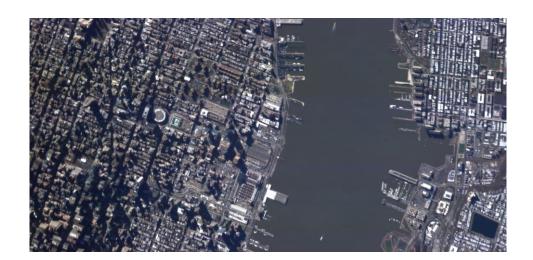
Commercial-grade Affordable Earth Observation in Real-time



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Mission Overview

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Some figures

Current status...

Headquarters in Buenos Aires, Argentina for Ops R&D, finance, 100 employee's

Manufacturing Plant in Montevideo, Uruguay

Sales in USA, Image processing in Tel Aviv, Science in Barcelona.





Launch History

Cubebug 1, Capitan Beto

2U Cubesat, April 26th 2013 Built in 10 months, open architecture, documented and public domain

Cubebug 2, Manolito

2U Cubesat, 21st November 2013 Reaction wheels, Star tracker, attitude Control

Bugsat 1, Tita

New platform, 22 Kg launched on 19th June 2014 from Dombarovsky Russia by Dnepr rocket.







Aleph-1 Constellation

Real-time imaging of the entire planet on a daily basis

One-meter resolution multispectral imaging

Precision agriculture, food production

O&G Pipelines monitoring

Cartography Urban planning

Natural resources / Climate change

Disaster response

Infrastructure monitoring

Hyperspectral data for science, for free



Payload description

ALEPH 1 - PAYLOADS	Panchromatic	Multispectral	Hyperspectral	Thermal Infrared
Ground Samplig Distance	1 m	1 m	30m	90m
Swath	5km	5km	1 50km	92km
Spectral Bands	400-900nm	400-690nm 400-510nm 510-580nm 580-690nm 750-900nm	400-900nm up to 600 spectral bands 5nm FWHM	8μm-14μm 0.01K resolution
Modulation Transfer Function at the Nyquist	> 15.00%			
Dynamic Range	54dB raw / 66dB HDR			
Signal-to-Noise Ratio	43dB			
Boresight	25 deg			
High Definition Video	720p, 1080p, 4K, in every spectral band			

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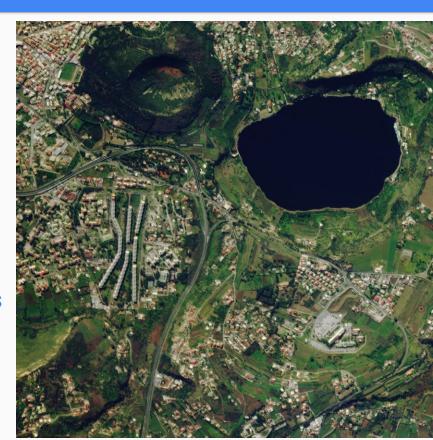
TT&C:

Uplink in S band Downlink in X Band @100 Kb/s custom protocol

Payload:

Downlink in X Band DVBS-2

Also has a semi duplex UHF Ham frequencies @ 20Khz BW for experiments and linear transponder UHF/VHF @30 Khz BW



Nusat 1 (Fresco) and Nusat 2 (Batata)

Launched in May 30th 2016 from China

40 cm × 43 cm × 75 cm, 37 kg mass Orbit is 500 km sun synchronous orbit with an inclination of 97.5° with a 10:30 LTAN.

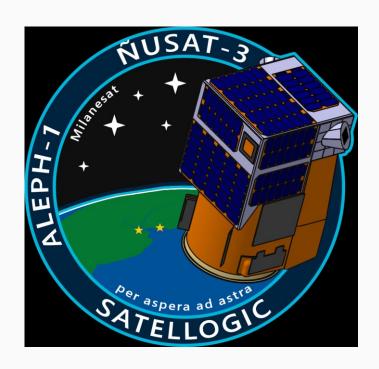


Future launches

Nusat-3: Orbit 500 km 43 deg Launch on June 2017

Nusat-4/5 Orbit 500 km 43 deg Launch on Aug 2017

Nusat-6 Orbit 500 km SSO Launch on TBD in 2017



Ground Segment

Downlink telemetry in X band 8030 Mhz @ 1 Mhz BW RHCP (Custom Protocol) Uplink Telemetry in S band in 2080 Mhz @ 1 Mhz BW RHCP (Custom Protocol) Downlink Payload Data in X band 8050 to 8100 Mhz @ 40 Mhz BW RHCP in DVBS2 protocol.

Ground Station requirements:

Payload: Downlink gain 44 Dbi, Noise figure 0.8 Db, DVBS2 Modem

TT&C: Uplink gain 32 Dbi, Uplink S band power 30 Dbm, USRP to our own equipment

Ground Segment

Svalbard, Norway
Provide more than 10 passes per day, 2
antennas to support 2 satellites at the same
time on polar orbits

Cordoba, Argentina Located in CONAE facilities for Nusat-3 Support for 6 passes per day (43 deg)



Frequency Coordination

UHF channels in ham radio frequencies, were coordinated through AMSAT-LU to IARU

S/X bands via local administration with API preparation application SpaceCap

Coordination request were received from different countries to avoid harmful interference.





Thanks for your attention

Questions?

