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# CUBESATS

# NANOSATELITES

## CLASE: 1

Estructura Mecánica de CubeSats  
Procedimiento, Diseño y Desafíos

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Prof. Jordi Puig-Suari at California Polytechnic State University (Cal Poly), San Luis Obispo, and Prof. Bob Twiggs at Stanford University's Space Systems Development Laboratory (SSDL).  
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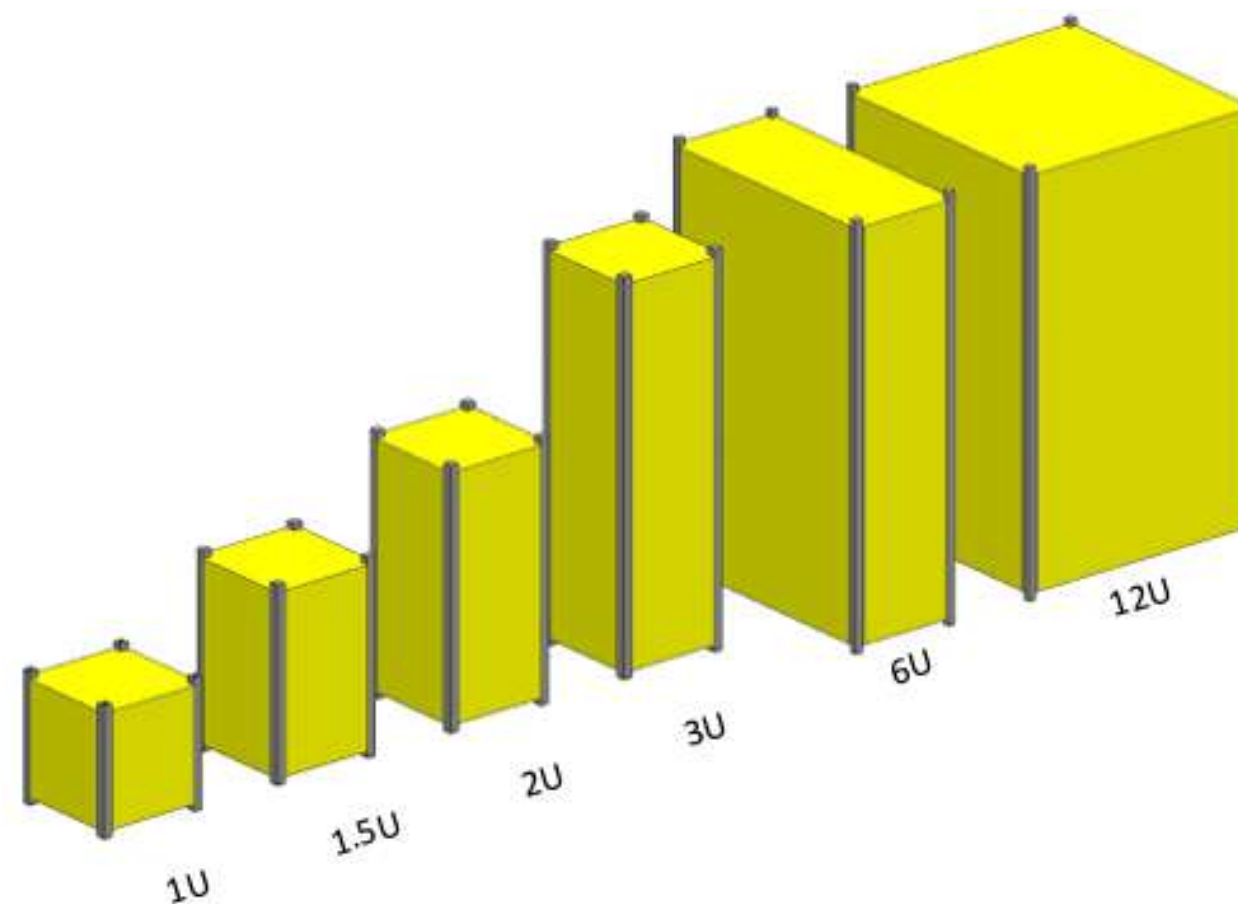


Figura 1: A. Johnstone (2022). Arreglo de cubesats de 1U a 12U [Diseño]. CubeSats org.  
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U Configuration	Mass [kg]
1U	2.00
1.5U	3.00
2U	4.00
3U	6.00
6U	12.00
12U	24.00

Figura 2: A. Johnstone (2022). Tabla de masas [Diseño]. CubeSats org.  
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Nanosats launched: **2604**

CubeSats launched: **2396**

PocketQubes launched: **83**

Interplanetary CubeSats: **16**

Most nanosats on a rocket: **120**

Countries with nanosats: **86**

Companies in database: **751**

Forecast: over **2080** nanosats to launch **2022-2027**

Erik Kulu, (2024). Nanosats Database Erik Kulu. <https://www.nanosats.eu/>



Figura 3: Ispispace (2016). Tabla de masas [Fotografía]. CubeSat Deployers. <https://www.isispace.nl/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/IS-IS-CubeSat-Deployers-Brochure-v1.pdf>

	Type	Max Volume	Access Ports	Additional Mass	Extended Body Length	Extended Protrusions	Power/ Data Port	Purge	RF Insulation	Vibration Attenuation	X-Y Constraint	Z Constraint	-Z Additional Volume (Tuna Can)
PSL Astro-Fein	Rail	3U	X								X	X	
PLS-P Astro-Fein	Rail	12U	X									X	X
P-POD Cal Poly	Rail	3U	X					X	X	X		X	X
COSPOD COSATS	Rail	12U	X	X	X	X				X	X	X	X
EXOpod Exolaunch	Rail	12U	X	X		X					X	X	X
ISIPOD ISIS	Rail	3U			X	X					X	X	X
6-POD ISIS	Rail	6U			X	X					X	X	X
QuadPack ISIS	Rail	12U	X	X	X						X	X	X
E-SSOD JAXA	Rail	3U	X									X	
J-SSOD JAXA	Rail	3U, 6U	X	6U	X								
CSD Planetary Systems	Tab	3U, 6U, 12U	X		X		X				X	X	
RailPOD Tyvak	Rail	3U	X									X	X
NLAS Tyvak	Rail	6U	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
12U Dispenser Tyvak	Rail	12U	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
RAMI UARX	Rail	12U	X	X	X	X	X					X	X

Figura 4: A. Johnstone (2022). Tabla de comparación de dispenser [Datos]. CubeSats.org. [https://www.cubesat.org/s/CDS-REV14\\_1-2022-02-09.pdf](https://www.cubesat.org/s/CDS-REV14_1-2022-02-09.pdf)

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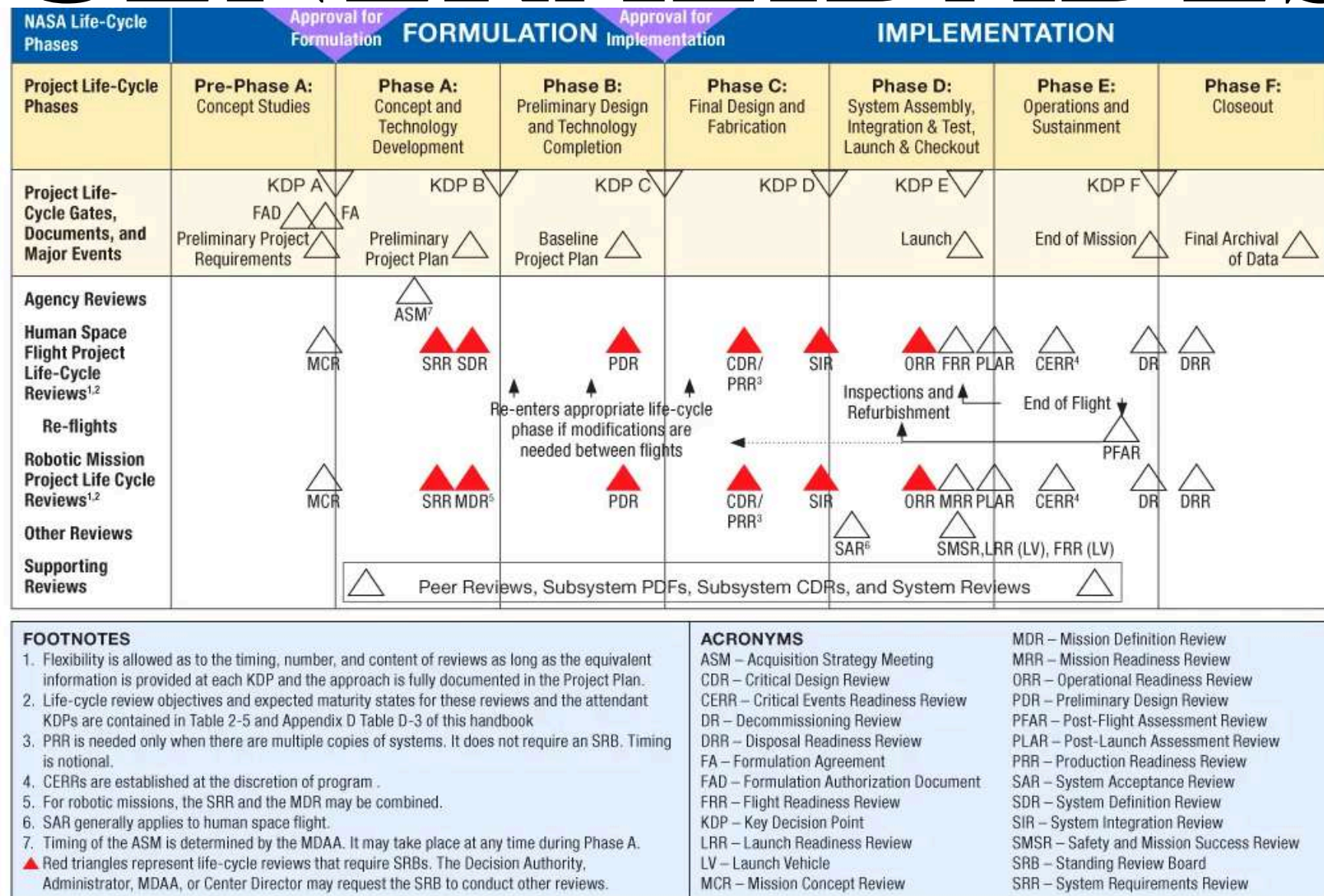


FIGURE 3.0-1 NASA Space Flight Project Life Cycle from NPR 7120.5E

Figura 5: Fases de proyecto segun NASA.

<https://www.nasa.gov/reference/3-0-nasa-program-project-life-cycle/>

Figura 7:

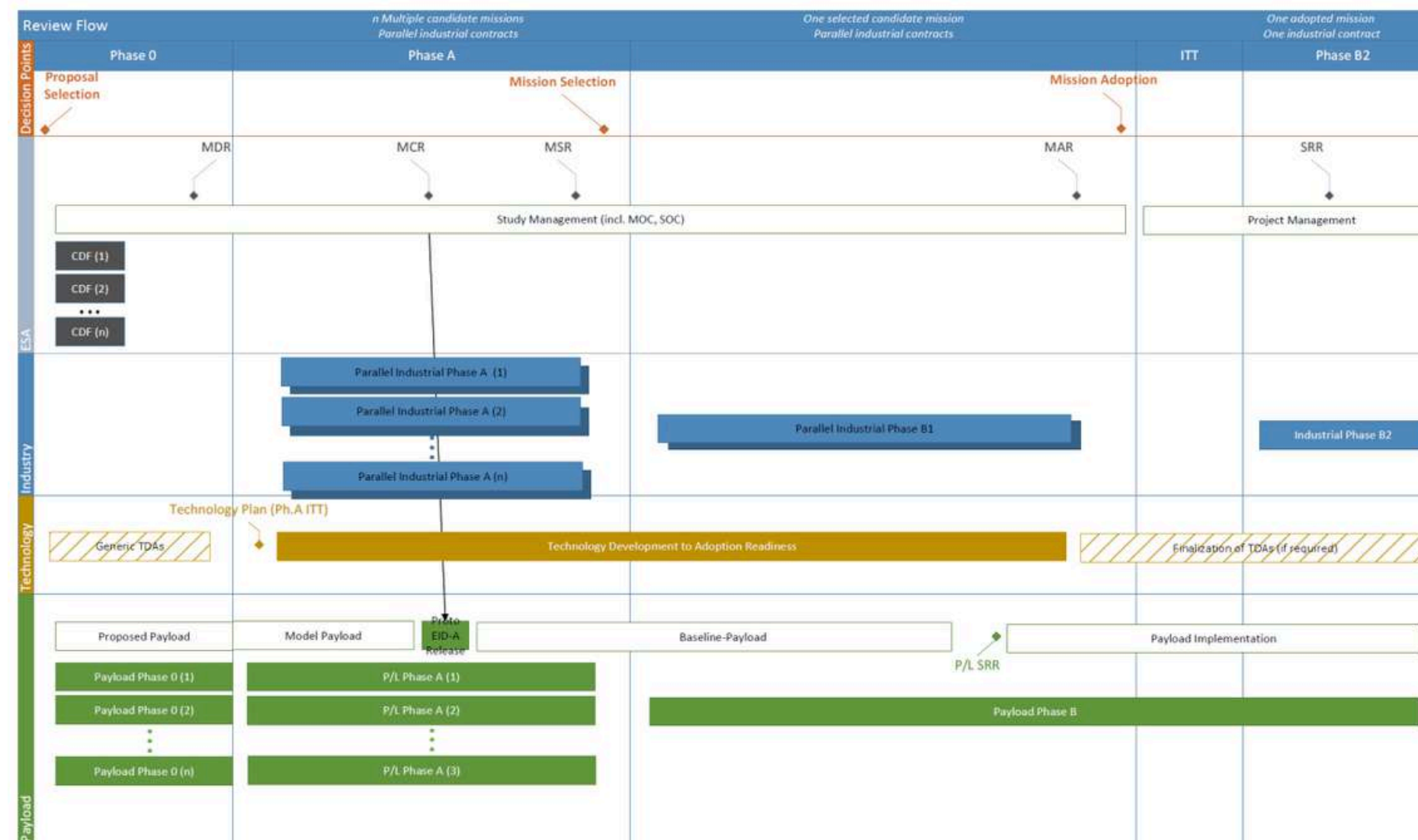
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Mission lifetime cycle

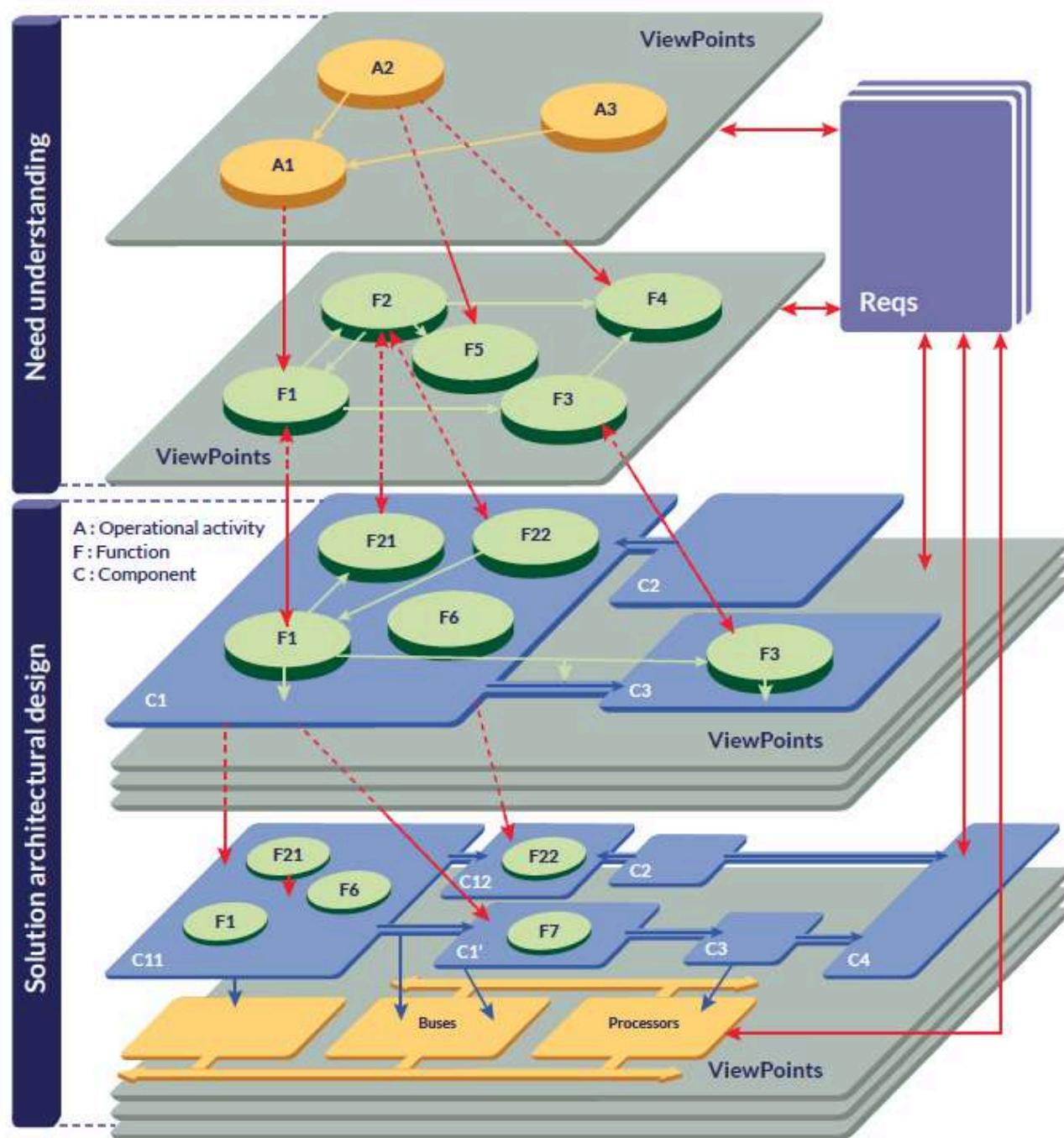
Phase 0	Mission analysis and identification
Phase A	Feasibility
Phase B	Preliminary Definition
Phase C	Detailed Definition
Phase D	Qualification and Production
Phase E	Utilisation
Phase F	Disposal

Figura 6:

[https://www.esa.int/Science\\_Exploration/Space\\_Science/How\\_a\\_mission\\_is\\_chosen](https://www.esa.int/Science_Exploration/Space_Science/How_a_mission_is_chosen)



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**Operational Analysis**  
What the users of the system need to accomplish

**Functional & Non Functional Need**  
What the system has to accomplish for the users

**Logical Architecture**  
How the system will work to fulfill expectations

**Physical Architecture**  
How the system will be developed and built

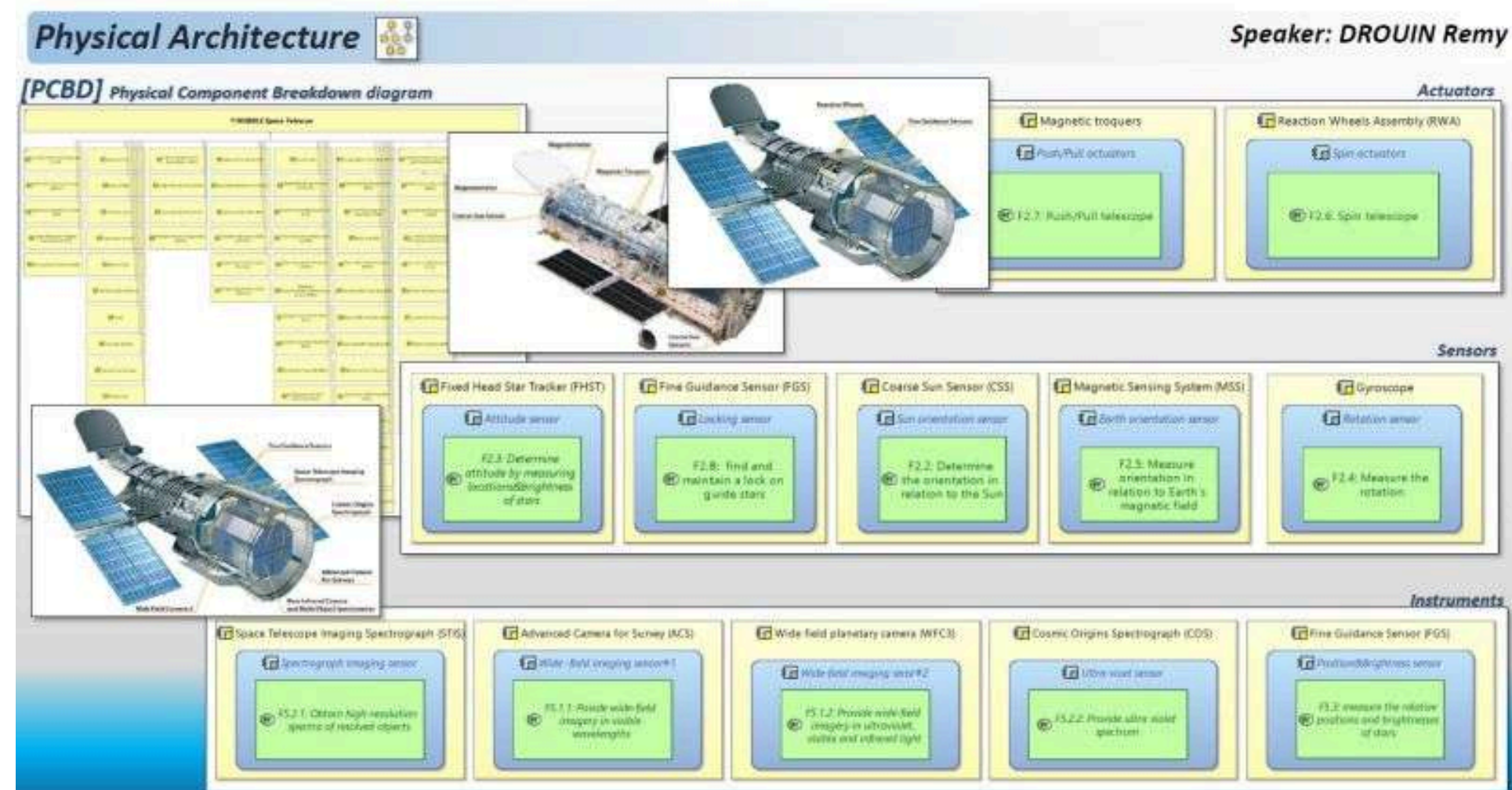


Figura 9: A. Johnstone (2022). Tabla de comparación de dispenser [Datos]. CubeSats org. [https://www.linkedin.com/posts/capella-mbse-tool\\_systemsengineering-digitaltwins-syseng-activity-6874007549159448576-MaX4?trk=public\\_profile\\_like\\_view](https://www.linkedin.com/posts/capella-mbse-tool_systemsengineering-digitaltwins-syseng-activity-6874007549159448576-MaX4?trk=public_profile_like_view)

Figura 8: A. Johnstone (2022). Tabla de comparación de dispenser [Datos]. CubeSats org. <https://mbse-capella.org/arcadia.html>

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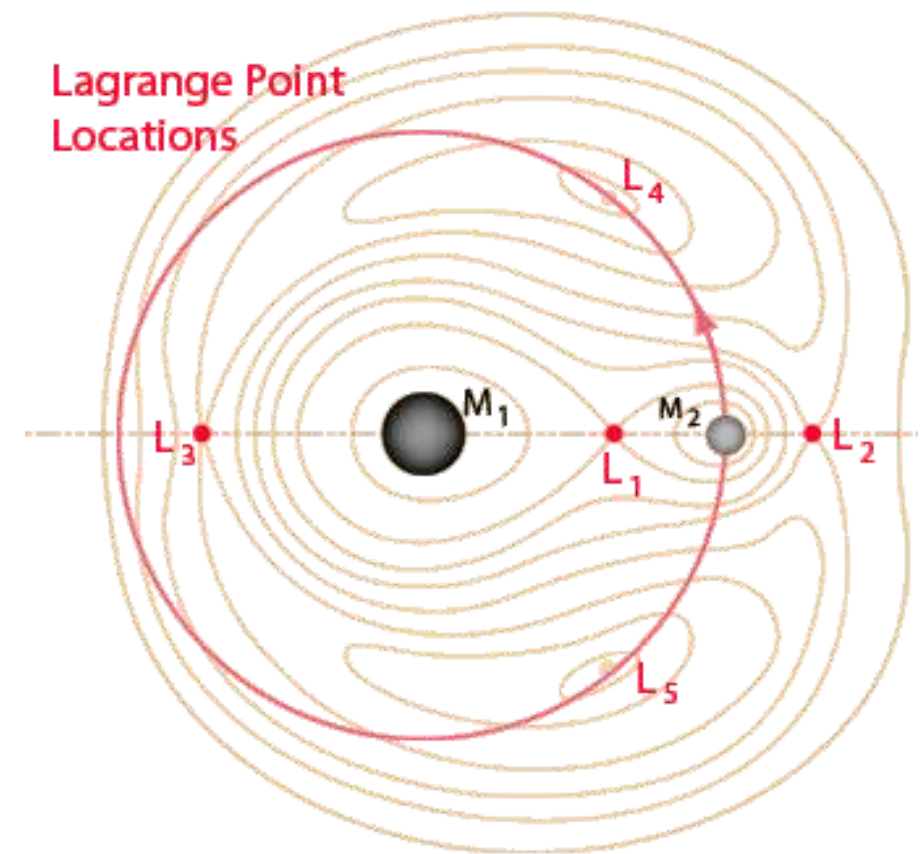


El nanosatélite deberá estudiar el lado oscuro de la Luna



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## PAYLOAD



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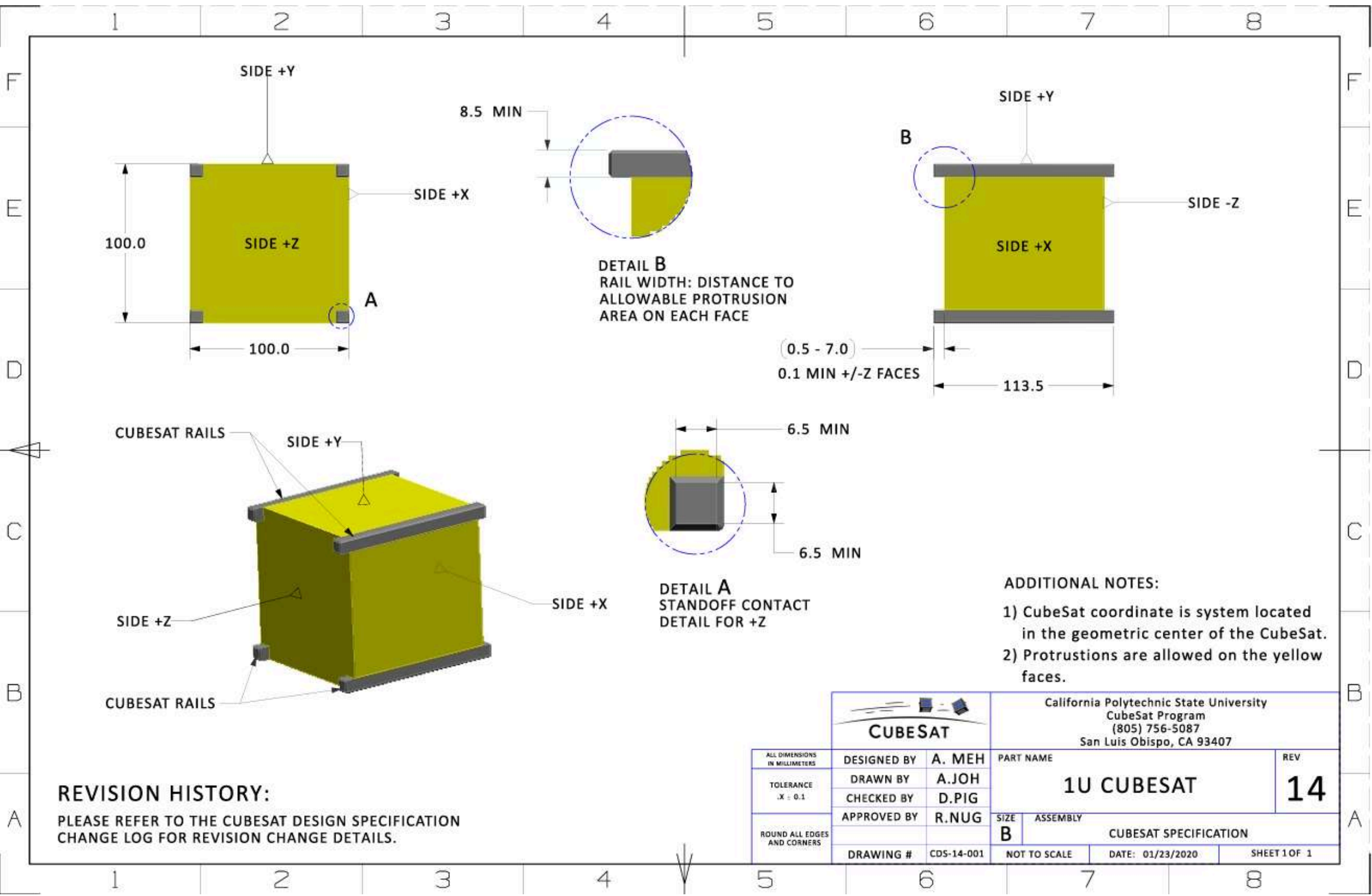
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## SATELITE

# DISEÑO 1 de 3



	X Axis	Y Axis	Z Axis
1U	+ 2 cm / -2 cm	+ 2 cm / -2 cm	+ 2 cm / -2 cm
1.5U	+ 2 cm / -2 cm	+ 2 cm / -2 cm	+ 3 cm / -3 cm
2U	+ 2 cm / -2 cm	+ 2 cm / -2 cm	+ 4.5 cm / -4.5 cm
3U	+ 2 cm / -2 cm	+ 2 cm / -2 cm	+ 7 cm / -7 cm
6U	+ 4.5 cm / -4.5 cm	+ 2 cm / -2 cm	+ 7 cm / -7 cm
12U	+ 4.5 cm / -4.5 cm	+ 4.5 cm / -4.5 cm	+ 7 cm / -7 cm

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Según la clasificación del Estado del Arte (<https://www.nasa.gov/smallsat-institute/sst-soa/structures-materials-and-mechanisms/>) de las pequeñas naves espaciales de NASA hay dos tipos de estructuras.

1. Construcción monocasco
2. Diseños de marcos modulares

Las estructuras también se dividen en primarias que tienen contacto directo con el dispensador, las secundarias que permiten proteger a los subsistemas y a unir a estos y a las terciarias como clips y las estructuras terciarias para dar soporte a los componentes como para los sensores solares como los conectores que permiten unir a los cables.

## Estructura primaria



<https://satsearch.co/products/2ndspace-verse-01-1u-structure>

## Estructura secundaria



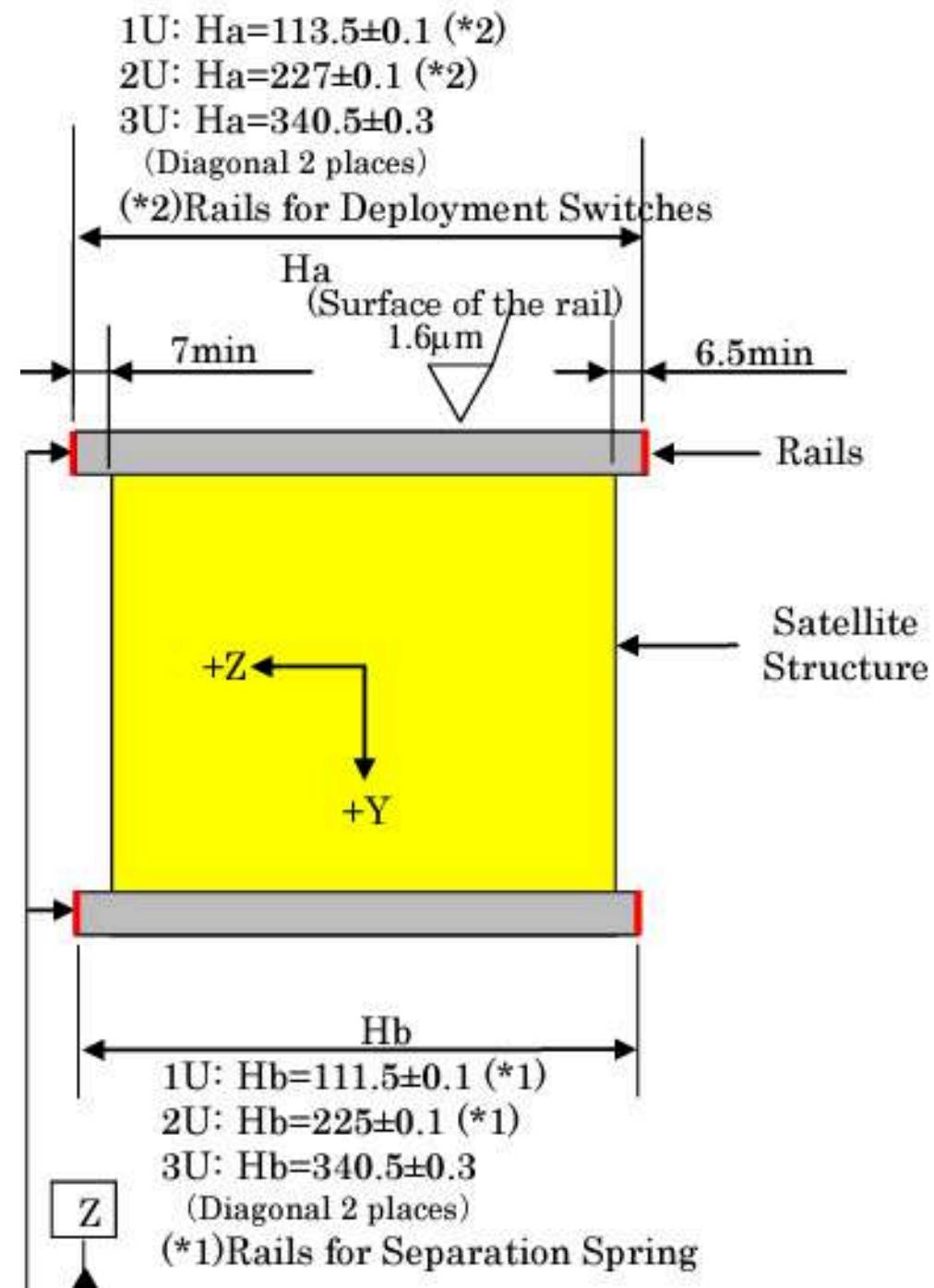
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## Estructura terciaria



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## Materiales

Aluminio:

7075, 6061, 6082, 5005 y 5052



Outgassing Database

<https://outgassing.nasa.gov>

Vacío

Radiación térmica

Oxígeno Atómico

Plasma

# SIMULACIONES

Según la guía para cargas útiles de SpaceX las pruebas necesarias que se deben de realizar a un nanosatelite son verificar que su primera frecuencia modal sea mayor de 40 Hz. Las pruebas de vibraciones aleatorias tambien es requerido.



- Modal Analysis of a Satellite** <
- Problem Specification – Lesson 1
  - Pre-Analysis & Start-Up – Lesson 2**
  - Geometry – Lesson 3
  - Mesh – Lesson 4
  - Physics Setup – Lesson 5
  - Numerical Solution – Lesson 6
  - Numerical Results – Lesson 7
  - Post Completion Survey
  - Meet the Instructor

Mode	Frequency(Hz)
1	158.18
2	160.84
3	166.12
4	166.68
5	383.71

Table 4-6: Random Vibration MPE

Frequency (Hz)	Random Vibration MPE (P95/50), All Axes
20	0.01
50	0.015
700	0.015
800	0.03
925	0.03
2000	0.00644
GRMS	5.57

Tablas de Rideshare de SpaceX: [https://storage.googleapis.com/rideshare-static/Rideshare\\_Payload\\_Users\\_Guide.pdf](https://storage.googleapis.com/rideshare-static/Rideshare_Payload_Users_Guide.pdf)

Table 6-6: Manual Notch Limits (Primary Mode ONLY)

Primary Mode Frequency $f_c$ (Hz)	Maximum Notch Bandwidth (Hz)	Maximum Notch Floor Width (Hz)
40 – 80	20	10
81 – 160	40	20
161 – 320	80	40
321 – 700	100	50
700 – 2000	Notching not allowed	

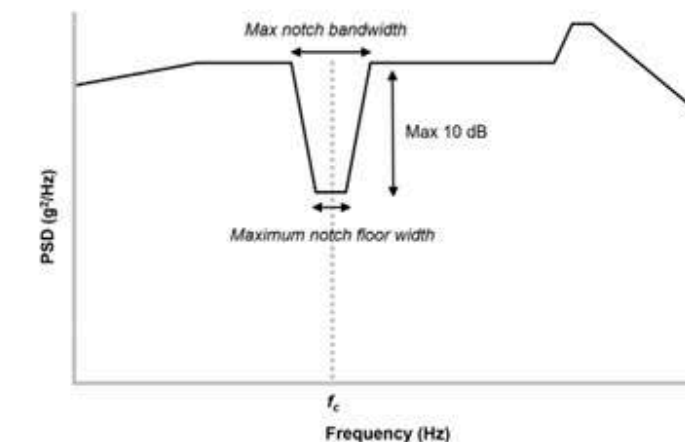
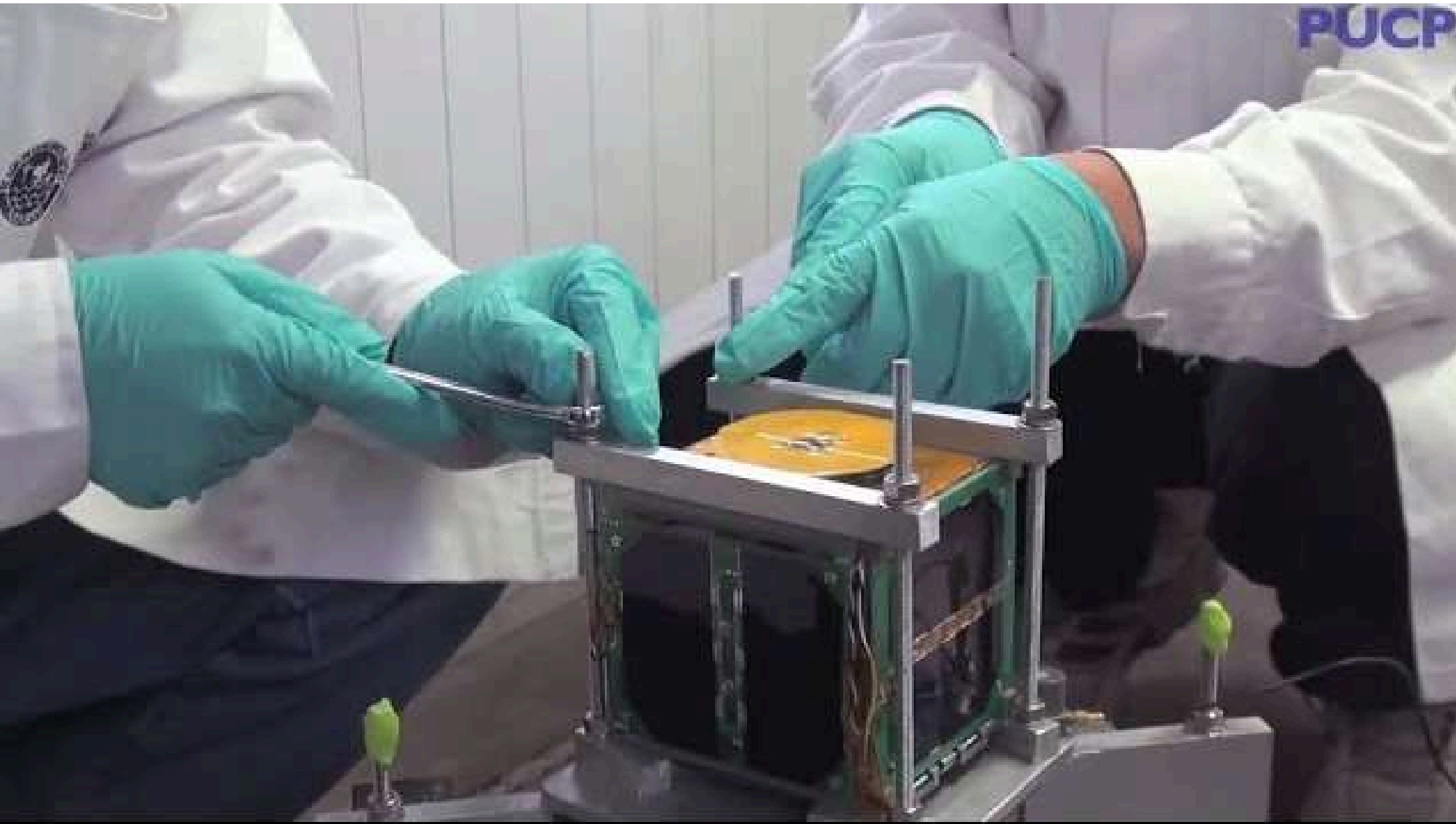


Figure 6-1: Manual Notch Limit Definitions (Primary Mode ONLY)

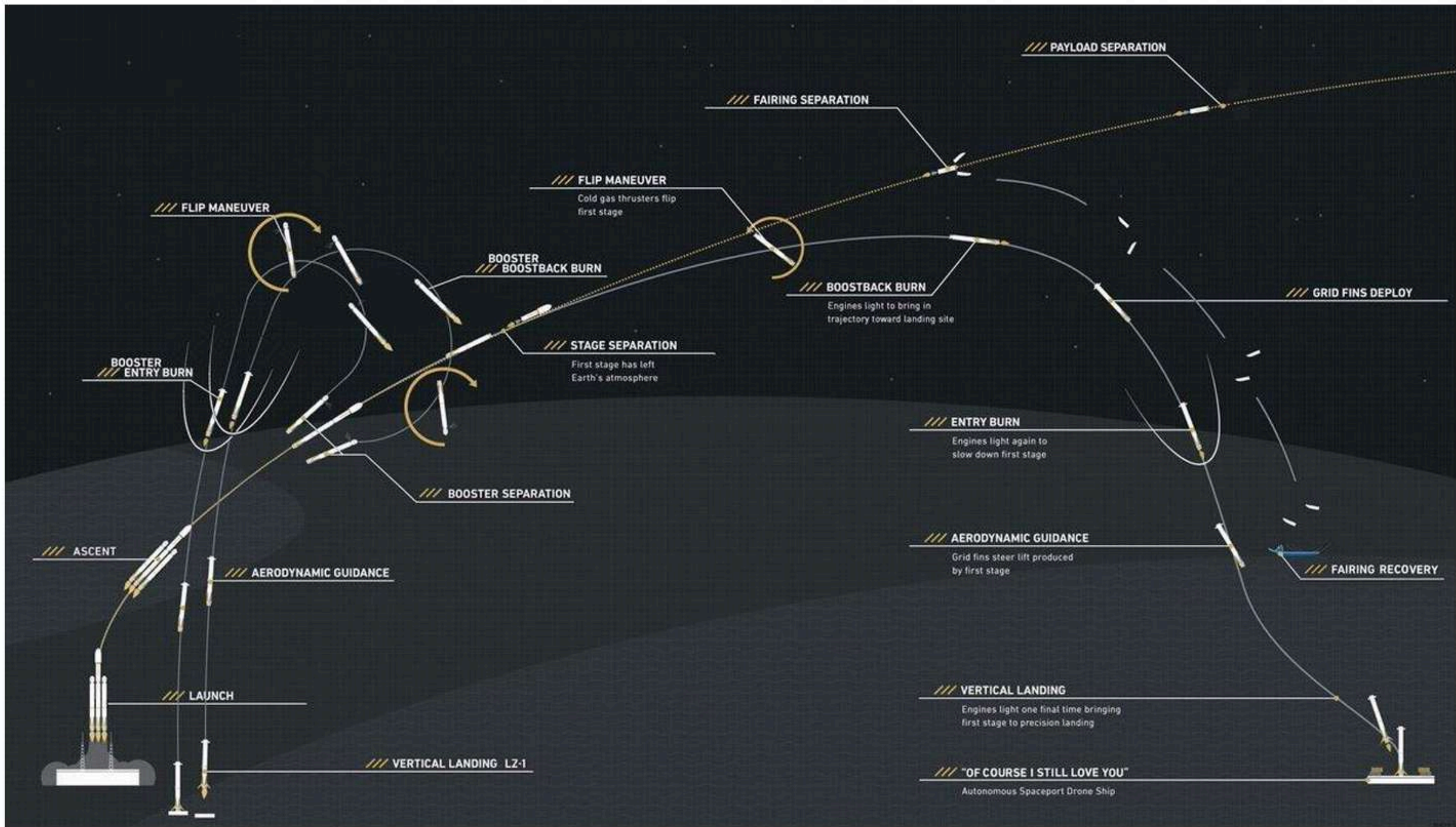
<https://innovationspace.ansys.com/courses/courses/modal-analysis-of-a-satellite/lessons/numerical-results-lesson-7-16/>

# INTEGRACIÓN



<https://inras.pucp.edu.pe/proyectos/pucp-sat-1-y-pocket-pucp>

# LANZAMIENTO

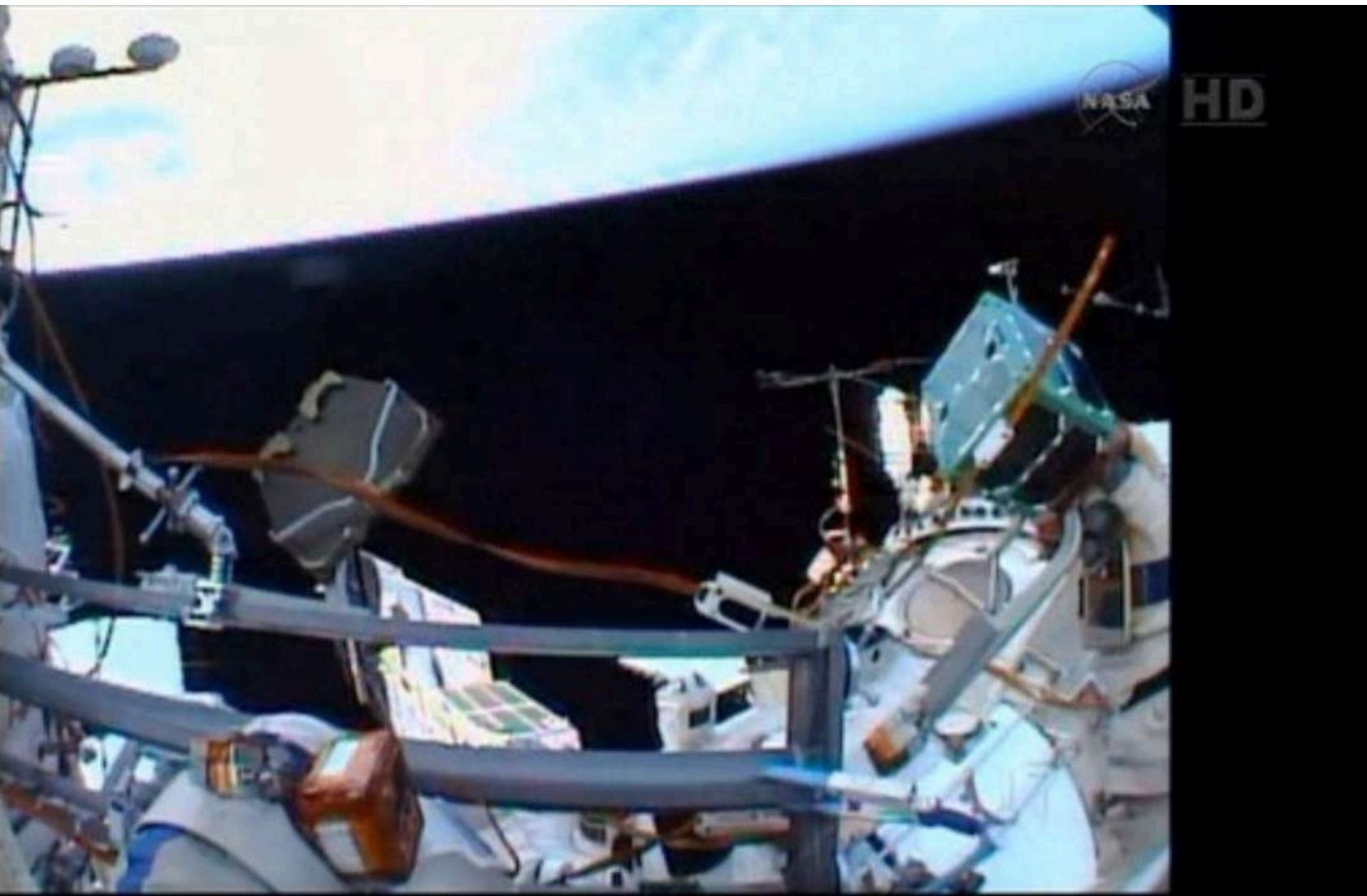




# EMPRESAS



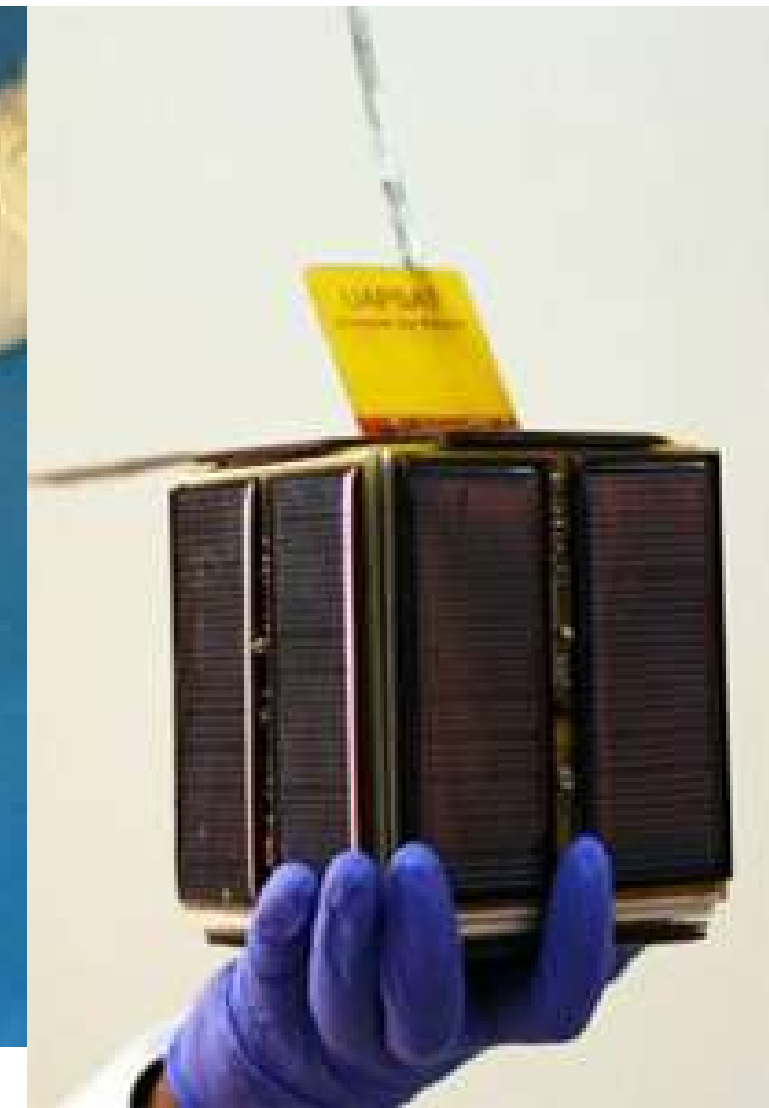
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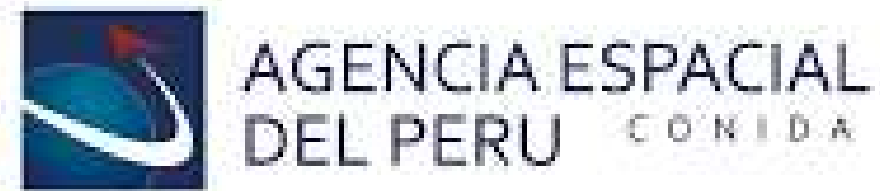


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# MISIONES FUTURAS



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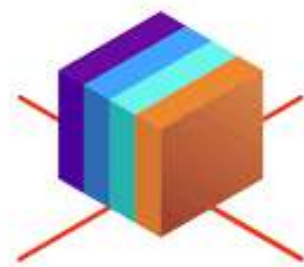
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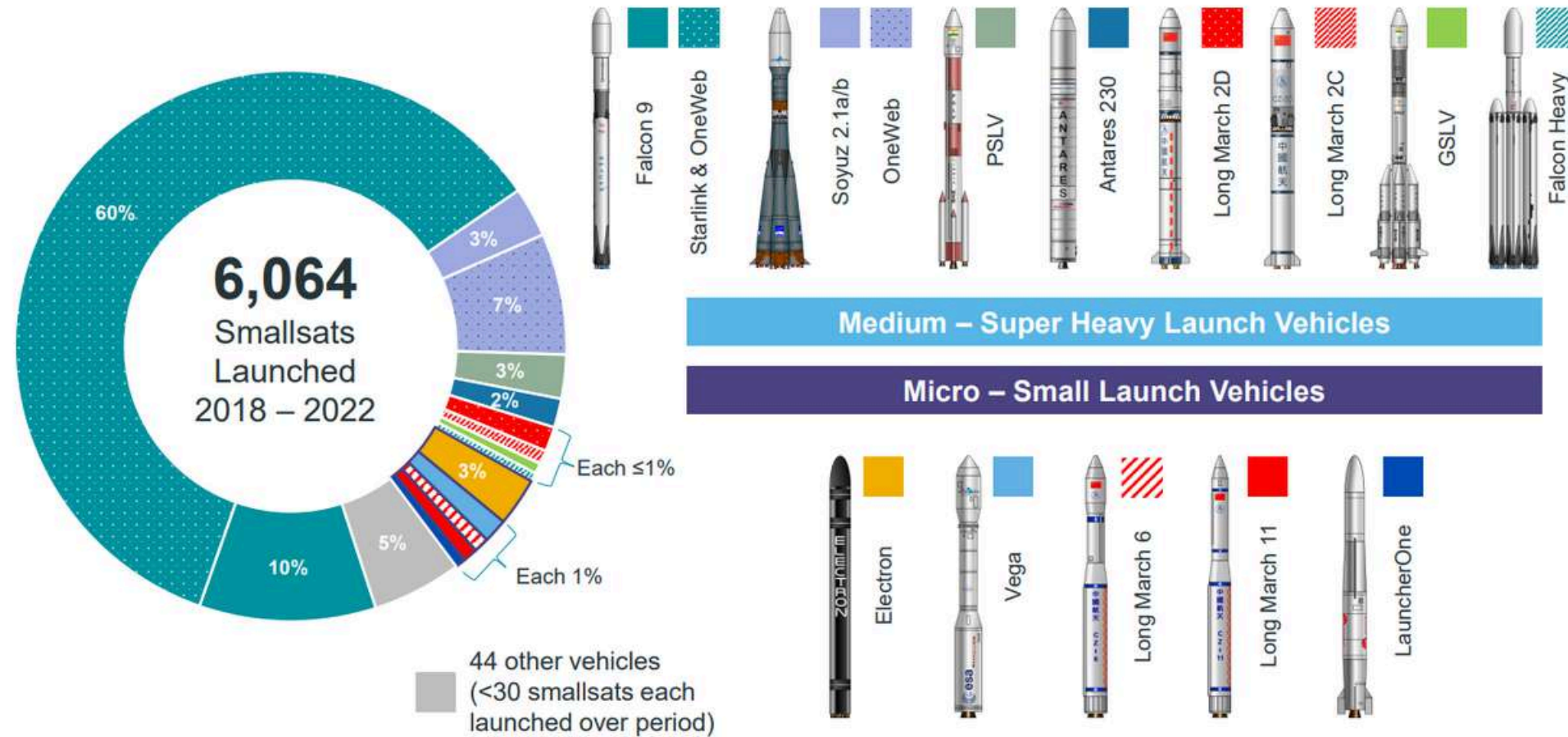
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## Smallsat Launch Trends

Smallsats 2018 – 2022, by Launch Vehicle



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