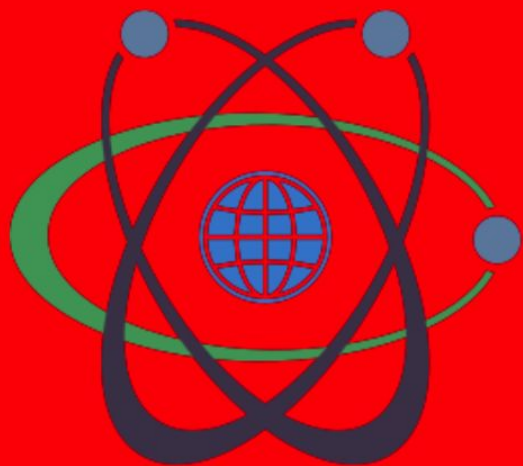




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OUR PROPOSALS FOR YOU



excellence and passion
in automatic control design

EICAS Automazione S.p.A.

WHO WE ARE



ARGO STAR TRACKERS

Accuracy
by intelligent real-time data fusion

Performance stability in Time
by on-board re-calibration algorithms

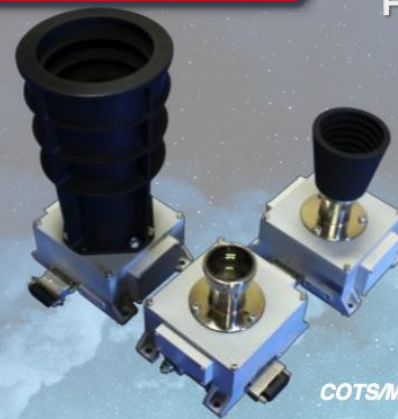
Robustness
by multicamera architecture & FDIR

Fine in-flight calibration
by smart stars observation,
the best metrological sample

Low SWAP
By a careful design suitable
for SmallSats needs

Low HW cost
by smart selection of
COTS/MIL-STD/Space-grade components

Our intelligence for the highest performance



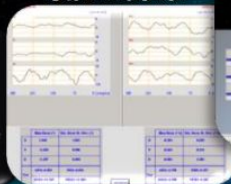
1987+1994
HIPPARCOS MISSION



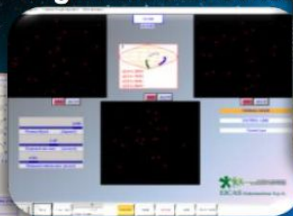
1997+2001
MONO-HEAD ITALIAN STAR TRACKER



1998+2001
ESA AST CONTRACT Autonomous Star Tracker



2003+2006
ESA MHS2 CONTRACT Miniaturized Multiple Head High Rate Star Sensor



2012+2015
REGIONE PIEMONTE CADET



Our ambition:
Global Leadership in the industry of ADCS for SmallSats

2020 +in progress
ESA – ARTES

ARGO 2.0 FOR CONSTELLATIONS



2016 +2020
H2020 SME INSTRUMENT Phase 2

ARGO



Long heritage in
Spacecraft Autonomous
Attitude Determination
since 1984..

ARGO PRODUCT PORTFOLIO

ARGO 2.0

- Ultra low SWAP
- Larger use of COTS
- SW on OBC
- Current TRL: 6
- Expected Flight Heritage

2022



STRIVING Maiden Mission



ARGO 1.0

- Scalable solution
- Plug & Play
- High reliability
- Flight Heritage



In orbit
since 24 Jan 2021
STARGOLD MISSION



ARGO ADCS

- Heritage of ARGO 1.0 and ARGO 2.0
- EICAS's expertise in automatic control design
- Integration of miniaturized control unit (first prototypes under development)
- Partnership with National Institute of Metrology



CUBESATS – LEO
 < 15 kg cubesats



MICROSAT – LEO
 15–75 kg



MINISAT – LEO
 75–500 kg



MASS & COMPLEXITY



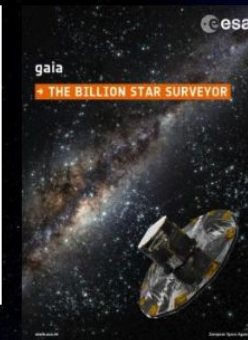
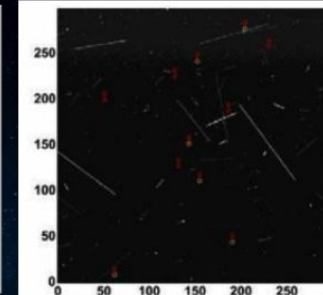
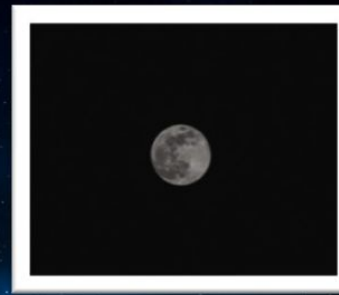
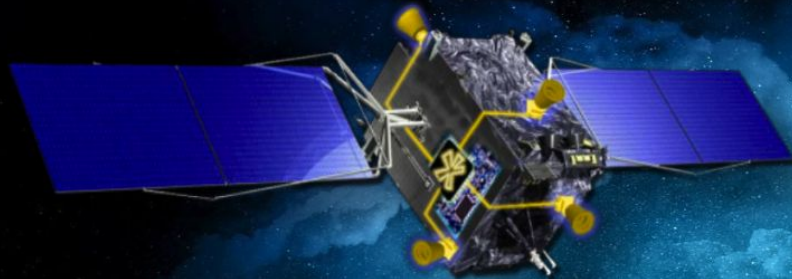
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TOPICS



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- ✓ SPACE ENVIRONMENT AND EFFECTS:
 - TRANSIENT PROTONS FLUX
 - STRAY LIGHT
 - MOON IN FOV

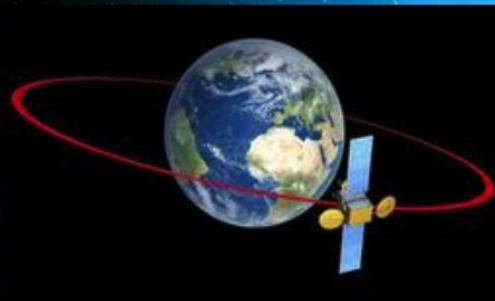
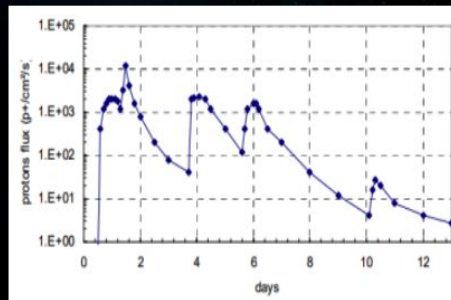
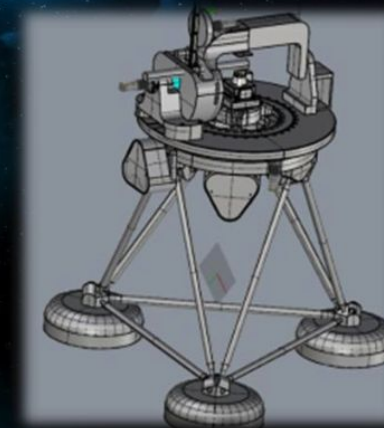


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- ✓ RESIDENT OBJECT DETECTION

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- DESIGN OF METROLOGICAL BENCHES FOR CALIBRATION AND FUNCTIONAL TESTS

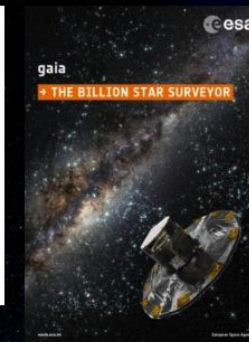
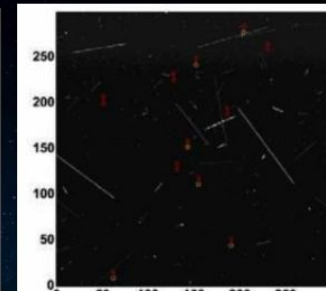
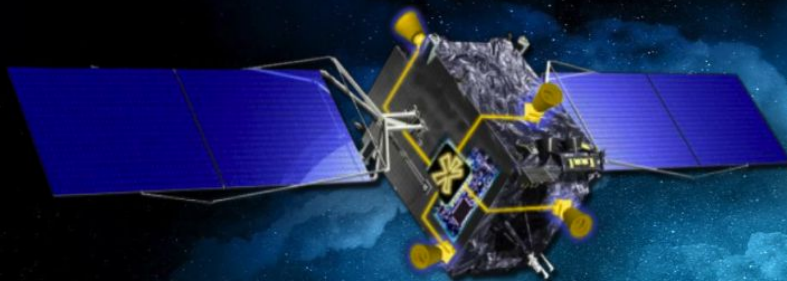


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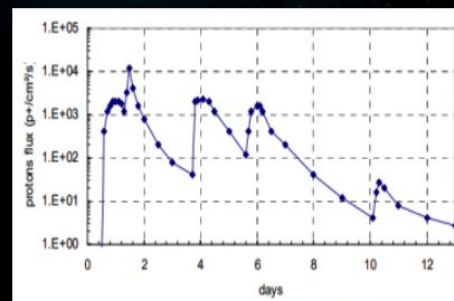
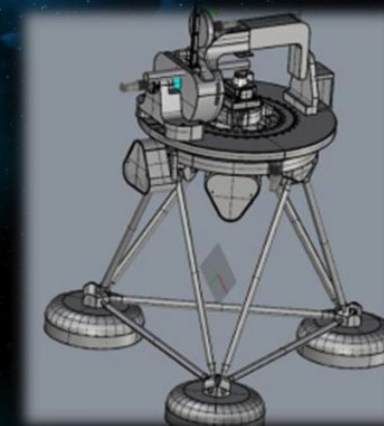


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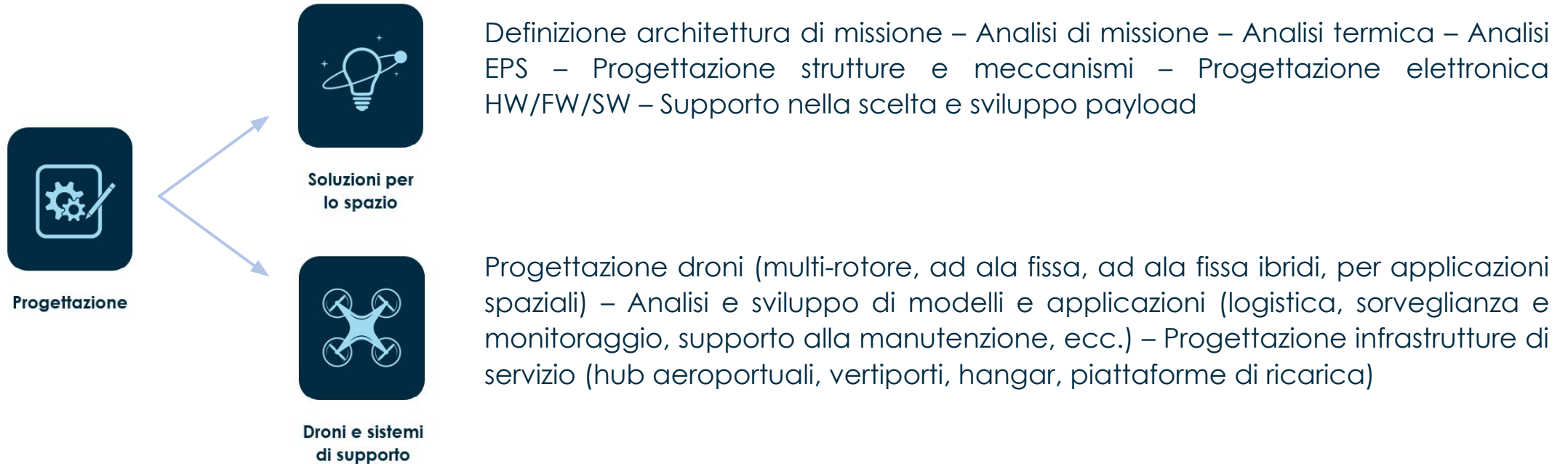


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iMEX.A E POSSIBILITÀ DI STAGE

iMEX.A è una società di ingegneria operativa in particolare negli ambiti spaziale e aeronautico.



Possibili argomenti di **stage**: 1) missione con drone per esplorazione lunare; 2) sistema propulsivo con vela a radioisotopi

CORSO DI MISSION DESIGN

- Introduzione al mission design e al project management
- Cenni sull'ambiente spaziale
- Cenni su fattore umano e medicina spaziale
- Controllo termico
- ECLSS
- Orbite e traiettorie
- Strutture e meccanismi
- Controllo orbitale e d'assetto
- Cenni sulla relatività speciale in astronautica
- Propulsione e cenni alla propulsione avanzata
- Potenza elettrica
- Segmento di terra
- Comunicazioni e computer di bordo
- Cenni a payload ed esperimenti

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