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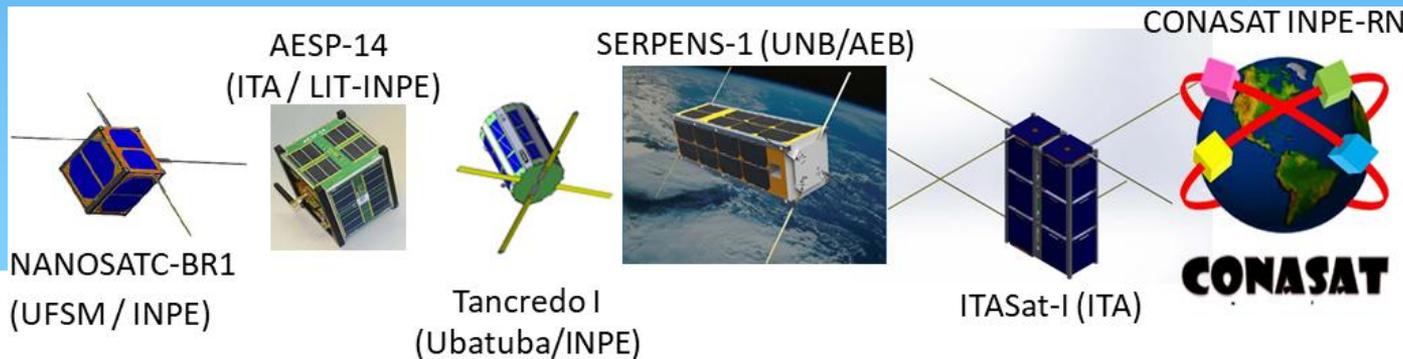
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## O Desenvolvimento de CubeSats no Brasil

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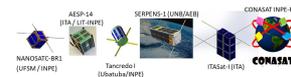
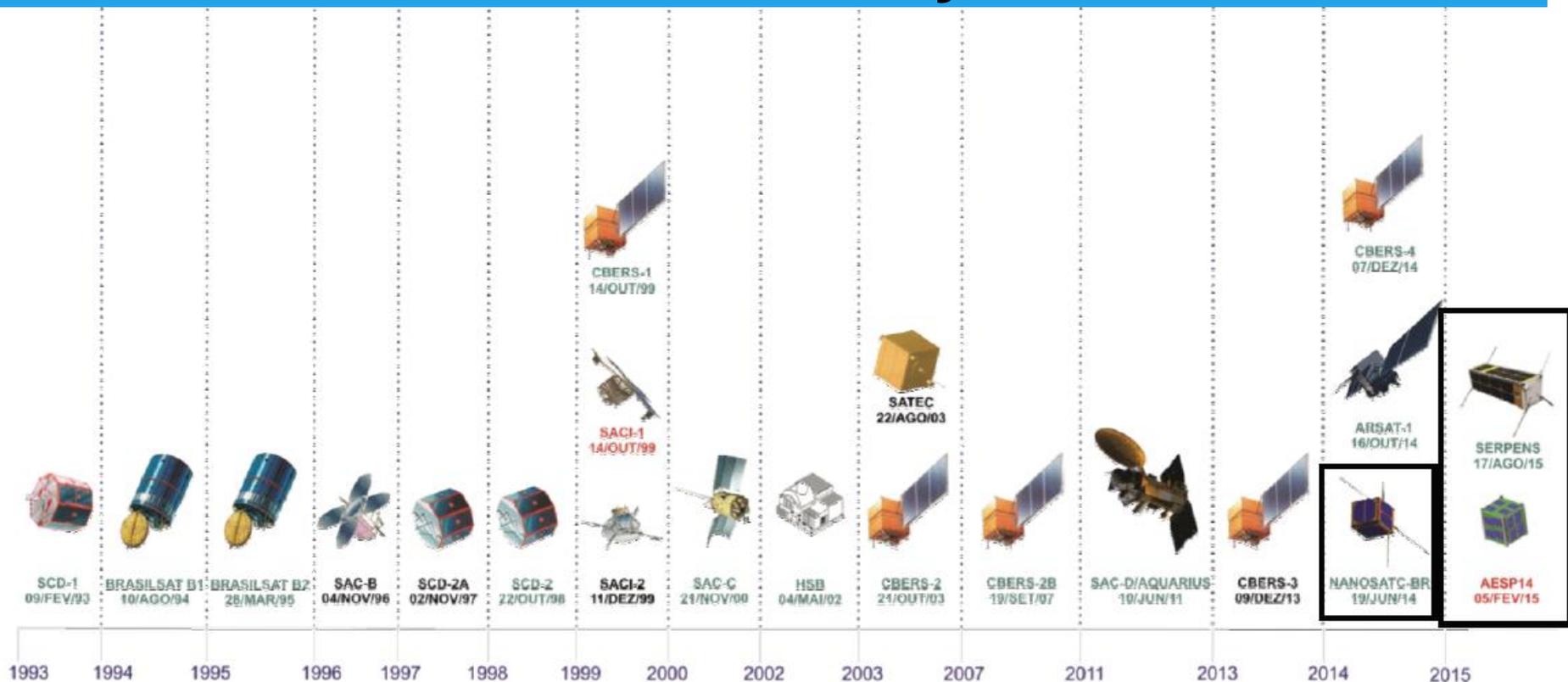




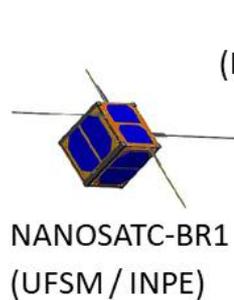
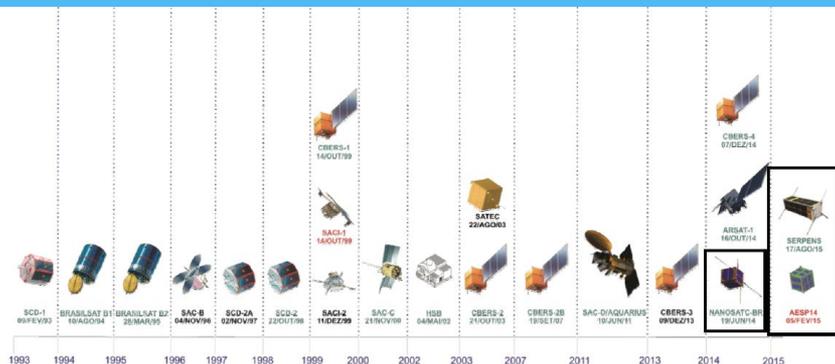
# Agenda

- **INPE, seus satélites e Introdução a cubesats e seus padrões**
- **SmallSats no Brasil**
- **Algumas Projetos: AESP14, Tancredo I, NanoSatBR, CubeDesign, UNOOSA-BSTI**
- **Futuras Missões: CONASAT, FloripaSat, CCST-Sats, SPORT, Visiona VCUB1, SENAC, etc**
- **Picosatélites - Projeto UbatubaSat e Sonda de Langmuir**
  - **Integração, Lançamento, Estações Terrenas**
- **CubeDesign – Competição**
- **Encerramento / Perguntas**

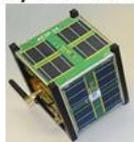
# INPE, seus satélites e introdução a cubesats



# INPE, seus satélites e introdução a cubesats

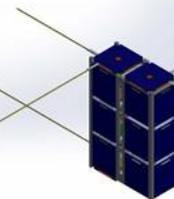
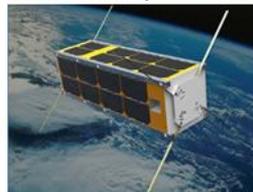


AESP-14 (ITA / LIT-INPE)



Tancredo I (Ubatuba/INPE)

SERPENS-1 (UNB/AEB)



ITASat-I (ITA)

CONASAT INPE-RN



**CONASAT**

## Classificação de satélite por massa

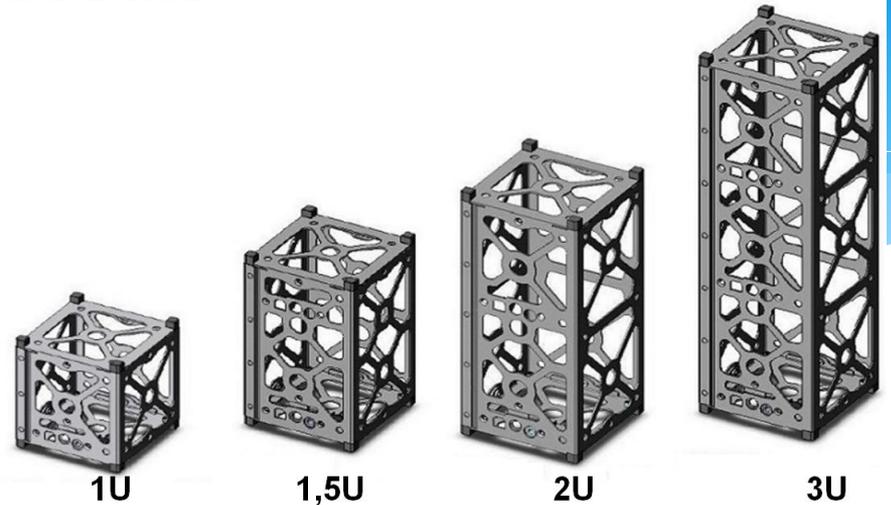
<b>Classe</b>	<b>Massa (kg)</b>
Satélite grande convencional	> 1000
Satélite pequeno convencional	500 a 1000
Minissatélite	100 a 500
Microssatélite	10 a 100
<b>Nanossatélite</b>	<b>1 a 10</b>
<b>Picossatélite</b>	<b>0,1 a 1</b>

Fonte: Fortescue (2003)

# Padrões de CubeSats

## Cubesat

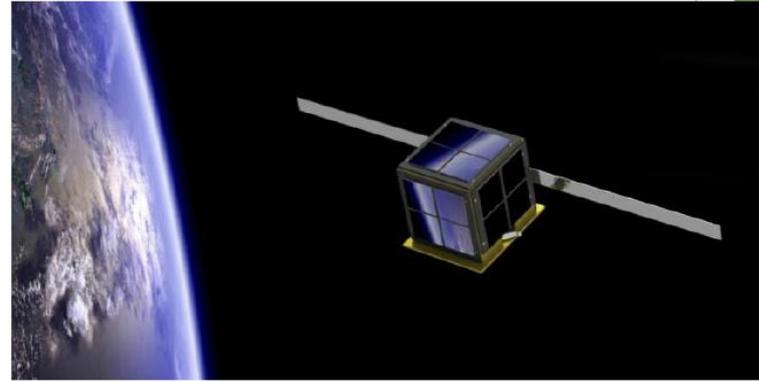
O cubesat — abreviação das palavras em inglês “cube” (cubo) e “sat” (satélite) — caracteriza-se por sua estrutura simplificada e custo reduzido: enquanto para o seu lançamento são gastos aproximadamente 100 mil dólares, para o de um satélite convencional os custos chegam a 250 milhões. Os satélites de pequeno porte, conhecidos como nanossatélites, também se distinguem pelo alto valor agregado.



O padrão cubesat foi desenvolvido em 1999, no contexto da tendência dos nanossatélites, com o intuito de fomentar a pesquisa universitária na área de Engenharia Aeroespacial. Seus idealizadores, Jordi Puig-Suari e Bob Twiggs, professores das universidades norte-americanas California Polytechnic State University e Stanford University, tinham o propósito de proporcionar aos estudantes de graduação e pós-graduação a possibilidade de projetar, construir, testar e operar um satélite semelhante ao Sputnik.

# Cubesats in a Nutshell ...

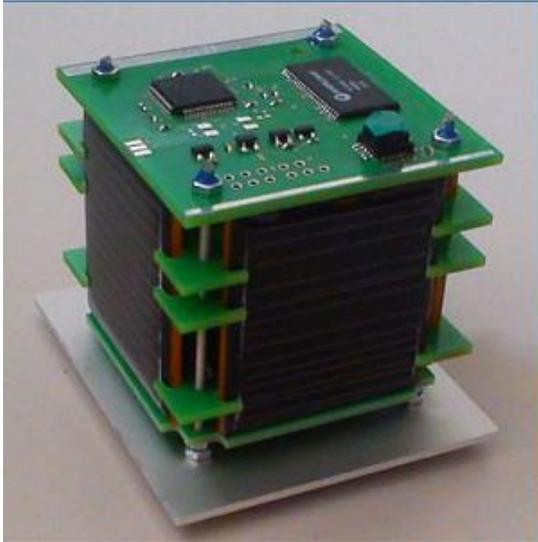
- ▶ A type of miniaturized satellite (U-class spacecraft) that is made up of **multiples of 10×10×10 cm cubic units**;
- ▶ Have a **mass of no more than 1.33 kg** per unit and often use **commercial off-the-shelf (COTS) components**;
- ▶ Can be put in orbit by **deployers on the ISS, or launched as secondary payloads on a launch vehicle**.
- ▶ In **1999, Cal Poly Univ. and Stanford Univ. developed the CubeSat specifications** to promote and develop the skills necessary for the design, manufacture, and testing of small satellites intended for low Earth orbit (LEO).
- ▶ **Academia accounted for the majority of CubeSat launches until 2013**. By 2014 most newly deployed CubeSats were for commercial or amateur projects that **perform a number of scientific research functions and explore new space technologies**.



## Outros padrões de satélites miniaturizados

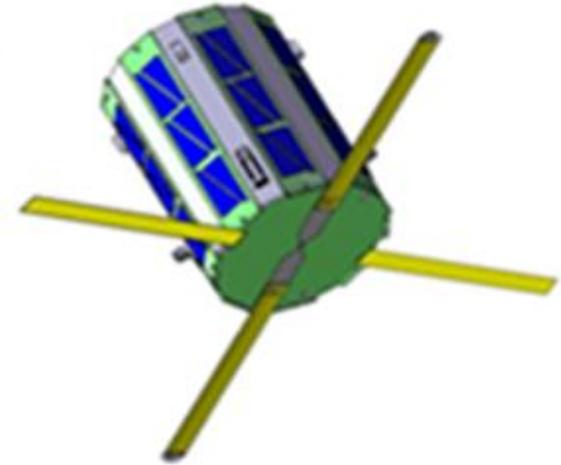
### PocketQube

Padrão: 1P (5 cm x 5 cm x 5 cm)



WREN (Alemanha)

### TubeSat (~10 x 13 cm)



Tancredo-I

# SmallSats no Brasil

## Inside the satellites

Structure, function and other features of Brazilian space devices



NANOSATC-BR1

**Development** INPE and UFSM  
**Type** Cubesat  
**Dimensions** 10 × 10 × 11.33 cm  
**Purpose** Scientific-technological satellite  
**Onboard equipment** Computing, power, radio, control and payload subsystems  
**Launcher** Russian DNEPR rocket  
**Orbit altitude** 600 km  
**Positioning** Low polar orbit (complete revolution around the Earth every 90 minutes)  
**Time in space** One year  
**Cost** R\$800,000



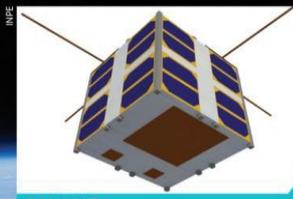
SERPENS

**Development** Consortium of universities, with support from AEB  
**Type** Nanosatellite - 3U Cubesat  
**Dimensions** 10 × 10 × 30 cm  
**Purpose** Proof of concept for the Brazilian data collection system  
**Onboard equipment** Digital transponder for data collection, onboard computer, power and communication system (duplicated)  
**Launcher** International Space Station (ISS)  
**Orbit altitude** 400 km  
**Positioning** Low polar orbit  
**Time in space** Less than 2 years  
**Cost** R\$800,000



AESP-14

**Development** ITA and Inpe  
**Type** Cubesat  
**Dimensions** 10 × 10 × 11.33 cm  
**Purpose** Educational tool that will carry a message destined for Brazilian scientists as an experiment  
**Onboard equipment** UHF-band modem to send messages  
**Launcher** ISS  
**Orbit altitude** 350–400 km  
**Positioning** Low polar orbit  
**Time in space** 90 days  
**Cost** R\$150,000



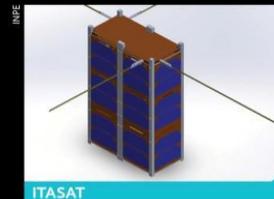
CONASAT



TANCREDO-1

**Development** Tancredo Neves Municipal School and INPE  
**Type** Tubesat  
**Dimensions** 9.7 cm diameter and 12 cm height  
**Purpose** Educational  
**Onboard equipment** Onboard computer, radio transmitter/receiver, antenna, power control subsystem and recorder on a chip  
**Launcher** ISS  
**Orbit altitude** 350 km  
**Positioning** Equatorial orbit, the same as the station  
**Time in space** Four months  
**Cost** R\$30,000 (without launch)

**Development** Inpe  
**Type** Nanosatellite - 8U Cubesat  
**Dimensions** 20 × 20 × 20 cm  
**Purpose** Satellite for environmental data collection  
**Onboard equipment** Computing, attitude control, telemetry and remote command subsystems and antennas  
**Launcher** Not yet chosen  
**Orbit altitude** 650 km  
**Positioning** Low polar orbit  
**Time in space** One year  
**Cost** Forecast of R\$5 million



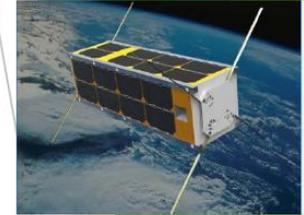
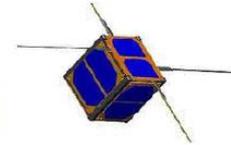
ITASAT

**Development** ITA and Inpe  
**Type** Nanosatellite - 6U Cubesat  
**Dimensions** 10 × 22.6 × 34 cm  
**Purpose** Measurement of radiation and image collection  
**Onboard equipment** Communication experiments, radiation and magnetic field sensors and camera  
**Launcher** In the selection phase  
**Orbit altitude** 600–700 km  
**Positioning** Low polar orbit  
**Time in space** One year of operation  
**Cost** R\$1.8 million (without launch)

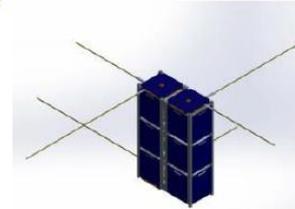


## BRAZILIAN'S CUBESATS' INITIATIVES

- ▶ NANOSATC-BR1 (UFSM / INPE)
  - ▶ 2014, 1U Architecture, 600km Altitude, <http://www.inpe.br/crs/nanosat/>
  - ▶ **Assess data from South America Magnetic Anomaly & Brazilian's Ionospheric Electrojet**
- ▶ SERPENS-1 (AEB)
  - ▶ 2015, 3U Architecture, International Colaboration
  - ▶ UnB, Univ. Vigo, Sapienza, Cal Poly, Morehead, UFSC, UFMG, UFABC, IFF
- ▶ CONASAT
  - ▶ First CubeSat constellation (in development)
- ▶ Tancredo I (UbatubaSat Project)
  - ▶ 2017, TubeSat (~10x13cm), <http://www.ubatubasat.com/>
- ▶ ITASat-I (ITA)
  - ▶ 6U Architecture (in development), <http://www.itasat.ita.br/>
- ▶ AESP-14 (ITA / LIT-INPE)
  - ▶ 2015, 1U Architecture, 400km Latitude, <http://www.aer.ita.br/~aesp14/>



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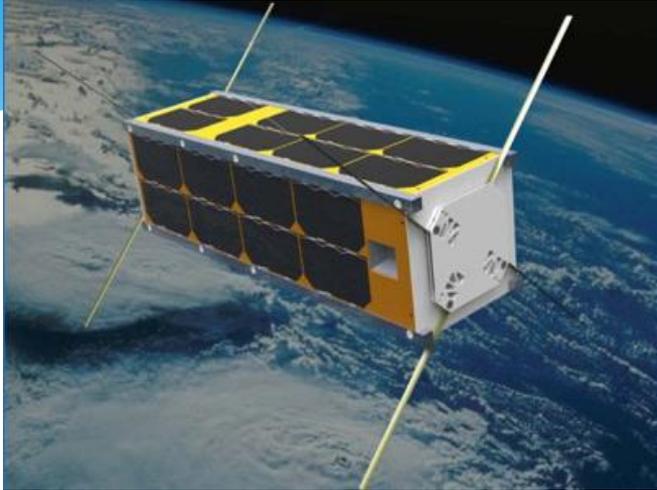




## BRAZILIAN'S CUBESATS' INITIATIVES

- ▶ NANOSATC-BR2 (2U)
  - ▶ **Langmuir Probe (CEA / INPE)**
  - ▶ **Magnetometer (UFSC/UFRGS)**
  - ▶ Altitude Control System (INPE / UFMG / UFABC)
- ▶ SPORT - Scintillation Prediction Observations Research Task
  - ▶ International cooperation: NASA / AEB / CEA-INPE / ITA
  - ▶ **To study ionosphere plasm bubbles, which severe compromise / block satellite signal transmissions from / to Earth**
  - ▶ Scientific payloads: Ion Velocity Meter, GPS Occultation Receiver, Electric Field Probe, Langmuir Probe, Fluxgate Magnetometer and Swept Impedance Probe
- ▶ ITASat-2 (ITA)
- ▶ SERPENS-2 (AEB)
- ▶ FloripaSat (UFSC)
- ▶ 14BISat (IFF)
- ▶ Tancredo-2 (UbatubaSAT Project)

# SATÉLITES UNIVERSITÁRIOS



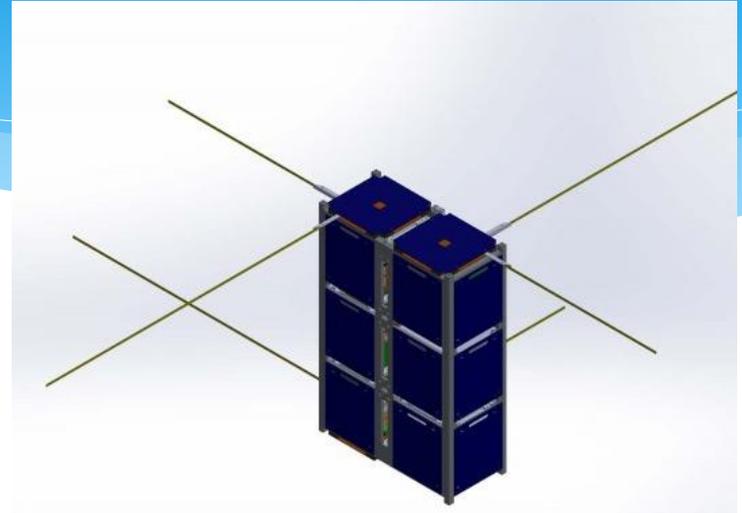
**SERPENS: 3U (2015)**

UnB / Universidade de Vigo

Outras Universidades: Sapienza (Roma)

CalPoly, Morehead, UFSC, UFMG,

UFABC, IFF



**ITASAT: 6U**

# SATÉLITES MINIATURIZADOS

SpaceX



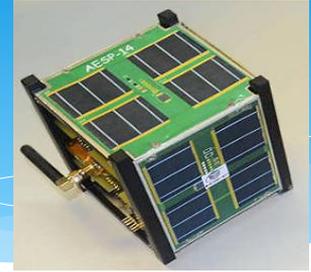
Dragon



Falcon-9



ISS



**AESP-14**  
(ITA/INPE)  
(2015)  
400 km



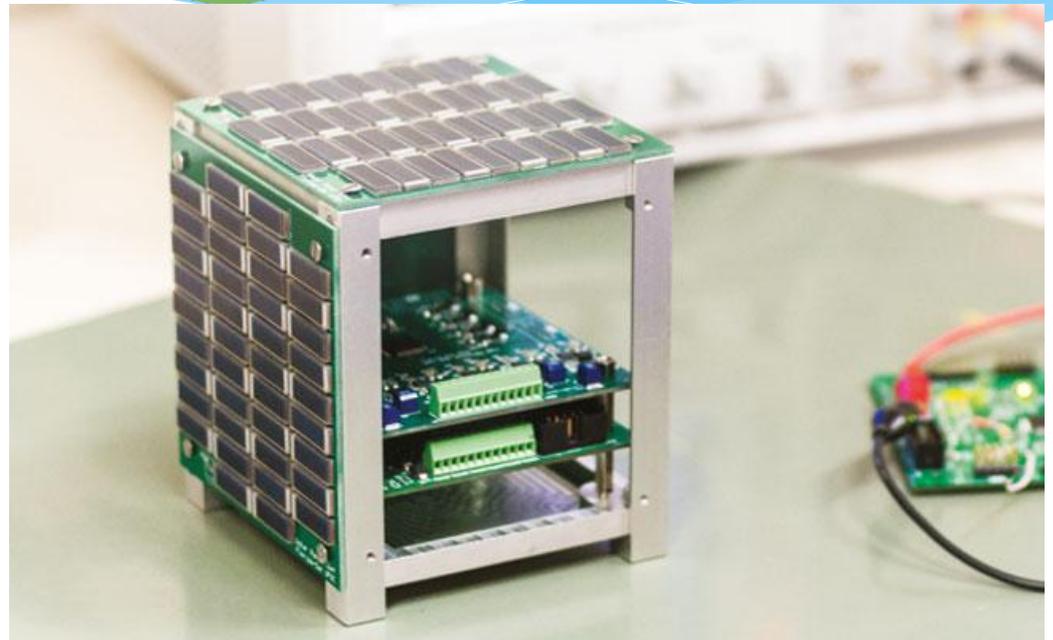
P-POD

# Floripa Sat



<https://github.com/floripasat>

- O Floripa Sat surgiu de forma independente, inspirado em outros projetos experimentais do Centro Tecnológico (CTC) — como o BAJA SAE, do curso de Engenharia Mecânica, que se destina a produzir protótipos de veículos automotivos off-road.
- “Existe aqui na UFSC o BAJA; o barco elétrico; o carro elétrico. São vários projetos. Pensamos então em propor o desenvolvimento de um satélite para que os alunos se interessassem e se motivassem também pela área aeroespacial”, explica o professor Eduardo Bezerra, do Departamento de Engenharia Elétrica e um dos coordenadores do projeto.
- O curso da UFSC foi criado em 2009 e é uma das únicas seis graduações em Engenharia Aeroespacial em todo o país.

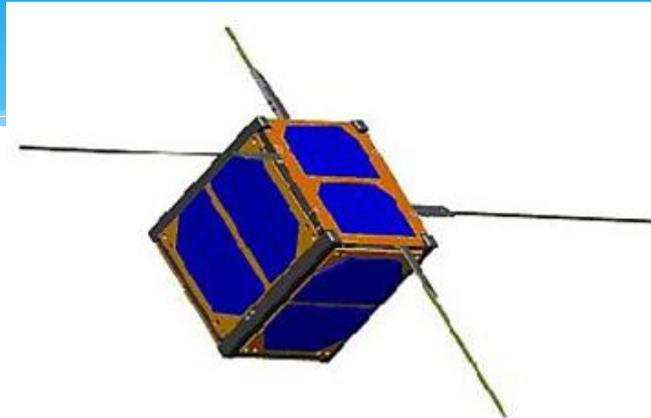


<http://ciencia.ufsc.br/2015/12/11/missao-espacial/>

# NanoSatC-BR1



**Dnepr**



**Padrão CubeSat 1U**

**NanoSatC-BR1**

(2014)

600 km

INPE - UFSM

**Missão Científica**

Coletar dados do campo magnético terrestre:

- AMAS (Anomalia Magnética da América do Sul)

- Setor brasileiro do Eletrojato Equatorial Ionosférico

# NanoSatC-BR2

Padrão CubeSat 2U: INPE-  
UFSM-UFRGS

## Missão científica:

- Sonda de Langmuir (CEA)
- Sistemas de determinação de atitude (INPE/UFMG/UFABC)
- Magnetômetro (UFSM/UFRGS)



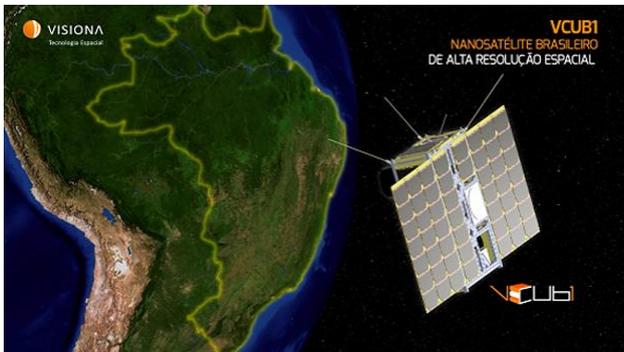
# Nanossatélite VCUB1 - Visiona

O nanossatélite VCUB1 baseia-se numa plataforma cubesat 6U de 10 kg com dimensões de 30 x 20 x 10 cm.

Segundo a Visiona, a missão permitirá o desenvolvimento e validação de tecnologias espaciais e incorpora uma arquitetura de sistemas modular e escalável, que poderá ser utilizada no futuro em satélites de maior porte.



[http://www.inpe.br/noticias/noticia.php?Cod\\_Noticia=4839](http://www.inpe.br/noticias/noticia.php?Cod_Noticia=4839)



Concepção artística do nanossatélite VCUB1



Constelação virtual de 30 sensores de observação da terra

<https://www.infodefensa.com/latam/2018/08/02/noticia-agencia-espacial-brasileira-projeto.html>

# Rumo à Agenda de Desenvolvimento Sustentável



**OBJETIVOS DE DESENVOLVIMENTO SUSTENTÁVEL**

17 OBJETIVOS PARA TRANSFORMAR NOSSO MUNDO

Essas decisões determinarão o curso global de ação para acabar com a **pobreza**, promover a **prosperidade** e o **bem-estar** para todos, proteger o **meio ambiente** e enfrentar as **mudanças climáticas**.

<https://nacoesunidas.org/pos2015/>



  
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**Schedule of Activities**

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2017  
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2015  
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**United Nations/Brazil  
Symposium on Basic  
Space Technology  
"Creating Novel  
Opportunities with  
Small Satellite Space  
Missions"  
Natal, Brazil, 11 - 14  
September 2018**

**Co-organized by the  
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Brazil**

# CCST - RaioSat & BiomeSat

Rumo à agenda de desenvolvimento sustentável



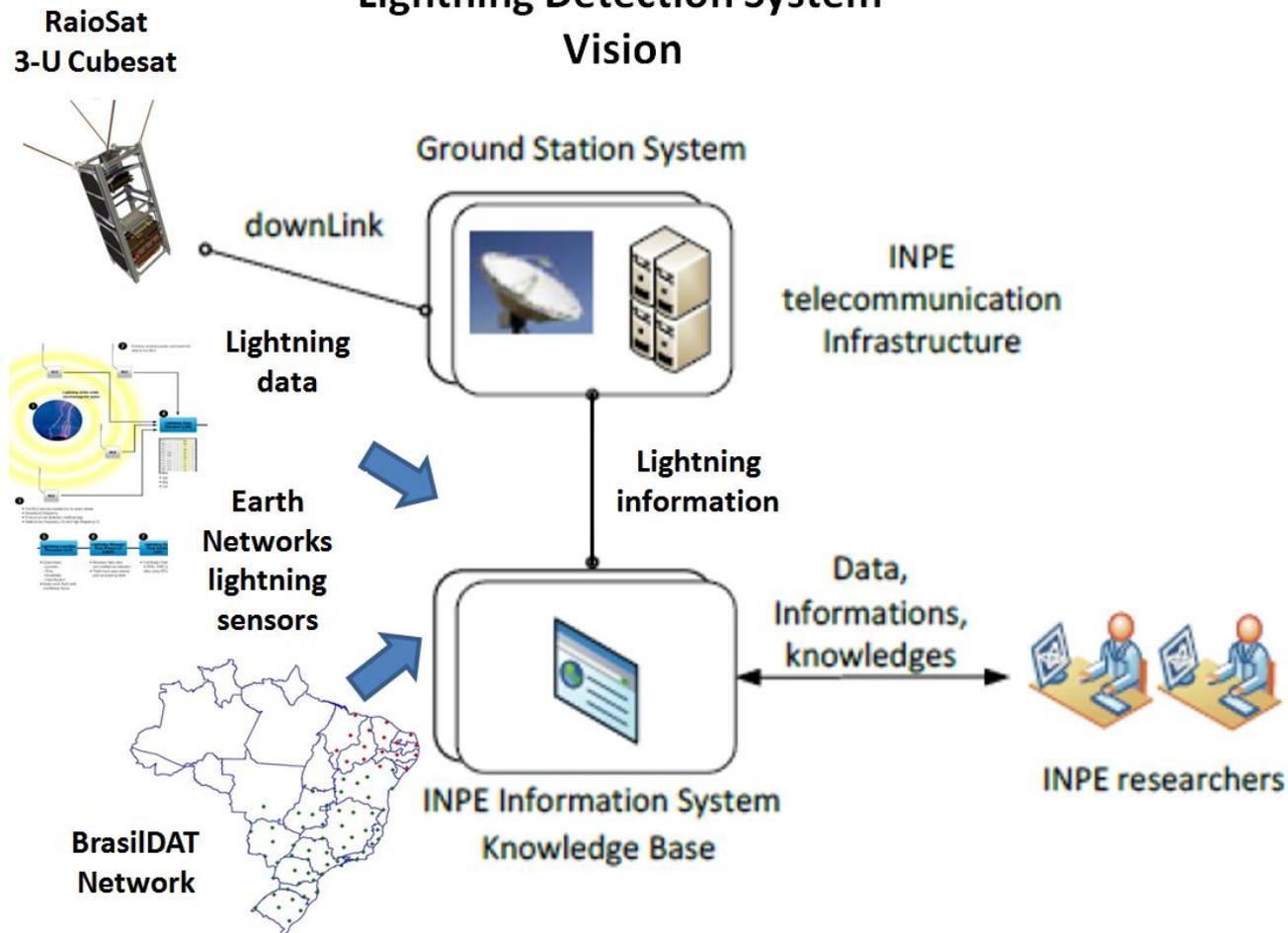
Science for Sustainability

Metas de Desenvolvimento Sustentável (SDGs) da ONU e Espaço.

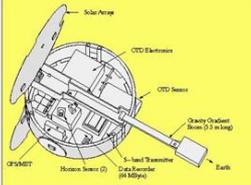
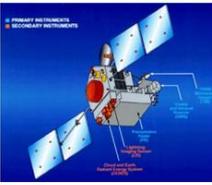
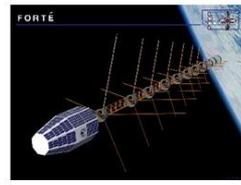


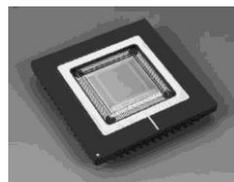
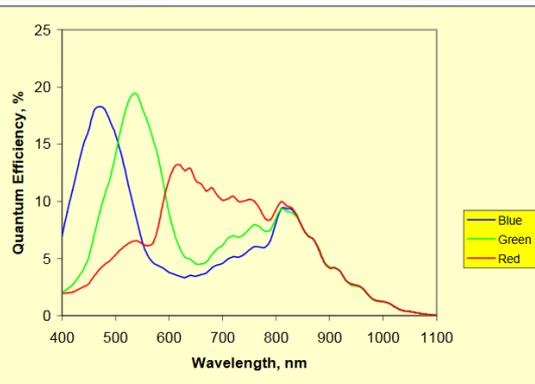
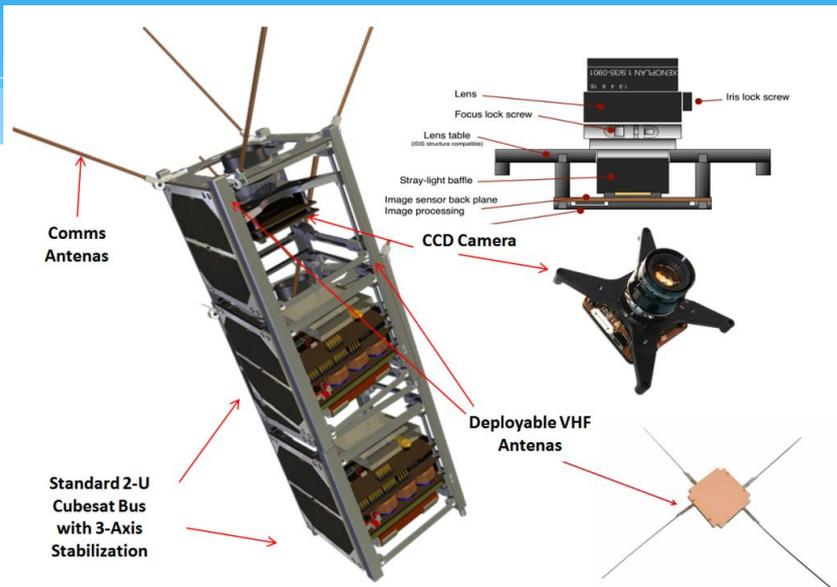
# RaioSat

## Lightning Detection System Vision



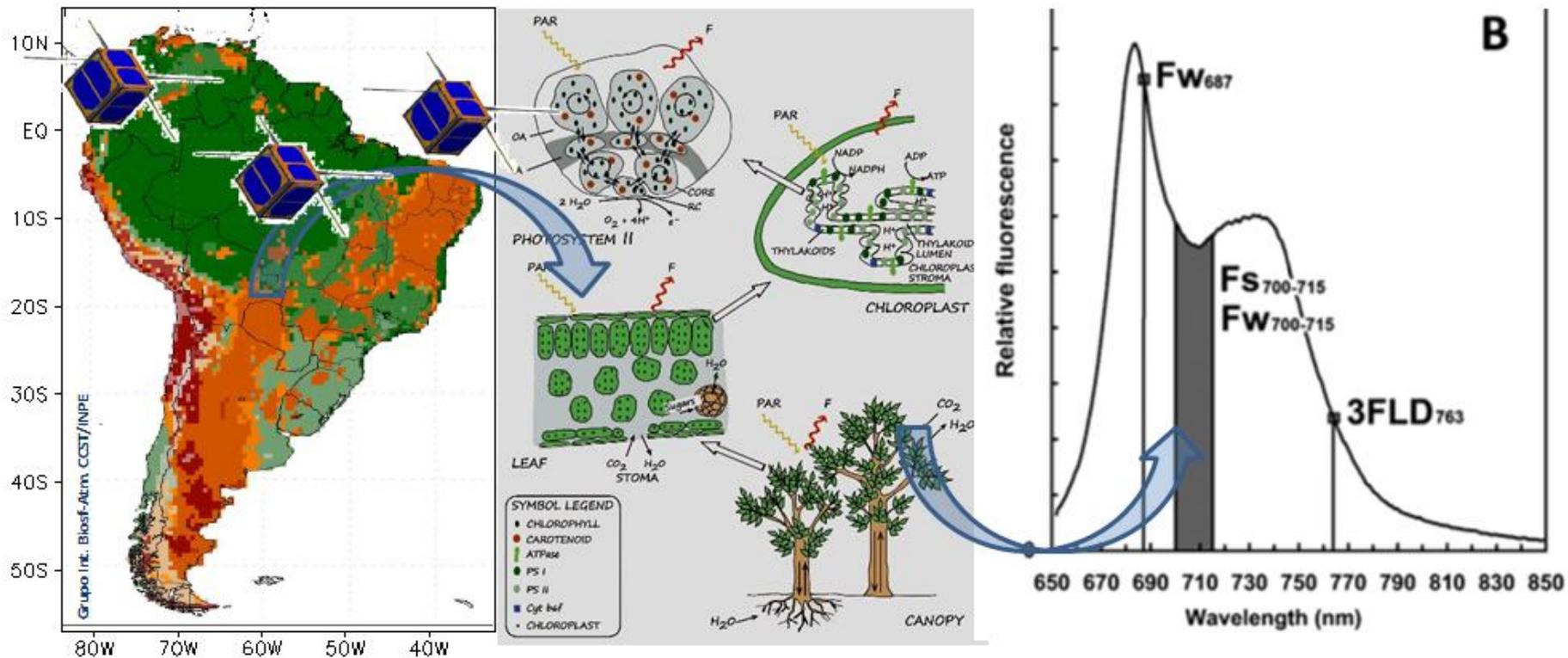
# RaioSat

Satellite	OrbView-1/ MicroLab	TRMM- Tropical Rainfall Measuring Mission	FORTE - Fast On-orbit Recording of Transient
Lightning Detecting Payload	OTD - Optical Transient Detector	LIS - Lightning Imaging Sensor	RF antenna OLS - Optical Lightning Sensor
Mass	74 kg	3620 kg	210 kg
Altitude	785 km	350 e 402 Km	800 Km
Inclination	70°	35°	70°
Launch Date	01/04/1995	27/11/1997	29/08/1997
End of Life	24/08/2015	08/04/2015	
Illustration			



Resolution	Frame Rate	Column_Size	Row_Size	Shutter Width
2048 x 1536 QXGA	12 fps	2047	1535	<1552
1600 x 1200 UXGA	20 fps	1599	1199	<1216
1280 x 1024 SXGA	27 fps	1279	1023	<1040
1024 x 768 XGA	43 fps	1023	767	<784
800 x 600 SVGA	65 fps	799	599	<616
640 x 480 VGA	93 fps	639	479	<496

# BiomeSat – Monitoração da Saúde de Florestas

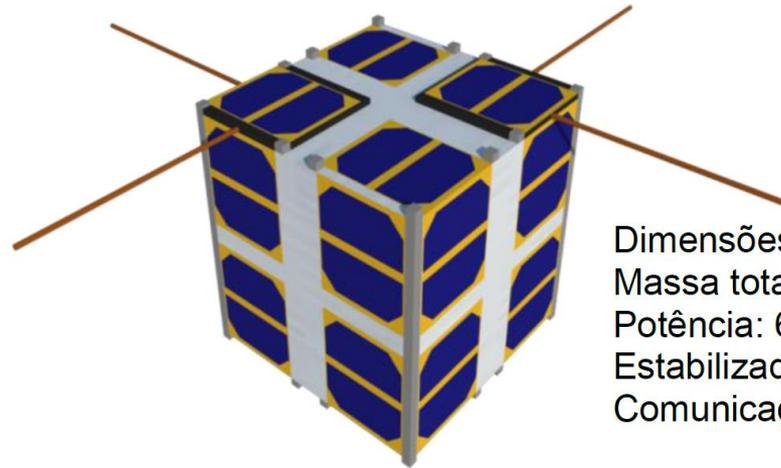
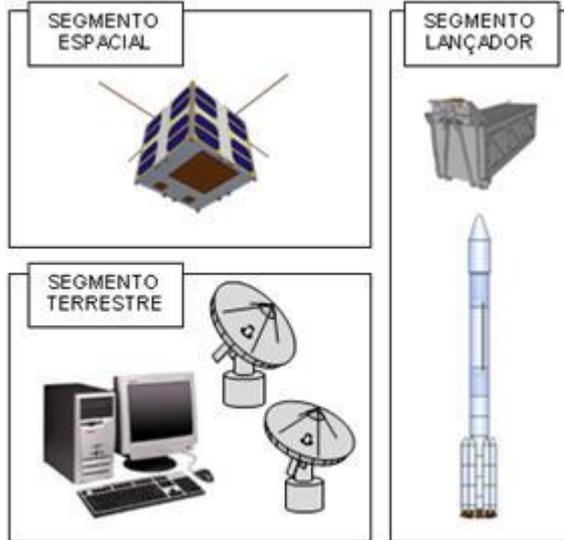


# CONASAT - CONSTELAÇÃO DE NANO SATÉLITES PARA COLETA DE DADOS AMBIENTAIS



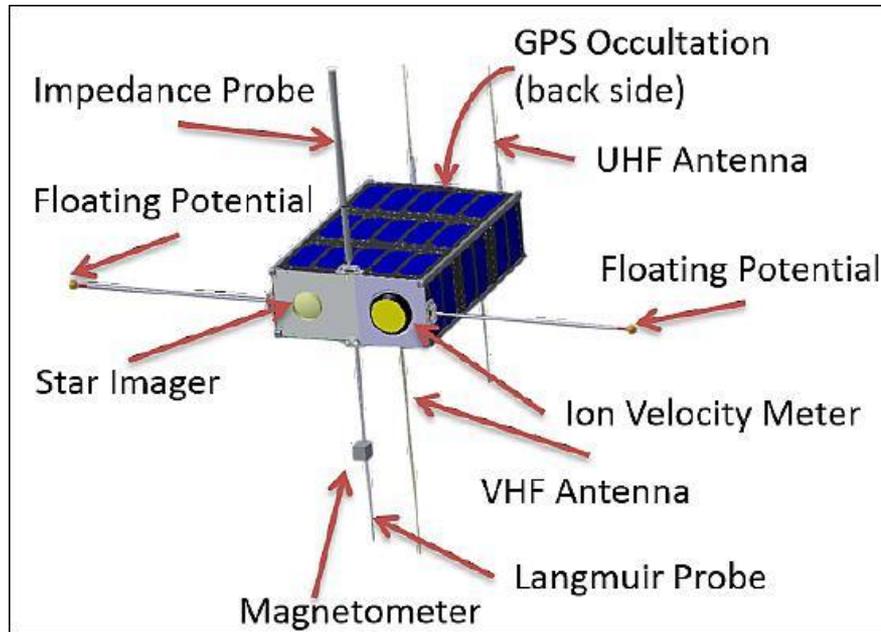
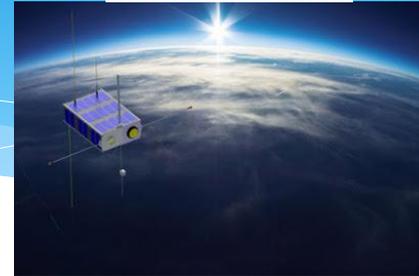
**CONASAT**  
CONSTELAÇÃO DE NANO SATÉLITES AMBIENTAIS

## Arquitetura da Missão



Dimensões: 22,6 x 22,6 x 22,7cm  
Massa total: 8,3 kilogramas  
Potência: 6,44 watt  
Estabilizado em 2 eixos (x,y)  
Comunicação: UHF e Banda S

# SPORT (Scintillation Prediction Observations Research Task)



<http://panoramaespacial.blogspot.com/2016/12/cubesat-sport-parceria-inpe-ita-e-nasa.html>

## Space Weather Studies

Measurement	Instruments
Plasma motion	RPA/Drift meter
Plasma density / density profiles	GPS Occultation
Small scale structures and waves	Langmuir
Scintillation Index	Impedance
Magnetic field structure	E-Field
Plasma temperature	Magnetometer

<https://directory.eoportal.org/web/eoportal/satellite-missions/s/sport>

HLF2017\_UNOOSA\_Naccarato\_Brazil\_Presentation

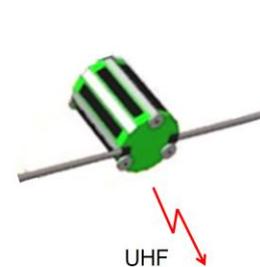


# PicoSat – Tancredo I (UbatubaSat)

## Arquitetura da Missão Espacial



Ter frequência de operação coordenada



UHF



### Uplink Command Budget:

Parameter	Value	Units
<b>General Station:</b>		
Ground Station Transmitter Power Output	100.0	Watts
Ground Stn. Total Transmission Line Losses	59.6	dBm
Antenna Gain	31.6	dB
Ground Station ERP	17.6	dBW
<b>Uplink Path:</b>		
Ground Station Antenna Pointing Loss	0.4	dB
Ground-to-S/C Antenna Polarization Losses	0.2	dB
Path Loss	150.1	dB
Atmospheric Losses	2.1	dB
Rain Losses	0.4	dB
Isotropic Signal Level at Spacecraft	119.3	dBW
<b>Spacecraft (EIRP) Method:</b>		
Spacecraft Antenna Pointing Loss	0.3	dB
Spacecraft Antenna Gain	2.2	dB
Spacecraft Total Transmission Line Losses	1.6	dB
Spacecraft Effective Noise Temperature	253.0	K
S/C Signal-to-Noise Power Density (S/N <sub>0</sub> )	150.0	dBHz
System Desired Data Rate	30.8	dBHz
Command System Eb/No:	150.0	dB
Demodulation Method Selected	ASKFSK	
Forward Error Correction Coding Used:	None	
System Allowed or Specified Bit-Error-Rate:	1.0E-04	
Demodulator Implementation Loss:	1.0	dB

Potência TX Sat= 100 W

Margem Enlace (Método Eb/No)	Margem Enlace (Método SNR)
32,4 dB	29 dB

### Downlink Telemetry Budget:

Parameter	Value	Units
<b>Spacecraft:</b>		
Spacecraft Transmitter Power Output	0.1	Watts
Spacecraft Total Transmission Line Losses	27.2	dBm
Spacecraft Antenna Gain	1.4	dB
Spacecraft ERP	0.3	dBW
<b>Downlink Path:</b>		
Spacecraft Antenna Pointing Loss	0.3	dB
S/C-to-Ground Antenna Polarization Loss	0.2	dB
Path Loss	150.1	dB
Atmospheric Loss	0.4	dB
Rain Loss	0.4	dB
Isotropic Signal Level at Ground Station	119.3	dBW
<b>Ground Station (EIRP) Method:</b>		
Ground Station Antenna Pointing Loss	0.4	dB
Ground Station Antenna Gain	17.6	dB
Ground Station Total Transmission Line Losses	0.6	dB
Ground Station Effective Noise Temperature	555.0	K
G.S. Signal-to-Noise Power Density (S/N <sub>0</sub> )	150.0	dBHz
System Desired Data Rate	30.8	dBHz
Telemetry System Eb/No for the Downlink:	150.0	dB
Demodulation Method Selected	ASKFSK	
Forward Error Correction Coding Used:	None	
System Allowed or Specified Bit-Error-Rate:	1.0E-04	
Demodulator Implementation Loss:	1	dB
Telemetry System Required Eb/No:	21	dB
Eb/No Threshold:	0.6	dB
System Link Margin:	0.6	dB

Potência TX Sat= 500 mW

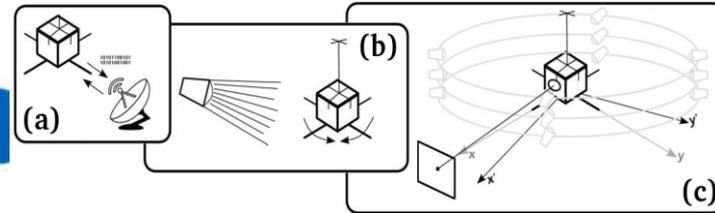
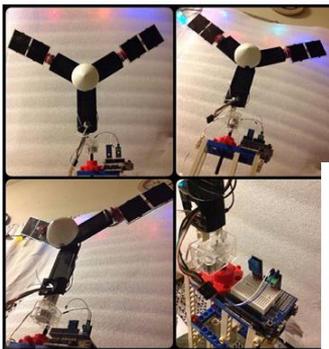
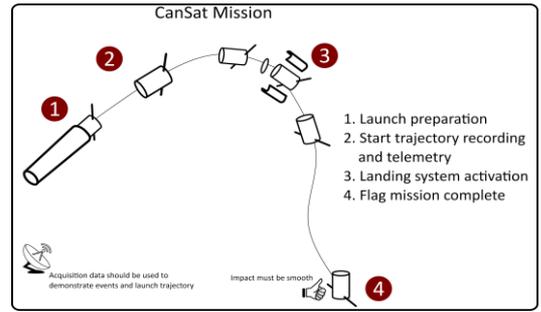
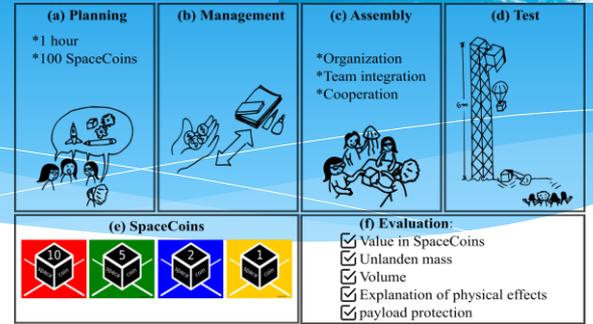
Elevação	Distância	Eb/No	SNR
5 graus	1709 Km	6 dB	3,4 dB
0 grau	2196 Km	-3,1 dB	-5,6 dB

Parameter	Value	Units
<b>Downlink Station Alternative Signal Analysis Method (SNR Computations):</b>		
Ground Station Antenna Pointing Loss	0.4	dB
Ground Station Antenna Gain	17.6	dB
Ground Station Total Transmission Line Losses	0.6	dB
Ground Station Effective Noise Temperature	555.0	K
Ground Station Signal-to-Noise Power Density (S/N <sub>0</sub> )	150.0	dBHz
System Desired Data Rate	30.8	dBHz
Signal Power at Ground Station Link Input	119.3	dBW
Ground Station Receiver Bandwidth	15.000	Hz
O. S. Receiver Noise Power (P <sub>n</sub> = kTB)	159.3	dBW
Signal-to-Noise Power Ratio at O.S. Receiver	159.3	dB
Average or Digital System Required S/N <sub>0</sub> :	158.4	dB
System Link Margin	0.9	dB

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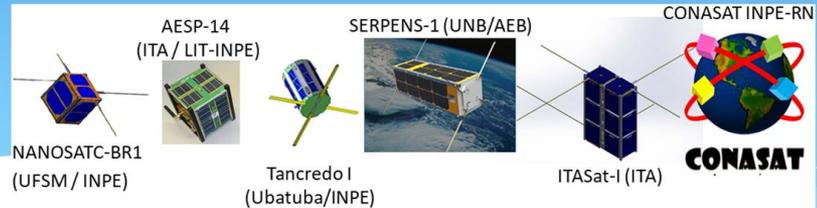
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