

# Spacecraft Aircraft Launcher TWG

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## Progresses in the field:

### European Space environment Services

#### Spacecraft:

- SWENET – continuation supported by ESA.
- GEISHA – continuation supported by CNES
- MuSTAnG – In development (in preliminary operation).
- SAAPS – interrupted – under discussion.
- SEIS – continuation at ESOC for s/c op support (SEISOP).
- SESS – in development?

#### Aircraft:

- SOARS – running
- Sievert – supported by FCA (F).
- QARM – supported by QQ (UK).
- AVIDOS – supported by ARCS

#### Launcher:

- CLS support

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## Progresses in the field:

### R&D activities

- ESA space weather modules study (in preparation).
- ESA support to SWENET (maintenance). ESA study of nano sat beacon for space weather (completed)
- ESA plasma monitor development
- ESA radiation monitor developments (incl. EPT, proba-2 instruments).
- ESA space environment models development (e.g., SEPEM, MEO-GEO, etc.,,,)
- ESA/DLR dosimetry in ISS. CNES radiation and plasma detectors development
- CNES/ONERA IPSAT (virtual observatory, goes, lanl, npoes)
- CNES/CLS: solar flare prediction model.
- CNES/ONERA: Salamambo developments.
- Astrium/SSTL, QinetiQ radiation detectors developments
- INTA solar particle event forecast model
- EC: SOLTERA, Real time database of neutron monitor observations, other?

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## Progresses in the field:

### Coordination

- SEENoTC:
  - Scope includes SW effects on s/c (except debris, drag)
  - Members include: B, F, G, E, S, UK.
  - Review activity plans and compile requirements.
  - Radiation monitor workshop (2007, 2008)
  - liaise with CTB/RWG, SPINE, SWWT
- ISES:
- COSPAR
  - COSPAR/PRBEM
  - COSPAR/PSW
- Standards
  - ISO (space environment, testing of ESD on SA)
  - ECSS (E-20-06, E-10-04).
- COST
  - COST 724 completed
  - New COST to start end of year 2008.

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## Future:

- Increased coordination through SEENoTC.
- Several radiation environment monitors are flying and more are foreseen on Galileo IOD.
- Opportunities with Galileo evolution programme.
- Various proposals in response to an internal call for GSTP-5 IOD and BB including:
  - (BB) Next Generation Radiation Monitor
  - (BB) Flexible Standard Plasma Monitor
  - (IOD) Space Environment Effects on New Technologies Mission
  - (IOD) Trajectory Analyzer for Hypervelocity Particulates
  - (IOD) Space Based Technologies for Space Weather Applications
- SSA programme preparation.
- ESERO
- CNES Taranis, Robusta, VIMANA
- INTA OPTOS satellite

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## Conclusion

- ✓ **Many activities in the field**
- ✓ **But SAL TWG itself not very active**
  - web site?
  - mailing?
  - common proposals?
- ✓ **Increasing coordination through SEENoTC**
  - especially on s/c
- ✓ **SAL TWG has a role to play:**
  - preparing recommendations to SEENoTC
  - coordinating across the aircraft, spacecraft, launcher sector