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Commercial Bus Provider's Perspective - Thales Alenia Space

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Thales Alenia Space (TAS)

- Employees 7,200
- Presence Main facilities in France and Italy
- Subsidiaries ... In 4 countries including USA
- Sales 2011..... Approx. 2.1 Bn Euros (\$2.7 bn)



Headquarters in Cannes, France



Well Balanced Portfolio – Good Mix of Commercial, Civil and Defense Businesses

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TAS Market Presence



Fixed / Mobile Broadband Dual / Military Secured

AMC 21, Amos 4/5, Arabsat, Arsat-1, Athena-Fidus, Ciel 2, EuropaSat, Express MD1/MD2, Globalstar, Hispasat, Iridium Next Kazsat 2, Koreasat 6, Louto 5/6, Nilesat 201, O3B, OverHorizon 1, Palapa-D1, RascomStar-Qaf 1R, Satcom BW 2a/2b, Sicral 1B, Sicral 2, Syracuse 1/2/3, Thor 6, Turksat 3A, W2A, W3B, W7,W6A, Yahsat 1A/1B, Yamal 401/402....



Surveillance

Meteosat/MSG, Jason, Calipso, COSMO-SkyMed, Sentinel 183, Envisat, ERS, GOCE, Helios, IASI, Pleiades, SPOT...



Localization

Aeronautical Communications

Data collect

EGNOS, Galileo, MTSat...



Planetology Fundamental physics Astronomy Human spaceflights Space transportation systems

Herschel, Planck, Exomars, Alma, Corot, Cassini-Huygens, Node 283, Columbus, Cupola, MPLM, Automated Transfer Vehicle (ATV), ...

TAS Designs and Builds Space Systems for Various Applications

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On-Orbit Services - Human Space Flight

- Major supplier for Columbus
- Prime contractor for Cupola
- The largest industrial provider after Boeing in ISS
- 50% of pressurized volume
- ESA's ATV Cargo
- 9 pressurized modules for Cygnus (Orbital)





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GEO Platform - SpaceBus





SpaceBus Can Handle ~14kW Payload Power (~120 transponders) by Its Modular Structure and Is Compatible with All of Commercially Available Launchers

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Extended LifeTime Bus

ELiTeBUS FEATURES

Bus Dry Mass	< 450 kg
Earth Panel dimensions	3000*1600 mm
Bus Reliability	> 0.925 @ 12.5 yrs
Orbit	LEO-MEO
Mission Life	up to 12.5 Years
Delivery	18 months
PAYLOAD HOSUNG FEATURES	

- TTC COMMUNICATION SUBSYSTEM OPTIONS S-band, C-band, Ka-band

Driven by More Than 110 Satellites Built for Globalstar-2, O3b and Iridium NEXT. ELiTe Bus Offers A Better, Cheaper and Faster Ride Opportunities for Various Payloads

THALES



Manufacturing & Services





TAS and Telespazio Cover Wide Spectrum of Space Businesses – from Equipment to Services

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Commercial Satellites – On-Orbit Services by Space Alliance



Space Alliance Is Involved in Various Kinds of On-Orbit Satellite Servicing

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- Thales Alenia Space, together with its sister company Telespazio (Space Alliance), provides wide range of on-orbit satellite services
- Many of those services have been integrated in satellite manufacturing contracts as standard practices and routine services – Orbit raising, IOT, lifetime support, etc.
- Satellite manufacturer's business today is focusing on mastering a "better, cheaper and faster" principle
 - High reliability with low price (to support customers' business cases) is a virtue, thus "standadization" is the main focus
 - Evolutionary technical improvements are carefully adopted within this principle
 - Platform designs have become fairly mature except for certain areas electric propulsions, etc.
 - Payload designs are evolving to achieve more flexibility, but high reliability and price are once again the constraints
 - On-Orbit Services are value added services of such satellite production
- Space Alliance is not pursuing services, such as life extension or on-orbit repairing. These services belong to "<u>a different regime</u>", and we are not necessarily convinced that these are technically and/or commercially viable today.