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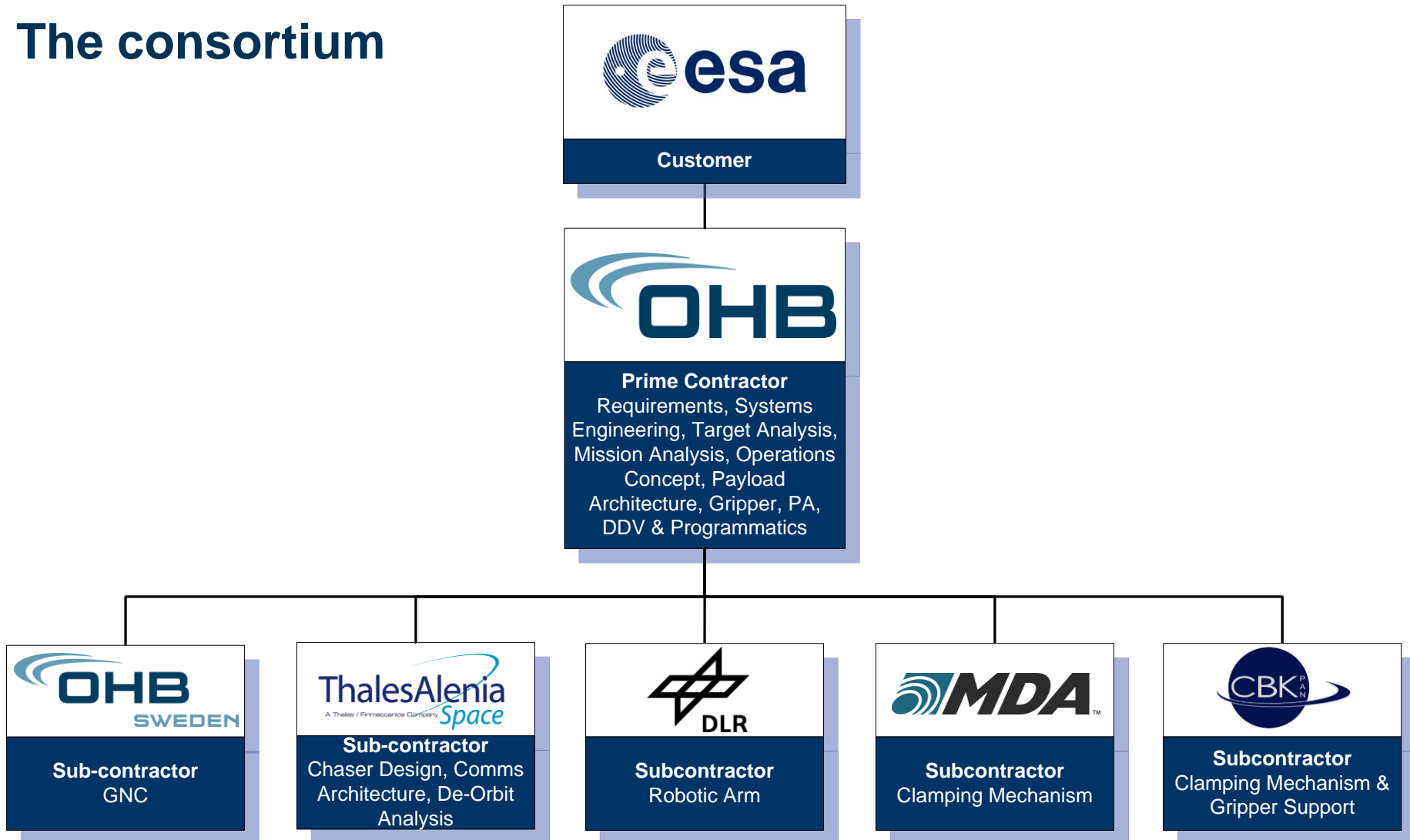


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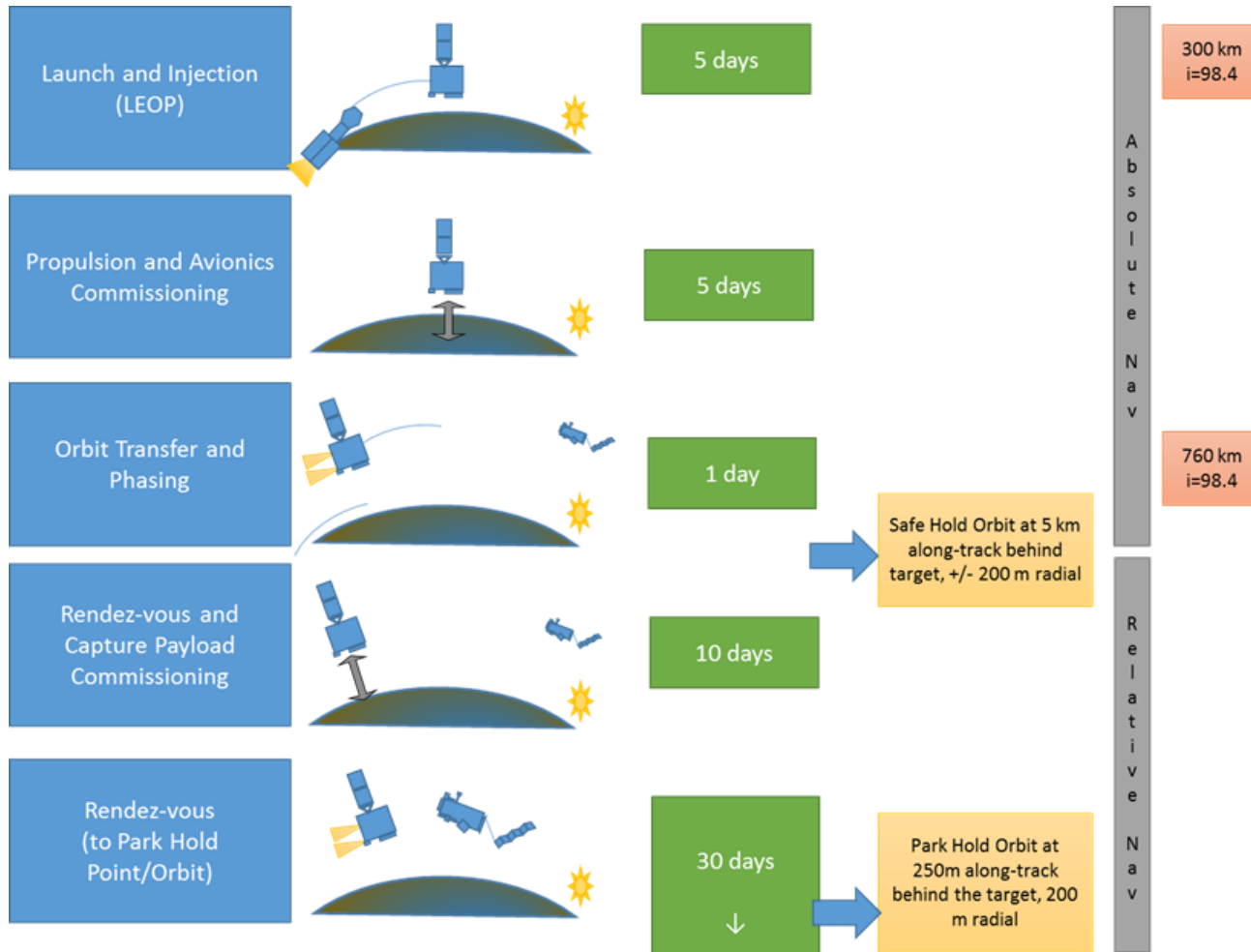
## e.deorbit Phase B1 – System Overview

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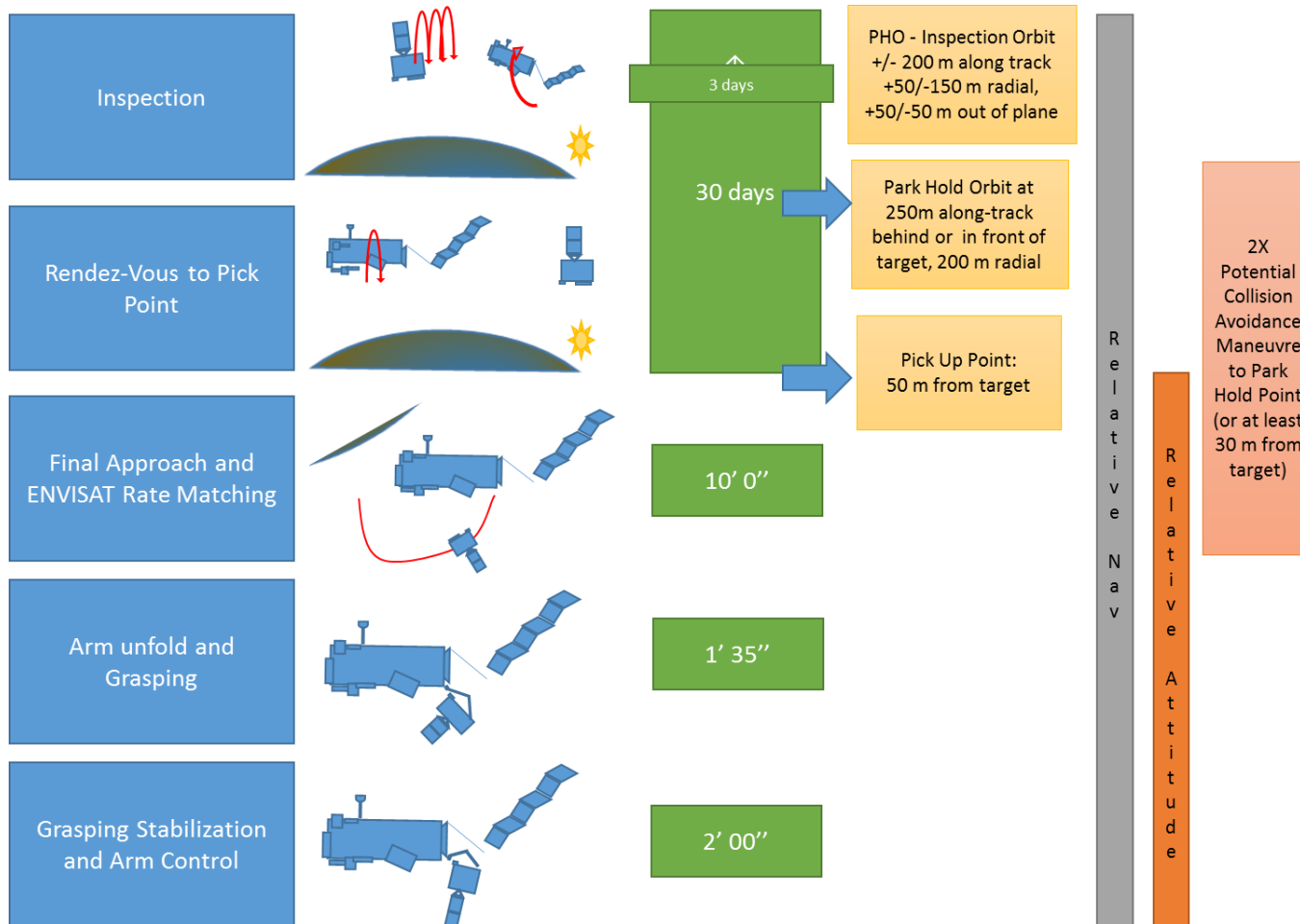
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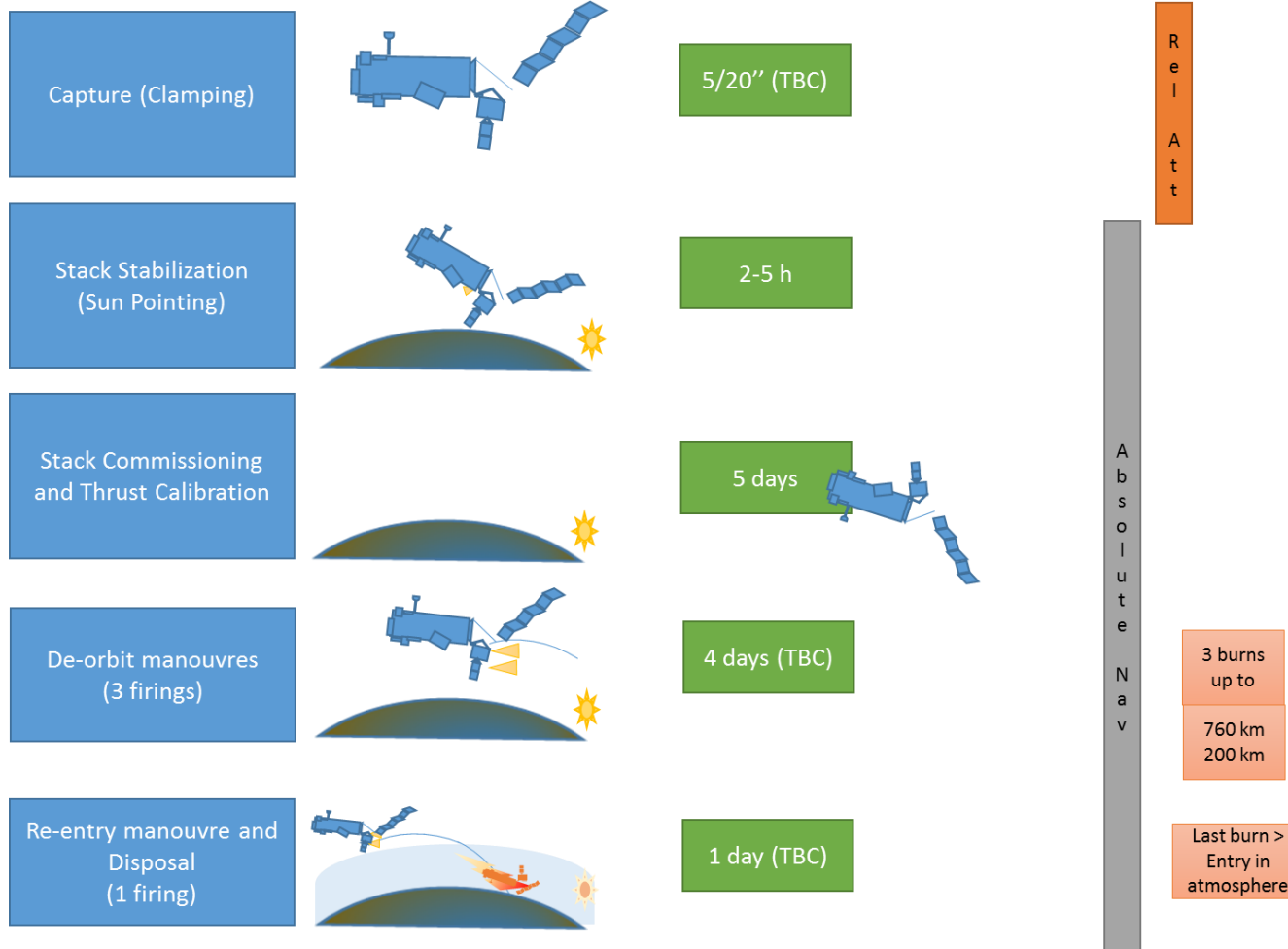
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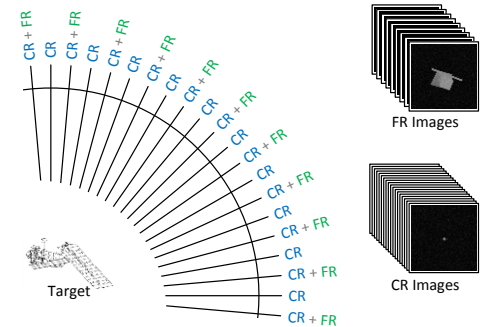
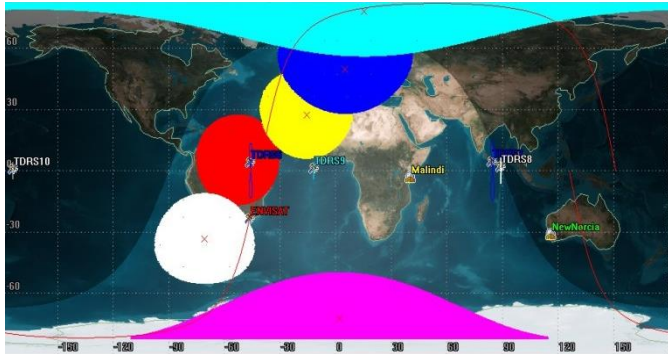


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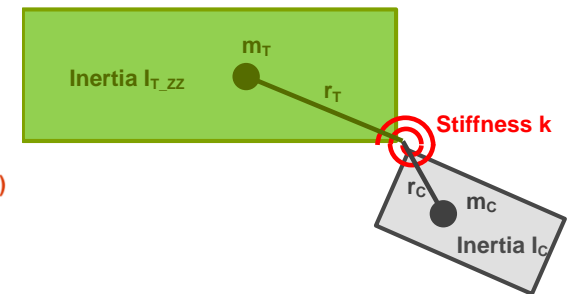
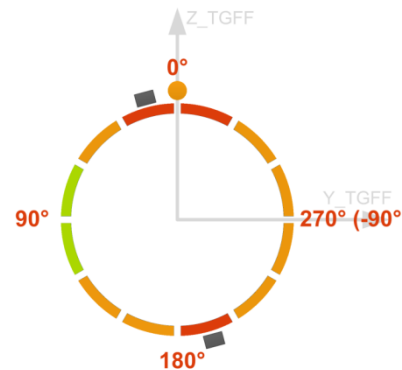
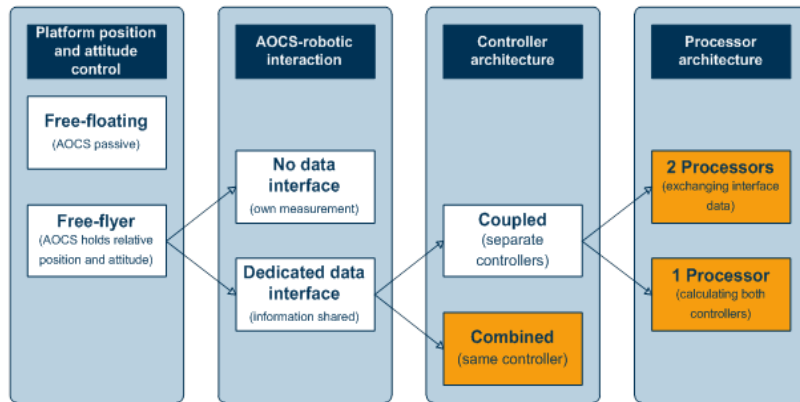
# System Trade-offs

Trade-off	Options	Baseline
Communications Architecture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Relay architecture</li> <li>Direct-To-Earth Communication</li> </ul>	Direct-To-Earth Communication (Up- and Downlink in S-Band)
Rendezvous Payload Architecture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Camera-based navigation</li> <li>Lidar-based navigation</li> <li>Combination of camera- and Lidar-based navigation</li> </ul>	Lidar-based navigation
Inspection Data Generation and Downlink Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Both Cameras, active</li> <li>Close-Range Camera</li> <li>Far-Range Camera</li> <li>Both Cameras active, selection of images</li> <li>Configurable duty cycle</li> </ul>	Configurable duty cycle



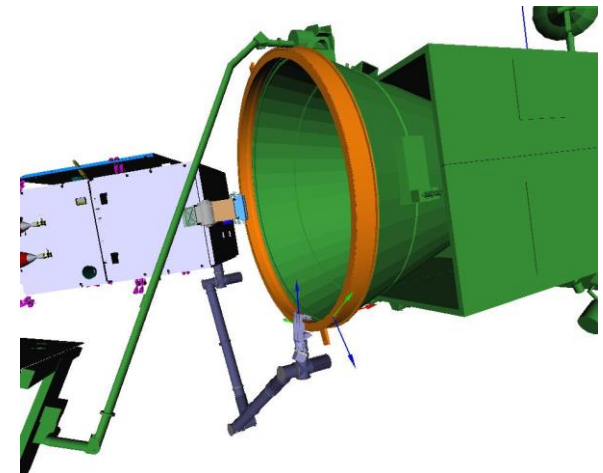
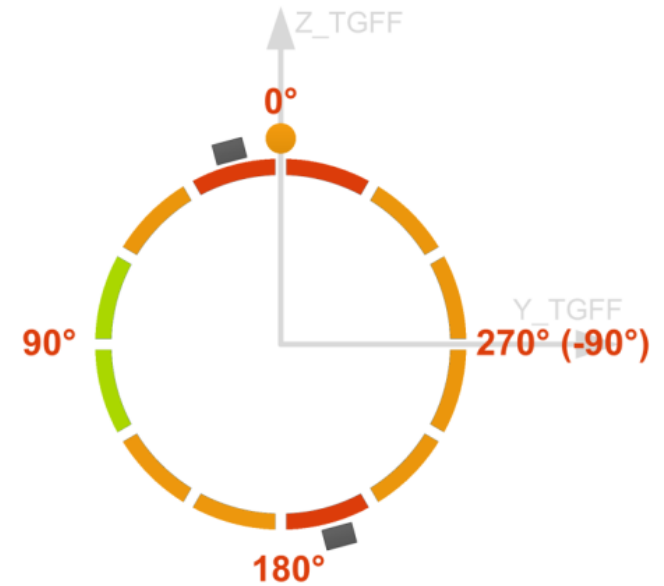
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Control Architecture of GNC and Robotic Arm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Combined control                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 processor</li> <li>2 processors</li> </ul> </li> <li>Coupled control</li> </ul>		Coupled, 2 processors
Capture sequence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Detumbling before rigidisation</li> <li>Detumbling after rigidisation</li> </ul>		Detumbling after rigidisation
Target clamping position	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Launch Adapter Ring (from 0° to 360°)</li> <li>ENVISAT's body</li> </ul>		Launch Adapter Ring (preferred at 90°)
Stack stiffness design (Width of clamping mechanism)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>300 mm</li> <li>430 mm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>540 mm</li> <li>650 mm</li> </ul>	650 mm



# Target clamping position

Aspect	Clamping on LAR	Clamping elsewhere
Knowledge of exact geometry	Good	Poor
Mechanical stiffness of I/F	High	Medium
Knowledge of mechanical stiffness	Good	Poor
Achievable stack stiffness	Medium – High	Medium
Thrust alignment with stack CoM	Possible	Possible
Attitude control authority	High	Medium
Stack attitude during manoeuvres	Feasible	Favourable
Technical design of Clamping Mechanism	Delta design of existing Breadboard	New design



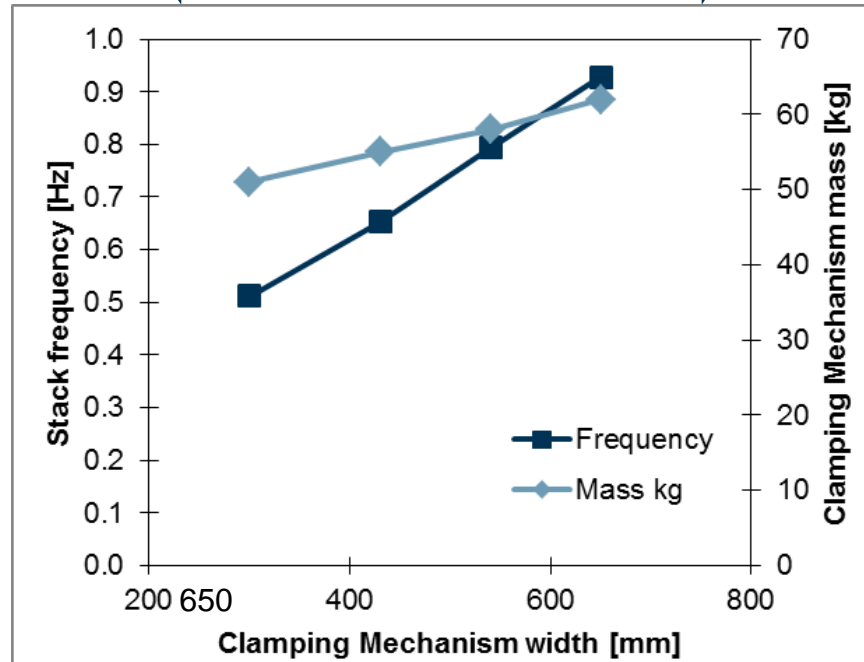


# Stack Stiffness Design

Simple  
GNC  
Design

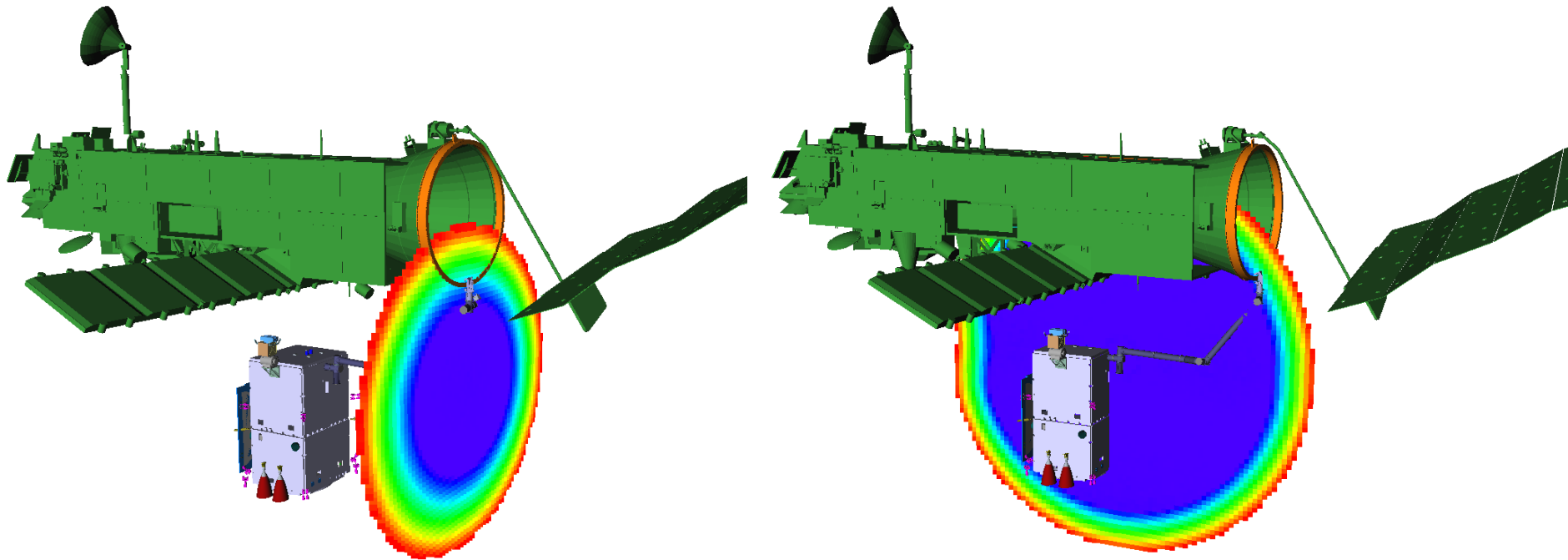


Low  
mechanism  
mass



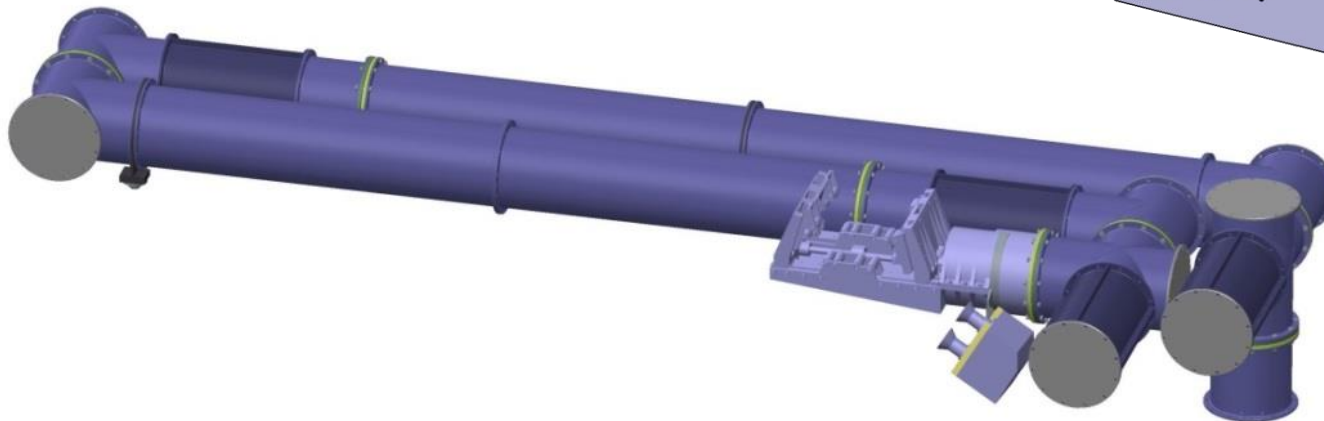
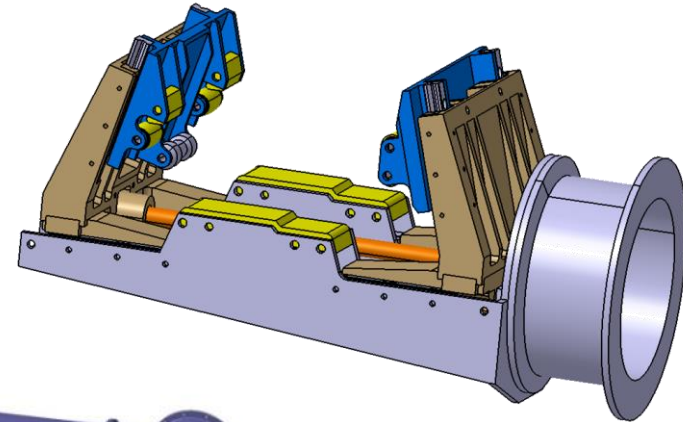
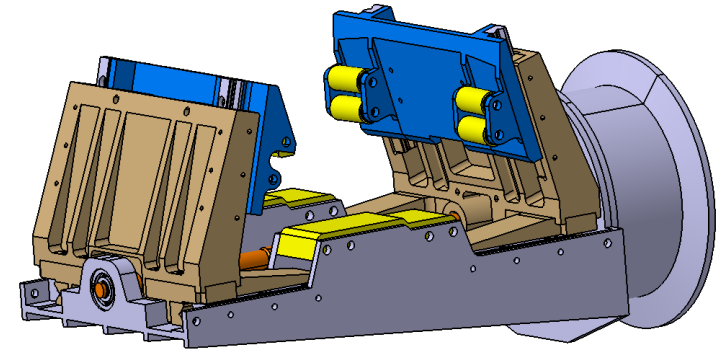
## Reachability: Capture Configuration

- Analysis of arm capability for specific configurations (grasp, clamp)
- Feasible clamping positions

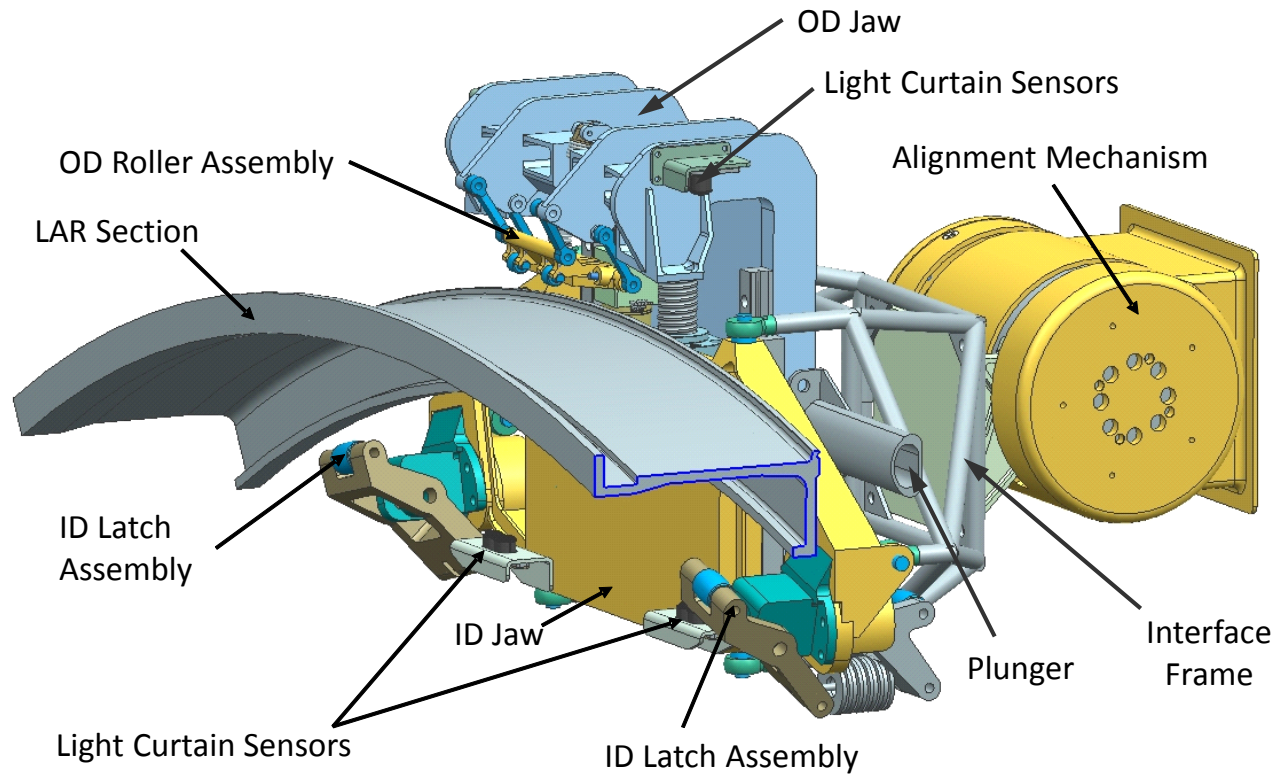


## Gripper design

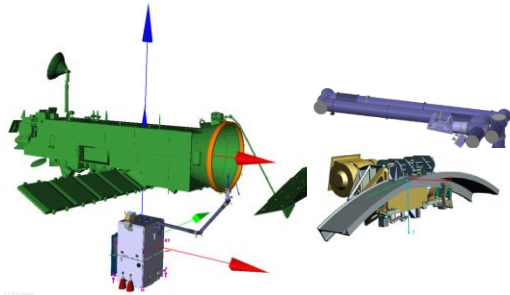
- Two spindle driven gripper brackets on spindle with right and left thread
- Spring driven, inclined (15deg) grip jaw on each grip bracket
- Contact between gripper and LAR only on dedicated rolls
- Motor with internal break and gear (TBC)



# Clamping Mechanism Overview



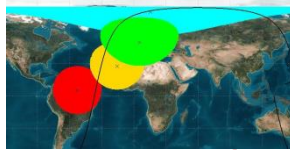
# Main Chaser Design Requirements and Constraints



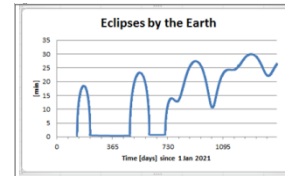
**Capture Technique and related equipment**  
(Robotic Arm, Clamping Mechanism, Battery powered capture)



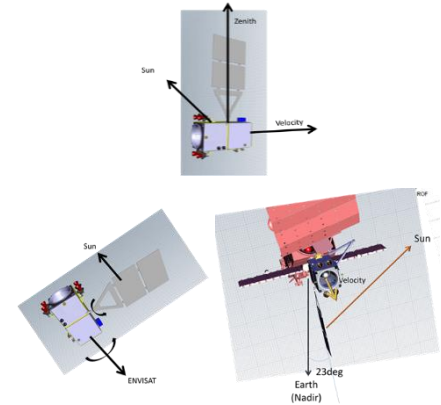
**Inspection, RdV and other Sensors Req's**  
(Field of View, Generated Data)



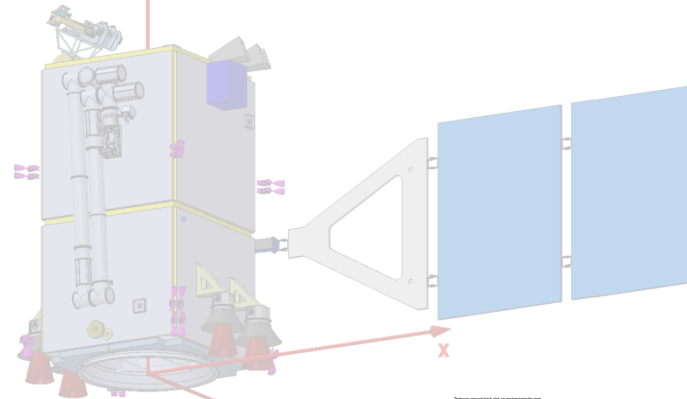
**Communications**



**Mission Timeline**  
(80°-45° Beta Angle, 3-6 month Duration)



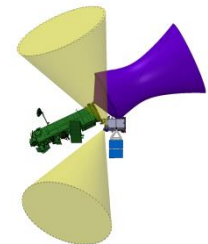
**Chaser Attitude**  
(from Optical Sensors reqs, Thrust Direction, Earth/Sun position)



**Cost and Schedule Constraints**  
(target cost, launch 2021/24)

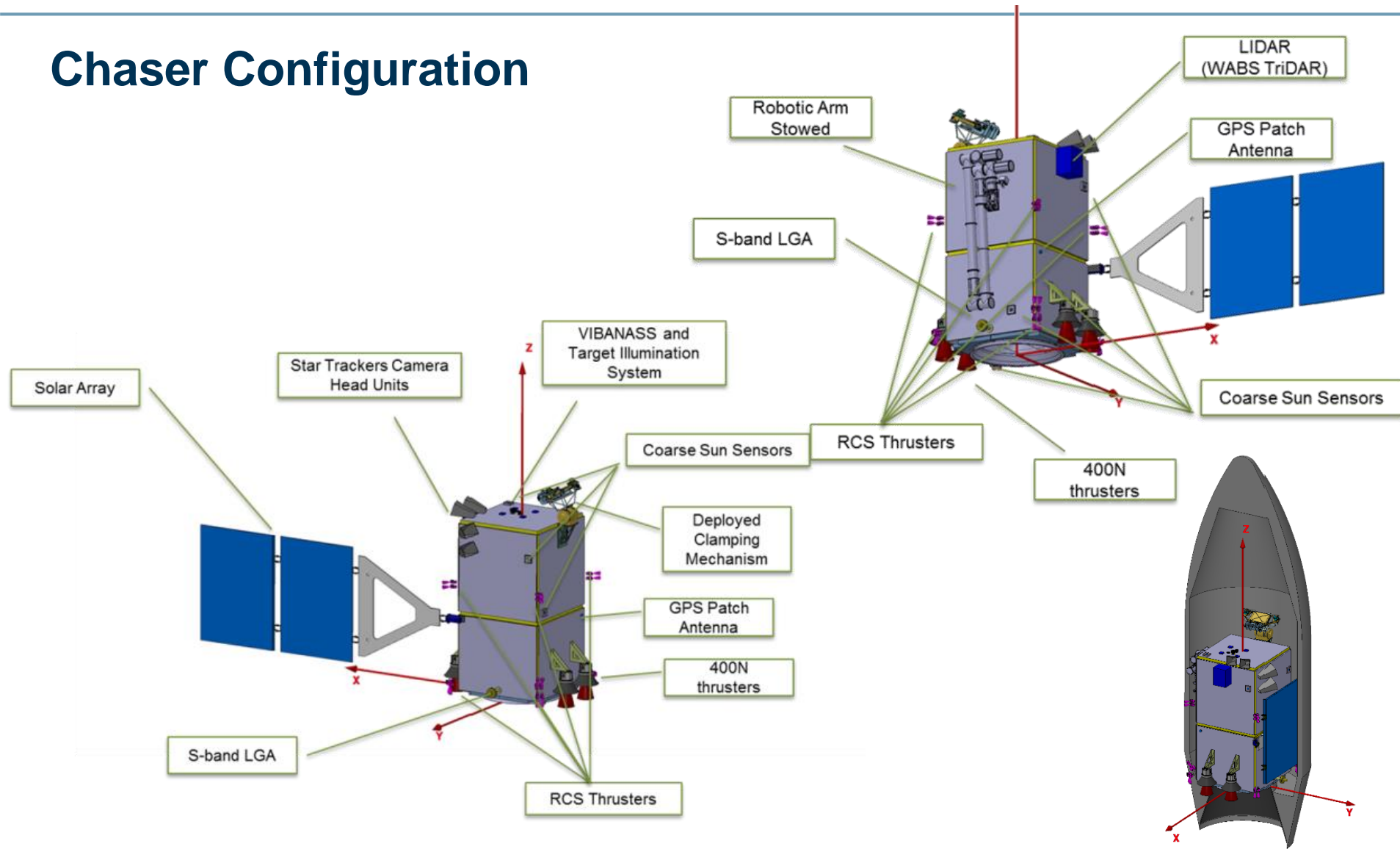


**Risk Reduction**  
(risk of collision, risk of casualties, programmatic risk)



**Stack Configuration**  
(ENVISAT SA uncertainties, Blockage for Sun on SA and Earth comms)

# Chaser Configuration



## PLATFORM (1/2)

### Structure:

- Based on PRIMA platform
- SVM with central cone and platform equipment accommodation
- PLM with cruciform panels, tanks and payload support

### Thermal Control

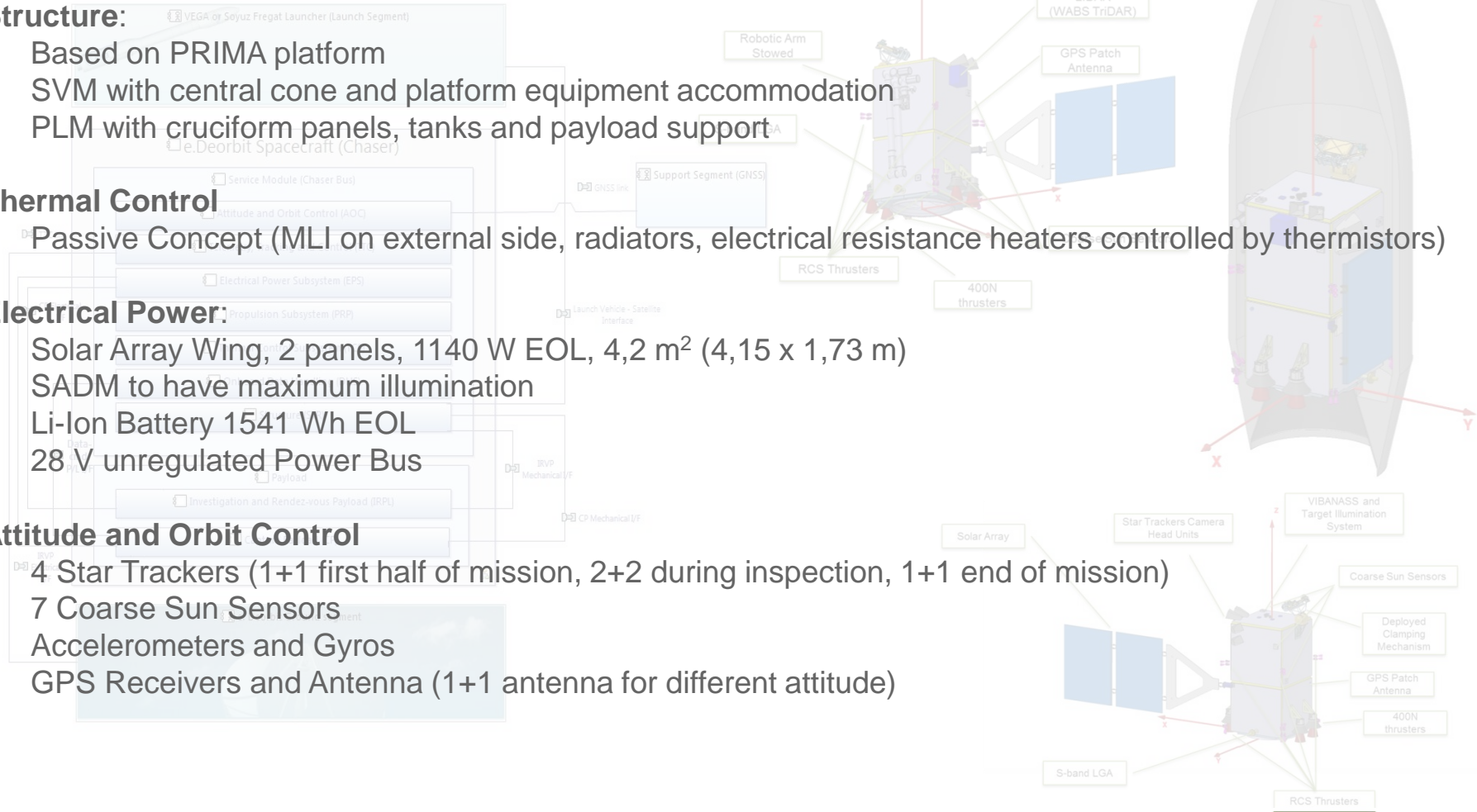
- Passive Concept (MLI on external side, radiators, electrical resistance heaters controlled by thermistors)

### Electrical Power:

- Solar Array Wing, 2 panels, 1140 W EOL, 4,2 m<sup>2</sup> (4,15 x 1,73 m)
- SADM to have maximum illumination
- Li-Ion Battery 1541 Wh EOL
- 28 V unregulated Power Bus

### Attitude and Orbit Control

- 4 Star Trackers (1+1 first half of mission, 2+2 during inspection, 1+1 end of mission)
- 7 Coarse Sun Sensors
- Accelerometers and Gyros
- GPS Receivers and Antenna (1+1 antenna for different attitude)



## PLATFORM (2/2)

### Propulsion

- 2 tanks fuel MMH, 2 tanks oxidizer MON, 1 tank pressurant He
- 2+2 400 N thrusters (LAE)
- 10+10 22 N thrusters (RCS)

### Telemetry Tracking & Command:

- S-band architecture (transponders, RFDN)
- 2 LGA with supports for omnidirectional coverage

### OBDH

- Main Functions: Standard OBDH Platform-level functions (C&DH, HK data, etc.), GNC Control with PDPU inputs during relative nav., Storage of Inspection and other Payload data
- Spacecraft Management Unit (SMU), platform MIL-STD-1553B bus and P/L SpaceWire bus
- Mass Memory 64 Gb BOL

### Main Characteristics

- Mass: 1650 kg target mass, 755 kg target dry (current 830 kg)
- Size (spacecraft body): 2.6 x 1.35 x 1.35 m

