

# Management of End Of Life

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# Debris Mitigation guidelines

Only 60% satellites apply Space

 System approach partially implemented

Where we are

- Some technologies SDM technologies are being developed
- Copernicus Expansion Design 4
  Removal

#### What we propose

- Mature critical technology building
- Define how to break-up a satellite
- Develop platforms optimised for EoL
- Extension of D4R to small Satellites
- Capturing payload bay for Copernicus phase 2 and In Orbit Demonstration





### Where we want to be

- LEO satellite platforms fully demisable
- Large satellites optimised for controlled reentry
- Satellite can be de-orbited by passive or active de-orbit kits
- High probability of successful disposal
- Prepare all satellites to be removed
- Prepare satellites for servicing

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# **Active Debris Removal and In Orbit Servicing**

## Where we are

- Technologies for IOS
- First ADR mission on-going
- IOS IOD preparation
- IOS missions outside Europe
- Close Proximity Guidelines





## What we propose

- Complete CS1 funding
- User-driven IOS mission(s)
- Technology developments





## Where we want to be

- Fly Clearspace-1 mission
- Fly European IOS with a customer
- Develop a calatogue of technologies for IOS
- Rules for Sustainable Close
  Proximity Operations

# Where do we want to be

- RETHINK
  - Recycle
  - Reuse
  - Repurpose

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# Ecodesign

• Number of LCA studies

• First version of framework

• Some green technologies

• Some LCA implemented

Where we are

in projects

## What we propose

- Update handbook
- Increase use of LCA
- Investigate impacts of testing
- Roadmap of green technologies
- Use of sustainability rating for space debris

## Where we want to be

- Established eco-design framework
- Eco-design of missions leading to impact reduction
- Implementation of green technologies





