

Radiation monitoring hosted payloads: ICARE_NG2

S. Bourdarie, J. Carron, L. N'Guyen, R. Ecoffet, P. Bourdoux,
D. Falguere, M. Ruffenach, P. Caron



retour sur innovation

Introduction

ICARE-NG2 is the present version of the ICARE instrument

Environment measurements (proton and electron fluxes)

Technological board “MEX”, i.e. TID and DDD drifts, SEE records (optional)

Includes connections for an optional external sensor (RS422 serial link, and +5V)

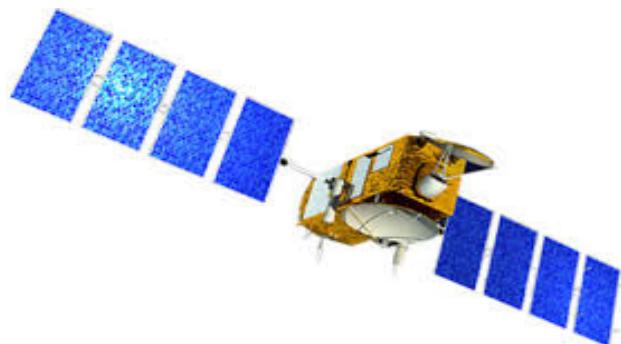
CARMEN is a mission name for space environment hosted payloads

CARMEN-1 : ICARE-NG + 3 micro-debris detectors (SODAD) on SAC-D

CARMEN-2 : ICARE-NG, associated with LPT from JAXA on JASON-2

CARMEN-3 : ICARE-NG + AMBRE (plasma detector) + LPT, on JASON-3

CARMEN-4 : ICARE-NG on E7C



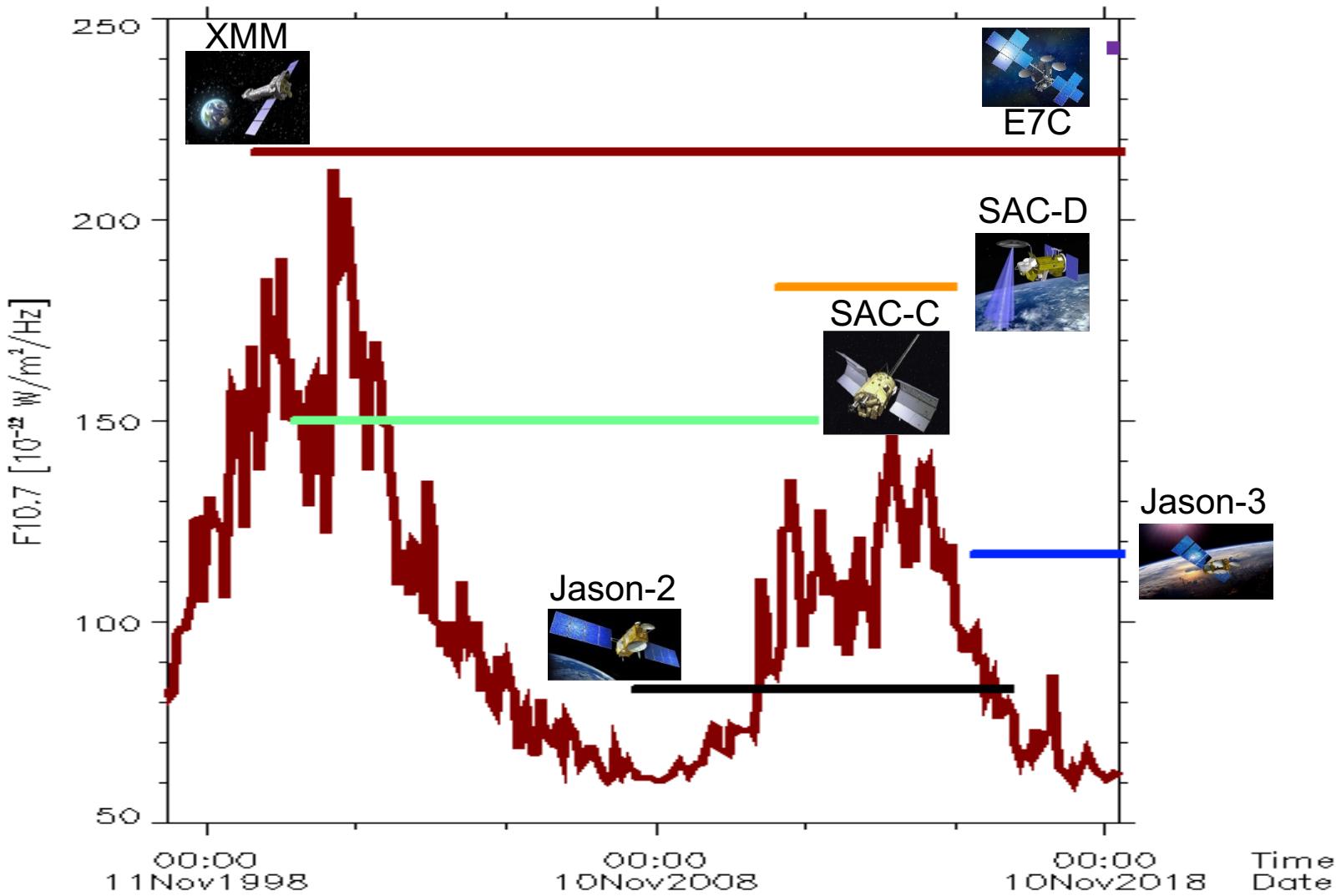
JASON-2



SAC-D

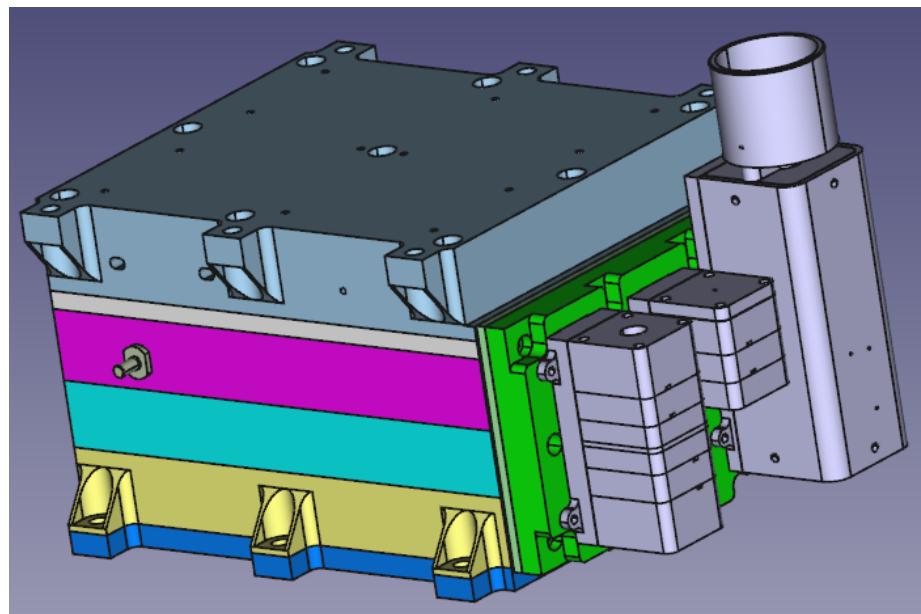
Introduction

20 years of space environment and effects measurements

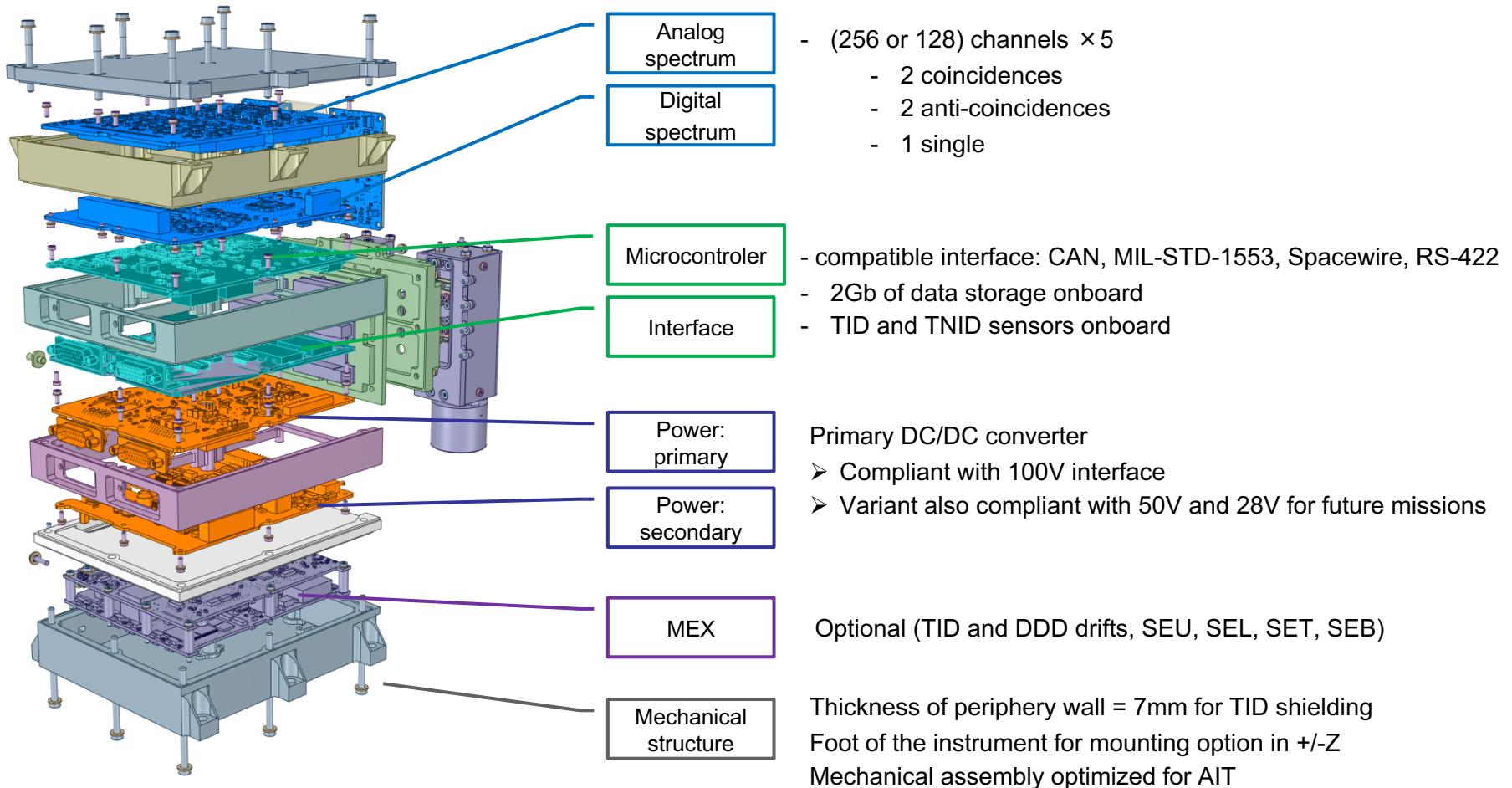


ICARE-NG2 : The payload

CARMEN-5 characteristics	
Size (mm)	~218 x 148 x 105
Housing material	Alu 6082 T651
Surface finishing	Surtec 650 and PUK black paint
Sensors	2 x telescopes (stack of 2 diodes) and one single diode
Mass	~ 4,18Kg
Power	6W typ (10W with MEX ON)
Power supply interface	100V regulated power bus
Interface links with spacecraft	CAN bus
Operating temperature range	-35° C to +66° C
Lifetime	8 years



ICARE-NG2 : The payload



ICARE-NG2 : The payload

ICARE-NG2 can accomodate any TM budget (i.e. strong constraint in EOR phase)

IT = Integration time (250 ms – 62 s < IP-2)

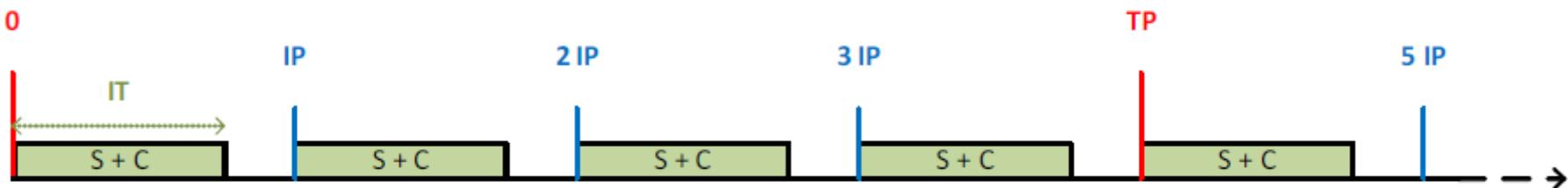
IP = Integration period (8s, 16s, 32s, 64s)

TP = Telemetry period (8s, 16s, 32s, 64s, 128s or 256s)

M = Mode (Full or Light)

Can be set by TC

Full Mode:



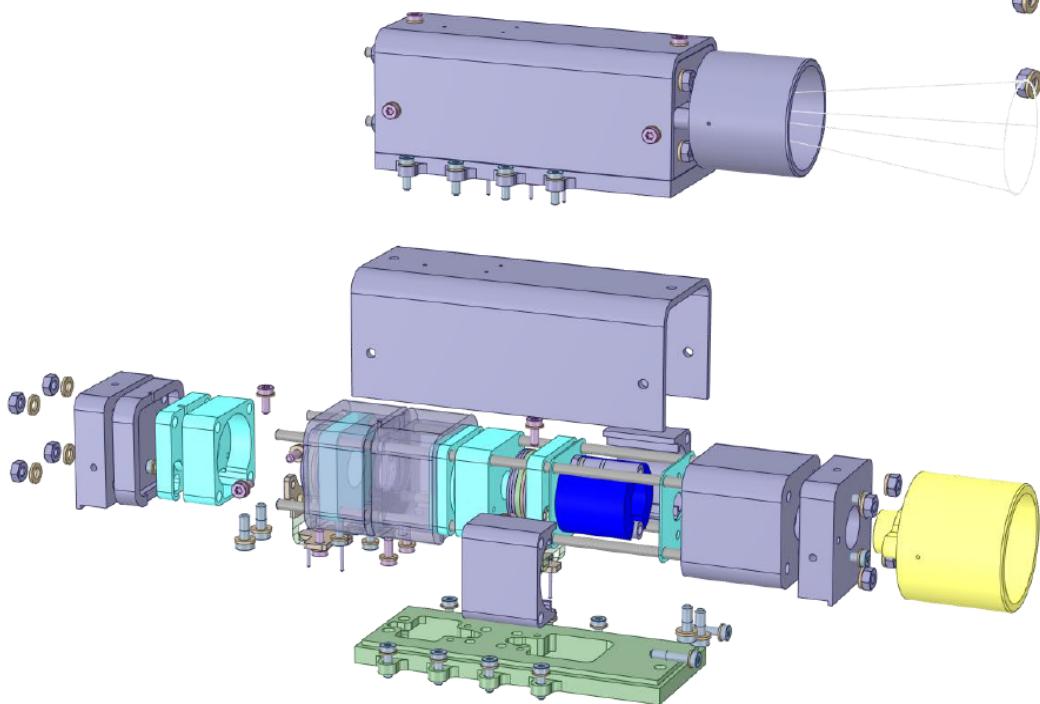
Light Mode:



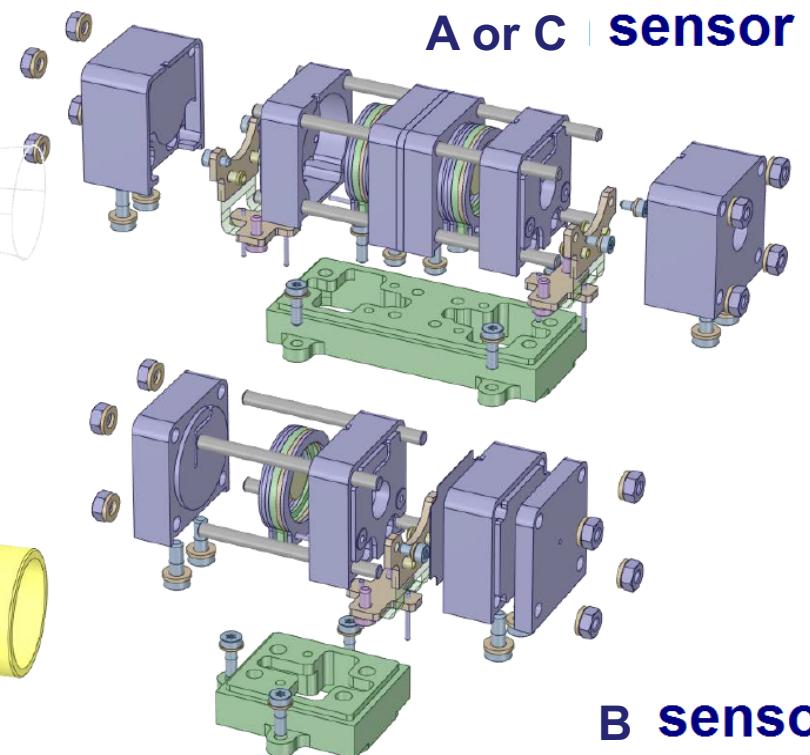
S=640 bytes and C=20 bytes

ICARE-NG2: The sensors

Low energy proton sensor



A or C | sensor



B sensor

ICARE-NG2: The sensors

SENSOR A (Coincidence – Anti-coincidence)		SENSOR B (Single)		SENSOR C (Coincidence – Anti-coincidence)		PROTON LOW ENERGY (Coincidence – Anti-coincidence)		ION SENSOR (Coincidence – Anti-coincidence)	
Electron (MeV)	Proton (MeV)	Electron (MeV)	Proton (MeV)	Electron (MeV)	Proton (MeV)	Electron (MeV)	Proton (MeV)	Ions (MeV/cm ² /mg)	Proton (MeV)
>0,87	12,9	>0,249	>80	>2,68	31		2.5	0.1-0.5	
>0,93	18,6	>0,270	>85	>2,77	47,3		3.	0.5-1.5	
>0,986	63	>0,299	>95	>2,85	61		3.5	1.5-3.	
>1,078	65	>0,320	>105	>2,93	64		4.	3.-5.	
>1,135	69	>0,342	>115	>3,01	67		4.5	5.-7.5	
>1,226	74	>0,363	>130	>3,09	75		5.	7.5-10.	
>1,3	81	>0,384	>160	>3,17	80		5.5		
>1,359	90	>0,413	>190	>3,25	85		6.		
>1,508	100	>0,455			90		7.		
>1,657	115	>0,505			100		8.		
>1,823	>54	>0,505			>56		9.		
>1,974	>60	>0,554			>60		10.		
>2,106	>66	>0,604			>65		12.		
>2,254	>73	>0,653			>70		14.		
>2,404	>81	>0,703			>75		16.		
>2,567	>90	>0,752			>80		18.		
	>100	>0,802			>90		20.		
	>110	>0,895			>100				
		>0,994							
		>1,093							
		>1,192							

ICARE-NG: Examples

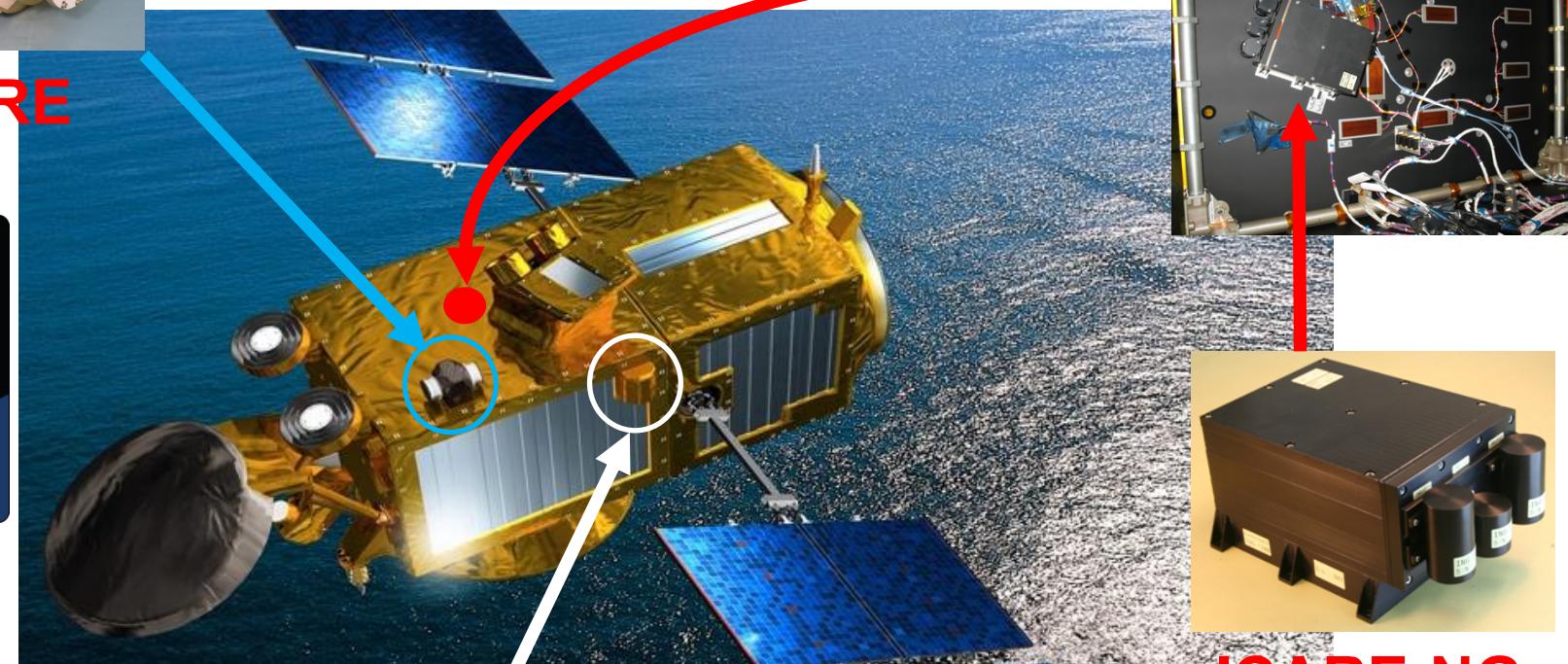


AMBRE



ICARE-NG & LPT "Sky View" -Z ↑ AMBRE –Y/-Z/+Y plane

Orientation of detectors



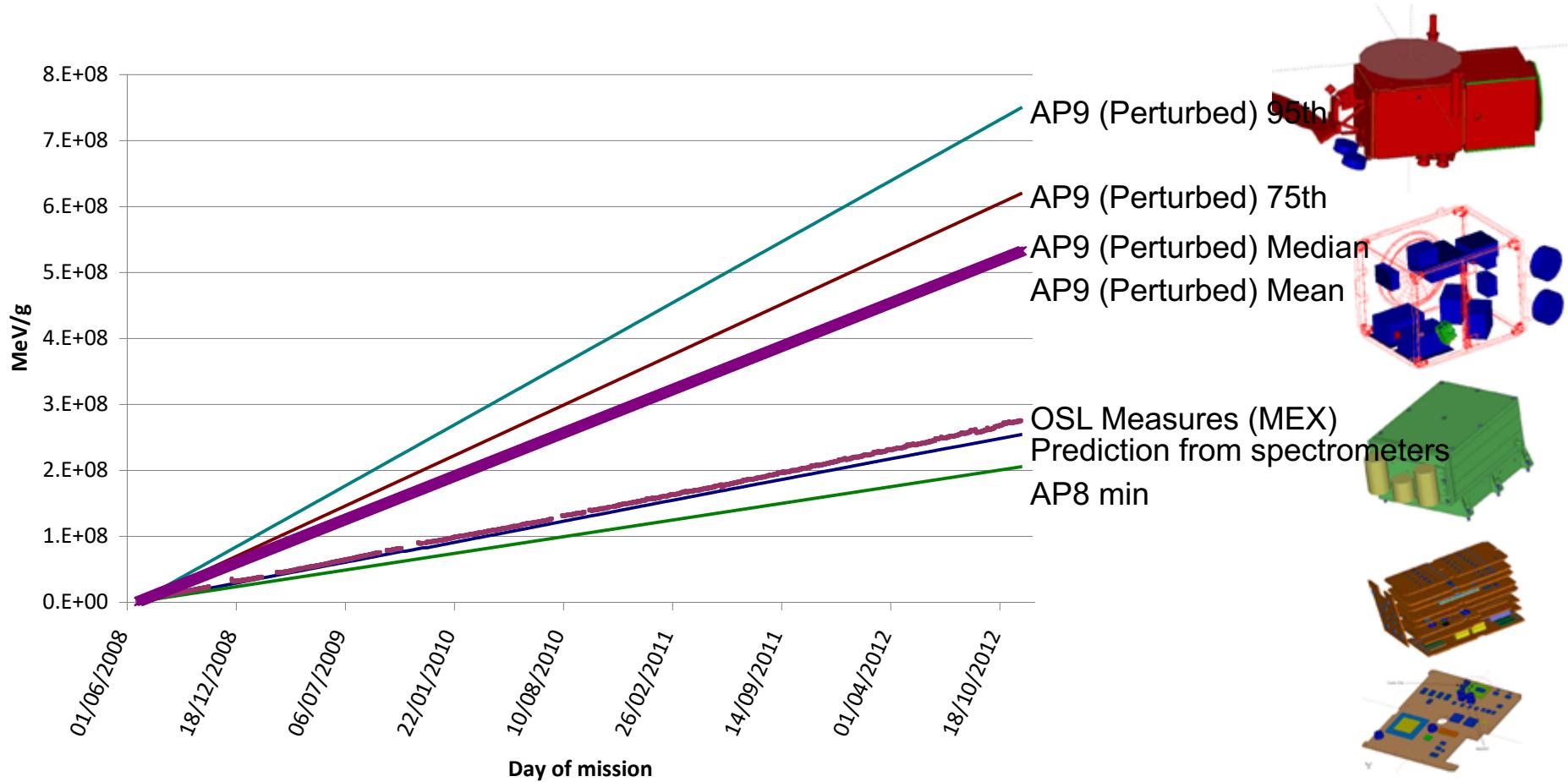
ICARE-NG



LPT-E and -S

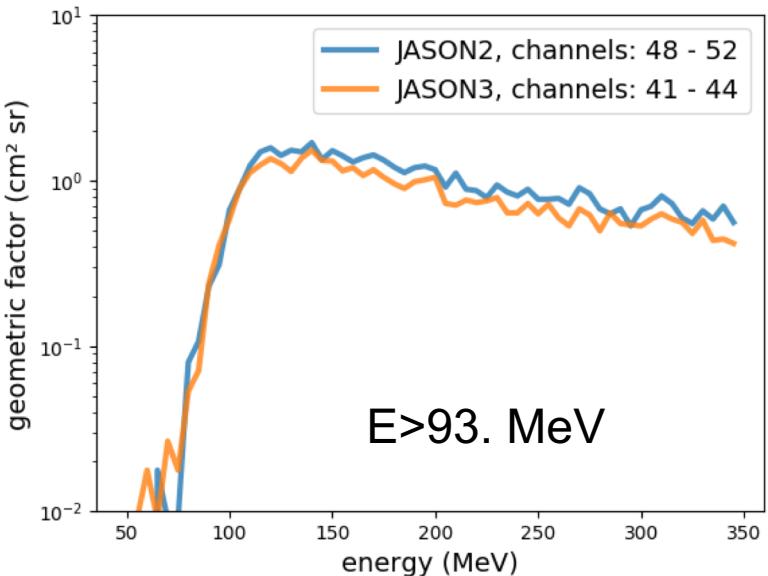
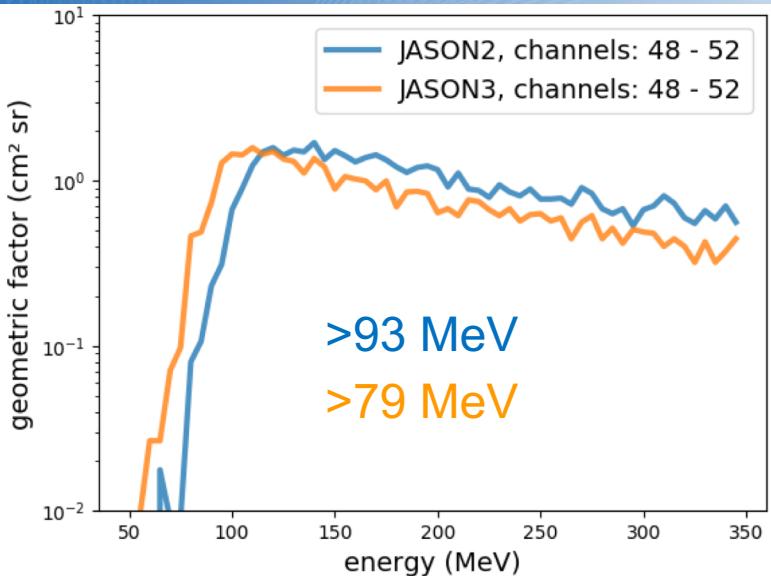
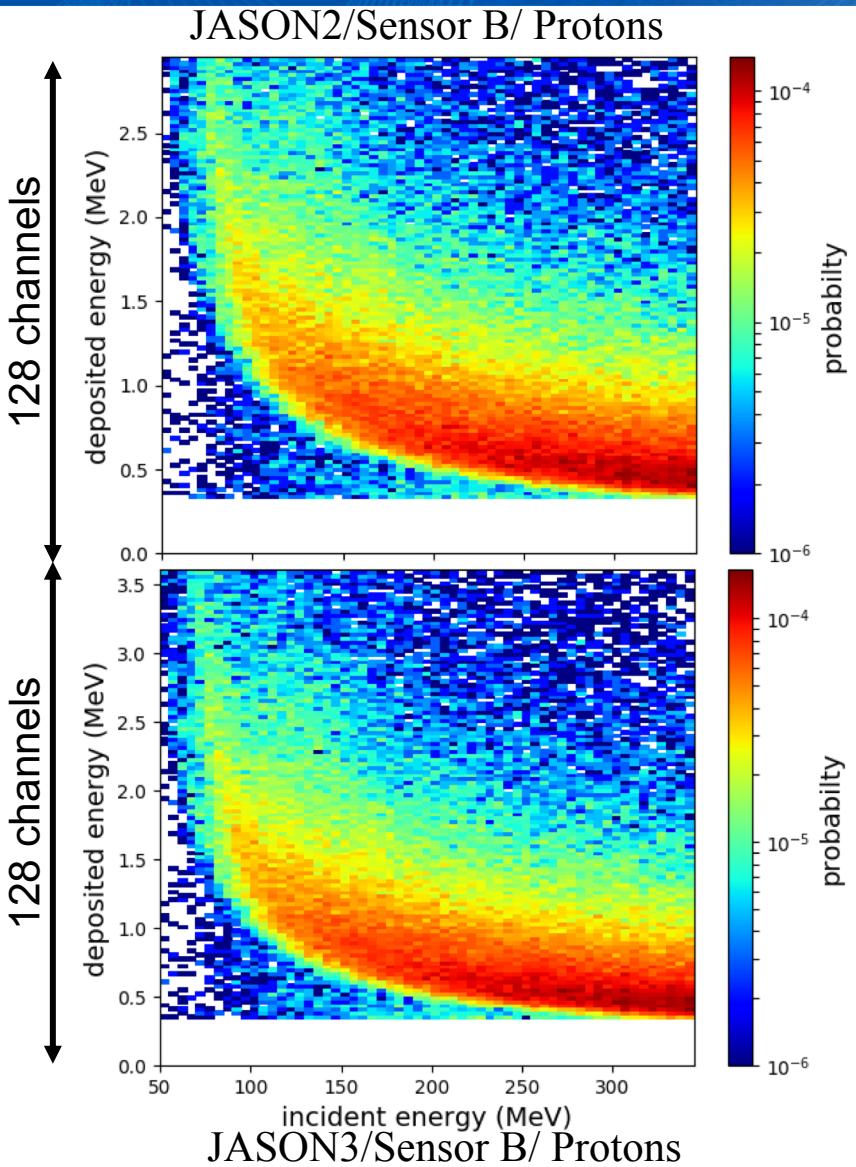


ICARE-NG: Examples

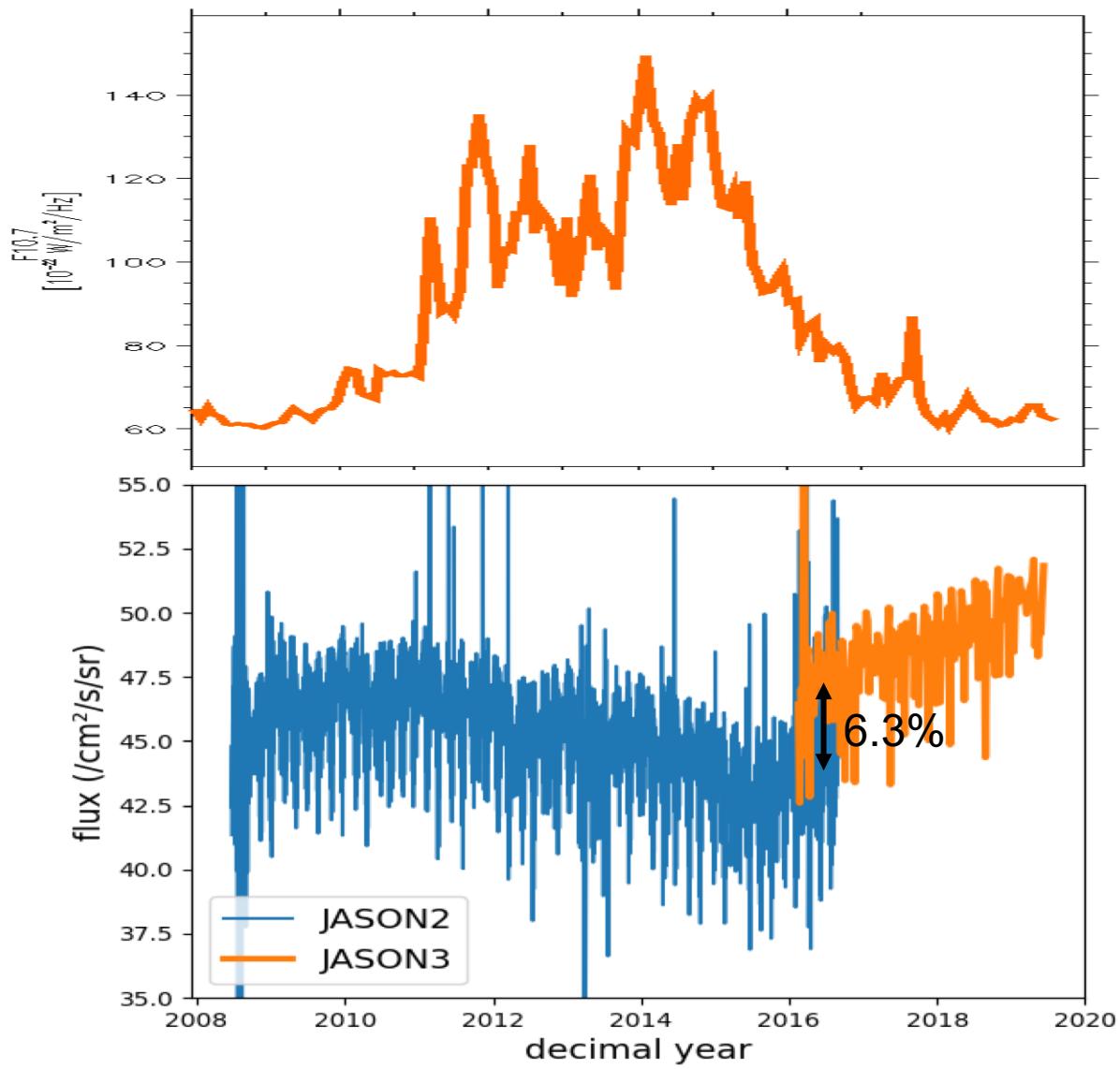


Excellent match between OSL measurements and predictions from spectrometers (within 5%)

ICARE-NG: Examples



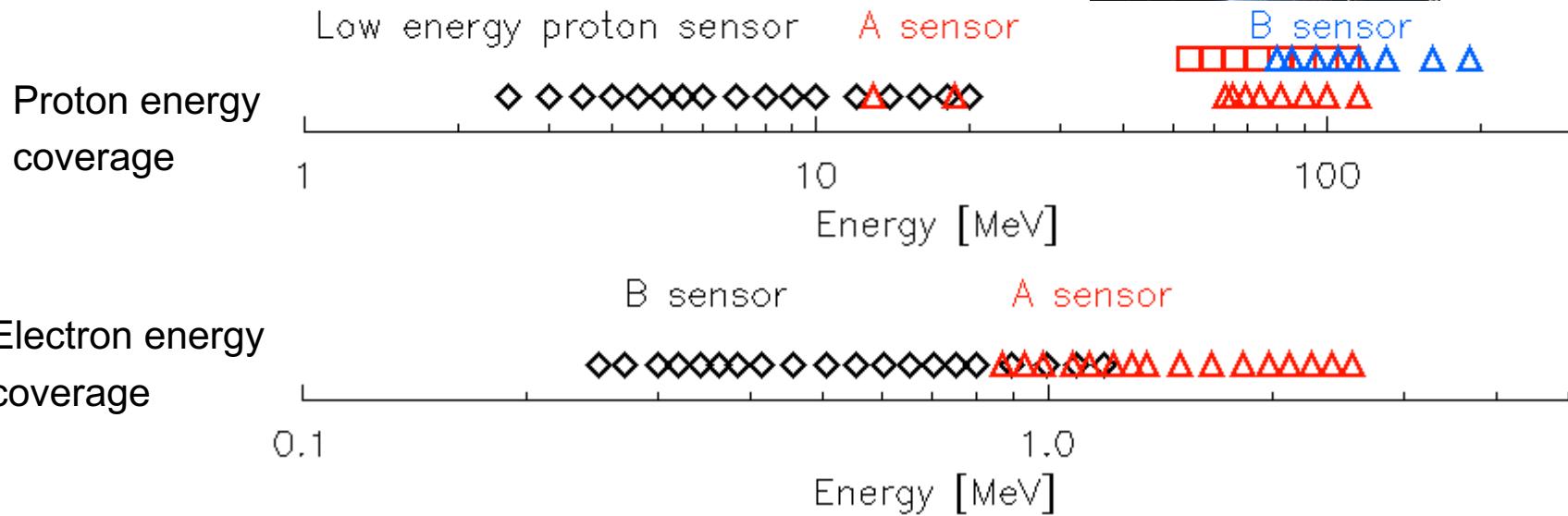
ICARE-NG: Examples



ICARE-NG2: Future missions

➤ HotBird F2 (Eutelsat)

- Manufacturer: ADS
- Ariane launch in 2021
- EOR + GEO
- CAN bus + 100V



➤ 2 ICARE-NG2 will be delivered to ESA part of SSA program

- Baseline: CAN bus + 100V
- Flight opportunities TBD