

Space Situational Awareness

The European Space Agency programme



SSA

- Sweden participates to the SSA programme since C-MIN 2012
- The participation is funded by the Swedish Defence (FM) and the Swedish Civil Contingencies Agency (MSB)
- Three parts: SWE, NEO, SST
- Swedish priorities: SWE and SST
- Reference group





Innovative low-cost research satellites

Status of the SNSB Call for Ideas



The call for ideas

- 12 contributions received (March 2012)
- 5 contributions selected on scientific merit (April 2012)
- Industrial consortium study (fall 2012)
- One concept withdrawn from study (Cheops was selected as ESA S-mission)
- Industrial consortium report (Jan 2013)



Results

- Goal: meet long-term cost target of 40 MSEK/mission (excluding payload).
- The industrial consortium study shows that:
 - All four concepts can be done ...
 - … but not meeting the cost target!
 - Public study report now available (www.snsb.se)
- SNSB investigates possible ways forward.





New enclosures in the annual call for research proposals



Application for new positions

- Ph.D. Students, Post-Docs. Researcher, Senior researcher
- Includes relevant CV:s (supervisor, applicant)
- Description of the research programme with respect to the position applied for.



Number of new positions

- Ph.D. Students: 3 each year => 12 at any year
- Post-Docs: 3 each year => 9 at any year
- Researchers (4 yr): 1 each year => 4 at any year
- Senior researchers (6 yr): 1 each year => 6 at any year
- In 2013, almost half of the annual budget is dedicated to positions.
- In 2016 onwards, one third of the annual budget will be for positions.



Instrument contributions

- Enclosure requested for new scientific instrument contributions, e.g. for future ESA science missions
- Scientific interest of the applicant's group in the mission
- Long-term cost estimate with preliminary funding request





JUICE

Swedish contributions to the JUICE mission



JUICE timeline

- May 2012: JUICE selected as L1 mission
- Feb 2013: Instruments and payload consortia selected for the JUICE payload
- 2014: Mission adoption.
- 2018: nominal payload delivery
- 2022: Launch
- 2030: Jupiter orbit insertion
- 2033: End of mission



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Swedish-led instruments

- Particle Environment Package
 - Stanislav Barabash
 - Institute of Space
 Physics, Kiruna

- Radio Plasma Wave
 Investigations
 - Jan-Erik Wahlund
 - Institute of Space
 Physics, Uppsala



Additional contribution

- Sub-millimetre Wave Instrument
 - Additional Swedish contribution
 - Donal Murtagh,
 Chalmers

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Omnisys Instruments



