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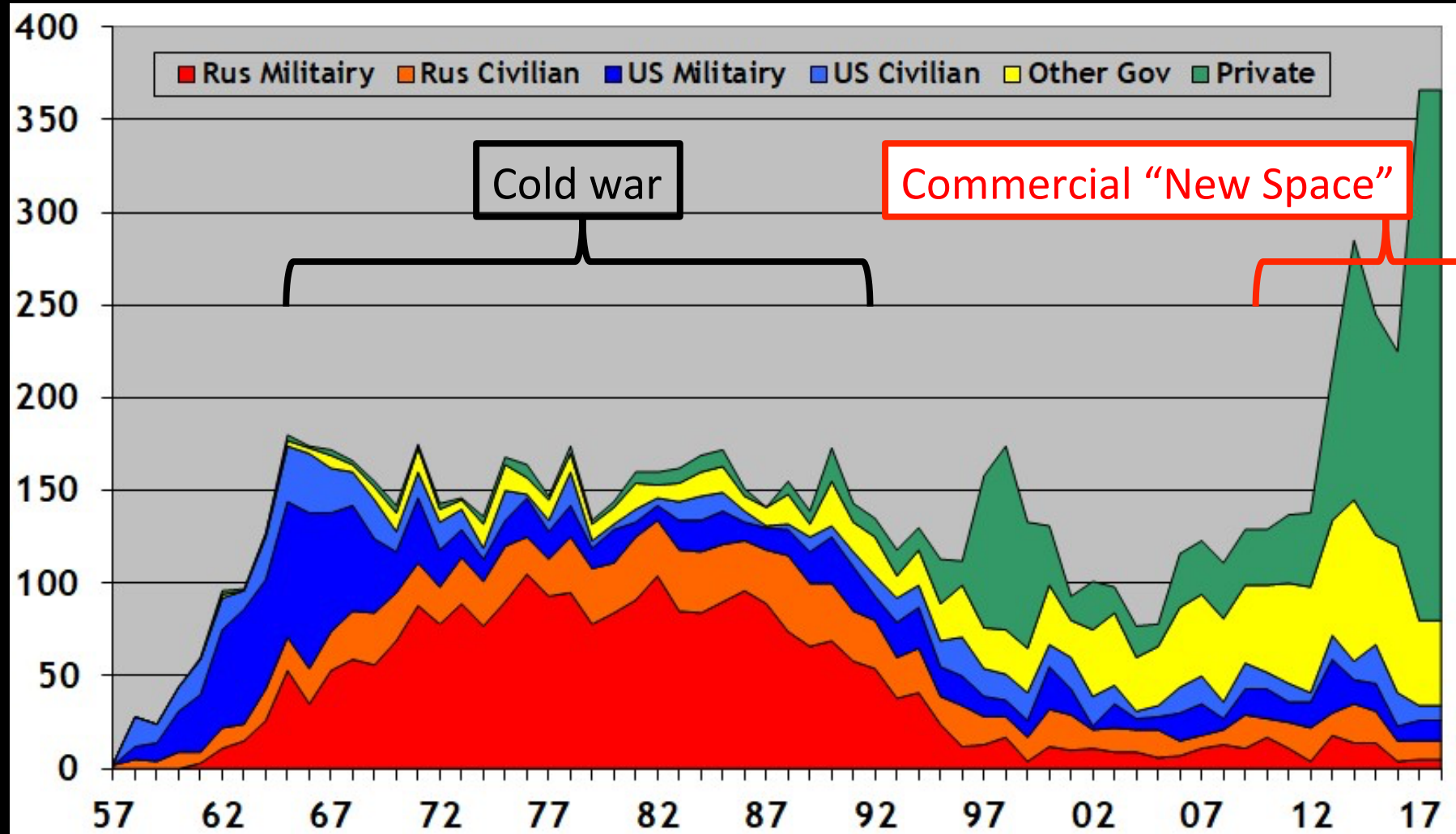
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Finnish satellite workshop, Espoo, 17-18 Jan, 2018

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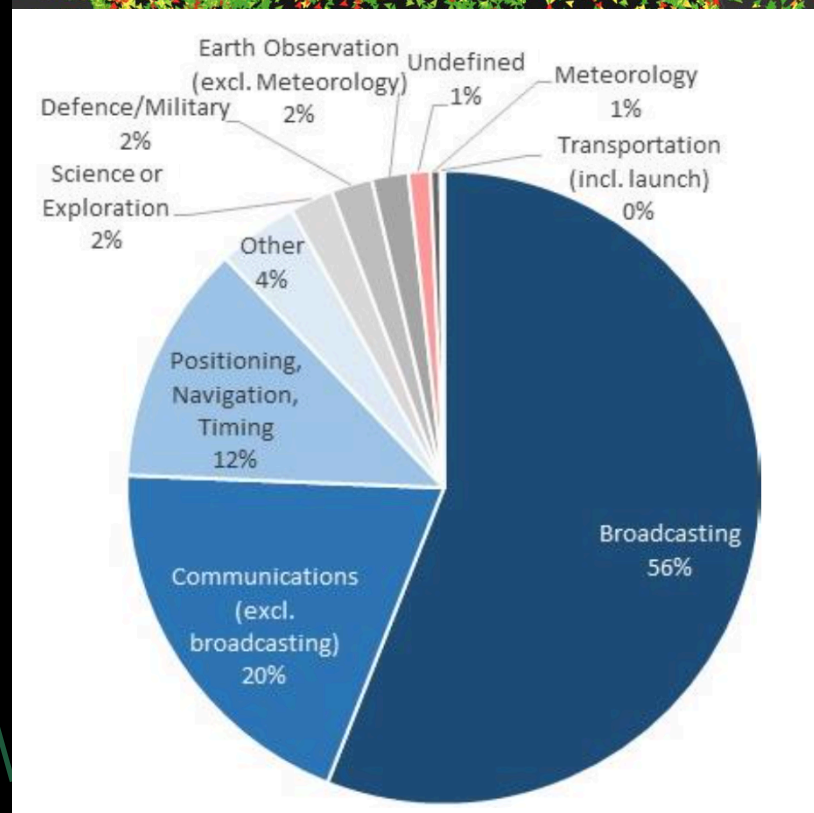
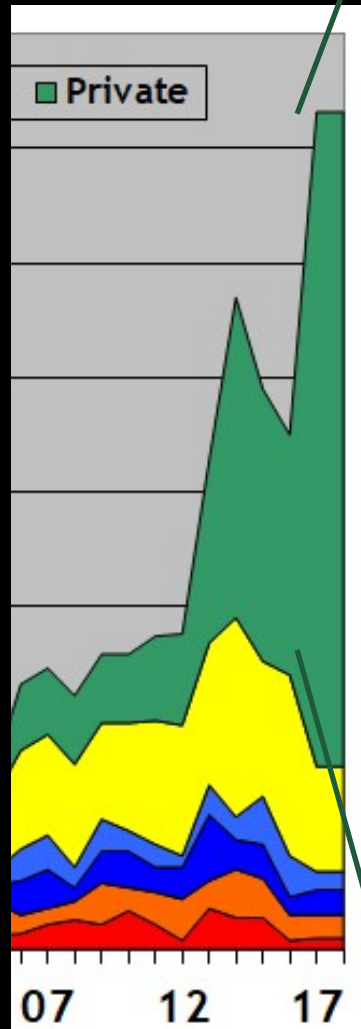
Emerging megatrend

Number of new spacecraft



Year

Spacecraft Encyclopedia/ <http://claudelaflaur.qc.ca>
<http://spaceworksforecast.com>



**UK space industry income
by capability, 2014/15**

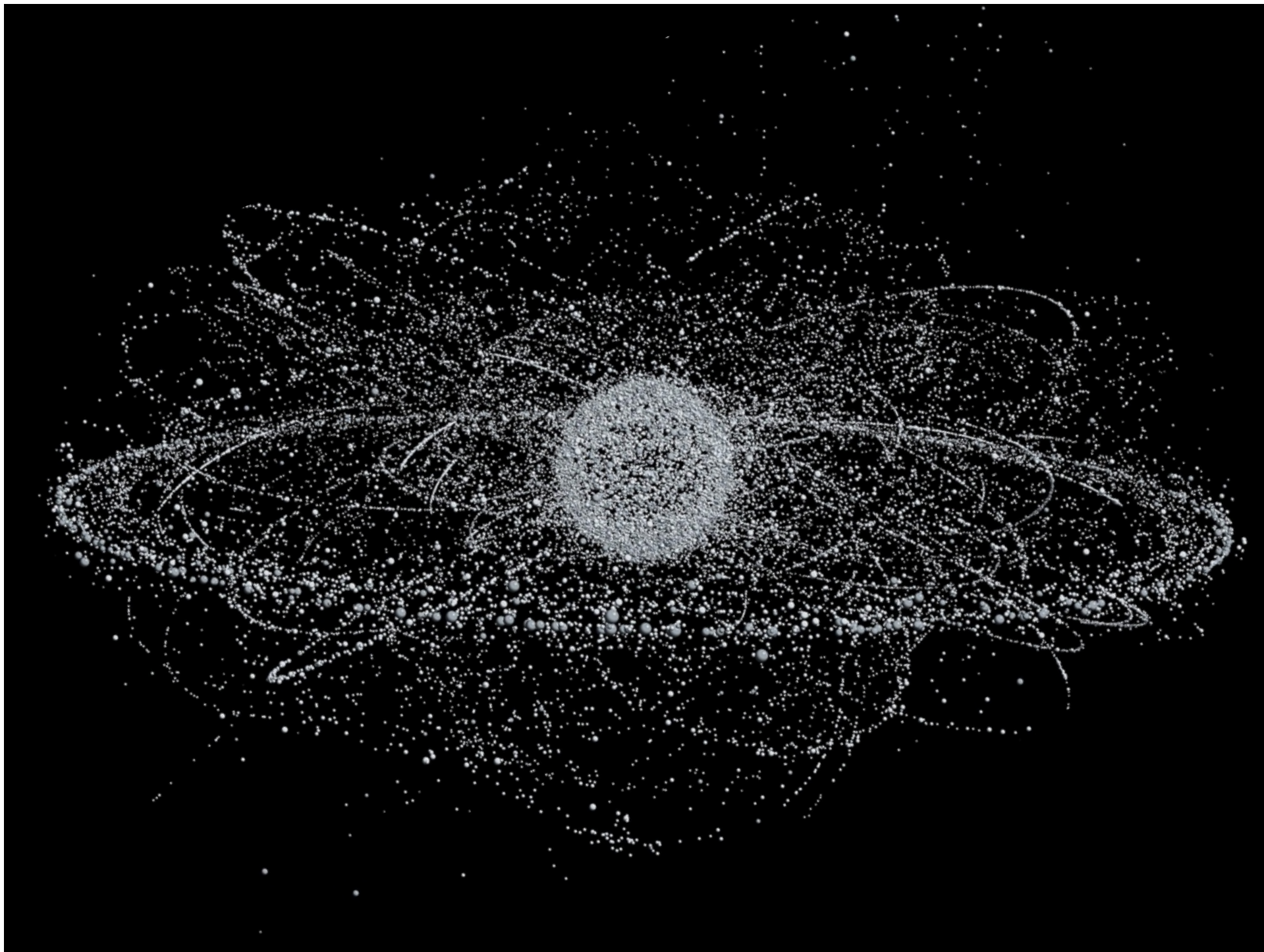
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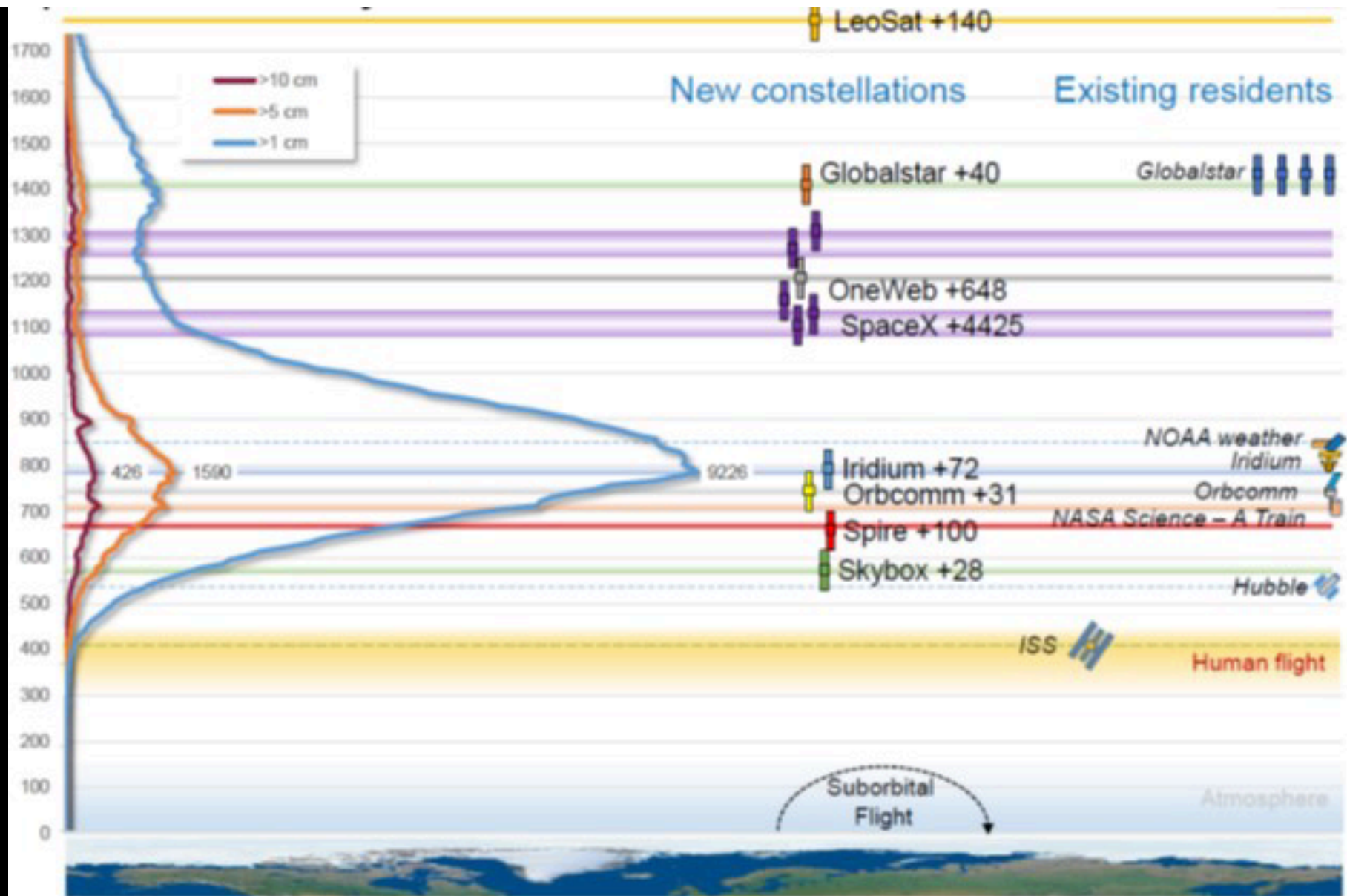
23 %




What does this mean?



Altitude (km)



Source: Aerospace Corporation, "Space Traffic Management: Can We Maintain Safe Operation in LEO?"

A composite image showing a dense field of space debris in orbit above Earth's blue horizon. The debris includes various sizes of fragments, some with solar panels, and a small satellite with a yellow cylindrical component. The background transitions from the bright blue of the atmosphere to the black of space.

Number of satellites increases rapidly
Small, commercial, launched fast
Sustainable science & business?

Genes behind embryonic
aneuploidy *pp. 180 & 235*

Closing the Central American
Seaway early *pp. 186 & 226*

Chemical imaging of
membrane lipids *p. 211*

Science

\$10
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sciencemag.org

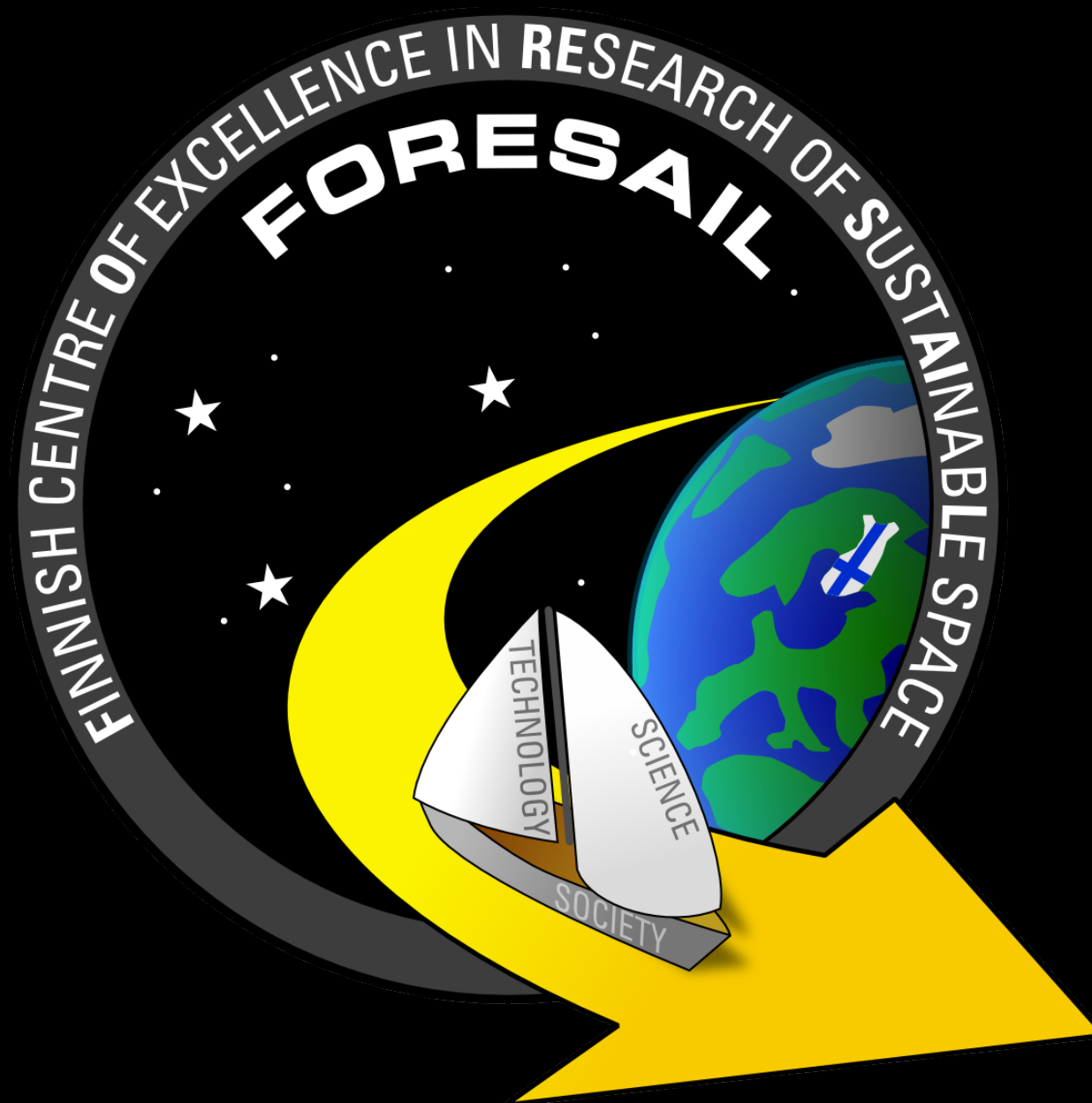
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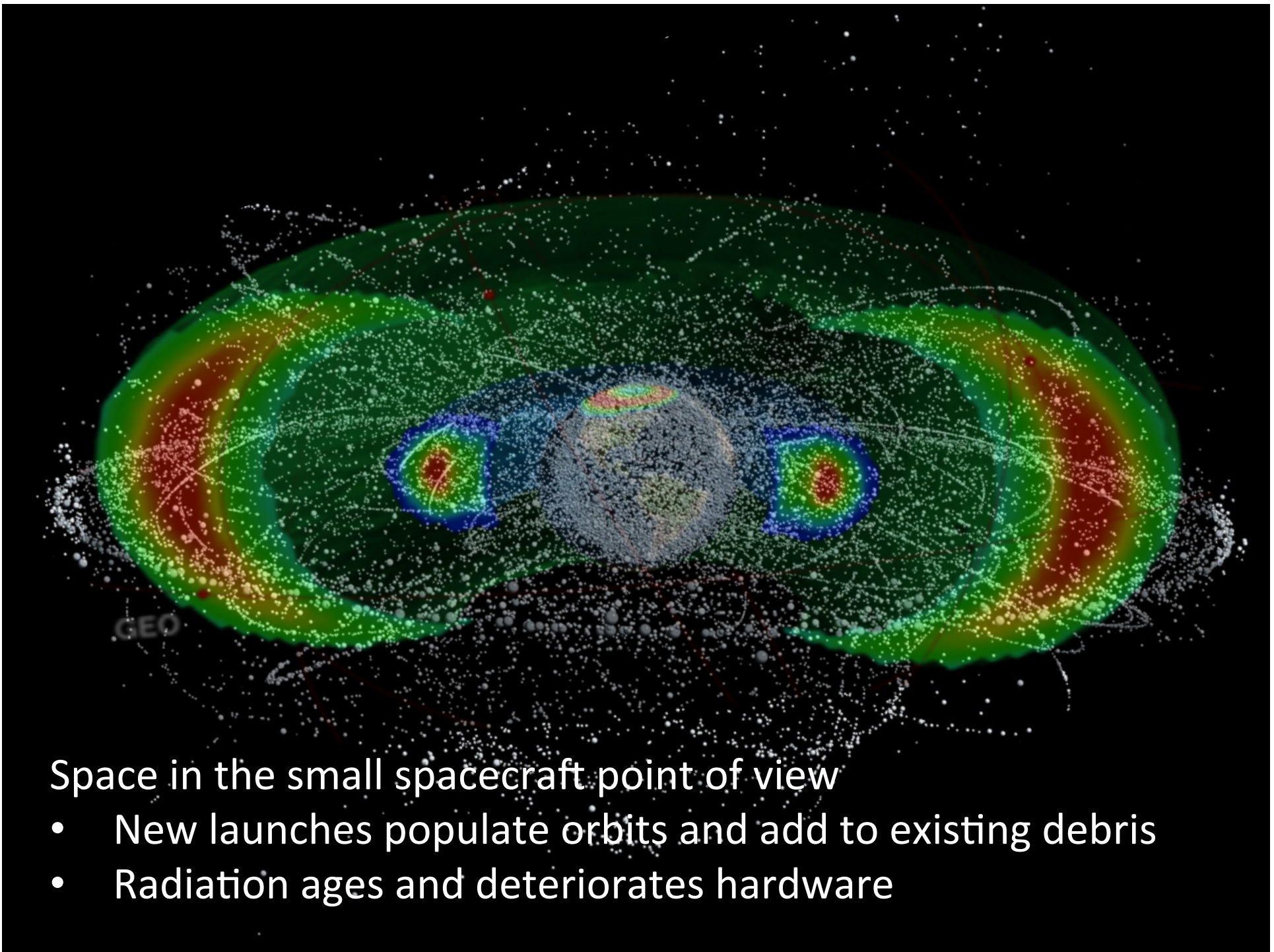


CubeSats take flight

Cheap, miniature satellites
democratize space *p. 172*





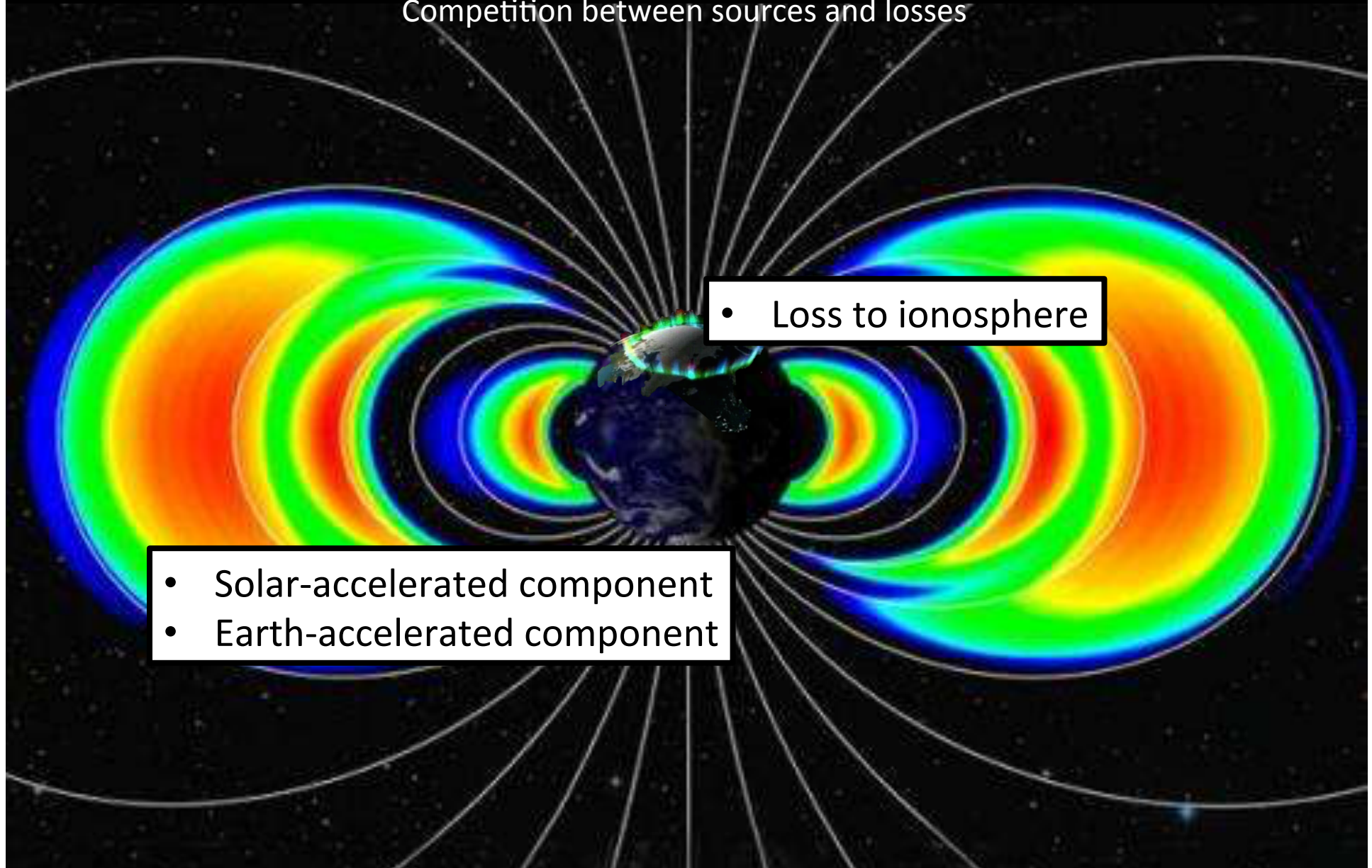


Space in the small spacecraft point of view

- New launches populate orbits and add to existing debris
- Radiation ages and deteriorates hardware

Radiation environment

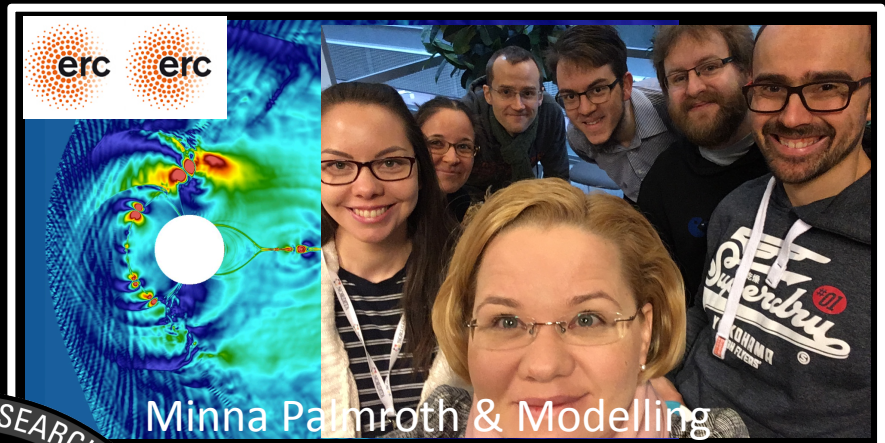
Competition between sources and losses



Who we are



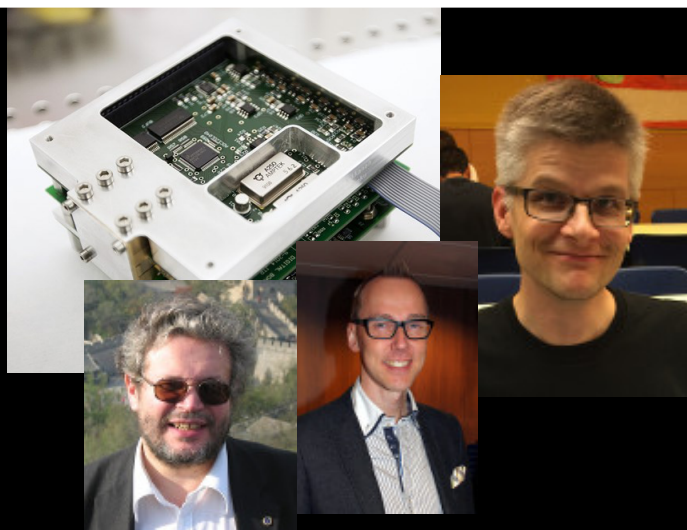
Jaan Praks & Aalto-series platforms



Minna Palmroth & Modelling



Emilia Kilpua & Observations



Rami Vainio & Intelligent Instruments

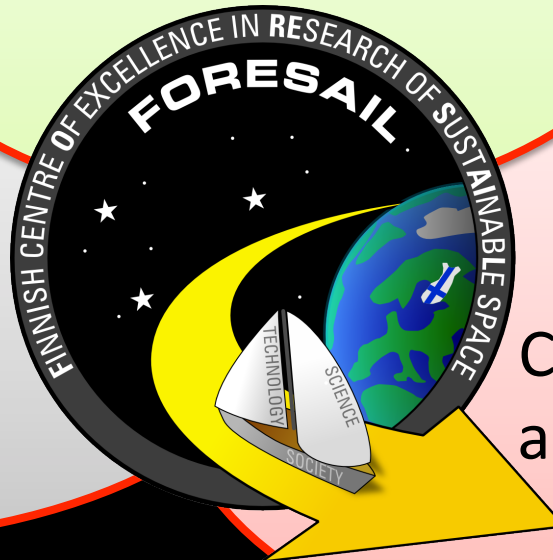


Pekka Janhunen & Propulsion & deorbiting

Science

Technology

Commercial
applications



Targets

- Understanding radiation environment
- Towards orbit safety
- Science based on nanosatellites

