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**Corvus**

# 12U Nanosatellite Bus

ALSO 1-12U NANOSATELLITES AS A SERVICE

Built with flight proven Plug&Play components

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# Service overview

## MISSION SATELLITE AS A SERVICE

Solution for our customers.

### MISSION DESIGN

- Mission requirements analysis
- Satellite configuration
- Technology tailoring
- Orbit prediction and determination

### DEVELOPMENT

- Conceptual design
- Systems engineering
- CAD drafting
- PCB design
- Onboard SW development

### TESTING AND GSE

- Integration
- Vibration tests
- T-VAC tests
- Radiation testing
- Antenna characteristics measurement
- Magnetometer calibrations
- Ground station services



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## LAUNCH CAMPAIGN MANAGEMENT

- Defining mission parameters
- Defining launch schedule and window
- Paperwork administration
- Satellite frequency coordination

## WE HAVE THE ANSWERS TO ALL YOUR QUESTIONS

- Where is my CubeSat right now?
- What observations happened today?
- What was the signal received during a particular observation?
- What are the actual data received (result of signal interpretation)?

## GROUND STATION SERVICES

- We are running our own ground stations in Central Europe and operate several others.
- Tracking satellites with accuracy better than 0.1 degree.
- Own decoding software which allows for clear display of telemetric data from individual systems.



# How to book a mission?

## 1. INITIAL INQUIRY

When you are ready to embark on your satellite mission, the first step is to reach out to us.

## 2. REQUIREMENTS GATHERING

We will schedule a consultation to understand your mission requirements.

## 3. PROPOSAL AND QUOTATION

Based on your requirements, we will provide a detailed proposal with cost estimates and options.

## 4. CONTRACT AND AGREEMENT

Contract covering all aspects of the project for your review and signature.

## 5. DESIGN AND ENGINEERING

Collaborate with our experts to finalize the CubeSat's design, subsystems, and specifications.

## 6. PRODUCTION AND ASSEMBLY

We will begin the production process, keeping you updated on major milestones and progress.

## 7. TESTING AND QUALITY ASSURANCE

Rigorous testing ensures your CubeSat meets all requirements.

## 8. DOCUMENTATION COMPLIANCE

We will assist you in obtaining necessary licenses and provide comprehensive documentation.

## 9. DELIVERY AND LAUNCH

We will handle logistics and launch of your CubeSat.

## 10. SATELLITE OPERATION

We offer ongoing support for on-orbit operations, troubleshooting, and maintenance services.

## SPACEMANIC ROADMAP [T MINUS]



6 MONTHS

5 MONTHS

3 MONTHS

2 MONTHS

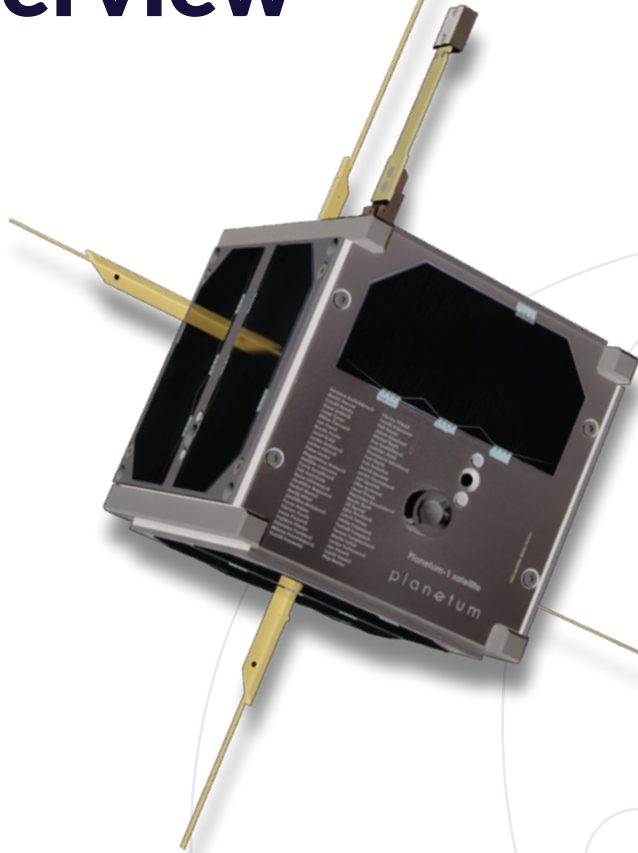
1 MONTH

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# Platform overview

**MOST ADVANCED  
NANOSATELLITE  
PLATFORM  
ON THE MARKET**



## **DESIGNED FOR**

- Complex tasks like in orbit object tracking
- Scientific research missions
- Technology IOD and IOV missions
- Commercial constellation missions
- Weather and climate monitoring
- Military purposes

## **CUBESAT STRUCTURE**

- Designed for easy integration and versatility
- Multiple PCB stack configurations
- Flexible payload volume
- Compatible with modern CubeSat deployers



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# CORVUS Specifications

## GENERAL FEATURES

- Total empty bus mass: below 12 kg depending on configuration
- Payload volume: up to 10U (+ 4x TunaCan)
- Corvus bus is already pre-integrated and qualified. The platform is ready to be immediately used for payload Integration.

## CDHS

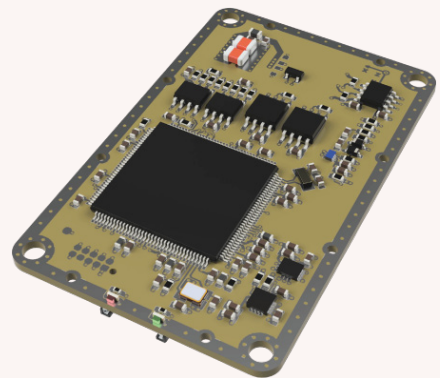
### DEEP THOUGHT + EDDIE

#### Deep Thought

- ARM 32-bit Cortex™ M7 CPU with clock speed up to 300 MHz (configurable)
- 128 MiB Flash data storage
- Multiple sensor interfaces (SPI, I2C, UART, etc.)
- Procedure planning and scheduling

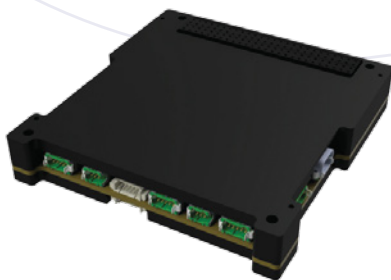
#### Eddie

- MSP430 16-bit RISC based MCU
- 3 MiB FRAM data storage
- Platform telemetry logging
- Multiple sensor interfaces (SPI, I2C, UART, etc.)
- Procedure planning and scheduling



## PAYLOAD CONTROLLER

- Zynq® featuring ARM Cortex™-A9 processor mated with Artix®-7 based programmable logic
- 2x Cortex-A9 CPU core (up to 1GHz)
- 1GB RAM
- 16GB internal storage
- Optional external storage up to 480GB
- PC/104; 2x CAN, 2x I2C, power, PPS, SpaceWire (up to 200 Mbps), 2xLVDS (5 pairs, 4 pairs); USB 2.0 with OTG support, 3x RS-422, 3x RS-485, SPI, UART

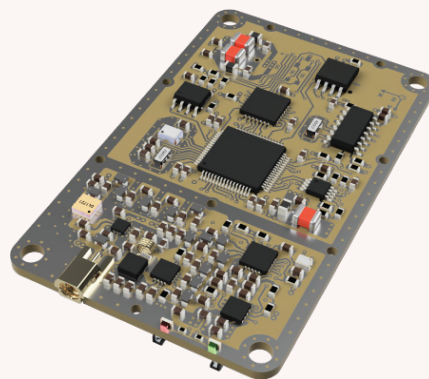


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## COMMUNICATION

### Murgas

- UHF/VHF Transceiver 400 MHz Band (amateur 420-450MHz and 144-148MHz)
- Bit rate: 0.1-38.4 kbps
- Receiver sensitivity -120 dBm
- Modulation: GFSK, CW
- Regulated power output: 1.0 W

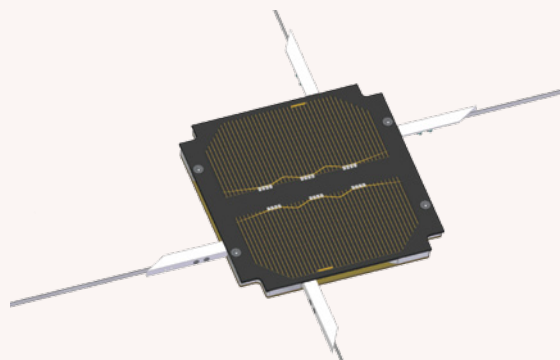


### Antenna Board

- UHF Antenna
- Low-profile Antenna Board (compact and lightweight)
- Type - Omnidirectional

### Full-Duplex S-band Transceiver

- RX frequency range: 2025 - 2110 MHz
- TX frequency range: 2200 - 2290 MHz
- RX bit rate: 128 kbps
- TX bit rate: 512 kbps
- Receiver sensitivity -104 dBm (<1% PER)
- Modulation: GMSK
- Full-duplex transmit and receive: 5.0 W
- High-speed downlink



## POWER SUPPLY UNIT

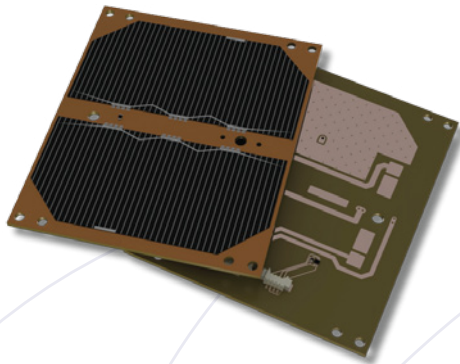
Outputs (over-current protected):

- 2 fixed voltage rails: 3.3 V; 5 V
- Up to 6 regulated configurable: 3.3 V / 5 V / 12 V
- Typical output channel current: 4 A

Batteries:

- 7.4 V, 40-100 Wh

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## SOLAR PANELS RA

Triple Junction GaAs Solar Cell in series configuration

- 30% efficiency
- Options for sensor and interface tailoring
- LEO rated at 2.3 Watts (1U side panel)
- Up to 14 cell 6U configuration
- Custom design with different cell layout, sensor mounts

## AOCS

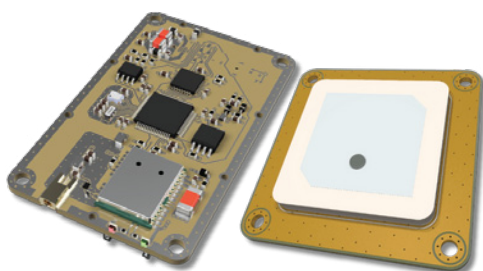
- Inertial and Magnetic Sensors System
- Sun Sensors
- Star Tracker
- IMU
- Reaction Wheels - 4
- Magnetorquer
- SW, automatic calibration
- Attitude pointing accuracy: up to  $\pm 0.1^\circ$
- Attitude pointing knowledge: up to  $0.05^\circ$
- Stability accuracy (Jitter):  $\pm 0.004^\circ/s$  (at  $f > 4$  Hz)
- Attitude maneuver ability (Slew rate): up to  $5^\circ/s$

## Operational modes:

- Sun pointing mode
- Nadir pointing mode
- Velocity pointing mode
- Ground geodetic coordinate pointing mode
- Client defined pointing mode



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## GPS SYSTEM CELESTE

- GPS/Galileo/GLONASS/BeiDou
- Maximum velocity 10km/s
- -148dBm cold start sensitivity
- -165dBm tracking sensitivity
- 29 seconds cold start TTFF
- 1 second hot start
- 2m CEP accuracy



# CORVUS Specifications

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## UMBILICAL CONNECTOR

- Main satellite communication bus
- PSU reset
- Battery charging
- Fake solar input
- Remove before flight element

## PROPULSION SYSTEM

- Optional

## SOFTWARE

Satellite platform software implements CubeSat Space Protocol (CSP) on internal communication buses. Subsystems implement plain text command line interface for parameter configuration and development on debug ports and over a CSP port.

The included software products include:

- CDHS software for platform telemetry logging and interface
- COM UHF interface and parameter configuration
- COM UHF deployable antenna interface
- COM S-band interface and parameter configuration
- PSU interface and parameter configuration
- AOCS interface for operation and parameter configuration
- GNSS interface and parameter configuration

Optional payload computer system is provided with basic example software interfacing the satellite bus without any specific functionality.



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