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#### 18-04-2020

# Webinar on Small Satellites-Technology Aspects and Procedures

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ECE Webinar(1) on "Small Satellites-Technology Aspects and Procedures" on 18-04-2020 (Saturday)-Reg.

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Respected Sir/Madam.

Our ECE department has initiated to conducted a series of webinars on cutting edge technologies and social issues etc. In the series of webinars, the first webinar is scheduled and the details are as follows.

Webinar: "Small Satellites-Technology Aspects and Procedures"

Speaker: Dr. K. Sarat Kumar, Professor, ECE Dept.

Expert Talk Series: 01

Date: 18-04-2020

Time: 11 AM

Register Here:



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Interested participants are requested to register using the above mentioned link. All HODs are requested to share the details in the respective department.

Thank You,

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#### **Poster:**



#### Fig. Poster of webinar

# 1. Objective and discussions:

 Small satellites, also known as smallsats, are becoming increasingly popular due to their lower costs, faster development times, and versatile applications. Here's an overview of the technology aspects and procedures associated with small satellites:

### 3. Types of Small Satellites:

- a. CubeSats: CubeSats are standardized small satellites based on a cube-shaped form factor, typically measured in units of 10 cm × 10 cm × 10 cm (1U). They can be stacked together for larger configurations like 2U, 3U, or even larger.
- b. NanoSats: Slightly larger than CubeSats, NanoSats typically range from 1 kg to 10 kg in mass and offer increased payload capabilities.
- c. MicroSats: MicroSats are larger than NanoSats, weighing between 10 kg to 100 kg, and can carry more sophisticated payloads.



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### 4. Key Technologies:

- a. Miniaturized Components: Small satellites utilize miniaturized electronics, including processors, sensors, and communication systems, to fit within their compact form factor.
- b. Solar Panels: Small satellites often use deployable solar panels to generate power for onboard systems.
- c. Attitude Control: Attitude determination and control systems (ADCS) are essential for orienting the satellite in space, typically using reaction wheels, magnetorquers, or thrusters.
- d. Communication Systems: Small satellites use compact communication systems for data downlink and uplink, often utilizing amateur radio bands, S-band, or X-band frequencies.
- e. Onboard Computers: Due to limited space and power, small satellites employ lightweight, radiation-hardened computers for onboard processing tasks.
- f. Propulsion Systems: Some small satellites incorporate propulsion systems for orbit maintenance, deorbiting, or maneuvering.

# 5. Launch Procedures:

- a. Piggybacking: Small satellites are often launched as secondary payloads on larger launch vehicles, a practice known as piggybacking or ridesharing. This reduces launch costs but may result in limited control over the satellite's orbit.
- b. Dedicated Launches: In some cases, small satellites may have dedicated launches tailored to their specific mission requirements, providing greater control over the orbit and deployment parameters.
- c. CubeSat Deployers: CubeSats are frequently deployed from dedicated CubeSat deployers, which release the satellites into space once the primary payload reaches its desired orbit.



d. Launch Integration: Small satellite developers work closely with launch service providers to ensure compatibility with the launch vehicle and adherence to safety and regulatory requirements.

# 6. Mission Operations:

- a. Ground Stations: Small satellite operators establish ground stations for communicating with their satellites, receiving telemetry data, and sending commands.
- b. Mission Planning: Mission operators plan satellite operations, including orbit maintenance, payload operations, and data collection schedules.
- c. Data Processing: Once data is received from the satellite, it undergoes processing and analysis to extract valuable information for scientific research, Earth observation, or other applications.
- d. Satellite Health Monitoring: Operators continuously monitor the health and status of the satellite, diagnosing any anomalies and implementing corrective actions as necessary.

# 7. Applications:

- a. Earth Observation: Small satellites are used for imaging, environmental monitoring, and disaster response.
- b. Communication: Small satellites can augment existing communication networks or provide connectivity to remote or underserved areas.
- c. Scientific Research: Small satellites enable scientific research in areas such as astronomy, space weather monitoring, and atmospheric studies.
- d. Technology Demonstration: Small satellites serve as platforms for testing new technologies and concepts in space.



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8. Overall, small satellites offer a cost-effective means of conducting space missions and have democratized access to space for a wide range of organizations, including universities, research institutions, and commercial entities. However, their small size and limited resources present unique challenges that require innovative solutions in design, development, and operation.

### **Online Link**

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