

**Spacecraft Electrical Power** 



## **Company Overview**



#### Systems

Microsatellites



#### **Sub-Systems**

- Small instruments
- Sensors and Detectors
- Electric Propulsion (HET, FEEP)
- AOCS



#### **Equipments**

- Spacecraft Electrical Power
- Control Electronics for Complex Systems
- Spacecraft Data and Communications
- Electrical Ground Support Equipments



- Rad tolerant Analog, Digital and Mixed-Signal ASICs
- Digital IP Cores for Complex FPGAs

Italian Medium Enterprise with more than 200 high qualified employees and state-of-the-art facilities

Strong Heritage in Design,
Development, Production and
Qualification of Instruments,
Electronics and Microelectronics
Systems compliant with high
reliability standards.

Turn-key Microsatellites based Solutions for Earth Observation and Science Applications and Services, with the support of selected partners.

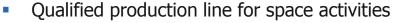
Quality Assurance Certifications: **EN 9100**, ISO 14001, SA8000



## **Plants and Facilities**

- Headquarters in Modugno (BA) Design, Engineering and Production
- Premises in Pisa Design and low volume production
- 10000 m<sup>2</sup> new Headquarters under construction in Bari





- Large area class ISO 8 Clean Rooms
- Automatic Assembly Line
- Anechoic Chamber
- Mechanical Test Facilities
- Thermal Chamber
- X-Ray Machine







## Main Space Programs and Customers









Extensive heritage in a wide range of solutions that have been delivered to the most important Space Players in Europe and all around the world









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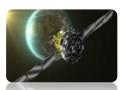
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Solar Orbiter















## Space Electrical Power Overview

SITAEL designs and produces a very wide range of reliable, low noise and high efficiency space-born power supply systems. Power products include the following series: HV, LMV, and Specific Power Supplies.

SITAEL heritage and gained experience in power products includes units on several **Earth Observation** and **Science** missions on both manned and unmanned platforms.





## Spacecraft Electrical Power

#### **HV** series

Up to 12 kV high efficiency high voltage DC/DC converters and linear regulators family



#### **LMV** series

From 2.6 up to 120 V space-born high efficiency single and multi-outputs DC/DC Converters



#### **Specific Power Supplies**

With over 18 years experienced engineering staff, SITAEL is able to produce spacequalified power supply systems to meet any requirements coming from different satellite payloads and platform sub-systems

#### □ Optical Payloads (Detectors, Imagers, Spectrometers, APD, PMT, CCD)

- Spectrometer Telescope for Imaging X-rays (Solar Orbiter)
- Soft Gamma-ray Detector, Hard X-ray Imager and Soft X-ray Spectrometer (ASTRO-H)
- Avalanche Photo Diodes and Photo Multiplier Tubes (CALET)
- Modular X- and Gamma-Ray Sensor (ASIM)
- Canadian Electrical Field Instrument (SWARM)
- JEM-X (INTEGRAL)



- SAR TGU (Sentinel1)
- SRAL-C Ku (Sentinel3)



- MMFU (EarthCARE)
- PDHU (GAIA)









## **HV** series

#### High Efficiency High Voltage DC/DC converters and Linear Regulators

- ☐ Up to 12 kV Outputs
- ☐ No Input Single Point Failure
- ☐ Latch-Up Protection Circuit
- ON/OFF Control
- ☐ Selectable Soft Start and Latch Delay
- ☐ SYNC Input and Thermal protection



## **DC/DC Converters**

Product Code	Input Range	Output Voltage	Output Current
S9031	+26V to +31V	-2500V	2.5mA
S9032	+26V to +31V	-900V	7mA
S9090	+4.75V to +5.25V	+2000V	30uA
S9097	+4.75V to +5.25V	+3000V	100uA
S9098	+4.75V to +5.25V	-3000V	100uA
S9099	+4.75V to +5.25V	+1250V	500uA
S9100	+10.8V to +13.2V	-1250V	500uA
S9102	+4.75V to +5.25V	+1250V	10uA
S9103	+4.75V to +5.25V	+600V	20uA



## **Linear Regulators**

Product Code	Input Range	Output Voltage	Output Current
S9033	0V to +2100V	+700V to +1800V	
S9034	0V to -1000V	0V to -950V	
S9035	0V to -2500V	-800V to -2200V	
S9036	0V to +1000V	0V to +950V	





## LMV series

#### Space-born High Efficiency Single and Multi-Outputs DC/DC Converters

- ☐ Outputs from 2.6 up to 120 V
- No Input Single Point Failure
- ☐ Latch-Up Protection Circuit
- ON/OFF Control
- ☐ Selectable Soft Start and Latch Delay
- ☐ SYNC Input and Thermal protection



## **Single Output**

Product Code	Input Range	Output Voltage	Output Power
S9008	+22V to +32V	+17 V	100W
S9023*	+26V to +31V	+3.6 V	25W
S9024*	+26V to +31V	+5.6 V	25W
S9026	+26V to +31V	+12V	

(\*) Available also in DUAL configuration (two identical modules on a single board for redundancy)



## **Multiple Output**

Product Code	Input Range	Outputs	<b>Output Power</b>
S9022*	+26V to +31V	+5.6 V; -5.6V	14W
S9027*	+26V to +31V	+3.6V; -2.6V	10W
S9048Dual	+26V to +31V	+2.8V; -2.8V	12W
S9056Dual	+26V to +31V	+5V; +120V	6W
S9074Dual	+26V to +31V	+3.3V; +5.6V	25W
S9021*	+26V to +31V	+5.6V; +2.5V ;-2.5V	15W
S9025*	+26V to +31V	+6V; -6V; +120V	3.5W
S9050 (CPPS)	+22V to +37V	+2.5V; +3.3V; +5V(6x); -5V(2x); +6V; +10V; +12V(2x); -12V; +15V(3x); - 15V(3x); +28V(2x)	50W

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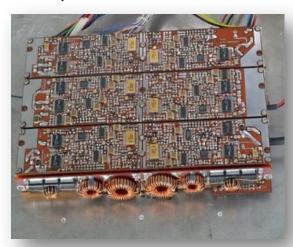
## Central Payload Power Supply



**Customer: ESA** 

Function: Central Payload Power Supply for Compact Instrumentation

- 23 post regulated outputs divided into 10 Instruments groups with independent ground returns
- $\square$  Output voltages from  $\pm 2.5$  to  $\pm 28$  V and current up to 1.5 A.
- Easily adaptable to other secondary supply voltage/current requirements
- ☐ Up to 80% efficiency
- 800mW consumption with Instruments OFF
- 22V to 37V Input Bus
- 50W nominal output power
- ☐ Load and cross regulation better than 1%
- ☐ 100kHz fixed frequency operation
- Low output noise
- Input EMI filter
- ☐ Input under-voltage protection
- Overload/short circuit protection
- Output over-voltage latching protection



820 cm<sup>3</sup> / 980g



## 120V/28V DC/DC Converter



Customer: SELEX ES, ASTRIUM DE, NASA

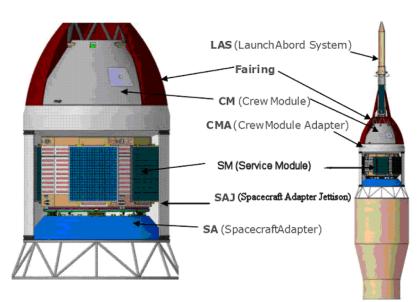
**Orion MPCV** 

Function: 120V/28V DC/DC Converter Module of the Service Module PCDU of

NASA Multi Purpose Crew Vehicle

#### Features:

- Controls the power flow from 120V Redundant Unregulated Bus to the 28V Regulated Bus inside PCDU
- Two DC/DC modules working in hot redundancy
- Each DC/DC module is composed by two identical sections of Step-down converters, completely independent (apart from the command-decoding interface)
- Two Input Power Bus Capacitors Banks (N+R)
- One Output Power Bus Capacitors Bank
- Max delivered power: 2kW
- □ 3+1 configuration: 1.5kW reduced power in case of single failure



## **MPCV Configuration**



## **Specific Power Supplies**

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 Optical Payloads (Detectors, Imagers, Spectrometers, APD, PMT, CCD),

- RF Payloads (SAR, SRAL),
- Data Systems (PDHU, MMU),
- Electric Propulsion (Hall, FEEP).





# HVPS for Soft Gamma-ray Detector, Hard X-ray Imager and Soft X-ray Spectrometer

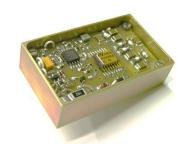


**ASTRO-H** 

Customer: JAXA, OHB, ESA

**Function**: High Voltage Power Supplies (HVPS) to be used in the Soft Gamma ray Detector (SGD), the Hard X-ray Imager (HXI) and the Soft X-ray Spectrometer (SXS) of the ASTRO-H satellites.

- Power Supply for Si/APD type (HXI, SGD)
  - +600 V / 20uA
- Power Supply for CdTe type (HXI, SGD)
  - +1250V / 10uA
- Power Supply for SXS/MXS (Modulated X-ray Source)
  - -11.3 KV / 50uA
- Common features:
  - Remotely programmable output voltage
  - Low ripple and high output voltage stability
  - Output voltage analog monitor
  - HV enable signal







# HVPS for Avalanche Photo Diodes and Photo Multiplier Tubes



CALET

Customer: JAXA, IFAC-CNR, ASI

**Function**: HV Power Supply Systems for Avalanche Photo Diodes (APDs) and Photo Multiplier Tubes (PMTs) of the Calorimeter Electron Telescope (CALET) Experiment to be installed on ISS Japanese Experiment Module.

- 22 main + 22 redundant output channels for APDs
  - 0 to +1250 V/ 500 μA
- 80 main + 80 redundant linearly regulated independent output channels for PMTs
  - 0 to -900V / 150uA
- Common features:
  - Remotely programmable output voltage
  - Overcurrent protection on each channel
  - Low ripple and high output voltage stability
  - Output voltage analog monitor
  - HV enable signal





## Canadian EFI PSU

**SWARM** 

Customer: COM DEV, ESA

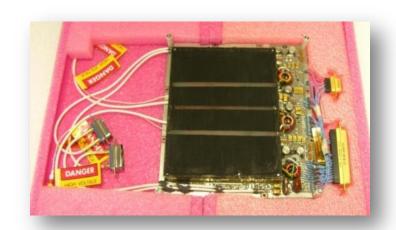
Function: Development and MAIT of EM, QM and FM for

both Low and High Voltage Power Supply Units of SWARM CEFI

- $\Box$  6 Low Voltage Outputs: +3.3V, ±5 V, ±15V, +30V
- 8 High Voltage Outputs: double +8KV, double -2.4KV
- □ double -100V, double AC ( $-100V \div +50V$ )



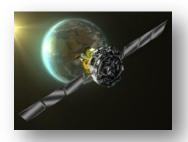
LVPS - FM



**HVPS - FM** 



## JEM-X HVPS

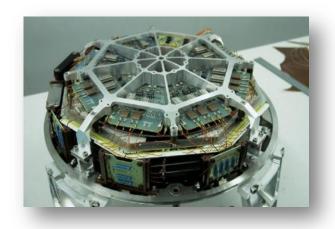


**INTEGRAL** 

Customer: IAS, ESA

Function: HV Power supply systems for Microstrip Gas Chambers

- 6 kV @ 30 mA
- floating, programmable
- OvC and OvV protection



**JEM-X Detector** 





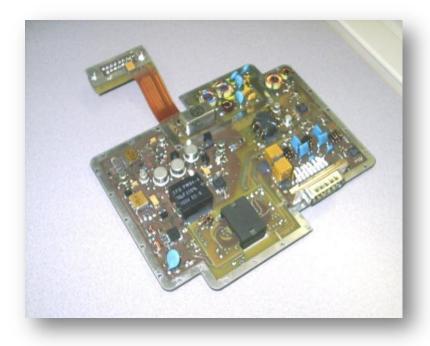
## **SAMPIF**



Customer: ASI, Selex Galileo

Function: Multi-Output Low Power supply for Focal Planes (CCD)

PARAMETER	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Input Voltage	24	28	50	V
	4.75	5	5.25	
Output Voltages	±14.5	±15	±15.5	V
	±31	±33	±35	
Output Power		2.6	3.4	W
Operating Temperature	-40		+70	°C
Radiation Tolerance (TID)			100	krad(Si)
SEL threshold			75	MeV/mg/cm <sup>2</sup>
Isolation resistance	> 10			ΜΩ
Primary/ground capacitance		6	20	nF



**Available at QM maturity** 



## SAR TGU DC/DC

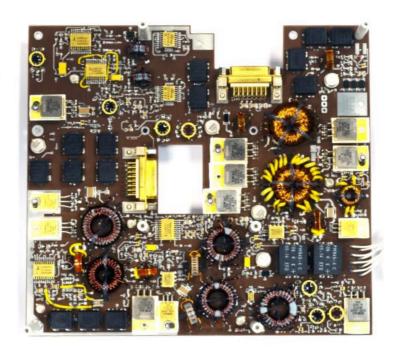


Customer: Astrium UK, ESA

Function: DC/DC Converters for the SAR Transmit Gain Unit on board of ESA

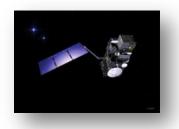
Sentinel 1 satellite

- 28V Input bus
- 6 voltage outputs for an ASIC monitor/contro circuit and a RF Pulsed Power Amplifier.
- 42W maximum output power.





## SRAL RFU DC/DC



**Customer:** Thales Alenia Space

Function: DC/DC Converter for the SRAL-C Ku (SAR Radar and ALtimeter) Radio

Frequency Unity (RFU) of ESA Sentinel 3 satellite

#### Features:

- 6 output voltages to the RFU
  - +5V, +6V and -6V regulated,
  - +6.2V, -40V and +30V not regulated
- latching output overload protections
- short circuit protections
- input current monitor
- temperature telemetry

**GMES, EC-ESA joint initiative** 





## MFFU PSB



**EarthCARE** 

Customer: Syderal, ESA

Function: Mass Memory and Formatting Unit (MMFU) Power Supply Boards (PSB)

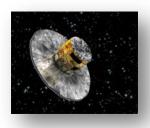
for the EarthCARE ESA Mission

- □ 5 output rails (+5V, +3.4V, +1.8V, -12.25V and +1.5V) for the Controller and Mass Memory Boards.
- Input in-rush current control
- Common mode and differential input noise filters
- ☐ Input under-voltage protection
- Input reverse polarity protection
- Over-load and output short-circuit protection
- Output filters
- Magnetic feedback
- □ Open Loop Gain Specs: PM> 60°; GM > 10dB





## PDHU PSB



**GAIA** 

Customer: Syderal, ESA

Function: Payload Data Handling Unit (PDHU) Power Supply Boards (PSB) for the

**GAIA ESA Mission** 

- $\Box$  5 output rails (+5V, +3.3V, +2.5V, +1.8V and +1.5V) for the Controller Boards.
- □ 2 output voltages (+12V and +3.3V) for the Mass Memory Boards
- Common mode and differential input noise filters
- Input under-voltage protection
- Input reverse polarity protection
- Over-load and output short-circuit protection
- Output filters
- Magnetic feedback
- □ Open Loop Gain Specs: PM> 60°; GM > 10dB





## LVPS for Avionic Applications

**Customer:** Prime Italian Defence Industry

**Function:** Low Voltage Power Supply for Avionic Applications

- Common mode and differential mode input noise filter
- ☐ Input spikes suppression
- Input under- and over- voltage protection
- Output over- and under- current protection
- Output over-voltage protection
- □ Fail and overheat status outputs
- Battle Short input
- Internal Thermal switch
- Integrated total elapsed-time recorder (ETR)









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