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THE FUTURE OF ISS UTILIZATION: AN INDUSTRY PERSPECTIVE



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NANORACKS EXTERNAL
PLATFORMS

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PANEL: EXTERNAL INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION PAYLOADS

- Moderated by Mr. Conor Brown,
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- Panelists
 - Mr. Vytenis Buzas, CEO, NanoAvionics
 - Mr. Dennis Elgaard, APAC Sales
Manager, Gomspace
 - Mr. Michael Bain, Cygnus Cargo,
Payload Services Project Manager,
OrbitalATKPractical



NANORACKS PHILOSOPHY

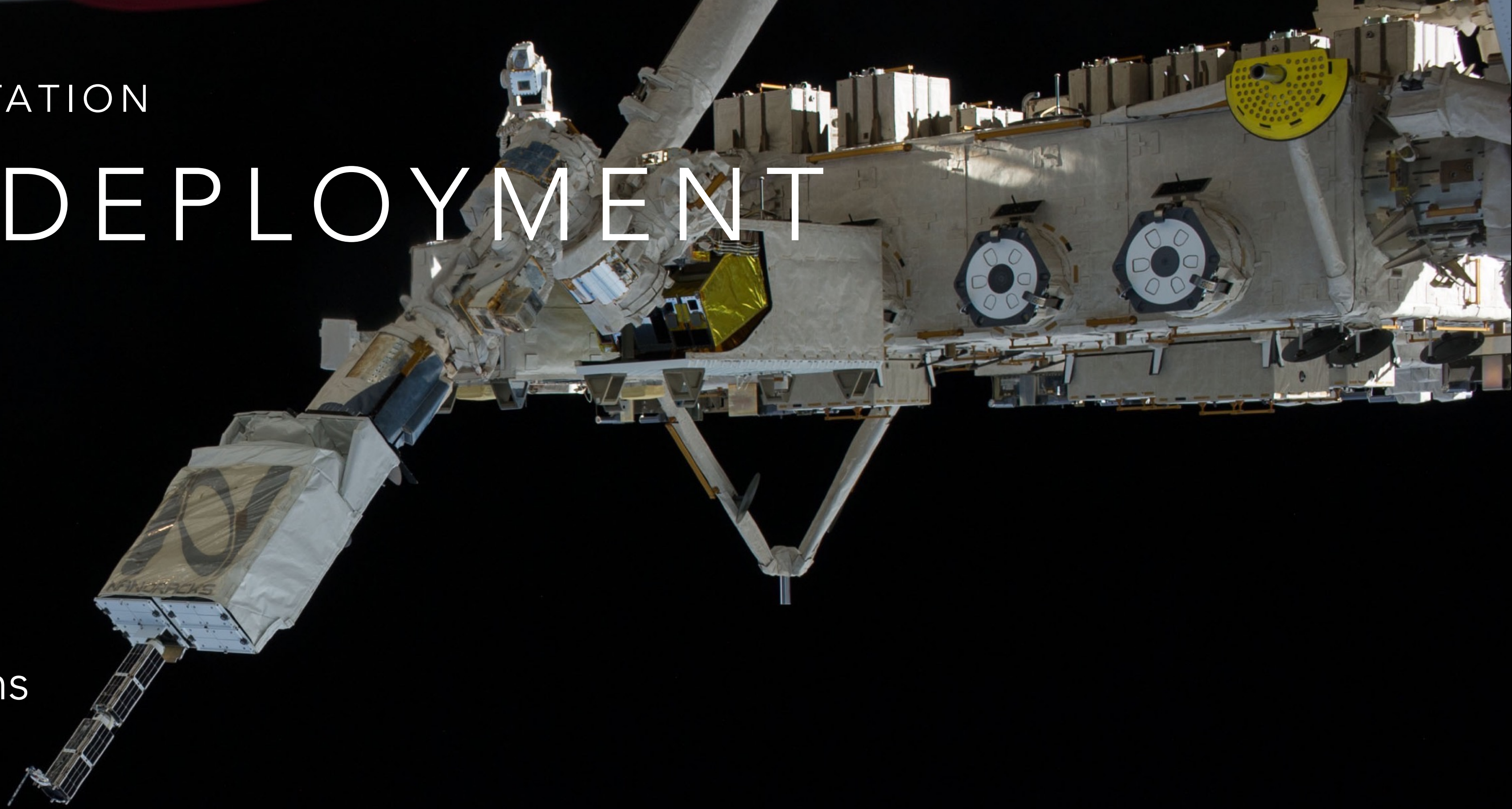
- Technology development
- Government payloads
- Education
- International government partnerships



INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION

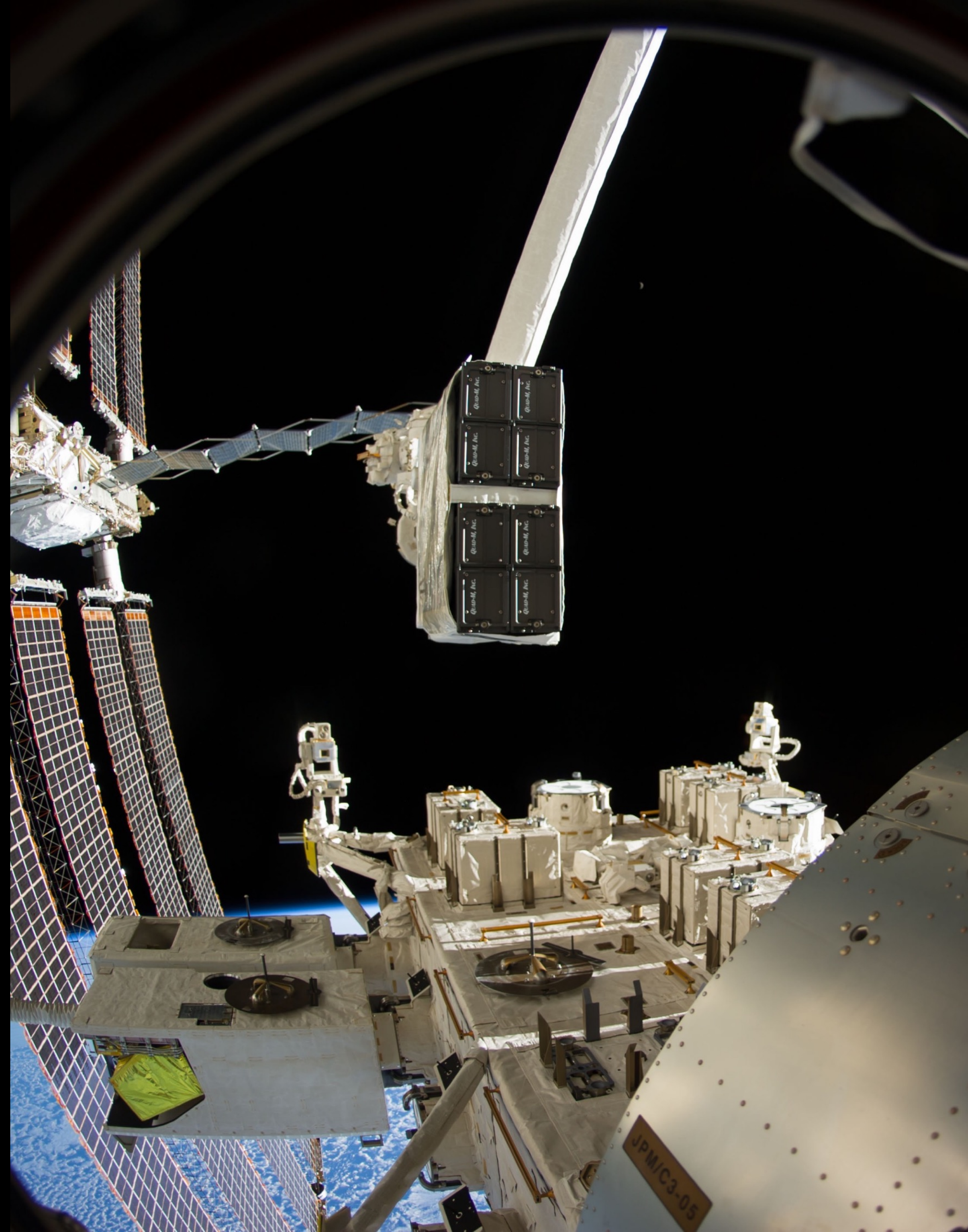
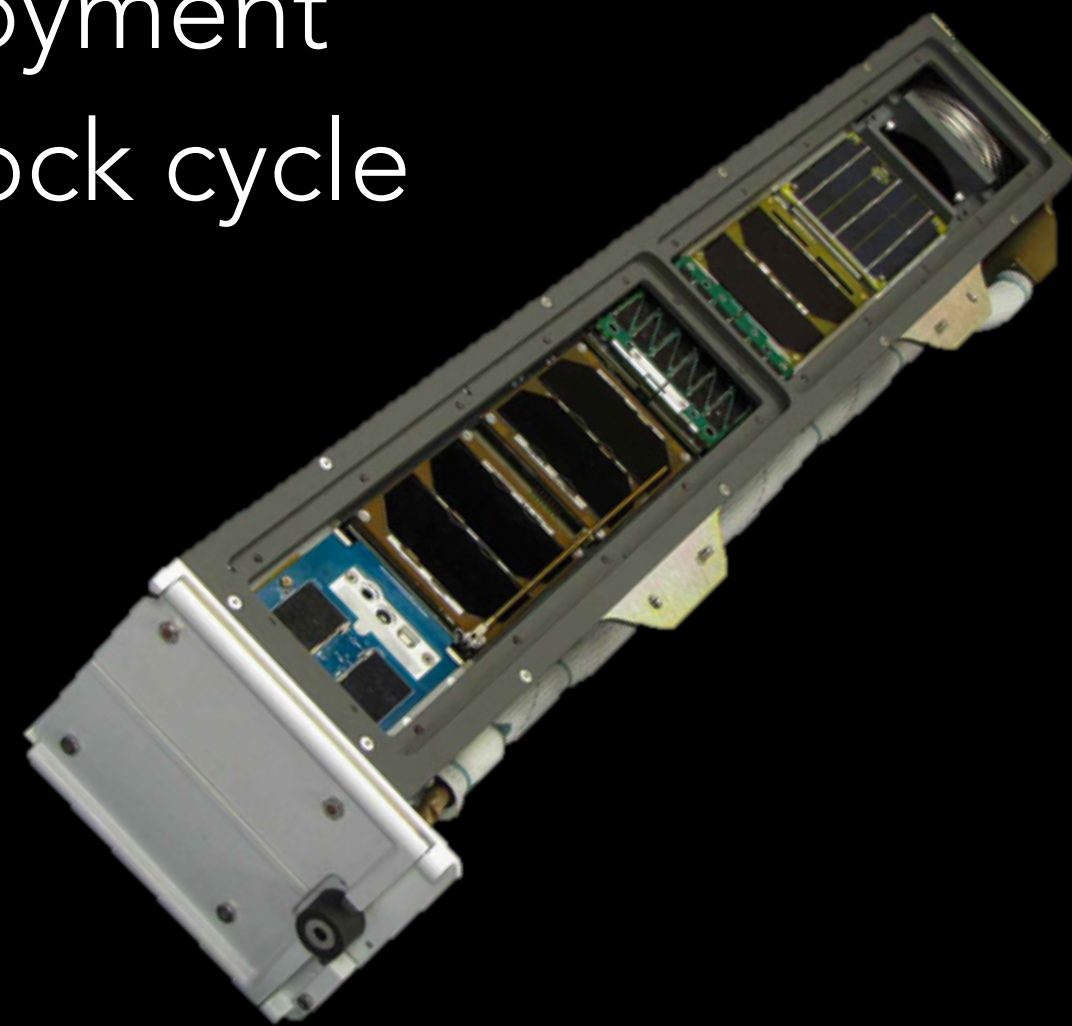
CUBESAT DEPLOYMENT

- 51.6 degree inclination,
385-415 km
- Orbit lifetime 6-12 months
- Deployment typically 1-3
months after berthing
- Soft stowage internal ride,
several times per year



NANORACKS CUBESAT DEPLOYER

- Each NRCSD can deploy up to 6U of CubeSats
- 8 NRCSD's per airlock cycle
- Total of 48U deployment capability per airlock cycle



The background image shows the Nanoracks External Platform (NREP) on the International Space Station (ISS). It features large, orange solar panels and various scientific instruments. A small, white CubeSat is visible in the foreground, having been deployed from the platform. The Earth's horizon is visible at the bottom of the frame.

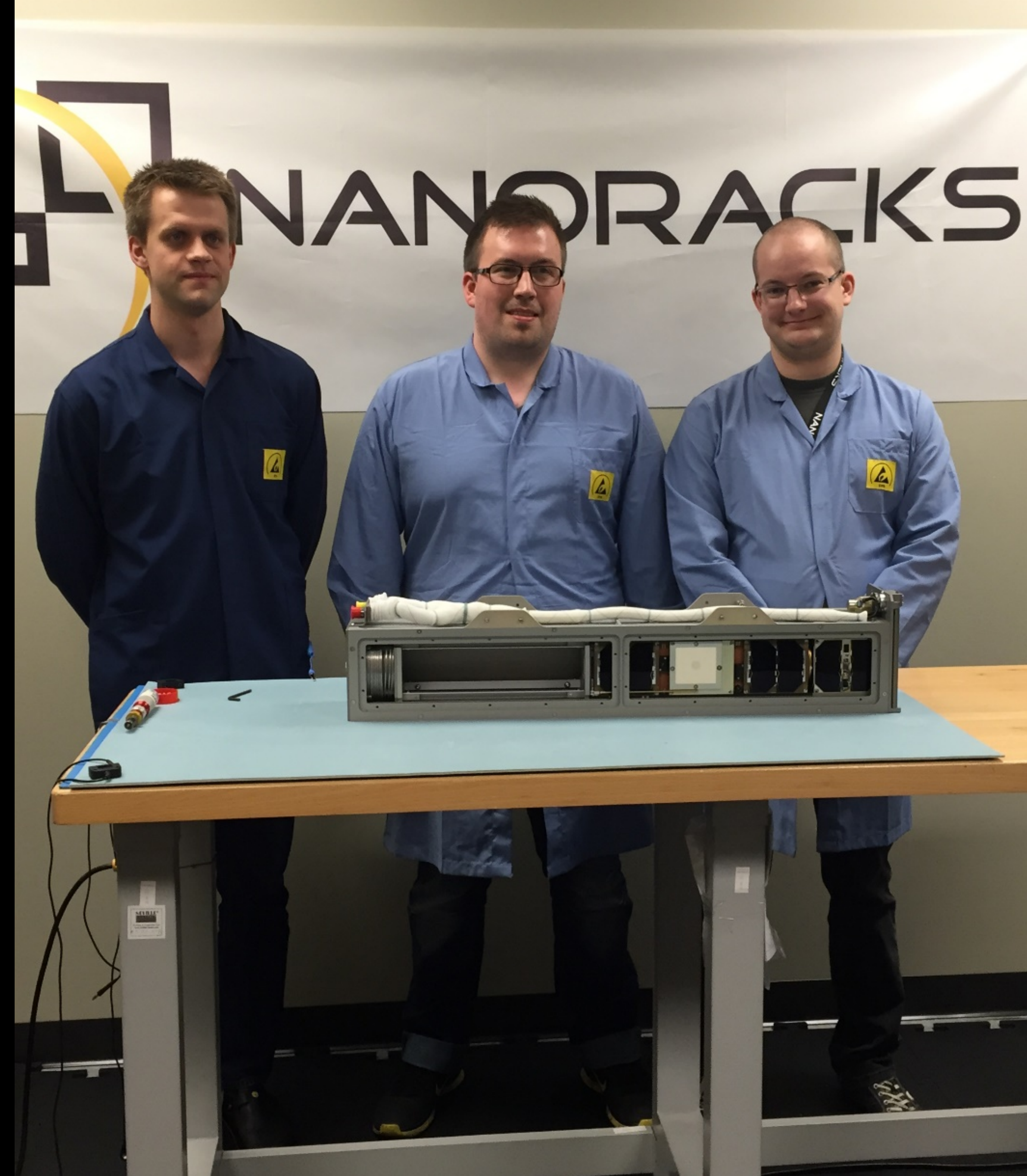
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HIGHLIGHTS

- First ESA CubeSats deployed in October 2015
- Total of 96 CubeSats deployed from the ISS to-date, with another 41 launched or delivered for launch
- First MicroSat launched to the ISS in December 2015 for deployment via new Kaber Small Satellite Deployment System
- The NanoRacks External Platform (NREP) is on-orbit awaiting first mission in 2016.

GOMX-3 AND AAUSAT-5 INTEGRATION

- Integration of the two CubeSat at the NanoRacks Houston, Texas Facility in June 2015.



GOMX-3 AND AAUSAT-5 LAUNCH

- Launched on the Japanese H-II Transfer Vehicle (HTV) on August 19, 2015 along with 14 other CubeSats as a part of the 6th NRCSD Mission.

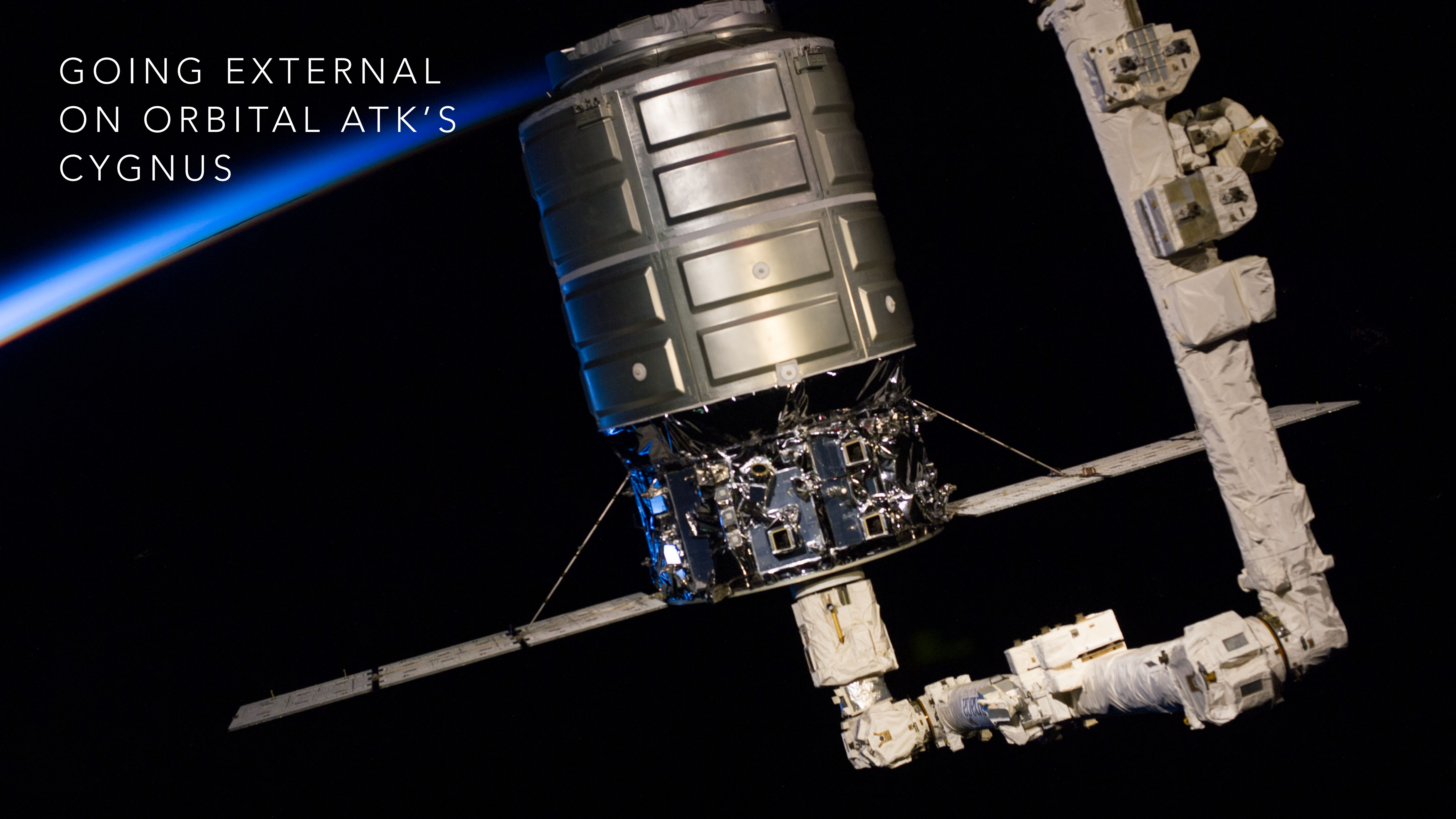


DEPLOYMENT

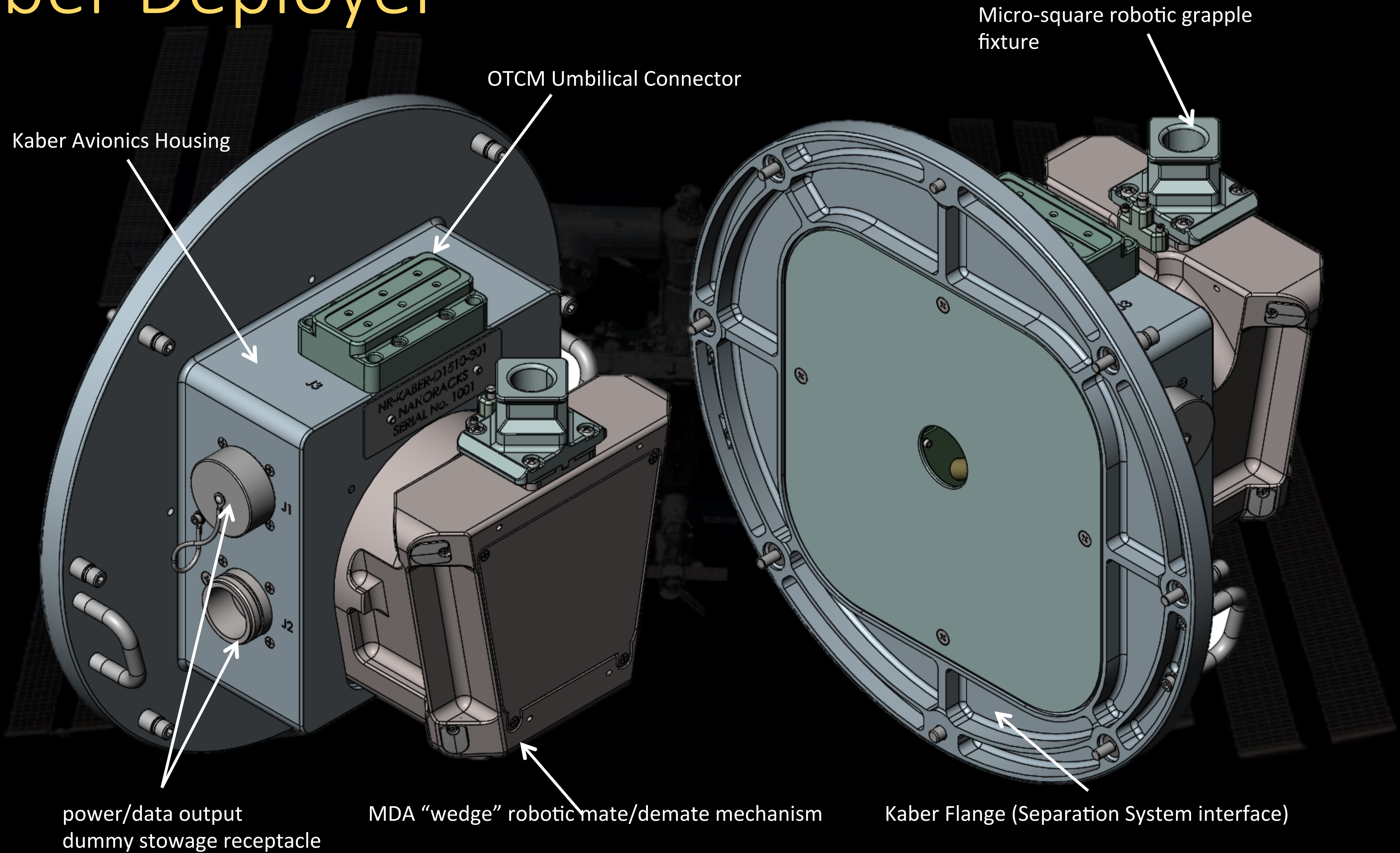
GOMX-3 & AAUSAT-5



GOING EXTERNAL
ON ORBITAL ATK'S
CYGNUS



Kaber Deployer



Kaber Avionics Housing

OTCM Umbilical Connector

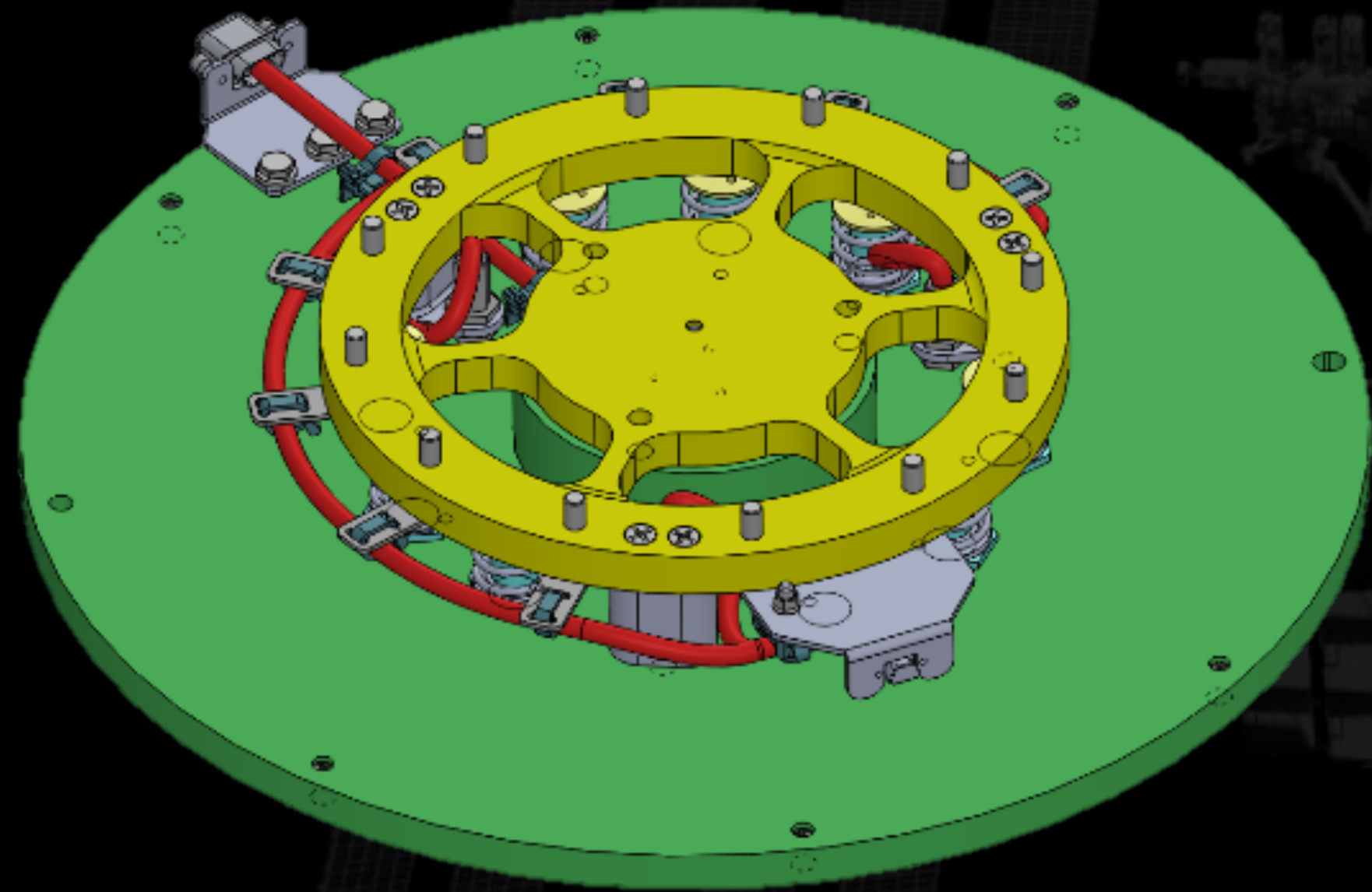
Micro-square robotic grapple fixture

power/data output
dummy stowage receptacle

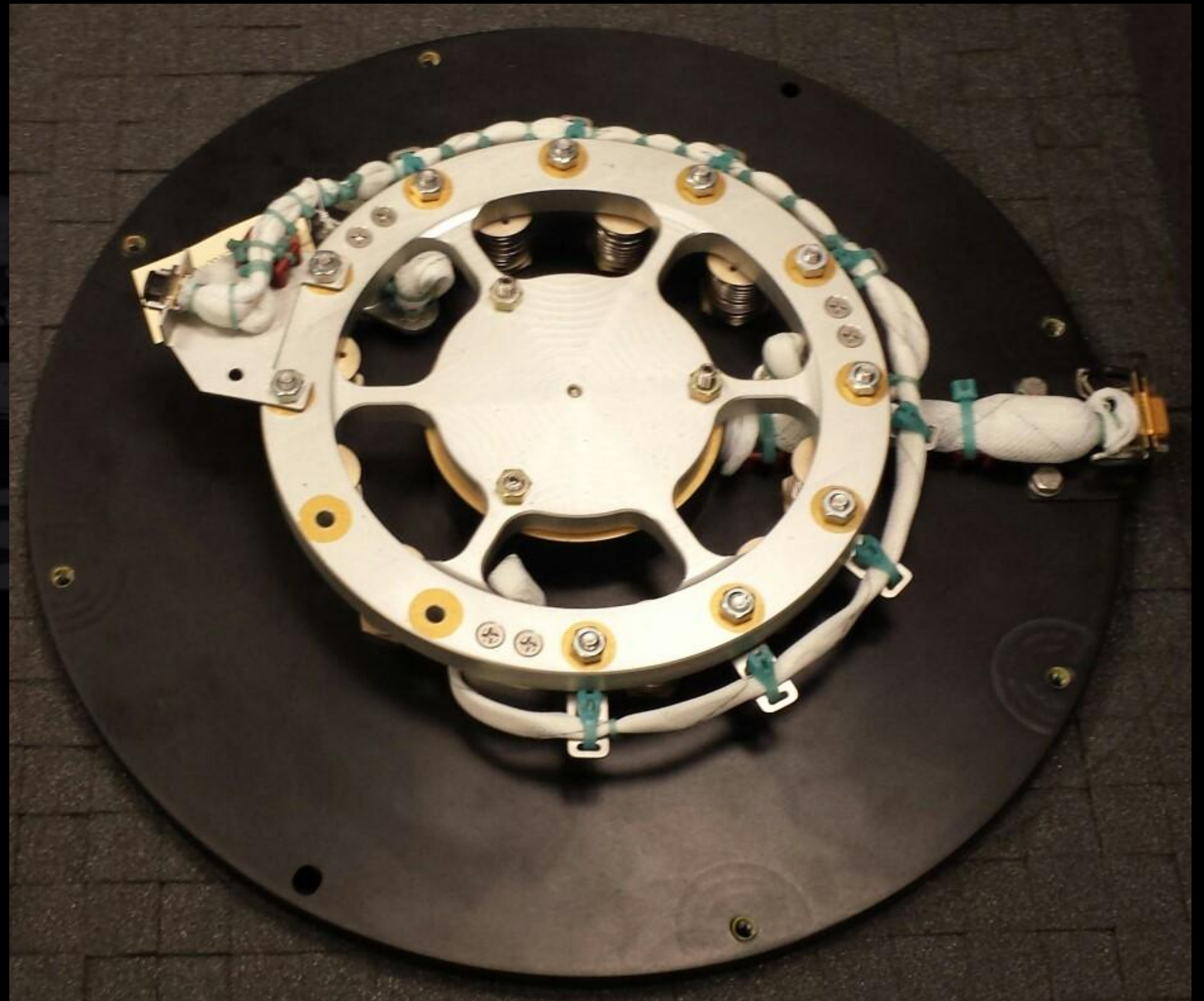
MDA "wedge" robotic mate/demate mechanism

Kaber Flange (Separation System interface)

NanoRacks Satellite Separation System



NanoRacks Separation System



Kaber Payload Mass & Volume Constraints



- Max VOLUME: Shown Below

- Envelope shown is JEM Airlock static envelope. Mission-specific envelope reductions to accommodate tolerance accumulations and micro-G disturbances are TBD.
- Additional envelope available for other form factors (e.g., a reduction in width allows an increase in length.)

- Maximum mass: 65-75 kg

- Forward work in progress targeting eventual payload mass of 100Kg

