

NATO Allied Next-Generation MILSATCOM

- XTAR-EUR-NG (29°E)

  SPAINSAT-NG1
- XTAR-LANT-NG (30°W)
   SPAINSAT-NG2



Sample X-band coverage (additional mil-Ka coverage not depicted)



### **Key Program Features**

- ✓ NATO CP-130 MILSATCOM Compliant
- ✓ HANE Nuclear Hardening / Operates in SAL-3 Warfighting Environments
- ✓ Secure Communications in X, mil-Ka, UHF bands

# Key Operational Capabilities

Phased Array (X-band)
Parabolic (mil-Ka) Coverage Options

Fully flexible software-defined payload (bandwidth, power and coverage) in X-band provides near-instant beam shaping and resizing capabilities, ranging from 2.2° to satellite FOV. 6 parabolic antennas and 1 semi-global mil-Ka horn per satellite provide additional combatready coverage and frequency options.

Bi-Directional X-/mil-Ka Cross-Banding

X and Mil Ka bands are fully interconnected by an on-board digital processor, maximizing capacity and enhancing spectrum management. Supports mil-Ka users by using existing weatherstable X-band ground infrastructure.

#### Advanced Anti-Jam Features

On-board processing coupled with several dual sensors enable robust, near-instant anti-jam capabilities including geolocation/nulling (X-band), and RF muting (X- and mil-Ka bands), with automated carrier frequency reassignment options available for affected users.

#### Digital Channelizers

Flexible, on-demand coverage is achieved by dynamically allocating bandwidth to specific regions and users. Channels can be sized from 312.5 kHz to 500 MHz, easily supporting DoD's most advanced waveforms.

## **PROGRAM** Sovereign, Secure and Interferencehardened communications. The NextGen satellites provide the US Department of Defense, NATO Allies, and partners with unmatched connectivity, delivering resilient and interference-proof communications for defense and government operations.

- **Guaranteed communication** capacity in zones lacking infrastructure.
- Ensures effective command and control of the Armed Forces in 2/3 of the Earth.
- **Provides secure government** communications in any operating environment.
- **Delivers strategic space** capabilities for Allied and partner nations.

Current **6x** Capacity

In X, Mil Ka and UHF bands

UHF Band

Global Coverage 18 UHF

Channels

🕟 X Band

- 32 Shaped Steerable Beams
- Interference Geolocation
- Nulling
- **Beam Forming**
- **Beam Hopping**
- Interconnected with Mil-Ka Band
- **Up to 12000 MHz** by frequency reuse and polarization

Mil Ka Band

15-year operating life

Until 2040+

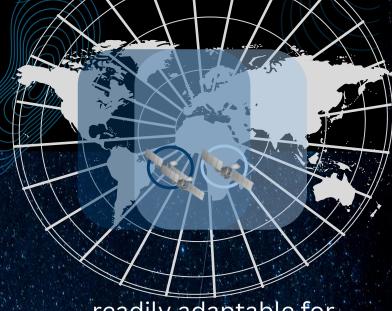
- 12 Steerable **Beams**
- Adaptable in **Power**
- Interconnected
- with X band
- Up to 4000 MHz by frequency reuse

## **Extensive World**

## Coverage...

XTAR-NextGeneration satellites, located at 29°E and 30°W on the GEO orbit, provide an extensive coverage area spanning from the the eastern half of the United States and all Latin America, to the Middle East as far as Singapore on the Asian continent - and thus includes all of Europe and Africa as well.

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... readily adaptable for any scenario.

- Active antenna technology with in-orbit reconfiguration capability for a flexible softwaredefined satellite (bandwidth, power, coverage).
- An on-board digital processor interconnects Mil X and Ka bands payloads enabling cross banding.