

Development and implementation of new aerospace technologies in the mid-low atmosphere and integration with satellite data for Earth observation and environmental pollution monitoring

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International Framework



- Threat: Air Pollution
- Different types:
 - atmospheric
 - light
 - radiation
 - acoustic
 - ...
- Repercussions:
 - global warming
 - respiratory Diseases
 - habitat health
 - circadian phase shift
 - obstacle for observers
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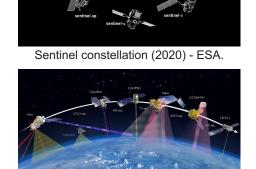




International Framework



- Interest in pollutant estimation (Copernicus, PNRR, ...)
- Definition of environmental parameters
- Environmental analysis
 - satellite data
 - static sampling (ground level)
- Gap in the mid-low atmosphere
 - Drones
 - Balloons



A-train satellite constellation (2014) - Wikipedia.

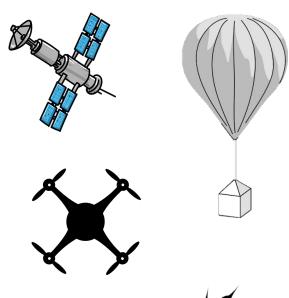
- Interest pollutants movements, correlation and secondary effects
- Integration of Data



Research Objectives



- Mid-low atmosphere analysis:
 - Analytes: VOC_s, PM, light, H₂O, O₃, CO₂
 - New technologies and methods
 - sensors, samplers and detectors
 - dispersion models
 - Resolution improvements
 - Integration and Prototyping
- Pollutants correlation (light and chemical)
- Data integration (SAT, drones, balloons)
- Crops studies (rewatering, wine, ...)







Previous Knowledge





- O-ZONE: Pollution sampling in the stratosphere with a stratospheric balloon (ESA BEXUS project)
- AVERLA/SEALS: Avalanche victim rescue with drones



- **MINLU:** Light pollution measurements
- AREO: Earth observation with camera on balloon
- ...





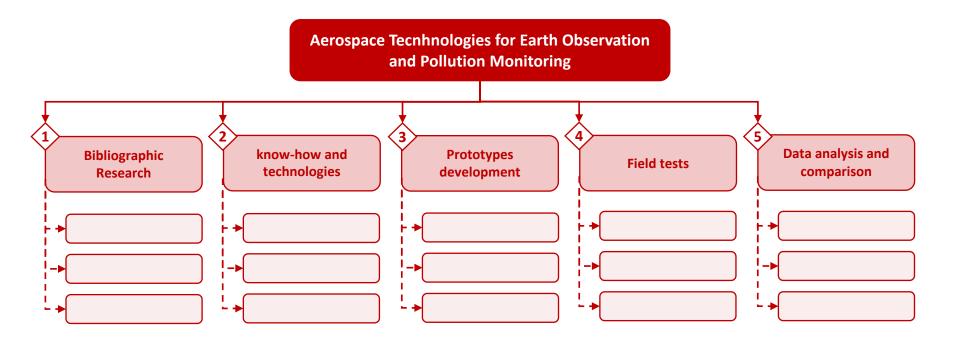






WBS Diagram







GANTT Chart



			FIRST YEAR							SECOND YEAR									THIRD YEAR										
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1.	Bibliographic Research																												
2.	Pollution measurements know-how and technologies																												
3.	Prototypes development																												
4.	Field tests																												
5.	Data analysis and comparison																												

- Know- How
- Development and Testing
- Data integration





Academic Collaborations



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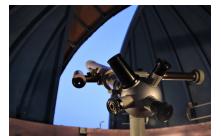
DAFNAE & TESAF: Crops monitoring and study

University of Pisa: Stratospheric balloon launches



University of Chile: Light Pollution research









Industry Collaborations



- Officina Stellare:
 - Earth Observation
 - Astronomy
 - Satellite data

• **Others**: TBD





Periods Spent Abroad



- Chile:
 - Light pollution analysis
 - Single effect of light pollution





- Others: TBD
 - Single effect of chemical pollution
 - Analysis of satellite data

Thank you for your attention





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