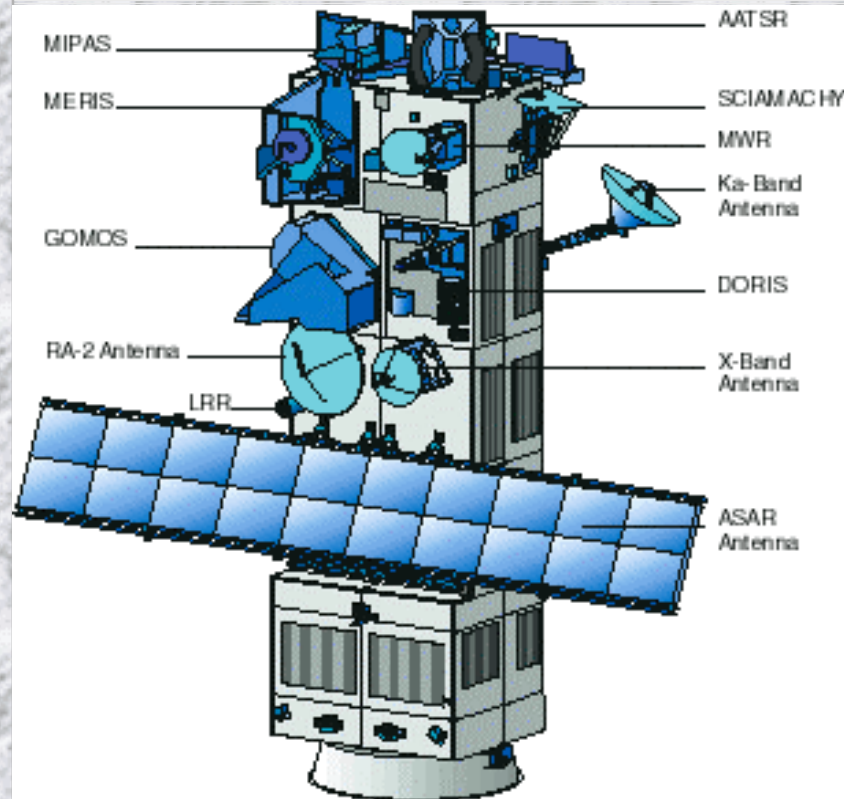


ENVISAT STATUS



Satellite Status

Satellite testing successfully completed at ESA/ESTEC

Shipment to Launch Site: April 2001

ENVISAT Laser Tracking

Commissioning Phase

(6 months duration from launch)

Objectives:

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(*) preliminary DORIS data may be used

Intensive Laser Tracking

calibration of DORIS

Altimeter Absolute Regional Calibration

Altimeter Global Cross-calibration with ERS

Routine Phase:

Objective:

DORIS + Laser Tracking

Altimeter mission

ENVISAT LAUNCH DATE:

END JUL 2001

