

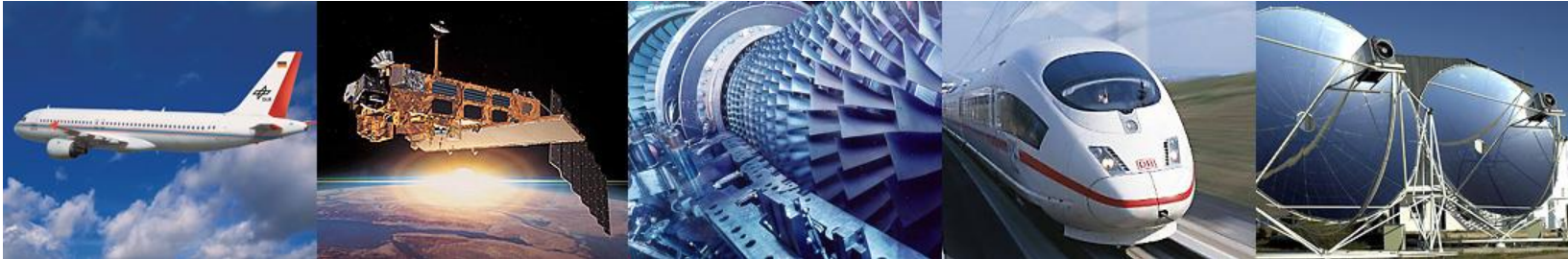
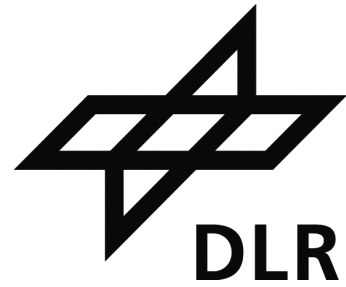
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Contributions to 6th EUCASS and to European Aerospace Research

Knowledge for Tomorrow



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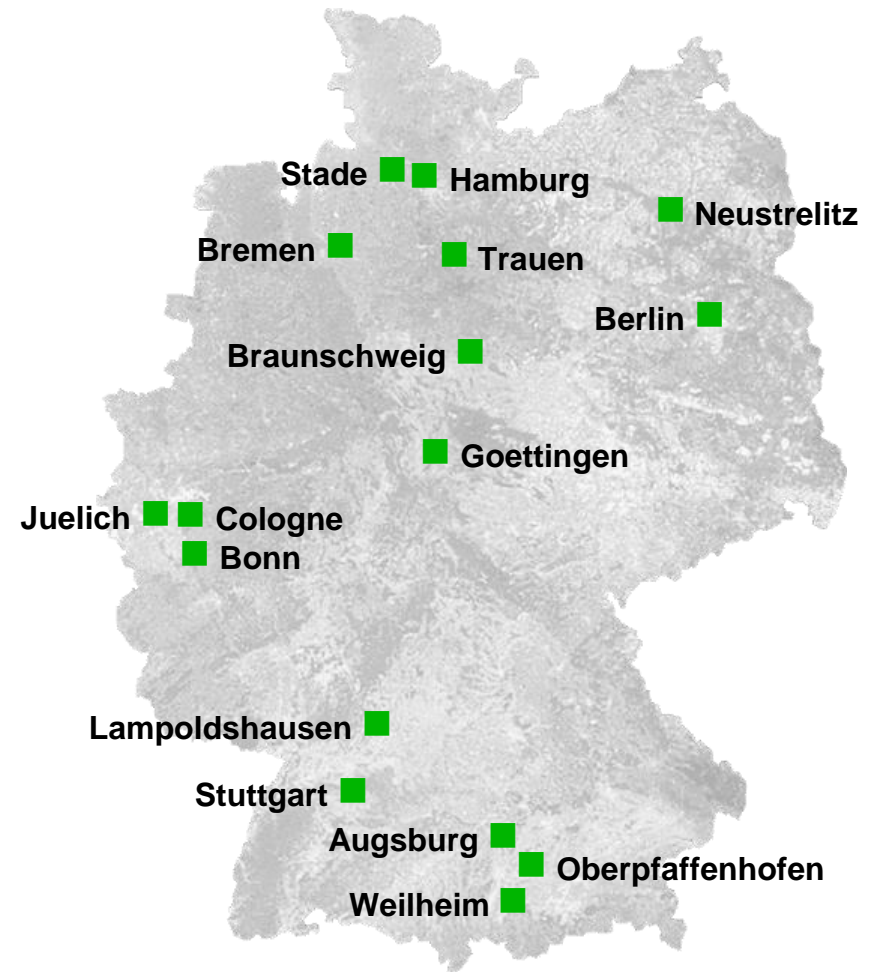
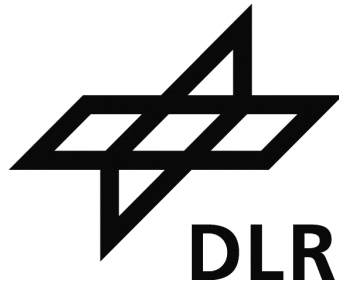
- Research Institution
- Space Agency
- Project Management Agency



Locations and employees

Approx. 8000 employees across
33 institutes and facilities at
■ 16 sites.

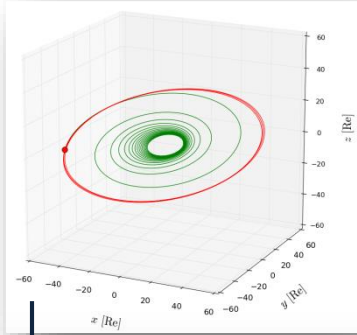
Offices in Brussels, Paris,
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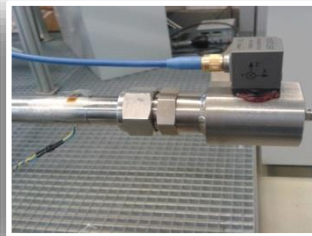
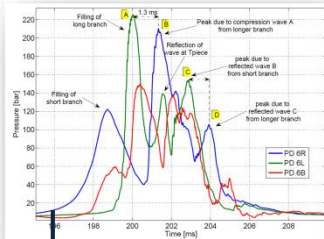
Trajectory Optimization for a Low Cost Lunar Technology Demonstrator Mission



PP and FD papers

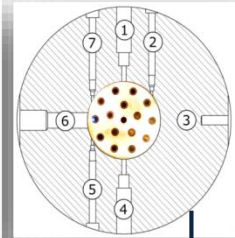
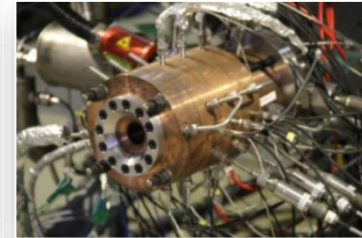
C. Bombardieri et al

Filling process in spacecraft feedlines



M. Börner et al

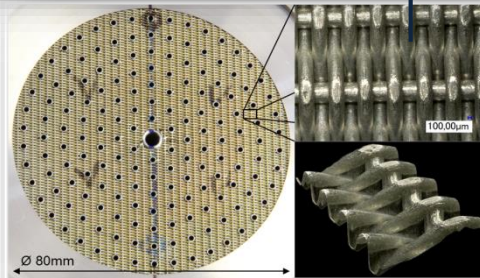
Laser Re-Ignition of a Cryogenic Multi-Injector Rocket Engine



Mission Analysis

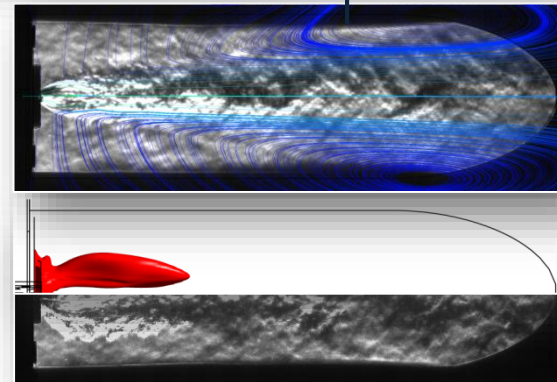
Fluid Flow & Propellant Injection

Ignition – Numerical Simulation & Laser



J. Deeken et al

Axial Pressure and Wall Heat Flux Distribution of a Porous Injector Head (API)



M. Wohlhüter et al

Numerical Analysis of Methane/Oxygen Laser Ignition in a subscale Combustion Chamber



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PP and SM papers

Schmierer et al

Project status of the HyEnD STERN hybrid sounding rocket project at Stuttgart University and DLR LA



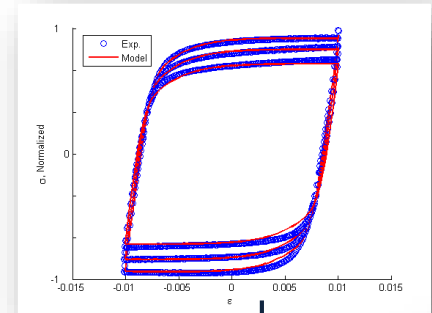
Kobald et al

Development and test campaign of a 10000 N flight weight hybrid rocket engine

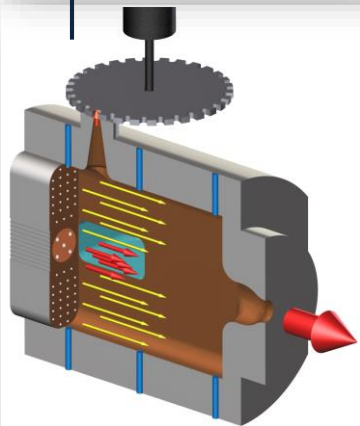


Bouajila et al

Modelling of the mechanical behavior of a copper alloy using Chaboche model



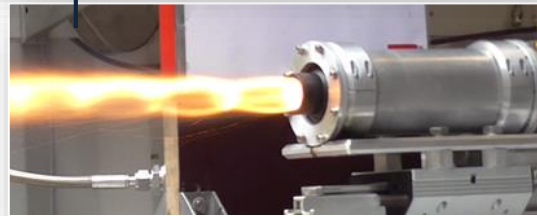
Combustion instabilities



S. Webster et al

Asymmetric frequency response of a LOX/H₂-combustor in frequency ramping tests

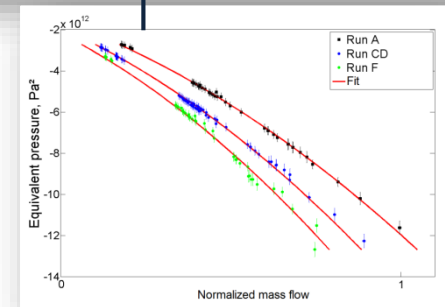
Hybrid Engines



Petrarolo et al

Performance characterization regarding fuel composition and combustion stability of advanced hybrid rocket engines

Materials characterization



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Investigation of the influence of temperature and stress on the permeability of porous continuous fiber-reinforced composite materials through experiment and simulation

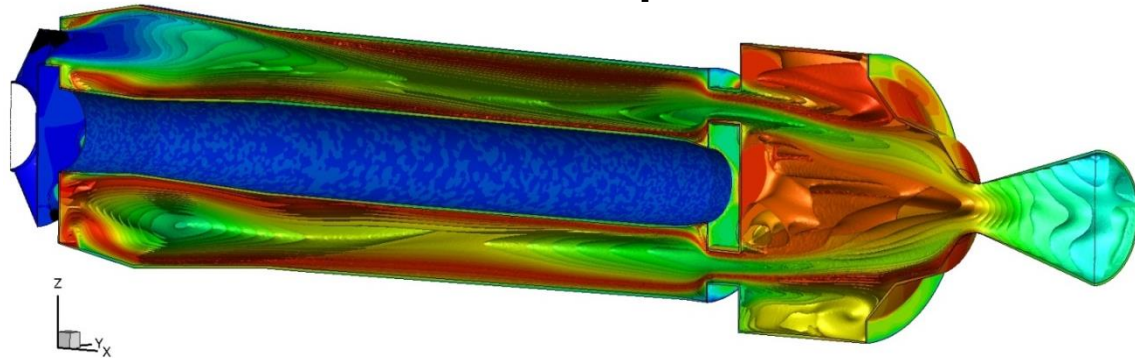
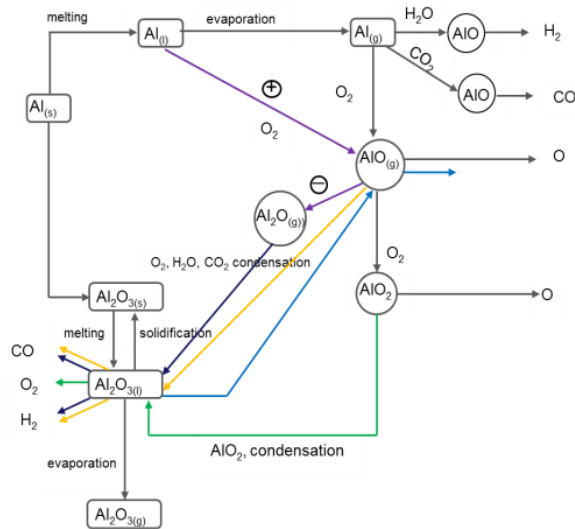
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Modelling of a co-axial LOX/GH₂ injection element under high frequency acoustic disturbances



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Numerical Simulation of hybrid rocket engine combustion chamber processes, aluminum particle combustion, and Green Propellants



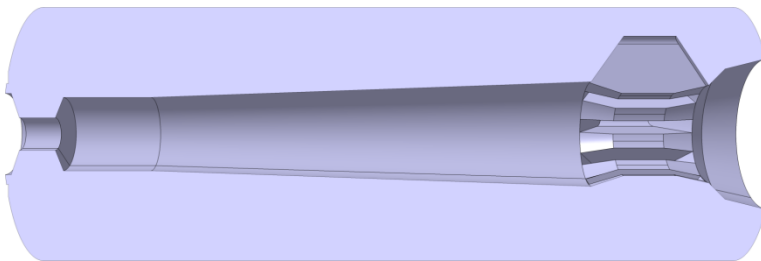
S. May: **CFD Simulation of Chemical Non-Equilibrium Reacting Flow within the AHRES Hybrid Rocket Engine**; PP-Hybrid Prop Modeling

O. Božić: **Modeling of the Transformation Kinetics of Small Metal Particles during Combustion inside the Chamber of Hybrid Rocket Engines**; PP-Hybrid Prop Modeling

H. Ciezki et al: **Influence of various aspects on the performance characteristics of gel propulsion systems**
PP – Gelled Propellants

M. Negri: **Replacement of Hydrazine: Overview and Very First Results of the EC-H2020 Project Rheform**
PP – Green Propellants

G. Poppe: **Optimization of Finocyl Grain Geometries of Solid Rocket Boosters**
PP – Solid Propulsion I



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Hypersonics I



S. Willems et al.: **Free transition on a slender cone in a quiet and a conventional wind tunnel and the effect of ultrasonically absorptive materials**, FP

- DLR Cologne – H2K conventional wind tunnel vs. Purdue – BAM6QT quiet wind tunnel

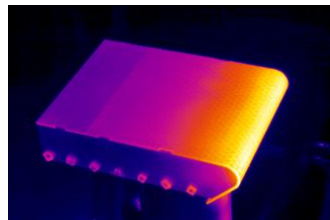
Lars Steffens, Uwe Koch, Burkard Esser, Ali Gülhan: **Characterization of Weakly Ionized Argon Flows for Radio Blackout Mitigation Experiments**

- Characterization of high enthalpy argon flow states for ground based radio communication blackout experiments
- Experimental simulation of radio communication blackout in L2K facility
- Experimental verification of ExB Blackout Mitigation Scheme

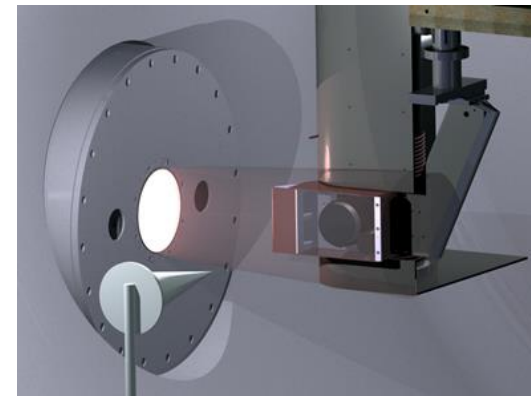
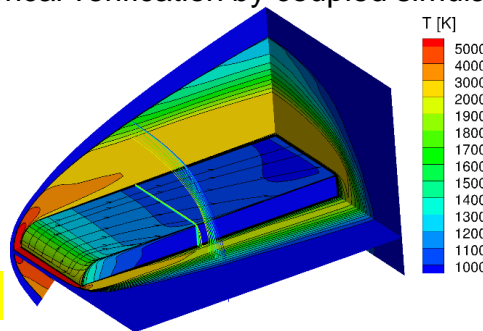
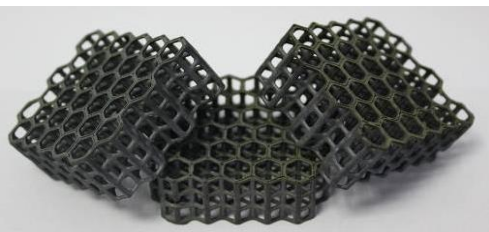
Overview of EU FP7 research project THOR

B. Esser et al.: **Innovative Thermal Management Concepts Space Vehicles**, Paper 347, SM: Design and Optimization (II)

- Thermal management concepts for highly loaded components of thermal protection systems
- Novel CMC materials and structures
- Experimental verification in high enthalpy ground test facilities
- Numerical verification by coupled simulations



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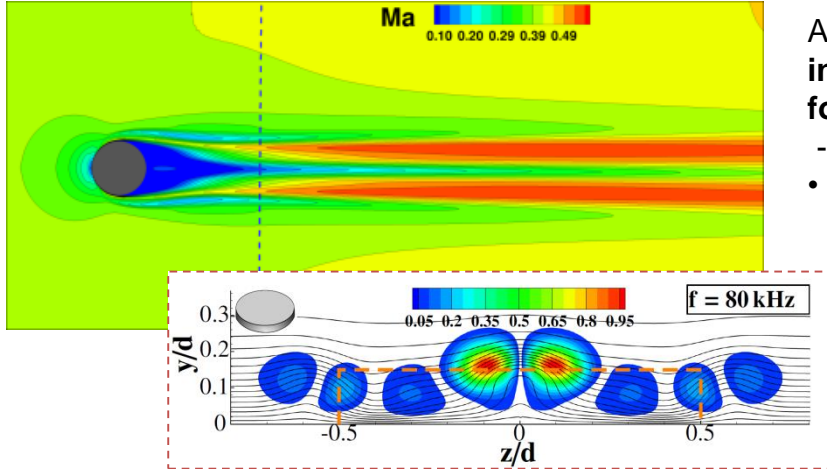


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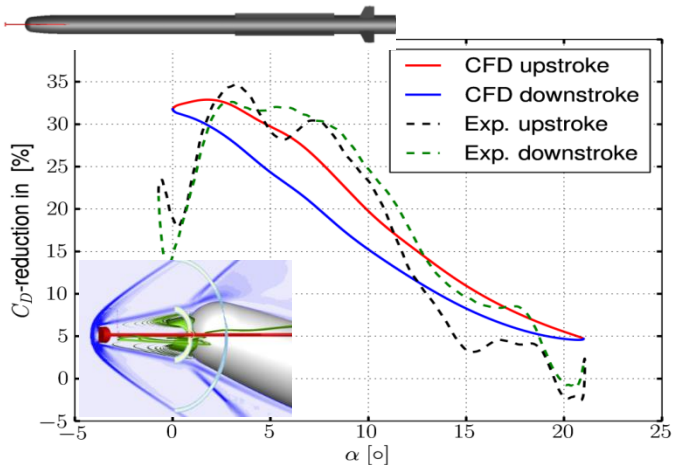
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Hypersonics II



A. Theiß and S. Hein: **Investigation on the wake flow instability behind isolated roughness elements on the forebody of a blunt generic re-entry capsule**

- Paper FP-514
- Investigation on the laminar-turbulent boundary layer transition behind a roughness element on an Apollo-like capsule at hypersonic flow conditions



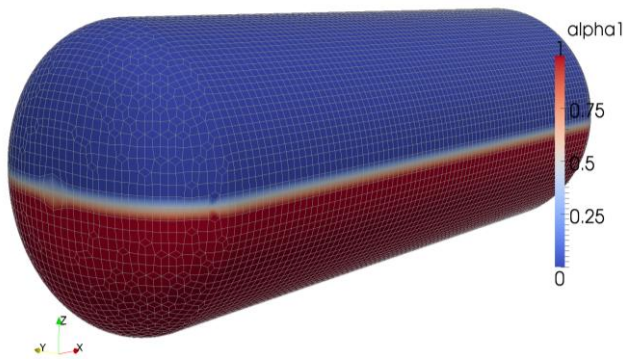
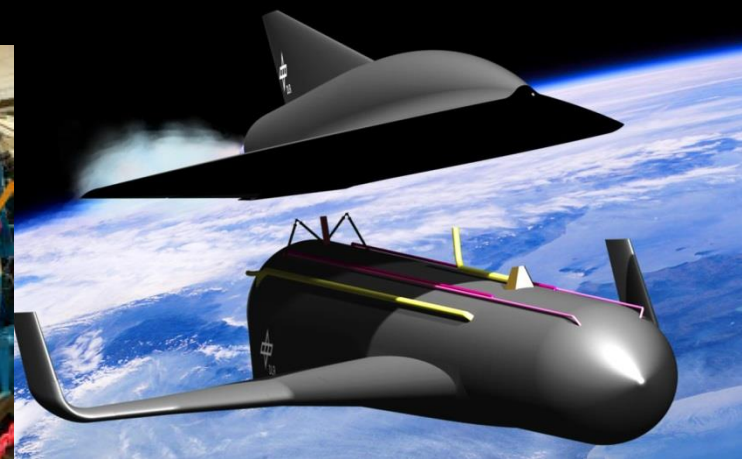
C. Schnepf, E. Schülein: **Wave drag reduction with a self-aligning aerodisk on a missile configuration**

- Paper FP-470
- Experimental and numerical simulations show the potential of a self-aligning aerodisk to reduce the wave drag on a pitching missile also at high angle of attack.



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FP7 funded project on advanced tank technologies for hypersonic aircraft



M. Sippel et al: **Final Results of Advanced Cryo-Tanks Research Project CHATT**; SM-427 paper

M. Stief, J. Gerstmann: **EXPERIMENTAL AND NUMERICAL INVESTIGATION OF AXIAL AND LATERAL SLOSHING INSIDE A LARGE CYLINDRICAL TANK**; PP - Upper Stages

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V. Clark: **Modelling of Propellant Management Systems in Early-Phase Launcher Development**; SI - Space Propulsion MDO

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A. Hauschild: **Results of the GNSS Receiver Experiment OCAM-G on Ariane-5 flight VA 219**, session FD: FLIGHT DYNAMICS/GNC and AVIONICS for Aeronautic and Space Applications

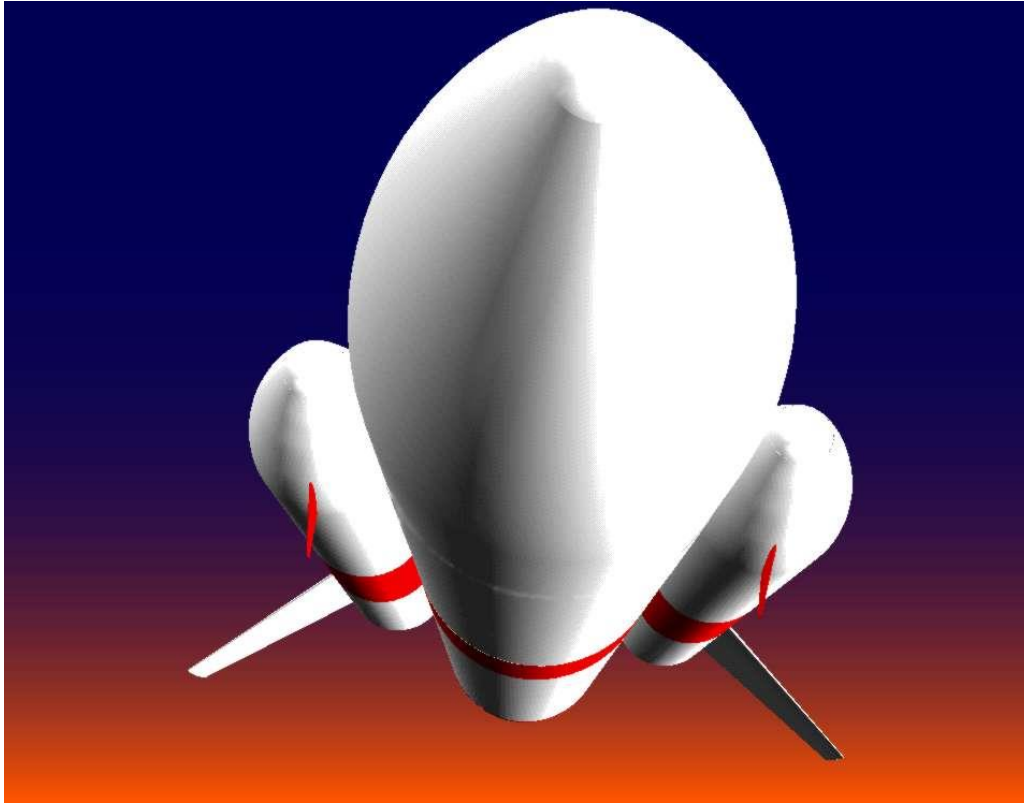
- First flight of a GNSS receiver experiment on Ariane-5 launcher VA219 with ATV-5 on July 29, 2014, from Kourou into a LEO orbit
- Successful tracking of GPS, Galileo and GLONASS satellites
- Trajectory determination of the launcher's upper stage from lift-off until ATV separation



V. Clark et al: **Process Chain Development for Iterative, Concurrent Design of Advanced Space Transportation Systems**; SI - Space Systems MDO



What about the Future?



■ DLR is preparing system concepts and technologies for future European launch vehicles with special focus on RLV.

■ By merging technologies from aviation and space, DLR is ready for cooperation with its European and international partners.

