

Flux part of Japans new Multi-functional Satellite

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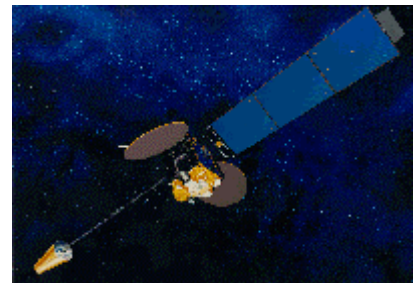
Rocket System Corporation (RSC) and the Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA) announced the successful launching of the Multifunctional Transport Satellite 2 (MTSAT-2) aboard the H-IIA Launch Vehicle No. 9 (H-IIA F9) on February 18, 2006, from the Tanegashima Space Centre.

The Civil Aviation Bureau and the Japan Meteorological Agency own the MTSAT-2, which fall under the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure and Transport.

Flux has contributed to this success, supplying magnetic components for four different equipment:

- TTC (Tracking, Telemetry & Command)
- S-Band Transponders
- S-Band Receiver
- Ku (VHF) Band Telemetry Transmitter
- Ku Band Transponders

Flux was also heavily involved in its predecessor, the first geostationary MTSAT 1R, in that occasion under Space System Loral contract.



MTSAT is a dual mission satellite for the Ministry of Land and the Japan Meteorological Agency performing an air traffic control and navigation function as well as a meteorological function.

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