# PROJECT ERRATA:

A UAS and Satellite Empowered Sensing Platform Operating in **Hazardous Areas** 







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# SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE



A satellite constellation of 1/3U cubesats.

Low-frequency technology for low-data long-range/deep indoor penetration.



Fully modular embedded hardware and software technology stack.



Autonomously navigated UAV, integrated with an IoT connectivity node.



# **USE CASE**

1

## **GPS RESTRICTION**

A GPS restricted location experiences an unexpected catastrophic event inducing hazardous conditions and thus making the area inaccessible to ground personel

2

## STATIONED UAS

The autonomous UAS is activated, transmitting environmental data through the communications node

3

## COMMS NODE

The pair of nodes enables the bidirectional data transmission between the UAS and the control station at the surface by a custom low frequency technology

4

## **PICOSATELLITE**

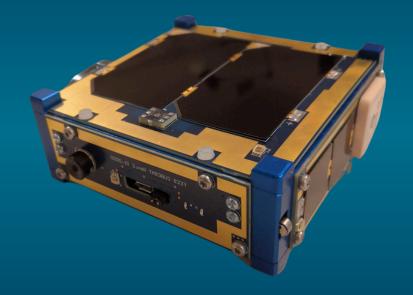
The surface control station communicates the data to an orbital picosatellite making them acessible globally







## PICOSATELLITE CONSTELLATION











# PICOSATELLITE SPECIFICATIONS

| Constellation              | 9 picosatellites (10x10x3 cm) launching in               |
|----------------------------|--|
| Constellation              | November 2023, 96 operating by 2027                      |
| • •                        |  |
| • • • •                    |  |
| Orbit                      | LEO (Low Earth Orbit) 550km, Sun Synchronous<br>Orbit    |
|                            | Orbit  |
| •                          | •  |
| Average communication time | Around 6 minutes for each passage                        |
| Transmission direction     | Earth-to-Space. Space-to-Earth to be introduced mid 2024 |
|                            | 2024   |
|                            |  |
| Modulation                 | LoRa   |
| Protocol                   | Proprietary  |
|                            |  |
| Encryption                 |  |
|                            | AES 256  |
| Frequency                  |  |
|                            | 169 Mhz  |
| Modem                      | Existing modules on the market, embeddable in the        |
|                            | device itself  |
| Mossago sizo               |  |
| Message size               | 10 bytes   |
| • • • • • • •              | • • • • •  |
|                            |  |



Insigh.io board is a generic and affordable board for accelerating IoT adoption by companies, makers and non-experts.



#### **Out Of The Box Features:**

- Programmable microprocessor
- Multiple power supply options
- USB/solar charging
- On-board temp/hum sensor
- Embedded GPS
- Device access via USB/Serial port
- Configurable via WiFi and Web UI
- Ready to fit in IP-rated enclosure

### **Build To Last For Years:**

- Ultra-low power design
- Energy consumption profiling
- Automatic power management

## **One Product - Infinite Applications:**

- Exposed IOs for breadboard tests
- Tailor-made sensor shields
- Additional connectivity shields
- Open-source firmware
- Cloud-platform ready



#### Connectivity

- WiFi / Bluetooth
- Cellular
- LoRa
- Satellite IoT



#### **Energy Sources**

- Battery
- Solar Power
- USB



#### Sensors

- Analog
- Digital
- IndustrialProtocols



#### **Scenarios**

- Agriculture
- Smart Cities
- Smart Office
- Machines

# MAIN BOARD SPECIFICATIONS

| General Information                               |      |  |  |  |
|---|------|--|--|--|
| Dimensions (L x W x H) 78 (83.5*) x 57.2 x 16.7 r |      |  |  |  |
| Weight  | 28 g |  |  |  |

| Operating Conditions    |          |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Operational Temperature | 0 – 50°C |
| Charging Temperature    | 0 – 50°C |
| Charging Current Limit  | 500 mA   |
| Maximum Drawn Current   | 500 mA   |

| Power Supply |                                   |      |                         |             |                        |  |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|------|-------------------------|-------------|------------------------|--|
|              | Port                              |      | Input Voltage           |             |                        |  |
| USB          | Micro USB Female —                | Min. | Тур.                    | Max.        | Units                  |  |
|              | MICIO OSB Female                  | 4.5  | 5                       | 5.5         | V                      |  |
| Battery      | Port                              |      | Nominal Characteristics |             |                        |  |
| battery      | JST PH 2.0                        |      | 1 x Recharg             | geable LiPo | /Li-lon 1S1C 3.7-4.2 V |  |
| Port         |                                   |      |                         | Input V     | oltage/                |  |
| Solar Panel  | Fixed Terminal Block with push-in | Min. | Тур.                    | Max.        | Units                  |  |
|              | connection (no tools required)    | 5.5  | 6                       | 6.5         | V                      |  |

| Connectivity             |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| Integrated Radio Modules | WiFi/Bluetooth, Cellular IoT & 2G fallback   |
| Extensions               | LoRa, Satellite IoT (using external modules connected with Molex 92317-1012 Ribbon Cable)    |
|                          |  |
| Switches                 |  |
| S1                       | Controls power supply to the micro-controller (the battery charging process is not affected) |
| S2                       | Tactile switch for rebooting the micro-controller  |
| S3                       | Tactile switch for activating the micro-controller's bootloader (needed only for fw upgrade) |
| J4                       | Port for connecting external switch (S1 should be in OFF state)                              |

| On-board diagnostics, protection & features |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| On-board Sensors                            | 1 × Temperature/Humidity Sensor (based on the SHT40 chip)                              |  |  |
|   | 1 × GPS (using embedded modem's functionality)   |  |  |
| Energy Profiling                            | Accurate Measurement of battery voltage even at charging state                         |  |  |
| Embedded Protection                         | 4 x Resettable Fuses for protecting battery, solar panel and USB ports, 3.3V regulator |  |  |
|   | 1 x Thermistor protecting charging   |  |  |
| Expansion                                   | 3 x 10 Female Headers Pin Connector  |  |  |

| LED Indicators |       |                              |                                |  |
|----------------|-------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Usage          | Type  | Status                       | Indication                     |  |
|                |       | ON                           | Battery is charging            |  |
| Charging       | RED   | OFF                          | Battery charged                |  |
|                | FLASH | Battery not present (USB on) |                                |  |
| Modem          | RED   | OFF                          | Disabled by micro-controller   |  |
| wodem          |       | FLASH                        | Activity (connecting, sending) |  |
|                |       | BLUE                         | Sensor measurement             |  |
| Scenario       | RGB   | RED                          | Connecting to network          |  |
|                |       | GREEN                        | Sending Data                   |  |

| Additional Peripherals    |  |  |  |
|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| Battery                   | Cellular IoT/WiFi: At least 1200 mAh<br>GSM: At least 2200 mAh<br>4000 mAh for permanent deployment<br>* Battery Mandatory for GSM |  |  |
| Solar Panel               | 6V/1W or 6V/2W   |  |  |
|                           |  |  |  |
| Certification             |  |  |  |
| CE, FCC, RoHS In progress |  |  |  |

# SENSOR AND CONNECTIVITY EXPANSION SHIELDS



**Swappable** 



Ready For Final Product



**Power Management** 



**Rapid Testing** 



**Built-In Firmware** 



**Push-in Connectors** 



| Number of Sensors                    | 2 (Embedded)  |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Operating Voltage                    | 3.3V  |
| Ports                                |   |
| Embedded sensor<br>built-in firmware | Sensirion SCD4x (CO2, RH/T)   |
|                                      | Amphenol  |
|                                      | Sensortech SGX-70X (Oxygen)   |
| Example applications                 | Smart Workspaces Monitoring, Confined Spaces (Mines, Tunnels)<br>Inspection |



| Operating Voltage | 3.3 V & 5V  |
|-------------------|---|
| Modem/Chipset     | Based on RFM98W-16952 (HopeRF) module<br>Chipset: Semtech's SX1276 137 MHz to 1020 MHz Low Power Long<br>Range Transceiver  |
| Connector/Cables  | 10-pin Connector (Part number: 90325-0010) Flexible 10-pin Ribbon<br>Cable (Part: 92317-1015)   |
| Firmware          | - Basic<br>functionality can be enabled with the open-source Micropython library u-lora<br>available in Github<br>- "insighio-ready" firmware support expected in Ω2-24 |



## **AUTONOMOUS UAV**















# UAV SPECIFICATIONS

| Build material            | • • • • • • | Carbon Fiber, SLS  |
|---------------------------|-------------|--|
|                           | • ••        |  |
| Dimensions*               | (mm)        | 427x437x214  |
| Difficusions."            | Limit,      | 42//43//214  |
| • • • •                   | • • •       |  |
| Weight with battery       | (grams)     | 2200g  |
|                           | • •         |  |
| Weight W/O battery        | (grams)     | 1600g  |
|                           | •           |  |
| •                         | • • •       |  |
| Battery type              | •           | Li-Po 4S 16.8V   |
| • •                       | •           | • •  |
| Battery Capacity          | (mAh)       | 6750mAh  |
|                           |             |  |
| Total Thrust (4 motors)   | (avama)     | C000-11  |
| lotal inrust (4 motors)   | (grams)     | 6800gr   |
|                           |             |  |
| Payload maximum           | (grams)     | 1000gr   |
| - uyiouu iiiuxiiiiuiii    |             |  |
| Payload recommended       | (grams)     | 400gr  |
| T dylodd recommended      | (grains)    |  |
|                           |             |  |
| Flight Time               | (min)       | 9min   |
|                           |             |  |
| Range in reinforced       |             |  |
| concrete                  | (m)         | 40m in all directions  |
|                           |             |  |
| Flight Modes              | 2           | Stabilize, Guided  |
| i light modes             | •           | Stabilize, Galaca  |
|                           |             |  |
| Indoor Positioning System | YES         | 3D Position Hold in GPS Denied locations                       |
|                           |             |  |
| Wi-Fi Connectivity        | YES         | 4G/5G  |
|                           | • •         | • •  |
| UAV Sensors               |             |  |
| UAV Selisors              |             |  |
| • •                       | • • •       |  |
| Camera                    | YES         | e-CAM80_CUNX - Sony 4K Camera                                  |
|                           | • •         |  |
|                           | • • • • •   | 3D Position Hold in GPS denied locations                       |
| Indoor Positioning System | YES         | using LiDAR and SLAM method.                                   |
|                           |             |  |
| Lacov LiDAR Soncov        | VFS         | 3D LiDAR centimeter accuracy                                   |
| Laser LiDAR Sensor        | YES         | 3D LiDAR centimeter accuracy                                   |
|                           |             |  |
| IMU                       | YES         | 3 axis MEMS accelerometer, gyroscope and                       |
|                           |             | precision barometer  |
|                           | • • • • •   | •                        |
| Inclinameter              | YES         | Inclinometer with 0.001 degrees accuracy for gravity alignment |
| Inclinometer              | YES         | before the mission.  |
|                           |             |  |

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