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- SATELLITE INDUSTRY CALENDAR NEWS - Sept 2020 Calendar Updates

SIA News Headlines

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- SIA RELEASES SPACE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS AND WHITE PAPER
- SIA URGES THE FCC TO REJECT LATE LAST MINUTE SUBMISSIONS BY VERIZON & CTIA AND TO PROCEED WITH STREAMLINING OF PART 25 SATELLITE RULES
- SIA WELCOMES LAUNCH SERVICES PROVIDER ULA AS ITS NEWEST MEMBER
- SIA PRESIDENT TOM STROUP JOINS AEROSPACE CORP'S THE SPACE POLICY SHOW TO DISCUSS SATELLITE SPECTRUM AS A FINITE RESOURCE
- SIA FILES NPRM REPLY COMMENTS WITH FCC REGARDING 70/80/90 GHZ SPECTRUM BANDS
- SIA'S TOM STROUP JOINS NEXT-GENERATION 5G PANEL AT TELEBRASIL 2020
- SIA SR DIRECTOR OF POLICY THERESE JONES JOINS ABA SPACE POLICY FORUM TO DISCUSS ORBITAL DEBRIS MITIGATION
- SIA COMMENDS WHITE HOUSE FOR RELEASE OF CYBERSECURITY PRINCIPLES
- SIA FILES FCC NPRM REPLY COMMENTS STATING THERE IS NO NEED TO ADOPT ADDITIONAL OOB RESTRICTIONS FOR NGSO MOBILE EARTH STATIONS
- SIA'S THERESE JONES JOINS SPACE SUSTAINABILITY PANEL AT ABA2020
- SIA PREPARES TO CELEBRATE WORLD SPACE WEEK

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TRENDS - The Importance of SATCOM Support During Disaster and Emergency Response Planning



Welcome To TRENDS – A regular feature of the SIA newsletter highlighting the latest trends in the satellite industry. This month's TRENDS comes from the desk of Rebecca Cowen-Hirsch who is Senior Vice President for Government Strategy and Policy for Inmarsat Government Inc. In today's column, Ms. Cowen-Hirsch reminds us that September is National Preparedness Month and discusses how SATCOM supports emergency planning and helps the Department of Defense protect military assets during disasters.

For more details, please visit this month's TRENDS column [HERE](#)

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SIA Member News Headlines

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PLANET IMAGES SHOW CALIFORNIA WILDFIRES AS SEEN FROM SPACE



On Sept 14th, Planet announced the creation of the California Forest Observatory (CFO), a new data-driven forest monitoring system. The statewide data will be used to research, plan for and respond to wildfires in California. CFO will provide continuously updated views of wildfire hazards and forest health in the State. For more details, please visit the SIA Member News Page [HERE](#). (Above) On Sept 20th, Planet released this image of wildfires burning in the Santa Cruz Mountains located in the Bay Area south of San Francisco. (Photo credit: Planet)

MORE MEMBER NEWS HEADLINES (See the [SIA Member News](#) Page for more details)

- INTELSAT FINALIZES C-BAND SATELLITE MANUFACTURING AND LAUNCH CONTRACTS
- VIASAT SIGNS RESELLER AGREEMENT WITH BCN TO PROVIDE SATELLITE CONNECTIVITY TO NORTH AMERICAN BUSINESSES
- SPACE X AGREEMENT WITH SMC FOR NATIONAL SECURITY SPACE LAUNCH AND BOOSTER RECOVERY
- SES BECOMES MICROSOFT AZURE ORBITAL MEO CONNECTIVITY PARTNER
- LEONARDO DRS ANNOUNCES CONTRACT TO PROVIDE UP TO \$255 MILLION WORTH OF COMSATCOM AND SUPPORT SERVICES TO USINDOPACOM
- INTELSAT SIGNS AGREEMENT TO ACQUIRE IN-FLIGHT CONNECTIVITY PROVIDER GOGO
- EUTELSAT AMERICA CORP RECIPIENT OF 2020 JAMES S. COGSWELL OUTSTANDING INDUSTRIAL SECURITY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
- IRIDIUM ANNOUNCES SKYTAC VALUE-ADDED MANUFACTURER AGREEMENT
- SES GOVERNMENT SOLUTIONS AND ISOTROPIC SYSTEMS SIGN ANTENNA AGREEMENT WITH U.S. AIR FORCE RESEARCH LABORATORY
- LOCKHEED MARTIN AND BALL AEROSPACE ANNOUNCE SUCCESSFUL TEST OF NEW MULTI-BAND MULTI-MISSION ANTENNA
- SPACEBRIDGE ROLLS OUT INTEGRASYS SATMOTION FOR CUSTOMER NETWORKS ACROSS GREECE
- INMARSAT GRANTS TYPE APPROVAL FOR R4 C-130 MULTI-PURPOSE HATCH SYSTEM FOR USE OVER GLOBAL XPRESS NETWORK
- KYMETA ANNOUNCES \$85 MILLION FUNDING RAISE

For more details on these and member stories, please visit the SIA Member News Page [HERE](#)

PLANET, SPIRE AND SPACE X LAUNCH SATELLITES IN SEPTEMBER



(Above Left) On Sept 3rd, SpaceX announced the launch success of 60 new Starlink satellites on board a Falcon 9 launch vehicle from Pad 39A at Cape Canaveral FL. (Above Right) On Sept 3rd, Planet and Spire announced the successful launches of 26 new SuperDove satellites and 8 new LEMUR satellites respectively, on board a Vega launch vehicle. For further information on the launch of these satellites, please click on the SIA Member News page [HERE](#). (Photo credits: SpaceX and Arianespace)

SIA Organized/Speaker Events and Industry Calendar

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UPCOMING SIA ORGANIZED, PARTNER AND VIRTUAL SPEAKER EVENTS - SIA will organize, partner, host or speak at the following satellite Industry Events:

1. U of Nebraska Space Law Week (Virtual) - Sept 28th- Oct 2nd
2. World Space Week - Celebrating the Role of Satellites - October 4th-10th
3. SATELLITE INNOVATION 2020 (Virtual) - Oct 6th-8th
4. 9th Americas Spectrum Management Conference (Virtual) - Oct 9th-16th
5. DoD Commercial SATCOM Workshop (Virtual) - Dec 15th-17th

For an updated list of all the scheduled, rescheduled and postponed Association and satellite industry events, please click on the Industry Calendar [HERE](#).



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