

EU/ESA Research Programs to Improve Space Weather Services

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EU Space Weather Activities

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- EC Framework Programmes (FP7, H2020)
 - Scientific research and prototyping projects
 - Over 30 projects funded since 2007
 - Next FP to be started in January 2021
- European Research Council
 - Scientific research projects
- => Results utilised by ESA SSA R2O activities





















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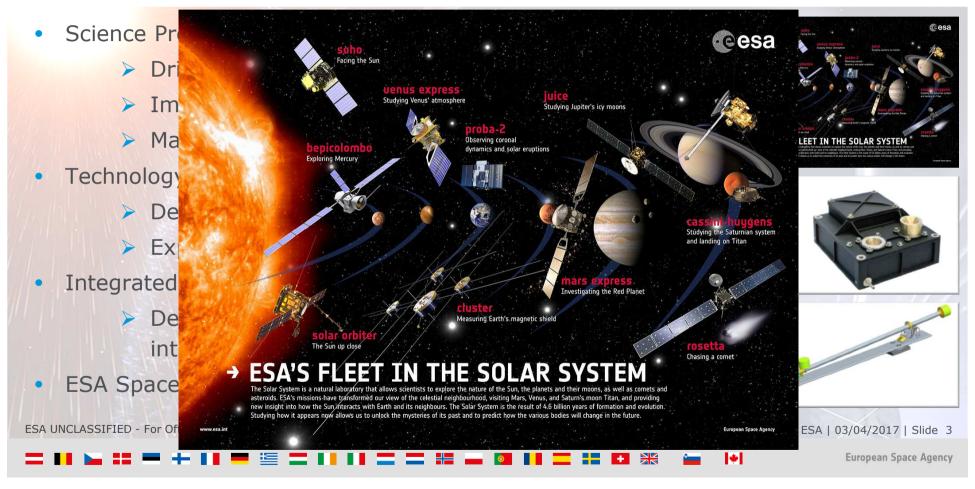




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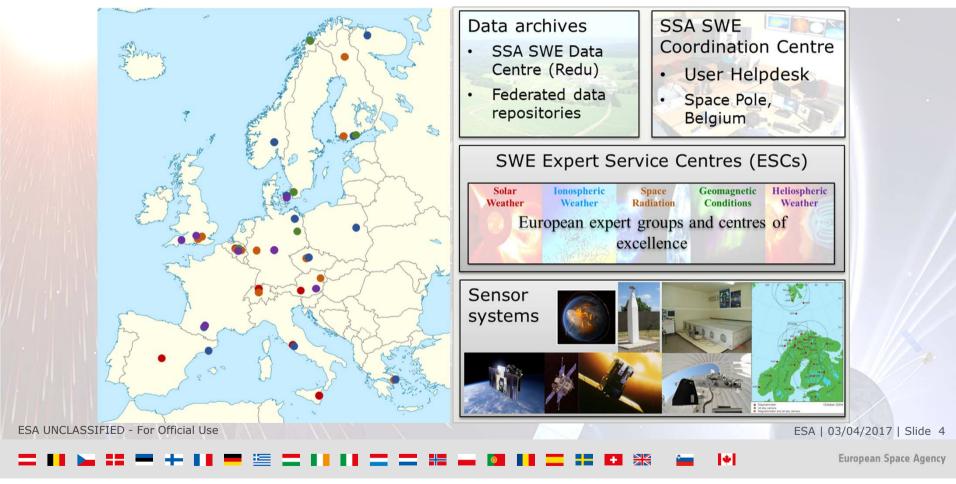
Space Weather Research in ESA Programmes





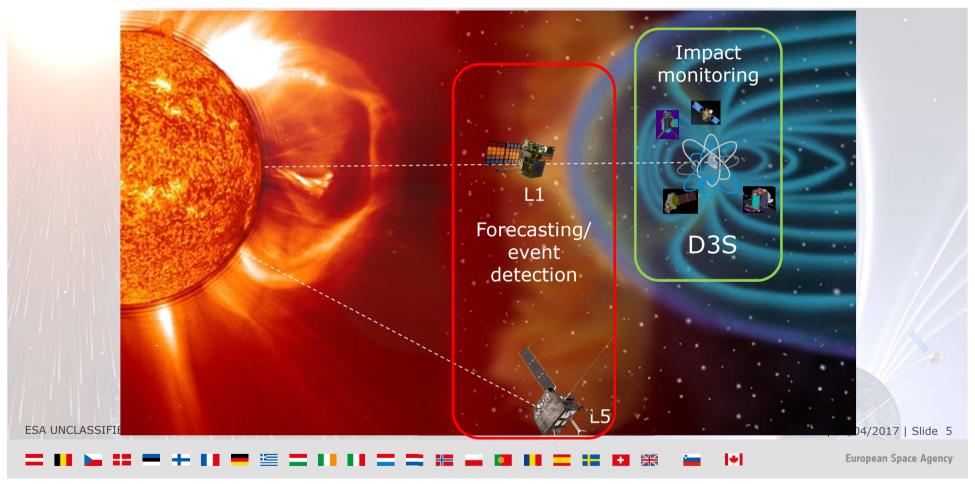
ESA SSA Federated Space Weather System





SSA SWE Space Segment Objective





Challenges for Improving Space Weather Services



- Understanding space weather impacts on infrastructure
 - => better understanding of needs of end users
- Developing physics based space weather models
- Providing accurate space weather forecasts
- Ensuring long term availability of measurement data
- Validating space weather products and services
- Coordinating information to operational end users

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