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Advanced Framework for Simulation, Integration, & Modeling (AFSIM) Space Capabilities SSF

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- **AFSIM**'s Multi-Domain Modeling Delivers Significant and Evolving Capabilities to Simulate Key Space Mission Areas
 - ISR, SSA, RPO, PNT, SATCOM, OPIR, Launch-to-Orbit

– Multi-Resolution Modeling

- From Detailed Physics-Based to Simple Effects Representations of Platforms, Sensors, Communications Systems, and Weapons
- Wizard Supports Constructive Analysis and Architecture Trade Studies
- Warlock Enables Real-Time Wargaming with Assets Spanning from Subsurface to Space
- Results Visualization Allows Users to View and Post-Process Constructive or Real-Time Scenario Replays



AFSIM's Modeling, Simulation, and Visualization Capabilities Provide a Powerful and Flexible Environment to Conduct Space-Based and Multi-Domain Analysis and Experimentation



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Astrolabe



- Use Astrolabe to Create, Verify, and Visualize Orbital Mission Events and Sequences
- Plan Maneuvers Constructively in Wizard
- Execute Tactical Maneuvers in Real-Time with Warlock
- Utilize a Variety of Supported Orbital Maneuver Events
 - Rendezvous, Intercept, Target, Match Velocity
 - Normal, Tangent, Radial, Plane Change
 - $\circ~$ Launch Insertion, Hohmann Transfer, Circularize
- Optimize Maneuvers Based on Time or Delta-V and Customize Event Constraints
- Specify Impulsive or Finite Maneuvering Model





Constellation Maker



- **U.S. AIR FORCE**
- Rapidly Prototype and Study Constellations
 Targeting Specific Mission Areas
- Generate Notional Constellations using Wizard
- Traditional Walker Delta and Walker Star Types
- Custom Constellation Types
- Automatically Create AFSIM Scenario Input Files
- Constellation Members Inherit All Subsystems from their Defining Platform Type
- Customize Specific Constellation Members via the Advanced Generator Option

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Rendezvous & Proximity Operations (RPO)

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- Explore AFSIM's Expanded Space-Domain
 Visualizations for RPO to Mission Plan and
 Understand the Playing Field
- Visualize Relative Orbit Systems using Tracks (Perception) or Truth
- Compute Relative Metrics on the Fly Between a Target HVA and Chaser Satellites
- Tile Radial, In-Track, and Cross-Track (RIC)
 Planes of Interest Relative to Selected HVAs
- Display Dynamic Data of Concern on Any Satellite Tether View Window



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Satellite Inserter Tool



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- Easily Add or Update Satellites and Constellations from Catalogs via Wizard
- Supports Two-Line Elements (TLEs) and Classical Orbital Elements
- Create Your Own Satellite Catalog from an Existing Scenario
- Insert and Update TLEs from an Imported Catalog
- Filter Across All Catalogs to Include Satellites Based on Different Categories
 - Orbital Regime, Country, Launch Date
- Easily Select Scenario Start Time Based on Reference Epochs of Included Satellites

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Space Environment, Sensors, & Signatures



- Simulate the Space Environment

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- Satellite Signatures RF, IR, and Optical
- Orbital Conjunction Prediction and Avoidance
- $\,\circ\,$ Collision and Debris Modeling
- Conduct Space Situational Awareness (SSA) Analysis
 - Model Space Surveillance Network Sensors
 - Use Multi-Type Data Fusion to Track and Update Perceived States of Space Objects
- Study the Access and Performance of Notional or Existing ISR and SATCOM Constellations





Multi-Domain Operations

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- AFSIM's Modeling, Simulation,
 Analysis, and Visualization Capabilities
 Span All Domains
- Seamlessly Integrate Space Assets with Surface, Ground, and Air Platforms
- Explore the Interplay of TCPED and F2T2EA Chains
- Take a Small Step into Space with AFSIM; Achieve a Giant Leap in Your Analysis!



Utilize AFSIM's Extensive User Resources

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- Physics and API Documentation
- Satellite and Space Operations Demos
- DIY Training with User's Guide
- Hands-on, SME-guided AFSIM Training Available from Infoscitex (IST)
- Space and Basic User Training
- Developer Training



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- AFSIM is Available to DoD and DoD Industry at No Cost, Includes Source Code, Documentation, and Access to Training Events
- Information Transfer Agreement (ITA) Allows for Direct Distribution to Industry, Including Classified Version, Allowing use of AFSIM for IRAD Projects

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