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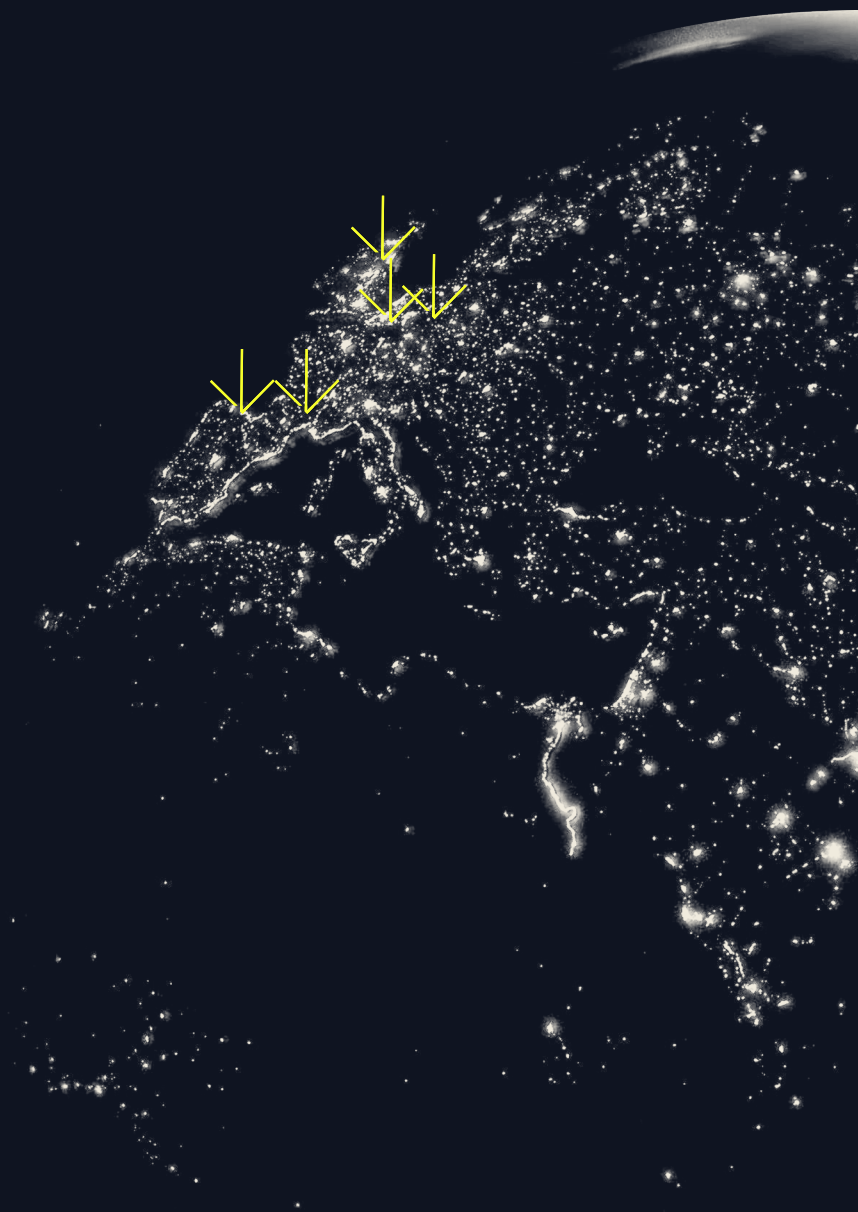
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## European group of multi-technology companies



Our group companies operate **across the globe but share a common purpose.** Together, we exist to lead the **continuous search for cutting-edge solutions** with reliable, affordable, European made high technology.



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## About us

Put simply, we connect ground to space, producing reliable solutions to communications challenges.

We are creating turnkey communications solutions for a **worldwide market**.

**For over 25 years**, our business has been synonymous with world-class innovation, quality and engineering excellence with a customer focus.

We deliver technology products, systems and services to our partners across the **aerospace, defence, satellite, scientific and IoT sectors**.

Global in reach, our **multi-disciplined teams** create smart responses to communications challenges using new ideas, new technologies and new ways of thinking.

We have the backing of **Waterland Private Equity** accelerating our growth ambition.

We have a strong heritage in partnering with businesses and international space agencies from development to commercialisation in a wide range of key enabling technologies.

## We are built to innovate

## Where we are

We have design, manufacturing and testing facilities in Spain, the Netherlands, Belgium, France and the UK.

European team working together as one. Our European origins bring a legacy of quality craftsmanship to the global stage, offering solutions that are regionally rooted but internationally recognised.

Our engineering and production facilities are located in **six different countries across Europe**, putting us within close reach of our customers. **Crafted in Europe, delivered worldwide**

## Solid State Power Amplifiers

Based on GaN technology, our SSPAs can deliver high output power maximising DC to RF conversion efficiency. High linearity for maximum useable output power independent of the modulation used.

They are designed in accordance with ECSS standards and optimised to operate without the risks associated with corona discharge and multipactor effects. Commanded by high level pulsed signals where several analogue telemetry signals are implemented in a compact and low weight design.

The modular combination of **High Power Modules (HPMs)** gives flexibility and facilitates an easier integration into various systems, ensuring minimum size and mass.

Our SSPAs have achieved TRL-9 in several commercial and military programmes.



## RF Front-Ends

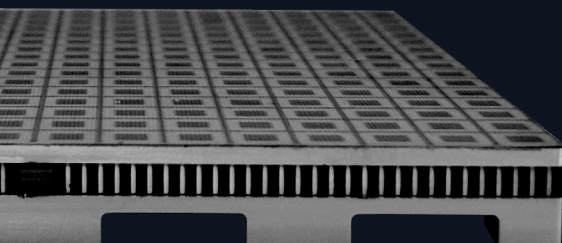
Custom RF front-ends including amplification stages (**SSPAs and LNAs**), the switching between Tx and Rx, distribution network and redundancy configurations.

From customer support to define the specifications through to architecture definition, validation of demonstrators and delivery of flying models.

## Phase Array Antennas

Engineering solutions for space-qualified phase array antennas for small and medium sized satellites.

Expertise in ground and airborne **Electronically Steered Antenna (ESA)** solutions, combined with space heritage, makes Celestia the best partner for new space solutions.



# Electrical Ground Support Equipment

EGSEs consist of hardware and software elements that perform satellite testing, by simulating the interfaces of subsystems to assure full compatibility once integrated within the overall platform. This includes both satellite on-board elements as well as external elements related to communications.

Celestia provides a wide variety of EGSE products:

**On-Board** Interfaces which can differ at many levels, including physical, electrical and protocol; **Spacecraft RF Interface testing** for the vital stage of spacecraft assembly, integration and test (AIT); **Integrated Systems**, which nominally consist of Celestia's front-end equipment complemented with COTS products, provide customers with a complete test environment to validate their satellite or subsystem.

**Software** to control a unit under test (UUT), run automated test scripts to speed up testing, monitor real-time statuses, perform data processing of recorded or simulated data and visualise data in many ways.





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SSPAs

BAND	TYPE	Psat	FREQUENCY
VHF			
	SSPA	800 W	40 - 50 MHz
UHF			
	SSPA	150 W	240 - 270 MHz
L			
	SSPA	80 W	1100-1305 MHz / 1550 - 1600 MHz
		300 W	1100 - 1600 MHz
			1550 - 1600 MHz
S			
	SSPA	5W / 10 W / 20 W	2.2 - 2.3 GHz
			2.3 - 2.5 GHz
Ka			
	SSPA	125 W	17.3 - 20.2 GHz

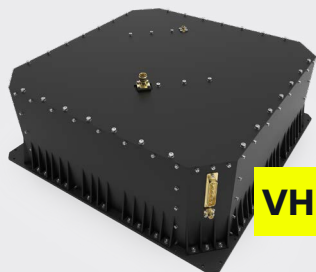
HPMs

BAND	TYPE	Psat	FREQUENCY
VHF			
	HPM	120 W	40 - 50 MHz
L			
	HPM	40 W	1100-1305 MHz
		100 W	1100 - 1600 MHz
		40 W	1550 - 1600 MHz
		200 W	
Ka			
	HPM	10 W	17.3 - 20.2 GHz



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## SPACEBORNE SSPAs



**VHF**

GaN SSPA - Spaceborne

**800 W**

40 - 50 MHz

Psat 800 W  
Operating mode Pulsed



**UHF**

GaN SSPA - Spaceborne

**150 W**

240 - 270 MHz

Psat 150 W  
Operating mode CW



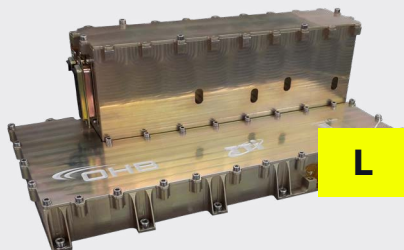
**L**

GaN SSPA - Spaceborne

**80 W**

1100-1305 MHz / 1550 - 1600 MHz

Psat 80 W  
Operating mode CW



**L**

GaN SSPA - Spaceborne

**300 W**

1550 - 1600 MHz

Psat 300 W  
Operating mode CW



**L**

GaN SSPA - Spaceborne

**300 W**

1100 - 1600 MHz

Psat 300 W  
Operating mode CW

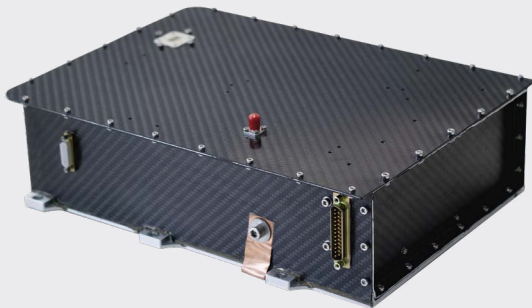
## SPACEBORNE SSPAs

**S****GaN SSPA - Spaceborne****5 W / 10 W / 20 W**

2.2 - 2.3 GHz / 2.3 - 2.5 GHz

Psat 5 W / 10 W / 20 W

Operating mode CW

**Ka****GaN SSPA - Spaceborne****125 W**

17.3 - 20.2 GHz

Psat 125 W

Operating mode CW

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## SPACEBORNE HPMs



**VHF**

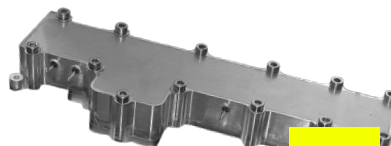
GaN HPM - Spaceborne

**120 W**

40 - 50 MHz

Psat 120 W

Operating mode Pulsed



**L**

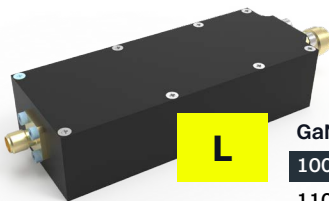
GaN HPM - Spaceborne

**40 W**

1100-1305 MHz

Psat 40 W

Operating mode CW



**L**

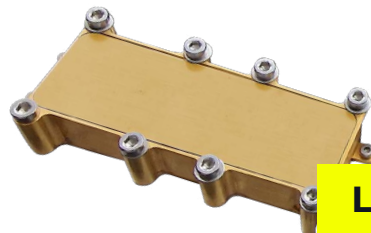
GaN HPM - Spaceborne

**100 W**

1100 - 1600 MHz

Psat 100 W

Operating mode CW



**L**

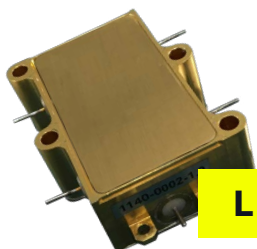
GaN HPM - Spaceborne

**40 W**

1550 - 1600 MHz

Psat 40 W

Operating mode CW



**L**

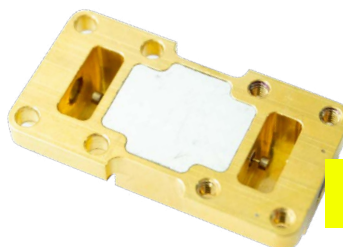
GaN HPM - Spaceborne

**200 W**

1550 - 1600 MHz

Psat 200 W

Operating mode CW



**Ka**

GaN HPM - Spaceborne

**10 W**

17.3 - 20.2 GHz

Psat 10 W

Operating mode CW



**SATELLITE TEST SYSTEMS**

**EGSE - On-board interfaces**

MODEL	TYPE	APPLICATION	TECHNOLOGY
<b>MPIP</b>	Multi-purpose interface platform	Test and simulate	Electrical interfaces
<b>TM/TC</b>	TM/TC front-end	Spacecraft control	RS422 / LVDS interfaces
<b>WLFE</b>	WizardLink front-end	Multi-channel reception and generation	4 Bi-directional WizardLink channels
<b>PLFE</b>	Parallel LVDS front-end	Multi-channel reception and generation	4 Parallel LVDS inputs and outputs
<b>MILFE</b>	MIL-1553 front-end	Control, monitor and simulate	Simulating spacecraft specific protocol
<b>CANFE</b>	CAN Bus front-end	Control, monitor and simulate	Simulating spacecraft specific protocol

**EGSE - RF interfaces**

BAND	TYPE	APPLICATION	TECHNOLOGY
<b>TT&amp;C</b>	TT&C modem	Telemetry, tracking and command	Integrated modem and baseband modem
<b>IOTB</b>	In orbit test bench	IOT phase for satellites	Multi-platform and multi-mission

**EGSE - Integrated satellite testing systems**

BAND	TYPE	APPLICATION	TECHNOLOGY
<b>SCOE</b>	Instrument SCOE	Special check-out equipment	Electrical and protocol interfaces
<b>RFSCOE</b>	RF SCOE	Special check-out equipment	Validate satellite RF subsystems
<b>RFS</b>	RF suitcase	Integrated RF subsystem	Integrates part of the spacecraft comms chain
<b>SIS</b>	Spacecraft interface simulator	Instrument or spacecraft unit testing	All spacecraft electrical interface types
<b>UHFSSPA</b>	SSPA RF suitcase	Qualification for space power amplifiers	RF and high power supply validation

**EGSE - Software**

BAND	TYPE	APPLICATION	TECHNOLOGY
<b>CMS</b>	EGSE control software	Operation of the different FEs and systems	Sophisticated graphical user interface
<b>LZP</b>	Level zero processor software	Source agnostic satcom data processor	Ingestion of data directly from storage
<b>TT&amp;C_E</b>	TT&C emulator	M&C emulator for TTC stations	RF interfaces integrated with emulated M&C

## EGSE - ON-BOARD INTERFACES



**MPIP**

**Multi-Purpose Interface Platform**

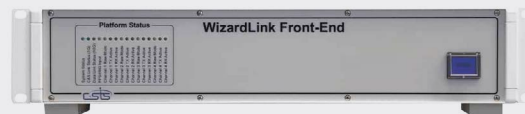
**Test and simulate**

Electrical interfaces

Up to 16 (pluggable) interface modules

Power, discrete and digital data interfaces

Custom interfaces and protocol support



**WLFE**

**WizardLink Front-End**

**Multi-channel reception & generation**

4 Bi-Directional WizardLink channels

Up to 4 WizardLink channels in parallel

Up to 2 Gbps data rate per channel

SW for high speed ingest and level 0 processing



**TM/TC**

**TM/TC Front-End**

**Spacecraft control**

RS422 / LVDS interfaces

TM acquisition and simulation

TC generation and acquisition

Bit error rate tester



**PLFE**

**Parallel LVDS Front-End**

**Multi-channel reception & generation**

4 Parallel LVDS inputs and outputs

Up to 4 parallel LVDS inputs and outputs

16-bit parallel up to 2Gbps per channel

SW for high speed ingest and level 0 processing



## EGSE - ON-BOARD INTERFACES

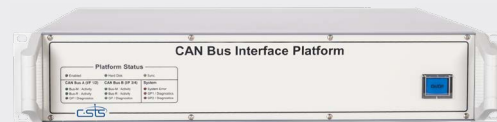
**MILFE****MIL-1553 Front-End****Control, monitor & simulate**

Simulating spacecraft specific protocol

Up to 4 independent, dual redundant channels

BC, RT and bus monitoring functionality

External time/reference inputs

**CANFE****CAN Bus Front-End****Control, monitor & simulate**

Simulating spacecraft specific protocol

Specification 2.0A &amp; 2.0B compliant

Master, slave node and bus monitoring functionality

Support 1 Mbps high-speed CAN bit rate

## EGSE - RF INTERFACES

**TT&C****TT&C Modem****Telemetry, tracking and command**

Integrated modem and baseband modem

Ranging and doppler measurements

Data rates from 7.8125 bps to 10 Mbps

Doppler simulation and uplink sweeping

**IOTB****In Orbit Test Bench****IOT phase for satellites**

Multi-platform and multi-mission solution

IOT procedures

Orbit validation

Automatic reports

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## EGSE - INTEGRATED SATELLITE TESTING SYSTEMS



### RFSCOE

#### RF SCOE

#### Special check-out equipment

Validate satellite RF subsystems

Integrated RF and bypass interfaces

Multi-channel gigabit interfaces

Science data processing, incl. CFDP



### RFS

#### RF Suitcase

#### Integrated RF subsystem

Integrates part of the spacecraft comms chain

Turnkey RF compatibility test system

Integrated RF system and OBC

TM/TC data monitoring and generation



### SCOE

#### Instrument SCOE

#### Special check-out equipment

Electrical and protocol interfaces

Integrated rack of equipment

Galvanic isolation and FMEA compliant

Integrated COTS equipment

## EGSE - INTEGRATED SATELLITE TESTING SYSTEMS

**UHFSSPA**

TT&C Emulator  
 Qualification for space power amplifiers  
 RF and high power supply validation  
 Automatic report generation  
 Different test scenarios  
 Multi-platform

**SIS**

Spacecraft Interface Simulator  
 Instrument or spacecraft unit testing equipment  
 All spacecraft electrical interface types  
 Turnkey, integrated test system  
 Mimic of S/C Electrical I/Fs and data protocols  
 Overall system control software

## EGSE-SOFTWARE

**CMS****EGSE Control Software****Operation of different FEs & systems**

Sophisticated graphical user interface

Control and monitoring of FEs / systems

Data processing

Visualisation of (telemetry) data

Remote interfacing via EDEN, C&amp;C &amp; Python

**LZP****Level Zero Processor Software****Source agnostic satcom data processor**

Ingestion of data directly from storage

Raw binary or C-STs archive input

CCSDS data processing, incl. data decryption

Statistical presentation and reporting

**TT&C\_E****TT&C Emulator****M&C emulator for TTC stations**

RF interfaces integrated with emulated M&amp;C

Simulated and real mode configuration

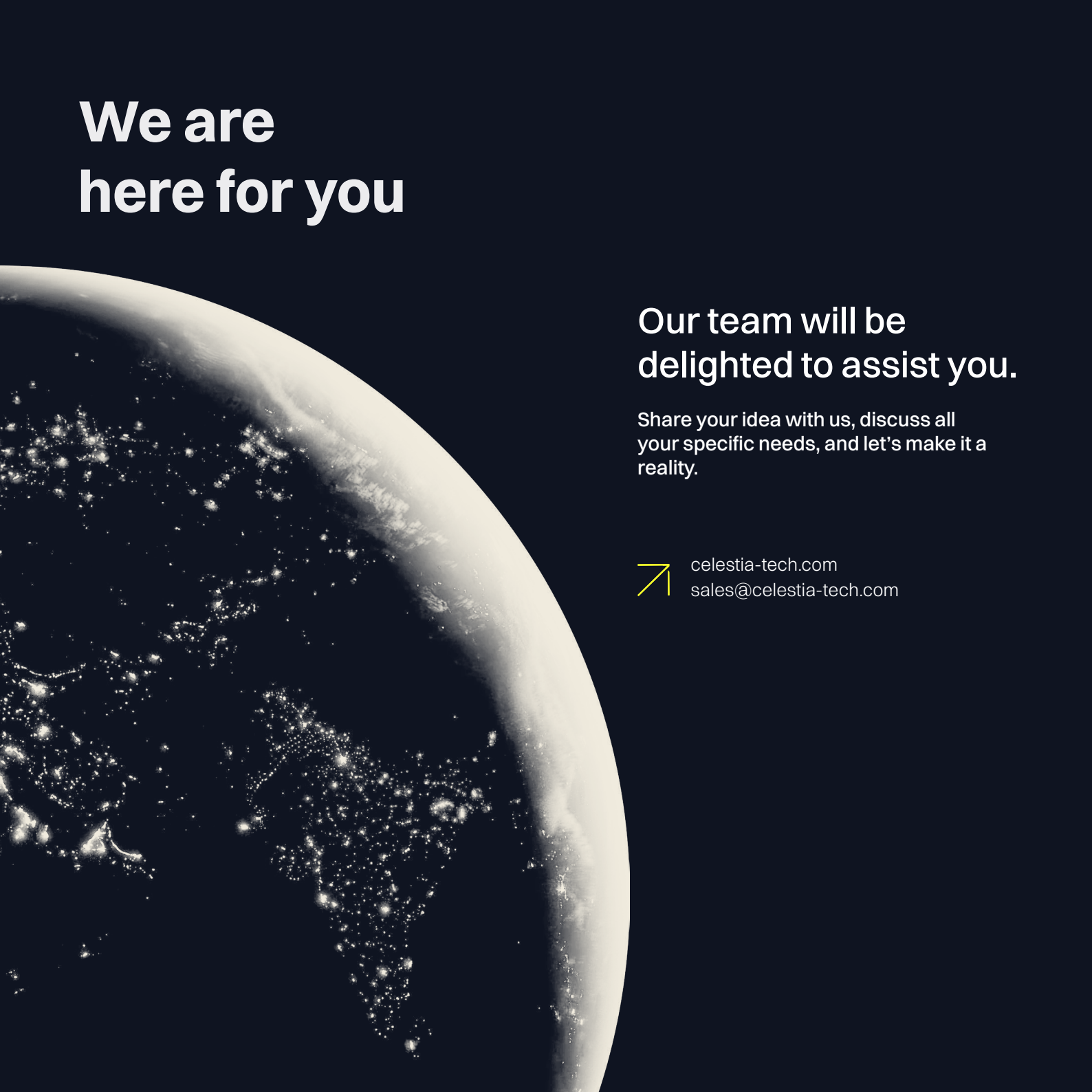
Operator training

Qualification upgrades previous OPE chain

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