

System

CubeSat System Design Hierarchy

Sub System

Communication
system

Information
System

Material
System

BMS

Thermal

Avionics

Transceiver

Database &
Algo

Satelite
Casing

Power
Generators

Temperature
sensing
network

MCU

Antenna

Computer
Memory

Mechanical
SYstem

External
Power Li-po

Heating/Coo
ling system

Mag

SAW Filter

Computer
Controller

Actuators

Voltage
Regulator

Passive heat
removal sys

Gyro

Modulator/
Demoulator

Debugger

Padding &
Insulation

Power
Management
IC

Iosalton
materials

GPS

RF Switch

Timing clock
set up

Shock
Absorbers

Current
monitor &
load
Switching

Thermocouple

Sun Sensor

RF Front-end
Power Amp

Resistance
heater

Oscillatosr

Power
Supplies/Reg
ulator

Battery
Charger

Solar power
converter

MLI

Debugger

Ideal diodes

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Power load
switch

External
watchdog

Mram

SD card

Components

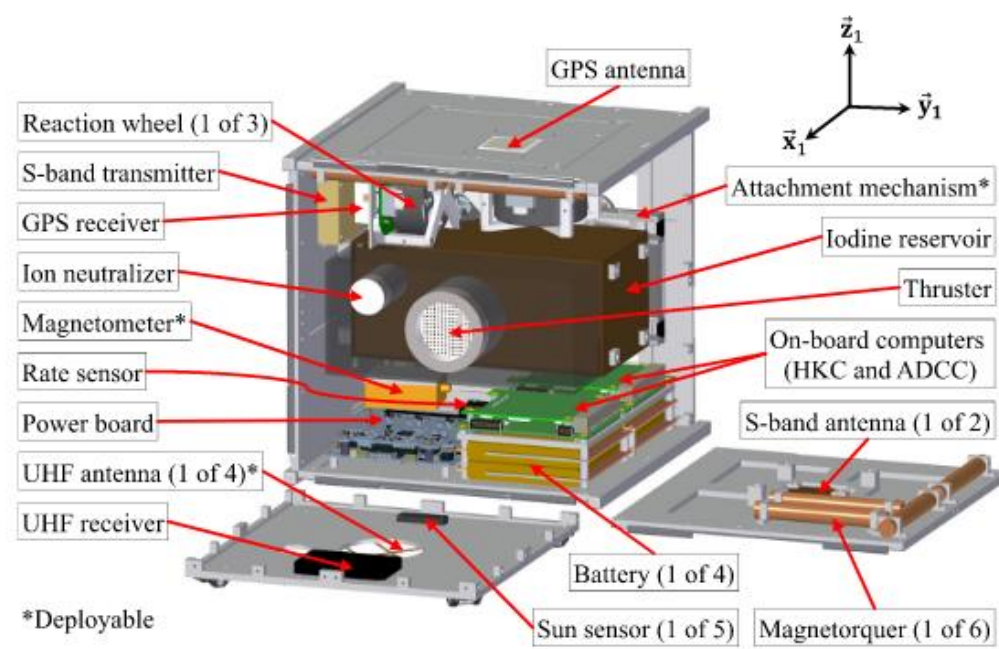
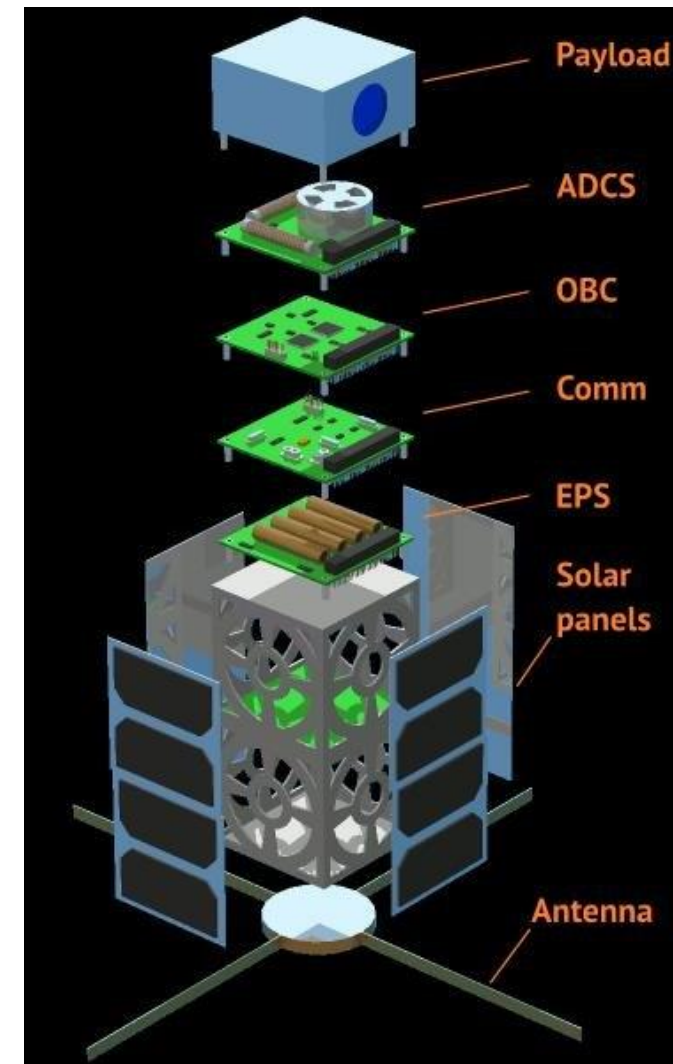
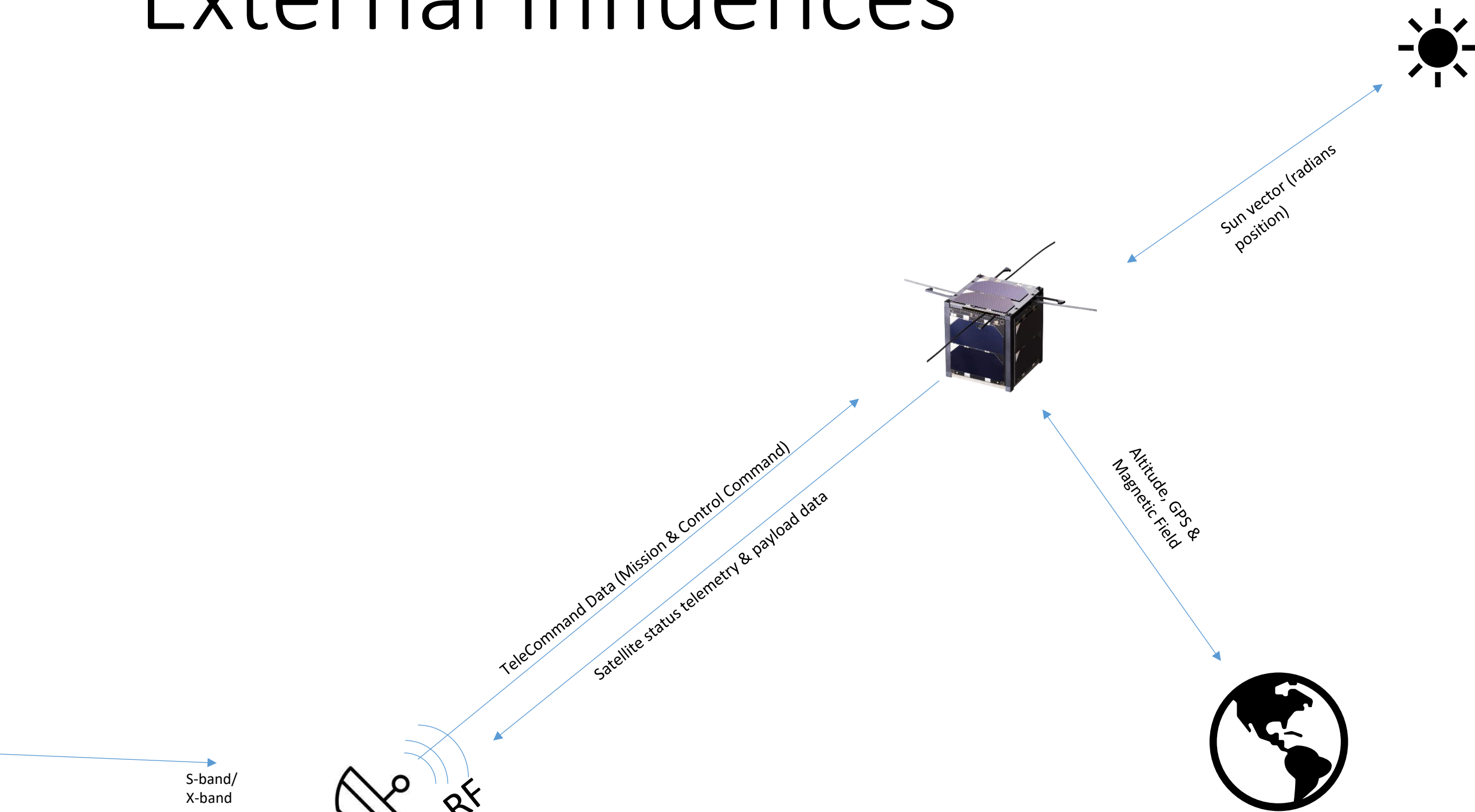


Fig. 4 Deorbiter CubeSat's engineering model. Deployable solar panels are not shown



External Influences



Ground Station

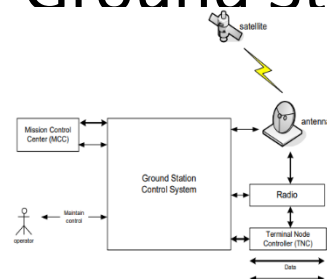
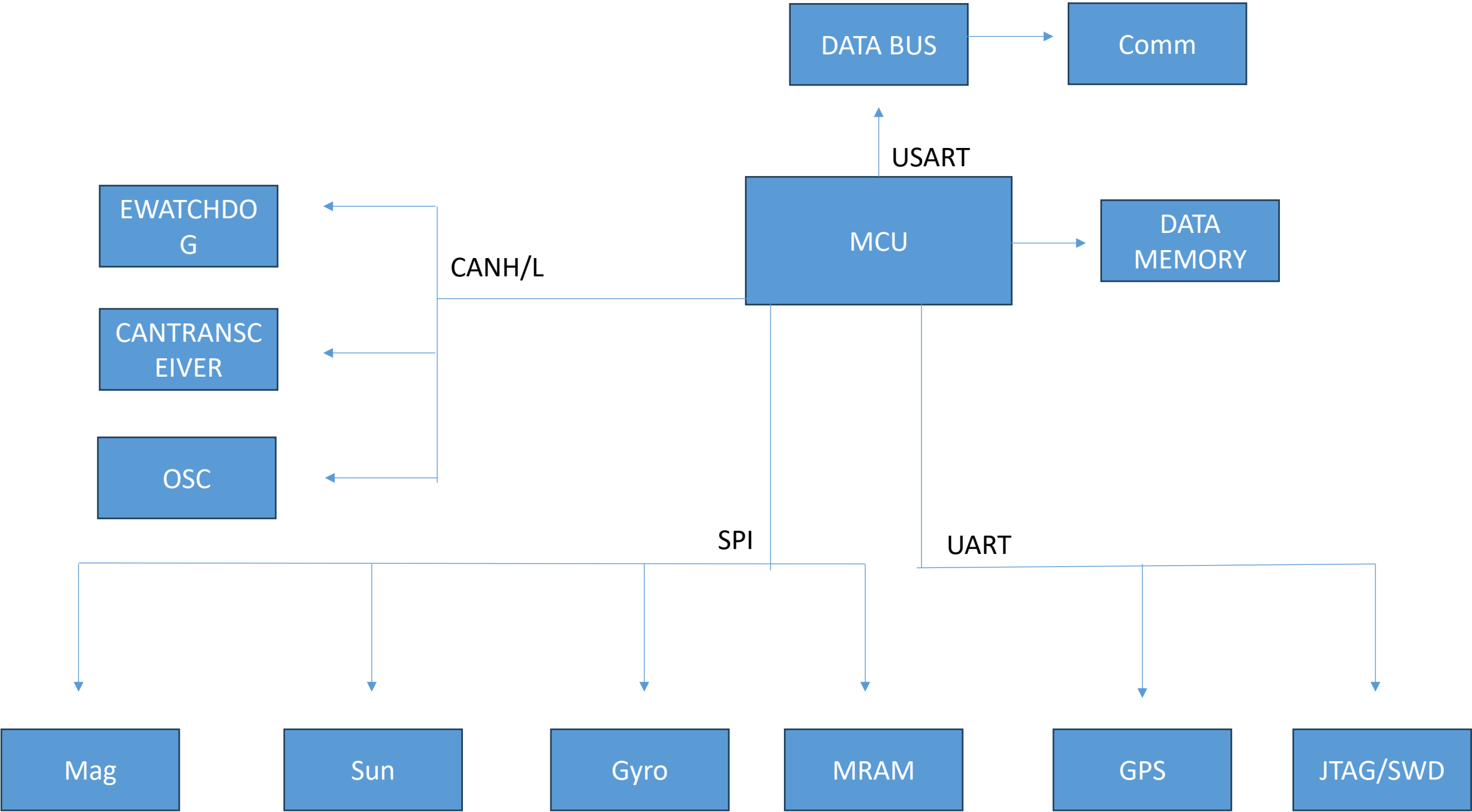


Fig. 2.4 Context diagram of control system [Yu, 2005]

Functional Block Diagram



Material List for Cubesat:-

- Specifications and Upgrades
 - - 10x10x10 cm chassis: constructed from laser-cut square aluminum bands and PCBs
 - - Printed circuit boards (PCBs) (EPS[Emergency Power Supply], OBC[On-Board Charger], ADCS[Analog(different sensor data like temp, sound etc) to Digital converters, Comm[Communication RF Board])
 - - Electronic components, 2x4 Mbits FRAM Memory, Atmega 2560 microcontroller, integrated micro-USB port
 - - 9-degree-of-freedom inertial module (with magnetometer)
 - - Extra solar power: 4 durable 1.37W solar cells
 - - 4 Lithium Ion batteries (with holding clips and temperature sensors); longer life
 - - Improved power-management and charging control
 - - 1.5W high-efficiency radio transceiver with built-in amplifier
 - - a β y radiation sensor
 - - Real-time Clock
 - - Dipole communications antenna -Compatibility with Arduino IDE
 - - 2 sub-miniature deployment switches
 - - Launch to polar Low Earth Orbit: optional

Comm Sub-System

Satellite Survival
(Using Beacon/
CW morse code)

Get Telemetry
Data(Temp,curre
nt,voltage.status,
attitude etc)

Satellite Control
(operational
Mode, Camera
Shooitng ,
Scheduling
mission)

Distance
Information (GPS)
and other info...



Why?

Primary Design Proccess for Tele-Comm.

☐ Step 1: Identify Requirements
→ Orbit, data amount and update period

☐ Step 2: Select Frequency
→ Amateur or experimental or commercial

☐ Step 3: Select and Design Hardware
(Antenna, Transmitter, Receiver,
→ Power, gain, sensitivity, G/T

☐ Step 4: Select Data Protocol

☐ Step 5: Identify Link Budget (Margin)

Iteration is needed until all interface conditions
and requirements are satisfied

Step	Information Required
1. Identify Requirements	Mission type and orbit (LEO or GEO), Data amount and update frequency
2. Select Frequency	Type: Amateur or experimental or commercial, bandwidth, modulation
3. Select and Design Hardware	Antenna spec. TX/RX spec.
4. Select Data Protocol	Data packet format Error correction method
5. Identify Link Budget	Link margin



How?

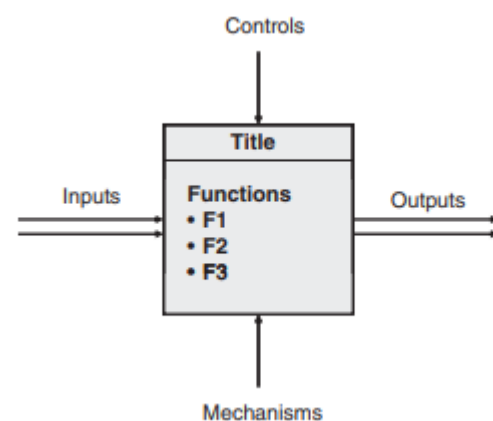
Internal Influences

Context Diagram

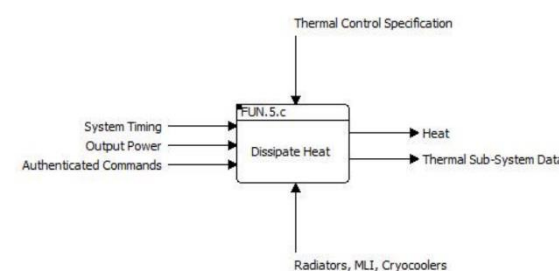
Functional analysis

- Functional Media:-
- Functional Elements:-
- Functional Interactions:-

/ Functional Flow Diagram (IDEF0) for System and individual sub-systems



Generalised Block Diagram



Example Block Diagram

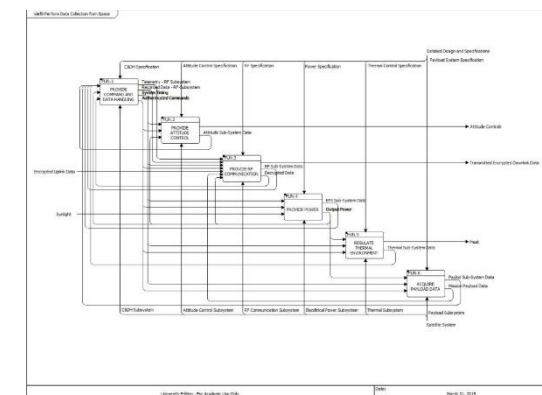


Figure 29. IDEF0: Space System Decomposition

Combined IDEF0 Block Diagram

Project & System Managemnet

- WBS
- SEMP (System Eng Management Plan)

Requirements on the Sys:-

Consideration:-

- Using SPI(SCK, MISO, MOSI) rather than I2C(SCK[Clock-Transistor], SDA[data] communication (faster rise time)
- Avoiding connecting all the componenets to a single can bus which will lead to problem(like shortcircuit will turn the whole system off).Connect the components to different busses with separate power lines bus for each
- Using 0 resistor to check current
- Multiple different test points
- High rang range of capcitance to handle maximum voltage

Avionics Board

Radio:-

Satellites

Gps for location and time

Attitude Control:-

Magnetorquer

Orientation – (Gyroscope, Sun sensor)

Command & Control:-

UART and CAN data busses Communication protocol

Temp Sensor

Real Time Clock & Schedule Keeping (clock switch and timing of data to other components)

Data Storage:-

MRAM

SD Card

Communication Protocol b/w Subsystems

