

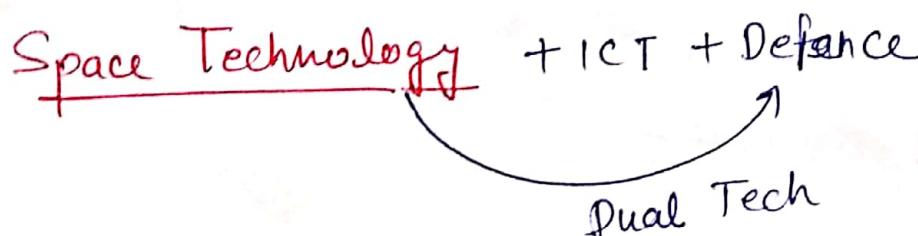
# Science & Tech. Class - 5

Topics - Space Technology, Basic Terminology  
Concepts of Orbits.

## ENERGY

- Govt. Scheme & Programme - Social Issue
- Nuclear Diplomacy - IR

In Last Lecture (Lect - 1B)



## Terminology:

- Satellite
- Shuttle
- g. Space craft ← Those object, we send in space
- Launch Vehicle
- Rocket
- Missile

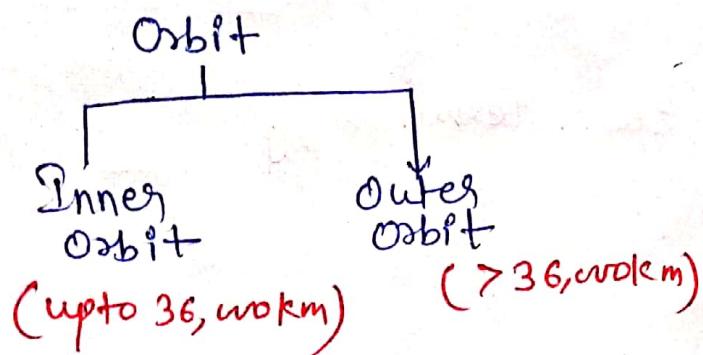
### Satellite

- always defined in the respect of orbit.
- Orbit - attraction ↓ gravity.

### Shuttle

- Reusable
- Astronaut / Cosmonaut
- Used for space delivery system

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• Satellite never come back.



⇒ ISS (Inter Space Station)  
⇒ eg: EVA / space walk

Extra vehicular Activity

Tethered EVA

Untethered EVA

↓  
Astronaut independent  
and free from shuttle.

Kessler Syndrome — space debris

Rocket — It is a kind of delivery engine / Motor used in Launch vehicle & Missile.

Missile — carried warhead.

## Orbit

Orbit

on the basis of Distance

⇒ LEO (Low Earth Orbit)

⇒ MEO (Medium Earth Orbit)

⇒ GEO (Geostationary Earth Orbit)

⇒ HEO (High Earth Orbit).

on the basis of Position

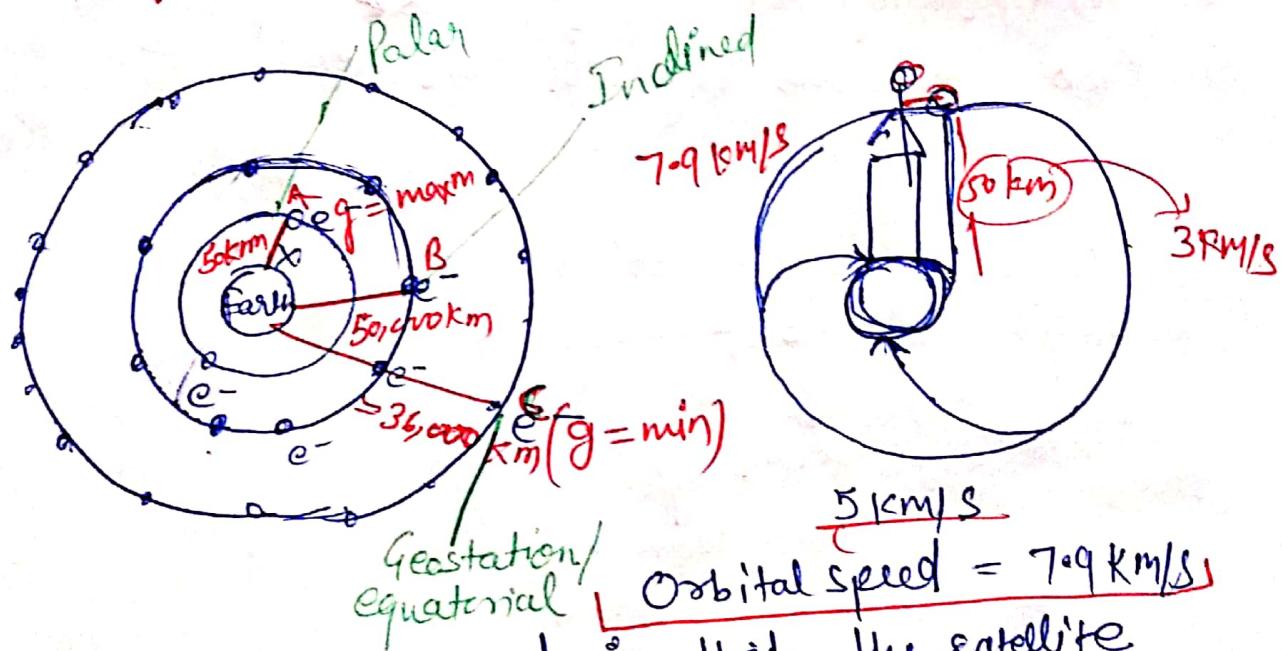
Polar

Inclined / Transitional Orbit

Equatorial

LEO - (50 - 2000 km) }  
 MEO - (5000 - 20000 km) } Inner Orbit  
GEO - (approx  $\leq$  36,000 km) }  
 HEO - (7 36,000 km) } Outer Orbit

Q. Why Satellite not fall down to the surface of Earth? (2011 Previous)



⇒ A certain speed is required in that the satellite ~~will~~ not fall down to the surface of Earth.

Distance (km)	Orbital Speed (km/sec)	Orbital Period
50	7.9 km/s	90 min
36,000	3.1 km/s	24 hrs

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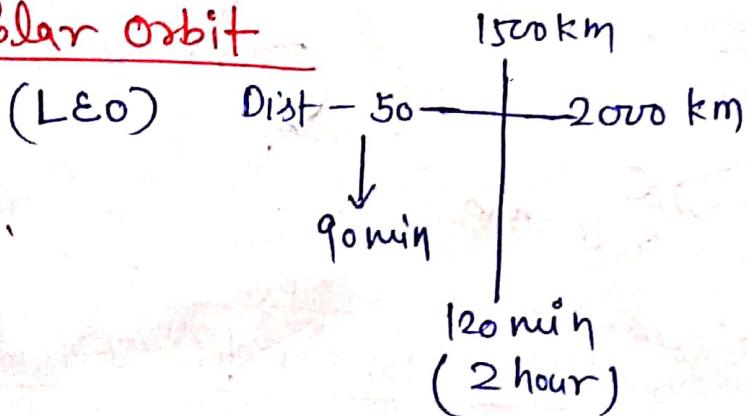
## Types of Orbit

- ① Polar Orbit
- ② Polar sunsynchronous orbit
- ③ GPS orbit
- ④ Geostationary Earth Orbit (Geo)
- ⑤ Geosynchronous Orbit
- ⑥ Geosynchronous Transfer Orbit (GTO)

## Types / Name of Satellites

- ① Experimental Satellite
- ② University Satellite
- ③ Remote Sensing Satellite
- ④ Earth Observation Satellite
- ⑤ INSAT / GSAT

## Polar Orbit



Polar Sun Synchronous Orbit - is the best orbit for

remote sensing satellite.  
(Dawn & Dusk Orbit)

798 km

98.6° Inclination

every moment of time it is linking like that satellite follow path of Sun.

## # Geostationary Earth Orbit

- Communication and Navigation are possible in this orbit.
- 24x7
- \* This is that orbit where earth rotation and revolutionary time period of satellite both same as 24 hours.

## # Geosynchronous orbit

Earth | time two  
together

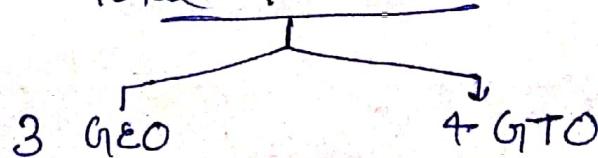
- In the respect of earth and satellite both timing are same.
- Time Specific
- Complete revolution - 24 hr
- $\rightarrow W \rightarrow E$  ✓
- $\rightarrow E \rightarrow W$  ✗ not for communication.
- $36000 \text{ km} \pm 5000 - 6000 \text{ km}$
- Circular to Elliptical.

### Note Point

\* Geostationary Satellite are Geosynchronous Satellite, but all Geosynchronous are not Geostationary.

IRNSS → Regional GPS of India.

Total 7 constellations



## Geostationary Earth Orbit

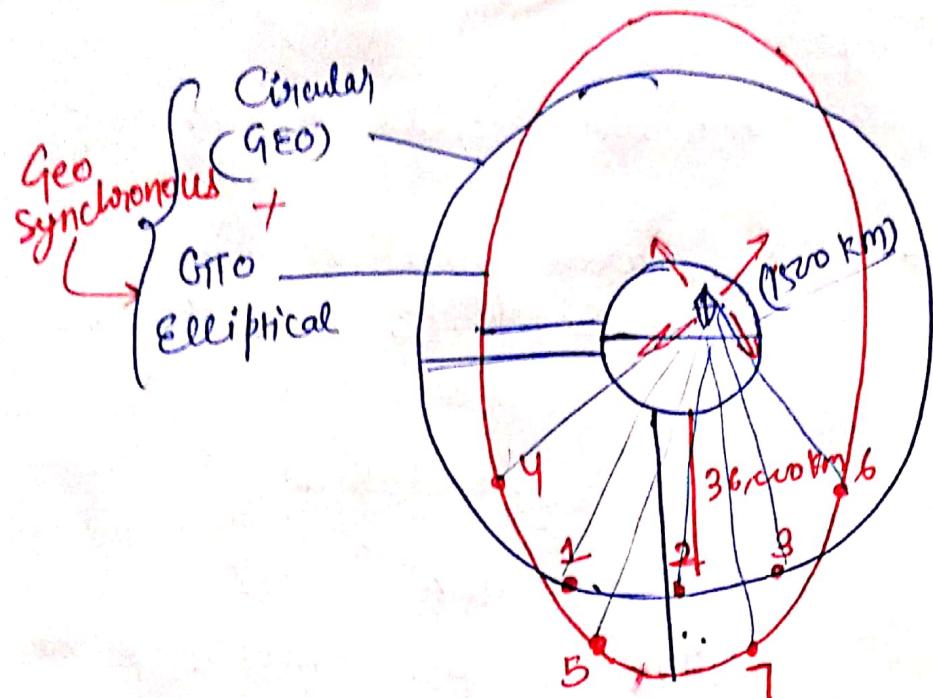
- Location Specific
- Complete revolution - 24 hrs
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$\rightarrow W \rightarrow E$

$\approx 36,000 \text{ km}$

$\rightarrow$  In circular orbit

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GEO  
1, 2, 3

GTO  
4, 5, 6, 7

## # GPS



## # International launching Station

Those site which is used to launch any satellite.

that is - Kourou (French Guyana) - S. America.

\* Location → Close to equator → g - minimum  
Eastern Coast so easy to uplift  
other place

\* Cape Canaveral → (Launch vehicle)

NASA in Florida USA → W → E (in respect of rotation of earth)