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**Self-assessment of the ODAR using the format in the Appendix of A.2 of NASA-STD-8719.14:**





Provided below is a self-assessment in accordance with the assessment format provided in Appendix A.2 of NASA-STF-8719.14.

| Requirement | Compliance Assessment | Comments                                |
|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| 4.3-1a      | Not applicable        | No planned debris release               |
| 4.3-1b      | Not applicable        | No planned debris release               |
| 4.3-2       | Not applicable        | No planned debris release               |
| 4.4-1       | Compliant             |                                         |
| 4.4-2       | Compliant             |                                         |
| 4.4-3       | Not applicable        | No planned breakups                     |
| 4.4-4       | Not applicable        | No planned breakups                     |
| 4.5-1       | Compliant             |                                         |
| 4.5-2       | Compliant             |                                         |
| 4.6-1 (a)   | Compliant             | Approximate orbital lifetime of 2 years |
| 4.6-1 (b)   | Not applicable        |                                         |
| 4.6-1 (c)   | Not applicable        |                                         |
| 4.6-2       | Not applicable        |                                         |
| 4.6-3       | Not applicable        |                                         |
| 4.6-4       | Not applicable        | Passive disposal                        |
| 4.7-1       | Compliant             |                                         |
| 4.8-1       | Not applicable        | No tether releases                      |

**ODAR Section 1: Mission Overview:**

Orbital Factory 2 is a CubeSat under development at the University of Texas at El Paso. The spacecraft will have two primary experimental payloads, a conductive ink printer and an experimental S-band antenna that was fabricated using proprietary nano copper. The purpose of the printer experiment is to test a method of repairing electrical systems in orbit using a conductive paste. The missions for both our payload and our spacecraft itself are primarily 'proof of concept,' in that they are relatively low complexity tasks to establish experience in spacecraft flight, and to prove basic functionality of the research subjects. This is done in interest of future planned missions, which will involve more technically advanced payloads with a higher orbit. The launch will be via the Northrop Grumman Innovation System's (NGIS) Antares launch vehicle, to be deployed from the Cygnus spacecraft using a NanoRacks External CubeSat Deployer (ENRCS) during the NG12 ISS resupply mission. The expected orbit will be at a 465 km orbital altitude and a 51.69-degree inclination. The printer experiment will take place within days after deployment, after the CubeSat is confirmed to be operational from the ground. After the printer experiment is completed, the patch antenna will be tested by downlinking data. Magnetorquers will also be utilized to test methods of rudimentary attitude control.

**ODAR Section 2: Spacecraft Description:**

The spacecraft is a 1U CubeSat with a skeletonized chassis and no exposed internals. Five of the six faces feature solar panels, with three of the panels having installed magnetorquers for rudimentary attitude control. Two of the faces additionally have communications devices installed, a UHF dipole antenna and an S-Band patch antenna. The CubeSat internal hardware is designed to the PC-104 form factor and will feature a UHF transceiver for uplink and downlink, an S-band transmitter for auxiliary downlink, a 5 MP external camera, a 0.3 MP internal camera, a 10.4 Watt hour capacity electrical power system with a lithium ion cell, and a payload board with an enclosed printer experiment. The printer experiment features a nozzle on a 1-axis motion platform driven by a lead screw and stepper motor. The nozzle will dispense a conductive ink onto a printed circuit board. The printer experiment will be enclosed in Kapton film to prevent debris from shedding from the satellite. In addition, the solar panels will surround the edges of the chassis.

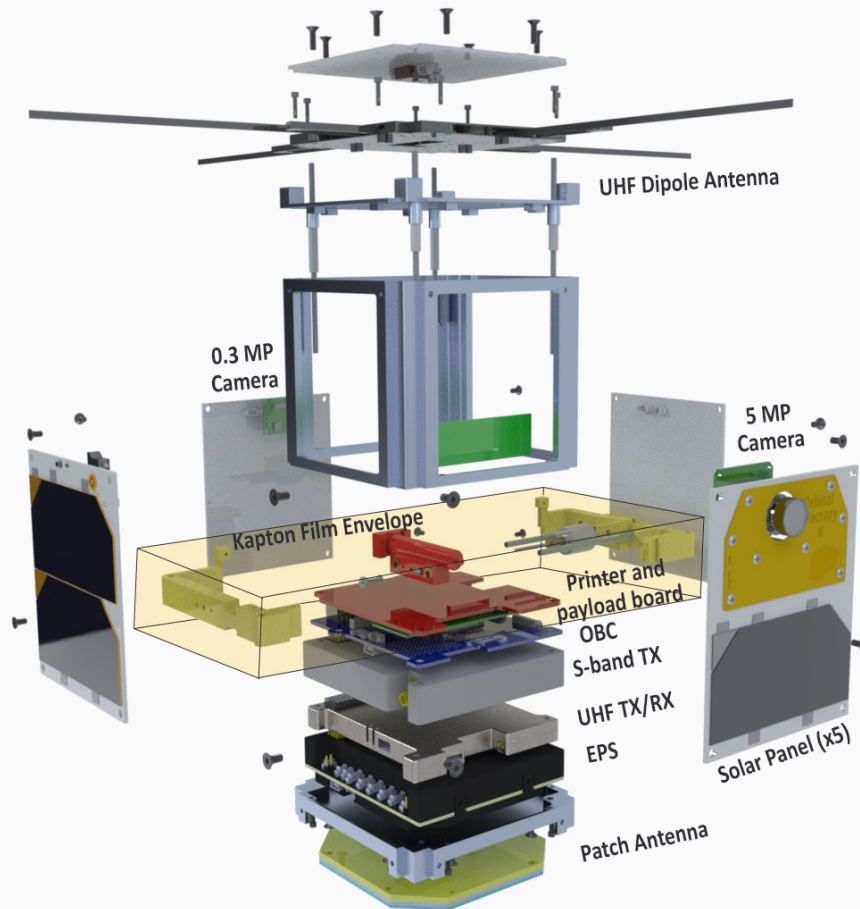


Figure 1: Exploded view of Orbital Factory 2. The Kapton film envelope for enclosing the printer experiment is shown in yellow.

### **ODAR Section 3: Assessment of Spacecraft Debris Released during Normal Operations:**

**Identification of any object (>1 mm) expected to be released from the spacecraft any time after launch, including object dimensions, mass, and material:**

There are no intentional releases. All hardware and experiments on board the satellite are fixed to the spacecraft.

**Rationale/necessity for release of each object:**

N/A

**Time of release of each object, relative to launch time:**



N/A

**Release velocity of each object with respect to spacecraft:**

N/A

**Expected orbital parameters (apogee, perigee, and inclination) of each object after release:**

N/A

**Calculated orbital life time of each object, including time spent in Low Earth Orbit (LEO):**

N/A

**Assessment of spacecraft compliance with Requirements 4.3-1 and 4.3-2 (per DAS 2.1.1):**

4.3-1, Mission Related Debris Passing Through LEO: Compliant

4.3-2, Mission Related Debris Passing Near GEO: Compliant

**ODAR Section 4: Assessment of Spacecraft Intentional Breakups and Potential for explosions:**

**Potential causes of spacecraft breakup during deployment and mission operation:**

The only potential failure mode that could result in an explosion would be a failure of the battery in the electrical power system (EPS). A failure of the protection circuitry could cause a short, which could cause the battery cell to overheat and potentially explode.

**Summary of failure modes and effects analysis of all credible failure modes which may lead to an accidental explosion:**

The EnduroSat EPS is designed with overcurrent, overvoltage, overtemperature, overcharge, over discharge, and ESD protection to mitigate the risk of over-charging, over-discharging, and external shorts. An integrated circuit protection module is used to prevent overcurrent, overcharge, and over discharge. A firmware algorithm is implemented to protect from short circuit, deep discharge, and overheating. The battery operating temperature is from -40 to 150 degrees Celsius, and the overtemperature threshold is set to 155 degrees Celsius. If this threshold is reached, the module will turn off and restart automatically if the temperature decreases below 130 degrees Celsius.

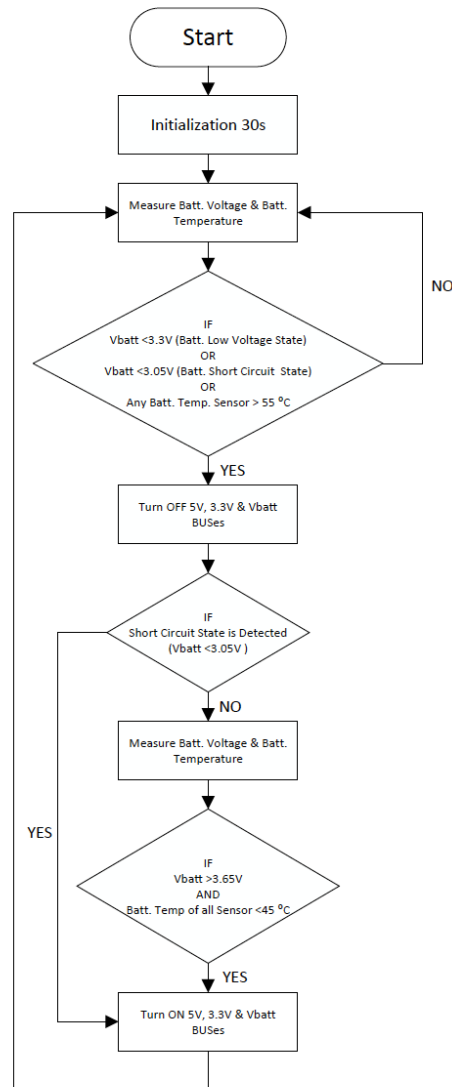


Figure 2: Algorithm for protection of battery from short circuit, deep discharge, and overheating

**Assessment of spacecraft compliance with Requirements 4.4-1 through 4.4-4:**

**Requirement 4.4-1:** Limiting the probability of accidental explosion: Compliant

Refer to Appendix 1 'EnduroSat Test Report: Flight Acceptance Test Requirements For Lithium-ion Cells and Battery Packs – Applicable to NanoRacks Payload' for test data.

**Requirement 4.4-2:** Eliminating stored energy sources: Compliant



**Requirement 4.4-3:** N/A for satellites with no intentional breakups

**Requirement 4.4-4:** N/A for satellites with no intentional breakups

**ODAR Section 5: Assessment of Spacecraft potential for on-orbit collisions:**

**Requirement 4.5-1:** Limiting debris generated by collisions with large objects when operating in Earth orbit:

Compliance: Compliant

Large Object Impact and Debris Generation Probability: 0.00000

**Requirement 4.5-2:** Limiting debris generated by collisions with small object when operating in Earth orbit:

Compliance: Compliant

Small Object Impact and Debris Generation Probability:

On Board Computer: 0.000109

Battery: 0.000004

UHF Transceiver: 0.000003

Probability of PMD failure: 0.000116

**ODAR Section 6: Assessment of Spacecraft post-mission disposal plans and procedures:**

**Description of spacecraft disposal option selected:**

The satellite will naturally decay in orbit to burn up in the Earth's atmosphere upon reentry. There will be no deorbiting assistance through the use of propulsion systems.

**Identification of all systems or components required to accomplish any post mission disposal operation, including passivation and maneuvering:**

There will be no maneuvers. The satellite has no propulsion.

**Calculation of area to mass ratio after post mission disposal, if the controlled reentry option is not selected:**

Mass: 1.454 kg

Spacecraft Average Cross-Sectional Area:  $0.015 \text{ m}^2$  (Calculated by DAS 2.1.1 cross sectional area tool)



$$\text{Area/Mass ratio (m}^2\text{/kg): } \frac{0.015}{1.454} = 0.012116 \text{ m}^2\text{/kg}$$

### Assessment of spacecraft compliance with Requirements 4.6-1 through 4.6-5:

#### Requirement 4.6-1: Disposal for space structures passing through LEO

The Orbital Factory 2 CubeSat will naturally reenter the atmosphere after approximately 2 years.

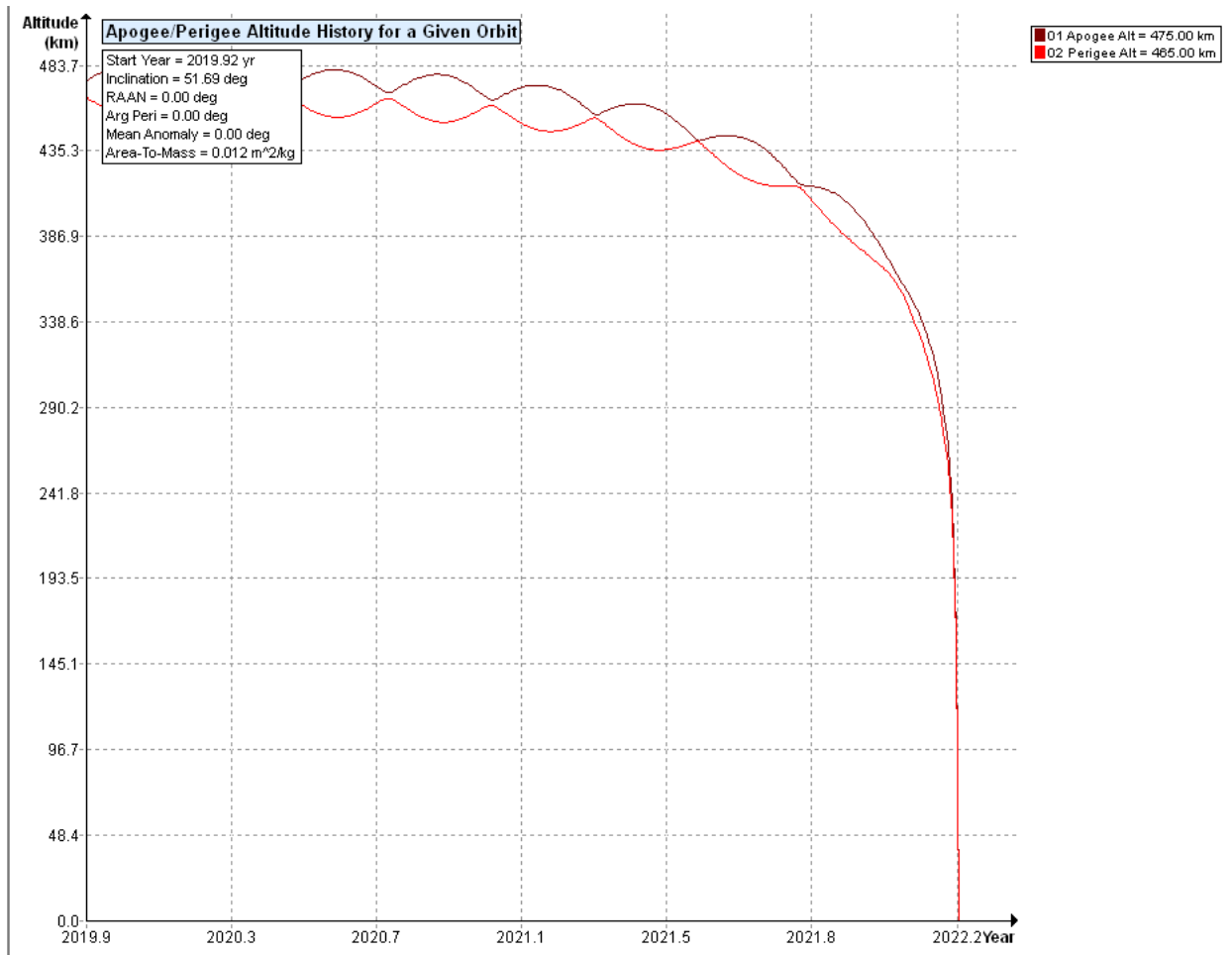


Figure 3: Satellite altitude history for orbital lifetime

**Requirement 4.6-2:** N/A due to orbit type

**Requirement 4.6-3:** N/A due to orbit type



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**Requirement 4.6-4:** This requirement addresses the reliability of post mission disposal operations in Earth's orbit. NanoRack's satellites meet orbital lifetime requirements (< 25 years) without satellite operations, therefore reliability predictions are not necessitated.



**ODAR Section 7: Assessment of Spacecraft Reentry Hazards:**

**Requirement 4.7-1a:** Component information was inputted into NASA DAS as accurately as possible, with some values overestimated to provide margin, and due to limitations with the software. The outputs and inputs to DAS are shown below:

| Satellite         | NASA Mandated Risk of Human Casualty | Calculated Risk of Human Casualty | Compliance? |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Orbital Factory 2 | Less than 1/10000 (< 0.0001)         | 1:100000000                       | Compliant   |

NASA DAS Inputs shown below:

| Name              | Qty | Material         | Body Type  | Thermal Mass | Diameter/Width | Length | Height |
|-------------------|-----|------------------|------------|--------------|----------------|--------|--------|
| Orbital Factory 2 | 1   | Aluminum 6061-T6 | Box        | 1.454        | 0.1            | 0.1135 | 0.1    |
| Solar Panel       | 5   | Fiberglass       | Flat Plate | 0.053        | 0.083          | 0.098  |        |
| Patch Antenna     | 1   | Aluminum 6061-T6 | Box        | 0.117        | 0.1            | 0.1    | 0.007  |
| UHF Antenna       | 1   | Aluminum 6061-T6 | Box        | 0.085        | 0.098          | 0.098  | 0.0056 |
| OF-2 Body         | 1   | Aluminum 6061-T6 | Box        | 0.272        | 0.1            | 0.1135 | 0.1    |
| UHF Transceiver   | 1   | Aluminum 6061-T6 | Box        | 0.0538       | 0.089          | 0.095  | 0.011  |
| UHF Board         | 1   | Fiberglass       | Flat Plate | 0.0402       | 0.089          | 0.095  |        |
| Sband Transceiver | 1   | Aluminum 6061-T6 | Box        | 0.0899       | 0.0902         | 0.096  | 0.017  |
| Sband Board       | 1   | Aluminum 6061-T6 | Flat Plate | 0.1801       | 0.0902         | 0.096  |        |
| EPS               | 1   | Aluminum 6061-T6 | Box        | 0.066        | 0.0902         | 0.096  | 0.0212 |
| EPS Board         | 1   | Fiberglass       | Flat Plate | 0.058        | 0.0902         | 0.096  |        |
| Battery           | 1   | Aluminum 6061-T6 | Box        | 0.074        | 0.077          | 0.079  | 0.0098 |
| Payload Board     | 1   | Fiberglass       | Flat Plate | 0.058        | 0.095          | 0.095  |        |



|                |   |            |            |         |       |       |       |
|----------------|---|------------|------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| Camera 1       | 1 | Polyimide  | Box        | 0.004   | 0.02  | 0.03  | 0.01  |
| Camera 2       | 1 | Fiberglass | Cylinder   | 0.005   | 0.014 | 0.024 |       |
| Printer Rail   | 2 | Polyimide  | Box        | 0.004   | 0.03  | 0.093 | 0.012 |
| Printer Nozzle | 1 | Polyimide  | Box        | 0.00555 | 0.012 | 0.056 | 0.012 |
| OBC            | 1 | Fiberglass | Flat Plate | 0.058   | 0.095 | 0.095 |       |

NASA DAS Outputs shown below:

| Name              | Demise Alt | Total DCA | KE |
|-------------------|------------|-----------|----|
| Orbital Factory 2 |            | 0         |    |
| Solar Panel       | 76.9       | 0         | 0  |
| Patch Antenna     | 75         | 0         | 0  |
| UHF Antenna       | 75.7       | 0         | 0  |
| OF-2 Body         | 75.5       | 0         | 0  |
| UHF Transceiver   | 74.2       | 0         | 0  |
| UHF Board         | 73.1       | 0         | 0  |
| Sband Transceiver | 73.6       | 0         | 0  |
| Sband Board       | 67.3       | 0         | 0  |
| EPS               | 74.1       | 0         | 0  |
| EPS Board         | 72.8       | 0         | 0  |
| Battery           | 71.2       | 0         | 0  |
| Payload Board     | 74.3       | 0         | 0  |
| Camera 1          | 74.1       | 0         | 0  |
| Camera 2          | 73.2       | 0         | 0  |
| Printer Rail      | 75.4       | 0         | 0  |
| Printer Nozzle    | 75.3       | 0         | 0  |
| OBC               | 74.3       | 0         | 0  |

### **ODAR Section 8: Assessment for tether missions:**

**Requirement 4.8-1:** N/A as no tethers will be used.



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**Acronyms and Abbreviations:**

DAS Debris Assessment Software

LEO Low Earth Orbit

LV Launch Vehicle



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## **Appendix 1**

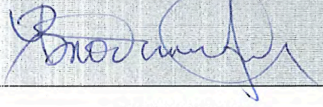
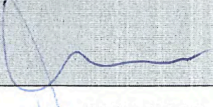
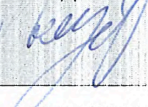
### **EnduroSat Test Report**

Flight Acceptance Test Requirements For Lithium-ion Cells and Battery Packs – Applicable to  
NanoRacks Payload



## Test report

Flight Acceptance Test Requirements for Lithium-ion Cells and Battery Packs – Applicable to NanoRacks Payload

| Prepared                                                                            | Revised                                                                             | Approved                                                                              |
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# BATTERY TEST REPORT

Four "VARTA 1/LPP 503759 8HH" Lithium Ion Polymer cells are used in two battery packs (1S2P) connected in parallel (1S4P). The total energy level is 20.8Wh.

All tests are performed according to the NanoRacks document "NR-SRD-139 Revision C". Numbering of the paragraphs is aligned with the above-mentioned document.

## 3 REQUIRED TEST PROCEDURES - PHYSICAL AND ELECTROCHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS TEXT

### 3.1 Test documentation

|                                            |                                  |
|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Manufacturer                               | Storage GMBH                     |
| Cell model number                          | 1ICP6/37/59 (VKB: 56427 201 020) |
| Date of manufacture                        | 3rd week of May 2018 (058C)      |
| Manufacturer cell / Battery specifications | VARTA/1400mAh 3.7V 5.2W          |
| Cell chemistry                             | Lithium-Ion Polymer              |
| Electrolyte type                           | Polymer Electrolyte              |
| Date of battery cell testing               | Oct. – Nov. 2018                 |

### 3.2 Visual inspection

No scrapes, budes and dents were found on the battery cells after a visual inspection

### 3.3 Measurement of the physical properties

The following measurements are performed with 0.1mm precision

|             | Cell 1 | Cell 4 | Datasheet [Max] |
|-------------|--------|--------|-----------------|
| Length [mm] | 58.6   | 58.6   | 60.5            |
| Width [mm]  | 36.2   | 36.2   | 37.5            |
| Height [mm] | 5.0    | 5.0    | 5.4             |

The following measurements are performed with 0.1g precision accuracy

|            | Cell 1 | Cell 4 | Datasheet [Max] |
|------------|--------|--------|-----------------|
| Weight [g] | 24.60  | 24.60  | Approx. 25      |



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## 3.4 Electrochemical Characteristic

The test is performed on flight cells. All cells are charged with "Graupner Ultra Duo Plus 60 No.6478" to the manufacture's recommended voltage level (4.2V). Measurements are performed with more than 0.1V precision.

## 3.4 A Measurement of Open Circuit Voltage

| Cell | Open Circuit Voltage [V] |
|------|--------------------------|
| 1    | 4.2                      |
| 4    | 4.2                      |

## 3.4 B Measurement of Closed Circuit Voltage

| Cell | Closed Loop Circuit Voltage (C/2, 30sec) |
|------|------------------------------------------|
| 1    | 4.020                                    |
| 4    | 4.028                                    |

## 3.4 C Open Circuit Voltage (OCV) 14-day test

All cells are discharged to the minimal specified voltage by the manufacture (3V) and terminated when the current tapers below C/100 (14mA). Batteries were discharged in several steps with decreasing current. "Graupner Ultra Duo Plus 60 No.6478" was used to perform this test.

For the last step, the discharging current was set with 214 Ohm resistor connected to the batteries and monitored with multimeter. The cell open circuit voltage was monitored for 14 days.

The open circuit voltage at discharge termination for four cells is as follows:

| Cell 1 [V] | Cell 4 [V] |
|------------|------------|
| 24.60      | 24.60      |

|           | Day1  | Day3  | Day7  | Day10 | Day14 |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Cell1 [V] | 3.140 | 3.165 | 3.171 | 3.172 | 3.171 |
| Cell4 [V] | 3.150 | 3.172 | 3.179 | 3.179 | 3.179 |

No declining voltage (>2.0[mV]) was monitored. All cells are accepted.



**TEST REPORT****4 CHARGE CYCLING DATA PROCEDURES**

For this test, "Graupner Ultra Duo Plus 60 No.6478" cycle option was used. Batteries were charged and discharged to the recommended manufacture's voltage level - respectively 4.2V for charge and 3V for discharge. According to the test specification. Ten minutes rest to the batteries is provided between every cycle (charge and discharge). Temperature of the battery cells was monitored for the all duration of the test.

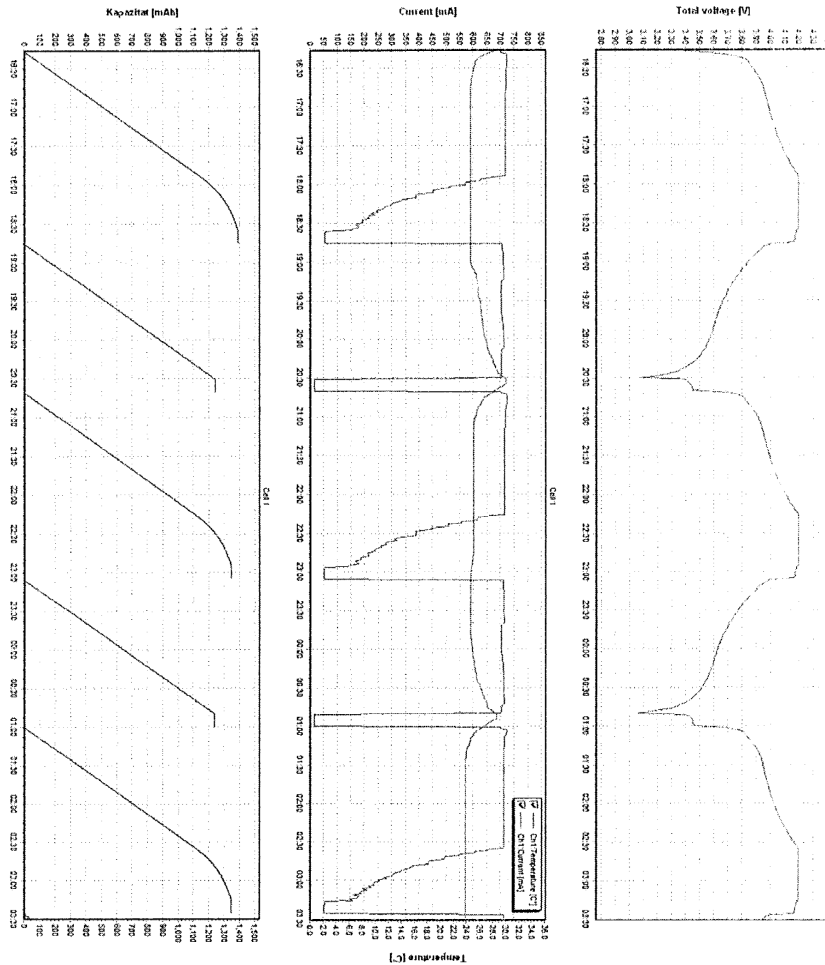
The Charge Cycling Data Procedures include the following cycle order:

- Charge
- Discharge
- Charge
- Discharge
- Charge



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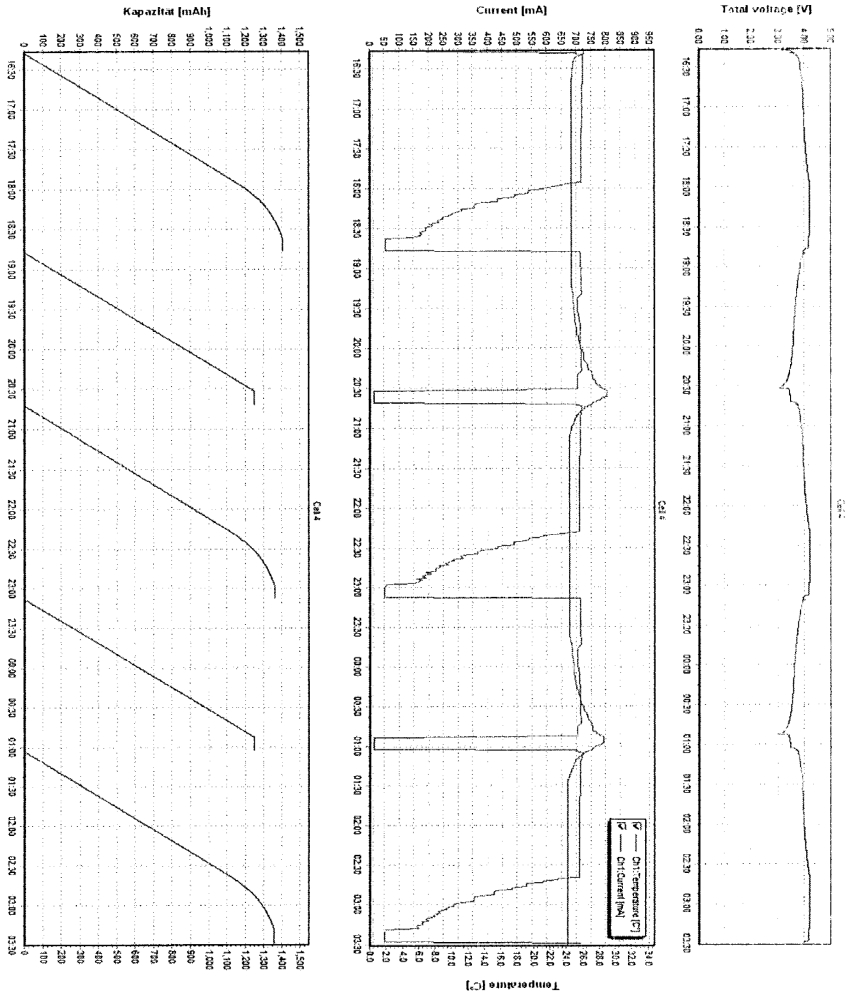
| Cell 1      |             |                |                  |
|-------------|-------------|----------------|------------------|
| Cycle Order | Voltage [V] | Capacity [mAh] | Temperature [°C] |
| 1.Charge    | 3.16 → 4.20 | 1393           | 28.8 → 24.7      |
| 2.Delay     | 4.20 → 4.17 | 1393           | 24.7 → 24.7      |
| 3.Discharge | 4.15 → 3.01 | 1244           | 24.7 → 30.1      |
| 4.Delay     | 3.00 → 3.46 | 1244           | 30.1 → 28.2      |
| 5.Charge    | 3.46 → 4.20 | 1351           | 28.2 → 24.8      |
| 6.Delay     | 4.20 → 4.17 | 1351           | 24.8 → 24.7      |
| 7.Discharge | 4.15 → 3.01 | 1240           | 24.7 → 23.6      |
| 8.Delay     | 3.00 → 3.47 | 1240           | 28.6 → 23.7      |
| 9.Charge    | 3.47 → 4.20 | 1351           | 26.7 → 23.9      |





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| Cell 4      |             |                |                  |
|-------------|-------------|----------------|------------------|
| Cycle Order | Voltage [V] | Capacity [mAh] | Temperature [°C] |
| 1.Charge    | 3.17 → 4.20 | 1406           | 26.1 → 24.6      |
| 2.Delay     | 4.20 → 4.17 | 1406           | 24.6 → 24.6      |
| 3.Discharge | 4.15 → 3.01 | 1252           | 24.6 → 29.0      |
| 4.Delay     | 3.00 → 3.49 | 1252           | 29.0 → 27.2      |
| 5.Charge    | 3.49 → 4.20 | 1360           | 27.2 → 24.4      |
| 6.Delay     | 4.20 → 4.17 | 1360           | 24.4 → 24.4      |
| 7.Discharge | 4.15 → 3.01 | 1251           | 24.4 → 28.6      |
| 8.Delay     | 3.00 → 3.49 | 1251           | 28.6 → 27.0      |
| 9.Charge    | 3.49 → 4.20 | 1359           | 27.0 → 24.2      |





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**5 CELL OVER-CHARGE PROCEDURES**

Battery cells will not be charged while on or at ISS. Over-charge tests was performed to the non-flight cell/battery.

**5A**

In order to establish overcharge battery protection "RIGOL DP832A Programmable DC Power Supply" device was used. Protection is activated at 4.267V.

**5B**

To determine the voltage at which the protection circuit module (PCM) feature is reset the same battery cell from 5A was used and discharged with C/5 (300mA). The battery cell immediately reset the overcharge protection. Hysteresis was not found or is too small to be measured.

**6 CELL OVER-DISCHARGE PROCEDURE**

Over-discharge tests was performed on non-flight cell/battery.

**6A**

In order to establish over-discharge battery protection "RIGOL DL3021 Programmable DC Electronic Load" was used. Protection is activated at 2.293V.

**6B**

To determine the voltage at which the protection circuit module feature is reset, the same battery cell from 6A was used and charge with C/5 (300mA). The battery cell immediately reset the over-discharge protection. Hysteresis was not found or is too small to be measured.

**7 EXTERNAL PROTECTION**

For the short circuit protection were used the same non-flight battery cell of the procedure described in the section above (Section 6). All cells have integrated protection circuit module. We verified that when short-circuit occurs, the dedicated protection circuit module disconnects the cell till it is removed.

Experimentally, the overcurrent protection activates at 2.285A (using RIGOL DL3021 Programmable DC Electronic Load).



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**8 CIRCUIT SCHEMATIC ANALYSIS**

Specification from the Manufacturer:

**ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATION**

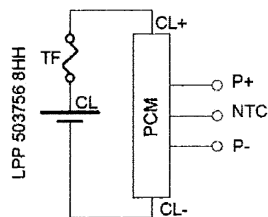
|                                                        |                                     |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Rated Capacity                                         | 1320mAh min., 1400mAh typical       |
| Nominal Voltage                                        | 3.7V                                |
| Watt-Hour Rating                                       | 5.2Wh                               |
| Charging Method                                        | Constant Current + Constant Voltage |
| Max. Charge Voltage                                    | 4.2V ( $\pm 50\text{mV}$ )          |
| Max. Continuous Charge Current                         | 1980mA (limited by cell DS)         |
| Rec. Charge Cut Off                                    | 50mA or timer 2.5h                  |
| Max. Continuous Discharge Current                      | 2000mA (limited by PCM)             |
| Rec. Discharge Cut Off                                 | 3V                                  |
| Internal Impedance                                     | approx. $100\text{m}\Omega$         |
| Exp. Cycle Life @ (1C/0.5C) @ $23 \pm 2^\circ\text{C}$ | 500 cycles $\geq 1098\text{mAh}$    |

**CELL PROTECTION**

|                       |                                                                                                 |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Overcharge Detection  | $4.275\text{V} \pm 25\text{mV}$ (0.7 to 1.3sec. delay, resume $4.275\text{V} \pm 25\text{mV}$ ) |
| Overdischarge         | $2.3\text{V} \pm 58\text{mV}$ (14 to 26msec. delay, resume $2.3\text{V} \pm 58\text{mV}$ )      |
| Detection             |                                                                                                 |
| Overcurrent Detection | 2A to 4.5A (8 to 16msec. delay @ discharge)                                                     |

**AMBIENT CONDITIONS: Temperature Range**

|                                |                                                  |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Charge                         | 0 to $+45^\circ\text{C}$                         |
| Discharge                      | $-20$ to $+60^\circ\text{C}$                     |
| Storage Capacity Recovery Rate | 1 month at $-10$ to $+45^\circ\text{C}$ $> 85\%$ |
| Humidity                       | $65 \pm 20\%\text{RH}$                           |

**CIRCUIT DIAGRAM**



TEST REPORT

**9 VIBRATION TEST**

The vibration test has been performed on flight cells installed in the power module following the spectrum as specified in paragraph 9 of the NR-SDR-139 Rev. C. Test report will be provided in hard copy.

The battery cells were fully charged and stacked into battery packs. Measured voltage is 4.165V.

**10 VACUUM TEST**

The vacuum test has been performed on flight cells installed in the power module following the spectrum as specified in paragraph 10 of the NR-SDR-139 Rev. C.

**10A / 10B**

Physical properties before the vacuum test are specified in paragraph 3.3.

**10C**

Cells were fully charged once, before vibration test.

**10D**

Test has been performed as specified in point D of paragraph 10. Test report will be provided in hard copy

**10E**

No leaks, deformations or bulges were found after a visual inspection of the cells.

**10F and 10G**

Physical properties of the cells are the same as in paragraph 3.3. All cells meet criteria (less than 0.1% change in mass).

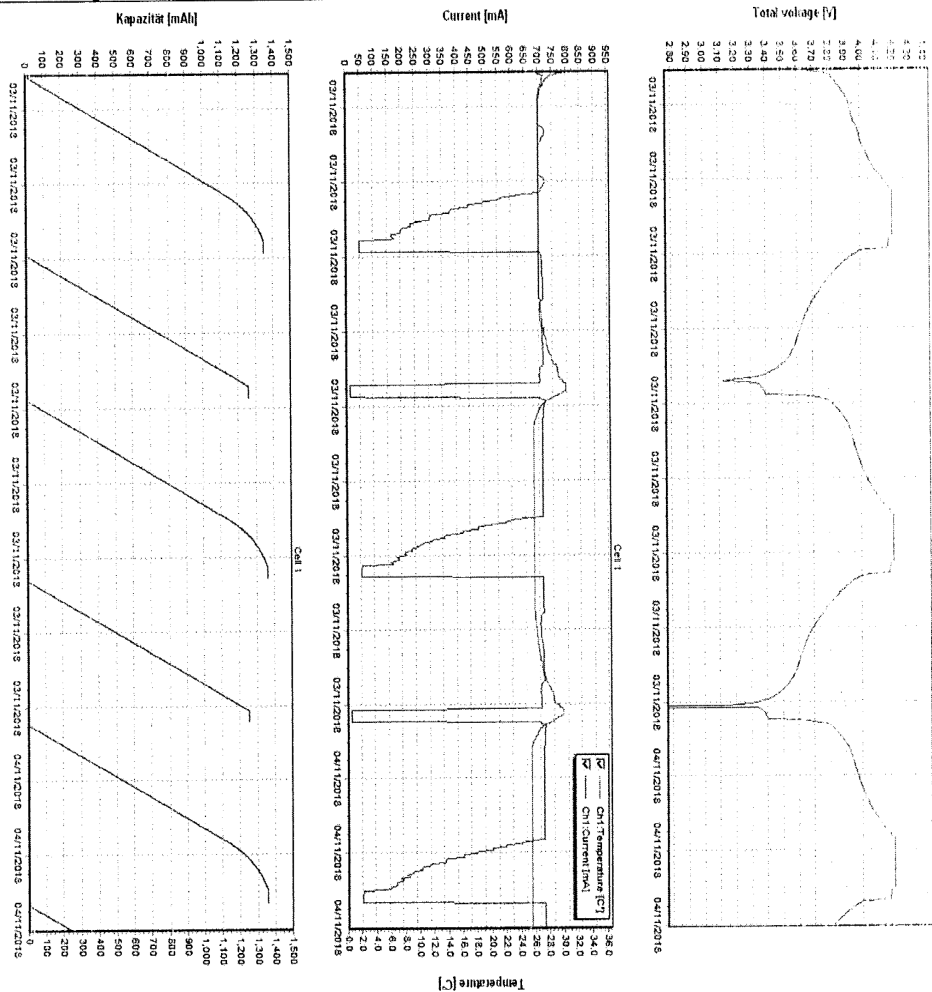




## TEST REPORT

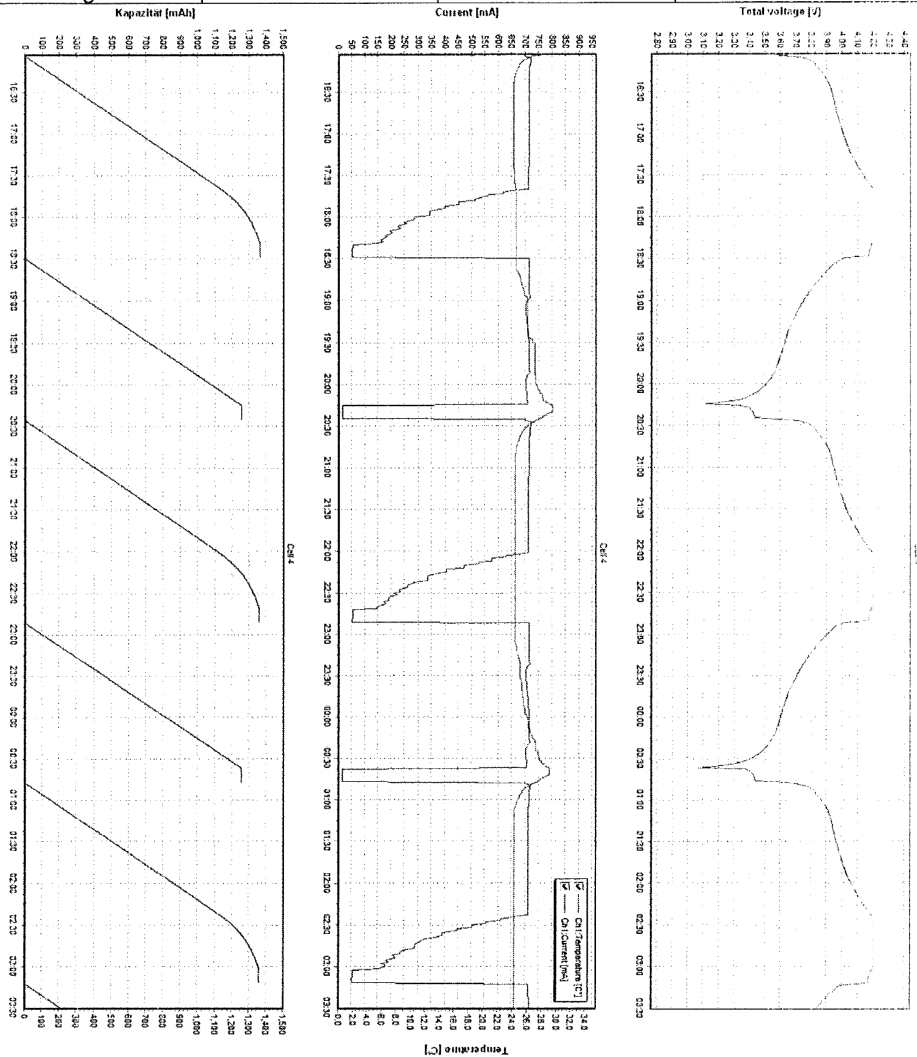
10H Charge/discharge cycle after Vacuum test as specified in Section 4:

| Cell 1      |             |                |                  |
|-------------|-------------|----------------|------------------|
| Cycle Order | Voltage [V] | Capacity [mAh] | Temperature [°C] |
| 1.Charge    | 3.53 → 4.20 | 1351           | 30.5 → 26.8      |
| 2.Delay     | 4.20 → 4.17 | 1351           | 26.8 → 26.8      |
| 3.Discharge | 4.15 → 3.01 | 1258           | 26.8 → 30.5      |
| 4.Delay     | 3.00 → 3.40 | 1258           | 30.5 → 29.1      |
| 5.Charge    | 3.40 → 4.20 | 1364           | 29.1 → 26.0      |
| 6.Delay     | 4.20 → 4.17 | 1364           | 26.0 → 26.0      |
| 7.Discharge | 4.15 → 3.01 | 1255           | 26.0 → 29.9      |
| 8.Delay     | 3.00 → 3.40 | 1255           | 29.9 → 28.5      |
| 9.Charge    | 3.40 → 4.20 | 1360           | 28.5 → 25.5      |





| Cell 4      |             |                |                  |
|-------------|-------------|----------------|------------------|
| Cycle Order | Voltage [V] | Capacity [mAh] | Temperature [°C] |
| 1.Charge    | 3.43 → 4.20 | 1367           | 27.8 → 24.6      |
| 2.Delay     | 4.20 → 4.17 | 1367           | 24.6 → 24.6      |
| 3.Discharge | 4.15 → 3.01 | 1260           | 24.6 → 29.5      |
| 4.Delay     | 3.00 → 3.44 | 1260           | 29.5 → 27.7      |
| 5.Charge    | 3.44 → 4.20 | 1362           | 27.7 → 24.5      |
| 6.Delay     | 4.20 → 4.17 | 1362           | 24.5 → 24.5      |
| 7.Discharge | 4.15 → 3.01 | 1258           | 24.5 → 29.1      |
| 8.Delay     | 3.00 → 3.44 | 1258           | 29.1 → 27.5      |
| 9.Charge    | 3.44 → 4.20 | 1364           | 27.5 → 24.4      |







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Measured voltage of two packs after vacuum test is 4.162V, change in capacity is less than 5 percent (see results in 10H).

**All batteries have successfully passed the test.**



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## **Appendix 2**

### **DAS Activity Log**

Activity log from NASA Debris Assessment Software



```
05 30 2019; 07:22:18AM Activity Log Started
05 30 2019; 07:22:18AM Opened Project C:\NASA\DAS2.1.1\OFII_b\
05 30 2019; 07:22:45AM Activity Log Started
05 30 2019; 07:22:45AM Opened Project C:\NASA\DAS2.1.1\OFII_b\
05 30 2019; 07:26:05AM Mission Editor Changes Applied
05 30 2019; 07:26:12AM Processing Requirement 4.3-1:      Return Status :
Not Run
```

```
=====
No Project Data Available
=====
```

```
===== End of Requirement 4.3-1 =====
05 30 2019; 07:26:19AM Processing Requirement 4.3-2: Return Status :
Passed
```

```
=====
No Project Data Available
=====
```

```
===== End of Requirement 4.3-2 =====
05 30 2019; 07:26:22AM Requirement 4.4-3:  Compliant
```

```
===== End of Requirement 4.4-3 =====
05 30 2019; 07:30:36AM Processing Requirement 4.5-1:      Return Status :
Passed
```

```
=====
Run Data
=====
```

**\*\*INPUT\*\***

```
Space Structure Name = Orbital Factory II
Space Structure Type = Payload
Perigee Altitude = 465.000000 (km)
Apogee Altitude = 475.000000 (km)
Inclination = 51.692000 (deg)
RAAN = 0.000000 (deg)
Argument of Perigee = 0.000000 (deg)
Mean Anomaly = 0.000000 (deg)
Final Area-To-Mass Ratio = 0.012116 (m^2/kg)
Start Year = 2019.000000 (yr)
Initial Mass = 1.454000 (kg)
Final Mass = 1.454000 (kg)
Duration = 10.000000 (yr)
Station-Kept = False
```



Abandoned = True  
 PMD Perigee Altitude = -1.000000 (km)  
 PMD Apogee Altitude = -1.000000 (km)  
 PMD Inclination = 0.000000 (deg)  
 PMD RAAN = 0.000000 (deg)  
 PMD Argument of Perigee = 0.000000 (deg)  
 PMD Mean Anomaly = 0.000000 (deg)

**\*\*OUTPUT\*\***

Collision Probability = 0.000000  
 Returned Error Message: Normal Processing  
 Date Range Error Message: Normal Date Range  
 Status = Pass

=====

===== End of Requirement 4.5-1 =====

05 30 2019; 07:35:54AM Requirement 4.5-2: Compliant

=====

Spacecraft = Orbital Factory II  
 Critical Surface = On Board Computer

=====

**\*\*INPUT\*\***

Apogee Altitude = 475.000000 (km)  
 Perigee Altitude = 465.000000 (km)  
 Orbital Inclination = 51.692000 (deg)  
 RAAN = 0.000000 (deg)  
 Argument of Perigee = 0.000000 (deg)  
 Mean Anomaly = 0.000000 (deg)  
 Final Area-To-Mass = 0.012116 (m<sup>2</sup>/kg)  
 Initial Mass = 1.454000 (kg)  
 Final Mass = 1.454000 (kg)  
 Station Kept = No  
 Start Year = 2019.000000 (yr)  
 Duration = 10.000000 (yr)  
 Orientation = Random Tumbling  
 CS Areal Density = 2.320000 (g/cm<sup>2</sup>)  
 CS Surface Area = 0.019190 (m<sup>2</sup>)  
 Vector = (0.000000 (u), 0.000000 (v), 0.000000 (w))  
 CS Pressurized = No  
 Outer Wall 1 Density: 2.700000 (g/cm<sup>2</sup>) Separation: 0.200000 (cm)

**\*\*OUTPUT\*\***



Probabilty of Penetration = 0.000156 (0.000156)  
Returned Error Message: Normal Processing  
Date Range Error Message: Normal Date Range

=====  
Spacecraft = Orbital Factory II  
Critical Surface = Battery  
=====

\*\*INPUT\*\*

Apogee Altitude = 475.000000 (km)  
Perigee Altitude = 465.000000 (km)  
Orbital Inclination = 51.692000 (deg)  
RAAN = 0.000000 (deg)  
Argument of Perigee = 0.000000 (deg)  
Mean Anomaly = 0.000000 (deg)  
Final Area-To-Mass = 0.012116 (m<sup>2</sup>/kg)  
Initial Mass = 1.454000 (kg)  
Final Mass = 1.454000 (kg)  
Station Kept = No  
Start Year = 2019.000000 (yr)  
Duration = 10.000000 (yr)  
Orientation = Random Tumbling  
CS Areal Density = 2.700000 (g/cm<sup>2</sup>)  
CS Surface Area = 0.025213 (m<sup>2</sup>)  
Vector = (0.000000 (u), 0.000000 (v), 0.000000 (w))  
CS Pressurized = No  
Outer Wall 1    Density: 2.700000 (g/cm<sup>2</sup>)    Separation: 0.200000 (cm)  
Outer Wall 2    Density: 2.700000 (g/cm<sup>2</sup>)    Separation: 0.200000 (cm)

\*\*OUTPUT\*\*

Probabilty of Penetration = 0.000005 (0.000005)  
Returned Error Message: Normal Processing  
Date Range Error Message: Normal Date Range

=====  
Spacecraft = Orbital Factory II  
Critical Surface = UHF Receiver  
=====

\*\*INPUT\*\*

Apogee Altitude = 475.000000 (km)  
Perigee Altitude = 465.000000 (km)



Orbital Inclination = 51.692000 (deg)  
 RAAN = 0.000000 (deg)  
 Argument of Perigee = 0.000000 (deg)  
 Mean Anomaly = 0.000000 (deg)  
 Final Area-To-Mass = 0.012116 (m<sup>2</sup>/kg)  
 Initial Mass = 1.454000 (kg)  
 Final Mass = 1.454000 (kg)  
 Station Kept = No  
 Start Year = 2019.000000 (yr)  
 Duration = 10.000000 (yr)  
 Orientation = Random Tumbling  
 CS Areal Density = 2.700000 (g/cm<sup>2</sup>)  
 CS Surface Area = 0.020958 (m<sup>2</sup>)  
 Vector = (0.000000 (u), 0.000000 (v), 0.000000 (w))  
 CS Pressurized = No  
 Outer Wall 1    Density: 2.700000 (g/cm<sup>2</sup>)    Separation: 0.200000 (cm)  
 Outer Wall 2    Density: 2.700000 (g/cm<sup>2</sup>)    Separation: 0.200000 (cm)

\*\*OUTPUT\*\*

Probabilty of Penetration = 0.000004 (0.000004)  
 Returned Error Message: Normal Processing  
 Date Range Error Message: Normal Date Range

05 30 2019; 07:36:56AM Processing Requirement 4.6    Return Status :  
 Passed

=====  
 Project Data  
 =====

\*\*INPUT\*\*

Space Structure Name = Orbital Factory II  
 Space Structure Type = Payload

Perigee Altitude = 465.000000 (km)  
 Apogee Altitude = 475.000000 (km)  
 Inclination = 51.692000 (deg)  
 RAAN = 0.000000 (deg)  
 Argument of Perigee = 0.000000 (deg)  
 Mean Anomaly = 0.000000 (deg)  
 Area-To-Mass Ratio = 0.012116 (m<sup>2</sup>/kg)  
 Start Year = 2019.000000 (yr)  
 Initial Mass = 1.454000 (kg)  
 Final Mass = 1.454000 (kg)



```
Duration = 10.000000 (yr)
Station Kept = False
Abandoned = True
PMD Perigee Altitude = -1.000000 (km)
PMD Apogee Altitude = -1.000000 (km)
PMD Inclination = 0.000000 (deg)
PMD RAAN = 0.000000 (deg)
PMD Argument of Perigee = 0.000000 (deg)
PMD Mean Anomaly = 0.000000 (deg)
```

**\*\*OUTPUT\*\***

```
Suggested Perigee Altitude = 465.000000 (km)
Suggested Apogee Altitude = 475.000000 (km)
Returned Error Message = Reentry during mission (no PMD req.).
```

```
Released Year = 2022 (yr)
Requirement = 61
Compliance Status = Pass
```

=====

===== End of Requirement 4.6 =====

05 30 2019; 07:38:40AM \*\*\*\*\*Processing Requirement 4.7-1

Return Status : Passed

**\*\*\*\*\*INPUT\*\*\*\*\***

Item Number = 1

```
name = Orbital Factory II
quantity = 1
parent = 0
materialID = 8
type = Box
Aero Mass = 1.454000
Thermal Mass = 1.454000
Diameter/Width = 0.100000
Length = 0.113500
Height = 0.100000
```

```
name = Solar Panel
quantity = 5
parent = 1
materialID = 23
type = Flat Plate
Aero Mass = 0.053000
Thermal Mass = 0.053000
```



Diameter/Width = 0.083000  
Length = 0.098000

name = Patch Antenna  
quantity = 1  
parent = 1  
materialID = 8  
type = Box  
Aero Mass = 0.117000  
Thermal Mass = 0.117000  
Diameter/Width = 0.100000  
Length = 0.100000  
Height = 0.007000

name = UHF Antenna  
quantity = 1  
parent = 1  
materialID = 8  
type = Box  
Aero Mass = 0.085000  
Thermal Mass = 0.085000  
Diameter/Width = 0.098000  
Length = 0.098000  
Height = 0.005600

name = OFII Body  
quantity = 1  
parent = 1  
materialID = 8  
type = Box  
Aero Mass = 0.972550  
Thermal Mass = 0.272000  
Diameter/Width = 0.100000  
Length = 0.113500  
Height = 0.100000

name = UHF Transceiver  
quantity = 1  
parent = 5  
materialID = 8  
type = Box  
Aero Mass = 0.094000  
Thermal Mass = 0.053800  
Diameter/Width = 0.089000  
Length = 0.095000  
Height = 0.011000





```
name = UHF Board
quantity = 1
parent = 6
materialID = 23
type = Flat Plate
Aero Mass = 0.040200
Thermal Mass = 0.040200
Diameter/Width = 0.089000
Length = 0.095000
```

```
name = Sband Transceiver
quantity = 1
parent = 5
materialID = 8
type = Box
Aero Mass = 0.270000
Thermal Mass = 0.089900
Diameter/Width = 0.090200
Length = 0.096000
Height = 0.017000
```

```
name = Sband Board
quantity = 1
parent = 8
materialID = 8
type = Flat Plate
Aero Mass = 0.180100
Thermal Mass = 0.180100
Diameter/Width = 0.090200
Length = 0.096000
```

```
name = EPS
quantity = 1
parent = 5
materialID = 8
type = Box
Aero Mass = 0.198000
Thermal Mass = 0.066000
Diameter/Width = 0.090200
Length = 0.096000
Height = 0.021200
```

```
name = EPS Board
quantity = 1
parent = 10
materialID = 23
type = Flat Plate
```



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Aero Mass = 0.058000  
Thermal Mass = 0.058000  
Diameter/Width = 0.090200  
Length = 0.096000

name = Battery  
quantity = 1  
parent = 10  
materialID = 8  
type = Box  
Aero Mass = 0.074000  
Thermal Mass = 0.074000  
Diameter/Width = 0.077000  
Length = 0.079000  
Height = 0.009800

name = Payload Board  
quantity = 1  
parent = 5  
materialID = 23  
type = Flat Plate  
Aero Mass = 0.067000  
Thermal Mass = 0.058000  
Diameter/Width = 0.095000  
Length = 0.095000

name = Camera 1  
quantity = 1  
parent = 13  
materialID = 50  
type = Box  
Aero Mass = 0.004000  
Thermal Mass = 0.004000  
Diameter/Width = 0.020000  
Length = 0.030000  
Height = 0.010000

name = Camera 2  
quantity = 1  
parent = 13  
materialID = 23  
type = Cylinder  
Aero Mass = 0.005000  
Thermal Mass = 0.005000  
Diameter/Width = 0.014000  
Length = 0.024000



```
name = Printer Rail
quantity = 2
parent = 5
materialID = 50
type = Box
Aero Mass = 0.004000
Thermal Mass = 0.004000
Diameter/Width = 0.030000
Length = 0.093000
Height = 0.012000
```

```
name = Printer Nozzle
quantity = 1
parent = 5
materialID = 50
type = Box
Aero Mass = 0.005550
Thermal Mass = 0.005550
Diameter/Width = 0.012000
Length = 0.056000
Height = 0.012000
```

```
name = OBC
quantity = 1
parent = 5
materialID = 23
type = Flat Plate
Aero Mass = 0.058000
Thermal Mass = 0.058000
Diameter/Width = 0.095000
Length = 0.095000
```

\*\*\*\*\*OUTPUT\*\*\*\*

Item Number = 1

```
name = Orbital Factory II
Demise Altitude = 77.997513
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

\*\*\*\*\*

```
name = Solar Panel
Demise Altitude = 76.867035
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

\*\*\*\*\*



```
name = Patch Antenna
Demise Altitude = 75.008255
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

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```
name = UHF Antenna
Demise Altitude = 75.702698
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

\*\*\*\*\*

```
name = OFII Body
Demise Altitude = 75.491394
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

\*\*\*\*\*

```
name = UHF Transceiver
Demise Altitude = 74.154922
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

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```
name = UHF Board
Demise Altitude = 73.070686
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

\*\*\*\*\*

```
name = Sband Transceiver
Demise Altitude = 73.571815
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

\*\*\*\*\*

```
name = Sband Board
Demise Altitude = 67.264984
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

\*\*\*\*\*

```
name = EPS
Demise Altitude = 74.144539
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```



```
*****
name = EPS Board
Demise Altitude = 72.812515
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

```
*****
name = Battery
Demise Altitude = 71.239212
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

```
*****
name = Payload Board
Demise Altitude = 74.335960
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

```
*****
name = Camera 1
Demise Altitude = 74.113480
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

```
*****
name = Camera 2
Demise Altitude = 73.216194
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

```
*****
name = Printer Rail
Demise Altitude = 75.440567
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

```
*****
name = Printer Nozzle
Demise Altitude = 75.303802
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```

```
*****
name = OBC
Demise Altitude = 74.316193
Debris Casualty Area = 0.000000
Impact Kinetic Energy = 0.000000
```



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===== End of Requirement 4.7-1 =====

05 30 2019; 07:39:10AM Science and Engineering - Apogee/Perigee History  
for a Given Orbit

\*\*INPUT\*\*

Perigee Altitude = 465.000000 (km)  
Apogee Altitude = 475.000000 (km)  
Inclination = 51.692000 (deg)  
RAAN = 0.000000 (deg)  
Argument of Perigee = 0.000000 (deg)  
Mean Anomaly = 0.000000 (deg)  
Area-To-Mass Ratio = 0.012116 (m<sup>2</sup>/kg)  
Start Year = 2019.920000 (yr)  
Integration Time = 10.000000 (yr)

\*\*OUTPUT\*\*

Plot  
05 30 2019; 07:40:25AM Project Data Saved To File