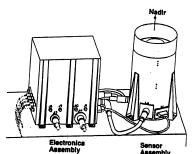
## Introduction to LIS

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#### **LIS Project Description**

- Instrument Description
  - Passive, near IR imager
  - Two assemblies: sensor head, electronics box
  - Mass: ~20 kg
  - Power: ~ 30 W
- Measurement Objective: Global lightning intensity and location (day & night)
- Mission: Tropical Rainfall Measuring Mission (TRMM)
  - 370 km
  - 35 degree inclination
- Launcher: H-II (Japanese)
- Key Milestones
  - Instrument delivery: June 1, 1995
  - Launch: August, 1997



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# MAJOR ELEMENTS AND DEVELOPMENT RESPONSIBILITIES

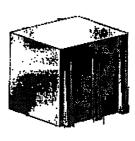
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Sensor Assembly



System Engineering and Integration: MSFC

Electronics Assembly



**Sensor Box: MSFC** 

Lens System: Kaiser Electro-Optics

Barr Associates (Filter)

CCD: Lockheed - Palo Alto, Loral (Wafers, Chips)

Interface Hardware:

- CCD-Lens: Lockheed - Box-Lens: MSFC

**Box: MSFC** 

**Electronics: MSFC** 

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#### **Development Approach**

- Secondary science payload on TRMM
  - i.e., Not critical to mission success
- Class C instrument development
- · Protoflight qualification
- · LIS program content
  - Protoflight development (w/ spare)
  - One engineering model (Optical Transient Detector)
  - Converted to flight configuration
    - » Environmentally tested to Microlab-1 mission levels
    - » Fully calibrated
    - » Launches on Pegasus in June 1994 (two year mission)

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#### **Spares List**

- One complete flight spare
  - Calibrated
  - Acceptance tested
- One spare lens subsystem:
  - Ring-lens-strut assembly
  - Integrated and aligned camera (CCD system)
- · One additional spare camera
- 12 spare CCD chips
- Miscellaneous EEE parts and fasteners

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### **Open PDR Actions**

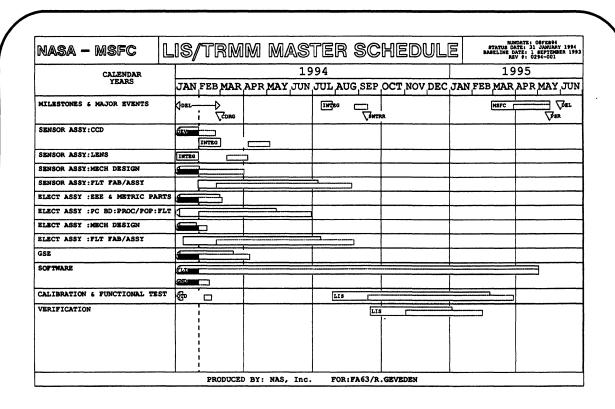
- PDR
  - A-3 Prototype and Flight Model Verification
    - » To be addressed at CDR in Verification Plan
  - A-9 Thermal (Electronics)
    - » Data to be presented at CDR
- Delta PDR
  - A-2 LIS Thermal Analysis
    - » Accepted; Data to be presented at CDR

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#### **Status**

- Engineering Model (OTD) Delivery: March 6
- Ring Lens Strap Design in Release Cycle
  - Titanium stock received
- Flight Cameras (CCD System)
  - Completed life testing
  - Printed Circuit Boards procured
- Lens System
  - Two of Three units delivered to MSFC
  - Third unit to be delivered upon completion of filter
- Printed Circuit Boards
  - Five boards in release cycle
  - Four boards awaiting final design changes
- EEE Parts All Delivered to MSFC
- Fasteners
  - Ring Lens Strap fasteners delivered
  - Balance on order

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