

SES and emergency.lu

Workshop on the Role of Telecommunications/ICTs for Disaster Risk Reduction and Management for the Americas (Day 1, Session 3 – Tampere Convention)

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What we do

SES[^]

Leader in global content and connectivity solutions



We broadcast over 8,300 TV channels that reach over 1 billion people



We connect over 300 customers in 130 countries and planes, ships, oil rigs



We deliver HD & Ultra HD content to any platform, on any device



We help restore connectivity after natural disasters



We champion SpaceX reusable rocket technology



We support telcos with their 4G roll-outs and connecting remote areas

The company we keep



Solutions to meet the needs of a wide range of customers



A unique combination

SES[^]

The only MEO-GEO constellation



54GEO widebeam







99%

global coverage





Rationale









Rationale

- ▲ developed as a public-private partnership
- ▲ in close cooperation with WFP, as Emergency Telecommunications Cluster (ETC) lead agency
- ▲ open to other partners to join and enrich the system through their comparative advantages
- ▲ offered by Luxembourg as a free global public good to the global humanitarian community



Concept

Ground Satellite Services Air Transport Segment Infrastructure **Terminal** Tracking Instant Situation messaging analysis & Tracing Internet Maps Voice Data sharing connectivity

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SES Providing Disaster Response Communications Solutions



72 deployments

Solution deployment

















Example of Partnership





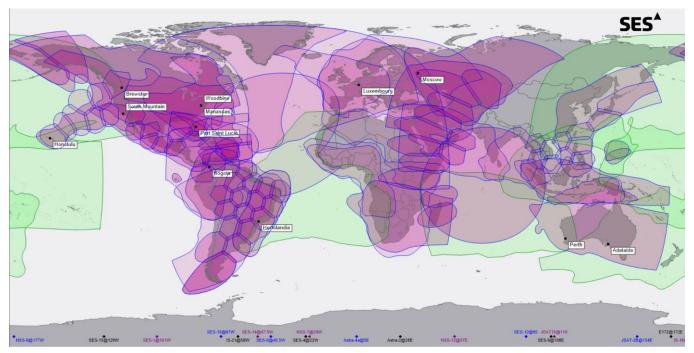
Example of Partnership





Capacity 2021+

▲ Skala Ku and C-band





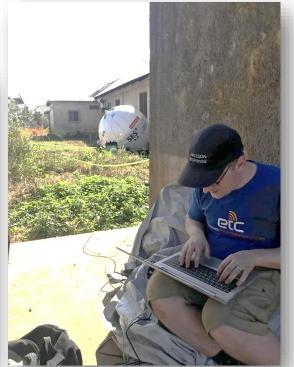
Deployment sample – Bahamas (Dorian) 2019





Deployment sample – Mozambique 2019







Deployment sample – Vanuatu 2015







emergency.lu - equipment import challenges

- ▲ Import of telecommunication equipment, especially satellite equipment, is one of the major blocking and delay points during the deployment
- ▲ Delays can span from several days up not being to import at all huge impact on the availability of communication in disaster hit area and ability too effectively coordinate help
- ▲ Requires an excellent and multilevel coordination with local government and people on the ground in advance of the deployment
- ▲ Every country is specific in the way how is this handled and requires local knowledge
- ▲ Additional complexities when country infrastructure is in distress and communication is difficult
- ▲ Landing rights and transmission licences specific satellite communication challenges

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