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# Information furnished in conformity with the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space

Note verbale dated 5 September 2008 from the Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations (Vienna) addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations (Vienna) presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, in accordance with article IV of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space (General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex), has the honour to transmit information concerning Japanese satellites 2003-009A, 2003-009B, 2006-037A, 2007-005A, 2007-005B, 2008-021C and 2008-021J (see annex).

The Permanent Mission of Japan has the further honour to transmit information concerning Japanese satellite 2006-041F, which has ceased to exist in orbit.

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## Annex

# **Registration data for space objects launched by Japan**\*

## A. 2003-009A

Name or designator of flight object:	2003-009A
Name of launching State:	Japan
Date and territory or location of launch:	
Date and time of launch:	28 March 2003 GMT/UTC
Location of launch:	Tanegashima Space Center,
	Kagoshima, Japan
Basic orbital parameters:	
Nodal period:	94.0 minutes
Inclination:	97.3 degrees
Apogee:	502.0 kilometres
Perigee:	486.0 kilometres
General function:	Satellite conducting missions assigned
	by the Government of Japan
Launch vehicle:	
Launching organization:	
Decay date:	

## B. 2003-009B

Name or designator of flight object:	2003-009B
Name of launching State:	Japan
Date and territory or location of launch:	
Date and time of launch:	28 March 2003 GMT/UTC
Location of launch:	Tanegashima Space Center, Kagoshima, Japan
Basic orbital parameters:	
Nodal period:	94.0 minutes
Inclination:	97.3 degrees
Apogee:	498.0 kilometres
Perigee:	490.0 kilometres
General function:	Satellite conducting missions assigned by the Government of Japan
Launch vehicle:	
Launching organization:	
Decay date:	

<sup>\*</sup> The registration data are reproduced in the form in which they were received.

#### C. 2006-037A

Name or designator of flight object: Name of launching State: Date and territory or location of launch: Date and time of launch: Location of launch:

Basic orbital parameters: Nodal period: Inclination: Apogee: Perigee: General function:

Launch vehicle: Launching organization: Decay date:

#### D. 2007-005A

Name or designator of flight object: Name of launching State: Date and territory or location of launch: Date and time of launch: Location of launch:

Basic orbital parameters: Nodal period: Inclination: Apogee: Perigee: General function:

Launch vehicle: Launching organization: Decay date: 2006-037A Japan

11 September 2006 GMT/UTC Tanegashima Space Center, Kagoshima, Japan

94.0 minutes97.3 degrees502.0 kilometres485.0 kilometresSatellite conducting missions assigned by the Government of Japan

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2007-005A Japan

24 February 2007 GMT/UTC Tanegashima Space Center, Kagoshima, Japan

94.0 minutes97.3 degrees502.0 kilometres485.0 kilometresSatellite conducting missions assigned by the Government of Japan

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### E. 2007-005B

Name or designator of flight object:	2007-005B
Name of launching State:	Japan
Date and territory or location of launch:	
Date and time of launch:	24 February 2007 GMT/UTC
Location of launch:	Tanegashima Space Center,
	Kagoshima, Japan
Basic orbital parameters:	
Nodal period:	94.0 minutes
Inclination:	97.3 degrees
Apogee:	506.0 kilometres
Perigee:	479.0 kilometres
General function:	Satellite conducting missions assigned
	by the Government of Japan
Launch vehicle:	
Launching organization:	
Decay date:	

#### F. Cute-1.7 + APD II (2008-021C)

Name or designator of flight object:

Name of launching States: Date and territory or location of launch: Date and time of launch: Location of launch: Cubical Tokyo Institute of Technology nanosatellite + Avalanche Photodiode II (Cute-1.7 + APD II) (2008-021C) Japan (India)

28 April 2008 at 03:53 GMT/UTC Satish Dhawan Space Centre, Sriharikota, India

Basic orbital parameters (as at 28 May 2008):

Nodal period:	
Inclination:	
Apogee:	
Perigee:	
General function:	

Launch vehicle: Launching organization: Decay date: 97.20 minutes 97.99 degrees 635.00 kilometres 615.00 kilometres

Verifying nanosatellite bus technology; demonstrating avalanche photodiode; conducting attitude control experiments using magnetic torquers; conducting amateur radio frequency transmission experiments PSLV-C9

Indian Space Research Organisation

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#### G. SEEDS (2008-021J)

Name or designator of flight object:	Space Engineering Education Satellite (SEEDS) pico-satellite of Nihon University (2008-021J)
Name of launching States:	Japan (India)
Date and territory or location of launch:	
Date and time of launch:	28 April 2008 at 03:53 GMT/UTC
Location of launch:	Satish Dhawan Space Centre, Sriharikota, India
Basic orbital parameters (as at 2 May 2008):	
Nodal period:	97.21 minutes
Inclination:	97.995 degrees
Apogee:	633.974 kilometres
Perigee:	630.498 kilometres
General function:	Verifying pico-satellite bus technology and conducting amateur radio frequency transmission experiments
Launch vehicle:	PSLV-C9
Launching organization:	Indian Space Research Organisation
Decay date:	

### H. HIT-SAT (2006-041F)

Name or designator of flight object:

Name of launching State: Date and territory or location of launch: Date and time of launch: Location of launch:

Basic orbital parameters (as at 28 September 2006): Nodal period: Inclination: Apogee: Perigee: General function:

Launch vehicle: Launching organization: Decay date: Hokkaido Institute of Technology pico-satellite (HIT-SAT) (2006-041F) Japan

22 September 2006 at 21:36 GMT/UTC Uchinoura Space Center, Kagoshima, Japan

94.0 minutes
98.3 degrees
667.0 kilometres
280.0 kilometres
Amateur radio frequency
communications and attitude control
M-V launch vehicle F7 (M-V-7)
Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency
18 June 2008