

# Putting space at the heart of the Industrial Strategy

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### INDUSTRIAL STRATEGY

## Why support space?



Total Income in 2014/15



6.5%

Share of global space economy in 2014/15



Employees in 2014/15



Labour productivity compared to UK average





## Building a Britain fit for the future

"As technology evolves, **low cost access to space offers an exciting opportunity for the UK** to thrive in the commercial space age."

"We will support this, subject to business case, through a £50m programme to enable new satellite launch services and low gravity spaceflights from UK spaceports, building on £99m that we are already investing to build the National Satellite Test Facility."



What else can the Industrial Strategy do for space?

- raise total R&D investment to 2.4 per cent of GDP by 2027
- invest an additional £406 million in maths, digital and technical education
- drive over £20 billion of investment in innovative and high potential businesses
- agree **local industrial strategies** that build on local strengths and deliver on economic opportunities
- launch and roll-out Sector Deals partnerships between government and industry.

£12.5bn public investment in R&D in 2021/22 alone

£20bn investment into high growth, innovative businesses over ten years

## Science

- The UK is a global leader in science, including space science and exploration.
- The Industrial Strategy recognises science as essential to innovation and long-term economic growth.
- Cassini demonstrated our expertise.



## **Space facilities**











## Innovation





## Business Environment & Place - Space business incubators

- £200,000 of funding for 4 new business incubators to boost the number of start-up companies in the space sector across the UK
- This will expand the network of support available and provide further opportunities for start-ups in the space sector, with a total of 15 incubators working across 22 locations.



## What can space do for Industrial Strategy?



#### AI & Data Economy

We will put the UK at the forefront of the artificial intelligence and data revolution



#### Future of Mobility

We will become a world leader in the way people, goods and services move



#### **Clean Growth**

We will maximise the advantages for UK industry from the global shift to clean growth



#### Ageing Society

We will harness the power of innovation to help meet the needs of an ageing society

## International collaboration





## Where next?





# Thank you

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