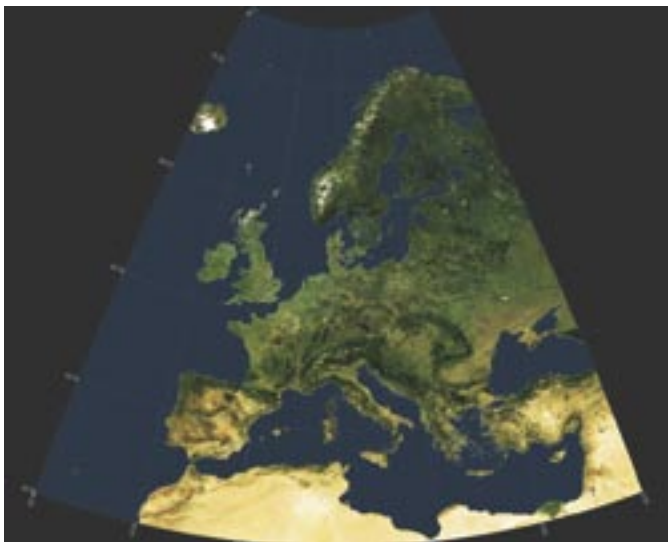


NordicSpace Launches a New Website with a New Layout and Content

New Articles Every Two Weeks

In order to provide the readers with a more regular and more frequent update on space related topics, we have made different changes in the layout as well as publication routines.



The Nordic countries - an important part of Europe - geographically, financially and technologically.
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In the future we will publish more free-standing articles every two weeks. The articles will mainly be written by external writers, but some articles will be written by us. Our goal is to publish between 25 and 50 articles a year and publish at least one new article every second week.

However, on occasion, like at present, we will publish more complete issues where several articles will be collected regarding a specific subject. These can be published when special events occur or cover special topics of interest. Planned issues in the future are "Satellites for Environmental and Climate Monitoring" and "The Sun".

Subscribers will, like in the past, receive an e-mail when new articles are published.

What is new is that we plan to pay closer attention to space related activities in Canada and Russia because the northern parts of these countries have much the same challenges as the Nordic countries within climate, environment, communication etc.

We hope the website's new layout and the more regular publishing of articles will make NordicSpace an even better source of information for the space related community.

Simultaneously, we would like to encourage our readers to pass along proposals for new articles, whether it is articles we can produce for you, or articles you wish to publish yourselves.

Much of the space related activities in the Nordic countries are carried out in the northern part of the region, and in this dispatch, you will find articles that deal with anything from activities at Esrange and Andøya Rocket Range to establishments that support most of the world with sounding rocket and balloon missions.

Enjoy reading the first articles.

Best Regards

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