

SPACE EDGE Computing Nodule

PULSAR PRO

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This data processing unit brings server computing capacity on orbit.

Pulsar Pro turns raw data into actionable signatures that can be pre-loaded and augmented over time as new data is acquired, effectively training the Artificial Intelligence (AI) engine on the go.

A massive 300 TOPS peak AI performance will satisfy ultra-fast inferencing demands of transformers, convolutional neural networks and many other advanced machine learning models.

The module can be scaled up in performance to meet the computing demands of large satellites while having compact size, weight and lower power consumption. The design can be made compliant to the SpaceVPX standard. Pulsar Pro Flight Model and Engineering Models are supplied with:

- 1. Board support package
- 2. Built-in machine learning compiler
- 3. Tailored application libraries.

Pulsar Pro comes in two Engineering Models (same performance, different form factor):

- 1. Pulsar Pro (0.5U)
- 2. Fanless server rack (1U) with highperformance NEXUS-1 data processing card (below). This has additional Ethernet ports for a greater networking solution.



Pulsar Pro development kit with NEXUS-1 high-performance computing card



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Key benefits

- → AI-capable ultra-fast Big Data processing
 → World-leading AI engine for training on the go
- One-time development (ground = space)
- Unlimited on-orbit reconfiguration
- \rightarrow Small SWaP.

Technical specifications

Computing performance



Processor	Multi-core ARMv8, 64-bit operations
ML co-processor	300 TOPS peak performance (max 1200 TOPS)
RAM	4 GB DDR4 SDRAM with ECC (up to 8 GB)
Storage	256 GB SSD with ECC (up to 2 TB) 16Mb rad-hard-equivalent memory with EDAC
Interfaces	
High speed	USB 3.0, Ethernet, LVDS, SpaceWire, CML, CoaXPress
Low speed	SPI, UART, CAN 2.0
Software	
Operating system	Custom Linux
ML compiler	All common frameworks
Sensors	
Vibrations	3-axis lateral and 3-axis longitudinal
Temperature	Device, processor, co-processor
Power monitors	Device (total power), processor, co-processor
Other properties	
Input voltage	12V
Power consumption	< 40W
Mass	800g
Dimensions (L x W x H)	95mm x 90mm x 50mm
Operating temperature	-40°C to +100°C
Storage temperature	-55°C to +125°C