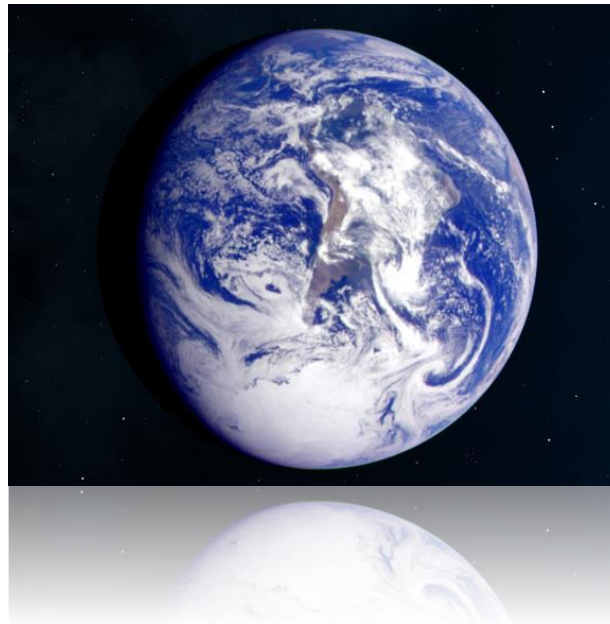


# Seed funding for Start-Up and Spin-Off creation (ESA – BIC)

Technology platform

Technology transfer between private and public sector



# ESA BUSINESS INCUBATOR - BIC

- **What?** Switzerland-wide start-up program in cooperation with ESA
- **For Whom?** High-tech start-ups ([link](#)): with space connection, <5 years and registered in CH
- **How?** Two year program for up to 10 new start-ups per year: up to 200k € per start-up and technical and business support
- **When?** Open call with 2 selection rounds per year

# ESA BIC: Which Start-Ups are eligible?

## Yes

- Up to 5 years old
- Registered in CH
- With some space connection:
  - Using Space tech on Earth
  - Earth tech for Space application
  - Technology purely for Space
- Also in domains of: ICT, Telecom, Robotics, Security, Mobility, Energy

## No:

- No SME
- No Corporate Spin-Off (if corporate  $\geq 50\%$ )
- Pure usage of Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS), with no hardware or Internet of Things (IoT) connection
- No protected technology

# ESA BIC Switzerland

- Apply now ([link](http://esabic.ch/)):

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# AP-SWISS

- **What?** AP-Swiss is the Ambassador Platform of the ESA's Advanced Research in Telecommunications Systems ([ARTES](#)) Applications programs in Switzerland.
- **For Whom?** Start-ups and SMEs corporates ([link](#))
  - Telecommunications
  - Earth observations
  - Precise positioning
- **How?** Feasibility study (50-250k CHF) and after Demo Project (250-2MCHF)
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