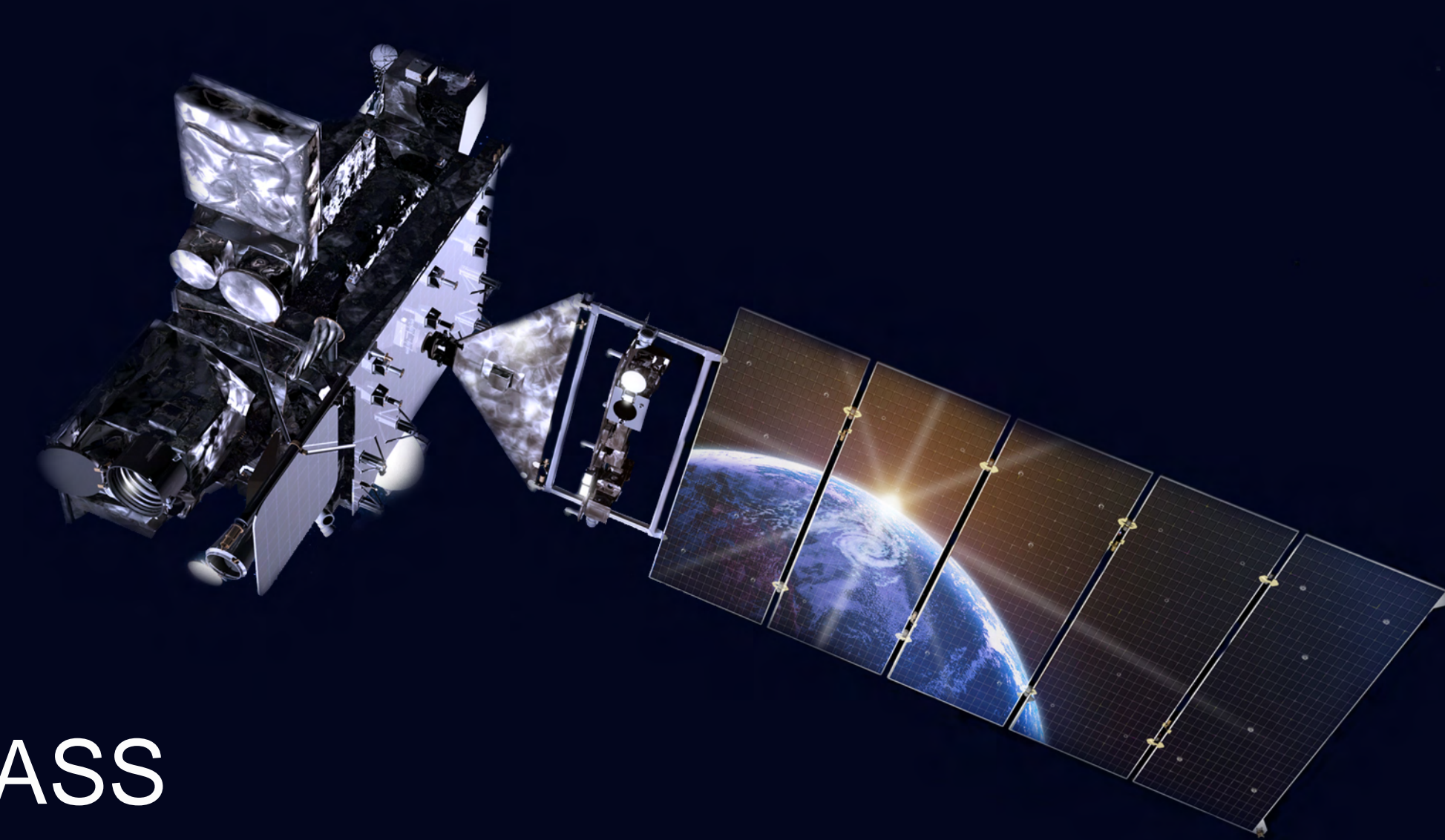


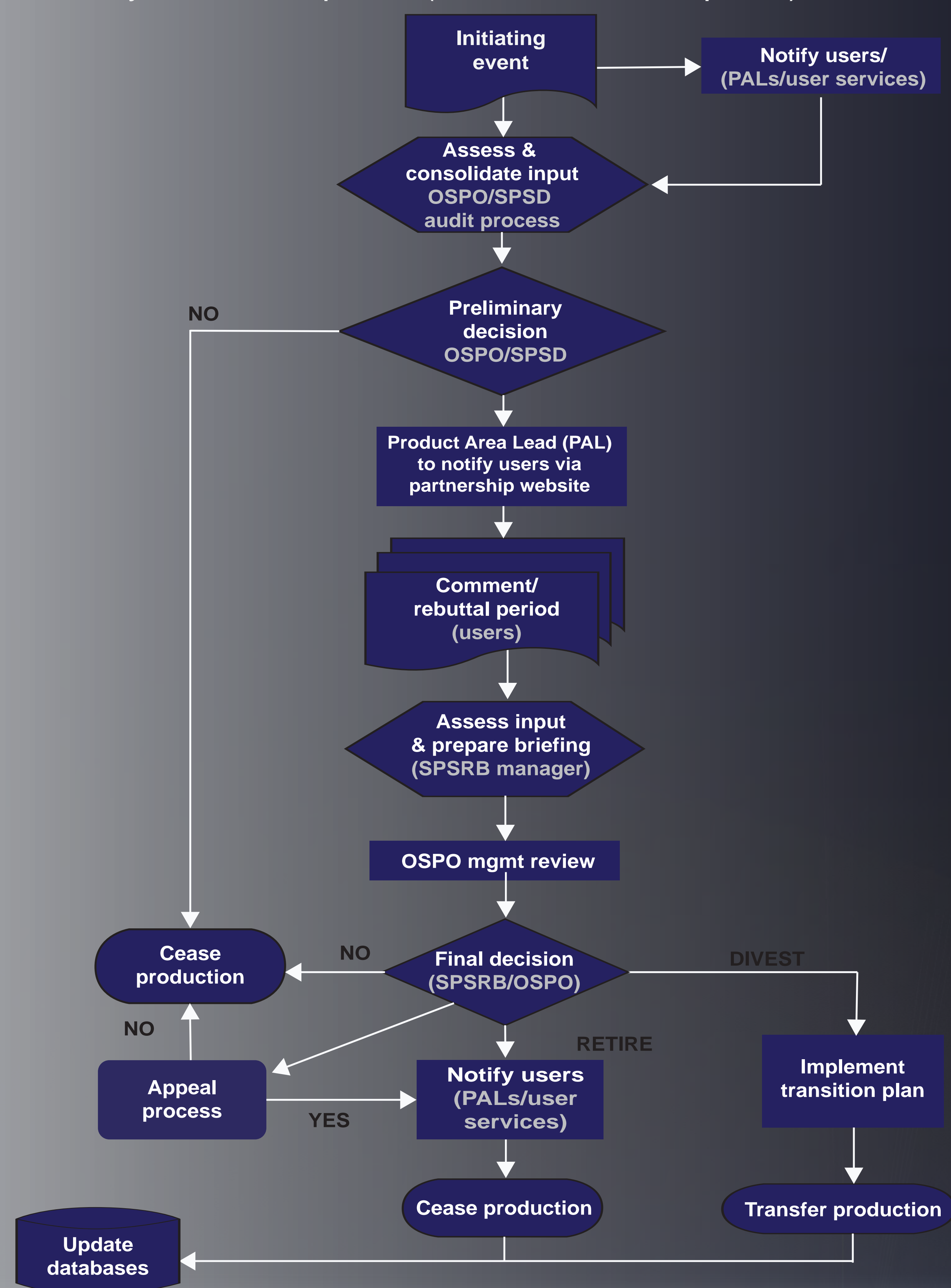
Retirement/Divestiture of Geostationary and Polar Orbiting Satellite Products



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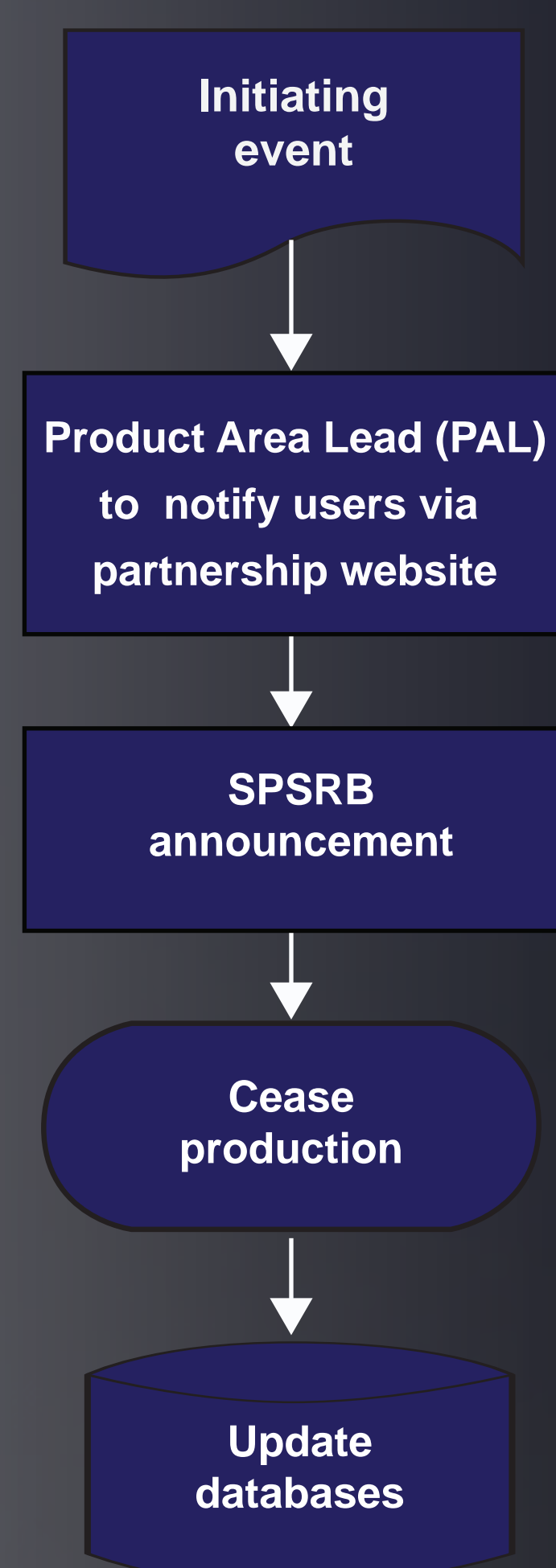
Full Product Retirement Process for:

1. Systems Driven
2. User Driven
3. Fiscally Driven Requests (Audit Process required)



Simplified Product Retirement Process for:

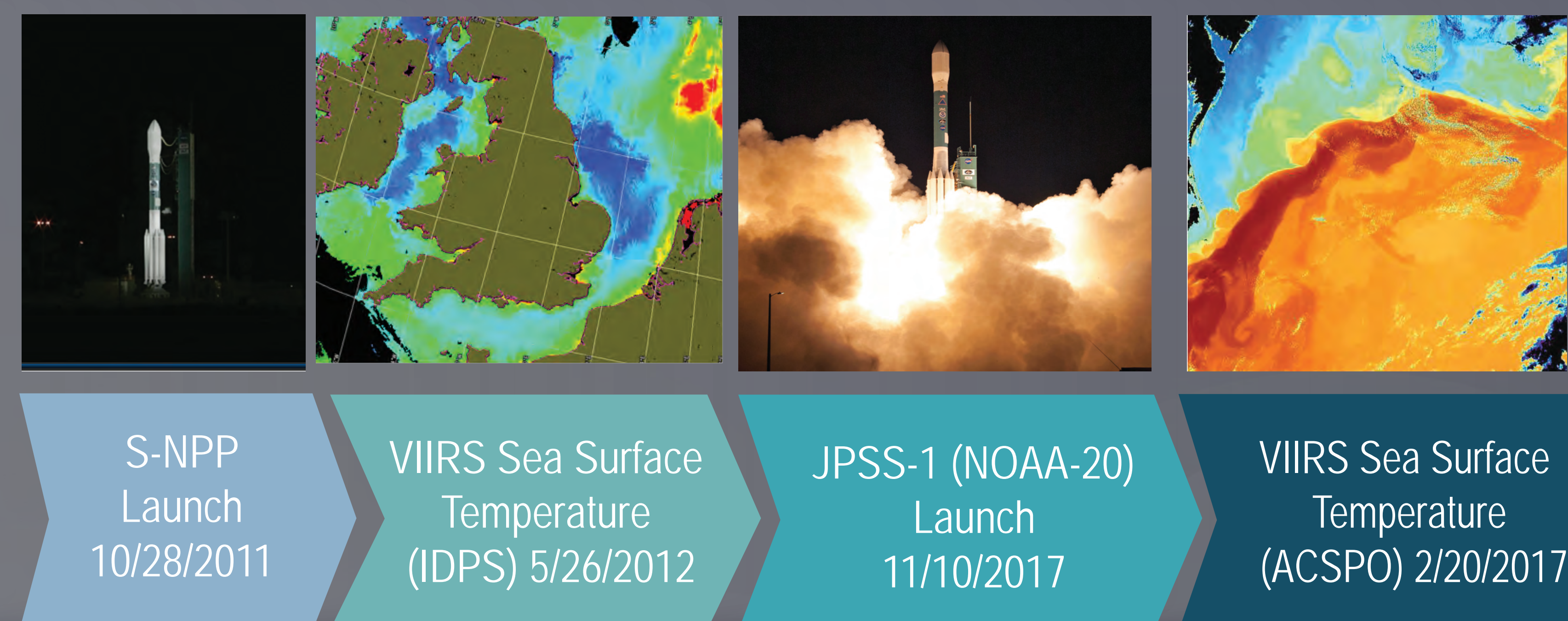
1. Sensor/instrument failure
2. Satellite failure (no immediate replacement)
3. Product without an identified operational user (Audit Process not required)



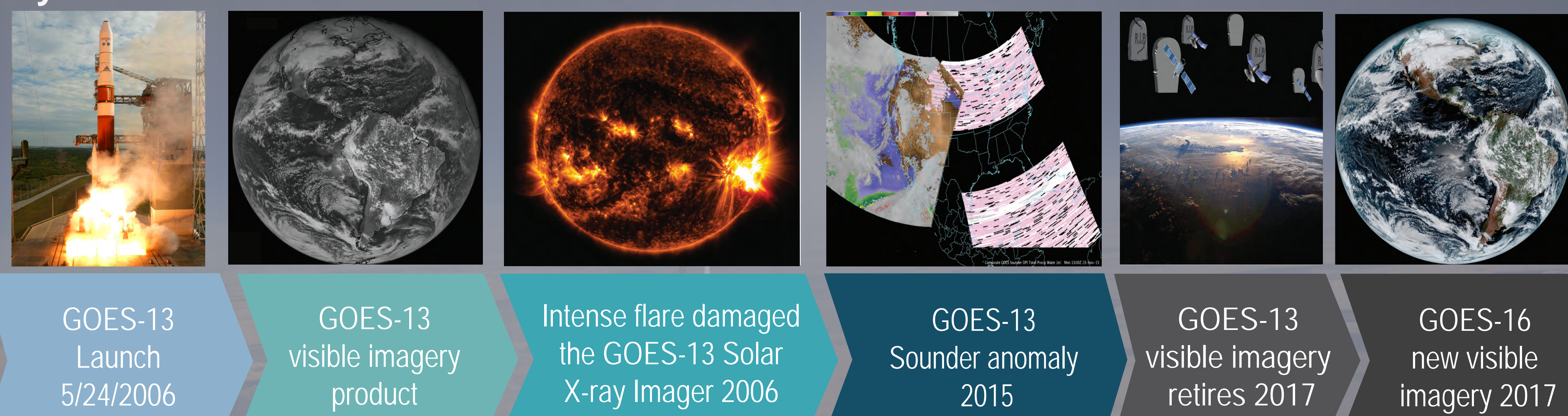
The NOAA/NASA satellite suite expanded with the successful launches of GOES-16 (Geostationary Operational Environmental Satellite R-series) and NOAA-20 (Joint Polar Satellite System-1). These satellites led to massive amounts of innovative new science products becoming available to agencies and organizations in the US and around the world. However, science products, like satellite missions, have a life cycle that includes retirement, when the product is superseded by something better or no longer meets user needs.

The NESDIS Office of Satellite Ground Services (OSGS) works closely with its sister Office of Satellite Product and Operations (OSPO) to define the retirement and divestiture of environmental satellite products as detailed in NPD 7101.1A policy. This policy specifies the Satellite Products and Services Review Board (SPSRB) is responsible for the oversight and guidance necessary to manage the product life cycle processes and includes the product retirement or divestiture. The Product Retirement Process can include the opportunity to obtain user feedback and can be tailored into a simplified process where user feedback is not required. Both processes are depicted on this poster.

User Driven Timeline of Product Retirement – S-NPP to JPSS

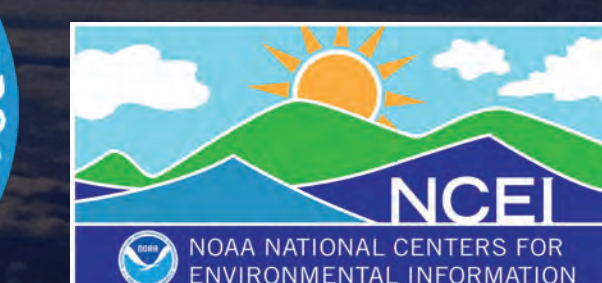


System Driven Timeline of Product Divestiture – GOES 13 to 16



References:

NOAA/NESDIS OSPO Retirement & Divestiture of Environmental Satellite Products (NPD 7101.1A)
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SPSRB: <http://projects.osd.noaa.gov/SPSRB/index.htm>



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