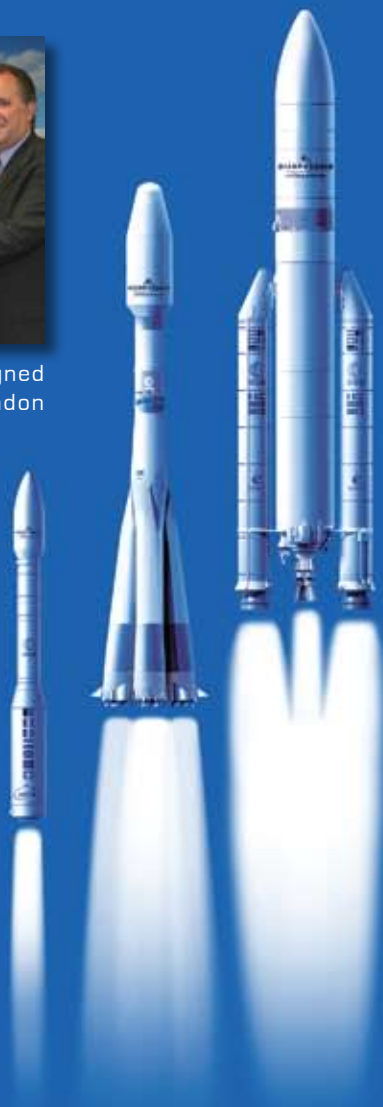




The Alphasat I-XL contract was signed at Inmarsat's headquarters in London



CONTINUITY

Arianespace's selection to orbit Alphasat I-XL continues our long relationship with Inmarsat, which extends back to the initial satellite launches for this leading provider of global mobile communications. Alphasat I-XL will be lofted by an Ariane 5 in 2012, providing advanced voice and data communications services across Europe, Africa and the Middle East.