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## **ISRO puts 'Sharp Eye' into orbit-Workhorse launch vehicle PSLV C-43 injects Hyper Spectral Imaging Satellite into space**

- India's workhorse launch vehicle, the PSLV, carrying 31 satellites on board soared in a trajectory crossing the path of the Sun and sped to inject India's Hyper Spectral Imaging Satellite (HysIS), being dubbed 'Sharp Eye', towards the launcher's intended first orbit.
- The 30 satellites were part of a commercial launch.
- In its 13th flight of the Core-Alone version and 45th launch of the PSLV, ISRO carried one satellite each from Australia, Canada, Colombia, Finland, Malaysia, Netherlands and Spain, and 23 satellites from the U.S. on board as co-passengers of the HysIS.
- The HysIS is an Earth Observation satellite primarily to assist in a wide range of applications in agriculture, forestry, geological environments, coastal zones, among others.

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