

Daily Space Snapshot

March 24, 2026 • Fresh stories, source-linked

TOPLINE

Launch cadence + lunar surface ops are leading today's signal mix.

WASHINGTON – Katalyst Space Technologies will launch a geosynchronous orbit servicing spacecraft on an Ariane 6 in 2027.



TOP SIGNAL
Arianespace to launch Katalyst servicing spacecraft

Image: SpaceNews



MARKET MOVE
Launch Preview: Russia to debut Soyuz-5; Falcon 9 and Atlas V to launch internet satellites

Image: NASASpaceflight



POLICY
NASA to Provide Update on Implementation of National Space Policy - NASA

Image: NASA




LAUNCH OPS
NASA Unveils Initiatives to Achieve America's National Space Policy - NASA

Image: NASA



PROGRAM WATCH
NASA kills lunar space station to focus on ambitious Moon base

Image: Ars Technica Space



HARDWARE
NASA halts work on Gateway to develop a lunar base

Image: SpaceNews



SCIENCE / PUBLIC
NASA unveils Space Reactor-1 Freedom mission to Mars in 2028

Image: NASASpaceflight

SIGNAL METER

Topic Heat

Launch Ops	33
Programs	75
Policy	21

LAUNCH WINDOW

Upcoming Launches

- Mar 25, 2026 • Māhia Peninsula, New Zealand**
Daughter Of The Stars
- Mar 25, 2026 • Andøya Rocket Range, Nordland, Norway**
Onward and Upward
- Mar 25, 2026 • Taiyuan Satellite Launch Center, China**
CASC launch listing
- Mar 25, 2026 • Vandenberg Space Force Base, California, U...**
Starlink Group 17-17
- Mar 27, 2026 • Jiuquan Satellite Launch Center, China**
ExPace launch listing

NARRATIVE BALANCE

Signal Split

Momentum Signal	67%
Caution Signal	33%

67% momentum vs 33% caution across 24 stories from the last 24 hours (12 momentum-leaning, 12 caution-leaning). Momentum leads, with caution concentrated around execution and launch risk.