## THE SPACE AND DATA



**SECTOR IN CORNWALL & THE ISLES OF SCILLY** 

The space and data industry is concerned with the manufacture and use of spacecraft, satellites and other components that go into Earth's orbit or beyond. It is also concerned with the analysis and use of data gathered from space, including data about the earth viewed from space. This is why we refer to it as the 'space and data' sector.

BY 2030

Cornwall & the Isles of Scilly plan to be a regional leader in the national space programme. The Local Enterprise Partnership anticipate that the space and data sector will have contributed to an additional

£1bn

of economic value for the area through increased productivity, jobs and turnover. There are around

**78** 

space related further education courses available at Cornwall College and Truro and Penwith College.

A further 134 space related higher education courses are available in and around Cornwall in areas such as geography and geospace, computer science, engineering, business and science.

86%

of space industry employers recruit staff with transferable skills from other sectors.<sup>1</sup>

The Cornwall Space Cluster

brings together **157** industry partners,

- 10 academic and educational institutions and
- **9** government departments.



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