

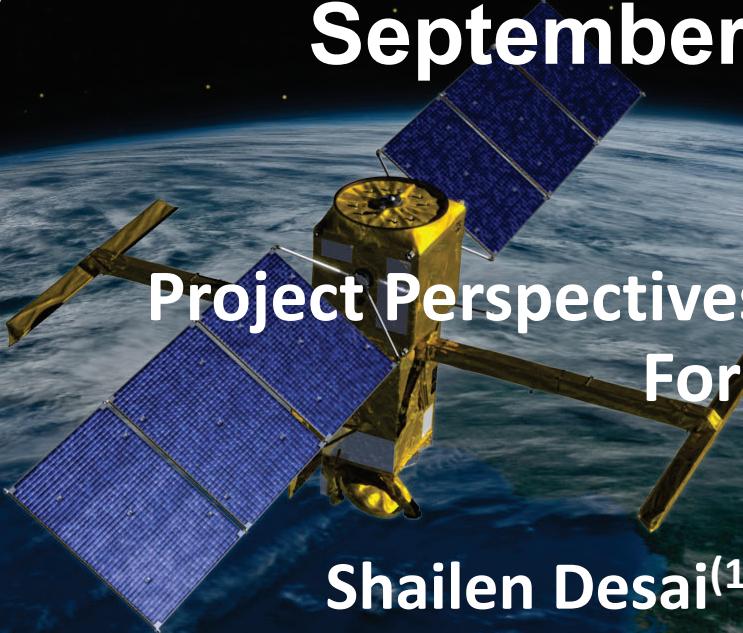


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Project Perspectives on Validation Going
Forward

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Project Validation Needs

- Continue to monitor and characterize temporal and geographically correlated evolution of performance and algorithms/science data products.
- Continue to leverage in-situ surveys to monitor performance through life of mission.
 - JPL and CNES have funded continuation of some activities from Calibration Phase.
 - Encourage other teams to perform surveys and characterize performance.
- Characterize performance and algorithms/science data products under different water body conditions.
 - Very useful to receive feedback to evolve the science data product algorithms for future reprocessing campaigns.