Introducing the EchoStar Mobile LoRaWAN® Satellite Relay EM-SR





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The EM-SR LoRaWAN<sup>®</sup> Satellite Relay from EchoStar Mobile is the most costefficient solution to fill the gaps in your LoRaWAN<sup>®</sup> network.

It's designed to be used in areas where there is no direct view of the sky for connecting to satellite, providing a solution for sensors and devices in those locations to be connected to the network. It works by receiving data from sensors via terrestrial wireless and pushing data forward to the satellite.



#### How EM-SR works

The EM-SR is a device that forwards uplink LoRa<sup>®</sup> data received from trusted end-devices. Likewise, the relay receives downlink LoRa<sup>®</sup> frames from the network server and forwards them to the appropriate end-devices.



The EM-SR, a plug-and-play device, offers a practical, reliable and cost-effective way to fill the gap for sensors located at the edge of the RF coverage provided by conventional terrestrial gateways.

This could be the case for sensors located deep indoors, in basements or even inside metallic cabinets. A typical example is about smart metering use cases, where deploying an EM-SR eliminates the need for costly drive-by operations to collect meter readings in hard-toreach spots.



The EM-SR is particularly useful in zones where, from a cost or operational standpoint, it is not practical to add terrestrial conventional gateways, either due to lack of power supply, visibility or backhaul options.

The EM-SR is battery-powered and can use energyharvesting solutions for long term deployments.

End-devices served by the EM-SR use class A mode.



End-devices operating behind the EM-SR must support the relay stack in their software which allows them to use the standard radio protocol defined in LoRaWAN<sup>®</sup> TS011.



## Capabilities

The EchoStar Mobile EM-SR LoRaWAN<sup>®</sup> Satellite Relay is a managed solution which includes both EM-SR management and FUOTA capabilities.



# Benefits

The EchoStar Mobile EM-SR LoRaWAN® Satellite Relay brings the following benefits.





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