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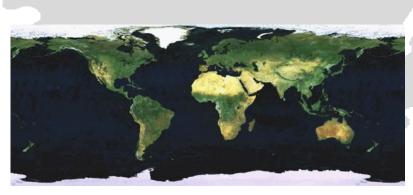


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- A portrait on the SPI in ESPRAN Newsletter 5 (September 2009)