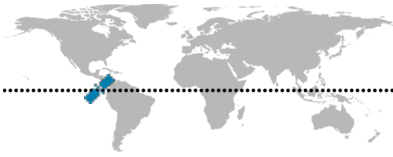


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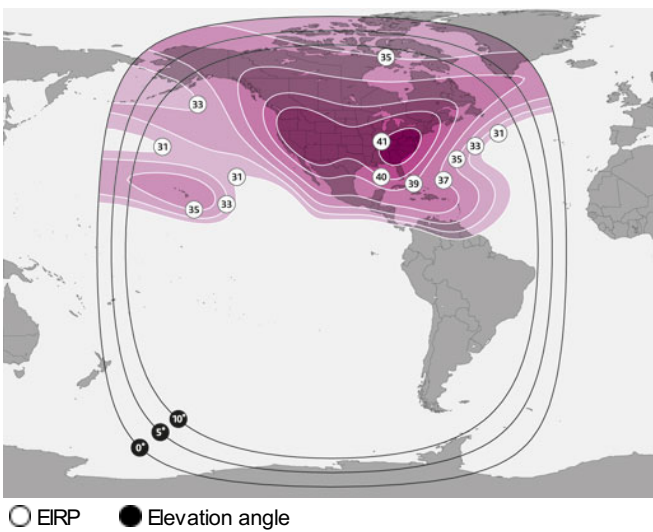
Orbital location

**SES**<sup>▲</sup>  
your satellite company



**Coverage**  
North America

### North America C-band beam



The satellite is optimised for digital television distribution from the centre of the US orbital arc and covers all 50 states, Canada, the Caribbean and Mexico.

**Launch date**

08 December 2006

**Launch vehicle**

Ariane 5E

**Design life**

15 years

**Satellite manufacturer**

Lockheed Martin

**Polarisation**

C-band: Linear

**Total transponders**

C-band: 24  
(36 MHz equivalent)