



MobileInternetSatellite.com Blog

First of all, for those of you who didn't receive the previous update because of problems with the web site, I wanted to let you know that a blog has been added to the MobileInternetSatellite.com web site. Since the old blog was actually hosted by Google's blogger.com, I wanted to repost some old blogs, starting with a series of posts that document the history of mobile satellite Internet.

Just go to: <http://www.mobileinternetsatellite.com/blogs>

Echostar XIX/Jupiter 2 Is In Its Orbit!

Now, for the big news: Echostar XIX (aka Jupiter 2) is in its orbit! Yay!

Since, EchoStar® XIX was launched on December 18th, Hughes has been closely monitoring its progress. The world's highest capacity broadband satellite has successfully reached its permanent geosynchronous orbital slot at **97.1° West** longitude!

Echostar XIX is orbiting 22,236 miles (35,786 kilometers) above the earth. The satellite will enable HughesNet to deliver more speed, more data, and more advanced features from coast-to-coast for consumers and small businesses who currently have limited high-speed Internet options.

Reaching its orbital slot puts us one step closer to the launch of the new HughesNet Gen5 service plans!

I'll continue to keep all of you updated as I receive information about the extensive testing process, which Hughes has begun.

Click [here](#) to read the full press release and [here](#) to see an engaging launch video.

*Take care,
Barb Nolley*

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