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# NEWS RELEASE



iButtonLink Sensors Complete Space Mission  
*Microgravity research boosted through partnership with Rhodium Scientific.*

NG-14 launch  
*Credits: NASA Wallops/Patrick Black*

**WHITEWATER, WISCONSIN, January 29, 2021:** iButtonLink's new SeriousSensors™ line of data loggers has returned from a successful mission aboard the International Space Station (ISS). As part of the mission, on October 2, 2020, four new orbital data loggers arrived at the ISS onboard Northrup Grumman CRS-14, which departed from NASA's Wallops Flight Facility at Wallops Island, Virginia.

The data loggers monitored biological experiments supported by Rhodium Scientific and the Defense Threat Reduction Agency, part of the Department of Defense. The new SeriousSensors™ data logger is the first product developed in collaboration with Rhodium Scientific, LLC, of Houston, an official space-flight implementation partner of the ISS U.S. National Laboratory.



SeriousSensors™  
Data Logger

"I'm proud and excited that our new SeriousSensors™ data loggers were selected for this mission," says Rob Olson, President of iButtonLink. "Rhodium Scientific, and through extension NASA, have been excellent partners in this project."



The NASA-reviewed model of the data logger enables the microgravity research community to monitor critical environmental data in future missions, with the help of the Rhodium Scientific Team.

"Rhodium Scientific was very impressed with the performance of the SeriousSensors™ data logger on its maiden voyage to the International Space Station," says Olivia G. Holzhaus, founder and CEO Rhodium Scientific. "As a space biotech company facilitating high fidelity research in space, it is important to provide our clients with accurate temperature readings. We look forward to advancing our partnership with iButtonLink by continuing to provide this product for the space industry."

**About iButtonLink:** Founded in 2003, iButtonLink Technology creates and manufactures custom sensor solutions for clients worldwide. Applications include data center infrastructure for Fortune 500 clients to small university studies across the globe.

**About Rhodium Scientific:** Founded in 2014, Rhodium Scientific is a biotechnology company specializing in life science, mission operations, and hardware services for terrestrial and microgravity research. Rhodium offers mission-science resources and strategic partnerships to effectively navigate the unique challenges of space-based research.

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