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## Fram2 Launch

**Space agency/country:** SpaceX **Mission:** Fram2

On 01 April 2025, SpaceX successfully launched its *Fram2* mission from Cape Canaveral (Florida, USA). *Fram2* was named in honour of the ship that first helped explorers reach the Earth's Arctic and Antarctic regions. It will be the first human space mission to explore Earth from a polar orbit. The mission's science team will also study the unusual polar light phenomenon known as 'Steve', the Strong Thermal Emission Velocity Enhancement.

## For more information:

 $\underline{https://www.space.com/spacex-fram2-first-human-spaceflight-earth-poles}$ 

https://universemagazine.com/en/spacex-plans-a-private-space-flight-over-earths-polar-regions/