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The Beagle 2 Mars Lander will be launched as part of the Mars Express mission from May 23\textsuperscript{rd} 2003. It will land in Isidis Planitia on Dec. 26th 2003 and is planned to operate for 180 sols (L\textsubscript{s} 322° to 53°). The landing site's geology, topography, slopes, wind speeds, thermal inertia and rock abundances are described in [1] together with the target co-ordinates. Since publication of [1] the calculated landing ellipse dimensions have been revised and the target location is now available in IAU 2000 co-ordinates. Details of the Lander’s instrument package, scientific objectives and reasons for site selection can be seen at [1], [2].

The revised aerocentric IAU 2000 target co-ordinates are 11.6°N, 90.75°E. The 3-sigma ellipse is 114 x 46 km with a 75° azimuth for a flight path angle of 16.5°.