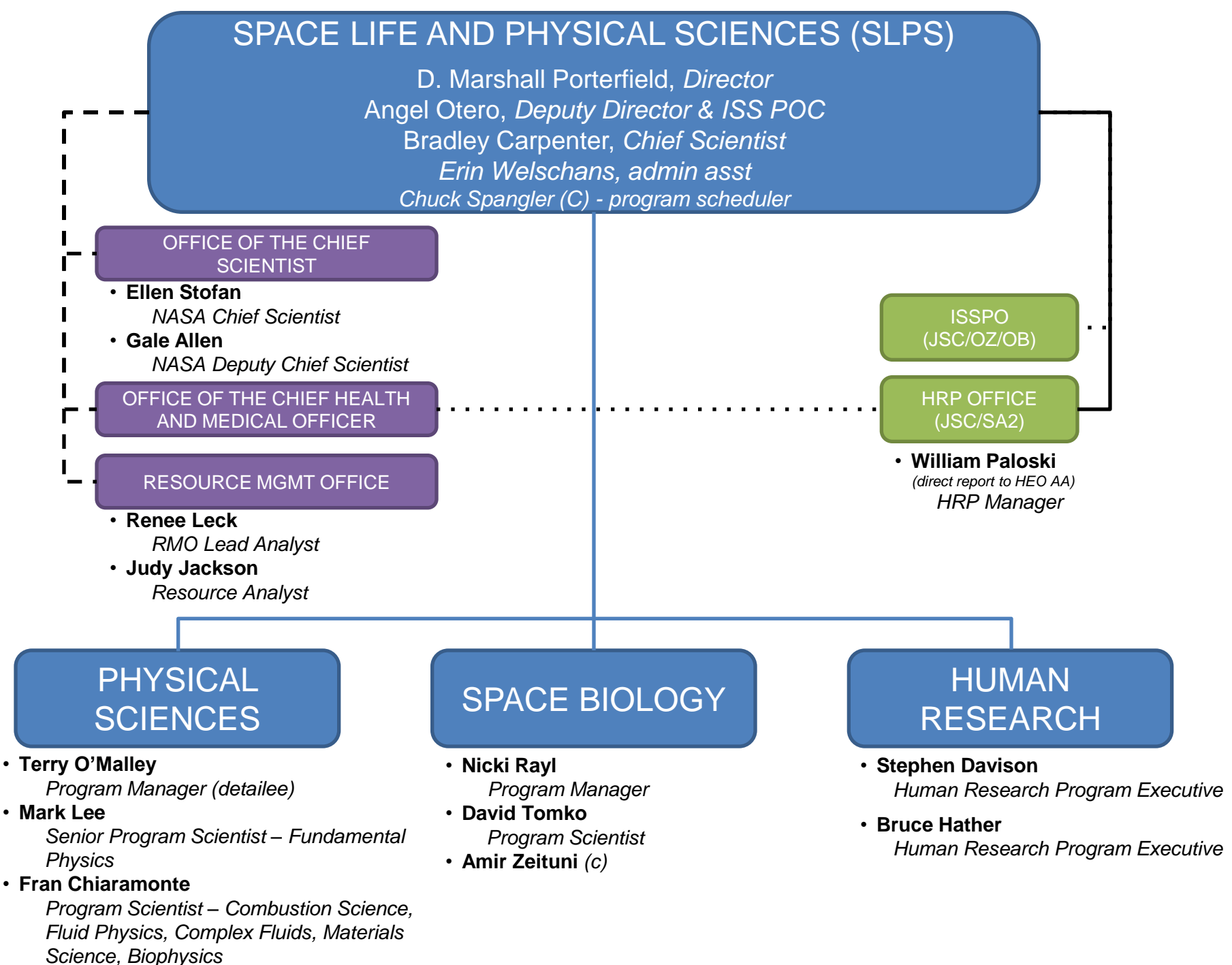




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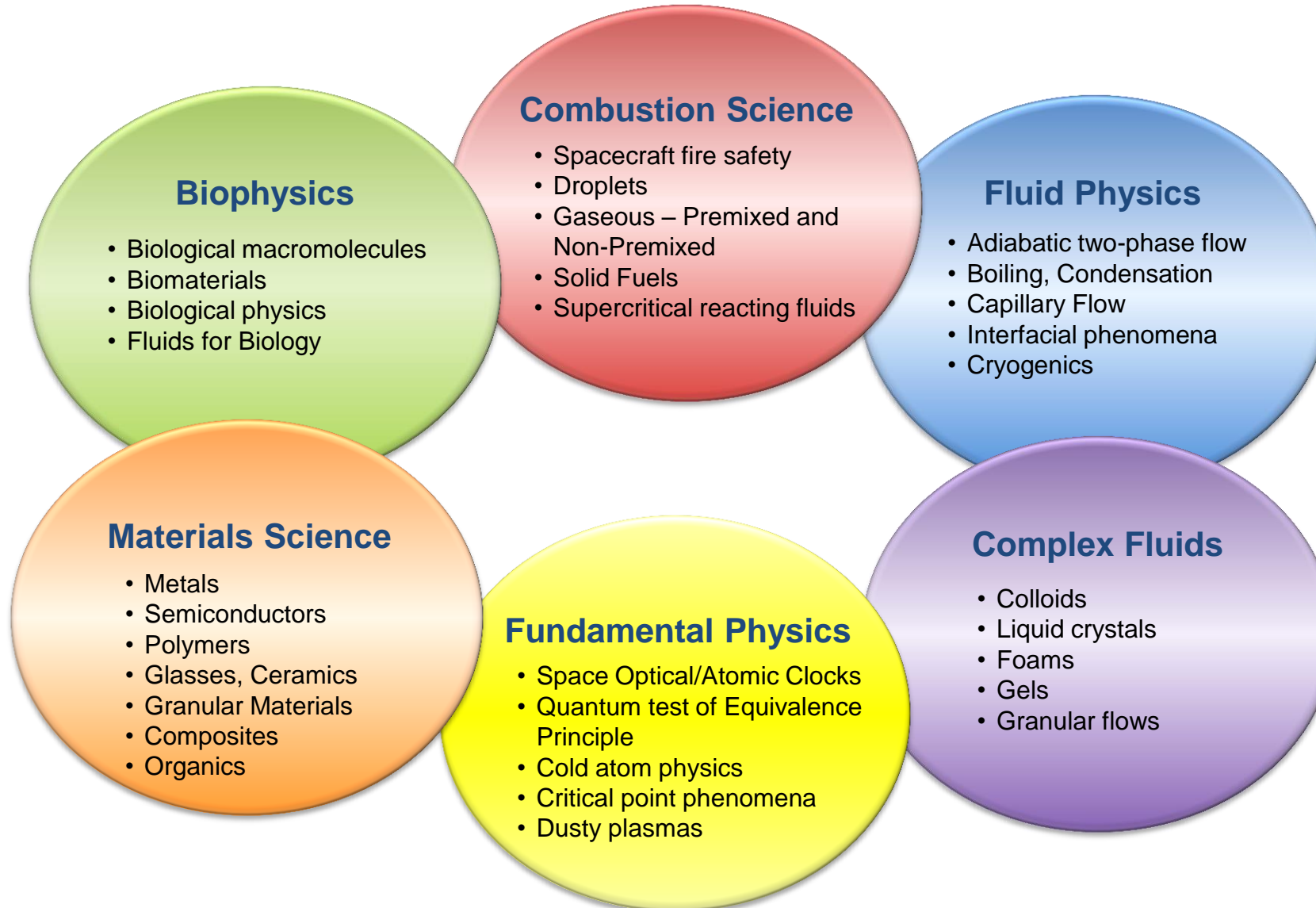
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ISS Facilities for Physical Sciences Research



Astronaut Mike Fincke completing install of the CIR/MDCA insert prior to CIR activation in January 2009.



Astronaut Frank DeWinne completing installation in the MSRR prior to on-orbit commissioning October 2009



Astronaut Paolo Nespoli operating the ACE experiment in the FIR/LMM



Increment 26 commander Scott Kelly installing CCF in the Microgravity Science Glovebox on ISS



Astronaut Cady Coleman operating the CFE experiment in Maintenance Work Area on the ISS



Astronaut, Alex Gerst is installing MSL-EML (Courtesy of European Space Agency) 2014



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- **May 9, 2013 – Executive Order**

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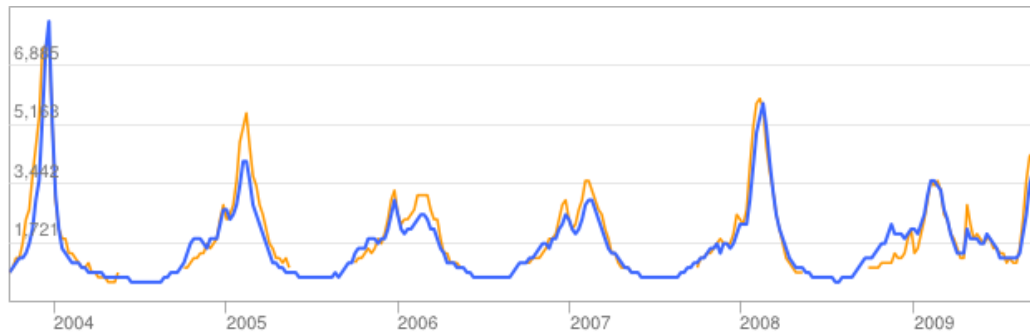
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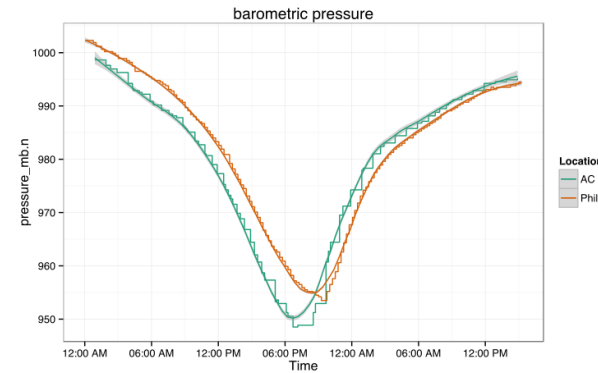
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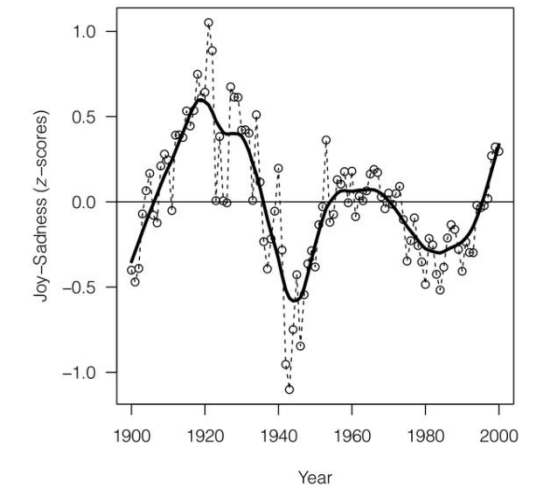
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- Has emerged as a new field to glean knowledge and new understanding from the large volume and diversity of data being published or available and accessible on the internet.
- **Examples:**



- Google researchers discovered close relationship between searches on flu-related topics and spread of influenza. Published in *Nature* Vol 457, 19 February 2009, doi:10.1038/nature07634



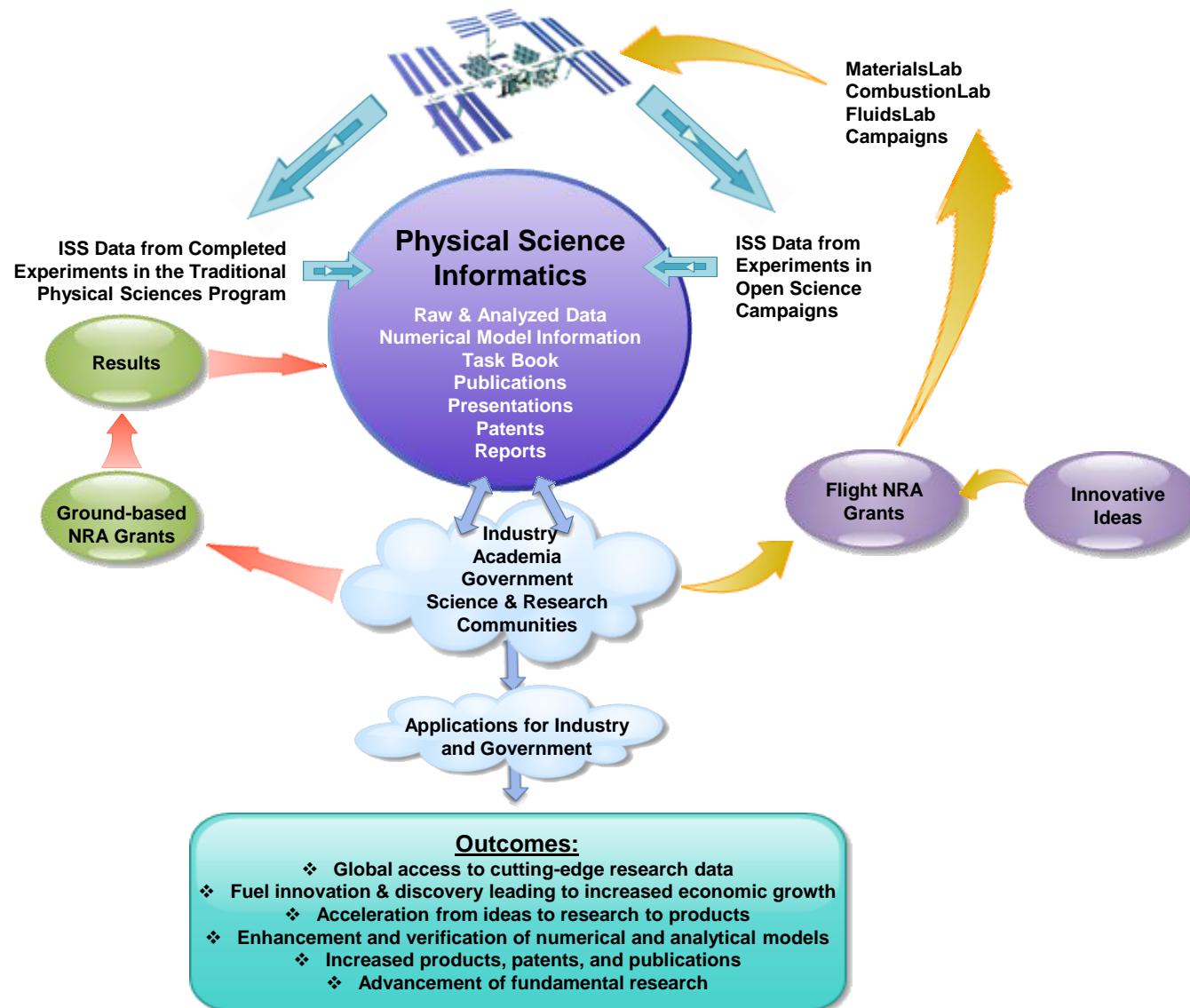
- Tracking Hurricane Sandy: Barometric pressure data from local weather stations, available on-line, accurately track the storm's path.



- Human behavior researchers using Google n-gram database (data from Project Gutenberg) found evidence for distinct historical periods of positive and negative moods in 20th century books.

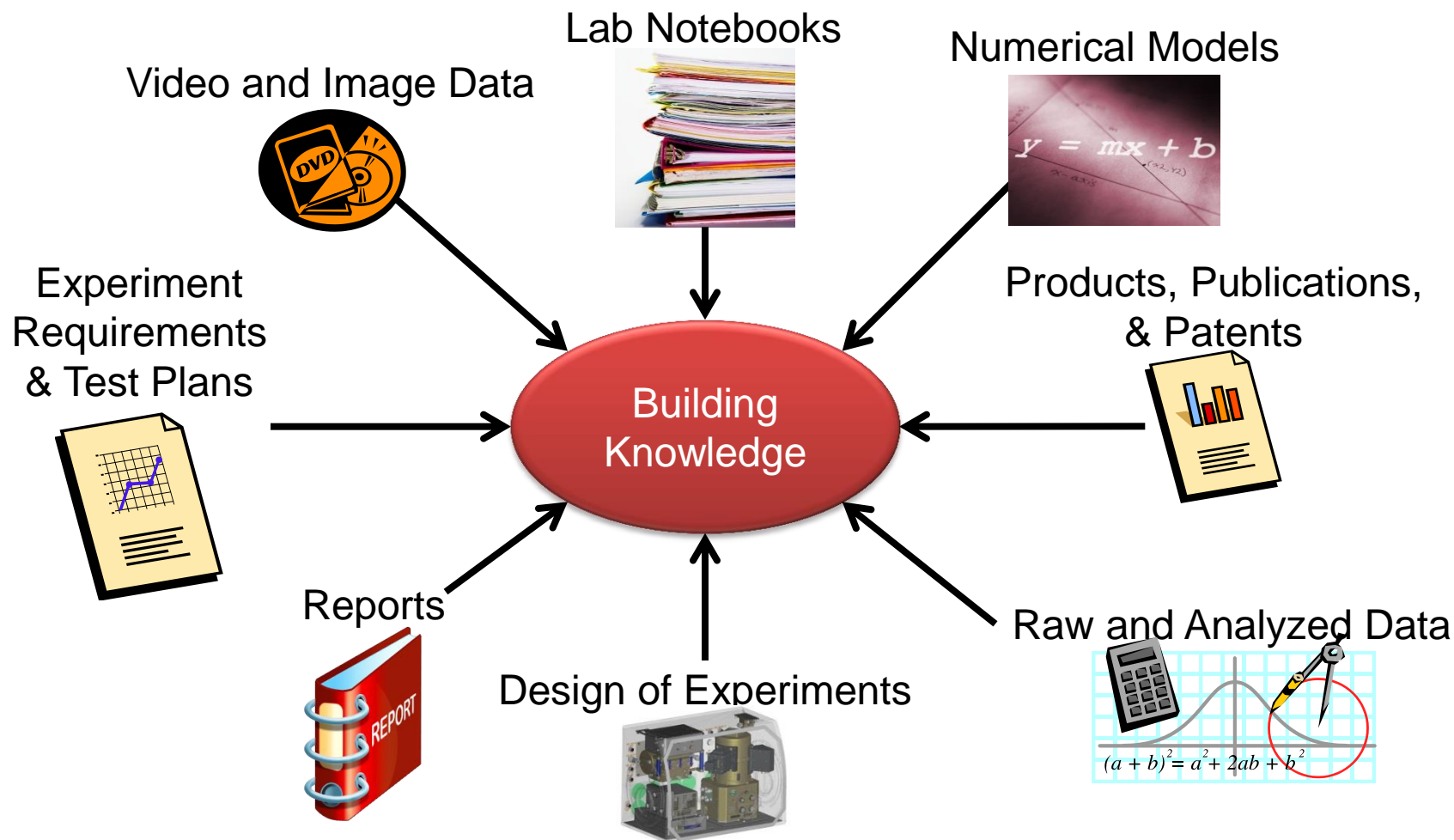


ISS Physical Sciences Informatics: Overall Approach





Elements of PSI – Turning Data into Knowledge





Scope



- **Physical Science Informatics System – Past, Present and Future experiments**
 - Prior completed Physical Science experiments and ongoing investigations represent a \$100M+ investment over 12 years by SLPS Division and its predecessors
 - 31 completed PI Investigations
 - 14 current PI Investigations in FY13
 - 63 PI Investigations awarded for FY14 – FY20
 - Open Source Science Campaigns
 - First Open Source Campaign has been awarded, Cool Flames FY15
 - MaterialsLab and FluidsLab Open Science NRA with awards in FY16
 - Future Science Definition Team Investigations



31 Completed ISS Physical Science Investigations

(2001 - June 1, 2013)



- **Combustion Science (MSG)**
 - Dust and Aerosol Measurement Feasibility Test (DAFT)
 - Dust and Aerosol Measurement Feasibility Test-2 (DAFT-2)
 - Smoke Aerosol Measurement Experiment (SAME)
 - Smoke Aerosol Measurement Experiment Reflight (SAME-R)
 - Smoke Point in Coflow Experiment (SPICE)
 - Structure and Liftoff in Combustion Experiment (SLICE)
 - Burning and Suppression of Solids (BASS)
- **Complex Fluids (FIR, MSG, MWA)**
 - Physics of Colloids in Space (PCS)
 - Investigating the Structures of Paramagnetic Aggregates from Colloidal Emulsions (InSPACE)
 - Investigating the Structures of Paramagnetic Aggregates from Colloidal Emulsions-2 (InSPACE-2)
 - Investigating the Structure of Paramagnetic Aggregates from Colloidal Ellipsoids-3 (InSPACE-3)
 - Shear History Extensional Rheology Experiment (SHERE)
 - Shear History Extensional Rheology Experiment Reflight (SHERE-R)
 - Shear History Extensional Rheology Experiment II (SHERE II)
 - Binary Colloidal Alloy Test-5 (BCAT- 5)
- **Fluid Physics (FIR, MWA)**
 - Capillary Flow Experiments (CFE)
 - Constrained Vapor Bubble (CVB)
 - Microheater Array Heater Boiling Experiment (MABE)
 - Nucleate Pool Boiling Experiment (NPBX)
- **Fundamental Physics (EPM)**
 - Gradient Driven Fluctuation Experiment (GRADFLEX) [Free Flyer]
 - Dusty Plasma (PK-3)
 - Dusty Plasma (PK-3+)
- **Materials Science (MSRR/MSL, MSG)**
 - Solidification Using a Baffle in Sealed Ampoules (SUBSA)
 - Pore Formation and Mobility Investigation (PFMI)
 - Coarsening in Solid-Liquid Mixtures (CSLM)
 - Coarsening in Solid-Liquid Mixtures-2 (CSLM-2)
 - Coarsening in Solid-Liquid Mixtures-2 Reflight (CSLM-2R)
 - Coarsening in Solid Liquid Mixtures-3 (CSLM-3)
 - Comparison of Structure and Segregation in Alloys Directionally Solidified in Terrestrial and Microgravity Environments (MICAST/CSS)
 - DECLIC, Directional Solidification Experiment (DSI)
 - In-Space Soldering Investigation (ISSI)



14 Current ISS Physical Science Investigations*



- **Combustion Science (CIR)**
 - Flame Extinguishment Experiment (FLEX)
 - Flame Extinguishment Experiment-2 (FLEX-2)
- **Complex Fluids (FIR, MSG, MWA)**
 - Binary Colloidal Alloy Test-3 (BCAT-3)
 - Binary Colloidal Alloy Test-4 (BCAT-4)
 - Binary Colloidal Alloy Test-6 (BCAT-6)
 - Investigating the Structure of Paramagnetic Aggregates from Colloidal Ellipsoids-3+ (InSPACE-3+)
 - Advanced Colloids Experiment-M1 (ACE-M1)
- **Fluid Physics (EXPRESS, FIR, MSG, MWA)**
 - Capillary Flow Experiment-2 (CFE-2)
 - Capillary Channel Flow (CCF)
 - Constrained Vapor Bubble-2 (CVB-2)
 - DEvice for the study of Critical Liquids and Crystallization - High Temperature Insert-Reflight (DECLIC HTI-R or SCWM/HTI-R)
- **Fundamental Physics (EXPRESS)**
 - DEvice for the study of Critical Liquids and Crystallization - Alice Like Insert (DECLIC-ALI)
- **Materials Science (EXPRESS, MSRR/MSL)**
 - DEvice for the study of Critical Liquids and Crystallization - Directional Solidification Insert-Reflight (DECLIC DSI-R)
 - Comparison of Structure and Segregation in Alloys Directionally Solidified in Terrestrial and Microgravity Environments (MICAST/CSS) batch 2A set 2

* Experiment and/or samples are on-orbit and operating (or operations planned) in CY2013



Planned Work: 60+ awarded or planned (FY14-20) ISS Physical Science Investigations



▪ **Biophysics (FIR, EPM)**

- Macromolecular Biophysics – MB1 (MMB-MB1)
- Macromolecular Biophysics – MB3 (MMB-MB3)
- Macromolecular Biophysics – B1 (MMB-B1)
- Macromolecular Biophysics – B2 (MMB-B2)
- Macromolecular Biophysics – B3 (MMB-B3)
- Protein Nucleation and Growth Kinetics Experiment (PROTEIN)

▪ **Combustion Science (CIR, MSG, MSPR, EXPRESS)**

- Adv. Combustion via Microgravity Expt (ACME) (5 Experiments)
- Burning and Suppression of Solids (BASS-2)
- Chamber for Combustion Experiment/Group Combustion Experiment (CCE/GCE)
- FLame Extinguishment eXperiment-2J (FLEX-2J)
- FLame Extinguishment eXperiment ICE GA (FLEX ICE- GA)
- Smoke Aerosol Measurement Experiment (SAME-3)
- Supercritical Water Mixture (SCWM-2)
- Solid Fuel Ignition and Extinction (SoFIE) (5 Experiments)
- Flamability Limits at Reduced Gravity Expt. (FLARE)
- Solid Combustion Experiment (SCE)

▪ **Complex Fluids (FIR, EPM, FSL, MSG)**

- Advanced Colloids Experiments – E1 (ACE-E1)
- Advanced Colloids Experiments – E2 (ACE-E2)
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- Advanced Colloids Experiments – T10 (ACE-T10)
- Colloidal Solids
- Foam Optics and Mechanics Experiment – C (FOAM-C)
- Observation and Analysis of Smectic with Electromagnetic Convection (OASIS)



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ISS Physical Science Investigations (continued)



▪ **Fluid Physics (FIR, MSG)**

- ElectroHydroDynamic Flow (EHD)
- Flow Boiling and Condensation Experiment (FBCE)
- Multiphase Flow with Heat Transfer (MFHT)
- Packed Bed Reactor Experiment (PBRE)
- Two-Phase Flow Separator Experiment – Annular Injection (TPFSE-AI)
- Two-Phase Flow Separator Experiment – Conical Injection (TPFSE-CI)
- Zero Boil-Off Tank Experiment (ZBOT)
- Zero Boil-Off Tank Experiment – 2 (ZBOT-2)
- Zero Boil-Off Tank Experiment – 3 (ZBOT-3)

▪ **Fundamental Physics (CEPF, EPM, EXPRESS)**

- Atomic Clock Ensemble in Space (ACES)
- Alice Like Insert – R (ALI-R)
- Plasma Crystal – 4 (PK-4)
- Cold Atom Laboratory (CAL) - Zero-G Studies of Few and Many Body Physics
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- Cold Atom Laboratory (CAL) -Fundamental Interactions of Atom Interferometry with Ultracold Quantum Gases in a Microgravity Environment
- Cold Atom Laboratory (CAL) - Development of Atom Interferometry Experiments for the International Space Station's Cold Atom Laboratory

▪ **Material Science (EDR-EML, MSG, MSRR/MSL)**

- Cadmium Telluride (CdTe)
- Columnar-to-Equiaxed Transition in Solidification (CETSOL)
- Coarsening in Solid-Liquid Mixtures – 4 (CSLM-4)
- DEvice for the study of Critical LIquids and Crystallization, Directional Solidification Experiments – 2R (DECLIC DSI-2R)
- Formulation of Amorphous Metals in Space (FAMIS)
- Formation of Gasrites (FOG)
- Gravitational Effects on Distortion in Sintering (GEDS)
- Influence of Containment on the growth of Silicon-GERmanium (ICESAGE)
- ICOPROSOL – Nucleation in quasicrystal- and glass-forming alloys
- Peritectic Alloy Rapid Solidification with Electromagnetic Convection (PARSEC)
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- Interfacial Energy – (IE)



Athena Platform



- PSI use of an existing data management system provides a **lower cost of ownership**
- Athena allowed PSI to immediately start collecting data and release **eleven months ahead of schedule**
- Multiple NASA projects use Athena which yields **economy of scale**
- Athena is a **fully modular and flexible data management system** capable of collecting, storing, and disseminating a wide variety of information



PSI Status



- **Data loading status**

- 11 payloads have been completed
- 6 payloads are nearing completion (at least 75% complete)
- 36 payloads will be complete by end of September (at least some data has been received)
- As current and future investigations are completed, they will be loaded (both open science and traditional)

- **PSI announcements**

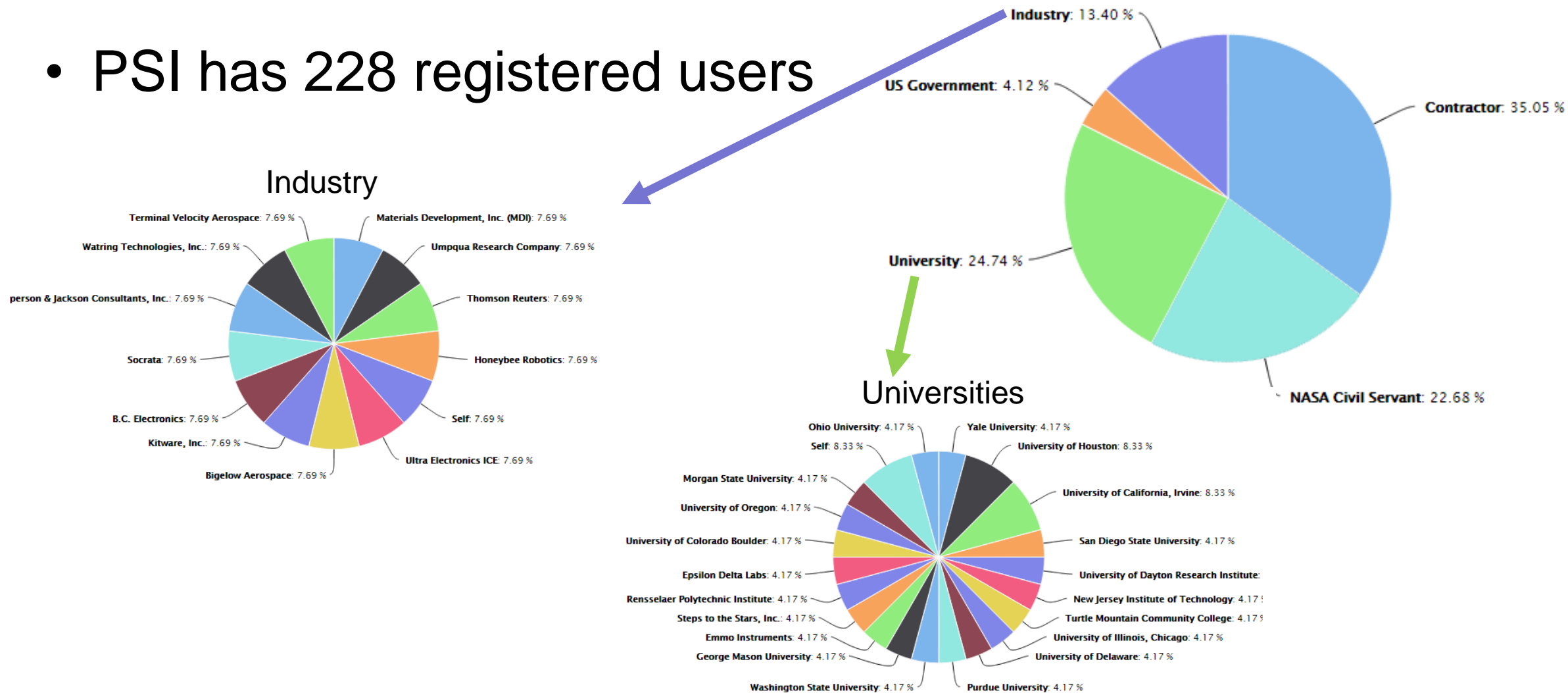
- PSI was demonstrated and made available to the public at the American Society for Gravitational and Space Research (ASGSR) conference in late October 2014
 - This was a stretch goal, released almost 1 year ahead of schedule
- NASA Research and Education Support Services (NRESS) announcement was distributed to approximately 18,000 researchers on February 2, 2015
- PSI was presented on February 18, 2015 at Stanford University as part of the Destination Station series
- Official NASA Press release was issued on March 30, 2015
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- **NASA Research Announcement (NRA) for PSI to be released summer, 2015.**



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Capillary Flow Experiment (CFE)

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Resulting Products

Microgravity Results Publications: [Displaying 20 records.](#)

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Related Previous Research Publications: [Displaying 7 records.](#)

Patents: [Beverage cup for drinking use in spacecraft or weightless environments \(US 8074827 B2, also published as US20110101009\).](#)

[Microgravity condensing heat exchanger \(US 7913499 B2, also published as US20090314469, US20090314477\)](#)

[Systems and methods for separating a multiphase fluid \(US 7905946 B1\).](#)

Final Report: [RM Jenson, MM Weislogel, NT Tavan, Y Chen, B Semerjian, CT Bunnell, SH Collicott, J Klatte, ME Dreyer; The Capillary Flow Experiments Aboard the International Space Station: Increments 9–15 August 2004 to December 2007, NASA/CR 2009-215586](#)

Other Reports: [Exp 13 CFE 30-Day Postflight Report](#)

[Exp 14 CFE 30-Day Postflight Report](#)

Presentations: [CFE - AAS Denver Presentation Jun 2012](#)

Impacts, Benefits and Products: [CFE Impact](#)

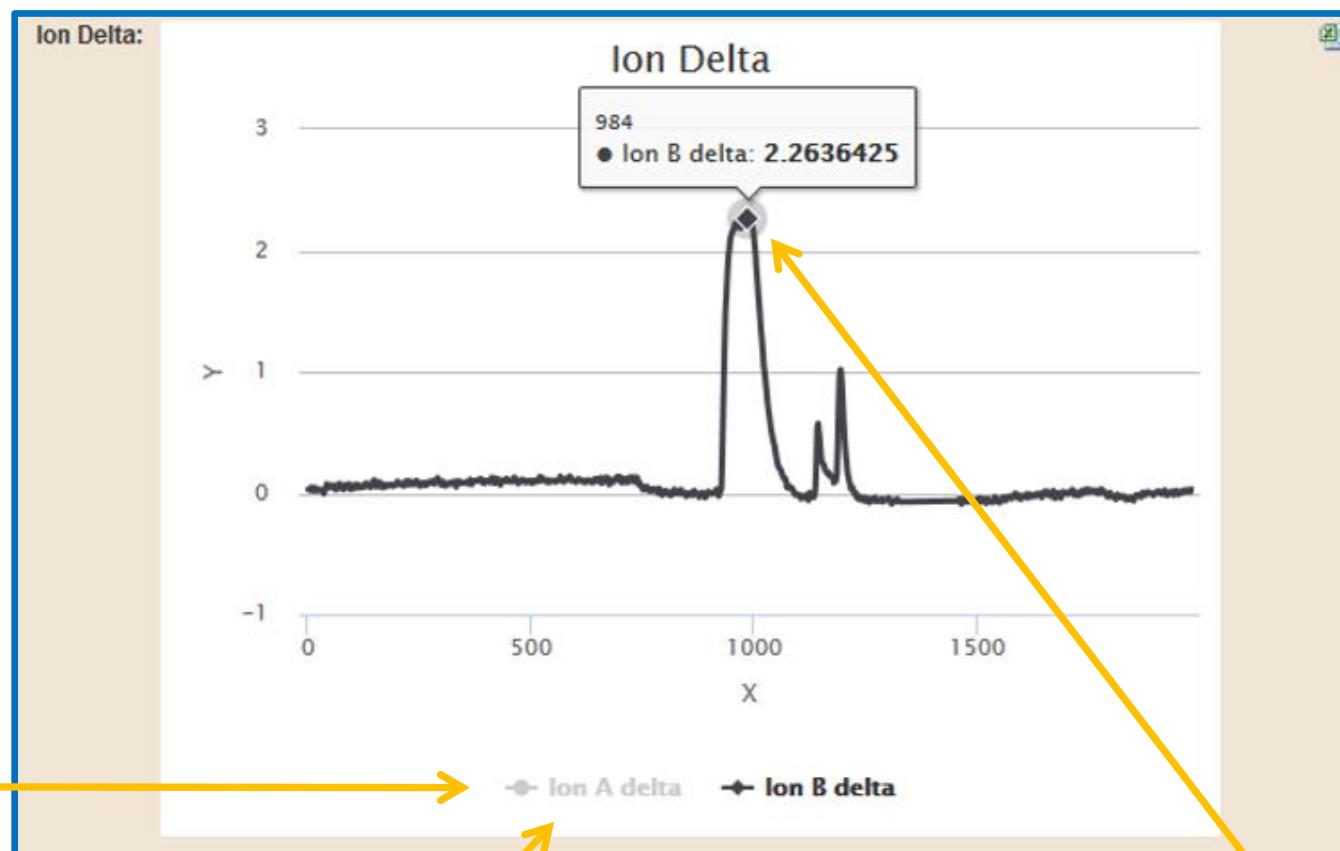
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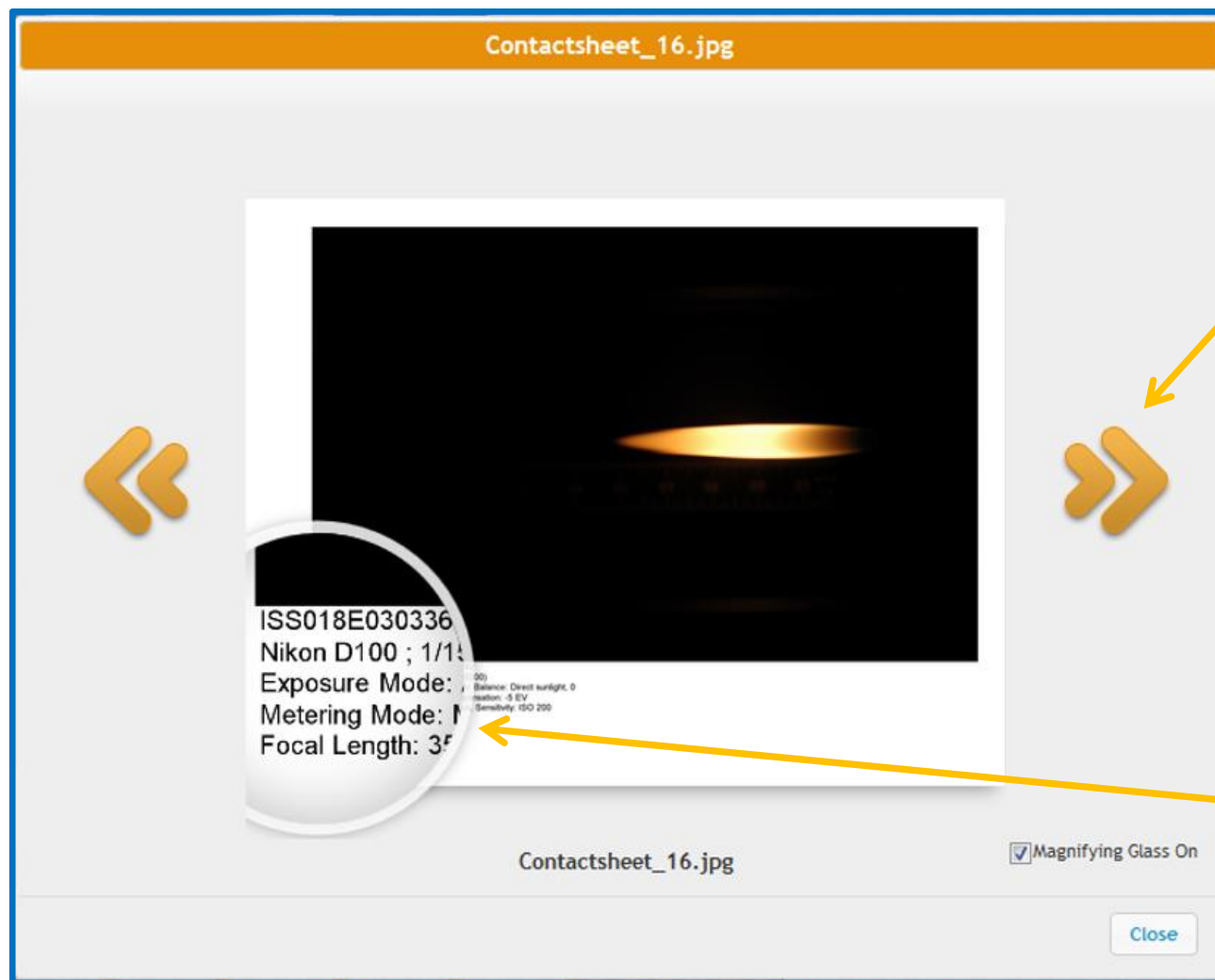
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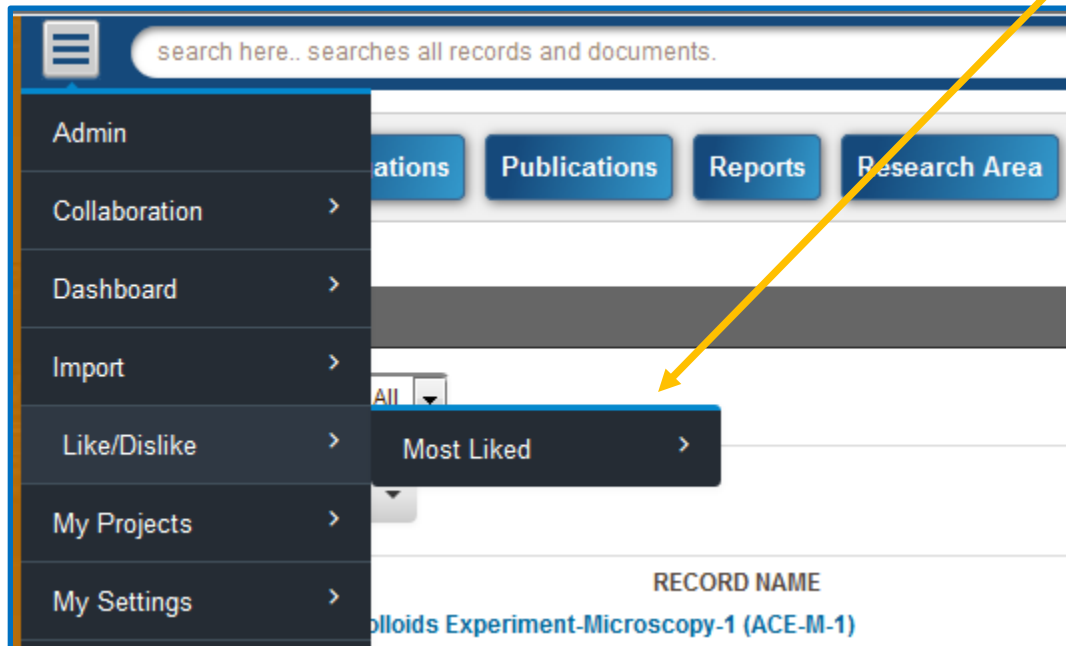
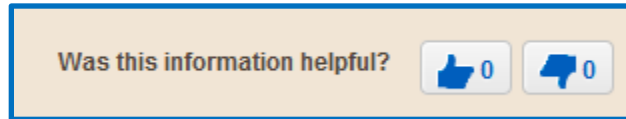
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✖ Coarsening in Solid-Liquid Mixtures-2 (CSLM-2)	ZIN Technologies Incorporated Clev...	2.001	CSLM-2	Coarsening in Solid Liquid Mixture...		Materials Science	In any mixture that contains parti...
✖ Coarsening in Solid-Liquid Mixtures-2 Reflight (CSLM-2R)		CSLM2R PbSn15% 48hr		Coarsening in Solid-Liquid Mixture...		Materials Science	
✖ Constrained Vapor Bubble (CVB)	ZIN Technologies Incorporated Clev...	Earth - EtOH_1g_CVB, Earth Gravity...	CVB	Constrained Vapor Bubble	CVB Operations	Fluid Physics	CVB has performed ground-based stu...
✖ Constrained Vapor Bubble-2 (CVB-2)	ZIN Technologies Incorporated Cle...		CVB-2	Constrained Vapor Bubble-2		Fluid Physics	Most liquids have a surface tensio...



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General

Investigation Name: CFE
Investigation Title: Capillary Flow Experiment
Research Area: Fluid Physics
Sponsoring Space Agency: National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)
Investigation Performed On: International Space Station
Principal Investigator(s): [Weislogel, Mark M.](#)
Co-Investigator/Collaborator(s): [Collicott, Steven H](#)
NASA Point of Contact: Bob Green
NASA Point of Contact Email: robert.d.green@nasa.gov
Developer(s): ZIN Technologies Incorporated
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National Center for Microgravity Research
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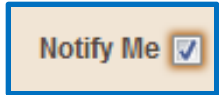
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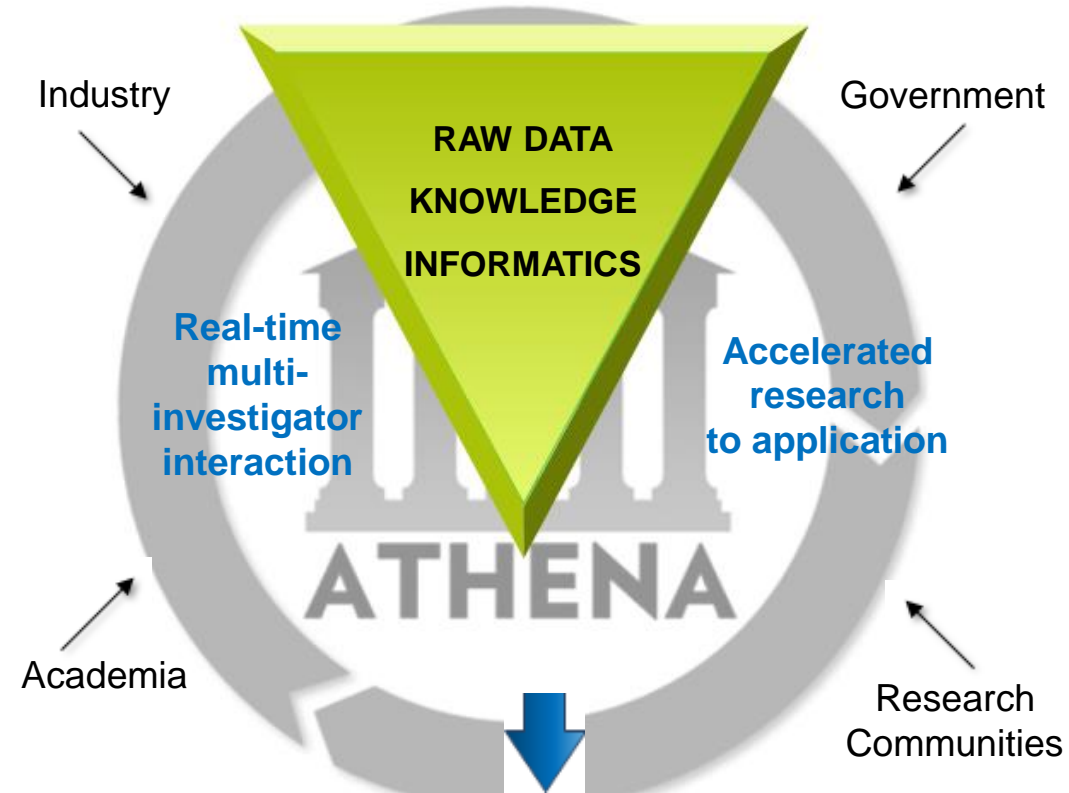
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ISS Physical Sciences Informatics: Overall Approach

- ISS physical sciences data contains knowledge that has the potential of high return on Agency investments.
- An **informatics system** is needed to realize return on ISS investments.
- The **informatics system** transforms the raw data obtained from ISS experiments into knowledge.
- The open-source **informatics system** enables real-time interactions among multiple investigators leading to research build-up, applications, and possibilities not yet realized.
- **Athena** is an informatics-ready platform

*Materials International Space Station Experiment (MISSE): MISSE data saved \$150M for predicting environmental impacts on missions. *"2003 Annual Report of the NASA Inventions & Contributions Board"*



Benefit to ISS, the Nation, and the World

- ✓ New use of ISS data
- ✓ Cost Avoidance*
- ✓ Research build-up & Scientific discoveries



Purpose



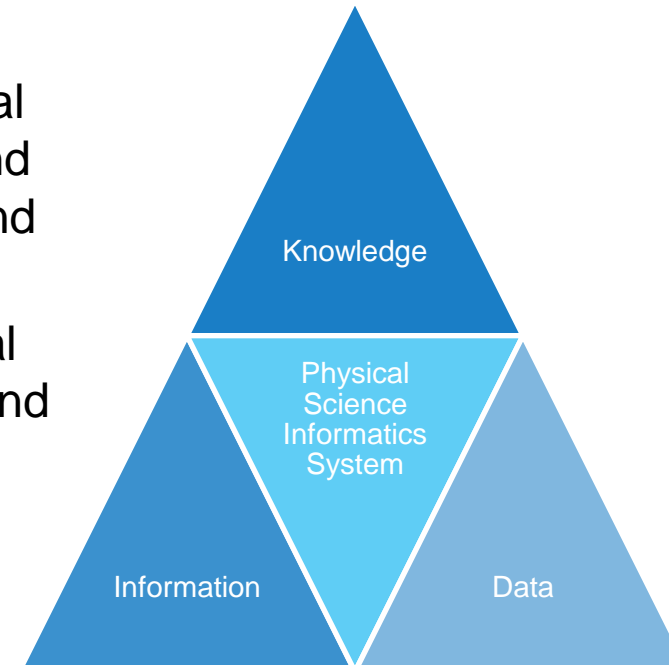
- The decadal survey committee strongly recommends that NASA **intensify the utilization of the ISS** as a world-class research laboratory engaged in both basic and applied research that enables space exploration and is enabled by the microgravity environment of the ISS
- The goal should be to maximize the utilization of existing facilities and to **engage world-class scientists** and engineers to carry out research that leads to the development of space-related technologies. Ground-based experimental and theoretical work should form a significant component of the overall activity



Objective



- Physical Science Informatics system implements Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP) memorandum, Feb. 22, 2013 entitled “Increasing Access to the Results of Federally Funded Scientific Research” by enabling multiple researchers simultaneous, **open-science**, access to synergistically build upon ISS data.
- Maximize the value of this important data by mass disseminating past, current, and future ISS physical science data to the broad science, engineering, and STEM community including industry, academia, and government.
- Accelerate from ideas to state-of-the-art of physical sciences research and to products, publications, and patents.





Paradigm Change – Open Science Informatics

The Engine That Drives the Plans



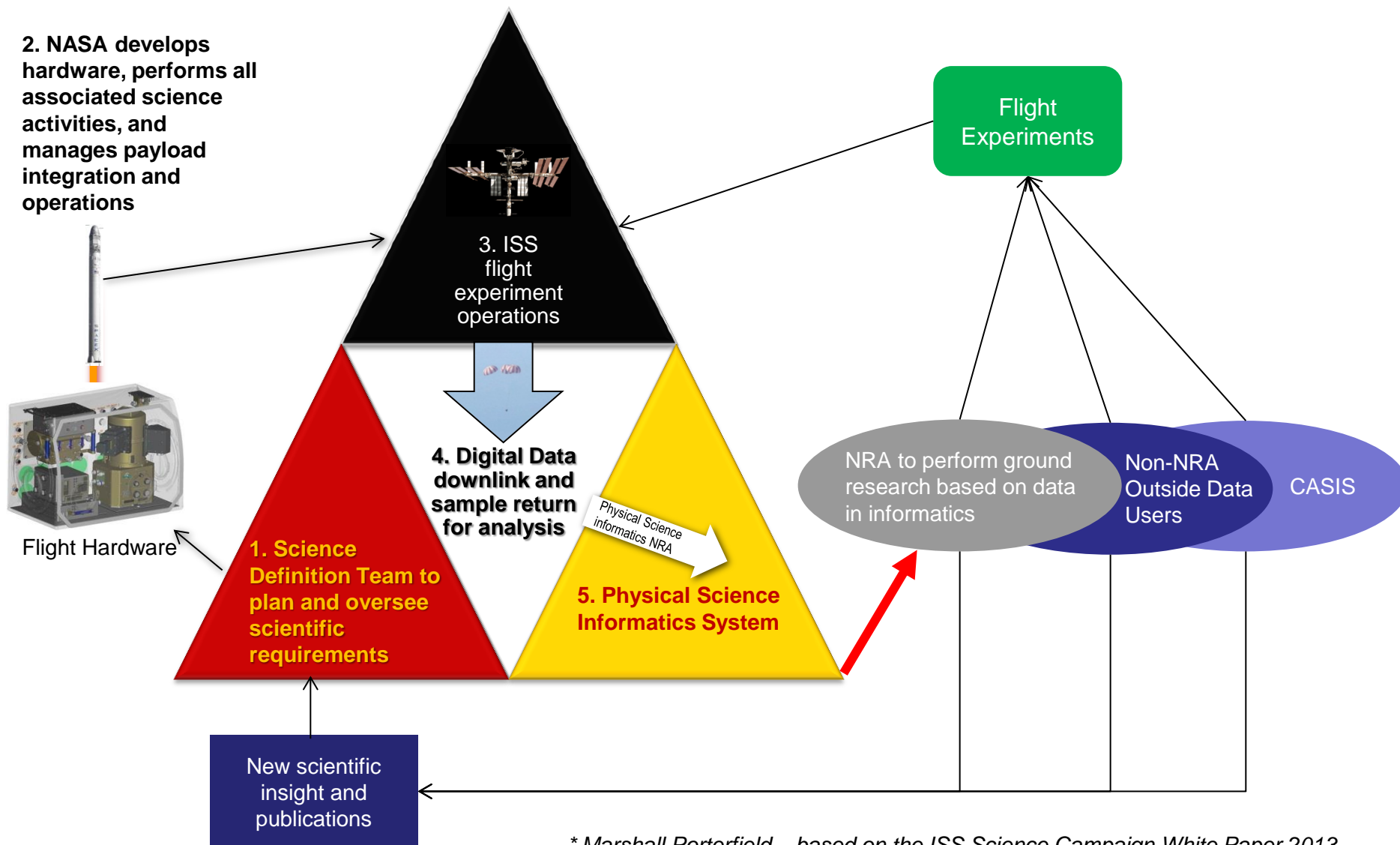
Basic unifying characteristics of ISS Science Campaign include:

- Initiation of ISS Science Campaign (ISS SC) programs will be **branded and promoted** in order to be linked to ISS increments **to increase public visibility of ISS utilization.**
- Scientific themes can be **broad** or focused **based on the need.**
- Existing science efforts can be re-organized as ISS SC programs.
- Future efforts can develop science around new ISS SC concepts that are NRA specific.
- ISS SC themes can also help to define hardware development needs in order **to maximize ISS cooperation and utilization by all member countries.**
- **ISS SC programs allow for more direct public dissemination and will feed the development of educational and outreach materials.**
- **K-12 outreach projects and materials will bring knowledge and awareness of ISS science utilization activities to the public domain.**
- **ISS SC programs will be mechanisms to organize new science initiatives that are in alignment of recommendations outlined in the NRC Decadal Survey.** An example of such a science campaign is geneLAB which satisfies recommendations for expanded multi-investigator experiments on the ISS, and expands the use of **new high-throughput** biomolecular research **technologies.**

From an Article by Dr. Marshall Porterfield



Open Science Campaign Platform*



* Marshall Porterfield – based on the ISS Science Campaign White Paper 2013



PSI Data Set Status

Data Sets Completed

Investigation	Research Area	Center	Project Scientist	Informatics Data Load Approx. Completion Status
CFE	Fluid Physics	GRC	Bob Green	100%
CSLM	Materials Science	GRC	Walter Duval	100%
CVB	Fluid Physics	GRC	Dave Chao	100%
DAFT/DAFT-2	Combustion Science	GRC	David Urban	100%
GRADFLEX	Fundamental Physics	GRC	Bill Meyer	100%
PCS	Complex Fluids	GRC	Bill Meyer	100%
SAME	Combustion Science	GRC	David Urban	100%
SHERE	Complex Fluids	GRC	Nancy Hall	100%
SHERE II	Complex Fluids	GRC	Nancy Hall	100%
SHERE-R	Complex Fluids	GRC	Nancy Hall	100%

Data Sets Nearing Completion

Investigation	Research Area	Center	Project Scientist	Informatics Data Load Approx. Completion Status
FLEX-1	Combustion Science	GRC	Dan Dietrich	90%
InSPACE-3	Complex Fluids	GRC	Bob Green	98%
InSPACE-3+	Complex Fluids	GRC	Bob Green	80%
NPBX	Fluid Physics	GRC	Dave Chao	98%
SAME-R	Combustion Science	GRC	David Urban	90%
SPICE	Combustion Science	GRC	David Urban	75%

Representative of the 45 completed and current investigations identified in initial scope.
The 63 awarded investigations are not represented in these listings.



PSI Data Set Status



Data Sets To Be Completed by Oct 2015

Investigation	Research Area	Center	Project Scientist	Informatics Data Load Approx. Completion Status
ACE-M1	Complex Fluids	GRC	Bill Meyer	5%
BASS	Combustion Science	GRC	Paul Ferkul	15%
BCAT-3	Complex Fluids	GRC	Bill Meyer	15%
BCAT-4	Complex Fluids	GRC	Bill Meyer	10%
BCAT-5	Complex Fluids	GRC	Bill Meyer	10%
BCAT-6	Complex Fluids	GRC	Bill Meyer	10%
CCF	Fluid Physics	GRC	Lauren Sharp	10%
CFE-2	Fluid Physics	GRC	Bob Green	25%
CVB-2	Fluid Physics	GRC	Dave Chao	15%
FLEX-2	Combustion Science	GRC	Dan Dietrich	15%
InSPACE	Complex Fluids	GRC	Bob Green	15%
InSPACE-2	Complex Fluids	GRC	Bob Green	5%
ISSI	Materials Science	MSFC	Richard Grugel	20%
MABE	Fluid Physics	GRC	John McQuillen	20%
MICAST/CSS B1	Materials Science	MSFC	Richard Grugel	5%
MICAST/CSS B2A	Materials Science	MSFC	Richard Grugel	5%
PfMI	Materials Science	MSFC	Richard Grugel	55%
SLICE	Combustion Science	GRC	Dennis Stocker	20%
SUBSA	Materials Science	MSFC	Martin Volz	5%

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PSI Data Set Status



Data Sets To Be Completed in 2016

Investigation	Research Area	Center	Project Scientist	Informatics Data Load Approx. Completion Status
CSLM-2	Materials Science	GRC	Walter Duval	5%
CSLM-2R	Materials Science	GRC	Walter Duval	20%
CSLM-3	Materials Science	GRC	Walter Duval	5%
DECLIC-ALI*	Fundamental Physics	JPL	Inseob Hahn	5%
DSI-DSIP*	Materials Science	MSFC	Louise Strutzenberg	5%
DSI-R/SPADES*	Materials Science	MSFC	Louise Strutzenberg	5%
HT1-R/SCWM*	Fluid Physics	GRC	Mike Hicks	5%
PK-3*	Fundamental Physics	JPL	Inseob Hahn	5%
PK-3+*	Fundamental Physics	JPL	Inseob Hahn	10%

*Identified as International flight experiments.

- CSLM-2, -2R, -3 data cannot be provided before FY16 due to delays in processing the data.
- DECLIC-ALI, DSI-DSIP, DSI-R/SPADES and HT1-R/SCWM are French CNES experiment and the data will have to be provided from those project teams.
- PK-3 and PK-3+ were Russian experiments and the data will have to be provided from those project teams.

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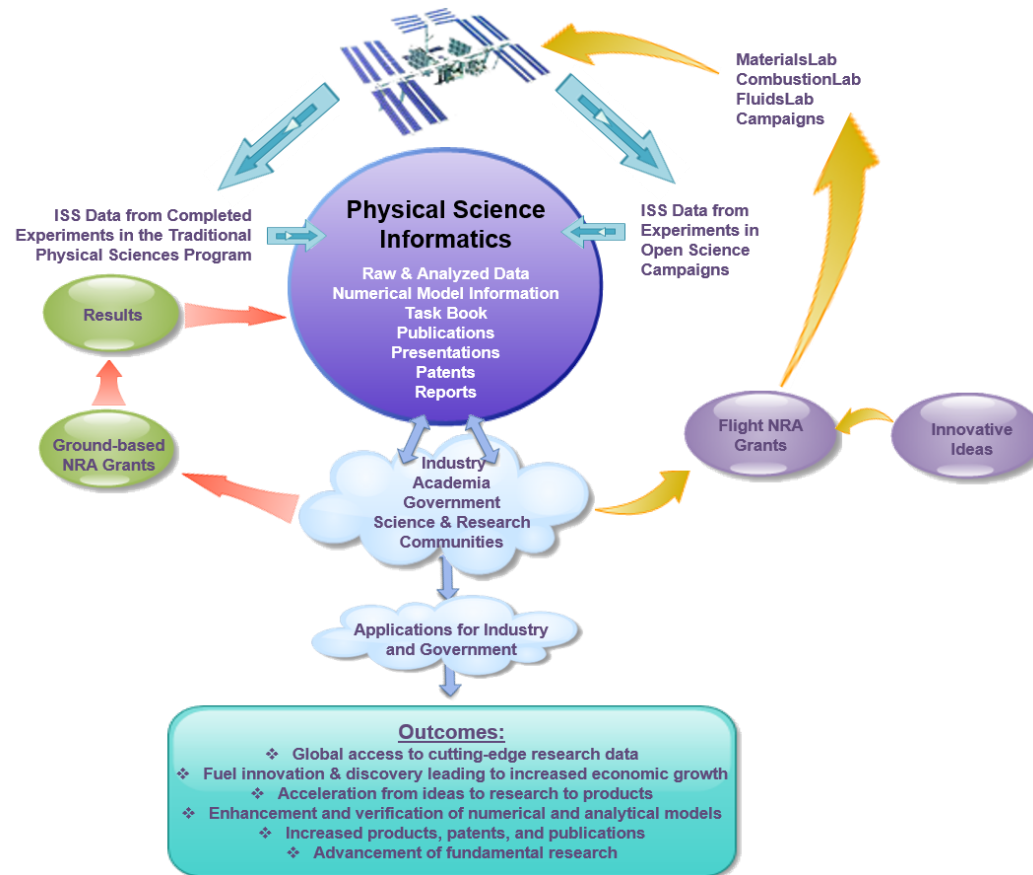


Physical Science Vision

From Microgravity Science to Open Science Informatics



Fully utilize ISS as national laboratory to conduct microgravity materials science and disseminate data into open source informatics, to accelerate revelation of materials science mysteries, develop engineering need-driven higher-performing materials for NASA and the nation, and enhance STEM education.



- Access to global science/engineering community
- Simultaneous rapid multiplicative investigations
- Break-through scientific advance of real value
- World-wide STEM education opportunity
- Low cost and high-throughput research
- Use of existing facilities as much as possible
- Minimum Astronaut intervention and time
- Visible, applicable, and high return on investment
- Industry-driven engineering fulfillment
- Potential of discovering higher-performing material

Goal: Provide needed physical science data and knowledge to enable advanced technologies and application on Earth and for space exploration

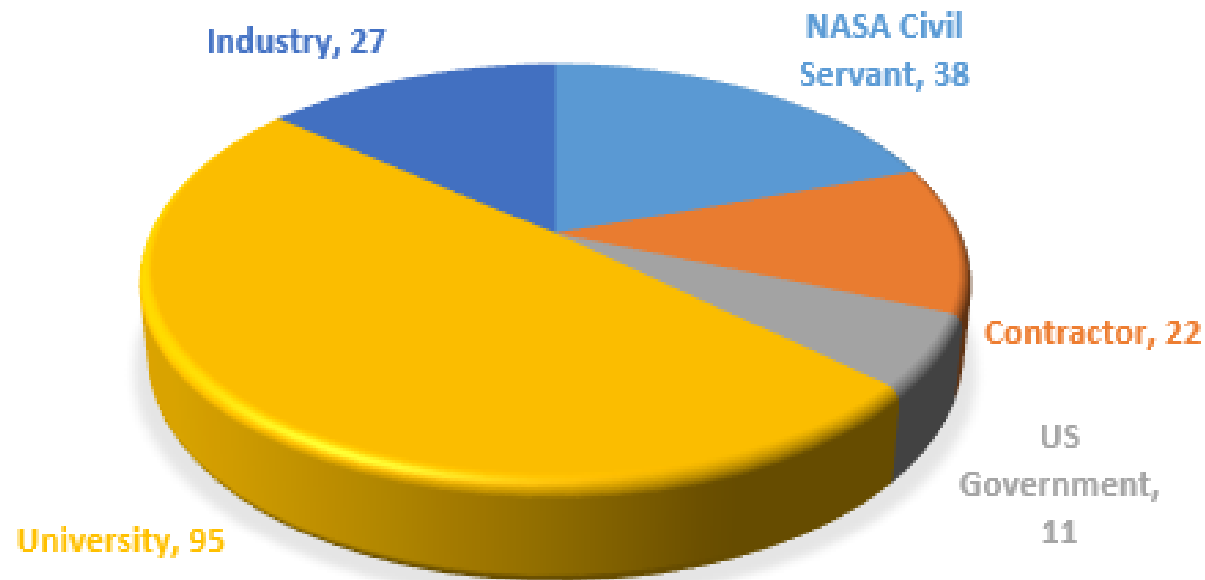
Open Science and Informatics: Inspire new areas of research, educate students, enhance discovery and multiply innovation



PSI User Demographics

- TBE, Watring Technologies Inc, USRA, Terminal Velocity Aerospace, Materials development, Inc., University Space Research Association, Yale and University of Houston are using the data.

PSI USERS DEMOGRAPHIC



Total Users = 193

PSI went live at the ASGSR Conference in October 2014

- 11 months ahead of schedule
- Stretch Goal
- First PSI NRA to be released in FY15; award in FY16
- MaterialsLab Phase 1 NRA to be released in FY15; award in FY1
- CASIS has expressed interest in using PSI for their physical sciences data

PSI URL - psi.nasa.gov/



Schedule

