

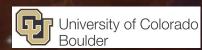
# ANUBIS – A Probe-Class UVO Space Observatory (AstroNomical Uv proBe Imager & Spectrograph)

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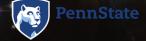






























#### Outline

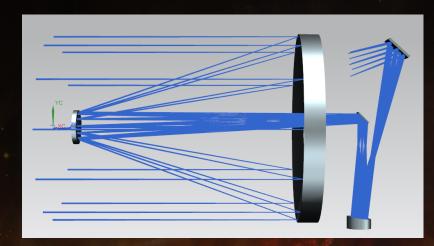


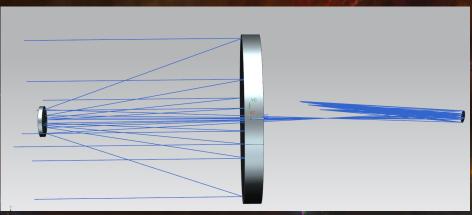
- An overview of the planned science and science goals
- Mission implementation
- Possible technical risks
- Project schedule
- ANUBIS' place in the overall NASA Astrophysics program

#### What is ANUBIS?

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- ANUBIS is a 1.5m UVO space-based observatory using a TMA design w/ UV-enabling coatings
- ANUBIS UV-Optical Camera:
  - NUV-optical (200-1100nm) camera
  - Large field of view ~12 arcminutes square
  - Possible use of UV-enhanced CCDs, CMOS or QIS detectors
  - 40 mas pixels
- ANUBIS FUV Spectrograph:
  - Resolutions of R~500, 3000 and 23,000
  - FUV-NUV bandpass: 100-320nm
  - MCP large-format detectors using new bi-alkali photocathodes deposited using ALD
  - Effective area of more than 2000 cm<sup>2</sup>
  - Use of MSA over a 2 arcminute square field of view to enable MOS

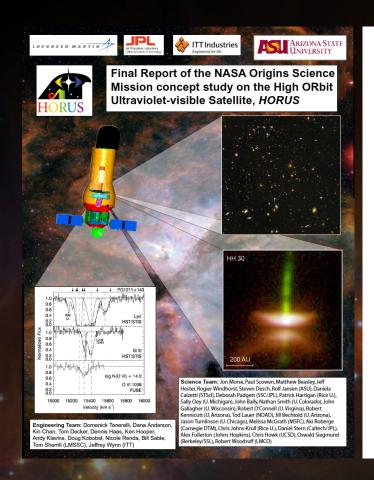








- ANUBIS is a direct derivative of the 2.4m HORUS mission concept study we did in 2005 and redid in 2009 in response to a direct request from the 2010 Decadal Survey.
- Project Management would reside, as a result, with JPL as they helped us conduct the original study and design work
- Much of the costing validation and design work presented today is based on the findings and lessons learned during that study.



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# Science Drivers and Goals

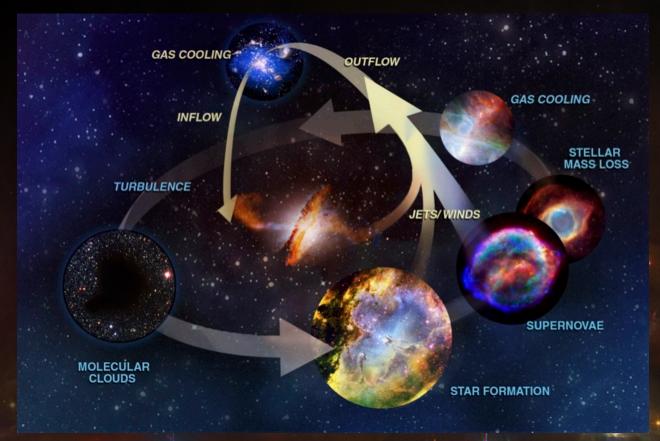
#### ANUBIS Science Drivers and Goals

- ANUBIS Cosmic Origins science goals align with the 2014 NASA Strategic Plan, Objective 1.6, to "Discover how the universe works, explore how it began and evolved, and search for life on planets around other stars." Its capabilities will address all three of the 2014 NASA Science Plan Astrophysics science goals to
  - (1) "Probe the origin and destiny of our universe, including the nature of black holes, dark energy, dark matter and gravity";
  - (2) "Explore the origin and evolution of the galaxies, stars and planets that make up our universe"; and
  - (3) "Discover and study planets around other stars, and explore whether they could harbor life", with an emphasis on goals (2) and (3).
  - There is also alignment with the Planetary Science goals, especially "Advance the understanding of how the chemical and physical processes in our solar system operate, interact and evolve."
- Many of the UV science goals have been derived from community discussion since the last Decadal at the COPAGorganized FUV workshop held at NASA Goddard in 2015 (summarized in Scowen et al., PASP, 129, 76001, 2017)
- The ANUBIS Science Suite has been designed around leveraging the unique capabilities the mission brings to the table during an anticipated era of large ground-based glass (TMT and GMT) and available on-orbit wide-field NIR imaging (WFIRST):
  - Wide-field diffraction-limited NUV-visible band imaging that provides for both broad and narrow-band filters
  - FUV and NUV high resolution MOS spectroscopy covering 100-320nm

#### ANUBIS Science Drivers and Goals



- Visible-band Imaging
  - Star formation mapping and diagnostics
  - Galactic Halo mapping of structure and Dark Matter
  - Star Forming Regions and Stellar Halos in Nearby Galaxies
  - Time Domain Astrophysics
- FUV Spectroscopy
  - Circumgalactic Medium studies
  - Solar System science
  - Time domain spectroscopy of Stellar Accretion & AGNs
  - UV spectroscopic diagnostics of gas phase physics across a suite of targets
  - UV spectroscopic monitoring of Exoplanet Host Stars: Exoplanet Atmospheric Loss and Atmospheric Chemistry
  - Ly-Continuum Galaxy Escape Fraction



## Star-Formation Science (Bally)



Deep, multi-epoch, ~0.05" (NUV) to 0.1"(VIS) surveys of entire star-forming complexes:

10s of square degrees X 10s of complexes. (Orion, Perseus, Taurus, Ophiuchus, W3/W4/W5, ...)

- H-alpha, H-beta, [SII], [OI], [OII], [OIII], MgII, and broad-band continuum
- Proper motions of shocks, & stars

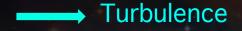
Measure Feedback impacts in the self-regulation of Star Formation

- Outflows, FUV, EUV, winds, ionization, explosions (supernovae, new types of transients)

Accretion + Spin + Magnetic Fields (or radiation)

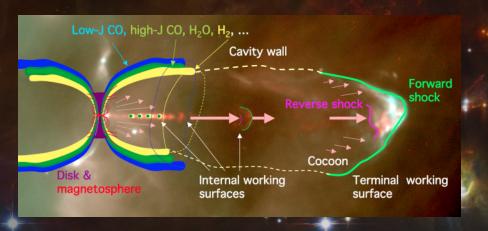
Outflow

- Fossil record of accretion history, N-body dynamics
- Feedback Impact in Self-Regulation Couple P, E, directly into parent cloud
- Most (all?) YSOs have them
   All accreting, spinning, magnetized systems?
   Total impact on GMCs can exceed UV, winds, SNe..



- What determines stellar masses and the IMF?
  Initial Conditions? Feedback? N-body dynamics?
- Why is the Star Formation Efficiency (SFE) so low? Turbulence? B? Feedback?
- What determines the Star Formation Rate (SFR)?

  External or internal Feedback, B?



Nakamura & Li 2009; Carroll+ 2009; Arce+2010; Nakamura+2011; Bally 2015; Federrath+ 2015; Plunkett+2013; 2015; Li+2015; Feddersen+2018; 2019)

## Star-Formation Science (Bally)





HH 34 / 201 / 222
Ha [S II] ~0.5" seeing limited (Subaru)



HH 24 Complex: Orion
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(Subaru)

# Star-Formation Science (Bally)

# A N U B I S

#### Stars Form in Transient clusters:

Surface area covering factor of shocks responsible for feedback is large on deep images



# Substructure and Dark Matter in the Galactic Halo. (Grillmair)

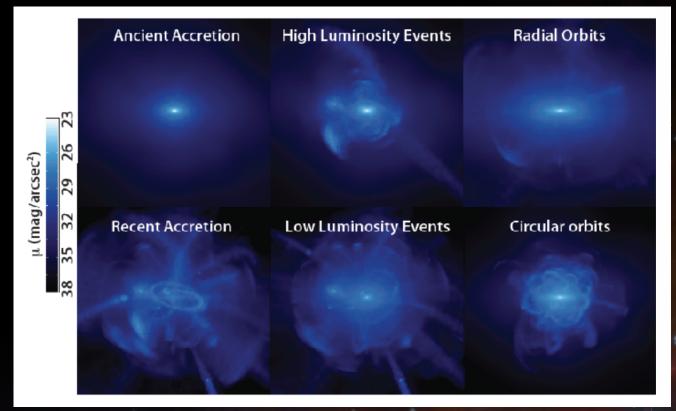
- More than 60 stellar debris streams have now been found in the Milky Way halo.
- These streams record the early accretion history of our Galaxy, and constrain the global shape of the Galactic potential.
- The coldest, globular cluster streams are exquisitely sensitive to any disturbances or irregularities in the Galactic potential. They are consequently superb dark matter subhalo detectors.
- Significant gaps and spurs have already been found in the GD-1 and ATLAS/Aliqa Uma streams. Recent modeling of these gaps suggest that there may be problems with the predictions of the current cold dark matter paradigm. To make more substantive statements, we need a larger sample of streams, at greater distances, with improved membership probabilities.
- Gaia has enabled the detection and physical characterization of many streams in the nearby halo. However, a magnitude limit of  $\sim$ 20 severely limits the distances to which we can detect streams (typically < 15 kpc).

# Substructure and Dark Matter in the Galactic Halo. (Grillmair)

- By surveying large areas of sky, at multiple epochs, to intermediate depths (g  $\sim$  25, 3 $\sigma$ , about 2 hrs), ANUBIS will enable the detection of halo streams out to  $\sim$ 200 kpc, or nearly the virial radius of the Milky Way Galaxy.
- Optimal color-magnitude/proper motion filtering techniques applied to ANUBIS multi-epoch photometry and astrometry will enable detection of substructures down to the equivalent of less than 36 mag/arcsec<sup>2</sup>. Sensitivity to stream gaps will be several times better than with Gaia or any existing or planned ground-based survey.
- Such a survey will naturally also detect many more ultrafaint dwarf galaxies, stellar debris clouds, and other accretion relics.

# Nearby Galaxies Science: Stellar Halos (Williams)





100 kpc

ANUBIS will detect and characterize young components in stellar halo structures

Bullock and Johnston (2005) Example Halos of Varying Accretion Histories



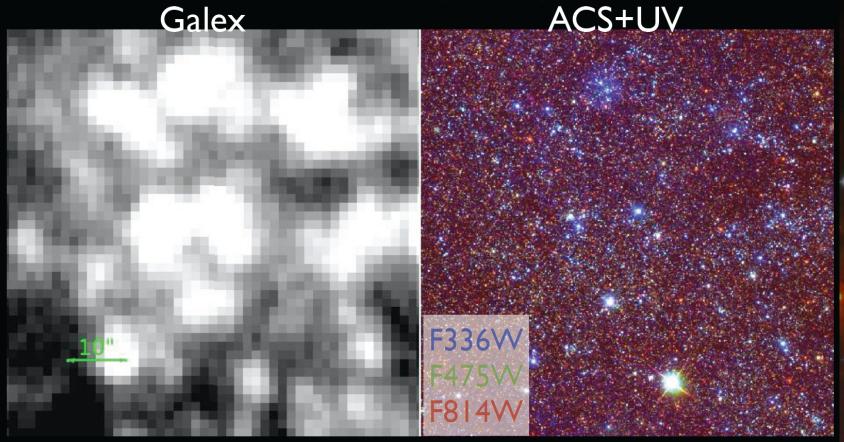
#### Nearby Galaxies Science: Star Forming Regions (Williams)

- Sensitive to massive stars
  - Traces star formation, winds, mass loss, metal enrichment, SN feedback
- <u>Directly</u> detects *individual* stars analogous to those responsible for UV flux from distant galaxies

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# Time Domain Astrophysics (Jansen)

- Time-domain monitoring of the JWST NEP Time-Domain Field (which has accumulated a wealth of ancillary data from X-rays through long-wave radio these past three years -- <a href="http://lambda.la.asu.edu/jwst/neptdf">http://lambda.la.asu.edu/jwst/neptdf</a> ) to monitor transients at cosmological distances associated with star formation (SNe, GRBs) and growth of super massive black holes (flares and TDEs).
  - multi-wavelength monitoring provides characterization of transient sources
  - HST and JWST fields of view are not conducive to blind surveys of rare transients; X-rays (Chandra,XMM,NuSTAR,Lynx?) + ANUBIS + WFIRST + radio are a natural complement with comparably wide FoVs.
- Accumulating medium-deep to deep wide-field imaging at ~0.1" resolution by end-of-mission (or each successive year) stacking of monitoring data in the UV--Visible, complementing WFIRST near-IR and surpassing TESS depth and resolution



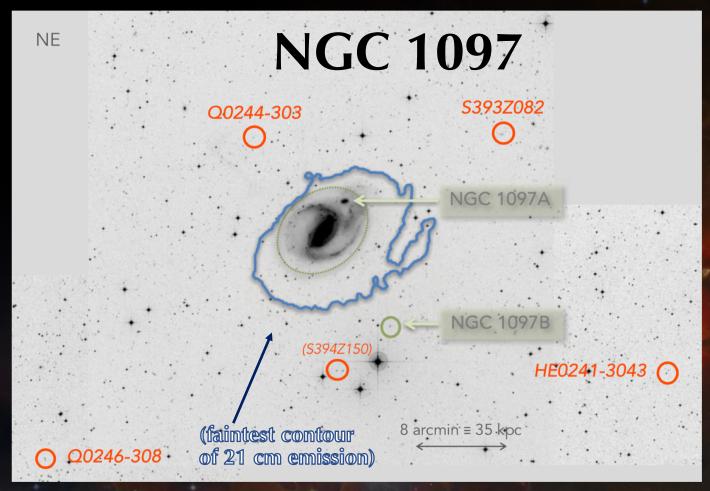
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- Monitoring of one or more SEP fields in the outskirts of the LMC (or, depending on the
  instantaneous FoV, a large contiguous portion of the LMC), to monitor variability of winds and
  outflows of massive stars in late stages of their evolution, and monitoring of young stellar objects
  and their outflows (HH-objects, T Tauri and similar stars) to monitor accretion rates and feedback
  to their surrounding ISM through winds, outflows, jets
  - this could be narrow-band monitoring (proper motion, shocks, bullets)
  - this could be FUV spectroscopic monitoring (variable line emission)

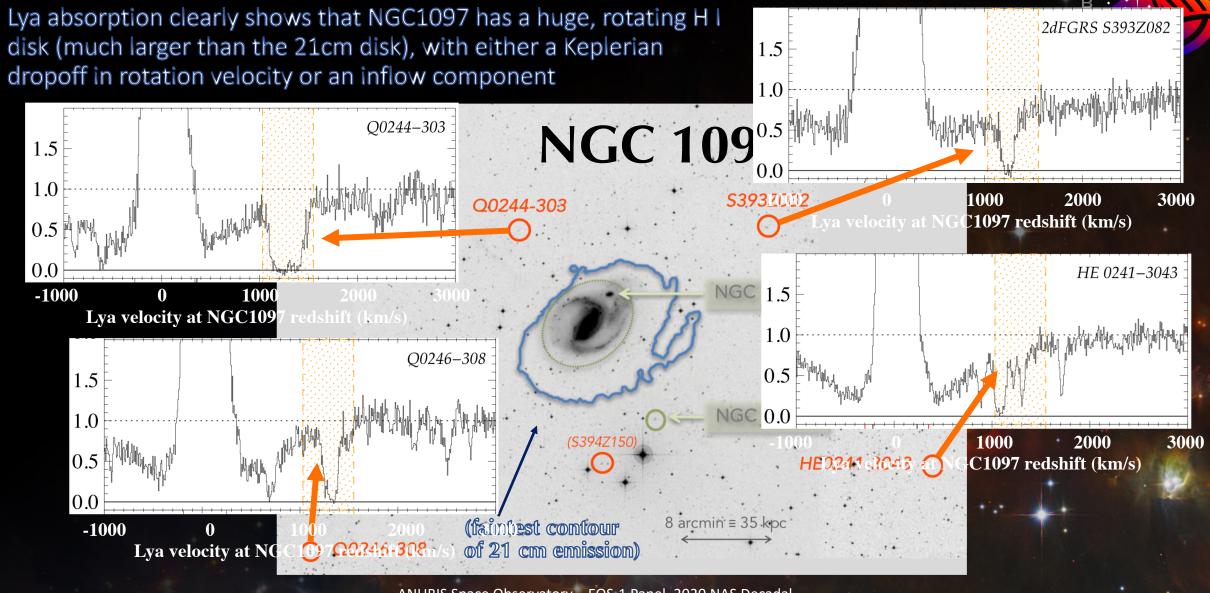
NB: the locations of obscured star formation are assumed to be known from prior WFIRST near-IR imaging (and perhaps grism spectroscopy), and extant Spitzer/IRAC and MIPS surveys (low resolution, but sensitive to heavily obscured SF), which would retire the risk of not having the full overview of star formation at various stages.

The Circumgalactic Medium: A New Frontier of Galaxy Evolution (Tripp)

ANUBIS discovery space: many QSOs can be found behind galaxies (e.g., Bowen et al. 2016, see below), but very few multiprobe studies have been done with HST



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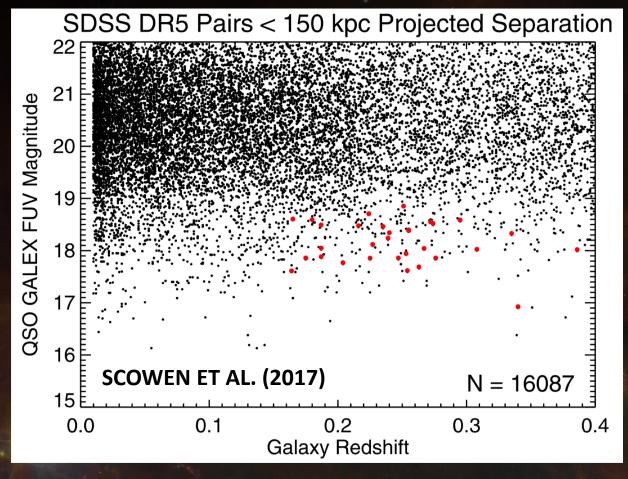






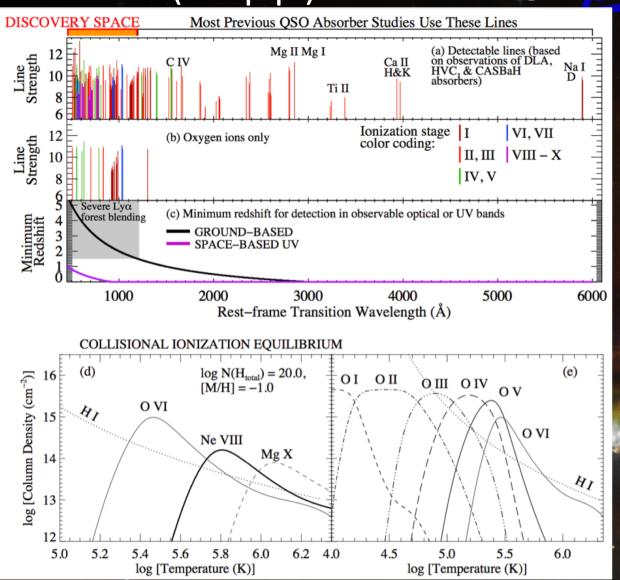
There are many known QSOs that are bright enough for this, but little has been done due to HST oversubscription. AS A DEDICATED MISSION, ANUBIS CAN DO THIS WITH STATISTICALLY USEFUL SAMPLES

- RIGHT: QSO-galaxy pairs with < 150 kpc projected separation (from SDSS DR5)
- RED DOTS: QSOs that have been observed with HST as of 2017



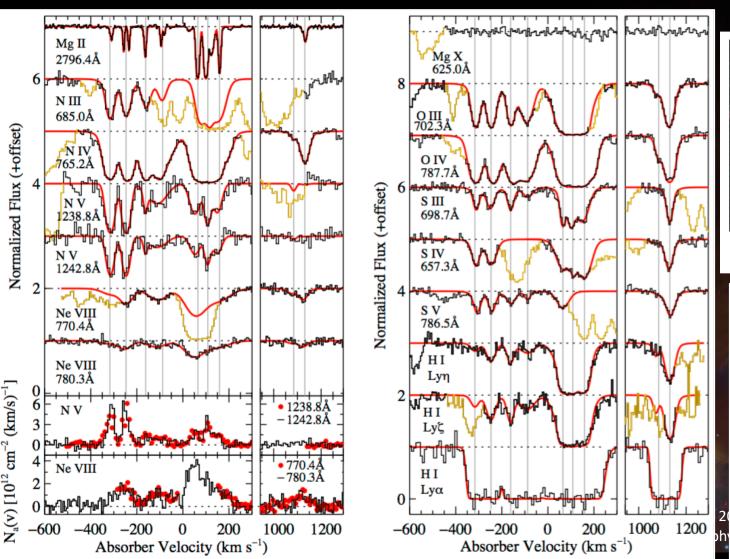
## The Circumgalactic Medium (Tripp)

ANUBIS discovery space: THE DEEP ULTRAVIOLET (see science white paper by Tripp)

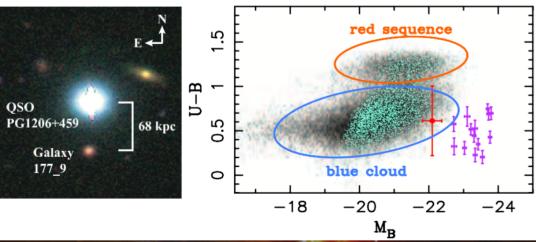


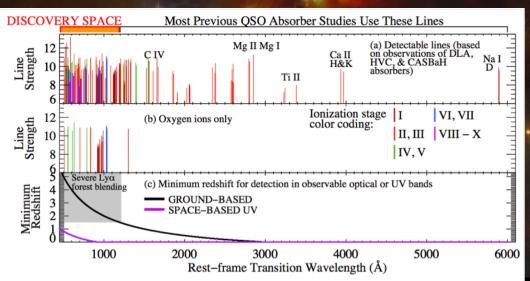
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#### Example: The Hidden Mass and Large Spatial Extent of a Poststarburst Galaxy Outflow (Tripp et al. 2011)

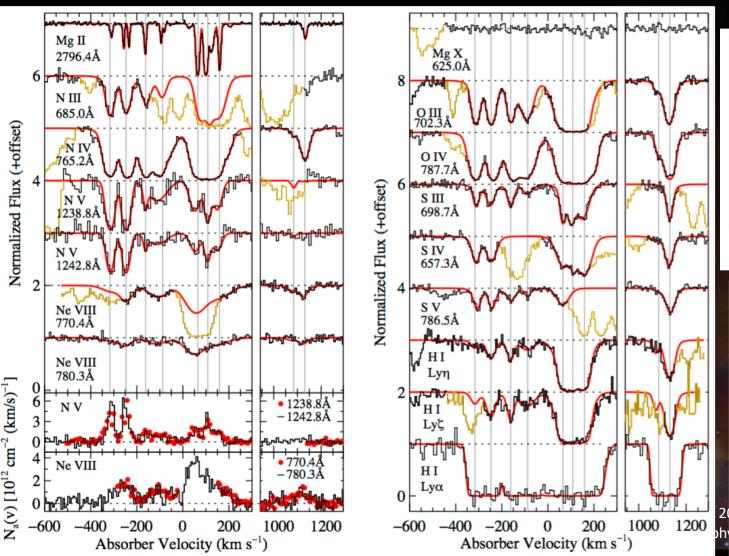


- Warm-hot plasma at 10<sup>5.5</sup> K contains 10,150 times more mass than the cold gas
- The wind extends to >68 kpc, and some portion of it will escape
- Feedback, caught in the act

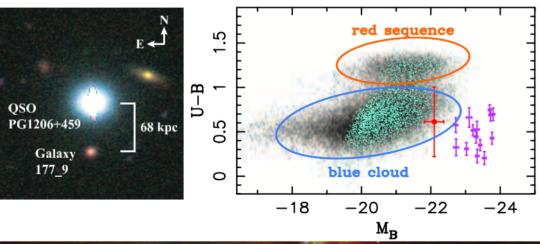


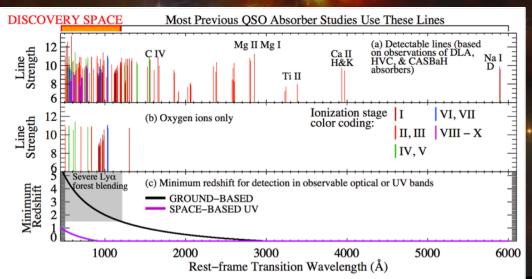


# WITH A DEDICATED SURVEY OF QSOS AT Z = 1 TO 2, ANUBIS CAN GREATLY EXPAND THE SAMPLES THAT PROBE THE DEEP ULTRAVIOLET



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# Solar System Science with ANUBIS (Hendrix)

- Jupiter system.
  - Mission-related investigations (e.g., post-Juno support, pre-JUICE observations of the Jupiter system) are enhanced and complemented using ANUBIS coverage.
  - Studies of numerous aspects of the system are enabled using the UV capabilities and long-duration coverage on varying timescales, including aurorae and airglow of Galilean satellites, Io and its plasma torus, Europa and its atmosphere, and the Jovian aurorae.
- · Comets.
  - Cometary-related questions can be addressed largely using UV spectroscopic observations of numerous cometary targets over large spatial and temporal scales.
    - which volatiles drive cometary activity as a function of heliocentric distance?
    - what is the parentage of the species that are typically observed from ground-based observatories?
  - Furthermore, understanding the inventory of cometary nuclei and studying their internal compositional heterogeneities are important in assessing their role in several solar system processes, including the delivery of volatiles to the early terrestrial planets and the impact hazard at Earth.
- Asteroids.
  - Asteroids, particularly near-Earth objects (NEOs), have been poorly studied thus far in the UV. As potential future targets for
    human visitation and for characterization for planetary protection purposes, NEOs should be characterized thoroughly by
    observing many targets over a wide wavelength range. The UV region is particularly sensitive in studying space weathering effects
    and carbon species; UV spectra can be merged with existing visible spectra. All of this relates to composition and physical
    structure, which in turn are related to mitigation strategies for the impact hazard at Earth.

# Solar System Science with ANUBIS (Hendrix)

- Giant planets.
  - For many aurorae and atmosphere investigations, UV imaging and spectroscopic capabilities are required.
  - A facility with significant time allocated to solar system targets is ideal for studying atmospheric dynamics, including photometric studies of changing planetary conditions of cloud cover related to vertical motions and studies of horizontal motions.
- Saturn system.
  - Wide-field abilities allow the investigation of Enceladus activity monitoring, system OH observations, and ring-magnetosphere-moon interactions in the post-Cassini era. Titan seasonal variations can be studied via cloud monitoring, haze layer imaging and UV stellar occultations.
- Uranus, Neptune.
  - Synoptic observations of ice giant atmospheres, particularly in the blue, are enabled with ANUBIS.
- Mars, Venus.
  - UV imaging and spectroscopic capabilities on ANUBIS can be used to study airglow (e.g. faint neutral atomic oxygen, hydrogen in upper atmospheres) and aurora for paleoclimate studies and mission support.
- Serendipitous opportunities (e.g., Shoemaker-Levy 9; outbursts on main belt comets) can be accommodated.



## UV Time-domain Spectroscopy (Sahai)

Understanding Accretion Flows -- a central problem in astrophysics.

Accretion flows play major roles in stars and galaxies, and are important for understanding fundmental problems such as

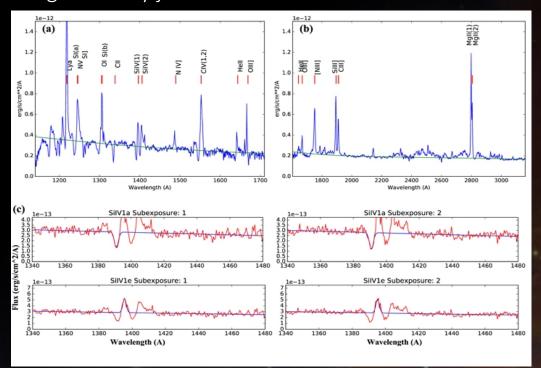
- How young stars grow?
- How old stars die as a result of close binary interactions?
- How are massive black holes in the centers of galaxies, fed?

The plasma in accretion streams and flares is typically very hot (10,000 K to 100,000 K) -- emits UV radiation that can only be observed from space-based platforms.

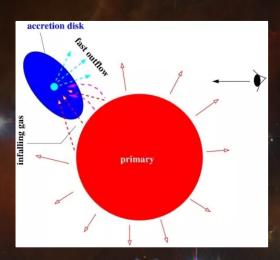
### Accretion Phenomena in Stars (Sahai)



Accretion flows are inherently time-variable, undergoing regular or erratic outbursts, interspersed by quiet periods. Time-resolved UV spectroscopy can mapping the accretion source, by tying temporal changes to the central source via radial variations in infall/outflow speed, and addressing details of the accretion process such as how quickly gas spirals inwards, as well as the locations where the plasma stream pauses, allowing material pile-up and release, producing outbursts, flickering, and/or high-velocity jets.



(top) UV spectra of the dying star Y Gem, due to accretion onto a companion; (bottom) fitted absorption and emission components probing infall and outflow kinematics (Sahai+2018)



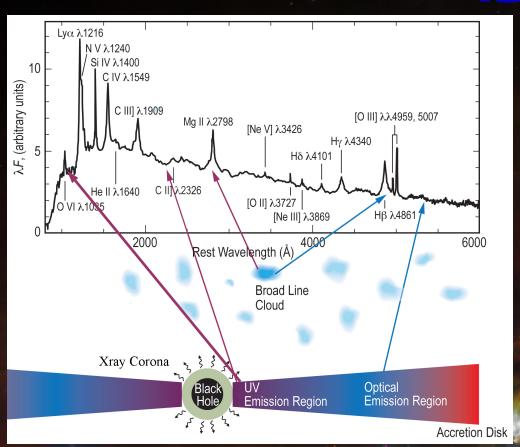
Schematics model of Y Gem, its companion, accretion and outflow (Sahai+2018)

#### Accretion Phenomena in Active Galactic Nuclei (Sahai)

UV variability is a sensitive probe of the surroundings of supermassive black holes (SMBH) at the centers of AGN.

Reverberation Mapping: Monitoring the relative variability between the continuum and emission lines, we can

- extract the mass of the supermassive black hole -- UV continuum emerges closest to the SMBH and the highest ionization BLR clouds are also closest to the SMBH, hence least contamination from other sources, thus giving the best black hole mass values.
- The far-UV is the best probe of the structure of the accretion disk closest to the SMBH.

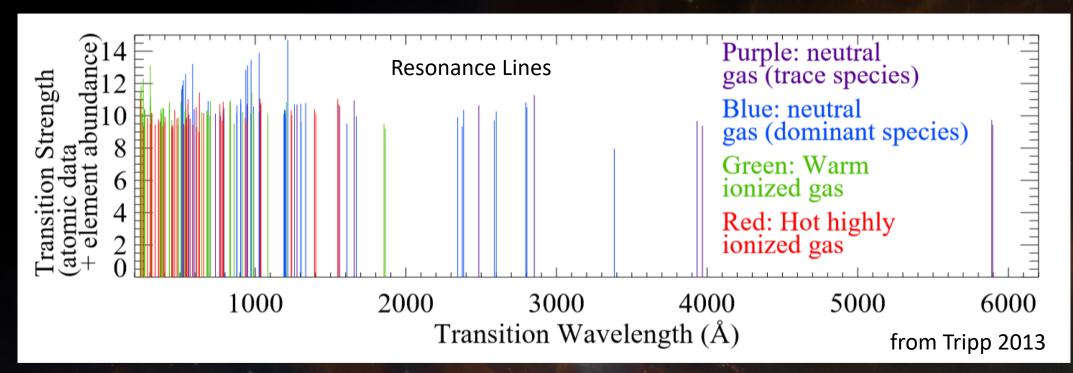


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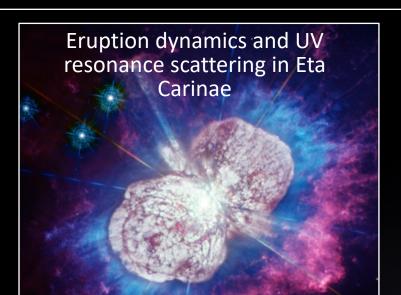




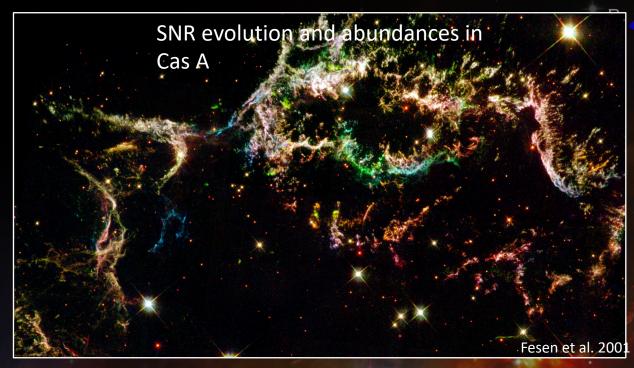
- Wide range of diagnostics for probing physical conditions:
  - Near-UV (NUV) from 2000 3200Å, Far-UV (FUV) from ~900 2000Å
  - Detector and coating technologies usually differ in NUV vs FUV
  - Extreme-UV (EUV) features from 100-900Å accessible in high-redshift galaxies

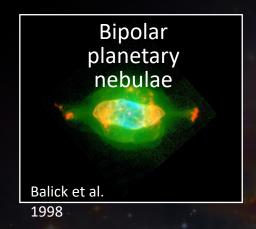


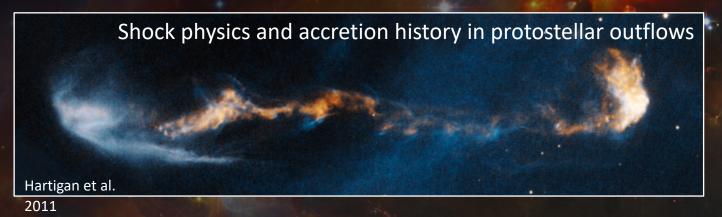
#### Continuing the HST Legacy of Time Domain observations of hydrodynamic flows in the coming decades



Smith & Morse 2019







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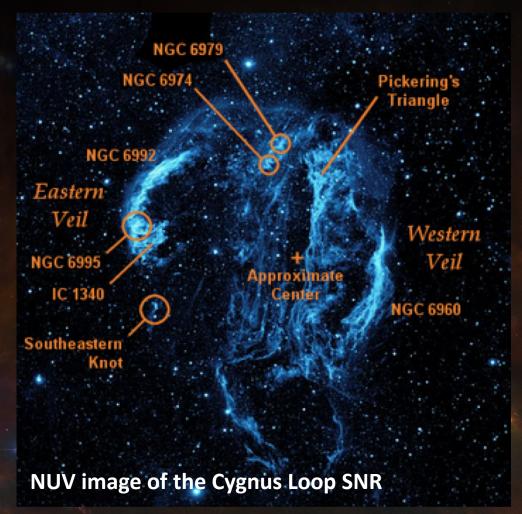




When the HST mission ends, astronomers will be blind in the UV

UV spectroscopy has the unique abilities to

- Observe plasma in the 10<sup>5</sup> to 10<sup>6</sup> K range
- Observe the resonance lines of H<sub>2</sub>
- Low density gas through absorption lines
- Lines of many ions of individual elements
- Abundances of elements such as C and Si
- Size distribution and composition of Dust
- Provide density diagnostics for 10<sup>6</sup> to 10<sup>12</sup> cm<sup>-3</sup>



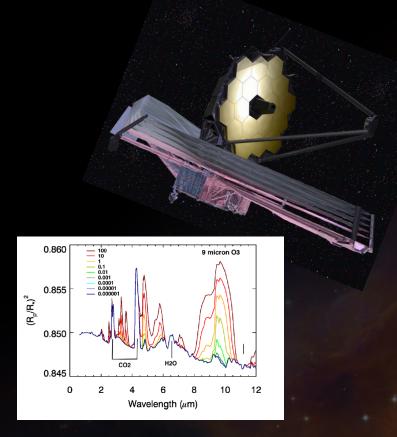




- ISM: composition, velocity structure, ionization state
- Supernova remnants, HH Objects, H II regions, Planetary Nebulae
- Galaxies: star forming regions, Haloes, Winds
- AGN: activity, reverberation, TDEs
- Exoplanets: Lyα from exospheres
- Hot Stars: Winds, compositions
- Cool Stars: Flares, CMEs, Coronae
- Active Binaries: Accreting Black Holes, Neutron Stars, WDs
- Young Stars: Jets, Fluorescence, Winds

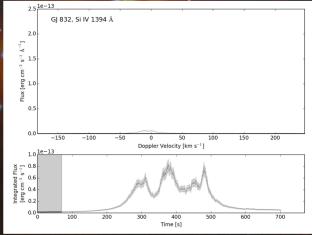
FUV Spectroscopy of Planet Hosting Stars:

Stellar Monitoring (France)



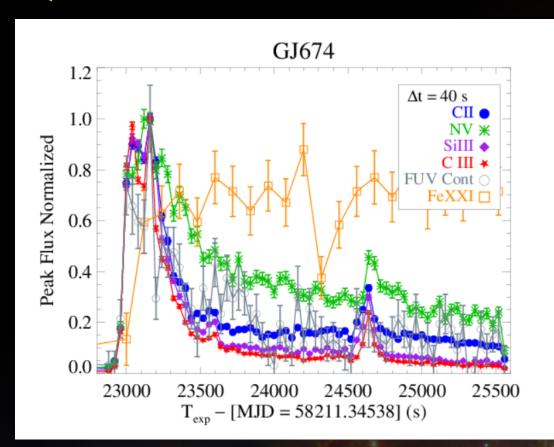
**JWST Planetary Observations** 



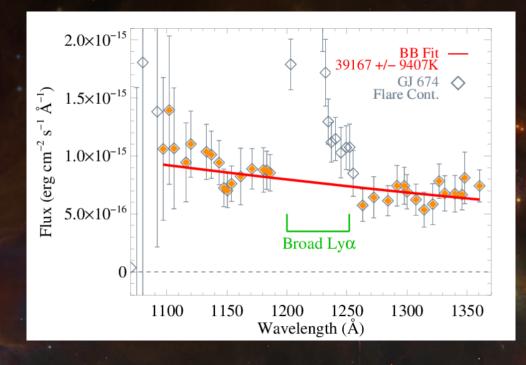


# FUV observations of exoplanet host stars: Mass- Mass- Ioss and Atmospheric Chemistry (France)

Quiescent and Flare Radiation Environments



High-temperature FUV continuum during flares  $(T_{BB} > 30,000 \text{ K})$ 

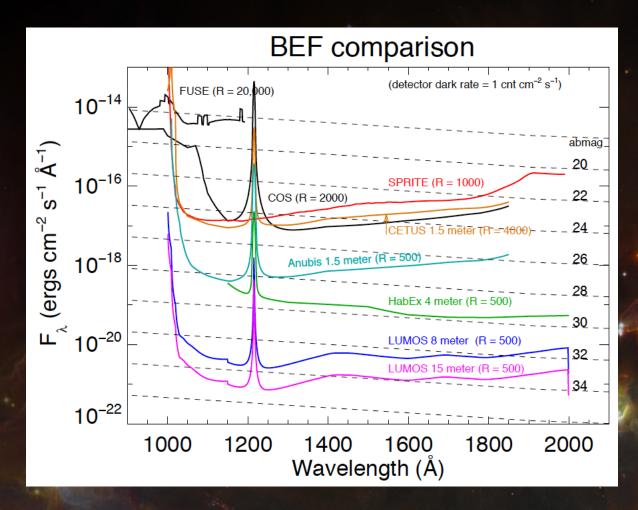


Froning, Kowalski, France, et al. (2019-ApJL)

#### Ly-Continuum Galaxy Escape Fraction (McCandliss)



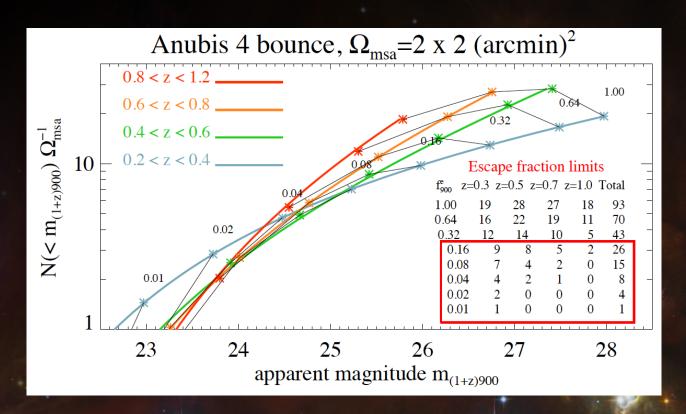
- Measurement of the degree of H-ionizing photons that escape from galaxies has to be done locally due to Ly-a forest absorption from high-z
- Across a 2'x2' field (MOS) in a single 10 hour pointing you can establish limits on the escape fraction to 16% for 26 objects, 9 of which are at a redshift of around 0.3, 8 of which are at a redshift of 0.5, 5 of which are at a redshift of 0.7 and 2 of which are out to z=1.
- At a limiting escape fraction of 4% you get 4, 2 and 1 at redshifts of 0.3, 0.5 and 0.7 respectively in a single pointing of 10 hours.
- We can compare this to Anne Jaskot's HST-COS LyC program which uses 136 orbits to find limits of 5% at a S/N > 5 on 67 objects at z ~ 0.3.
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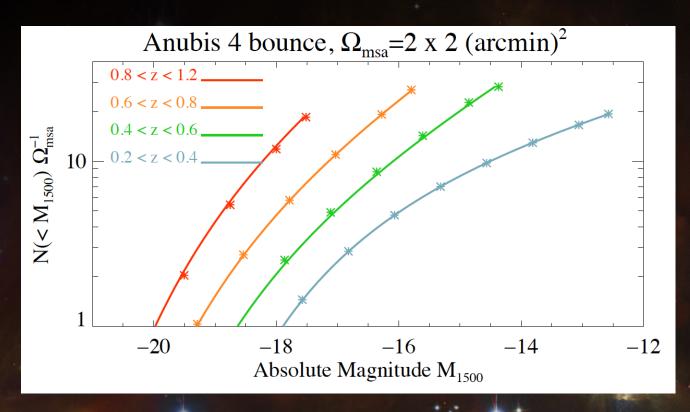
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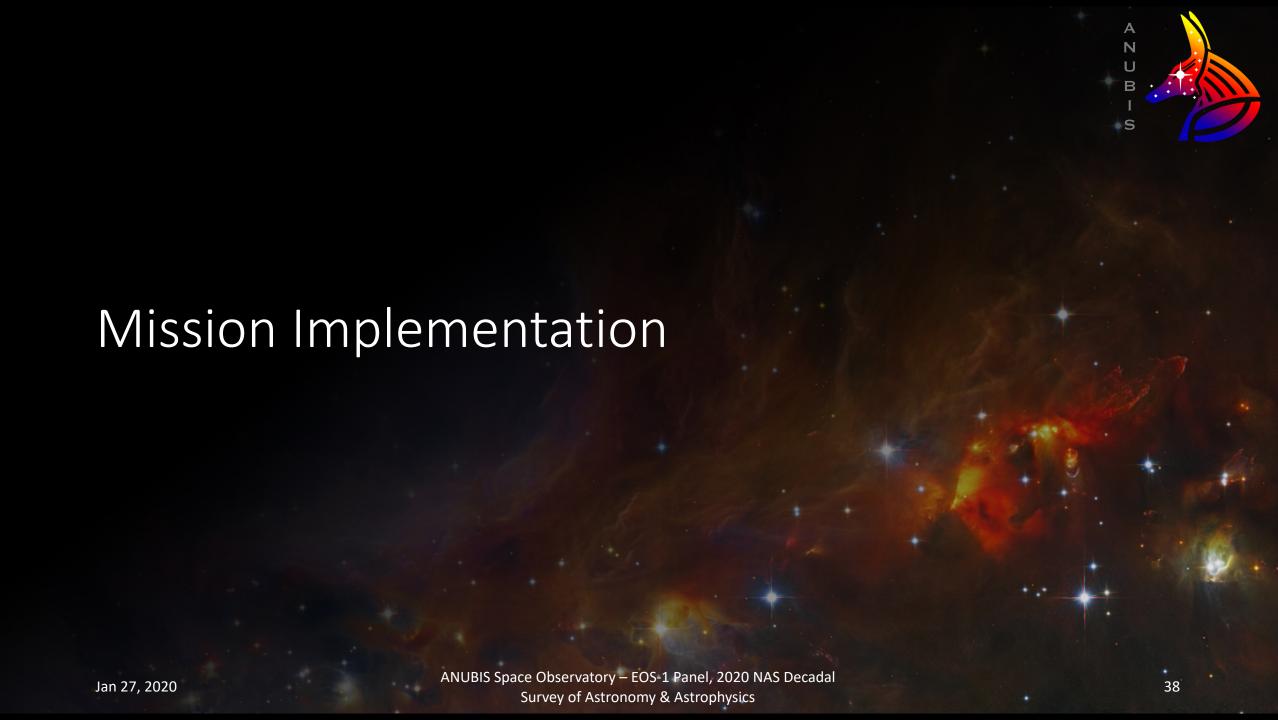


### Ly-Continuum Galaxy Escape Fraction (McCandliss)



- Measurement of the degree of H-ionizing photons that escape from galaxies has to be done locally due to Ly-a forest absorption from high-z
- Across a 2'x2' field (MOS) in a single 10 hour pointing you can establish limits on the escape fraction to 16% for 26 objects, 9 of which are at a redshift of around 0.3, 8 of which are at a redshift of 0.5, 5 of which are at a redshift of 0.7 and 2 of which are out to z=1.
- At a limiting escape fraction of 4% you get 4, 2 and 1 at redshifts of 0.3, 0.5 and 0.7 respectively in a single pointing of 10 hours.
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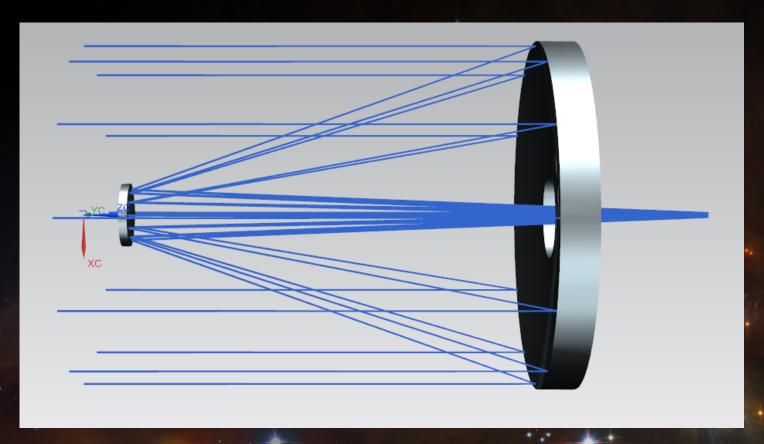








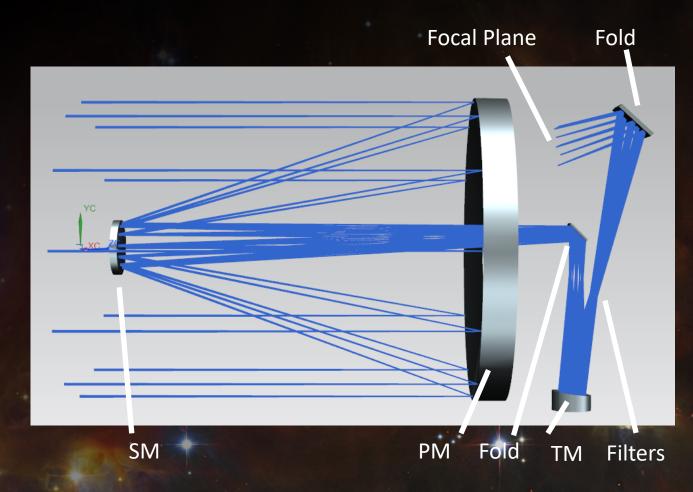
- TMA Design
- 1.5m primary, 28cm secondary
- 1.7m<sup>2</sup> clear aperture
- Zerodur material
- Diffraction limited at 500nm
- PSF ~ 80 mas
- 40 mas 10 micron pixels
- 12' field of view
- eLiF coatings to provide reflectivity 100-1100nm







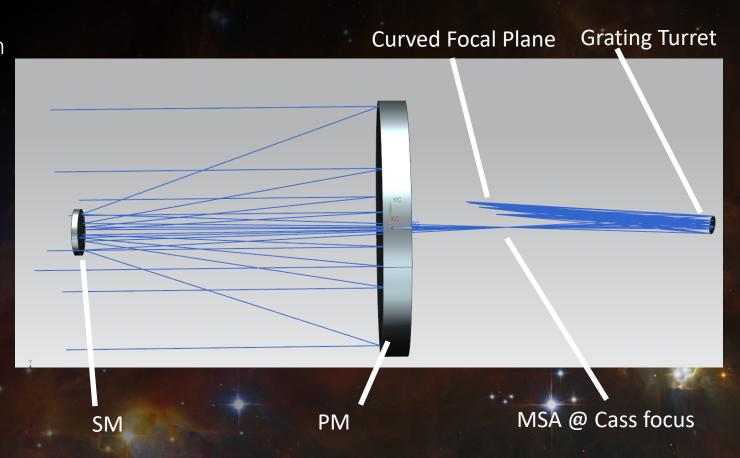
- Baseline use of e2v 290-99 CCD, 9216x9232 pixels @ 10 microns
- Delta-doped to enhance blue response while retaining red
- Focal plane uses 2x2 butted CCDs
- 12.2'x12.3' field of view
- Baseline suite of 20 filters 10 narrowband, 20 broadband
- Covers 200-1100nm
- ullet Provides nearly an order of magnitude increase in A $\Omega$  compared to HST-ACS



### ANUBIS UV Spectrograph



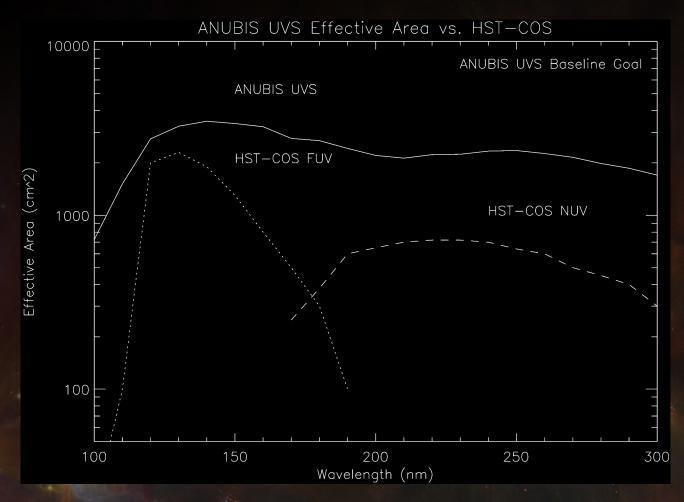
- Rowland FUV design delivering R=23,000 resolution across 100-320nm
- Baselining use of curved bi-alkali MCPs across a 200mm focal plane assuming 20 micron pores
- 3-bounce design delivers excellent throughput
- Supports R=500, 3000 and 23k resolutions using a grating turret (5x23k gratings to cover 100-320nm)
- Provides a 2'x2' field at the Cass focus allowing MOS using an MSA – providing 8"x4" independent slits across the field







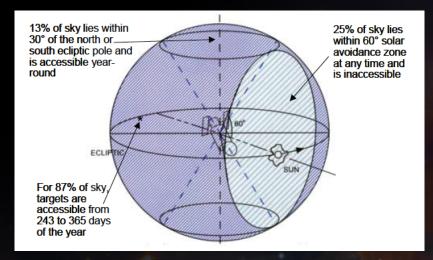
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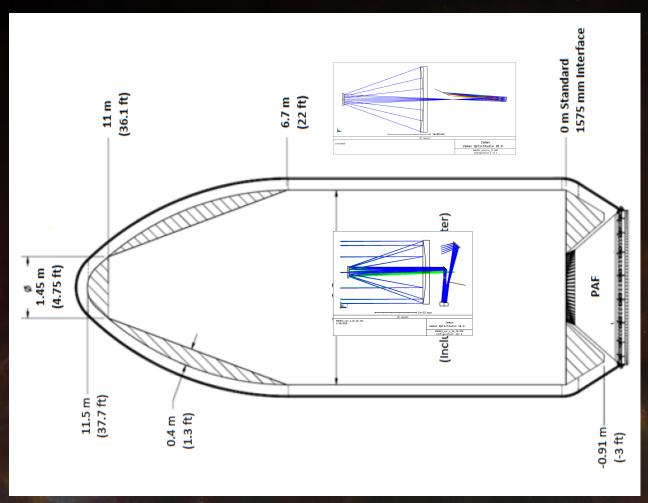


### **ANUBIS Mission Parameters**



- 4 year mission baseline
- To maximize survey and observing efficiency, orbit at either Earth-Sun L2 or Earth-Sun trailaway
- Observatory will likely be less than 3000 Kg in mass allowing the use of Falcon heavy to achieve L2 orbit – the observatory comfortably fits into the fairing



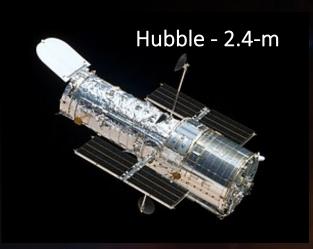




# 1.5-meter UVOIR Space Telescopes are TRL9 (Stahl)

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- 1.5-m UVOIR space telescopes for general astrophysics are TRL9.
- No technology development needed. They are just engineering









## 1.5-meter UVOIR Space Telescope: Cost Estimate (Stahl)

Cost can be estimated for the ANUBIS telescope (D = 1.5m,  $\lambda$  = 0.5  $\mu$ m, T = 280K, YOD = 2022) using Stahl, "Multivariable Parametric Cost Model for Ground and Space Telescope Assemblies", Decadal White Paper, 2019.

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OTA$ (FY17) = $20M x 30 x D x λ x T x e

where:

(S/G) = 1 for Space OTAs
= 0 for Ground OTAs

D = Effective Telescope Aperture Diameter
λ = Wavelength of Diffraction Limited Performance
T = Operating Temperature
YOD = Year of Development, i.e. start of Phase C/D or Issue of Contracts.
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Cost is 50% likely to be less than  $\sim$  \$ 73M Cost is 85% likely to be less than  $\sim$  \$ 110M

# 2D-doped Silicon Arrays for High QE, Low Noise, and Stable Response (Nikzad) 2D-doping and precision coatings



Agnostic to architecture and applicable to virtually *all* silicon arrays

EMCCDs, CCDs, Quanta Image Sensor CMOS

SPADs

sCMOS

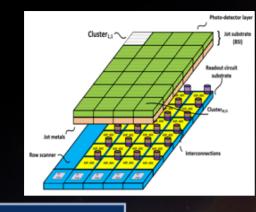
Skipper CCD

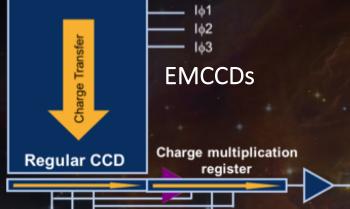
**APDs** 

Hybrid Arrays

P-channel and n-channel

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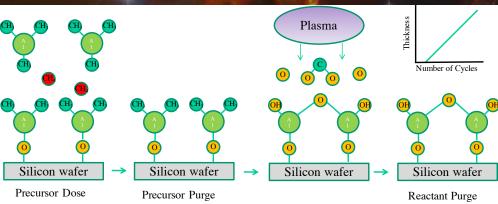




2D doping (delta doping and superlattice doping

MBE and ALD used for surface and interface engineering to optimize performance

Atomic Layer Deposition: antireflection coating & metal dielectric filters

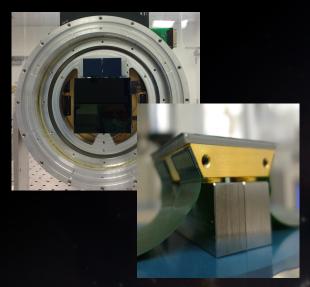


### **Broadband Detectors**

P-channel and n-channel Full Depletion CCDs

Demonstrated in 12 megapixel, 10 µm pixel with high QE (200-1000 nm).

TRL 6



#### **CMOS Arrays**

2-D doping on multiple CMOS designs and formats

Scientific CMOS arrays with < 5 e- read noise and high QE (200 – 1000 nm)

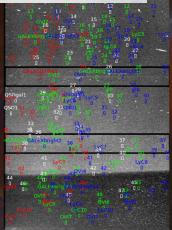
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### **Photon Counting Detectors**

Delta doped and Custom Coated Electron Multiplying CCDs (EMCCDs) FIREBall-2, SHIELDS, Palomar-CWI







Delta doped and Custom Coated Quanta Image Sensor (CMOS) Arrays





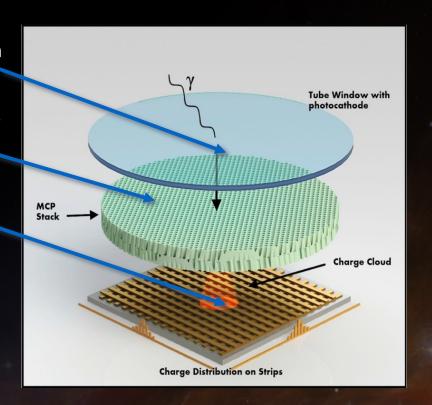
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### FUV Microchannel Plate Detectors with Cross Strip Readout (Siegmund)

Photocathode converts photon to electron

MCP(s) amplify electron by 10<sup>4</sup> to 10<sup>7</sup>

Cross strip anode event charge centroid



An XS readout MCP sealed tube imaging sensor scheme. A photocathode is deposited on a window facing a pair of MCPs. Emitted photoelectrons are detected by the MCPs multiplied and collected by several strips in each axis of the anode to enable event centroid positions to be calculated.

Microchannel Plates.

Atomic Layer Deposited (ALD) MCPs Large area formats up to 20cm. 10 &  $20\mu m$  pores. Very low background rates (<0.05 events/cm²/sec) and low gamma event sensitivity (÷3). Extended lifetimes (>4 ×  $10^{13}$  events/cm²). Economical and robust.

Cross strip anodes.

Open face formats of 50mm, 100mm with ≤20µm FWHM spatial resolution.
Event rates >5 MHz
Low gain (~106) operation.
Sealed tube anodes for 50mm (100mm soon)

Photocathodes.

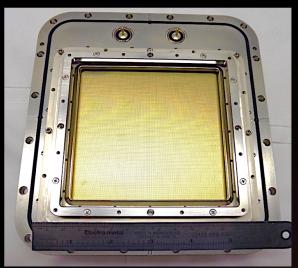
60% CsI @115nm, up to 20cm format.

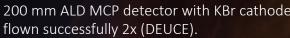
Bialkali ≥30% below 200nm. 360nm cutoff demonstrated, 20cm format.

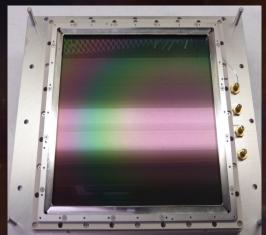
GaN in development, get 60% @120nm, ~50% @200nm, 40% @250nm, cutoff at 370nm.

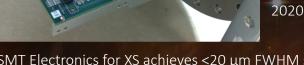
### Cross Strip (XS) Detector Evolution (Siegmund)

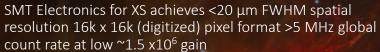
100 mm XS detector demonstrated with ALD MCPs, <20μm spatial resolution, >5 MHz rates, background ~0.05 events cm<sup>-2</sup> sec<sup>-1</sup>. Vibration, thermal, radiation, vacuum environmental tests passed.





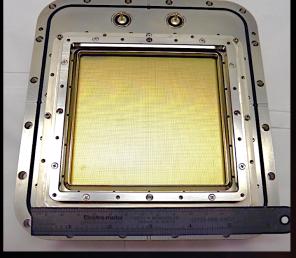




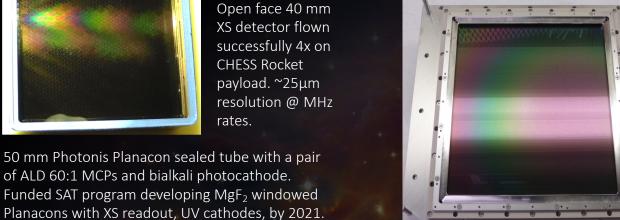




1<sup>st</sup> generation ASIC electronics for XS anodes is currently under test, providing power and space savings.



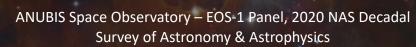






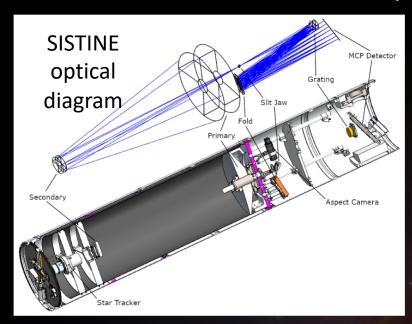
"Open" 100 mm XS detector selected for sub orbital flight(s) in ~2022.

Also selected for 100mm sealed tube XS implementation 2020-2023.



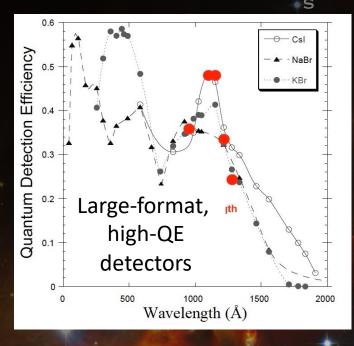
UV Coatings and Large-format Detectors for FUTURE UV/optical

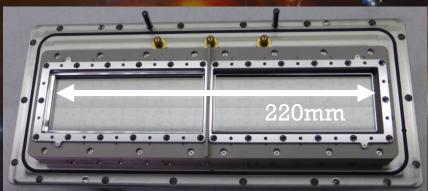
Missions: SISTINE Rocket Payload (France)



SISTINE Pathfinder Spectrograph:

--large (220mm x 40mm) photon counting detector, 1 MHz global rate limit (~50x HST-COS)





## UV Coatings and Large-format Detectors for FUTURE UV/optical Missions: SISTINE Rocket Payload (France)

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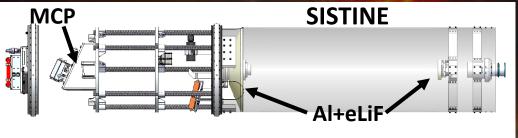
### SISTINE Pathfinder Spectrograph:

--Al+eLiF coatings on shaped mirrors, up to 0.5m

--first time these coatings, baselined for LUVOIR, have been deposited on large (> 2") and shaped optics











## Single Photon Sensing Detectors (Figer)

- A project funded by NASA's Strategic Astrophysics Technology program (COR).
- The goals of the project are to:
  - characterize an existing low-noise CMOS detector in the lab, at a telescope, and after high energy irradiation simulating a space environment
  - propose design modifications to bring the performance of the technology closer to specifications for the intended applications
- The work is significant because it would enable quantum-limited imaging in gigapixel formats for very low cost.
- The primary innovation is the pixel design that demonstrates single-photonsensing and photon-number-resolving performance.
- With the success of this program, it will be possible to design and deploy gigapixel ultra-low-noise detectors for UV/Vis missions.
- Potential applications include any that require low-light level performance (astro, planetary, Earth, helio, quantum, etc.).



### Single Photon Sensing Detectors (Figer)

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  - A significant fraction of the acquisition and reduction software is complete.

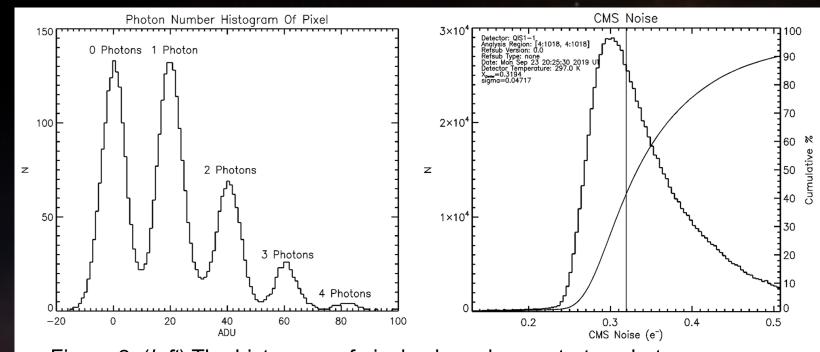
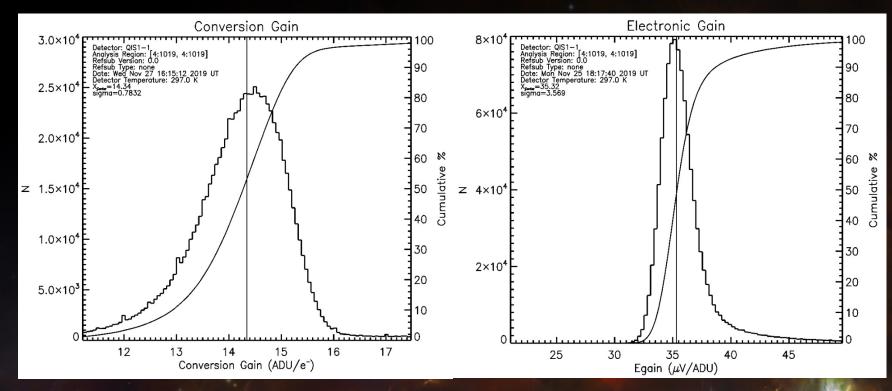


Figure 2. (*left*) The histogram of pixel values demonstrates photon number resolution and is used to calculate analog-to-digital conversion gain. (*right*) The mean CMS read noise is ~0.32 e<sup>-</sup>.





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(left) A histogram of (ADU/e<sup>-</sup>) gain of the detector array. The mean gain is ~14.3 ADU/e<sup>-</sup>. (right) A histogram of electronic gain ( $\mu$ V/ADU) electronic gain. The mean gain is ~35.3  $\mu$ V/ADU. The mean output sensitivity is 500  $\mu$ V/e<sup>-</sup>.

### UV Coatings Developed for GOLD (Larruquert)



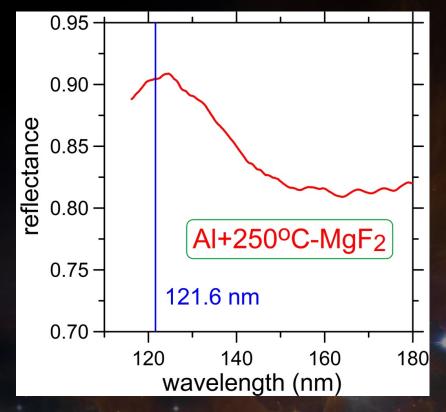
High performance FUV coatings.

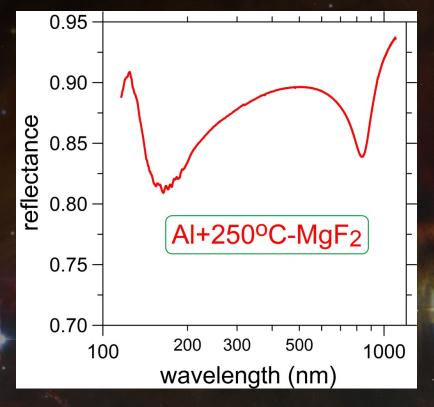
Deposition by evaporation+ion-beam-sputtering

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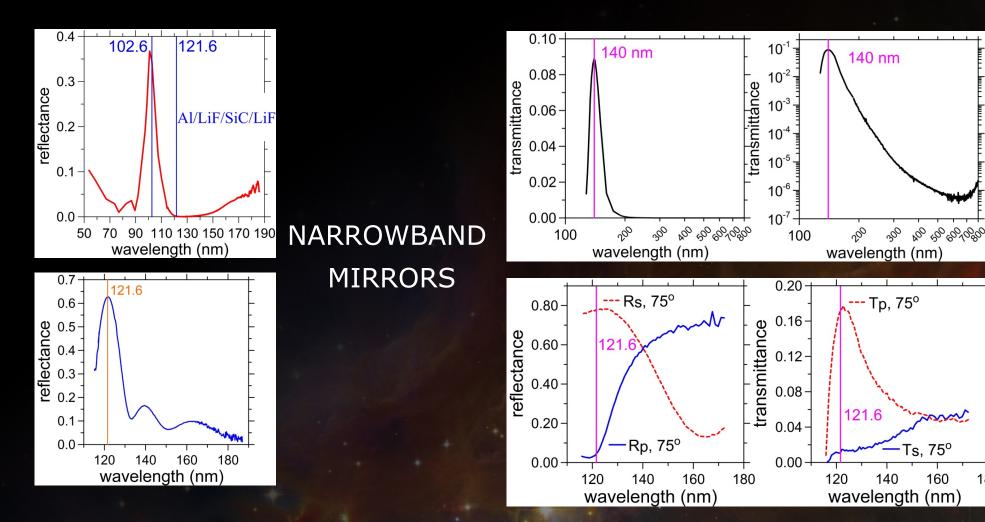
Al+MgF<sub>2</sub> deposited by evaporation MgF<sub>2</sub> deposited on hot Al







## UV Coatings Developed for GOLD (Larruquert)



Filters

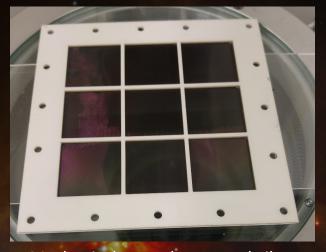
**Polarizers** 

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## Scalable Microshutter Systems for UV, Visible, and Infrared Spectroscopy (Greenhouse)



- Next generation Micro-Shutters (NGMSA): https://asd.gsfc.nasa.gov/ngmsa/
- Funding: SAT award, 3 year duration. Year 2 started in Sep 2019. We expect that there will have to be subsequent SAT support after year 3 (Sep 2021) to carry the development to a point at which funding can be handed-off to a selected strategic mission.
- We expect the probe-class customers to lag by ~2 years due to the AO process that is being considered for the Probe program. This would enable any probes to benefit from the NRE investment made by the strategic mission (e.g., if the instrument uses the same NGMSA product as HabEx then the cost to a probe project would be a minimum)
- The SAT project goal is to take the large format array (840 x 420) from TRL-3 to -5. The major accomplishment of year 1 was to get this format array design through vibration and acoustic testing for spaceflight. This was successful, and the current TRL is now 4.
- Much of our development work has been done on a small format (128 x 64) pilot arrays. This format progressed from TRL-4 to -9 during year 1 with the successful flight of FORTIS.

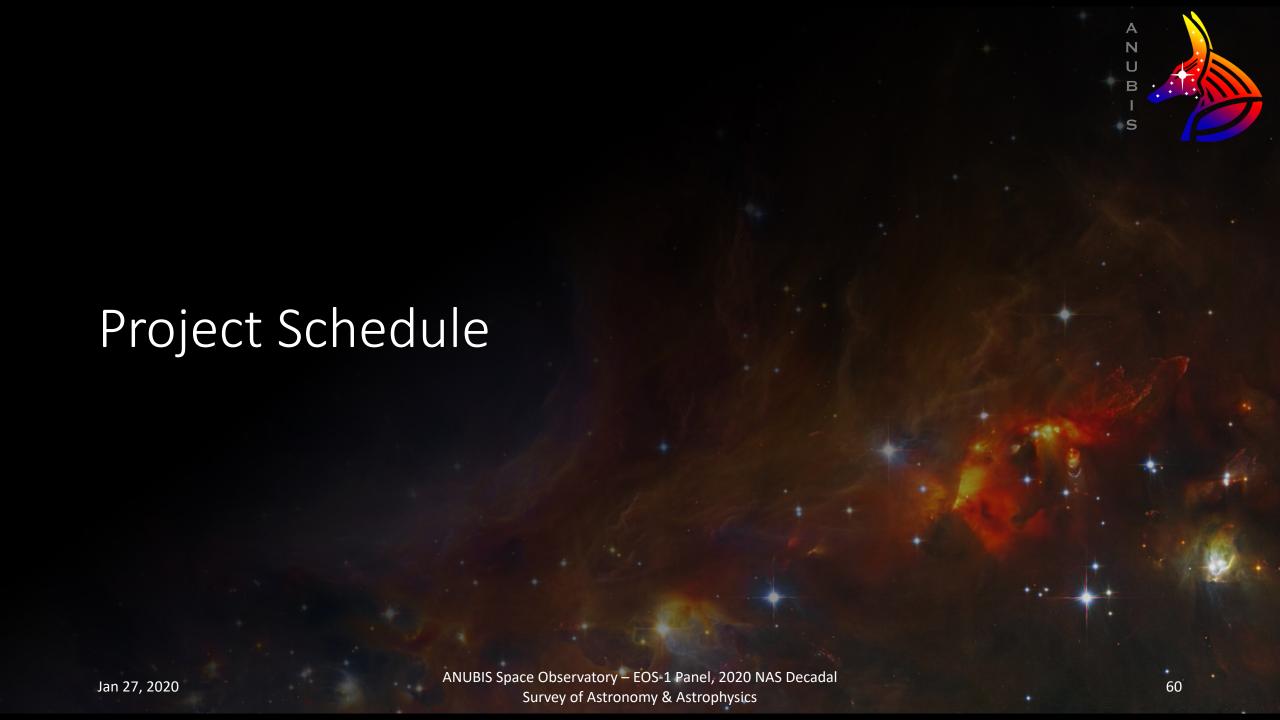


Mechanical array that passed vibe and acoustic tests



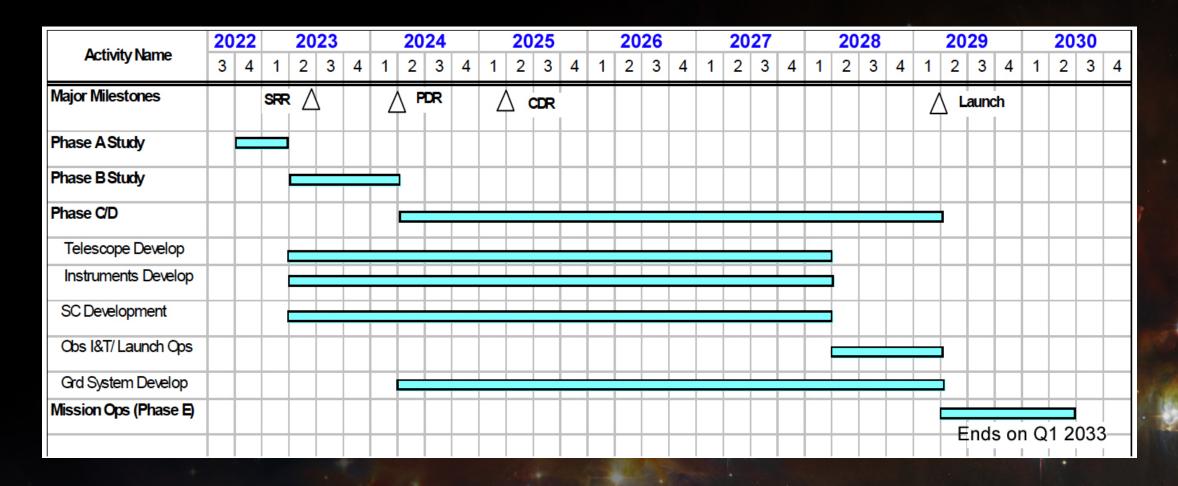
### Contamination

- Any FUV mission must factor in additional care in handling and cleanroom ratings for AIT
- Contamination cannot be prevented, but it can be budgeted over the lifetime of the mission from assembly through EOL
- Use of industry standards for handling combined with witness sample monitoring and periodic bake-out and cleaning rinses, together with choice of UV-friendly materials with ultra-low outgassing can mitigate the rate of contamination
- On-orbit heat biasing of critical surfaces can prevent build-up and combind with occasional bake-outs can provide for many years of operation without penalty (as shown by FUSE)





### Tentative Mission Schedule





### ANUBIS Delivers NASA Strategic Goals



- High-resolution, widefield UVO imaging surveys combined with time domain coverage will provide a vital complement to NASA's Wide Field Infrared Survey Telescope (WFIRST).
- ANUBIS Cosmic Origins science goals align with the 2014 NASA Strategic Plan, Objective 1.6, to "Discover how the universe works, explore how it began and evolved, and search for life on planets around other stars." Its capabilities will address all three of the 2014 NASA Science Plan Astrophysics science goals to
  - (1) "Probe the origin and destiny of our universe, including the nature of black holes, dark energy, dark matter
    and gravity";
  - (2) "Explore the origin and evolution of the galaxies, stars and planets that make up our universe"; and
  - (3) "Discover and study planets around other stars, and explore whether they could harbor life", with an emphasis on goals (2) and (3).
  - There is also alignment with the Planetary Science goals, especially "Advance the understanding of how the chemical and physical processes in our solar system operate, interact and evolve."
- ANUBIS combines a true discovery survey camera with nearly an order of magnitude better AΩ than the Hubble Space Telescope (HST), and larger collecting area and higher resolution (spatial, spectral) than GALEX. The concept leverages modern advances in UVO mirror, coating and detector technologies to maximize its scientific impact within the specified Probe-class price point range, and by providing unique capabilities not offered by any other contemporaneous facility.





- The overall comparison between our initial estimates and the cost validation we did with partners JPL offer reasonable agreement.
- We originally omitted some costs that should have been carried such as Science (!) and Mission Ground Ops.
- However, we believe that if ANUBIS were to be proposed, we could and would work to trim the Payload and the Flight System.
- At this level of fidelity, we believe we can demonstrate that the science and capabilities we need can be delivered within a Probe-class budget.

The cost information contained in this document is of a budgetary and planning nature and is intended for informational purposes only. It does not constitute a commitment on the part of JPL and/or Caltech.

WBS Element	ANUBIS Cost Estimate	Kepler-like Bus (FY20 \$M)
Phase A	Included below	7
01 Project Management	90	42
02 Project System Engineering / 12 Mission Design	Included above	31
03 Safety & Mission Assurance	Included above	25
04 Science		47
05 Payload System	390	398
06 Flight System / 10 Project SIT	120	193
07 Mission Operations System	-	47
09 Ground Data System	-	Included above
Subtotal Phase A-D Cost	600	791
Reserves (Phase A-D)	180	237
Total Phase A-D Cost	780	1,028
Phase E/F Cost (w/o Reserves)	120	146
Reserves (Phase E/F)	-	22
Total Phase E/F (including Reserves)	120	168
Ground Tracking	-	
Launch Vehicle	75	75
Total Phase A-F Cost	975	1,271



### Defraying costs on a UVO Probe-class mission

- Meaningful contributions to Probe-class missions such as funding for instrumentation, operations, and data analysis – could be made through public-private partnerships at demonstrated levels of philanthropic support for astronomical facilities
  - Recommend that Astro2020 and NASA express the desire for contributions to space missions by private foundations (e.g., Moore, Keck, Simons, Breakthrough, etc.) and even commercial entities, and then facilitate contributions rather than leaving it up to which PI's have the "right" connections
- International partnerships
  - Many foreign space agencies would like to participate in a "Hubble 2" mission





- Cost-Sharing on a 1.5-m class UVO observatory mission may be possible with the Planetary Sciences Division (PSD) since there are currently 2 or 3 solar system observatory concepts being planned for the planetary decadal survey.
- However there is no track record of doing space telescopes through Discovery or New Frontiers in the past decade.
- Such a collaboration would likely involve allowing planetary scientists to contribute to setting the instrument requirements. It might also require dedicating 30-50% of the observing time to solar system object monitoring & surveys.
- Together with potential international partnerships, this would be a way to keep APD costs down.





- If the Decadal Survey opts to recommend a Probe Mission AO as a competition, and that it be held in the next year or so, the likelihood of success in such a competition would likely be heavily skewed towards those concepts that have received significant funding (way more than \$100K) either from APD (e.g., EXO-C, EXO-S) or through Congressional programmatic earmarks (especially Starshade).
- If the Decadal thinks that competition is the preferred method to pursue, we believe that they need to recommend that NASA level the playing field.
- For example, as a possible model, PSD has included New Frontiers tech development competitions (called <u>Homesteader</u>) prior to the formal AO, where PSD has awarded several >\$1-2M grants for a small set of teams to develop technologies needed by the missions on the Decadal's New Frontiers mission list.