

DESTINY+

Demonstration and
Experiment of

Space

Technology for
INterplanetary
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with

Phaethon
fLyby and
dUst Science

- ★ Technology demonstration & science observation.
- ★ Engineering mission is led by ISAS_JAXA.
- ★ Science mission is led by Chiba Inst. of Technology.
- ★ International collaboration with DLR for Dust Analyzer.

2015: Proposal submitted
2016: MDR, ΔMDR
2017: Selected !
2018-19: Phase-A study, ΔMDR
2020: SRR, RFP, SDR
2021: JAXA project approved
2022: PDR
2023: CDR
2024: Launch
2028: Phaethon flyby

Engineering Goals

- Expand the range of applications for electric propulsion
- Acquire advanced flyby exploration technologies

Science Goals

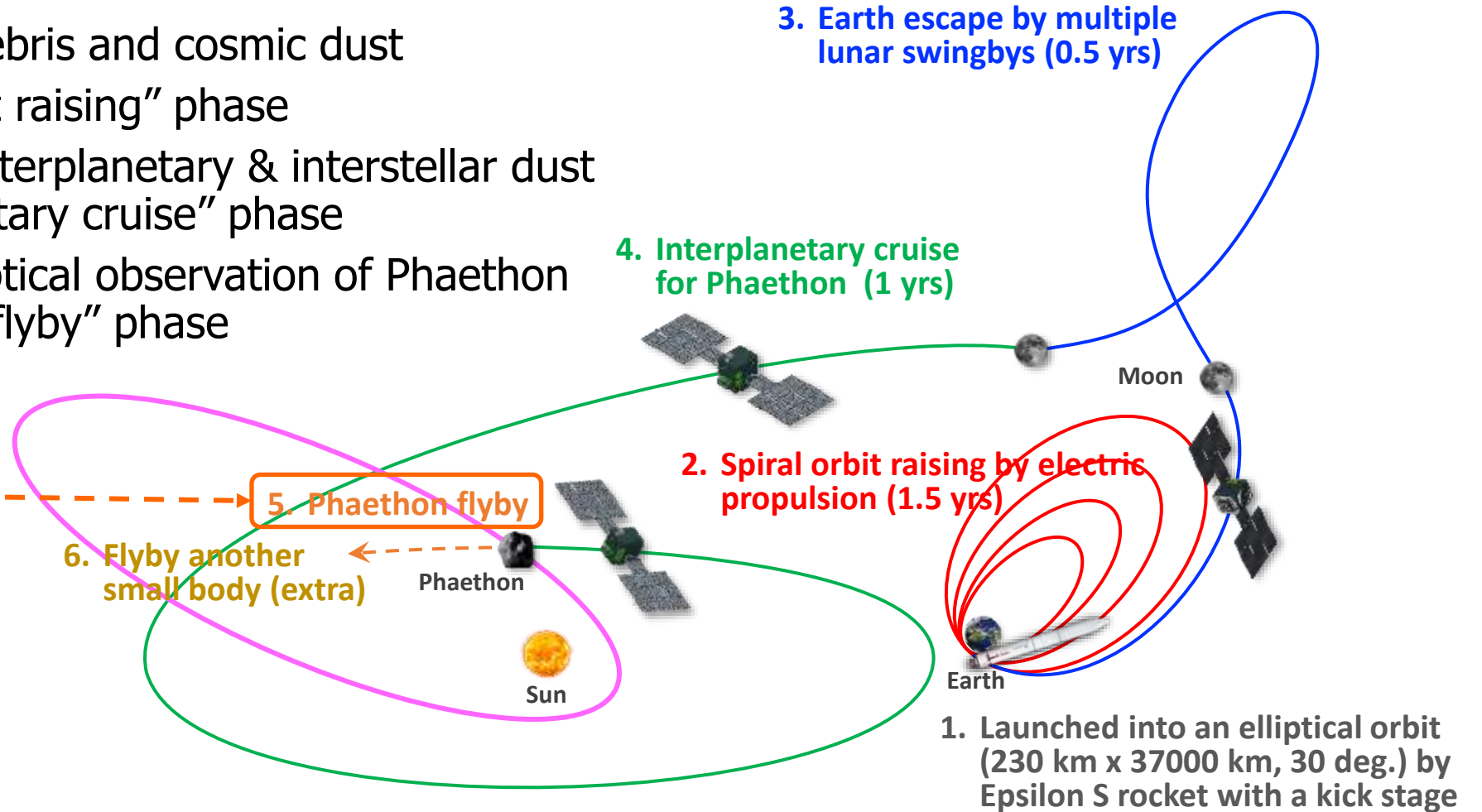
- Characterize cosmic dust en route to Earth (before atmospheric entry)
- Understand geology of Phaethon, Geminids parent and active asteroid

Mission Profiles and Scenarios

Science activities

- In-situ analyses of debris and cosmic dust during "2. Spiral orbit raising" phase
- In-situ analyses of Interplanetary & interstellar dust during "4. Interplanetary cruise" phase
- Dust analyses and optical observation of Phaethon during "5. Phaethon flyby" phase

Phaethon flyby point:
 Geocentric distance: 0.33 au
 Heliocentric distance: 0.91 au
 Flyby speed: 36 km/sec



Science goals and objectives

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1. Characterize dust en route to Earth (before atmospheric entry)	a. Determine mass, speed, arrival direction, and chemical composition of IDPs around 1 au to constrain their origin: asteroidal or cometary.
	b. Determine chemical composition (esp. organics) of interstellar dust around 1 au.
	c. Determine chemical composition of dust from Geminids-parent Phaethon and the dust trail.
2. Understand geology of Phaethon : Geminids parent and active asteroids	d. Constrain dust ejection mechanism from active asteroids .
	e. Understand global surface material distribution.



Science objectives and payloads

Phaethon imaging

★ Developed by PERC, Chiba Inst of Technology

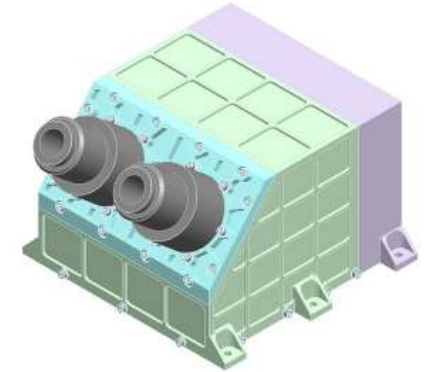
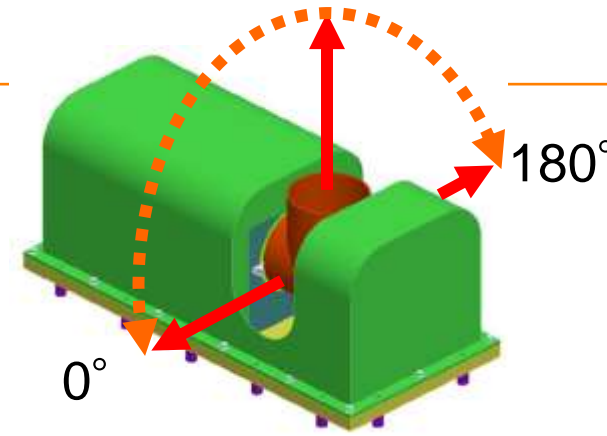
3D shape

Surface geology <10 m/pix

VIS-NIR spectral variation
<100 m/pix

Telescopic CAmera
for Phaethon (TCAP)

Multiband CAmera
for Phaethon (MCAP)



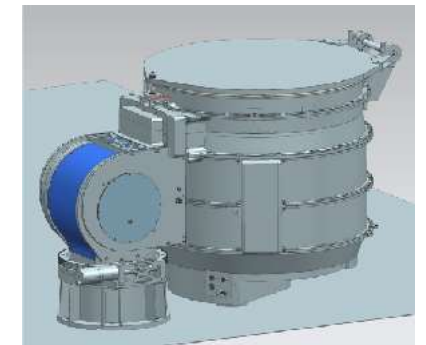
Dust analyses

★ Developed by Univ. of Stuttgart

Physical & Chemical properties of
IDPs and interstellar dust

Physical & chemical properties of
nearby Phaethon & dust trails

DESTINY+ Dust
Analyzer (DDA)



Flyby imaging sequence

- 5 days prior to flyby, optical navigation starts with TCAP images.
- By 7.5 hr before the closest flyby, trajectory correction maneuver is complete, autonomous maneuver starts.

