

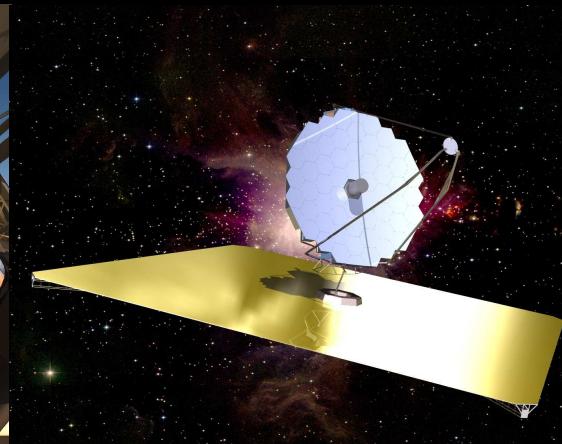
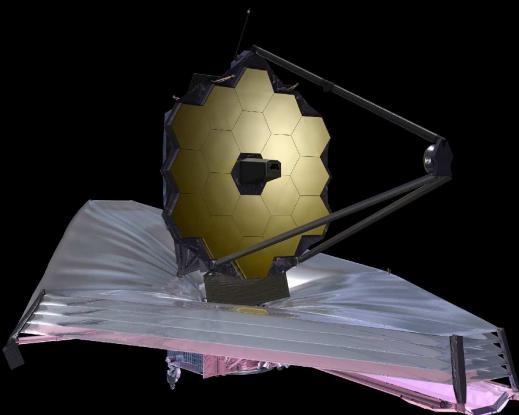
# How will the Webb Telescope measure Exoplanets, First Light, & Galaxy Assembly: New Frontiers after Hubble

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1973~2020+;

1996~2029;

2000~2050+

2020~2050+?

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# Outline

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- (1) Update on the James Webb Space Telescope (JWST), 2017.
- (2) What Hubble has done: Galaxy Assembly & SMBH Growth
- (3) How can JWST measure Star-formation & Earth-like exoplanets?
- (4) How can JWST measure the Epochs of First Light & Galaxy Assembly, and Supermassive Black-Hole Growth?
- (5) The Future: Next generation 20–40 m telescopes & ATLAST
- (6) Where do our students end-up? Possible NASA Careers
- (7) Summary and Conclusions



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JWST is like a hot bath. It feels good while you're in it; but the longer you stay, the more wrinkled you get.



WARNING: Both Hubble and James Webb are 30–40+ year projects:  
You will feel wrinkled before you know it ... :)



Edwin P. Hubble (1889–1953) — Carnegie astronomer

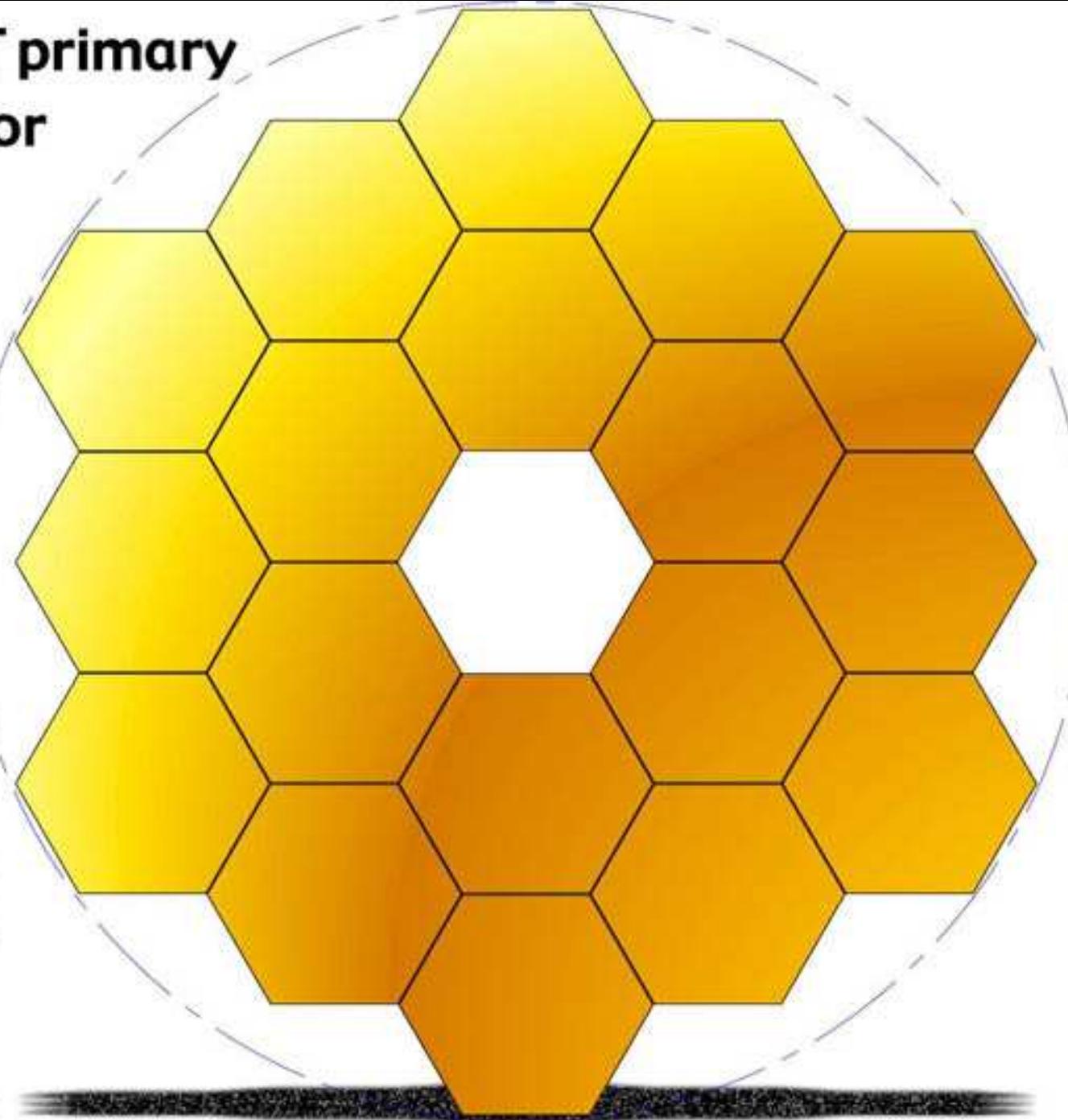


James E. Webb (1906–1992) — Second NASA Administrator

Hubble: Concept in 1970's; Made in 1980's; Operational 1990–>2020?.

JWST: The infrared sequel to Hubble from 2019–2024 (>2029?).

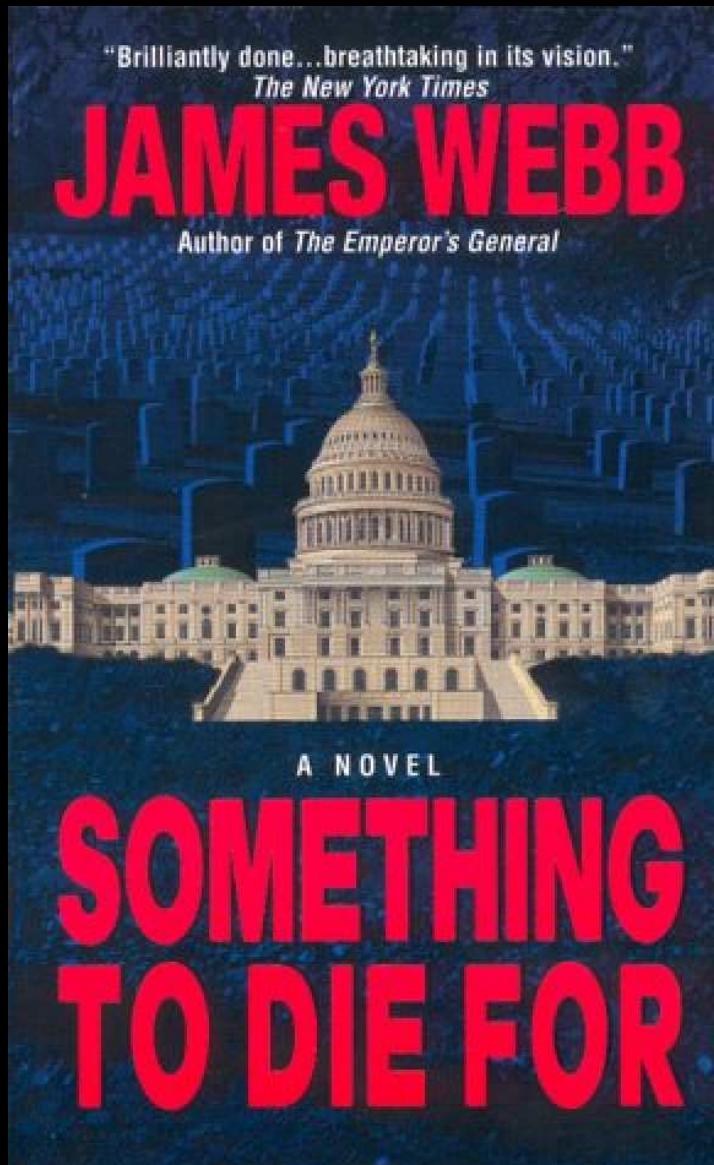
**JWST primary  
mirror**



**Hubble primary  
mirror**

JWST  $\simeq 2.5 \times$  larger than Hubble, so at  $\sim 2.5 \times$  larger wavelengths:  
JWST has the same resolution in the near-IR as Hubble in the optical.

# (1) Update of the James Webb Space Telescope (JWST), 2017



To be used by students & scientists starting 2019 ... It'll be worth it.

(RIGHT) Life-size JWST prototype on the Capitol Mall, May 2007.

# (1) Update of the James Webb Space Telescope as of 2017



- A fully deployable 6.5 meter ( $25 \text{ m}^2$ ) segmented IR telescope for imaging and spectroscopy at  $0.6\text{--}28 \mu\text{m}$  wavelength, to be launched in Spring 2019.
- Nested array of sun-shields to keep its ambient temperature at 40 K, allowing faint imaging (31.5 mag $\sim$ 1 FF from Moon), and spectroscopy.

# THE JAMES WEBB SPACE TELESCOPE

## JWST LAUNCH

- LAUNCH VEHICLE IS AN ARIANE 5 ROCKET, SUPPLIED BY ESA
- SITE WILL BE THE ARIANESPACE'S ELA-3 LAUNCH COMPLEX NEAR KOUROU, FRENCH GUIANA



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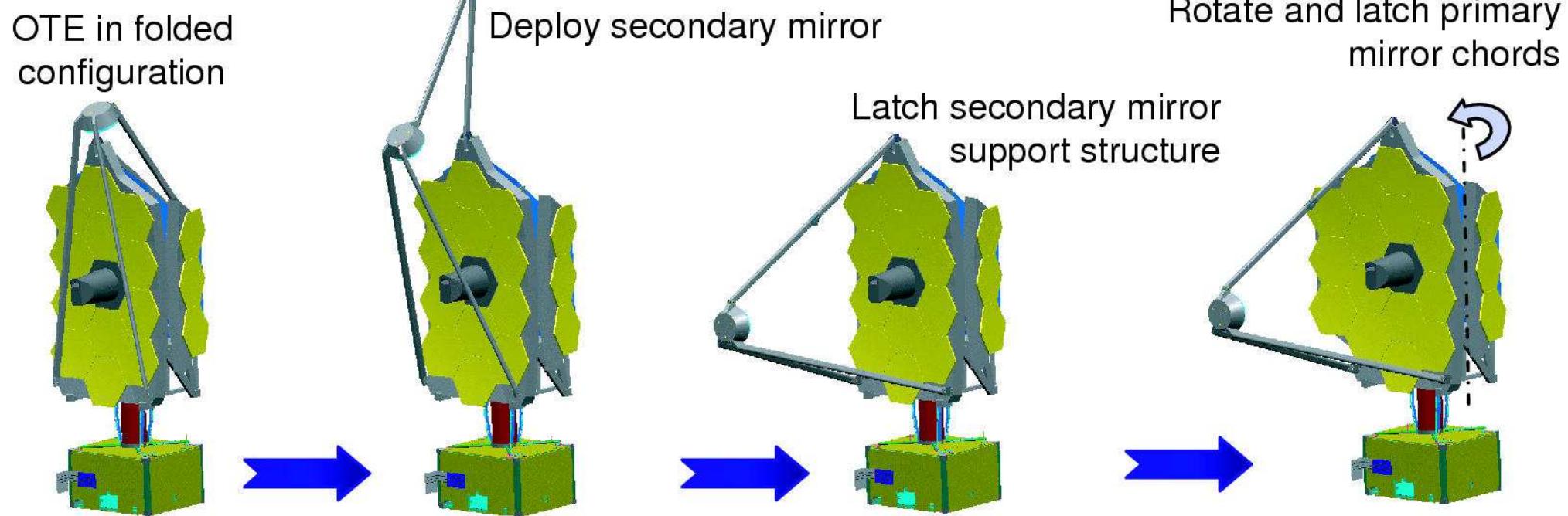
- The JWST launch weight will be  $\lesssim 6500$  kg, and it will be launched to L2 with an ESA Ariane-V launch vehicle from Kourou in French Guiana.

## (1a) How will JWST travel to its L2 orbit?



- After launch in Spring 2019 with an ESA Ariane-V, JWST will orbit around the Earth–Sun Lagrange point L2, 1.5 million km from Earth.
- JWST can cover the whole sky in segments that move along with the Earth, observe  $\gtrsim 70\%$  of the time, and send data back to Earth every day.

- (1b) How will JWST be automatically deployed?



- During its two month journey to L2, JWST will be automatically deployed, its instruments will be cooled, and be inserted into an L2 orbit.
- The entire JWST deployment sequence is being tested several times on the ground — but only in 1-G: component and system tests in 2014–2018 at GSFC (MD), Northrop (CA), and JSC (Houston).
- Component fabrication, testing, & system integration is on schedule: 18 out of 18 flight mirrors completely done, and meet the 40K specifications.

# Actuators for 6 degrees of freedom rigid body motion



Actuator  
development  
unit

Lightweighted  
Beryllium Mirror

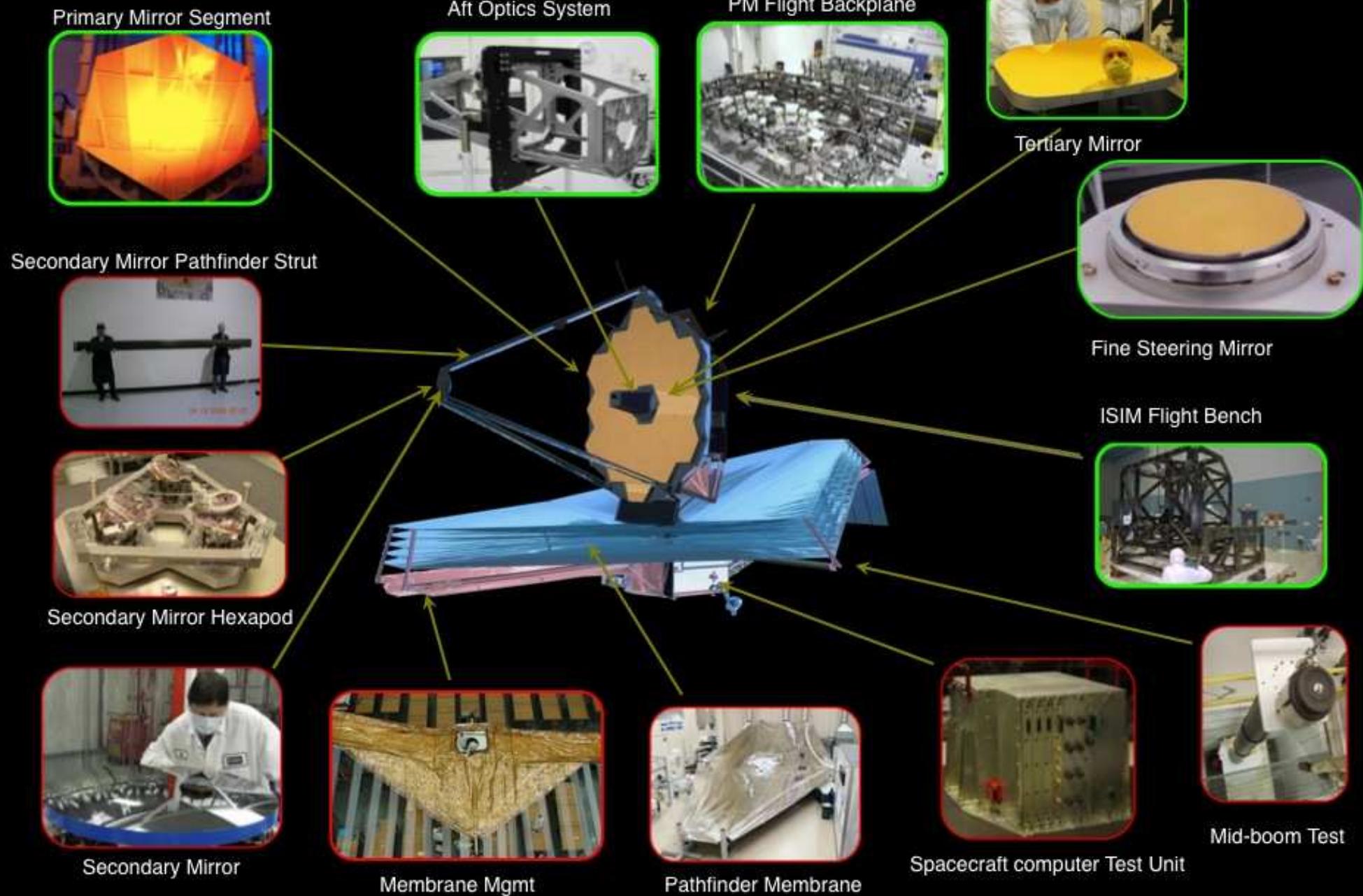
Actuator for radius  
of curvature adjustment

Active mirror segment support through “hexapods”, similar to Keck.

Redundant & doubly-redundant mechanisms, quite forgiving against failures.

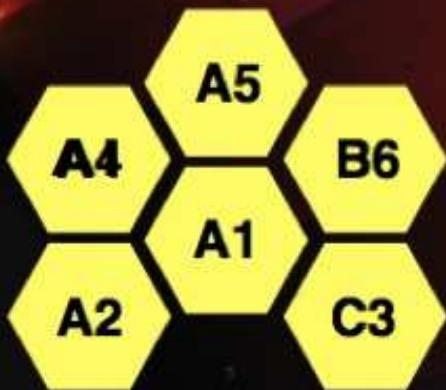
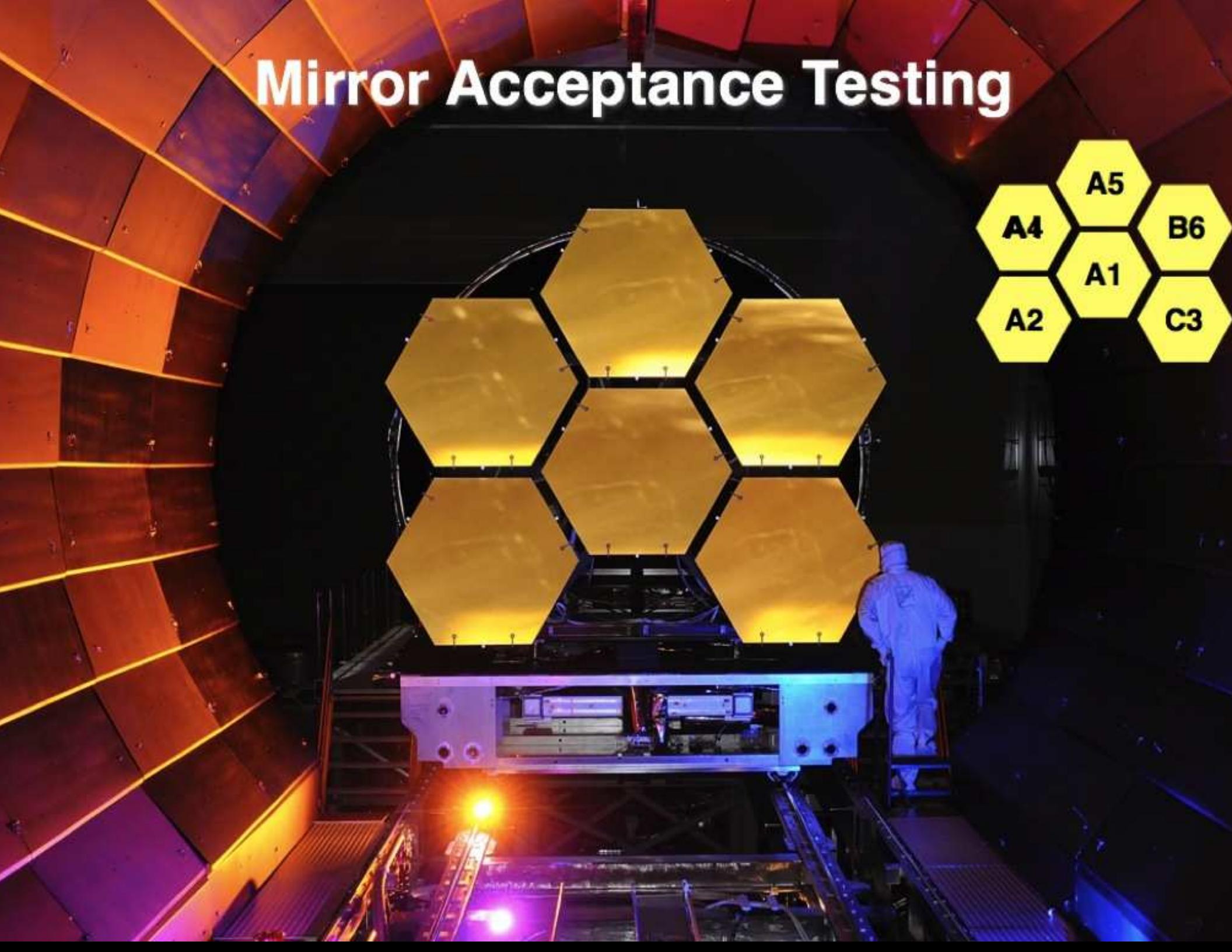


# JWST Hardware Status



Summer 2017:  $\gtrsim 99.5\%$  of launch mass designed and built ( $\gtrsim 99\%$  weighed).

# Mirror Acceptance Testing



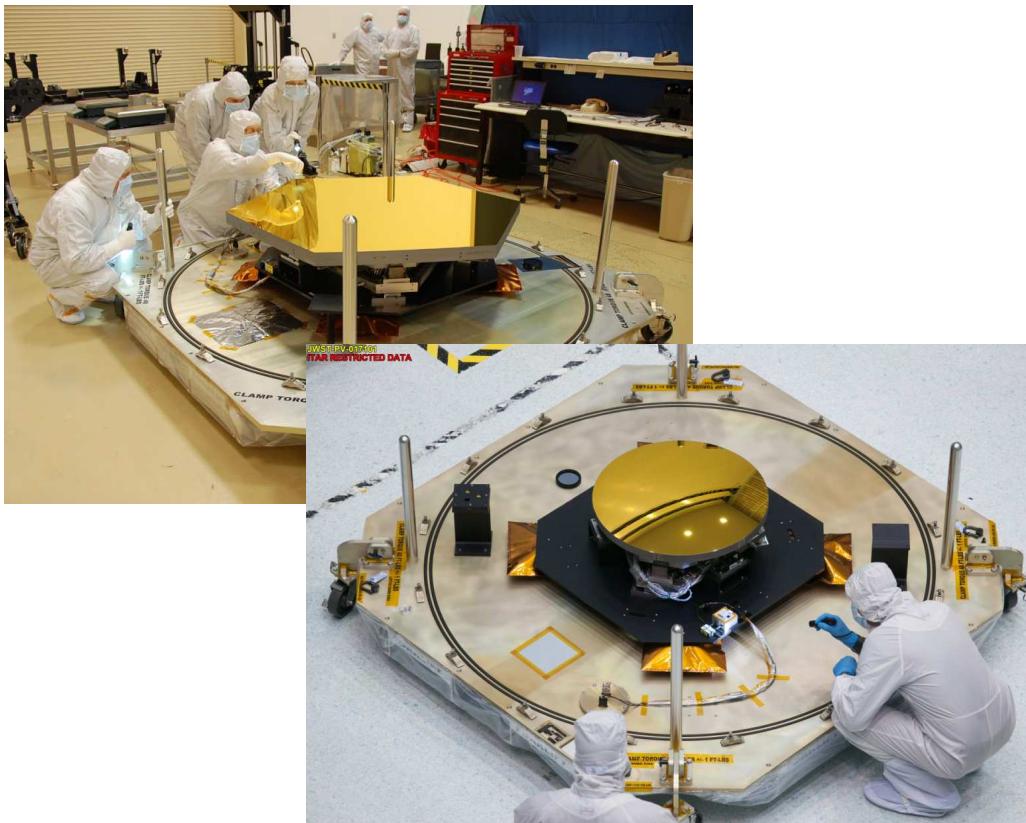




# Mirror Status

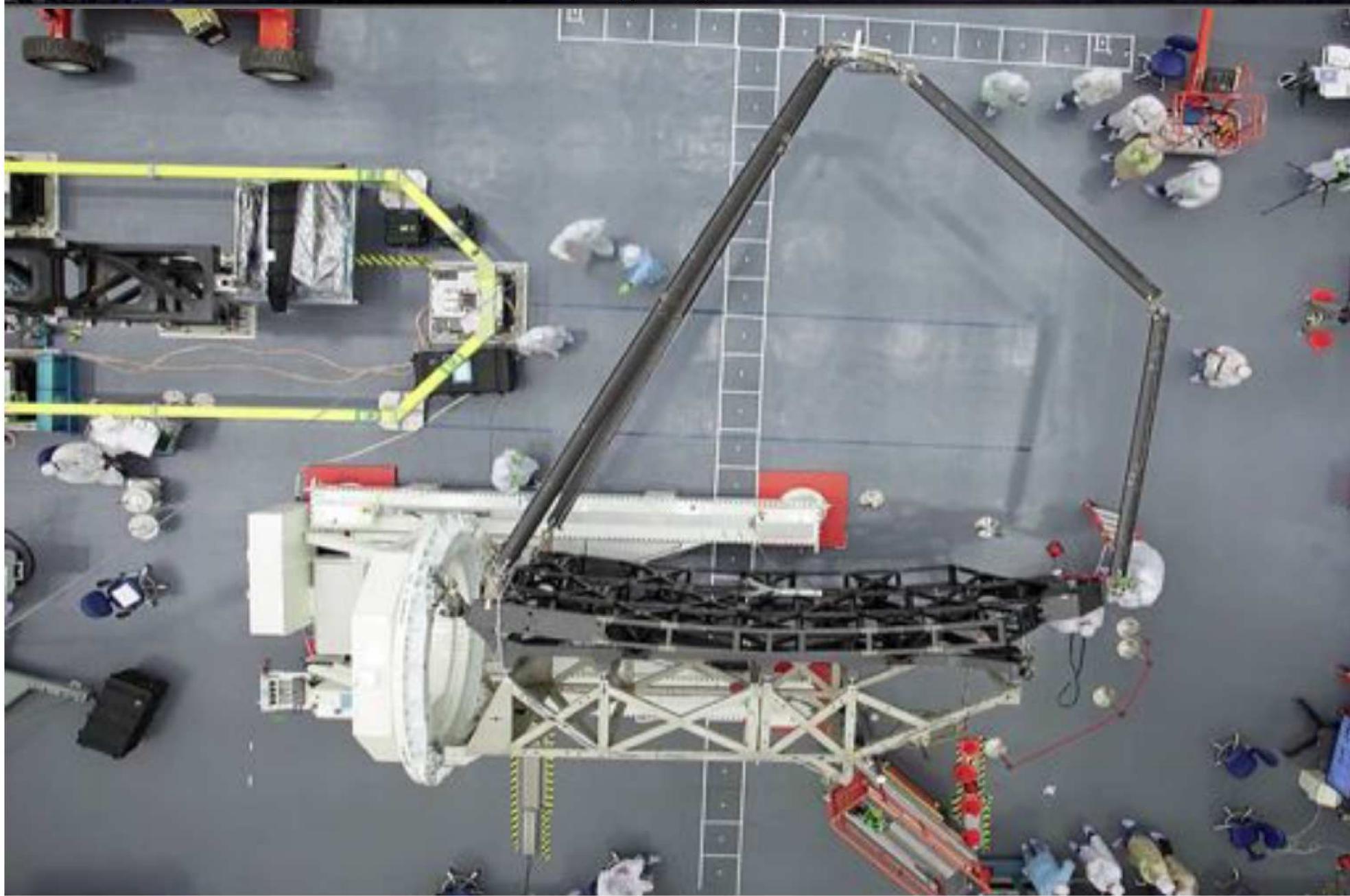


- **15 flight primary mirrors and the flight secondary mirror are at GSFC in storage**
  - All spares were at GSFC in storage (SM spares, 3 PMSA spares)
    - 2 EDU mirrors sent back to Ball for gear motor rework
  - All flight gear motor refurbishment is complete
  - All flight mirrors will be at GSFC by end of year, needed in 2015



Spring 2014: All 18 flight mirrors delivered to NASA GSFC (MD).

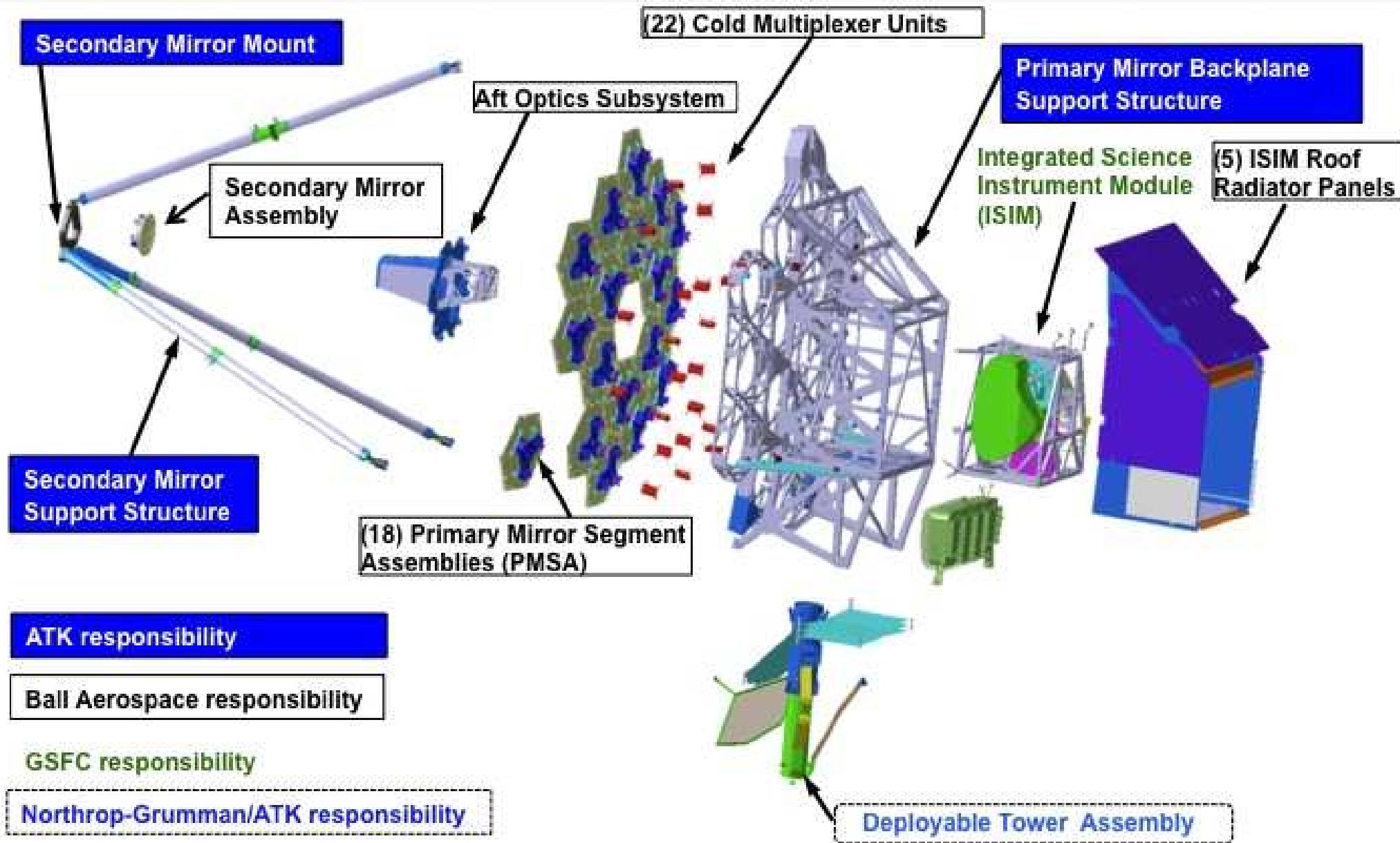
# Pathfinder: Powered Deployment of SMSS



July 2014: Secondary Mirror Support deployment successfully tested.



# TELESCOPE ARCHITECTURE

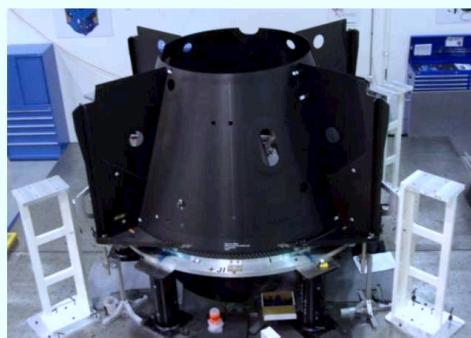
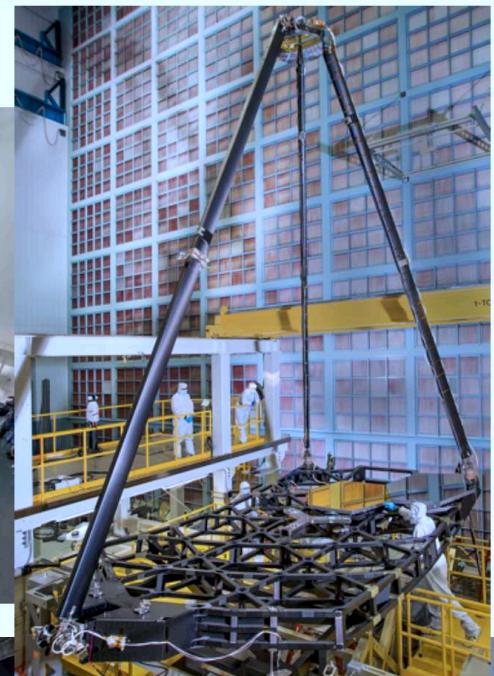


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2014–2018: Complete system integration at GSFC and Northrop.



# JWST Hardware Progress

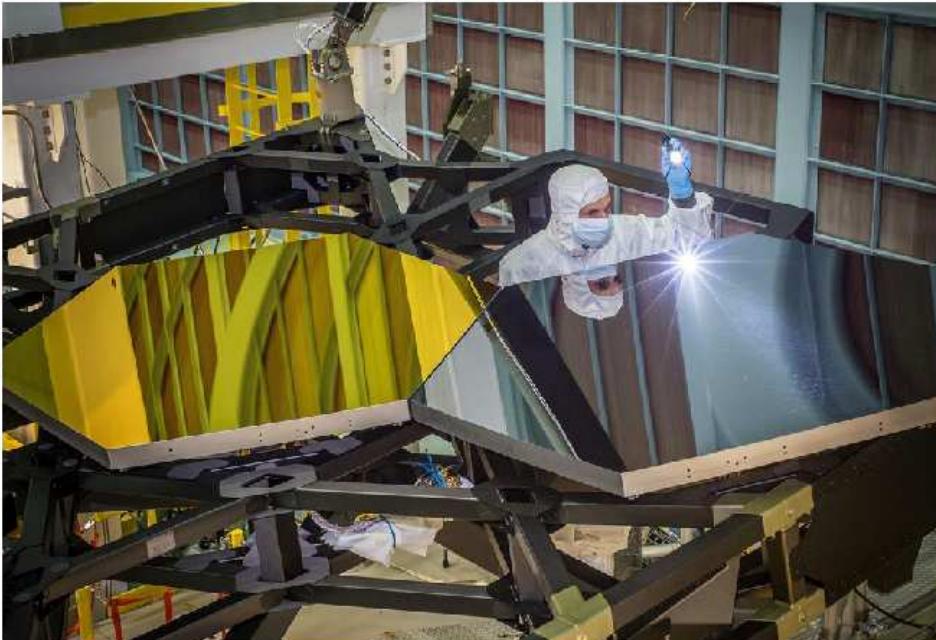


JWST remains on track for an October 2018 launch within its replan budget guidelines  
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July 2014: ● Secondary Mirror Support deployment successfully tested.  
2015: ● Engineering sunshield successfully deployed at Northrop (CA).

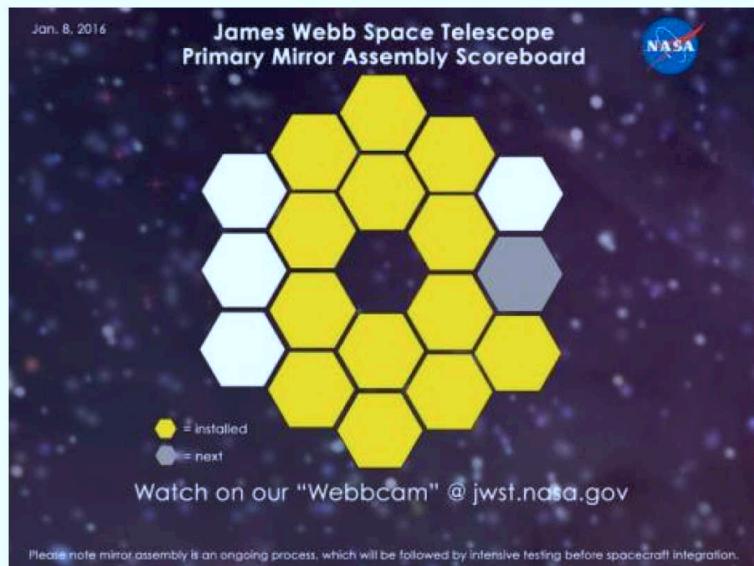


# Telescope Pathfinder – Risk Reduction

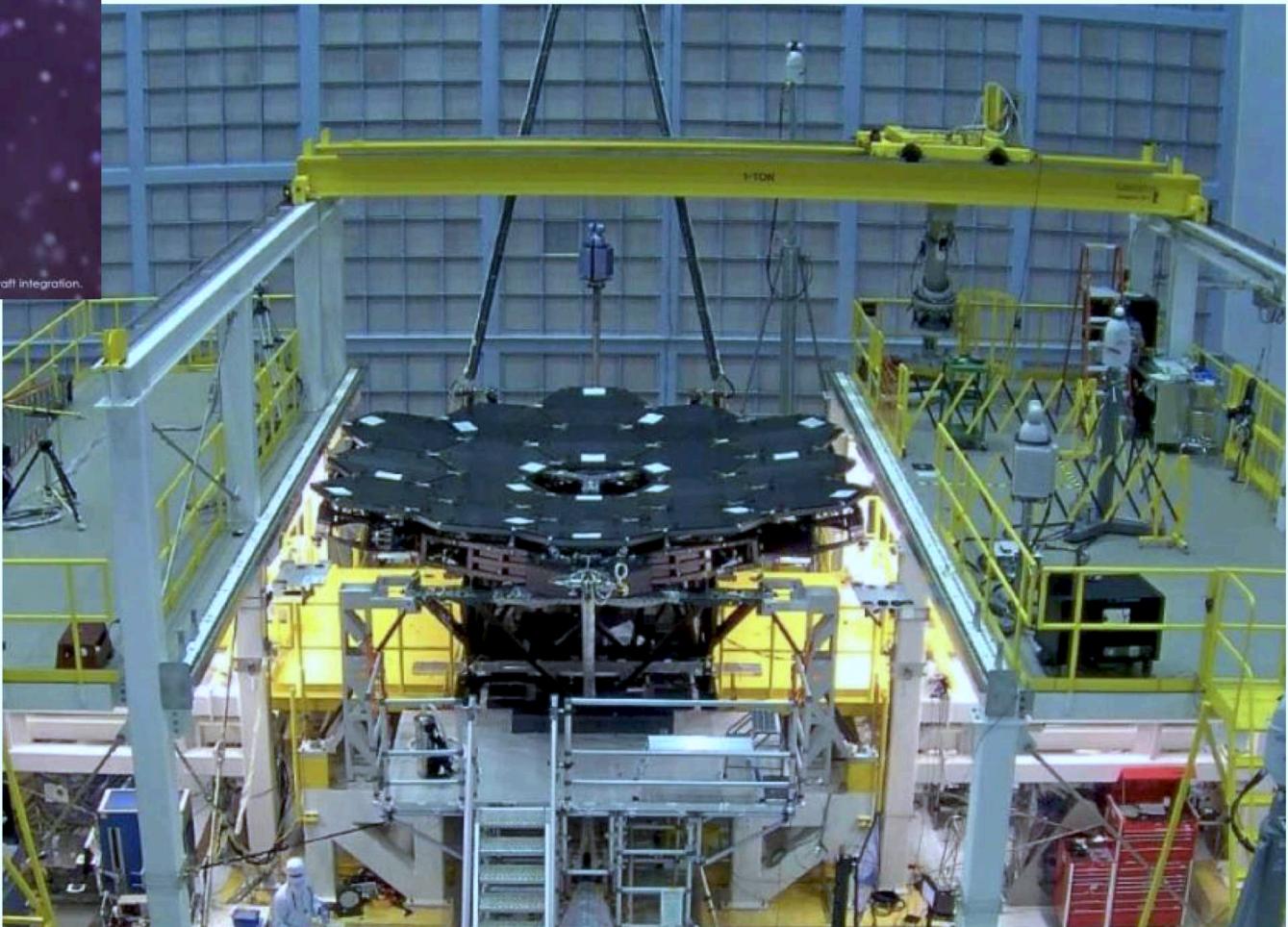


JWST Pathfinder is a partial telescope that is intended to reduce the implementation risk of the assembly, integration, and cryogenic optical test of the JWST optical assembly

# Much progress has been made in OTE integration



Where we were at last month's call



Current: all 18 PMSAs installed, liquid-shim-cured, & metrologized. Alignments meet specifications, and actuator motions verified  
*Big milestone!*



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JWST lifetime: Requirement: 5 yrs; Goal: 10 yrs; Propellant: 14 yrs.



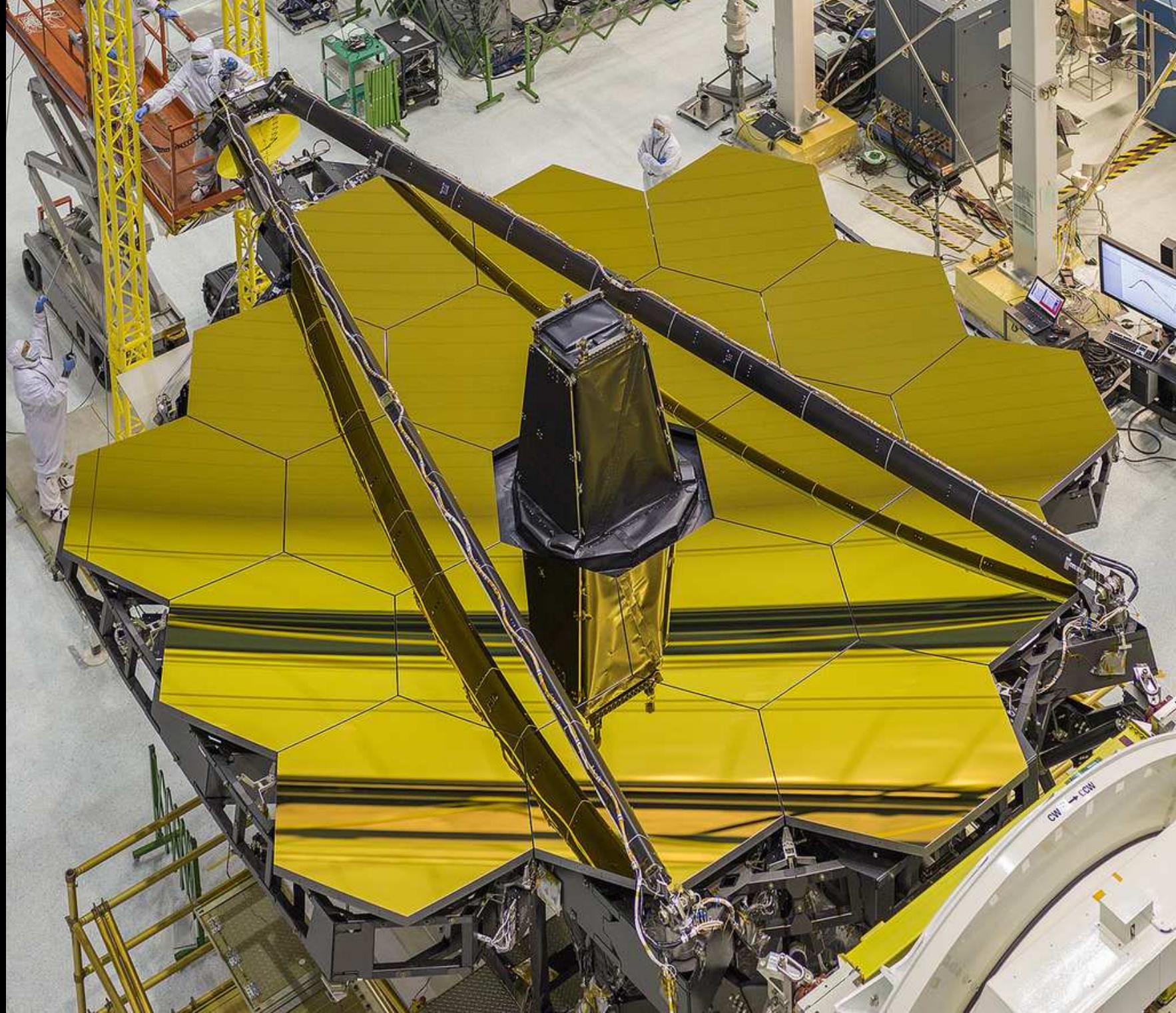
April 2016: NASA team-work to take JWST mirror covers off!



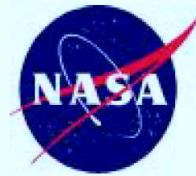
May 2016: JWST being tilted into the right position



May 2016: Webb mirrors finally mounted and ready!



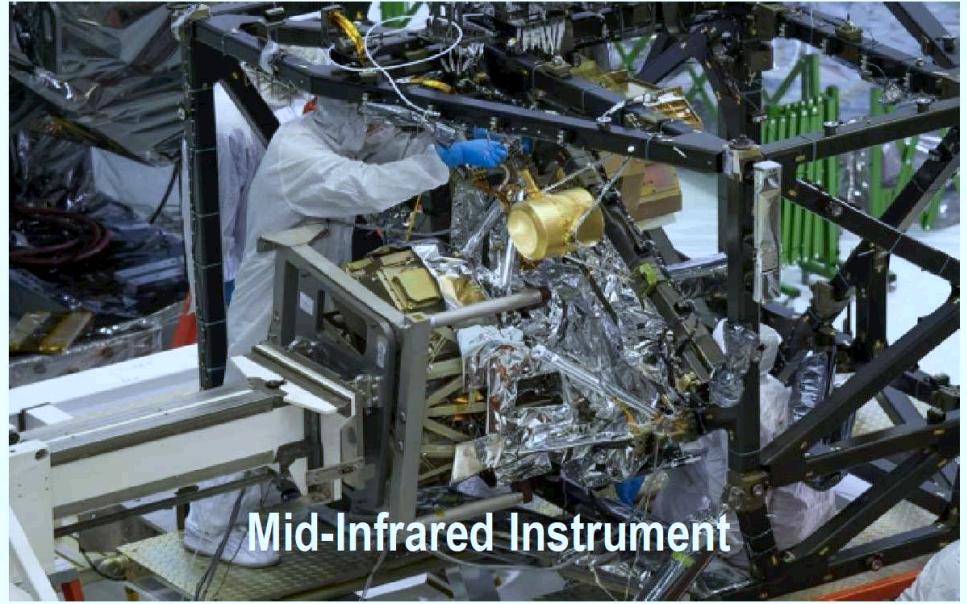
May 2016: JWST stowed for further instrument mounting



# All Instruments Integrated



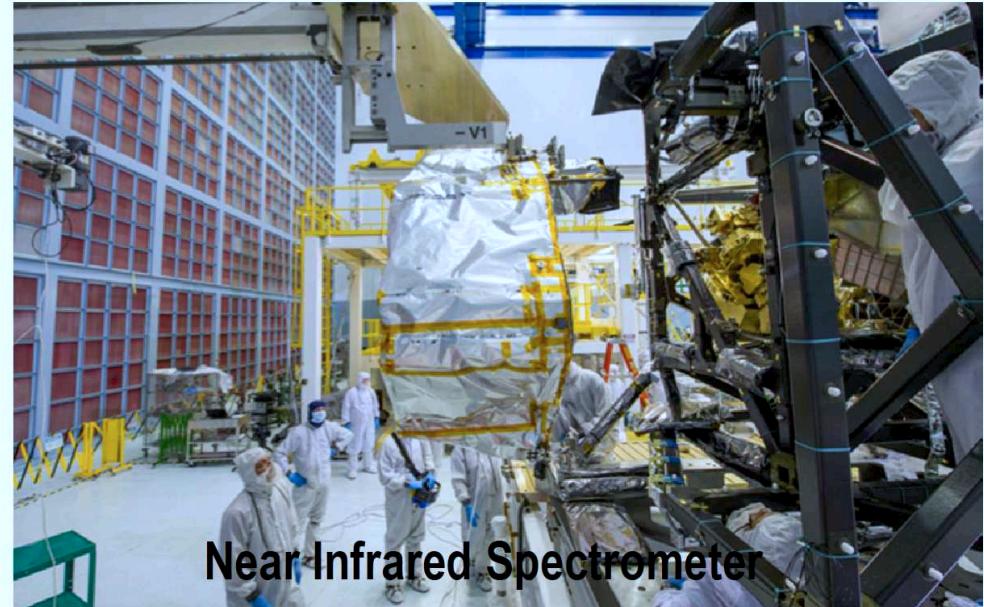
Fine Guidance Sensor



Mid-Infrared Instrument



Near Infrared Camera



Near Infrared Spectrometer

# (1c) JWST instrument update: US (UofA, JPL), ESA, & CSA.

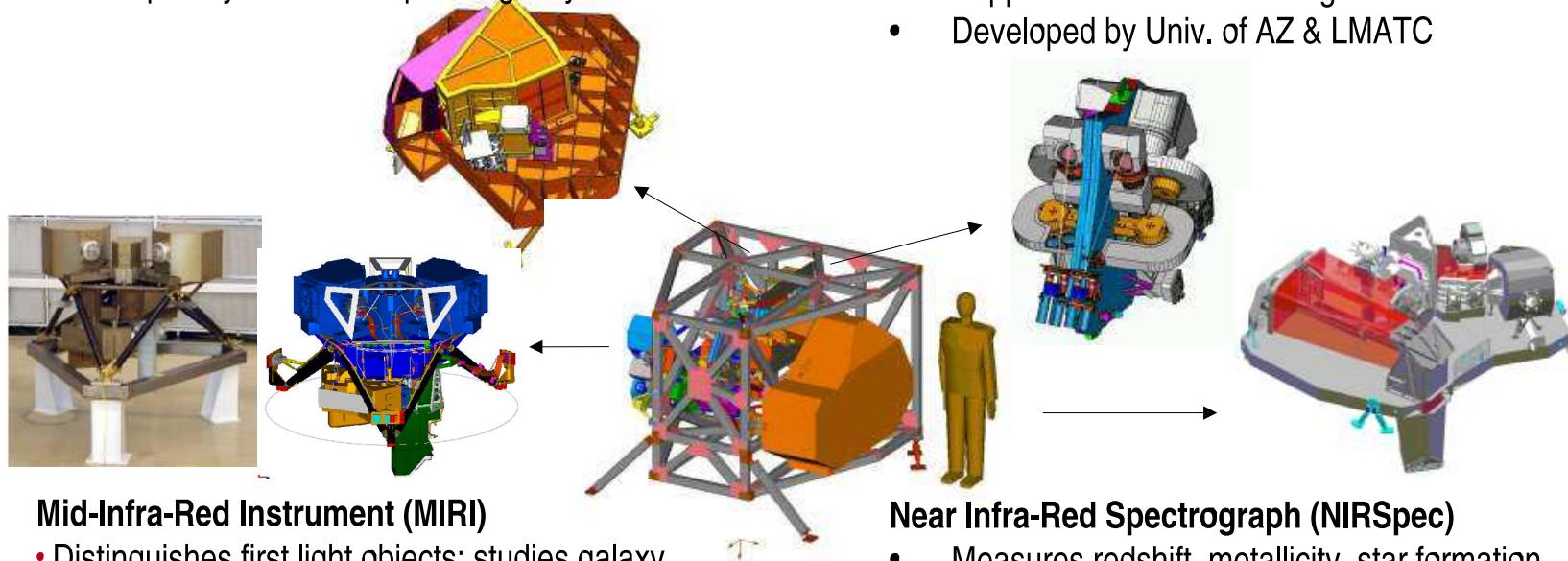


## Instrument Overview



### Fine Guidance Sensor (FGS)

- Ensures guide star availability with >95% probability at any point in the sky
- Includes Narrowband Imaging Tunable Filter
- Developed by Canadian Space Agency & COM DEV

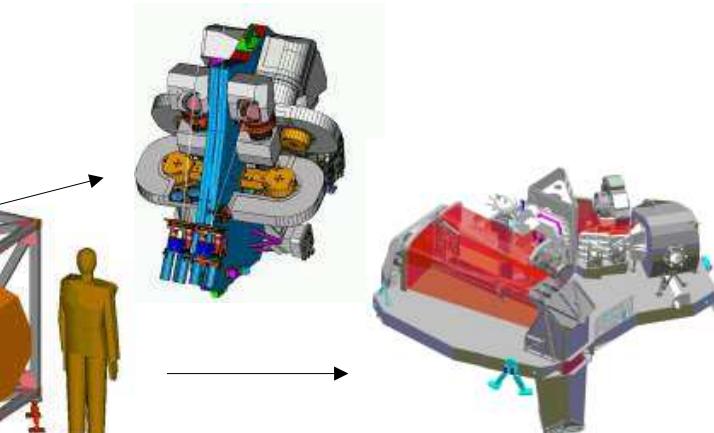


### Mid-Infra-Red Instrument (MIRI)

- Distinguishes first light objects; studies galaxy evolution; explores protostars & their environs
- Imaging and spectroscopy capability
- 5 to 27 microns
- Cooled to 7K by Cyro-cooler
- Combined European Consortium/JPL development

### Near Infra-Red Camera (NIRCam)

- Detects first light galaxies and observes galaxy assembly sequence
- 0.6 to 5 microns
- Supports Wavefront Sensing & Control
- Developed by Univ. of AZ & LMATC

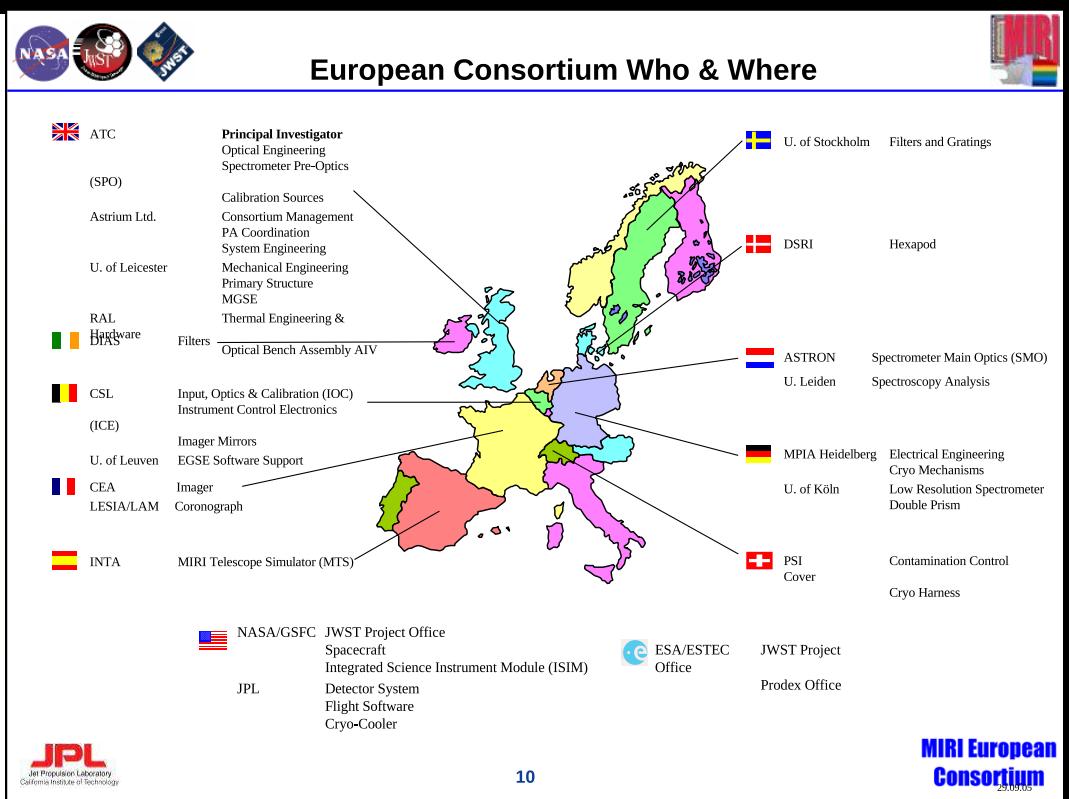
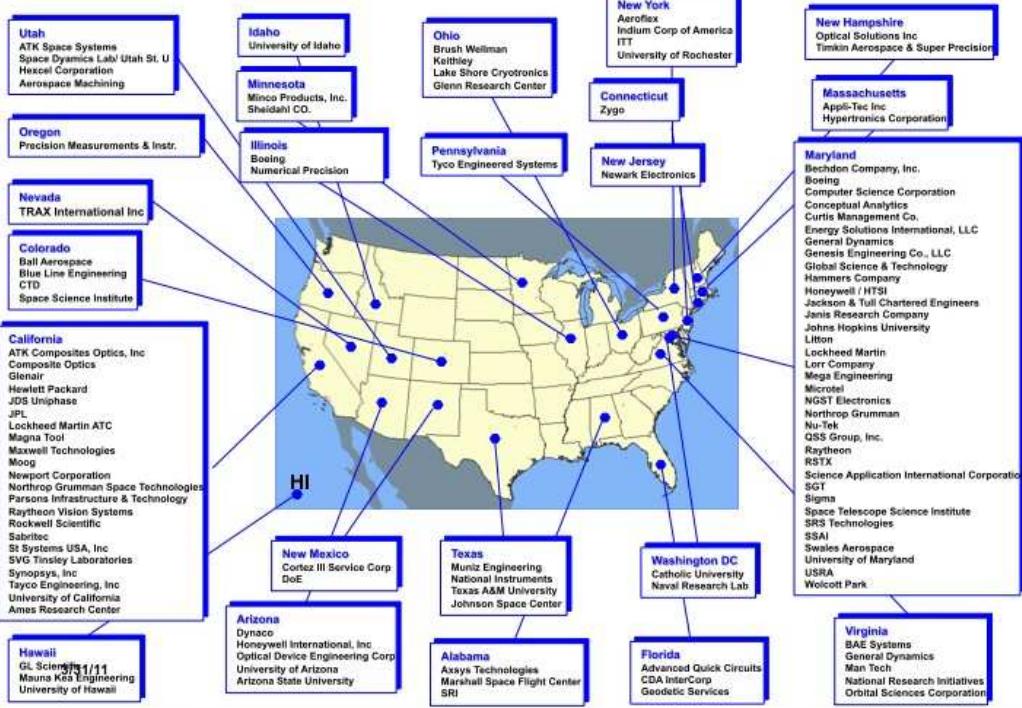


### Near Infra-Red Spectrograph (NIRSpec)

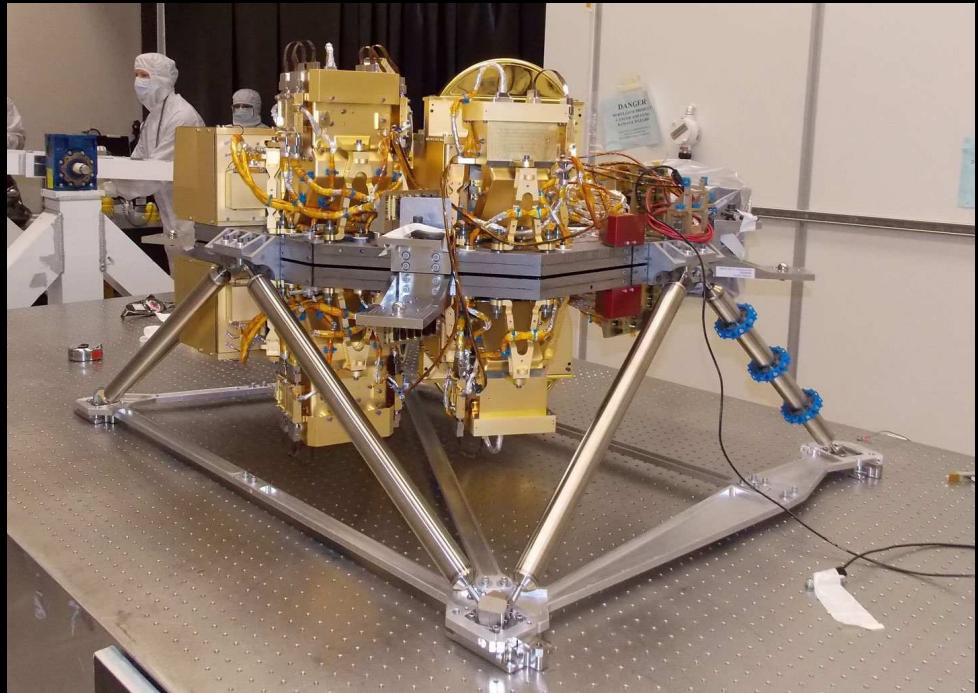
- Measures redshift, metallicity, star formation rate in first light galaxies
- 0.6 to 5 microns
- Simultaneous spectra of >100 objects
- Developed by ESA & EADS with NASA/GSFC Detector & Microshutter Subsystems

All delivered: MIRI 05/12; FGS 07/12; NIRCam 07/13, NIRSpec 9/13.

# JWST: A Product of the Nation



- JWST hardware made in 27 US States:  $\gtrsim 99.5\%$  of launch-mass finished.
- Ariane V Launch & NIRSpec provided by ESA; & MIRI by ESA & JPL.
- JWST Fine Guider Sensor + NIRISS provided by Canadian Space Agency.
- JWST NIRCam made by UofA and Lockheed.

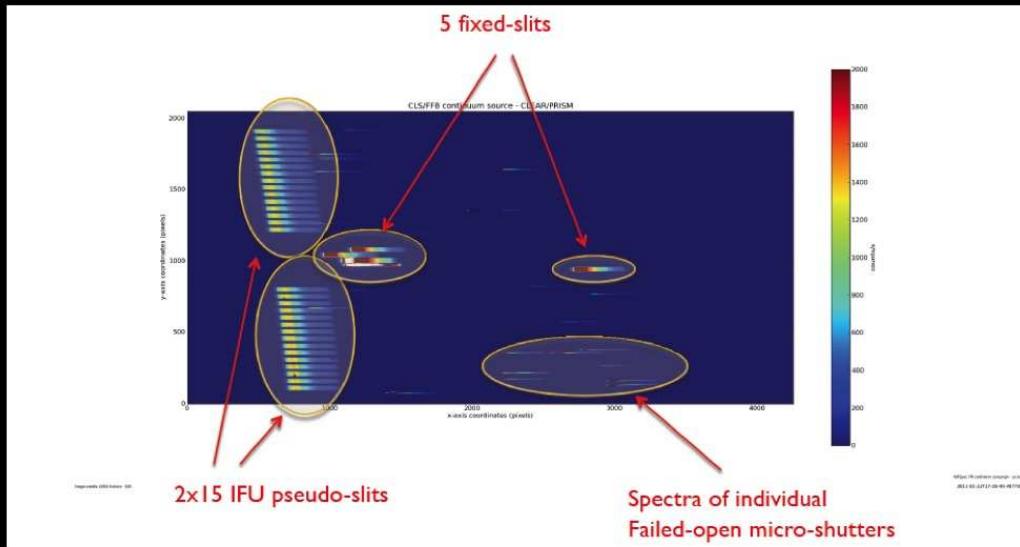


## JWST's short-wavelength ( $0.6\text{--}5.0\mu\text{m}$ ) imagers:

- NIRCam — built by UofA (AZ) and Lockheed (CA).
- Fine Guidance Sensor (&  $1\text{--}5\mu\text{m}$  grisms) — built by CSA (Montreal).
- FGS includes very powerful low-res Near-IR grism spectrograph (NIRISS).
- FGS delivered to GSFC 07/12; NIRCam delivered 07/13.
- Detectors replaced in 2015 between CryoVacuum tests CV2 and CV3.



## Flight NIRSpec First Light



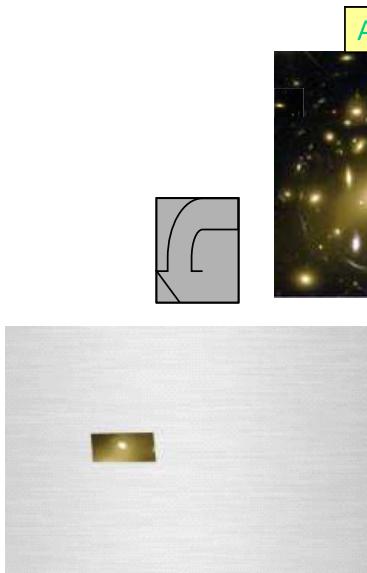
JWST's short-wavelength ( $0.6\text{--}5.0\mu\text{m}$ ) spectrograph:

- NIRSpec — built by ESA/ESTEC and Astrium (Munich).
- Flight build completed and tested with First Light in Spring 2011.

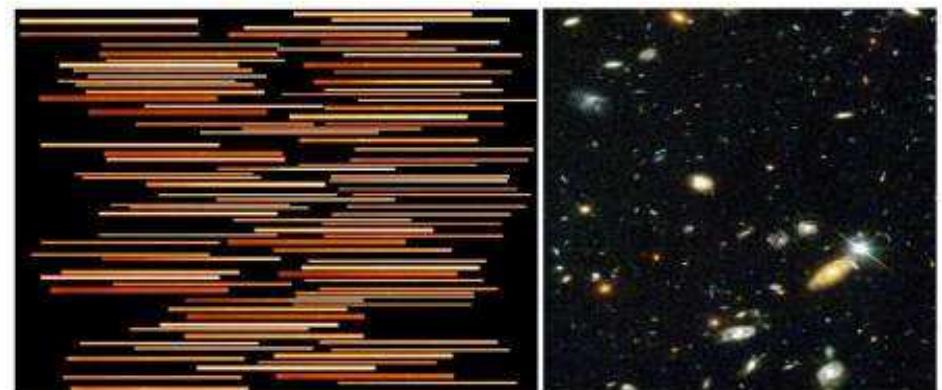
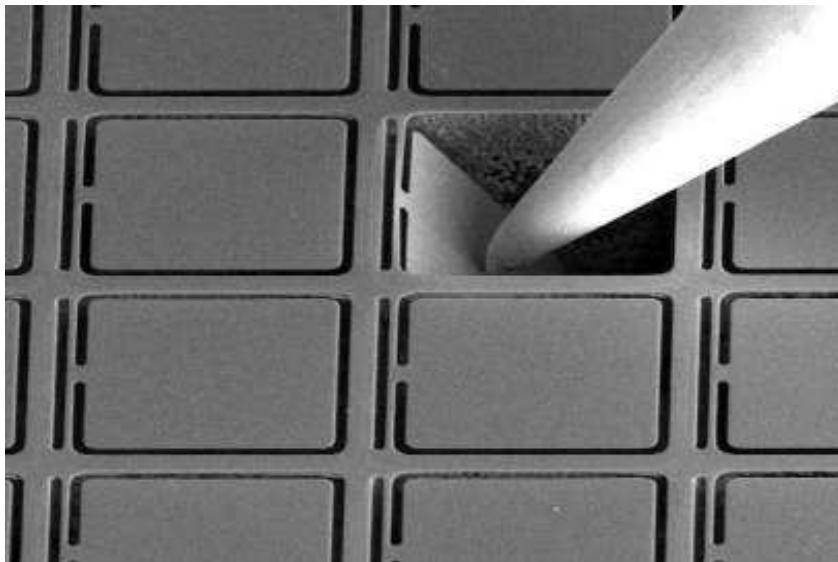
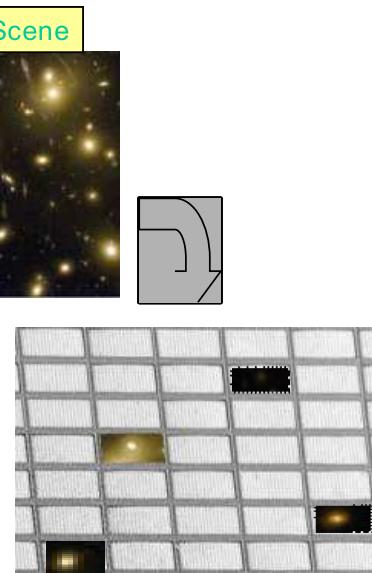
NIRSpec delivered to NASA/GSFC in 09/13.

- Detectors replaced in 2015 between CryoVacuum tests CV2 and CV3.

# Micro Shutters

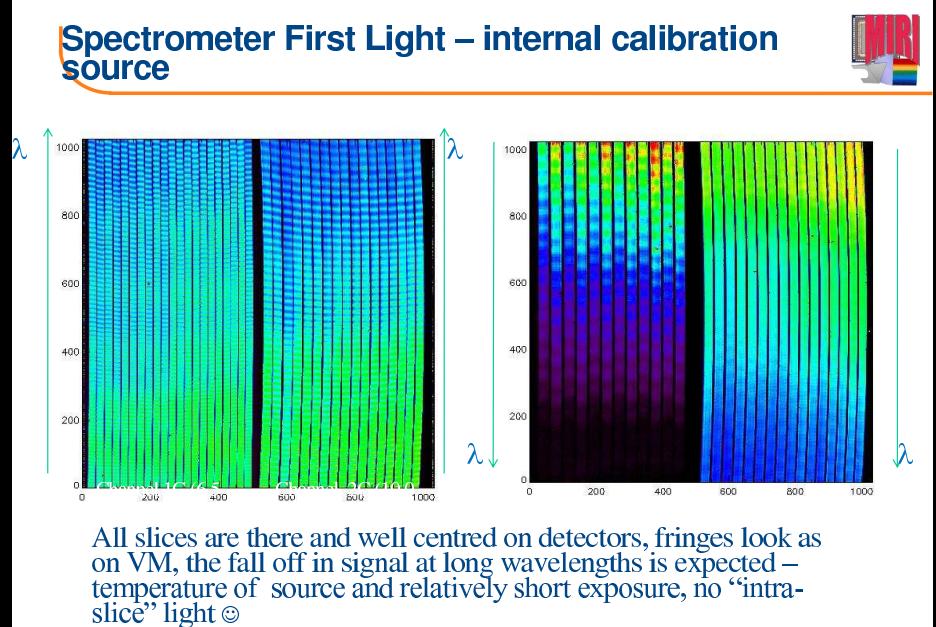


Metal Mask/Fixed Slit





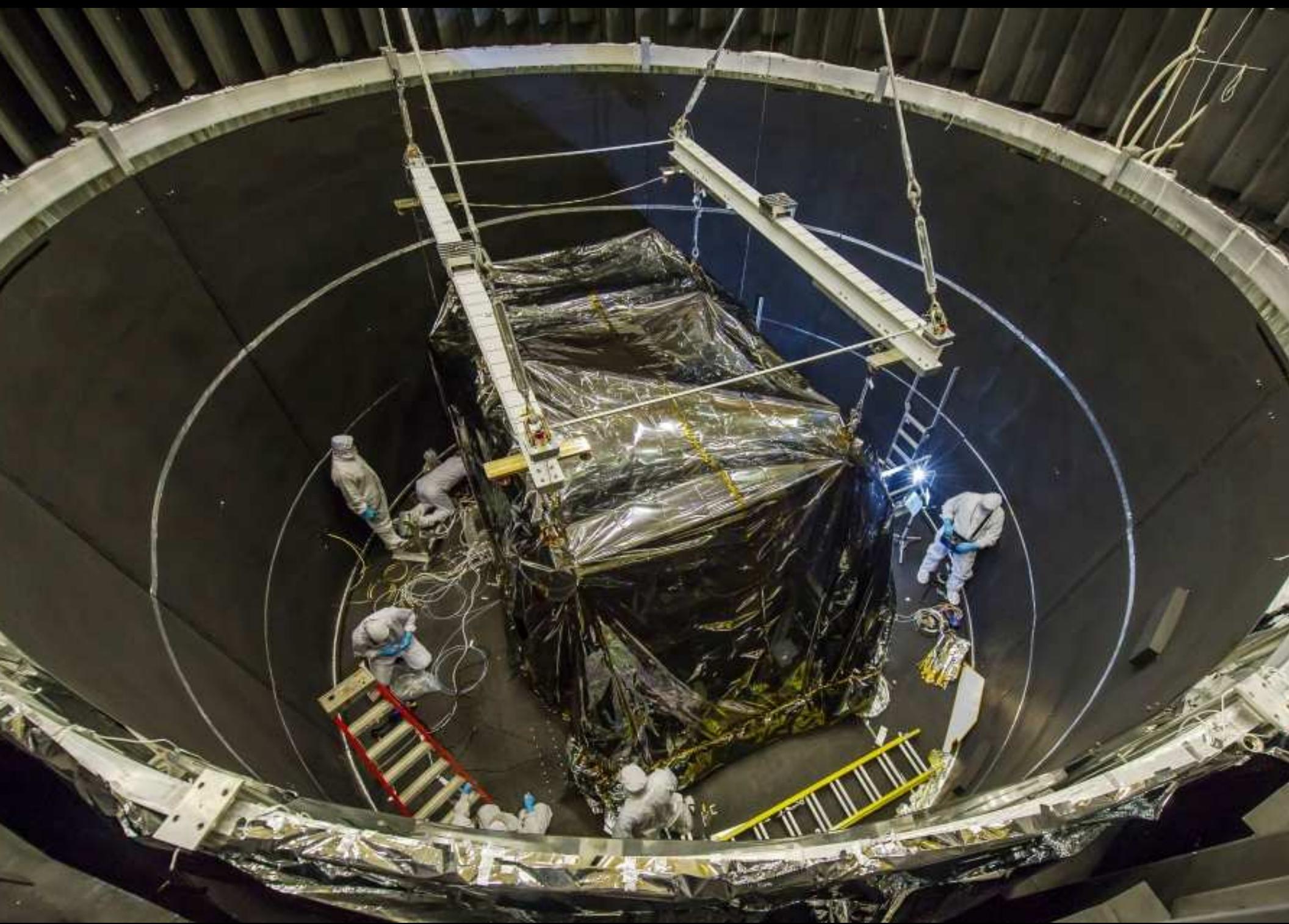
# Flight MIRI



JWST's mid-infrared ( $5\text{--}29\mu\text{m}$ ) camera and spectrograph:

- MIRI — built by ESA consortium of 10 ESA countries & NASA JPL.
- Flight build completed and tested with First Light in July 2011.

MIRI delivered to NASA/GSFC in May 2012.



2014: Flight ISIM (all 4 instruments) in test; Oct. 15-Feb. 2016: CryoVac3.

# Program Update: OTE + ISIM = OTIS

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June 2016: Flight ISIM mated with Optical Telescope Element (OTE).  
JWST is now a real working telescope (albeit not yet at 40 K & in 0 G)!



April 2017: Last portrait of JWST at Goddard Space Flight Center (MD).



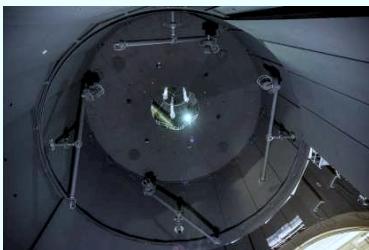
# OTIS Test GSE Architecture and Subsystems



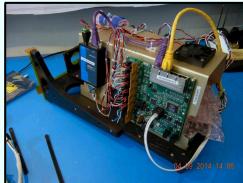
Chamber Isolator Units  
Dynamically isolates OTIS Optical Test  
– Integration 6 units complete



Cryo Position Metrology (CPM)  
Photogrammetry System  
Integration Complete

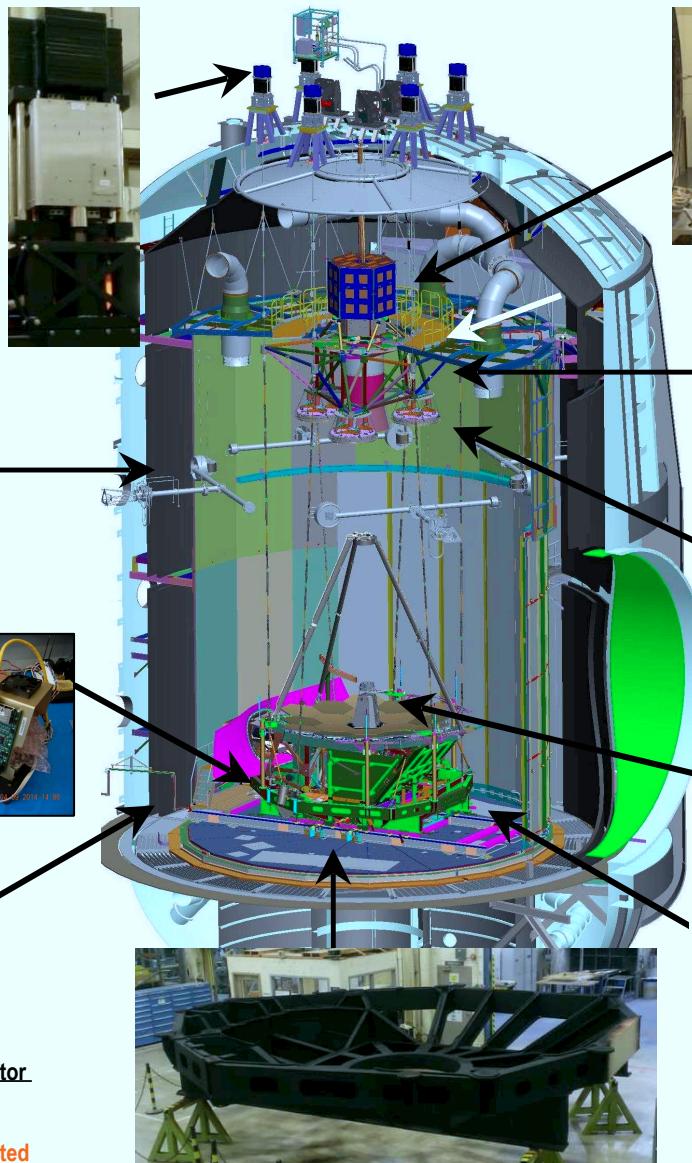
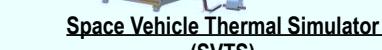


ADM - new Leica  
delivered and under test



Space Vehicle Thermal Simulator  
(SVTS)  
and Sunshield Simulator

Passed design review and started Procurements and fab subcontracts

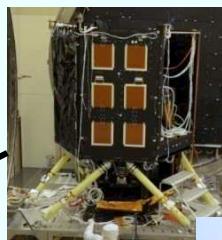


HOSS – OTIS support structure  
HOSS – will be in the chamber for Bake out in June

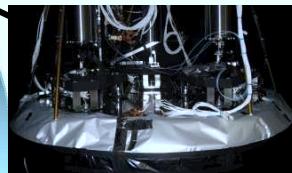


## Center of Curvature Optical Assembly (COCOA)

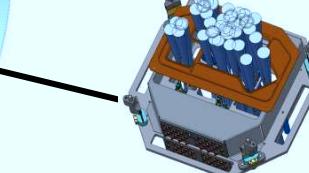
- Multiwavelength interferometer (MWIF), null, calibration equipment, coarse/fine PM phasing tools, Displacement Measuring Interferometer – COCOA was exercised at MSFC in December



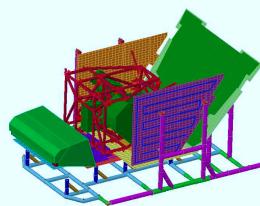
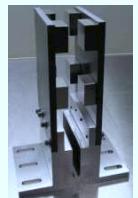
USF Structural Frame – supports Metrology  
ready for chamber integration and Cryo Load tests



3 Auto collimating Flat Mirrors (ACFs)  
1.5 M Plano for Pass and Half Testing  
Cryo testing underway, ACF 1 complete, ACF 4 in  
Cryo test complete , ACF 5 ready for Cryo.



AOS Source Plate  
Sources for Pass and Half Test  
72 optical fiber support cont.



## Deep Space Edge Radiation Sink (DSERS)

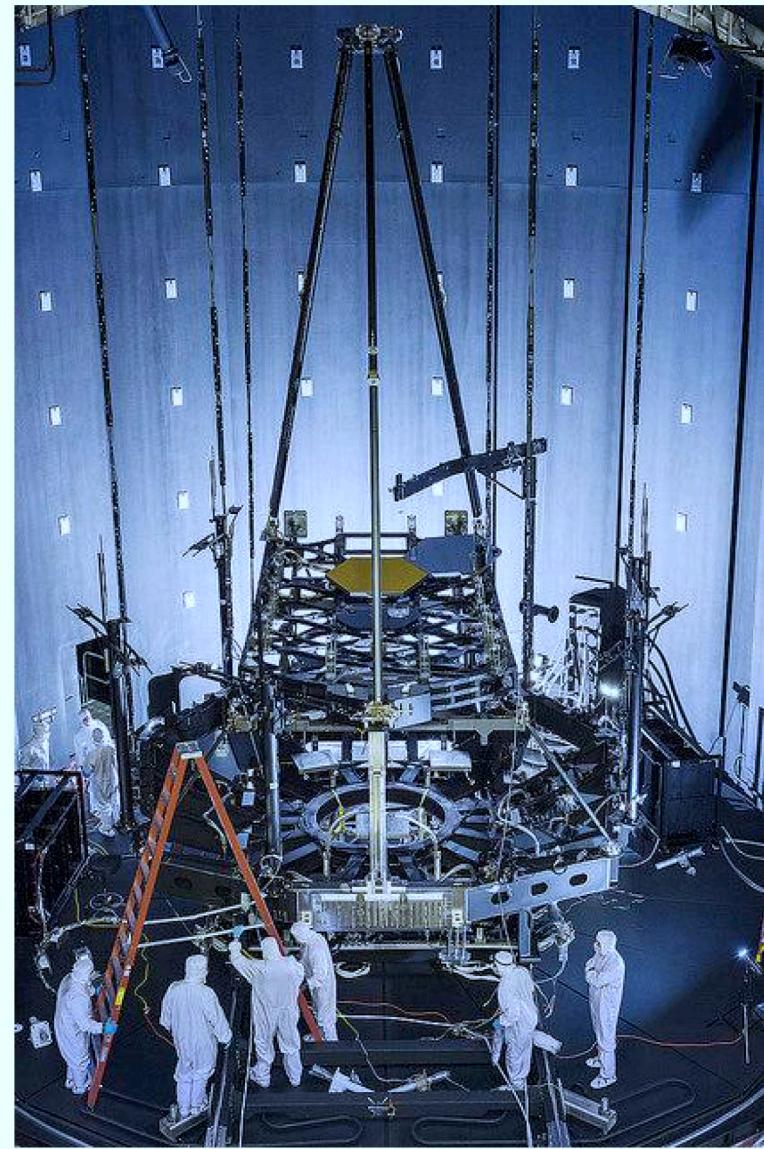
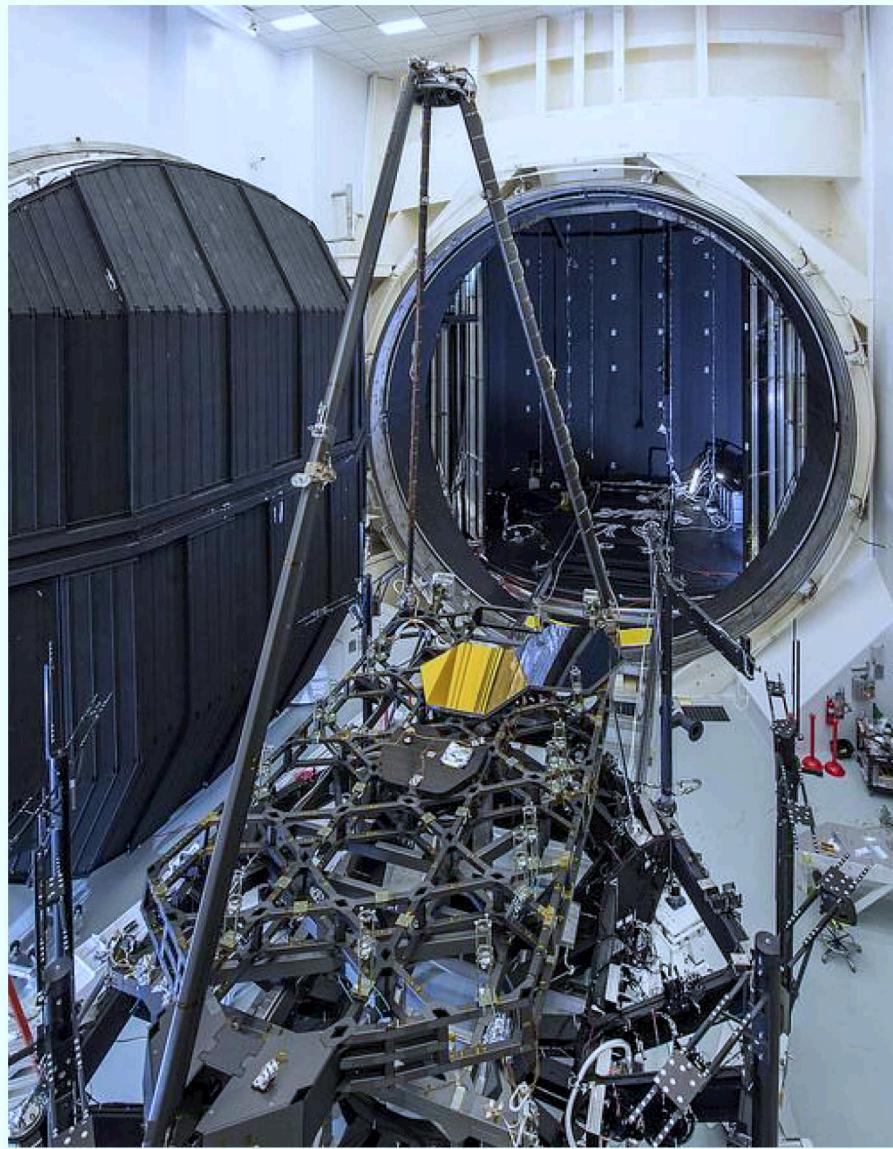
Thermal modeling of payload and DSERS  
started



Mag Damper Cryo  
Test Article  
Fabrication started

World's largest TV chamber OTIS: testing JWST June-Oct. 2017.

# Pathfinder & JSC Chamber A: getting ready for OGSE1 (and eventually OGSE2 & Thermal Pathfinder)



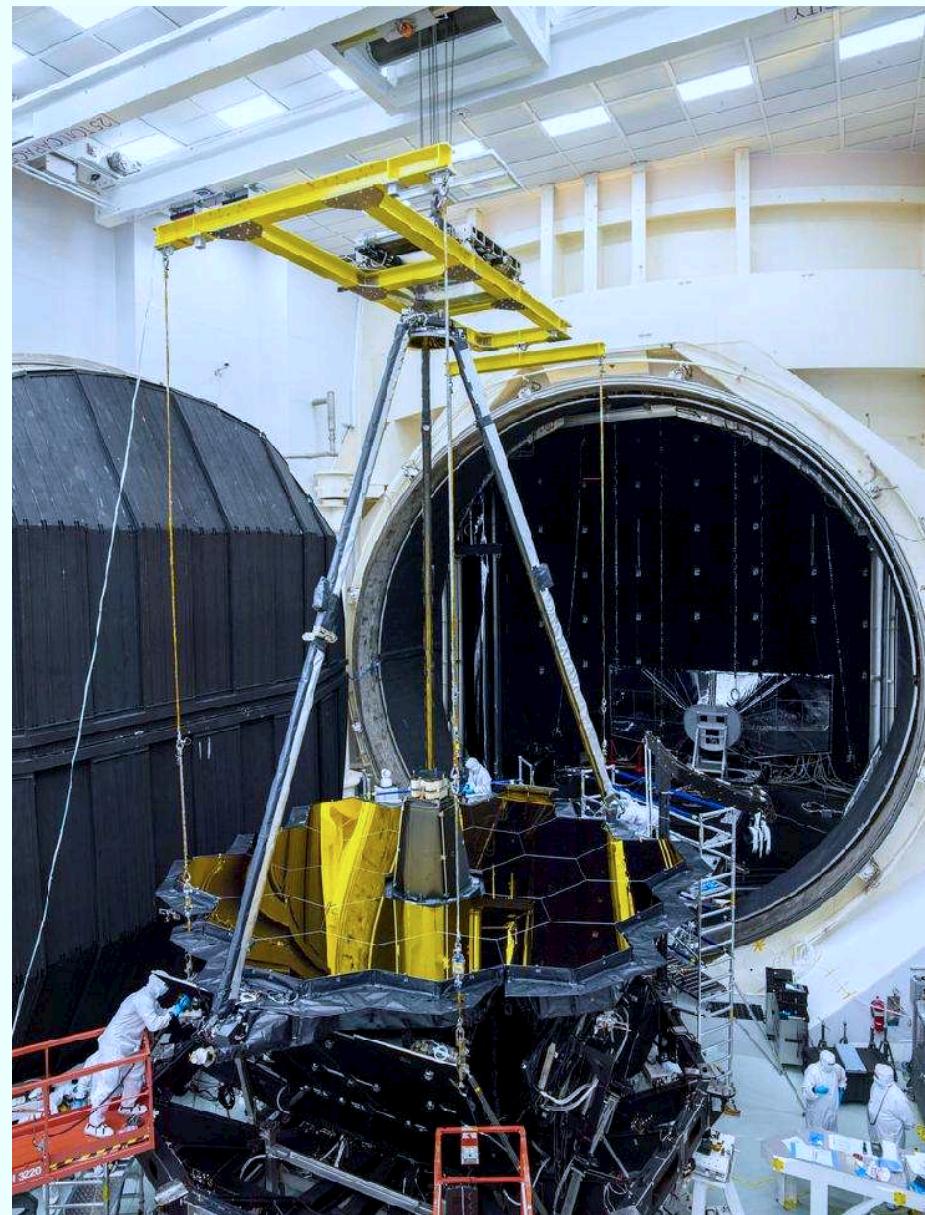
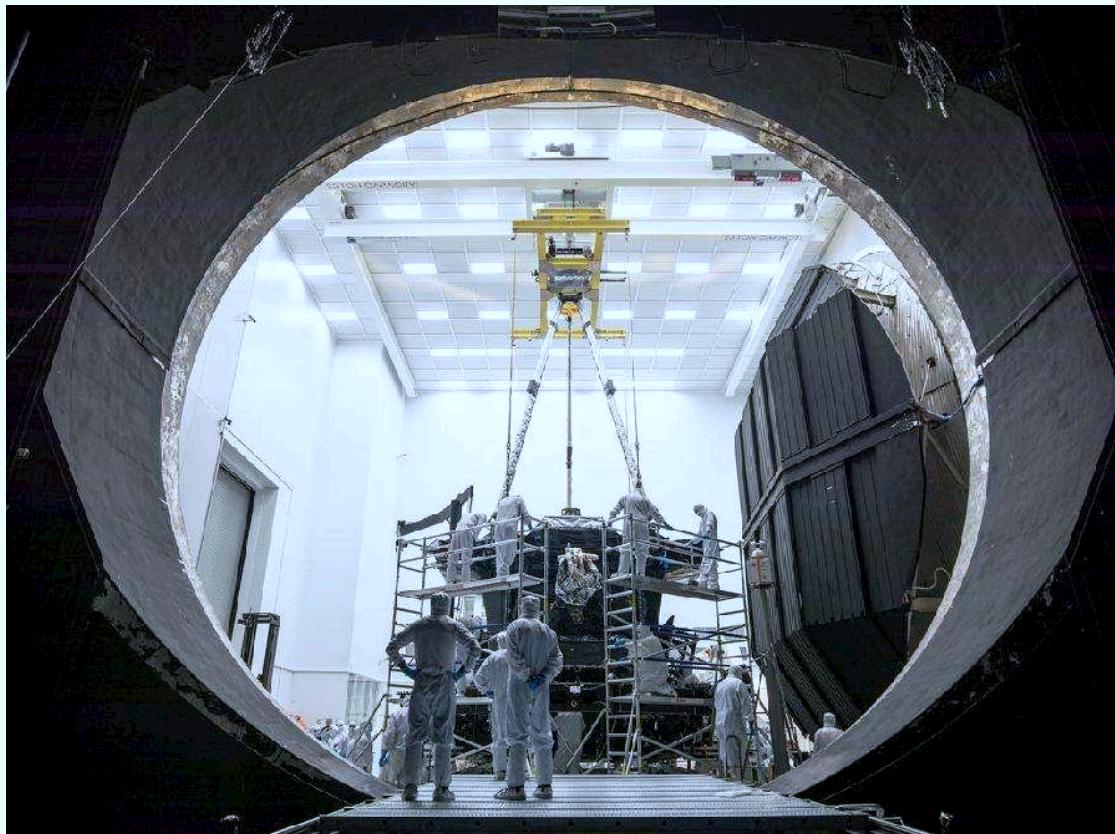
2015–2016: Testing OTIS chamber with the JWST Engineering model.

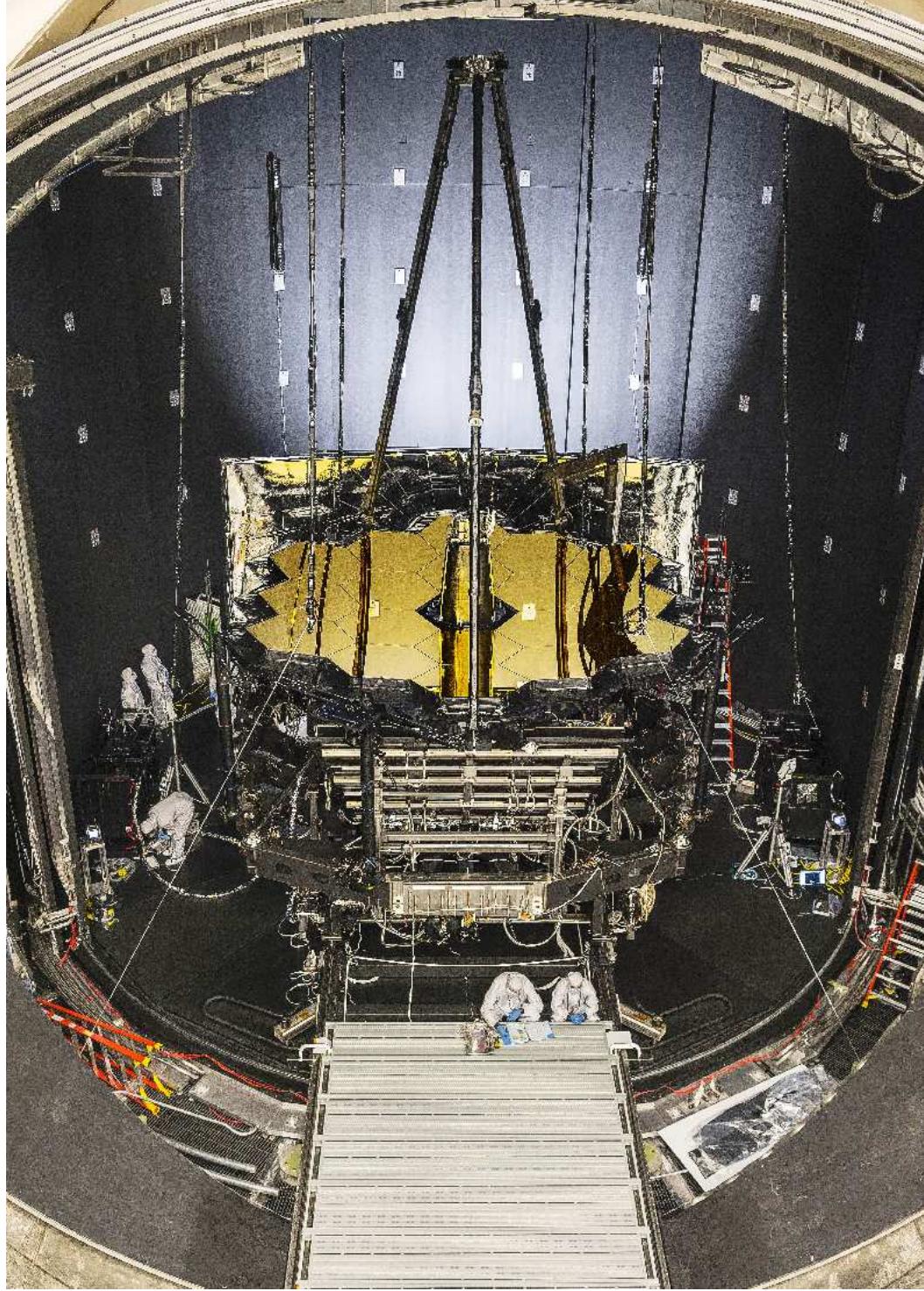


May 2017: JWST in enclosure at Johnson Space Center in Houston.

# Program Update: OTIS

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Sep. 2017: JWST now in Chamber A at Johnson Space Center in Houston!

# Program Updates: Spacecraft and Sunshield

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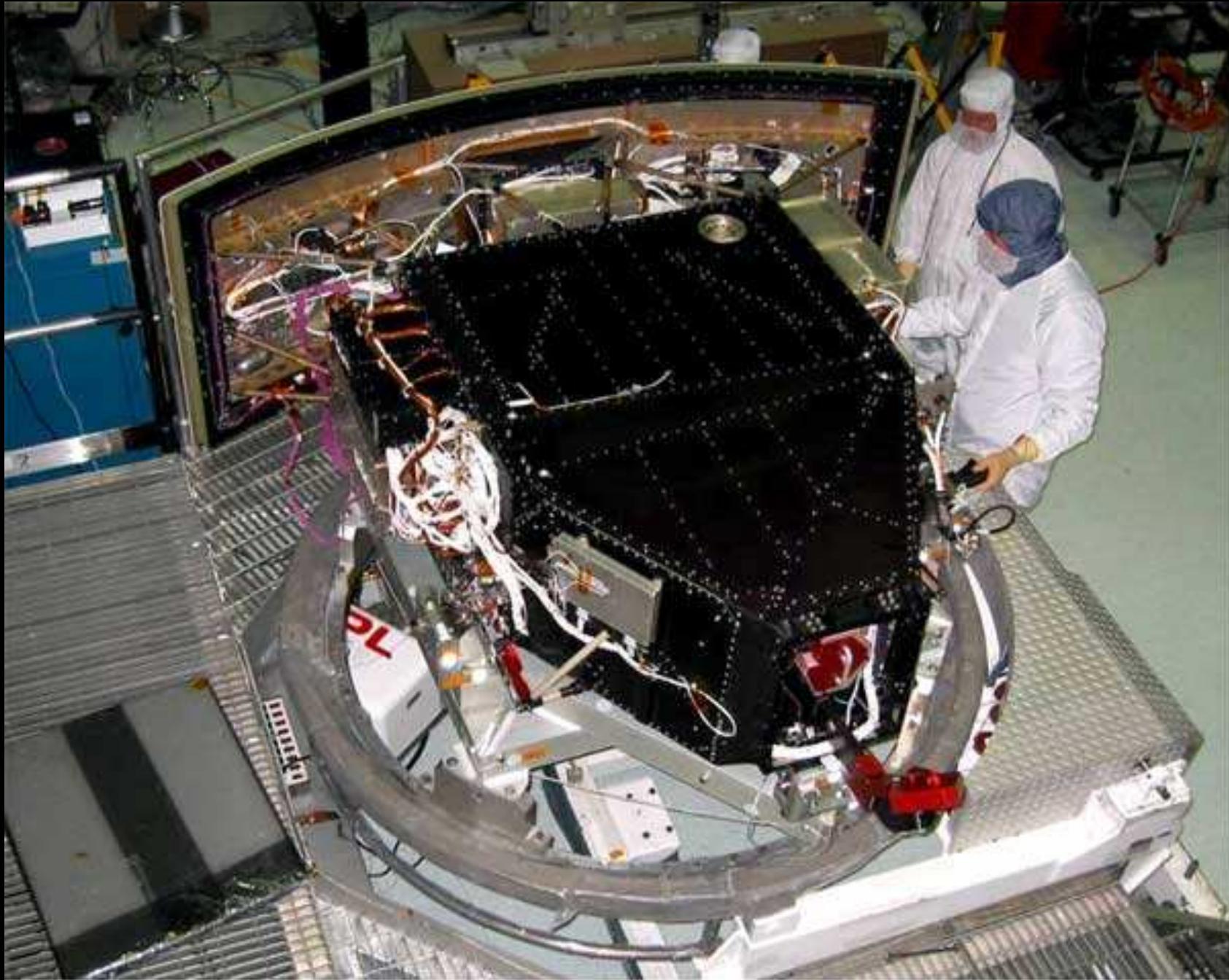
Spring–Fall 2017: JWST Flight Sunshield assembled and tested at Northrop.

## (2) HST WFC3: Measuring Galaxy Assembly and SMBH/AGN Growth?



10 filters with HST/WFC3 & ACS reaching AB=26.5–27.0 mag (10- $\sigma$ ) over 40 arcmin<sup>2</sup> at 0.07–0.15" FWHM from 0.2–1.7 $\mu$ m (UVUBVizYJH). JWST adds 0.05–0.2" FWHM imaging to AB $\simeq$ 31.5 mag (1 FF) at 1–5 $\mu$ m, and 0.2–1.2" FWHM at 5–29 $\mu$ m, tracing young+old SEDs & dust.

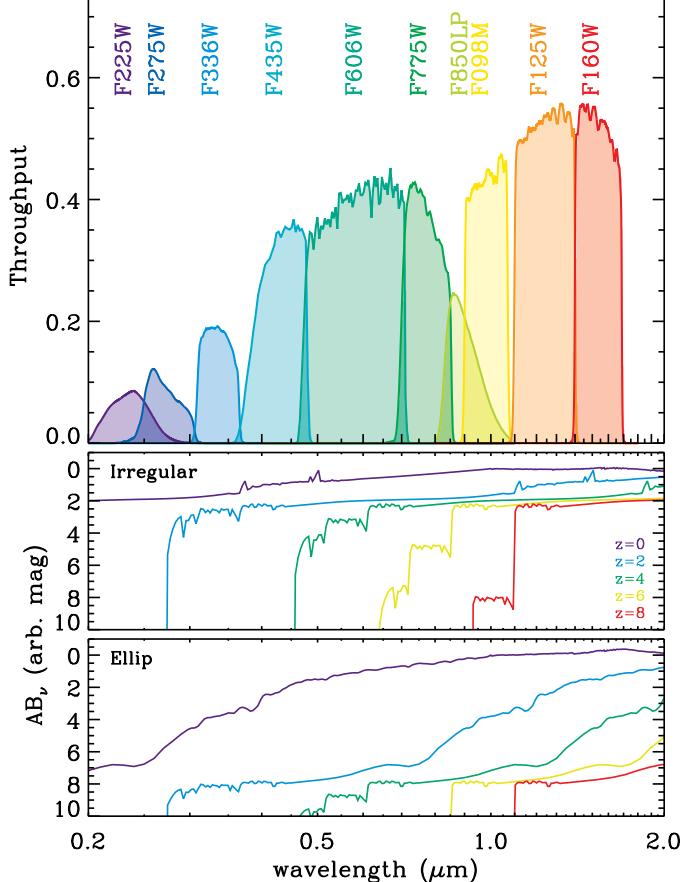
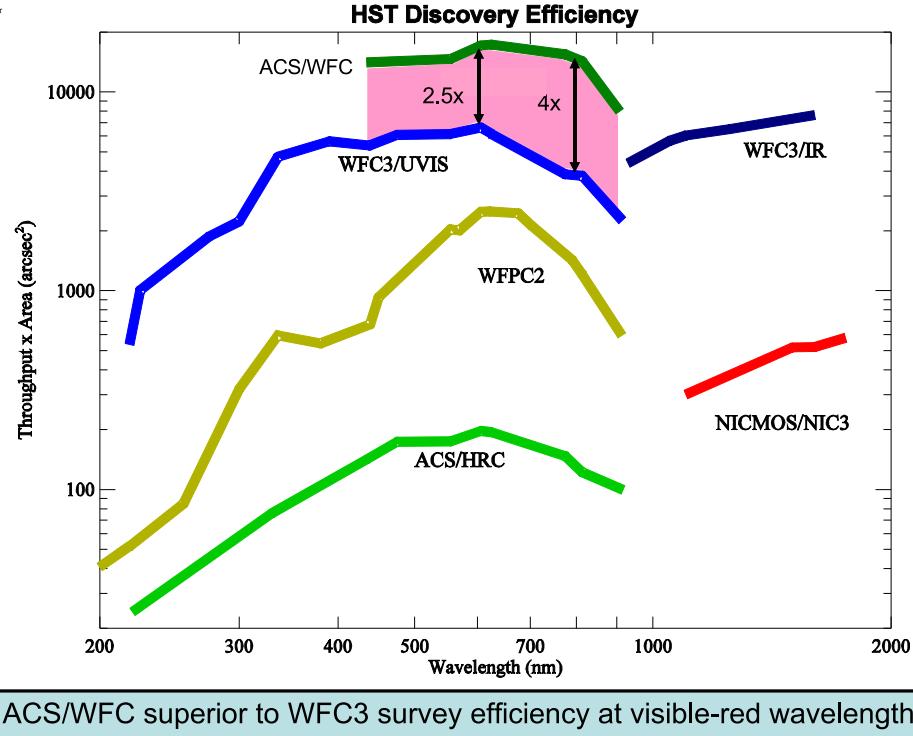
## (2a) WFC3: Hubble's new Panchromatic High-Throughput Camera



HST WFC3 and its IR channel: a critical pathfinder for JWST science.



## Role of ACS in HST Post-SM4 Imaging Capability



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WFC3/UVIS channel unprecedented UV–blue throughput & areal coverage:

- QE  $\gtrsim 70\%$ ,  $4k \times 4k$  array of  $0\farcs04$  pixel, FOV  $\simeq 2\farcs67 \times 2\farcs67$ .

WFC3/IR channel unprecedented near-IR throughput & areal coverage:

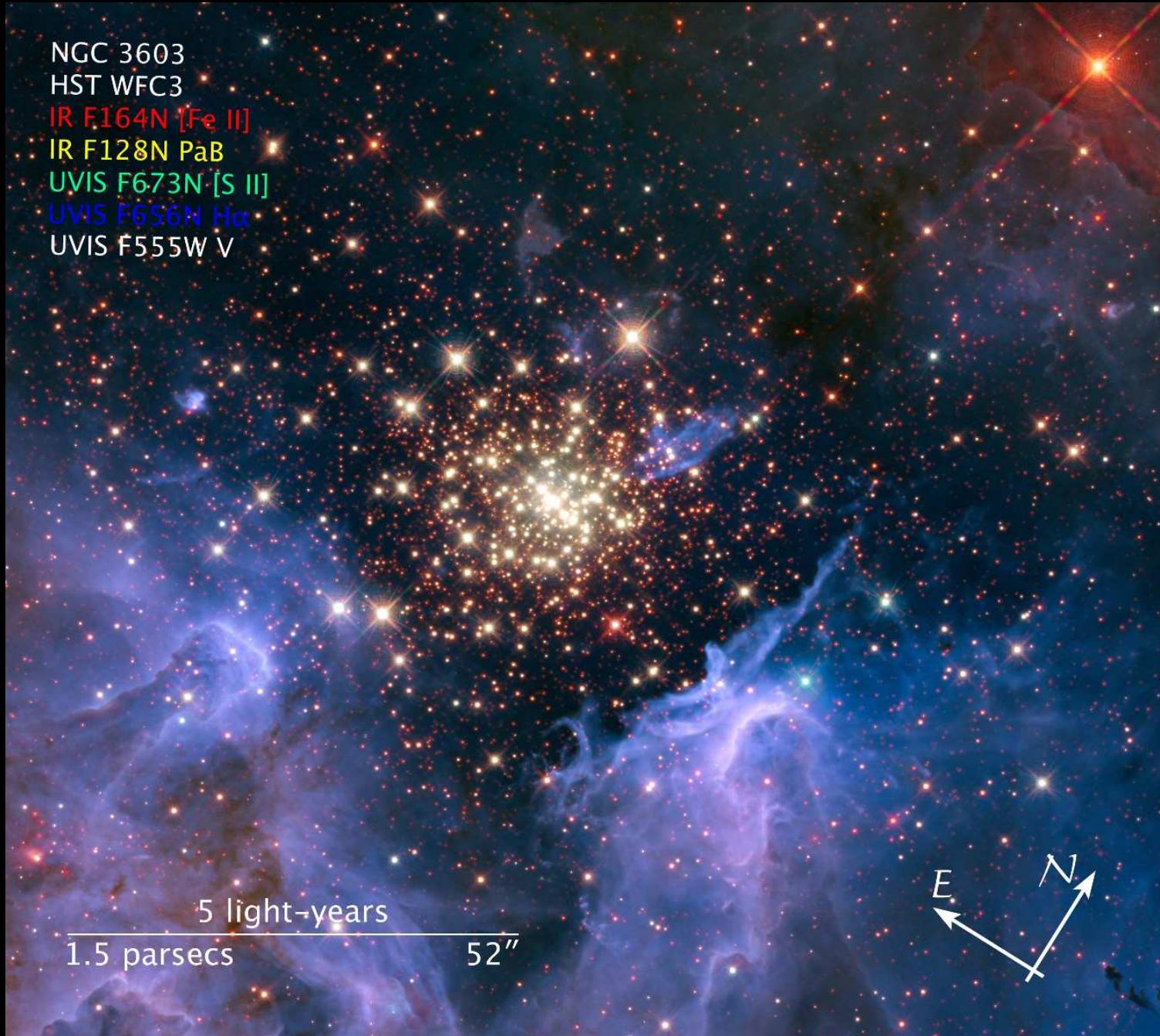
- QE  $\gtrsim 70\%$ ,  $1k \times 1k$  array of  $0\farcs13$  pixel, FOV  $\simeq 2\farcs25 \times 2\farcs25$ .

$\Rightarrow$  WFC3 opened major new parameter space for astrophysics in 2009:

WFC3 filters designed for star-formation and galaxy assembly at  $z \simeq 1\text{--}8$ .

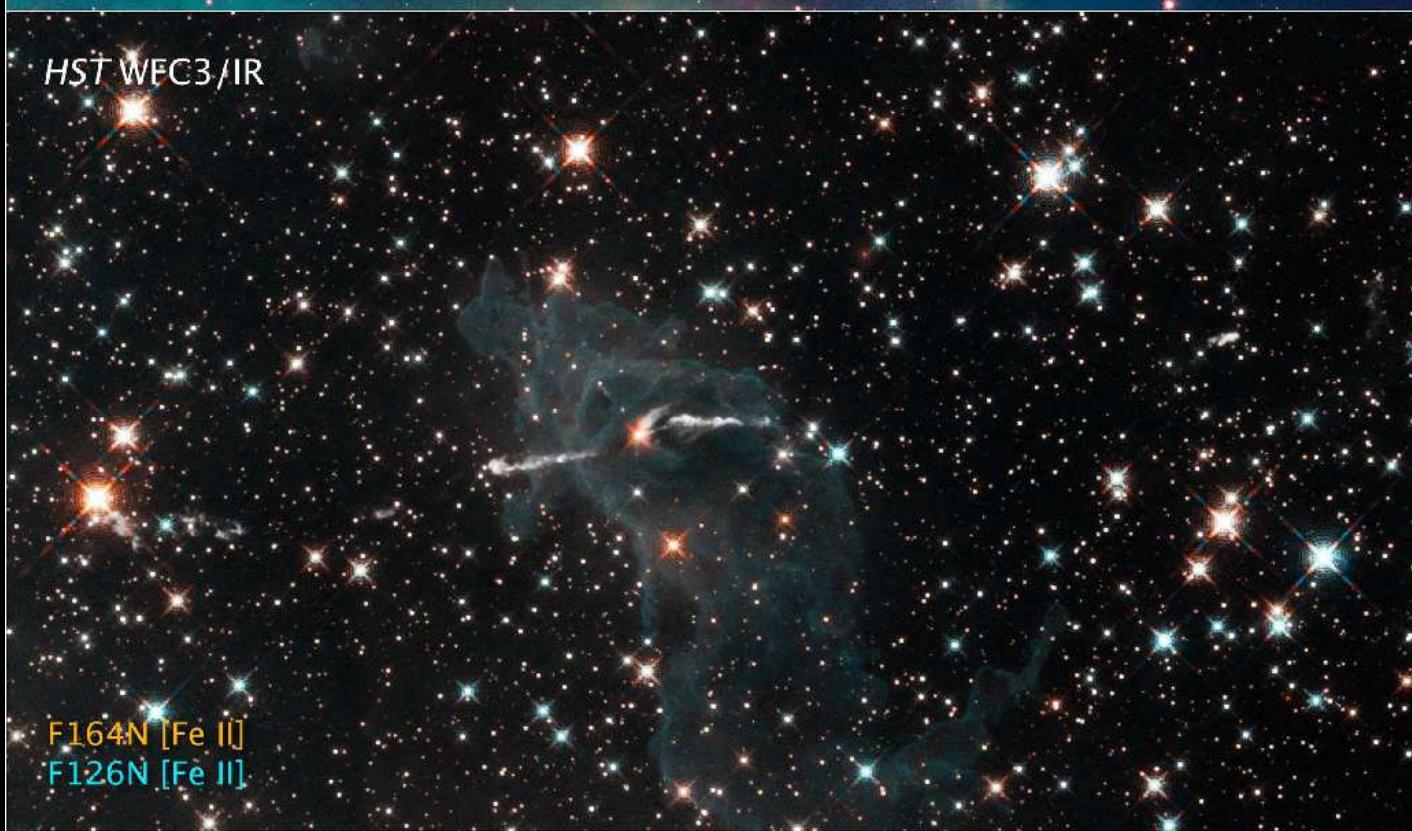
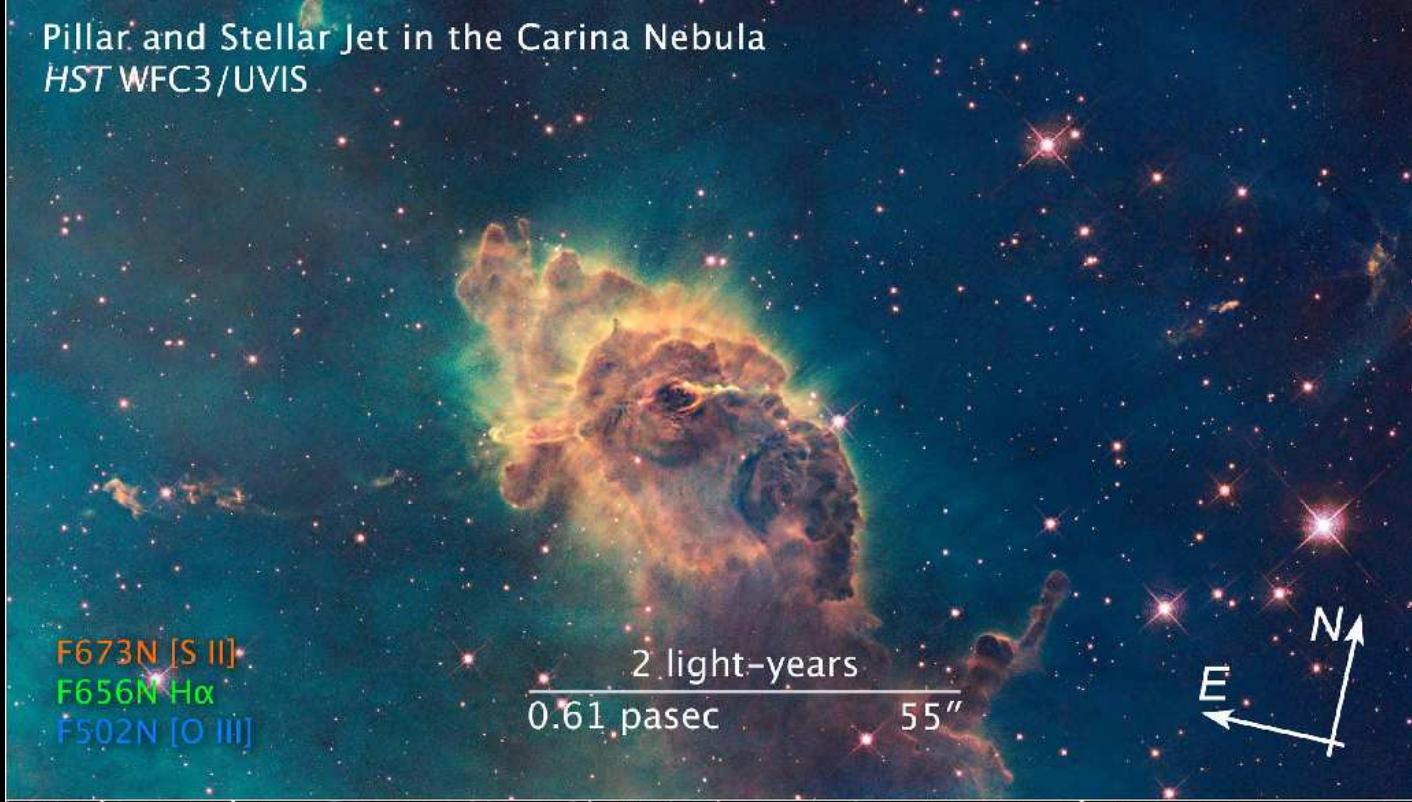
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### (3) How can JWST measure Star-Formation and Earth-like exoplanets?

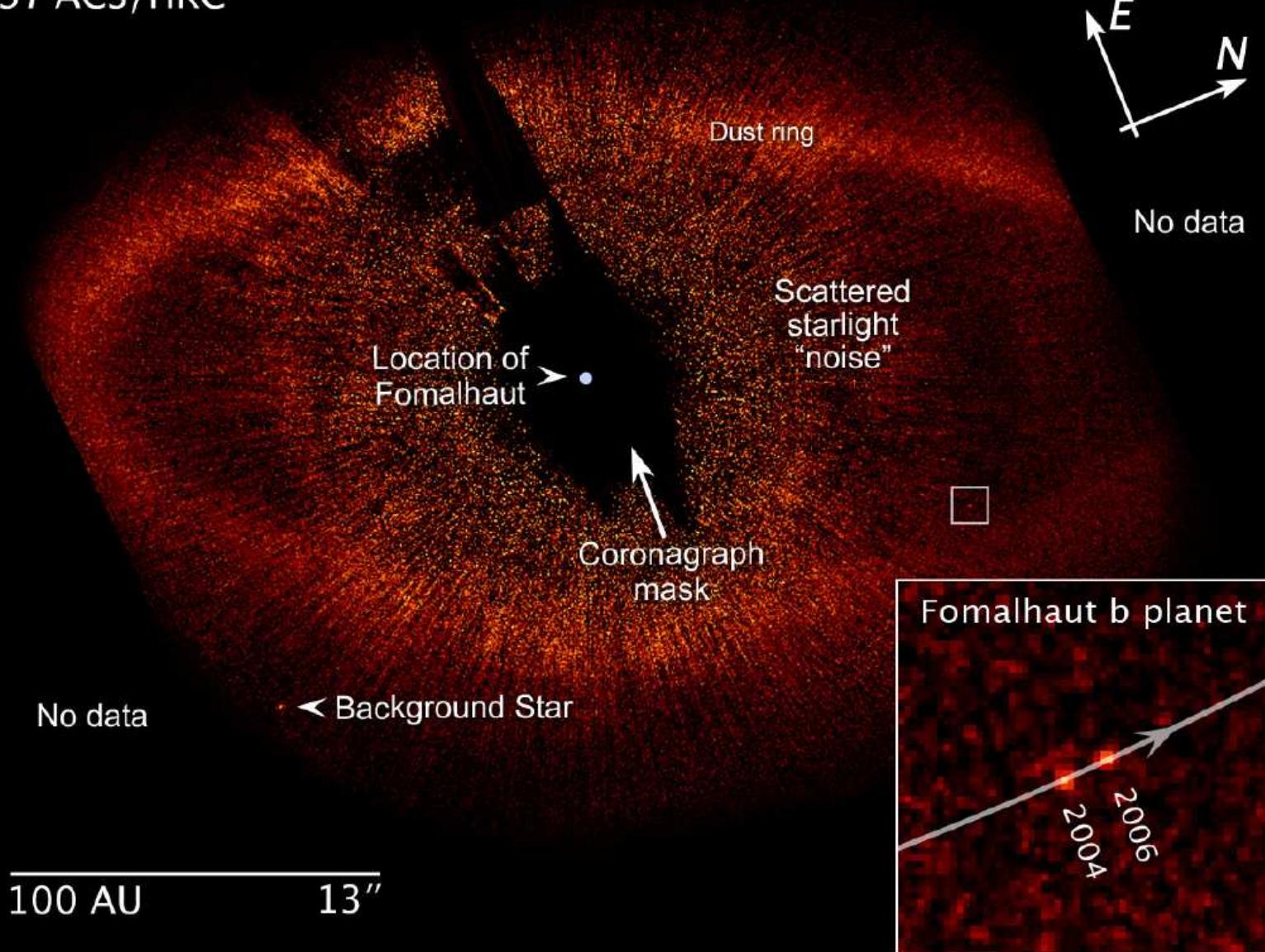


NGC 3603: Young star-cluster triggering star-birth in “Pillars of Creation”

Pillar and Stellar Jet in the Carina Nebula  
HST WFC3/UVIS

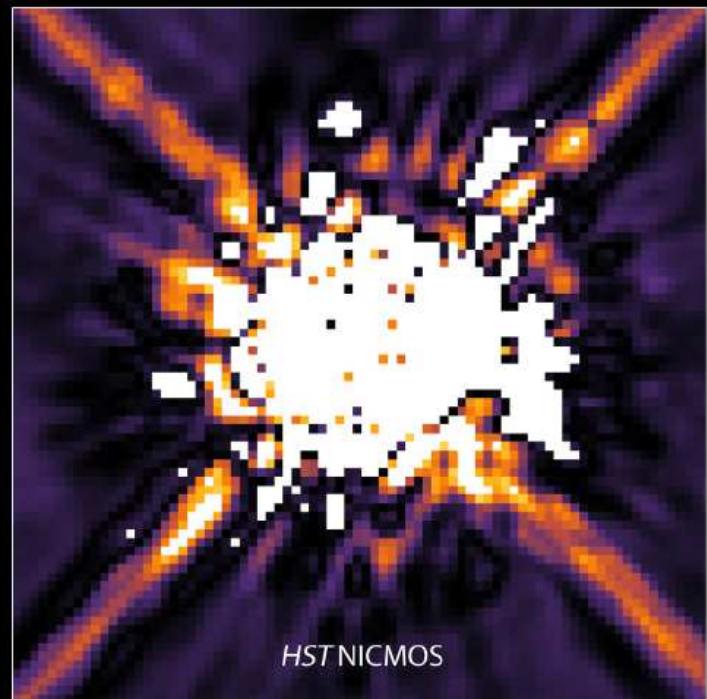


Fomalhaut  
HST ACS/HRC

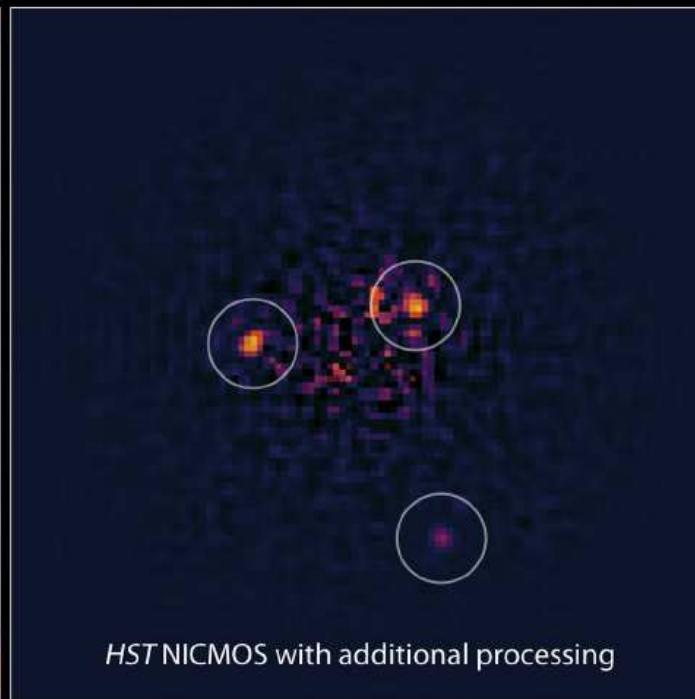


HST/ACS Coronagraph imaging of planetary debris disk around Fomalhaut:  
First direct imaging of a moving planet forming around a nearby star!  
JWST can find such planets much closer in for much farther stars.

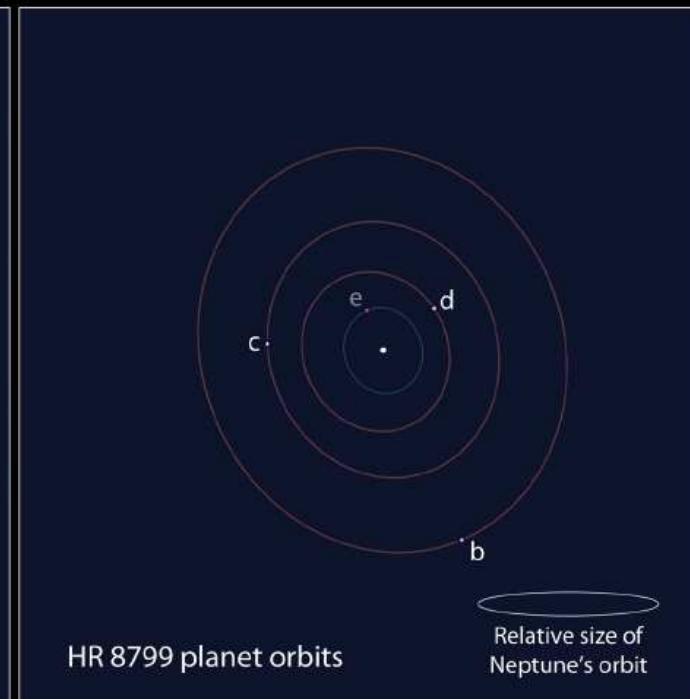
## Exoplanet HR 8799 System



NASA, ESA, and R. Soummer (STScI)



HST NICMOS with additional processing



HR 8799 planet orbits

Relative size of  
Neptune's orbit

STScI-PRC11-29

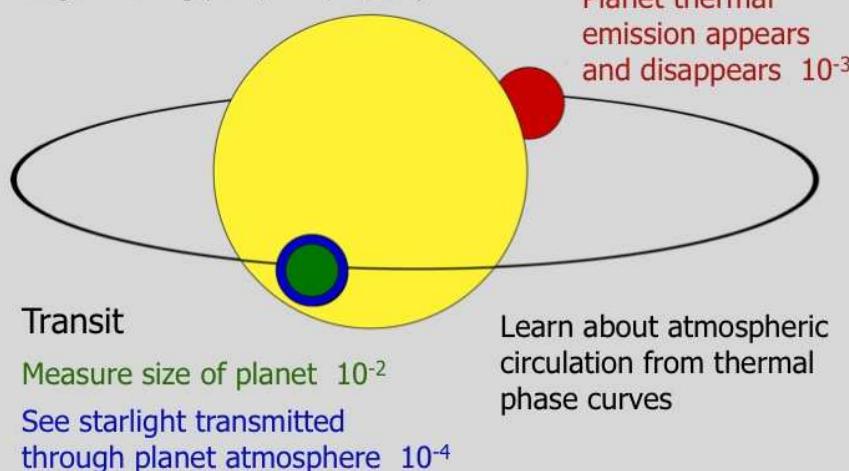
HST/NICMOS imaging of planetary system around the (carefully subtracted) star HR 8799: Direct imaging of planets around a nearby star.

Press release: <http://hubblesite.org/newscenter/archive/releases/2011/29/>

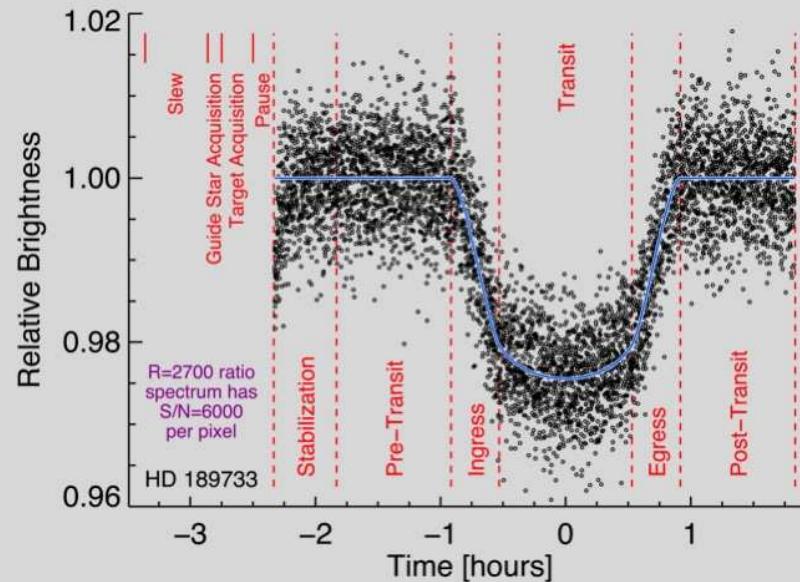
JWST can find such planets much closer in for much farther-away stars.

## Schematic of Transit and Eclipse Science

Seager & Deming (2010, ARAA, 48, 631)



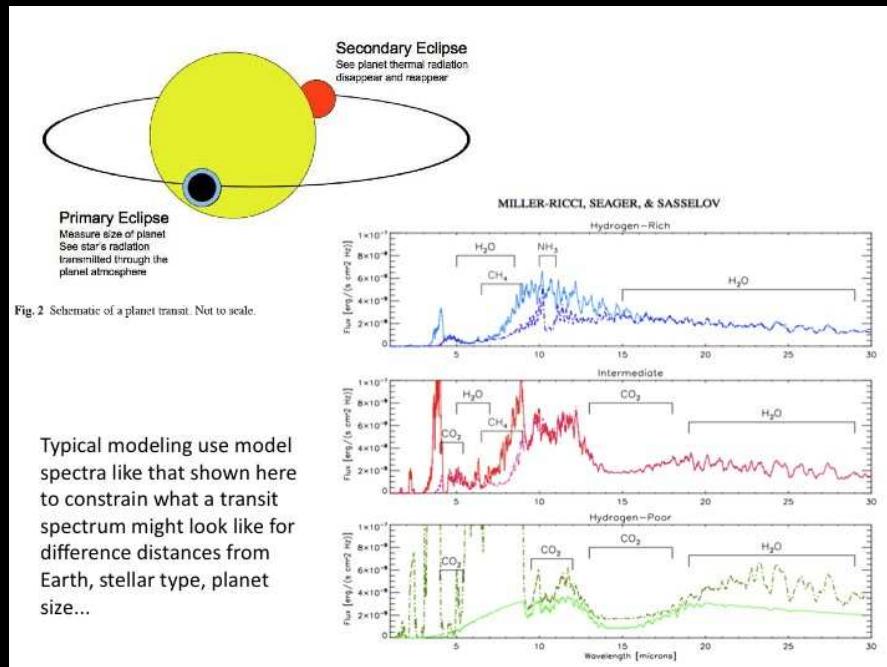
## Timeline of a Transit Observation



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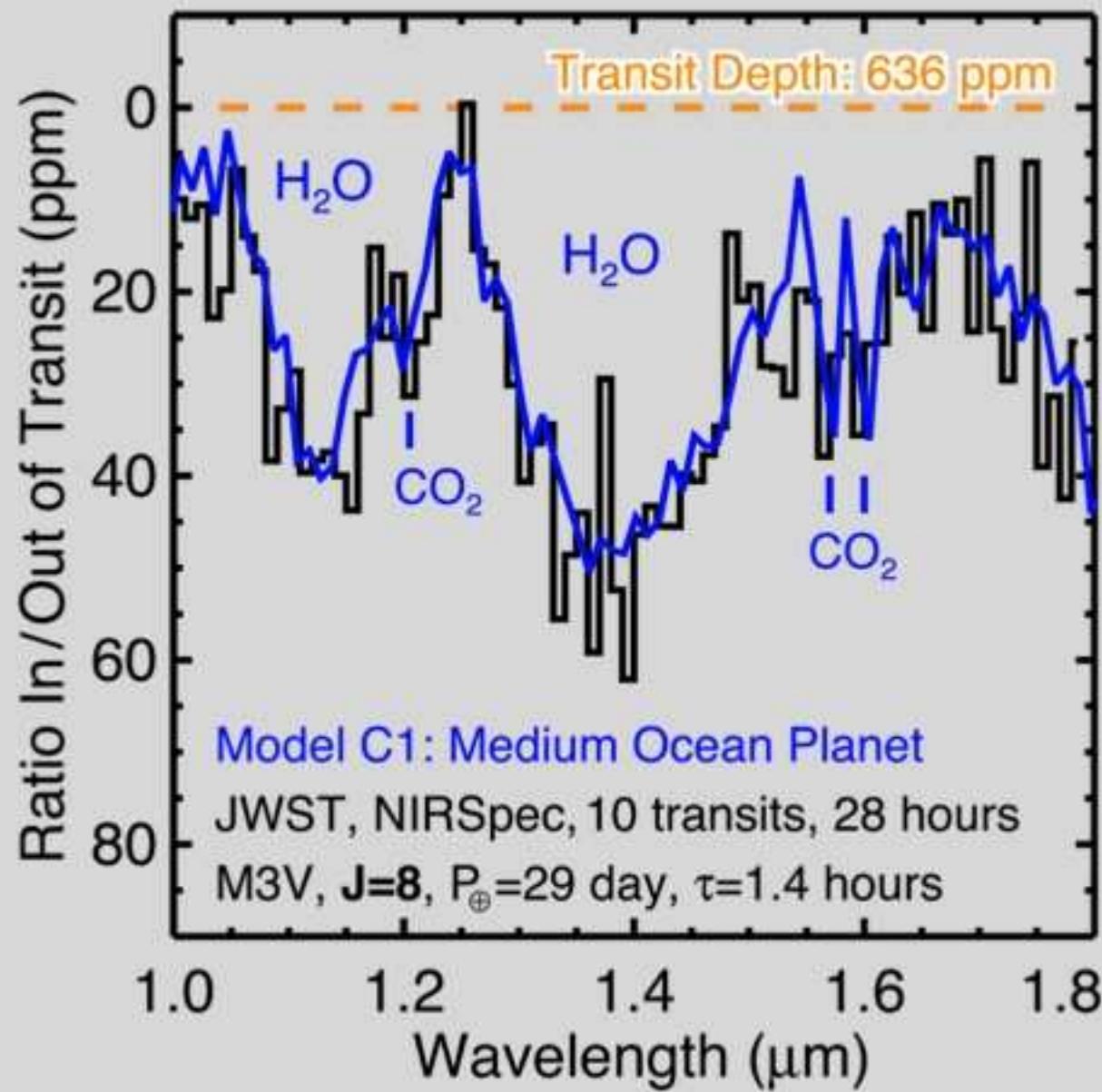
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JWST can do very precise photometry of transiting Earth-like exoplanets.



JWST IR spectra can find water and  $\text{CO}_2$  in (super-)Earth-like exoplanets.

# Transit Spectrum of Habitable “Ocean Planet”

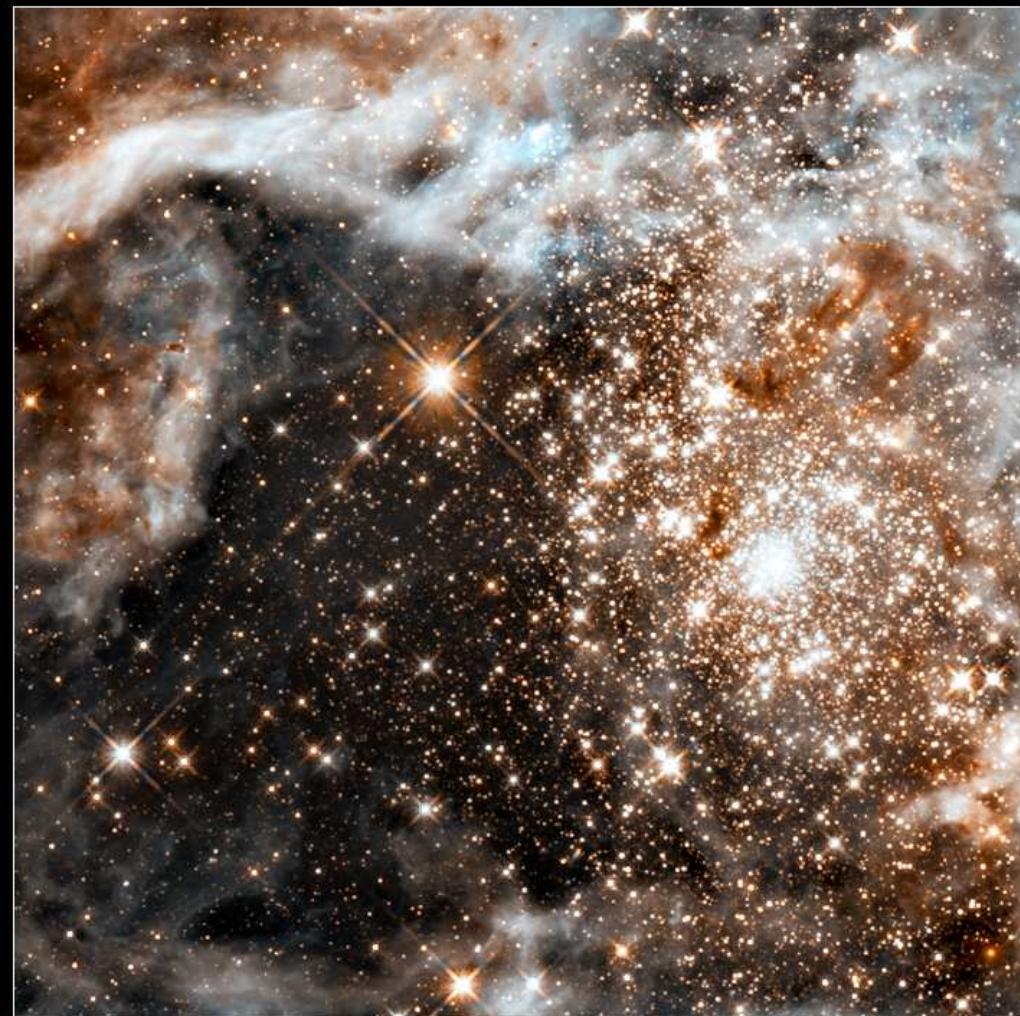
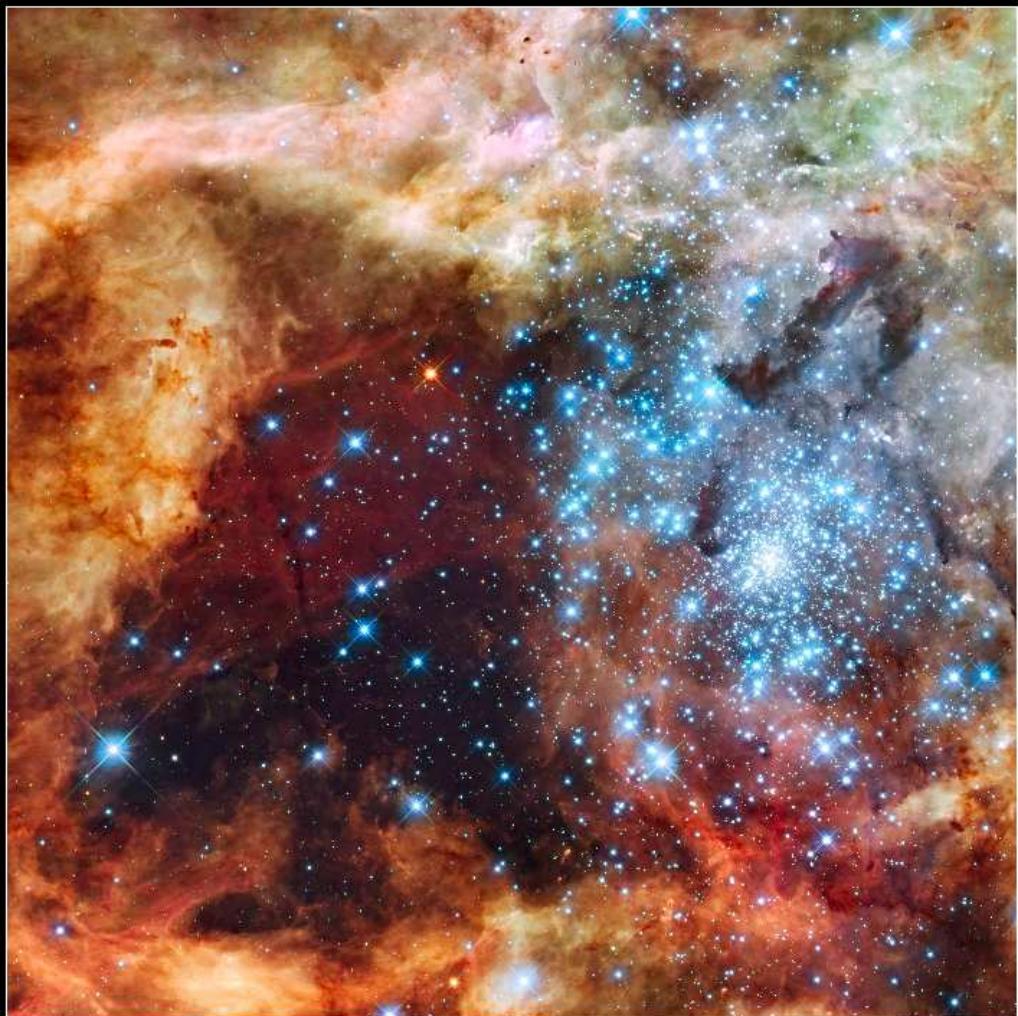


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Visible

Infrared



## 30 Doradus Nebula and Star Cluster

*Hubble Space Telescope • WFC3/UVIS/IR*

NASA, ESA, F. Paresce (INAF-IASF, Italy), and the WFC3 Science Oversight Committee

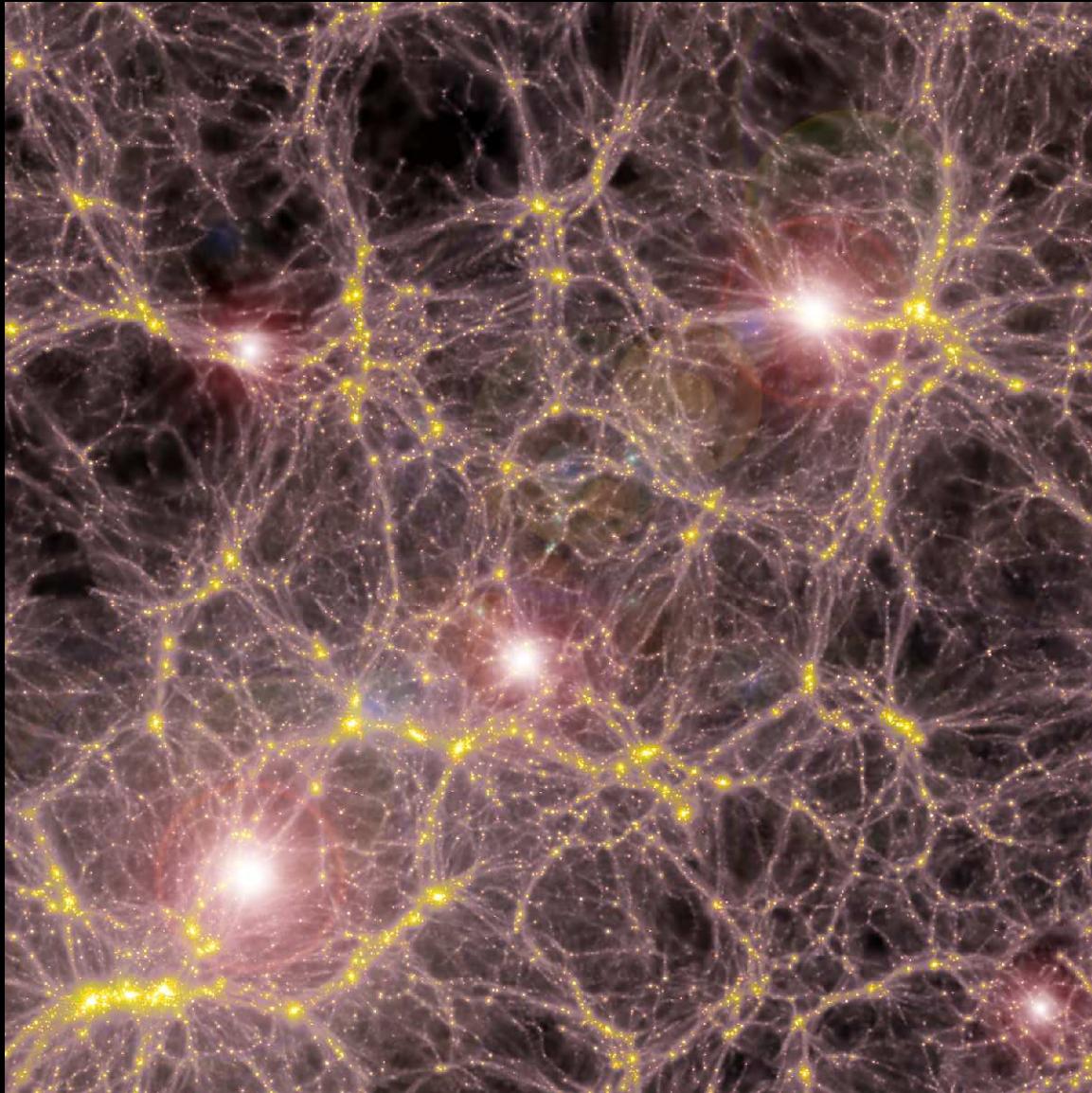
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30 Doradus: Giant young star-cluster in Large Magellanic Cloud (150,000 ly), triggering birth of Sun-like stars (and surrounding debris disks).





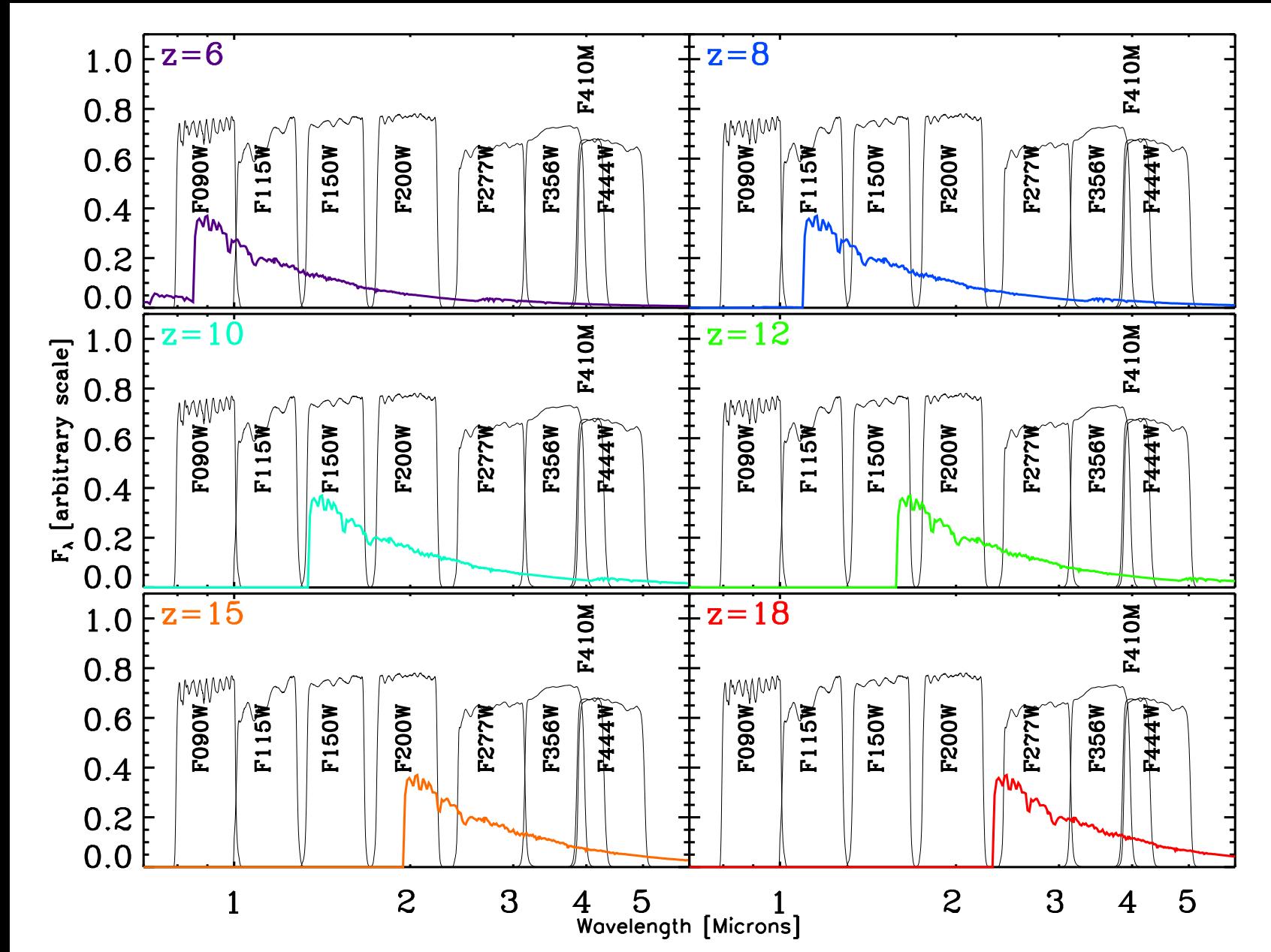
### (3) How will JWST Observe First Light and Reionization?



- Detailed cosmological models (V. Bromm) suggest that massive “Pop III” stars ( $\gtrsim 100 M_{\text{sun}}$ ) started to reionize the universe at  $z \lesssim 10$ –30 (0.1–0.5 Gyr; “First Light”).
- This should be visible to JWST as the first Pop III stars or surrounding (Pop II.5) star clusters, and perhaps their extremely luminous supernovae at  $z \simeq 10 \rightarrow 30$ .

We must make sure that we theoretically understand the likely Pop III mass-range, their IMF, their duplicity and clustering properties, their SN-rates, etc., before JWST flies, so we know what to look for.

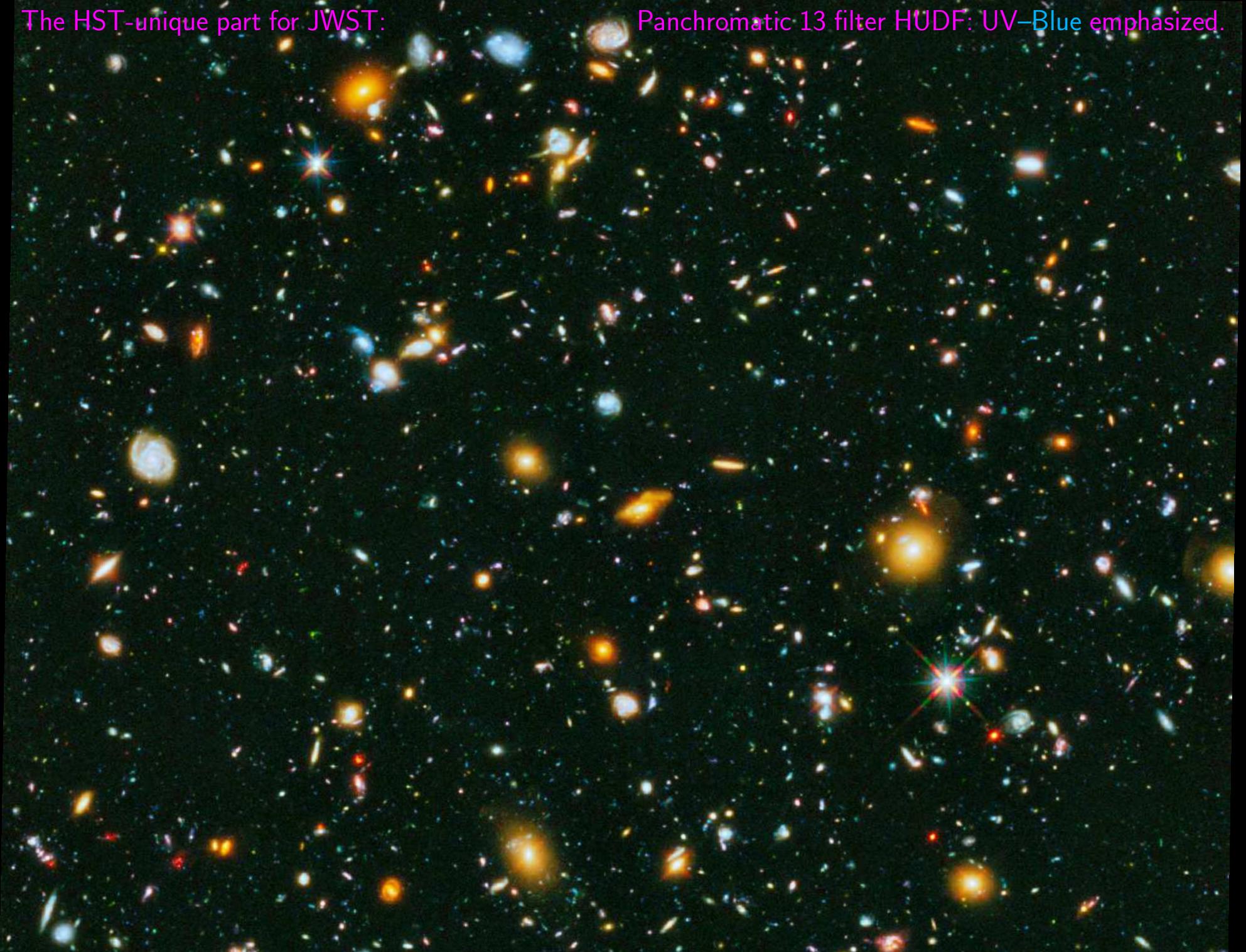
### 3) How will Webb measure First Light: What to expect in (Ultra)Deep Fields?



- Can't beat redshift: to see First Light, must observe near-mid IR.  
→ This is why JWST needs NIRCam at 0.8–5  $\mu$ m and MIRI at 5–28  $\mu$ m.

The HST-unique part for JWST:

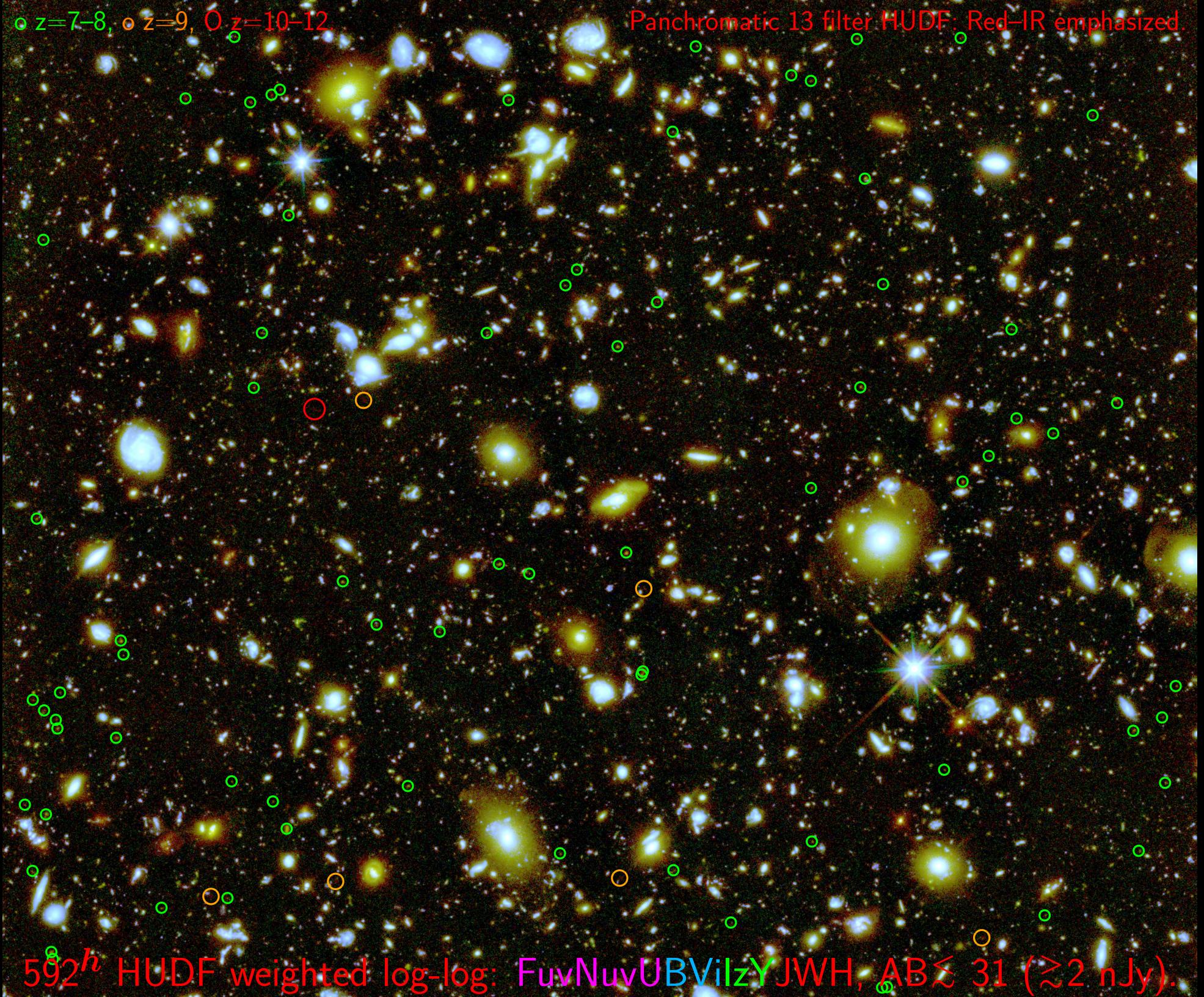
Panchromatic 13 filter HUDF: UV–Blue emphasized.



592<sup>h</sup> HUDF weighted log-log: F<sub>UV</sub>N<sub>UV</sub>U<sub>B</sub>V<sub>I</sub>zYJWH, AB $\lesssim$ 28–31 ( $\gtrsim$ 2 nJy).

○  $z=7-8$ , ○  $z=9$ , ○  $z=10-12$ .

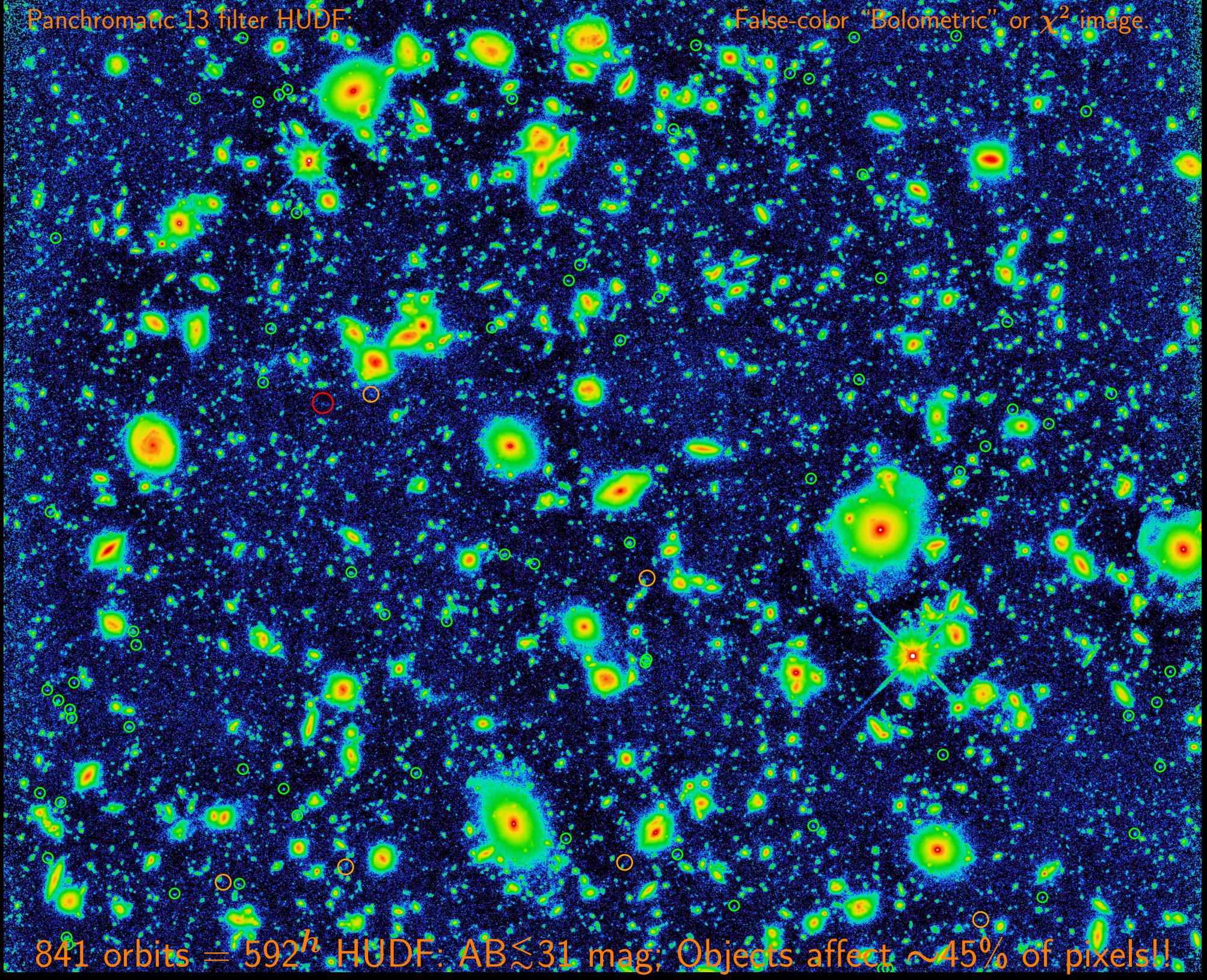
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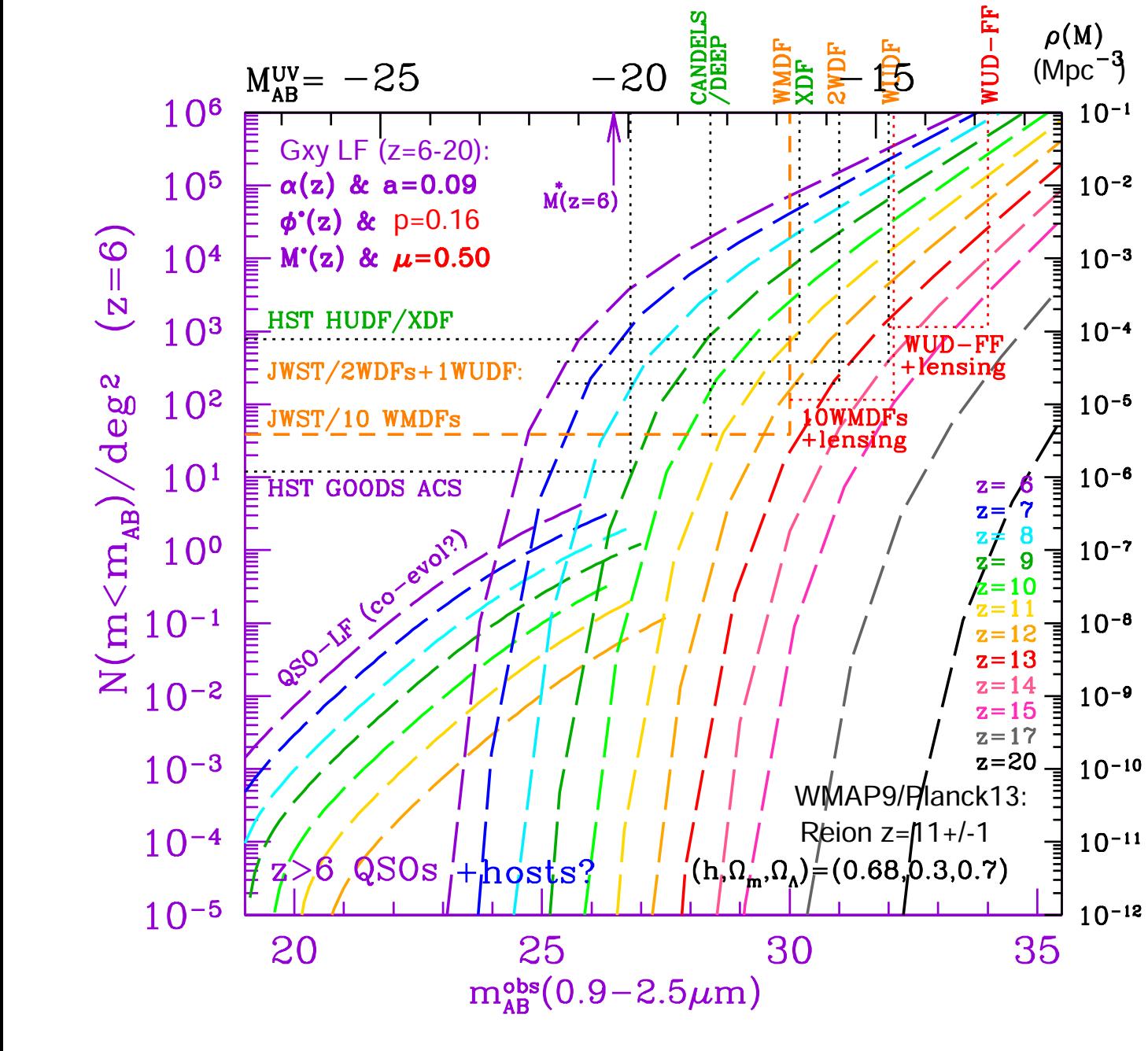
$592^h$  HUDF weighted log-log: F<sub>UV</sub>N<sub>UV</sub>U<sub>BV</sub>I<sub>zYJWH</sub>, AB  $\lesssim 31$  ( $\gtrsim 2$  nJy).

Panchromatic 13 filter HUDF

False-color "Bolometric" or  $\chi^2$  image.

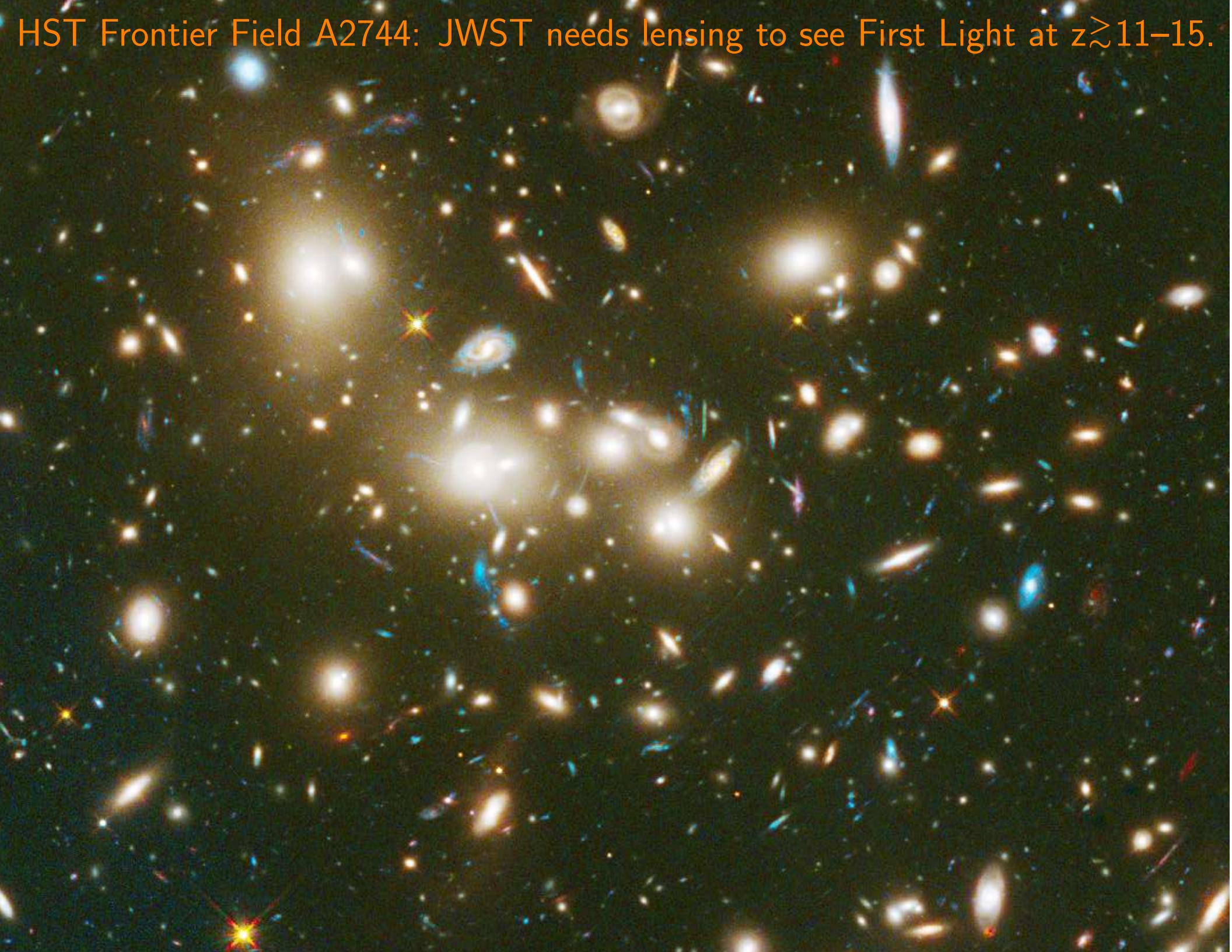


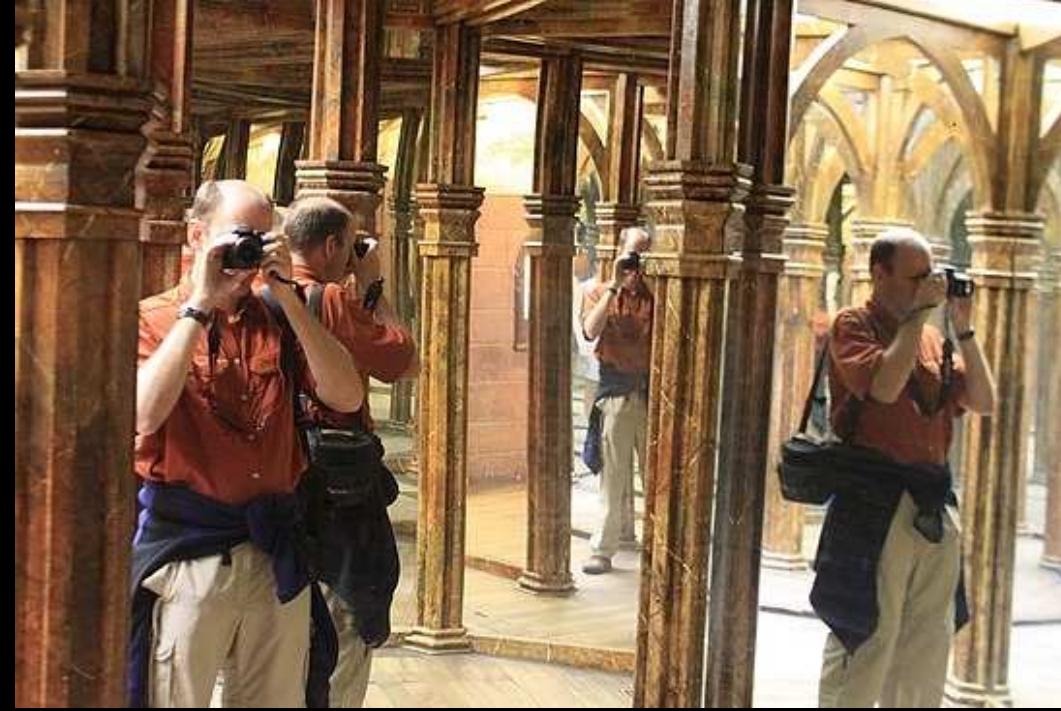
841 orbits = 592<sup>h</sup> HUDF: AB  $\lesssim$  31 mag; Objects affect  $\sim$  45% of pixels!!



Schechter LF ( $z \lesssim 6 \lesssim 20$ ) with best-fit  $\alpha(z)$ ,  $\Phi^*(z)$ ,  $M^*(z)$  &  $\mu=0.50$ .  
 Area/Sensitivity for: Hubble Deep Field (HUDF)/X-ray Deep Field (XDF), 10 Wide-Field Multi-Object Databases (WMDFs), 2 Wide-Field Databases (WDFs), & 1 Wide-Field Ultra-deep Database (WUDFF).  
 ● May need lensing targets for WMDF–WUDFF to see  $z \simeq 14$ –16 objects!

HST Frontier Field A2744: JWST needs lensing to see First Light at  $z \gtrsim 11-15$ .



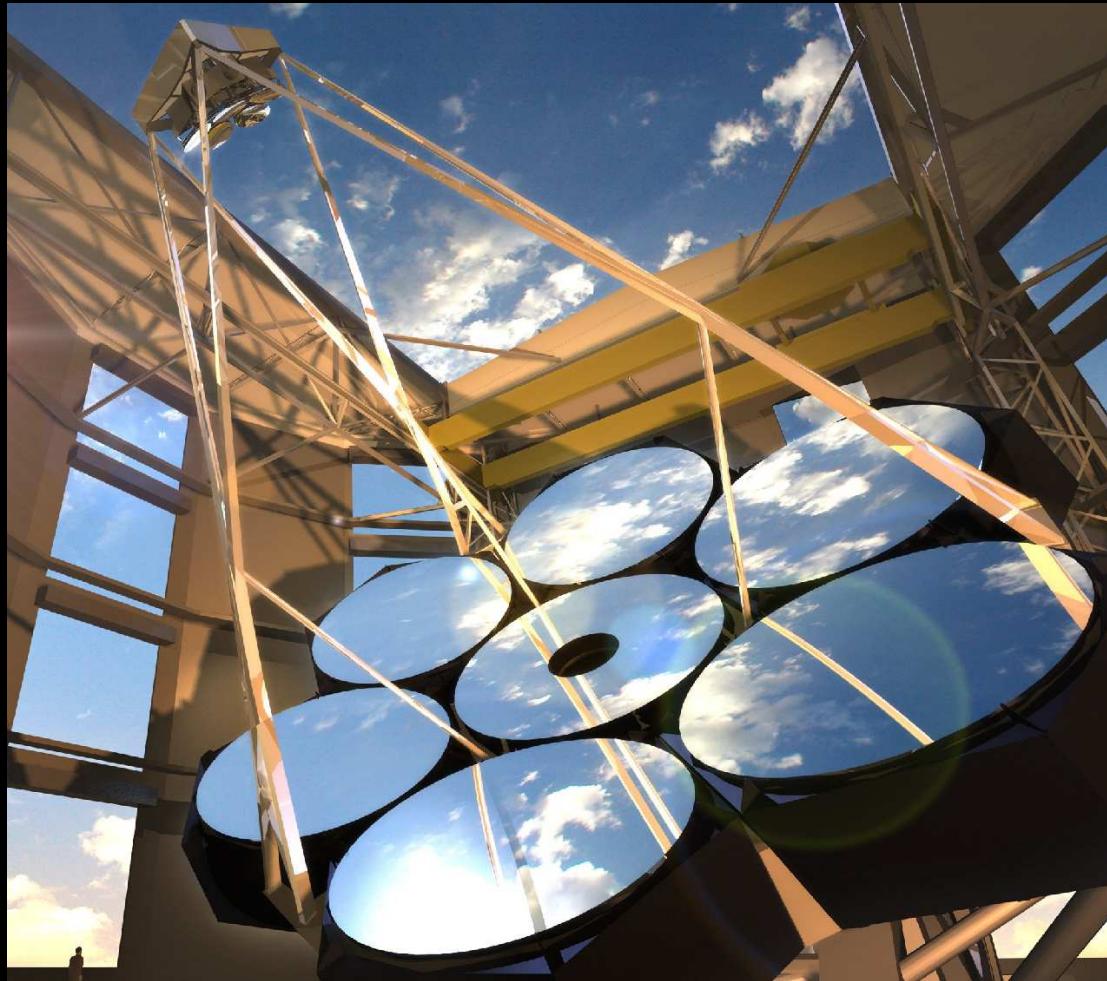
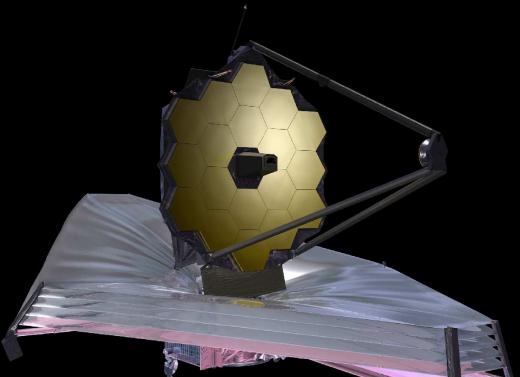


Conclusion: JWST First Light strategy must consider three aspects:

- (1) The catastrophic drop in the object density at  $z \gtrsim 8$  ( $\lesssim 0.5$  Gyr).
- (2) Cannot-see-the-forest-for-the-trees effect [“Natural Confusion” limit]:  
Background objects blend into foreground because of their own diameter.
- (3) House-of-mirrors effect [“Gravitational Confusion”]:
  - JWST needs to find most First Light objects at  $z \gtrsim 10-15$  through the best cosmic lenses (this will make the images even more crowded):
  - Lensing is needed to see what Einstein thought was impossible to observe!

## (5) Future: Next generation 20–40 m ground-based telescopes and ATLAST

True relative size: Hubble, James Webb, & Giant Magellan Telescope



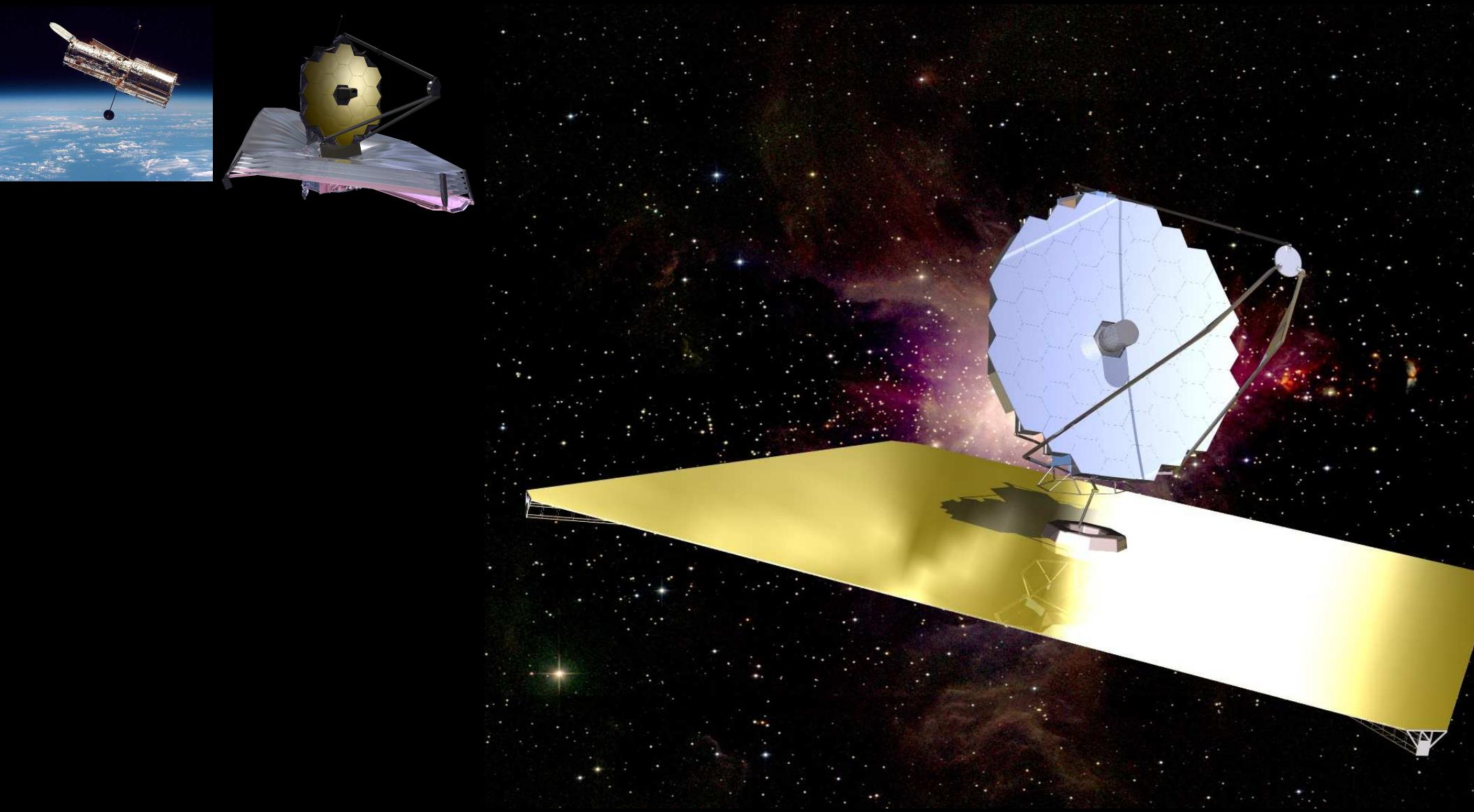
18 B\$ (1973~2020<sup>+</sup>); 9 B\$ (1996~2029);

~1 B\$ (2000~2050<sup>+</sup>).

- JWST has superbly dark L2-sky & SB-sensitivity, and stable PSF.
- GMT has 4×higher Res (AO), high-Res spectra, long-term time-domain.

(5) Future: Next generation 20–40 m ground-based telescopes and ATLAST

True relative size: Hubble, James Webb, and ATLAST ...



18 B\$ (1973~2020<sup>+</sup>); 9 B\$ (1996~2029); 15–20 B\$ (2020~2050<sup>+</sup>?).

## (5) Future: How can we knock it out of the ball-park in the next 30 years?



Each of GMT and ATLAST facility nearly fills the whole Yankee ballpark ...

- New paradigm: They are too large for an individual university to take on.
- Universities need to collaborate nation-wide to make this happen.

## (6) What do our Astrophysics College Graduates do?

### Future Careers at NASA:

- Over the last 25 years, (ASU) Astrophysics College Graduates typically:
- (0) Have very low unemployment ( $\lesssim$ few %).
- (1) About 30% are faculty at Universities or 4-year colleges.
- (2) About 30% are researchers at NASA or other government centers.
- (3) About 20% work in Aerospace or related industries.
- (4) About 20% are faculty at Community Colleges or Highschools.

See also: <http://aas.org/learn/careers-astronomy>

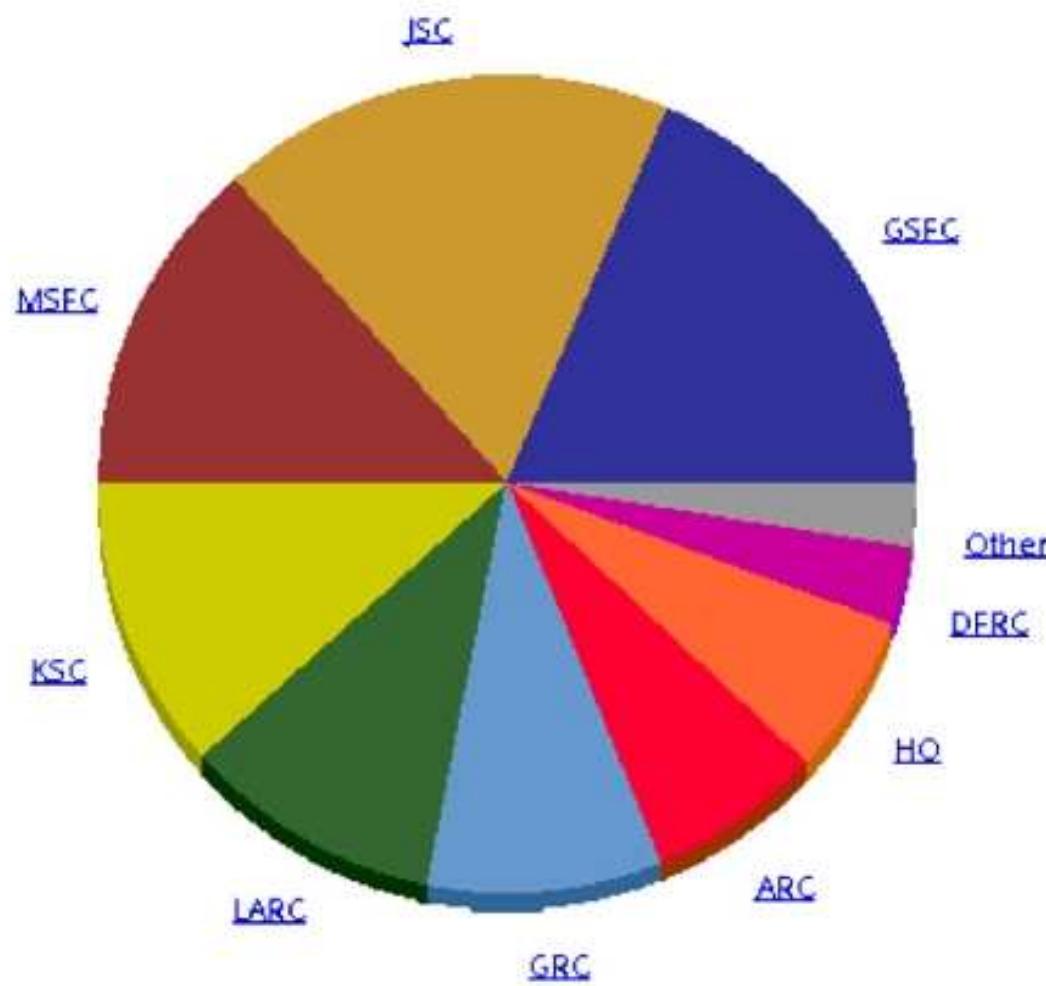
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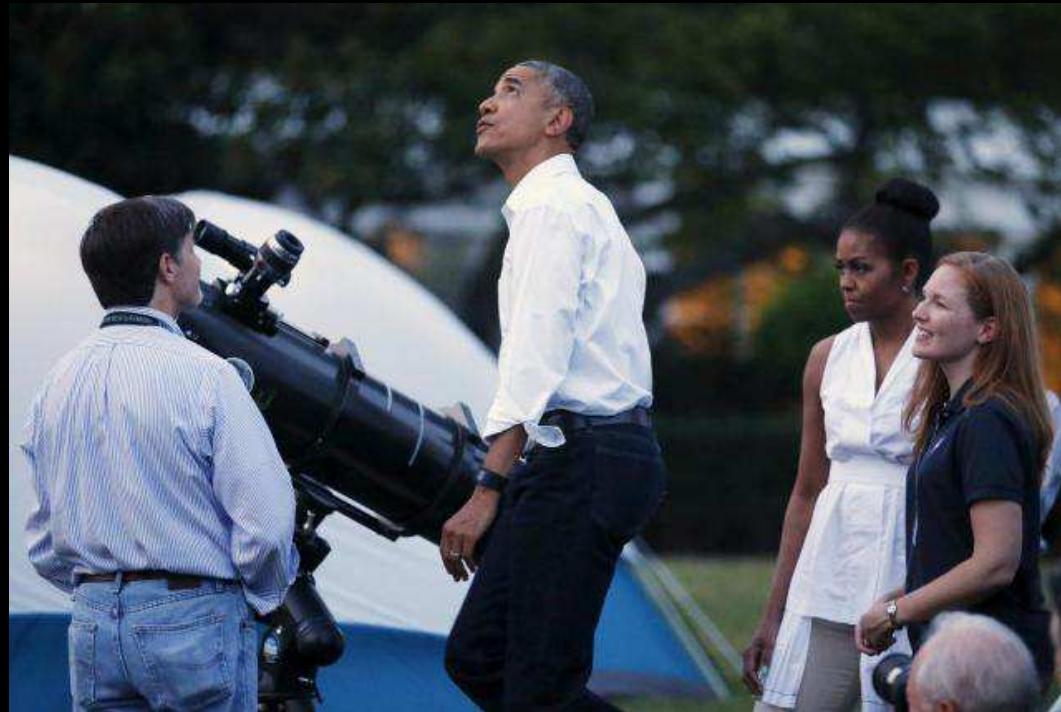


NASA workforce as pie-chart and in numbers — 2013 total: about 18,000).

Nation-wide NASA contractors (Northrop, Lockheed, Boeing, etc): 150,000.

See also: <https://wicn.nssc.nasa.gov/generic.html>

Some of our ASU grad students do important outreach events:



Annual Girl Scout Stargazing at the White House South lawn (July 2015).

Our own Amber Straughn (right; now at NASA GSFC working for Nobel Laureate Dr. John Mather) informs the Obama's about NASA.

## (7) Summary and Conclusions

(1) HST set stage to measure galaxy assembly in the last 12.7-13.0 Gyrs.

(2) JWST passed Preliminary & Critical Design Reviews in 2008 & 2010.

Management replan in 2010-2011. No technical showstoppers thus far:

- More than 99% of JWST H/W built or in fab, & meets/exceeds specs.

(3) JWST is designed to map the epochs of First Light, Reionization, and Galaxy Assembly & SMBH-growth in detail. JWST will determine:

- Formation and evolution of the first star-clusters after 0.2 Gyr.
- How dwarf galaxies formed and reionized the Universe after 1 Gyr.

(4) JWST will have a major impact on astrophysics this decade:

- IR sequel to HST starting 2019: Training next generation researchers.
- JWST will define the next frontier to explore: the Dark Ages at  $z \gtrsim 20$ .

# SPARE CHARTS

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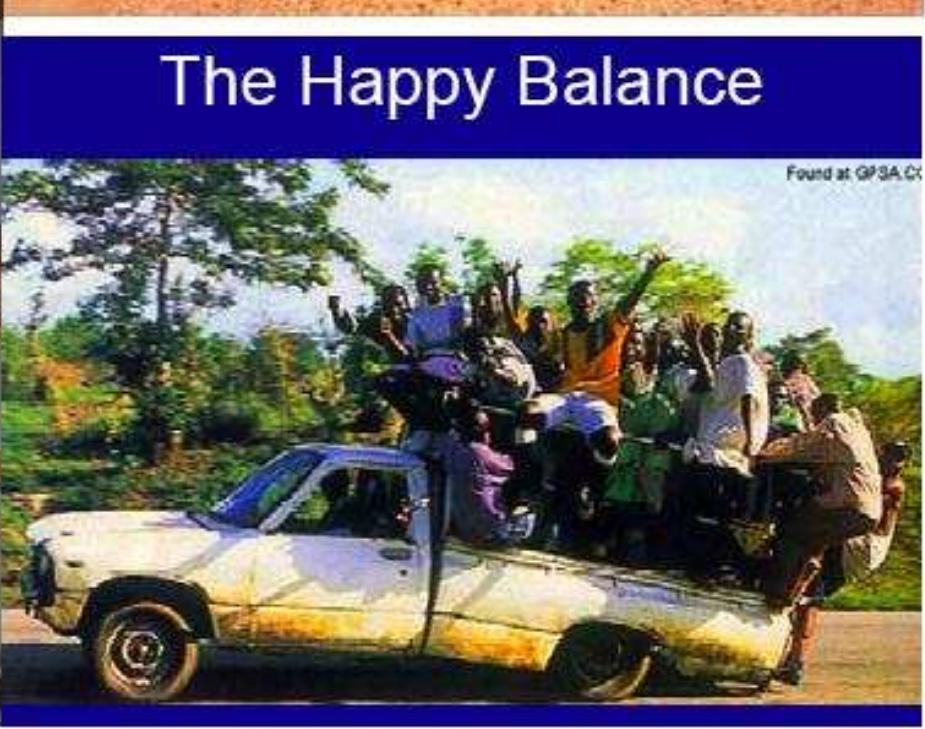
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What the Scientists See:

What the Project Manager Sees:



The Happy Balance

Found at GP3A.CX

Any (space) mission is a balance between what science demands, what technology can do, and what budget & schedule allows ... (courtesy Prof. R. Ellis).

# Northrop Grumman Expertise in Space Deployable Systems

- Over 45 years experience in the design, manufacture, integration, verification and flight operation of spacecraft deployables
- 100% mission success rate, comprising over 640 deployable systems with over 2000 elements



## Baseline "Cup Down" Tower Configuration at JSC (Before)



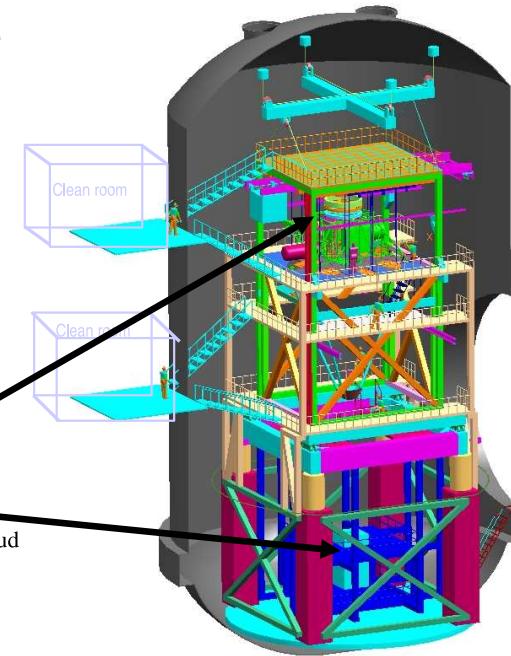
Most recent Tower Design shows an Inner Optical Tower supported by a Outer structure with Vibration Isolation at the midplane. Everything shown is in the 20K region (helium connections, etc. not shown) except clean room and lift fixture.

Current plan calls for 33KW cooldown capability, 12 KW steady state, 300-500mW N2 cooling

JSC currently has 7 KW He capability

Current plan includes 10 trucks of LN2/day during cooldown

Interferometers, Sources, Null Lens and Alignment Equipment Are in Upper and Lower Pressure Tight Enclosure Inside of Shroud



## JSC "Cup Up" Test Configuration (New Proposal)

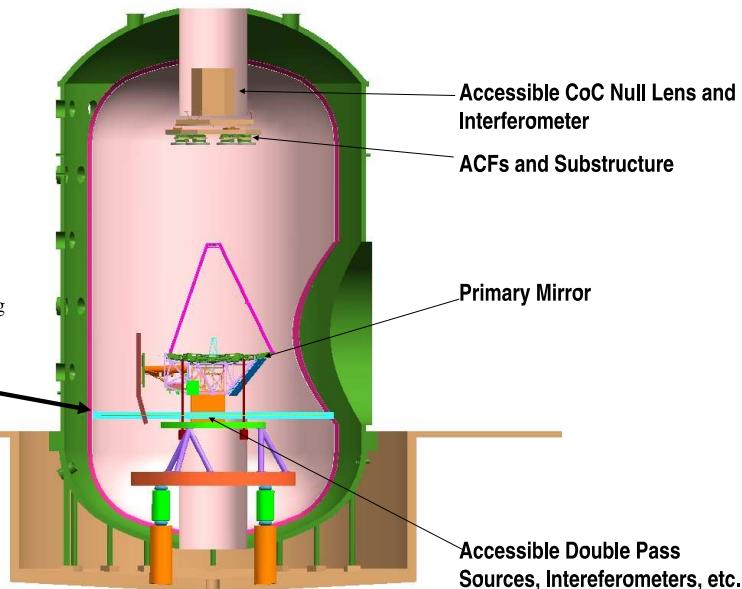


No Metrology Tower and Associated Cooling H/W. External Metrology

Two basic test options:

1. Use isolators, remove drift through fast active control + freeze test equipment jitter
  2. Eliminate vibration isolators (but use soft dampeners) to avoid drift, freeze out jitter
- Builds on successful AMSD heritage of freezing and averaging jitter, testing through windows.

Possible payload "floor" to separate ambient pressure and temperature.



Drawing care of ITT

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JWST underwent several significant replans and risk-reduction schemes:

- ≈2003: Reduction from 8.0 to 7.0 to 6.5 meter. Ariane-V launch vehicle.
- 2005: Eliminate costly 0.7-1.0  $\mu\text{m}$  performance specs (kept 2.0  $\mu\text{m}$ ).
- 2005: Simplification of thermal vacuum tests: cup-up, not cup-down.
- 2006: All critical technology at Technical Readiness Level 6 (TRL-6).
- 2007: Further simplification of sun-shield and end-to-end testing.
- 2008: Passes Mission Preliminary Design & Non-advocate Reviews.
- 2010, 2011: Passes Mission Critical Design Review: Replan Int. & Testing.

# Milestone Performance

- Since the September 2011 replan JWST reports high-level milestones monthly to numerous stakeholders

	Total Milestones	Total Milestones Completed	Number Completed Early	Number Completed Late	Deferred to Next Year	Deferred more than one quarter
FY2011	21	21	6	3	0	0
FY2012	37	34	16	2	3	3
FY2013	41	38	20	5	3	2
FY2014♦	36	23	10	8	11	10
FY2015	48	44	22	12	4	3
FY2016	45	39	25	7	6	2
FY2017	38	24	11	17*	3	1

\*Late milestones have been completed late within the year or are forecast to complete late within the year. Deferred milestones are not included in the number-completed-late tally.

♦ Milestone accounting in FY2014 was complicated by the government shutdown and multicomponent milestones

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FY14: 8 milestones late by 1 month due to Oct 13 Government shutdown.

FY15: Most “Lates” not on critical path.

FY16: Most “Lates” anticipated to finish with FY.

# Fiscal Year 2017 JWST HQ Milestones

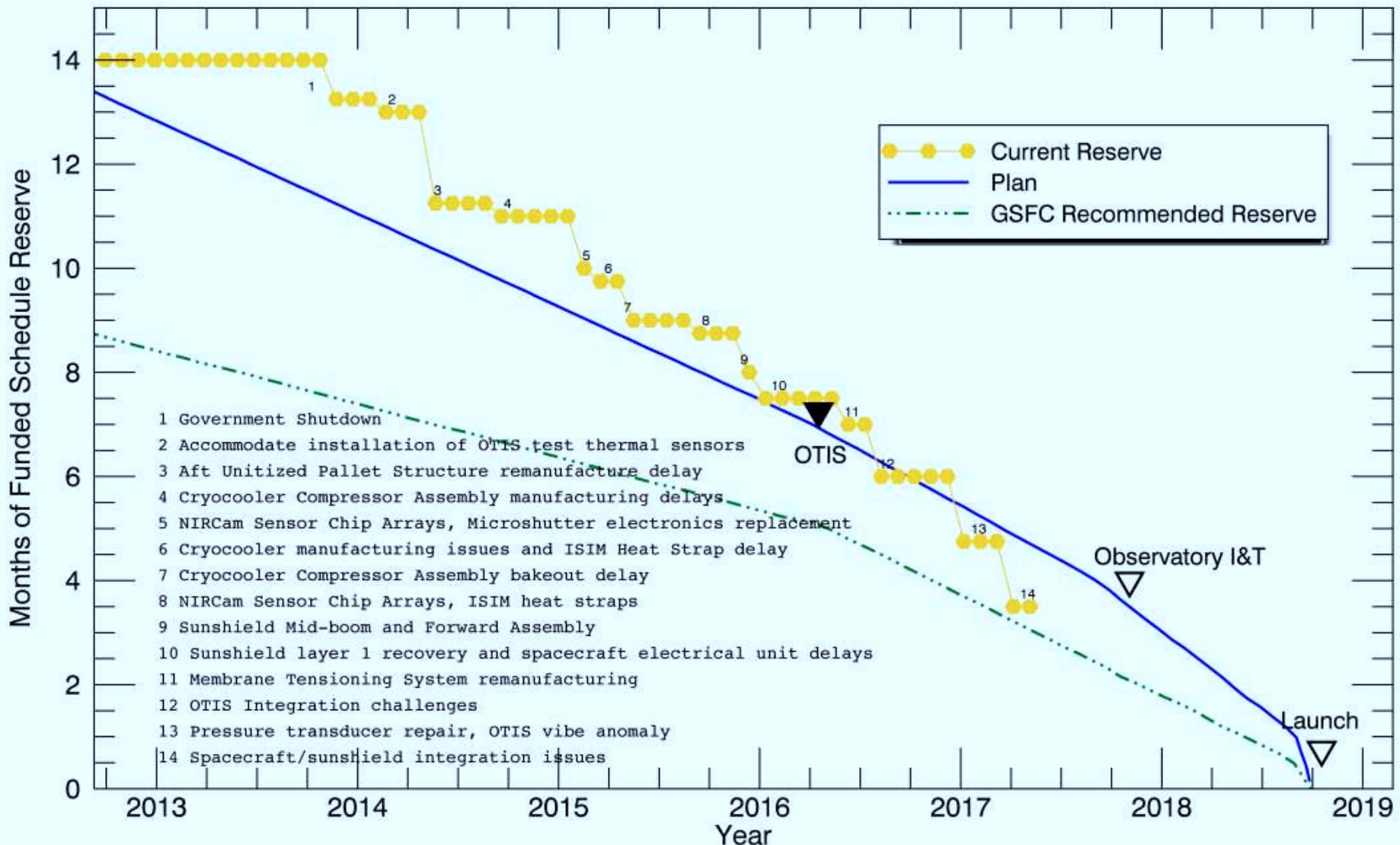
Month	Milestone	FY2016 Deferral	Comment
Oct-16	1 Complete portable clean room for Telescope and Science Instruments (OTIS) 2 Complete final checkout of new shaker tables at Goddard Space Flight Center 3 Begin making electrical connections between spacecraft panels 4 Complete Sunshield Mid-Boom Assembly #2 functional test		<u>Completed 10/13/16</u> • <u>Completed 10/13/16</u> <u>Completed 10/7/16</u> • <u>Completed 12/5/16</u>
Nov-16	5 Start optical measurements of OTIS prior to vibration and acoustic tests 6 Deliver Science and Operations Center release 1 7 Perform Cryocooler installation into the spacecraft bus and begin functional testing 8 Complete Aft Unitized Pallet Structure assembly 9 Deliver Aft Unitized Pallet Structure to Observatory I&T		<u>Completed 10/24/16</u> <u>Completed 9/30/16</u> <u>Completed 10/29/16</u> • <u>Completed 10/29/16</u> • <u>Completed 3/14/17</u>
Dec-16	10 Deliver Forward Sunshield Pallet Structure to Observatory Integration and Test (I&T) 11 Start OTIS vibration and acoustic testing program 12 Complete final test of engineering model of telescope center section at Johnson Space Center (JSC) 13 Deliver sunshield flight membranes to Observatory I&T		• <u>Completed 3/28/17</u> <u>Completed 11/19/16</u> <u>Completed 10/31/16</u> <u>Completed 12/15/16</u>
Jan-17	14 Complete OTIS vibration and acoustics testing 15 Deliver observing proposal and planning subsystem software build that supports launch 16 Complete electrical testing of the spacecraft at Northrop-Grumman		<u>Completed 3/2/17</u> <u>Completed 1/12/17</u> <u>Completed 3/7/17</u>
Feb-17	17 Complete OTIS optical measurements after vibration and acoustic tests 18 Deliver wavefront and control software that supports launch (controls telescope mirror shape) 19 Deliver horizontal deployable radiators to Observatory I&T		<u>Completed 3/31/17</u> <u>Completed 1/20/17</u> <u>Delayed June for release testing</u>
Mar-17	20 Deliver OTIS to the Johnson Space Center 21 Deliver the pre-launch Flight Operations System software build 22 Delivery of sunshield extension boom #2 membrane attachment assembly to Observatory I&T		<u>Completed 5/7/17</u> <u>Completed 2/17/17</u> <u>Completed 4/13/17</u>
Blue font(underline) denotes milestones accomplished ahead of schedule, orange font denotes milestones accomplished late. "*" denotes 2016 milestones carried forward.			

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Milestones: How the Project reports its progress monthly to Congress.

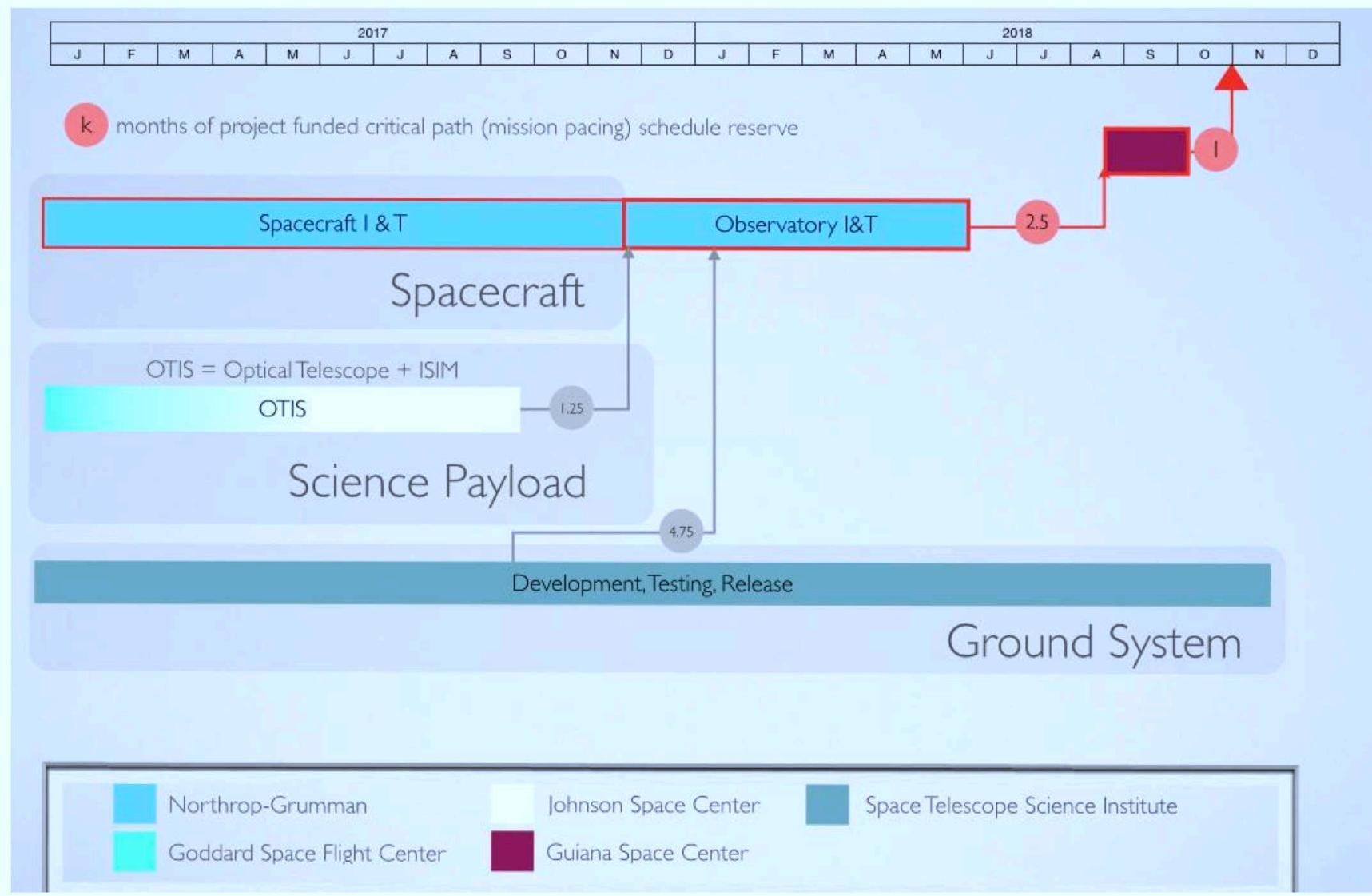
Summer–Early Fall 2017: Lates started to outnumber the Early's.

# Funded Schedule Reserve



To stay on schedule, need: 1) Sufficient Project contingency ( $\gtrsim 25\%$  of total).  
2) Replanned and newly managed Project (starting late summer 2011).

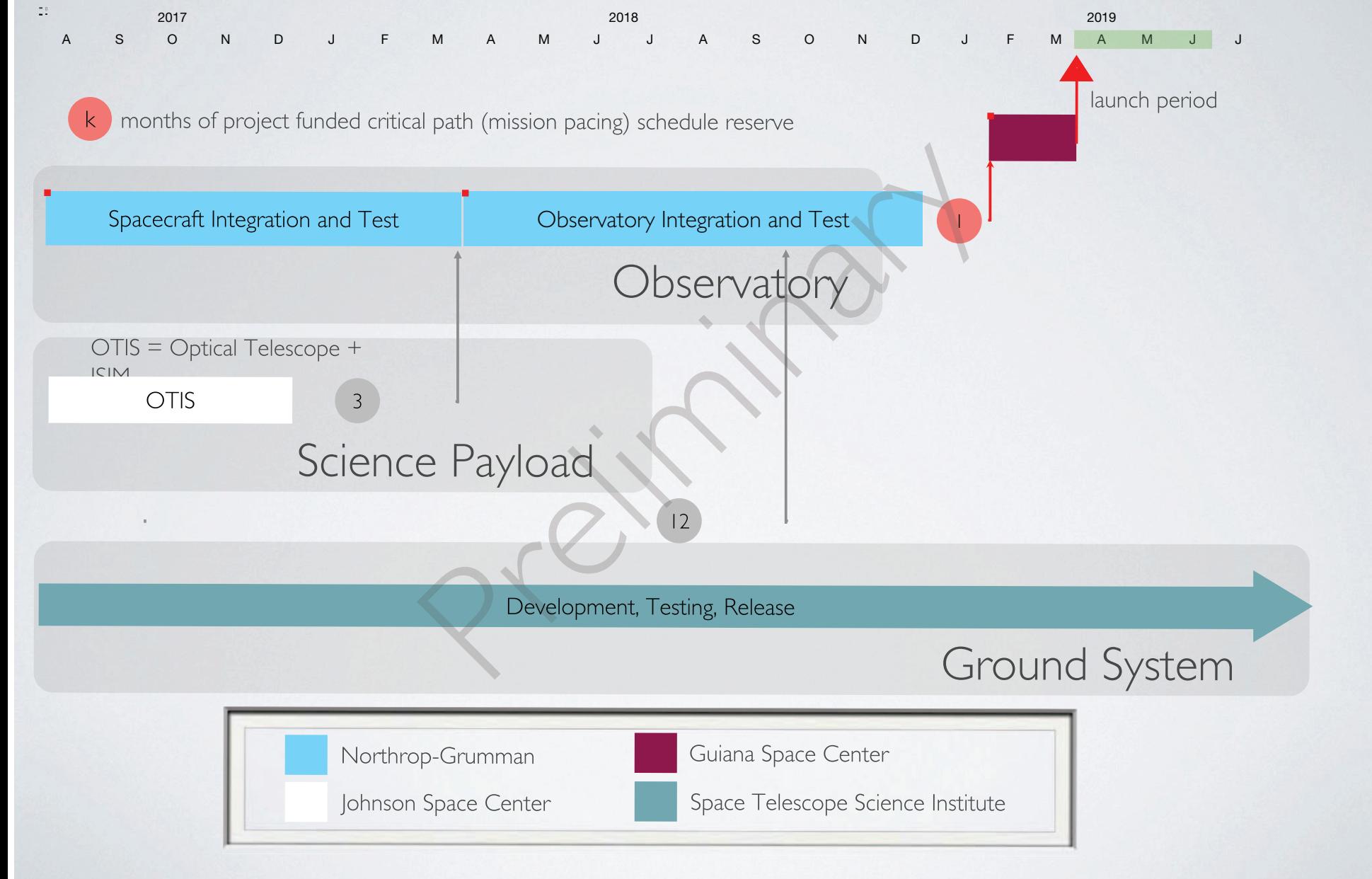
# Simplified Schedule



Path forward to Launch (WAS: Oct. 2018):  $\lesssim 5$  months schedule reserve.

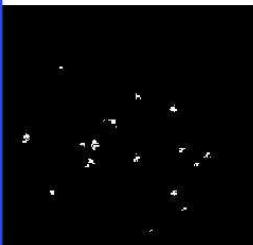
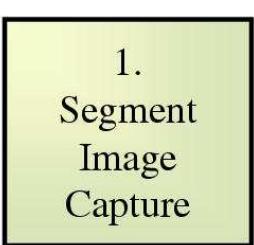
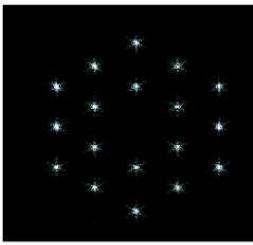
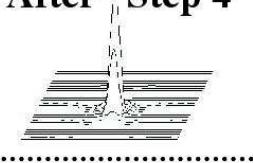
- Instruments+detectors & Optical Telescope Element were on critical path.

# SIMPLIFIED SCHEDULE



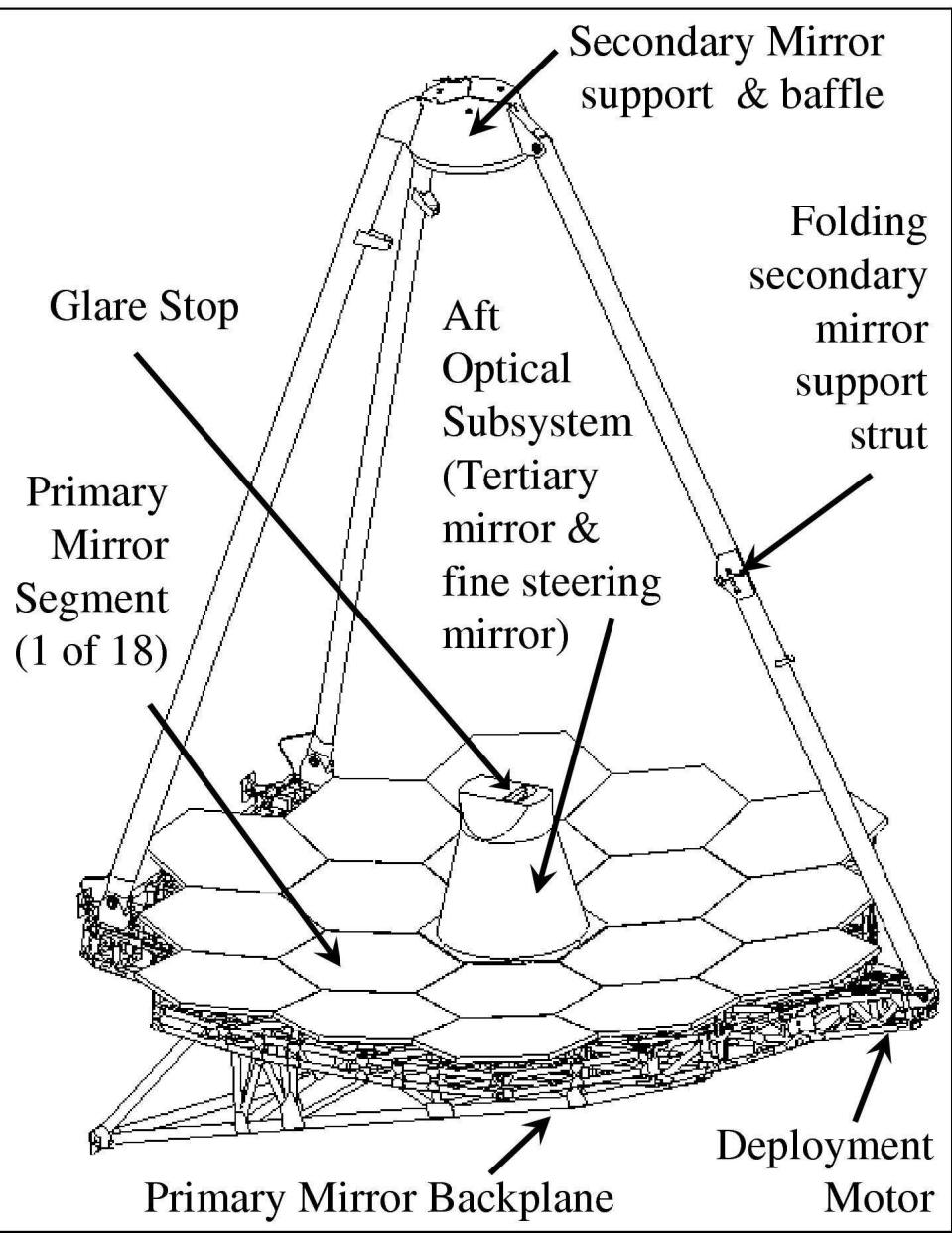
Path forward to Launch (NOW: Spring 2019):  $\lesssim 4$  mos schedule reserve.

- Spacecraft and Sunshield are now on critical path (at Northrop).

<i>First light NIRCam</i>	<i>After Step 1</i>	<i>Initial Capture</i>	<i>Final Condition</i>
		<p>18 individual 1.6-m diameter aberrated sub-telescope images</p> <p>PM segments: &lt; 1 mm, &lt; 2 arcmin tilt</p> <p>SM: &lt; 3 mm, &lt; 5 arcmin tilt</p>	<p>PM segments:            &lt; 100 <math>\mu\text{m}</math>,            &lt; 2 arcsec tilt</p> <p>SM: &lt; 3 mm,            &lt; 5 arcmin tilt</p>
<b>2. Coarse Alignment</b> Secondary mirror aligned Primary RoC adjusted		<p>Primary Mirror segments:            &lt; 1 mm, &lt; 10 arcsec tilt</p> <p>Secondary Mirror :            &lt; 3 mm, &lt; 5 arcmin tilt</p>	WFE < 200 $\mu\text{m}$ (rms)
<b>3. Coarse Phasing - Fine Guiding (PMSA piston)</b>		WFE: < 250 $\mu\text{m}$ rms	WFE < 1 $\mu\text{m}$ (rms)
<b>4. Fine Phasing</b>		WFE: < 5 $\mu\text{m}$ (rms)	WFE < 110 nm (rms)
<b>5. Image-Based Wavefront Monitoring</b>		WFE: < 150 nm (rms)	WFE < 110 nm (rms)

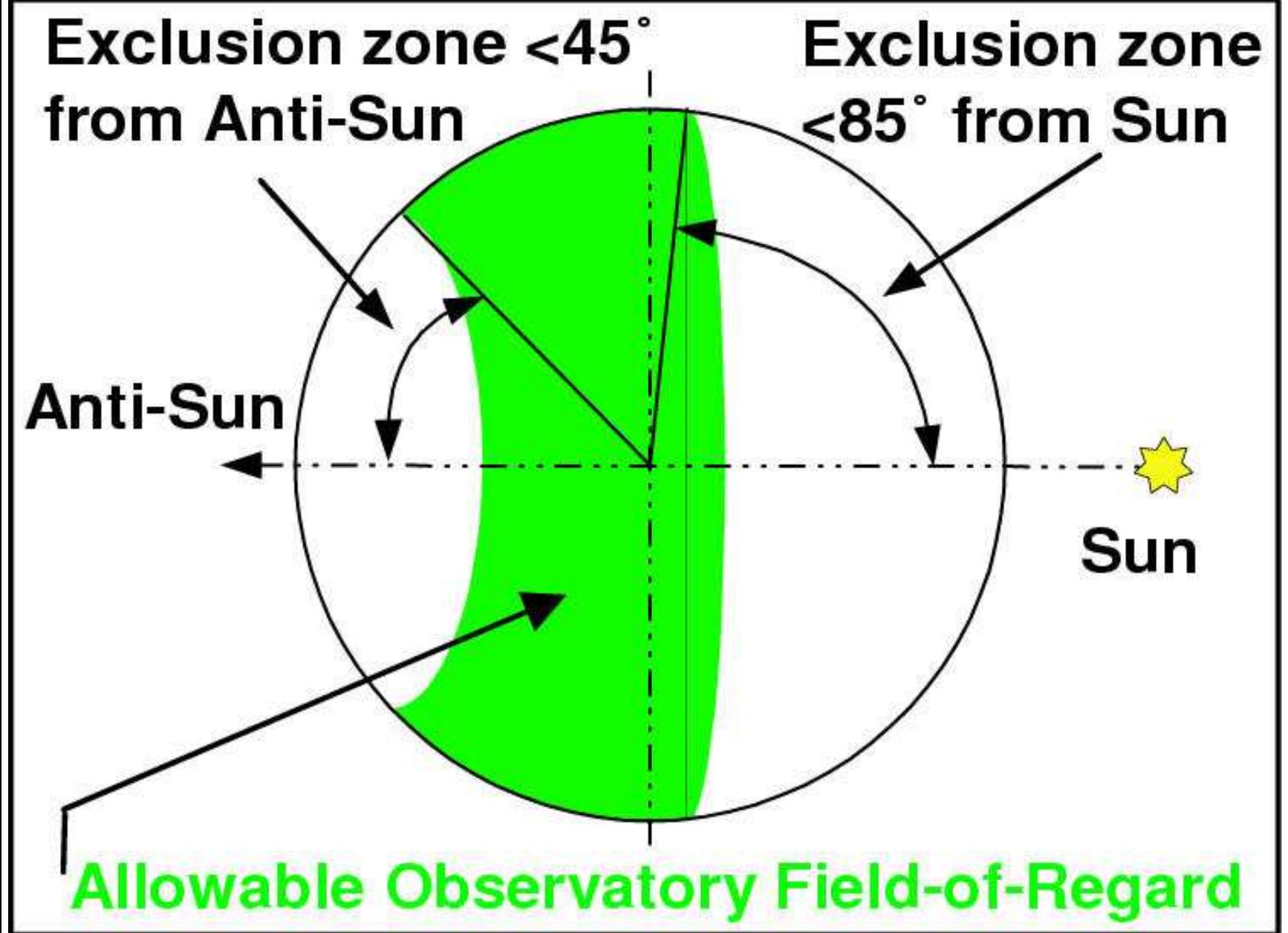
JWST's Wave Front Sensing and Control is similar to the Keck telescope.

In L2, need WFS updates every 10 days depending on scheduling/illumination.



Wave-Front Sensing tested hands-off at 40 K in 1-G at JSC in 2015-2017.

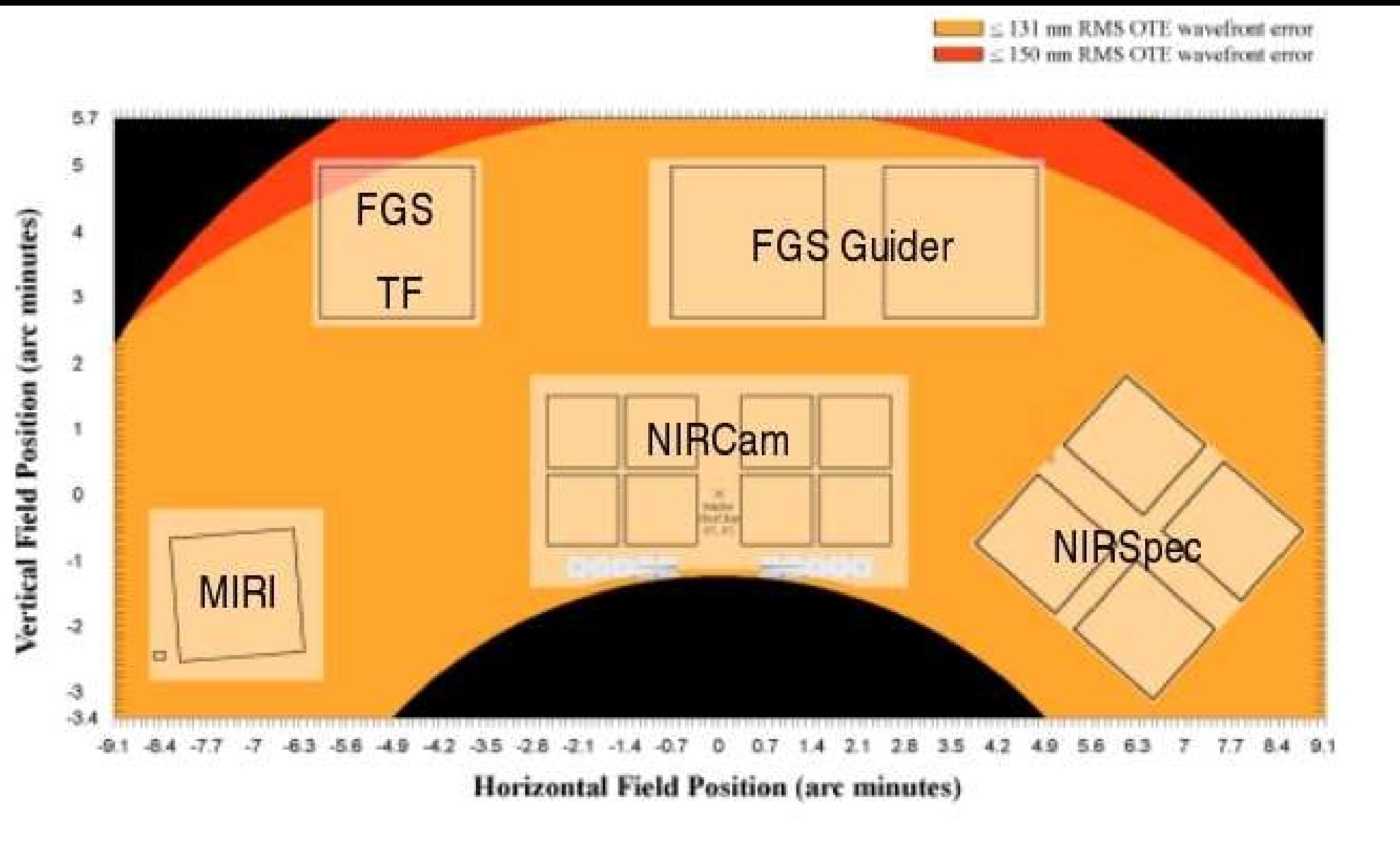
Ball 1/6 scale-model for WFS: produces diffraction-limited 2.0  $\mu\text{m}$  images.



JWST can observe North/South Ecliptic pole targets continuously:

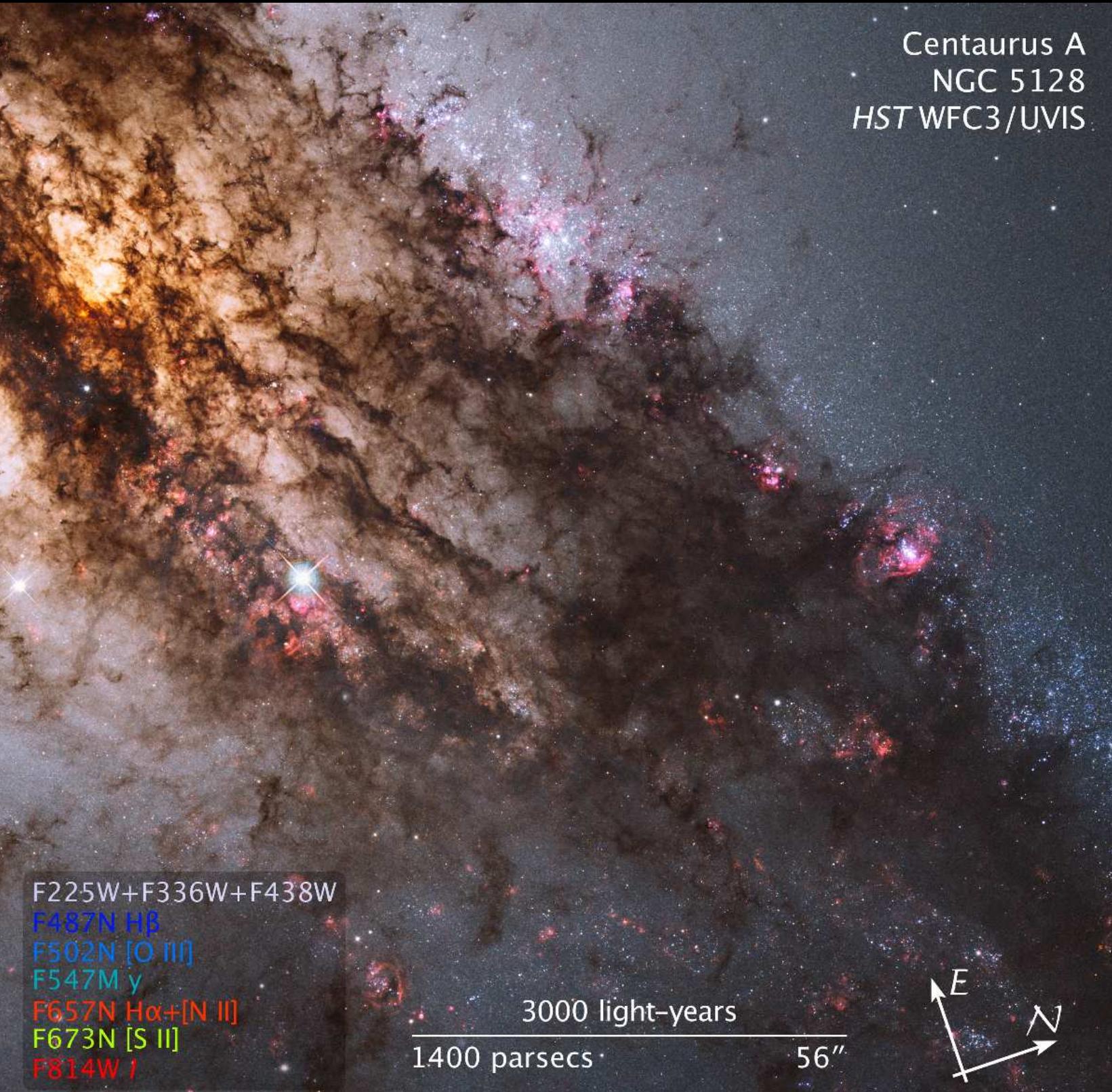
- 1000-hr JWST projects swap back/forth between NEP/SEP targets.
- JWST gets the very best reaction wheels (Rockwell Collins; Heidelberg).

- (3c) What instruments will JWST have?



- All JWST instruments can in principle be used in parallel observing mode:
- Currently only being implemented for parallel *calibrations*.

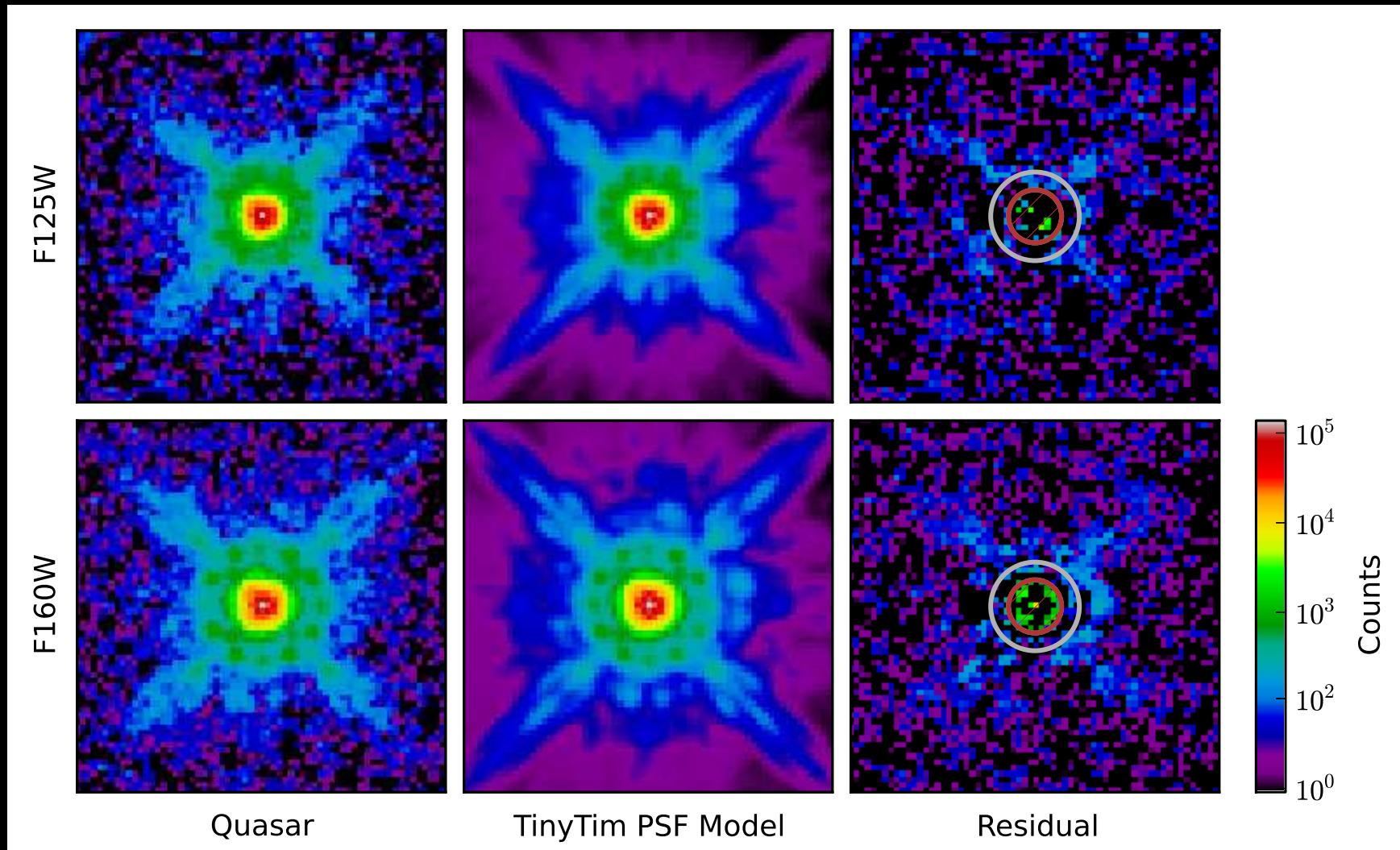
Centaurus A  
NGC 5128  
*HST WFC3/UVIS*





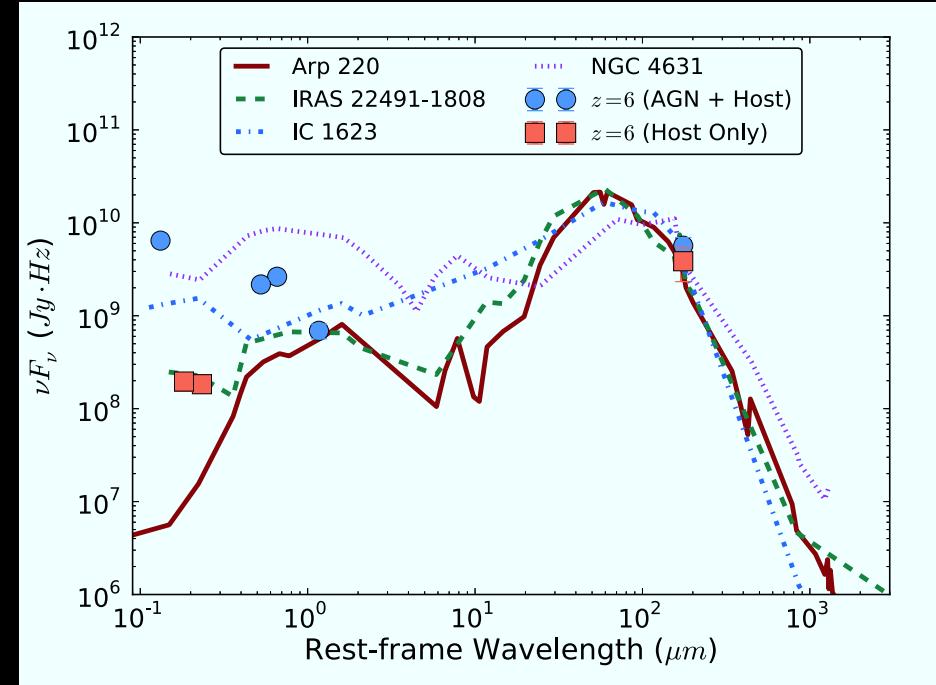
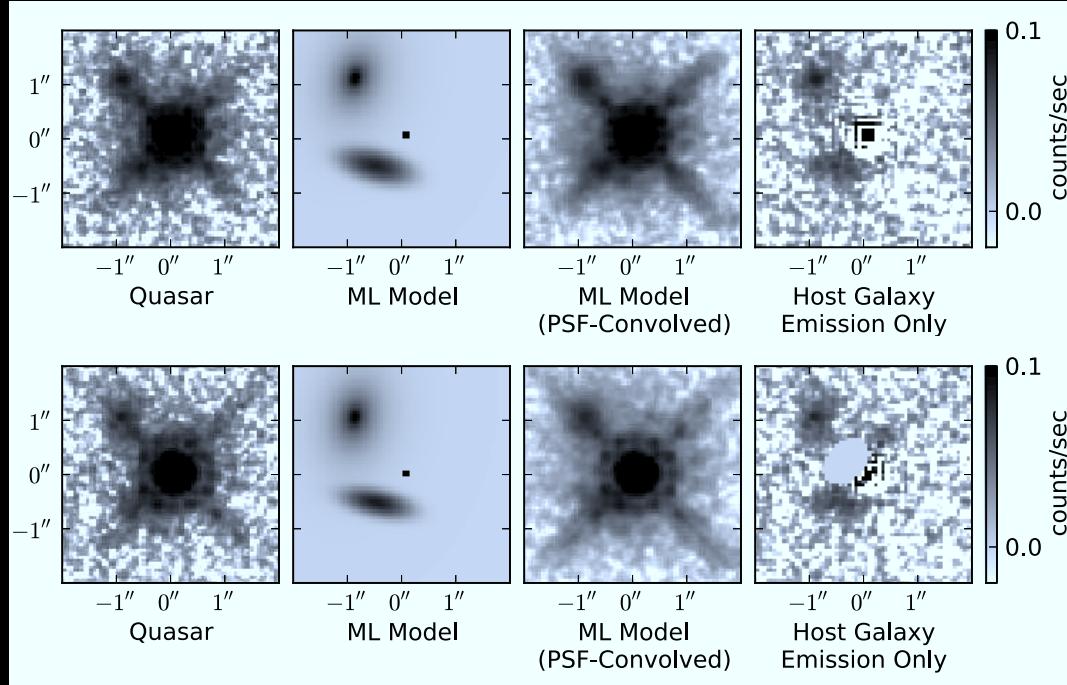
Blue=X-rays; White=Optical; Orange=Radio

- Quasars: Centers of galaxies with feeding supermassive blackholes:



- Hubble IR-images of the most luminous Quasar known in the universe.
- Seen at redshift 6.42 (universe 7.42× smaller than today), 900 Myr old!
- Contains  $10^{14}$  solar luminosities within a region as small as Pluto's orbit!
- A feeding monster blackhole ( $>3 \times 10^9$  solar mass) 900 Myr after BB!

## (2b) WFC3: Detection of one QSO Host System at $z \simeq 6$ (Giant merger?)



[LEFT]: First detection out of four  $z \simeq 6$  QSOs (Mechtley et al. 2016).

- One  $z \simeq 6$  QSO host galaxy: Giant merger morphology + tidal structure?
- Same  $\lambda = 1.25$  &  $1.6 \mu\text{m}$  structure. Colors constrain dust.

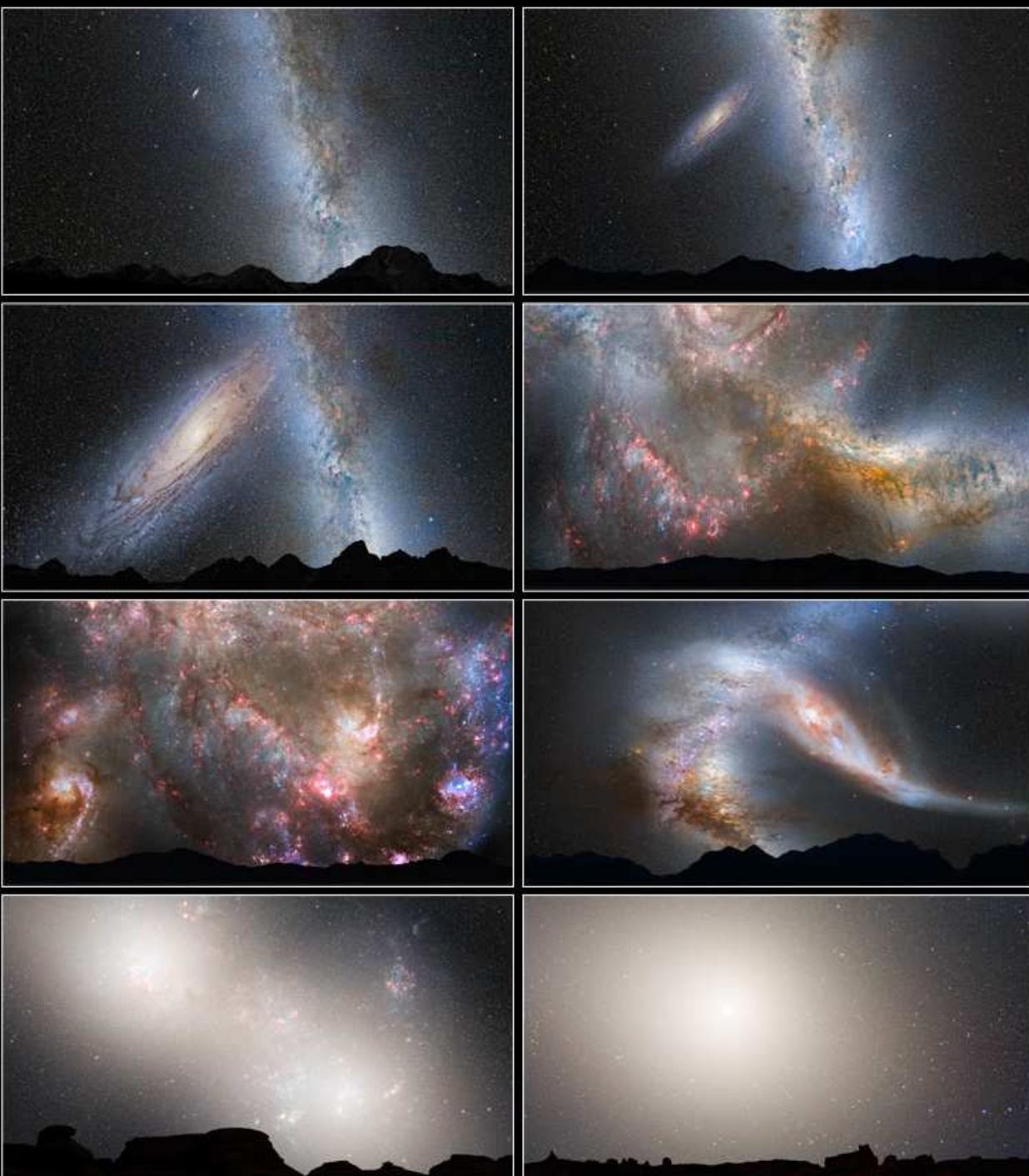
[RIGHT]: Blue dots:  $z \simeq 6$  quasar spectrum, Red:  $z \simeq 6$  host galaxy.

- Host galaxy has dusty starburst-like UV–far-IR spectrum: reddening of  $A_{FUV}(\text{host}) \sim 1$  mag (Mechtley et al. 2014).
- JWST can detect  $10\text{--}100 \times$  fainter dusty hosts (for  $z \lesssim 20$ ,  $\lambda \lesssim 28 \mu\text{m}$ ).

Conclusion 2: Supermassive black holes started early & were very rapid eaters:



- Massive galaxies today contain a super-massive blackhole, no exceptions!
- Masses  $\sim 3 \times 10^9$  solar, leftover from the First Stars (first 500 Myr)?
- Must have fed enormously rapidly in the first 1 Byr after the Big Bang.
- Were eating *cat*-astrophically (and secretly) until they ran out of food ...
- JWST can image the First Quasars to  $z \gtrsim 10$  (*if* we can find them).



Will this ever happen to our own Galaxy?

YES! Hubble showed no lateral motion of Andromeda:  
Approaches at  $-110$  km/s.

Hence, Andromeda will merge with Milky Way!

The two blackholes ( $10^6$ – $10^7$  suns) will also merge!

Not to worry: only 4–5 Byr from today!

Illustration Sequence of the Milky Way and Andromeda Galaxy Colliding

## (4b) Predicted Galaxy Appearance for JWST at redshifts $z \simeq 1-15$

NGC 3310



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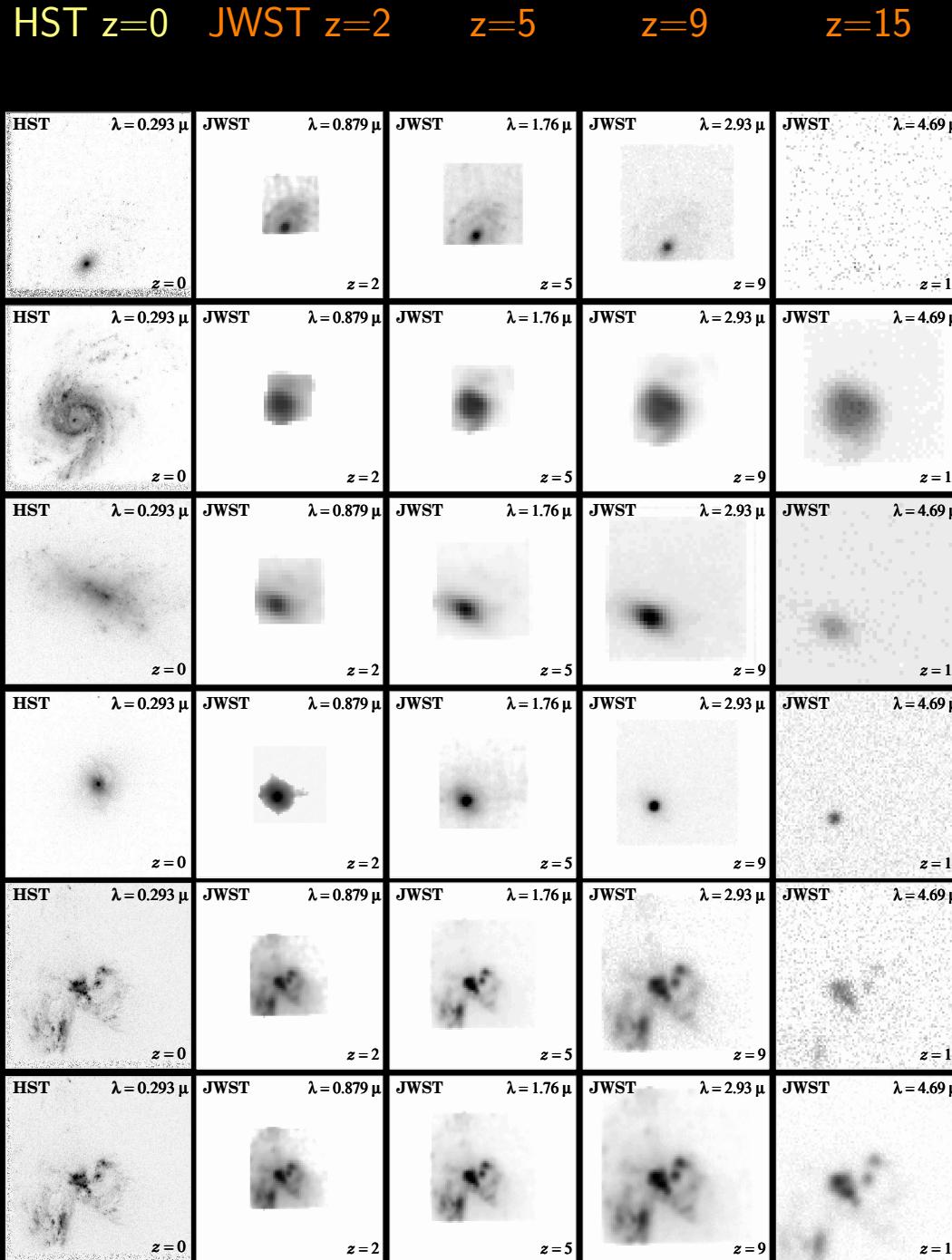
### Ultraviolet Galaxies

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- The rest-frame UV-morphology of galaxies is dominated by young and hot stars, with often significant dust imprinted (Mager-Taylor et al. 2005).
- High-resolution HST ultraviolet images are benchmarks for comparison with very high redshift galaxies seen by JWST.

## (4b) Predicted Galaxy Appearance for JWST at redshifts $z \simeq 1$ –15



With Hubble UV-optical images as benchmarks, JWST can measure the evolution of galaxy structure & physical properties over a wide range of cosmic time:

- (1) Most spiral disks will dim away at high redshift, but most formed at  $z \lesssim 1$ –2.

Visible to JWST at very high  $z$  are:

- (2) Compact star-forming objects (dwarf galaxies).
- (3) Point sources (QSOs).
- (4) Compact mergers & train-wrecks.