



Defense Space Modernization Roadmap

Leveraging Industry, Commercial, Government, and International

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*Diversify,
Develop, &
Demonstrate to*

*Deter,
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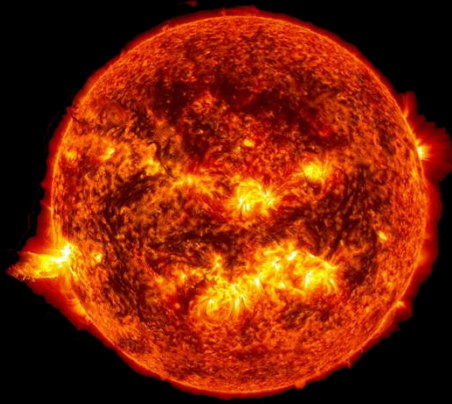
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Technology from the Earth to the Moon and Beyond



Autonomous navigation, autonomous systems capable of operating and taking advantage of multi-body environments



Commoditized buses with high power generation, energy storage, power management and adaptable payloads



Hardening and Resiliency to space weather with high background radiation



Intelligent, low swap, Local and wide volume search, detection, tracking, ID, and state prediction

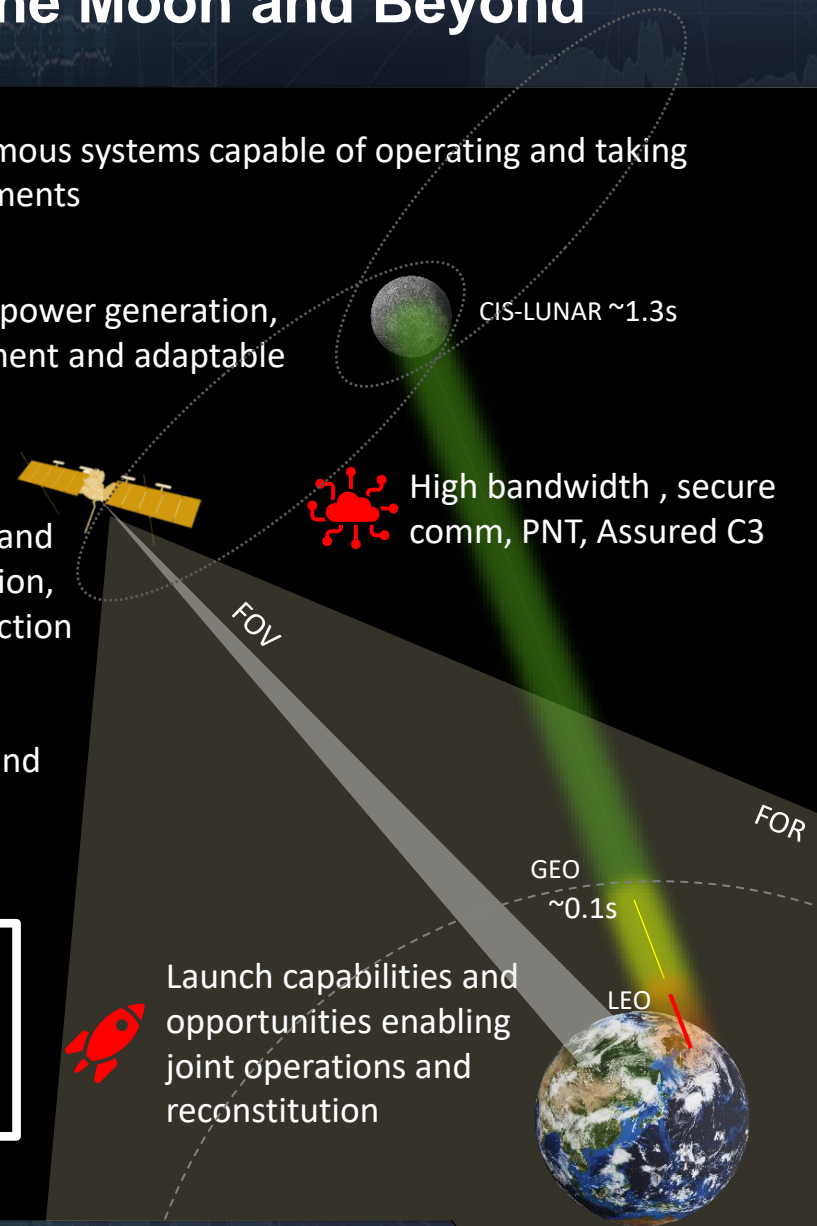


Standards developed and used by international partners



Facilities that can simulate space, digital engineering, and support rapid assessments

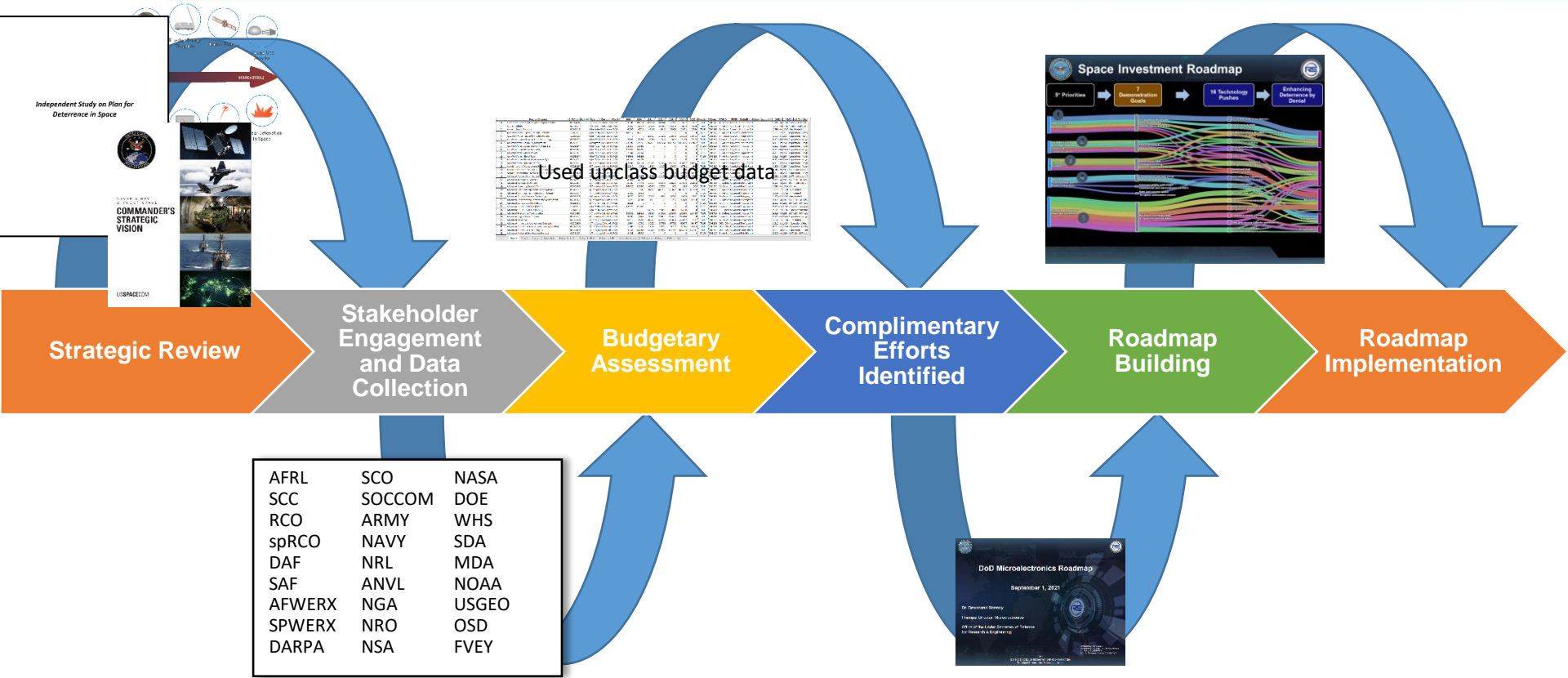
Cis-lunar regime and operations to drive technology improvements that flow to all orbital regimes



Launch capabilities and opportunities enabling joint operations and reconstitution



Roadmap Process



Accelerate existing investments, push technologies to the warfighter, and expand opportunities for deterrence, de-escalation, and dominance



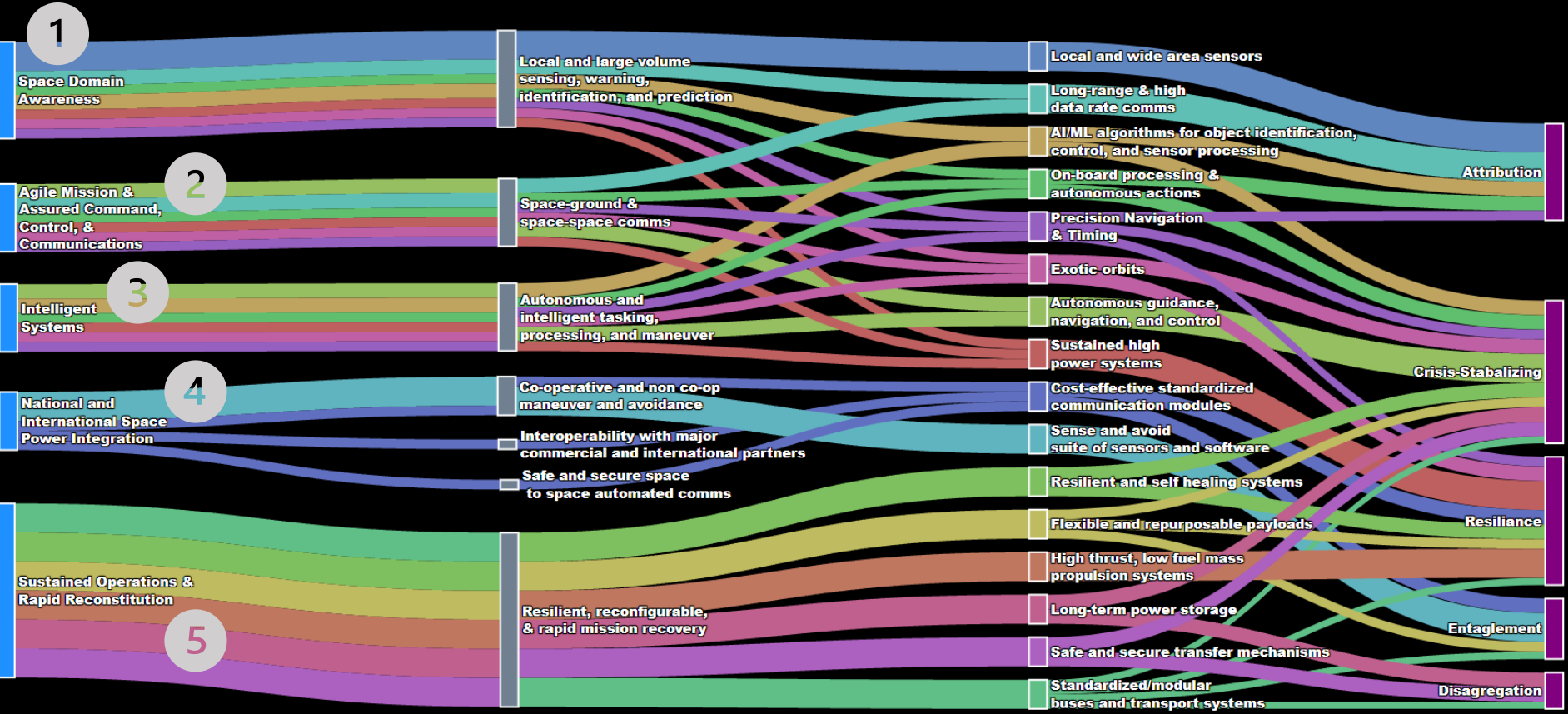
Space Investment Roadmap

5* Priorities

7 Demonstration Goals

16 Technology Pushes

Enhancing Deterrence by Denial

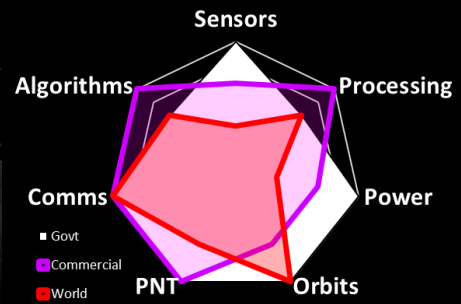




Example : Space Domain Awareness

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Space Domain Awareness: The capability to monitor, track and characterize an expansive, crowded, and dynamic environment. This includes both long-range wide volume situation awareness and short-time scale local tracking and prediction.



Technology Pushes	Local and Wide Volume Sensors	On-Board processing	Sustained High Power	Exotic Orbits	PNT	Comms	AI/ML algorithms for object, ID, control, and sensor processing
NEAR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Affordable & manufacturable large format arrays and apertures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rad hard processors* COTS based processors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced solar and nuclear* 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Modeling and facilities for simulations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alt Ranging 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Efficient radiators, apertures, and transceivers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase maturity of SDA algorithms*
MID	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase maturity of spectrum and waveform agility Fine grained target acquisition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Secure cloud processing* Diversified tip & cue* 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Energy Storage Thermal management 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ESPA class to large satellites Autonomous orbit maneuvering 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Quantum accelerometers, gyros, sensors* On orbit predictions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fine Pointing Data backhaul 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Search, detection and tracking ID and Event predictions
FAR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intelligent Sensors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Federated computing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Power Management 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Autonomous guidance and navigation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase maturity of spectrum and waveform agility 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sensor fusion Computational architectures Sensor fusion