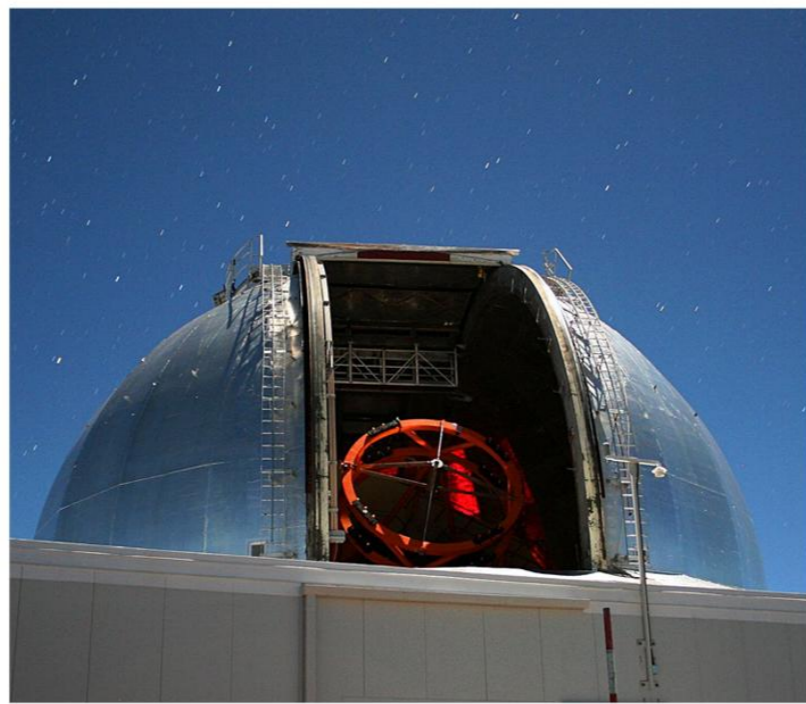
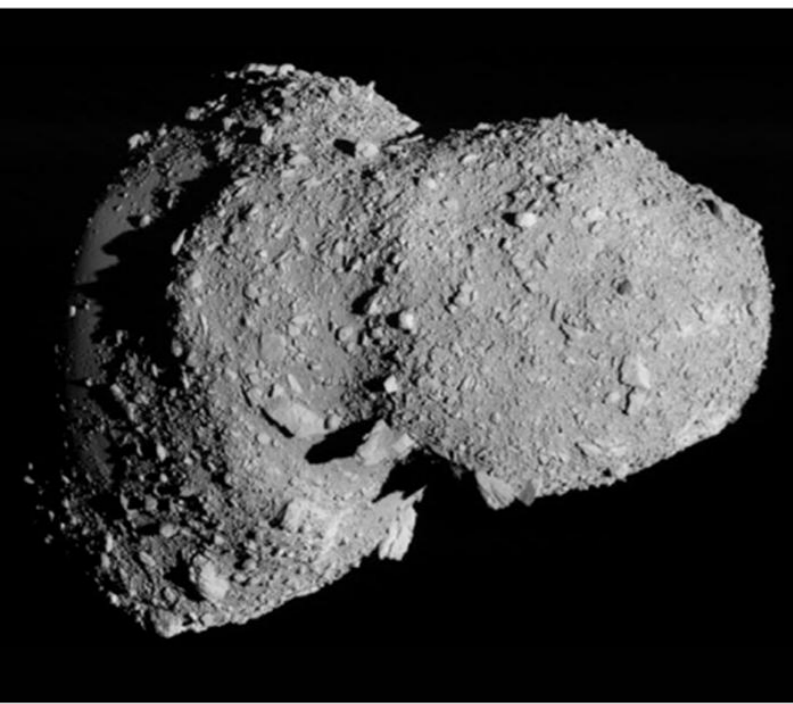
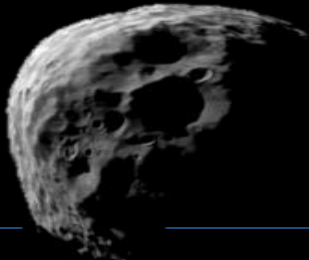


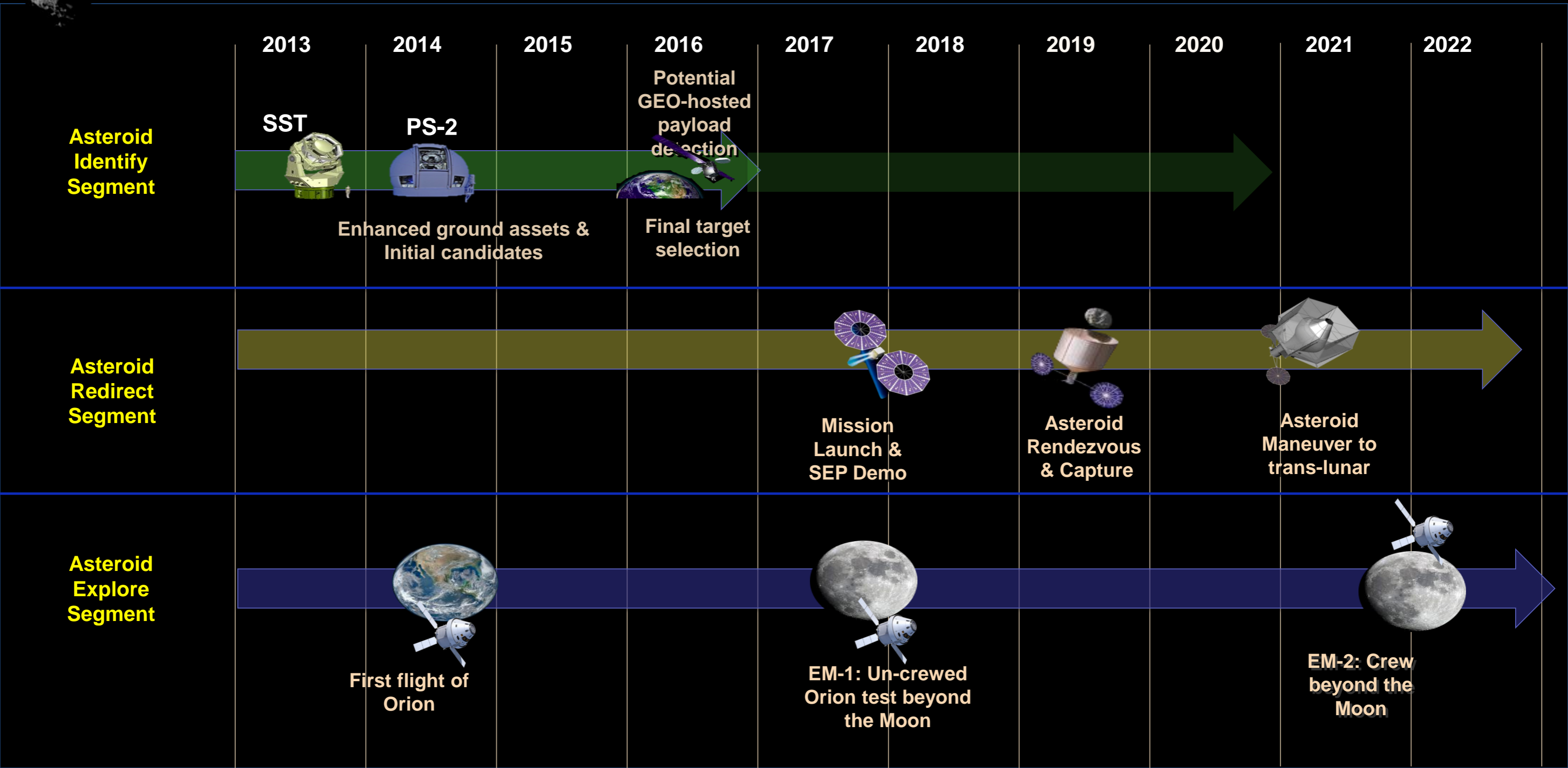
# Asteroid Redirect Mission Overview

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# Alignment Strategy



# Overall Mission Consists of Three Main Segments

Identify



## **Asteroid Identification Segment:**

Ground and space based  
NEA target detection,  
characterization  
and selection

Redirect



## **Asteroid Redirection Segment:**

Solar electric propulsion  
(SEP) based robotic  
asteroid redirect to  
trans-lunar space

Explore



## **Asteroid Crewed Exploration Segment:**

Orion and SLS based  
crewed rendezvous and  
sampling mission to the  
relocated asteroid