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## Session 2: Hayabusa2

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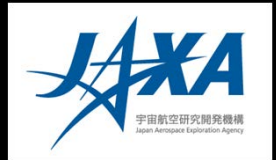
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# Summary of Hayabusa2

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# Hayabusa2 Mission

- ✓ Sample return mission to a C-type asteroid “Ryugu”
- ✓ 52 billion km interplanetary journey.

**Launch**  
Dec.3, 2014



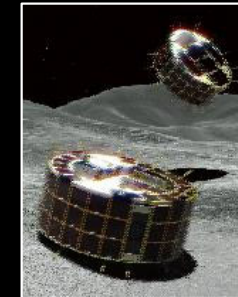
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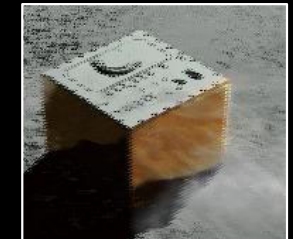
**Ryugu Arrival**  
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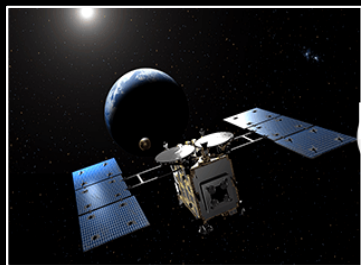
**MINERVA-II-1 Deployment**  
Sep.21, 2018



**MASCOT Deployment**  
Oct.3, 2018



**Ryugu Departure**  
Nov.13.2019



**Earth Return**  
Dec.6, 2020

**Target Markers Orbiting Touchdown**  
Sep.16, 2019

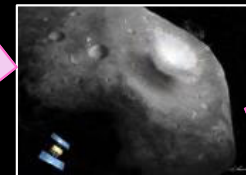


**MINERVA-II-2 Orbiting**  
Oct.2, 2019

**Second**  
Jul.11, 2019



**Kinetic Impact**  
Apr.5, 2019

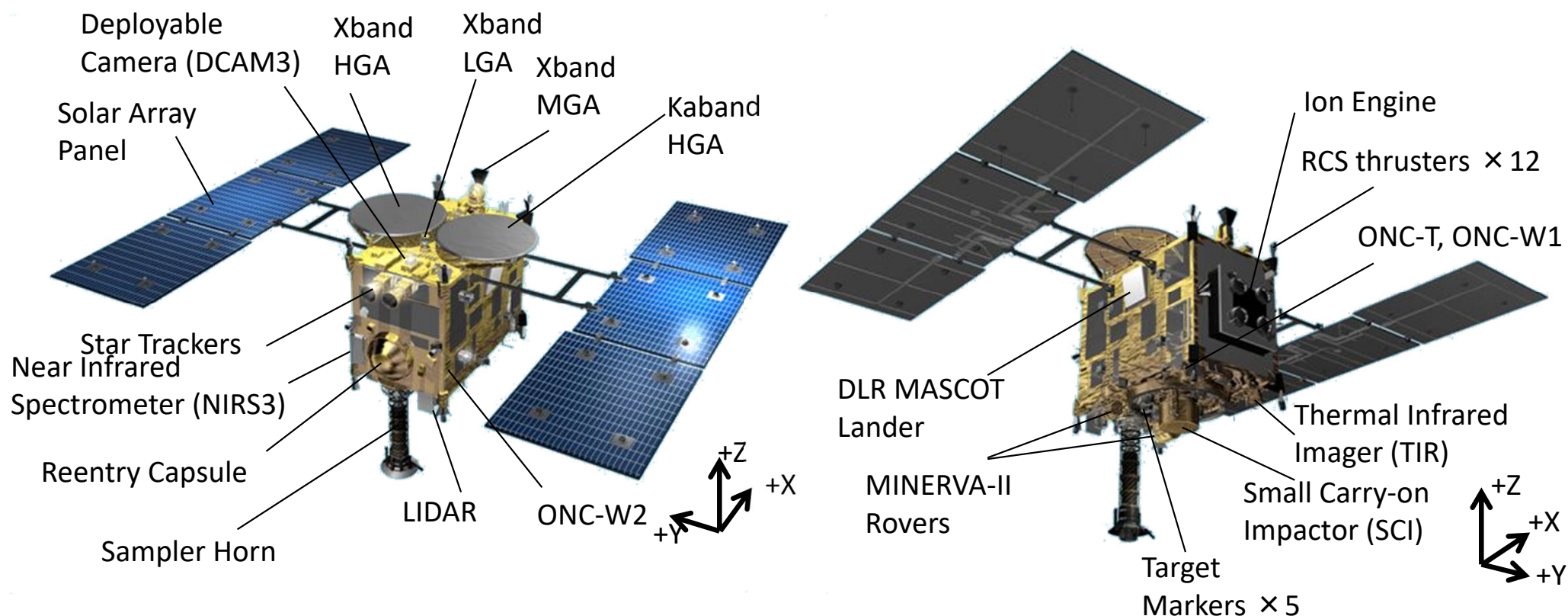


**First Touchdown**  
Feb.22, 2019





# Hayabusa2 Spacecraft Overview



Launch Mass: 609kg

Ion Engine: Total  $\Delta V=3.2\text{km/s}$ , Thrust=5-28mN (variable), Specific Impulse=2800-3000sec. (4 thrusters, mounted on two-axis gimbal)

Chemical RCS: Bi-prop. 20N thrusters  $\times 12$  (6 DOF maneuverability)

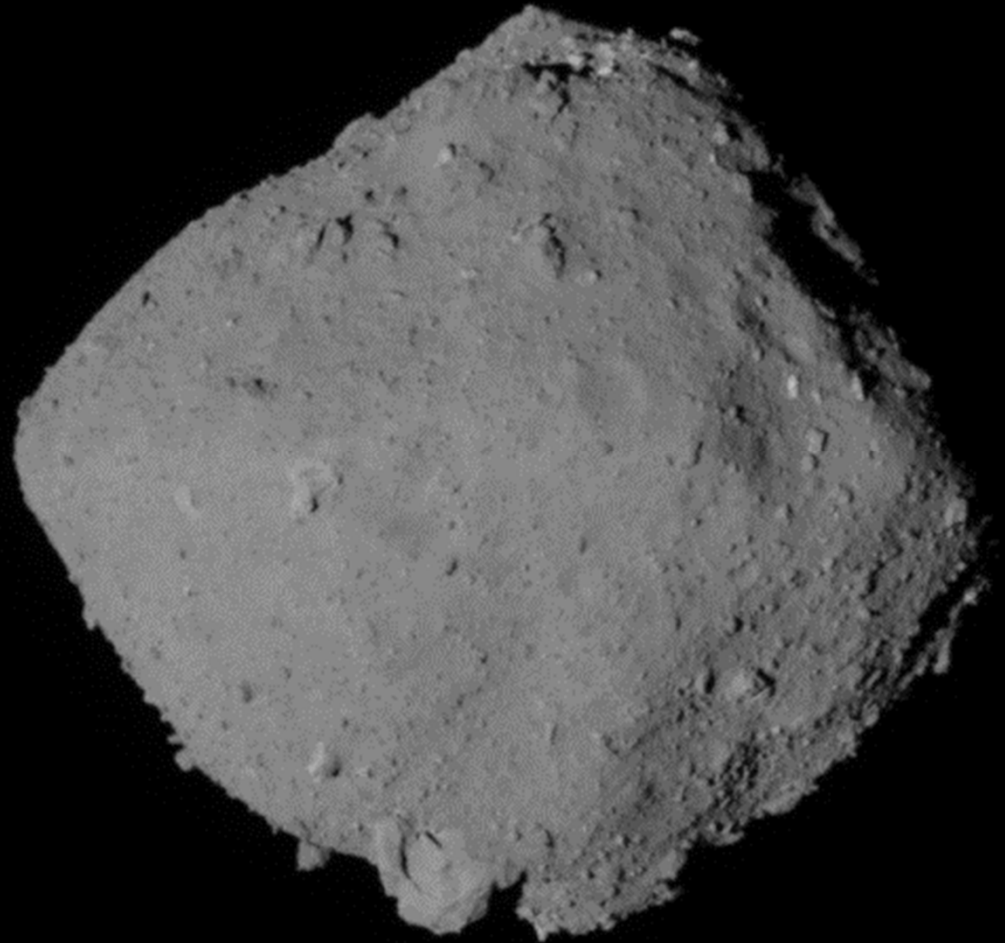
Solar Array Paddle: 2.6kW @ 1 a.u.

TT&C: X-band Uplink, X/Ka-band Downlink, 8-32Kbps, X/Ka RARR&DDOR capability



# Arrival at Ryugu on June 27, 2018

- **Top shape** with a very circular equatorial bulge
- Spectrum type: Cb
- Diameter:  $\sim 900$  m
- Mass:  $\sim 450$  million ton
- Obliquity:  $\sim 8^\circ$
- Rotation period:  $P = 7.63$  hours
- Reflectance factor (v-band) : 0.02
- Terrain: **Very bumpy**

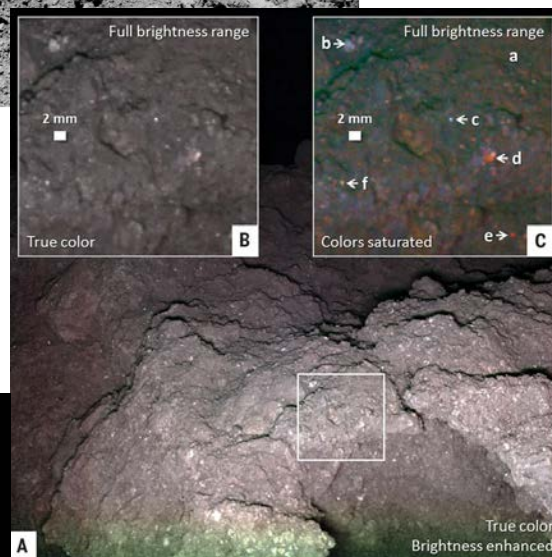
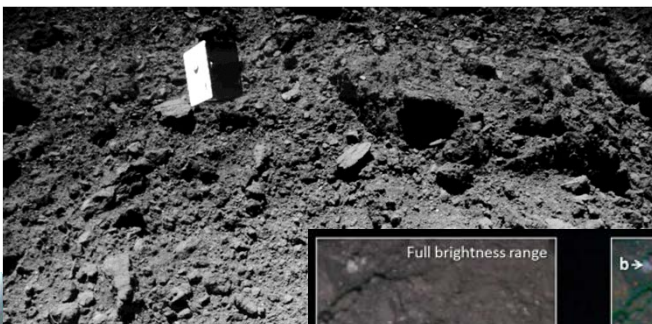




# Accomplishments of Hayabusa2 (1/2)

1. Mobile activity of exploration robots on small body
2. Multiple robots deployment on small body

MASCOT taken  
by ONC-W2



MASCOT images



MINERVA-II-1A  
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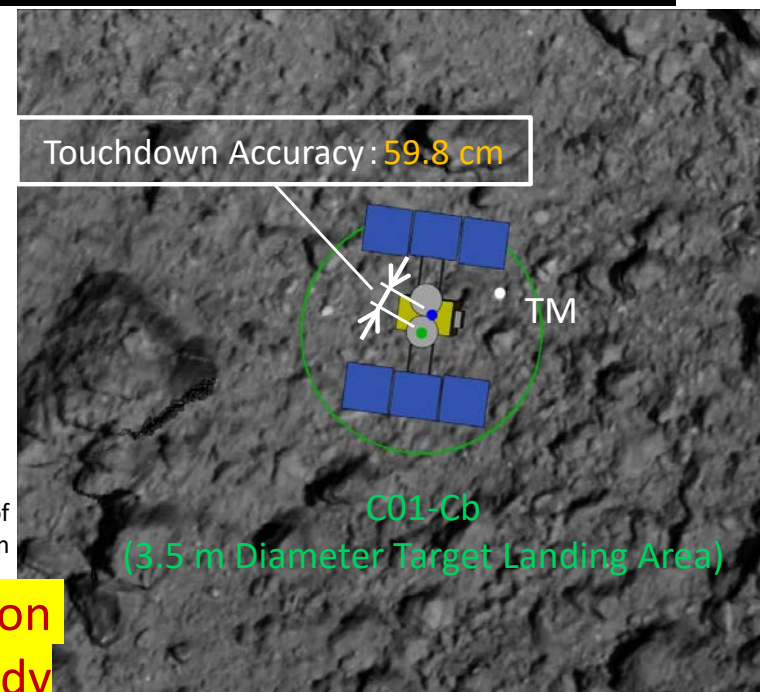


MINERVA-II-1A image

CAM-H image at the 1st touchdown



Touchdown Accuracy: 59.8 cm



Landing accuracy of  
the 2nd touchdown

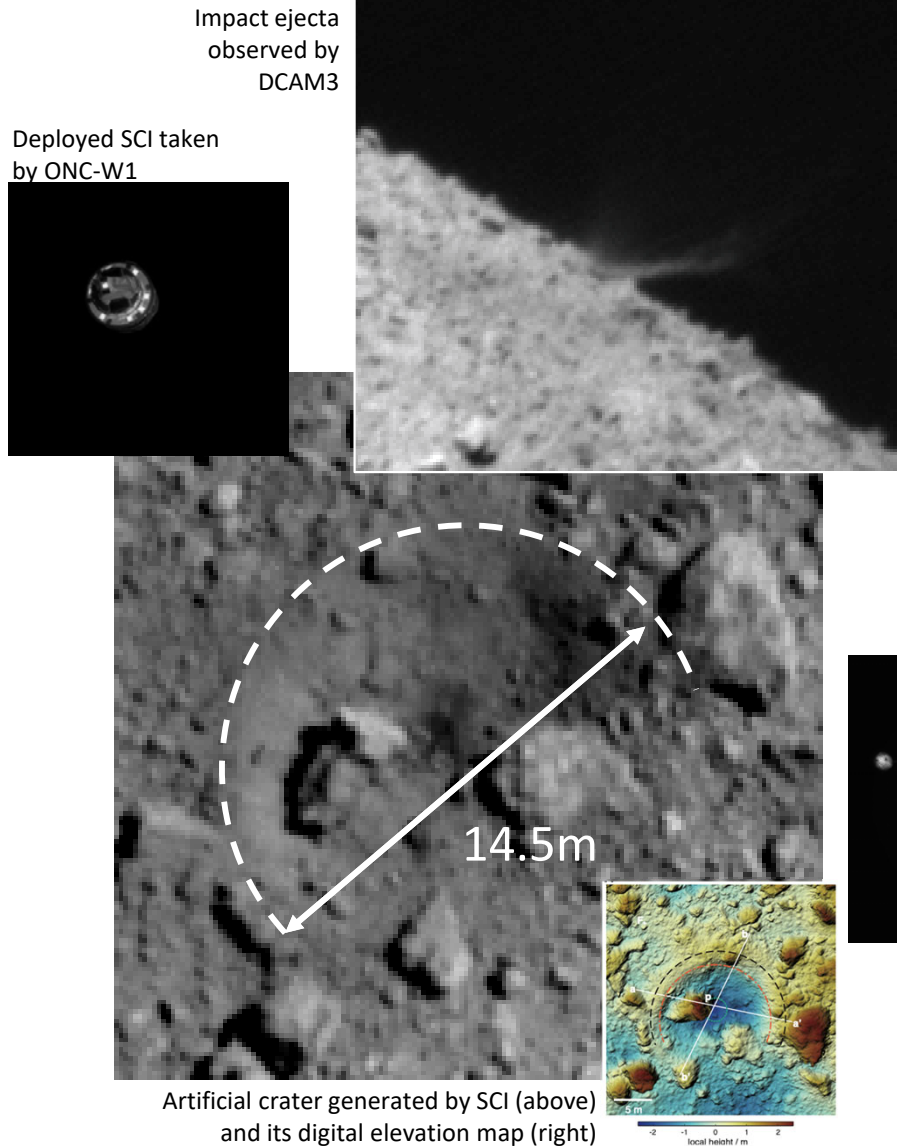
3. 60cm-accuracy landing and sampling on  
extra-terrestrial celestial body



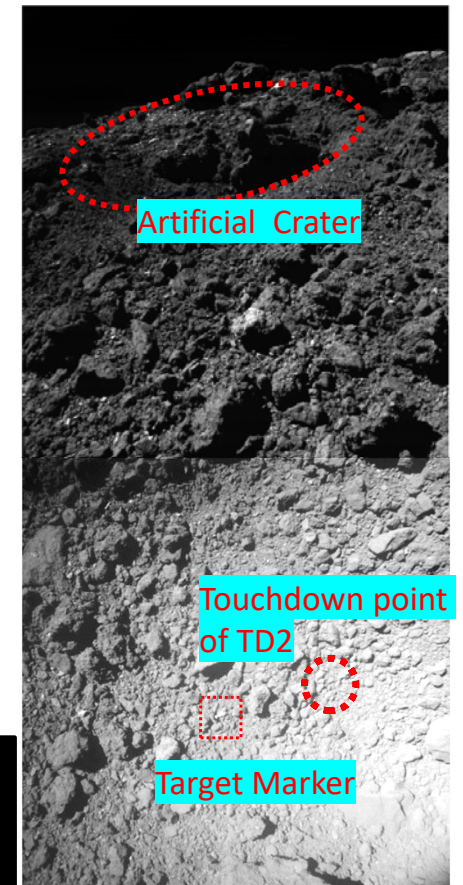
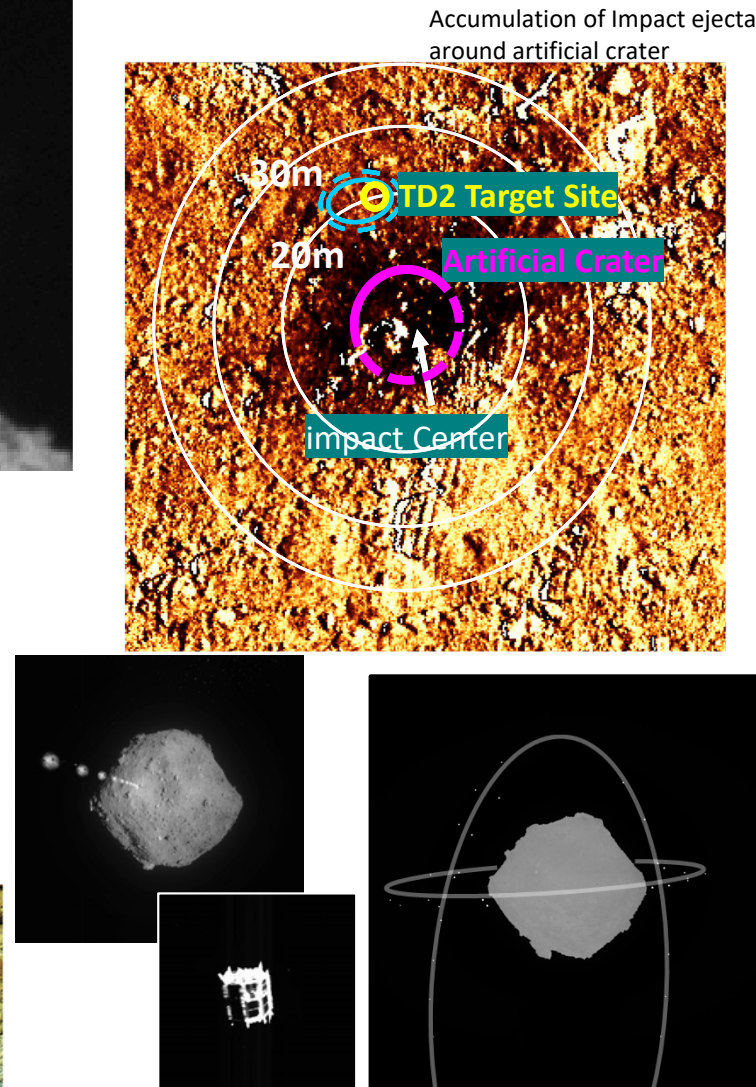


# Accomplishments of Hayabusa2 (2/2)

## 4. Artificial crater forming and detailed observation of impact process



## 5. Multiple landing on extra-terrestrial celestial body 6. Access to subsurface material



Artificial crater and TD2 point in one view

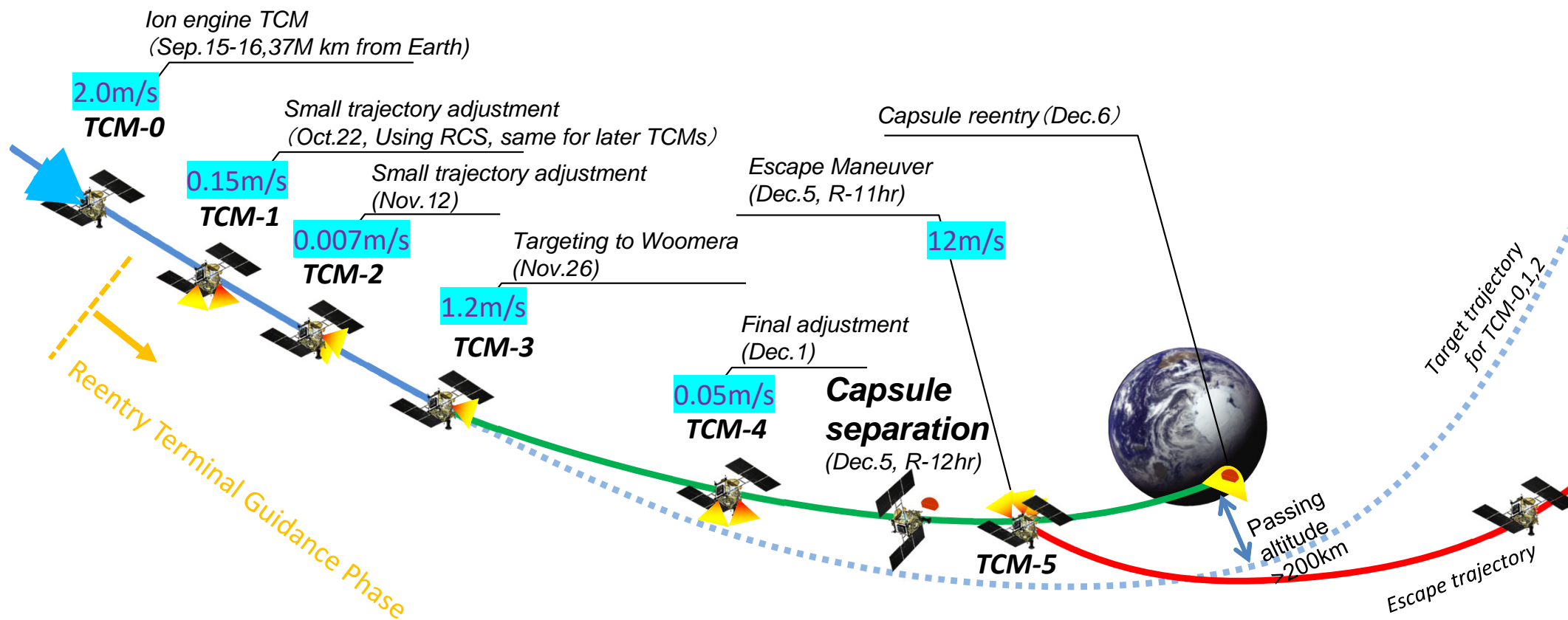
## 7. Smallest-object constellation around extra-terrestrial celestial body





# Reentry Terminal Guidance Phase

- 5 TCMs in the last 2 months before Earth return.
- The SRC was separated 12 hrs before reentry.
- The spacecraft diverted from the reentry trajectory 11 hrs before reentry.





# Fireball of Hayabusa2 Sample Return Capsule

Cooper Pedy, Australia, Dec.6, 2020, 2:28:48-2:29:11JST (Altitude 80~50km)





# Sample Return Capsule recovery



Dec.6 (JST)

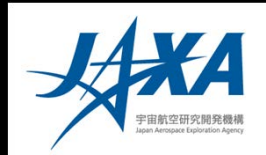
- 02:28 SRC reentry
- 02:32 SRC beacon signal detected
- 02:54 SRC landed (loss of beacon signal)
- 04:47 SRC found
- 08:03 SRC arrived at Quick Look Facility
- 11:13 Fore-heat shield found
- 12:31 Aft-heat shield found
- Dec.7
- 22:30 SRC shipped to Japan
- Dec.8
- 11:27 SRC carried into curation facility

57hr!  
(requirement  
100hr)



Ryugu samples found in the sample container!  
Sample yield : 5.4g (requirement: 0.1g)





# Significance of Hayabusa2

Science

Space Exploration Engineering

Planetary Defense

Planetary Resource

Hayabusa2 is pushing forward the boundaries of small body surface activity

**ACCESS / ROVING / SAMPLING / IMPACTING**



December 6 @Sagamihara Space Operation Center



Image by leaving  
Hayabusa2 after divert  
maneuver, Dec.6, 2020,  
6:30JST, 88,000km)

*Mission completed! ...and continuing to Extended Mission*



December 14@Landing Point, Woomera



## Session 2: Hayabusa2

### Hayabusa2's kinetic impactor

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# Impact experiment of Hayabusa2



## ■ Sub-surface exploration

- ◆ A surface investigation alone is not sufficient.
  - Asteroid surface is altered by cosmic rays, solar wind particles, ...
- ◆ Investigating the internal structure and sampling “fresh” underground materials were required to learn about the evolution of asteroids and our solar system.
- ◆ Investigating asteroid’s structure is important for the planetary defense.

## ■ Artificial crater generation via kinetic impact.

- ◆ Small body impact missions: Deep Impact / DART
  - Large impactor spacecraft.
  - Huge impact energy.
  - A 300 kg-class impactor spacecraft was studied in the early concept study phase.  
-> not realized due to the financial circumstances.
- ◆ JAXA developed a new low-cost small impact system.
  - Small Carry-on Impactor (SCI)

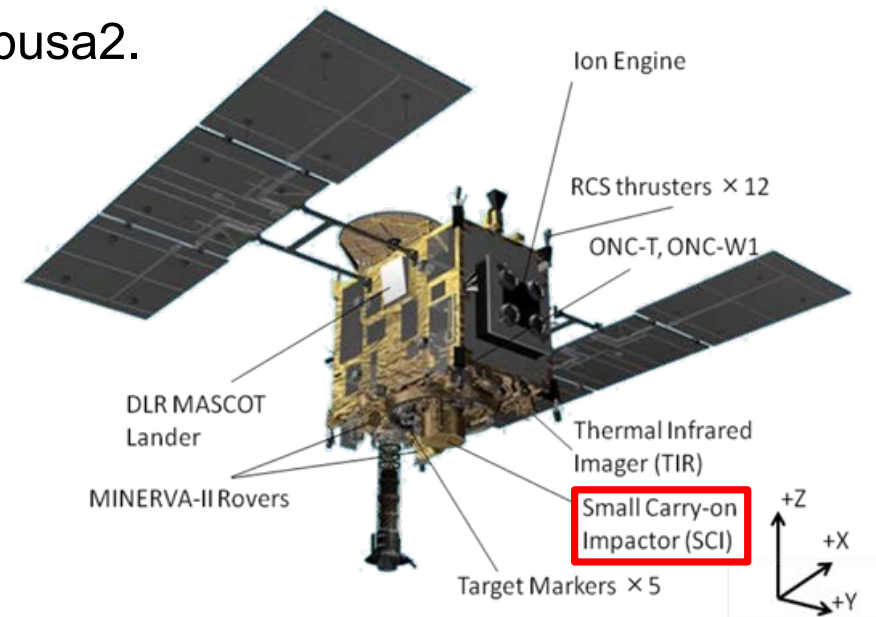


# Small Carry-on Impactor



## ■ SCI: Small Carry-on Impactor

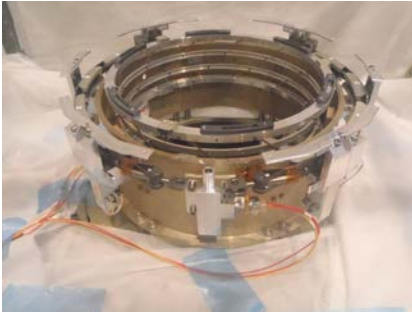
- ◆ Small kinetic impact device (Space cannon, bomb)
    - It was mounted on the bottom panel of Hayabusa2.
  - ◆ SCI was used after rendezvous with Ryugu.
    - It had to accelerate the impactor by itself.
  - ◆ Explosive propellant charge
    - 2 kg copper impactor.
    - Impact velocity: 2 km/s.
  - ◆ Very simple system
    - No GNC function.
    - Attitude: spin stabilization.
- > developed at low cost.





# Configuration of SCI

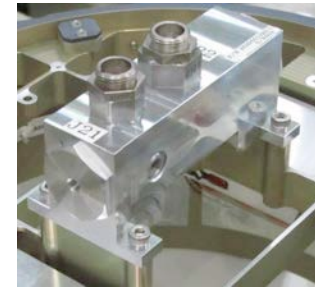
Separation mechanism  
(helical spring)



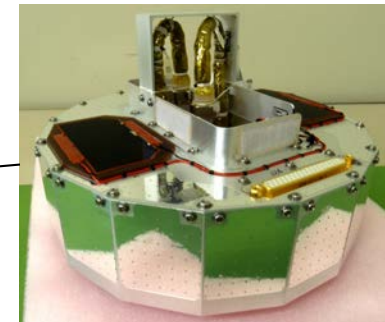
Total: 18kg  
Separation mechanism: 4kg,  
Main body: 14kg



Safe & arm device  
(Incl. detonator + booster)



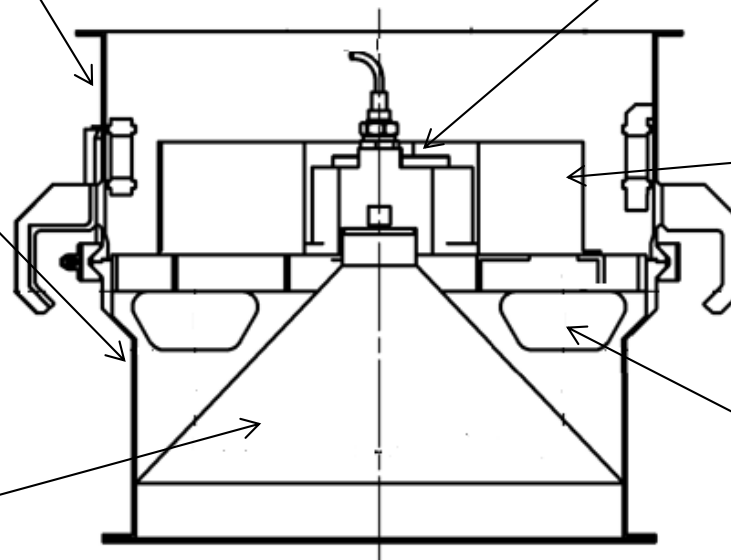
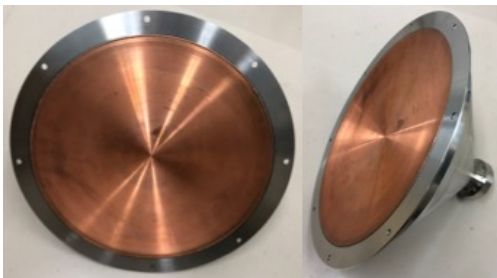
Electric device  
(sequencer, ignition circuit)



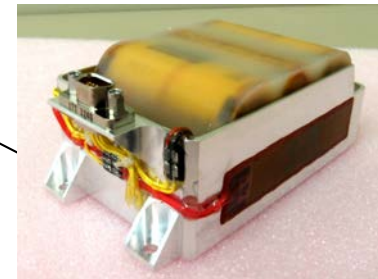
Main body



Shaped charge

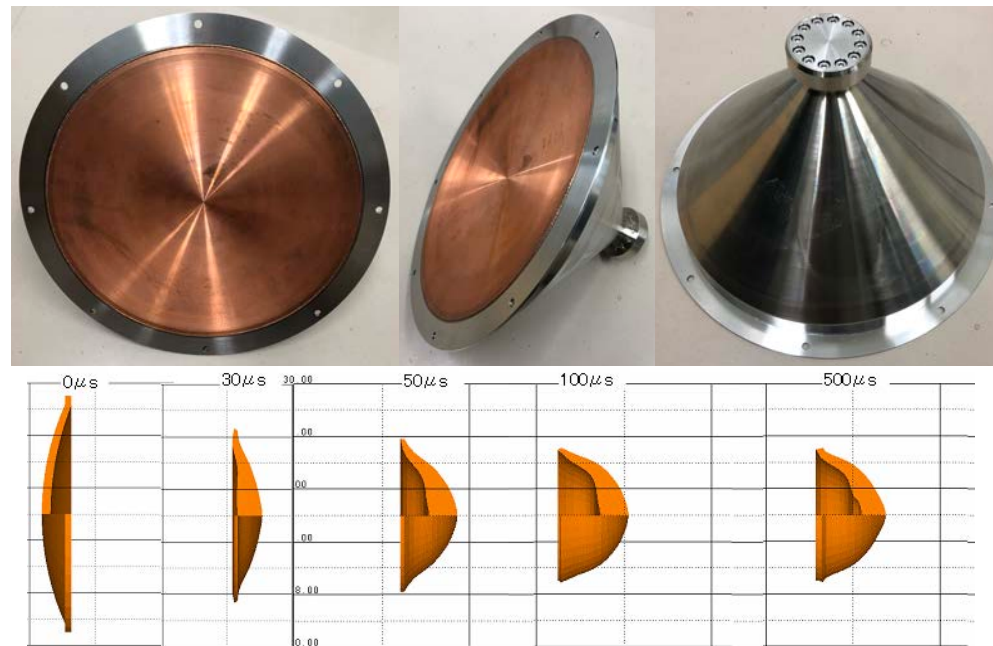
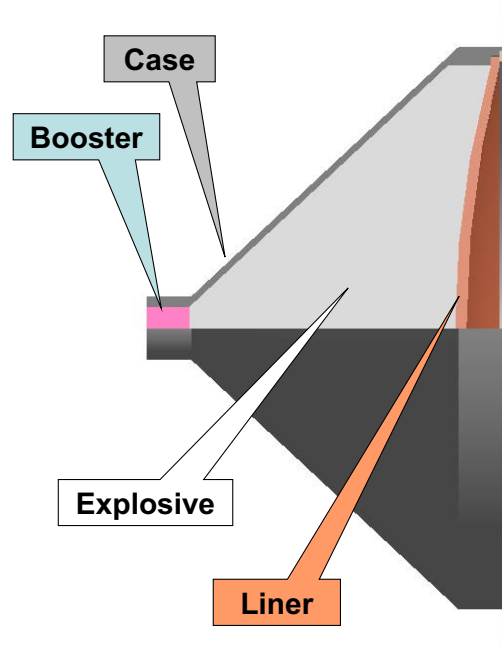


Primary battery



# Shaped charge

- Weight: About 9.5 kg (Explosive: 4.7kg, Liner: 2.5kg)
- Explosive: HMX-based plastic bonded explosive (PBX)
- Acceleration time: Very short (less than 1 ms.)
- Problem: The powerful explosive destroys the SCI main body and scatters many high-speed fragments.  
-> Complicated operation.





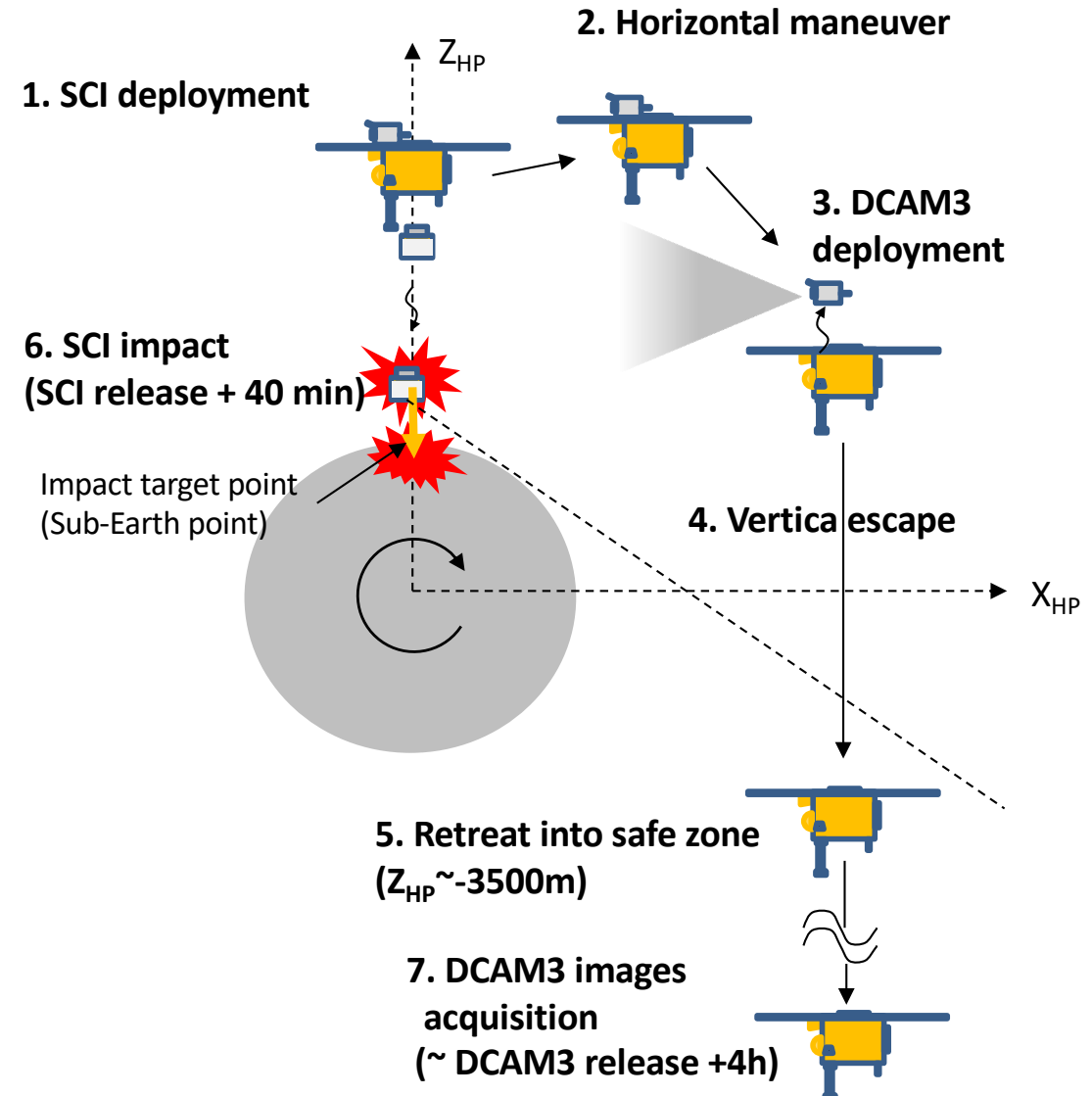
# Impact operation sequence

## ■ Escape maneuver

- ◆ Hayabusa2 must escape to the safe zone behind Ryugu's limb to avoid the debris and ejecta.

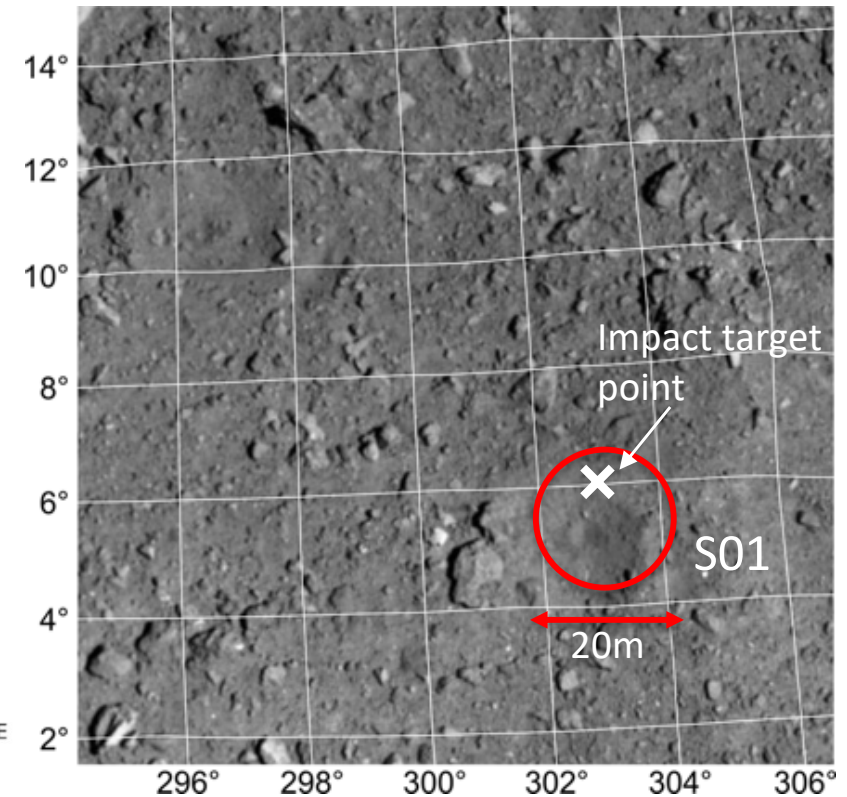
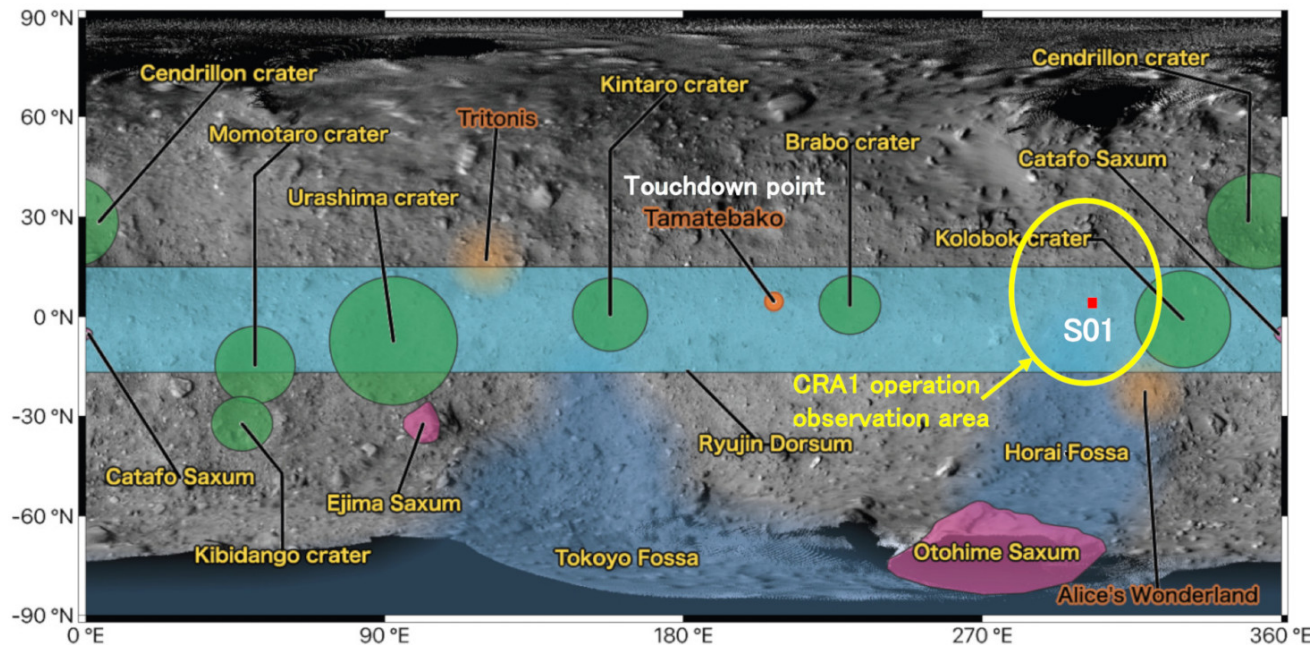
## ■ Sequence of impact operation

1. SCI Separation. Alt: about 500m
2. Horizontal maneuver.
3. DCAM3 deployment.
4. Vertical maneuver.
5. Retreat into safe zone.
6. SCI impact. (40 min after the SCI release).
7. DCAM3 images acquisition



# Impact Target

- Impact Target: Lat=6degN, Lon=303deg
  - ◆ On the equatorial ridge of Ryugu.
  - ◆ Near S01 area (Flat area found by the global survey)
- Impact epoch: 2:36:10 on April 5 2019.
  - ◆ SCI release: 40 min before the impact epoch.

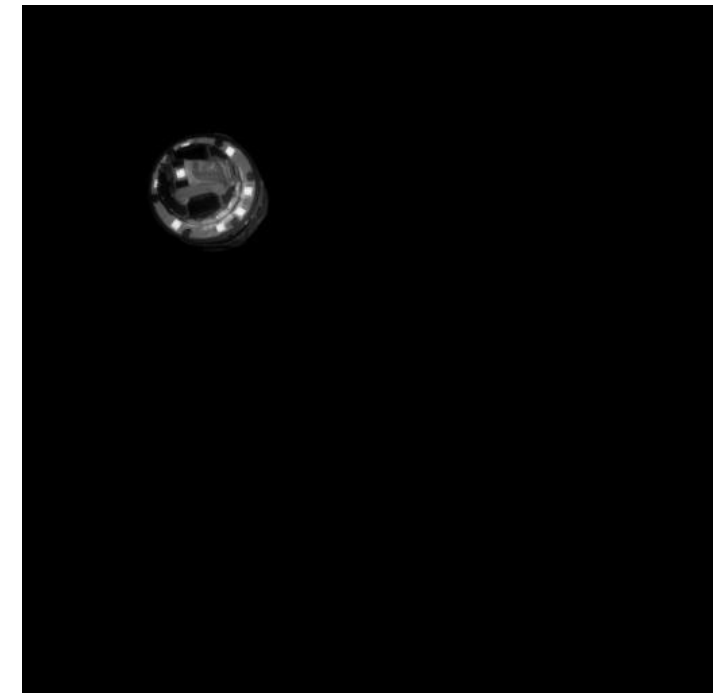


# SCI impact experiment



## ■ Impact experiment: April 4-5, 2019

Time(UT)	Events
Apr. 4 04:00	Start descent (40cm/s, alt=20km)
Apr. 5 00:21	SCI ON
00:44	Begin GO/NOGO judgement
01:05	Send GO commands
01:44	Target altitude arrival & start hovering
01:52:20	+Z dV (final dV before SCI sep.)
01:56:11	<b>SCI separation, alt=500m</b>
01:57:37	+X dV (evacuation dV 1)
02:02:26	-Z dV (evacuation dV 2)
02:10:07	-X dV (evacuation dV 3)
02:14:25	<b>DCAM3 separation</b>
02:15:27	-Z dV (evacuation dV 4)
02:36:10	<b>SCI explosion &amp; impact !</b>
07:22	Stop observation command to DCAM3

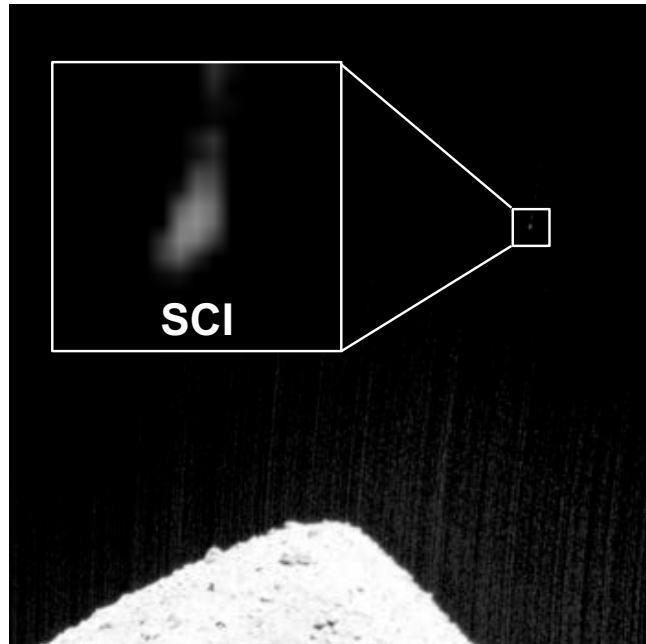


Released SCI (1:56:17)



# DCAM3 images

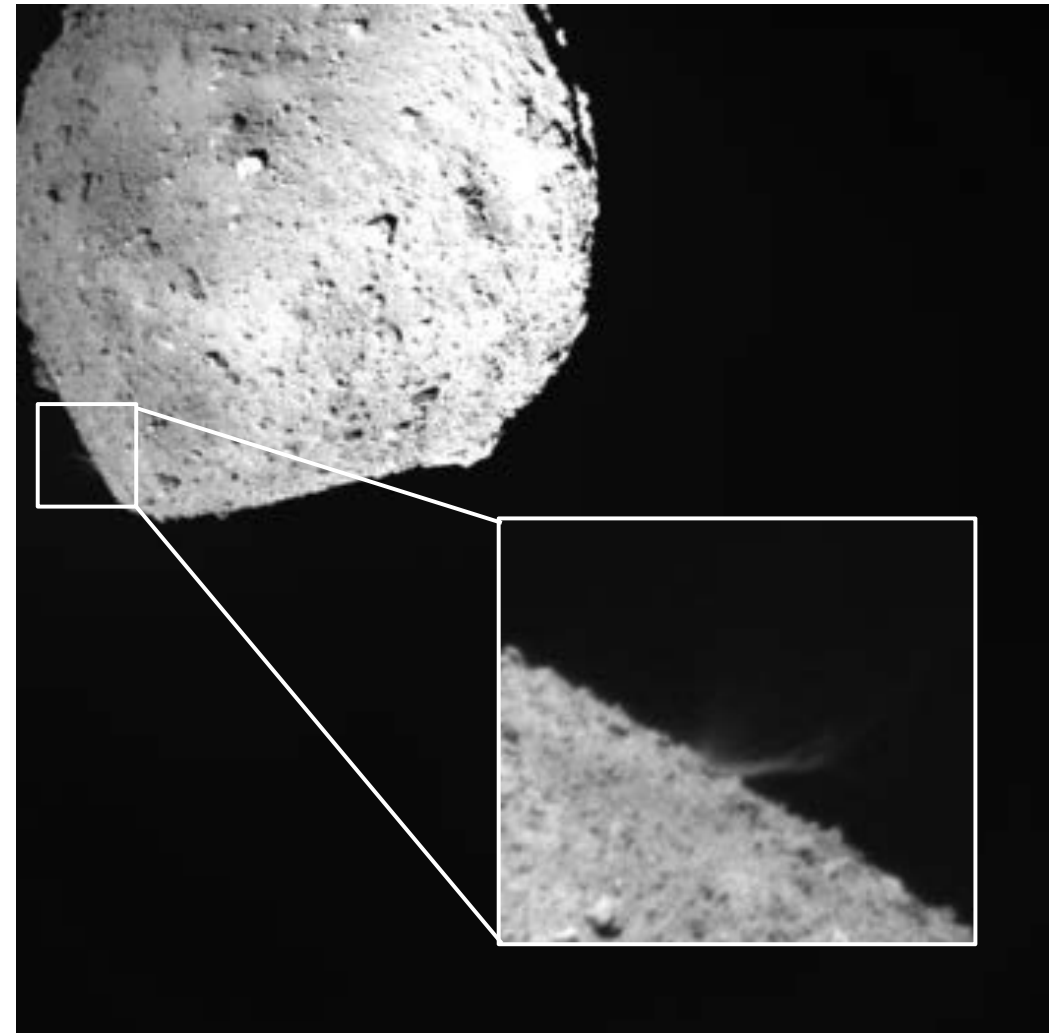
## ■ Photos from DCAM3



185sec before SCI ignition



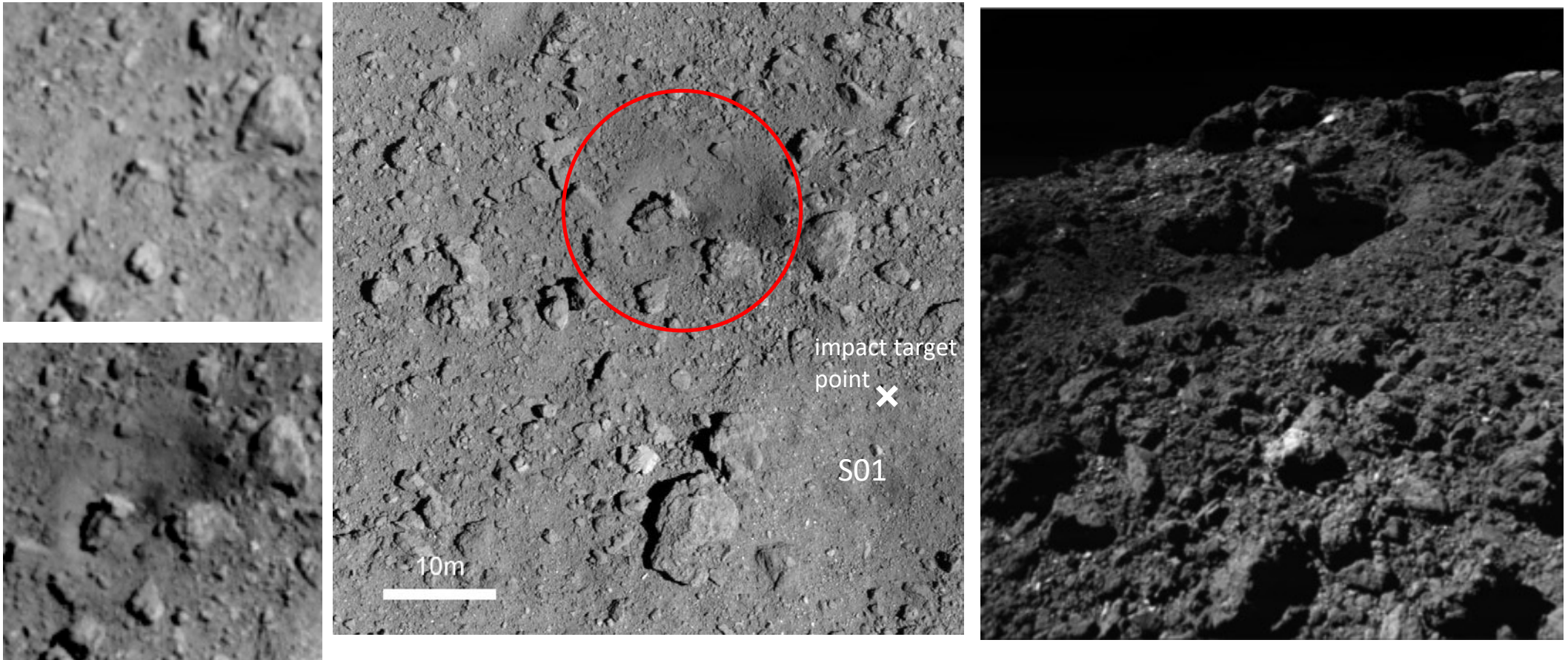
2sec after the impact (analog camera)



3sec after the impact (digital camera)

# Artificial Crater

- 15m class crater
  - ◆ Impact position: only 20m off from the target !
    - > The SCI was released with small velocity & pointing errors.
- July 11, 2019: 2<sup>nd</sup> sampling (North of crater).



# Summary

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- The investigation of the sub-surface structure and materials was the new objective of Hayabusa2 that was not seen with Hayabusa.
- Hayabusa2 was equipped with a compact kinetic impactor (SCI) and a small deployable camera (DCAM3).
- The spacecraft, SCI, and DCAM3 worked perfectly in the impact experiment on April 5, 2019.
- A15m-class artificial crater was created, and its formation process was observed by the DCAM3.
- Impact energy of the SCI is too small to deflect the asteroid.
- However, the SCI is an important tool for planetary defense because the artificial crater gives us valuable information about the structure of small bodies.



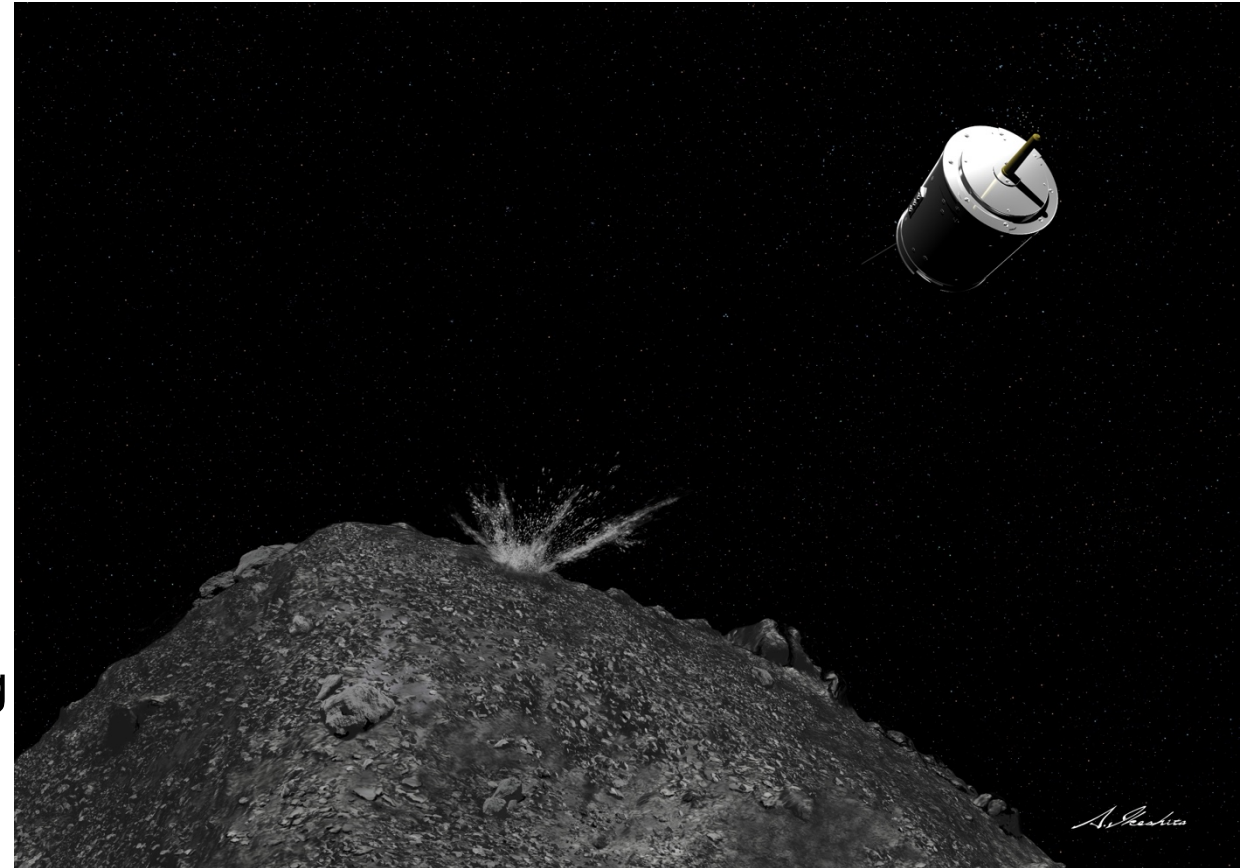
# Artificial impact crater on Ryugu formed in the gravity dominated regime

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# SCI Impact experiment on Ryugu

- **Artificial impact crater**
  - To excavate the subsurface and observe the asteroid interior.
- **Ejecta curtain**
  - Observed by **Deployable CAMera 3** to study the mechanical properties of the surface.
- **Scientific aspects**
  - Supported Hayabusa2 scientific observations by remote-sensing instruments and sampling at touchdown.
    1. Sample science
    2. Remote sensing science
    3. Science for Planetary impact process



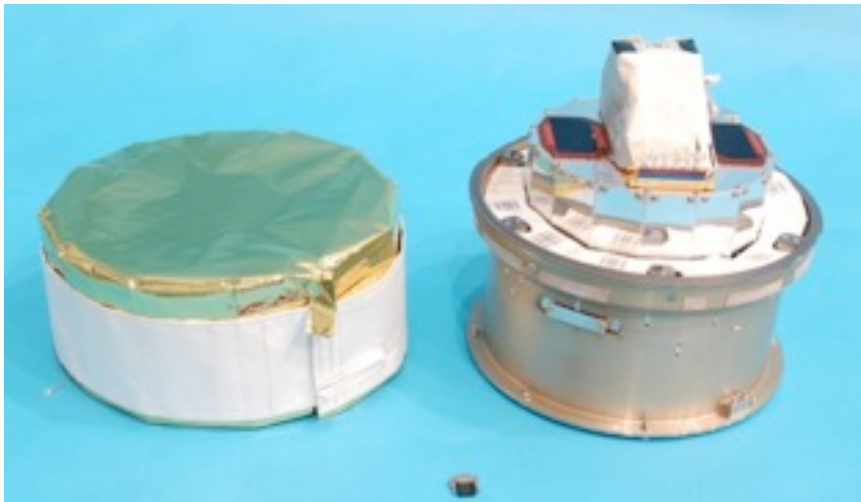


# Instruments

## SCI

### **S**mall **C**arry-on **I**mpactor

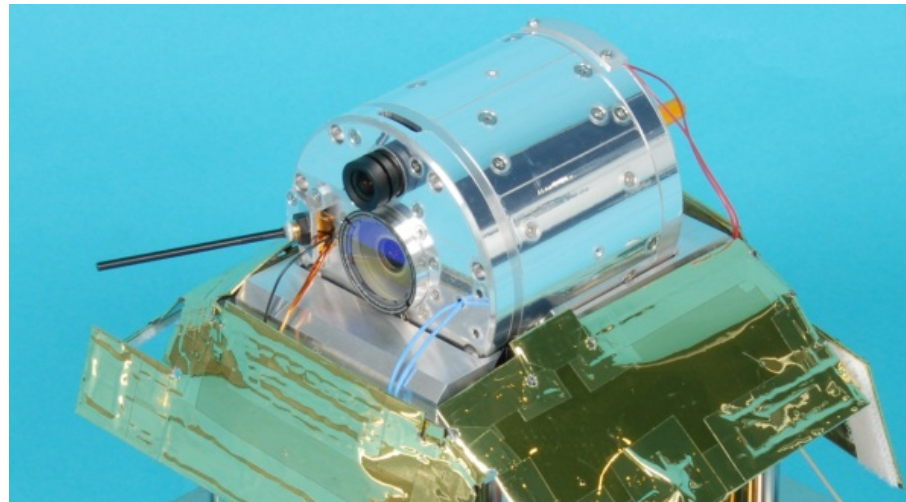
- Copper disk (30 cm) and explosive.
- Copper disk projectile (2 kg,  $\sim 2$  km/s) deforms to a hollow spherical shell.
- First instrument to form artificial impact crater on asteroids.



## DCAM3

### **D**eployable **CAM**era in **3**rd generation

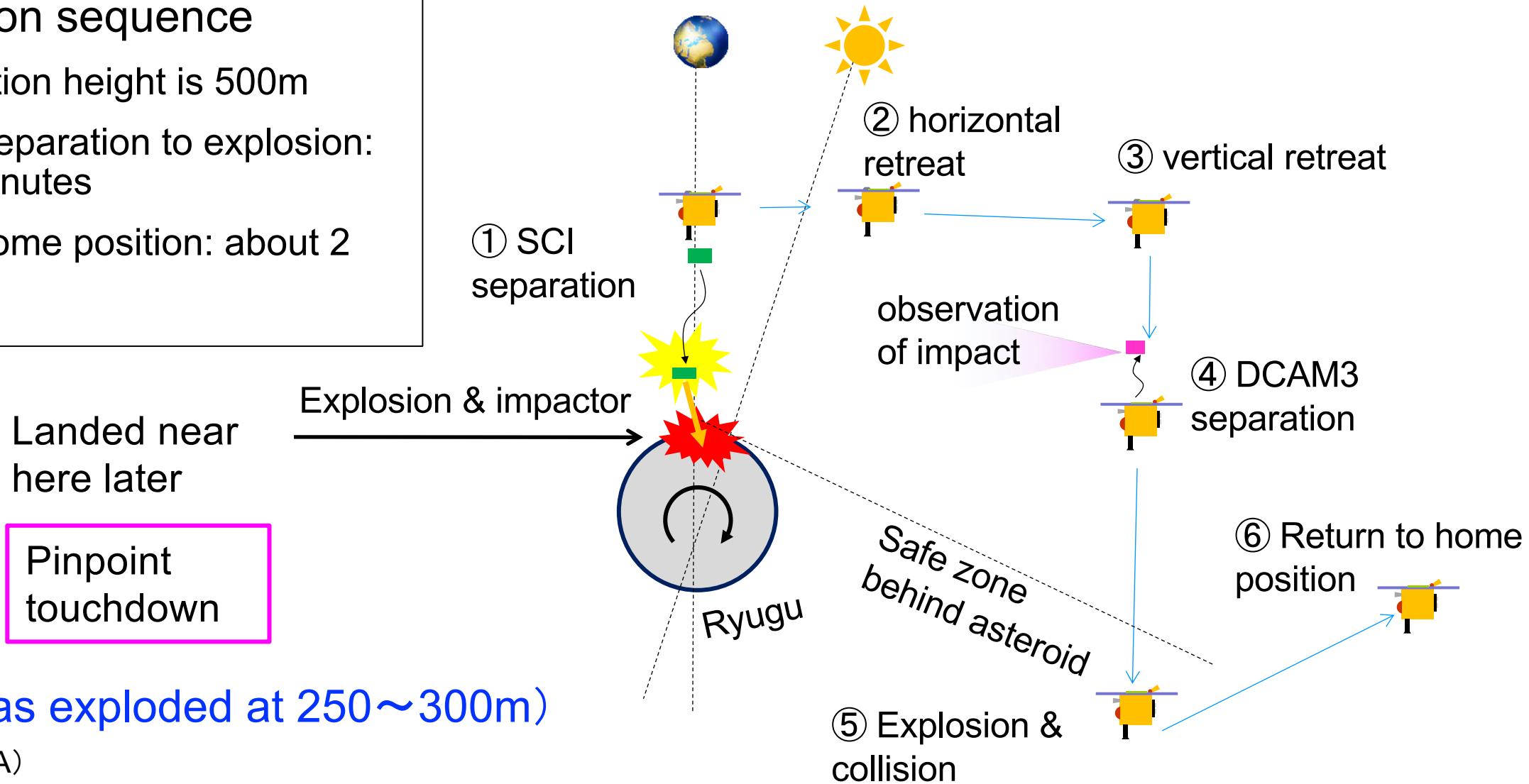
- A tiny satellite composed of optics, sensor, transmitter, and battery.
- Specifications:  $< 1$  m/pixel, 1 frame/sec,  $74^\circ \times 74^\circ$  FOV.
- **In-situ observation of SCI impact on the surface of Ryugu.**



# Overview of SCI, DCAM3 operation

## SCI operation sequence

- SCI separation height is 500m
- From SCI separation to explosion: about 40 minutes
- Return to home position: about 2 weeks

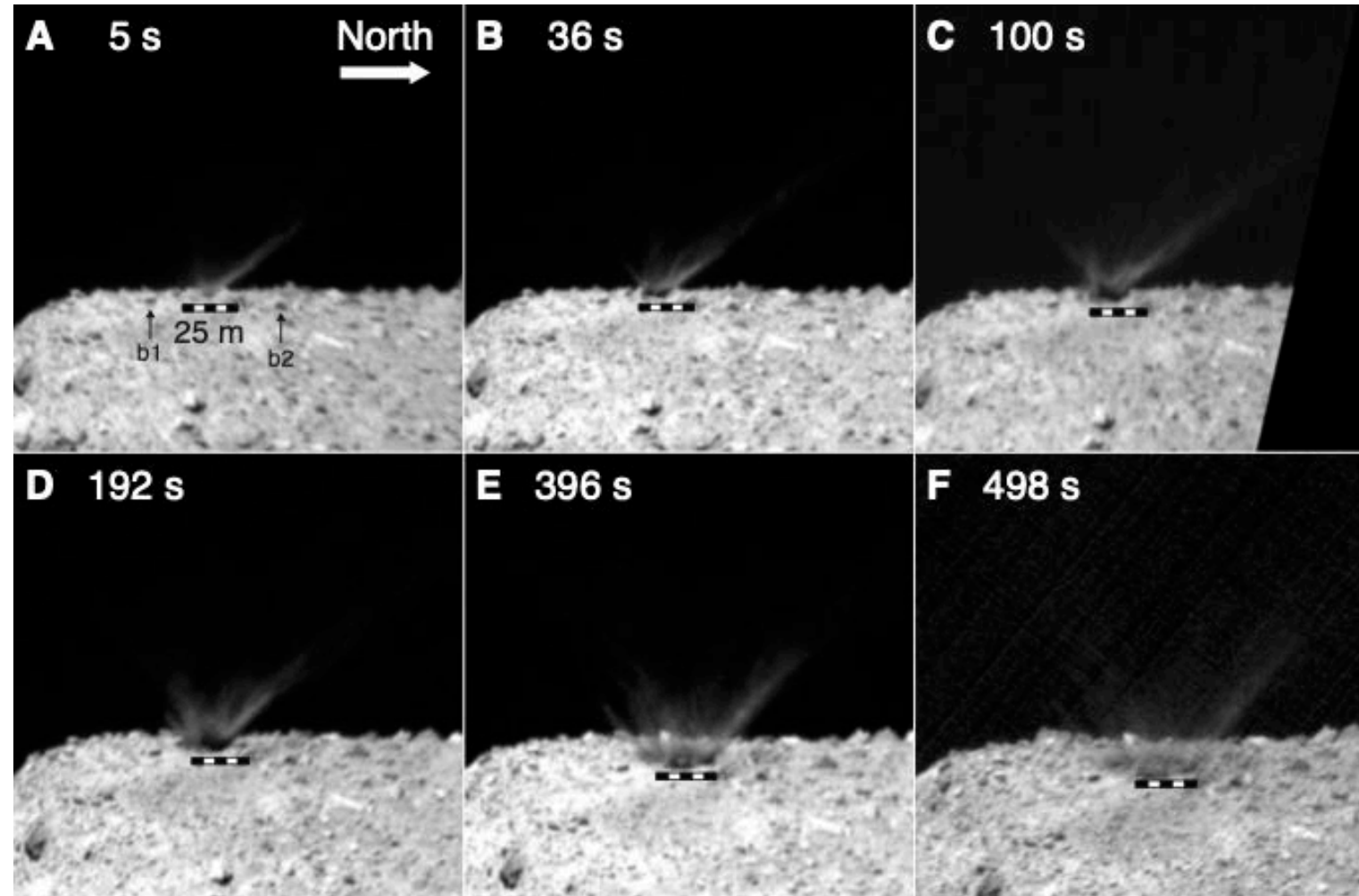


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# Successive images of ejecta curtain growth observed by DCAM3

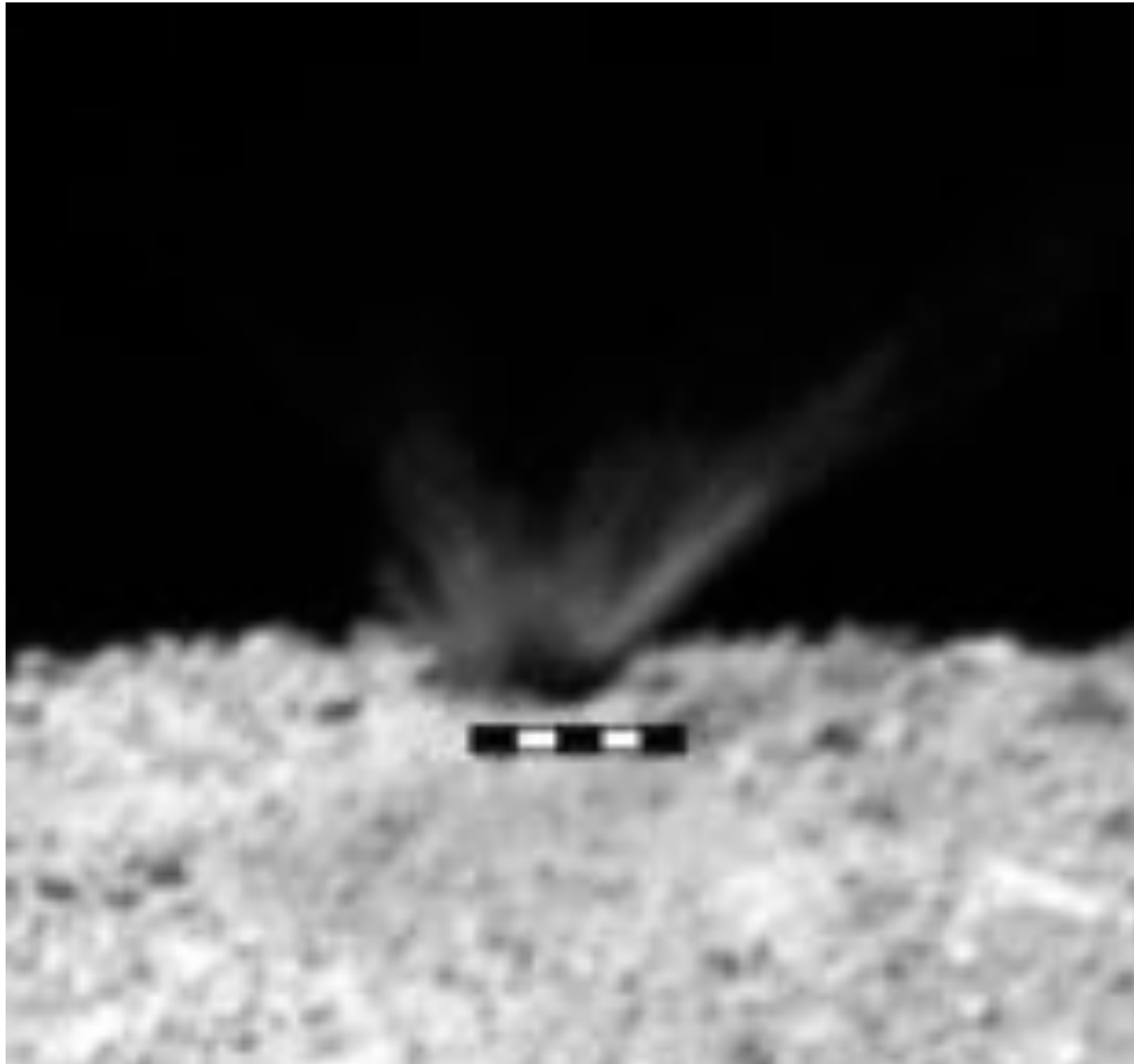
- Ejecta generated in the collision initially spray northward.
- Crater formation, excavation and **deposition** process, lasts for 500 seconds.
- **No separation between the ejecta curtain and ground surface** is observed.
- For the first **200 seconds**, the **crater appears to be growing**. After this, the ejecta deposition is occurring.
- **SCI carter could be formed in the gravity dominated regime**



Arakawa et al., 2020

**Ejecta curtain  
growth**

**Close up images**

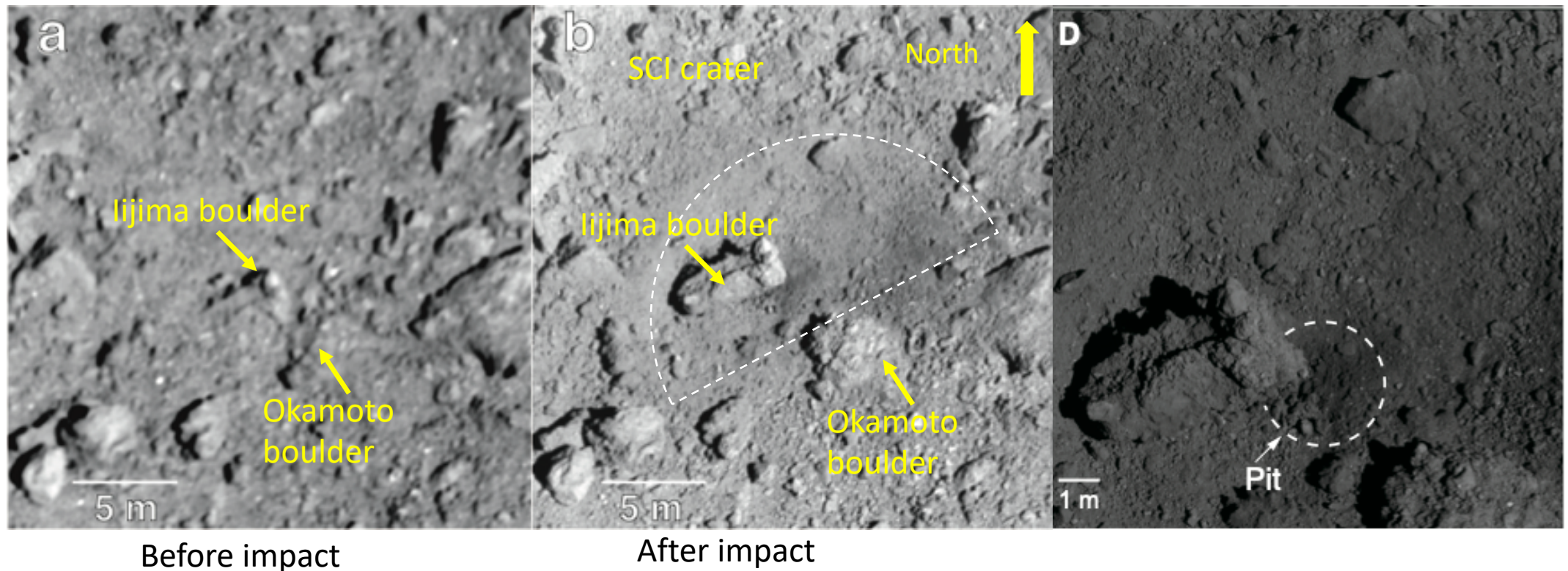


**→ North**



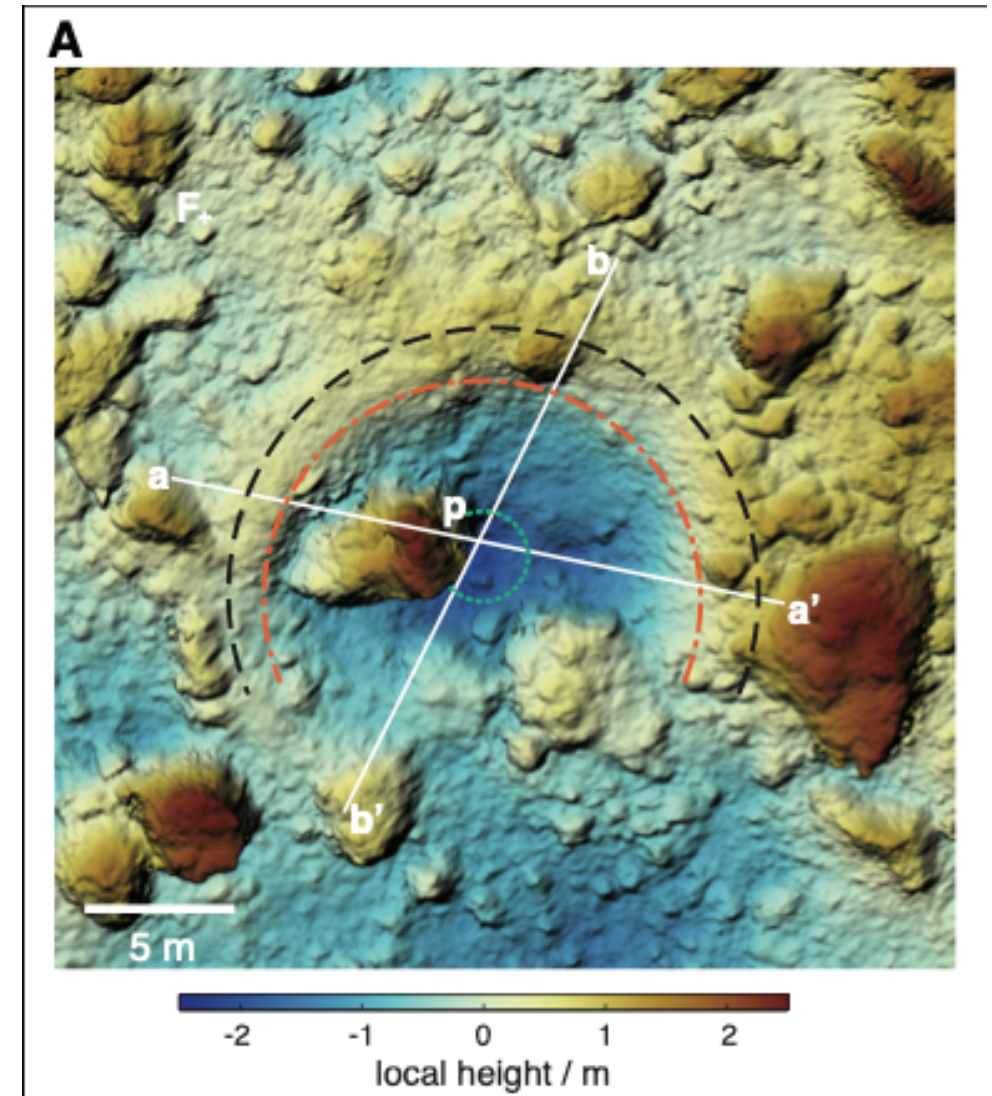
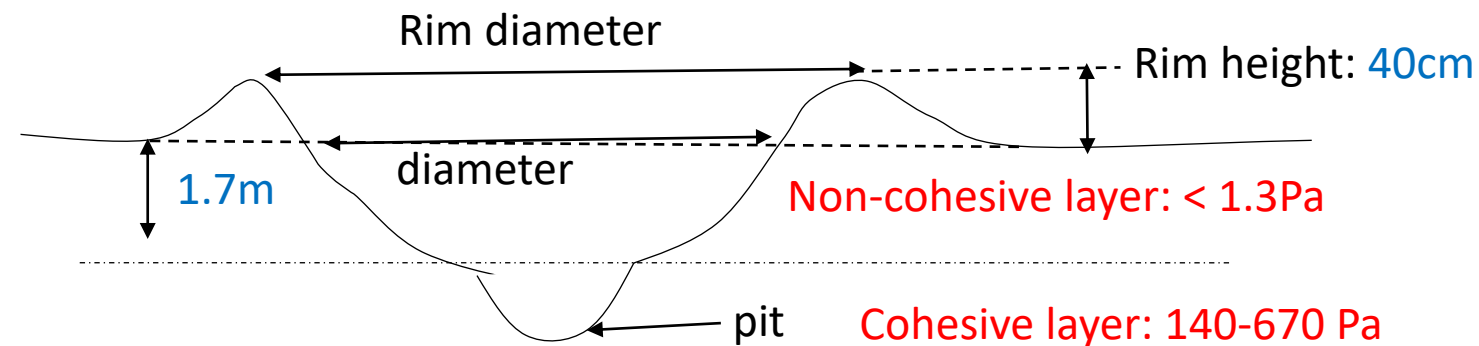
# SCI (Omusubi-Kororin) crater

- The crater is **semi-circular**. Southern growth was inhibited by the Okamoto boulder.
- Large boulder (Iijima boulder) moved 3m northwest.
- A pit about 3m in diameter was seen at the eastern end of the Iijima boulder.



# SCI crater shape : Digital Elevation Map

- **Diameter:  $14.5 \pm 0.8\text{m}$** 
  - Crater diameter at 0m height.
- Rim diameter:  $17.6 \pm 0.7\text{m}$ 
  - Distance between rim tops
- Pit diameter about 3m, depth 60cm
  - **140 – 670 Pa layer at bottom**



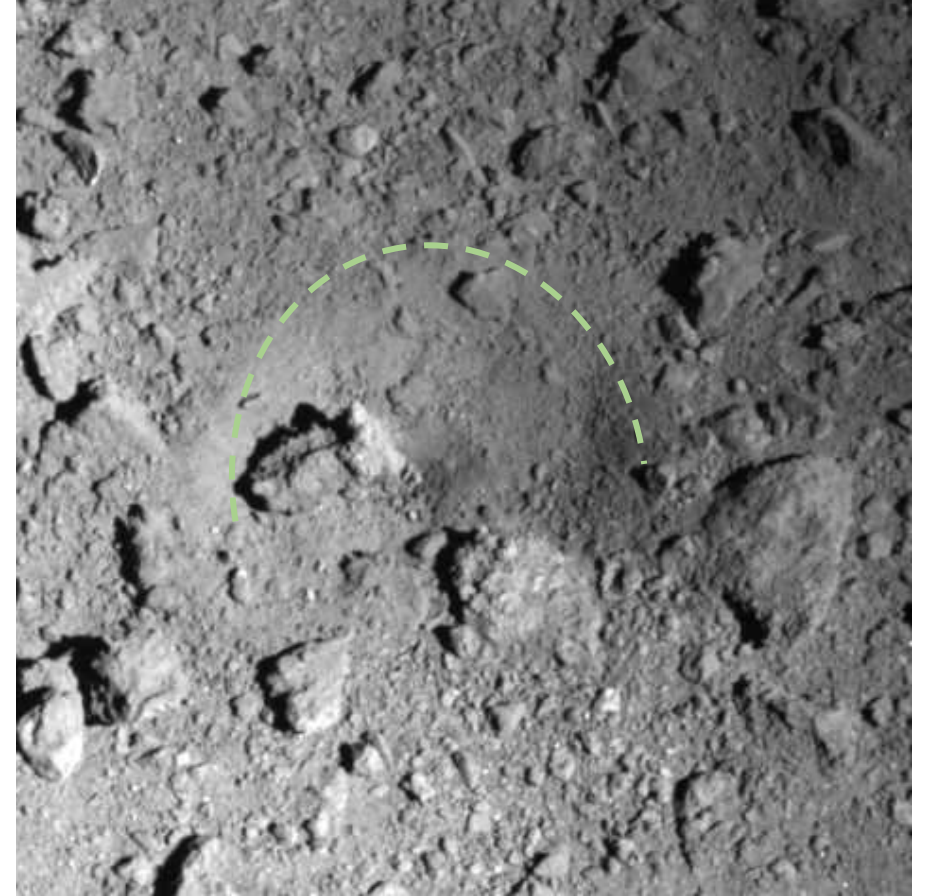


# Comparison with ground experiments

- Artificial crater was formed by ground tests of the SCI. The size was about 2m.
- The SCI crater was about 7 times larger than that formed on Earth because of small gravity,  $10^{-5}$  G.
- SCI crater diameter of 14.5 m is explained by the surface covered with sand-like regolith without cohesion.



(image credit : JAXA)



(Image credit: JAXA, University of Tokyo, Kochi University, Rikkyo University, Nagoya University, Chiba Institute of Technology, Meiji University, University of Aizu, AIST)

Hayabusa2 'Science' journal article



# Summary

- Hayabusa2 Small Carry-on Impactor (SCI) formed an artificial impact crater (SCI crater) on the surface of asteroid Ryugu.
- The SCI crater is a semi-circle with the diameter of 14.5 m, and has a elevated rim. Ejecta curtain growth observed by Deployable CAMera 3 (DCAM3) showed the crater formation time longer than 200 s.
- These evidences show that the SCI crater was formed in the gravity-dominated regime, and the crater diameter was almost similar to that estimated from the scaling law for dry-sand.
- The surface boulder layer behaves like non-cohesive sand.
- The central pit was discovered and it may show the slightly cohesive subsurface layer with the strength of 140 – 670 Pa.

# Physical properties of Ryugu revealed by proximity observations with Hayabusa2 science instruments



**Hayabusa2**

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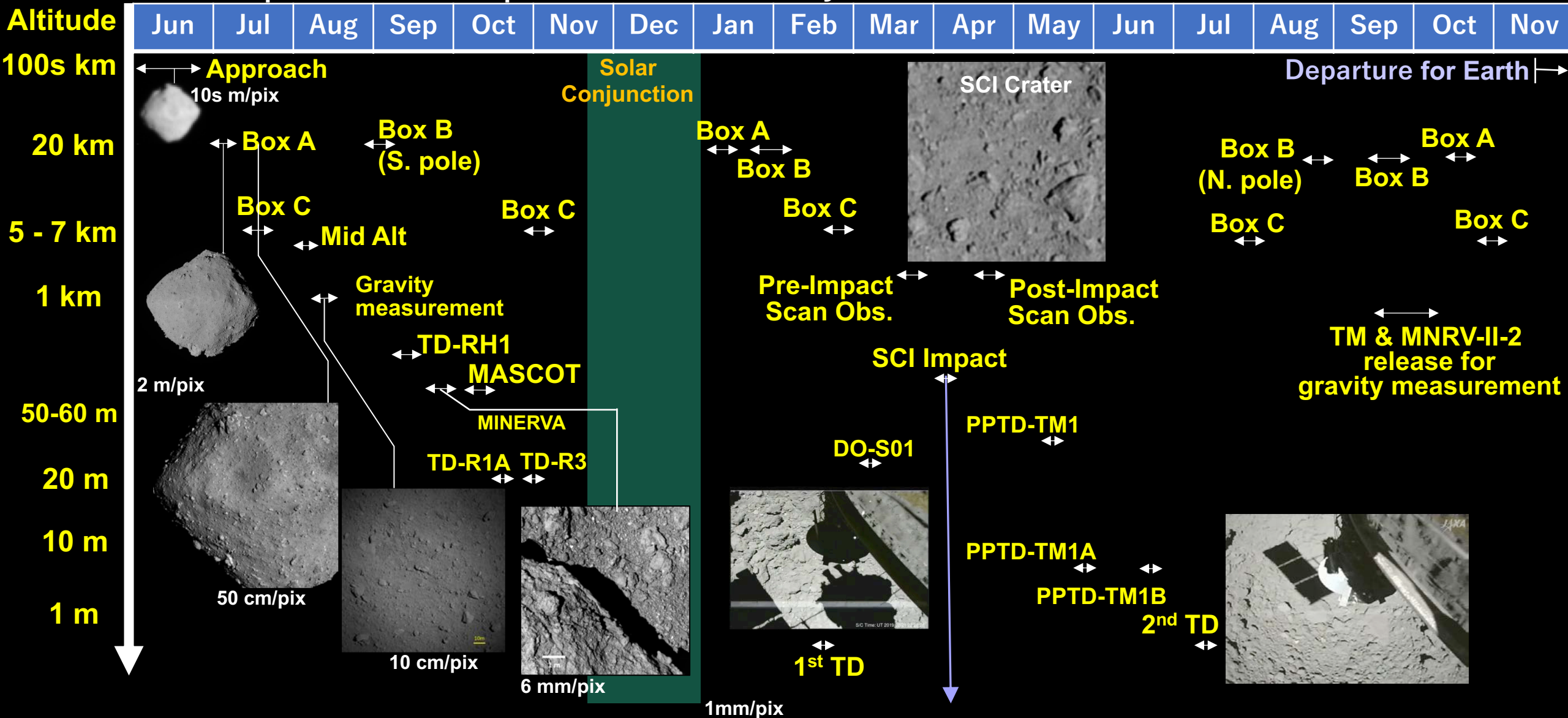
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# Hayabusa2 Actual Observation Timeline

2018: Rapid resolution improvement

2019: Physical Contacts with Surface

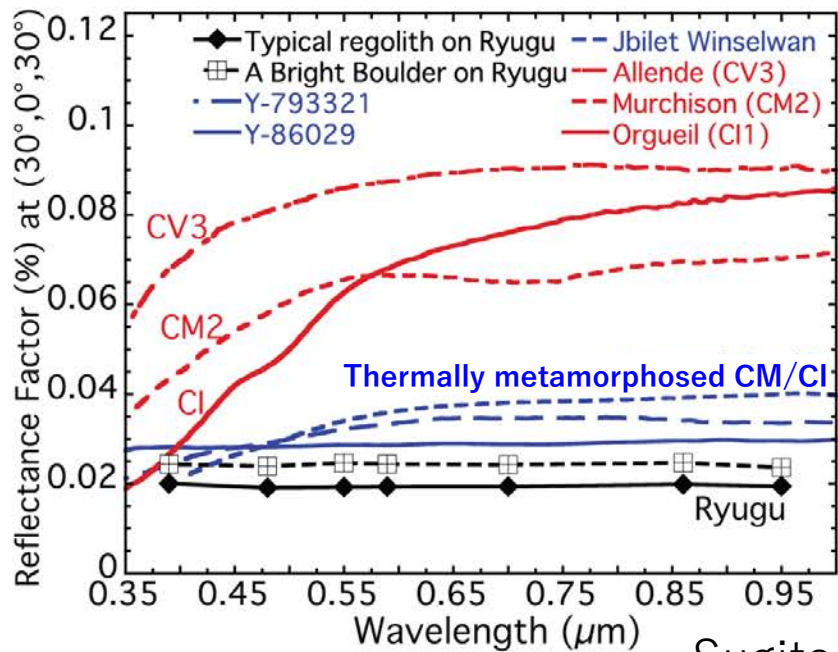




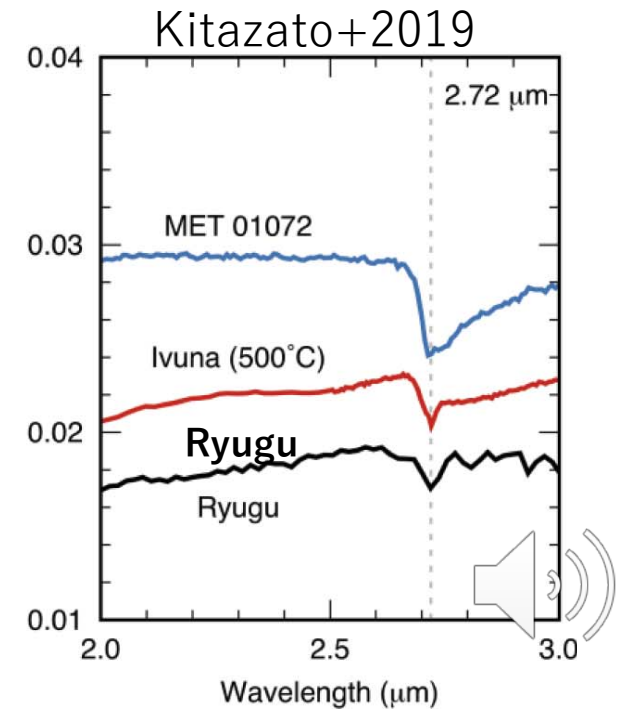
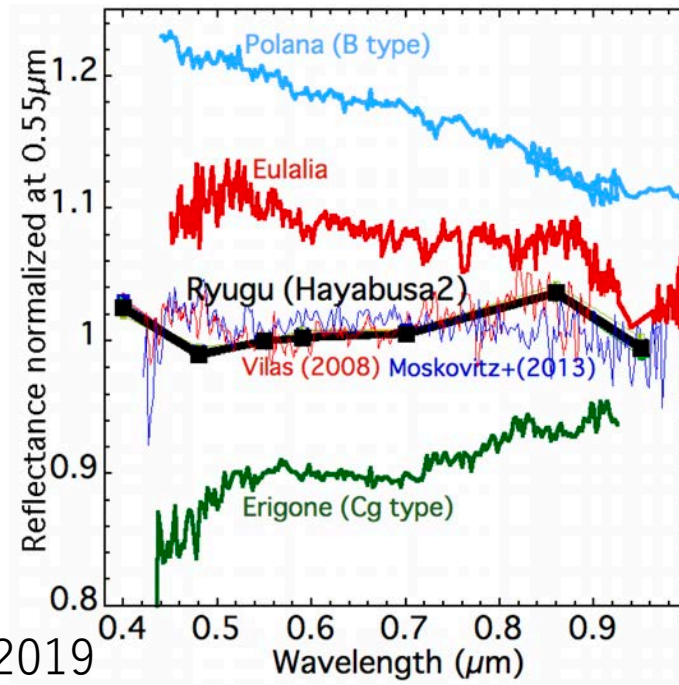
# General Characteristics of Ryugu



- **Top shape** (Watanabe+2019, Sugita+2019)
- **Rubble pile**
  - High abundance of large boulders (Sugita+2019)
  - Low  $\rho$  ( $1.19 \text{ g/cm}^3$ ) and high porosity ( $>50\%$ ) (Watanabe+2019)
- Consistent with **thermally metamorphosed CM/CI**.
  - Extremely low reflectance (1.9% in VIS-NIR) (Sugita+2019, Kitazato+2019)
  - Flat spectra w/o strong  $0.7\mu\text{m}$  absorption band (Cb type) (Sugita+2019)
  - Weak but significant OH band (Kitazato+2019)



Sugita+2019





The average boulder size on Ryugu is  $\sim 3\text{m}$  (Sugita+2019 Sci)  
Much larger than  $\sim\text{cm}$  expected from pre-arrival thermal inertia observation  
 $150\text{-}300\text{s Jm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-0.5}\text{K}^{-1}$  (Müller+2017A&A)



0.9 km

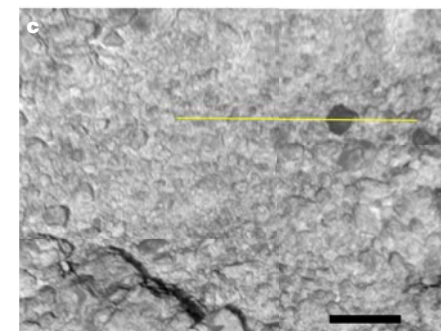
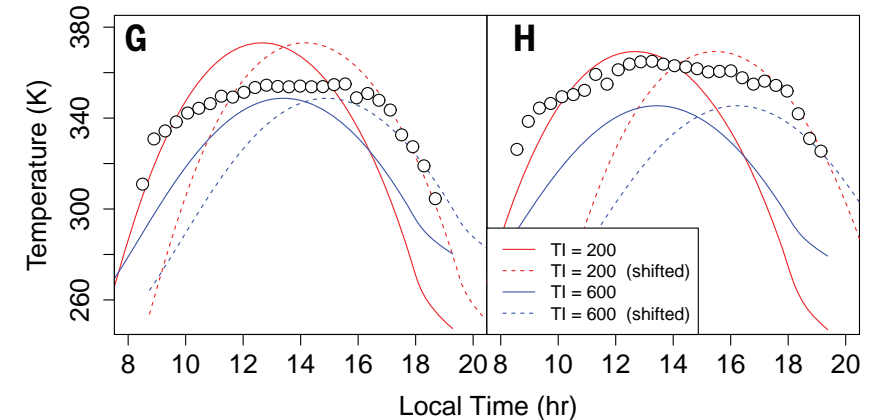
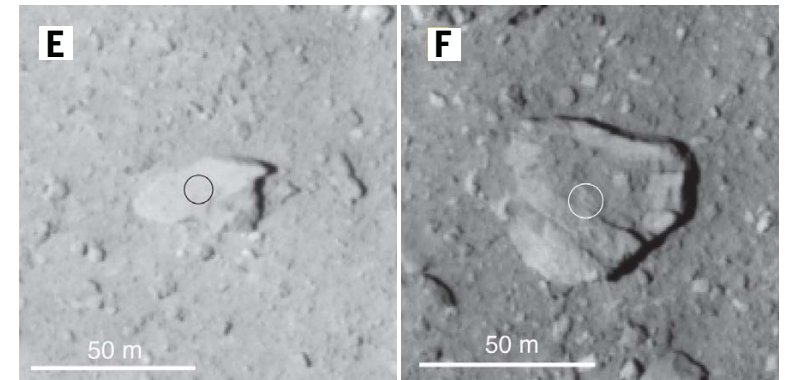




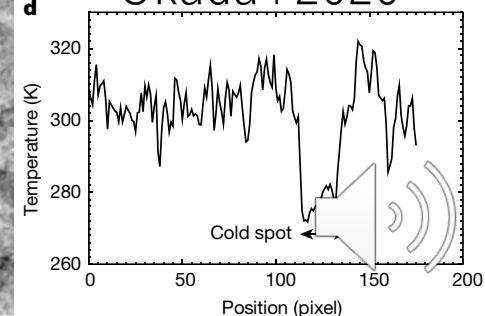
# Thermal properties of Ryugu

Sugita+2019

- Thermal inertia is  $\sim 300 \text{ Jm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-0.5}\text{K}^{-1}$   
Consistent with  **$\sim \text{cm}$  size pebbles**.  
(Sugita+2019 *Science*, Okada+2020 *Nature*, Shimaki+2020 *Icarus*)
  - No significant difference in thermal inertia between regolith and boulders.
  - There are “cold boulders” (i.e., low porosity). But they are extremely rare  
(Okada+2020 *Nature*).
  - $\sim 300 \text{ Jm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-0.5}\text{K}^{-1}$  leads to 0.2-0.28 MPa of tensile strength (Grott+2019)
- => Ryugu is made of large high-porosity boulders.



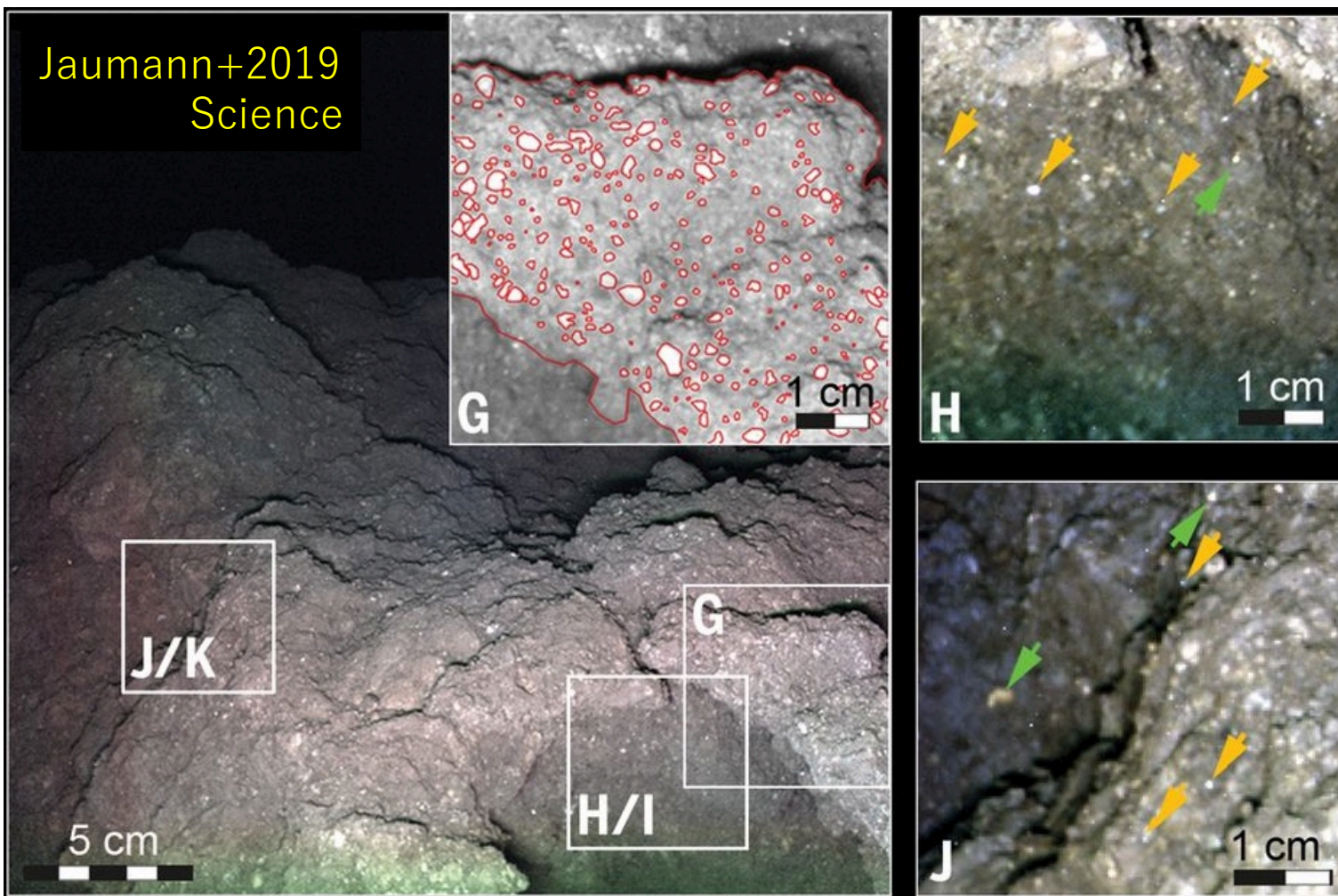
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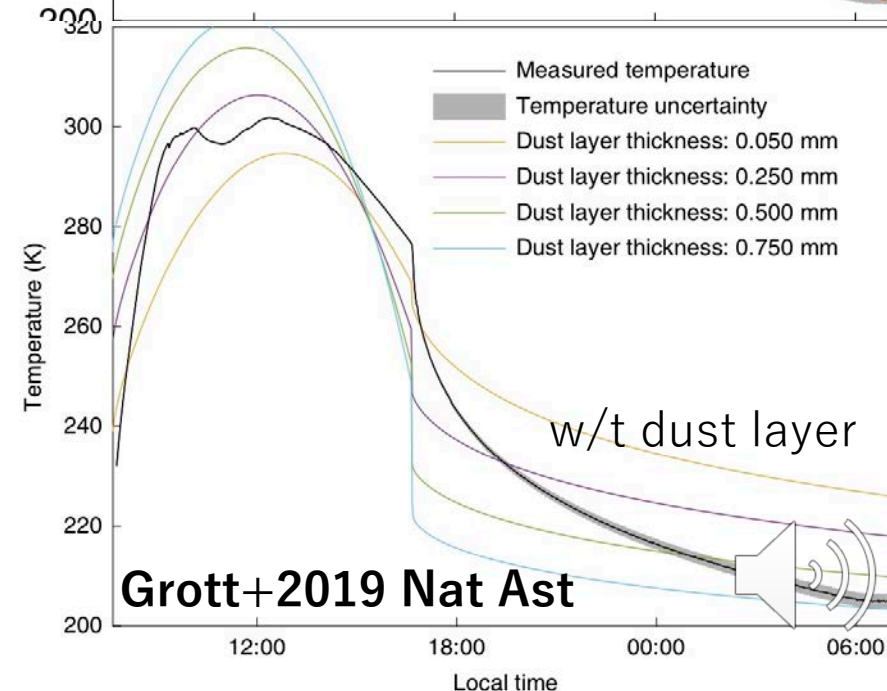
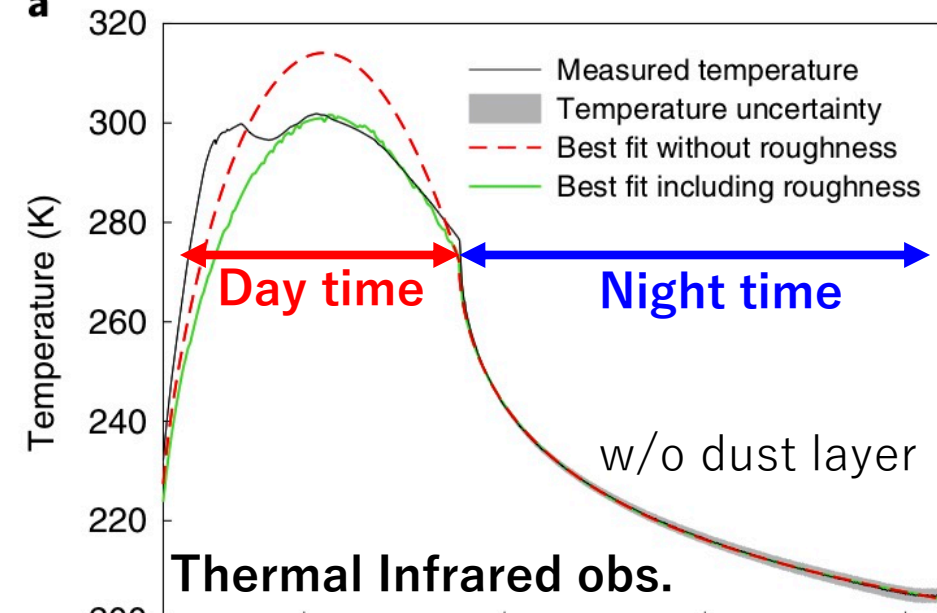


# MASCOT's *in situ* measurements!

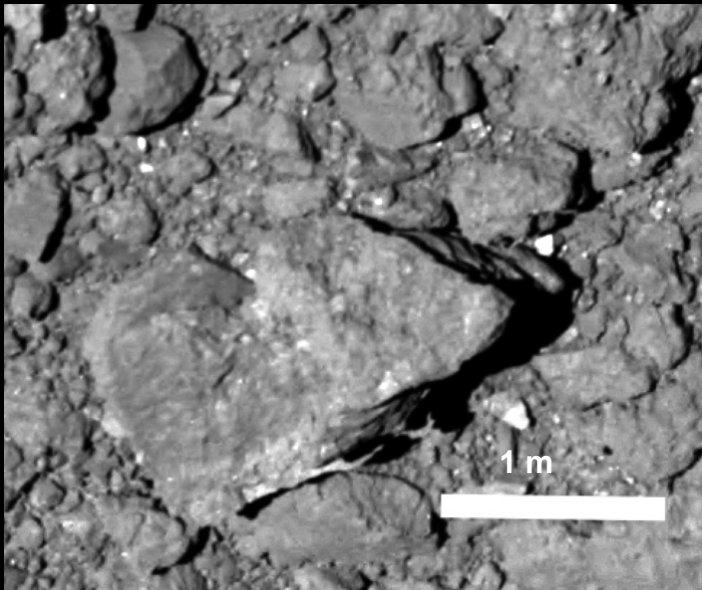
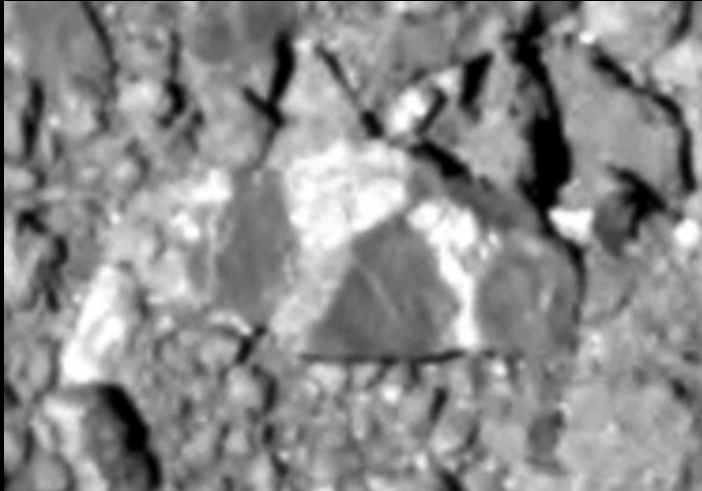
Jaumann+2019  
Science



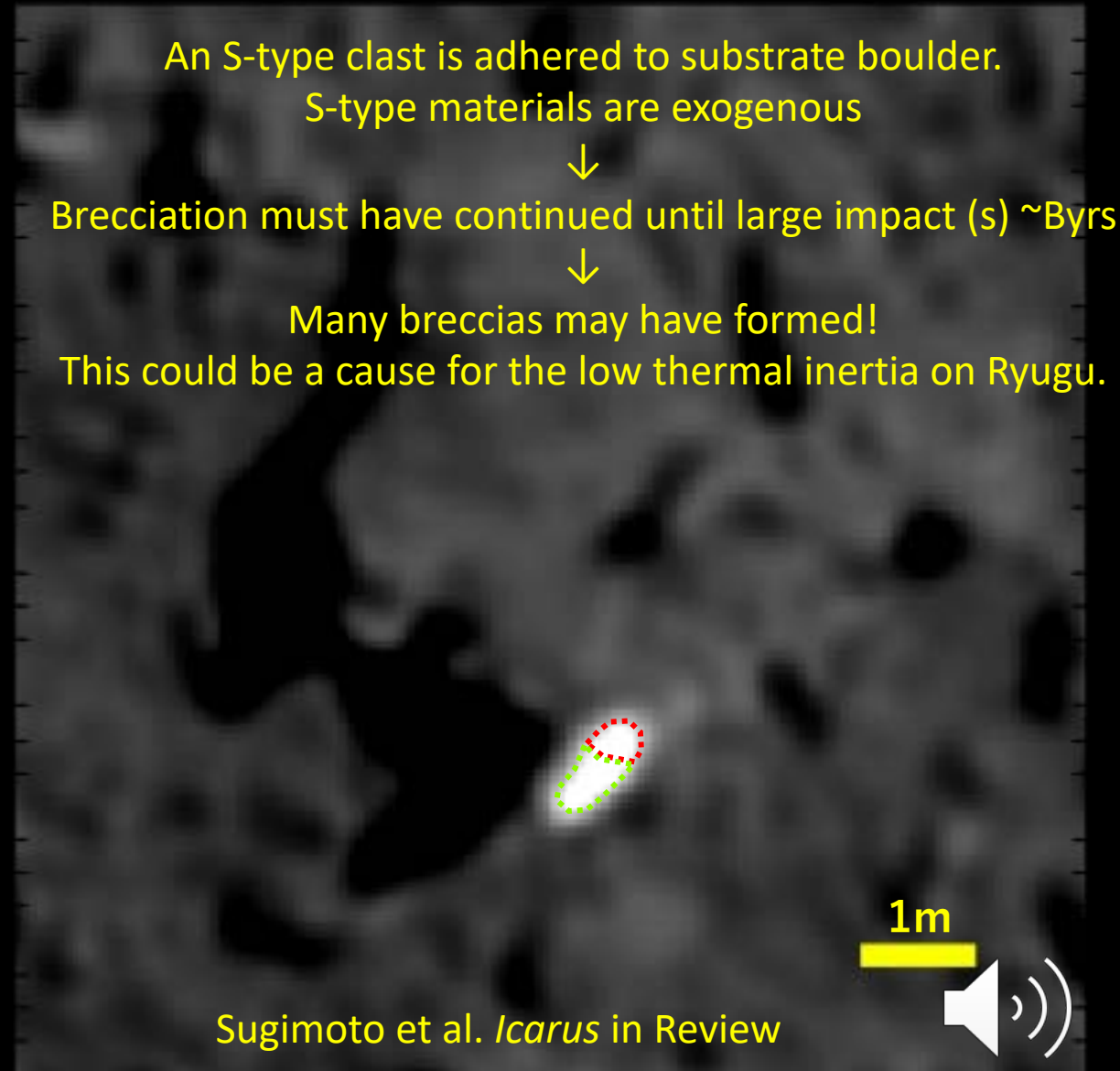
- Morphologies are similar between sub-mm-scale and m-scale images
- Lot of mm-scale inclusions in boulders => **No thick dust layer!**



# Breccias on Ryugu



Sugita et al. (2019)



# Conclusions

- Ryugu's spectral properties are consistent with thermally metamorphosed carbonaceous chondrites.
- Bulk density 1.19 g/cc is much lower than any carbonaceous chondrites.  
➔ High porosity >50%
- A great gap between grain size (~cm) estimated from thermal inertia and actual average grain size (~3  $\mu$ m).  
➔ Ryugu is covered with large high-porosity boulders.
- No thick dust layer on boulders.  
➔ Boulder bulk thermal inertia must be low.
- Many pieces of evidence for breccia on Ryugu.
- Breccia structure may be a significant cause for Ryugu's low thermal inertia.  
➔ Breccia structure may be an important factor to consider for planetary defense of low-albedo asteroids.

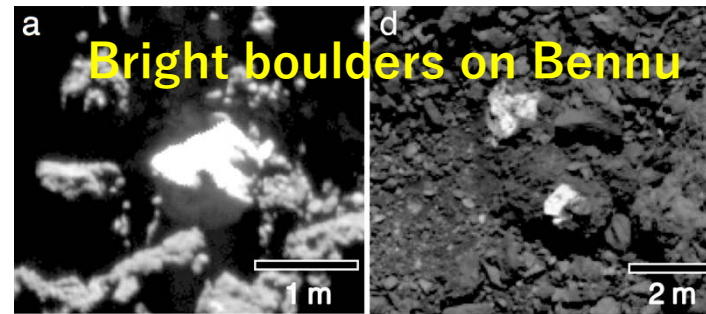
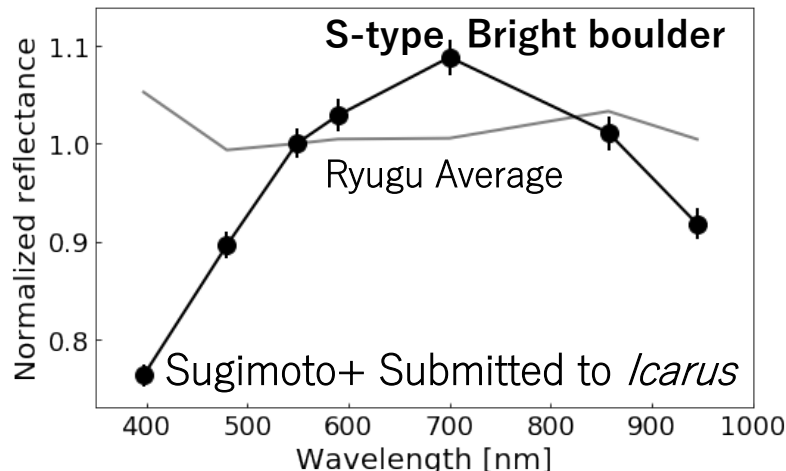
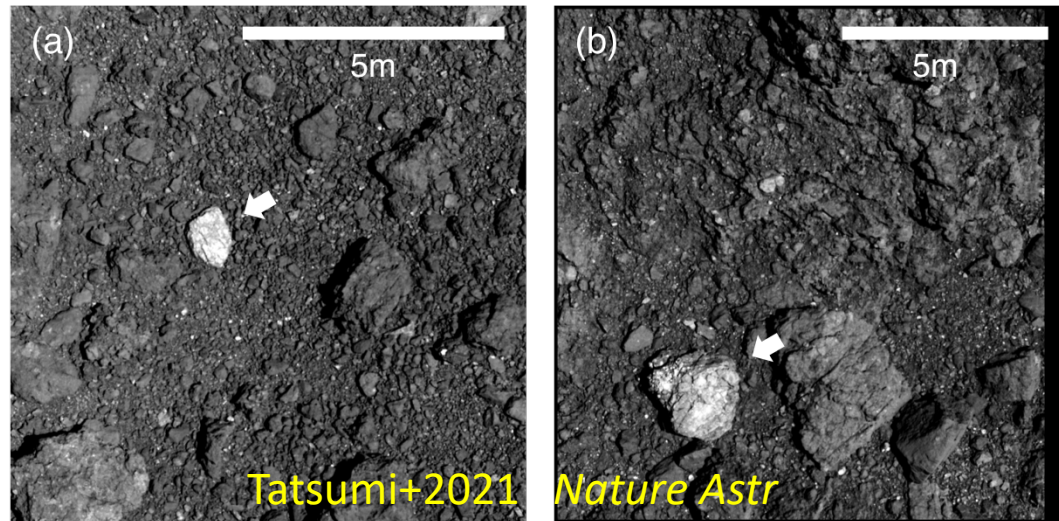




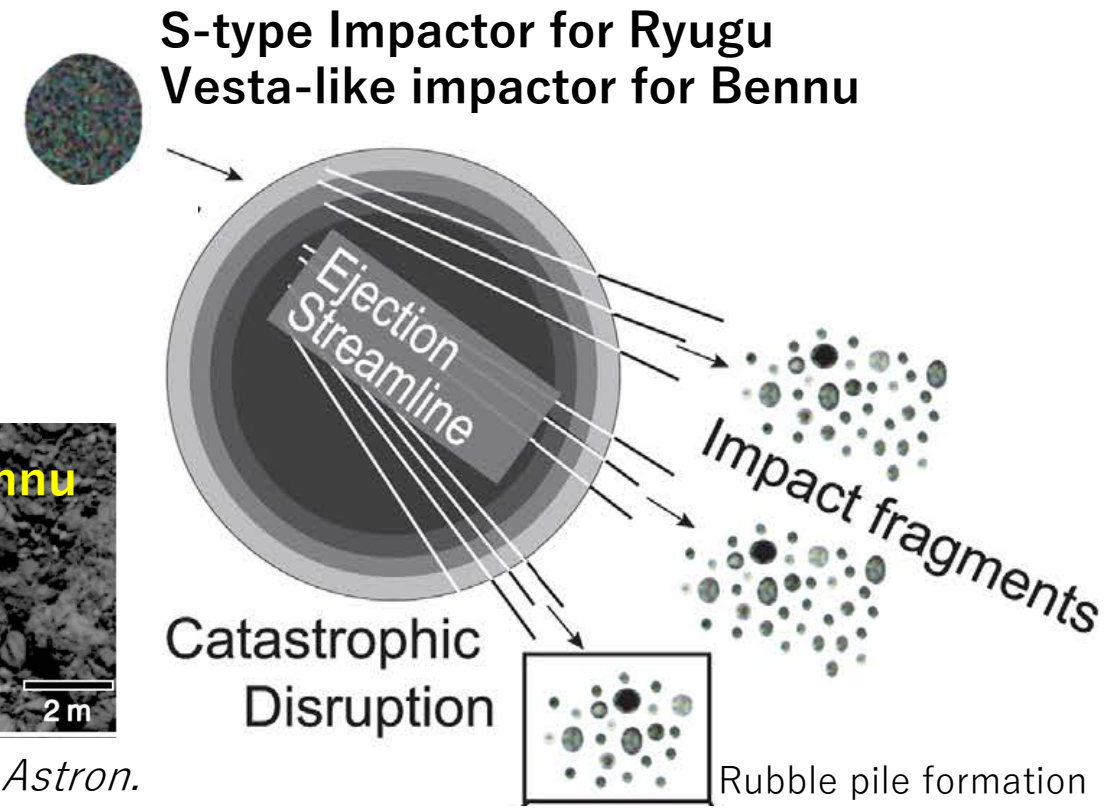
# Bright boulders (BBs) on Ryugu and Bennu

- Ryugu is uniformly dark. (Sugita+2019 *Science*).
- Tatsumi+(2021 Nat. Geo) found 21 BBs. Most have **C-type** spectra; some have **S-type** spectra.
- **S-type BBs are likely exogenic** but too large to accrete on Ryugu after becoming current size.

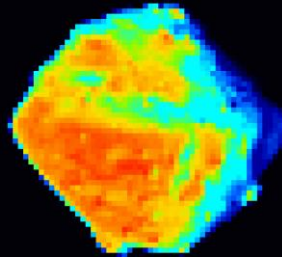
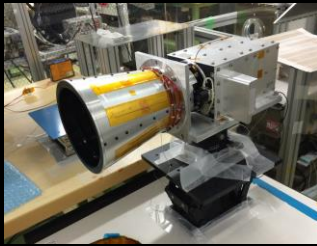
→ S-type BBs are probably fragments from impactor(s) to Ryugu's parent body.



DellaGiustina+2021 *Nature Astron.*



# Thermal Imaging to Reveal Highly Porous Nature of C-type Asteroid Ryugu in Hayabusa2 Mission



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# One-rotation Global Thermal Images of Ryugu

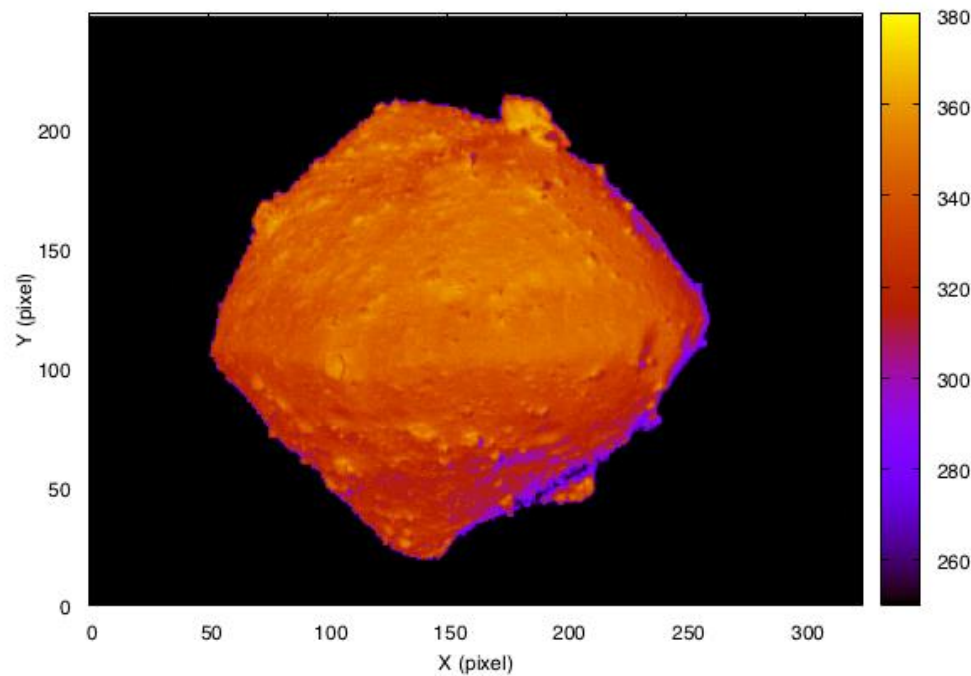
## Something different from the predicted model



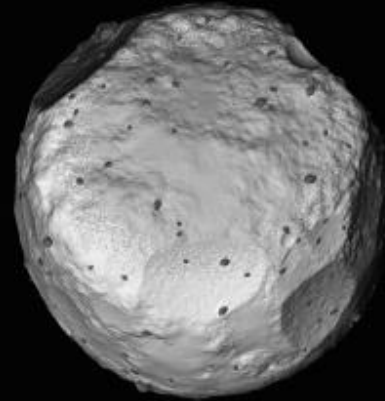
### ■ Mid-Alt Observations:

First global thermal images of an asteroid!

Mid-Alt: 5km (~4.5m/pixel) on 1 Aug 2018



### ■ “Ryugoid” (Reference Asteroid Model)



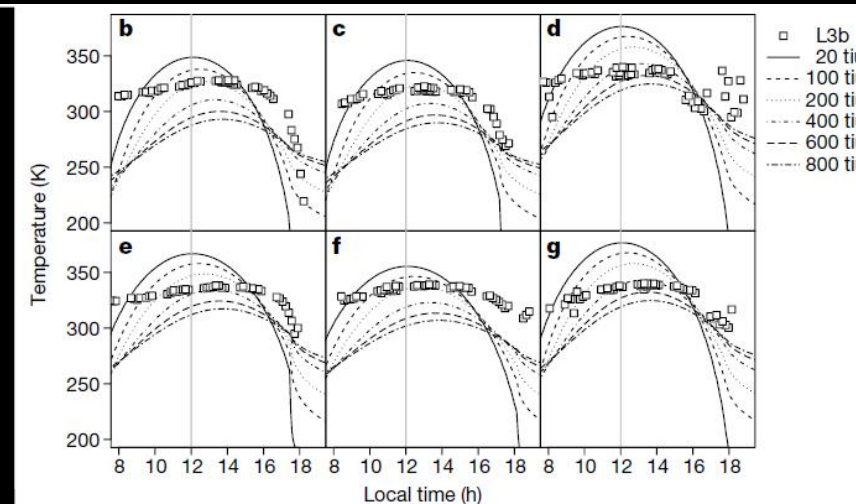
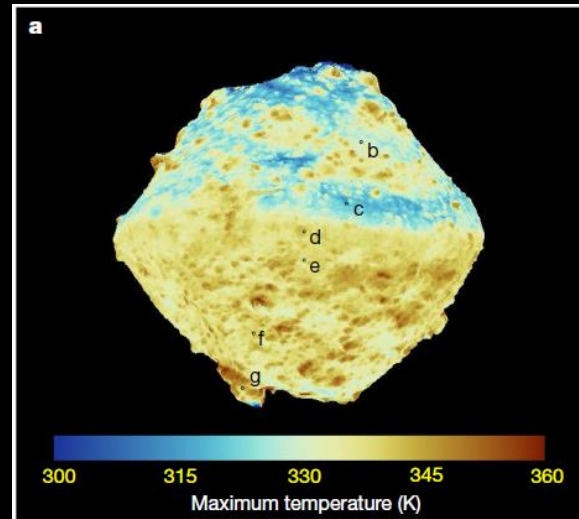
- Ryugoid has many cold boulders



No cold boulders on Ryugu!

- No flat areas

### ■ “Flat” Diurnal Temperature Profile



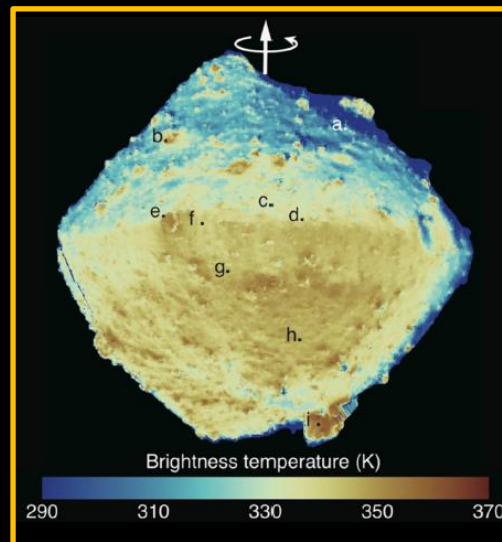
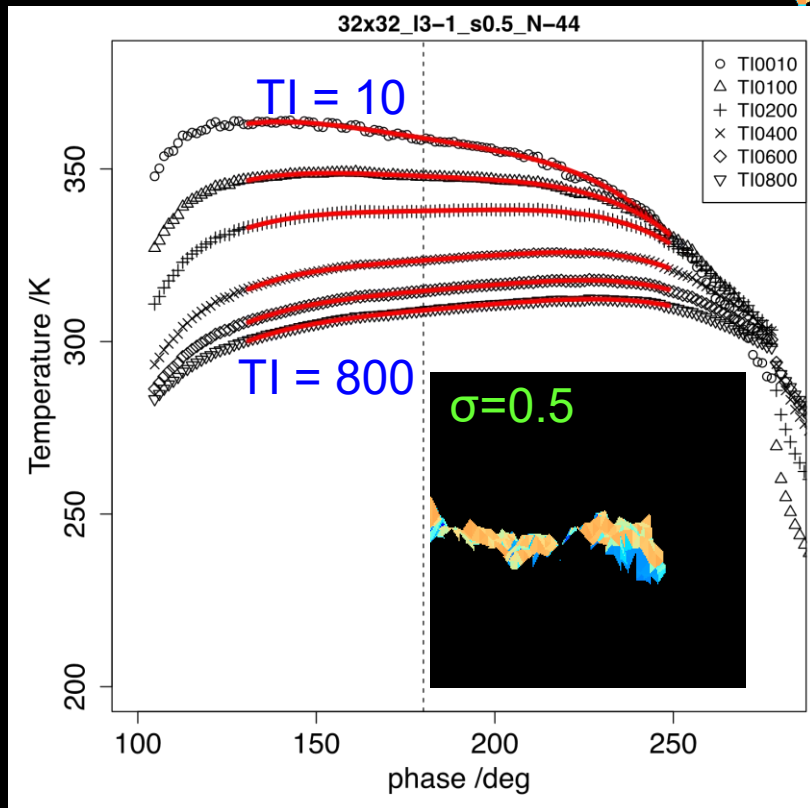
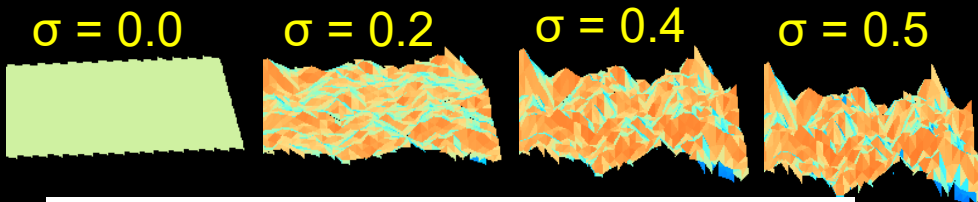




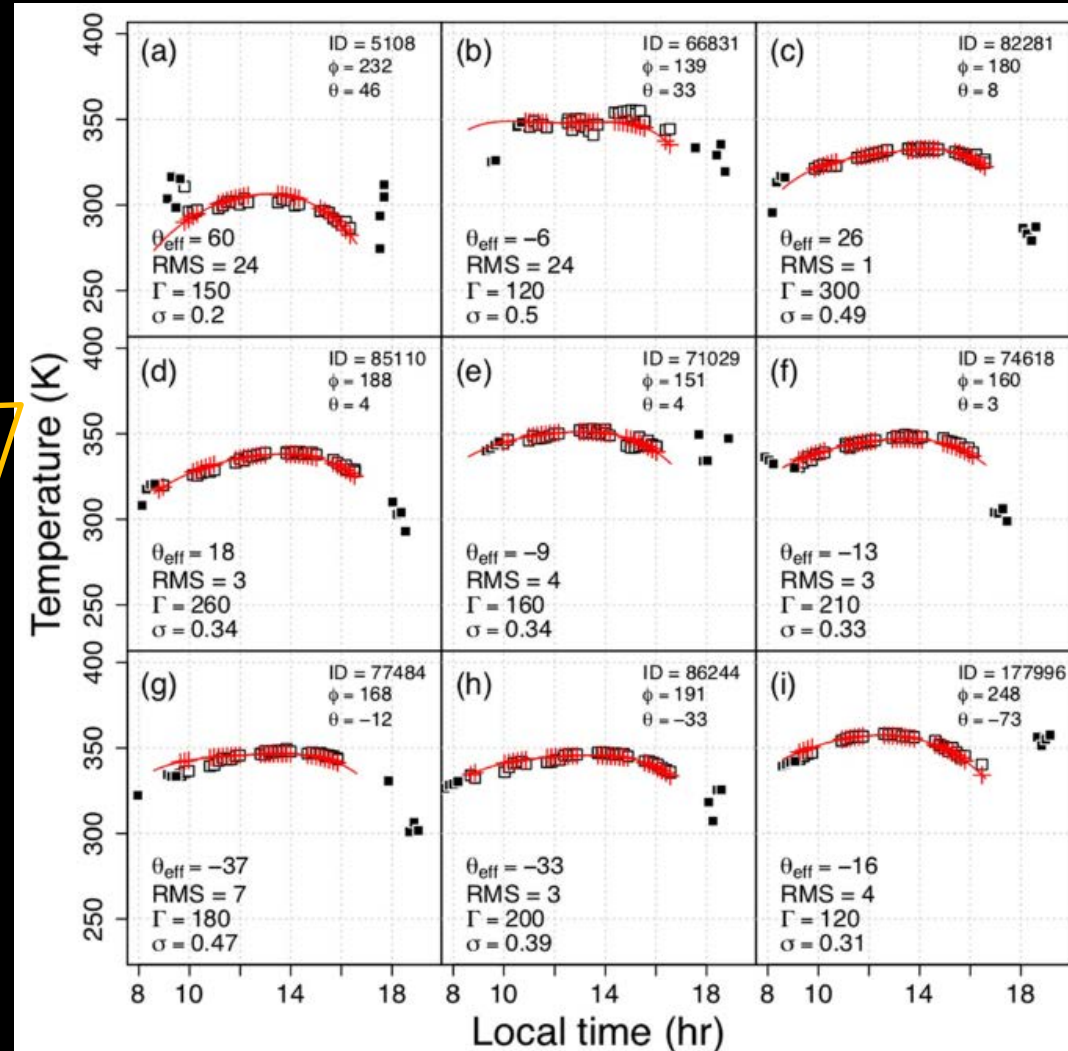
# Highly Porous & Rough Surface on Ryugu!



■ Diurnal temperature profiles show that Ryugu surface is highly porous & rough!



Shimaki+ Icarus (2020) / Senshu+ in prep  
*TI = 150~300tiu, Roughness = 0.3~0.5*





# Highly Porous & Rough Surface on Ryugu!

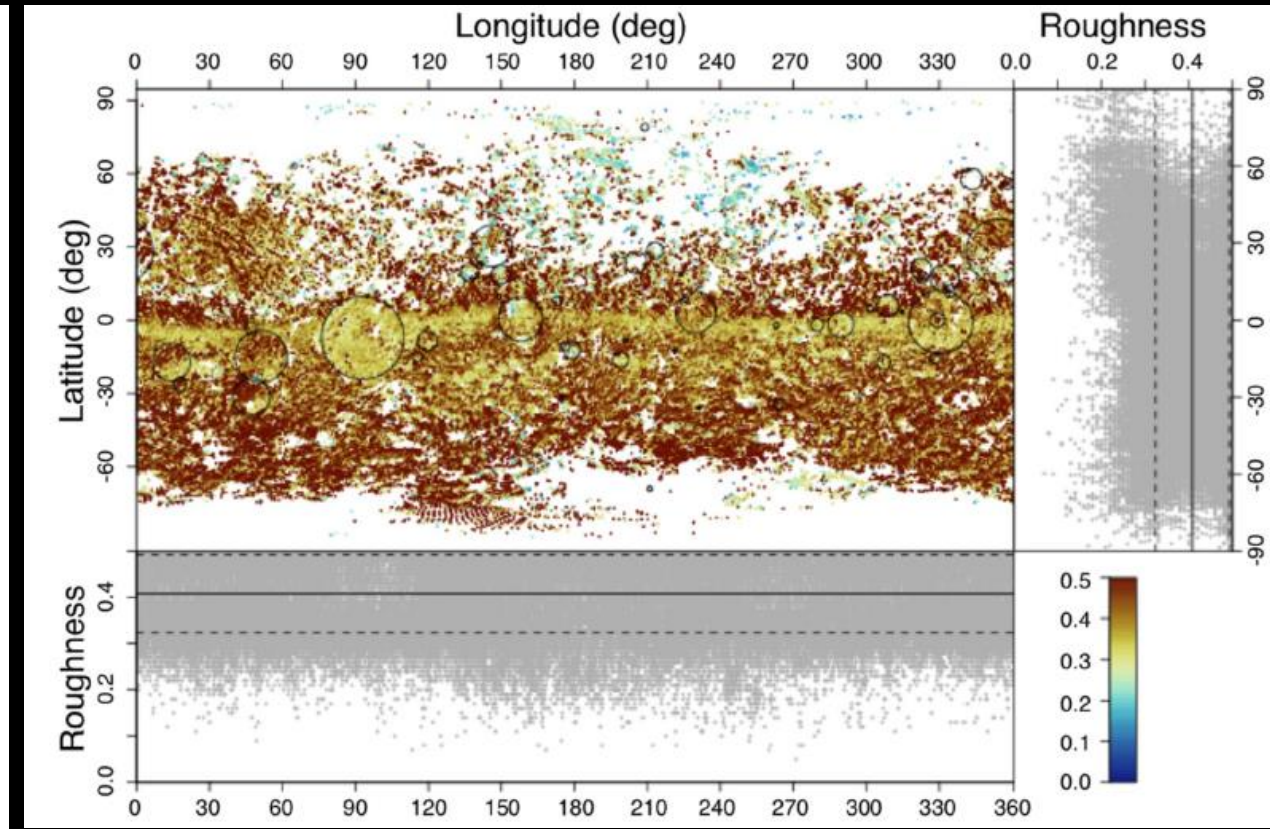
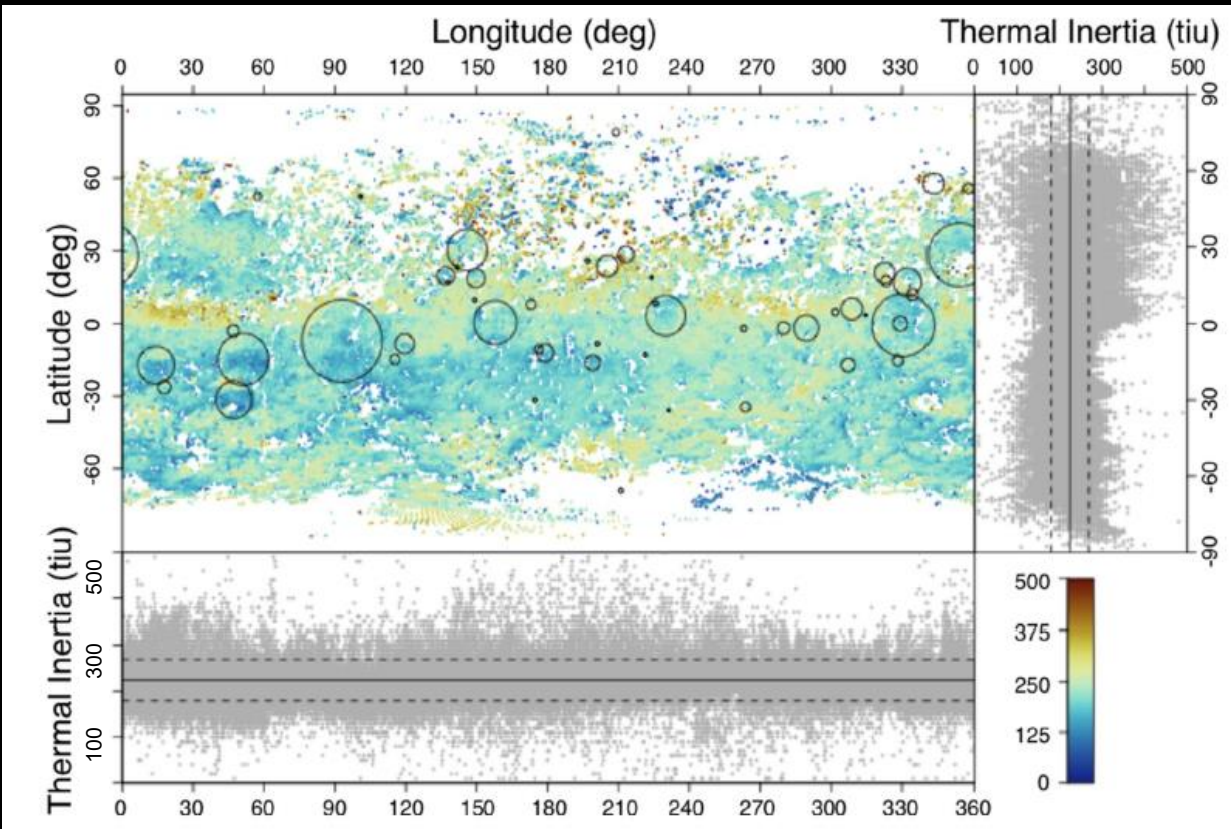


## ■ Thermophysical model of Ryugu

Shimaki+ Icarus (2020)

- Thermal Inertia =  $225 \pm 45$  tiu

- Roughness parameter:  $\sigma = 0.41 \pm 0.08$



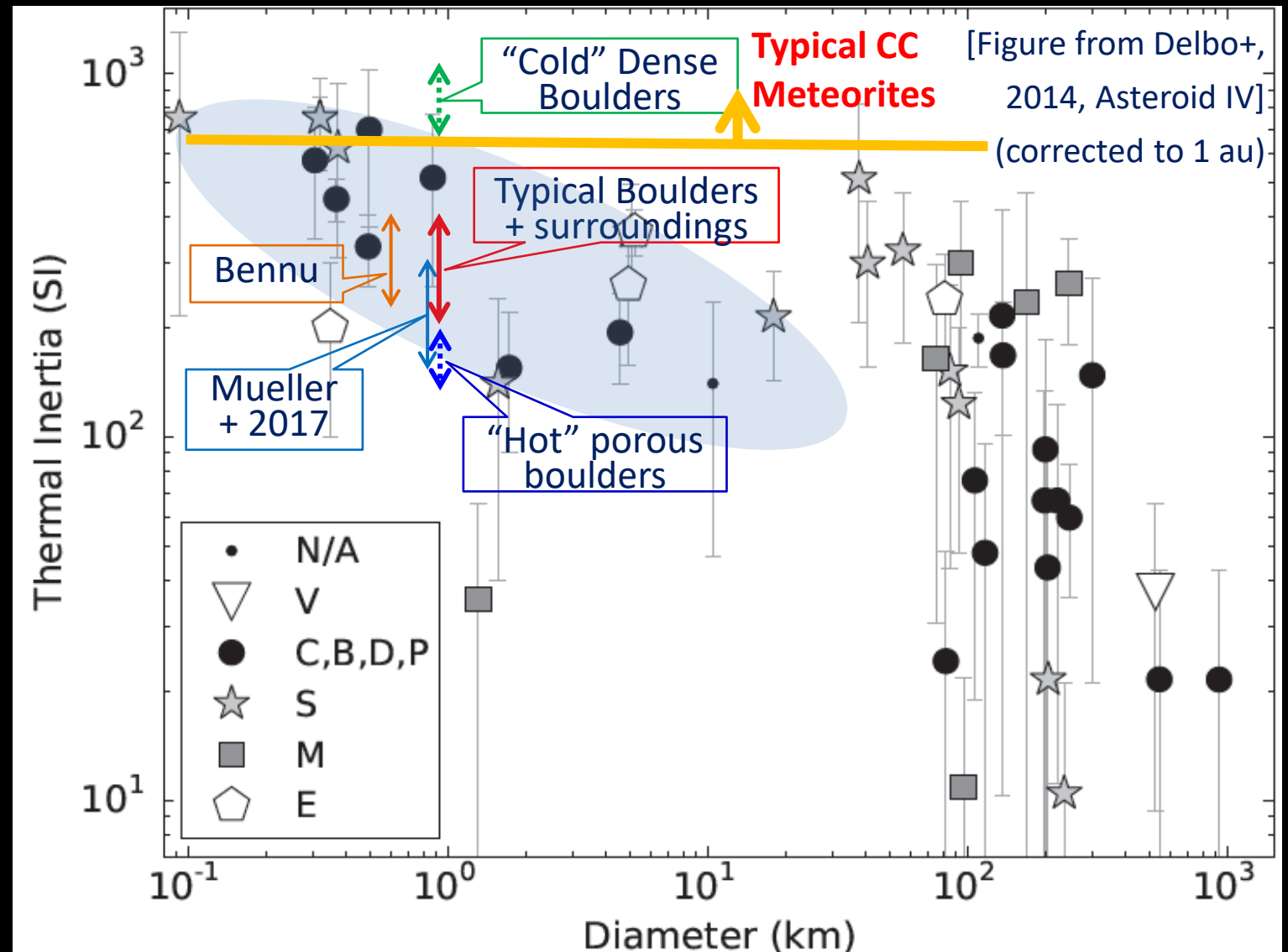
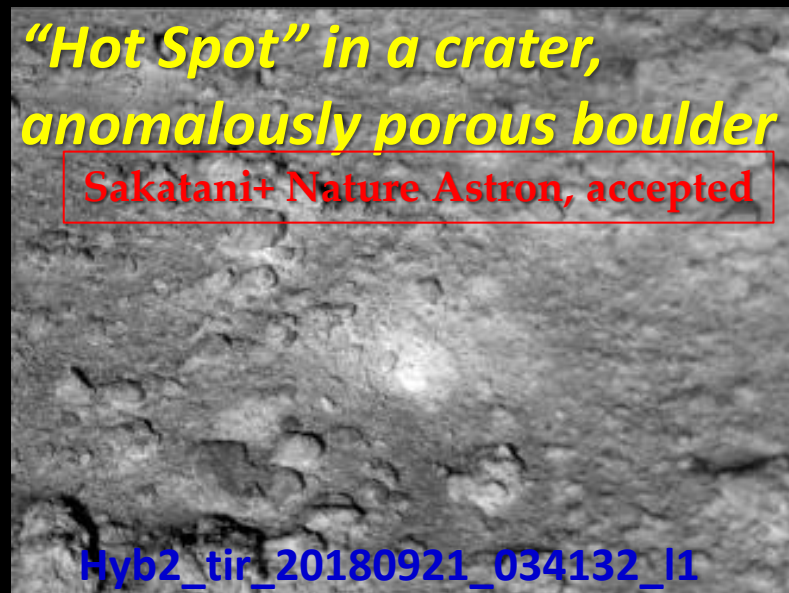




# Cold Spot and Hot Spot – Porosity variations



## ■ Asteroid size vs Thermal inertia





# Summary



**The surface temperature and the derived thermal inertia of Ryugu was imaged by TIR, even in the night or shaded side.**

**The surface of Ryugu is covered with highly porous boulders and rocks (low strength).**

**The surface of Ryugu is very rough, to the scale of  $< 10\text{cm}$  (thermal skin depth).**

**A variation of porosity is found on Ryugu, indicating the different degree of alteration in the parent bodies.**





**Thank you**

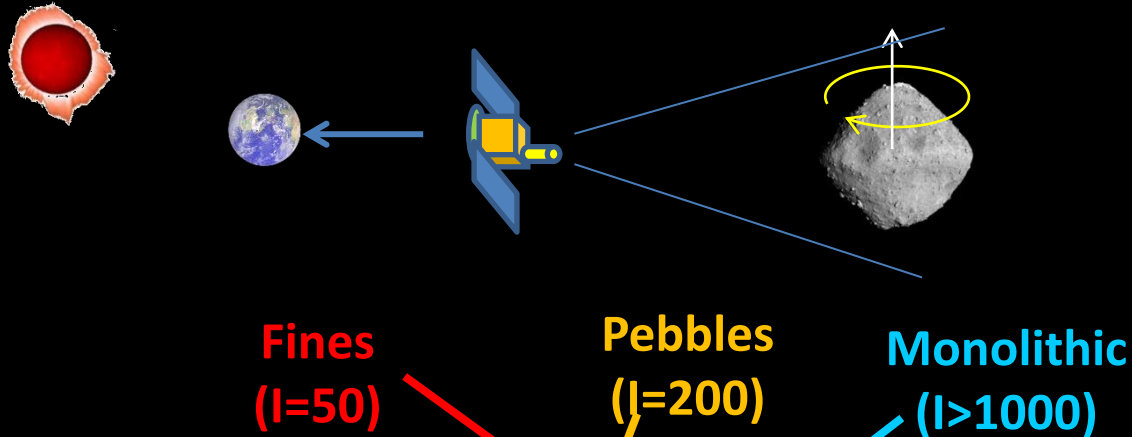


# Direct Thermal Observations in Hayabusa2

Temperature and its diurnal profile will reveal the properties

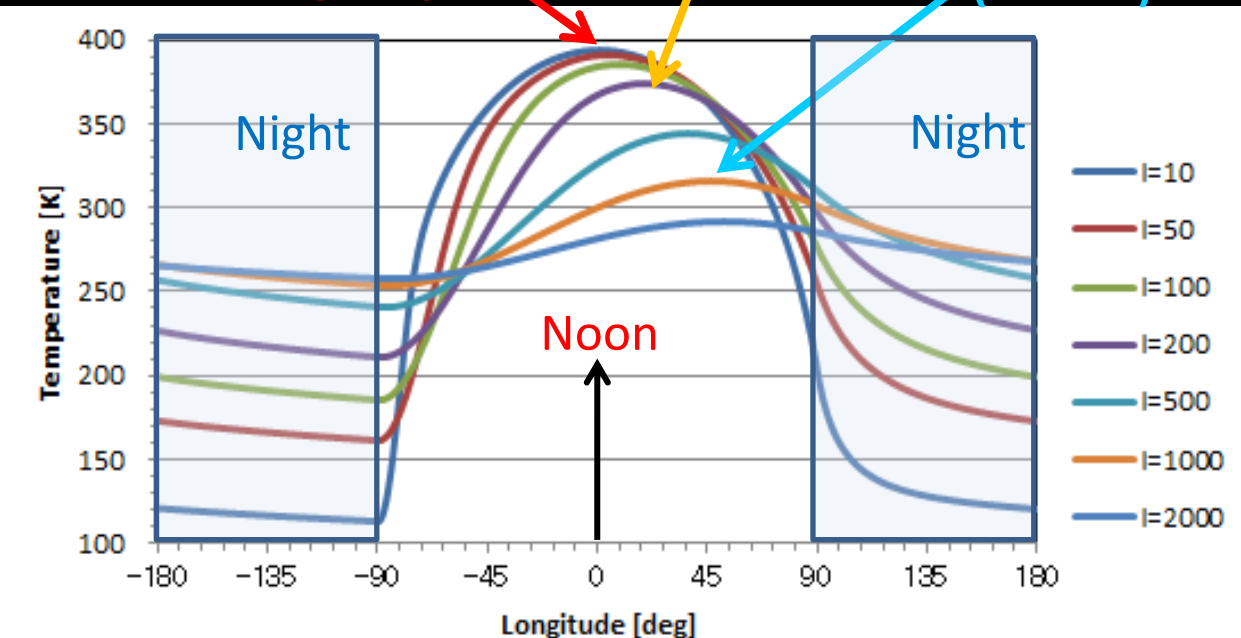


## Thermal Imaging from Home Position



## Thermal Inertia vs. Surface State

Thermal Inertia: I [J m <sup>-2</sup> s <sup>-0.5</sup> K <sup>-1</sup> ]	$I = (kpC)^{0.5}$	Surface Physical State
~ 10		Very high porosity (~80%), Ceres, Martian soils
~ 50		Fine sand : Lunar regolith (d ~ 100 μm or less)
100 ~ 200		Sandy regolith (d ~mm): Eros soil
200 ~ 400		Pebbles (d ~cm): Itokawa's Muses-Sea Regio
400 ~ 1000		Boulders, Rocks (d < m): Itokawa's rough terrain
1000 ~ 2000		Rocks with high porosity
2000 ~		Monolithic rocks



25143 Itokawa $\Gamma = 600$	433 Eros $\Gamma = 150$	The moon $\Gamma = 50$	1 Ceres $\Gamma = 10$
Coarse regolith and boulders	Finer and thicker regolith	Mature and fine regolith	Very fine regolith ??



# Hayabusa2 Extended Mission to rendezvous with Asteroid 1998 KY26: Investigations of an extremely small fast rotator for planetary defense

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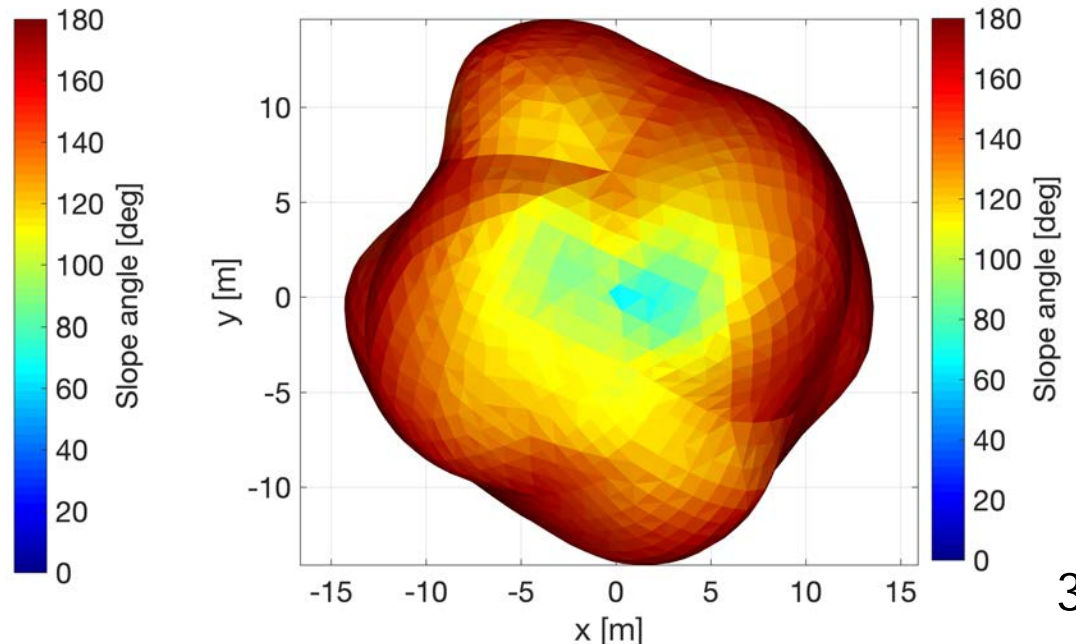
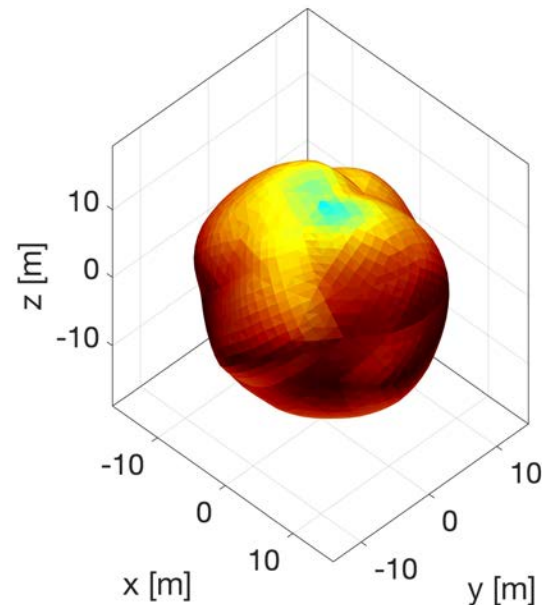
The Hayabusa2 extended mission is a small-body rendezvous mission that uses the already-flying Hayabusa2 spacecraft.

- The extended mission follows its nominal mission that returned samples from the C-type asteroid, Ryugu, in December 2020.
- The spacecraft is currently flying without no critical issues.
- The extended mission explores:
  - Scientific advances in the inner solar system evolution and planetary defense, and
  - Engineering technologies for extremely long-term explorations.
- The extended mission is planned to continue until 2031.
- We are about to start the extended mission.

# The rendezvous target is asteroid 1998 KY26, a fast rotator with a size of ~30 m and a spin period of 10.7 min.

- Because of the fast spin, the surface slope exceeds 180 deg in major regions.
- Materials on the surface should be shed unless there is an attractive force.
- This asteroid is also considered to be a target of NASA's human spaceflight missions.

Properties	Values
Shape	Spheroidal
Equivalent diameter	~30 m
Spin period	10.7 min
Tumbling mode	Not observed
Taxonomy	B, C, F, G, D, and P

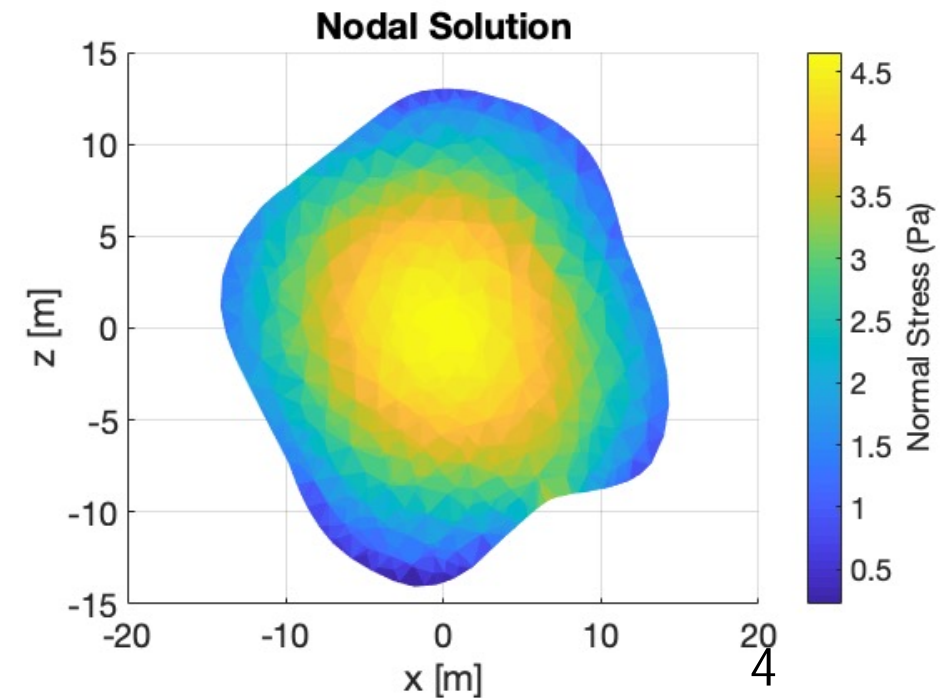
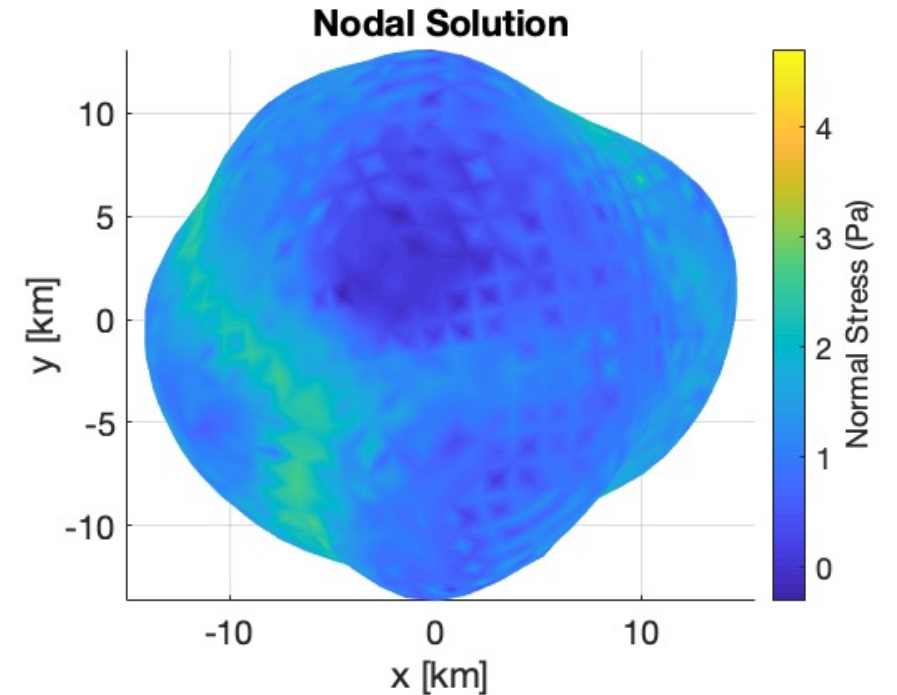


Using the shape model by  
Ostro et al., 1999



Because of the fast spin, 1998 KY26 is expected to have unique surface and internal conditions.

- The stress components reach positive, and thus the interior always experience tension. However, the magnitude is not significantly high.
  - This asteroid is likely a monolithic, given the formation process.
  - However, given the stress level, a rubble pile structure is also a possible option.
- Loose materials can not exist in surface regions unless there is cohesion. If there exist such materials, there are additional attractive forces.
- Fractures, craters, and other geomorphological features correlate with this asteroid's evolution.
- Earlier radar observations imply that materials are dark, so it may be possible that this asteroid may be a carbonaceous asteroid.



# The mission contains five phases: three swing-by operations, one flyby at an asteroid, and a rendezvous with 1998 KY26.

- Long-term cruise to observe
- Zodiacal light, which is light scattering by dust distribution
  - Exoplanets.

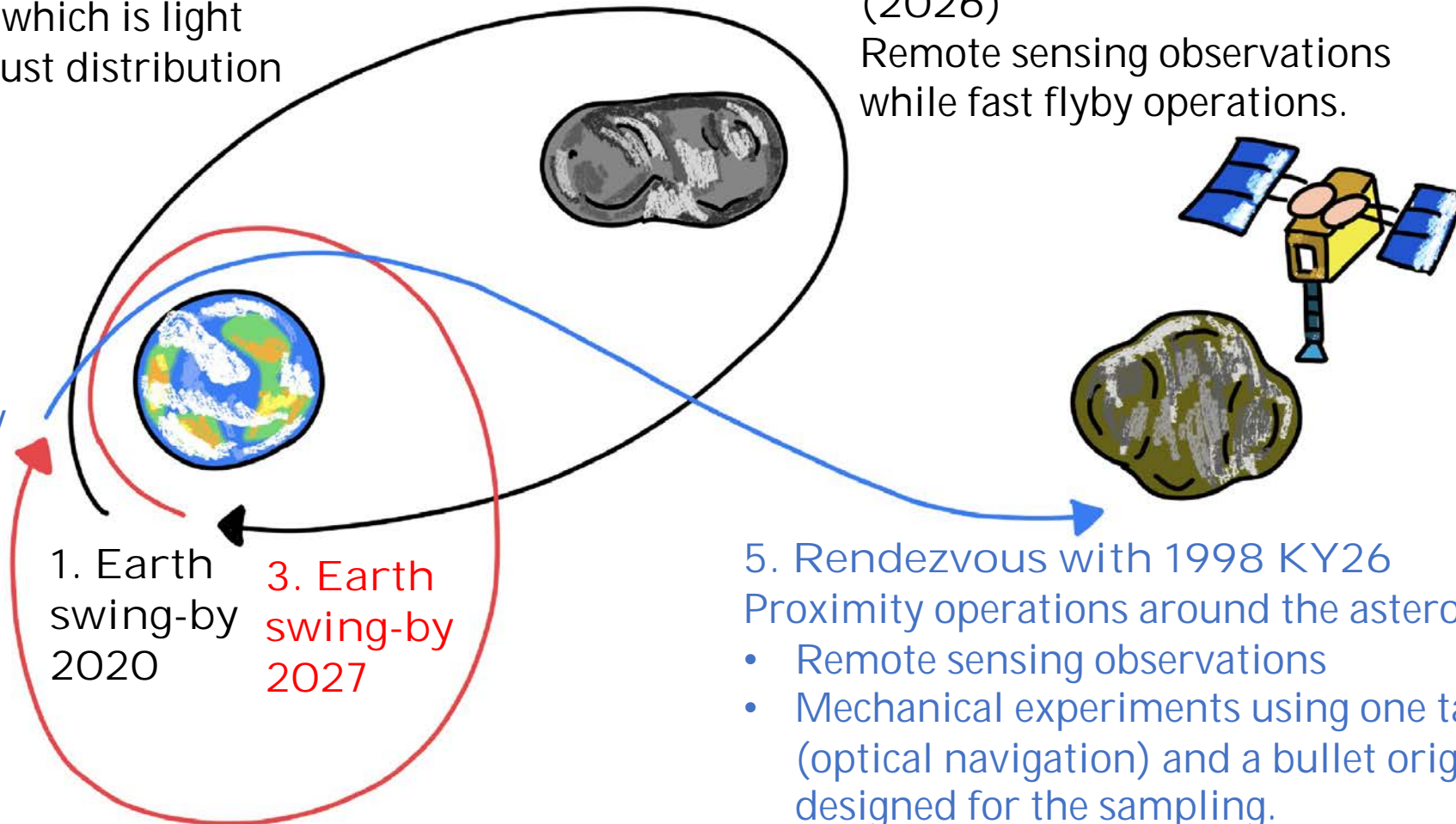
2. Flyby at 2001 CC21 (2026)  
Remote sensing observations while fast flyby operations.

4. Earth swing-by 2027

1. Earth swing-by 2020

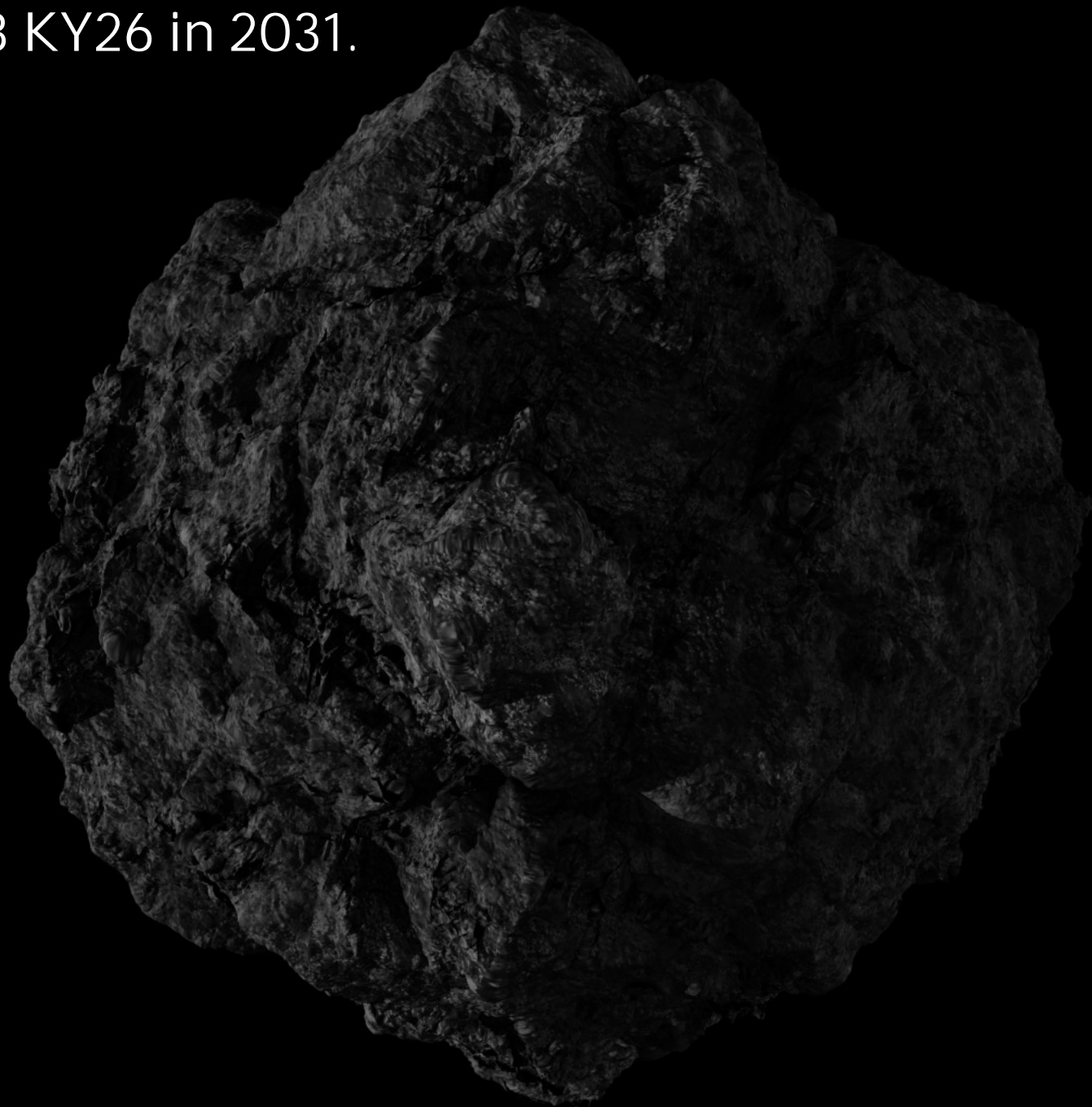
3. Earth swing-by 2027

5. Rendezvous with 1998 KY26  
Proximity operations around the asteroids
- Remote sensing observations
  - Mechanical experiments using one target marker (optical navigation) and a bullet originally designed for the sampling.



Thrilled to see 1998 KY26 in 2031.

JAXA and LiVE





Thank you!  
Questions?

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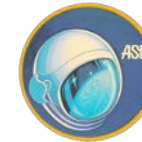
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## Q&A

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