



# ECLSS-CHP SCLT

*Environmental Control Life Support System (ECLSS)*

*Crew Health and Performance (CHP)*

*System Capabilities Leadership Team (SCLT)*

## CHP Technology Roadmaps

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# Purpose and Scope

The Environmental Control and Life Support System (ECLSS) – Crew Health and Performance (CHP) Systems Capability Leadership Team (SCLT) is a community of practice (not a funded program) sponsored by Headquarters to develop, retain, and infuse the ECLSS and CHP capabilities necessary to enable the human exploration of the Moon and Mars through the integration and empowerment of experts across NASA, other government agencies, commercial industry, and academia.

The goals of the SCLT are as follows:

1. Use the Architecture Definition Document use cases and functions to identify gaps in NASA's current technological capabilities to meet Agency objectives and develop strategies and roadmaps for closing such gaps
2. Make technical/strategic recommendations on ECLSS and CHP technology development efforts and investments for PPBE, acquisition strategies, and leveraging NASA's critical capabilities
3. Establish key performance parameters and participate in key program and project reviews
4. Maintain cognizance of relevant ECLSS and CHP national and international technology activities in government, industry, and academia, specifically, emerging innovations and technologies, trends, and opportunities
5. Coordinate with commercial and international partners to identify areas of mutual interest and cooperation
6. Support future mission and system architecture studies for human exploration

This document is intended to be a comprehensive overview of the strategic development plans, or Roadmaps, of key technologies and capabilities identified by the SCLT. Each Roadmap is organized by Capability Gap as the gap name and number appears in STARPort, follows a fiscal year timeline, and displays any additional information on milestones, decision points, or important details on the right-hand side of the page. The Roadmaps should be used to facilitate discussion, decision making, and planning for programs and development projects, but are not expected to accurately depict the details and statuses of the projects and tasks appearing within the plans.

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# Definitions (1/3)

## Acronyms

A-HoSS	Artemis HERA on Space Station	CM	Counter Measure(s)	EMU	Extravehicular Mobility Unit
AMOS	Autonomous Medical Officer Support	CMO	Crew Medical Officer	EOL	End Of Life
ANS	Advanced Neutron Spectrometer	CNS	Central Nervous System	EPSCoR	Established Program to Stimulate Competitive Research
ARD	Active Radiation Dosimeter	COTS	Commercial Off The Shelf	ERM	ESPRIT Refueling Module
ARES	Active Radiation Environment Sensor	CSU	Col State University	ERSA	European Radiation Sensor Array
ARRT	Advanced Risk Reduction Tool	CUBES	Center for the Utilization of Biological Engineering in Space	ESDMD	Exploration Systems Development Mission Directorate
ASCR	Astronaut Strength Condition Rehabilitation	DCM	Display & Control Module	EVA	Extravehicular Activity
BAA	Broad Agency Announcement	DCS	Decompression Sickness	FLT	Flight
BHP	Behavioral Health and Performance	DDT&E	Design, Development, Test, & Evaluation	FNS	Fast Neutron Spectrometer
BPS	Biological and Physical Sciences	DFM	Dual Function Materials	FOM	Figure Of Merit
BR CM	Bed Rest Counter Measure	DFRC	Dryden Flight Research Center	FSH	Foundation Surface Habitat
CAD	Crew Active Dosimeter	DOF	Degrees Of Freedom	GBVG	Google Based Visual Field
CCRPP	Civilian Commercialization Readiness Pilot Program	Dx	Diagnostics	GFE	Government Furnished Equipment
CDISS	Commercial Destination International Space Station	E4D	European Enhanced Exploration Exercise Device	GMO	Genetically Modified Organism
CDR	Critical Design Review	EES	Exploration Exercise System	GW	Gateway
CIF	Center Innovation Fund	EHS	Environmental Health Systems	HALO	Habitation and Logistics Outpost
CIPHER	Complement of Integrated Protocols for Human Exploration Research	EIHO	Earth Independent Human Operations	HDBR	Head Down Bed Rest
CLD	Commercial LEO Destination	EIMO	Earth Independent Medical Operations	HERA	Hybrid Electronic Radiation Assessor
CLPS	Commercial Lunar Payload Services	EMR	Electronic Medical Record	HERMES	Heliophysics Environmental and Radiation Measurement Experiment Suite





# Definitions (2/3)

## Acronyms - continued

HITL Human in the Loop	LEO Low-Earth Orbit	PersEIDS Personalized EVA Informatics & Decision Support
HLS Human Landing System	LETS Linear Energy Transfer Spectrometer	PR Pressurized Rover
HRP Human Research Program	LP Laser Processed	PRC Plant Research Chamber
HT Holographic Teleportation	LTV Lunar Terrain Vehicle	PSM Power Supply Module
HW Hardware	MAVRIC Multidisciplinary Analytics, Visualization, and Reporting Interface for Integrated Countermeasures	RAD Radiation Assessment Detector
IARV Injury Assessment Reference Value	MCTB Multipurpose Cargo Transfer Bag	REM Radiation Environment Monitor
IDA Integrated Data Architecture	MEDPRAT Medical Extensible Dynamic Probabilistic Risk Assessment Tool	RHS Reactor Health Sensor
IHAB International Habitation Module	MISSE Materials International Space Station Experiment	ROSBio Research Opportunities and Space Biology
IMPALA Information Management Platform for anALysis and Aggregation	MS Mass Spectrometer	RSA Rotary Separator Accumulator
IMS Inventory Management System	MTH Mars Transit Habitat	S/L Shelf-Life
ISRU In-Situ Resource Utilization	NESC NASA Engineering & Safety Center	SAA Space Act Agreement
ISS International Space Station	OCHMO Office of the Chief Health and Medical Officer	SANS Spaceflight Associated Neuro-ocular Syndrome
IVGEN Intravenous Fluid Generation	OCT Optical Coherence Tomography	SBIR Small Business Innovative Research
JARVIS Joint Augmented Reality Visual Informatics System	OIG Orthostatic Intolerance Garment	SCLT Systems Capability Leadership Team
JAXA Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency	OLTARIS On-Line Tool for the Assessment of Radiation In Space	SIA Suited Injury Avoidance
JIT Just In Time	OSMA Office of Safety and Mission Assurance	SM Sensorimotor
KPP Key Performance Parameter	PB PreBreathe	SMD Science Mission Directorate
LBNP Lower Body Negative Pressure	PDR Preliminary Design Review	SOA State Of Art
LEA Launch, Entry, Ascent	PEL Permissible Exposure Limits	SOMD Space Operations Mission Directorate





# Definitions (3/3)

## Acronyms - continued

SPLC	SuitPort Logistics Carrier	VR	Virtual Reality
SRR	System Requirements Review	VSM	Vehicle System Manager
STMD	Space Technology Mission Directorate	VV	Verification and Validation
STRI	Space Technology Research Institutes	WPAFB	Wright Patterson Air Force Base
STTR	Small Business Technology Transfer Program	xEHR	Exploration Electronic Health Record
SUITS	Suited User Injury Tracking System	xPWD	Exploration Potable Water Dispenser
SW	Software	XR	X-Ray
T2	Treadmill on ISS	XROOTS	Exposed Root On-Orbit Test System
TBD	To Be Determined	XU	Exploration Unit
TD	Technology Demonstration		
TDU	Technology Demonstration Unit		
TRISH	Translational Research Institute for Space Health		
TTO	Transition to Operations		
Tx	Treatment		
U/S	Ultrasound		
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture		
USP	United States Pharmacopoeia		
UV	Ultraviolet		
VIS	Vibration Isolation System		



# Crew Health and Performance (CHP) Systems

## Spacesuit Physiology & Performance Capability Area

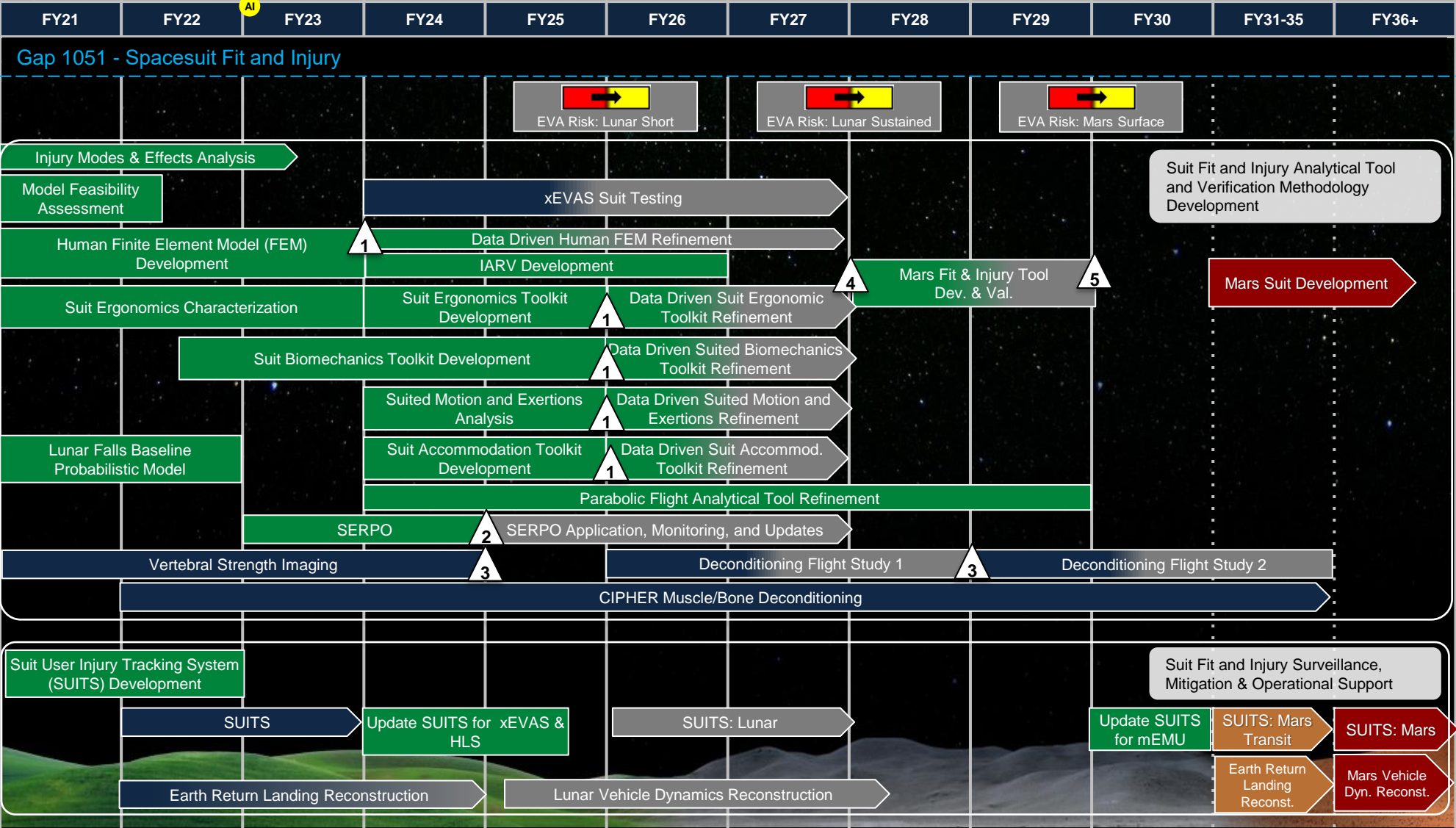






SPACESUIT PHYSIOLOGY & PERFORMANCE (1 of 5)

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



Gap 1051

Deliverables

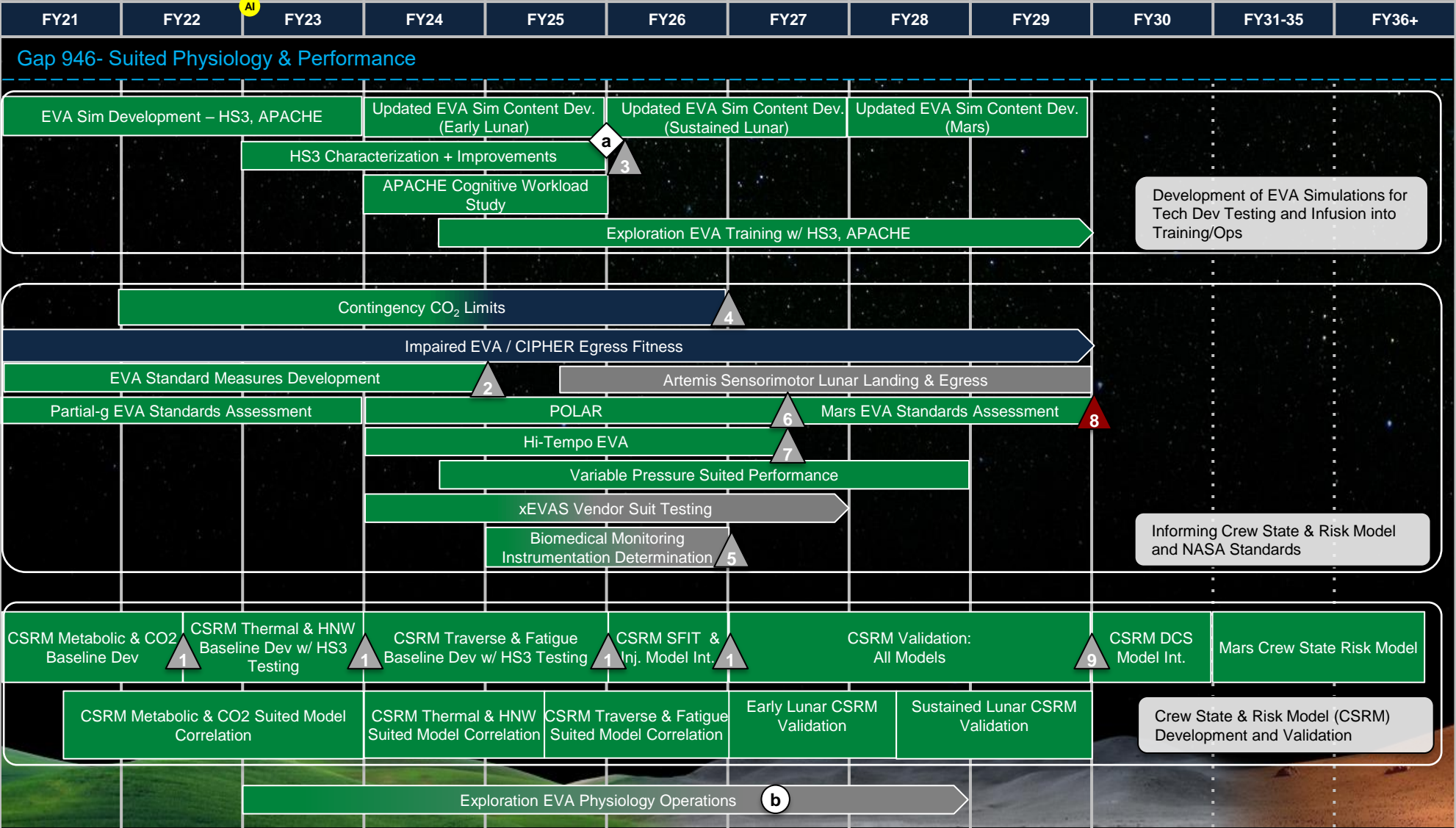
1. Baseline suit-independent analytical tool release (decision point, deliverable and infusion point to Artemis for risk characterization and mitigation)
2. SERPO final report with recommendations for crew readiness and relevant conOps for Artemis (decision point, deliverable, infusion point)
3. Decision points for follow on deconditioning studies
4. Updated Release of Suit-Independent Analytical Tools for assessing suit fit and injury risk
5. Validated, suit-agnostic fit and injury analytical tools for Mars





SPACESUIT PHYSIOLOGY & PERFORMANCE (2 of 5)

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



**Gap 946**

*Deliverables*

1. Initial release of individual crew state models
2. EVA Standard Measures
3. Initial EVA Simulation Capability
4. Contingency Suited CO2 Standard
5. Biomedical Monitoring Instrumentation Needs
6. Lunar EVA Readiness Standards
7. Timeline & Conops constraints: Lunar Initial
8. Mars EVA Readiness Standards
9. Release of integrated multi-model version of CSRM

*Decision Points/Comments*

- a. Initial infusion of EVA simulation content into EVA training operations
- b. Exploration EVA Physiology Operations task denotes how the work is infused into Artemis/operations in a time-phased approach as new capabilities are available

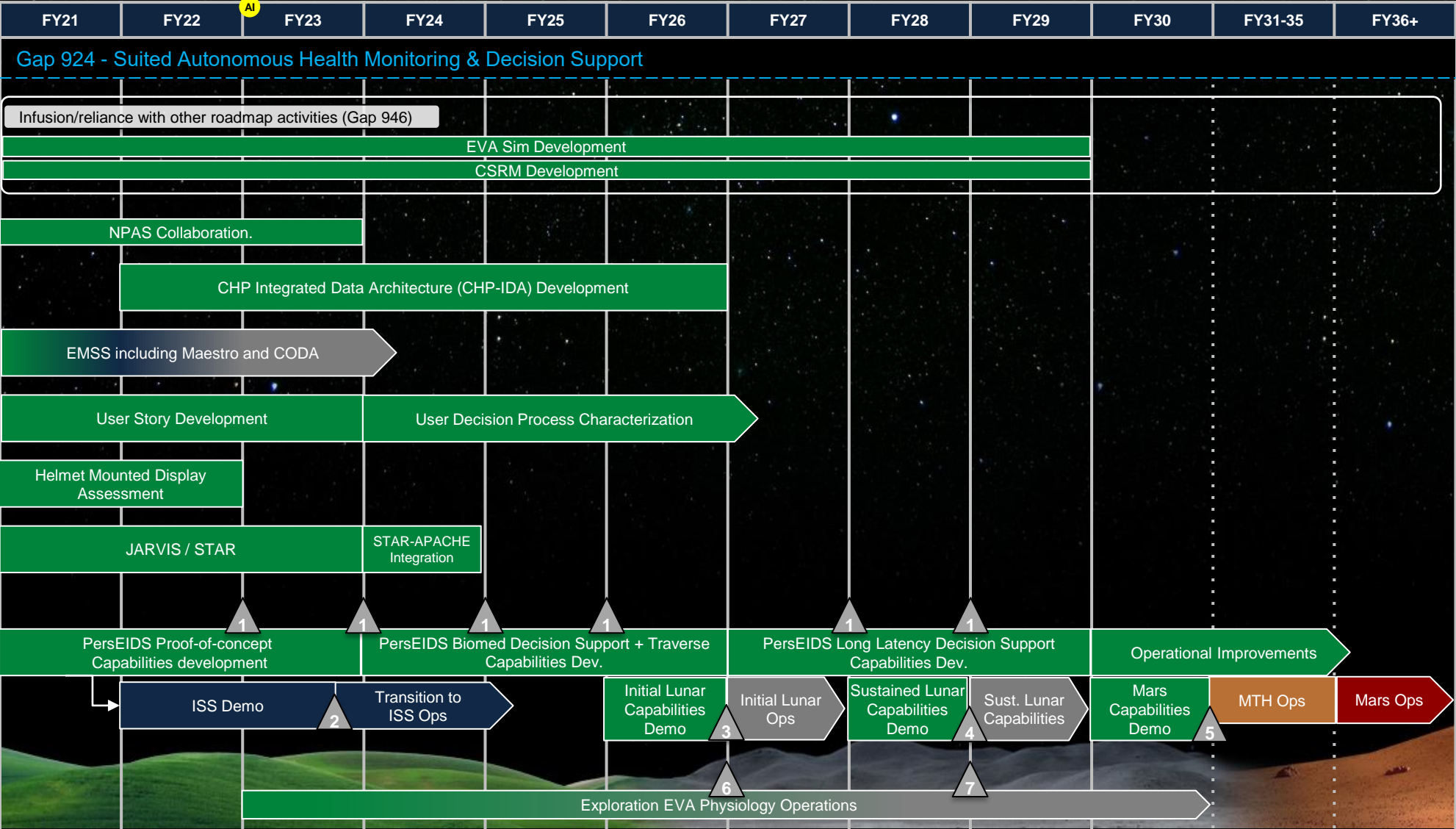
Crew State Model is a core component of PersEIDS, see [Suited Autonomous Health Monitoring & Decision Support gap](#) for additional information.





SPACESUIT PHYSIOLOGY & PERFORMANCE (3 of 5)

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**Gap 2941**

**Deliverables**

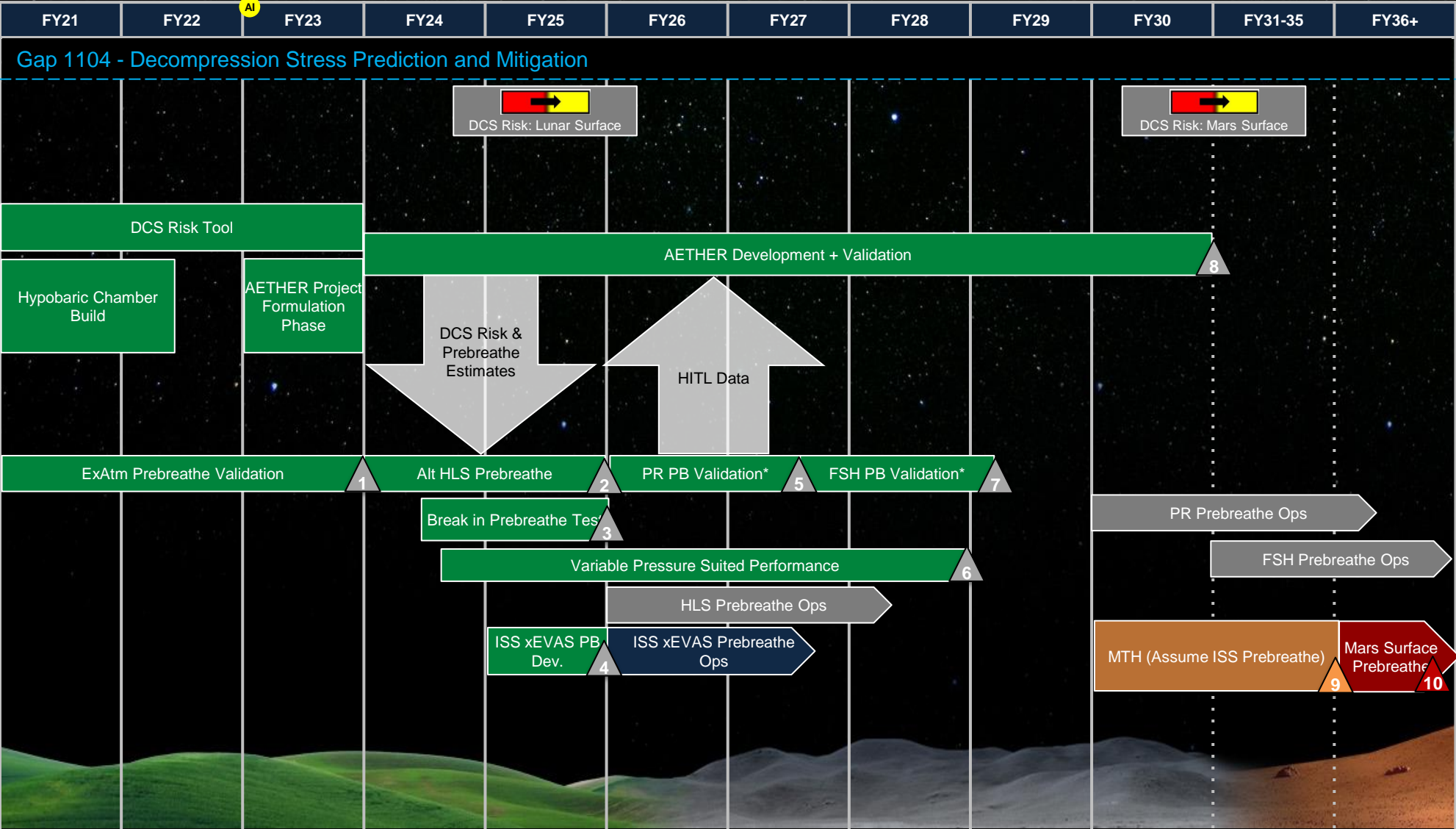
1. PersEIDS Capabilities demonstrations
2. ISS Real-Time Monitoring Demo
3. Initial lunar capabilities demonstration
4. Mars-like capabilities for Lunar demo.
5. Mars capabilities demonstration
6. Infusion point for feeding PersEIDS (Personalized EVA Informatics & Decision Support) capabilities into Initial Artemis operations via Exploration EVA Physiology Operations
7. Infusion point for feeding PersEIDS capabilities into sustained Artemis operations via Exploration EVA Physiology Operations

Please see the [Exploration Medical roadmap](#) for additional information on the development of the CHP-IDA and the [Suited Physiology and Performance gap](#) for more details on EVA simulation development.



SPACESUIT PHYSIOLOGY & PERFORMANCE (4 of 5)

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



Gap 1104

Deliverables

1. HLS Prebreathe (PB) Validation
2. HLS Alternate PB Validation
3. Break in PB Flight Rule Update
4. ISS xEVAs PB Flight Rule
5. PR Atmosphere Validation
6. Variable Pressure Suit Capabilities
7. FSH Atmosphere Validation
8. Validated AETHER Model
9. MTH Atmosphere Validation
10. Mars Surface Atmosphere Validation

Please see [Suited Physiology and Performance gap](#) for more information on Crew State Risk Model development.





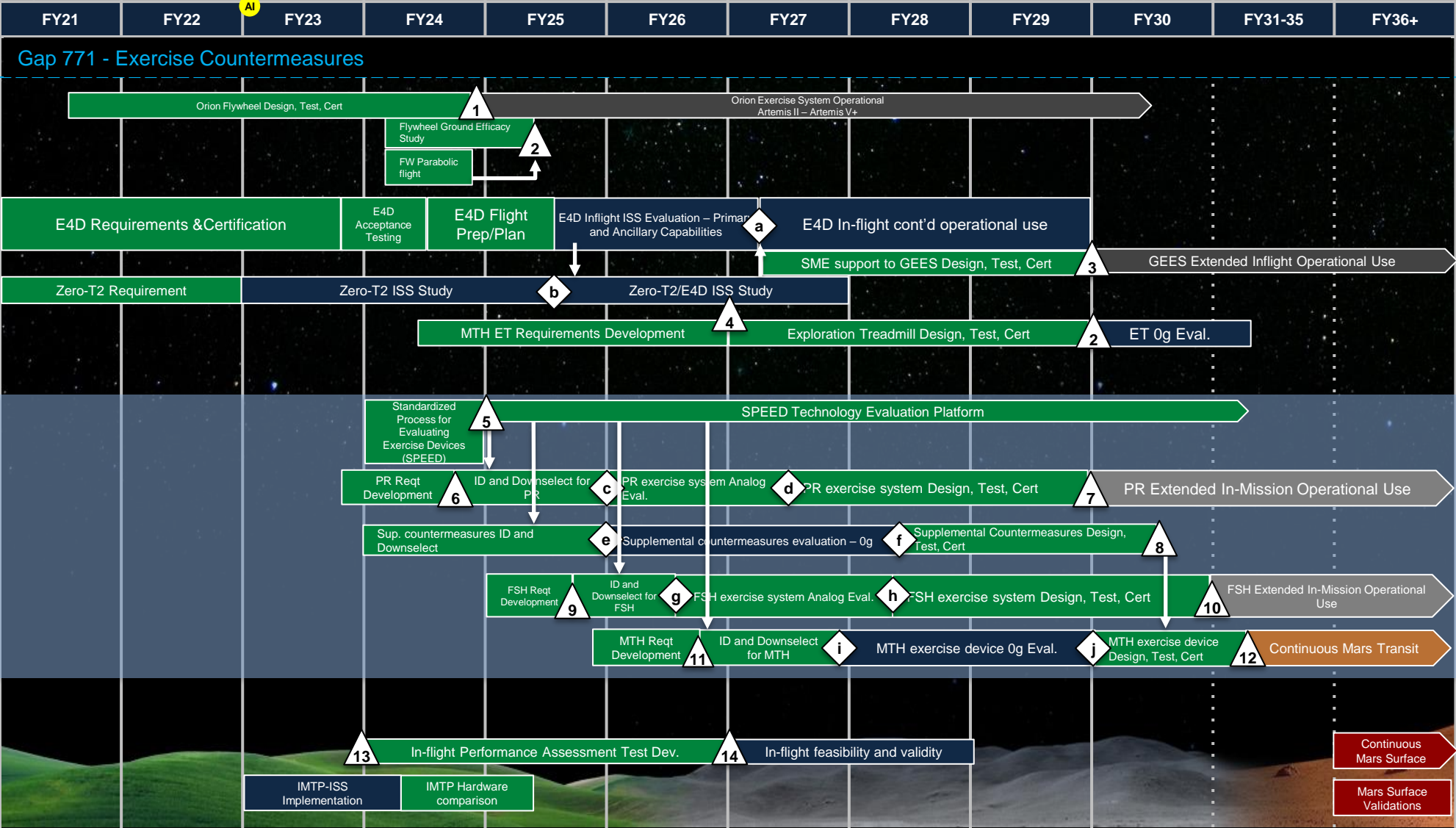
# Crew Health and Performance (CHP) Systems Crew Health Countermeasures Capability Area





CREW HEALTH COUNTERMEASURES (Slide 1 of 7) Exercise Countermeasures

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



Gap 771

Deliverables

1. Orion Flywheel exercise system delivered and certified for A-II
2. Input to Artemis Exercise System Risk Recommendation and Ops products finalization
3. Gateway Exploration Exercise System (GEES) and Ops products delivered
4. Recommendation on need for Exploration Treadmill
5. Documented standardized process w/ updated archive
6. PR Exercise System Requirements delivered
7. PR Exercise System and Ops products delivered
8. Supplemental Exercise Countermeasure and Ops products delivered
9. FSH Exercise System Requirements delivered
10. FSH Exercise System and Ops products delivered
11. MTH Exercise System Requirements delivered
12. MTH Exercise System and Ops products delivered
13. Primary In-flight Strength measures available on ISS
14. Ops products for in-flight validation of Muscle and Aerobic assessment protocols

Decision Points/Comments

- a. Refine capability requirements for Gateway Exploration Exercise System
- b. Preliminary inputs to MTH requirements from 2/3 study arms
- c. Selection of PR Exercise System candidate
- d. Refine capability requirements for PR Exercise System
- e. Selection of Supplemental Countermeasure to proceed to 0g evaluations
- f. Refine capabilities requirements for Supplemental Countermeasures
- g. Selection of FSH Exercise System candidate
- h. Refine capability requirements for FSH Exercise System
- i. Selection of MTH Exercise System candidate
- j. Refine capability requirements for MTH Exercise System

Notes:

\*Exercise System 1g and 0g analog evals will be structured to include the assessment of supplemental countermeasure efficacy

\*\*Standardized strength and aerobic (VO2) measures will be included in each exercise system's analog eval for assessment of countermeasure efficacy

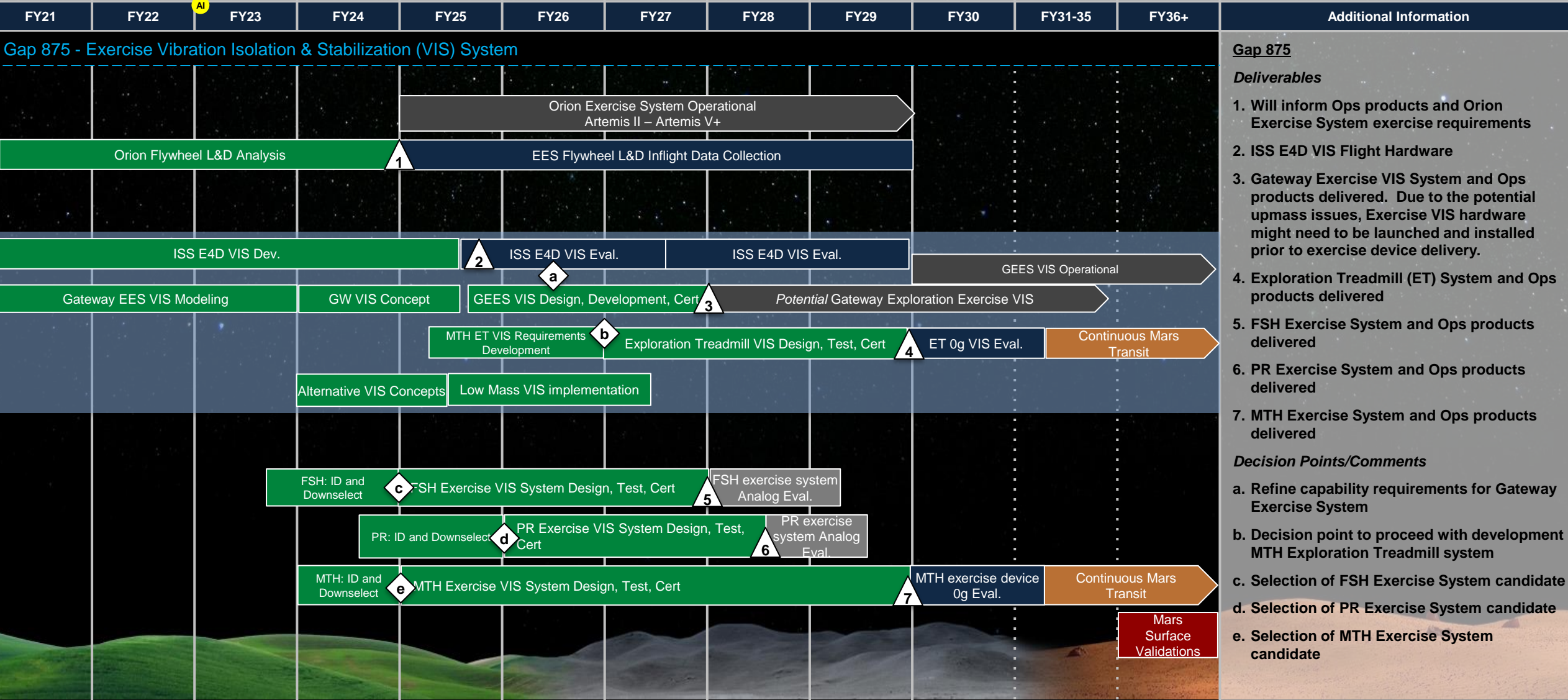
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CREW HEALTH COUNTERMEASURES (Slide 2 of 7)

Exercise Vibration Isolation Stabilization (VIS) System

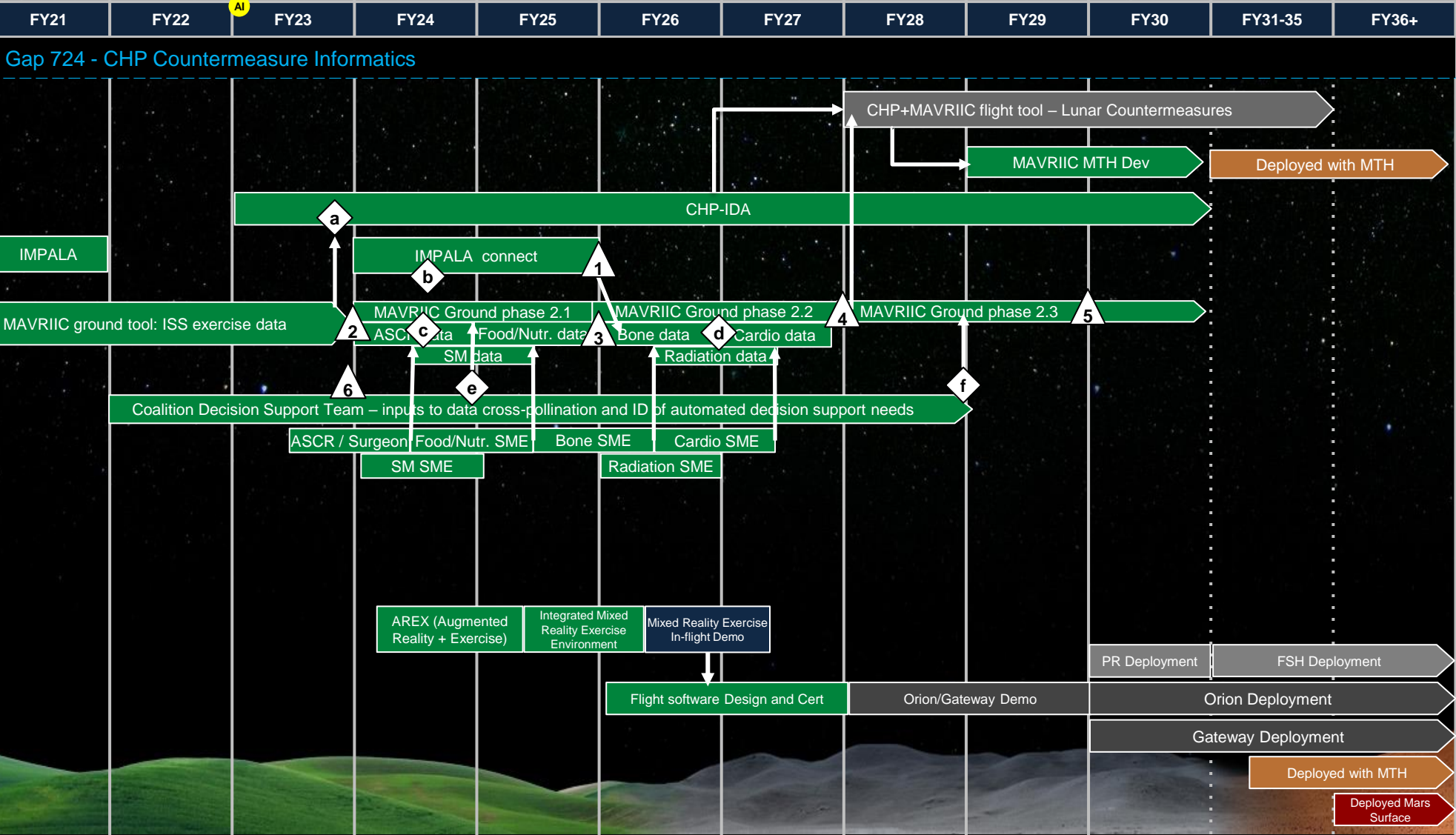
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CREW HEALTH COUNTERMEASURES (Slide 3 of 7) CHP Countermeasure Informatics

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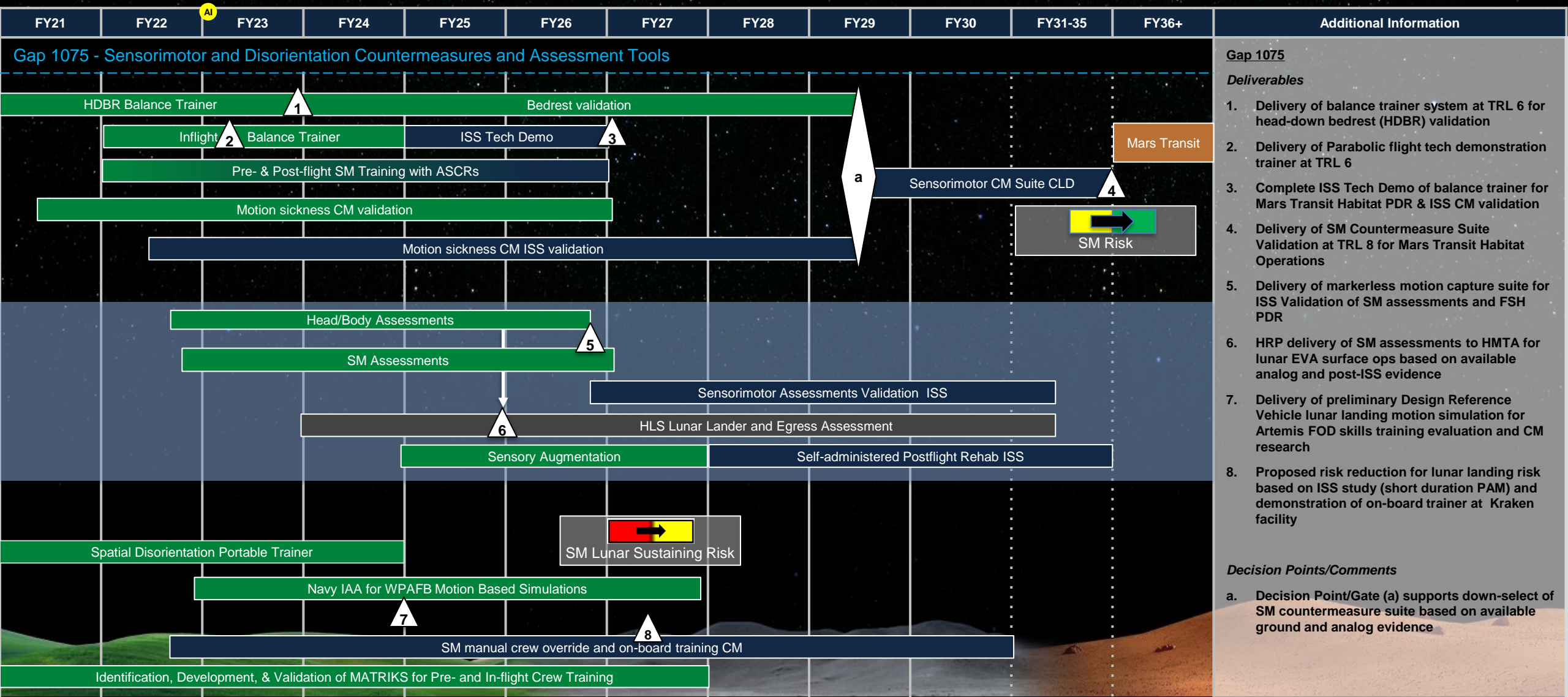
Additional Information
<b>Gap 724</b>
<b>Deliverables</b>
1. MAVRIIC connection to IMPALA database established (dependent)
2. MAVRIIC v1.0 release; will include deployment to JSC CTE with LAUNCHPAD integration for access control
3. Demonstration of updates with current additional data sources (e.g., ASCR, Food/Nutr. sensorimotor)
4. Demonstration of updates with current additional data sources (e.g., bone, cardio, radiation)
5. Continued maintenance and iterations on ground tool w/ available data; continued input to flight tool updates/modifications
6. Finalize Coalition team and charter
<b>Decision Points/Comments</b>
a. Ongoing input to architecture requirements for exploration tool
b. Decision on ability and approval to connect to IMPALA database and definition of forward work.
c. Evaluation of collaborative lab data state – plan developed for integration with MAVRIIC API
d. Inputs to decision algorithms including additional stakeholder data, (up to 3 additional data source)
e. Inputs to Exercise decision algorithms
f. Inputs to decision algorithms including additional stakeholder data, (continued review of available data and input to decision support tool dev.)
<b>*Note: FY24 Funding by MCO for AREX has been cut.</b>
Please see the <a href="#">Exploration Medical roadmap</a> for more information on CHP-IDA and the BHP Countermeasures Gap.





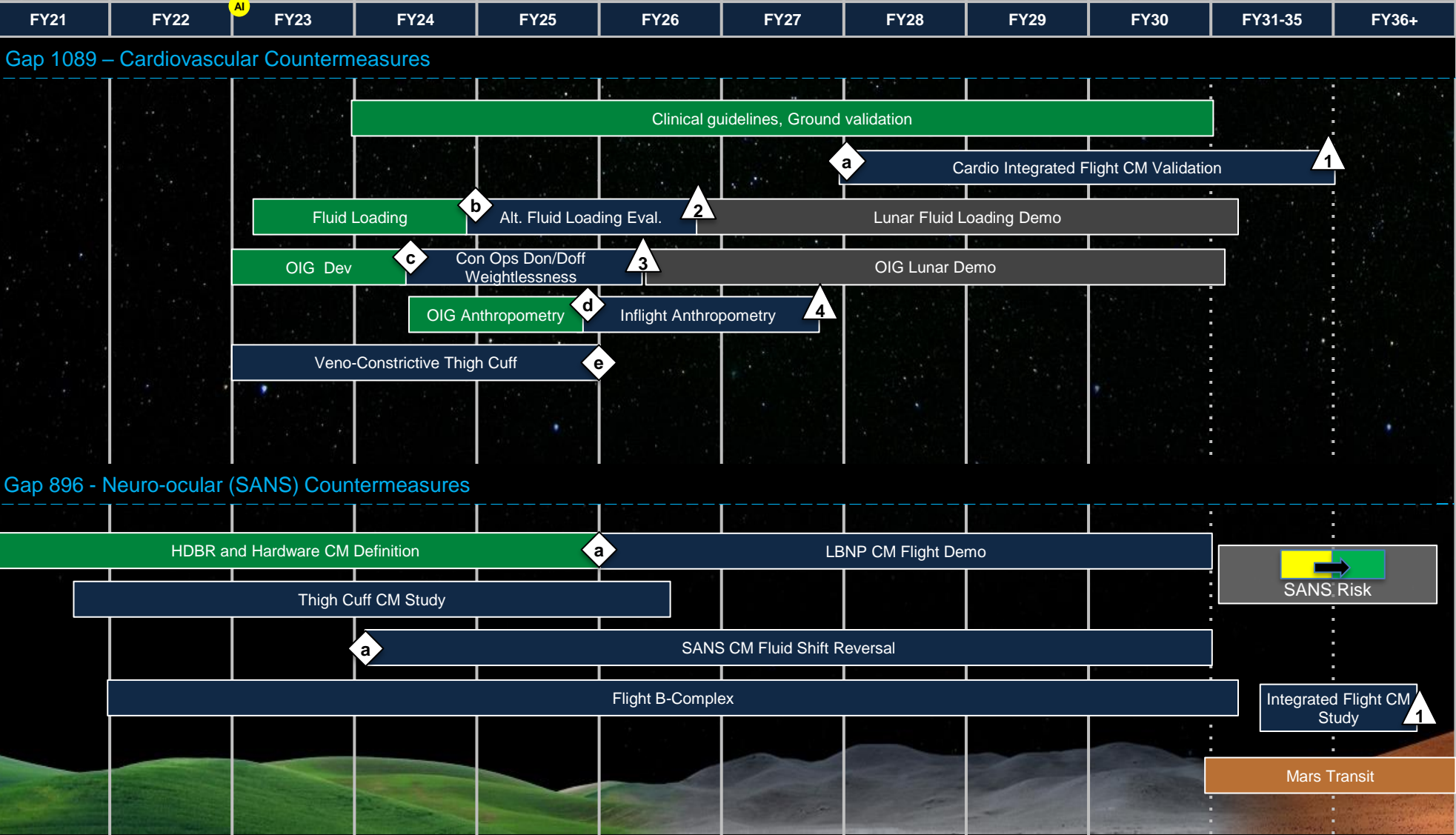
CREW HEALTH COUNTERMEASURES (Slide 4 of 7) *Sensorimotor*

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



- Gap 1075**
- Deliverables**
1. Delivery of balance trainer system at TRL 6 for head-down bedrest (HDBR) validation
  2. Delivery of Parabolic flight tech demonstration trainer at TRL 6
  3. Complete ISS Tech Demo of balance trainer for Mars Transit Habitat PDR & ISS CM validation
  4. Delivery of SM Countermeasure Suite Validation at TRL 8 for Mars Transit Habitat Operations
  5. Delivery of markerless motion capture suite for ISS Validation of SM assessments and FSH PDR
  6. HRP delivery of SM assessments to HMTA for lunar EVA surface ops based on available analog and post-ISS evidence
  7. Delivery of preliminary Design Reference Vehicle lunar landing motion simulation for Artemis FOD skills training evaluation and CM research
  8. Proposed risk reduction for lunar landing risk based on ISS study (short duration PAM) and demonstration of on-board trainer at Kraken facility

- Decision Points/Comments**
- a. Decision Point/Gate (a) supports down-select of SM countermeasure suite based on available ground and analog evidence



Additional Information

Gap 1089

**Deliverables**

1. HRP delivery of Cardiovascular Assessment and CM based on Spaceflight Effects to SCLT/HMTA (YtG color change)
2. Delivery of alternate fluid loading for lunar flight demo
3. Delivery of Orthostatic Intolerance (compression) Garment (OIG) for lunar flight demo
4. Delivery of inflight anthropometry measurement capability

**Decision Points/Comments**

- a. Decision Point/Gate on starting ISS flight CM study
- b. Decision Point/Gate on starting ISS tech evaluation
- c. Decision Point/Gate on starting ISS/PAM/Parabolic tech evaluation
- d. Decision Point/Gate on starting ISS tech evaluation
- e. Decision Point/Gate on delivery to CCP/Artemis/MCO

Gap 896

**Deliverables**

1. HRP delivery of SANS CM to Artemis/MCO (YtG color change)

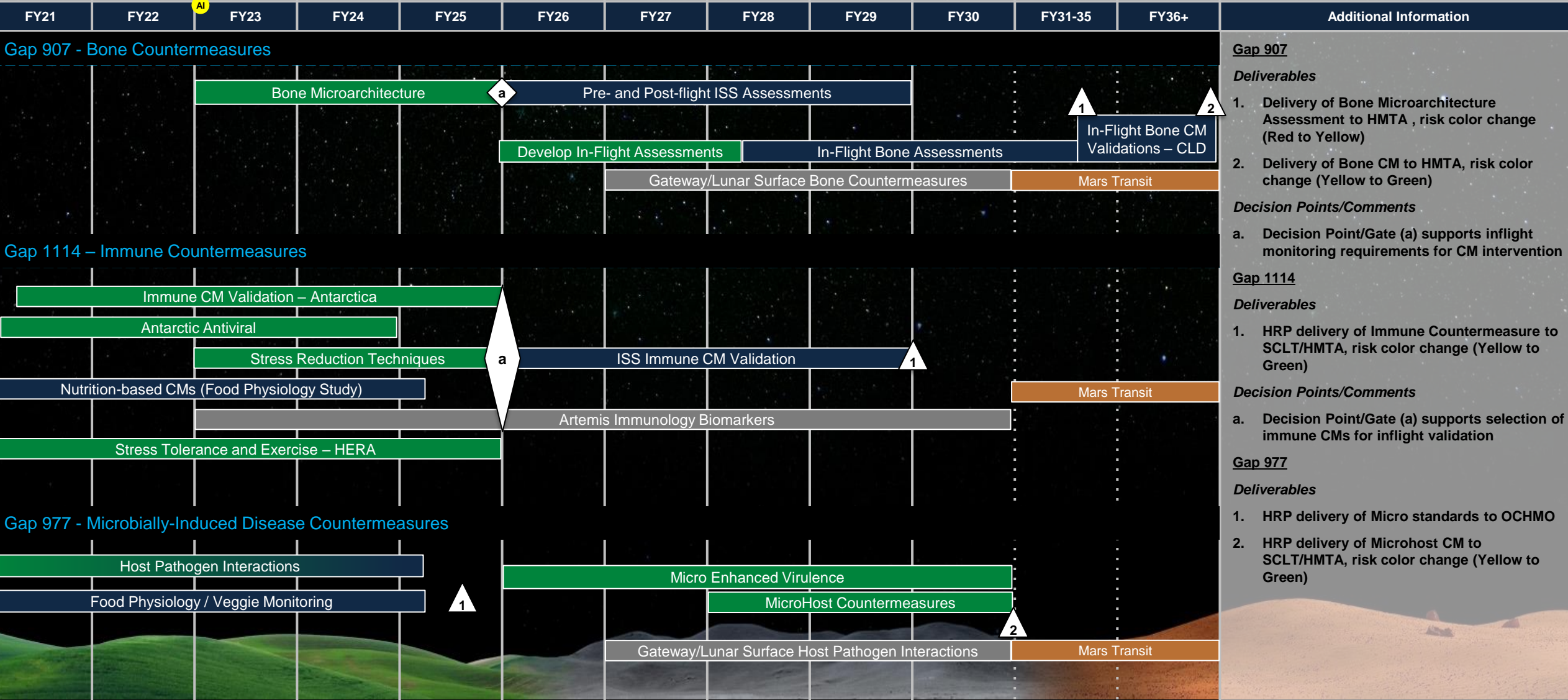
**Decision Points/Comments**

- a. Decision Point/Gate on starting CLD CM evaluation study



CREW HEALTH COUNTERMEASURES (Slide 6 of 7) *Bone, Immune, Micro Host*

TIMELINE NOTIONAL





# Crew Health and Performance (CHP) Systems

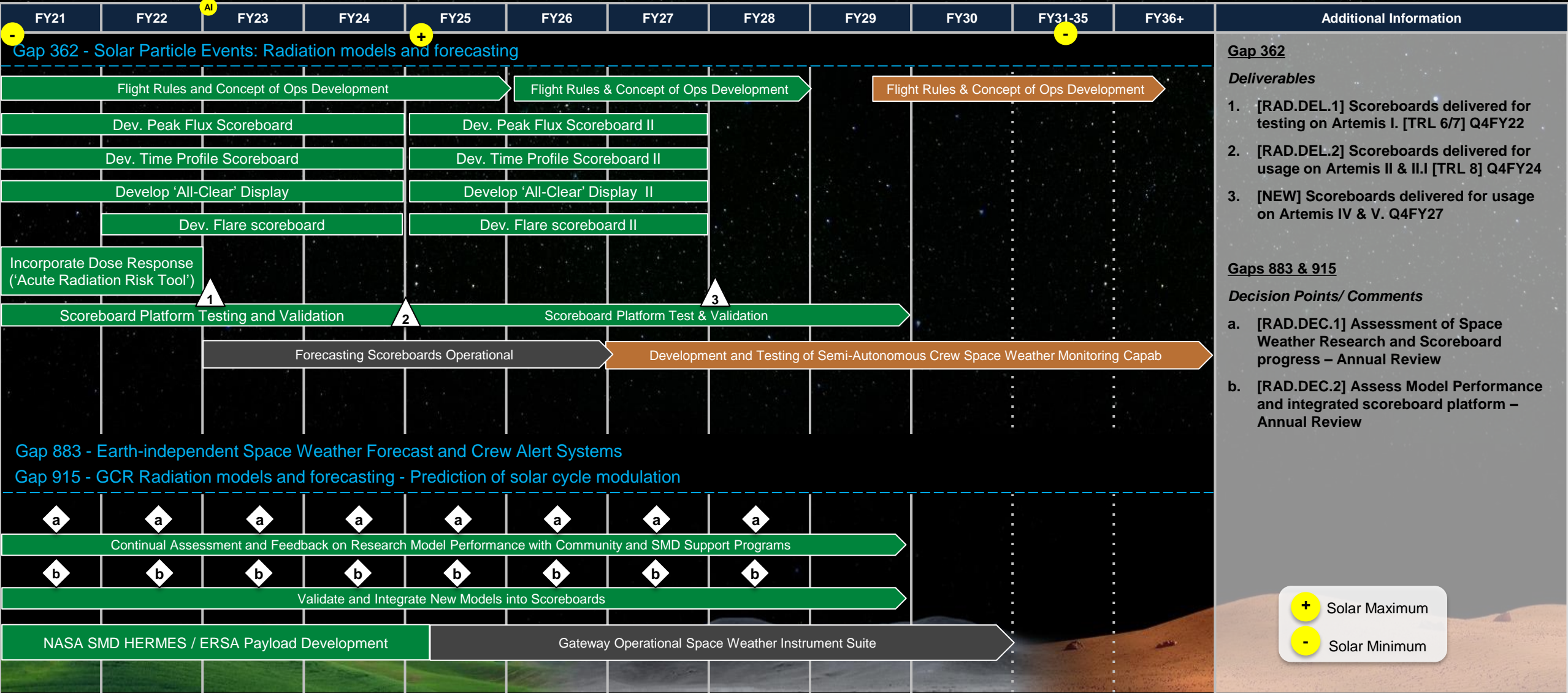
## Radiation Protection Capability Area





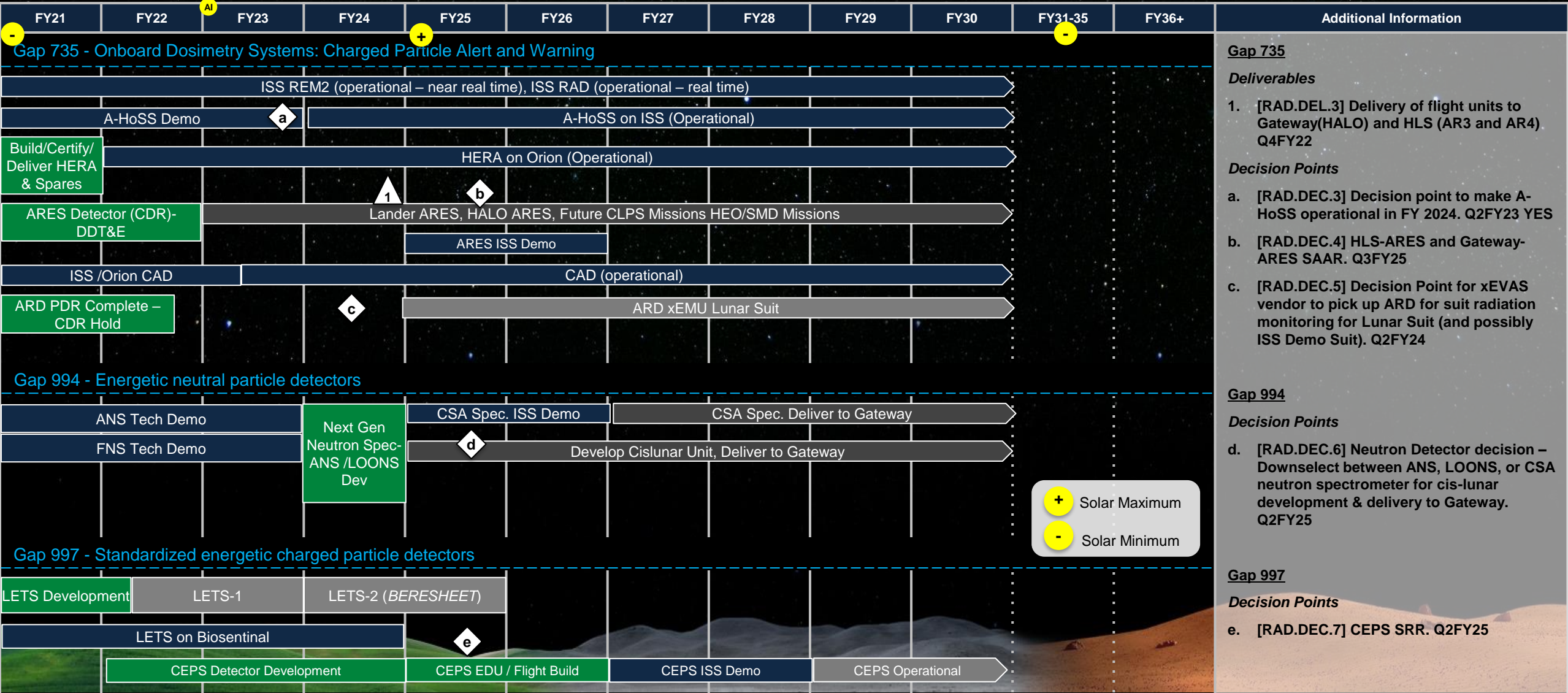
Radiation Protection (Slide 1 of 5) *Space Weather Forecasting*

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



Radiation Protection (Slide 2 of 5) Radiation Monitoring

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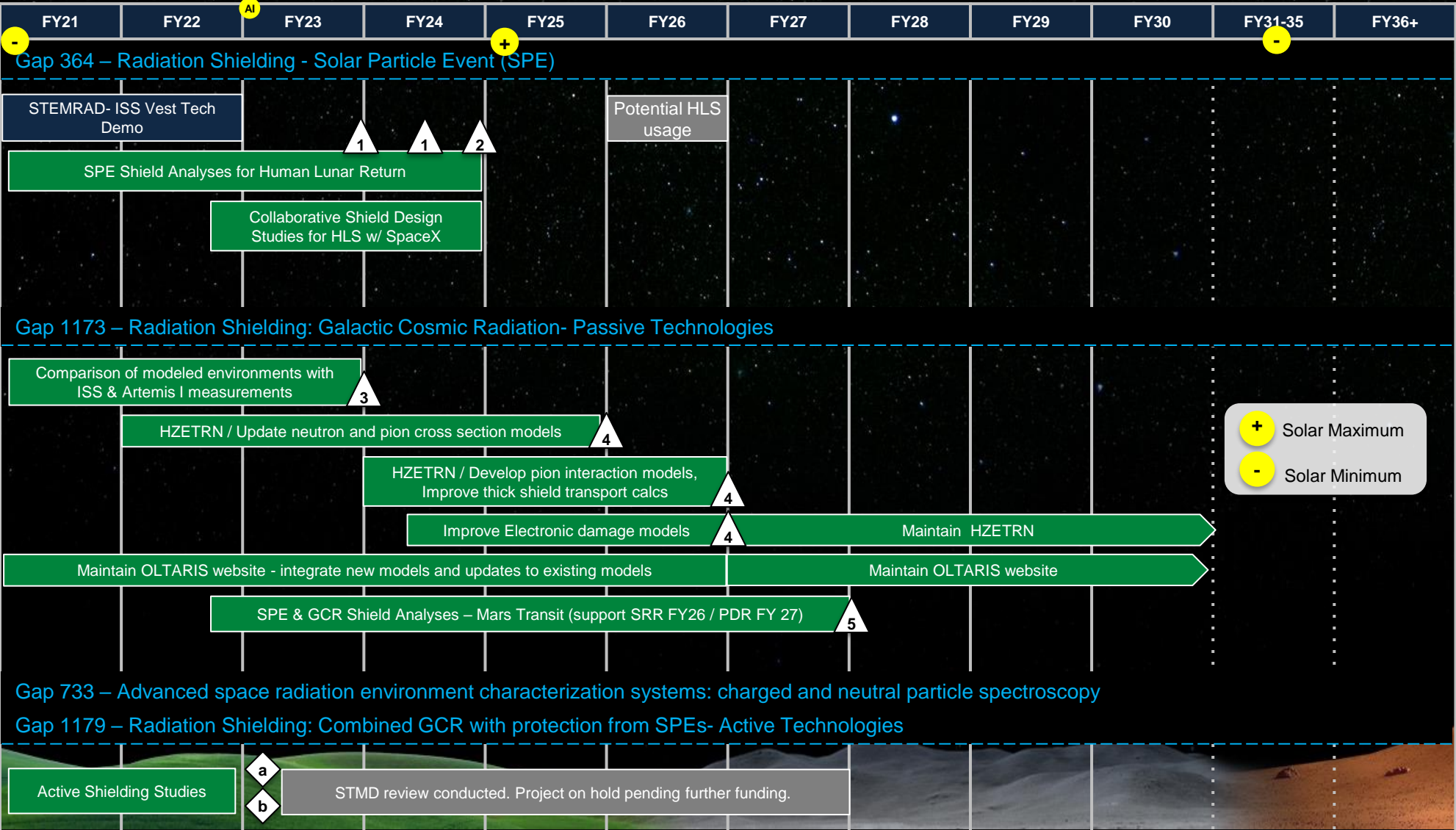






Radiation Protection (Slide 3 of 5) *Effective Shielding*

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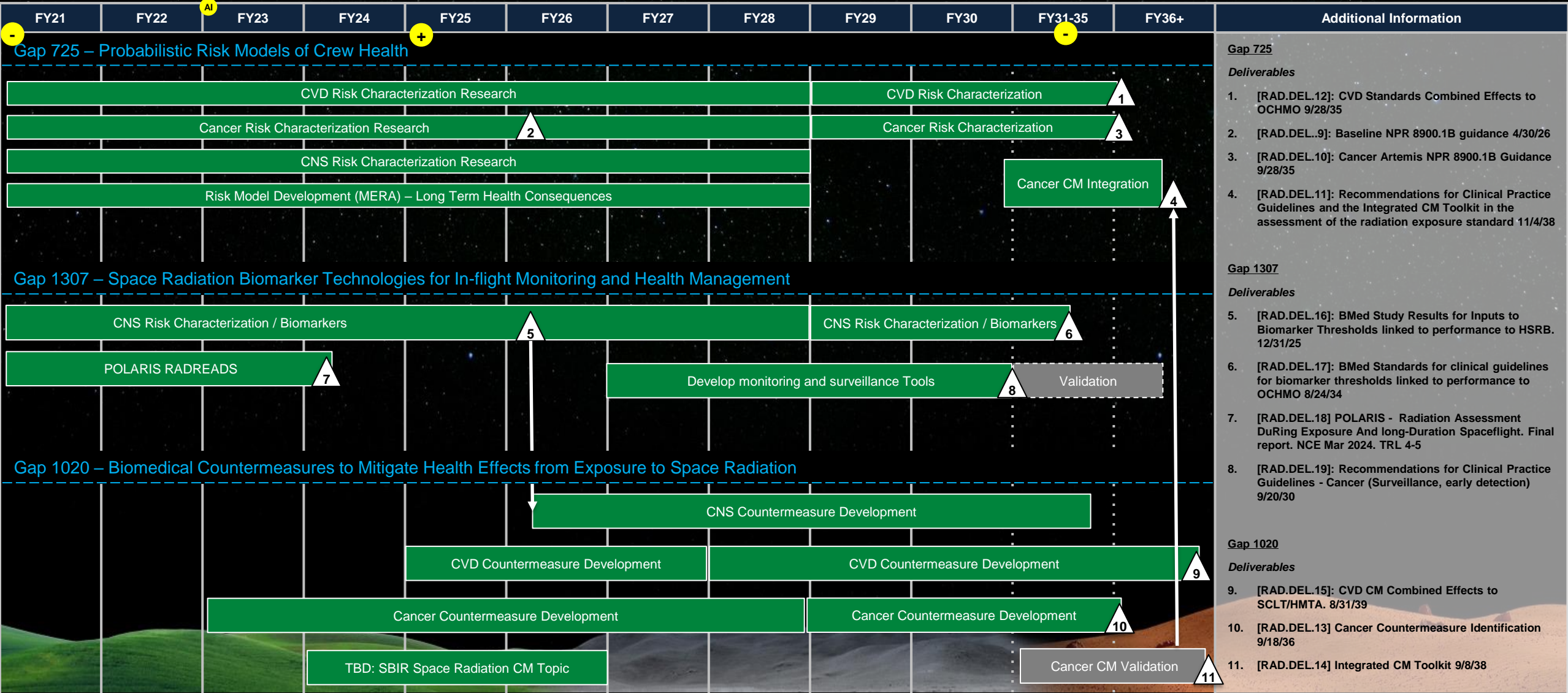


Additional Information
<b>Gap 364</b> <i>Deliverables</i> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>[RAD.DEL.4] Verify shelter requirements for Artemis I and Artemis II (Orion). Funding OR. Q4FY23, Q2FY24</li><li>[RAD.DEL.5] Perform SPE shield analysis for Gateway Iterative Analysis Cycle 10 (IAC 10) – Funding GW. Q4FY24</li></ol>
<b>Gap 1173</b> <i>Deliverables</i> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>[RAD.DEL.6] Update validation of HZETRN. Q4FY23</li><li>[RAD.DEL.7] Integrate into OLTARIS and make models available to community Q4FY25, Q4FY25</li><li>[RAD.DEL.8] Optimized Mars Transit Shield Design for PDR Q4FY27.</li></ol>
<b>Gaps 733 &amp; 1179</b> <i>Decision Points</i> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>[RAD.DEC.7] Proceed with Tech Development –Q4FY22 - NO</li><li>[RAD.DEC.8] Perform System Level Trade Study – Q4FY22, On-hold</li></ol>



Radiation Protection (Slide 4 of 5) *Biological Mitigation*

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



- Ground
- LEO
- Lunar orbit
- Lunar surface
- Mars transit
- Mars surface
- ▲ Deliverables
- ◆ Decision point
- Comments
- Artemis missions

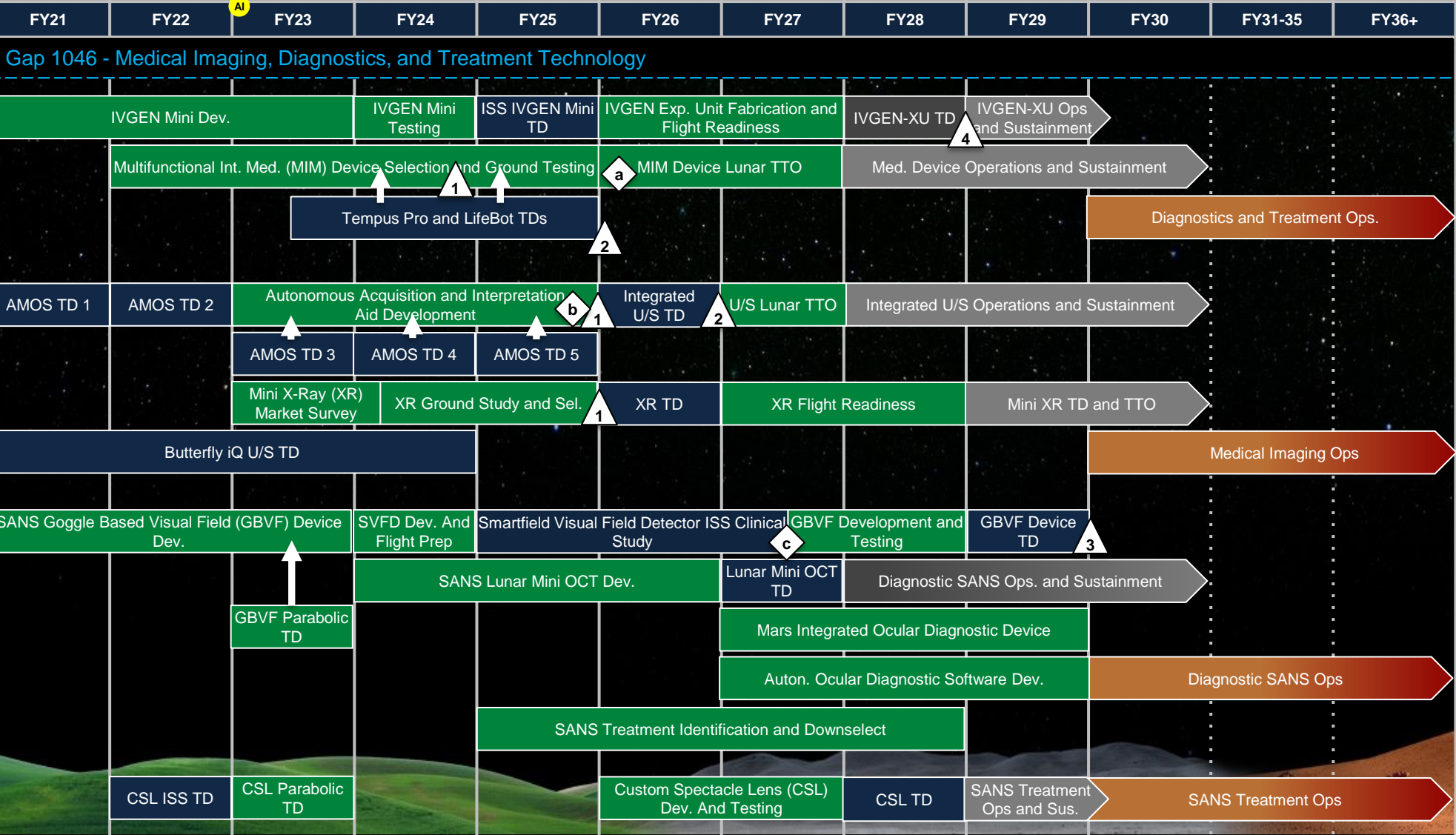




# Crew Health and Performance (CHP) Systems

## Exploration Medical Capability Area





Ground  
LEO  
Lunar orbit  
Lunar surface

Mars transit  
Mars surface

▲ Deliverables  
◆ Decision point  
● Comments  
● Artemis missions

Gap 1046

Deliverables

- To be included in integrated ground testing with the Crew Health and Performance Integrated Data Architecture (CHP-IDA).
- Candidate for ISS4Mars Mars Analog Earth Independent Medical Research Use Case
- The GBVF Device TD is to support Diagnostic SANS Ops and Sustainment.
- Successful IVGen Mini TDs will enable IVGen-XU (Exploration Unit) TTO on lunar surface.

Decision Points/Comments

a. Successful MIM Device ISS TDs, including Tempus Pro TD, will enable device down select and TTO for lunar surface operations. ISS TTO is TBD.

b. The Butterfly iQ TD and AMOS TD are testing state-of-the-art ultrasound and image acquisition/interpretation aids. These TDs will inform a technology investigation for and TD of an integrated ultrasound TD.

c. Decide if visual field device 7i is needed for exploration missions based on Smartfield study findings.

Please see the [Crew Health Countermeasures roadmap](#) for information regarding High Pressure O<sub>2</sub>

Please see the [Crew Health Countermeasures roadmap](#) for additional information regarding SANS





EXPLORATION MEDICAL (XM) (Slide 2 of 6)

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



Gap 853

Deliverables

1. To be included in integrated ground testing with the Crew Health and Performance Integrated Data Architecture (CHP-IDA).
2. Candidate for ISS4Mars Mars Analog Earth Independent Medical Research Use Case
3. Successful AMIS TD will enable TTO and infusion into lunar platforms. Lunar operations will inform technology development for Mars DRMs.
4. Successful xEHR lunar TD will enable TTO and infusion into lunar platforms. Lunar operations will inform technology development for Mars DRMs.
5. SBIR Tracking:
  - Autonomous Medical Response Agent (AMRA) – autonomous clinical decision support (FY21-FY23)
  - Intelligent Medical Crew Assistant (IMCA) – real-time autonomous medical decision making (FY21-FY23)
  - Space medicine GPT – Large language model trained with medical information (Awarded FY23)
  - Amalgamated Vision – Enhanced procedural, technical, and training guidance (Awarded FY23)

Gap 1178

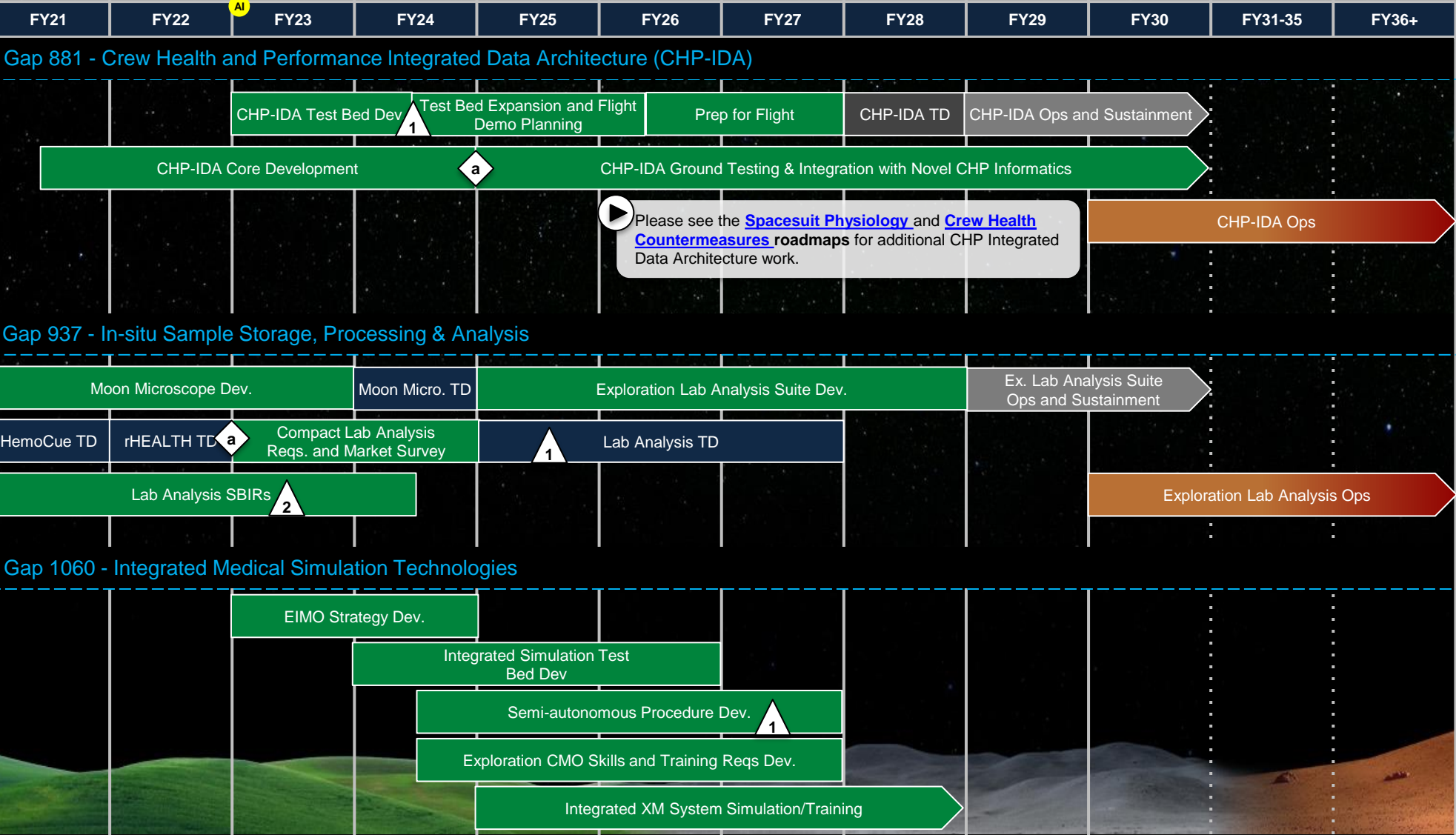
Deliverables

1. Medical risk model and trade space analysis tools will inform development of medical system requirements for Artemis missions and Mars DRMs.
2. HRP Deliverable: IMPACT versions 1.0 and 2.0
3. The risk modeling KPP progresses with the release of each IMPACT Trade space analysis tool version.



EXPLORATION MEDICAL (XM) (Slide 3 of 6)

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



Ground

LEO

Lunar orbit

Lunar surface

Mars transit

Mars surface

▲ Deliverables

◆ Decision point

● Comments

● Artemis missions

Gap 881

*Deliverables*

- Candidate for ISS4Mars Mars Analog Earth Independent Medical Research Use Case

*Decision Points/Comments*

a. The **1** from other slides represent integrated ground testing of that application or data source with the CHP-IDA. [With each integrated ground test, the KPP (percent of applications and data sources captured in data architecture inflight) increases.]

Gap 937

*Deliverables*

- Lab analysis and Mini Micro TDs will inform down select of lab analysis suite for exploration. Requirements for the exploration unit will incorporate inputs from the research and medical operations community.
- SBIRs Tracking:
  - Remote Experimentation and Analysis Laboratory in Space (FY21-FY23)
  - Photonics integrated circuit enabled miniature on chip urine test (FY21-FY24)
  - Ultra compact calcium measurement device (FY22-FY23)

*Decision Points/Comments*

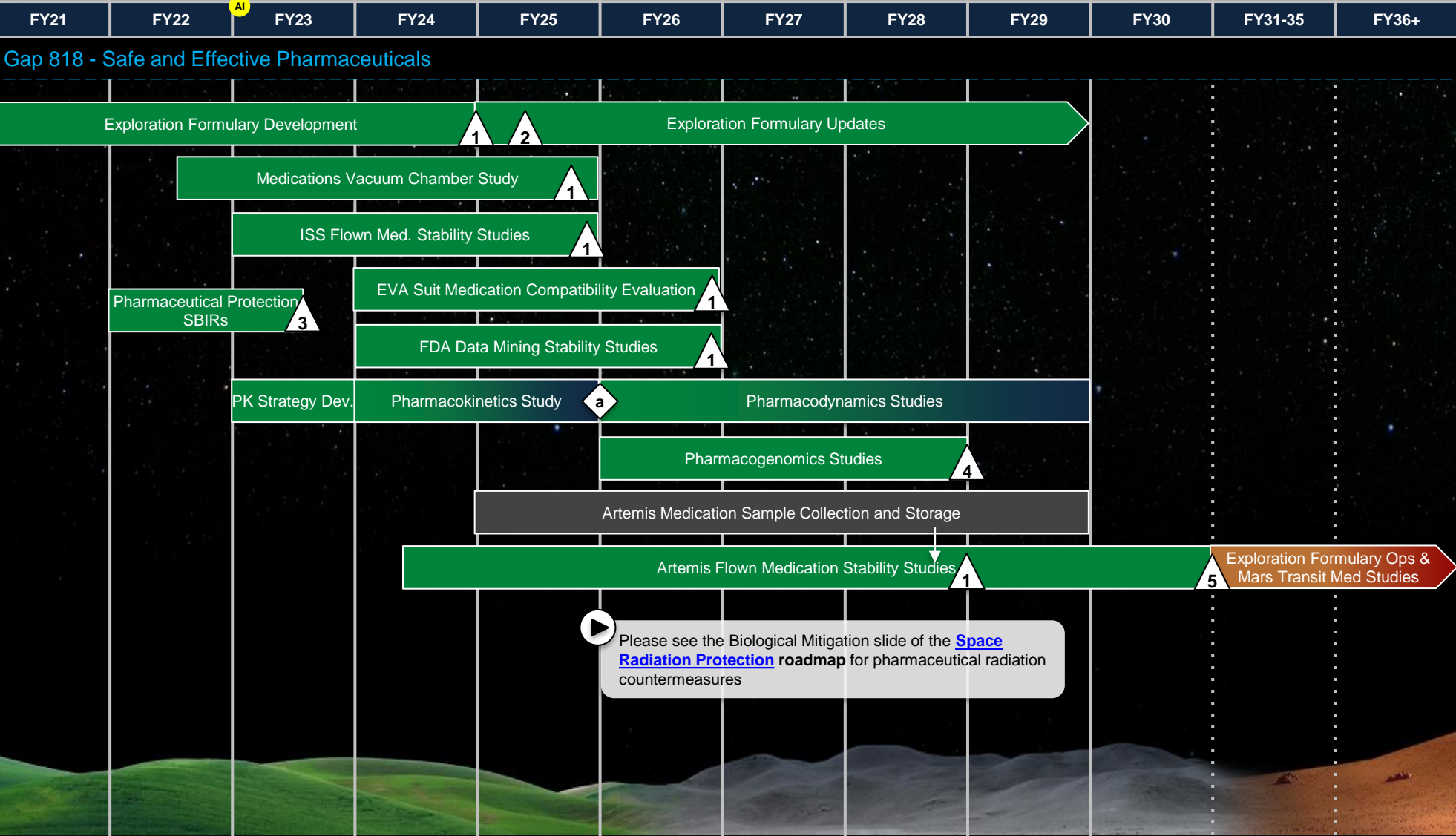
a. The HemoCue and rHealth ISS TDs are testing state-of-the-art compact lab analysis devices. These TDs will inform a subsequent market survey and down select for an ISS TD of an exploration lab analysis tool.

Gap 1060

*Deliverables*

- Earth Independent Medical Operations (EIMO) strategy will inform development of semiautonomous procedures and Crew Medical Officer (CMO) skills and training.





Gap 818

Deliverables

1.

Swim lanes represent data collection activities required to characterize medication stability and efficacy during spaceflight-relevant exposures (LEO IV, Lunar IV, Vacuum, and EVA suit).

2.

HRP Deliverable: Exploration Formulary v3.0

3.

SBIR Tracking:

- DoseShield packaging for improved pharmaceutical protection in space (FY22-FY23)
- Rubber shielding for space pharmaceutical packaging (FY22-FY23)

4.

Additionally, there is a need for terrestrial data on shelf-life extension, pharmacokinetics, and pharmacogenomics.

5.

Data collected from these studies will inform development of an Exploration Formulary and Ops & Mars Transit Medication Studies. [Each activity will contribute to increasing SOA and gap closure.]

Decision Point

a.

Pharmacokinetics study data will determine if pharmacodynamics studies are necessary

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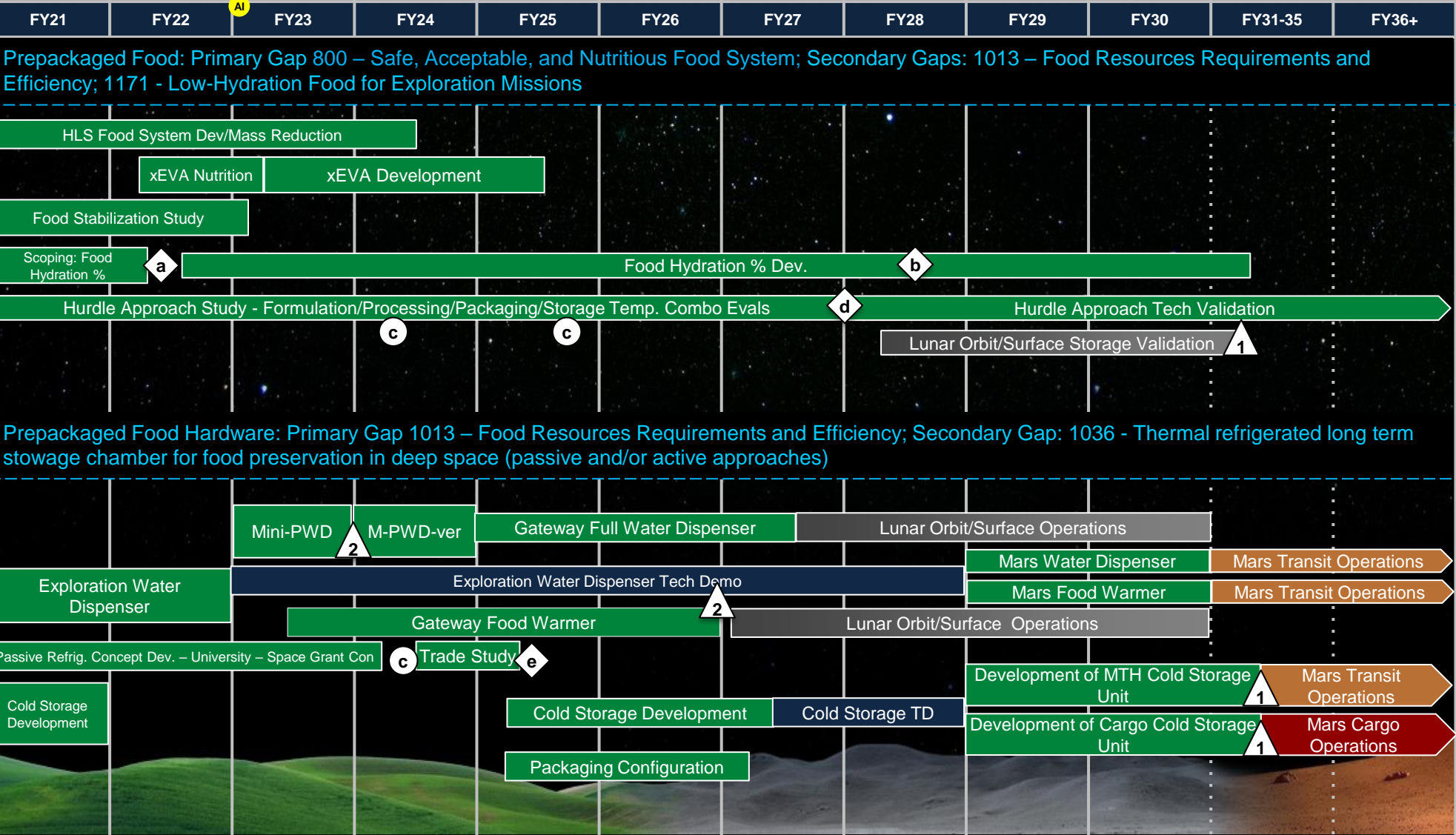


# Crew Health and Performance (CHP) Systems Food Systems Capability Area



FOOD SYSTEMS (1 of 12) *Prepackaged (1/2): Development and Evaluation of Food and Hardware*

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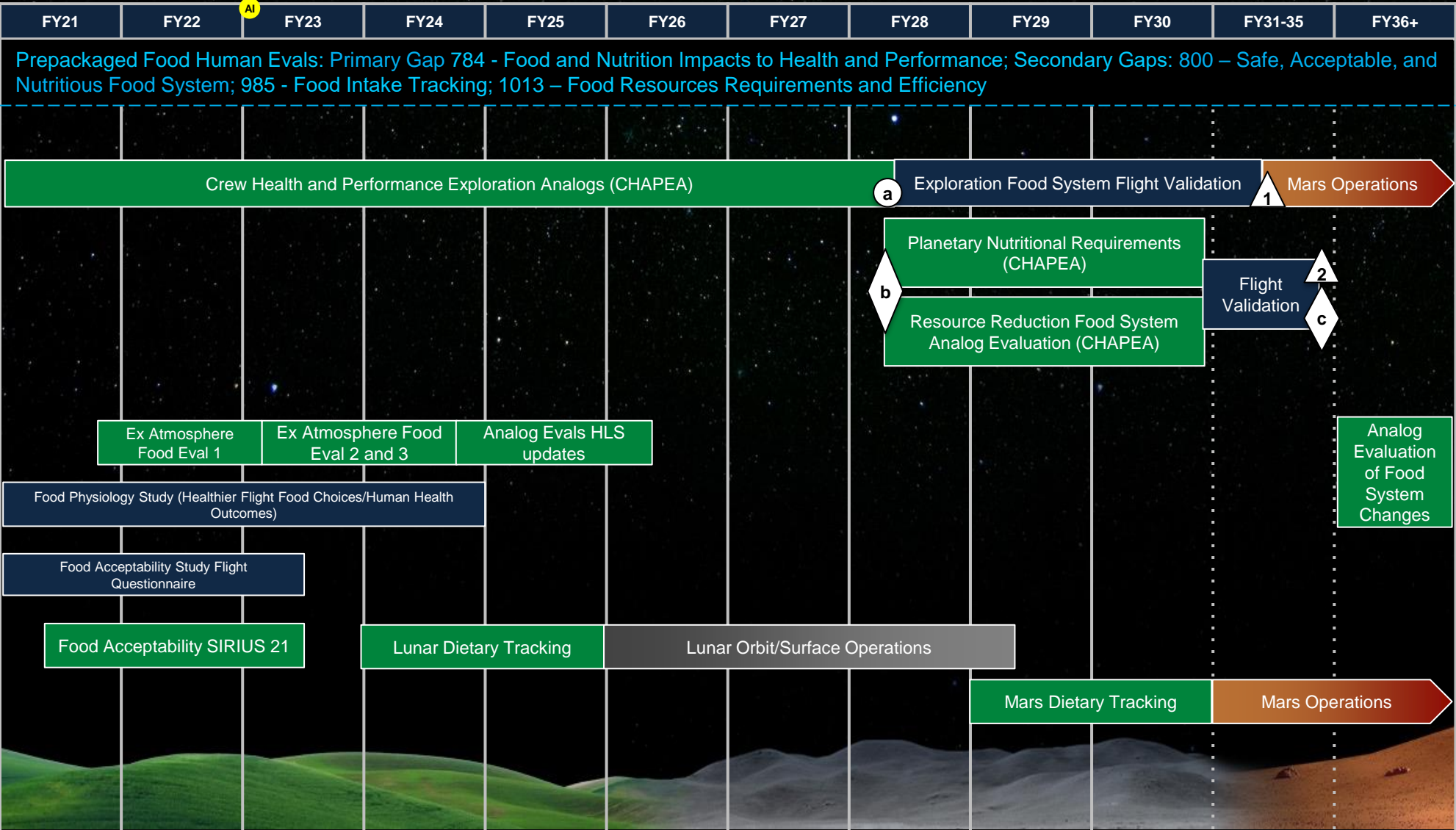
- Gaps 800, 1013**
- Deliverables**
1. Exploration Food System delivered
  2. Flight Unit delivered
- Decision Point/Comments**
- a. Require improved/increased facility capacity
  - b. Decision on feasibility of reduced food hydration/move to analog testing
  - c. Early insight into shortfalls of the current pre-packaged food system and temperature needed to start informing mass/volume requirements
  - d. Decision on food cold storage mass and volume requirements for Mars missions
  - e. Active vs passive refrigeration trade study





FOOD SYSTEMS (2 of 12) *Prepackaged (2/2): Analogs/Flights - Impacts of Food & Nutrition on Human Health & Performance*

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



**Additional Information**

Gap 784

*Deliverables*

1. Exploration Food System delivered
2. Informs food resources for Mars mission

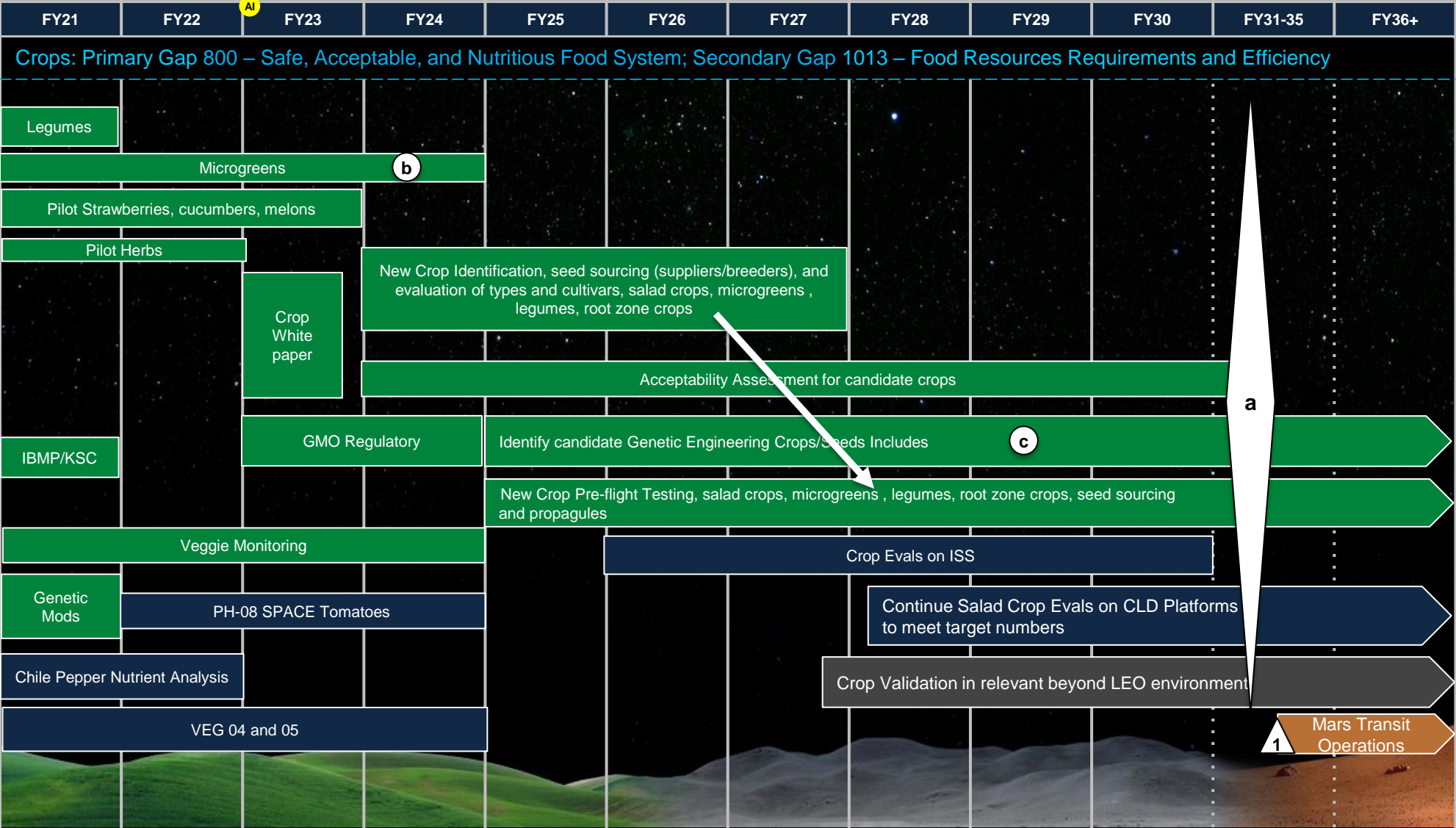
*Decision Points/Comments*

- a. Inform food resources for Mars mission
- b. Confirm nutritional requirements for exploration (analog) OR further test trade between resource reduction options and human health/performance risk (analog).
- c. Best date we could define the feasibility of the reduced food hydration % that is acceptable without improved facility



FOOD SYSTEMS (3 of 12) Crops (1/4): Development and Evaluation of Crops and Hardware

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**Additional Information**

Gap 800

**Deliverables**

1. Exploration Food System delivered. First crops to support early Mars missions selected/validated

**Decision Points/Comments**

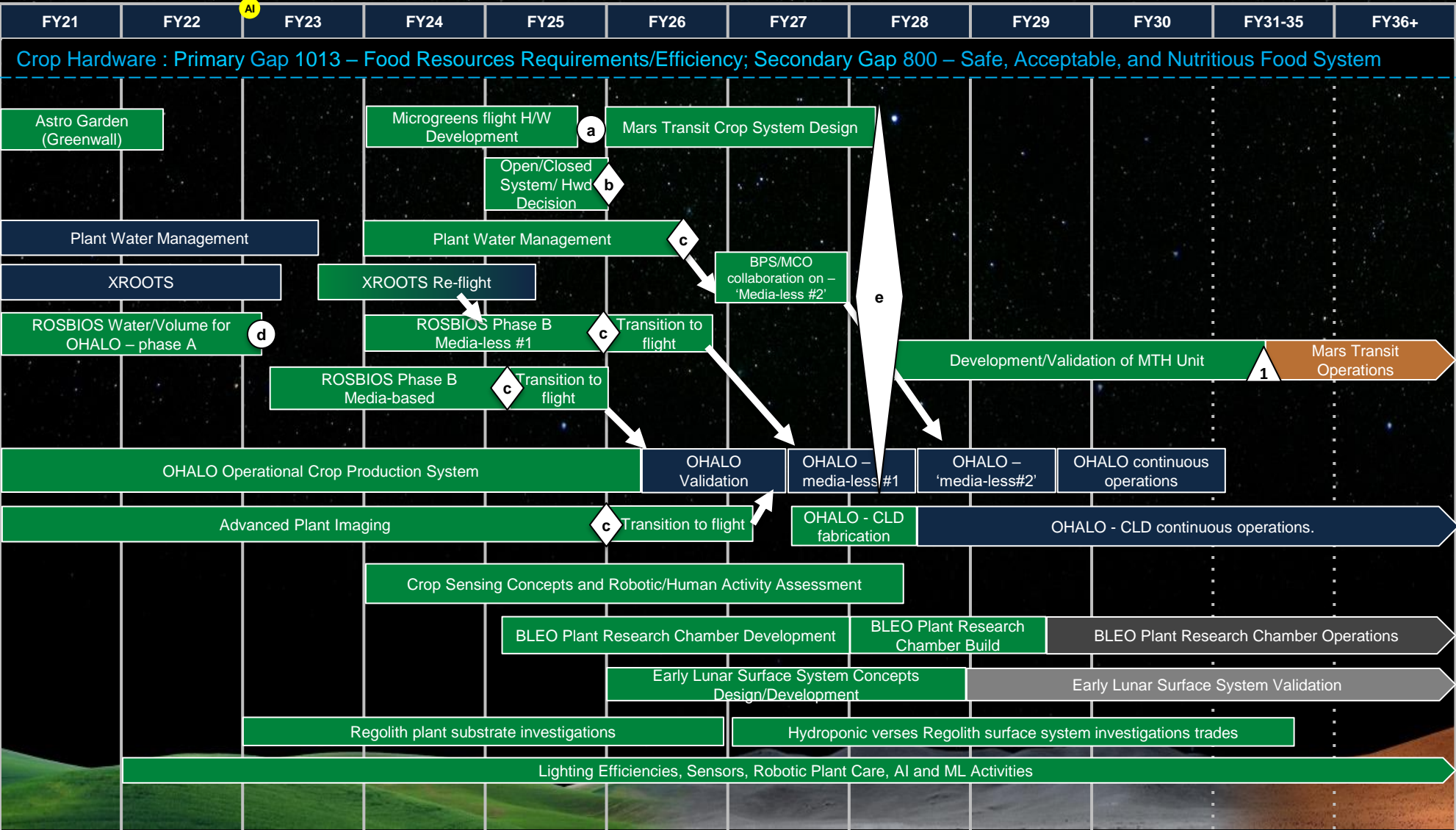
- a. Determine which salad crops will serve as initial candidates for Beyond Low Earth Orbit and Mars transit missions. First evals in Veggie and APH, later evals in OHALO III. Goal is to have minimum of approximately 30 crops selected. (See KSC Space Crop Production team white paper sponsored by HRP for details)
- b. Hardware to support microgreens flight operations is required and will be identified on the crop hardware page
- c. Includes collaboration with the Australian Center of Excellence on Plants for Space (P4S) which will start Jan. 2024 and run thru Jan 2031





FOOD SYSTEMS (4 of 12) Crops (2/4): Development and Evaluation of Crops and Hardware

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**Gap 1013**

**Deliverables**

1. Exploration Food System with Mars Transit Crop System delivered

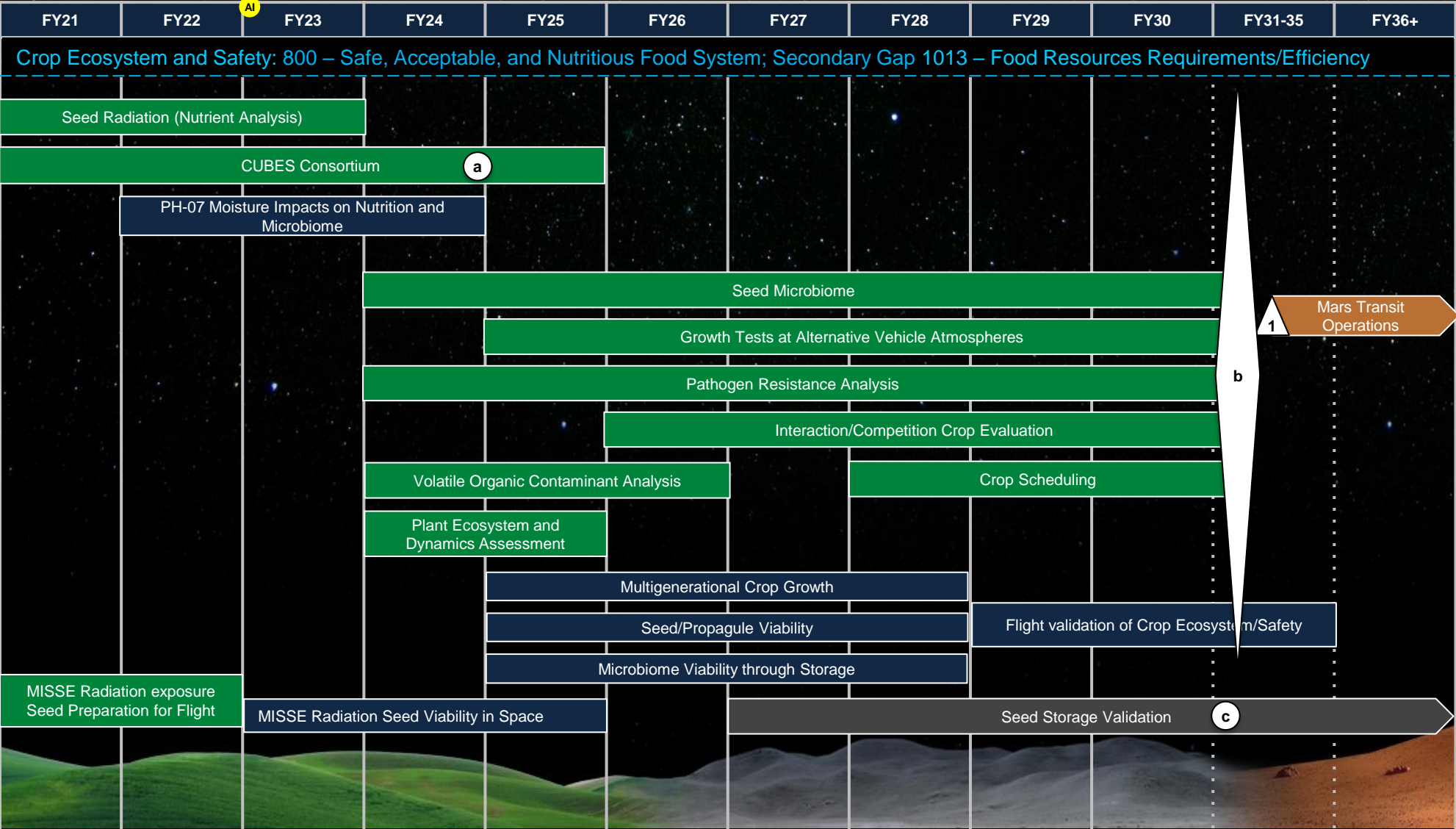
**Decision Points/Comments**

- a. Potential collaboration with Canadian Space Agency (CSA) for microgreens growth module which could be demonstrated in Veggie and used in Ohalo
- b. Decision point on whether crop production systems should be open or closed to the vehicle cabin environment.
- c. Decision gates for flight development
- d. ROSBIO awards: Media starts 4/23, 'Media-less' starts 10/23. BPS funded PWM option also is possible which would provide three potential options for reliable water/nutrient delivery
- e. Down select of requirements for MTH Crop System Hardware



FOOD SYSTEMS (5 of 12) Crops (3/4): Development and Evaluation of Crops and Hardware

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**Additional Information**

Gap 800

**Deliverables**

1. Informs Mars transit Crop System hardware design

**Decision Points/Comments**

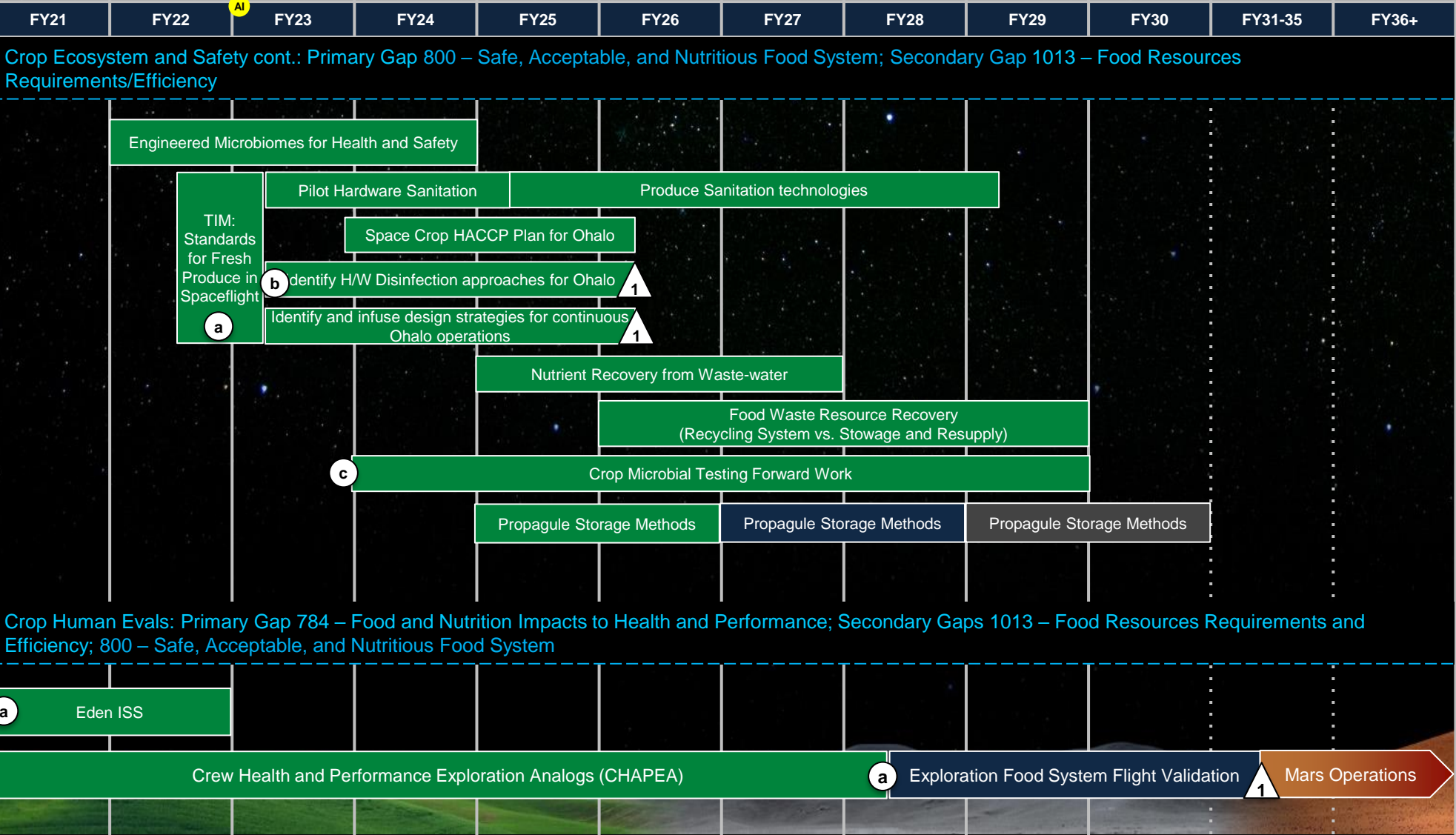
- a. Workshop held to determine microbiological and cleaning requirements for crops/hardware in spaceflight. Further work remains to be done as agreed to standards have yet to be developed
- b. ECLSS infusion – must work with ECLSS on any sanitation methods that impact water/air
- c. This indicates a need for a technology to do crop testing to address crop safety for crew consumption





FOOD SYSTEMS (6 of 12) CROPS (4/4): Development & Evaluation of Crops and Hardware & Analogs/Flight – Impacts of Food and Nutrition on Human Health and Performance

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



Additional Information
<p><b>Gap 800</b></p> <p><i>Deliverables</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Informs Mars transit Crop System hardware design</li></ol> <p><i>Decision Points/Comments</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. Workshop held to determine microbiological and cleaning requirements for crops/hardware in spaceflight. Further work remains to be done as agreed to standards have yet to be developed</li><li>b. ECLSS infusion – must work with ECLSS on any sanitation methods that impact water/air</li><li>c. This indicates a need for a technology to do crop testing to address crop safety for crew consumption</li></ol>
<p><b>Gap 784</b></p> <p><i>Deliverables</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Exploration Food System delivered. First crops to support early Mars missions selected/validated</li></ol> <p><i>Decision Points/Comments</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. Inform crew health and performance risk/resource trades for Mars surface mission</li></ol>

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- a. Decision on feasibility of bulk system.
- b. Decision point on whether systems should be open or closed to the vehicle cabin environment.



## TIMELINE NOTIONAL



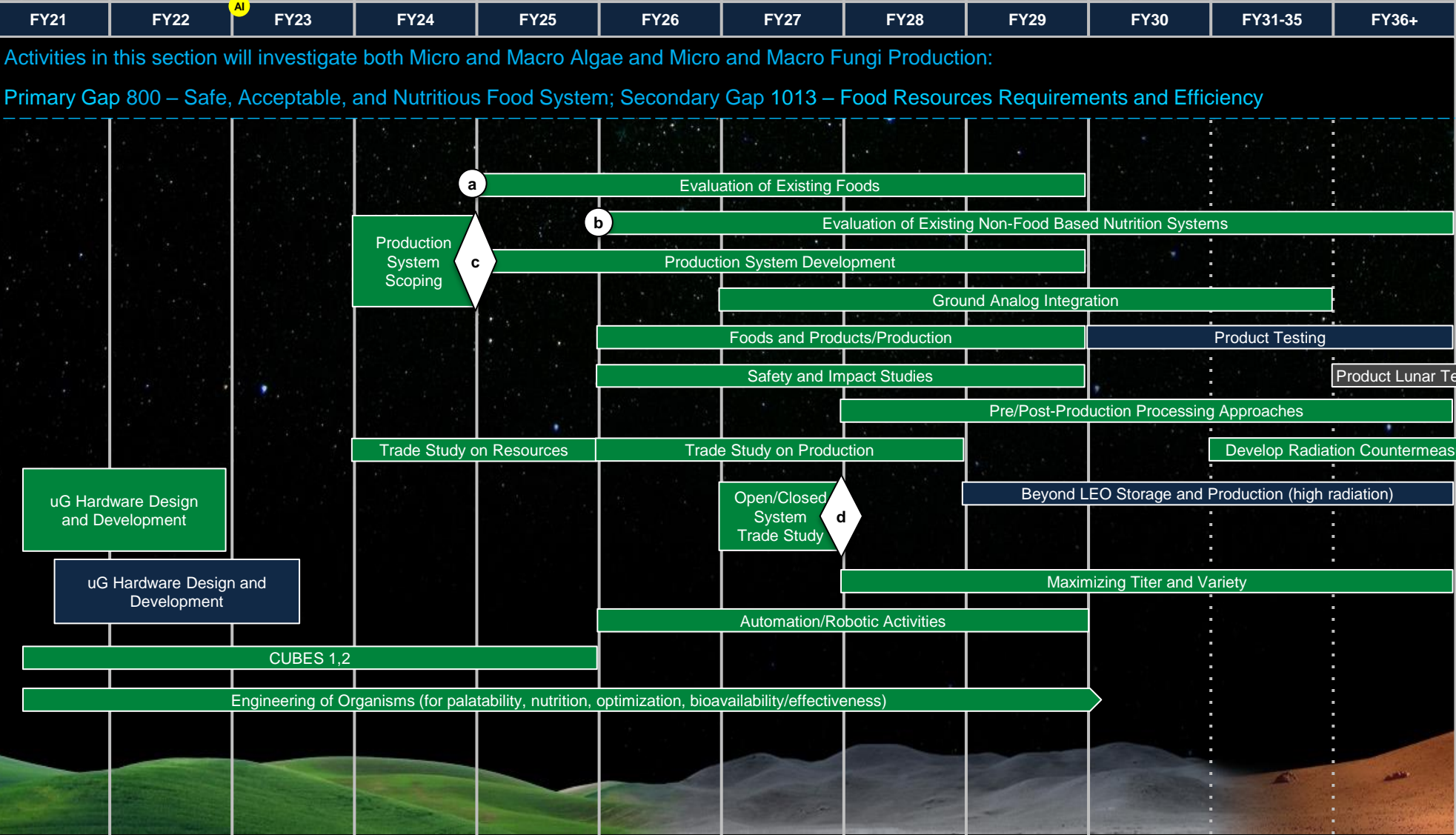
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FOOD SYSTEMS (10 of 12) *Algae and Fungi Production (1/2): Development and Evaluation of Algae and Fungi Production Feasibility*

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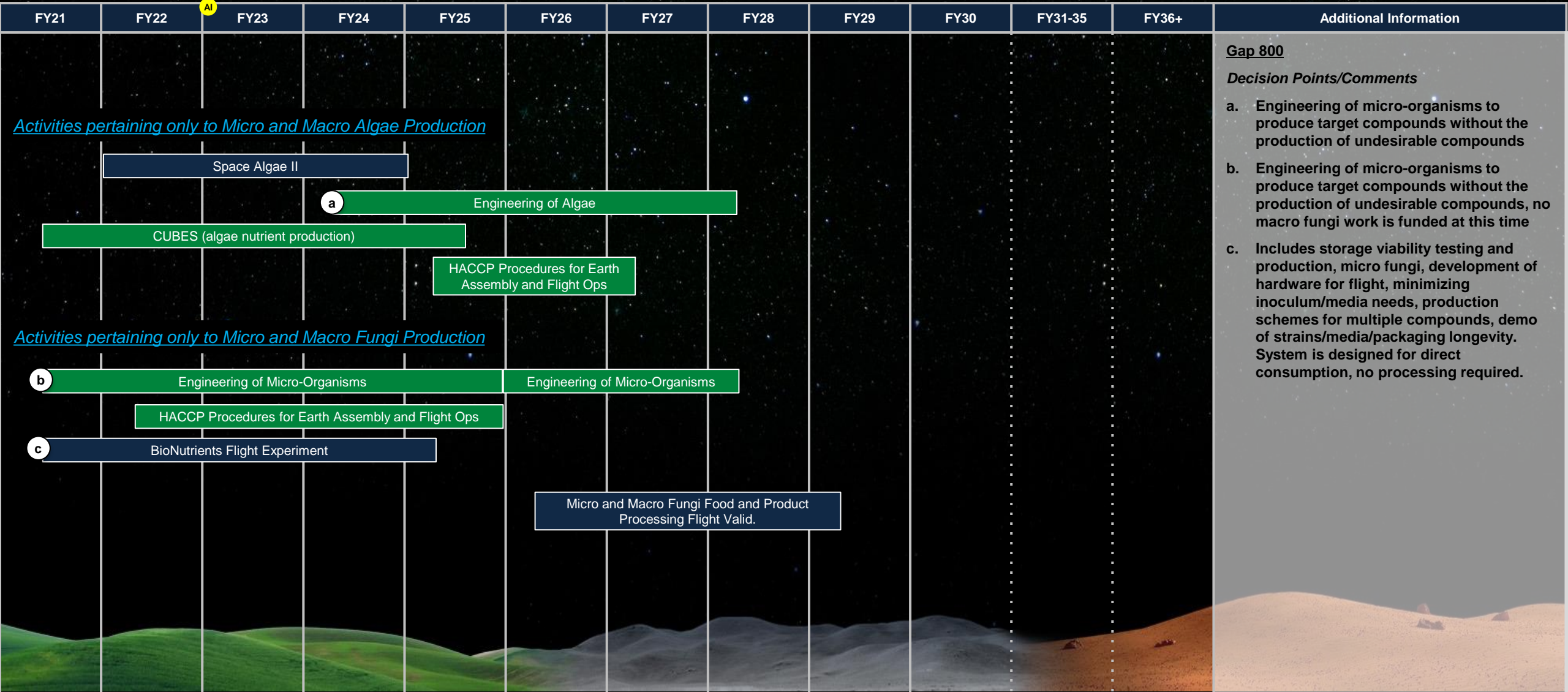


- Gap 800**
- Decision Points/Comments**
- a. Existing Foods: Algae: spirulina, seaweed, carrageenan. Fungi: yogurt, mushrooms, and novel items
  - b. Existing Non-Food Based Nutrition: Fungi: BioNutrients
  - c. Decision on feasibility and further work.
  - d. Decision point on whether systems should be open or closed to the vehicle cabin environment.



FOOD SYSTEMS (11 of 12) *Algae and Fungi Production (2/2): Development and Evaluation of Algae and Fungi Production Feasibility*

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



- Gap 800
- Decision Points/Comments*
- a. Engineering of micro-organisms to produce target compounds without the production of undesirable compounds
  - b. Engineering of micro-organisms to produce target compounds without the production of undesirable compounds, no macro fungi work is funded at this time
  - c. Includes storage viability testing and production, micro fungi, development of hardware for flight, minimizing inoculum/media needs, production schemes for multiple compounds, demo of strains/media/packaging longevity. System is designed for direct consumption, no processing required.





# Crew Health and Performance (CHP) Systems

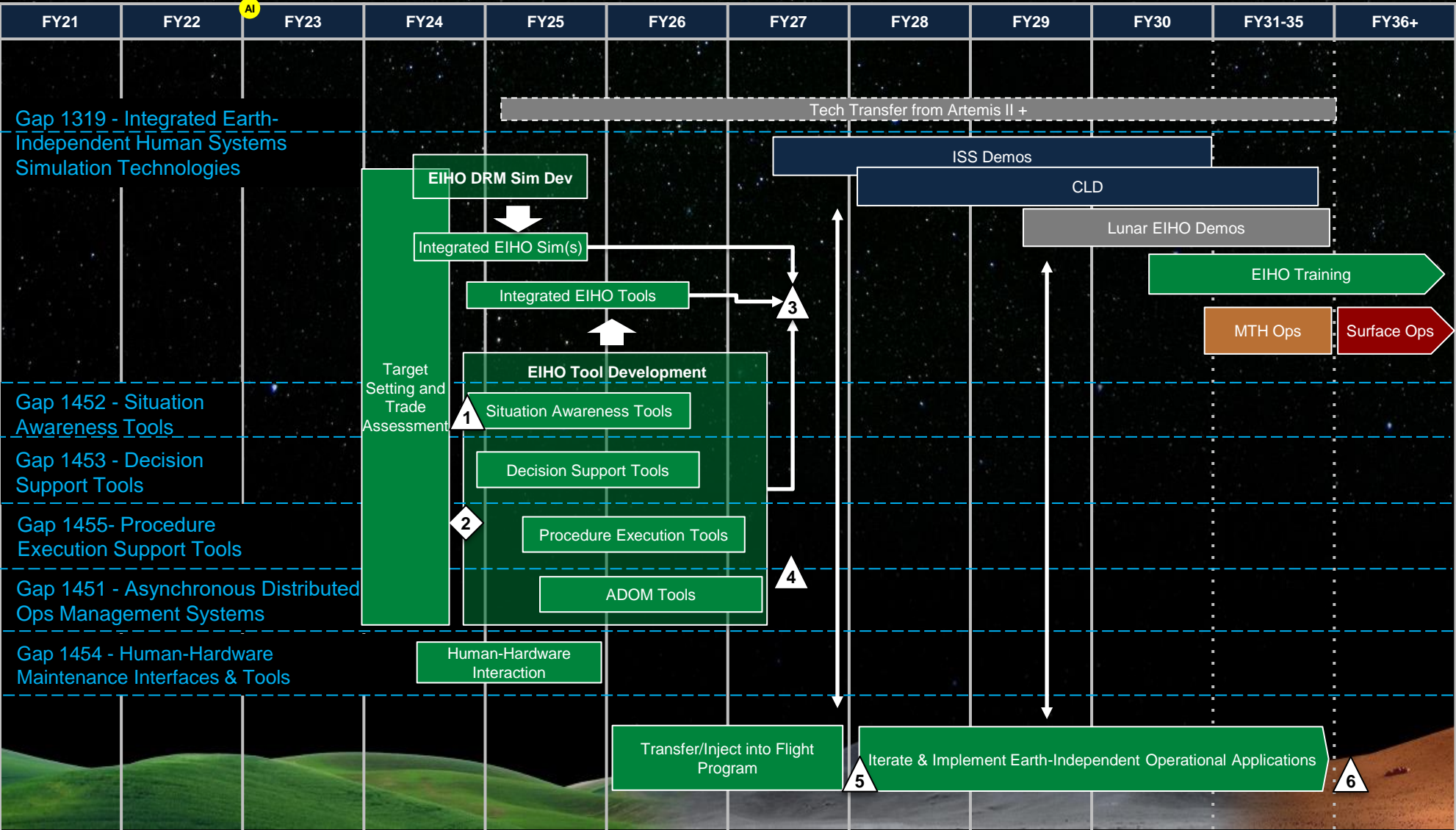
## Earth Independent Human Operations (EIHO) Capability Area





EARTH INDEPENDENT HUMAN OPERATIONS (1 of 8) Summary

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**Additional Information**

All Gaps - Summary

**Deliverables**

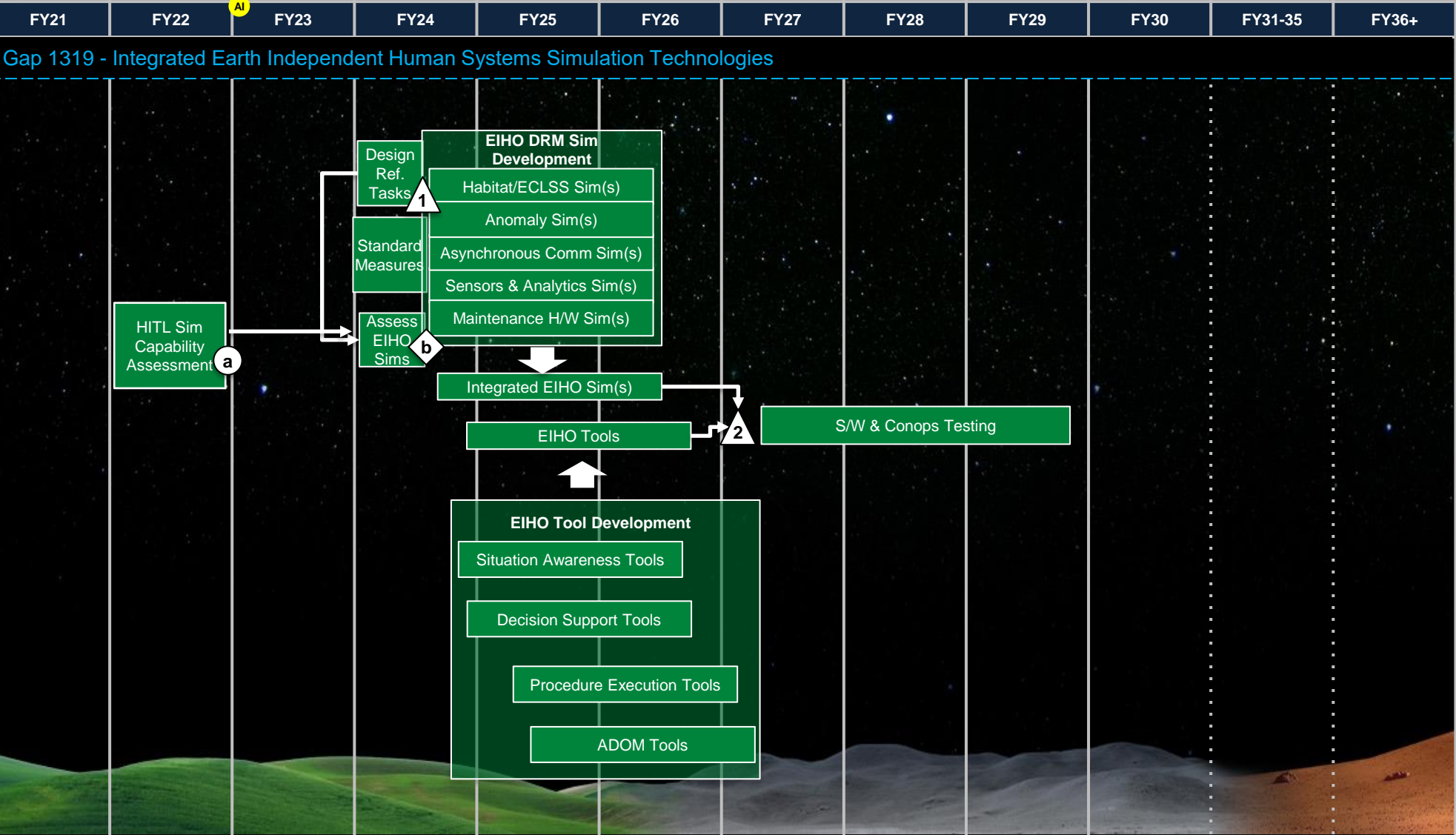
1. Simulation Requirements
2. Decide whether or not to build new simulation capability and decide what characteristics the sim needs to have.
3. EIHO Tool Development Recommendations
4. Set of EIHO tools deliverables
5. Application into flight program. This needs to be done by element PDR.
6. Validated application. This activity can be performed through the analog missions, must be done before flight certification for Mars mission.





EARTH INDEPENDENT HUMAN OPERATIONS (2 of 8)

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



Gap 1319

Deliverables

1. Simulation Requirements

2. EIHO Tool Development Recommendations

Decision Points/Comments

a. EIHO Human-in-the-Loop (HITL) Recommendations – need to be complete as early as possible because other EIHO tool development will depend on sim/analog capability.

b. Decide whether or not to build new simulation capability and decide what characteristics the sim needs to have.

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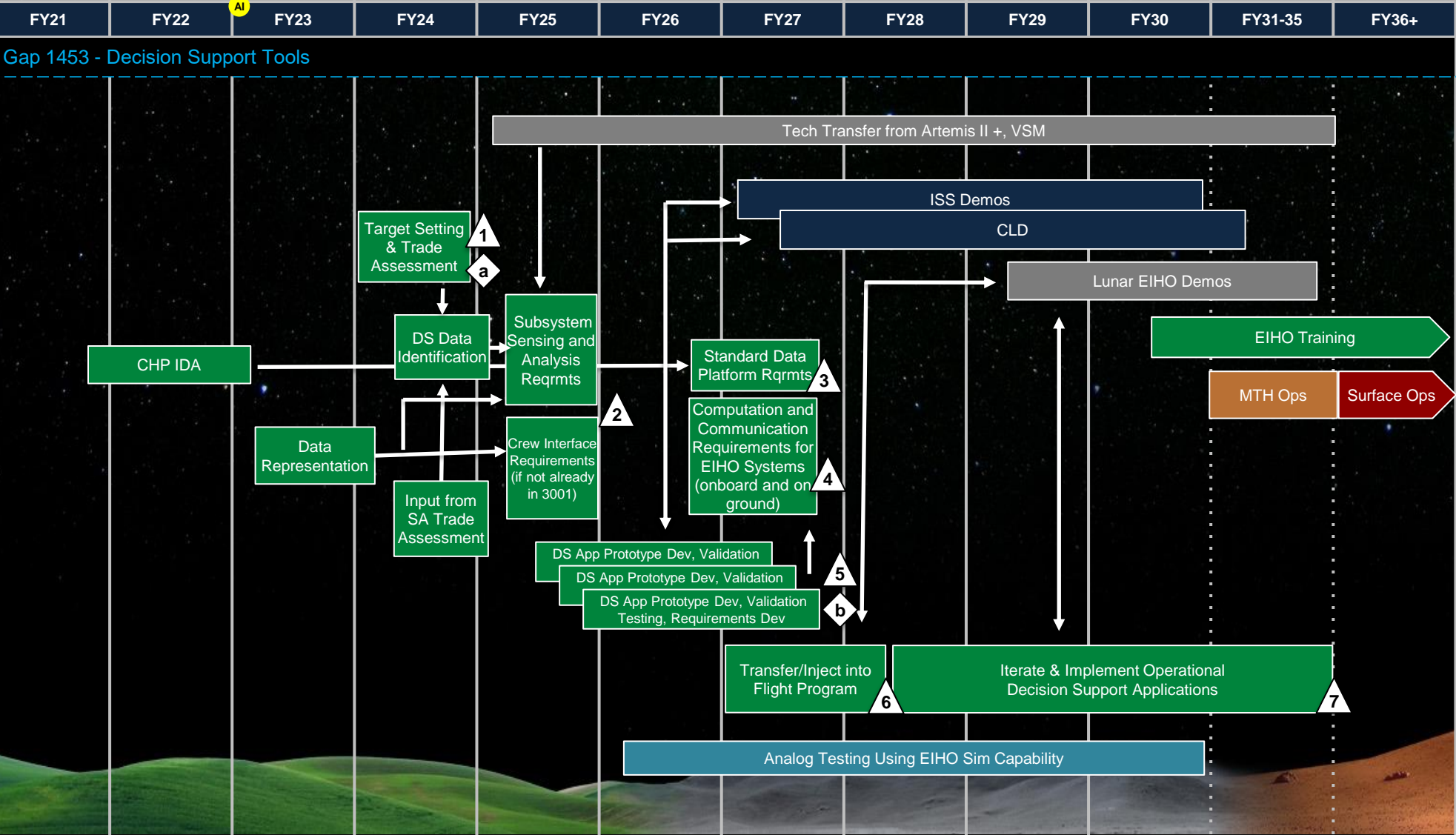






EARTH INDEPENDENT HUMAN OPERATIONS (4 of 8)

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**Gap 1453**

**Deliverables**

1. Risk-informed targets for instrumentation and sensing for all subsystems identified as insufficient.
2. Functional and performance requirements for subsystems and technologies.
3. Standard data platform requirements
4. Computation & communication requirements. Onboard computation needs definition for network options and rad tolerance for LOC/LOM critical decision support.
5. A set of applications, rated with respect prototype decision support requirements.
6. Decision support application. This needs to be done by element PDR.
7. Validated decision support application. This activity can be performed through the analog missions, must be done before flight certification for Mars mission.

**Decision Points/Comments**

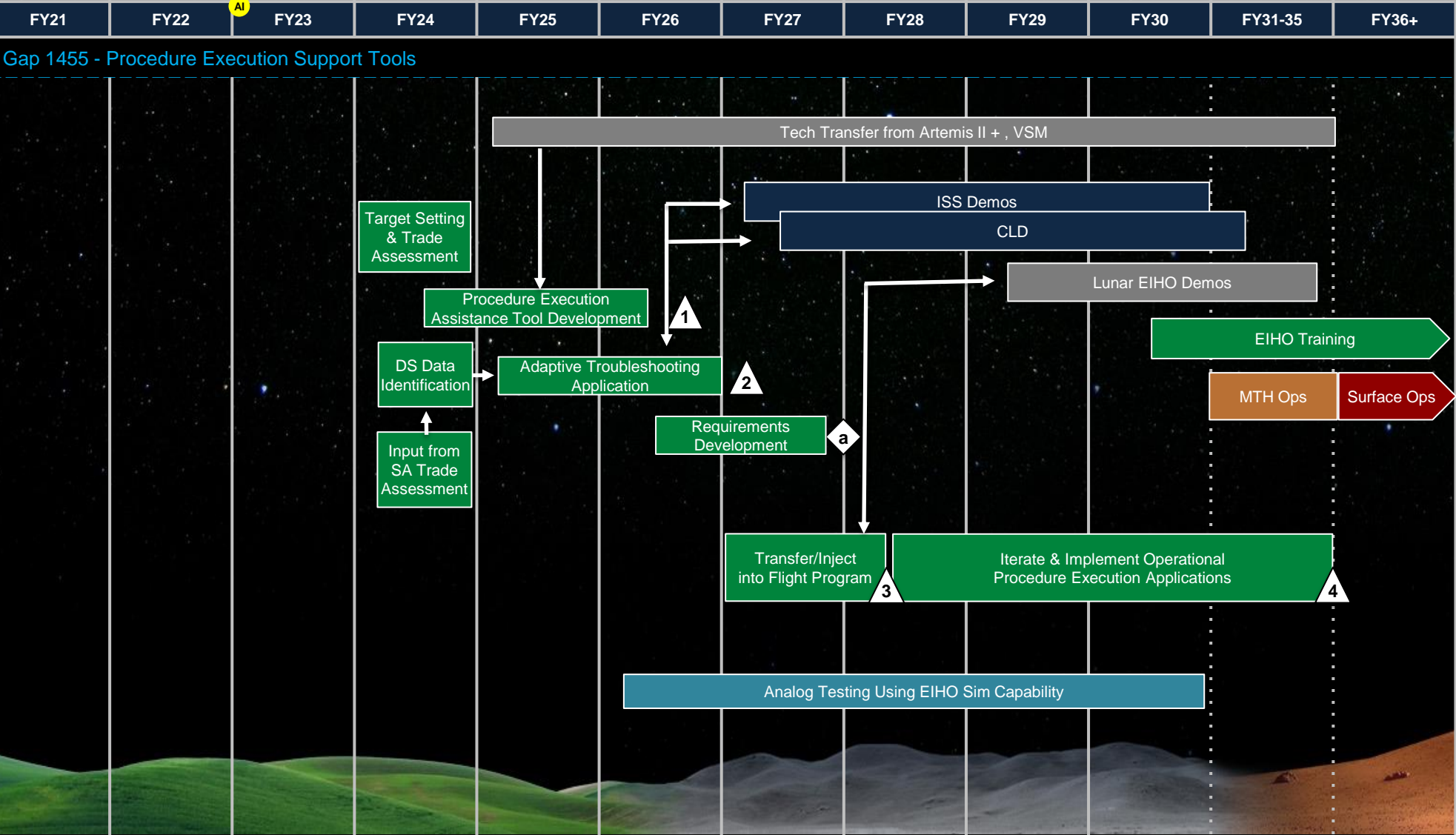
- a. Decide whether to accept targets and fund additional development or whether to accept the risk from lack of independence.
- b. Based on results, identify best-in-class decision support approach and carry forward. Includes any new sensor development or maturation.

Please see the [Spacesuit Physiology](#), [Crew Health Countermeasures](#), and [Exploration Medical](#) roadmaps for other CHP decision support tools.



EARTH INDEPENDENT HUMAN OPERATIONS (5 of 8)

TIMELINE NOTIONAL



**Gap 1455**

**Deliverables**

1. Nominal procedure execution support tool.
2. Troubleshooting and procedure generation capability validation on Artemis surface missions.
3. Procedure execution support tools for nominal operations and adaptive troubleshooting.
4. Validated procedure execution support tools. This activity can be performed through the analog missions, must be done before flight certification for Mars mission.

**Decision Points/Comments**

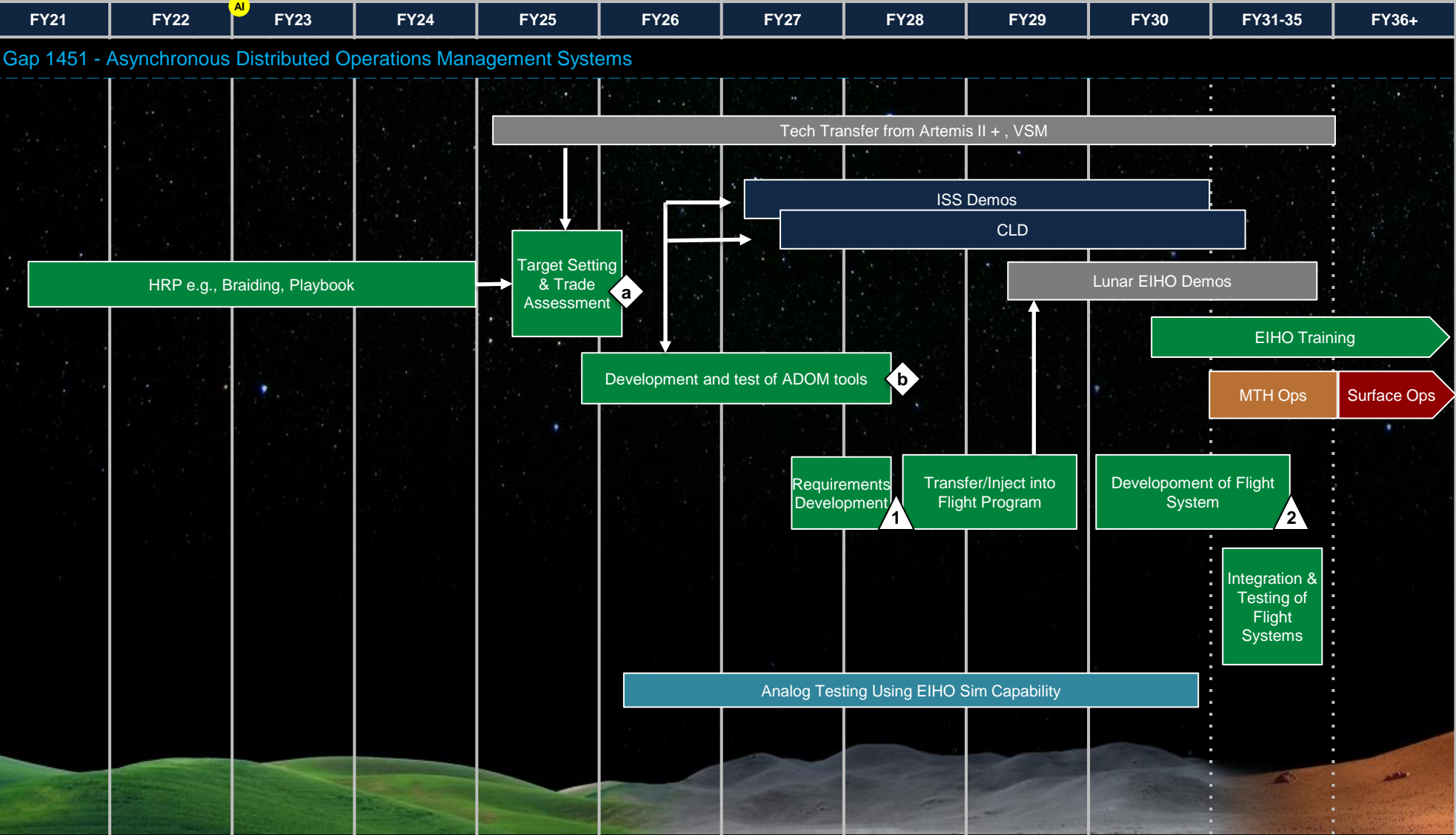
a. Decide on either flight test of procedure execution support tools or accepting the risk of low TRL for procedure execution support.





EARTH INDEPENDENT HUMAN OPERATIONS (6 of 8)

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**Gap 1451**

**Deliverables**

- Requirements for Asynchronous Distributed Operations Management (ADOM) solution.
- ADOM solution injection or infusion plan.

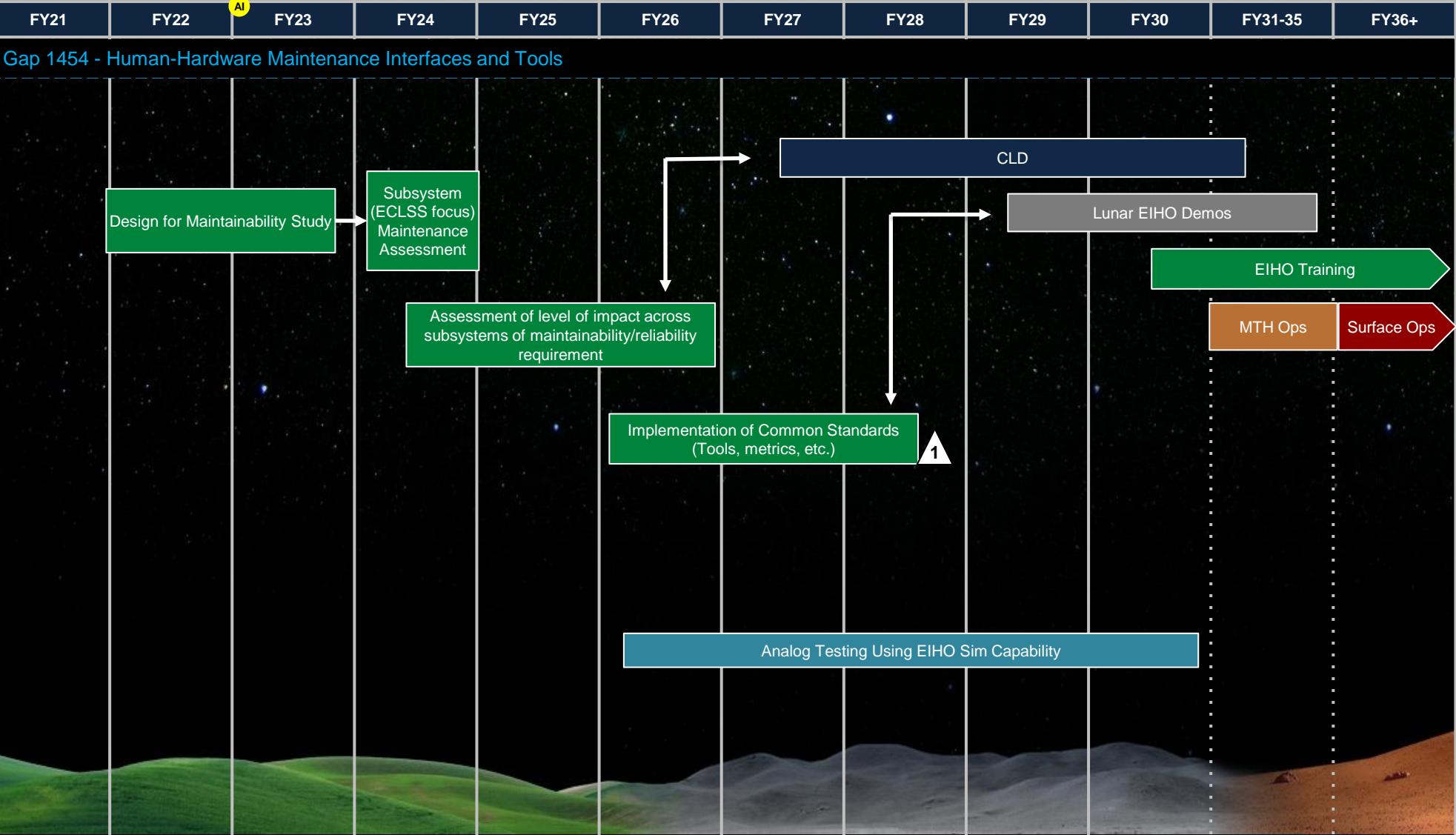
**Decision Points/Comments**

- Seek management approval for either the recommended approach(es) or for funding to develop a new solution.
- Seek management approval for the downselect.



EARTH INDEPENDENT HUMAN OPERATIONS (7 of 8)

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**Gap 1454**

**Deliverables**

1. Implementation of common standards set across Mars Transit Habitat element.





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