

# HABEX PLAN AND SCHEDULE

# **HabEx Study Plan**



- Plan is currently in flux due to addition of second concept
  - Re-plan will occur before the end of the calendar year

### Progress

- Settled telescope aperture question
- Determined the general astrophysics instrument candidates
- Settled 4m telescope F#
- Completed first-cut designs on the two general astrophysics instruments

### Key Future Tasks

- Beginning 4m architecture trades now. Settle 4m architecture at March STDT meeting.
- 4m telescope detail design will run until about January.
- STDT will decide on the general astrophysics instrument hopefully by EOY.
- Starshade sizing (and bandpass and IWA) will be settled by January.
- Team X mission session will happen after architecture is settled.
- Structural and thermal analyses of both the starshade and telescope spacecraft will occur in the spring
- 6.5m architecture trade will begin at the next face-to-face meeting and will be finalized by the spring meeting.



#### HabEx: Habitable Exoplanet Imaging Mission Study

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