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Planetary Exploration in a Coming Decade Activity: Suggestions from the 2nd-stage committee to proposals

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Japanese Planetary Science Society started "Planetary Exploration in a Coming Decade" activity in 2010 aiming to organize a new mission to be launched between 2017 and 2027. The second stage of the activity accepted 13 proposals last December. Among them, 8 groups aim new missions, and 5 groups proposes new instruments. The 2nd-stage committee members reviewed each proposal to return comments to improve the proposals from scientific views. We briefly report outline of the discussions held among the committee members.

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