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Future Innovations in Gamma rays Science Analysis Group

Astrophysical gamma rays span ten orders of magnitude in energy and capture key physics from a broad range of astrophysical phenomena. This SAG will explore gamma-ray science priorities, necessary capabilities, new technologies, and theory/modeling needs drawing on the 2020 Decadal to inspire work toward 2040.

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FIG SAG Terms of Reference

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- Gamma-ray Science Priorities: Identify opportunities uniquely afforded by gamma-ray observations.
- 2. Gamma-ray Mission Capabilities: Which science objectives are only done or best done by space-based gamma-ray missions, considering the current missions in extended operation and funded missions in development.
- **3. Technology Investment:** What new technologies/methodologies exist and what is needed to achieve the science priorities.
- **4.** Theory and Analysis Needs: What advances do we need to make in theory and analysis to achieve the science priorities.
- **5. Synergies with Other Programs:** How do these goals tie to the broader astrophysics and physics community. What are the timelines to align with current priorities in multi-messenger astronomy.

FIG SAG Timeline

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Presented to the Astrophysics Advisory Committee (APAC) on Oct 19 for the SAG formation approval.



Inputs wanted from gamma-ray, high-energy, and multimessenger communities.

Please fill out the contact form for future announcements and discussion forum.

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