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- Science Satellite Operation & Data Archive
- Lunar & Planetary Exploration Data Analysis Group
- Astromaterials Science Research Group
- Deep Space Tracking Technology Group