

## Future and International Collaboration of Subaru Telescope

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## Subaru Telescope and Its Instruments



## Subaru Telescope



- 8.2m optical infrared reflecting telescope operated by National Astronomical Observatory of Japan (NAOJ), National Institutes of Natural Sciences (NINS)
- ♦ Science operation: 2000 present







## Subaru has four foci





 Wide field observation capability using the prime focus is a unique point of Subaru.

2020/1/16



## Subaru has wide field observation capability



M31 image taken with HSC

### Field-of-view of Hyper Suprime-Cam of Subaru

9 times as large as the apparent size of the moon

Field-of-view of TMT

Field-of-view of Prime Focus Spectrograph

> Field-of-view of Keck DEIMOS 2020/1/16



## Instrument Suit of Subaru



#### ♦ facility instruments

- ♦ Optical wide field camera: HSC [Pr]
- ♦ Optical camera and spectrograph: FOCAS [Cs]
- ♦ Optical high dispersion spectrograph: HDS [Ns]
- ♦ Near-infrared multi-object spectrograph: MOIRCS [Cs]
- ♦ Near-infrared camera and spectrograph: IRCS [Ns]
- ♦ Mid-infrared camera and spectrograph: COMICS [Cs]
- ♦ visiting instruments (PI-type)
  - Near-infrared high-dispersion spectrograph: IRD [Coude]
  - Coronagraphic High Angular Resolution Imaging Spectrograph (CHARIS) [Ns]
     [Ns]
  - ♦ Extreme adaptive optics: SCExAO [Ns]
- $\diamond$  adaptive optics
  - ♦ Adaptive optics system: AO188 [Ns]





## Hyper Suprime-Cam (HSC)





FOV: 1.7 degree<sup>2</sup> 104 CCDs → 830 million pixels Pixel scale: 0.17 arcsec Wavelength range: 0.4 – 1.0 µm



## Employees of Subaru Telescope in Hawaii (88 employees) (+ 26 in Mitaka)







## Subaru Strategic Programs

- Exceptionally large project using unique/expedient instruments of Subaru Telescope
- ♦ HSC SSP (2014 2020) 300+30 nights ongoing

### IRD SSP (2019 - 2025) 70 (+100) nights ongoing

 Search for Planets like Earth around Late-M Dwarfs: Precise Radial Velocity Survey with IRD"

♦ PFS SSP (2022 - 2027?) 300 - 360 nights in preparation

♦ Large international PFS collaboration



## Number of Publications







## Instrumentation of Subaru



12

### Subaru Instrumentation



Wide field (1.3 deg) multi object (2,400) spectroscopy



Precise radial velocity  $(2m/s)^{2020/1/16}$  measurement



Wide field (1.5 deg)



AA Available volume (25.00) (25.00) (27.22 (25.0) (

ULTIMATE-Subaru Wide field (20 arcmin) high spatial resolution (0.2 arcsec) Infrared observation



## New Instrument



IRD (InfraRed Doppler spectrograph)

- ♦ A fiber fed high-dispersion (R=70,000) NIR spectrograph with laser frequency comb → precision of radial velocity measurement ~2 m/s in H-band
- Detection of earth-like mass planets around M-dwarfs
- ♦ Science operation started in S18B.
- ♦ SSP started in S19A.





**PFS** (Prime Focus Spectrograph)



(under development; science operation from 2022)

## A fiber fed multi-object spectrograph attached to the prime focus of Subaru

2,400 fibers FOV: 1.25 deg<sup>2</sup>  $\lambda$  range: 0.38 – 1.26  $\mu$ m Spec. R: 2,300 – 5,000

#### Sensitivity

Band magnitude		
Blue (0.38 – 0.65 μm)	22.5	
Red (0.65 – 0.97 µm)	22.4	
NIR (0.97 – 1.26 μm)	21.4	

S/N = 5 @ 1 hour exposure









### PFS collaboration 7 countries, 23 institutions





- Systems engineering is clearly the key.
- Parts/components/subsystem will be validated at each site before their delivery tooother places for higher-level integration & finally to Subaru.



## PFS Installation Timeline







## ULTIMATE-Subaru

### (preliminary design phase)



Wide field near-infrared observation facility using ground layer adaptive optics (GLAO) system

Science Operation: 2026

International Collab.: Taiwan (ASIAA), Australia (ANU), (Canada (NCU))

> Wide Field Nearinfrared Instruments





### ULTIMATE-Subaru High-Res "AND" Wide-Field NIR Capabilities



ULTIMATE-Subaru will deliver:

- Subaru's original High-redshift targets to follow-up with TMT
- Spatially-resolved studies of the objects found by HSC/PFS
- **SDSS-like** comprehensive imaging/spec. survey for **high-redshift universe** (z>2).
- Synergy with the future surveys by wide-field space missions (good synergy with WFIRST)

## Subaru wide-field capabilities in 2020s

HSC (operational)	Optical (0.38 – 1.1 um) FoV 1.7 deg2	Seeing limited (> 0.4") Imager	Limiting mag. with 1h exp.	Band g r i z	mag 27.8 27.2 26.5 25.9
PFS (2022 -)	Optical – J-band (0.38 – 1.26 um) FoV 1.3 deg2	2,400 fibers 1.05" φ Multi-object sp. 0.38 – 1.26 um	Limiting mag. with 1h exp. Band     mag       Blue (0.38 - 0.65 $\mu$ m)     22.5       Red (0.65 - 0.97 $\mu$ m)     22.4       NIR (0.97 - 1.26 $\mu$ m)     21.4		
ULTIMATE (2026 -)	Near-Infrared (0.9 – 2.5 um) FoV 20' φ	GLAO supported 0.2" resolution (in K-band) Imager (14'x14') Multi-object sp. (w/ MOIRCS) IFU sp.	Limiting mag. using GLAO with 4h exp.	Band J H Ks NB1340	mag 26.3 25.5 26.4 26.1



## International Collaboration

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# International collaboration on Subaru instrumentation

- Several collaborations on instrumentation
  - ♦ SCExAO : Japan, US, Australia, etc.
  - ♦ HSC : Japan, US, and Taiwan
  - ♦ PFS : Japan, US, France, Taiwan, Brazil, Germany, and China
  - ♦ IRD : Japan, US, Canada, Poland, Sweden, and Germany
  - & ULTIMATE : Japan, Taiwan, Australia, and Canada





## International Partnership

- It is getting more difficult for Subaru to financially sustain its operation even though the scientific value of the telescope is still very high.
  - ♦ It is required for Subaru to make its operation cost lower.
  - ♦ Japanese government has been asking Subaru to look for international partners who can operate the telescope together.
  - ♦ Discussions on international partnership with partner candidate coutries are under way.
  - ♦ Partner candidates:

### **⊗India**

- ♦ East Asian Observatories



## Subaru – India Meeting on International Partnership 9/9 – 10 @Bangalore, India





Agenda:

- Subaru Telescope Facility (Yoshida)
- HSC and ongoing planned projects at Subaru (Miyazaki)
- PFS, ULTIMATE, and instrument decommissioning plan (Yoshida & Miyazaki)
- Subaru Partnership (Sekiguchi)
- Discussion on plan & time scales from Indian side
- Discussion on the Subaru meeting @ TIFR in December 2019









- ♦ Dec. 18 20 @ Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR), Mumbai, India
- ♦ About 75 people participated in the workshop
- Subaru India partnership, Indian instrumentation for Subaru : Executive session between NAOJ representatives (DG, Sekiguchi, Miyazaki, Minowa, and Yoshida) and Directors of Indian astronomical institutions (8 institutes) was held.
- Science cases: cosmology, galaxy formation, nearby galaxies, Milky<sup>2</sup><sup>1</sup> dy<sup>6</sup>,<sup>6</sup> time<sup>27</sup> domain, star & planet formation, exoplanets, Solar system





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