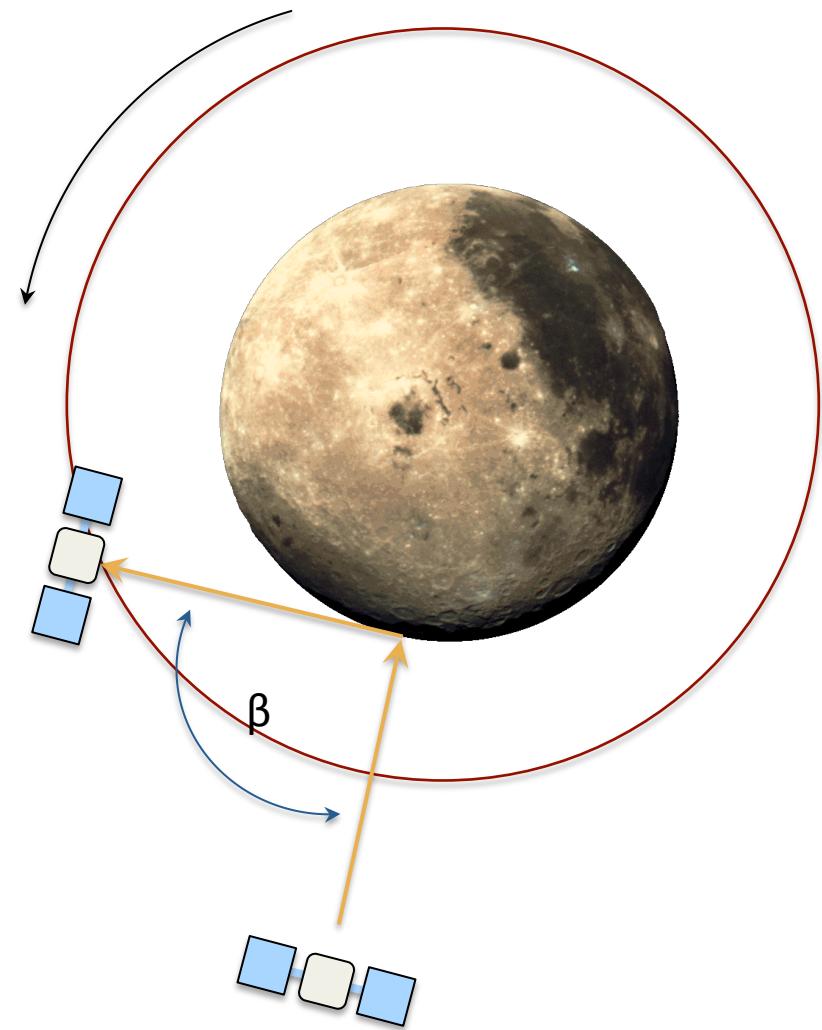
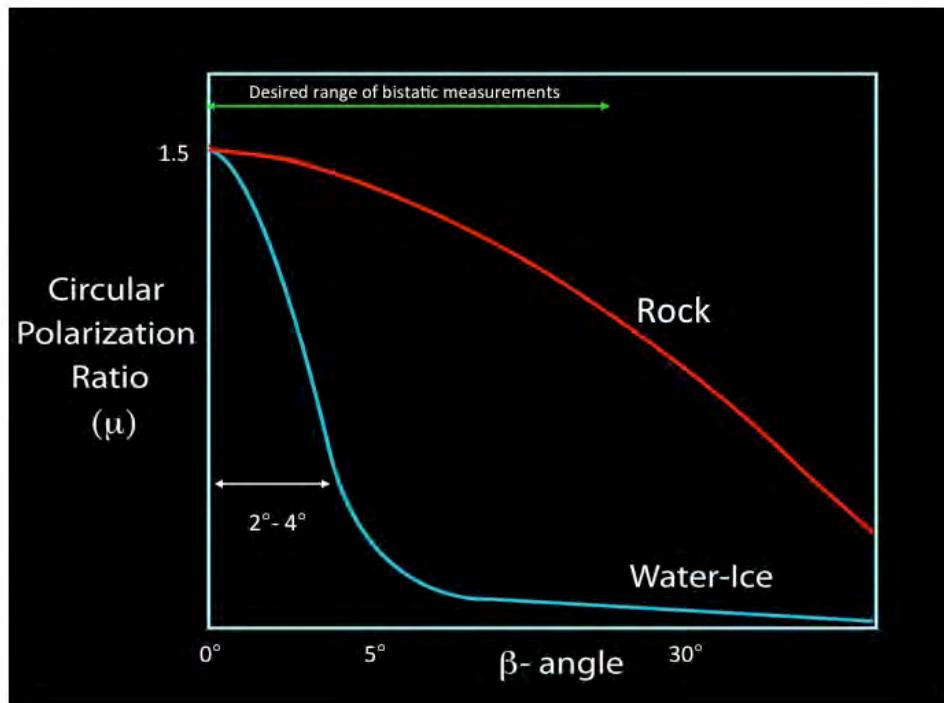
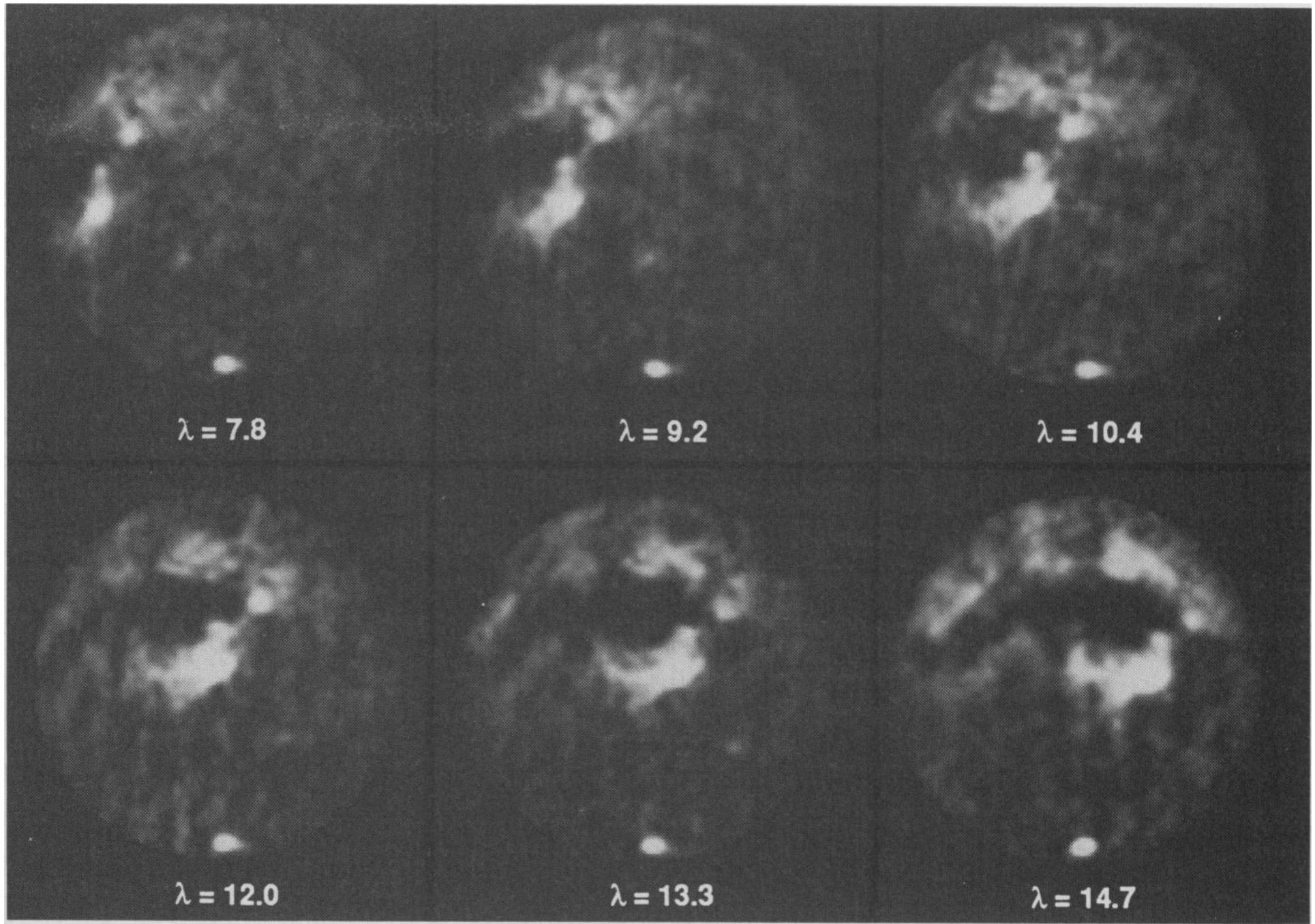


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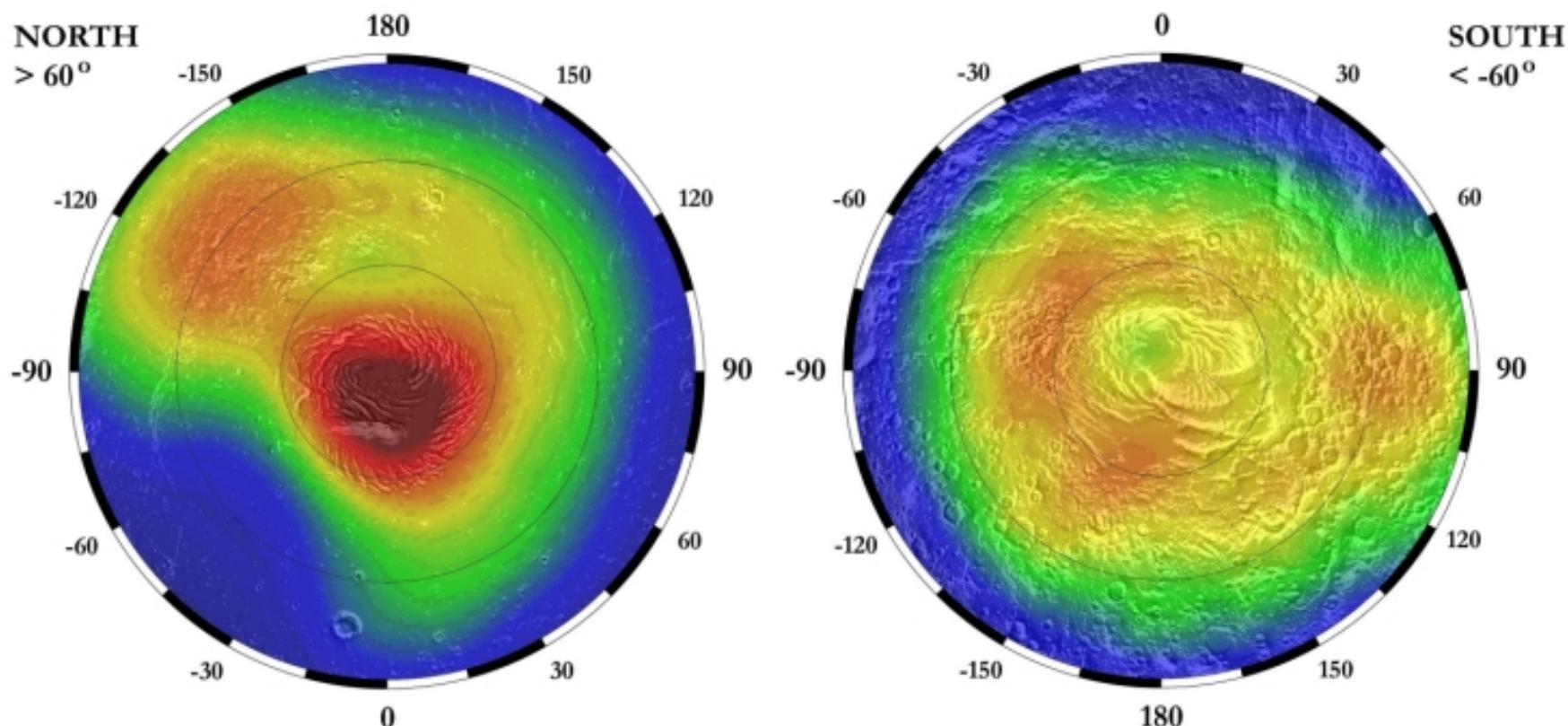
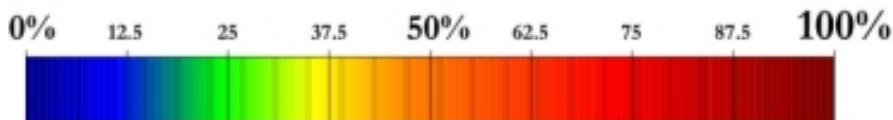
- 1. Two bistatic radars (orbital)**
  - Distinguish nearly pure ice from rocks
- 2. Ground penetrating radar (rover)**
  - Detect depth to ice layer(s)
- 3. P-Band (70 cm) radar (orbital)**
  - Search for deeper deposits of ice

# Bistatic radars:





## Water Equivalent Hydrogen Abundance



**Distribution of Water on Mars:** Overlay of water equivalent hydrogen abundances and a shaded relief map derived from MOLA topography. Mass percents of water were determined from epithermal neutron counting rates using the Neutron Spectrometer aboard Mars Odyssey between Feb. 2002 and Apr. 2003.

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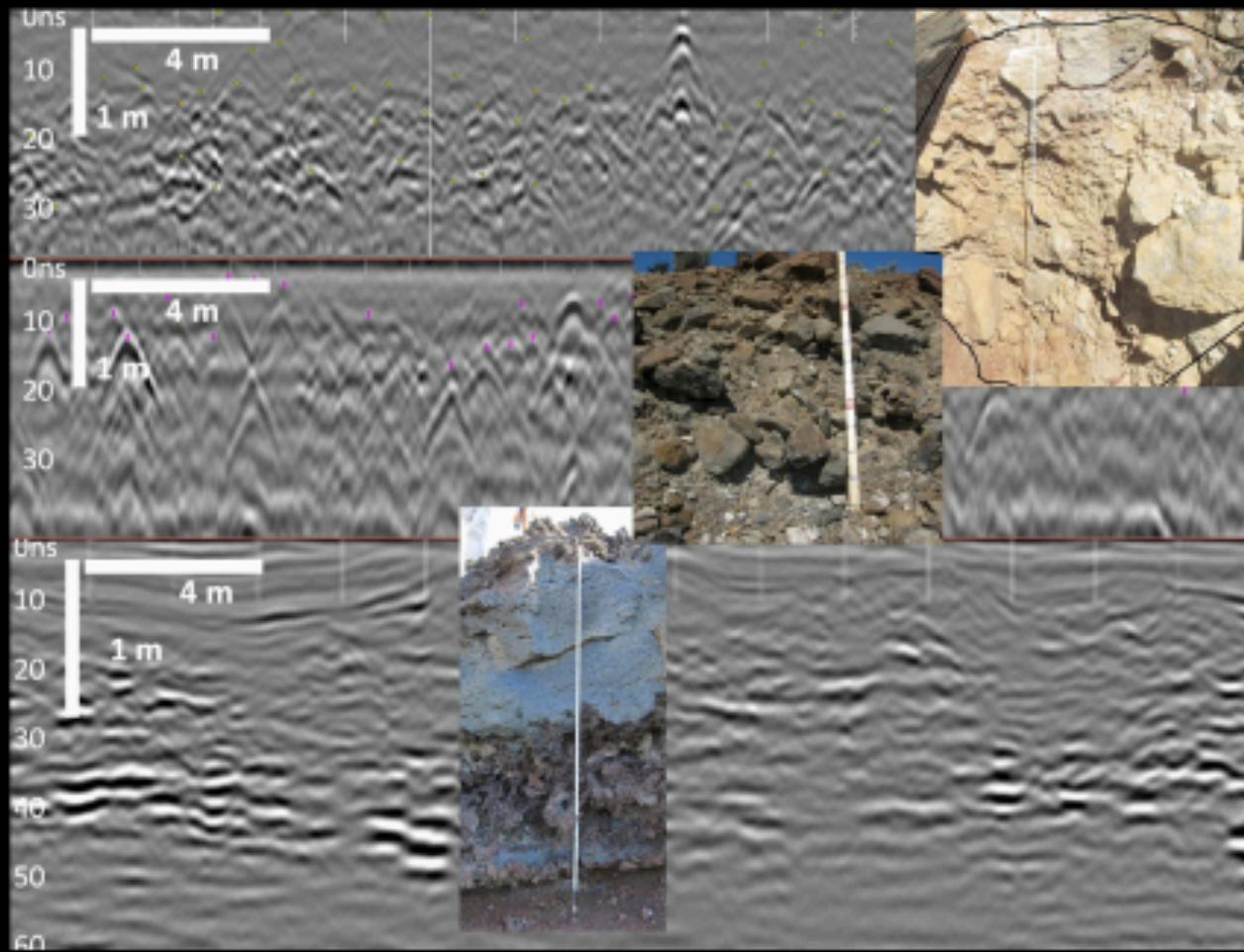


# Ground penetrating radar:

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## Comparing GPR Signatures from Different Environments

Efforts like those shown on Previous Page Can Quantify Visually Different Signatures for Multiple Environments, Thereby Allowing them to be Distinguished Using GPR



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Sunset Crater,  
Aa flow

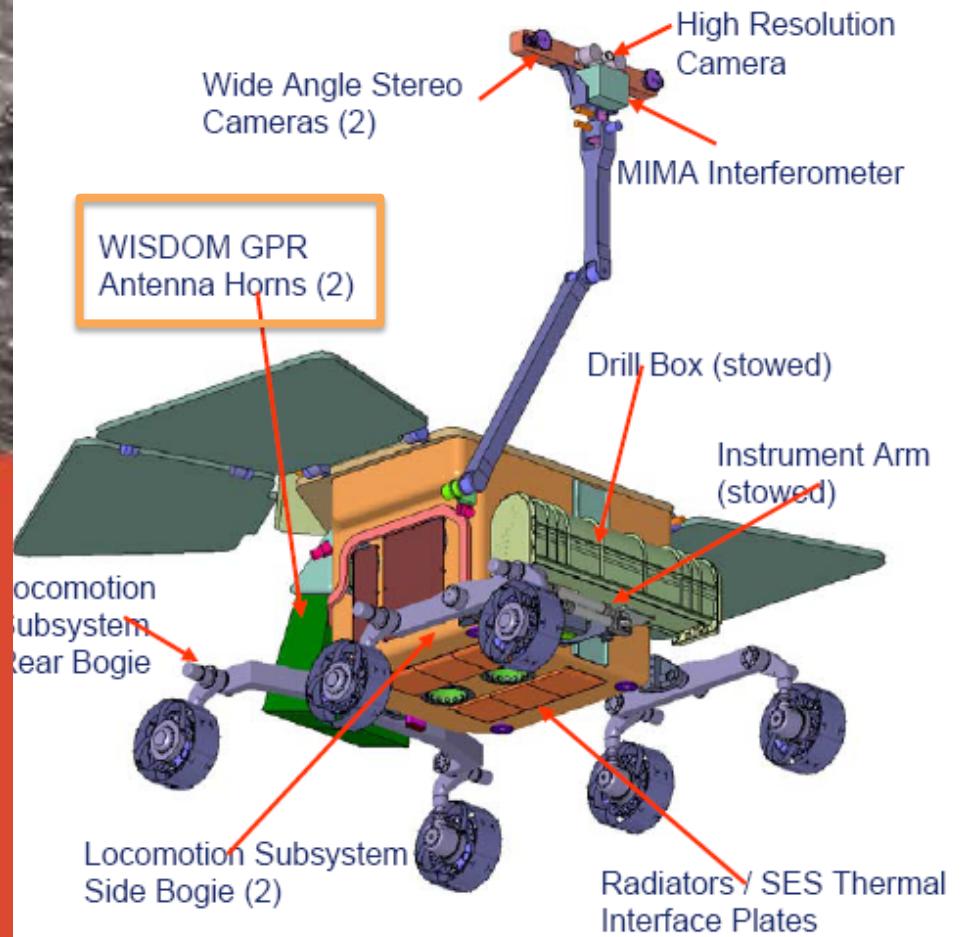
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# P-Band radar:

