

# NASA's ROLE IN EXPLORATION

## *NASA has five Mission Directorates:*

- Aeronautics Research (Air transportation system)
- Space Technology
- Space Operations (Human spaceflight activities near LEO (ISS, commercial))
- Exploration Systems Development (Artemis Moon & Moon-to-Mars programs)
- Science

## *NASA's Science Mission Directorate splits the Cosmos into five Divisions:*

- Heliophysics (The Sun)
- Earth Science
- Planetary Science
- Astrophysics (Everything outside the Solar System)
- Biological and Physical Sciences