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- 7732 12 **Design of a 3-stage ADR for the soft x-ray spectrometer instrument on the ASTRO-H mission [7732-37]**
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- 7732 14 **Hard x-ray telescope to be onboard ASTRO-H [7732-39]**
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7732 16 **Soft gamma-ray detector for the ASTRO-H Mission [7732-41]**

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7732 1H **The x-ray microcalorimeter spectrometer onboard of IXO [7732-52]**
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7732 1J **Critical-angle transmission grating spectrometer for high-resolution soft x-ray spectroscopy on the International X-ray Observatory** [7732-54]

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7732 1L **The hard x-ray imager onboard IXO** [7732-56]
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