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Metrics and Prioritization

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Implementing Science Priorities

- Process Under Development
 - Initial Selection is based on Scientific Merit, technology application or commercial value and driven by Code U strategic plan
 - NRAs require PI to include explanation of how proposed research fits within NASA's newly developed Decision Rules
 - A subset of investigations directly support the research roadmap
 - Division Directors identify meritorious flight research they want to bring forward to the ISS Program Scientist (eventually should include other Codes and International Partners)
 - Decision Rules applied at the tactical level, beginning 30 months prior to the start of the OZ manifesting period
 - ReMAP Priorities are not modified and considered with Decision Rules
 - ISS Program Scientist establishes integrated, prioritized list of flight research
 - Decision Rules initially applied only to Code U
 - Preset allocations are used for Other Codes/IPs
 - Investigations are scored according to decision rules, with the lowest score being the highest priority
 - A means to statistically validate the Return Priority Tool is under investigation















