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ASTRO-H Hard X-ray Telescope (HXT) [9144-77]

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- 9144 2E **Science requirements and optimization of the silicon pore optics design for the ATHENA mirror [9144-85]**
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- 9144 2F **Preparing the optics technology to observe the hot universe (Invited Paper) [9144-86]**
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- 9144 2G **Making the ATHENA optics using silicon pore optics [9144-87]**
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- 9144 2H **Qualification of silicon pore optics [9144-88]**
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- 9144 2J **The wide field imager instrument for ATHENA (Invited Paper) [9144-90]**
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