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**Hubble and Astronomy Web sites:**

NASA/Hubble (http://hubble.nasa.gov)
Hubblesite (http://hubblesite.org)
Astronomy (http://www.astronomy.com)
Astronomy Now Online (http://www.astronomynow.com)
Science News (http://www.sciencenews.org)
Sky and Telescope (http://www.skyandtelescope.com)

We suggest that readers look up any technical terms at http://hubblesite.org/reference_desk/glossary.
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