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Solar system bodies which are not included in the "[Choose a Solar System object?](#)" drop-down list in the Field Setup section of a Science Goal can be specified using the '[Ephemeris](#)' option in the same list. This lets you [load a JPL Horizons file as the ephemeris](#). Please see the 'Create an External Ephemeris' section of the OT User Manual available from the [Science Portal under 'Documents & Tools'](#) for more details on the exact format to be used.