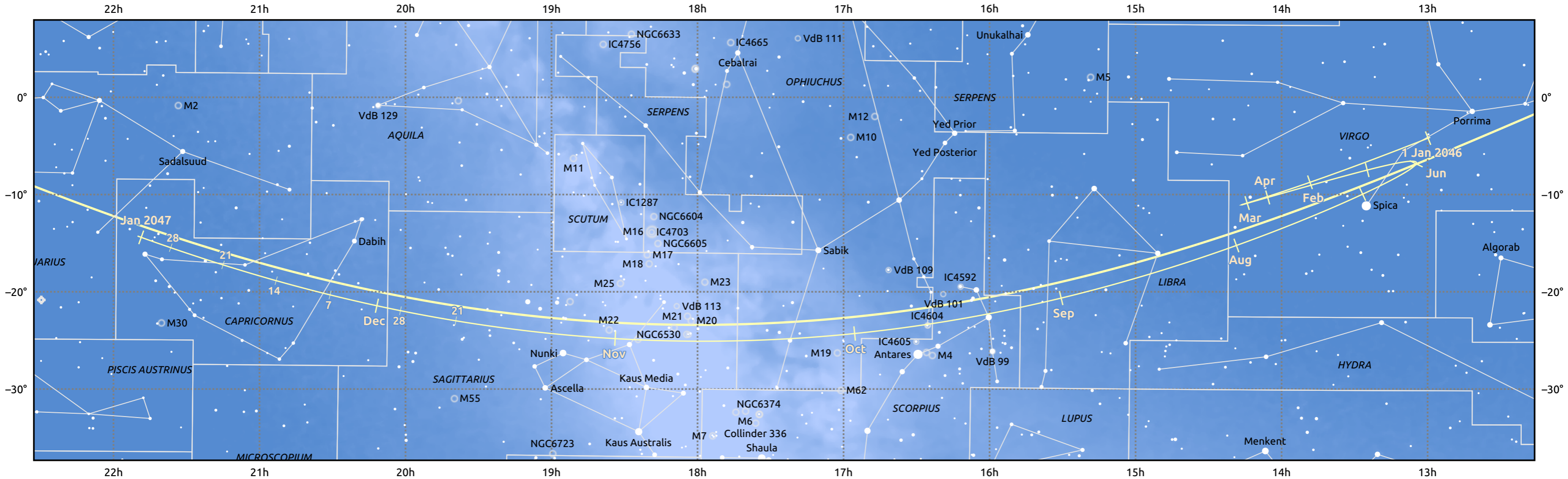


# The path of Mars in 2026



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Magnitude scale: • 6.0 • 5.0 • 4.0 • 3.0 • 2.0 ● 1.0

— Ecliptic Plane

Galaxy Bright nebula Open cluster Globular cluster Planetary nebula

Date	Mag	Phase	Angular size
2026 Jan 1	1.0	90%	6.5"
2026 Feb 20	-0.0	92%	9.9"
2026 Mar 27	-1.0	98%	13.8"
2026 Apr 1	-1.2	99%	14.4"
2026 Jul 1	-0.2	88%	10.5"
2026 Jul 13	-0.0	87%	9.7"
2026 Oct 1	0.7	88%	6.5"
2026 Dec 7	1.0	92%	5.3"
2027 Jan 1	1.1	93%	4.9"