

# Jupiter Europa Orbiter Status and Plans

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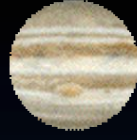
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Jupiter Europa Orbiter

The NASA Element of the Europa Jupiter System Mission

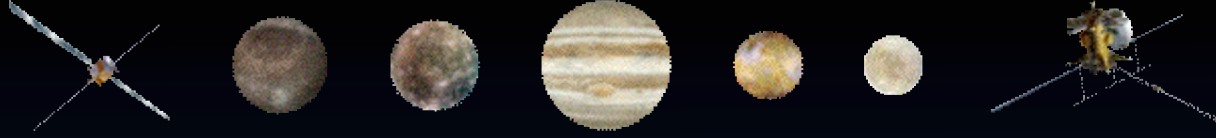
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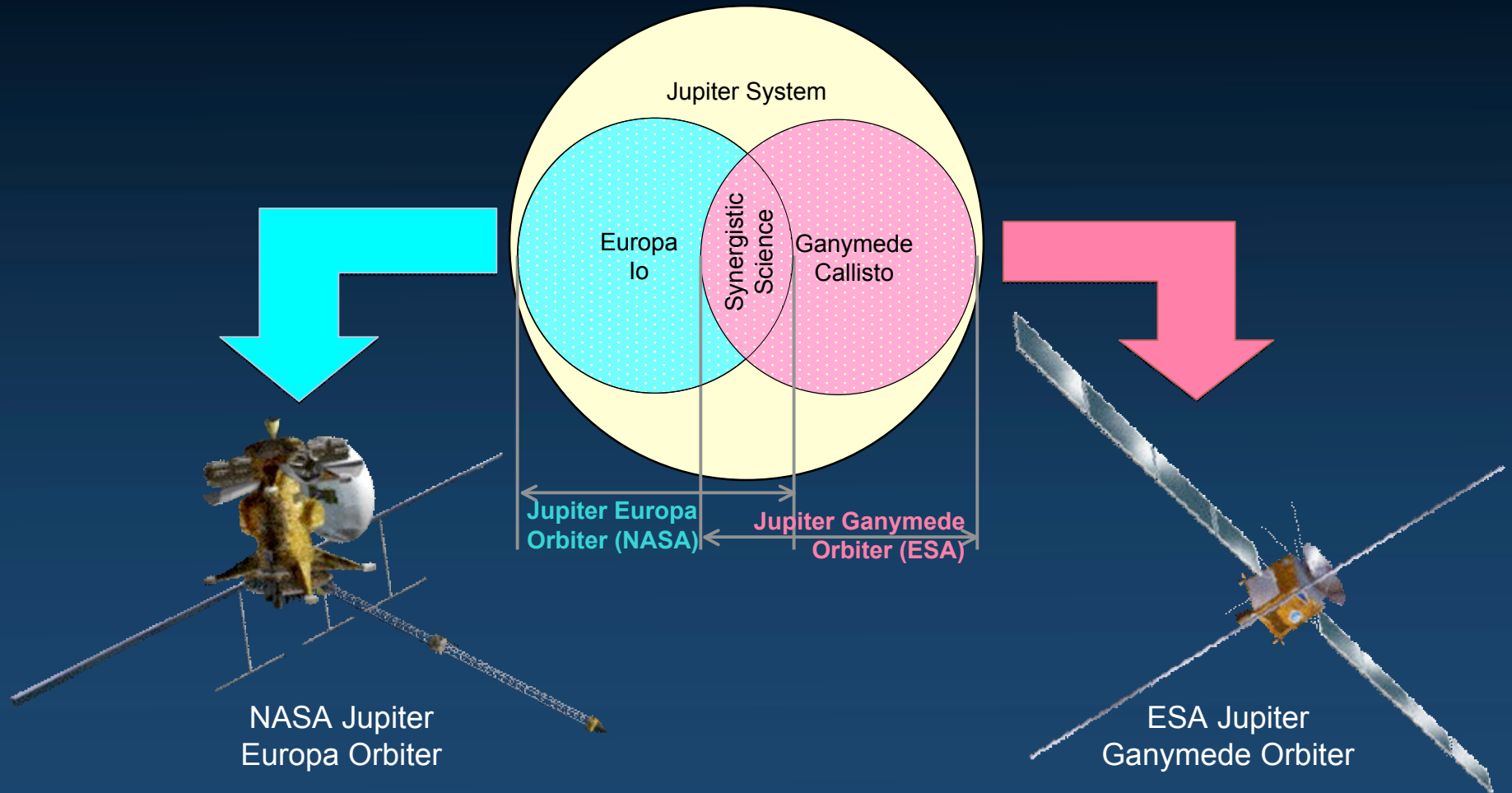


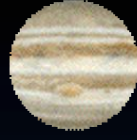
# Study Timeline

- Study Report issued Nov. 2, 2008
  - Public version at [www.opfm.jpl.nasa.gov](http://www.opfm.jpl.nasa.gov)
- STMC Review Site Visit on Dec. 11, 2008
- Prioritization announced Feb 18, 2009
- Teams debriefed Feb. 23, 2009
- Risk Mitigation Activity On-going
  - Products posted on website
  - Limited 2009 funding focused on July workshop
- Instrument Workshop on July 15-17, 2009
  - Focus was on radiation and planetary protection project work and challenges
  - All presentations available on website



# EJSM Concept Decomposition

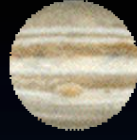




# JEO Baseline Mission Overview

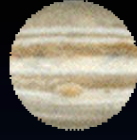
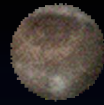
- NASA-led portion of EJSM extensively studied in 2007–2008
- Objectives: Jupiter System, Europa
- Launch vehicle: Atlas V 551
- Power source: 5 MMRTG or 5 ASRG
- Mission timeline:
  - Launch: 2018 to 2022, nominally 2020
    - Uses 6-year Venus-Earth-Earth gravity assist trajectory
  - Jovian system tour phase: 30 months
    - Multiple satellite flybys: 4 Io, 6 Ganymede, 6 Europa, and 9 Callisto
  - Europa orbital phase: 9 months
  - End of prime mission: 2029
  - Spacecraft final disposition: Europa surface impact
- 11 Instruments, including radio science
- Optimized for science, cost, and risk
- Radiation dose: 2.9 Mrad (behind 100 mils of Al)
  - Handled using a combination of rad-hard parts and tailored component shielding
  - Key rad-hard parts are available, with the required heritage
  - Team is developing and providing design information and approved parts list for prospective suppliers of components, including instruments



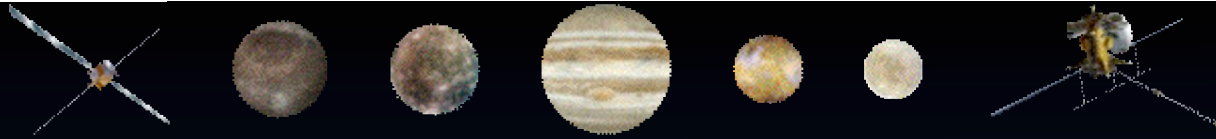


# Significant STMC Findings

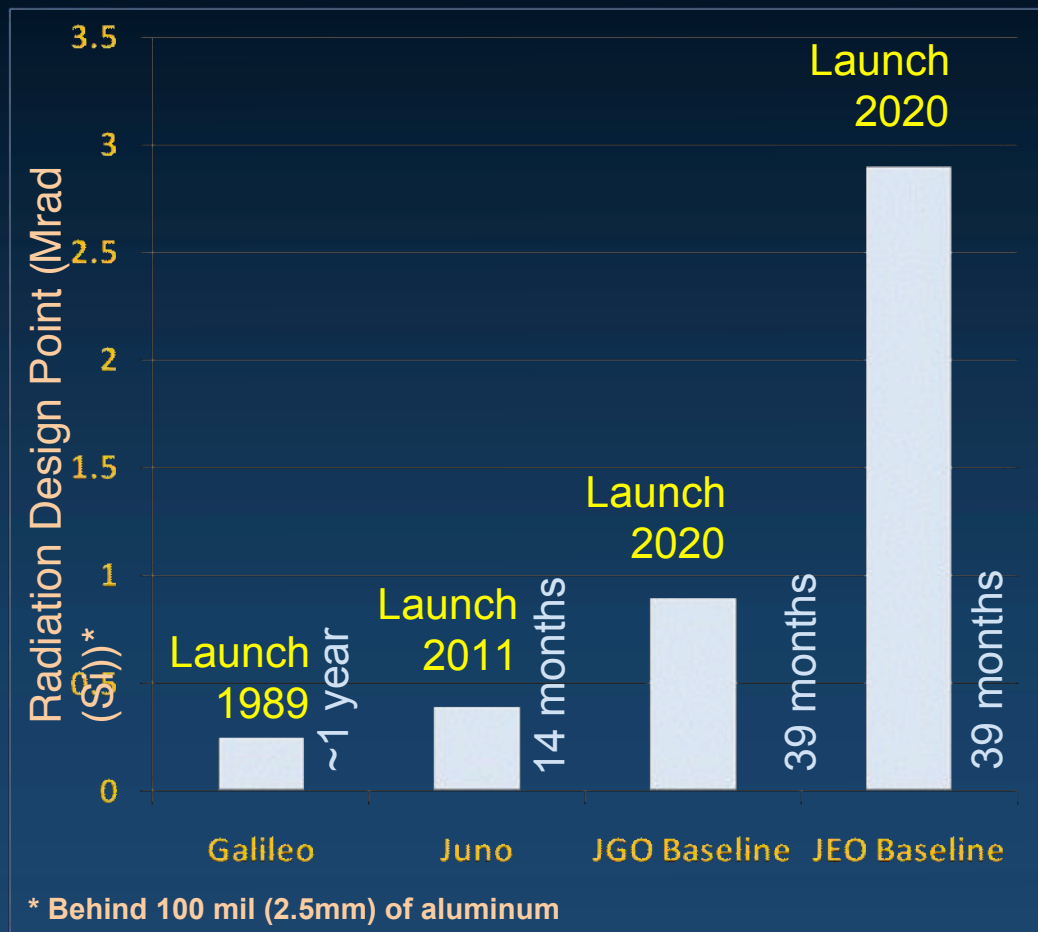
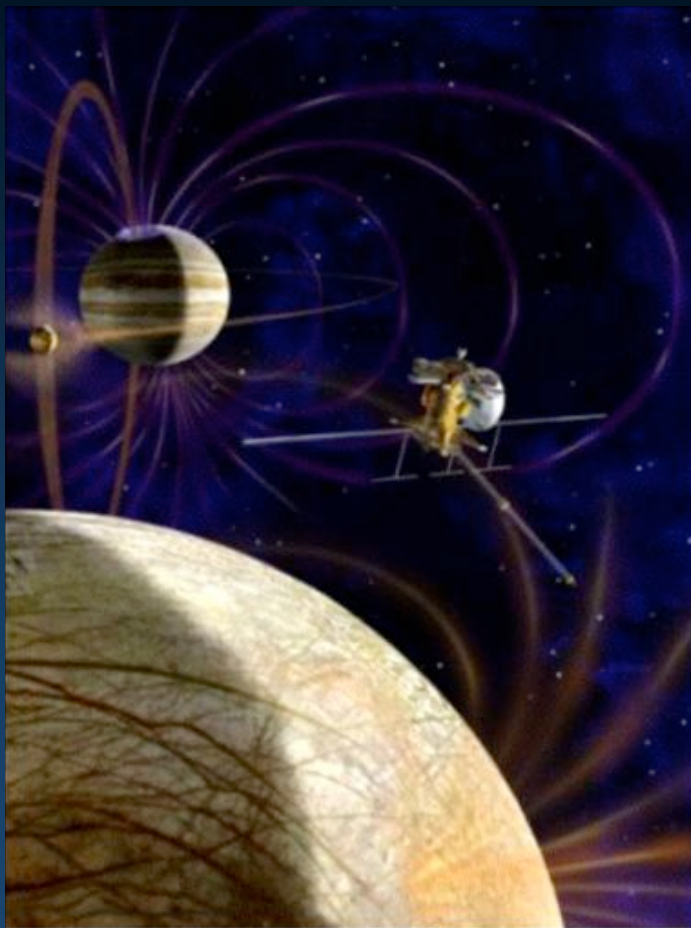
- Form A - Science rated *excellent*
  - Looked at both EJSM and JEO-only science
- Form B – Science Implementation rated *Low Risk*
  - Rated the ability of the proposed instrumentation and the operational strategies to meet the science objectives
  - Major strength on the Traceability Matrix
- Form C – Technical, Management and Cost rated *Low Risk*
  - Cost was rated *Medium Risk*
    - Cost concerns were mainly related Instrument costs
  - Low Risk implies that the basic plan is solid and that the project can be implemented AS PLANNED (except cost)
    - Concept maturity reduces implementation risk
    - Operations concepts excellent and “impact on flight segment has clearly been considered”
    - “technical approach to risk identification and mitigation demonstrates excellent understanding of majors risks and actions” to mitigate them
  - Plan must be executed and early risk mitigation is recommended



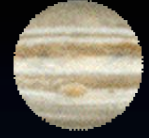
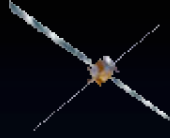
# APPROACH TO MEETING THE RADIATION CHALLENGE



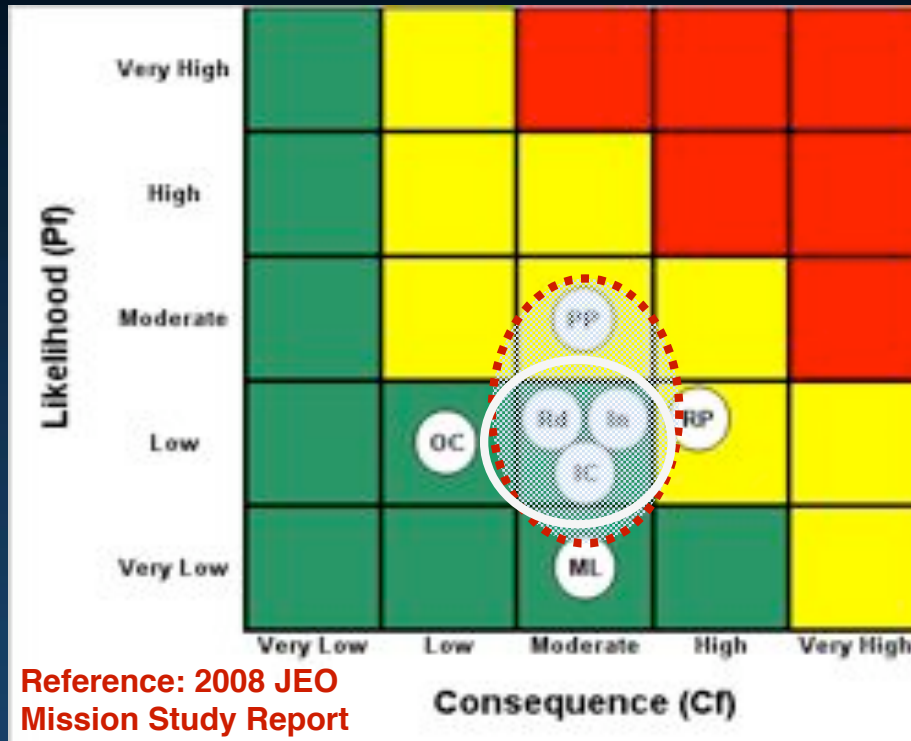
# Mission Radiation Challenge



*Estimated radiation dose levels unprecedented for NASA/ESA missions*



# JEO Mission Risk Assessment



- “Rd”, “IC” and “In” are radiation related risk categories
- Instrument Development is one of the three radiation risk categories
- PP compliance requires in-flight sterilization via radiation

## Risk Categories

Rd Radiation effects in parts, materials, & sensors  
 IC Internal charging  
 In Instrument development

PP Planetary protection  
 OC Operational complexity  
 RP Radioisotope power source  
 ML Mission life time

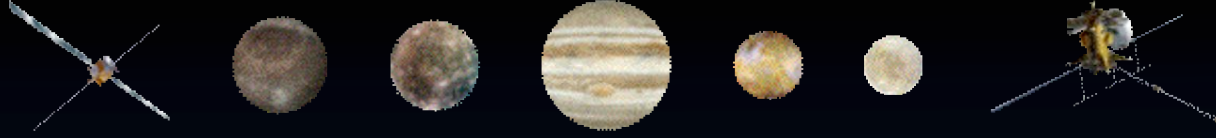
*Radiation and PP are major risk categories for the JEO mission*



# Major Components of Approach to Radiation Challenge

- Risk Mitigation Plan (Pre-Phase A)
  - Early emphasis on reducing risk
  - Periodic peer reviews of plan
- Early emphasis on Instrument development
- Management and System Engineering Teams augmented
- External Advisory Board of Experts
- Extended schedule
- Increased cost for parts, testing, analysis, redesign
  - No heritage
- Design Approach
  - Rad-hard by Process
  - Rad-hard by Design
  - Rad-Hard by shielding
  - Rad-hard by “system”

Challenge being addressed as a “system”



# System Design Process

Analysis

## Input Variables

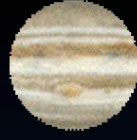
- Science Objectives
- Mission Design—Environment
- Launch Vehicle Capabilities
- Part Capabilities

## Dependent Components

- Shielding Design
- Instrument and Circuit Design
- Margin Assessment
- Risk Analysis
- Cost Analysis

Iteration

- System design iterative process continues through Phase B as capabilities evolve and science instrument capabilities solidify
- Acceptable cost and risk posture is a joint discussion between project and NASA Headquarters



# Risk Mitigation Plan

## Key Elements and Sample Accomplishments

- **Risk Mitigation Plan: Radiation and Planetary Protection**

- Focuses on Pre-Phase A activities
- Defining & validating approach
- Obtaining data

### 1.0 System Reliability Model

### 2.0 Environment and Shielding Model

### 3.0 Radiation Design Methods

### 4.0 Sensors and Detectors

### 5.0 Parts Evaluation and Testing

### 6.0 Approved Parts and Materials List (APML)



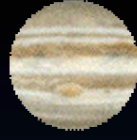
Signal Chain  
Circuit  
Breadboard

Developed and validated worst-case analysis as part of radiation tolerance design methodology



Image from hardened CMOS test array after 1 Mrad TID provides proof of concept for JEO science imagers

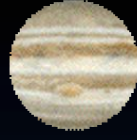
*Radiation-tolerant design methodology developed and validated in the laboratory provides design guidelines for subsystem and instrument providers*



# Recent Accomplishments

- 2007: Five (5) external, independent peer reviews on radiation risks held between April 17 and May 21, 2007
  - Radiation environment and modeling
  - Transport analysis and shielding design
  - Parts and materials
  - Systems engineering and operations
  - Integrated systems
- From peer review inputs, a plan was developed to address issues
  - Endorsed by the 2007 TMC panel
  - Additional suggestions provided on Forms B and C of the 2007 EE Study
- 2008: Plan was refined and execution began
  - Reviewed by top engineers and managers at JPL and APL
    - John Casani, Tom Gavin, Gentry Lee, Ted Mueller, Matt Landano, Richard Brace, etc.
  - Documented current information and made available to potential instrument providers
  - Funded high-leverage parts testing including memory, Juno parts test extensions
  - Developed structure for longer-term effort, including Approved Parts and Materials List, System Model, radiation testing procedures
  - Held first workshop for potential Instrument providers in June 2008

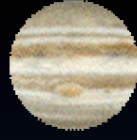
*Continued peer reviews will ensure that expertise from industry and other agencies is integrated into the JEO approach*



# 2009 EJSM Instrument Workshop

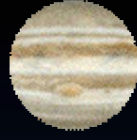
- Purpose of the Workshop
  - Prepare the instrument provider community to be ready to propose to the JEO and JGO opportunities
  - Enable an interaction between the radiation capability community and the instrument providers
- Topics covered
  - Background and Context
  - System Engineering, Radiation and Planetary Protection Challenges
  - Designing for Key Challenges
  - Instrument Solicitation and Expectations
- Attendees
  - Over 275 people attended
  - 38 radiation capable companies/vendors had posters or booths
- All presentations, registrant list can be downloaded from the web

[www.opfm.jpl.nasa.gov](http://www.opfm.jpl.nasa.gov)



## EJSM Risk Reduction

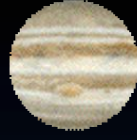
- Likely 2 workshops in 2010, one in US and one in Europe
  - Soliciting input on focus of the workshops
- Increase technical efforts on
  - APM, parts testing and evaluation
  - Core components identification (PCU, microprocessors, FPGAs/ASICs)
  - Shielding approach for sensors/detectors
  - System modeling



# Sample Documents Available for Download

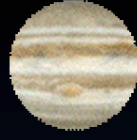
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System	EJSM Risk Mitigation Plan: Radiation and Planetary Protection	
	Return to Europa: Overview of the Jupiter Europa Orbiter Mission	
	Radiation Challenges and Risk Mitigation for the JEO Mission	
Environment	Jupiter Europa Orbiter Radiation Environment	
Radiation Effects	Designing Circuits and Systems for Single Event Effects	
	Test Method for Enhanced Low Dose Rate Sensitivity (ELDRS)	
	Radiation Effects on Detectors and Key Optical Components	
Design Guidelines	Avoiding Problems caused by S/C on-orbit Internal Charging Effects	
	EJSM Radiation Design Guidelines	
	Total Dose and Displacement Damage Design Guideline	
	ASIC via FPGA <i>Guideline</i> with Addendum on Europa	
	OPFM Long Life Design Guidelines	
Parts	Memory Investigation for JEO Mission	
	JEO Parts Program Requirements	
	Approved Parts and Materials List	

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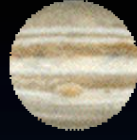
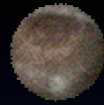
# Two Step AO Process

- The stricter radiation and planetary protection requirements for JEO have significant implications for instruments
- NASA is considering using a two step selection process to provide:
  - for proposers, opportunity to add to understanding of implementation issues and cost risk under NASA funding
  - for the project, an opportunity to modify the design to optimize instrument accommodations
  - for NASA, a more informed selection of final flight instruments that benefits from the above
- At Step 1, NASA overselects (by instrument category) teams for competitive Phase A
- During Phase A, teams work with Project on instrument concepts
- Teams deliver Concept Study Report and undergo final TMC assessment
- NASA and ESA downselect to flight instruments
  - Instruments must be on contract prior to Instrument Concept Review/Phase A-B transition

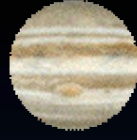
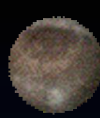


# Preparing for JEO Instrument Announcement of Opportunity (AO)

- Need to define with HQ the approach to instrument selection
  - Project involvement
    - AO content (criteria, info requested etc)
    - Proposal evaluation
    - Involvement in Step 2
  - Define 2-step process
  - Issues to be addressed by Project Scientist with SDT/community
  - JGO coordination
- Identify and create additional documents required for AO
- Project Information Package (PIP)
  - Identify and performing trades and technical work required
  - Identifying System Engineering/development processes needing definition

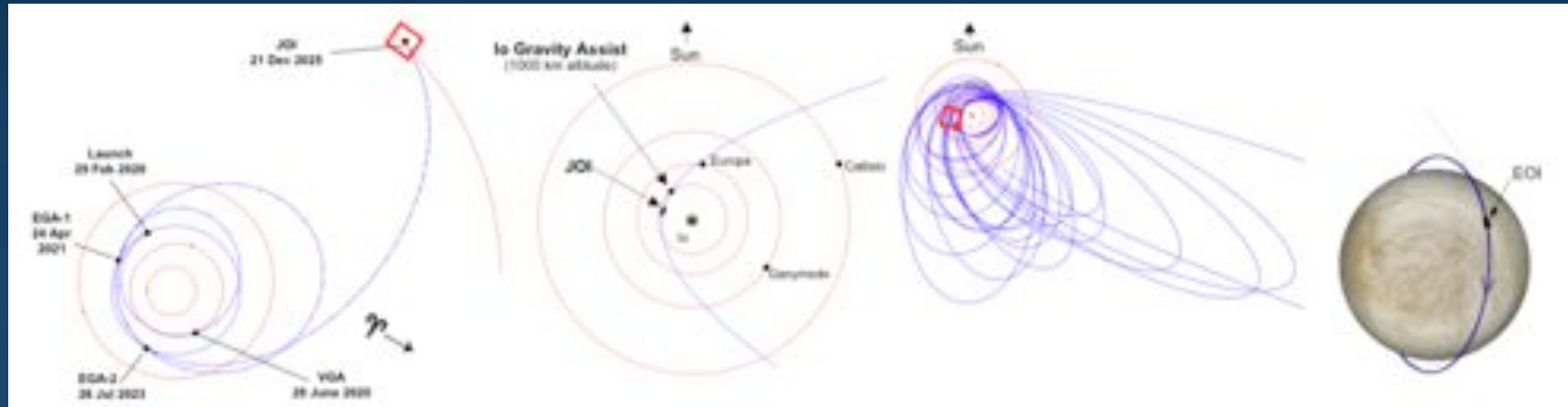


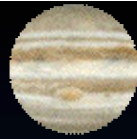
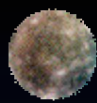
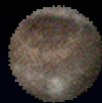
# JEO OVERVIEW



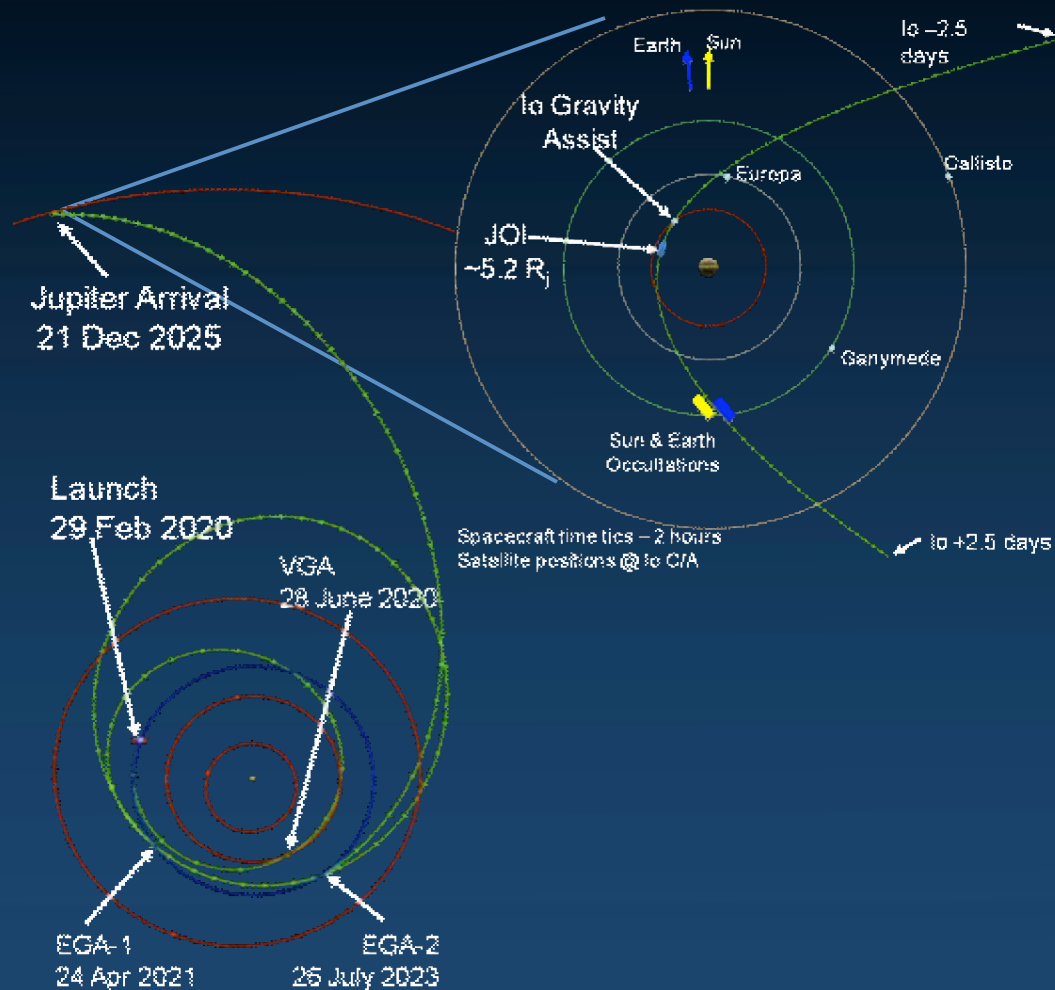
# JEO Mission Design Overview

- Interplanetary trajectories feature gravity-assists to greatly reduce the required specific energy of launch
- Jupiter Orbit Insertion occurs low in Jupiter's gravity well, significantly reducing  $\Delta V$
- Gravity-assist tour of Jovian satellites greatly reduces size of Europa Orbit Insertion maneuver

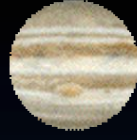
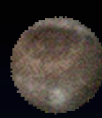




# JEO Baseline Trajectory & Orbit Insertion



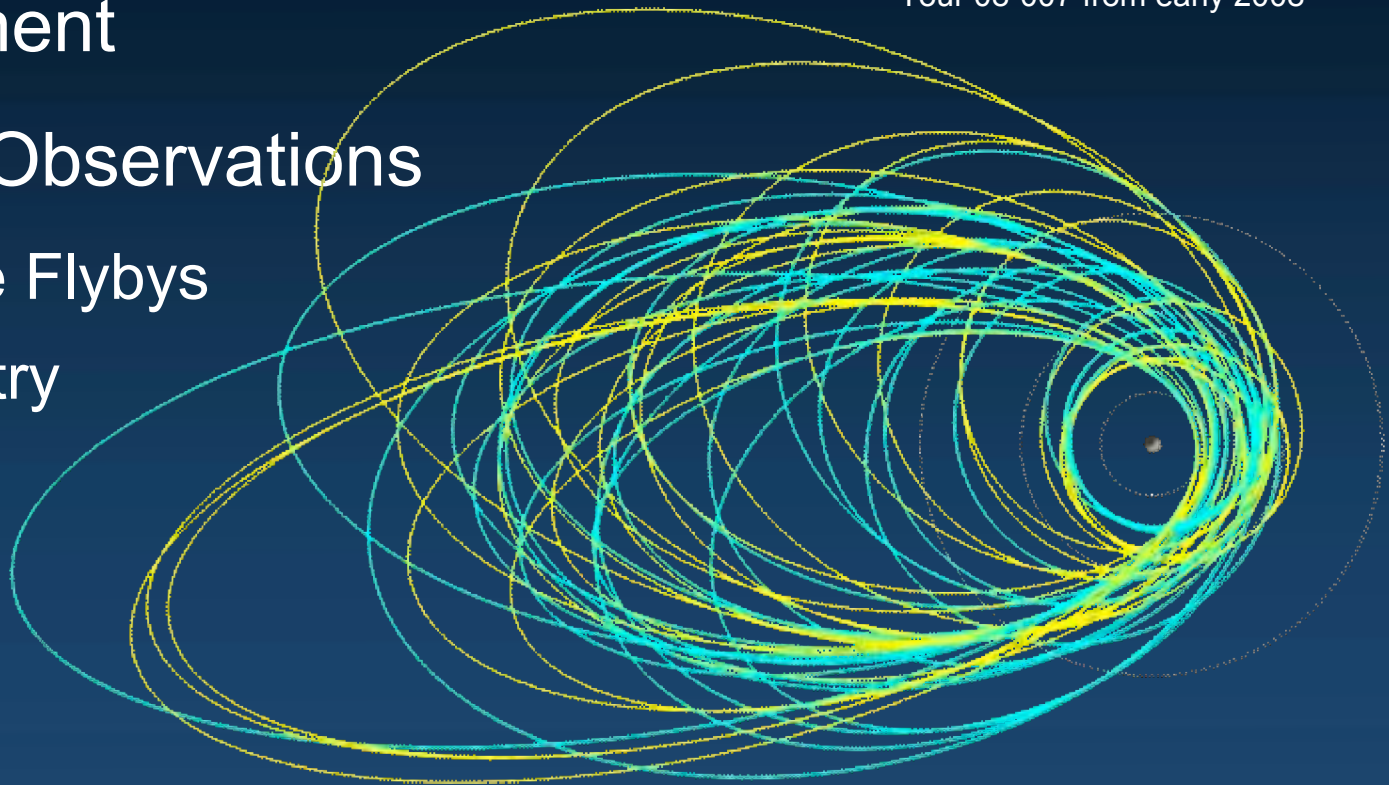
- Launch on Atlas V
- 4733 kg wet mass
- Venus-Earth-Earth Gravity Assist (VEEGA)
- Minimum range to Sun  $\geq 0.7\text{AU}$
- JOI date: 21 December 2025
- JOI range:  $5.2 R_j$
- 200-day initial orbit post-JOI
- Io gravity assist
- Science tour starts post JOI



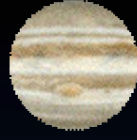
# JEO Tour Design Drivers

- Radiation Environment
- Science Observations
  - Satellite Flybys
  - Geometry
  - Lighting
- Duration

— Tour 08-008 from late 2008  
— Tour 08-007 from early 2008

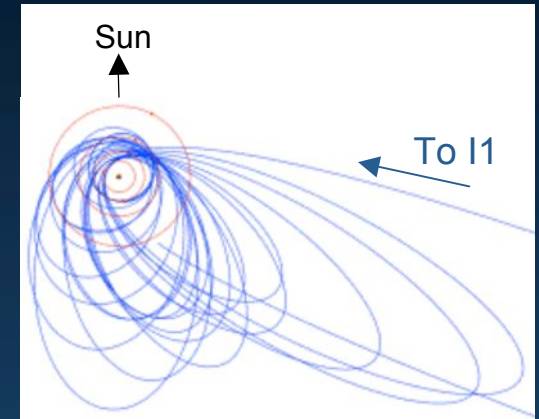
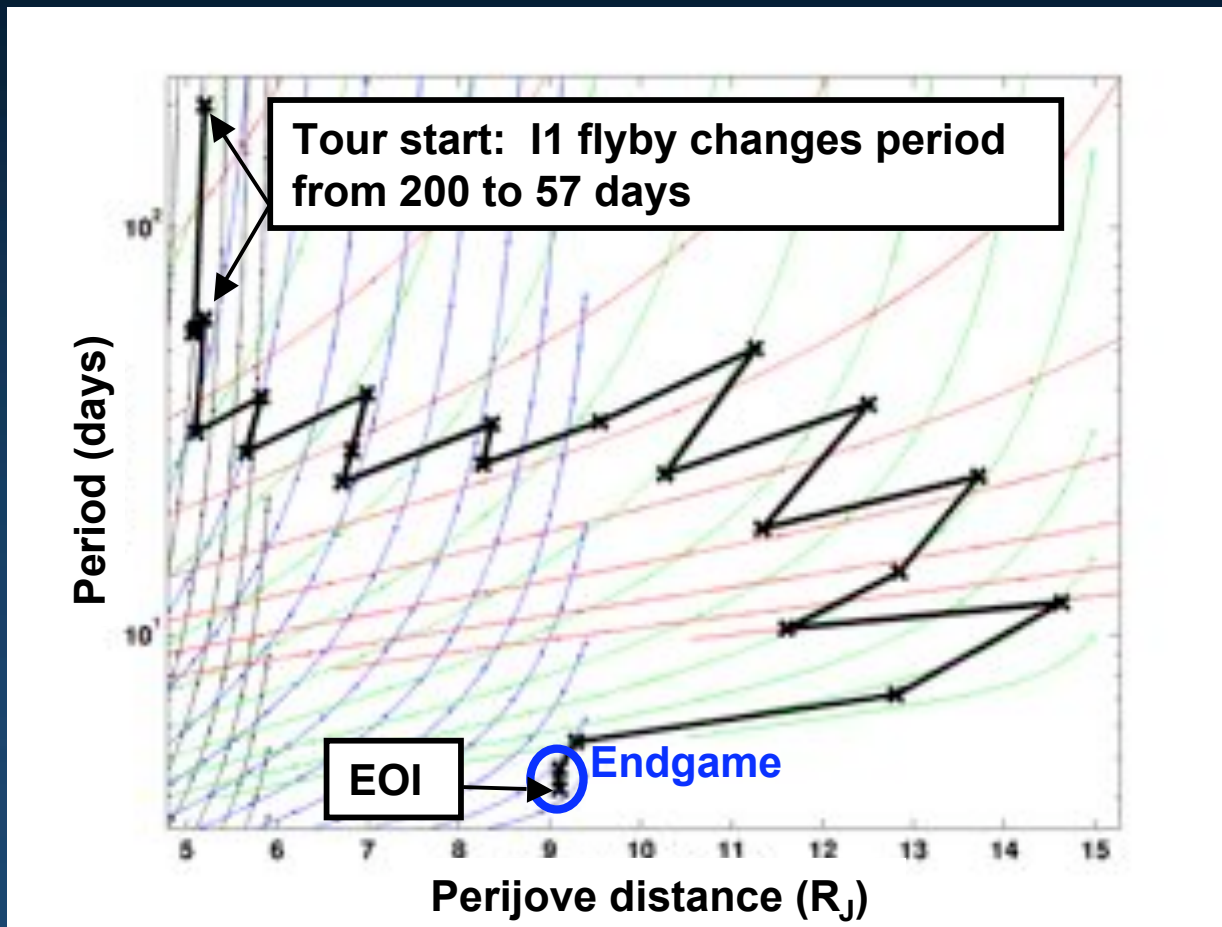


*Tour design continues to evolve*

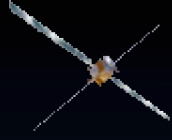


# JEO Tour Design

- Many tours possible. Baseline tour T08-008 shown here
- No deterministic  $\Delta V$  between I1 and start of endgame

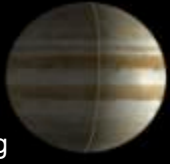


- Periapsis raised early in the tour to minimize radiation exposure (and the attendant shielding)

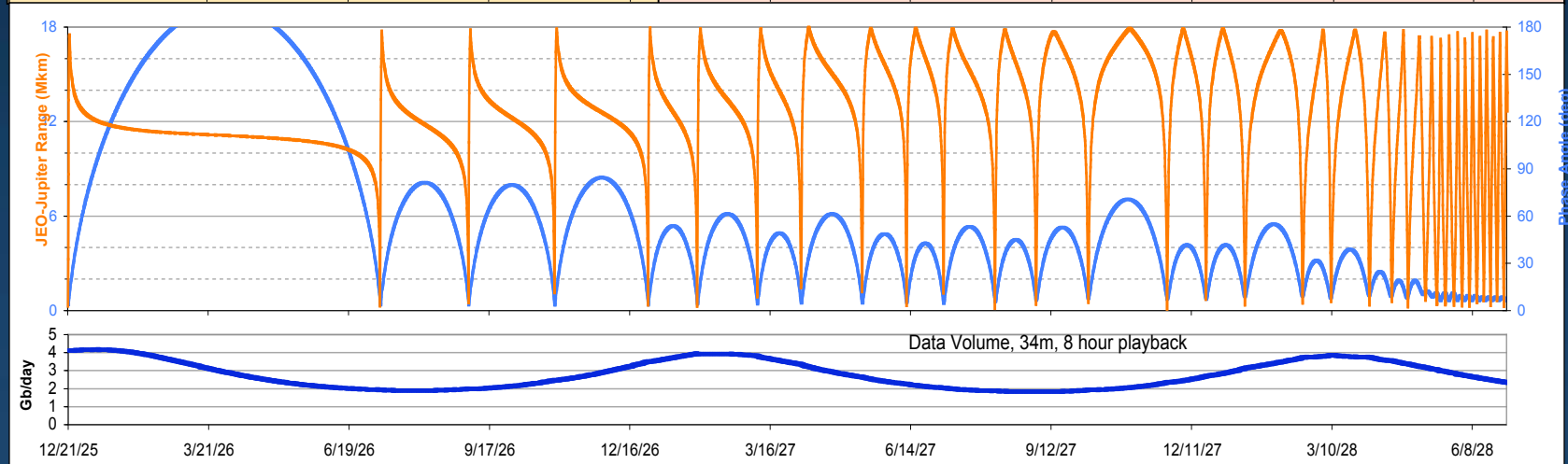
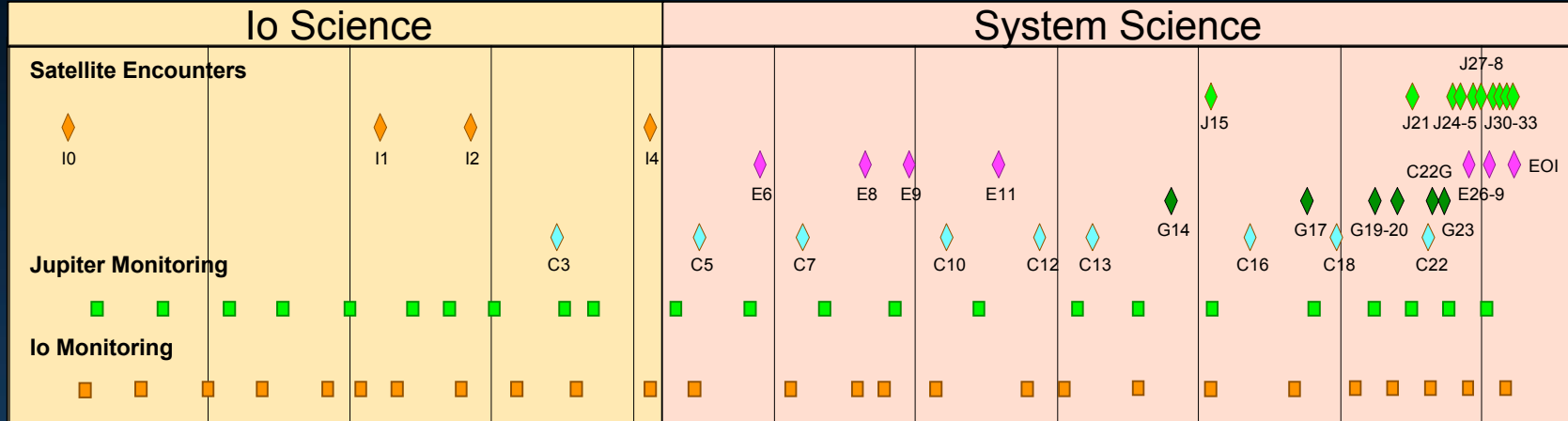
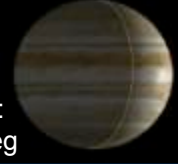


# Jovian Tour Phase

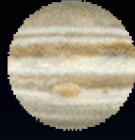
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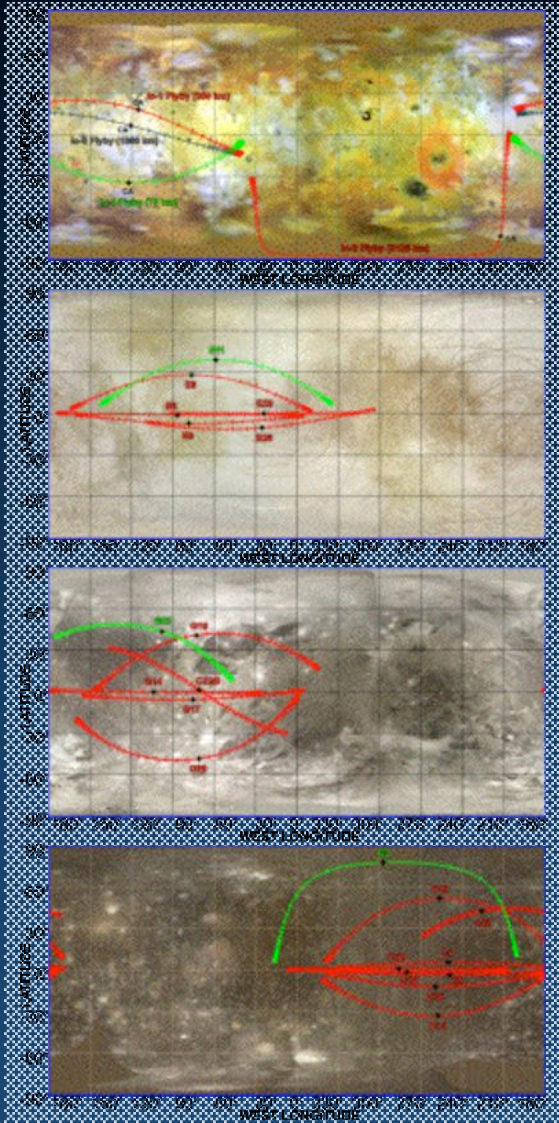
Phase:  
120 deg



*Extensive opportunities exist to acquire Jupiter System Science*

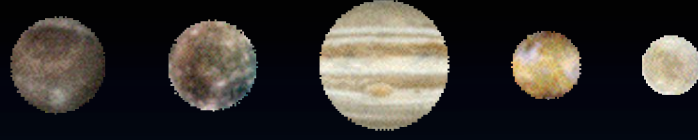


# JEO Tour Satellite Science



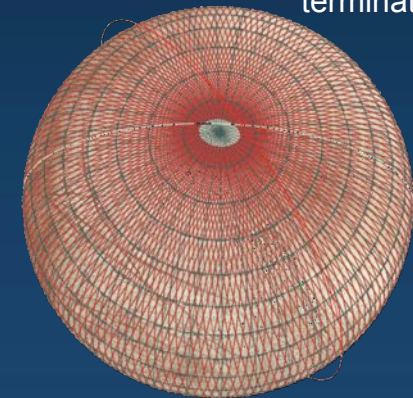
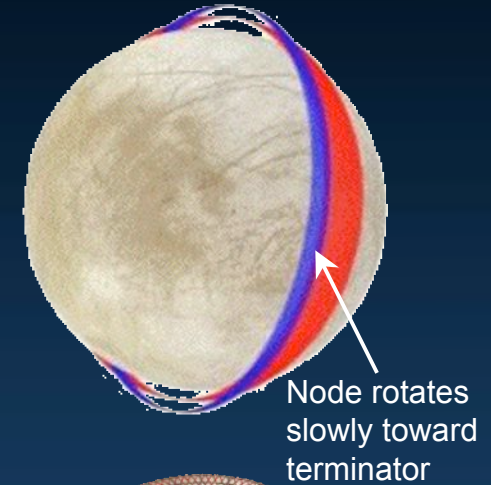
- Io: 3 flybys
  - Opportunities for imaging, IR spectroscopy, and altimetry
  - In situ analysis of extended atmosphere with INMS at 75 km
- Europa: 6 flybys
  - Radar and altimetry characterization and calibration
  - Imaging at up to 10–50 m resolution, NIR 250–1250 m
- Ganymede: 6 flybys
  - Radar sounding of grooved and dark terrains
  - Range of lats, lons for magnetosphere sampling
- Callisto: 9 flybys
  - High-latitude flyby for gravity field determination
  - Ocean characterization with magnetometer
  - Radar for subsurface structure of ancient cratered terrain

Satellite	≤1000m	≤200m	≤50m	≤10m	Length IPR (km)	Length LA (km)
Io	30%	20%	5%	-	1000	7400
Europa	60%	60%	15%	0.01%	6600	19000
Ganymede	50%	50%	10%	0.02%	17000	28000
Callisto	85%	75%	5%	0.01%	15000	30000



# Europa Science Orbit

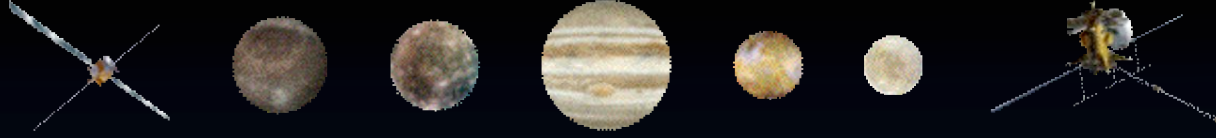
- 200 km altitude for early science in the first 28 days, then transition to a 100 km altitude
- Initial orbit at ~2:30 pm LST
- Inclination selected to balance lighting and coverage
  - $85^\circ \leq i \leq 95^\circ$  (selected  $95^\circ$  for slowest orbit rotation)
  - Orbit rotates 0.1 to 0.4 deg/day
- Ground track repeat cycle selected for ground track separation and global imaging coverage
  - Repeat cycle would be set for science needs, would be optimized when payloads are selected
  - 4-eurosol repeat at 200 km gives global coverage in 3 eurosols (~10 days) using every other orbit



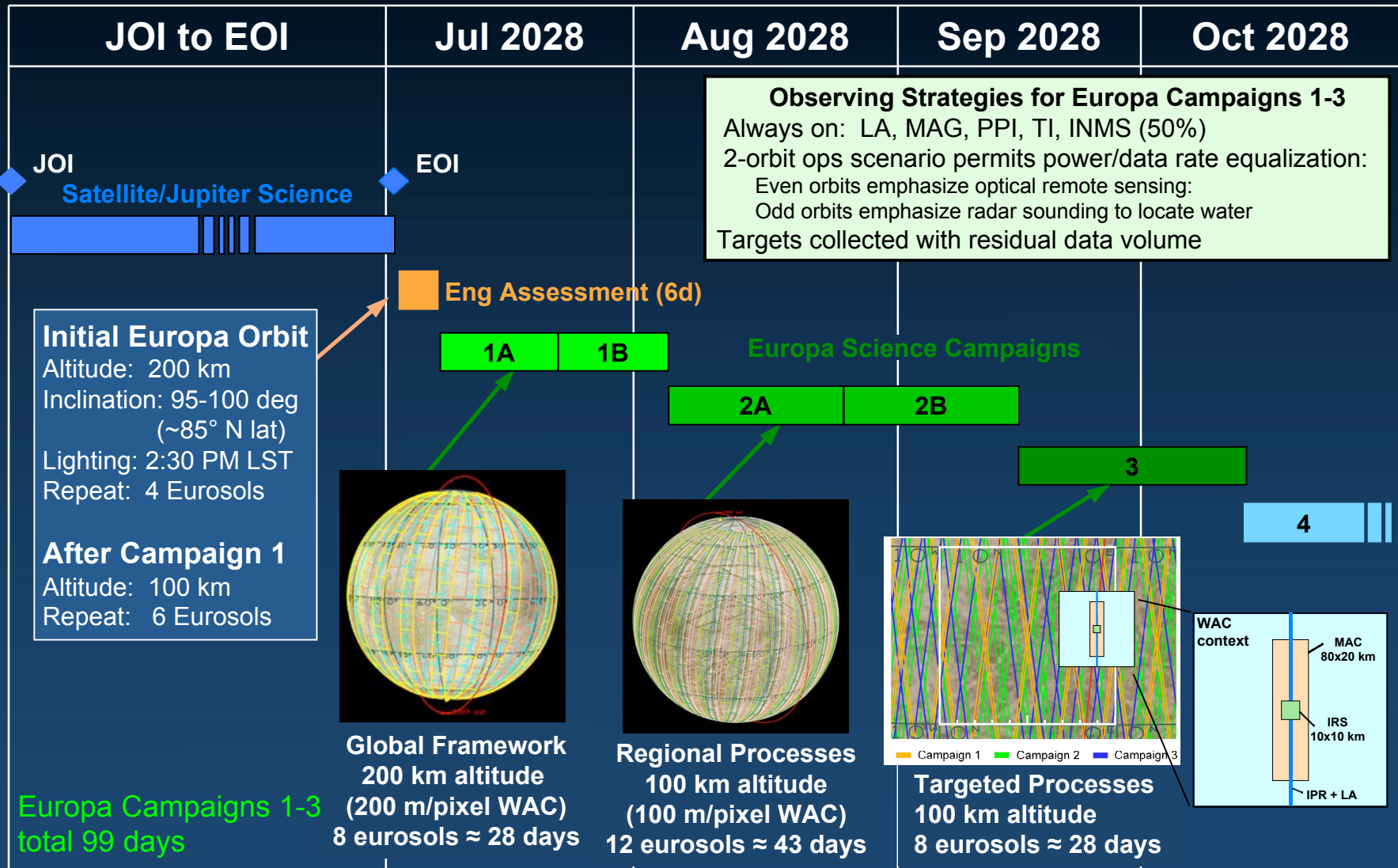
Groundtracks cover 95% of Europa surface

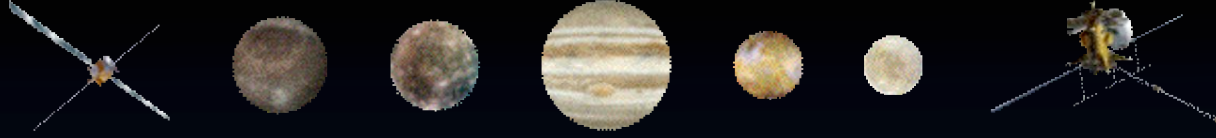
Poles could be imaged off-nadir (some layover)

Orbit Altitude (km)	Period (min)	Occultation Dur (min)	Orbits Per Day	Ground Speed (km/s)
200	138	46 (33%)	10.4	1.1
100	126	47 (37%)	11.4	1.3

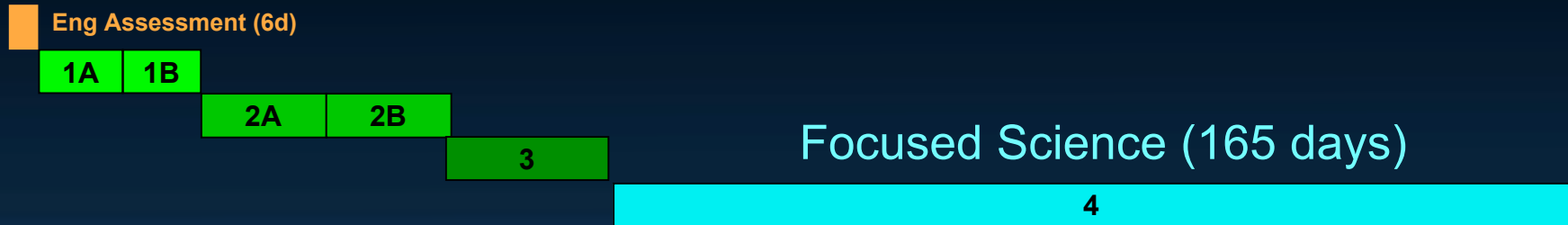


# Europa Science Campaigns





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## By end of Europa Campaign 3:

99 days orbital science

4 global maps

- 2 @ 200m Color + Stereo
- 2 @ 100m Stereo

730 imaging and radar targets

18 km profile spacing for LA and TI

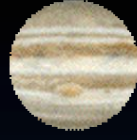
35 km spacing for IPR and VIRIS

400 UVS stellar occultations

700 Gb data return

- Follow up on discoveries
- Finer global and regional grid of profiling observations (IPR, VIRIS, TI)
- Continue gravity, laser altimetry, and fields and particles measurements
- Additional coordinated target sets
  - Investigate new discoveries and priorities
  - Characterize candidate future landing sites
- Off-nadir NAC stereo images
- Lower altitude operations
- Monitor Io and Jupiter, 1 to 2 times per week

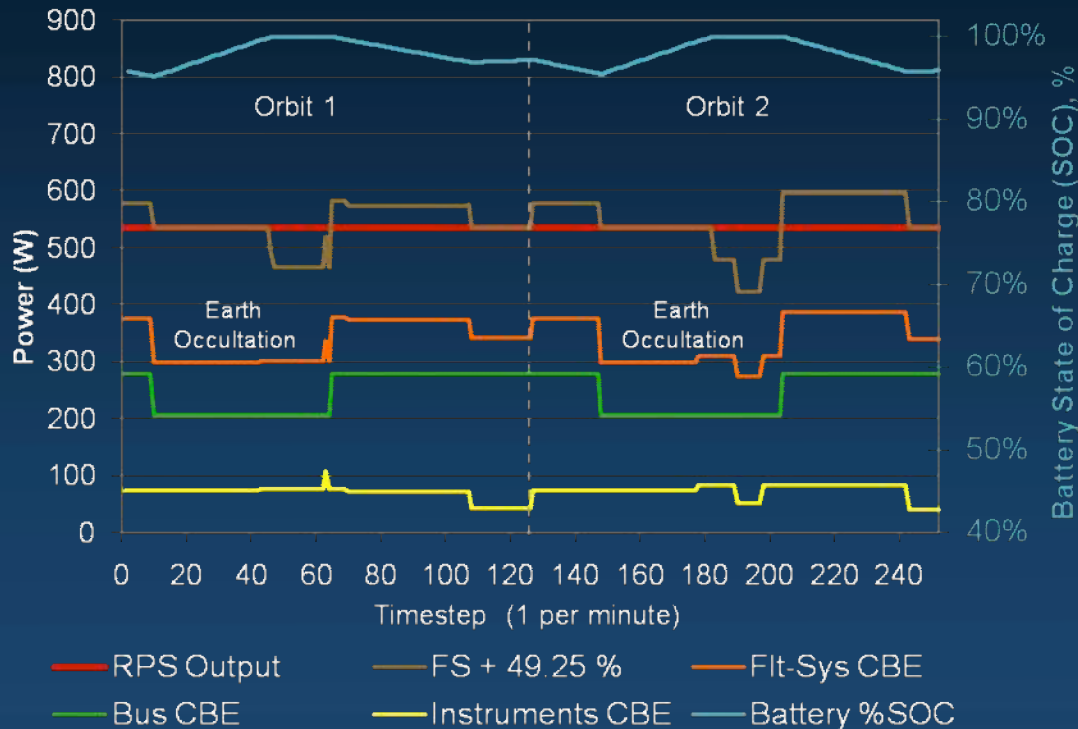
*Extended time in Europa orbit allows additional investigations and exploration*



# Science Scenarios

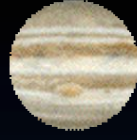
Driving scenario is the baseline Europa Science scenario

Europa Science 2-Orbit Scenario



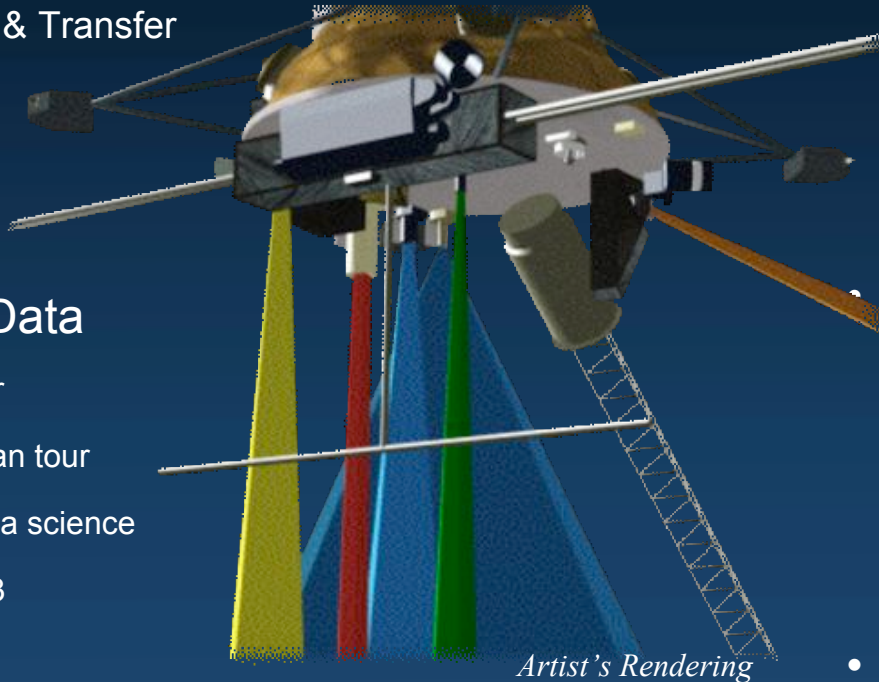
- Power is highly constrained
  - Limits instrument modes and downlink data rates
- Science observation scenario is data storage limited
  - Data is transferred real-time to the ground
- 2-orbit operations scenario permits power/data rate balance

*Evolving science scenarios will be limited by power and data storage*

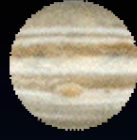


# Payload Design Drivers

- 165 kg total mass
  - Including Contingency
- 71 W average power
  - Data Collection & Transfer
  - Actuators
  - Thermal
  - Stand-by
- Command and Data
  - Rad750 Processor
  - 17 Gb during Jovian tour
  - 1 Gb during Europa science
  - SpaceWire & 1553
- Pointing
  - S/C pointed Nadir during Europa science
  - Instruments must provide own articulation

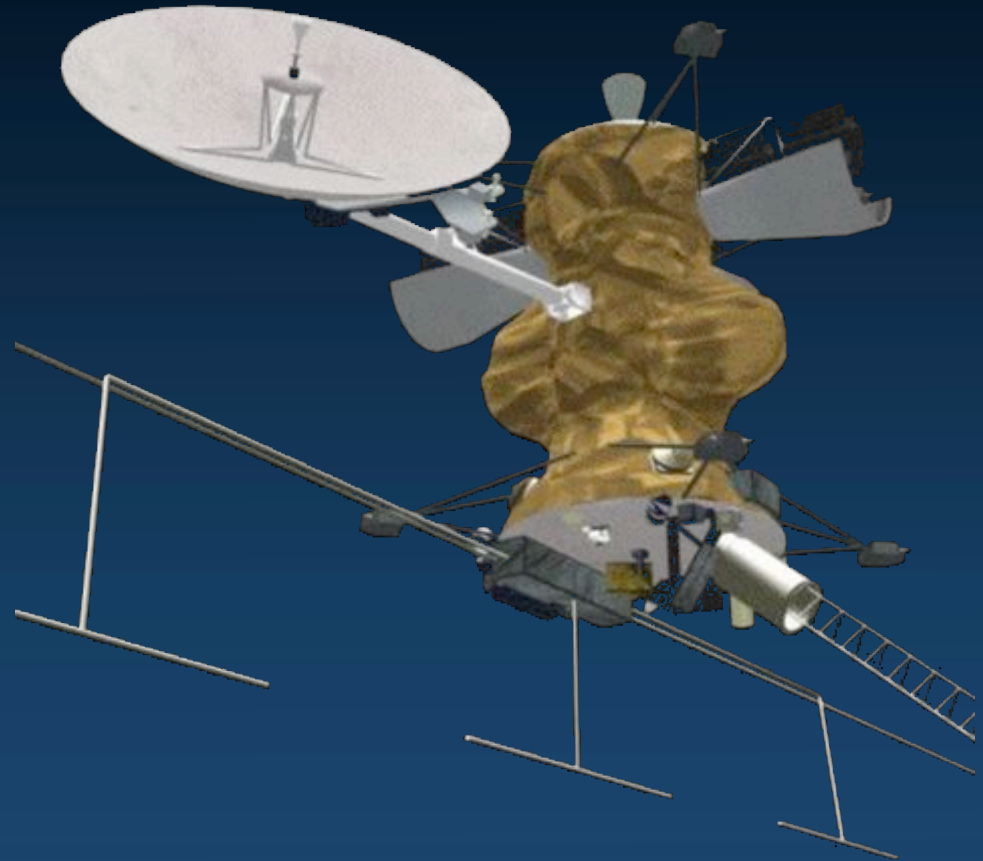


- Thermal
  - Instruments provide own heating/cooling
  - Passive thermal control preferred
  - Power for thermal comes out of 71 W average
- Radiation
  - Shielding mass comes out of 165 kg allocation
  - Most hardware will require more than 2.54 mm (100 mils) of shielding
- Planetary Protection
  - Instruments must be sterilized

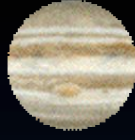


# JEO Spacecraft Key Technical Drivers

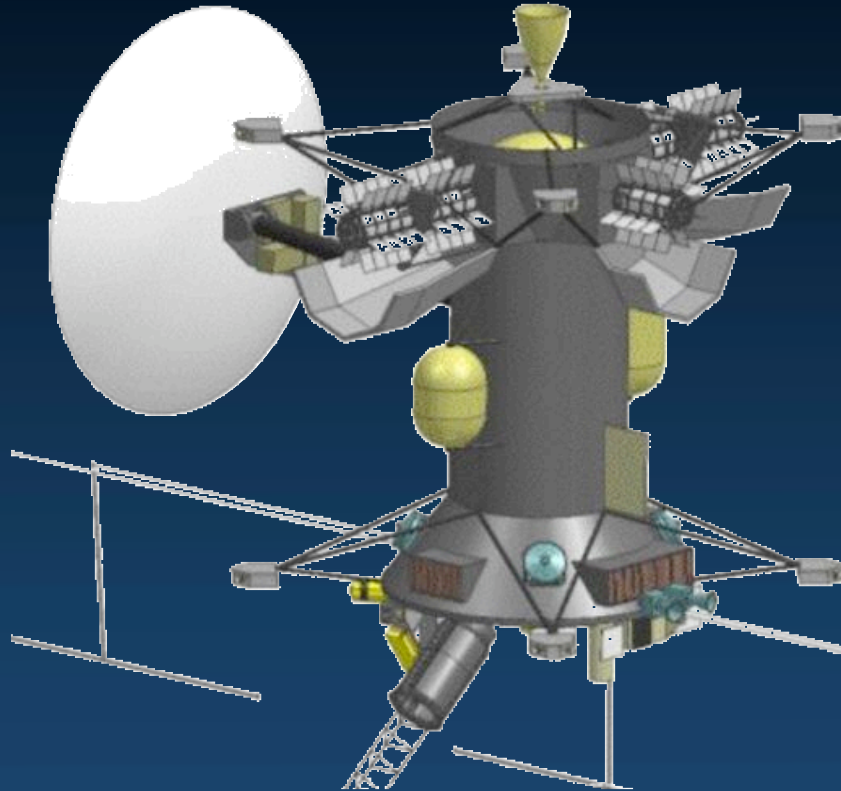
- Venus fly-by
- Radiation
- Planetary Protection
- Nadir Pointed Instrument Deck
- Real-time Science during Europa orbit
- 17 GB storage for Jovian tour
- 1 GB storage for Europa science



*Artist's Rendering*

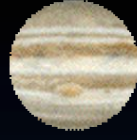
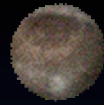


# JEO Flight System

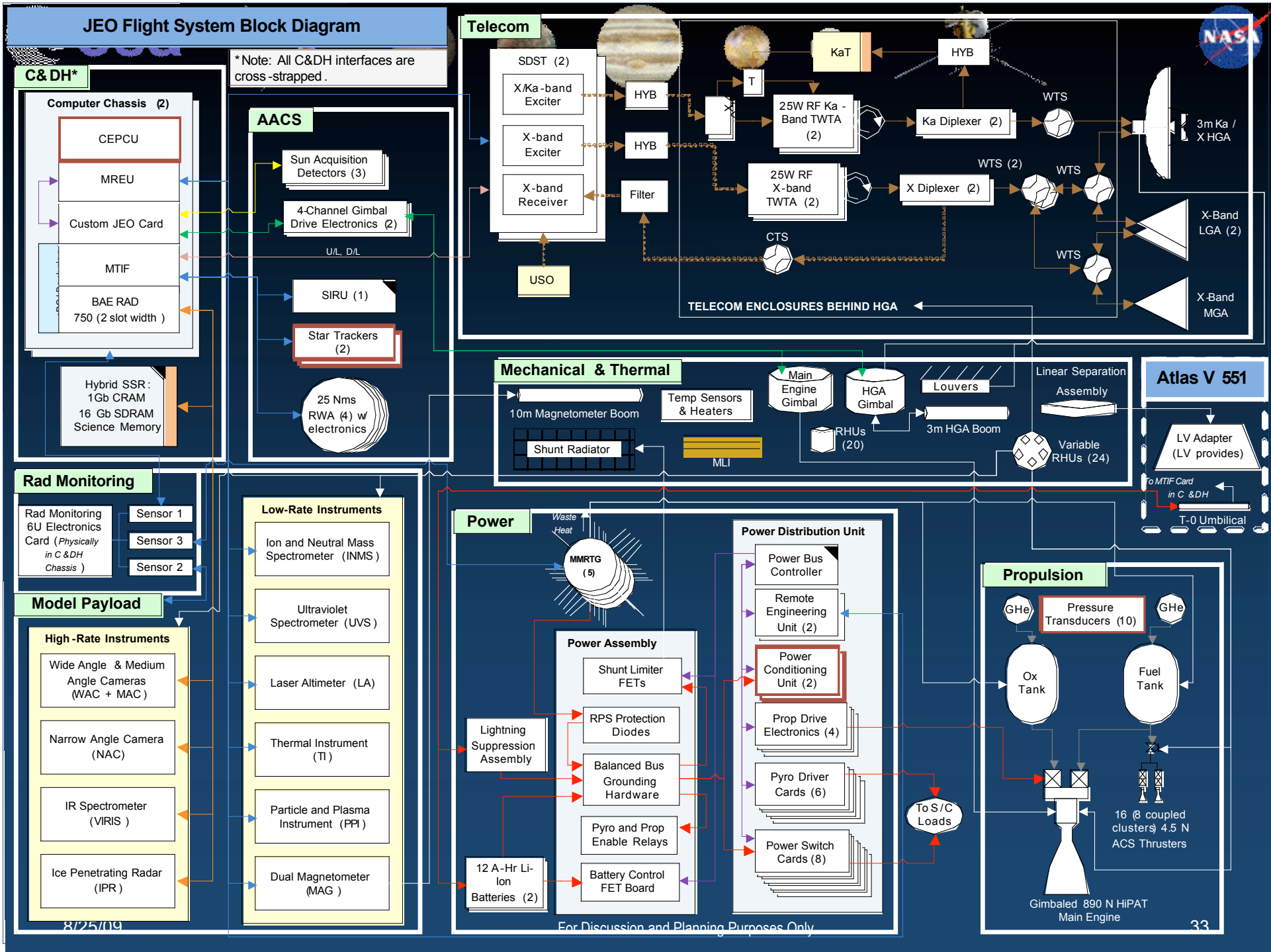


*Artist's Rendering*

- Three-axis stabilized with instrument deck for nadir pointing
- Articulated HGA for simultaneous downlink during science observations
- Data rate of 150 kbps to DSN 34m antenna on Ka-band
- Performs 2260 m/s  $\Delta V$  with 2646 kg of propellant
- Five MMRTGs provide 540 W (EOM) with batteries for peak modes
- Rad hardened electronics with shielding to survive 2.9 Mrad (behind 100 mil Al) environment
- 9 year lifetime
- Healthy mass and power margins (43%, >33% respectively)



# Back Up





# Mass Summary

JEO Baseline Mass Equipment List			
	Flight System Mass, kg		
	CBE	Cont.	CBE+Cont.
<b>Payload</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>211</b>
Model Payload	106	30%	137
Payload Radiation Shielding	57	30%	74
<b>Spacecraft</b>	<b>1208</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>1498</b>
Power (w/o RPSs)	55	30%	72
C&DH	34	17%	40
Telecom	56	27%	70
Structures & Mechanisms	320	31%	420
Thermal	68	30%	88
Propulsion	157	28%	201
AACS	69	33%	91
Cabling	83	30%	108
Radiation Monitoring System	8	30%	10
RPS System	226	0%	226
Spacecraft Radiation Shielding	132	30%	172
<b>Flight System Total Dry</b>	<b>1371</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>1709</b>
Additional System Margin to achieve study req.			226
<b>Flight System Total Dry with Required Margin</b>			<b>1935</b>
Propellant			2646
<b>Flight System Total Wet</b>			<b>4581</b>
LV Adapter with required margin			123
<b>Flight System Launch Mass Wet</b>			<b>4704</b>
<b>Atlas V 551 Capability for 2020 VEEGA</b>			<b>5040</b>
Additional Margin			336
<b>System Margin (33% required per study guidelines)</b>			<b>43%</b>

Payload and Shielding

5 MMRTGs

S/C Radiation Shielding for 2.9 Mrad

Delta V of 2260 m/s

Very Healthy Margins

### Calculating Dry Mass Margin per Study Guidelines:

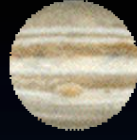
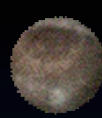
Dry Mass Allocation (MPRV)  
 = LV Capability – Prop – *RTG Mass\**  
 = 5040 – 2646 – 226 = 2168 kg

Dry Mass CBE (PRV)  
 = S/C CBE + LV Adapt – *RTG Mass\**  
 = 1371 + 82 – 266 = 1227

Dry Mass Margin  
 = (MPRV – PRV)/MPRV  
 = (2168 – 1227)/2168 = **43%**

*\*Note: The MMRTG mass is considered a Not-To-Exceed Mass, and is therefore excluded from the margin calculations, per HQ direction.*

*JEO's design is robust to future changes due to large mass margins*



# Power Summary

JEO Power Profile (W)	Europa Orbit				
	Launch	Tour Fly-By	Safe	On-Orbit Science with Telecom	On-Orbit Science no Telecom
	3 hr	2 hr	24 hr	83 min	55 min
<b>Payload</b>	0	42	0	71	71
Model Payload	0	42*	0	71*	71*
<b>Spacecraft</b>	162	263	217	277	207
Power Electronics Standby Power	10	10	10	10	10
C&DH	52	52	52	52	52
Telecom	0	82	58	82	30
Structures & Mechanisms	13	0	0	15	0
Thermal	12	23	23	23	23
Propulsion	27	1	25	1	1
AACs	44	90	44	90	86
Cabling - Losses Tracked Below	0	0	0	0	0
Radiation Monitoring System	4	4	4	4	4
<b>Flight System Total Without Losses (CBE)</b>	162	305	217	348	278
Power Losses	11	21	15	24	19
<b>Flight System Total With Losses (CBE)</b>	172	325	232	372	296
System-Level Radiation Load	9	16	12	19	15
Additional System Margin to achieve study req.	89	168	120	192	153
<b>Flight System Total Power Demand with Required Margin</b>	270	510	363	583	464
<b>5 MMRTG Capability</b>	625	545	540	540	540
Additional Power Available	355	35	177	-43	76

Orbital payload power is the average over the two-orbit science scenario and reflects a duty cycle on each of the instruments.

Flyby payload power represents the average during the 2 hr surrounding closest approach

Power losses are 7% for wire, switching, and conversion losses. Battery recharge losses are tracked separately in scenario model.

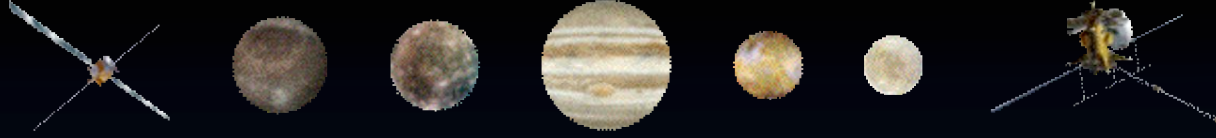
Radiation load of 5% of CBE is derived from Galileo experience

49% added to power load CBE to ensure required 33% margin is achieved

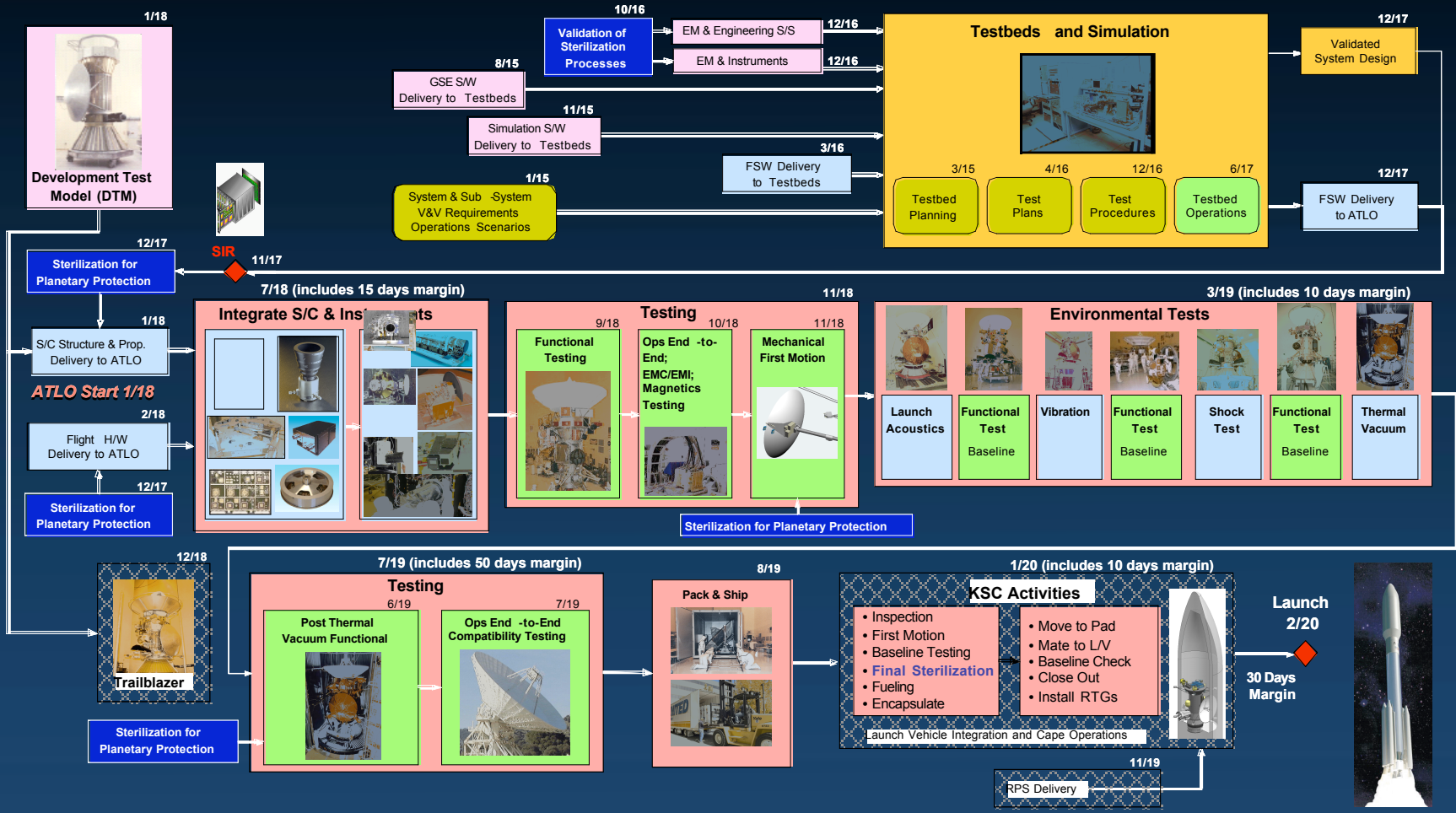
5 MMRTGs produce 540W at the end of 9.1yrs

A negative value indicates battery usage is required in this mode. Battery DOD in this scenario is 6%.

*Significant power margins exist with 5 MMRTGs with only minimal use of batteries*



# Integration and Test



*Thoughtfully planned I&T program with considerations for Europa environment and planetary protection requirements*