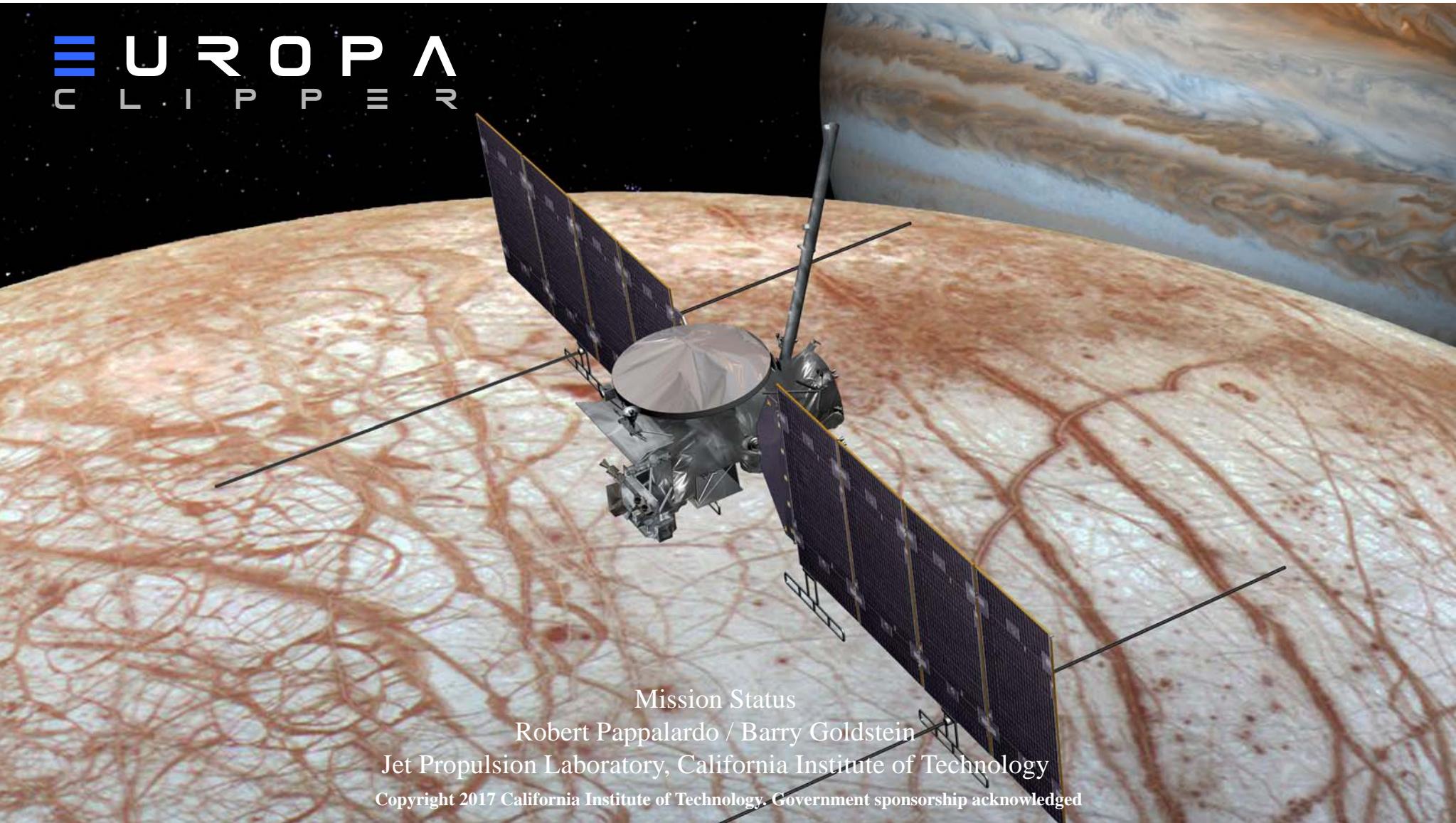


**EUROPA
CLIPPER**



Mission Status

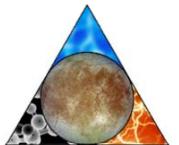
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Habitability: Ingredients for Life



Water:

- Probable saltwater ocean, implied by surface geology and magnetic field
- Possible lakes within the ice shell, produced by local melting

Chemistry:

- Ocean in direct contact with mantle rock, promoting chemical leaching
- Dark red surface materials contain salts, probably from the ocean

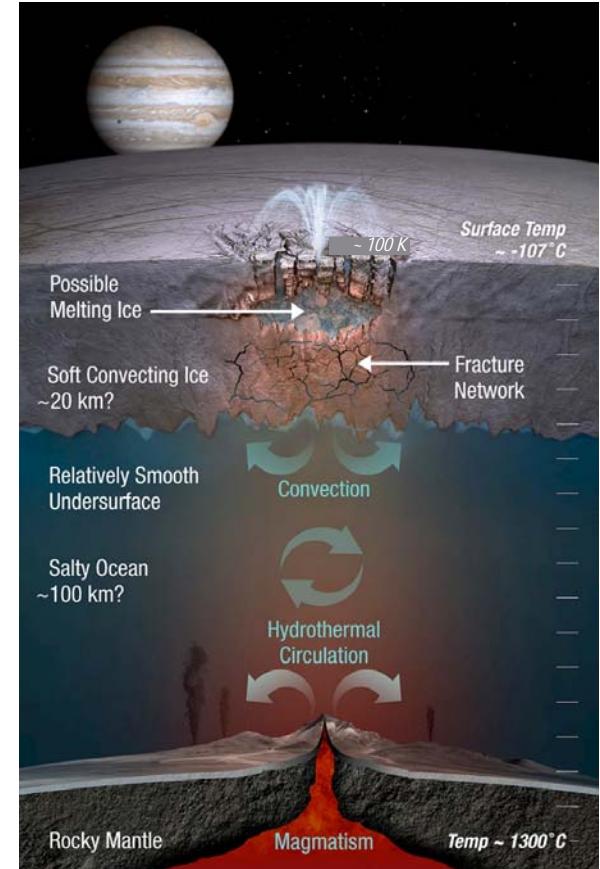
Energy:

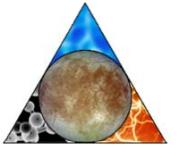
- Chemical energy could sustain life
- Surface irradiation creates oxidants
- Mantle rock-water reactions could create reductants (hydrothermal or serpentinization)

Activity:

- Geological activity “stirs the pot”
- Possible cyclical activity, as tied to Io

***Europa Flyby Mission will verify
key habitability hypotheses***





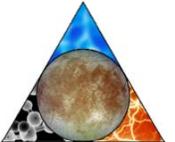
Timeline of Europa Mission Science Definition

- Europa Orbiter Science Definition Team (1999)
- A Science Strategy for the Exploration of Europa, COMPLEX, National Research Council (1999)
- NASA Campaign Science Working Group on Prebiotic Chemistry in the Solar System (1999)
- New Frontiers in Solar System Exploration, Decadal Survey, (2003)
- Jupiter Icy Moons Orbiter (JIMO) Science Definition Team (2004)
- Scientific Goals and Pathways for Exploration of the Outer Solar System, OPAG (2006)
- NASA Solar System Exploration Roadmap (2006)
- Europa Explorer (EE) Report (2007)
- Jupiter Europa Orbiter Mission Final Report (2008)
- Europa Study Report (2012)

The Europa science objectives and Level 1 science categories have a long history of evolution and refinement

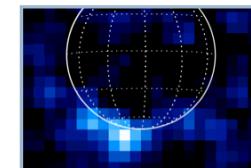


Europa Clipper Science Overview

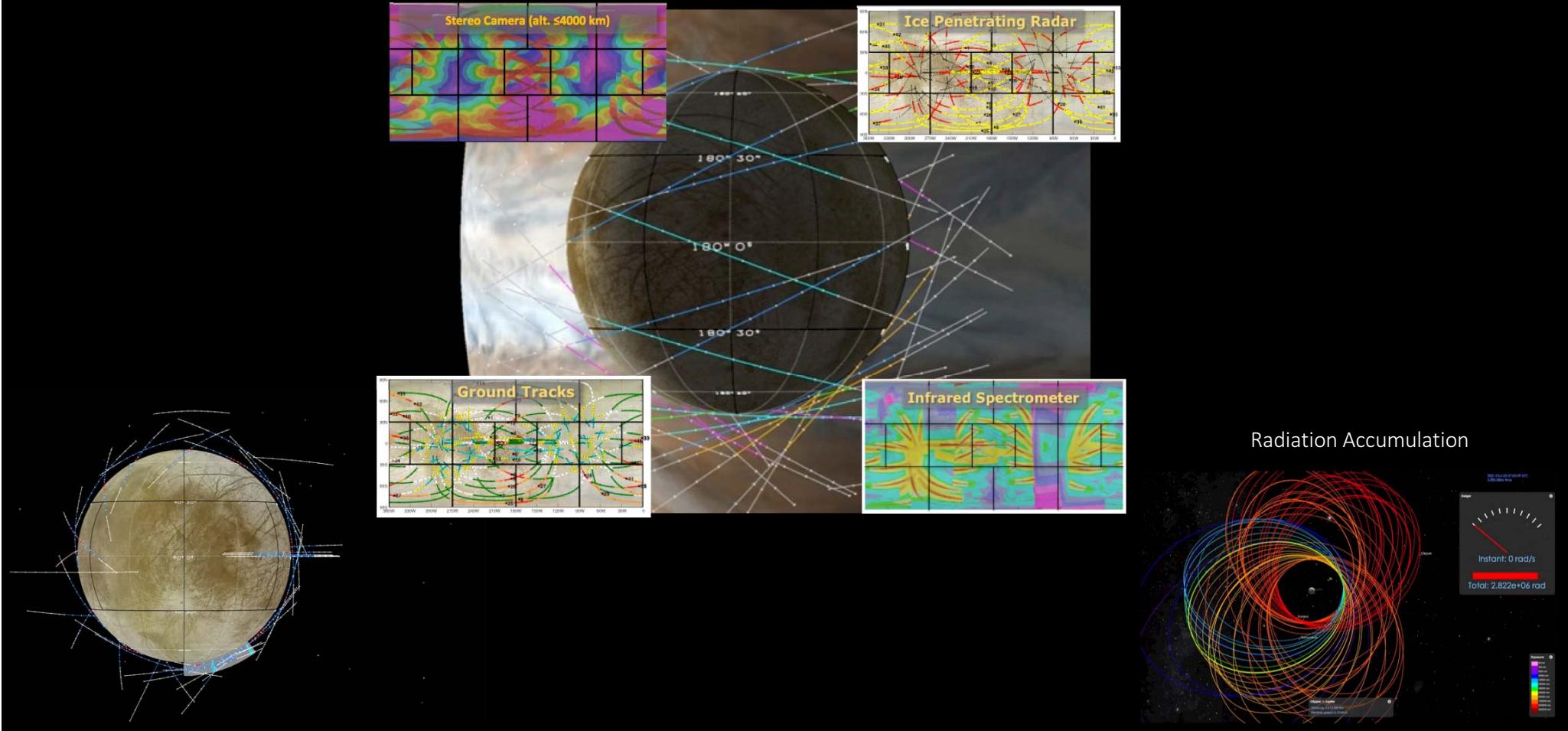


- **Goal: Explore Europa to investigate its habitability**
- **Level 1 Science Categories:**
 - **Ice Shell & Ocean:** Characterize the ice shell and any subsurface water, including their heterogeneity, ocean properties, and the nature of surface-ice-ocean exchange
 - **Composition:** Understand the habitability of Europa's ocean through composition and chemistry
 - **Geology:** Understand the formation of surface features, including sites of recent or current activity, and characterize high science interest localities*
 - **Current Activity:** Search for and characterize any current activity, notably plumes and thermal anomalies

Note: Science Definition Team's "Reconnaissance" goal has been folded into the Geology objective



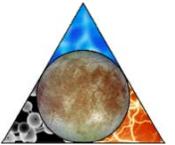
Innovative Mission Concept



Flyby Comparison: Galileo vs. Europa Clipper

(Animation)

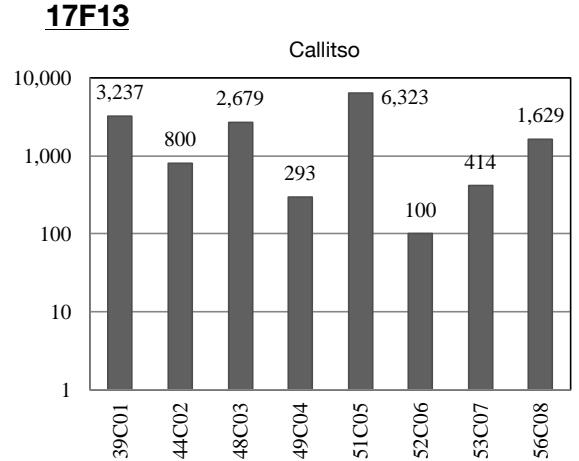
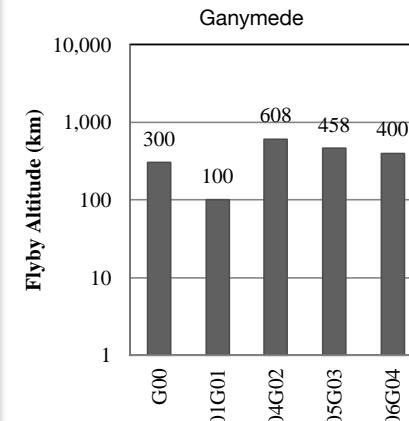
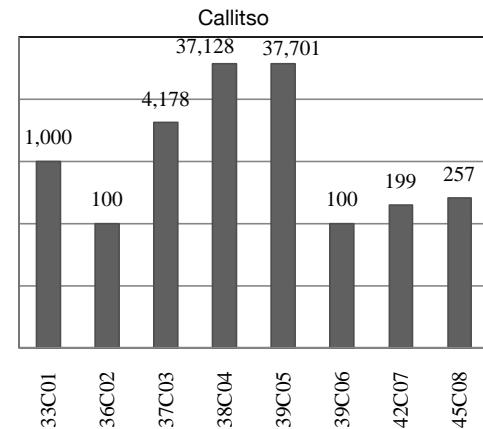
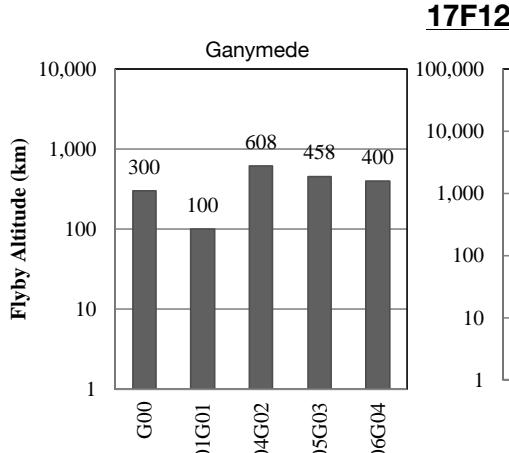
Spacecraft Trajectory	
—	25 km $\leq r_{alt} \leq$ 50 km
—	50 km $< r_{alt} \leq$ 400 km
—	400 km $< r_{alt} \leq$ 1000 km
—	1000 km $< r_{alt} \leq$ 4000 km

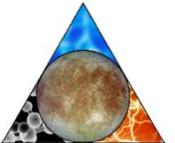


Flyby Altitude Distributions

Europa Flyby Altitudes

Altitude Bin	16F11	17F12	17F13
>1000 km	4	3	6
100 – 1000 km	13	16	22
50 – 99 km	5	12	12
25 – 49 km	21	15	14





Mission Overview



Earliest Launch

*Period: 6/4/22 – 6/24/22 (SLS)
*Period: 6/18/22 – 7/8/22 (EELV)



Cruise:

2.5 Years (SLS)
7.4 Years (EELV)



Jupiter Orbit Insertion

12/24/24 or 5/1/25 (SLS)
11/26/29 (EELV)



Jovian System Operations

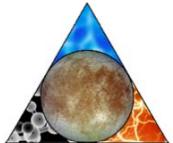
Transition to Europa Science: 12 months
Prime Europa Flyby Campaign: 36 months

* - Dependent on Funding

- **Project Category 1**
 - LCC > \$1B
- **Mission Risk Class A (Tailored)**
- **NPR 7120.5E Compliant**
- S/C design compatible with both SLS and EELV



Mission Partners and Roles



Jet Propulsion Laboratory
California Institute of Technology



***Jet Propulsion Laboratory & Applied Physics Laboratory**
• Project Management
• Science
• System Engineering
• Navigation
• Mission Operations
• Payload Management

*-Lead Center



Kennedy Space Center:

- LSP office – EELV Interface
- GSDO – SLS Launch Site Support



Goddard Space Flight Center:

- Propulsion Subsystem lead



Langley Research Center:

- High Gain Antenna testing and calibration



Marshall Space Flight Center

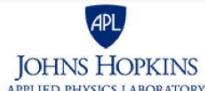
Marshall Space Flight Center:

- Program managing center
- Launch service provider (SLS)
- Propulsion Subsystem component engineering

Science Investigations



Ice Penetrating Radar
(REASON)
Dr. Donald Blankenship



Europa Imaging System
(EIS)
Dr. Elizabeth Turtle



Plasma Instrument
(PIMS)
Dr. Joe Westlake



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Boulder



Thermal Imager
(E-THEMIS)
Dr. Phil Christensen

Mass Spectrometer
(MASPEX)
Dr. Hunter Waite

Magnetometers
(ICEMAG)
Dr. Carol Raymond

Dust Detector/Analyzer
(SUDA)
Dr. Sascha Kempf

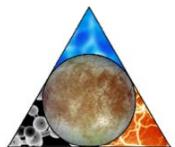
Europa Ultraviolet
Spectrograph
(Europa UVS)
Dr. Kurt Retherford

Short Wave Infrared
Spectrometer
(MISE)
Dr. Diana Blaney



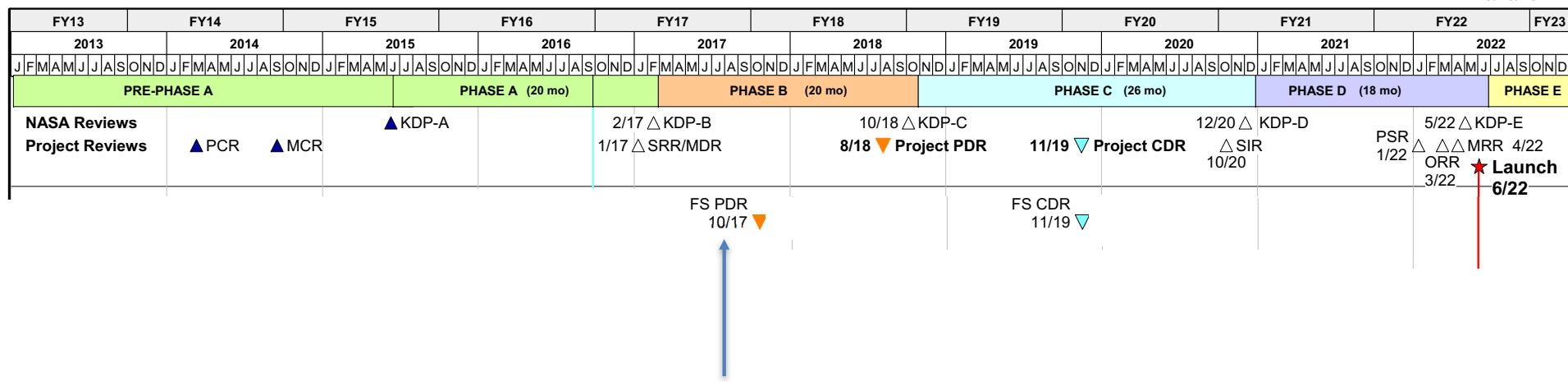
Project-Level Lifecycle Schedule

Key Project Reviews



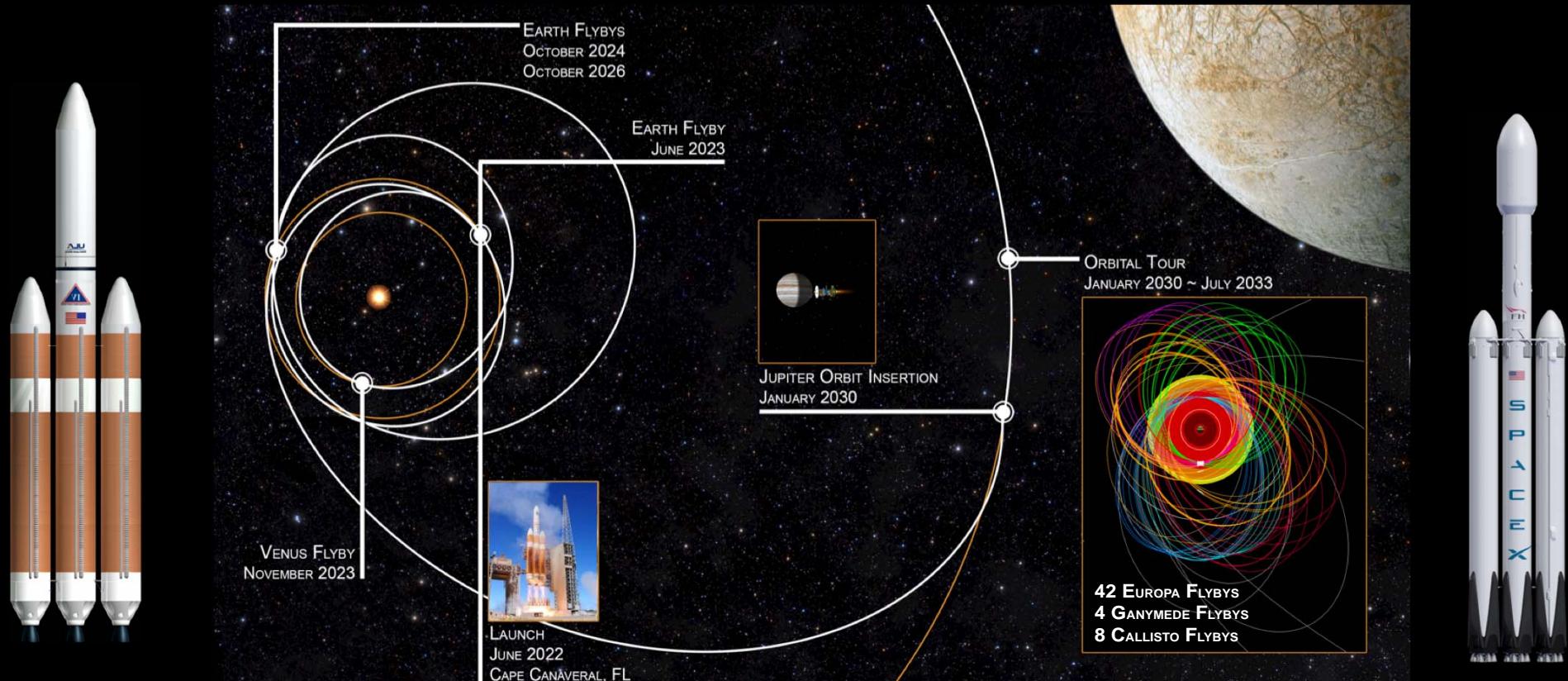
Europa Multi-Flyby Mission (SLS) - Spacecraft

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EVEEGA Interplanetary Trajectory

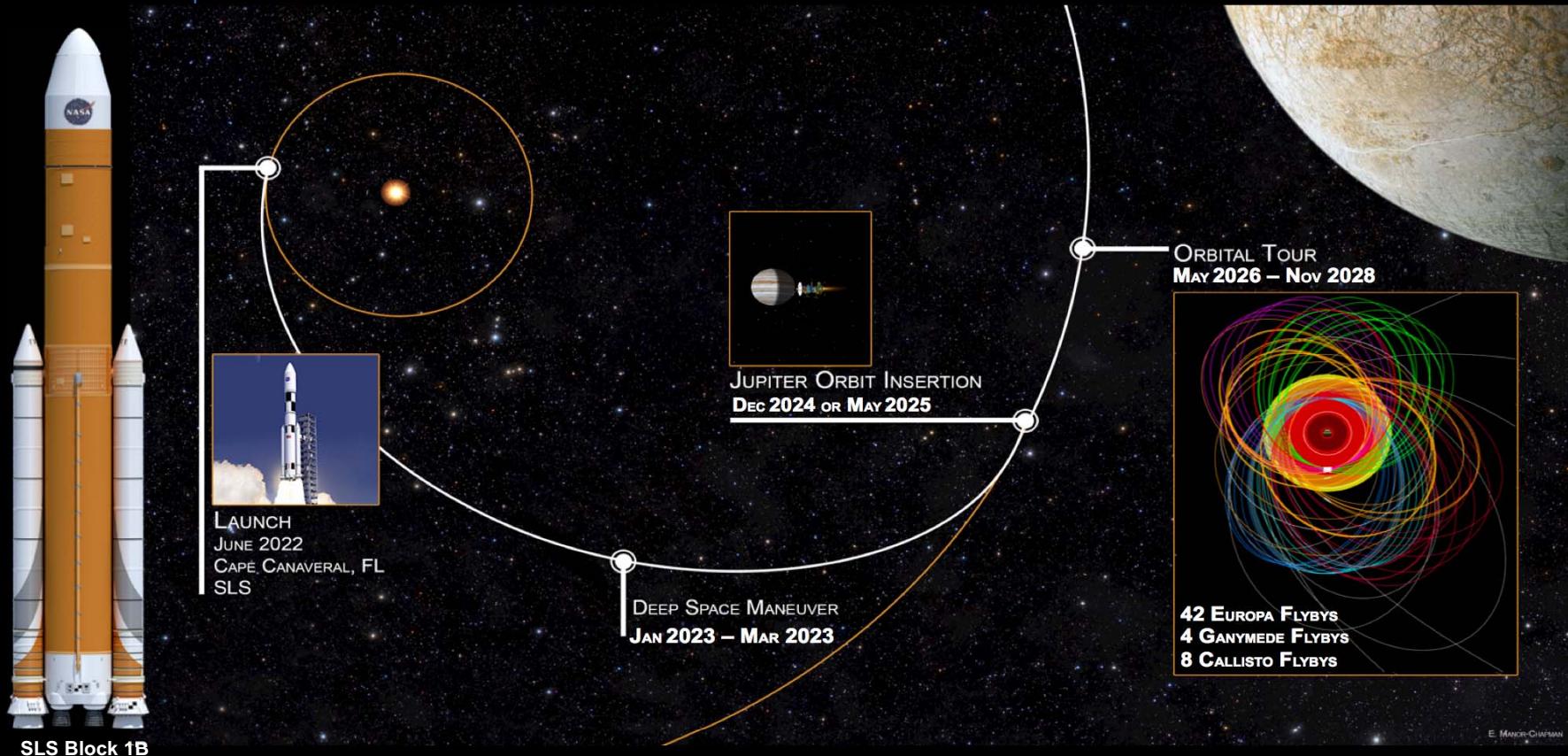
EELV Launch Option– (Delta-IV Heavy /Falcon Heavy)



Emily Manjol-Cowan

Direct to Jupiter Trajectory

SLS Launch Option



- 21 Day launch period opens June 2022
- Arrive Jovian System March, 2025 (2.7 Years)



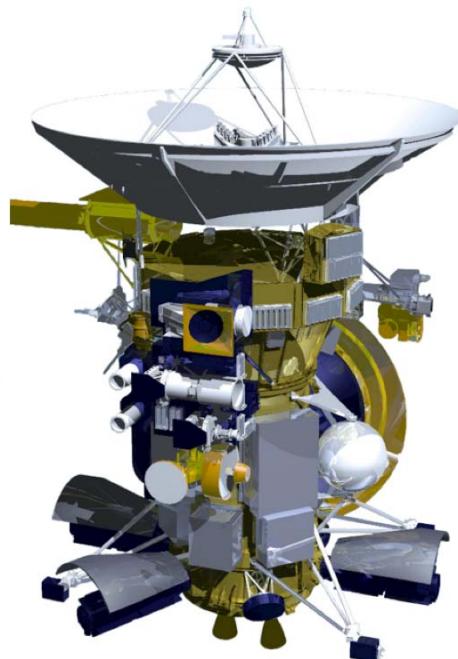
Outer Planet S/C



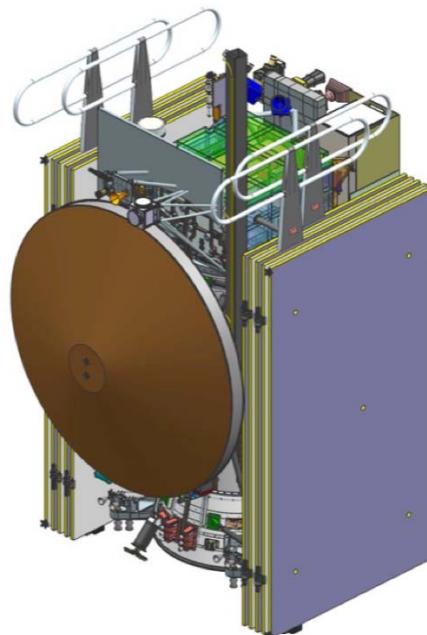
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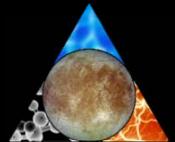
Galileo
Launch Mass: 2,562 kg



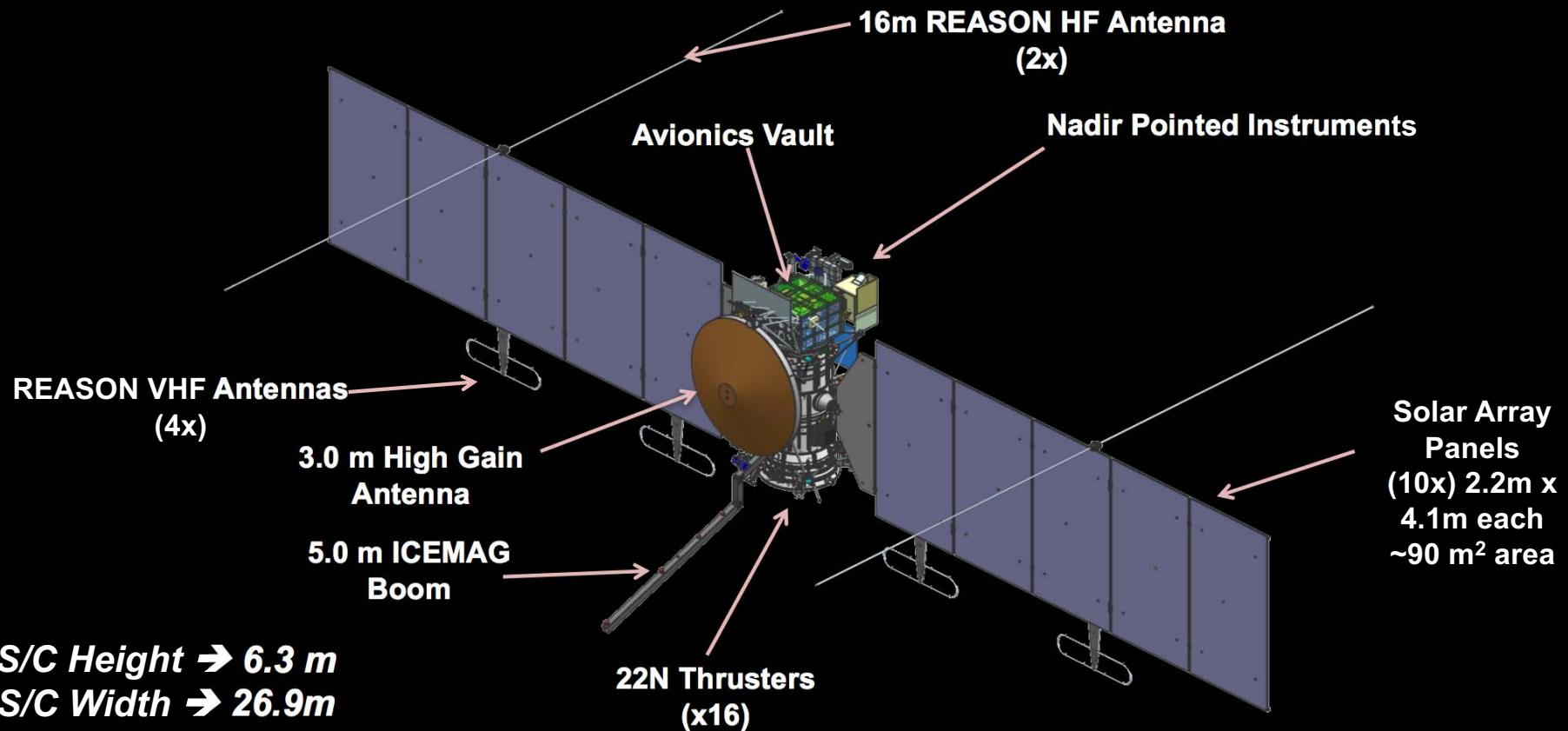
Cassini
Launch Mass: 5,655 kg



Planned Europa Clipper
Launch Mass: 6,000 kg

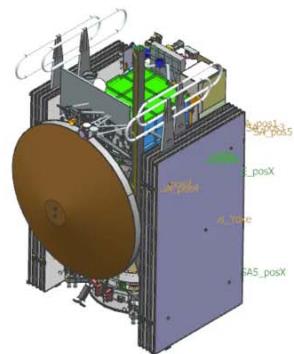
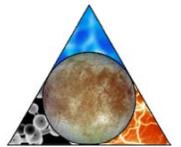


Clipper Spacecraft



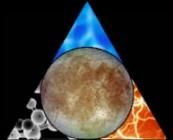


Deployments





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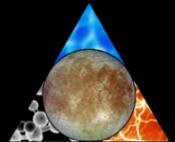


*Engineering Model
Telecommunications
Radio*





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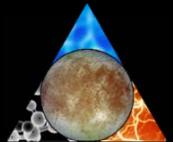


*3 Meter
Diameter
High Gain
Antenna
Prototype*





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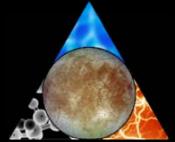


*Antenna
Pattern
and Gain
Testing At
Langley
Research
Center*





Significant Hardware Development Progress



Battery Cell & Module Testing



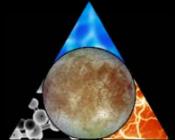
*Battery
configurations being
optimized*

*210 total Cells
(~AA)*

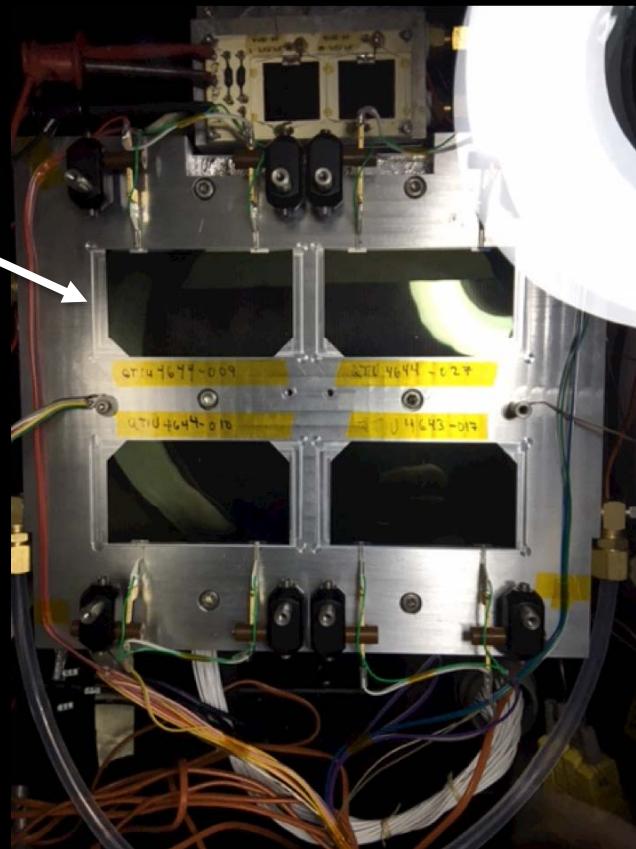




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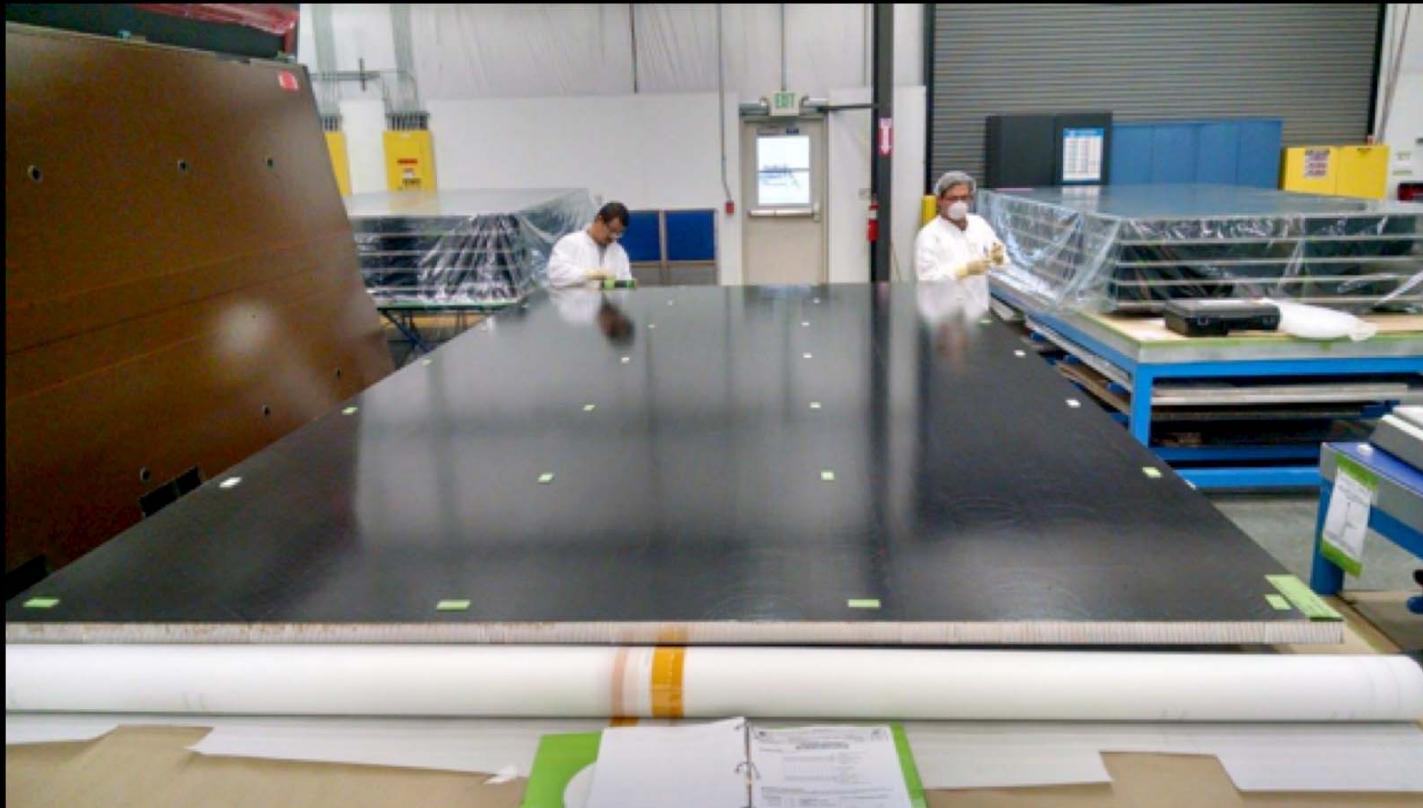
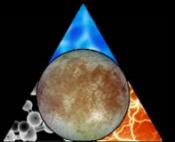
Solar Cells in radiation test fixture



Solar Cell Low Intensity / Low Temperature & Radiation Testing



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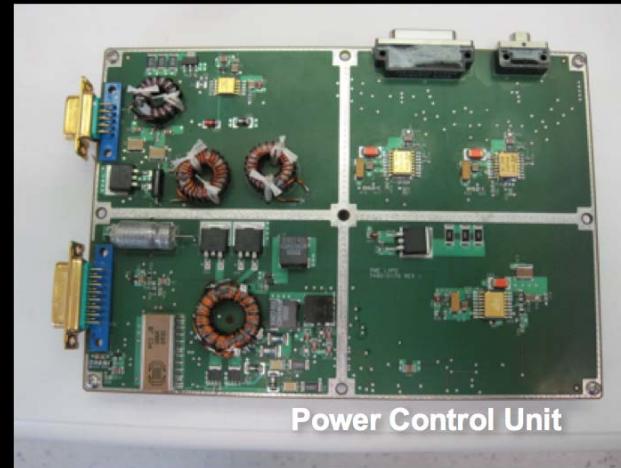
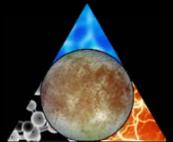


*Full Size Solar
Array Panel
Demonstrator
(2.2m x 4.1m)*

One of Ten!



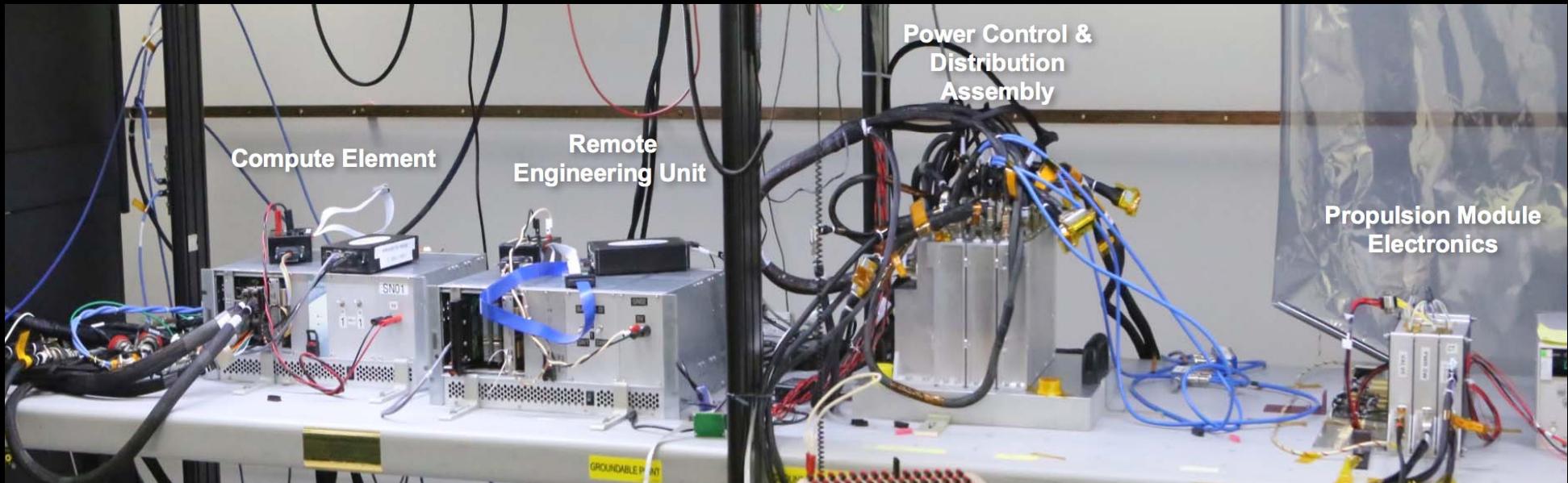
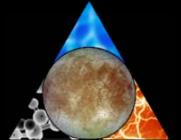
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*Power and Propulsion Module
Electronics Prototypes*



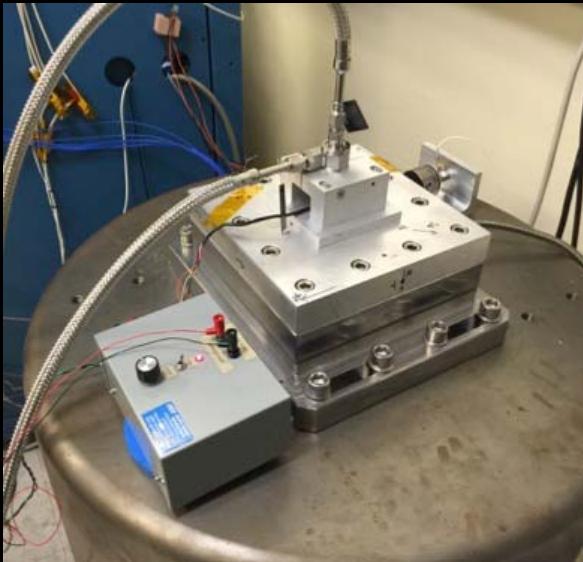
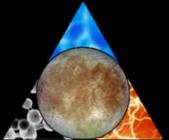
Significant Hardware Development Progress



*Prototype Avionics Testbed
(Running Time/Space Partitioned Flight Software)*



Significant Hardware Development Progress



*Thermal Pump
Microphonics Test*



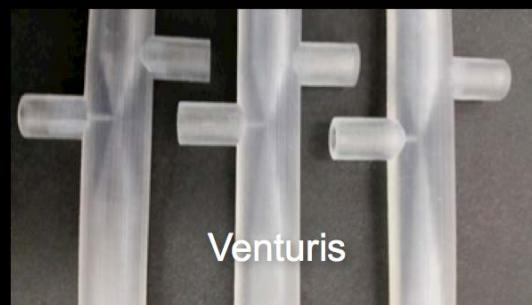
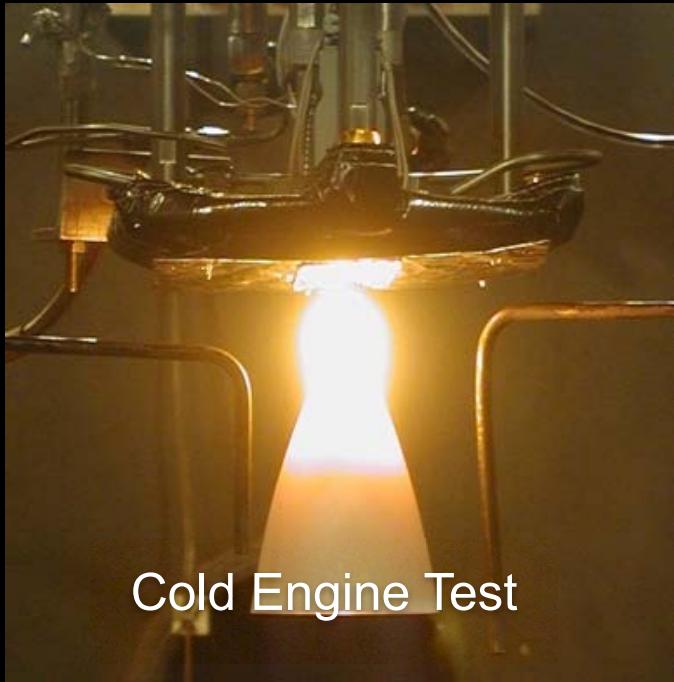
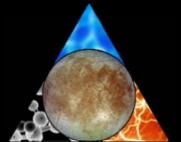
*Thermal Pump Life Test
(Irradiated CFC-11)*



*CFC-11
Lifetime Buy*



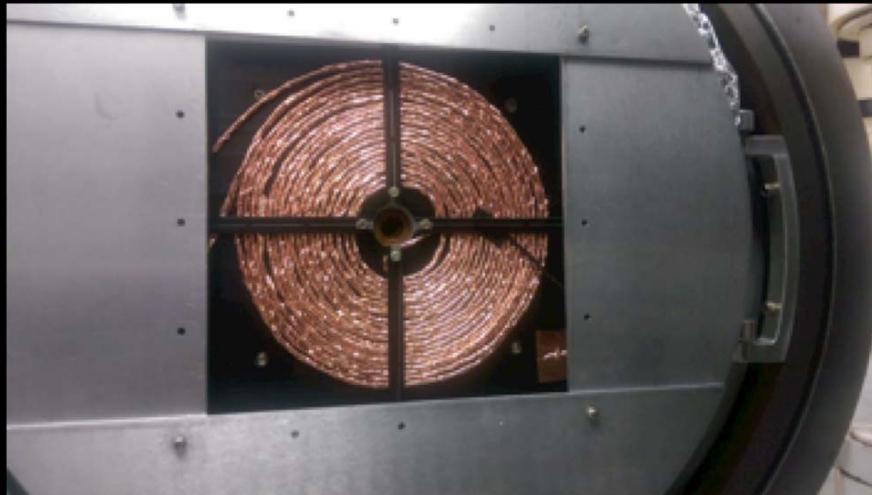
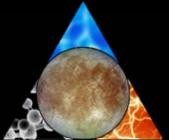
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Propulsion Component Tests



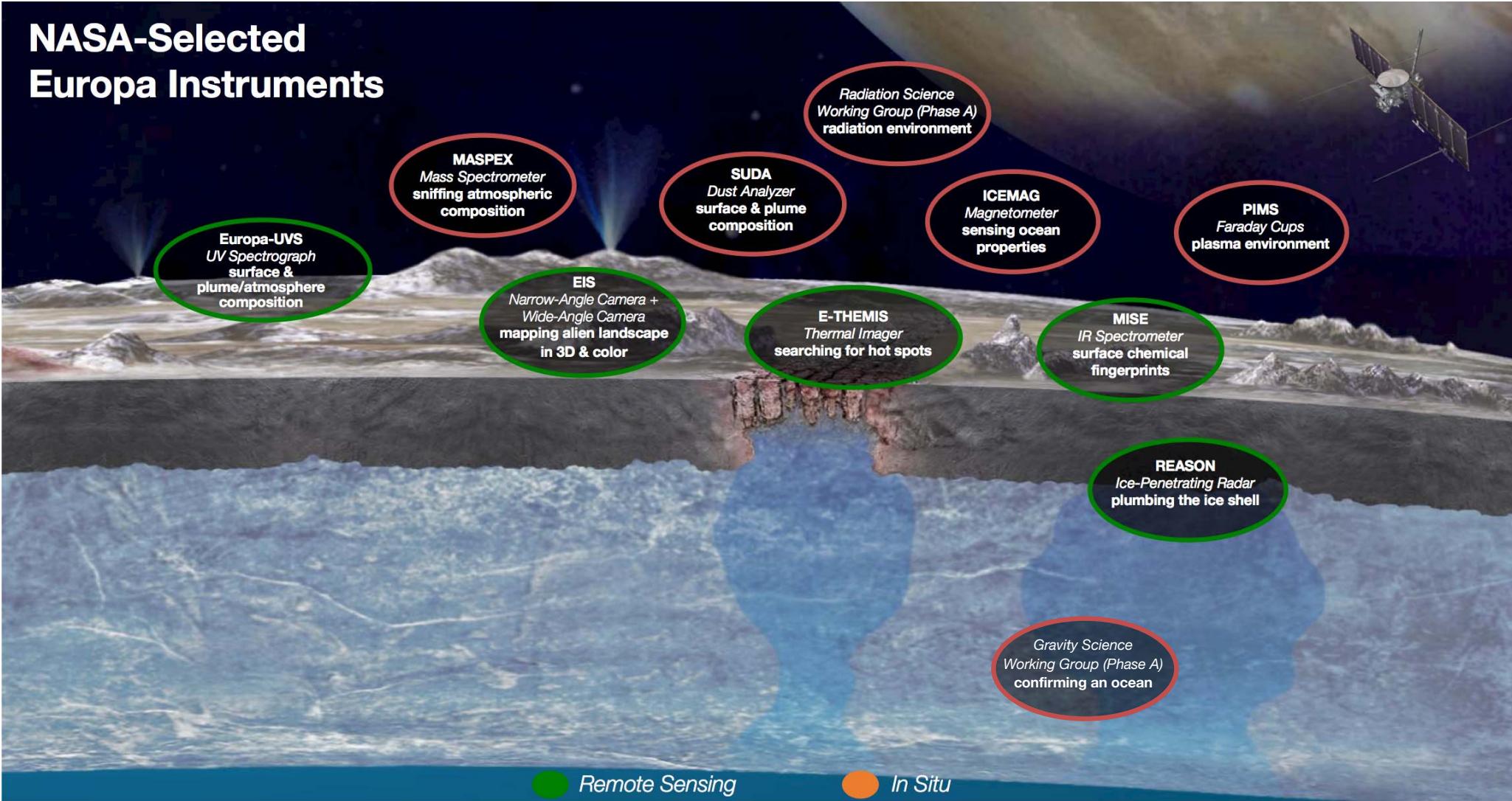
Significant Hardware Development Progress



*Cable Internal Electrostatic
Discharge Testing*



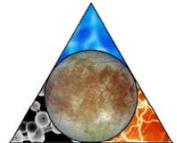
NASA-Selected Europa Instruments



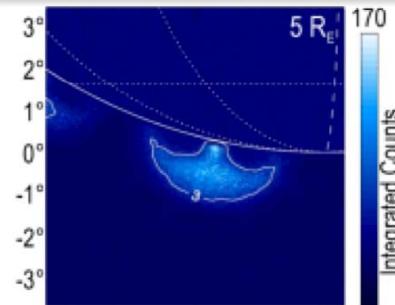
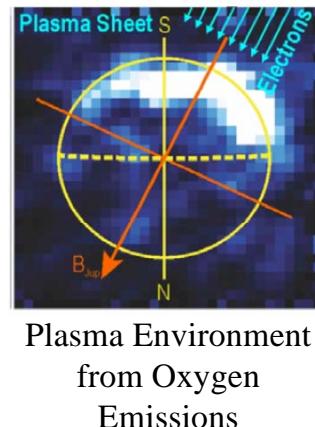


Europa Ultraviolet Spectrograph (Europa-UVS)

Kurt Retherford, Southwest Research Institute (SwRI), San Antonio



- **Atmosphere:** Composition & chemistry, source & sinks, structure, & variability equator to pole
- **Plumes:** Distribution, structure, composition, and variability of active plumes
- **Surface:** Explore surface composition & microphysics and relation to endogenic & exogenic processes
- **Plasma Environment:** Investigate energy and mass flow into Europa's atmosphere, neutral cloud & plasma torus



Plume Detection
and Density Model
(high resolution mode)

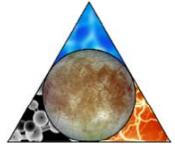
- Spatial and spectral UV imaging
- High spatial resolution mode allows for imaging of detailed surface and plume structures
- Performs solar and stellar occultations to determine composition

Key instrument Parameters	
Wavelength Range	55 – 210 nm
Spatial Resolution	0.16° (low res); 0.04° (high res) Nyquist sampled
Spectral Resolution	$\lambda/\Delta\lambda = 220$; <0.6 nm FWHM (point source)
Spectral Cube Size	2048 (spectral) x 512 (spatial)

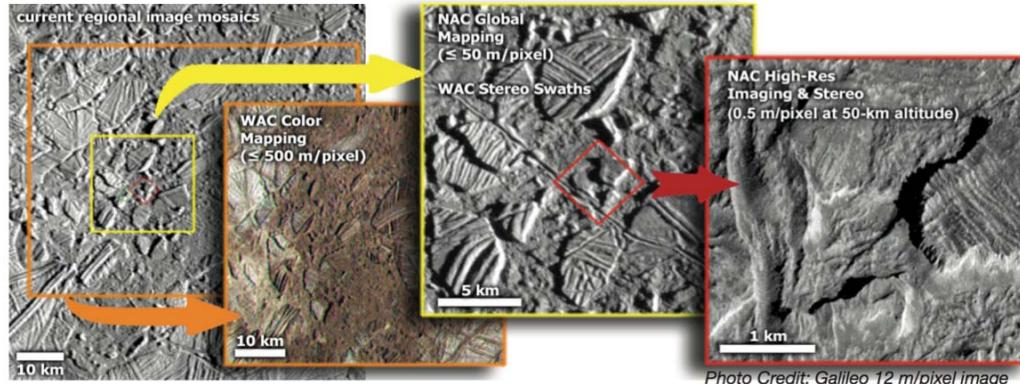


Europa Imaging System (EIS)

Zibi Turtle, Johns Hopkins U. Applied Physics Laboratory (APL)



- Constrain the formation of surface features and potential for current activity
- Characterize the ice shell
- Characterize the surface regolith at small scales



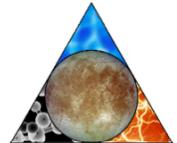
- NAC: high-resolution, stereo imaging, color
- NAC gimbal permits independent targeting, enabling near-global mapping, including stereo, and high-phase observations to search for potential plumes
- WAC: along-track stereo & color context imaging
- WAC supports cross-track clutter characterization for ice-penetrating radar

Key Instrument Parameters		
	NAC	WAC
Detector	4096 × 2048 rad-hard CMOS	
Wavelength Range	Panchromatic plus 6 filters (350 – 1050 nm) NEW!	
Instantaneous Field of View	10 μ rad (0.5 m/pixel at 50 km)	218 μ rad (11 m/pixel at 50 km)
Field of View	2.347° × 1.173°	48° × 24°
TDI	Typically \leq 18 lines of Time Delay Integration	

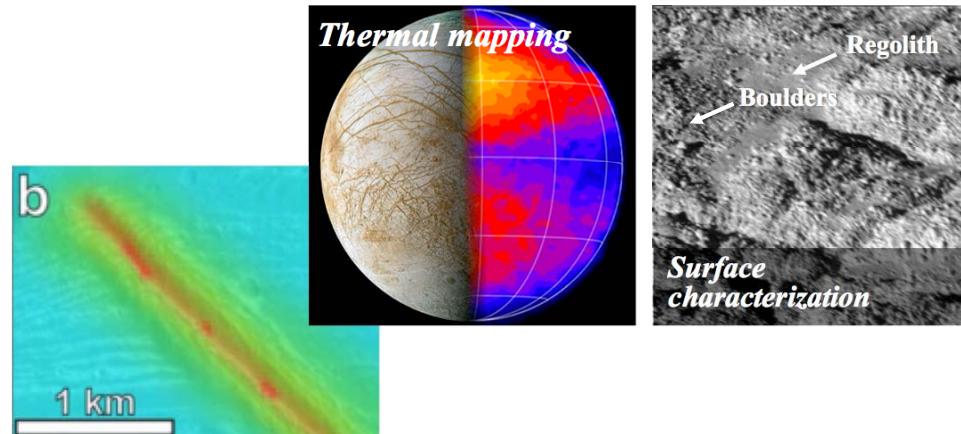


Europa Thermal Imaging System (E-THEMIS)

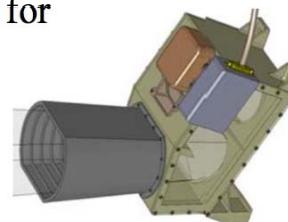
Philip Christensen, Arizona State University



- Detect and characterize thermal anomalies that may indicate recent activity
- Identify active plumes
- Determine the regolith particle size, block abundance and subsurface layering for surface process studies



- High-resolution thermal images
- Uncooled microbolometer array with three spectral channels
- Time-delay integration (TDI) for measuring low temperatures



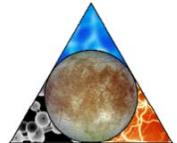
Key instrument Parameters	
Filters	7–14, 14–28, 28–70 μm
Resolution	5 – 35 m at 25 km range
Image width	5.7° cross-track (720 pixels)
Radiometric Precision	1 K for global-scale observations; 2 K for local-scale observations
Radiometric accuracy	1.25%
Time Delay Integration	16 lines



Mapping Imaging Spectrometer for Europa (MISE)

Diana Blaney, Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL)

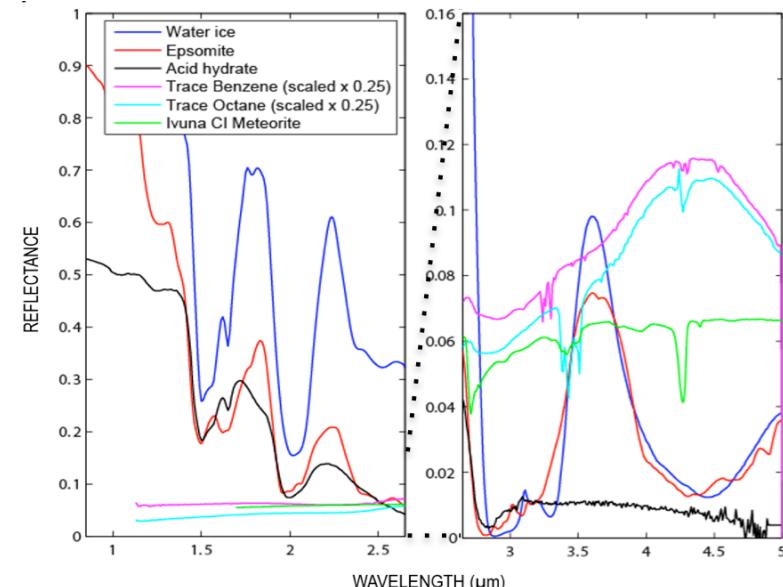
IR



- Assess the habitability of Europa's ocean by understanding the inventory and distribution of surface compounds
- Investigate the geologic history of Europa's surface
- Search for areas that are currently geologically active

Key instrument Parameters	
Wavelength Range	0.8 to 5.0 μm (800 – 5000 nm)
Spatial Resolution	10km/pixel full-disk images at 40,000 km range 25 m/pixel at 100 km range
Spectral Resolution	10 nm
Spectral Cube Size	300 lines x 80 to 300 samples x 451 spectral channels
Cubes Collected	Up to 8 per flyby
Signal-to-noise Ratio	>100:1 from 0.8–2.6 μm , 10:1 between 2.6 and 3.2 μm , >25 from >3.2 μm

Key compounds at MISE spectral resolution and sampling



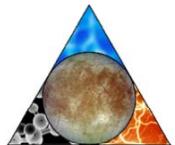
Ice and salt chemistry

Trace organics

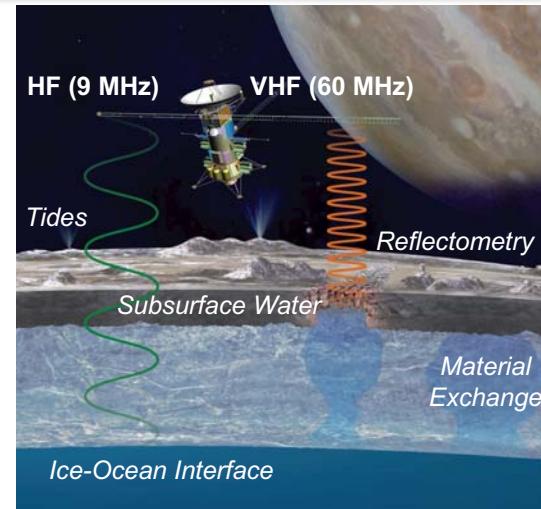




Radar for Europa Assessment and Sounding: Ocean to Near-surface (REASON) Don Blankenship, University of Texas Institute for Geophysics, Austin



- Characterize the distribution of any shallow subsurface water
- Search for an ice-ocean interface and characterize the ice shell's global thermophysical structure
- Investigate the processes governing material exchange among the ocean, ice shell, surface, and atmosphere
- Constrain the amplitude and phase of the tides
- Characterize scientifically compelling sites, and hazards, for a potential future landed mission

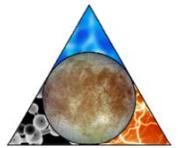


- Simultaneous high resolution, shallow sounding, altimetry, and reflectometry along with lower resolution full-depth sounding of the ice shell and plasma measurements

Key instrument Parameters	
Dual Frequencies	60 MHz ($\lambda = 5$ m) Very High Frequency (VHF) globally, and 9 MHz ($\lambda = 33.3$ m) High Frequency (HF) anti-Jovian
Vertical Resolution	<i>Shallow sounding:</i> VHF with <15 m resolution from depths of 300 m to 3 km; <i>Full-depth sounding:</i> VHF or HF with <150 m resolution from 1 to 30km depths; <i>Altimetry:</i> VHF with <15m resolution
Antenna	2 deployable HF and 4 VHF dipole antennas mounted on solar array
Radiated Power	10 - 30 W

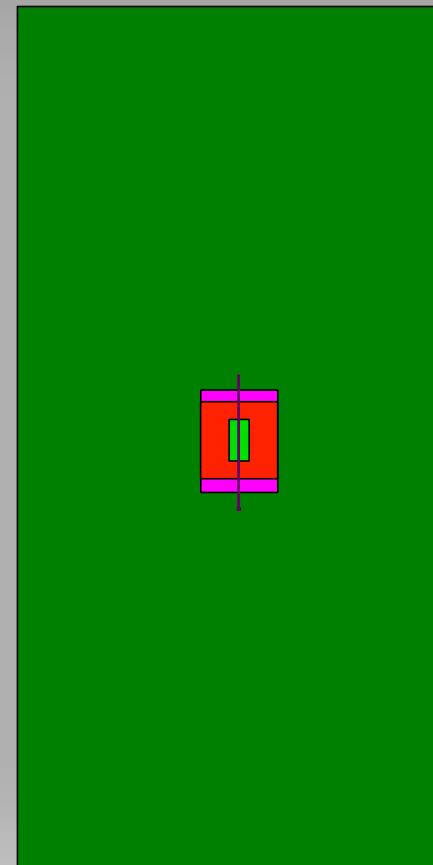


Europa Remote Sensing Fields of View



- Europa-UVS:
 $7.3^\circ \times 0.1^\circ$
 $+ 0.2^\circ \times 0.2^\circ$
- EIS WAC:
 $48^\circ \times 24^\circ$
- EIS NAC:
 $2.35^\circ \times 1.17^\circ$
- MISE:
 $4.3^\circ \times 0.86$ to 4.3°
- E-THEMIS:
 $5.7^\circ \times 4.3^\circ$
- REASON: 60°

Note: Pushbroom imaging by EIS, UVS, E-THEMIS, REASON, and (at times) MISE enable arbitrary image lengths along-track (nadir at C/A)



Pixel scales
from 100 km:

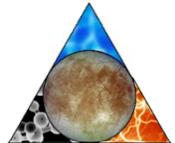
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WAC: 22 m
NAC: 1 m
MISE: 25 m
E-THEMIS: 20 m

Along-track
Cross-track

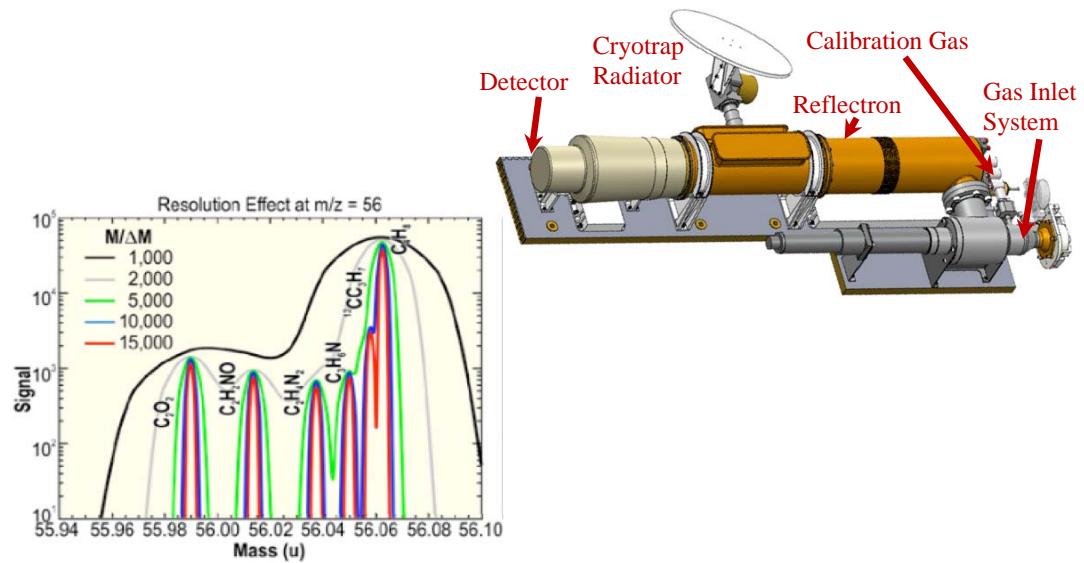


MAss Spectrometer for Planetary EXploration (MASPEX)

Jack "Hunter" Waite, Southwest Research Institute (SwRI), San Antonio



- Determine the distribution of major volatiles and key organic compounds in Europa's exosphere/plumes and their association with geological features (H_2O , H_2 , CH_4 , C_2H_4 , C_2H_6 , HCN , $\text{H}_2\text{O}/^{40}\text{Ar}$)
- Determine the relative abundances of key compounds to constrain the chemical conditions of Europa's ocean



- Multi-bounce time-of-flight mass spectrometer
- Region-of-Interest scanning for high resolution over a broad mass range
- Cryotrap allows storage for high-resolution analysis at apoapse (for trace organics and ^{40}Ar)

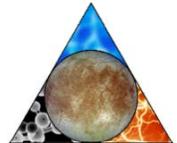
Key instrument Parameters Capability (Driving Requirements)

Mass Range	2 – 1000 u
Mass Resolution	$\text{m}/\Delta\text{m}$ up to 24,500
Dynamic range	10^{10}
Min. Density	$5 \times 10^5 \text{ m}^{-3}$

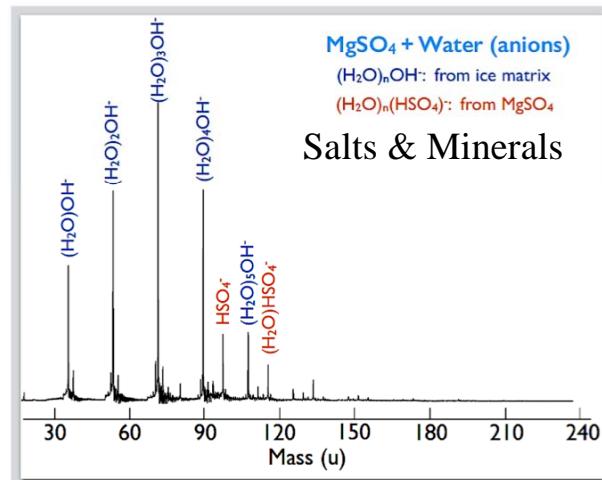
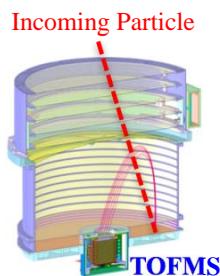


SUrface Dust Analyzer (SUDA)

Sascha Kempf, U. Colorado, Boulder



- Map the surface composition of Europa
- Characterize the alteration of Europa's surface via exogenous dust
- Determine the composition of the particulate matter in active plumes



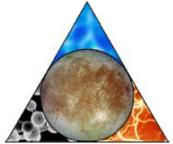
- Time-of-flight mass spectrometer (TOFMS)
- Composition of particles ejected from surface can be correlated with geologic features
- Trace amounts of complex organics can be detected in ice grains (better than 0.1 ppm)

Key instrument Parameters	
Mass Resolution	$m/\Delta m \geq 200$ for $m \leq 150$ u
Dust Grain Properties	Impact Speed Range: 0.5 – 10 km/s ($\Delta \leq 1\%$) Charge Sensitivity ≥ 0.15 fC ($\Delta \leq 10\%$) Grain Size Range: 0.2 – 10 μm ($\Delta \leq 25\%$)
Surface Resolution	Better than spacecraft altitude
Detection Limits	40 ejecta per second

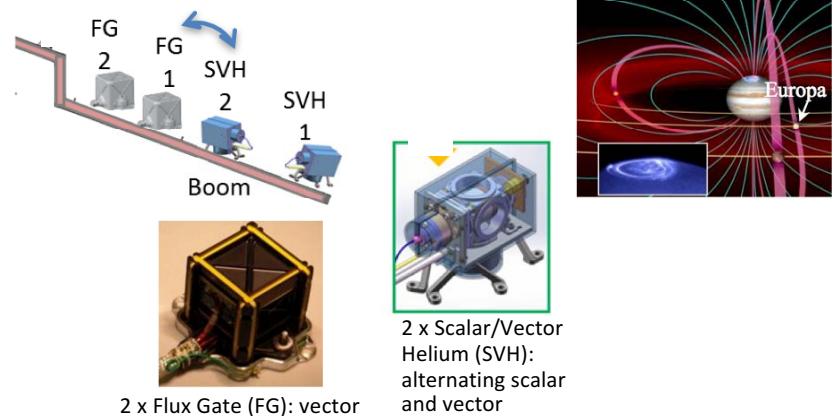


Interior Characterization of Europa using Magnetometry (ICEMAG)

Carol Raymond, Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL)



- Determine the location, thickness, and salinity of Europa's ocean by magnetic field induction at multiple frequencies
- Identify sources of Europa's atmosphere and atmospheric loss processes by characterizing any active vents, plumes, and ionized plasma trails
- Understand coupling of Europa to Jupiter's ionosphere, and coupling of plumes to flowing plasma



ICEMAG will characterize the complex magnetic environment at Europa

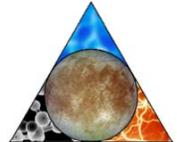
- Combines flux gate magnetometers & self-calibrating helium magnetometers
- Performs dynamical removal of the fluctuating spacecraft field, relaxing magnetic cleanliness requirement
- No need for special spacecraft maneuvers for calibration

Key instrument Parameters	
Vector magnetic field accuracy	< 0.8 nT
Range	± 1500 nT
Precision	0.01 nT
Baseline stability	< 0.1 nT over > 3 yr
Spacecraft magnetic field knowledge	< 0.5 nT
Sampling rate	16 samples / sec

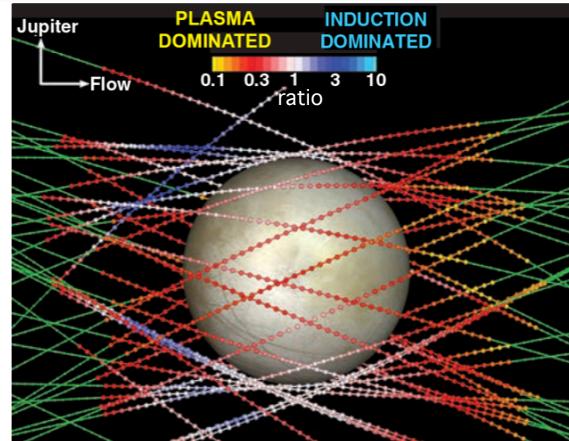


Plasma Instrument for Magnetic Sounding (PIMS)

Joseph Westlake, Johns Hopkins U. Applied Physics Laboratory (APL)

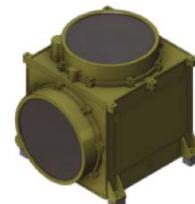


- Determine Europa's magnetic induction response, corrected for plasma contributions, to estimate ocean salinity and thickness
- Understand mechanisms of weathering and releasing material from Europa's surface into the atmosphere
- Understand how Europa influences its local space environment and Jupiter's magnetosphere



Plasma near Europa has a strong contribution to the observed magnetic field and masks the induction response from the subsurface ocean.

- 2 sensors, each with 2 Faraday Cups with 90° fields of view
- Instruments measure:
 - ion density, temperature, & velocity
 - electron density & temperature
- Sensors are immune to degradation and background noise from penetrating radiation

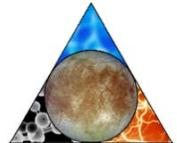


Key instrument Parameters	
Ion Energy Range	0.1 – 50 eV, 0.02 – 7 keV
Electron Energy range	0.1 – 50 eV, 0.01 – 2 keV
Energy Resolution	<15%
Sensitivity	0.5 – 10 ⁵ pA/cm ²
Time Resolution	1 – 4 s

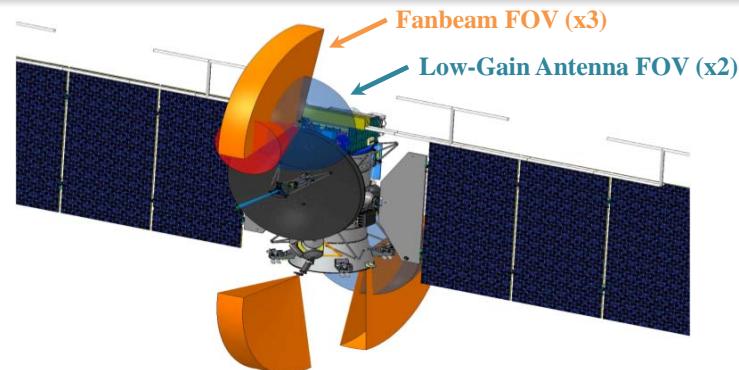


Gravity Science Investigation

Sean Solomon, Chair, Gravity Science Working Group, for Phase A

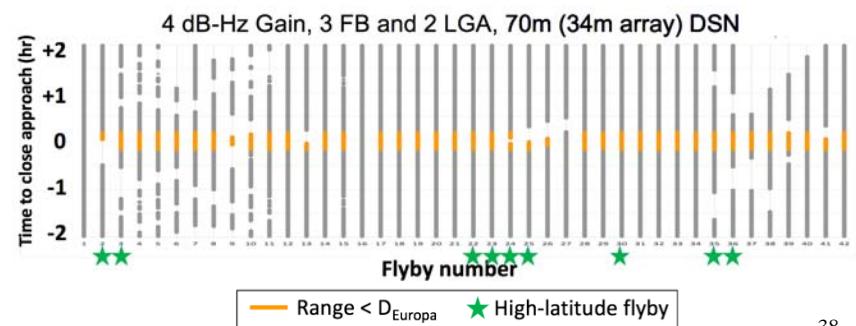


- Characterize Europa's time-varying gravitational tides (k_2)
- Confirm the existence of Europa's subsurface ocean
- In combination with radar altimetry (h_2), constrain ice shell thickness



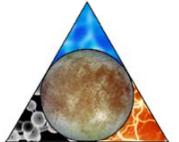
- Three Fixed Fanbeam (FB) antennas, plus utilizes two low-gain antennas (LGAs) to fill in coverage esp. for high-latitude fly-bys
- X-band up & down
- Radio Science Receivers used at DSN
- Opportunities for arraying DSN antennas and augmenting DSN with ESA antennas
- Non-intrusive with the suite of science instruments during flyby

Key Parameters	
Gain	4 - 10 dB-Hz min @D/L
Fanbeam FOV	$\pm 15^\circ$ by $\pm 50^\circ$
Resolution	0.07 mm s ⁻¹ (60 s integration time)





Europa Mission Science Objectives (1/3): *Ice Shell & Ocean*

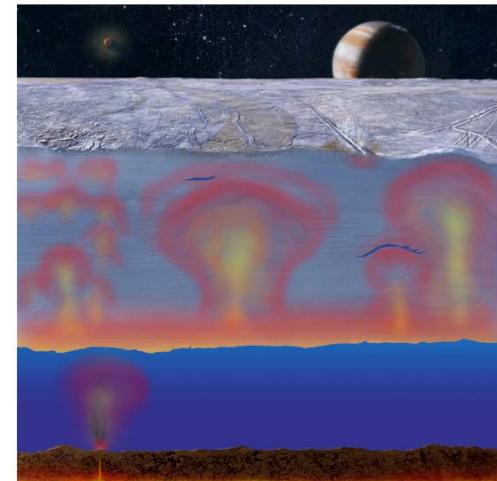


- ***Ice Shell & Ocean Objective:***

Characterize the ice shell and any subsurface water, including their heterogeneity, ocean properties, and the nature of surface-ice-ocean exchange

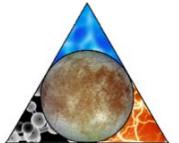
- ***Ice Shell & Ocean Investigations:***

- Characterize the distribution of any shallow subsurface water and the structure of the icy shell [*EIS, REASON*]
- Determine ocean salinity and thickness [*ICEMAG, MISE, PIMS, SUDA*]
- Constrain the regional and global thickness, heat-flow, and dynamics of the ice shell [*E-THEMIS, EIS, Gravity, ICEMAG, PIMS, REASON*]
- Investigate processes governing material exchange among the ocean, ice shell, surface, and atmosphere [*EIS, ICEMAG, MASPEX, MISE, REASON, SUDA*]





Europa Mission Science Objectives (2/3): *Composition*



- ***Composition Objective:***

Understand the habitability of Europa's ocean through composition and chemistry

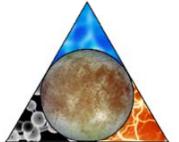
- ***Composition Investigations:***

- Characterize the composition and chemistry of endogenic materials on the surface and in the atmosphere, including potential plumes
[*EIS, Europa-UVS, ICEMAG, MASPEX, MISE, PIMS, REASON, SUDA*]
- Determine the role of the radiation and plasma environment in creating and processing the atmosphere and surface materials
[*EIS, Europa-UVS, MASPEX, MISE, PIMS, Radiation, REASON, SUDA*]
- Characterize the chemical and compositional pathways in the ocean
[*EIS, ICEMAG, MASPEX, MISE, SUDA*]





Europa Mission Science Objectives (3/3): Geology



- ***Geology Objective:***

Understand the formation of surface features, including sites of recent or current activity, and characterize high science interest localities

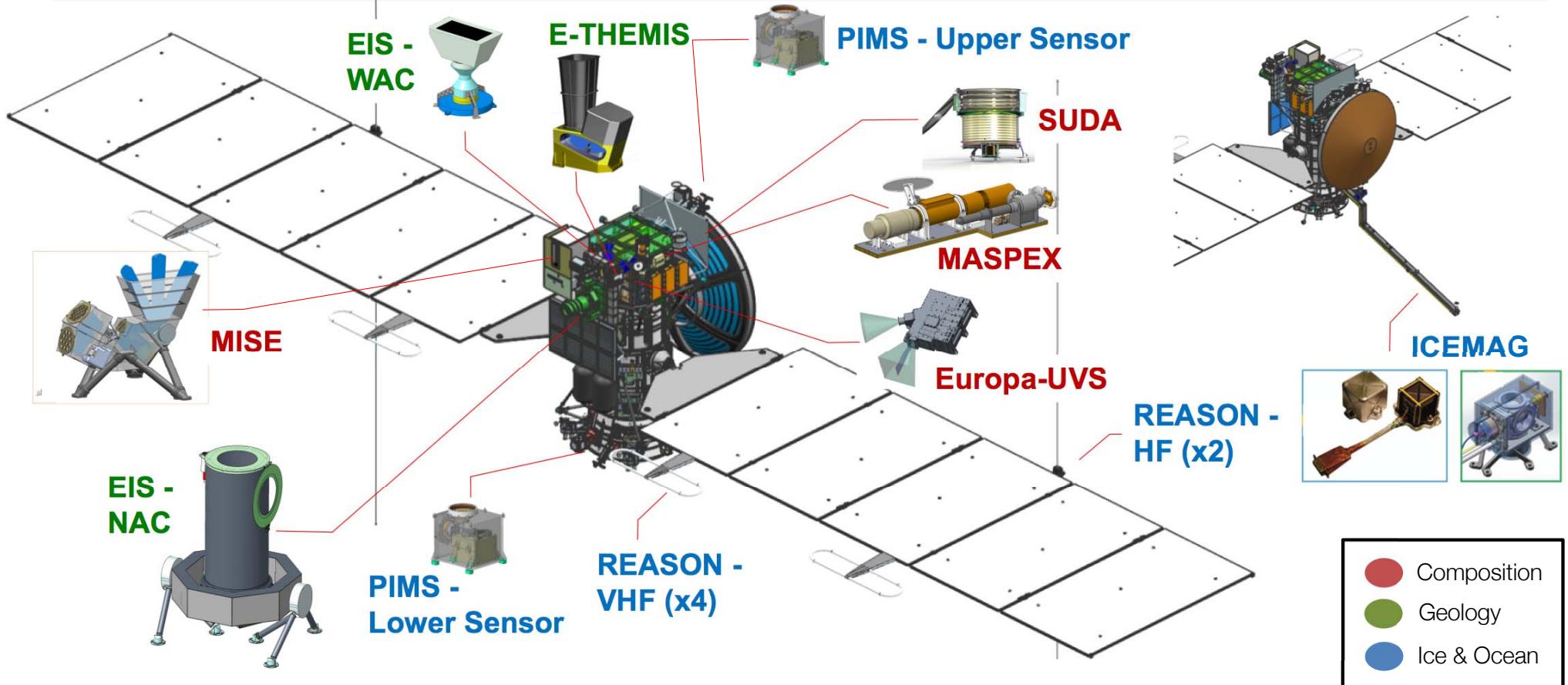
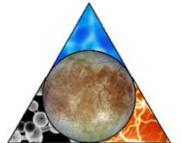
- ***Geology Investigations:***

- Determine sites of most recent geological activity, including potential plumes, and characterize localities of high science interest and potential future landing sites [*E-THEMIS, EIS, Europa-UVS, MASPEX, MISE, PIMS, Radiation, REASON, SUDA*]
- Determine the formation and three-dimensional characteristics of magmatic, tectonic, and impact landforms [*EIS, REASON*]
- Investigate processes of erosion and deposition and their effects on the physical properties of the surface [*E-THEMIS, EIS, Europa-UVS, PIMS, Radiation, REASON, SUDA*]





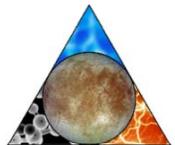
Europa Clipper Payload





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EUROPA → Europa
Altitude: 529.658 km
Relative speed: 4.26 km/s.

GNC: Nadir Ram-Optimized

GRAVITY SCIENCE - YLGA

ICEMAG: LYBY MODE

METEOR LOGIC: CENTRE OF ACQUISITION

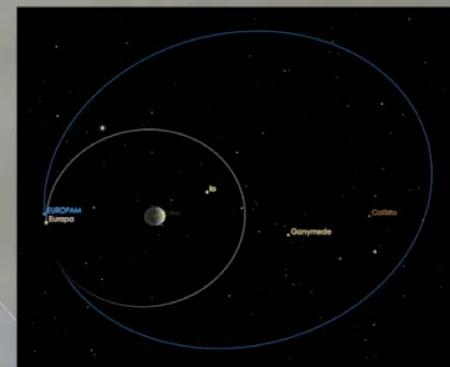
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SUDA: FLYBY MODE

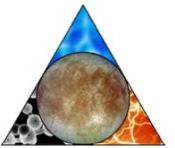
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Europa Flyby Animation

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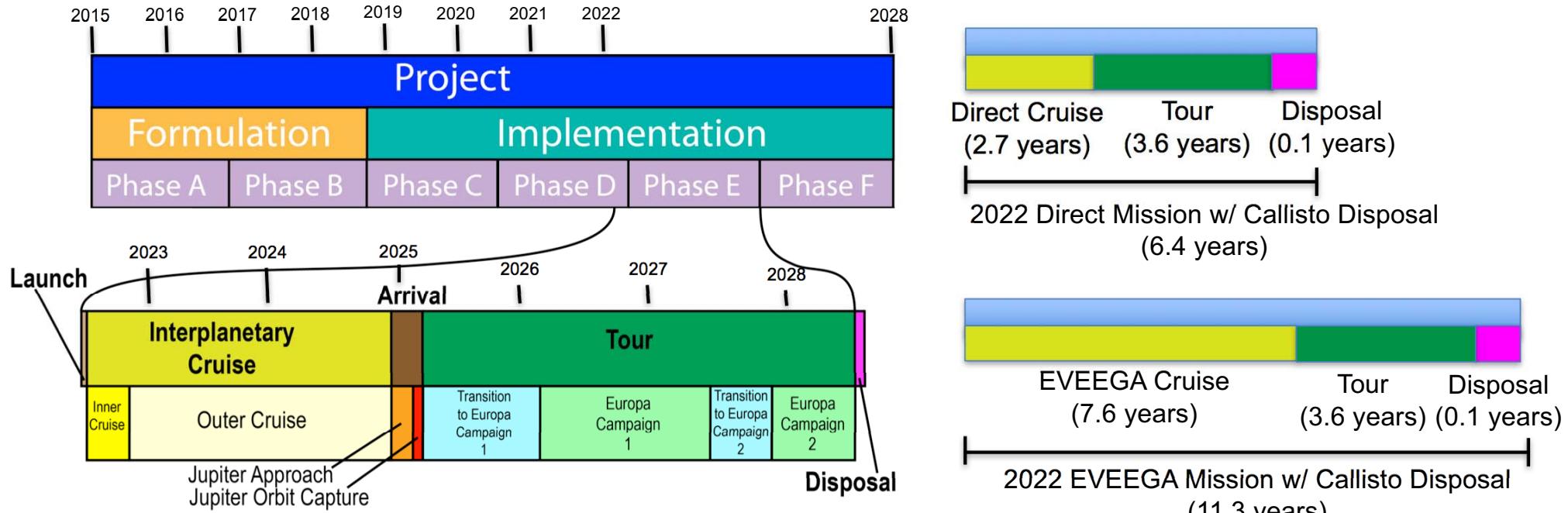
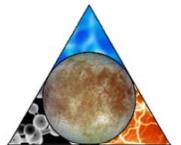




Backup



Mission Timeline, Phases & Events



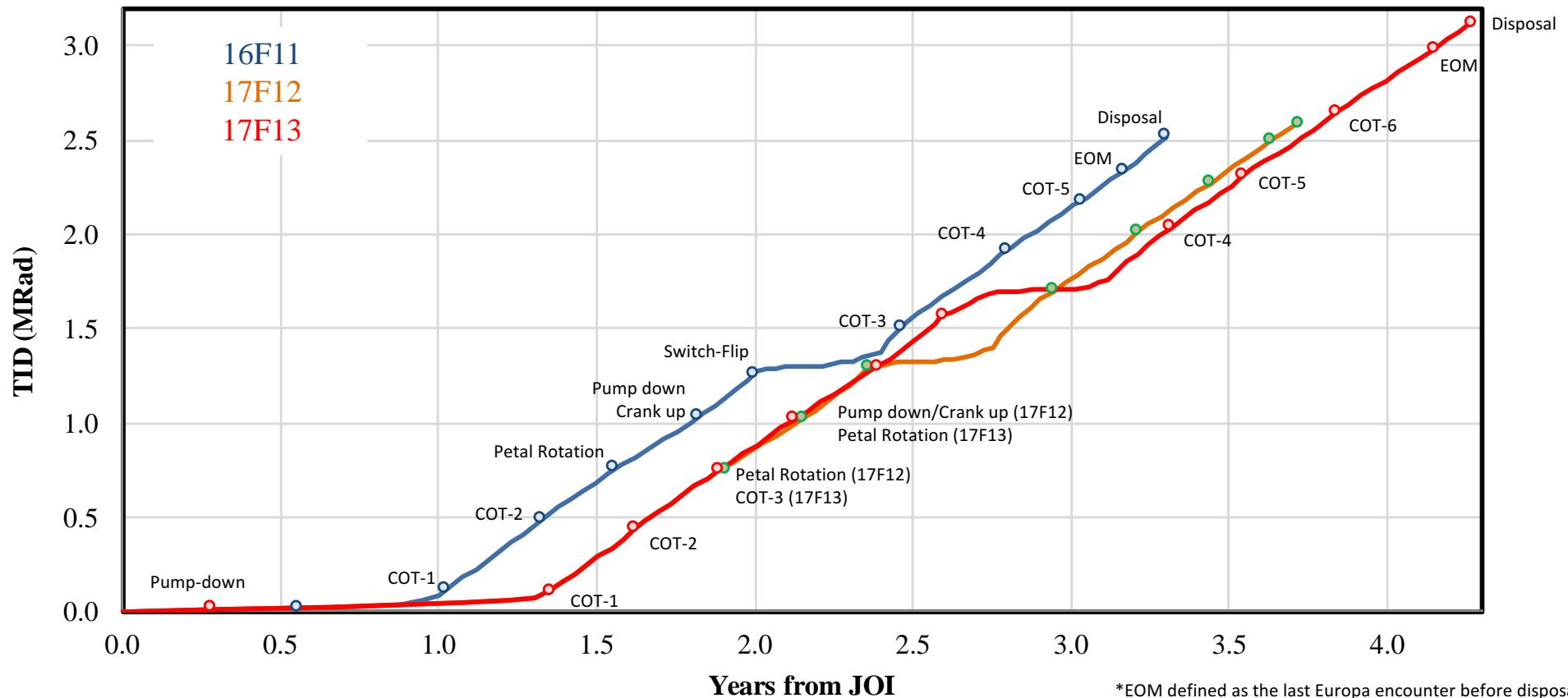
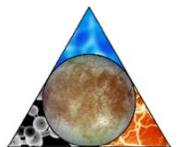
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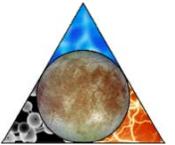
- [RQ102.123] Minimum FS Lifetime (Flight System) – 11.3 years
- [RQ102.119] Maximum Mission Duration (Mission) – 11.3 years

- [RQ102.100] Minimum SC Lifetime (Spacecraft) – 11.3 years
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TID Comparison (GIRE2p)





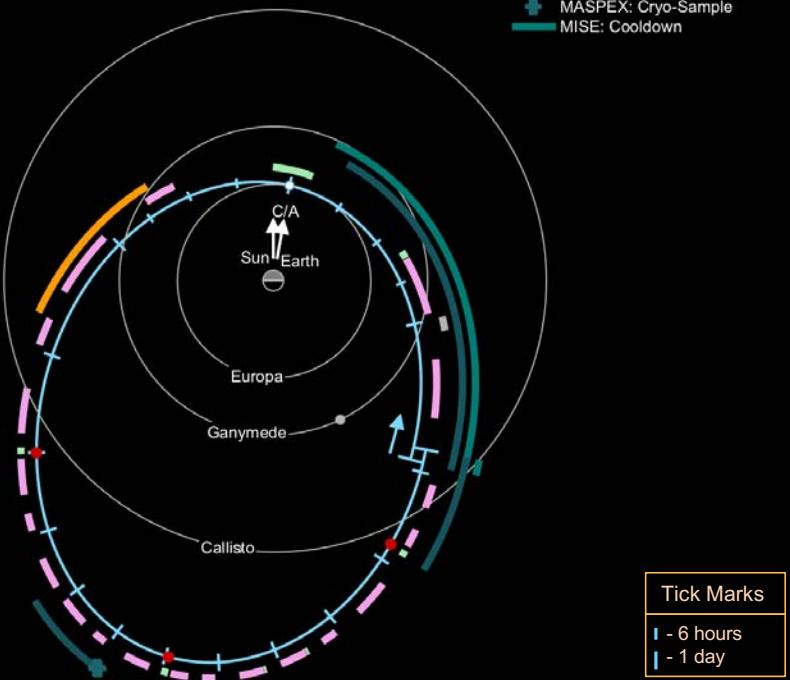
Europa Encounter Overview

Encounter: 09E03
Trajectory: 15F10_DIR_L220614_A250305_V1_scpsc.bsp
TCA: 2026 MAR 09 13:13:05.7 UTC
Enc Start: 2026 MAR 07 13:13:05.7 UTC
Enc End: 2026 MAR 21 18:08:56.6 UTC
Perijove: 9.3 R_J
Apojove: 38.0 R_J

Values at TCA
Flyby Side: Anti-Jovian
Altitude: 101 km
Latitude: 43.5 deg
E. Longitude: 179.1 deg
LST: 11:28

(E3 example)

- S/C Trajectory
- OTM
- Ka-Band
- X-Band
- SUDA: Survey
- PIMS: Roll
- MASPEX: Warmup+Cooldown
- MASPEX: Cryo-Sample
- MISE: Cooldown



Start:

E3 Encounter starts at E3 C/A-2 days

End:

E3 Encounter ends at E4 C/A-2 days

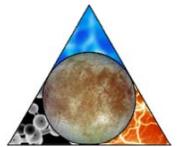
Duration: 14.2 days

Major Activities:

Europa science acquisition
Ongoing ICEMAG and PIMS environmental monitoring
SUDA Survey
Episodic calibration
Decontaminations
Playback and BDS maintenance
OTMs, OPNAV
RWA biasing (prior to approach OTM and during Departure)
Ephemeris Update

Communications/Tracking:

34m @ ~50% duty cycle
FBx and LGAx (X-band) for gravity science
FBx (X-band) for OTMs
HGA (X-band) for final contact prior to C/A
HGA (Ka-band) with RWA control
One ΔDOR pair/encounter



Model Scope

Europa Contamination Event Tree

