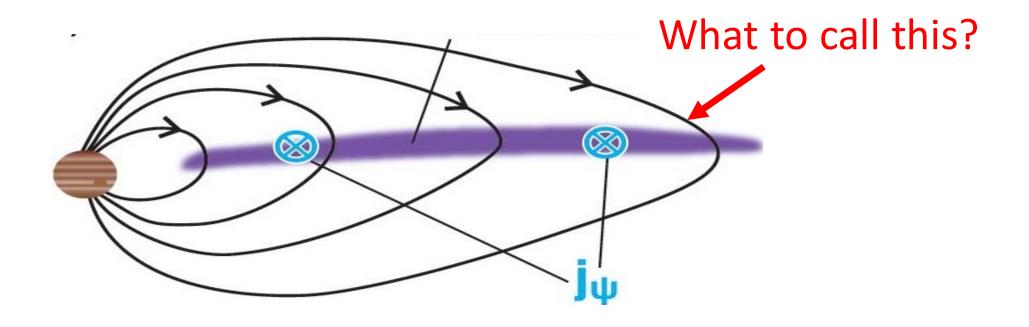
# Labelling Jupiter Magnetic Field Lines



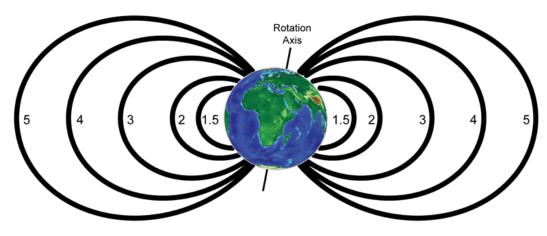
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### Coordinates for Mapping the Distribution of Magnetically Trapped Particles

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The magnetic shell parameter L is now defined for a point in the earth's magnetic field by the equation

$$L^3B/M = F(I^3B/M) \tag{6}$$

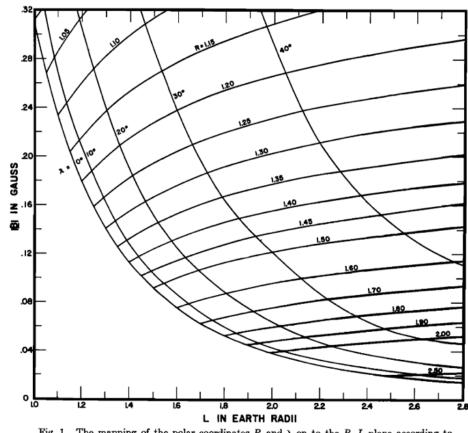
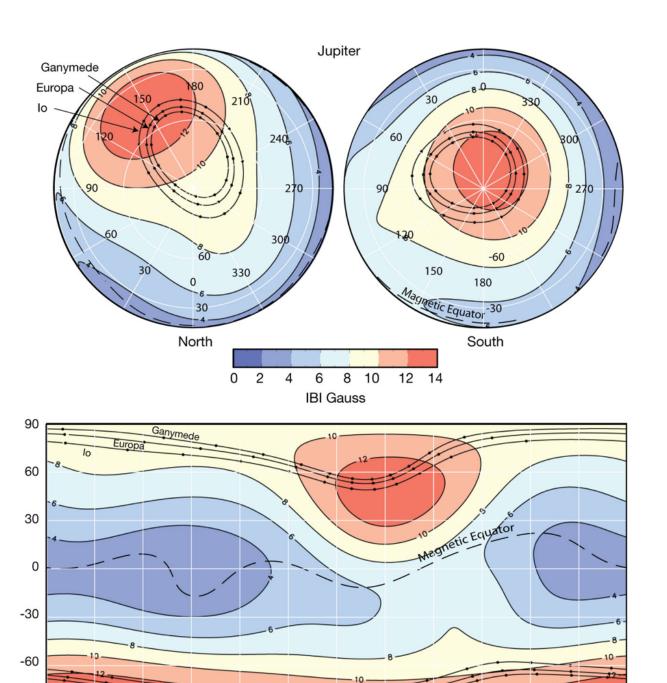


Fig. 1. The mapping of the polar coordinates R and  $\lambda$  on to the B, L plane according to the transformation

$$B = \frac{M}{R^3} \left( 4 - \frac{3R}{L} \right)^{1/2} \qquad R = L \cos^2 \lambda$$

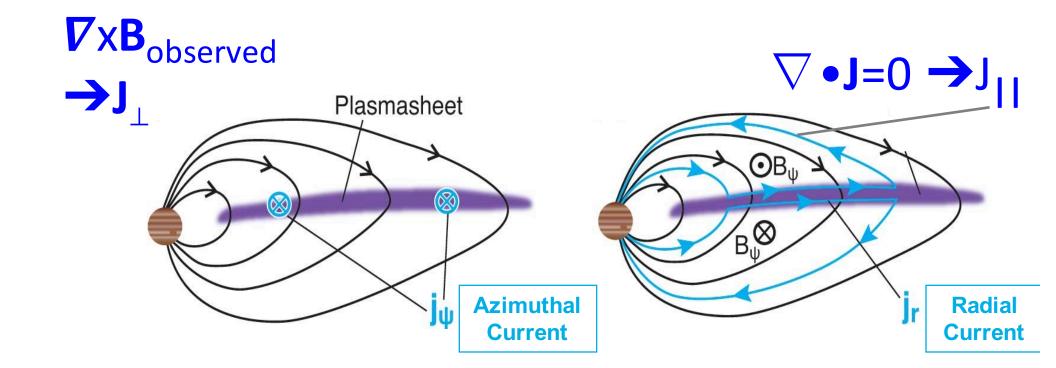
# Internal Field – VIP4 Connerney

-90 L



System III Longitude

## **External Currents**



# Jack Connerney's slide – March Juno meeting Connerney, Acuna, Ness 1981 – Voyager



### **Jovian Magnetodisc**



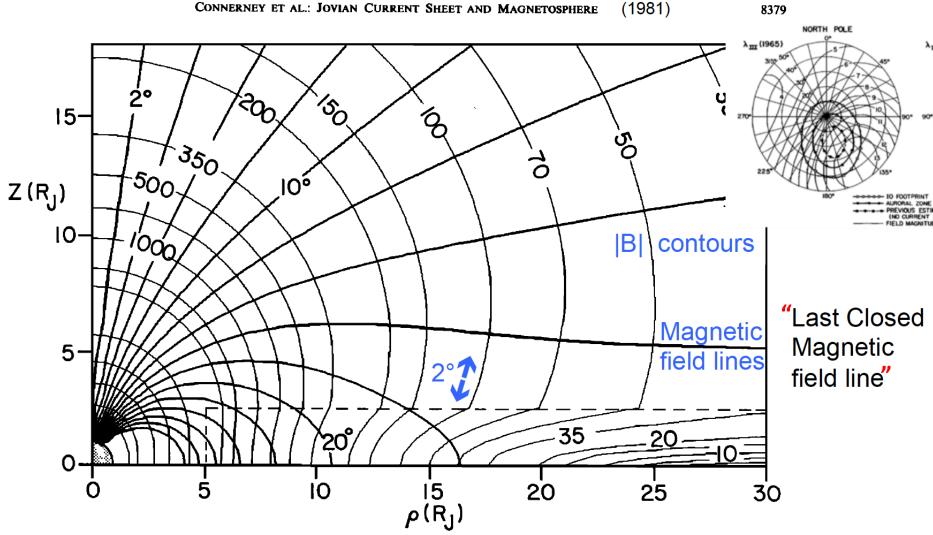
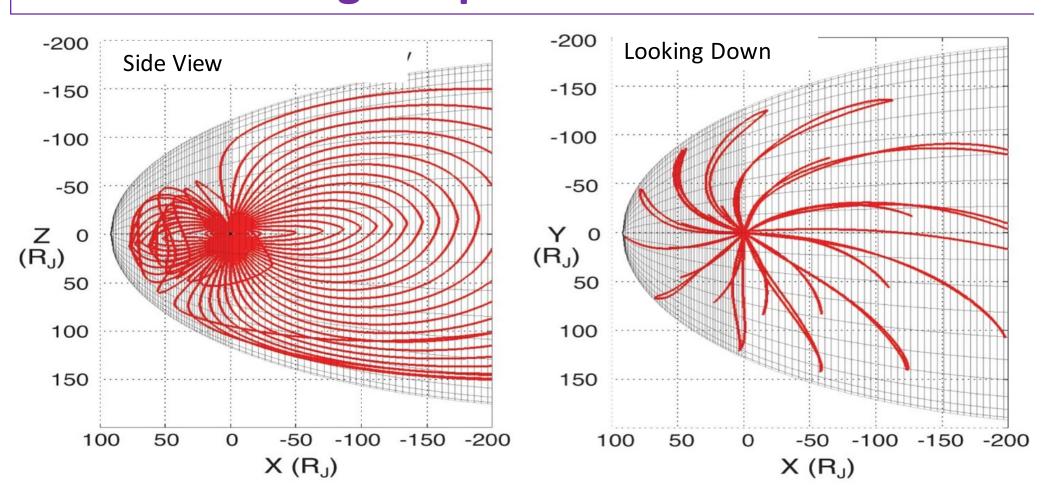


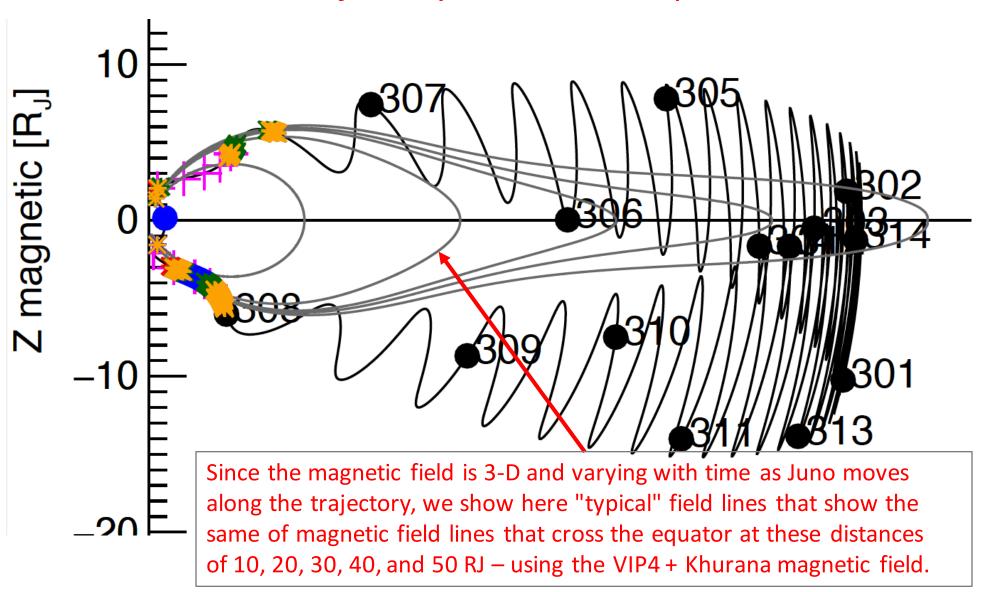
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# Jupiter magnetic field model of Khurana based on MAG data from 33 Galileo orbits – VIP4 internal + variable current sheet + magnetopause currents



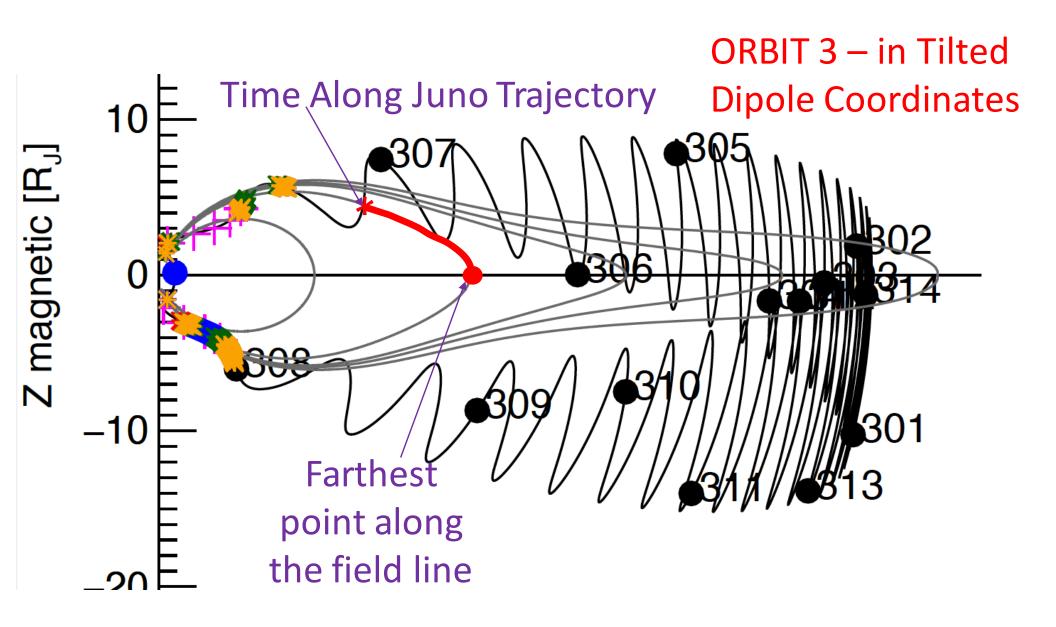
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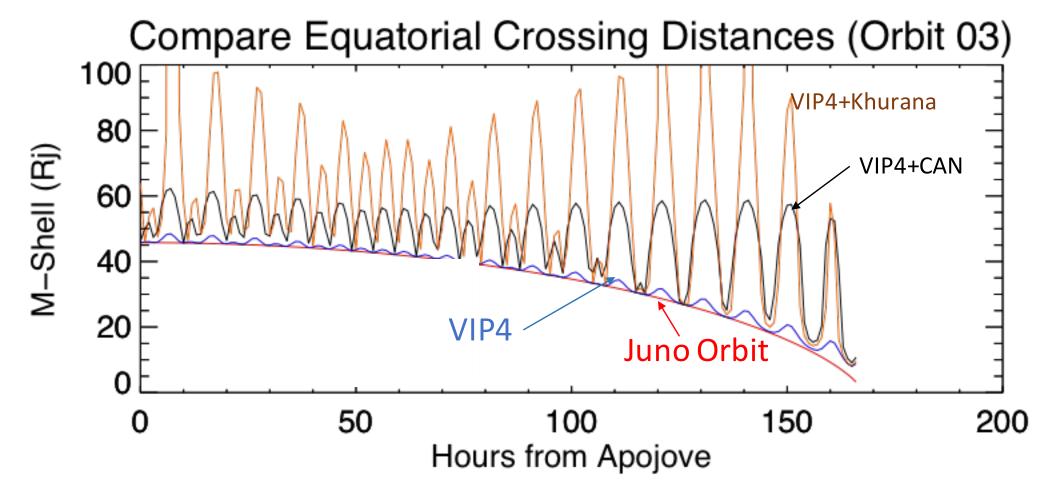
### Juno Trajectory – in Tilted Dipole Coordinates



### Magnetic Field Line:

Farthest point = Magnetic Equator & Br changes sign



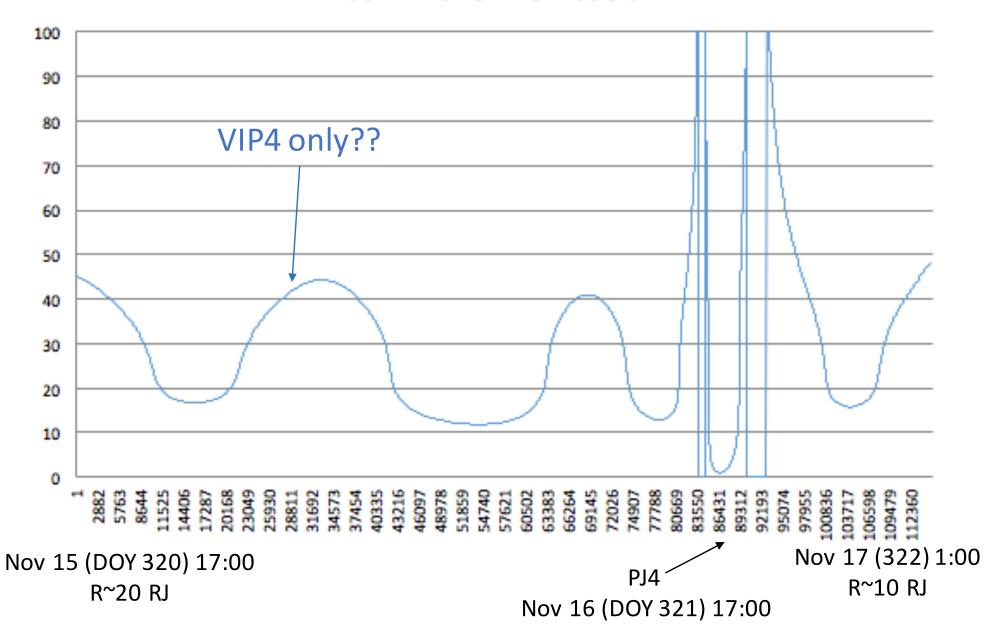


What to call this distance? Rmeq?
L-Shell = Dipole M-Shell - ???

J-Shell - ??? V-shell - ???

Barry uses VIP-L

#### PJ04 - L-Shell from JSOC



	Pros	Cons
VIP4	Simplest	Does not work > "L~10"
VIP4 + CAN	Simple Aximuthally symmetric Quick calculation	Only valid when Rmeq<30
VIP4 + Khurana	Based on more data Varies with longitude Varies with local time Varies with absolute time	Not simple Varies with longitude Varies with local time Needs absolute time Computationally heavy
	Is it necessarily more accurate?	

## Bill's Proposal:

- Use Dipole based on VIP4
  - call this Dipole L-shell
  - Buyer-beware: this has increasing error >10
- Use VIP4
  - call this VIP4-L
  - Buyer-beware: this has increasing error >10
- Use VIP4 + CAN
  - call this Rmeq
  - Buyer-beware: this has increasing error >30

BOTTOM LINE = LABEL, LABEL, LABEL!