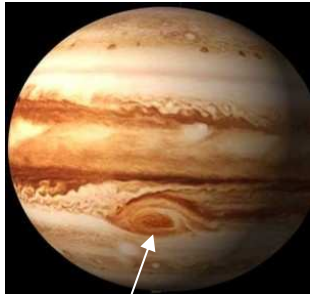


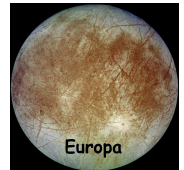
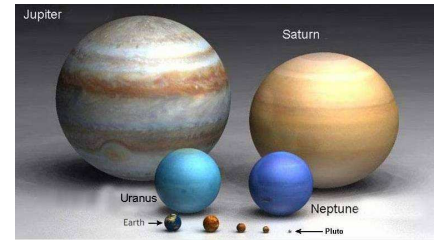
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Red Spot

# Jupiter

Jupiter is the fifth and largest planet in the Solar System. The planet is completely formed by gas. If we were to combine all the other planets they would not be half the size of Jupiter. The planet has 67 moons. Ganymede, the largest moon, is larger than even Mercury. The surface of Europa, another major moon, is completely covered by ice.



Many meteors strike the surface of Jupiter. The planet is also known for a weather formation called the Great Red Spot, which is larger than the Earth and can be seen with a telescope. Jupiter is a very cold planet. The maximum temperature is only  $-75^{\circ}\text{C}$ !



## Answer the Questions

- Jupiter is the \_\_\_\_\_ planet.
  - oldest
  - hottest
  - largest
  - closest
- What is the Great Red Spot?
  - a weather formation
  - a large volcano
  - red sand dunes
  - a crater
- Europa is covered by \_\_\_\_\_.
  - cities
  - ice
  - oceans
  - dense forests
- Jupiter has \_\_\_\_\_ moons.
  - 2
  - no
  - 67
  - 2 large and 4 small