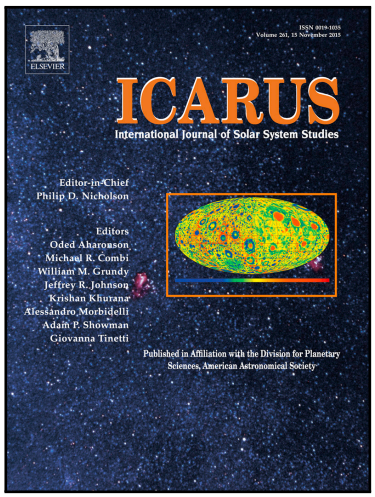

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Highlights

- Pluto and Charon are rock rich while the small satellites are mostly water ice
- Charon is about 10% icier than Pluto
- A giant impact origin involving partially differentiated precursors supported
- Formation of entire PC system in a collapsing, rotating pebble cloud not supported
- Slow, late accretion of impact precursors indicated