Day-to-day variability of Equatorial Electrojet and its role on the day-today characteristics of Equatorial Ionization Anomaly over the Indian and Brazilian sectors

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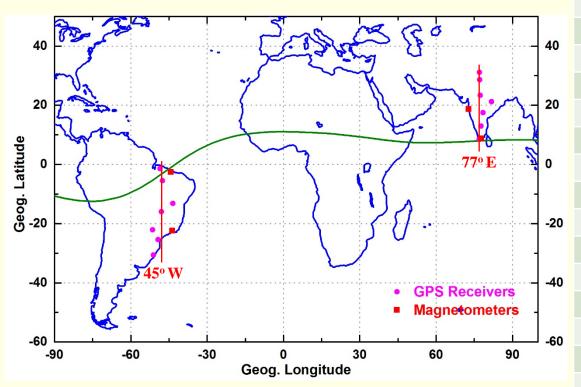


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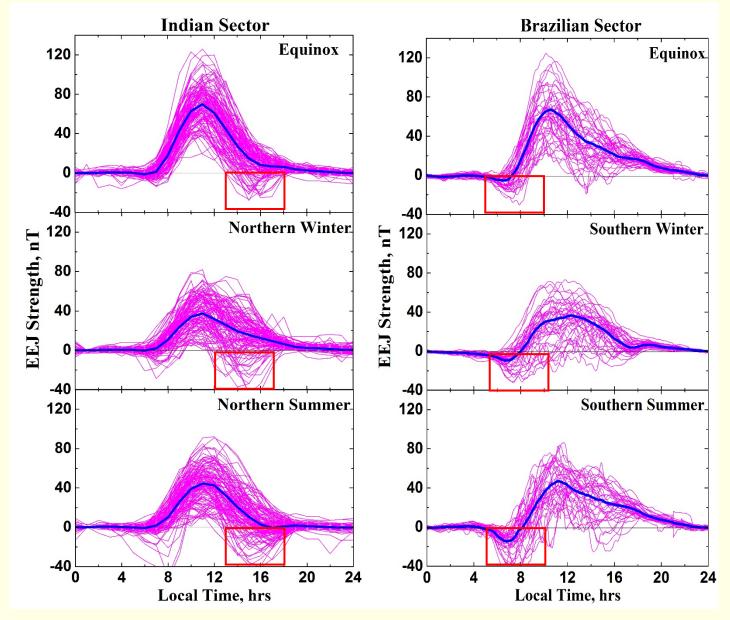
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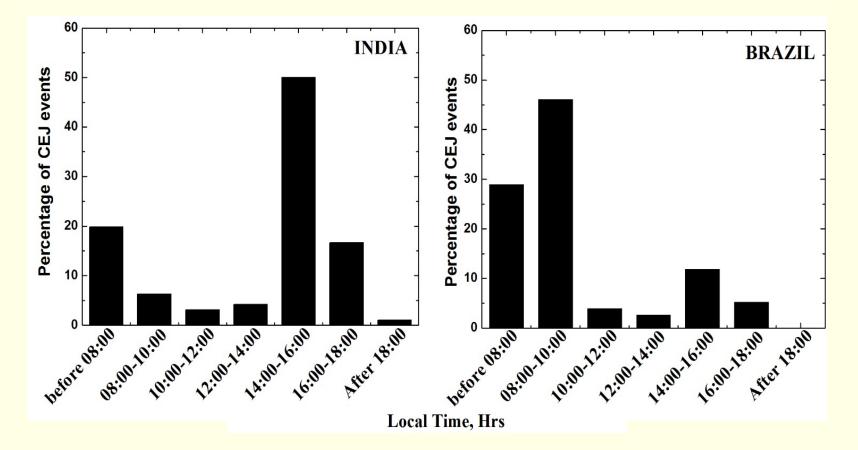


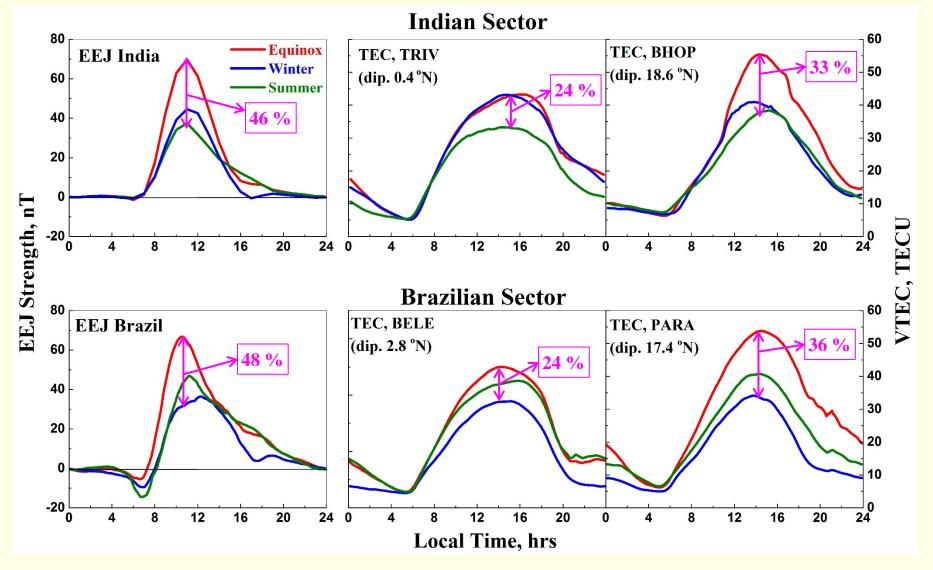
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GPS Receivers in the Indian Sector			
Trivandrum (TRIV)	8.47 ⁰ N	76.91 ⁰ E	0.4 ⁰ N
Bangalore (BNGL)	12.9 ⁰ N	77.68 ⁰ E	6.0 ⁰ N
Hyderabad (HYDE)	17.4 ⁰ N	78.47 ⁰ E	11.4 ⁰ N
Raipur (RAIP)	21.2 ⁰ N	81.74 ⁰ E	15.8 ⁰ N
Bhopal (BHOP)	23.3 ⁰ N	77.34 ⁰ E	18.6 ⁰ N
Delhi (DELH)	28.6 ⁰ N	77.21 ⁰ E	25.1 ⁰ N
Shimla (SHIM)	31.1 ⁰ N	77.07 ⁰ E	28.2 ⁰ N
GPS Receivers in the Brazilian Sector			
Belem (BELE)	1.4 ⁰ S	48.45 ⁰ W	2.8 ⁰ N
Empress (IMPZ)	5.5 ⁰ S	47.48 ⁰ W	0.8 ⁰ S
BJD Lapa (BOMJ)	13.3 ⁰ S	43.41 ⁰ W	7.6 ⁰ S
Brazilia (BRAZ)	15.9 ^o S	47.9 ⁰ W	9.8 ⁰ S
P. Prudente (UEPP)	22.1 ⁰ S	51.4 ⁰ W	14.9 ⁰ S
Curitiba (PARA)	25.4 ^o S	49.21 ^o W	17.4 ⁰ S
P. Alegre (POAL)	30.6 ⁰ S	51.11 ⁰ W	21.2 ^o S
Magnetometers in the Indian Sector			
Tirunelveli (TNVL)	8.7 ⁰ N	77.8 ⁰ E	0.4 ⁰ N
Alibag (ALBG)	18.6 ⁰ N	72.8 ⁰ E	13.1 ⁰ N
Magnetometers in the Brazilian Sector			
Sao Luiz (SALU)	2.58 °S	44.2 ⁰ W	0.6 ⁰ S
Vassouras (VSSR)	22.4 ^o S	43.6 ⁰ W	15.3 ^o S

Diurnal and Hemispheric variations of EEJ



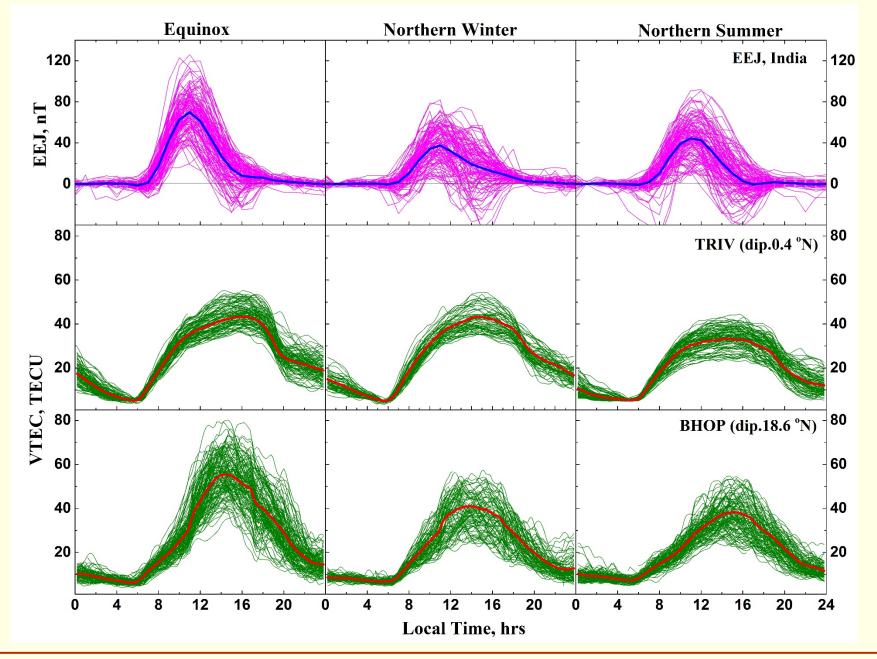
Occurrence characteristics of CEJ events in the Indian and Brazilian sectors





Seasonal mean characteristics of EEJ and TEC at EIA trough and crests

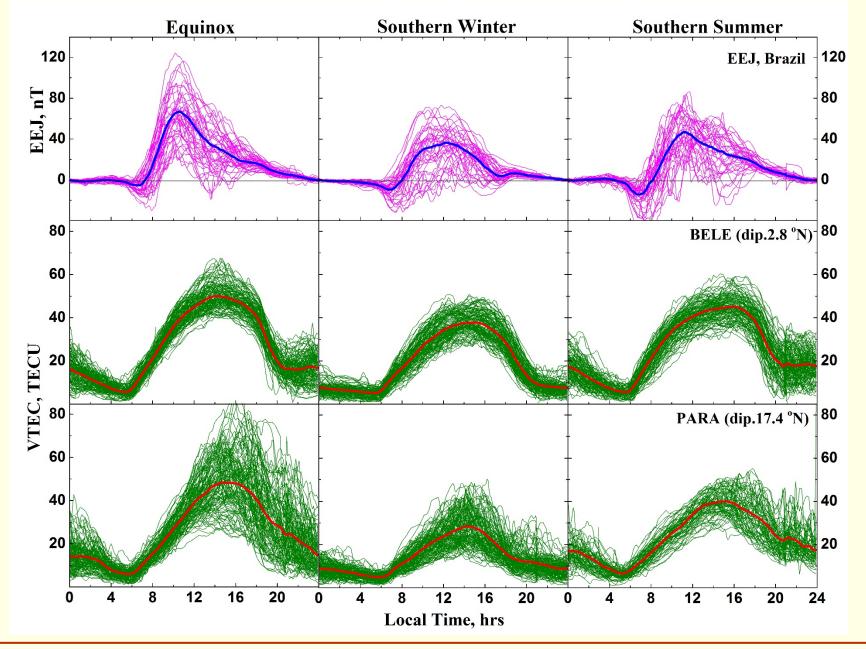
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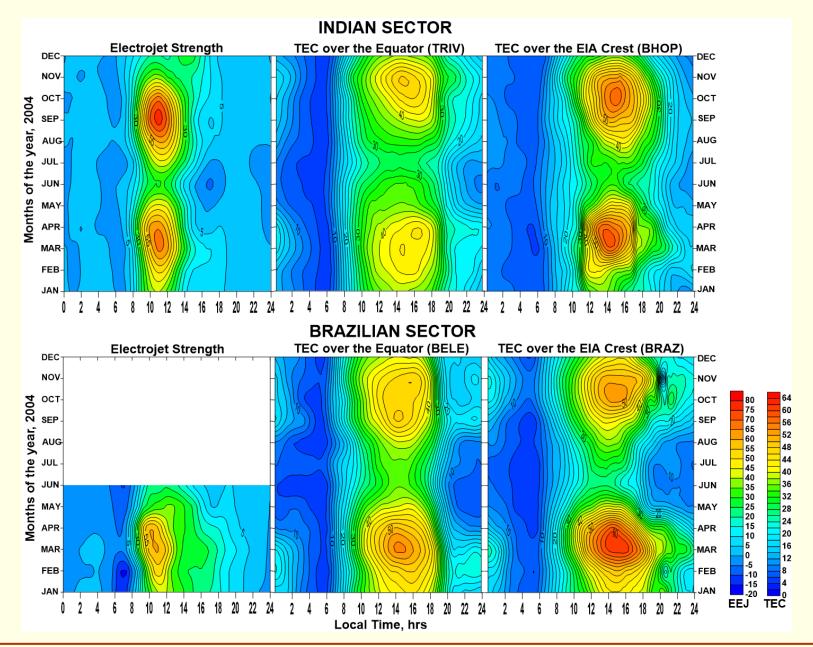
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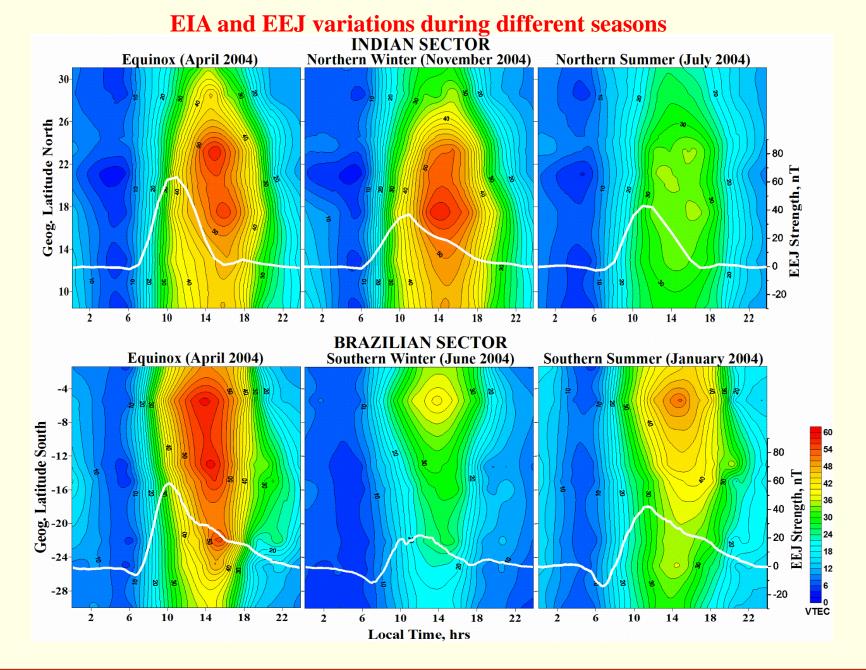
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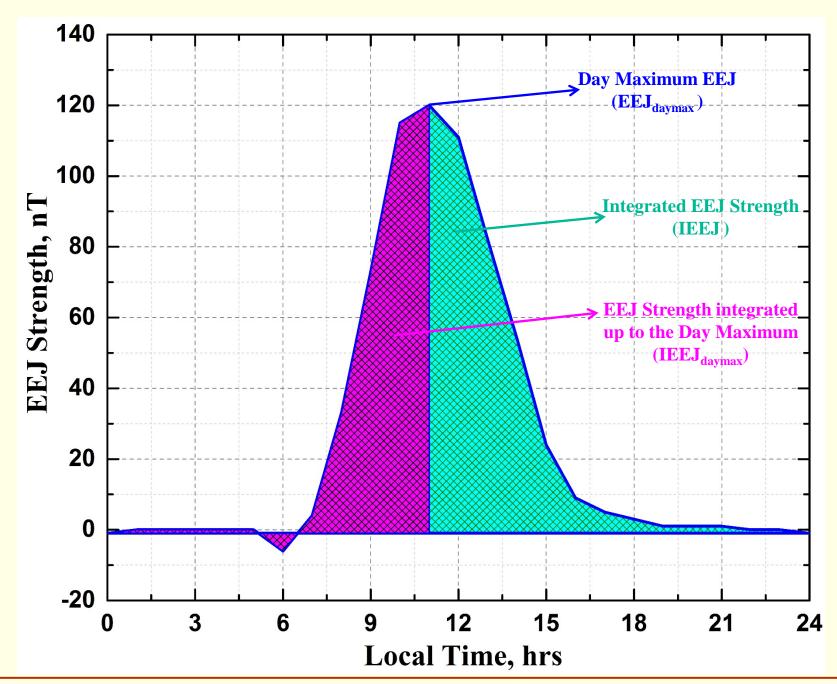
Semi annual variations of EEJ and TEC in the Indian and Brazilian sectors



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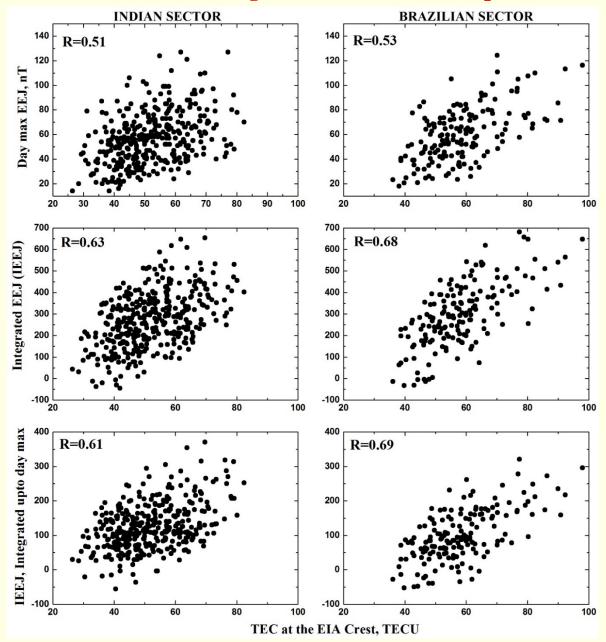




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Correlation of EIA strength with different EEJ parameters

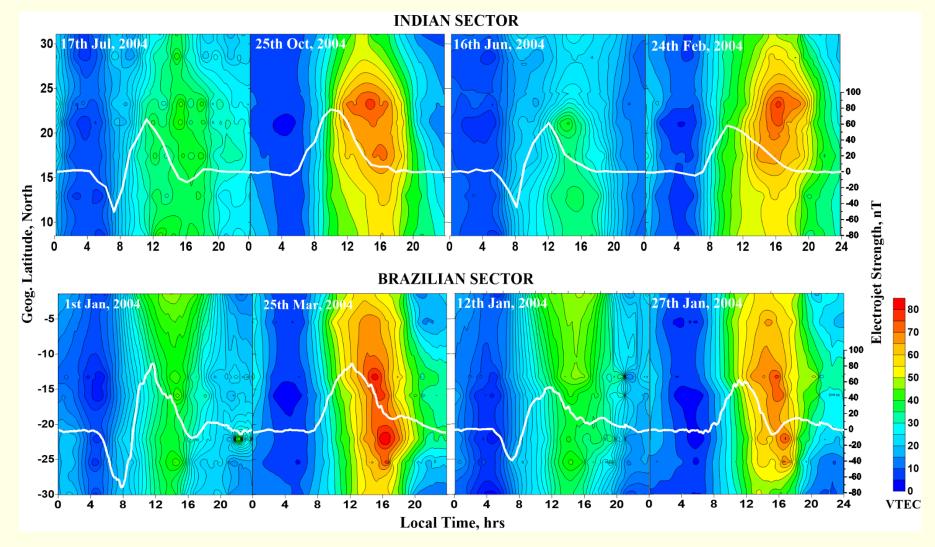


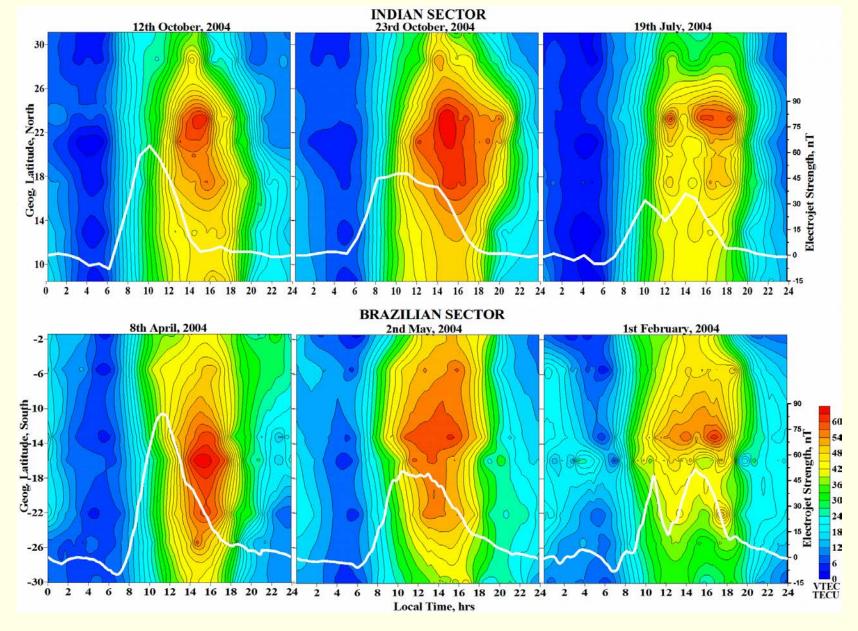
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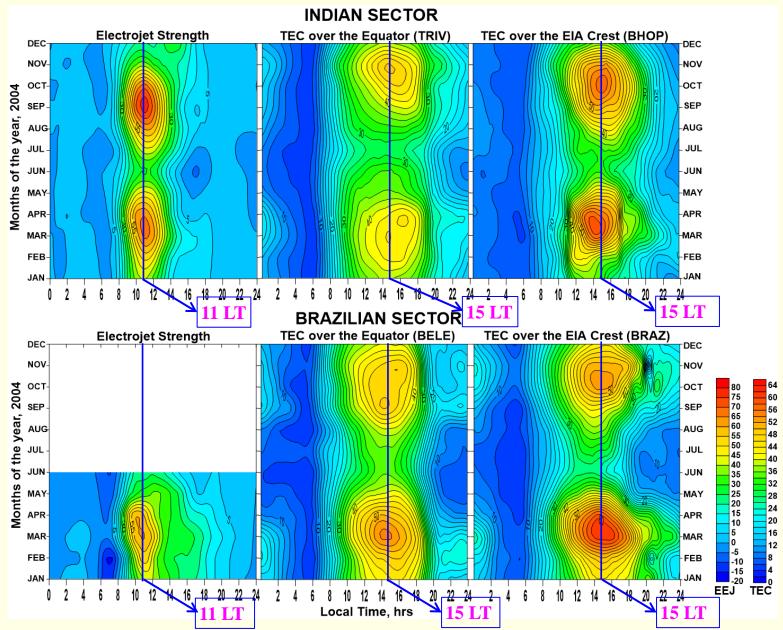
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Absence of well-developed EIA during morning CEJ events



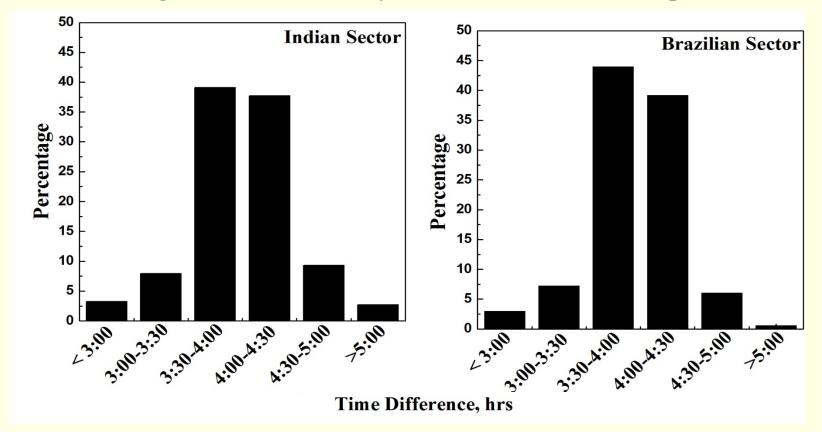


EEJ role on the diurnal extent of the EIA



Time lag between the EEJ day Maximum and well-developed EIA

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Summary:

- EEJ exhibit significant differences in the diurnal characteristic over Indian and Brazilian sectors
- Major number of CEJ events are found during afternoon hours in the Indian sector while the morning CEJ events are more prominent in the Brazilian sector particularly during winter and summer months.
- The seasonal and day-to-day variabilities in TEC at the EIA crest have strong correspondence with those observed in EEJ
- The integrated EEJ strength before the day maximum shows strong dependence with the strength of the EIA
- On each particular day, the temporal extent of the well developed EIA seems to be well associated with the corresponding diurnal characteristics of the EEJ
- The two important aspects observed in this analysis are
 - 1. The dependence of the EIA strength on the $IEEJ_{daymax}$ &
 - 2. The time delay between the occurrences of the day maximum EEJ and well-developed EIA.
- This indicates that the diurnal characteristics of the EEJ can provide the information about the EIA characteristics few hours in advance.

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