

STARGRAZE

PLANET FACTS
There are 8 planets in our solar system. They are: Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, and Neptune. Pluto is no longer considered a planet.

PLANET FACTS
Mercury is the smallest planet in our solar system. It is also the closest to the Sun.

PLANET FACTS
Jupiter is the largest planet in our solar system. It is a gas giant.

EXPERIMENTAL MEASUREMENT
The distance between the Earth and the Sun is approximately 149.6 million kilometers. This distance is known as 1 Astronomical Unit (AU).

FACTS
The first person to walk on the Moon was Neil Armstrong on July 20, 1969.

GENERAL INFORMATION
The Earth is the only planet in our solar system known to support life. It is the only planet with a large body of liquid water on its surface.

PLANET FACTS
Saturn is known as the ringed planet. It has a prominent ring system made of ice and rock.

Planet	Distance from Sun (AU)
Mercury	0.39
Venus	0.72
Earth	1.00
Mars	1.52
Jupiter	5.20
Saturn	9.54
Uranus	19.20
Neptune	30.05

PLANET FACTS
Uranus is the only planet in our solar system that rotates on its side.

PLANET FACTS
Neptune is the farthest planet from the Sun in our solar system.



PLANET FACTS
Pluto is the smallest and farthest planet from the Sun. It is now classified as a dwarf planet.

PLANET FACTS
The Sun is a yellow dwarf star. It is the center of our solar system.

EDITORIAL
The purpose of this magazine is to provide information about space exploration and astronomy.

PLANET FACTS
Mars is the only planet in our solar system that has a polar ice cap.

PLANET FACTS
Venus is the hottest planet in our solar system.

