

GEOLOGICAL TIME SCALE

EON	ERA	PERIOD	AGE (MA)
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Phanerozoic
Cenozoic
Quaternary
2.58 - 0
Neogene
23.0 - 2.58
Paleogene
66.0 - 23.0
Mesozoic
Cretaceous
145 - 66.0
Jurassic
201 - 145
Triassic
252 - 201
Paleozoic
Permian
299 - 252
Carboniferous
359 - 299
Devonian
419 - 359
Silurian
444 - 419
Ordovician
485 - 444
Cambrian
541 - 485
Proterozoic
Neoproterozoic
Ediacaran / Cryogenian
1000 - 541
Archean
Eo - Neoproterozoic
Complex Crust Formation
4000 - 2500
Hadean
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Formation of Earth
4600 - 4000