

GEOLOGICAL TIME SCALE

EON	ERA	PERIOD	EPOCH	START (MA)	
Phanerozoic	Cenozoic	Quaternary	Holocene	0.0117	
			Pleistocene	2.58	
		Neogene	Miocene - Pliocene	23.03	
	Mesozoic	Cretaceous	Upper / Lower	145.0	
			Jurassic	U / M / L	201.3
			Triassic	U / M / L	251.9
	Paleozoic	Permian - Cambrian	Various	541.0	
Proterozoic	Neoproterozoic	Ediacaran - Cryogenian	-	1000	
Archean	Eoarchean	-	-	4000	
Hadean	-	-	-	4600	