

INVENTION & SCIENCE CHRONOLOGY

Subject: History of Technology Period: 3500 BCE - Present

Year/Era	Invention or Discovery	Key Figure / Origin
ANCIENT WORLD		
c. 3500 BCE	The Wheel	Mesopotamia
c. 250 BCE	Archimedes' Screw	Archimedes of Syracuse
SCIENTIFIC REVOLUTION		
1440	Printing Press	Johannes Gutenberg
1609	Astronomical Telescope	Galileo Galilei
1687	Laws of Motion/Gravitation	Isaac Newton
INDUSTRIAL & MODERN AGE		
1769	Steam Engine (Improved)	James Watt

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1879	Incandescent Light Bulb	Thomas Edison
1905	Special Relativity	Albert Einstein
1928	Penicillin	Alexander Fleming
1969	ARPANET (Early Internet)	DARPA
2012	CRISPR-Cas9 Gene Editing	Doudna / Charpentier