

AGES OF HUMAN INNOVATION

A Chronological Evolution of Technology & Society

Stone Age 3.4M Years ago - 3300 BCE

- Controlled Fire
- Stone Tools
- Bow and Arrow
- Early Pottery

Bronze & Iron Ages 3300 BCE - 500 BCE

- The Wheel
- Writing Systems
- Metal Smelting
- Irrigation

Middle Ages 500 CE - 1450 CE

- Printing Press
- Mechanical Clock
- Gunpowder
- Windmills

Industrial Revolution 1760 - 1840

- Steam Engine
- Telegraph
- Cotton Gin
- Photography

Atomic & Space Age 1945 - 1970

- Nuclear Power
- Transistors
- Satellite Flight
- Jet Engines

Information Age 1970 - Present

- The Internet
- Smartphones
- Genomic Sequencing
- Artificial Intelligence