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# How long is mercury in space



## Overview

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Named after the Roman messenger of the gods, who was known for being very swift, Mercury takes only 88 days to complete one orbit around the Sun – the shortest year of all planets. That means some solar days on Earth are a few minutes longer than 24 hours and some are a few minutes shorter. This means that its distance from the Sun varies throughout its circuit, between approximately 46 million and 70 million kilometres. Because of its nearness to the Sun –its average orbital distance is 58 million km (36 million miles)—it has the shortest year (a revolution period of 88 days) and receives the most intense solar radiation of all the planets. By the way, they thought the same about Venus. Like the Moon and Venus, Mercury has phases, but you can see those only through a telescope. Being the most inferior orbiting planet, it always appears close to the sun in Earth 's sky, either as a "morning star" or an "evening star".

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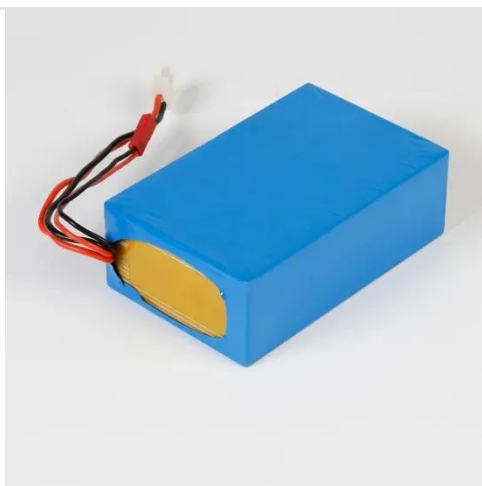


### Mercury Facts

A year on Mercury is just 88 days long. One solar day (the time from noon to noon on the planet's surface) on Mercury lasts the equivalent of 176 Earth days while the sidereal day (the time for 1 ...

### Planet Mercury

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### How Long Is a Day on Each Planet?

When asking, "how long is a day on each planet," Earth's day is 24 hours, Jupiter's is about 10 hours, while Mercury's day lasts 58.6 Earth days.

### Mercury (planet)

Consequently, one solar day (sunrise to sunrise) on Mercury lasts for around 176 Earth days: twice the planet's sidereal year.



### How Long is a Year on Other Planets?

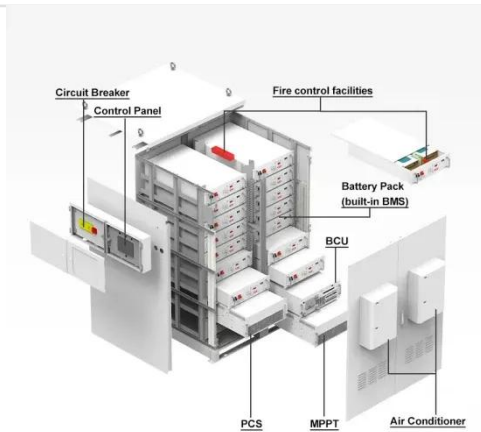
You probably know that a year is 365 days here on Earth. But did you know that on Mercury you'd have a birthday every 88 days? Read this article to find

out how long it takes all the ...



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## How Long Is One Day on Other Planets?

Option 1: A Paragraph We can write a paragraph about how long days last on other planets. On Mercury a day lasts 1,408 hours, and on Venus it lasts 5,832 hours. On Earth and Mars ...

## All About Mercury , Fun Facts About Mercury , How Big Is Mercury ...

How long is a day on Mercury? A solar day - the amount of time it takes the Sun to rise, set, and rise to the same place again - on Mercury lasts about 176 Earth

days.



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