

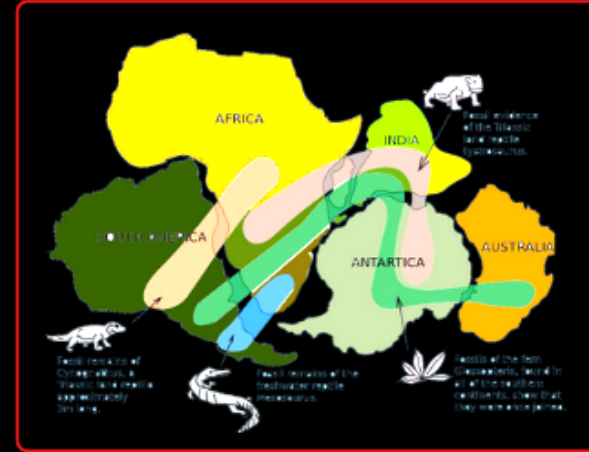
THINK YOU'RE FAST? THINK AGAIN

TOP SPEEDS

SLOW

TECTONIC PLATES 5MM/YEAR

Ever thought anything could be this fast? This is one of the causes of earthquakes worldwide.



SEA ANEMONE 8CM/HOUR

Most of the time they just stay still and wait for food to float to their tentacles.

SNAIL 50M/HOUR

Been called "Turbo snail"? This term is false. They are VERY slow indeed.

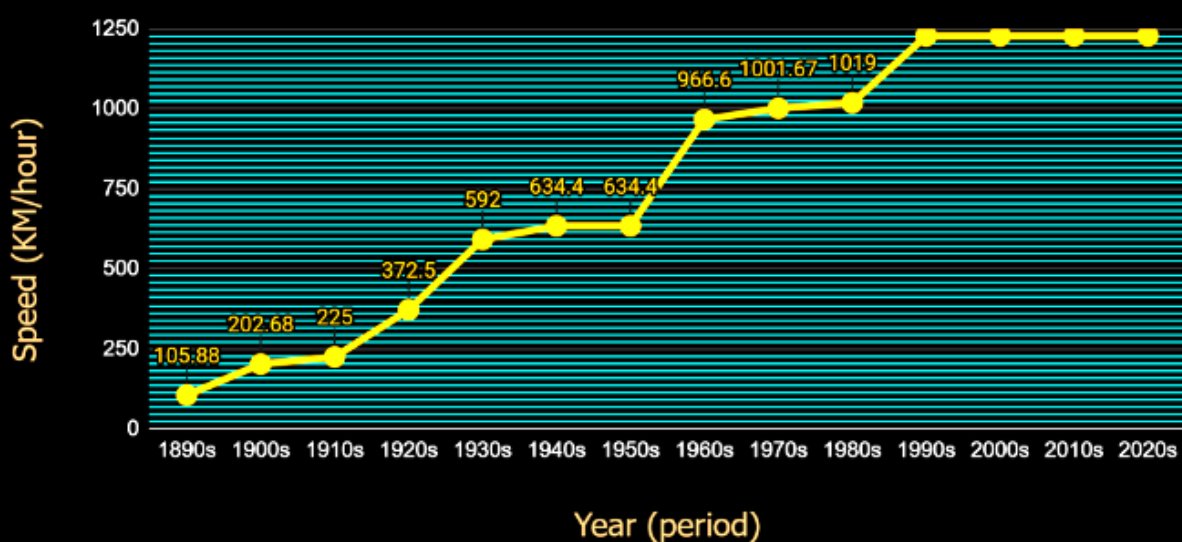


T REX 27KM/HOUR

Surprisingly, these are not that fast. If they travelled any faster, their bones would break.



Top Land Speed Over Time



USAIN BOLT 45KM/HOUR

Partially due to longer leg length, this Jamaican sprinter reached 90% of the maximum speed possible for a human.

ON MOON:
18KM/HOUR

ON ICE:
335KM/HOUR

SUBMERGED:
511KM/HOUR

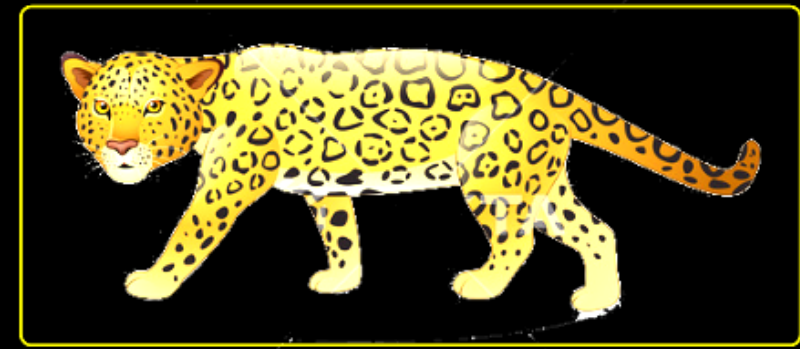
Submerged > On ice > On moon

- Vehicles that are sent to the moon are not built for speed.
- Frozen lakes available for "Ice racing" are small; therefore, cars cannot accelerate for long periods of time.

FAST

CHEETAH 130KM/HOUR

Because of Natural Selection, the cheetah can sprint at incredible speeds due to its decreased body mass.



KOENIGSEGG JESKO 530KM/HOUR

Similar to previously record-breaking Bugatti Chiron, Koenigsegg Jesko is all about reducing drag, giving it a higher thrust force and a greater acceleration.

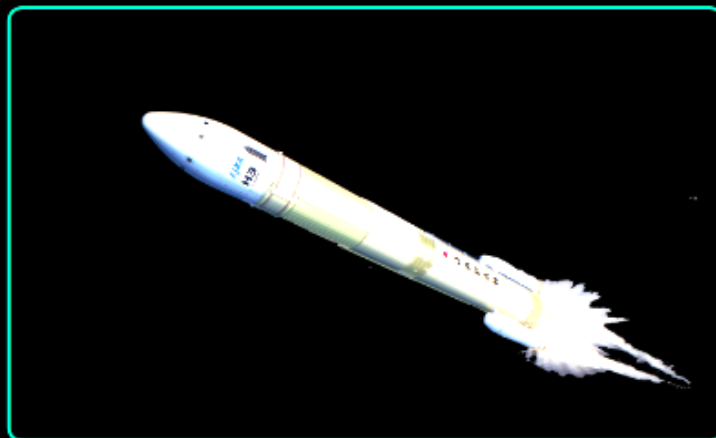


SSC THRUST 1228KM/HOUR

As the fastest on-land vehicle ever built, it is two jet engines allow it to travel faster than the speed of sound. It has a whopping 102K horsepower!



CAR TOP SPEEDS

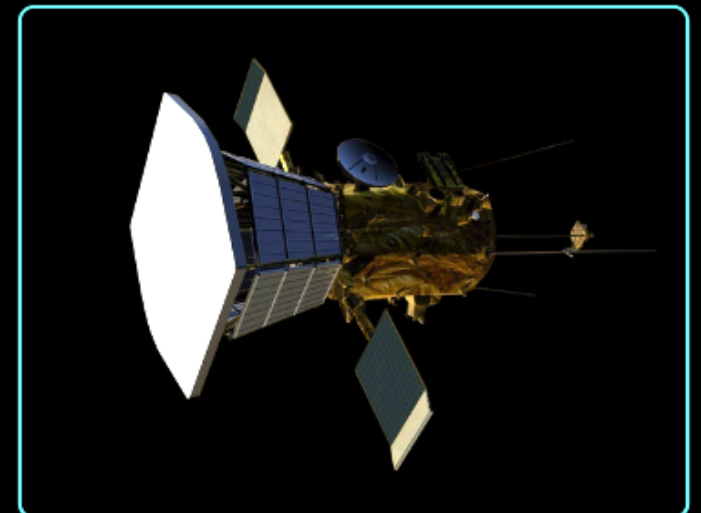


ROCKET 16100KM/HOUR

This is, similar to Koenigsegg Jesko, fairly due to less drag. There is not much resistance in space.

PARKER SOLAR PROBE 587000KM/HOUR

The fastest vehicle mankind has ever created, requiring speed to resist the pull of the sun. It is nonetheless very slow on astronomical scales.



LIGHT 300000KM/SECOND

This is another example which is similar to Koenigsegg Jesko, Light travels fast, partly due to low resistance in space.

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