

Geologic Time Chart

			from	to	
Phanerozoic Eon	Cenozoic Era	Quaternary Period	Holocene Epoch	0.01	0.00
			Pleistocene Epoch	1.8	0.01
		Tertiary Period	Pliocene Epoch	5	1.8
			Miocene Epoch	23	5
			Oligocene Epoch	38	23
			Eocene Epoch	54	38
			Paleocene Epoch	65	54
	Mesozoic Era	Cretaceous Period		146	65
		Jurassic Period		208	146
		Triassic Period		245	208
	Paleozoic Era	Permian Period		286	245
		Pennsylvanian Period ①		325	286
		Mississippian Period ①		360	325
		Devonian Period		410	360
		Silurian Period		440	410
Ordovician Period		505	440		
Cambrian Period		544	505		
Precambrian Eon	Proterozoic Era		2,500	544	
	Archaean Era		3,800	2,500	
	Hadean Era		4,500	3800	

Chart is not to scale. **Dates** are in millions of years. Dates vary from source to source

For more information go to <http://www.ucmp.berkeley.edu/help/timeform.html>

① Some authors refer to the Mississippian and Pennsylvanian as Carboniferous