

# THE FASTEST SHIP IN THE UNIVERSE

## RELATIVISTIC SHIPS

ACCELERATION IN G FORCE (1G = 9.8M/S<sup>2</sup>)

<b>VOYAGER 1 (NASA)</b> Jet propulsion		0G
<b>DISCOVERY ONE (2001: A Space Odyssey)</b> Nuclear-powered magnetoplasmadynamic thrusters		0.00002G
<b>RED DWARF (Red Dwarf)</b> Hydrogen engines, fuel collected via large scope at front		0.000033G
<b>RAGNAROK (Final Fantasy VIII)</b> Reaction-model 12-step compression turbines		0.015G
<b>DELOREAN (Back to the Future)</b> Mr. Fusion Home Energy Reactor / flux capacitor		0.34G
<b>JUPITER 2 (Lost in Space)</b> Two deuterium-annihilation atomic motors		0.55G
<b>THUNDERBIRD 3 (Thunderbirds)</b> Ion drive / chemical rockets		1.12G
<b>SPACE SHUTTLE DISCOVERY (NASA)</b> Aerojet Rocketdyne RS-25		3G
<b>SPACE LAUNCH SYSTEM [SLS] (Interstellar)</b> Solid fuel, liquid hydrogen, liquid oxygen		3.8G
<b>SATURN V, APOLLO 11 (NASA)</b> Saturn V SA-506		3.94G
<b>SERENITY (Firefly)</b> Trace compression block engine		4.2G
<b>CYLON RAIDER (Battlestar Galactica)</b> FTL drive		7.5G
<b>MOON ROCKET X-FLR6 (Tintin)</b> Nuclear rocket engine		8G
<b>COLONIAL VIPERMARK VII (Battlestar Galactica)</b> 3 turbo-thrust engines		9G
<b>THUNDERFIGHTER (Buck Rogers)</b> Fusion		9.4G
<b>KAL-EL'S ESCAPE POD (Superman: The Movie)</b>		11G
<b>THE EVENT HORIZON (Event Horizon)</b> Ion drive		30G
<b>SWORDFISH II (Cowboy Bebop)</b> Rolls-Royce AF-15C axial fusion aero-spike turbine		50G
<b>PROJECT ORION (NASA)</b> Nuclear pulse propulsion		100G
<b>DEATH (humans)</b>		100G
<b>TIE FIGHTERS (Star Wars)</b> Twin ion engine		4,100G
<b>Acceleration of a proton in the Large Hadron Collider</b> 27-kilometer ring of superconducting magnets		1,900,000,000G

## FASTER THAN LIGHT

SPEED IN C (C = 299,792,458 M / S)

<b>USCSS PROMETHEUS (Prometheus)</b> 4 ion-powered plasma engines		19.5C
<b>FIREBALL XL5 (Fireball XL5)</b> Nuclear reactor		24C
<b>USCSS NOSTROMO (Alien)</b> Rolls-Royce N66 Cyclone thrust engines		44C
<b>THE ARK (Transformers)</b> 4 hyperfuel intake accelerators		115C
<b>THE USS SULACO (Aliens)</b> Hyperdrive tachyon shunt		271C
<b>USS ENTERPRISE NCC-1701 (Star Trek)</b> Warp drive		512C
<b>PILLAR OF AUTUMN (Halo)</b> Shaw-Fujikawa Translight Engine		959C
<b>USS ENTERPRISE NCC-1701 D (Star Trek: The Next Generation)</b> Warp drive		1,649C
<b>USS VOYAGER (Star Trek: Voyager)</b> Warp drive		1,909C
<b>BORG CUBE (Star Trek: The Next Generation)</b>		7,912C
<b>PRAWN MOTHERSHIP (District 9)</b>		11,119C
<b>EAGLE 5 (Space Balls)</b> Liquid Schwartz		89,998C
<b>ASCENDANT JUSTICE (Halo)</b>		333,164C
<b>THE GUNSTAR (The Last Starfighter)</b> Stardrive hyperdrive system		701,280C
<b>DEATH STAR (Star Wars)</b> Sepma 30-5 sublight engines		1,142,500C
<b>THE ROGER YOUNG (Starship Troopers)</b>		1,300,000C
<b>GALACTICA [BS-75] (Battlestar Galactica)</b>		1,680,000C
<b>AXIOM (Wall-E)</b>		2,190,000C
<b>IMPERIAL II-CLASS STAR DESTROYER (Star Wars)</b> Ion engine		2,285,000C
<b>TRIMAXION DRONE SHIP "MAX" (Flight of the Navigator)</b> Phaelon technology / David's brain		4,460,000C
<b>X-WING T-65 STARFIGHTER (Star Wars)</b> Thrust engines and hyperdrive		4,570,000C
<b>SAMUS' GUNSHIP (Metroid)</b> Dual engines		6,500,000C
<b>SLAVE 1 (Empire Strikes Back)</b> Ion engine		6,500,000C
<b>MILLENNIUM FALCON (Star Wars)</b> Class 0.5 hyperdrive		9,130,000C
<b>DAEDALUS (Stargate)</b> Asgard hyperdrive		60,000,000C
<b>SPACEBALL 1 (Space Balls)</b> Secret hyperjets		1,360,000,000C
<b>PLANET EXPRESS (Futurama)</b> Dark matter reactors with afterburners that move the universe around the ship; Later, whale oil		4,870,000,000,000C
<b>THE TARDIS (Dr. Who)</b> The sentient 'Heart of the Tardis' is powered by both the Time Vortex and the Eye of Harmony, which is an exploding star permanently suspended in time		10,000,000,000,000,000C
<b>HEART OF GOLD (The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy)</b> Improbability drive		∞

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