

Planet Order and Model Limits



Name: _____ Date: _____

Use the material to work through each task. Show the requested response.

Eight planets

From the Sun outward, the planets are Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune. The Sun is a star. A list shows order but not true distances or sizes.

1. Which planet is third from the Sun?

2. Which planet is between Earth and Jupiter?

3. Order these planets from the Sun outward.

A. Jupiter Order: ____	B. Venus Order: ____
C. Mars Order: ____	D. Mercury Order: ____

4. Is the Sun a planet or a star?

5. Which is farther outward in this order: Uranus or Neptune?

6. Does equal spacing in a planet list mean actual planet distances are equal?
