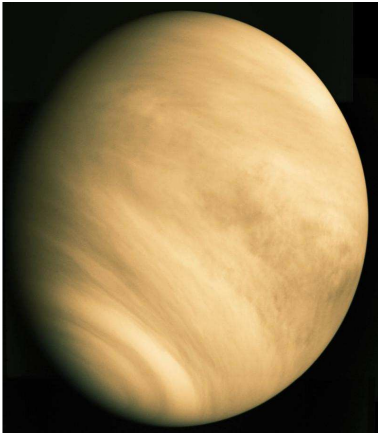


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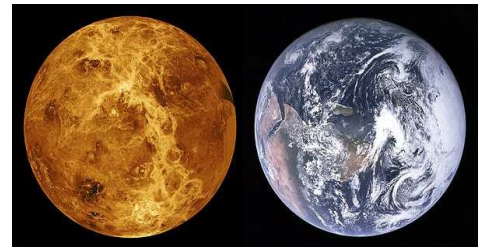
Venus



Venus is the second planet from the sun. It is composed of rocks and is the planet most similar to Earth, both in weight and composition. It is the third brightest object in the sky, after the Sun and Moon.

Although farther from the Sun than Mercury, it is much hotter on Venus. Venus is the hottest planet in the Solar System reaching temperatures of 500° C. Venus also has the longest day of the Solar System: one day on

Venus is equal to 243 Earth days. It is believed that the slow rotation of the planet affects the movement of the tides on Earth. This planet is also the easiest to see from Earth. Finally, Venus has no moons.



Venus

Tierra

Answer the Questions

- A day on Venus is equal to _____.
 - 464 Earth days
 - 243 Earth days
 - 500 Earth days
 - 256 Earth days
- Venus is composed of _____.
 - water
 - ice
 - rocks
 - None of the above
- What do you call the moons of this planet?
 - Phobos and Deimos
 - Uranus
 - Ganymede
 - This planet has no moons.
- What is the maximum temperature on this planet?
 - 654 ° C
 - 500 ° C
 - 243 ° C
 - 464 ° C