Travel with NASA from the biggest to the smallest distance of the universe. This is a journey which starts and ends in distances difficult for the human mind to capture.

It starts from 10 million light years (10²³m.) at space, and ends at 100 atom/meter (10⁻¹⁶m.) on Earth.

Have a nice trip.



10 million light years (10²³m) the distance to galaxy Milky-Way

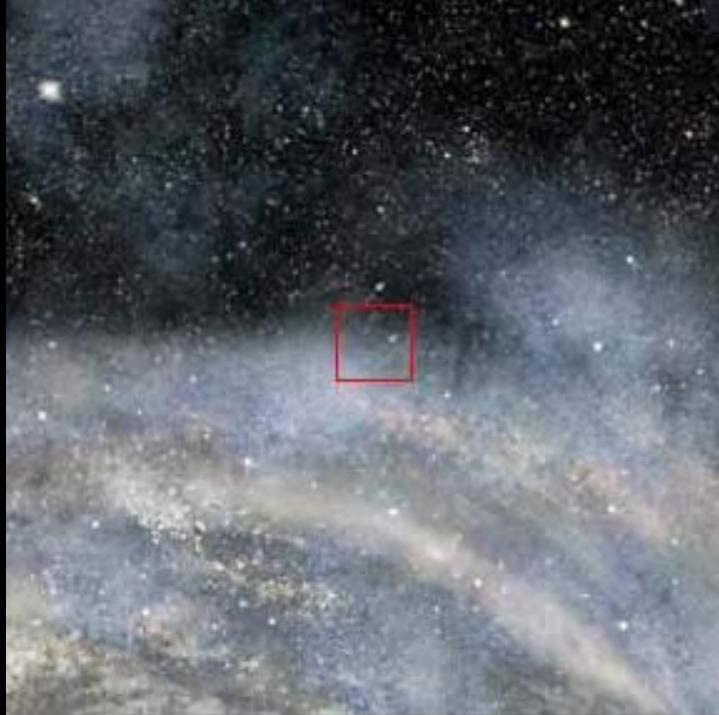


1 million light years (10²²m) The disc becomes visible.





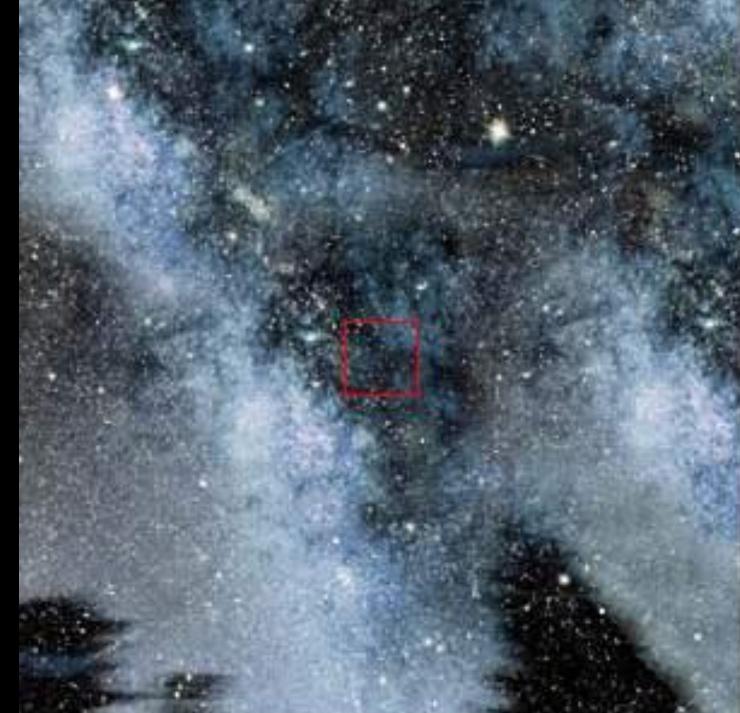
You can barely see our galaxy.





10.000 light years (10²⁰m)

You start to see the stars of our galaxy.



1.000 light years (10¹⁹m) The stars ten times closer.



100 light years (10¹⁸m)

Nothing but stars.

10 light years (10¹⁷m) Even more stars.



1 light year (10¹⁶m) With a little attention you can see the sun.



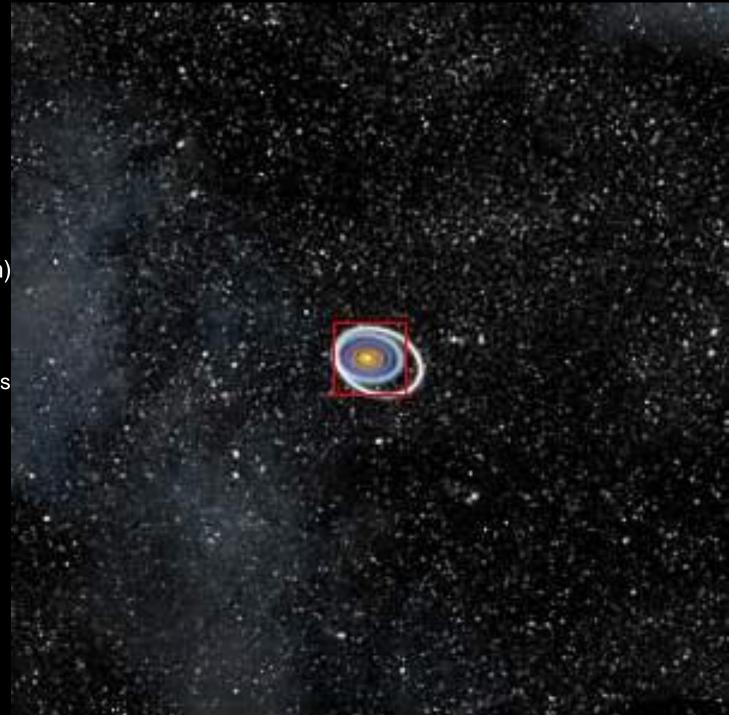
1 trillion Km (10¹⁵m) The sun even bigger.



100 billion Km (10^{14}m)

Our solar system starts to show.

(The orbits of the planets have been painted)

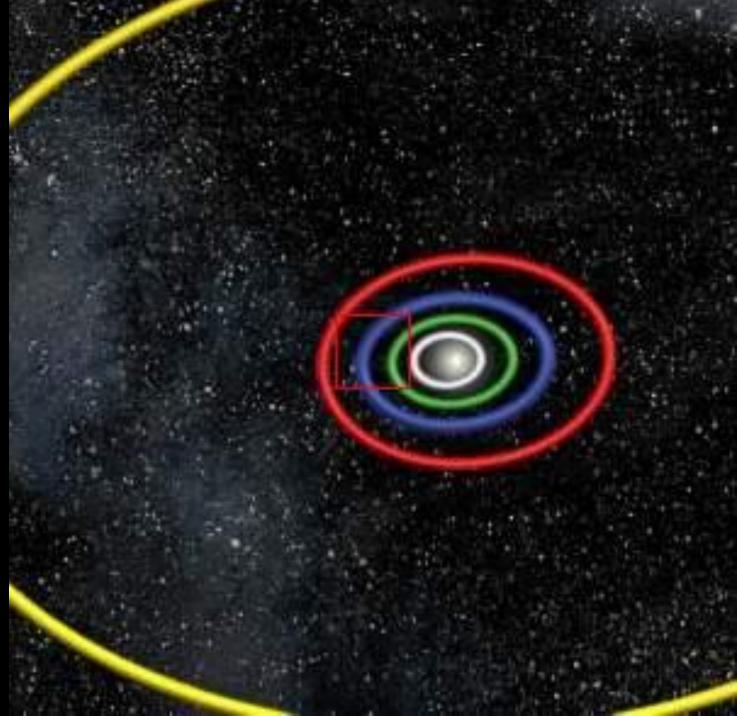


10 billion Km (10¹³m) Our solar system.

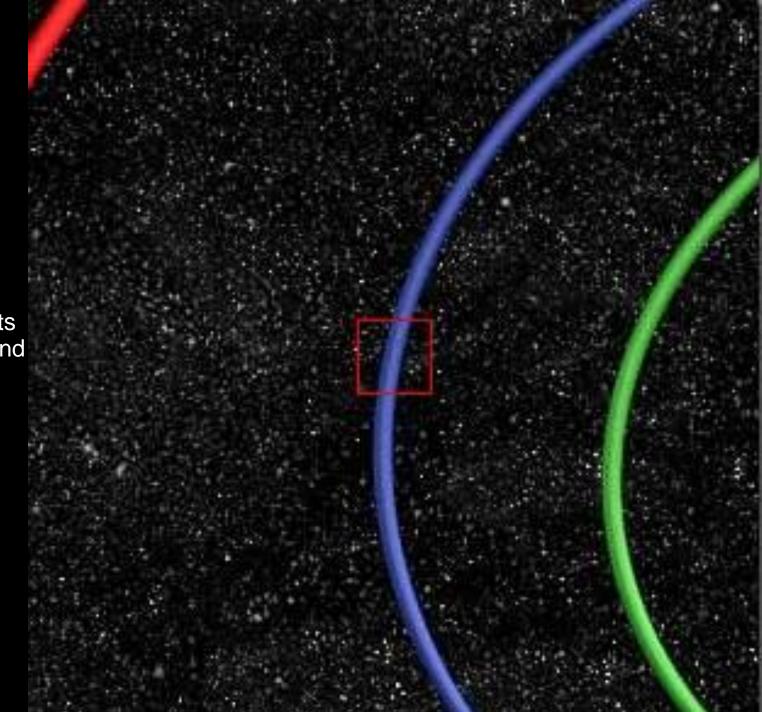


1 billion Km (10¹²m)

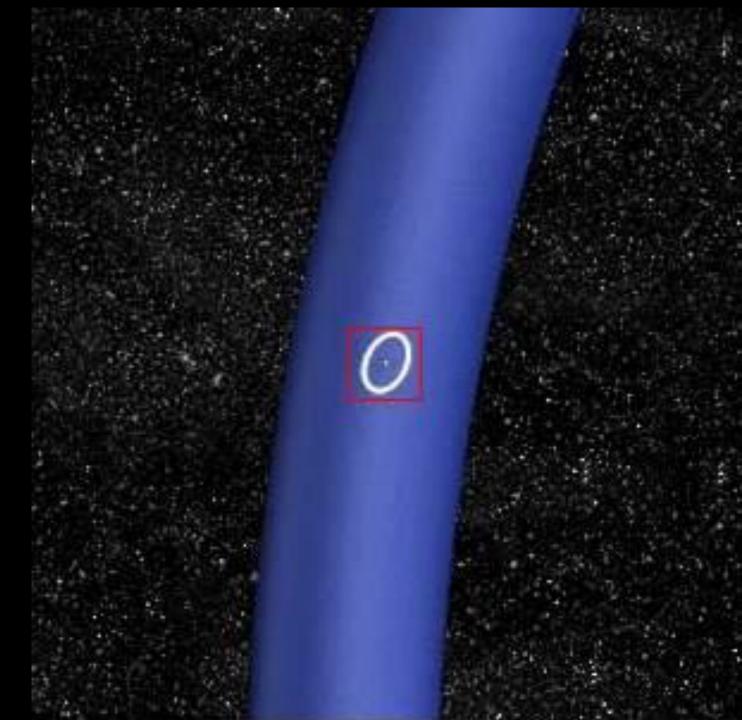
The orbits of Hermes, Venus, Earth, Mars and Zeus.

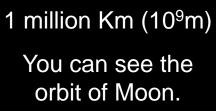


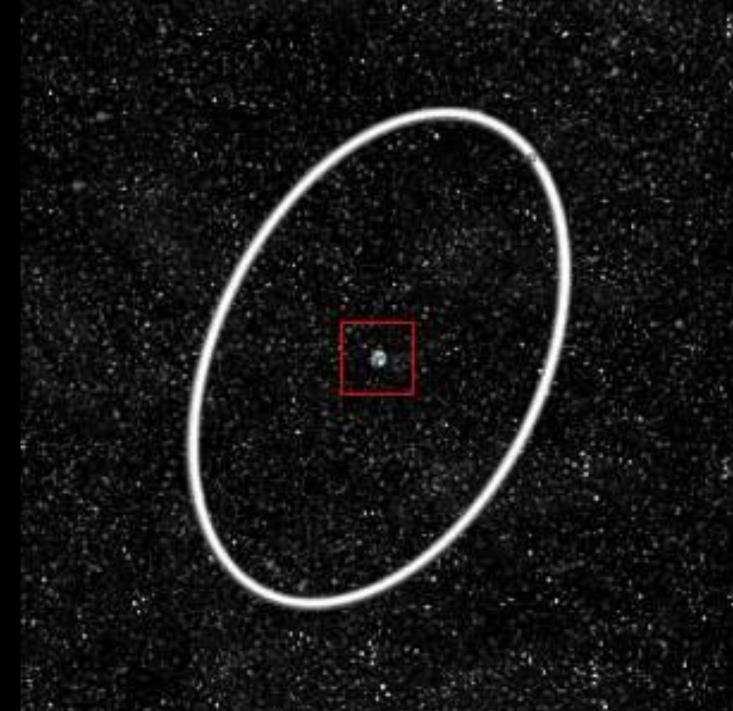
100 million Km (10¹¹m) The orbits of Venus, Earth and Mars.



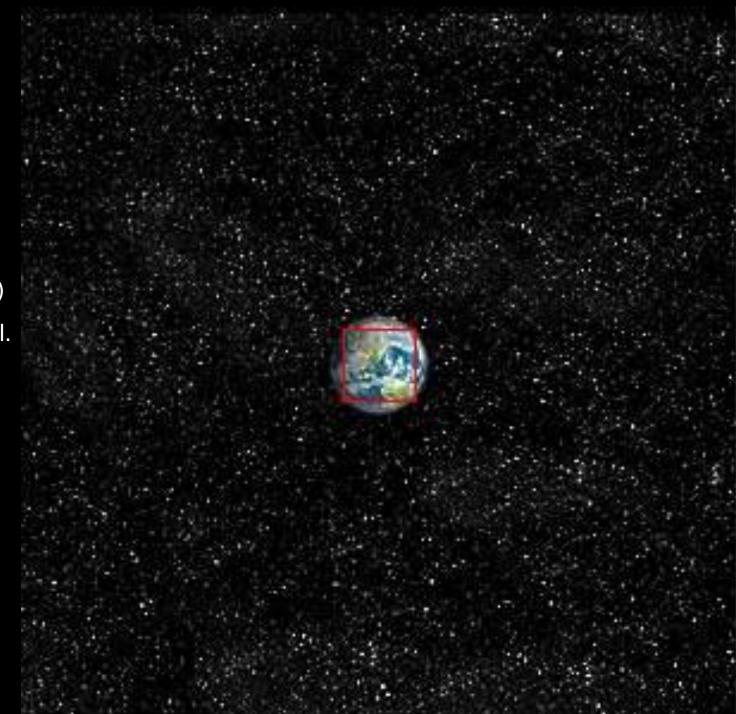
10 million Km (10¹⁰m) Part of the orbit of Earth.







100.000 Km (10⁸m) Our Earth still small.

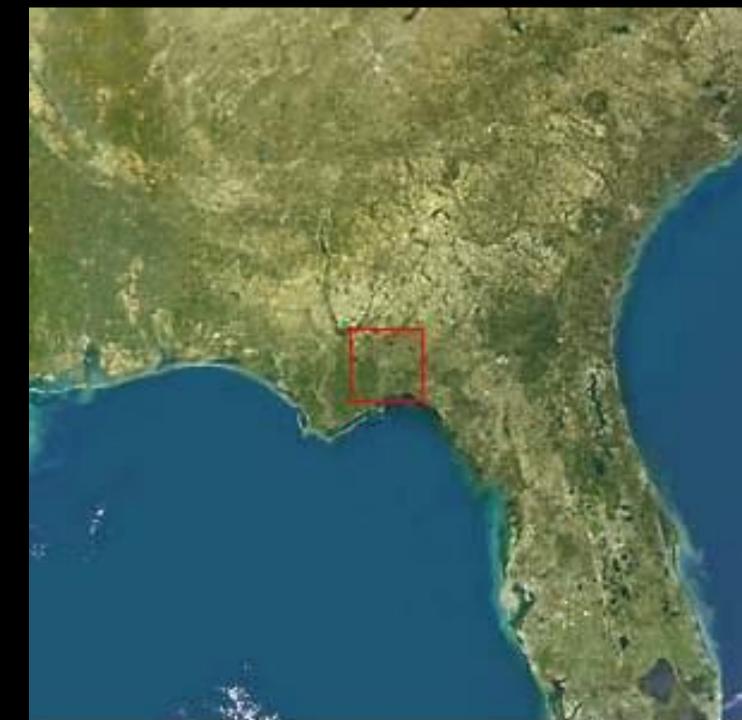


10.000 Km(10⁷m)

The northern hemisphere of Earth.

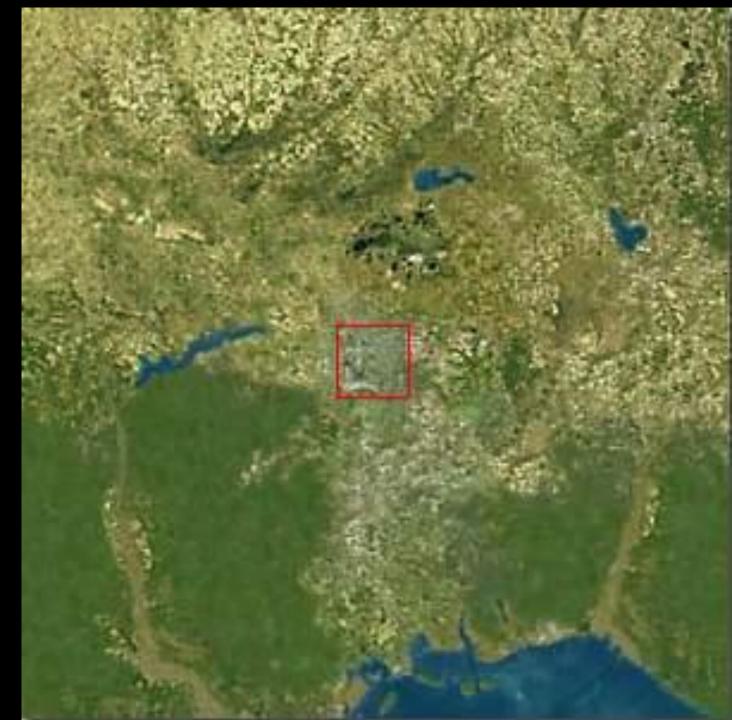


1.000 Km (10⁶m) Florida USA.



100 Km (10⁵m) From the surface of the sea.

Florida even closer.



10 Km (10⁴m) You start to distinct places.



1 Km (10³m)

What you can see when free falling off a plane.



100 m (10²m) An ordinary view from an helicopter.



10 m (10¹m) Seeing off a cliff. 1 m (10⁰m) What you see when you reach out your arms...



10 cm (10⁻¹m) You can catch the leaves.





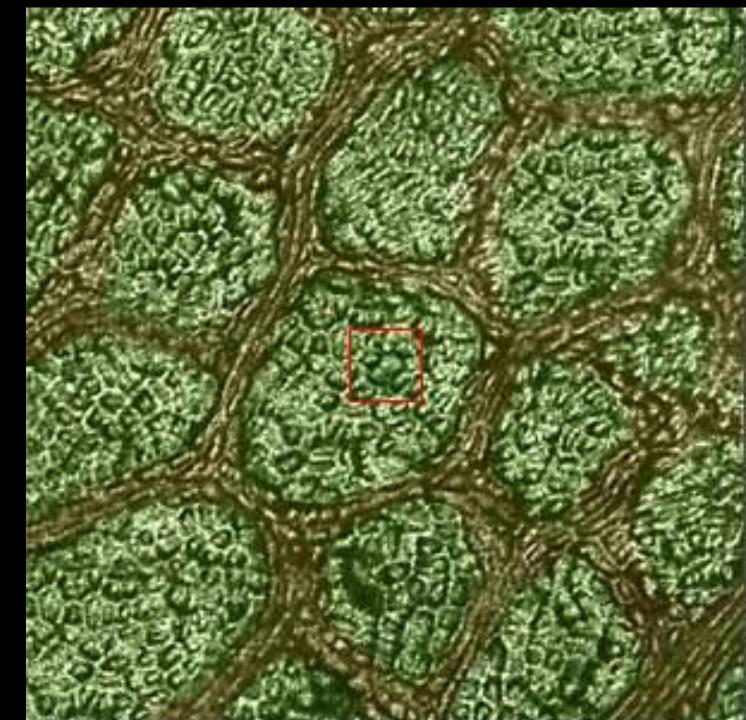
1 cm (10⁻²m) You can see the structure of a

leaf.

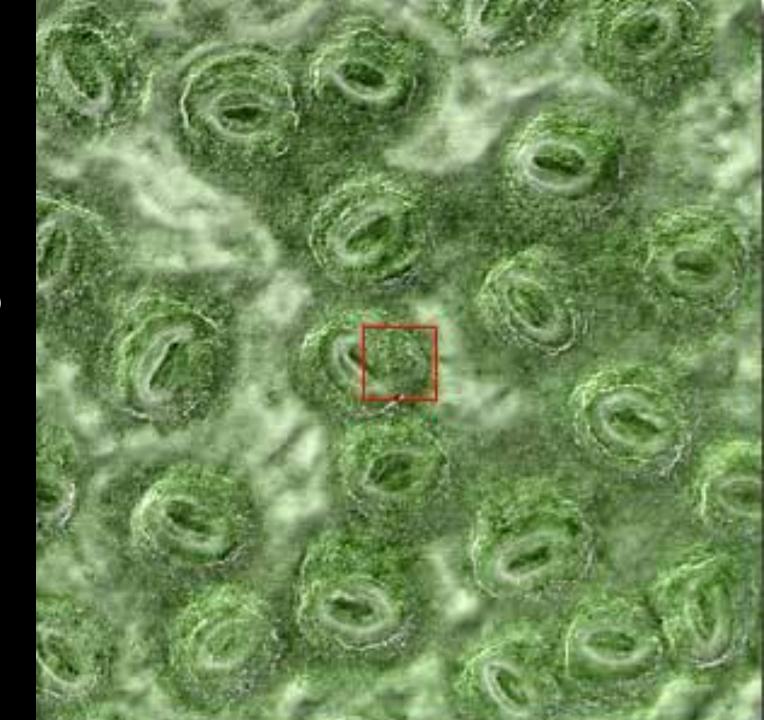
1 mm (10⁻³m) Even closer.



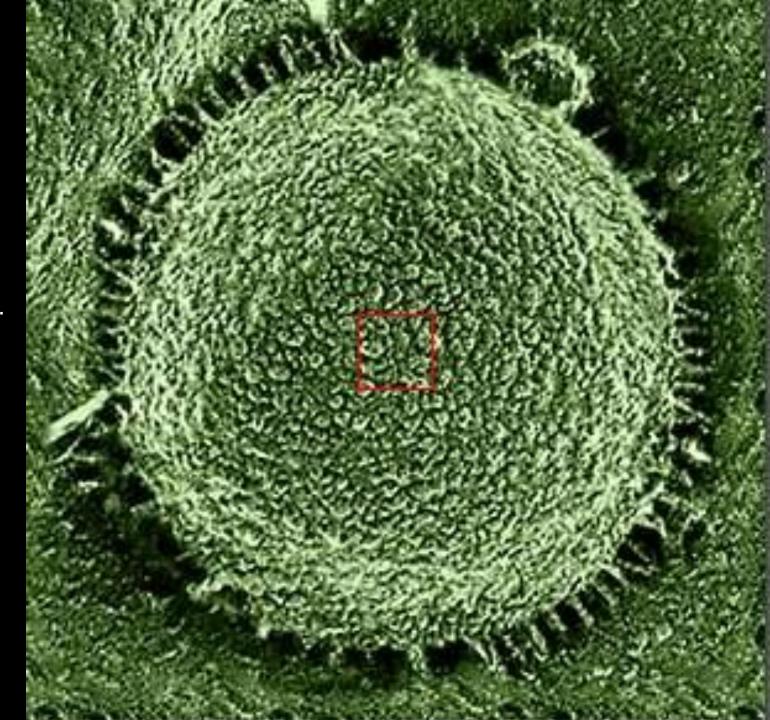
100 micron (10⁻⁴m) you can see the cells.



10 micron (10⁻⁵m) The cells look clearer.

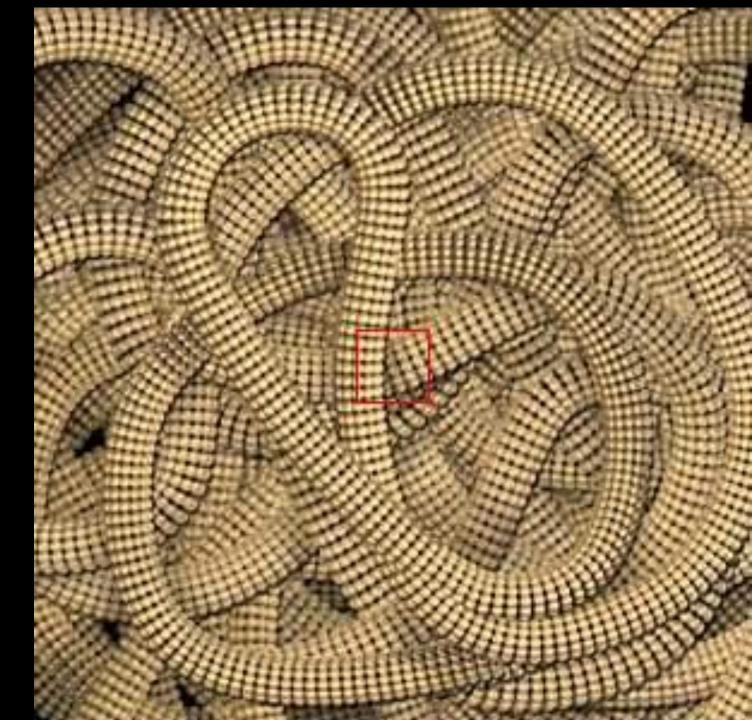


1 micron (10⁻⁶m). The cell itself.



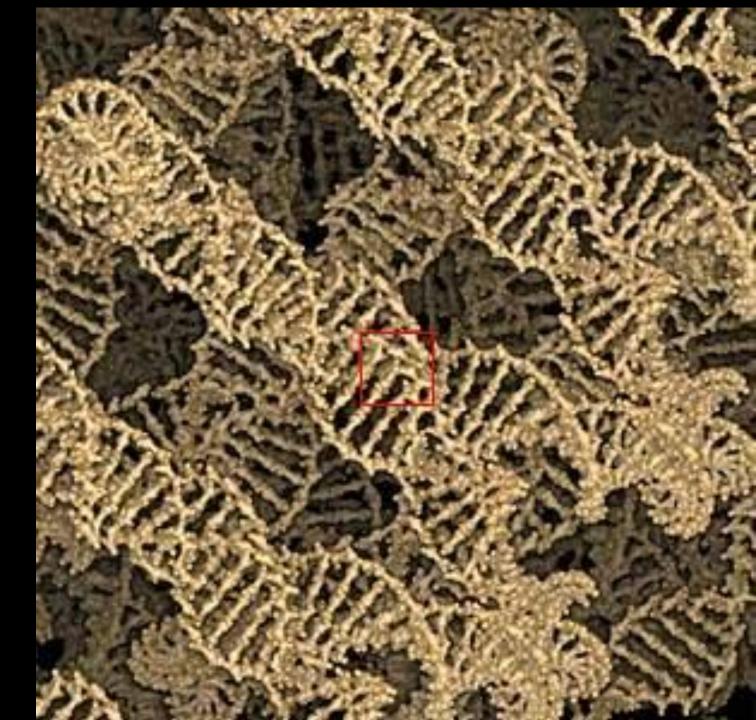
1.000 angstrom (10⁻⁷m)

You can see the chromosomes.



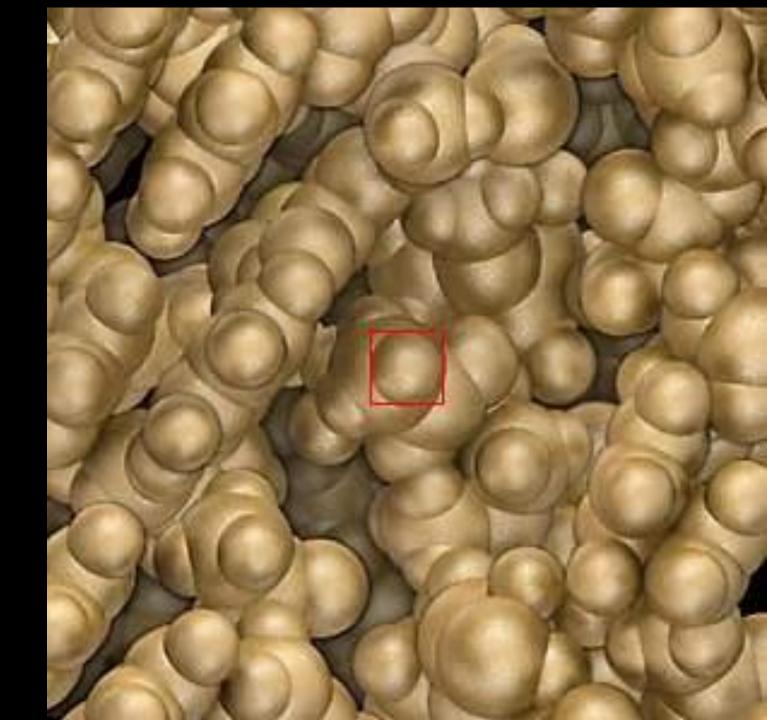
100 angstrom (10⁻⁸m)

You can see the DNA chain.



1 nanometre (10⁻⁹m)

The chromosomes parties.



1 angstrom (10⁻¹⁰m)

The atom of carbon. Life consists of it...



10 Pico metre (10⁻¹¹m)

The electron within the atom.



1 Pico metre (10⁻¹²m) The orbit of electrons.

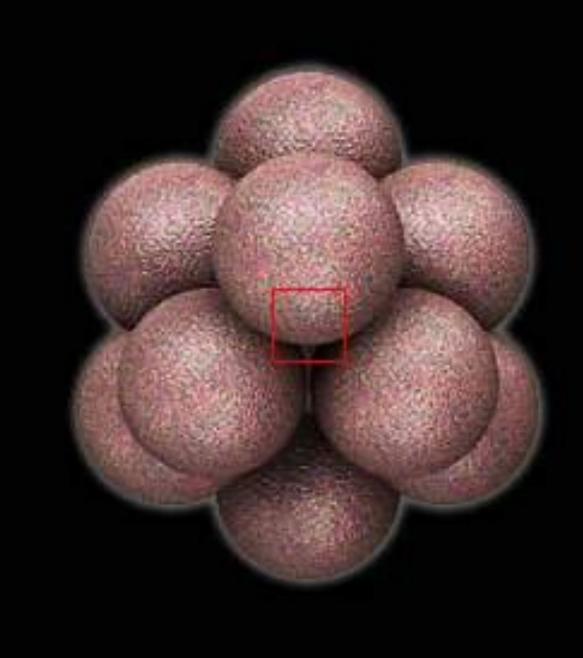


100 Fermi (10⁻¹³m)

The inner of an atom.



10 Fermi (10⁻¹⁴m) Closer.



1 Fermi (10⁻¹⁵m) The surface of a neutron.



100 atom metre (10⁻¹⁶m) we can see the quark.

End of trip!



After this journey ask yourself:

Can you say whether you are big or small?

Think for a minute

