

COMPLETIONS IN EVERYDAY LIFE

	In Seconds
Camera Shutter Open and Close	0.001
Rest Time of Human Nerve Cell	0.001
Blink of an Eye	0.10
Short Term Memory Receptors	0.80
One Human Heart Beat at Rest	0.86
Michael Jordan's Hang-time	0.9
Average Rock Video Scene Change	1.5
Average Doorbell Chime	2.0
Average Television Camera Shot	3.5
Average Embrace Between Spouses	7.0
Average CNN Headline News Story	13.0
U.S. <i>Pledge of Allegiance</i>	14.3
The 1989 San Francisco Earthquake	15.0
Phone Pickup after Fourth Ring	18.4
<i>Star Trek</i> opener "Space, the final frontier..."	22.1
Average Major League Home Run Trot	23.8
Pro Basketball Shot Clock	24.0
Final <i>Jeopardy</i> Countdown	30.0
Average Teeth-Brushing Time by Adults	58.0
Kentucky Derby, average length	62.3
"Star Spangled Banner" - Marine Corps Band	101.0
Average Song Length on Radio	190.0
World Record for One Mile Run	217.3
1000 Person Net Gain in World Population	314.2
Time for a Cigarette to Burn to Ashes	326.0