11 amazing space facts

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1. A day on Venus is longer than a year on Venus.
2. Astronauts' footprints on the Moon could last for millions of years.
3. A teaspoon of neutron star would weigh about a billion tonnes on Earth.
4. Sunlight takes about 8 minutes to reach Earth.
5. Saturn is less dense than water.
6. Mars has a volcano about two and a half times as tall as Mount Everest.
7. Space is completely silent.
8. Astronauts on the International Space Station see about 16 sunrises a day.
9. Jupiter's Great Red Spot is a storm bigger than Earth.
10. About 1.3 million Earths could fit inside the Sun.
11. Uranus spins on its side.

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