
Subject: Mars to be closer to Earth then in 60,000 years

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I wasn't talking about just the sizes of the planets, there's plenty of those out there, but if you wanted to see the entire size of the sun and still have visible inner planets, it would be a very large image, monstrously so if distances were to scale.

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Well, using the image you provided, lets make a scale sun with a diameter 10x that of jupiter.

[Http://maelstrom.hypermart.net/images/planets.jpg](http://maelstrom.hypermart.net/images/planets.jpg)

1482x1242 is a pretty big image in my book, considering some people still use 800x600.

And, well, if we were taking into account distance...If I made Mercury 4 pixels wide, it would be 4500 pixels away from the sun, and that's just Mercury, the planet closest to the sun.
