

ECLIPSES - 2017

LOCAL TIME

There will be four eclipses , two of the sun and two of the moon, during 2017

February 10 - 11	: Penumbral eclipse of the moon
February 26	: Annular eclipse of the sun
August 7 - 8	: Partial eclipse of the moon
August 21 - 22	: Total eclipse of the sun

Penumbral eclipse of the moon – February 11

The eclipse begins at **02h32** and ends at **06h 55**. The moon will set at **05h41** at Rodrigues and at **06h07** in Mauritius.

The eclipse will be visible until moonset both in Mauritius and Rodrigues

an annular eclipse of the sun – February 26

The eclipse begins at **16h11** and ends at **21h36**. The maximum duration of annularity is 01 minute 18 seconds.

The eclipse will not be visible both in Mauritius and Rodrigues.

Partial eclipse of the moon – August 7- 8

The eclipse begins at **19h48** and ends on 8 August at **00h53**. Maximum eclipse will occur at **22h 20**

The eclipse will be visible both in Mauritius and Rodrigues.

Total eclipse of the sun – August 21- 22

The eclipse begins at **19h47** and ends on 22 August at **01h04**. Maximum duration of totality is 2 minutes 45 seconds

The eclipse will not be visible both in Mauritius and Rodrigues.

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Equinoxes and Solstices - 2017

Equinoxes : March 20 at 14h29 and September 23 at 00h02

Solstices : June 21 at 08h24 and December 21 at 20h28